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PROCEDURE FOR ADMISSION TO A SHRINERS BURN HOSPITAL
 Admission to a Shriners Burn Hospital is essentially the same as to a Shriners Hospital for Children. Here, however, it must be stressed that timing may be of utmost importance. The final outcome of a burn case may be greatly dependent upon the type of treatment and the speed with which it can be started. Therefore in emergency, the Chief Surgeon has the authority to admit the patient, having the application completed at a later date. If then you know of an emergency burn case, immediately call the Shine Ambassador in the area. Let's not miss a chance to put out a helping hand. Be a true Shriner!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Office Closed	2 Mizpah Shrine Officer Installation 7pm
3	4 Divan Mtg Ladies Mtg 7pm Chanters	5 Circus Trans Dinner 6:30pm	6 Shrine Stated Mtg Dinner 6:15 pm Divan Serve Mtg 7pm Bagpipers	7 Horse Patrol	8	9 Unit Head Mtg Driver Training Pote Aide Mtg
10	11 Trustee Mtg Finance Mtg Membership Mtg Chanters Directors Staff	12 Class Directors Mizmur SC Racing Shriners	13 Nile Stated Mtg 7pm Bagpipers Kosciusko SC LaGrange SC Randolph SC	14 LOH	15	16 Nile Bingo 7pm
17	18 Van Scheduler Mtg Chanters Mizpah Vettes Yoshi	19 Radio Unit	20 Bagpipers Flying Shriners Jay Co SC Hospital Unit Pokagon SC	21 Elkhart SC	22 CIRCUS	23 CIRCUS
24 CIRCUS	25 Antique Power Chanters Car Club	26 Calliopiers Clowns Khybers	27 Bagpipers Eel River SC Hapzim Media Unit Wabash SC	28 Blackford Co Trip Meeting	29 Circus Apprec Dinner 5-8 pm	30
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February 2016

- Feb 1 Divan Meeting
- Feb 3 Shrine Stated Meeting
- Feb 10 Nile Stated Session 7pm
- Feb 20-27 Potentate Trip
- Feb 29 Divan Meeting

March 2015

- Mar 2 Shrine Stated Meeting
- Mar 5 Yoshi Fun Night
- Mar 11 Nile Stated Session/Elections
- Mar 13 Daylight Savings Time
- Mar 14 Trustee/Finance Mtg
- Mar 18 Director Staff Beer Tasting
- Mar 20 Nile Officer Installation
- Mar 21 Van Scheduler Mtg
- Mar 25 Good Friday - Office Closed
- Mar 26 Bowl with Easter Bunny
- Mar 26 WCSC Swiss Steak Supper
- Mar 27 Easter Sunday



POTENTATE'S MESSAGE

NOBLES AND LADIES:

The year was 2012 and 2016 seemed far away. Much to my amazement it is here and I want to "Thank" everyone for the honor you have given me. The plans have been made and now we're ready to put them into action. This year will be your year, Nobles and their Ladies.

I, like everyone other Noble, have worn a Shrine hat of some kind. But this year the hat and theme will be "HATS OFF FOR THE KIDS". Now when we wear this hat, we'll know it is for the kids.

The January installation began our year. PP Jim Lobsiger, PP Roger Weaver, and PP Larry Chapel did a fantastic job. There were several other groups that participated in the day's events. I would like to thank everyone for coming and I hope you enjoyed yourselves.

January 9th, the meeting of Unit Heads, Drivers, and Aides. January 11th will be the meetings of the Trustees, Finance and Membership.

The most important event in January will be our CIRCUS. The dates are January 20th thru January 24th. Our Circus has a reputation for excellence and we'll hope for no snow. Several Nobles from other areas have said "you Nobles know how to run a Circus". The run part is all about the Nobles and Ladies who come to the Circus and perform any number of jobs the Circus Committee have given you. Please respond when asked to help this year. The run part also must include Mr. Tarzan Zebrini and his workers. Without them, there would be no Circus.

I have made a goal for this year, to keep everyone more informed this year. So look in the Allah-Bi, on the Mizpah website, thru email Blast, the phone tree, and the Square and Compass. If you are not informed what the events are this year, we have not done our job.

What a wonderful year Past Potentate Gary Soblotne and his wife Lynn had. It would be remiss of me not to congratulate them. "We are family" took on a whole new meaning and I saw a job well done.

Thank you for the support of all the Divan members, as we are committed to the welfare and well-being of Mizpah.

I hope to see you all at the Circus.

Jerry W. Freewalt
Potentate



What a way to end the year! On December 8, 2015, Mrs. Charlotte E. Eisenhart donated \$25,000 to the Mizpah Shrine Transportation Fund. What a blessing we have! Mrs. Charlotte Eisenhart has a niece in the Shrine Hospital system.

Attention Potentate Aides:

Being called to serve as a Potentate's Aide is an honor and a responsibility. To those who have served in 2015, THANK YOU!! You served your Potentate and your Temple well when you were called and your service was appreciated. If you have not already done so, please turn in your Potentate Aide fez to the Mizpah Shrine office so that the incoming Aides may have the opportunity to wear this fez as they serve in this coming year.

To those who have been asked to serve in 2016, please contact the Mizpah Shrine office and let us know of your intention to serve in the ensuing year. It is important to get an accurate count of the Nobles who plan to serve in 2016 so that plans can be made.

If you have already called and agreed to be an Aide for 2016, plan on attending the Potentate Aide Meeting on Saturday January 9th at Noon at the Mizpah Shrine Center. Ladies are invited to attend.

UNIT NEWS

Class Directors

Officers Elected at the November Meeting for 2016 are: Eric Bickel, President; Ron Ryan, Vice President; Ron Kohart, Treasurer; Larry Ashley, Secretary; and Fred Diehl, Director. Your New Officers were Installed at The Annual Christmas Dinner in December.

We are looking for a Drummer ! (Steel Drums)

The Class Directors Golf Outing will be held at The Garrett Country Club on June 4, 2016. We are in need of Hole Sponsors. (\$100.)

We would like to Thank all the Mizpah Van Drivers.
Fred Diehl Director

Khyber Gun Club

Congratulations to Jerry Freewalt being elected to be the Potentate for 2016 and also to Rudy Mahara being elected to be the Divan as Oriental guide for 2016. With this leadership 2016 will be a great year.

Don't forget the Shrine Circus always needs manpower to get the job done in a professional manner. Tickets need to be sold in January and help is always needed to run the fair. Every KHYBER is capable of at least showing up and wearing his Fez to show support. Don't forget the Circus Appreciation Party on January 29th to celebrate a successful circus and honor the workers that made it happen.

Trap shooting is finished for the season, but will be held again next year on the 3rd Tuesday of April, May, June, July, August and September, weather permitting.

The KHYBERS meet on the 4th Tuesday of all months except July, August and December opening between 6:30 and 7:00, in the Lounge, depending on how long it take us to eat. We would like to see some more members attend and enjoy the fellowship and ribbing from fellow members.

Fraternally Yours
Jim Crawford, Secretary

Flying Shriners

November 18th 2015 – With an order off the menu dinner at The Cork & Cleaver, the Flying Shriners and Ladies Celebrated Christmas 2015.

The newest Flying Shriner Project is to show Our Mizpah Shrine History. We are in the process of designing a 6" X 6' Tile to be placed upon the WALL OF HONOR inside the Shrine Center. Many have shown support of this project. Many e-mails have been sent and received. Your input is very much appreciated. You will be receiving e-mails of "tile drafts". We will also be sending information US Post Office.

If You have not received any Communication from us in the last 2 weeks then You are Lost !!
Contact David L. Lane -- P.O. Box 367, Butler, IN 46721 lanerealty@hughes.net (260) 908-4899



Khyber Gun Club 2016 officers
(from left) Bill Kaiser, Bill Schaefer,
Jim Crawford, Jackie Wicklife, Jack Dever ,
Potentate-elect Jerry Freewalt

*Thank you to everyone who submitted
pictures on MIZPAH FACEBOOK!*

Kosciusko Co Shrine Club

Greetings from Kosciusko County Shrine Club Noble Tony Ciriello was elected to be our President for the year of 2016. He is joined by Noble Roger Laird, Vice President, Noble Jerry F Kreger, Secretary and Noble Jerry Aylor, Treasurer.

Installation/Awards/Ladies Night will be at the Shrine Building on January 13, 2016. Happy Hour at 6:30 and dinner by Black Tie Catering at 7:00. RSVP to 574-267-7123, 574-594-2960 or wmhart54@gmail.com by January 10.

It is with deep sadness that I must inform you of the passing of Noble Bruce N. Howe Jr. MSA. Noble Howe was a huge supporter of the fraternity as well as many other local charities. He touched many lives and will be missed.

Mizpah Shrine Circus is January 21 thru the 24th. Our big day is the 22nd. Contact Noble John Sadler or President Tony at 574-267-7123, McHatton Sadler Funeral Home, to help out with school orientation or riding a bus. To offset the expense for the "free show" send or drop off your coupons to the Funeral Home and send the payment to the Circus Office.

Our Part in the circus does not start or end with our trip. It takes alot of resources, time, effort and money to put on the "free show". Just the parking fees for the buses, escort and support vehicles are several hundred dollars. Your help is needed and welcomed any time during the run of the Circus. Just call the Circus Office or go online to help out. From past experience, I will tell you that the basement is a blast to work in.

Remember What the Judge Said
Grasshopper

UNIT NEWS

Bagpipers

Dear Bagpipe Fans,

I hope you all had as great a Christmas and as Happy a New Year as I did.

Leading up to Christmas, we had been hard at work practicing a list of tunes that Greg, our Pipe major had selected. It was great to be able to entertain our spouses/significant others at the Christmas party with our patriotic tunes ("God Bless America" and "America the Beautiful") followed by "Highland Cathedral" (Brad did an outstanding job on the snares), then "What Child is This" and concluding with "We Wish you a Merry Christmas".

The Christmas party was a huge success thanks to the hard work of Brad and Kim. The food (provided by Goeglein's catering) was good. I wish I had been one of the winners in the drawing for one of the nutcracker centerpieces that Kim had decorated as bagpipers. That honor went to Jennifer Harting, Goose and Kathy Abbs. We were lucky enough to have Hal and Jennifer Harting and Denis and Lori Dewitt participate.

Hal Harting swore in the new officers. Brad Jenkins is our new President, Mark Roach is the Vice-President, Bob Wade agreed to continue as our Secretary (he has been doing a great job) and that stalwart Treasurer, Bryan Gossett, continues to give us his years of experience. Dick Ruselink has graciously accepted to continue as our mentor and organizer as Director. Further, Dick has reappointed Greg Nowak as our Pipe Major. We are lucky to have such a fine line of officers.

The party was also the occasion when we recognize outstanding performance for the past year. Dick promoted Greg to Staff Sergeant for his efforts in leading the band musically this past year. We were sorry that Lance wasn't there to received his promotion to PFC for his hard work on learning and supporting us with the bass drum. I was happy to be able (as past Director) to promote Dick to First Sergeant rank for his hard work and knowledge as mentor for the band.

We are always seeking other members to join our happy group. You don't have to have prior musical experience. We teach bagpipe lessons and the drum section is always glad to have another player. This could be your chance to become part of a great tradition. We meet every Wednesday. Lessons are at 6 pm and practice begins at 7 pm.

UNIT NEWS

Mizmur Scooter Patrol Dues Notice 2015

Total Due No Later than- May 1st 2015----- \$55.00

Make Check payable to Mizmur Scooter Patrol

Return Payment to:

Robert H. Kendall

6002 S Adams Street

Marion, IN 46953

Remember there are three Shrine dues that must be paid before you can ride in the Parades;

Mizpah Shrine Fort Wayne-----\$90.00

Mizmur Shrine Club-----\$30.00

Mizmur Scooter Patrol-----\$55.00

For Mizmur Shrine Club contact Br Jerry Bone 765-618-4636 to be sure that you have paid. Jerry will report to me if anyone has not paid these dues.

Thank You

Bob Kendall

01/20/2015

Mizpah Vettes

As I write a few lines for this article and look at the calendar it says Christmas is just a couple of weeks away, but the thermometer reads nearly 60 degrees , so it really doesn't seem like Christmas, however that didn't dampen the spirits of the Noble members of the Vette Club and their ladies at our annual Christmas Party on December 9th at Hall's Guest House. An excellent turnout and an evening of good food and fellowship was enjoyed by all . Chief Rabban and Potentate Elect for 2016 Jerry Freewalt shared a few comments and stated some of his goals for the upcoming year. He then installed the Vette Club Officers for 2016 as follows, President Dee Byerly, Vice President Larry Freeman, Secretary/Treasurer Mike Craig, and Parade Marshal John Brandon. (pictured to the right)

Due to the Christmas Party the Vette Club cancelled our stated meeting for December and will get back on schedule with January 18th as our next stated meeting. This should allow the members to finalize plans for their participation in the Mizpah Shrine Circus. Lets hope this great weather continues for that special event.

Until next time,
Dee Byerly, Pres.

Whitley Co Shrine Club

The officers for the WCSC in 2016 are as follow:

President Bill Auer

1st Vice President Carl Brown

2nd 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 Auer would like to thank, in advance, those of you that will be able to volunteer at the Circus. The school has requested that we begin taking 3rd graders to the Circus instead of the 5th graders. In order to make this switch we will have to double up on classes for the next two years. So this year we will be taking the 5th and 4th grade children to the special showing on Friday January 22nd. This means that in 2017 we will have to take 4th and 3rd graders. 2018 will be the year the changeover will be complete. The Club has 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 25th monthly meeting is scheduled for the Horse Patrol grounds in Columbia City.

Ken Lundquist, Secretary/Treasurer



Clowns

Dear Smile Buddies,

The Circus is rapidly approaching and the excitement is mounting.

We have gained four new clowns over the past year. Patches (Ed Leamon) and Arlie Elam have been at a number of our events since August. Although Arlie is still trying to evolve his clown character, Patches has jumped in with both feet and has been busy. Besides being in parades and helping out at events, Patches has been attending conferences and competing in balloon sculpting contests. Tyler Daniels and Jim Elrod joined us at the November meeting. Both are excited about the circus and Jim has already bought a costume, is trying different makeup faces and is learning to tie balloons.

Otis is back and more active than ever. It is good to see him again.

A large pressure has been lifted from us since the sale of the bus. We will miss having a vehicle to mark our place in the parade, but the insurance and upkeep were taking a lot of money that could be better used elsewhere.

We held our elections at the November called meeting and are lucky to have the same officers as last year. Sambo stayed as President, Fuzzy returns as Vice-President, Lucky Lewey is Secretary and we were able to talk Gus into repeating as Treasurer.

We have been busy trying to make sure we have enough clowns cards to fill a page (and we do). Marcus has also been helpful by letting us submit our caricatures for some of the ads.

Until after the Circus, Smile, entertain and "Bump a Nose"!

Joe "Lucky Lewey" Jenckes

UNIT NEWS

Legion of Honor

Greetings Nobles. Our change of command and installation of officers was held on December 5th at Hall's Guesthouse. A wonderful dinner was served at 19:00hrs. After dinner, the Americanism award was presented to Noble Lonnie Cox and his Lady Barb Cox for their work, operating the Sheppard's House for Veterans.. This presentation was given by Past Commander Steve Anders.

The installation of officers was than given by Past Commander, Great Lakes Shrine Assoc. LOH Paul Barker, Jr. With assistance from Installing Marshal Steve Anders, PC. The following officers sworn into office for the year of 2016:

1st Lt Comm: Jerry DeLeon

2nd Lt Comm: Roger Beck

Jr Past Comm: James Olds, 3rd PC

Finance Officer: Paul Barker, Jr, PC

Adjutant: Gregory Towsley, PC

The change of Command was then conducted by Paul Barker, Jr, GLSA-LOH, PC and his marshal Steve Anders, PC. Gil Smith was sworn into office and the LOH Flag was posted by outgoing commander Jim Olds III to Gil Smith, the Commander of Mizpah LOH for 2016. Remarks from newly appointed commander Gil Smith and Potentate Gary Soblotne , Ill Sir Mizpah Shrine. Also present as guests were newly elected Potentate Ill Sir Jerry Freewalt and his lady. Closing prayer was given by Ron Stabler, PC,

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all.

Fraternally Yours,

Gil Smith, LOH Comm 2016

UNIT NEWS

Past Masters

Greeting again my Brothers,

This has been a fast and busy year for the Past Masters Unit. We have grown quit a bit as a new unit.. I would like to thank every one for their efforts and support over this past year. The responses have all been very supportive and positive. We, as a unit would like to thank every Lodge and Brother that contacted us for degree help. This is what we enjoy doing as a service for our Brothers. Declining membership being an issue in many of our local Lodges it sometimes becomes necessary to reach out for assistance. This is what the Past Masters Unit is here for, to help out when ever possible.

Our vision is to some day have some full degree teams to be able to present the various degree for local Lodges. Some times it is just plan nice to be able to set and witness a degree with out being a part of the working element itself. We are not quit there yet. We are still growing and getting better at what we do. Please keep us in mind when ever you are doing degree work.

We will be installing our new officers for next year at our January 27th stated meeting. Brother Gregg Towsley has excepted the role of President for next year. Brother Robert Davies, Vice president, And Roger Beck as secretary – Treasure. We are all confident that Gregg will do and excellent job leading the unit next year and all ready has new and exciting ideas for the direction of our unit. Lets all welcome Gregg as our new President. Please come and give Gregg our full support for this new task.

As this is my last article I would like to thank everyone for there kindness and overwhelming support this last couple of years. It truly makes the job a lot easier and a lot more fun. Wishing every the best for the new year.

Bob Boylan, President

Radio Unit

The Amateur Radio Parity Act of 2015 -- H.R.1301 in the US House of Representative and S 1685 in the US Senate -- would direct the FCC to extend its rules relating to reasonable accommodation of Amateur Service communications to private land use restrictions. US Rep Adam Kinzinger (R-IL) introduced HR 1301 on March 4 with 12 original cosponsors from both sides of the aisle -- seven Republicans and five Democrats in the US House. US Senator Roger Wicker (R-MS) introduced S 1685 on June 25, with Senator Richard Blumenthal (D-CT) as the original cosponsor, into the US Senate.

The Amateur Radio Parity Act would require the FCC to amend its Part 97 Amateur Service rules to apply the three-part test of the PRB-1 federal pre-emption policy to include homeowners association regulations and deed restrictions, often referred to as "covenants, conditions, and restrictions" (CC&Rs). At present, PRB-1 only applies to state and local zoning laws and ordinances. The FCC has been reluctant to extend the same legal protections to include private land-use agreements without direction from Congress.

H.R. 1301 has been referred to the House Energy and Commerce Committee. Rep Greg Walden, W7EQI (R-OR), chairs that panel's Communications and Technology Subcommittee, which will consider the measure. S 1685 has been referred to the Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee's subcommittee on Communications, Technology, Innovation and the Internet, which is chaired by the bill's sponsor, Wicker. ARRL members are urged to contact their members of both the House and the Senate, asking them to sign on to the bill as a co-sponsor.

If you would like to more about Amateur Radio and the Amateur Radio Parity Act please check out this website:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AMY-5U1cJ6E>
The above text and video is provided courtesy of the American Radio Relay League (ARRL).

Respectfully,
Rick Stirratt, AA9DU
10 Radio Unit President

Horse Patrol

Our Christmas party was held December 10 at Halls Guest house with 10 members present. We were honored to have Potentate Soblotne and Lady Lynn, Chief Rabban Jerry Freewalt and Lady Sherri, Assistant Rabban Hal Harting and Lady Jennifer and Recorder Ellis Ryan and his Lady Pat join us for the fine dinner served by the always efficient and courteous Guest House staff.

After Dinner Potentate Soblotne inducted our 2016 Officers in his usual proficient manner.

Instead of a Silent Auction as we have had in the past to raise monies for the Hospitals, we took up a free-will donation which the Horse Patrol had voted to "match" and present the monies to Lady Lynn's campaign to buy Gift Cards for the patients at our hospitals. The cards can then be used to buy the things best suited for the individual patient's needs. At the end Lady Lynn was presented with a check for \$550.00.

Thank you again for all who attended and donated to our great Philanthropy.

Bob Dumford



2016 Horse Patrol Officers installed by Potentate Gary Soblotne, December 2015

UNIT NEWS

HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO ALL from the horse patrol ring out the old ring in the new, ring ring seems like we just did this not so long ago. But they say time travels faster when you are having fun. I guess that's why all the great are hanging around. Kind of sounds like a pitch for membership. well Jeff Wooley and I have four new members signed for Blue Lodge with intent of Shrine and patrol. Two are young fellows that spoke up at our Spring Fling of interest and two who rode with us at our fall trail ride. All four said they showed interest to others before but no one pursued their membership, so be ready and willing when opportunity arrives.

Cook Bill K filled us up at the meeting with some good Beef n Noodles and fix'ns , Pres. Bob D thanked him and introduced guest, club and divan member Jerry Freewalt Chief Rabban, now Potentate for 2016. Congratulations to Jerry and all the Divan who advanced and to new OG Rudy(late flight)Mahara who was in the air and not present for his election. congratulations again to all and many thanks to soon to be PP Gary and Lynn for a great 2015, it was a joy trip.

We have two checks going to the hospital delivered by Pres. Bob Dumford. One from decease Fling supporter Joe Zolman's widow Deb and family for \$1500 and the other donated by the Patrol for Steve and Cory Sickafoose and family for their donation to the club of work putting drainage in our arenas to help with our mud problem. Great job and many thanks to all.

Capt. John V reported four parades for 2016, as always everyone is ready to ride. Also said he could not attend the Xmas Party and gave us all fancy T's with club and shrine logos, we then presented him with a plaque with his name as captain and year and club logo. Ever one congratulated him for a great FNG year as Captain and wished him many more. I could not attend the Xmas Party either and asked Pres. Dumford to do that. So saddle up ride out the old ride in the new and see you next year.

Happy Trails

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Circus

This is the final article you will receive before our 2016 Mizpah Shrine Circus. The circus office has 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 years 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 2016 Shrine Circus. If you need more information on purchasing tickets or seating, please visit our web site at www.mizpahshrinecircus.com.

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



Transportation Dinner

January 5th

Drinks: 6pm

Dinner: 6:30pm

Meeting: 7pm

Circus Appreciation Party

January 29th

5 - 8pm

Dinner: 7:00 PM



Call the
Mizpah Shrine Circus Office
260-422-7122

Show Times

January 21 6:30 P.M.

January 22 7:00 P.M.

January 23 10:00 A.M.

2:30 P.M.

7:00 P.M.

January 24 1:00 P.M.

5:45 P.M.

The Circus from a Lady's Perspective

Ladies,
I would like to personally invite you to join me at the Fort Wayne Coliseum on the mornings of January 21st or Jan 22nd 2016 to help our Nobels for the Children's Circus performances. Being the newest addition to the Divan at Mizpah everyone said you need to watch the video on YouTube (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2h5fkCVuUMk>) to get an appreciation for the amount of kids that will attend the morning Circus performances. WOW.. 48 buses, 2100+ 3rd and 4th grade students in 2011 and we only have typically about 15 minutes to get the kids off the buses and into their seats. Okay, now I am intrigued...

I grew up in a Masonic/Eastern Star and Shrine Family and I have always been involved in some manner with the Shrine Circus but it was not till last year that my eyes were opened and my heart were truly touched by the kids.

As the first school buses arrived last year I could feel the excitement in the Coliseum and we moved to our post to help get the kids in the door and up to their assigned seats. It was truly amazing to see the expressions of the kids face and their big eyes. I must admit some of the children were a little unsure but a calming voice from a Shriner or Shriners Lady helped calm the children and made them smile.

I have never witnessed the Circus from this vantage point and was in awe of our Nobels. Our Nobels need our help and if you can spare a couple of hours on the mornings of January 21st or 22nd to help us usher in the kids, I can assure you that your heart will be filled with Love and Joy.

We could also use your help and support in many areas from now till Circus; if you would like to volunteer, we would love to have you.

Someone said to me "Thank You" for Volunteering, and I replied, "no, Thank You!" The smiles and laughter of the children that's all I needed.

If you would like to volunteer please contact me at wardkat@att.net or 281-217-2386

Celebrate The Ladies of the Shrine

The White Rose stands for
NEW BEGINNINGS!



Colors available: Blue,
Celery
Ivory

Sizes: XS thru 4X

Cost: \$30
(add'l chg for sizes 2x - 4x)



The Children are given
NEW BEGINNINGS
at the Shriner's Hospitals

Make a donation to the
Mizpah Shrine Transportation Fund
by Purchasing a White Rose Shirt and
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Proceeds from the sale of the Tiles go the Mizpah Shrine Building Fund

Scottish Rite

We hope you have had an enjoyable holiday season and are ready to hit the ground running in 2016! Our monthly stated meeting will be on Tuesday, January 12, 2015 at 7pm at the Fort Wayne Scottish Rite. The officers of the Rose Croix will be hosting afterglow and we cordially invite you to join us!

Scottish Rite Komet Hockey night is on Saturday, January 16, 2015 at the Memorial Coliseum as the Komets host the Rapid City Rush. Tickets will be \$15/person and you can reserve your seats by calling the Fort Wayne Scottish Rite offices at (260) 423-2593.

Don't forget to mark your calendars for Saturday, February 27, 2015 as we host our 15th annual Scottish Rite Wine Tasting and Silent Auction. This is our main fundraising effort for the year and we really need YOUR support to make it a continued success. Tickets are still just \$30/person and you can reserve those by calling (260) 423-2593. If you have any live or silent auction items you'd be willing to donate please let us know. Every little bit helps!

Sincerely & Fraternaly,
J. Brian McNaughton, 33°
Executive Secretary
Fort Wayne Scottish Rite



Daughters of the Nile

Ladies of the Household,

These past few months I have been very busy. In October we had our Supreme Appointments dinner in Honor of Karen Rothgeb as the Supreme Goodwill Ambassador to the Northeast Area and Sharon Thomas as the Supreme Escort to the Nile Banner. I along with JPQ Melody Tolliver and her sister traveled to Chicago for a tour and lunch. Daughters of the Nile was also presented with a new plaque in the amount of \$5 million dollars. What an honor. I also attended the Potentates Ball on Halloween. It was outstanding!

In November we celebrated our Founder's Day at our Stated Session. We had a wonderful turnout. November 13th I traveled alone to the Cincinnati Shriners Hospital for Children. It truly was a wonderful experience. We also had the pleasure of being invited to the Research Lab. It was outstanding to learn of the new advancements in the works for our Children. I am sad that no one wanted to experience this adventure. On November 18th I was in Evansville for the Ceremony and Banquet at Isis Temple No 41 for our Supreme Queen Sharon K. St. John. Then on to Badoura Temple No 23 in Terre Haute and then to Indy for Koran Temple No 30. Our Supreme Queen Sharon K. St. John was at our Temple on Saturday November 21st. It was a beautiful ceremony and the Banquet was outstanding with a very big surprise. Those that were not in attendance have no idea what you missed.

December 9th we held our Teti Sheri Christmas carry-in at 5 pm. The Queen supplied the entree. We wore our ugliest sweaters. And had a \$5 gift exchange. Dance Unit Christmas party was December 14th and on the 15th Pageantry had theirs at B'Antonios on Lima Road at 6 pm.

January 13th is our Nile Stated Session at 7 pm. Saturday, January 16th we will be hosting our Bingo Bash. Doors open at 6 pm and Bingo to commence at 7 pm. Bingo packets are \$10 each and you must be 18 to be admitted. This is open to everyone. Bring your good luck charms for a very fun evening.

February 10th we will meet at Casa Ristorante Italiano, 4111 Parnell Ave. at 5 pm for dinner with the new Candidates. Our Ceremony will begin at 7 pm as usual.

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16 Nile Love,
Deb Boylan, Queen

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Daughters of the Nile

Bingo Bash

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 Sam Winebrenner, Coordinator

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Thursday, May 19, 2016

2:00 – 6:00 PM	Registration	Clarion Inn
6:00 – 8:00 PM	Orientation Bash	Clarion Inn Derby Info and Meet Captain

Friday, May 20, 2016

7:00 AM – 2:00 PM	Fishing	Lake Michigan
2:00 PM	Weigh In	Yacht Basin Station

Fishermen and Captains on their own.

Saturday, May 21, 2016

7:00 AM – 2:00 PM	Fishing	Lake Michigan
2:00 PM	Weigh In	Yacht Basin Station

5:30	Social Hour	Clarion Inn
6:00	Victory Banquet	Clarion Inn Presentation of awards & prizes

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Application

GLSA Benefit Salmon Derby
 Mizpah Shiners Unit
 1015 Memorial Way
 Fort Wayne, IN 46805-1332

For further information, call
 Sam Winebrenner Cell – 260-229-1122

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Name _____ Roommate _____
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 My Boat Captain will be _____ Shirt Size (Circle) M L XL XXL XXXL

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Signature _____ Date _____

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

Fort Wayne

Schedulers:

Jerry Willman - 260-483-4226
Chuck Notter - 260-799-4168

November

9 Trips to Chicago
1 Trips to Cincinnati
14 Patients

Drivers:

Paul Barker	Phil Hoopingarner
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Gene Caryer	Jim Kyler
John Coleman	Paul Lopshire
Bob & Shirley Crispen	Kevin Myers
Bob Davis	Chuck Notter
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Ron Hall	

LaGrange/ Steuben

Schedulers:

Don Shively - 260-833-4884
Jim Boss - 260-350-8302
Chuck Miller - 260-854-2964

November

8 Trips to Chicago
9 Patient

Drivers:

Jim & Penny Boss	Jim Keeslar
Jeff Brill	Don Shively
Rich Dalrymple	Paul & Anita Wilson



Van Schedulers Meeting
January 18, 2016
7:00pm



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November

2 Trips to Chicago
2 Patient

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Jim Givens
Steve Herendeen
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Jim Stiver

Noble Co

Schedulers:

Terry Bradner - 574-457-6441
Roger Allen - 574-834-4466

November

4 Trips to Chicago
1 Trip to Lutheran
8 Patient

Drivers:

Roger Allen	Bob Evers
Jim Boone	John Harlan
Terry Bradner	Steve Petro
Lee Chrisman	Larry Stoner
Bob Dumford	

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Grant/ Blackford

Schedulers:

Roger Beck - 765-674-5831
John Silves - 765-661-5011

November

1 Trips to Chicago
2 Trips to Cincinnati
3 Patient

Drivers:

Roger & Benita Beck
Larry & Jenny Chapel
Steve Kellogg
Gene Woolard

Black Camel - November 2015



Noble	Age	Yrs of Svc
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Paul E Shaffer, 33	89	61
Dean L Skinner	77	39
Dean E Stemen	76	29
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1015 Memorial Way., Fort Wayne, Indiana
Wednesday, January 6, 2016

Dinner 6:15pm

Meeting 7:00pm

Fraternally: Jerry Freewalt, Potentate

Attest: Paul Barker, 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

Installation of Officers

January 2, 2016

OPEN INSTALLATION

7:00pm

