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# January

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 <i>Office Closed</i>	2 <i>Office Closed</i> <i>Mizpah Shrine Officer Installation 7pm</i>	3 <i>Pokagon SC Christmas Party 6pm</i>
4	5  Chanters	6 <i>Trustee Mtg</i> <i>Finance Mtg</i>  <i>Circus Trans Dinner 6:30pm</i>	7  Bagpipers	8  Band LOH	9	10 <i>Unit Head Mtg</i> <i>Driver Training</i> <i>Pote Aide Mtg</i>  Hillbillys
11	12  Chanters Directors Staff  <i>Pre Trip Meeting</i>	13  Class Directors	14  Bagpipers  NILE 7pm <i>Kosciusko SC Installation</i>	15  Band Elkhart SC Mizmur SC	16	17
18	19  Chanters Vettes Yoshi	20	21  Bagpipers Flying Shriners Hapzim	22  <b>CIRCUS</b>	23  <b>CIRCUS</b>	24  <b>CIRCUS</b>
25  <b>CIRCUS</b>	26  Antique Power Car Club Chanters	27  Calliopers Clowns Khybers	28  Bagpipers Eel River SC Media Unit Noble Co SC Wabash SC	29	30  <i>Circus Apprec Dinner 7pm</i>	31

## February 2015

Feb 2 Divan Meeting  
 Feb 4 Shrine Stated Meeting  
 Feb 11 Nile Stated Session 7pm  
 Feb 14 Valentine's Day Dance

## March 2015

Mar 2 Divan Meeting  
 Mar 4 Shrine Stated Meeting  
 Mar 8 Daylight Savings Time  
 Mar 11 Nile Stated Session  
 Mar 22 Nile Officer Installation  
 Mar 28 Bowl with Easter Bunny  
 Mar 30 Divan Meeting

2015 Calendar available at  
[www.mizpahshrine.com](http://www.mizpahshrine.com)



# Potentate's Message

Welcome to 2015! Your Divan is looking forward to an exciting year. Even though we still have many challenges before us, membership and finances for example, it is our intent to not lose sight of our prime objective - "to have fun while helping kids".

We'll have to tighten our belts while at the same time try to provide activities both for the Nobles and for our families that will excite the membership to come to Mizpah. After all, if we are family, this should be the place to come together for fun, fellowship, and support.

First up, of course, is the 2015 Shrine Circus. Volunteer your time in any way you can. It will be fun for all. The Circus will be followed closely by our Valentine's Day Dance, a semi-formal event where you can bring your favorite girl for an evening of good food and dancing. This event is open to Nobles, their ladies, and guests.

Keep your eyes on the calendar for other activities during March and April. Once warmer weather arrives we need to get ready for parade season. A Shrine parade is always a fun time and a great PR opportunity. We hope to have at least four Temple Parades this year. We've already got Shipshewana (Mayfest), Three Rivers, and North Manchester on the calendar.

I can't end this letter without mentioning Membership. The Membership committee has some exciting ideas in the works. But let's all remember we are members of this most important committee. The Black Camel is devastating our membership and we are powerless to stop it. What we can do is recommit ourselves to reaching out to old members and get them involved by bringing them to a stated meeting or a club or unit meeting. All the while never lose an opportunity to reach out to our sons, grandsons, co-workers and neighbors. Introduce them to our fraternity and the fun, fellowship, and magnificent work we do through our philanthropy.

Now is the time to rededicate ourselves and Mizpah and the Shrine all we want it to be.

Remember "We are Family" - the strongest bond of all.  
Gary Soblotne, Potentate 2015

## MISSING!!

If you helped clean out the "old" Shrine building on West Berry and found a poster of the 911 Memorial, please contact the Mizpah Shrine office - or return it to the Shrine Office at 1015 Memorial Way. This is a family heirloom for one of our Shriners and was mistakenly taken from the old building. PLEASE RETURN if you know where it is or who might have picked it up in error. HELP A BROTHER find his lost property! Thank you!!

# Recorder's Message



First and foremost, I hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

As we roll out the New Year with a new Leader we must try to work together for the betterment of Mizpah and the world's greatest philanthropy, Shriner's Hospital for Children.

On Saturday January 10, 2015, Potentate Gary Soblotne has schedule the Unit Head Meeting with breakfast starting at 8am. Please plan on being here or sending someone in your place. Gary has laid out and has an all new format for the meeting. Steve Cowan, PP, is doing a presentation on the Sportsman Raffle rules. Please attend and let's keep Mizpah moving in a positive direction.

With the New Year comes new Fundraisers for Clubs and Units; we have Charitable and Fraternal. When doing a fraternal fundraiser, DO NOT mention Shriner's Hospitals for Children. If you any questions about advertising, please call the Recorder's office at 260-426-4543 or my cell phone 260-402-0905.

**MEMBERSHIP:** Potentate Gary Soblotne has set a goal for 100 new Nobles and 100% retention of Nobles. With the formation of our new club, Past Masters, this should not be a problem to bring in 100 new Nobles to Mizpah.

Just a reminder - without the donations from the Clubs and Units, it will be hard to run our Hospital Transportation program. So as you donate to our Hospitals, remember that donating to Transportation is the same as donating to the Hospital.

I thank you for all you do and I look forward to working with all of you.

Yours in the faith,  
Ellis Ryan, PP, MSA  
Recorder

## 2014 Final Treasurer's Comments

We begin the New Year with new makeup to our Divan for the year 2015. 2014 also saw us settling into our new home on Memorial Way.

Personally I am looking forward to great things for Mizpah. First, I want to express my appreciation for the opportunity to serve as your Treasurer. It provided me with the opportunity to get to personally know more of the Nobility. Each Noble, with others, constitutes MIZPAH. We have a building we can point to with pride; however, MIZPAH is not the building, it is the material evidence of that which is not seen, the SPIRIT OF MIZPAH which is contained in the Nobility.

Nobles, for Mizpah to grow and be successful in future years is not only dependent upon good Leadership but also upon the involvement of each of us. As with our Nation's constitution the Shrine leadership operates with the consent of the governed (NOBILITY).

Recall how Masons meet. Let each of us assume all Mizpah members desire the best for MIZPAH. If you have concerns, do not hesitate to contact the Recorder and/or Treasurer to get your questions answered. Be careful of rumors (much information that floats around is just that). I heard from someone recently that we had \$800,000 mortgage. Actually, the approved mortgage for our building is only around \$647,000.

Let us all move forward optimistically in Brotherhood.

Fraternally,  
Owen Wade

# Unit News

## HILLBILLY CLAN #95

## WCSC - GIANT FEZ

Howdy Kinfolk and Flatlanders

In November, the Hillbilly Clan enjoyed a meal at Gary Rubrake's barn. With the help of Cindy, they provided an evening of good food and fun. The hillbilly clan continues to grow as we initiated several new members. Thank you to Gary and Cindy for their hospitality.

By the time this is read, Christmas will be over. Ma Sue and I had the great pleasure of seeing the Trans Siberian Orchestra at the Allen County War Memorial Coliseum on December 6, 2014. They perform a Christmas portion, and this year the title of that was Christmas Attic. The author wrote that we have expectations of the last season of the year, Christmas. He then wrote that Christmas has expectations of us also. Sometimes, he wrote, Christmas uses it's own hands, and other times it uses our hands. I thought that was profound especially considering what we do as Shiners! On the cover of the December Allah Bi was the picture that we all have seen of the Shriner carrying a child in his left arm, and that child's crutches in his right hand. It is illustrative of our duty as a Shriner, particularly during the Christmas season. While Christmas is the celebration of the birth of Jesus Christ, it is also an opportunity to help our kids, which is our year long mission.

The hillbillies met on December 27, 2014 for our Christmas party. We have all been challenged to donate a gift for the kids in our hospitals. I am looking forward to reporting next month how that turned out.

Until next month,  
Honor the Cob & Respect the Crescent on the Door  
Pa Mark Roach

## KHYBER GUN CLUB

The annual ladies night and officer installation was a success with 20 attendees at Halls Tavern at Coventry. A time of fellowship and talk was mixed with a good meal.

The circus is on January 22 - 25 and needs manpower to make it a success. Ticket sellers are needed before the circus and all kinds of jobs are available during the event. Your presence, wearing your FEZ, adds to the image of MIZPAH Shrine Center, just standing around and looking like you know what is going on is classified as crowd control.

Your 2015 dues are payable to treasurer Bill Schaefer, pay-up and eliminate a reminder letter.

The next meeting of the KHYBERS is January 27 with the business meeting starting at 7:00 in the Cabiri room. Fellowship starts at 6:00 in the lounge and dinner from the menu at 6:30.

Jim Crawford, Secretary

The officers for the WCSC in 2015 are as follow:

President .... Jon Muchow  
1st Vice President .... Bill Auer  
2nd Vice President .... Carl Brown  
3rd Vice President.....Rob Freewalt  
Secretary/Treasurer .... Ken Lundquist

January means it is Circus time and needless to say a lot of help will be needed to make this event successful. President Muchow would like to thank, in advance, those of you that will be able to volunteer this year. Last year, because of weather, the 5th grade classes were not able to attend the Circus. So this year we will be taking the 5th and 6th grade children to the special showing on Friday January 23rd. The Club committed to doing this so it is imperative that we get all the help we can to make this successful. Those of you that can help by riding with the children in the buses will begin your day with a 7:00 am breakfast at Richards Restaurant in Columbia City. Remember to purchase your Circus coupons and send them to Noble Joe Simon to help with the special showing. Joe has pretty much everything ready to go and it is imperative this year that we have enough Nobles to ride the extra buses. The club has again voted to purchase Circus Books for the 5th graders and these will be handed out at the schools when the children return from the Circus.

We will not be having a monthly meeting in January due to the Circus. The February 26th monthly meeting is scheduled for the Mizpah Center. Further information will be forthcoming.

Ken Lundquist  
Secretary/Treasurer

# Unit News

## PAST MASTERS

Greetings Brothers,  
The newly formed Past Masters unit is firmly established and finding our way. There has been some discussion about what degree to do for this year. If you are Past Master, current Master or a Warden of Lodge, you are invited to join with us as we plan our future. Currently dues are just \$10.00 per year to belong to Mizpah's newest unit. Our next meeting is scheduled for January 28th, 2015. We are currently meeting in the bar at the Temple. We will be deciding on which degree to practice and offer to present for any Lodge that would like to see a degree performed by all Past Masters from different Lodges. If anyone has any particular degree that you would like for us to do please let me know so that your wishes can be known as we determine which degree work to practice.

It is very special to set in a room with several Past Masters at one time and listen to some of their experiences and stories. It becomes obvious that we have all been tried by the square on a number of occasions. If possible please plan on making it out to one of our meetings. We meet on the fourth Wednesday evening of every other month at 7pm. I am looking forward to seeing you there.

Fraternal  
Bob Boylan, PM



***NOTE THE CHANGE THIS YEAR!!!***

**7:00 PM**

**January 30, 2015**

**Mizpah Shrine Center**

## CIRCUS

This is the final article you will receive before our 2014 Mizpah Shrine Circus. The circus office is open, and things have been running smoothly with a good turnout of volunteers. As always, it would be great to see more volunteers helping in the office. Also, be sure to pay for the coupons you received in the mail and give them to your local Shrine Club, or return them to the circus office. When you pay for your tickets and return them to the office, you are helping the local school children attend the circus at no cost, so be sure to pay for those coupons and get them turned into the Circus Office.

Just as in year's past, we could use your help volunteering at the Circus Fair (located in the basement of the coliseum) held during the circus. This project is where the Ladies are really valuable. The Circus Fair opens 1 hour before each performance and is open 1 hour after each performance. If you are a new Noble in the Shrine, or have never helped before, this is a good place to start. When you arrive, proceed thru the entrance and continue towards the exhibition hall. You will see a set of curtains on your right. Proceed behind the curtains, and there will be a sign up sheet on one of the tables. There will be someone at the table who can assist you. Let the person know you are looking for Dave Bowman or Tom Isenbarger and they will guide you in the right direction.

Please be aware that the coliseum ushers, as well as the parking lot attendants are instructed to not let anyone in that does not have a ticket or a worker's pass. Each person needs a worker's pass and these worker's passes are only good for a Noble and his lady. Family and friends cannot be admitted on a worker's pass and there are NO seats assigned to a workers pass for any performance if you want a seat for a performance, you will need to buy a ticket. If you have any questions, you can call the circus office at (260)422-7122 and ask for Anita.

Don't forget our new address: 1015 MEMORIAL WAY. We are on the southeast corner of the Scott's grocery store parking lot right behind our new Shrine Center (in the same building). Watch for the signs, and please do not park in front of the door. We need to keep those parking spots open for our customers. Thank you in advance for helping at your 2015 Shrine Circus. If you need more information on purchasing tickets or seating, please visit our web site at [www.mizpahshrinecircus.com](http://www.mizpahshrinecircus.com).

Circus Director – Steven R. Trump  
7 Circus Committee, Phil Wade, Mike Hardiek, Dave Bowman

# Unit News

## ANTIQUUE POWER

It is hard to believe that the year is wrapping up and 2015 is right around the corner. I will have trouble writing 2015.

APC has much to be proud of for all of accomplishments of 2014. Thanks to Dave B. for the leadership he provided. All of your brother Nobles really appreciate it. Well Done!

New leadership is coming on board. Tim Y will be our new president and we welcome him and offer our support for the New Year... Tim, you only need to ask. I am sure all of us in APC are eager to jump in and "Get 'er done!" Welcome to Leroy W who will take the helm as 1st VP. Our 2nd VP is George R... thanks George for another year. Bill A will be our Treasurer and Veryl W is our Sergeant at Arms. Alan V will take over as Quarter Master...he will keep us looking spiffy. Special thanks to John B who will keep the whole place organized and get us on the line as Parade Marshall. We have got to especially thank John for another year...it is a big job!

The Annual Christmas Party was a great success. Thanks to Tim Y and his crew who put the event together. It really was a wonderful evening. Everybody had great time. The Ladies all commented that it was a fantastic night out.

Looking ahead to 2014, I mean 2015 (guess I will have problems typing it too) we have the Circus coming to town. Jim W is our contact for Circus coordination and you can always get ahold of me for information. Be sure to attend the next stated meeting for all the details!

We will have several new members coming on board early in the year so all of us will be busy. It is going to be another great year for Antique Power Club.

I wish all a very Happy New Year and the best of all the blessings that 2015 will offer us!

Greg Bateman APC Secretary

## BAGPIPERS

Dear Bagpipe Fans,

We capped off a GREAT year with playing at a Veterans Day celebration in Memorial Park, entertaining at the ceremonial, unit elections and our Christmas Party at Hall's Factory.

Scott, Mark, Greg and I had a good time playing at Memorial Park. Weather was nice and the American Legion appreciate us being there to support them.

It was nice to have Lance and Lonnie join us for the Ceremonial. Thank goodness Dick was there to get us tuned up after we played Amazing Grace and before we played the next set.

Brad and Kim did an outstanding job on setting up the Christmas party at Hall's Factory! We had an enjoyable time in the warmth and camaraderie. Our spouses/significant others didn't even groan when we played the Christmas tunes that we had been practicing.

Dick presented the promotions this year and did a good job. Greg was made a Sergeant and is taking over as the Pipe Major. Brad and Bobby were recognized for their hard work by becoming Corporals. Lance (who recently joined us) has been helping out by playing the bass drum (even though he wants to move to the snares). Because of his dedication, he was promoted from recruit to private. I was privileged to present Dick with his stripes for Master Sergeant (E8). We all appreciate the hard work he has put in as Pipe Major and Director over the years. After his ankle operation, he even showed up on his scooter to make sure we were tuned before performances!

We are looking forward to another challenging year and welcome anyone who would like to join the band. You don't have to have prior musical experience. We teach bagpipe lessons and the drum section is always glad to have another player. We are sorely in need of tenor drum and bass drum players. This could be your chance to become part of a great tradition. Practices start again in January and we meet every Wednesday (except January 1st). Time is 7 pm (although you can usually find some of us socializing in the bar prior to the meeting).

Well, so much for my first article as Bard. Stay happy and see you at the Circus.

Joe Jenckes



# Unit News

## CLOWNS

Dear Smile Buddies,

Calling all clowns! Want to join the excitement of being part of the circus and making kids smile? Now is the time to take part in a GREAT Shrine tradition. I noticed in the candidate questionnaires that many of the new Shriners want to join an organization, but were not clear on what they could do. Joining an organization, whether it be clowns or one of the other units, is a good way to meet fellow Shriners and enjoy the camaraderie.

Your choice on what type of clown you want to be is up to you. We have four basic types: White face, Auguste, Hobo/tramp and Character. You don't even have to talk! We can help you with make-up tips and costume ideas. Some of the clowns have branched out from balloon sculpting to juggling, magic and sight gags and are willing to share their expertise.

Our first meeting for the New Year is the second Tuesday of January and you are welcome to attend.

If you would like to be a Mizpah Shrine Clown, contact me at 260-387-5201. We are always looking for new members to spread the smiles. We will help educate you and start you on this rewarding path.

Well, enough for now. Smile, entertain and "Bump a Nose"!

Joe "Lucky Lewey" Jenckes

## CLASS DIRECTORS

Hello Nobles,

As we start the New Year with our wonderful Circus in all its glory. We must get started with the New Year's business. The golf outing is less than six months out so we need to start on those Hole sponsors. Also, we need to start thinking about the Potentates Ball and our onion sales. These things will be here before you know it and if we get a good start now we can do better than we did last year in sales, sponsors and attendance.

To all of you in warmer weather, I hope you all get sunburn. I expect we have snow up to our bums and runny noses. I know I ate too much for Christmas and I now use another hole in my belt. The Christmas party was a success and we all had fun. Even the bartender had fun. I really did.

I wish all of you and yours, and especially our New Potentate Gary Soblotne and his lovely wife Lynn a wonderful and healthy New Year!

## KOSCIUSKO CO SC

A huge "Tip of the Fez" to Nobles Don Smith, John Sadler and the rest of the crew for making the Turkey Shoot one of the most successful fund raisers in the history of our club. Special thanks to Lady Bernice, Lady Judy all of the Ladies who helped out with the canteen and raffles. All this hard work resulted in a donation of \$ 7,500.00 to the Shriner's Hospital for Children at Chicago.

Elections were held in November with the following officers elected: Noble Grant Cunningham as President, Noble Tony Cirello as Vice President, Noble John Hall PP, 33rd as Secretary and Noble Jerry Aylor as Treasurer. Our annual Installation and Awards dinner will be January 14, 2015, 6:30 Social hour and 7:00 dinner. RSVP by 1-9-15 to [wmhart54@gmail.com](mailto:wmhart54@gmail.com) or 574-594-2960. Birthday boy will provide desert, no candles as it will be considered a fire hazard.

Circus is January 22-25 with our big day Friday the 23rd. We will be sending close to 3,000.00 kids this year so if you can ride along or help with advance detail it would be appreciated. Coupons can go to the Club to help offset the costs involved, payment for the coupons should be sent to the Circus Office. The Circus could also use your help at anytime during the course of the circus. Just one or two shifts in the basement would really help out and by the way it is a really great time.

Remember what "Da Judge" said, shake them bushes, find a good man, make him a Mason and turn him on to Shrine.

Have A Happy Grasshopper



Just a Reminder



Blue Lodge Membership is a requirement to be a Shriner. Have you paid your dues yet?

**Stay Current - Stay Active!**

# Unit News

## HORSE PATROL

Merry Christmas Past and Happy 2015 New Year. Congrats to New Potentate Gary and his crew and Welcome to Bill Leedy to join as our new O.G. and thanks to PP Steve for a great job in 2014. We will get a new calendar of events for 2015 at Unit Head meeting on January 10th to start this year with the New Divan to guide our way.

Be sure to attend January Horse Patrol meeting to enjoy Cook Bill's good food and help "once again" new officers get 2015 started. New treasurer Bruce Putman needs your dues paid to get Imperial and GLSA paid on time if you wish to be members of them also. New President Bob Dumford will also need more details on our bids for getting the arena drainage problem and information for us to decide on. Hopefully we can get that fixed before the Show Season starts. It sure will help Business Manager John V with rent of the grounds. John will also be our new Captain; he and I traded offices and he may present new energy to hopefully attract more riders. Also I may have more time to pursue window sales (see my new ad this issue). I will be selling new and replacement high quality windows installed at below wholesale costs for a dealer and they will be installed by professional company installers. I'll still also be doing my regular cabinet and counter top designs and sales and am willing to reward referrals that results from help of sales.

All our Holiday news and events are too late to report by the deadline of this issue so we hope all had a grand Holiday and Santa didn't get stuck in the chimney.

So long and Happy Sleigh Ride.  
Ray Giant

## HOSPITAL UNIT

Another year behind us. Where did it go? Our Holiday get together was well attended and I'm sure all that attended enjoyed themselves. We saw our officers for 2015 installed. President - Jerry Willman, Vice President - Tom Culler, Treasurer - Jim Kyler, Secretary - Dick Kessie.

As we start the new year, we need to get the word out about our Shrine Hospitals, and the great work they do, to our communities. We also need to make sure that we have enough drivers to get these patients to the hospitals. There will be a driver training course after the Unit Head meeting on January 12. Even if your driving time is very limited, you should attend this meeting. Since wives can also drive with their husbands, bring her out to be trained also. I had many wives approach me last year and lament that they had not attended. I have been informed that there will be nothing discussed at the meeting that would prevent the wives from attending the Unit Head meeting and they ought to come in and enjoy the breakfast.

Again, happy New Year  
Jerry

## RACING SHRINERS

Greetings;  
I would like to start by saying I hope everyone has enjoyed the holidays and had time to spend it with family and friends. Our family would like to wish everyone a Happy New Year.

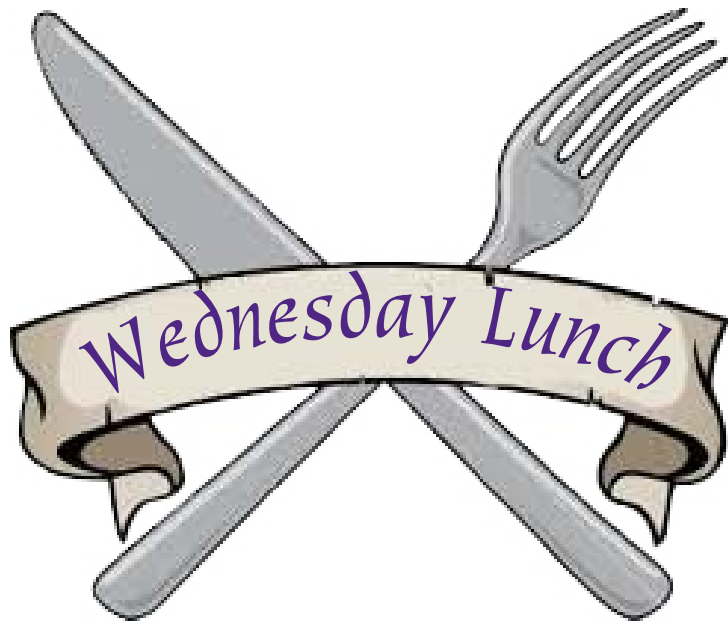
This past year the Little 500 participated in eleven parades. We had some breakdowns but all in all we had a lot of fun and laughs. Thank you to everyone who took the time to join us and give up their time. A "Special thank you" to the wives and families that sat curbside and supported us. The Little 500 is truly a "family affair."

It has been an honor to serve as President and I am happy to announce that we have a new group to come in and take a turn. It is great to have members that are willing to step up and take different roles.

The following are newly elected;  
President: Steve McNally  
Vice President: Ed Hershberger  
Sec/trea: Mike LaFollette

From everyone in the Little 500 we would like to wish all the new Divan officers a wonderful year. We are looking forward to working with you. Even though I am stepping down as president I am looking forward to as many parades next year or more and to...

See You Curb Side  
Jeff Baumgardner  
Past President Little 500



Arabian Room  
Lunch Specials  
Wednesday  
11:30am - 2:30pm

Bring your friends, card groups, organizations - join us for a great meal and a friendly place to have your lunch on Wednesday afternoon.

We have room for lunch meetings!  
(call ahead to reserve space if  
you are bringing a large group)

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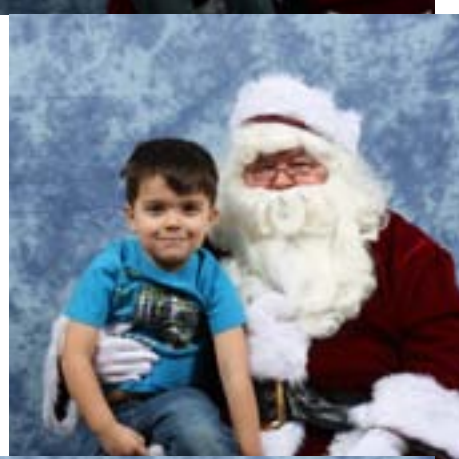
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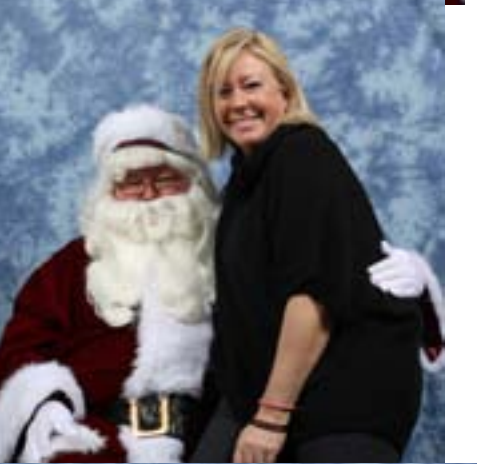
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Graduations



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## *Give \$100 and Feel Like A Million* Join the Shriner's \$100 Million Club

With your gift, you will receive a certificate and will be entitled to purchase and wear the \$100 Million Club tassel holder (\$10) on your fez. Not only will you be participating in the "WORLD'S GREATEST PHILANTHROPY" but also in the "WORLD'S PUREST CHARITY"

I would like to make a cash contribution at this time of at least \$100, which is tax deductible

Please make your check payable to: SHRINERS HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN

I would like to make a contribution using my credit card.

Include credit card number & expiration date (MC, Visa, Discover)

### CERTIFICATE INFORMATION

Person Donating \_\_\_\_\_

Unless specified otherwise, will also be the main name on certificate  
In Memory of/ Honor of (circle one) \_\_\_\_\_

How would you like to receive your certificate?

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# 100M Club Donors November 2014

NAME	IN MEMORY/HONOR OF
Kosciusko Co Shrine Club	In Honor of Gary Nieter
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Jeff Michel	In Honor of the Children
Gene Michel	In Honor of the Children
Wayne Roberts	In Honor of the Children



The Nobles listed for the various areas drove Mizpah Shrine Vans transporting patients and their parents to Chicago or Cincinnati

***VAN SCHEDULER'S MEETING, MONDAY NOVEMBER 17 at 7pm  
MIZPAH SHRINE CENTER***

## Elkhart Co.

### **November**

3 Trips to Chicago

3 Patients

#### **Schedulers:**

Neil Pittenger - 574-215-2603

Bill Roose - 574-361-7922

#### **Drivers:**

Jake Dermott

Dale McDowell

Neil Pittenger

Jim Sawyer

Bill Roose



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Shriners Heart**

## Fort Wayne

### **November**

12 Trips to Chicago

1 Trip to Cincinnati

1 Trip to Lutheran

1 Trip to St. Louis

27 Patients

#### **Schedulers:**

Jerry Willman - 260-483-4226

Chuck Notter - 260-799-4168

#### **Drivers:**

Roger Allen

Charlie Atkison

Paul Barker

Paul Boggs

Terry Bradner

Gene Caryer

Bob & Shirley Crispin

Tom Culler

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Dennis DeWitt

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Bill Kaiser

Jim Kyler

Paul Lopshire

Chuck Notter

Joe Rockwell

Ellis Ryan

Jerry & Joan Willman

## Grant Co.

### **November**

1 Trips to Chicago

1 Patients

#### **Schedulers:**

Roger Beck - 765-674-5831

John Silves - 765-661-5011

#### **Drivers:**

Steve Kellogg

Gene Woolard

## LaGrange

### **October**

7 Trips to Chicago

8 Patients

#### **Schedulers:**

Jim Boss - 260-499-4276

Chuck Miller - 260-854-2964

#### **Drivers:**

Jim & Penny Boss

John Hall

Hal Harting

Jim Hillman

Lowell May

Chuck Miller

Don Shively

Gary Soblotne

David Vogeler

Paul & Anita Wilson

## Noble Co.

### **October**

3 Trips to Chicago

4 Patients

#### **Schedulers:**

Roger Allen - 574-834-4466

Terry Bradner - 574-457-6441

#### **Drivers:**

Roger Allen

Jim Boone

Terry Bradner

Bob Brooks

John Harlan

Don Mort

## Hartford City

#### **Schedulers:**

Ray Turner - 765-499-2671

## Steuben Co.

#### **Schedulers:**

Don Shively - 260-833-4884



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Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Birthplace \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Lady's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Hobbies \_\_\_\_\_

*To the Illustrions Potentate, Officers, and Members of Mizpah Shriners of Fort Wayne, Indiana: I, the undersigned, hereby declare that I am a Master Mason in Good Standing of \_\_\_\_\_ Lodge# \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (city and State)*

*I further represent that I have never applied for said order, nor have I, to the best of my knowledge, been rejected by any other Shrine oasis. If I be found worthy and my request granted, I promise to conform to all the ceremonies, engagements, constitution, regulations and edicts of the Imperial Council together with those of Mizpah Shriners.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
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Noble\_\_\_\_\_

Lady\_\_\_\_\_

Please seat us with \_\_\_\_\_

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Tiles will be located on a wall inside the Temple

Tiles – Inside (White)

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Proceeds from the sale of the Tiles go the Mizpah Shrine Building Fund

Tile #
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# Black Camel - November 2014

Feel no guilt in laughter, he'd know how much you care.  
 Feel no sorrow in a smile that he is not here to share.  
 You cannot grieve forever; he would not want you to.  
 He'd hope that you could carry on the way you always do.  
 So, talk about the good times and the way you showed you cared,  
 The days you spent together, all the happiness you shared.  
 Let memories surround you, a word someone may say  
 Will suddenly recapture a time, an hour, a day,  
 That brings him back as clearly as though he were still here,  
 And fills you with the feeling that he is always near.  
 For if you keep those moments, you will never be apart  
 And he will live forever locked safely within your heart

Noble	Age	Yrs of Svc
Dallas W Brown	87	44
Ronald E Flohr	87	32
Robert A Huntley	74	14
Delmar E Jackson	83	21
Richard L Jontz	84	49
John C McBride	89	63
James H Robinson	70	13
Patrick R Snyder	77	14
Jack R Young	85	39

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*Doors Open at  
5:30*

*Tasting Starts  
at 7:00*

# Vidalia Sweet Onion Sale 2015



Units and Clubs: Preorders Due by March 23, 2015  
Please call the Mizpah Shrine Office or Mr. Onion  
to give us the name of your 2015 Onion Chairman  
260-426-4543 (Mizpah Shrine office)  
260-616-0652 (Mr. Onion)

All Proceeds Benefit Mizpah Shrine  
Patient Transportation Fund

## THANK YOU!

To all Nobles and their Ladies,

We want to take this opportunity to give a big THANK YOU for support we received for our fundraising projects in 2014. The Ladies Project made a profit of over \$1,322.00 for the Transportation Fund. Hopefully, the ladies who bought charms and bracelets will continue to enjoy them for a long time to come. The Painting With a Twist event was not only lots of fun but make \$916.00 which went to the Transportation Fund. The Fall Marketplace made a profit of \$818.00 which went to the hospitals. Line Dancing profits were \$105.00 for the Transportation Fund. It meant a lot to us to have your participation to make these projects a success! Wishing all of you a Happy New Year!

Steve and Kathy Cowan

### Help us find these “Lost in the Desert” Nobles!

If you have current contact information,  
please call the Mizpah Shrine office at 260-426-4543.

THANK YOU!



<i><b>NOBLE</b></i>	<i><b>Last Known City?</b></i>	
WP Beauchamp	Wabash	IN
John H Beer	Milford	IN
William M Byrd	Huntington	IN
Gregory E Johnson	Huntertown	IN
Raymond A Kerr	Bradenton	FL
Roger W Sawyer	Naples	FL
John Steinbeck	Fort Wayne	IN
Ollie Waid, Jr	Punta Gorda	FL
Scott L Wolf	Goshen	IN

Notice of Meeting to the Nobility

You are hereby notified of the following meeting at

**Mizpah Shrine**

to be held at

1015 Memorial Way., Fort Wayne, Indiana

**Friday, January 2, 2015**

**INSTALLATION of OFFICERS 7:00PM**

Fraternally: Gary Soblotne, Potentate      Attest: Ellis Ryan, PP, MSA, Recorder

The purpose of these meetings is to act on any business as may come before it.

Your presence is requested

**BUSINESS OFFICE HOURS: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm**

## UNIT AND CLUB MEETING

*New Information - New Format!*

All Clubs and Units need to send their President  
(or representative) to the Unit and Club Meeting on  
January 10th to hear the latest information about Mizpah for 2015.

**New Sportsman Raffle rules will be discussed.**