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Dreams Come True!*



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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!

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# MARCH

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Chanters Iron Camels	3	4 <i>Stated Meeting dinner 6:15pm Mtg 7:00pm</i>  Bagpipers	5 Band Horse Patrol	6	7 <i>Yoshi Fun Night 7-11pm</i>
8  Time to Spring Ahead	9 Chanters Directors Staff Foot Patrol	10 Class Directors Racing Shriners	11 <i>Nile Stated Session 7pm</i> Bagpipers Kosciusko SC LaGrange SC Randolph SC	12 Band LOH	13	14 <i>Shrine Transportation Fundraiser 7-11pm</i>  Hillbillys
15	16 Chanters Vettes Yoshi	17 Mizmur SC Radio Unit <i>Happy St. Patrick's Day!</i>	18 Bagpipers Flying Shriners Hapzim Hospital Unit Jay Co SC Pokagon SC	19 Band Elkhart SC	20	21 <i>WCSC Swiss Steak Supper 4-7pm</i>
22 <i>Daughters of the Nile Installation of Officers 2pm</i>	23 Antique Power Car Club Chanters	24 Calliopiers Clowns Khybers	25 Bagpipers Eel River SC Media Unit Noble Co SC Wabash SC	26 Band Blackford Co SC Whitley Co SC	27	28 <i>Easter Party Jungle George's 10am - 2pm</i>
29	30 <i>Divan Meeting</i>					

## May 2015

## April 2015

Apr 1 Shrine Stated Meeting  
Apr 5 Easter Sunday  
Apr 8 Nile Stated Session  
Apr 11 Screening Clinic Angola  
Apr 18 Nile Birthday Party  
Apr 18 Screening Clinic Shipshewana  
Apr 25 Spring Ceremonial

May 6 Shrine Stated Meeting  
May 9 Nile Mother/Daughter Brunch  
May 10 Mother's Day  
May 13 Nile Stated Session  
May 14 - 16 CoHo Salmon Derby  
May 21 - 30 Potentate Trip  
May 25 Memorial Day - office closed  
May 30 Class Director Golf Outing  
May 30 Screening Clinic - Lutheran

## June 2015

Jun 3 Shrine Stated Meeting  
Jun 21 Fathers Day  
Jun 27 Screening Clinic Whitley Co



March is here. Can you believe it? That means Spring is only weeks away.

We are attempting some new things this year to bring the nobility to the Temple. The Valentine's Dance and the Transportation Fundraiser are just a couple of examples. If you have an idea you think might work bring it to our attention. We may just be able to make something happen.

Our clubs and Units also have wonderful, exciting functions throughout the year. Coming in the very near future are the YOSHI Fun Night and Jumping with the Easter Bunny. Some for the adults and some for the kids and the kids in us. Maybe some of you new, or not-so-new Shriners will find a club or unit you want to get involved in through these activities. Read the Allah Bi carefully to learn about upcoming events.

Membership is still our top priority. As I write we have zero petitions for the Spring ceremonial. That is a concern. I know deep inside that you all know young men who are deserving of being brought to the Blue Lodge and the Shrine. We have agreed to host a Grand Master's One Day Class in conjunction with our own Ceremonial on April 25th. This will be a great exposure for Mizpah and perhaps an opportunity to pick up some additional Shriners. Watch for details and how you might be able to help.

Again, watch your Allah Bi. March 18th Pokagon Shrine Club is going to hold their fourth annual Meet & Greet, an excellent opportunity for potential candidates to learn about the entire Masonic family. We must grow in order to provide what I think are the activities and services you expect and deserve.

In my mind spring also means rebirth. Let each of us rededicate ourselves to what Shrine means to us.

Come Home to Mizpah

*GW Soblotne, Potentate*

## 2015 First Lady's Project

Thank you for your donation to the  
Transportation Fund.

Please keep this key chain in your  
pocket or purse as a reminder to  
Come Home To Mizpah!

With Gratitude,  
First Lady  
Lynn Soblotne  
Mizpah 2015



**Keychains \$10.00 each**  
**Available in the Mizpah Shrine Office or from any Divan Lady**

# Shriners Hospitals for Children: Leading the Way in Specialized Pediatrics

Since the first Shriners Hospital opened in 1922 in Shreveport, La., providing expert pediatric care has been a cornerstone of our mission to improve the lives of children. Today, Shriners Hospitals for Children® has 22 locations – 20 in the U.S., and one each in both Mexico and Canada, and provides care for all types of orthopaedic conditions, spinal cord injuries, burns, and cleft lip and palate, in a family-centered environment. All services are provided regardless of the families' ability to pay.

## **A Foundation of Orthopaedic Care**

Twenty of our facilities are staffed and equipped to handle virtually all pediatric orthopaedic problems, except for acute trauma. Commonly treated conditions include: clubfoot, limb deficiencies and discrepancies, scoliosis and osteogenesis imperfecta (OI), as well as the orthopaedic difficulties associated with neuromuscular conditions, such as cerebral palsy and muscular dystrophy.

With a large full-time staff of experienced pediatric orthopaedic surgeons, as well as a comprehensive team of physical, occupational, speech and other therapists, we are able to treat each child with a customized approach based on their overall health and medical conditions.

## **Pioneers in Pediatric Burn Treatment**

Shriners Hospitals for Children has been a pioneer in burn care and research since entering the burn care field in the 1960s. Some of the advances made through our research efforts include improved survival rates, creation of pressure garments to minimize scarring, and development of engineered skin and better wound-healing techniques.

Our patients receive advanced care for burn injuries and related scarring, along with physical rehabilitation and emotional support to help them successfully return to their school or community.

## **Excellence in Spinal Cord Injury Rehabilitation**

Shriners Hospitals for Children was the first health care system in the country to develop spinal cord injury rehabilitation programs specifically for children. We offer innovative therapies, emotional support, and development of independent living skills. The program also includes an emphasis on research. Projects range from restoration of function to quality of life and long-term outcomes. The knowledge gained from these studies will improve clinical practices and enhance the lives of young patients with spinal cord injuries.

## **Providing Expertise in Cleft Lip and Palate Care**

Patients with a cleft lip and/or palate are treated by a multi-disciplinary group of experts who work together to improve the child's ability to eat, communicate, breathe and feel good about their appearance. Each patient's unique treatment plan may include surgery, orthodontics, and hearing, speech and psychological therapies to restore optimal function and appearance.

With the generous support of our donors, Shriners Hospitals for Children has cared for more than 1 million children since that first Shriners Hospital opened back in 1922.

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## 2014 Potentate's Aides



***Attention all 2014 Potentate Aides  
please return your Potentate Aide fez if  
you are not a Potentate Aide for 2015.  
If you have any questions, please contact  
the Mizpah Shrine office at 260-426-4543.  
All Potentate Aide fezzes are the property  
of Mizpah Shrine. Thank you!***



Greeting from Kosciusko County Shrine

Congratulations to Noble Jon Garber, our 2014 Shriner of the Year, Jon was honored for his efforts as our School Liaison Committeeman for our circus program.

Now I am going to get on my soapbox, what I am about to say is the opinion of me and me alone, not the club's.

I believe most of us joined Shrine so that we can enjoy the company of our good friends, that we may do so and raise money for the hospitals is a bonus. I also believe that as we become more and more involved with our local club or unit we have a tendency to forget that the Mizpah Temple is our partner and they somehow thru time have become "Big Brother" I have been honored to serve on the Onion Sales and Circus Committee. I have found a new respect for the dedication and hard work of our officers, their Ladies, our office staff and all the committeemen who serve the Temple. Thru their efforts we can take great pride in the fact that our Temple is one of the best in Shrine. I would encourage you to attend some of the Stated Meetings and you will find out as I have, that the Temple is just a serious of your club's or unit's success as you are.

Now about the onion sales, I have heard all the excuses, they are cheaper at the grocery store, I got a bad bag or bad onion or two, I can not use 10Lbs, we do not know when they are arriving and this does not make any money for my club. For every excuse I have but one comment, this fund raiser has consistently over 20 years funded our Transportation Fund to the tune of about 20% a year. Personally I am happy to buy and enjoy two bags of onions for \$22.00, put some money in our club's till and keep these vans rolling. I know most of us, as Shriners, have spent more, gotten a lot less with no benefit to our Hospital Program. Let's make this year's onion program a huge success and keep taking those Kids to the hospital.

Remember what the Judge said.

Grasshopper.

## Clowns

Dear Smile Buddies,

Boy was the Circus ever fun!

We had a GREAT time with our skit. It is amazing that the group is so versatile and willing to jump in to help the unit. At first, we were not sure what to do after the first show when one of our stars (Inky-D) had to leave to fly to Texas to visit his newborn first grandchild. Luckily, Gilbert was able to step in for the next two shows, but then he had to go fix a heating unit that he had under warranty. Sambo stepped forward and completed the last six shows for us. We have had good reviews and my eleven year old grandson said it made him laugh (what better endorsement could you ask for?). My thanks go out to the members of the unit for their assistance. The only hang up we had was before one of the shows, when Otis, Flatfoot, Timbo and I tangled up the ropes on the boxing ring. It took a while to sort this out, but many of the patrons just thought our confusion was part of an act.....

It was also good to see some of our clowns being active again. Snappy and Timbo were there and we were glad to have them back. Lobo showed up and helped out as well. We are sorry the Inky has had problems with skin cancer and could not dress out, we miss having him participate (although he did show up to cheer us on). If I miss mentioning anyone, I am sorry that I am remiss (I'm just a clown, you know).

We held our elections at the January meeting and Sambo is President, Fuzzy is Vice-President and Gus is our Treasurer. Snappy has offered to take my place as Secretary (I just need a break).

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



# Khyber Gun Club

Greetings Nobles,  
Since the ground hog did or did not see his shadow ,  
the KHYBERS are planning to start the monthly trap  
shoot on April 21 at the Horse Patrol grounds. Loaner  
guns are available along with ammo at reasonable  
prices. Nobles and friends are welcome - shooting  
starts at 6:00.

Be sure to welcome the latest KHYBER member  
Phil Johnson who was voted into membership at the  
February meeting.

Do not forget the stated meeting on March 4 - also we  
spring the clock ahead on March 8.

The March KHYBER meeting will be on March 24  
at the Shrine Center. Fellowship starts at 6:00 with  
eats from the lounge menu followed by the business  
meeting at 7:00.

Fraternally  
Jim Crawford, Secretary

## Legion of Honor

Greetings Legionnaires,  
First I would like to thank all of you who worked selling  
circus tickets, activity books and those that helped with  
the circus in a number of other ways. Also a really big  
THANK YOU to the Legion's ladies for hosting the  
canteen and the ladies who worked hard at providing  
lots and lots of goodies! There is no doubt that the  
ladies are amongst the hardest workers at the circus.  
Again thank you.

A quick reminder that the onion presales are on. These  
orders need to be in during March so Mizpah has an  
idea of how many bags to order. Please contact our  
onion chairman, Greg Towsley, at 260-443-2208 with  
your order so the Legion can submit one order from all  
of us. Remember, \$1.25 of each bag sold by the Legion  
goes into our treasury. Delivery will be the week of  
May 3rd.

We are in need of ideas for an item or items to sell at  
the Sportsman's Raffle. Please contact me at 260-437-  
5393 with your ideas.

There are many fun activities coming up for Mizpah I  
hope you will join us at as many as you can attend.

Respectfully,  
Jim Olds, Commander



Dear Bagpipe Fans,

The Circus is over and we have accomplished our  
first performance of the year. It sort of makes you  
proud to stand out in front of a big crowd like that  
and be able to display your skills. We have put a lot  
of time and hard work into our efforts as a band and  
it pays off.

It was Great to have Owen back. He travelled all the  
way from Florida to participate. Too bad he had to  
tell us about the nice weather down there.

Lonnie was able to join us and assured me that the  
distractions of the building projects he has been  
working on have been completed so that he can  
become an active member again.

Dick is walking a lot better after his ankle replace-  
ment and was able to get us ready and play with  
us at the circus. Brad and Lance are doing an  
outstanding job on the drums. It is good to have that  
tempo established so that we can play together.

We hope to be able to play at the Ceremonial again  
this year. This is a Great way to recruit (and we get  
to show off our skills). We (as a Shrine) need to  
do everything possible to get these new candidates  
involved so that we don't lose them like we have so  
many others).

St Pat's is also coming up soon. This is our big  
money raiser for the year and we always enjoy going  
from place to place and having appreciative crowds.

We 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. 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.

Joe Jenckes  
Bard



I would like to thank all of the members that help out with the Shrine Circus. Your help makes all the difference. We did not help as much as a unit, however I did see a lot of our Units members there. Again thank you very much. We held our stated meeting on January 28th. We had a good turn out and discussion. As a unit we have divided to practice and prepare to conduct the rusty Nail degree for any Lodge that would like for us to do so for them. We felt that this may be an excellent opportunity for our area Blue Lodges to get some of their non regular members into their Lodge and get a refresher course.

We hope to be able to be available for this service by the end of April. We also felt that it is a good way to let the members know a little more about The Shrine and its members. If we coordinate this Degree properly with each other it should help to get some members back into your Lodge again and hopefully rekindle their desire to attend Lodge again.

If you and your Lodge are interested in having the Past Masters unit conduct the Rusty Nail degree for please let me know, so that we can get it scheduled. As you can imagine we have a lot of experience and knowledge in this group. Please take advantage of it.

Contact me at 262-416-8439 or at [rlboylan@yahoo.com](mailto:rlboylan@yahoo.com).

Bob Boylan

## Hospital Unit

The weather hasn't been real nice for the trips to the hospitals, but we have survived. Sorry I didn't have any report in last month's Allah-Bi. Don Shively has graciously agreed to present another Drivers training session in conjunction with our Hospital Unit meeting on March 18. If you missed the January training, come on down to the temple, have a good meal, and listen to Don.

Just a reminder to mark your calendars for Saturday April 25. There will be a screening clinic in LaGrange. Check your Allah-Bi for more information.

## Horse Patrol

Jan. LNO at the Club House was enjoyed by the Ladies who showed us Heroes how to play Euchre their way, Euchre King Bob Coe is still wondering what happened and a repeat is desired by all. Plenty of Pizza was devoured and flushed with that good Milk. It was really nice to just lay back and relax and have fun. As planned in Feb. we were in Syracuse at the Sleepy Owl, which I'm sure we woke up, I hope you could attend and enjoy. March we will be in Busco at Brevins with Happy Hour at 6:pm. Mark your to-do date so not to miss out.

The Circus and Super Bowl (pooper bowl to some) are past and our request for descent weather to get all Kids to attend was full-filled. Over 100 buses were parked Thursday by New Captain John Van Voorst, Pres. Bob Dumford, Ed Howard, Jerry Jenkins, Eldon Paul PP, Mike Davis, and myself. Friday Ed Howard and myself parked half that many in record time as nearly all the Buses followed each other in with no stop time in-between. We had a lot of Happy Smiles as the Kids returned to load the buses, with many Thanks and High Fives of Appreciation, all waving Good Bye as we released their buses to return to school. We were able to assist the Color Guard presenting the Colors Shrine Night on Friday with the Armed Forces Flags. We even enlisted Member Ron Harruff PP to carry the Army Flag to help out. He did great even without ROCKY.

At Feb. meeting Ed Howard filled in to serve Cook Bill's fine meal, as he was feeling bad at the last minute. Thanks to both for a special treat. Main topic of the meeting was Arena and Spring Fling. We are hoping to be able to get some descent drainage for the Arena to help with all the sloppy mud we have had in the past. Last year we had problems using the Arena several times because of mud and Business Manager John Van Voorst has 8 shows booked for this year with promise we are trying to attend to the problem. APC member Steve Sickafoose was a guest at the meeting to assist in some of his expertize to help with the solution, Horse Show Chm. John V reported Shriners Charity H S will be June 20th & 21st with show bills being available at March meeting, also we will have web site available [shrinehorseshow.com](http://shrinehorseshow.com) up for more info.

April meeting will be one week late, due to Good Friday. The Spring Fling always follows the April meeting and we don't want it on same date as Good Friday. Thus April meeting will be on the 9th and Spring Fling on the 10th. We moved it to help get the most people attending. If you have not been contacted to purchase your ticket by your regular Seller or need a ticket to attend call me 260-609-7925 or Ed Howard 260-750-2110, we will find a ticket for you to enjoy the fun also.

8 So Long and enjoy the white stuff  
Ray Giant



# Pokagon SC

First off we would like to congratulate noble and president - Richard Dalrymple for getting the "Shriner of the year award" thank you for all your hard work and the things you do. We would also like to thank all those great nobles that helped out with the buses and those who helped out at the Shrine Circus this year great job guys. Thank you all very much. A special thanks to brother and noble Don Shively for breakfast on circus day. Plans are being made for the 4th annual "meet and greet" the date is set for March 18 at the Angola Moose Lodge Club. We start at 5:30ish. Wings, pizza, and meatballs & such. Bring a non-mason or a mason that is interested in the other appendant bodies of Masonry. Scottish Rite, York Rite, Shrine. Eastern Star, and the Daughters of the Nile all to represented. Remember "ask one to be one" and "bring one to be one and join one".

Onion sales are coming let's get ready for it. Pre-orders are due by March 23 remember this is for the Transportation Fund let's do our best our kids are worth it. Our first parade is May 2nd at Shiphewana's May fest oasis to follow at the Lagrange Legion post. Let's fill up the princess.

I would like to take the time to thank all the nobles hard work in 2014 and if you missed out I would extend a welcome back in 2015 if you haven't been to a meeting in a while please come on back we welcome you would like to know how things have been for you. Thank you Pres. Richard Dalrymple. Let's get a jump on things in 2015 it is going to be busy and fun we want you.

Also in closing anyone interested in van driving to the hospitals please contact brother and noble Don Shively we need you !! Don't think about it do it!! It is self rewarding

See you all at the next meeting 3rd Wednesday of the month at the Angola Moose Lodge come early and socialize order from the menu always something good meeting at 7:00

Richard Dalrymple

THANK YOU to Moring Flowers & Gifts  
for the floral arrangements in the  
Mizpah Shrine lobby



## Hillbilly Clan #95

By the time we read this, springtime will be around the corner. At the time of writing this, winter weather has been relatively mild. Hopefully this will continue.

Our next gathering will be on Saturday March 14, 2015, at the Mizpah Shrine, 1015 Memorial Way, Fort Wayne, In., at 6:00 PM. It will be a potluck event. We will be sharing the building with another Shrine club that is having a fundraiser that same evening. We must be done by 7:30 PM, and then we are invited to stay for a concert that starts at 8:00 PM. The cost for that event is \$10.00 each. They are also having a silent auction. It is my understanding that all proceeds will be donated to the transportation fund. Please plan on attending our gathering and staying to have an evening of fun and dance.

Additionally, if you have a guest who may be interested in joining the Hillbilly Clan, invite them to our dinner, and when we start the business meeting, they can go to the Arabian room until our meeting is over. We do need to conduct a meeting to cover a few issues.

The last item I would like to mention to our Clan is to think of how many onions you will sell.

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



# Antique Power Club

APC February stated meeting was a doozy. President Tim Y kept us all in line and we were able to begin the year with our ducks in a row. If you missed the stated meeting you missed a lot. Here is what's coming up:

March 23rd Onion Sales orders need to be in by this date. George R is coordinator and Doug W is assistant for our activity.

April 25th Spring Ceremonial at the Temple.

May 2nd is our first Temple Parade for the year and will be in Shipshewana. Be sure to put that on your calendar.

June 20th Huntington Parade

June 27th Old Settlers Days Parade

More information will be given out later, of course, and I will keep you informed. Contact John B for more details...or, even better, come to the stated meetings.

Five APC members traveled to Chicago to present our donation to the Shriners Hospital Board of Directors. We also were given the "grand tour". If you have not been to the Shriners Hospital, you must go. For me, it made it very clear why we do what we do. If you would like to travel to Chicago, see if you can hitch a ride in the van.

We are bringing in five new Nobles into APC after the Spring Ceremonial. They are receiving their degrees at #189 as we speak. Mizpah Shrine Spring Ceremonial is April 25th. Be sure to put that date on your calendar and help welcome all of our new APC members.

We are looking for ideas for fund raising for APC. There are several ideas on the table. We have begun by appointing Steve S as committee chairman. This is one thing that all of us can get involved in. We have a full year in the final planning stages. If there are any events that you want to include please contact an officer ASAP.

We are having our February stated meeting at the Mizpah Temple and a fantastic meal is promised. Be there at 6:30PM for the meal...the meeting will follow.

Greg Bateman  
APC Secretary

*Members of Antique Power Club at Shriners Hospital Chicago (left)*



Masons  
wear many  
different hats



One of Them  
Should Be a  
**Fez**



# Shrinelines

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A weekly update for friends of Shriners Hospitals for Children® — Chicago

Robert Cotner, Editor

## Rinker Family Foundation Presents Two Major Gifts for X-ray System



The Rinker Family Foundation, a strong proponent of children's issues and a devoted partner with SHC – Chicago, presented gifts totaling \$200,000 in 2014, to assist in the underwriting of the cost of a new X-ray system and suite in our radiology department. In the photo left, Mizpah Noble Robert Dumford, representing the Rinker family, presented the second check given in 2014, for \$100,000, to Mark Niederpruem, Hospital Administrator.

The Rinker family of Syracuse, IN received the Patron Award in 2012 and posed in the photo right. John Rinker, founder of Rinker Boat Co., receives the award from our Administrator and Sara Klaas, as members of the family enjoy the occasion, including, from right, Agatha, Addison, Chris, and Raeni Rinker-Dumford. Noble Bob is at left.



The Rinker Family Foundation was principal funder for our Lokomat, a Swiss-built system and an important component of our clinical and research programs. We are grateful to this remarkable, generous family, whose extraordinary gifts mean much to the welfare of children and the well-being of our hospital.

## Daughters of the Nile



### Princess Royal's Ramblings

Several people have been contacting me for information concerning our Daughters of the Nile Installation of Officers. We will be having our first practice Tuesday, March 17th at 7 pm. Second practice will be Saturday, March 21st at 10 am. After practice we will be setting up the Temple for the Installation. After which we will be having a late group lunch for anyone who would like to attend. This will be at Ziffle's Rib Bar, 6340 East State Blvd., Fort Wayne. Sunday March 22nd officers should arrive for pictures at noon. At 2 pm Installation will commence. Immediately following a reception will be held. I hope that all of you will be in attendance for this occasion to help support all the new officers.

April is Teti Sheri Temple No 60 birthday. We will be having our Nile Birthday Party Luncheon on Saturday, April 18th at 12:30 pm. We have something new and very special planned after lunch. I believe you will have fun. More info to come at a later date. Support your Temple by attending this special occasion and help support all of our members and the work we all do for the Children.

“Be the change you want to see in the world.” Ghandi

In Nile Love to All,  
Deb Boylan

# Grand Master's One Day Class



Saturday April 25, 2015

Mizpah Shrine Center

1015 Memorial Way

Fort Wayne, IN 46805

Registration begins at 7:30am

Mizpah Shrine Spring Ceremonial  
to follow immediately

Please call the Mizpah Shrine office  
for lunch reservations 260-426-4543





**41st**  
Great Lakes Shrine Association  
**Benefit Salmon Derby**  
*On Lake Michigan*  
*Michigan City, Indiana*

**May 14, 15, & 16, 2015**

*Open to Members of all Masonic Bodies & Their Guests*



Registration fee of \$185.00 includes 3 nights hotel lodging, Orientation Bash on Thursday night, Victory Banquet on Saturday night, a chance to win prizes, and great hospitality. Phenomenal prizes include fishing gear and cash prizes.

**Mizpah Shriners, Host**  
*Shiners Derby Unit*  
*1015 Memorial Way, Fort Wayne, IN 46805-1332*  
**Joe Simon, Coordinator**

2015 Salmon Derby applications available at [www.mizpahshrine.com](http://www.mizpahshrine.com)  
or by calling the Mizpah Shrine office 260-426-4543

**Mizpah Shrine  
Class Directors**

*presents the*

**28th Annual  
Golf Outing**

*In Honor of  
John Balough  
a former  
Shriner Child*



*Saturday, May 30, 2015*

Registration starts at 7:30am  
Scramble begins at 8:30am  
Lunch will be served at 1:00pm

Players:

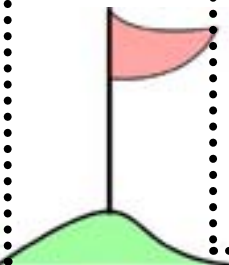
Captain

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**Thank you for Your Support of This Year's Event!**

**All net proceeds to Mizpah Shrine Class Directors**

Note: This is a fraternal event and ticket prices are not deductible as charitable contributions.

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March 14, 2015


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To the Illustrious 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)

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Ask any of our drivers and they will tell you how great it is!

Yours,  
Ellis Ryan, PP, MSA  
Recorder

## Driver Training

Wednesday, March 18th 7:00pm  
(during the Hospital Unit Meeting)

Mizpah Shrine Center  
Fort Wayne, Indiana



## LaGrange

### January

No information submitted

#### Schedulers:

Jim Boss - 260-350-8302  
Chuck Miller - 260-854-2964

#### Drivers:

## Noble Co.

### January

1 Trips to Chicago  
1 Trip to Cincinnati  
2 Patients

#### Schedulers:

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

#### Drivers:

Jerry Babb      Terry Bradner  
Jim Boone      John Harlan

## Steuben Co.

### Schedulers:

Don Shively - 260-833-4884

## Fort Wayne

### January

11 Trips to Chicago  
1 Trip to Lutheran  
20 Patients

#### Schedulers:

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

#### Drivers:

Paul Barker	Jerry Freewalt
Paul Boggs	Ron Hall
Jesse Brown	Jeff Hire
Gene Caryer	Paul Lopshire
John Coleman	Dale McAlexander
Bob Crispin	Chuck Notter
Tom Culler	Joe Rockwell
Bob Davis	Ellis Ryan
Bob Evers	Jerry & Joan Willman

## Grant Co.

### January

No information submitted

#### Schedulers:

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

#### Drivers:

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

## Elkhart Co.

### January

4 Trips to Chicago

#### Schedulers:

Neil Pittenger - 574-215-2603  
Bill Roose - 574-361-7922

#### Drivers:

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James Givens  
Art Kentgen  
Dale McDowell  
Jim Sawyer

## Hartford City

### Schedulers:

Ray Turner - 765-499-2671

# Screening Clinics 2015



Saturday, April 11th  
Cameron Memorial Hospital  
Angola, IN  
1-3pm

Saturday, April 18th  
Location to be announced  
Shipshewana, IN  
1-3pm

Saturday, May 30th  
Lutheran Hospital  
Fort Wayne, IN  
1-3pm

Saturday, June 27th  
Whitley Co Parkview Hospital  
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1-3pm

Saturday, October 10th  
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David E Ballinger	67	30
Robert A Batchelder	94	65
Clarence Brennan	49	6
Frank L Butterworth, Jr, 33	87	58
Charles W Lane	70	34
Roger L Ransom	74	6
Nicholas C Werling	90	29


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# Mizpah Shrine Annual Beer Tasting

**Friday, March 20th  
7:00 pm  
Mizpah Shrine Center**

**Open to all Shriners  
and their Friends!**

**Featuring 10 Crafted Beers  
from throughout the U.S.**

**\$20 per person  
limited to the first 150 tickets sold**

Proceeds are for the benefit of the Mizpah Shrine Directors Staff Activities  
Payments are not charitable contributions



### **What are the qualities of a winning image?**

Technical quality, clarity and composition are all important, but what will set a photo apart from the rest is the ability to capture that “picture perfect” moment that expresses the true spirit of the Shriners.

### **How will the winners be chosen?**

A panel of impartial judges will choose 10 winning photos. Winners will receive a plaque, pin and an Amazon.com gift card. Winning photos will be published in the 2015 Annual Report and in an issue of Shiner Magazine: Pride and Tradition.

They will also be shown during the Public Relations report at the 2015 Imperial Session in Houston.

Entries must be received no later than  
March 31, 2015.

Email [shrinepr@shrinenet.org](mailto:shrinepr@shrinenet.org) with questions.

### **Who can enter the contest?**

The photo contest is open to Shriners and their ladies.

**What should I photograph?** (Note: These are just suggestions. Be creative and have fun with this!)

- Shriners laughing and having fun
- Scenes depicting brotherhood/friendship
- Shriners in interesting costumes
- Shriners driving fun vehicles
- Temple, club or unit gatherings
- Shriners in the community
- Fezzes, memorabilia, vehicles or other Shiner accessories

# UPcoming EVENTS

## Yoshi Fun Night

Saturday, March 7th

7pm - 11pm

Mizpah Shrine Center

Swiss  
Steak  
DINNER



Whitley County Shrine Club  
Saturday, March 21st  
4pm - 7pm

*Shrine Horse Patrol Grounds  
Columbia City*

Adults	\$8.00
Children (5-11)	\$3.00
Children (under 5)	Free

*Proceeds support the Whitley County Shrine Club.  
Contributions are not tax deductible*

# Jumping with the Easter Bunny

## Jungle George's

### KID'S FAVORITE FUN PLACE

Saturday, March 28th

10am - 12pm

Shriners and their children  
and grandchildren are  
ALL welcome to come  
for a day of family  
fun and games



4610 Parnell Ave  
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# THE 4TH ANNUAL "MEET & GREET"

Hosted by the Pokagon Shrine Club

Wednesday, March 18, 2015 – Angola Moose Lodge

5:00 to 7:00 Food and Visitation

6:30 Presentations

**HAVE FUN AND FELLOWSHIP**

Masons and Non-Masons are invited to learn about

the Shrine, York Rite, Scottish Rite,  
Daughters of the Nile, and Eastern Star

- Short presentations made by each Masonic group
- Food will be available – drinks of your choice
- Displays and handouts available

“Meet and Greet” is a very unique program. We are taking the lead in the State of Indiana for Masonic membership – by involving all local Masonic organizations. Any Noble of Mizpah Shrine is invited to bring a guest and attend to see how the Pokagon Club is reaching out. No reservations needed. You will be glad you attend to see Masonry in action.

Inquiries to Bill Bryan 316-6904 Paul Friend 402-6122

## 2015 Vidalia Sweet Onion Sale



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Please call the Mizpah  
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260-426-4543 (Mizpah Shrine office)  
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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

**Wednesday, April 1, 2015**  
**Dinner 6:15pm      Meeting 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**

