

# Allah Bi

A publication of The Mizpah Shrine  
November/December 2017



*Peace on Earth...*

*Comfort & Joy...*

*Love to the Rescue*

*You are hereby notified of the following meetings of the nobility to be held at*

# Mizpah Shrine

1015A Memorial Way, Fort Wayne, IN 46805

## November Stated Meeting

Wednesday, November 1, 2017 - meal: 6:15pm meeting: 7:00pm

## December Election of Officers

Friday, December 1, 2017 - no meal meeting: 7:00pm

**MUST BE IN GOOD STANDING TO ATTEND & VOTE**

**Fraternally: Hal Harting, Potentate**

**Attest: Barry Richards, Recorder**

*The purpose of these called meetings or events is to act upon any official business that may come before it.  
Your presence is requested.*

**Mizpah Shrine Center Office Hours:**

**Monday - Thursday: 9am - 4pm**

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**www.mizpahshrine.com**

**SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CHILDREN:  
ORTHOPAEDIC - CHICAGO**

2211 North Oak Park Ave., Chicago, IL  
60635 Phone: 773-622-5400

Chief of Staff: Pernendu Gupta, M.D.  
Hospital Administrator:  
Mark Niederpruem

**BURN HOSPITAL - CINCINNATI**

3229 Burnet Ave., Cincinnati, OH 45229  
Phone: 513-872-6000

Chief Of Staff: Petra Warner, M.D.  
Hospital Administrator:  
Mark Shugarman

**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!

**MIZPAH SHRINE DIVAN:**

Hal Harting, Potentate  
Dennis DeWitt, Chief Rabban  
William Leedy, Assistant Rabban  
Rudolph Mahara, 33°, High Priest & Prophet  
Tobin Bradley, Oriental Guide  
Christopher Sanders, Treasurer  
Barry Richards, Recorder

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Ed Leamon (18)  
William Auer (19)

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Duane Targgart, PP (17)  
Owen Wade (18)  
Kenneth Lundquist (19)  
Rick Stirratt (20)  
Robert Boylan (21)

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**DON'T FORGET!**

Shrine Cermonial is November 18th!  
Petitions are located on the Mizpah  
website.

Mizpah Election of Officers is  
December 1st. All members must show  
current dues card (2017) to be admitted.

Mizpah Childrens' Christmas is  
December 2nd! Food, Fun and Santa  
from 9am-12pm!

2018 Public Installation of Officers is  
December 29th at Mizpah.  
Start time is 7pm.



# POTENTATE'S MESSAGE

Hi Nobles!

We hope your 2017 year has been wonderful and you are looking forward to an even better 2018. It has been my pleasure as your Potentate, and with the help of my Lady Jenny, to help Mizpah Shrine grow and to help the Nobility with this great fraternity and philanthropy! Thank YOU Nobles for having the trust and faith in me to help lead Mizpah Shrine for the last 5 years!

We have had five Temple parades so far this year and have one more Temple parade to go. That parade will be on November 11th and will be the Veterans Day parade on Parnell. Noble Jim Olds has spent a lot of time coordinating this parade on our behalf. Hopefully, we will have many Nobles come out to parade with us. If you are not in a unit that parades, please come on out and we will find you a ride. Let's show Ft. Wayne what Mizpah Shrine is and who we are! Remember, the Oasis will be at Turner's, located on the east side of Parnell just south of the Coliseum.

We had an exciting event happen on September 27th. We initiated eight new Nobles into our fraternity with a Cold Sands ceremony in North Manchester.

We hope this trend will continue into the New Year! The work was performed with Ben Kapp acting as the Potentate and Garth Snow acting as the Oriental Guide. Your Divan participated in the work also. A big THANK YOU to Ben and Garth for their fantastic effort to show these new Nobles what Shrine work is all about.

I would like to announce that the Class Honoree for the upcoming November Ceremonial is Kenny Fritz! Kenny is one of those quiet Nobles that comes out to work and help Mizpah Shrine every chance he can. Thank YOU Kenny for all your help!

As a parting note, I will be eternally grateful to YOU, the Nobility of Mizpah Shrine, for allowing me to help lead this wonderful fraternity and philanthropy these past 5 years. Thank you!

*Yours In The Faith,  
Hal Harting  
Potentate*

UPCOMING EVENTS	DATE	TIME
Stated meeting	11/01/2017	6:15 p.m. Dinner - 7:00 p.m. Meeting
Shrine Horse Patrol Fall Fling	11/03/2017	5:30 p.m. to ??? p.m.
	<i>This event to be held at the Mizpah Horse Show Grounds.</i>	
Veterans Day Parade	11/11/2017	Line up 10:00 a.m./Parade 11:00 a.m.
	<i>Oasis is to be held at Turners on Parnell immediately after the parade.</i>	
Scottish Rite Convocation	11/11/2017	All Day Event at Mizpah Shrine Center
Fall Ceremonial	11/18/2017	Sign in 8:00 a.m. - Ceremonial @ 9:00 a.m.
I.U. vs. Purdue Football game bus trip	11/25/2017	Bus Time to be announced by Rudy
Election of Officers	12/01/2017	7:00 p.m. until complete
	<i>NO meal/food of any kind to be served at this event! This event is in place of a Stated Meeting in December.</i>	
Mizpah Children's Christmas Party	12/2/2017	9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
Santacon 2017 Supporting Mizpah Shrine	12/9/2017	Bar Crawl 12-6pm, afterparty 6-9pm
Public Installation of Officers for 2018	12/29/2017	Denny DeWitt to announce time

**All Unit and Club Christmas parties should be scheduled with the Mizpah Shrine office as soon as possible. This will help alleviate parties being scheduled on the same date.**

**NOTICE:  
ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR 2018**

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2017  
7PM @ MIZPAH SHRINE CENTER**

**\* ONLY CURRENT DUES MEMBERS (2017)  
WILL BE ADMITTED.**

**ALL PERSONS SEEKING OFFICE ARE REQUIRED  
TO BE PRESENT FOR ELECTION**

**2nd Annual**

**Santacon.**  
Ft. Wayne

Must be 21 years or older to attend

**Charity Bar Crawl Event**  
Purchase of VIP Badge gets you:

- Food/Drink Specials
- VIP entry into Huge  
Costume Party

**December 9, 2017**

**Downtown Fort Wayne**

**Charity Bar Crawl 1-6 @ participating bars**

**After Party 6-9 @Freemasons Hall,216 East Washington Blvd**

**Cash Bar**

**Live music**

**Fort Wayne Food Trucks**

Find us on  
santaconfortwayne



Proceeds benefit Mizpah Shrine Center  
Patient Van Replacement Fund



For information and to purchase a VIP Badge check out

**santaconfortwayne.com**

# HORSE PATROL

Big events of the year, GLSA and Sportsman Raffle, have passed. The raffle was well attended (thanks to very nice weather) by many people, supportive of Steve Cowan and Co. and hopefully a nice paycheck. Many Clubs and Units had booths for their own special fundraiser, and we had two nice crossbows won by some hopeful hunters as well as the Golf-Shoot, which was enjoyed by many. Some were close and even bounced balls off the tubs, but only one winner for the day but lots of fun. Nice job by all.

GLSA was just a reverse of last year for us, 1st in parade and 2nd for drill. Medinah was our only opponent and they finally got a drill win from us, but we stole a hard win from them in the parade. All are happy and a very good time by all. It was nice to see Ansar Belgiums back with a two-horse hitch and also the Cowboys with seven horses looking good, both promise to try here to be more present in the future. We had two members elected to the GLSAHP as Mizpah Patrol Pres. Justin Smith for 2019 in Columbus, Ohio and Jerry Jenkins for 2020 in Evansville. Jeff Wooley retained his job as Secretary. Our Saturday night banquet was visited by GLSA Treasurer Larry Chapel and Lady Jenny, and he brought all the GLSA officers and their ladies with him, plus Imperial Chief Rabban Jim Cain who installed all our new officers. Farewells were passed as we parted, as we planned to load early Sunday to return our rides back to their pastures.

The chili cook-off is our next event at the Show Grounds on Oct. 14, headed by Justin Smith and helpers. I hope you all show up to get your "Heartburn Fix" for the season. Hopefully next year we can get the date better advertised to get more interest and support. We may try to add some other fun things, like maybe Chicken Poop Bingo, Golf Shoot, Kybers Trap or other suggestions to make a fun day.

Oct. 21 is our Giant Ranch fall trail ride. Lady Jeneva and I host our riding friends to enjoy our trails, plus several neighbor's trails and generally have 12 to 20 horses for Saturday and some camp overnight or return for more on Sunday. We ride a couple of hours and return to restock saddle bag coolers and check the NRs (non riders) who are always welcome; their job is the keep the camp fire hot and the beer cold, stir the Road Kill Stew, which we provide, and tell tall tales. Plus, they may have to ride for someone who might need a beer break or is saddle sore.

NOV. 3 is our annual Fall Fling. See a Horse Patrol member to get your ticket, with only 200 sold and a chance to win \$3000 plus other prizes and a great STEAK meal and good time with many of your friends.

Dec 9 - Horse Patrol Christmas Party at Club House hosted by Pres. Elect Justin Smith, starting 'Happy Adjustment' at 6pm till noon the next day if needed, food and fun to follow. Call Justin for reservations and numbers, as well as installation of 2018 officers and more fun. No horse play, so stay in your saddle.

Happy Trails  
Ray Giant

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## RADIO UNIT

The Mizpah Shrine Radio Unit offered our repeater to the Fort for Fitness races which occurred on September 29th. Radio services were key in providing a safe environment for several races, all of which occurred in one day!!! Many of you can realize how vital communication is, and the needs and efforts in such a wide spread event and with thousands of participants can be. Our Shrine repeater was cross-utilized by many key event communication staff. Just another example of how our unit provides a service to our community.

In the coming year 2018, we would like to grow our active membership. If you are interested in learning what it takes to get up and running, please contact any radio unit member or ask to sit in on one of our meetings, held every third Tuesday at the Shrine at 6:30pm. We gather in Mildred's Lounge starting around 5:45pm for dinner, drinks and good old fellowship. You are invited to join us.

Fraternally,  
Douglas Schwartz  
Radio Unit President

From October 5th to the 7th, 2017, I had the pleasure of going to my very first Shriners seminar. This seminar particularly covered membership, not just membership within Mizpah, but around the world.

Nobles, I am here to encourage all of us to do our very best at changing Mizpah for the better. As we begin looking into the future and continue to evolve so that new young men, tomorrows legacies, can look forward in seeing what it truly means to have a brother not just in Shriners but maybe one who is in Blue Lodge, or even in the Scottish Rite.

After going through many workshops, I can say that I am fired up and ready to present new ideas to boost our numbers, and in return all I ask is for everyone's cooperation. So with that in mind, I strongly encourage every Noble to bring someone of good morals... a friend, son, grandson, whomever, bring them with their families, the kids, their wife or girlfriend along to any of the future events and get them interested in joining.

When you may be having a difficult time reeling them in just know a fellow brother will always have your back.

Noble Zachary Richards



## Yoshi

It has been an exciting and productive year around Yoshi, and I want to take the opportunity to publicly thank all of you here, as well as reflect on what we have accomplished.

As always, we represented all of Mizpah well at the circus, with the typical (but not complacent) thanks to brother Brad Wadkins, Dave Bowman, and most literally, ALL OF YOSHI that set up, ran and tore down the basement fair, sold tickets, dealt with seating issues, and generally made Steve, Mike, Phil and Dave look good. My hat is off to you!

We again hosted Easter for Mizpah, with games, food and fun. Sean and his crew of Gentle Giants once again looked great and entertained the kids, and everyone had a great time.

Beer and Chips was a success, and the change back to Yoshi handling tables and all the aspects was well transitioned. Many thanks to all who made it a success, and hopefully we will see more of Mizpah come out in 2018!

The Mizpah Fishing Derby was held at Joe Simon's, and the kids all had a good time. It was nice to return the event to Whitley County, and thankfully good weather ensured success.

We unfortunately said goodbye to a great friend, Shrine-Mason, and our Santa, Bill Kaiser. For this humble servant, it still hurts every day. His friendship, service and love for our fraternity is missed by all of us, especially this one.

As with most Mizpah events, our presence at the Sportsman's Raffle was massive and instrumental. We had a successful fundraising booth, as well as most of our club helping in some capacity through planning to setup, food service, tickets, and teardown. The Mike and Mike show (Dold and Hardiek) kept the tickets flowing as well as the fun... and yes, your wife called and said spend that money!

We move now to the annual Childrens' Christmas party, and circus ticket sales. As always, it is guaranteed to be a success, because Yoshi is involved. Let's finish great!

In closing, I want to express my thanks for a great year, and encourage you to continue to support Dave, as well as the entire Mizpah family. Together, we make it great!



*Mizpah Potentate, Illustrious Hal Harting, Gary Soblotne, PP and Steve Trump presented Shriners Hospital for Children, Chicago a check from the 2017 COHO Salmon Derby, held in May. \$5500.00 was raised at this years event for SHC.*

# DONATE YOUR **CAN TABS** HERE

Help the Shriners  
help kids!

**Shriners Hospitals** for Children in **Chicago** and **Cincinnati** have been collecting pull-tabs or "pop-tops" from beverage cans for more than 16 years, recycling them, and putting the money toward programs that directly benefit children. Since its inception, about a half-million pounds of aluminum tabs have been collected and recycled.

**Did you know:** The tabs are the only pure aluminum part of the can, and the cans may still be returned for deposit even after the tabs are removed.

**Don't toss them away ...  
Tear them off and help the kids!**

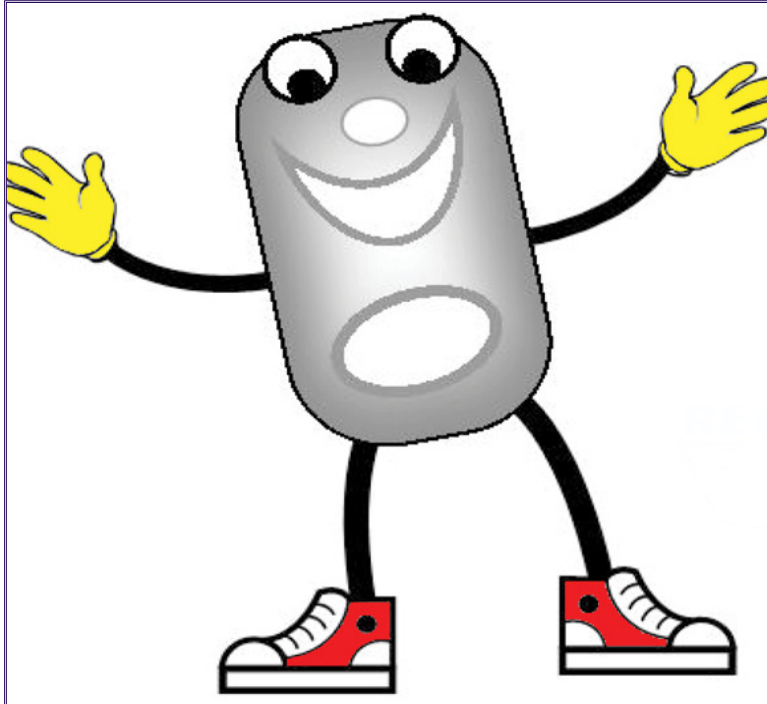




# Pulling for the Kids

## Pull Tab Contest

Open to all Mizpah Clubs and Units



***Mizpah is collecting pull tabs for our Shrine Hospitals!***

The club or unit with the most collected will be selected to send representatives to the Chicago Hospital to deliver them in person.

The contest runs from December 1, 2017 to March 1, 2019.

All pop tabs should be collected in a gallon milk jug with the club or unit name written on the outside of the milk jug with a lid on it. The milk jugs can be brought to the Mizpah Temple. They will be weighed and totals kept in office.

The club or unit with the most collected and turned in every quarter will be recognized and awarded a prize.

The grand prize will be presented at the April stated meeting in 2019.  
See the Mizpah website for more information.



## VETERAN OF THE MONTH

### SEPTEMBER

*Ronald Buskirk, Sr., ANG*

Ron Buskirk, Sr. enlisted in the Indiana Army National Guard in February, 1965 and was assigned to the Guard Artillery Unit, having completed Basic Combat Training at Fort Leonard Wood, MO. Following basic training, he went to Fort Sam Houston, TX for Advanced Individual Training as a combat medic, returning to Indiana and serving with his artillery unit until 1968. Afterwards, Ron relocated to Ft. Wayne and joined the 293rd division, where he was promoted to Specialist 5 in 1970. He was honorably discharged March 17, 1971.

While completing his enlistment in the Army National Guard, Ron applied and was accepted to the Indiana Police Academy in October, 1969. Following, he was sworn in as a member of the Fort Wayne Police Department, where he served for over 30 years in various roles, including Patrolman, Public Information Officer, Detective, Vice & Narcotics, and Juvenile Services. In 1988 he served a successful internship with the Indiana State Police for 18 months, returning to the Fort Wayne Police Department to serve as Supervisor, Crime Scene Management.

In 1995, while still serving the Fort Wayne community, Ron received his Bachelor Of Science degree from Indiana University, and then was promoted shortly afterwards to Deputy Chief of Investigations. It is there he served until his retirement on January 1, 2000.

After his faithful service to Fort Wayne, Ron accepted a position at St. Joseph Hospital, where he has served as the Ethics and HIPPA Compliance Officer for both St Joseph and Dupont Hospital. He plans to retire on January 2, 2018, with plans to join his wife Linda at Accountable Solutions, Inc.

Ron was raised as a mason in 1976, and subsequently joined Mizpah and the Scottish Rite in 1978. He is a member of the Legion of Honor, and has served as President of the LOH, as well as many other duties to the Mizpah family. Ron is also a member of the York Rite, Knight Templar, and Eastern Star. Furthermore, he has been award the Red Cross of Constantine, and has been named a 33rd Degree Scottish Rite Mason.

## *Fly-In Breakfast*

I have never been to a fly in breakfast before. I never went and never knew what it was about or why. I always got the entry tickets in the mail and never did anything with them because I didn't know what it was about. Now I do, and I hope it gets bigger! I am in total wow. What a well oiled machine we have. I was so impressed with the way things were run. I worked my tail off Sunday and am so very proud of what we did. Next year I'm inviting everyone that I know. I'm really impressed in case you can't tell. Another learning curve as being a younger Shriner.

We need to educate people what this is about and where the money goes. I just learned that recently. Knowledge is power. Being informed is power. I can't speak for all new Shriners in the last 5 or 6 years... but I had no clue what this was all about. I'm in and I loved every minute of it. I want this to grow by the word of mouth and advertising. We have a great thing here and need to keep it going!

Tobin Bradley  
Oriental Guide

Attention All Mizpah Members, Ladies, and Guests:  
The Hospital Unit

Cordially Invites You, Your Lady, and Friends to  
Our Christmas Party Dinner  
Wednesday, December 20, 2017 at 6:00 p.m.  
Paradise Buffet, 1411 Shook Drive, Auburn, IN

Please R.S.V.P. the number attending by Saturday, December 16, to Doug Brouwer by e-mail at brouwerdr@aol.com or phone to (260) 413-1537 Please bring your FEZ !!!!  
The Paradise Buffet is a buffet restaurant and has large variety of food including prime rib, seafood, chicken, salad bar, sushi bar, and much, much, much more. There is no alcohol.  
The cost is approximately \$15.00 (\$13.50 for 62 and over) and includes drink, tax, and gratuity.  
Directions: Follow I-69 to IN-8, Auburn Exit 329. Go West on Indiana 8 for 3/10 of a mile.  
Turn left on Smaltz Way. Go 1/10 of a mile to Shook Drive.

At the end of the rainbow. While driving some of our Shrine patients to the hospital, suddenly a rainbow appeared between the clouds. We mused that there must be a Shrine Hospital at the end of that rainbow. From "Somewhere Over The Rainbow," one of the verses goes, "And the dreams that you dare to dream really do come true." That surely happens at Shriners Hospitals.

Another reminder: Be in the Parade!! November 11, Veterans Day Parade, Fort Wayne.  
Plan now. Let's get all our Mizpah vans in the parade! Help show we are very serious about taking our Shrine kids to our hospitals. Contact your van scheduler for coordination. Any noble can ride, even if not a van driver, even if not in the Hospital Unit. Only Shriners are allowed to ride in a Shrine Van during a Shrine Parade, per Imperial regulations.

For the second year, we set up a display highlighting our hospitals on October 4, at the Annual Conference on Youth at the Allen County War Memorial Coliseum. The conference is sponsored by Great Kids Make Great Communities Allen County, under the supervision of Allen Superior Court, Family Relations Division. Being at this event is an excellent way for us to spread the word about Shriners Hospitals to the 1200 youth and family serving professionals that attended from Northeast Indiana.

Upcoming Hospital Unit meetings. The November 15 meeting is at the Shrine Center. The December meeting is the Christmas party dinner on December 20 at the Paradise Buffet in Auburn. We continue to discuss the mission and vision of the Hospital Unit at our meetings. Please join us.

Fraternally,  
Doug Brouwer, Secretary

Hospital Unit

Greetings from Kosciusko Co.

I have many "Tip of the Fez" to hand out so let's get started. Noble Bill Beatty and his Day Chairmen for Fair B Parking, a major fundraiser for the Circus Program. Noble Jay Shively for our Golf Outing and Noble's Don Smith and John Sadler for our Turkey Shoot. A huge "Tip of the Fez" to all the members and their ladies who made our events successful.

Club elections are November 8th. Our Fraternity is only as strong and successful as we make it. We have a great club, any Past President will tell you that their success was accomplished by the efforts of our membership and their Ladies. Clubs such as ours deserve good leaders. Step up and make it happen.

Given all the turmoil in our world today, I believe this Veteran's Day needs some special attention. Remember, by thanking a Veteran, you are praising the one who protects the very rights and liberties that we enjoy every day.

Temple Elections are December 1st. Show up and thank those who have served and support the worthy candidates who you think will ensure the future of our temple.

Happy Holidays To All!  
Remember what the Judge said.

Grasshopper

Kosciusko  
County

# Calendar of Events around Mizpah

<i>November</i>			1 STATED MEETING  Bagpipers	2 Horse Patrol	3 Horse Patrol Fling	4
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12	13 Director's Staff Foot Patrol	14 Scottish Rite Std Class Directors Mizmur SC	15 Bagpipers Flying Shriners Kosciusco Co LaGrange Co Randolph Co	16 Elkhart SC	17	18  Fall Ceremonial
19	20 Yoshi Vette's	21 Radio Unit	22 Bagpipers Hospital Unit Jay Co Pokagon SC Grillmasters	23 THANKSGIVING - Offices Closed  Blackford Co	24	25  IU/Purdue bus trip
26	27 Antique Power Car Club	28 Calliopiers Clowns Khyber	29 Bagpipers Eel River SC Hapzim SC Wabash SC Media	30		



## *Mizpah Childrens' Christmas*

*December 2, 2017  
9am-12pm*



# Calendar of Events around Mizpah

<b>December</b>					1 Election of Officers 7PM	2 Childrens' Christmas 9-12
3	4	5	6 NO STATED MTG  Bagpipers	7 Horse Patrol	8	9  SANTACON
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## 2017 PARADE SCHEDULE

November 11 - Ft. Wayne Veterans Day  
Oasis following at Turners Ft Wayne on Parnell

*check the shrine website for updated lists as they become available!*

## CIRCUS OFFICE SCHEDULE

Online Ticket Sales begin Thanksgiving Day  
December 4th: Daytime sales begin @ Memorial Way, M-F 10a-5p  
January 2: Coliseum sales begin, M-Sa 10a-5pm, Su 12p-5p  
January 2: Circus office sales change, M-Sa, 10a-8p, Su 12p-5p



Temple 200  
456 Main St.  
Anytown, USA 12345

Address Service Requested

**RENEWAL NOTICE**

4624020021 4564  
BILL SAMPLE  
123 MAIN STREET  
ANYTOWN, USA 12345-6789

**Remittance Section**

Statement Date 03-April-2017  
Member Number 16576  
Shrine ID Number 1198928  
Balance Due \$164.00  
Additional Voluntary Contributions:  
Shriners Hospital \$  
Temple \$  
Total Amount Enclosed \$

Please make payable to:

SHRINERS TEMPLE 200  
456 MAIN STREET  
ANYTOWN, USA 12345

0001234567890000000000000000

Please detach and return above portion with your payment.

**Renewal Notice**

Statement Date 03-April-2017  
Member Number 16576  
Shrine ID Number 1198928

**Summary of Charges**

Description	Charge	Balance
Temple	\$47.00	\$47.00
Hospital	\$5.00	\$5.00
Per Capita	\$30.00	\$30.00
Misc1	\$0.00	\$0.00
Misc2	\$0.00	\$0.00
Current Year Total (Dues Year)	\$82.00	\$82.00
Previous Years		\$82.00

All amounts in U.S. Dollars  
Total: \$164.00  
Paid: \$0.00  
Total Due: \$164.00

Please consult with your tax professional to determine the extent of deductibility of your gift. We advise you to keep the bottom portion of this notice for your tax records.

**HOW TO RENEW:**

- Remit by check
- Pay with a credit card by contacting the temple
- Visit our website [BillPayWebsite] to pay online

**Our Mission**

LOVE TO THE RESCUE



TEMPLE NOTES:

**2018 Membership Renewal Notice - Please update your information below**

Member Bill Sample Member # 16576 SID # 1198928  
E-Mail billsample@yahoo.com  
Phone 123-456-7890 Cell 012-345-6789  
Birthday January 1, 1962  
Lady Jane Sample  
Lady Email janesample@yahoo.com

Temple 200, 456 Main St., Anytown, USA 12345 | t

You will receive your notice in the coming weeks.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact the office for assistance.

If you need to update your address or phone information, contact the office immediately!

**Use WebFez to verify your personal information, payments and Shrine activity**

**How to Register for WebFez:**

- Go to your browser's address bar and type in [webfez.shrinenet.org](http://webfez.shrinenet.org)
- Click the register button on the Login page:
- From the Registration page, choose your Temple from the drop-down list. Then type in your Member Number and your First and Last names.
- Click on the Register button. You will be directed to Create a New Account page. On this page enter an E-mail address that you will use to log in with, confirm the E-mail address, and then enter and confirm your Password.  

Email	<input type="text"/>
Confirm Email	<input type="text"/>
Password	<input type="password"/>
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- Scroll down to read the WebFez User Agreement and Privacy policy. Agree by clicking the checkbox.
- After the checkbox is selected, click on Register. This will Register you for WebFez and log you into the system.

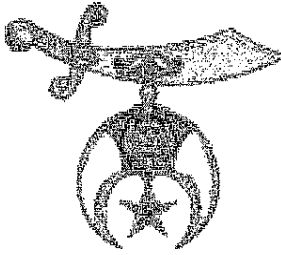
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**Follow these easy steps:**

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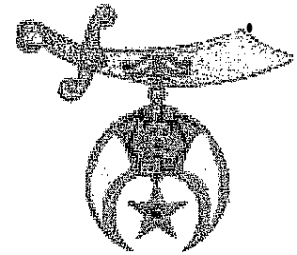


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Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Hobbies/Interests: \_\_\_\_\_

*To the Illustrious Potentate, Officers, and Members of Mizpah Shrine 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.*

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Ceremonial & Initiation Fee:

Spring Ceremonial \$250 \*includes 2018 dues

Fall Ceremonial \$250 \*includes 2019 dues

Additional \$75 for Jeweled Fez, contact the office for details

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### FOR OFFICE ONLY

Payment Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Check# \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

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# SHRINE-SCOTTISH RITE BUS TRIP



Purdue vs Indiana  
Saturday, November 25th  
\$75.00 per ticket



Includes:	Retail Value
Ticket	\$45.00
Transportation/Parking	\$30.00
Tailgate Dinner	\$15.00
Beer/Snacks/Pop	\$20.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$110.00</b>
<b>Other EXTRAS-</b>	<b>PRICELESS!</b>

**Tailgate Competition**  
**On Field Group Photo**  
**Stop at Local Hotspot**  
**(Location depends on game start time)**  
**Competition for Autographed Picture of Coach Brohm**

**Make Reservations at the Scottish Rite office at 260-423-2593**

***TICKETS ARE LIMITED- Last year were sold out early!***



*The Nobles and their Ladies listed drove Mizpah Shrine vans transporting our patient-champions and their parents to Chicago or Cincinnati the last few weeks*

## Fort Wayne

August

Chicago: 16 trips with 26 patients  
Cincinnati: 1 trip with 1 patient

Drivers

Paul Barker	Jerry Kreger
Roger Beck	Jim Kyler
Doug Brouwer	Paul Lopshire
Gene Caryer	Dale McAlexander
John Coleman	Kevin Meyer
Bob Crispin	Dennis Parda
Bob Evers	Ellis Ryan
Jerry Freewalt	Rick Stirratt
Ron Hall	Jerry Willman
Jeff Hire	Joan Willman

September

Chicago: 14 trips with 19 patients  
Lutheran: 1 trip with 1 patient

Drivers

Paul Barker	Jerry Kreger
Doug Brouwer	Jim Kyler
Jesse Brown	Lance Lattimer
Gene Caryer	Kevin Myers
John Coleman	Vern Neel
Bob Crispin	Ellis Ryan
Bob Davis	Rick Stirratt
Jake Dermott	Jerry Willman
Phil Hoopengartner	

## Noble County

August

Chicago: 6 trips with 4 patients

Drivers

Jim Boone	Bob Dumford
Larry Lant	Terry Bradner
Allen Brunjes	Bob Evers
Rich Miotte	

September

Chicago: 5 trips with 6 patients

Drivers

Bob Evers	Rodger Allen
Dennis Paternoster	Sam Fryback
Brett Anderson	James Boone
Rick Miotto	Terry Bradner

## LaGrange & Steuben

July

Chicago: 9 trips with 12 patients

Drivers

Paul Wilson	Anita Wilson
Gary Soblotne	Jim Keeslar
Jim Hillman	Duane Targgart
Jim Norris	Don Shively

August

Chicago: 11 trips with 9 patients

Drivers

Paul Wilson	Ray Hoover
Gary Soblotne	Jim Keeslar
Jim Gallup	Jay Smith
Richard Dalrymple	Steve Kaluza
Robert Evers	Richard Brunjes
Jim Norris	Don Shively

September

Chicago: 3 trips with 3 patients

Drivers

Gary Soblotne	Jim Keeslar
Jim Norris	Ray Hoover

## Grant/Blackford Counties

June

Chicago:  
3 trips  
4 patients

Drivers

John Silves  
Pat Leach  
Kip Worrel  
Roger Beck  
Ed Harrison

July

Chicago:  
1 trip  
1 patient

Drivers

Roger Beck  
Jerry Willman

August

Chicago:  
2 trips  
2 patients

Drivers

Roger Beck  
Jerry Willman

September

Chicago:  
1 trip  
1 patient

Drivers

Roger Beck  
Bob Crispin

## Elkhart

Neil Pittenger - 574-215-2603  
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### Fort Wayne Area

Jerry Willman - 260-483-4226  
Bob Evers - 574-269-3788

### Grant/Blackford Co

Roger Beck - 765-674-5831  
John Silves - 765-674-6339

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Don Shively - 260-833-4884  
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**Mizpah Van Schedulers**

*Interested in becoming a driver? Contact one of the Schedulers or the Mizpah Shrine office TODAY!*

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In Memory of/ Honor of (circle one) \_\_\_\_\_

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## CIRCUS NEWS

### REMEMBER!!!

Circus ads are due soon! Turn them in to the Circus office by  
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# BLACK CAMEL

	Date of Passing	Years of Service
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James W Stock	8/17/2017	16
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Robert H Simpson	9/14/2017	36
Dean A. Yoquelet	9/25/2017	57
Larry W. Hill	10/9/2017	46
Homer F. Kline	10/21/2017	57



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## Notice of Special Vote on Mizpah Bi-Laws

### ARTICLE 3 Temple Meeting & Ceremonials

Proposal Change Article #3 Section 3.1B.  
Article 3.1B shall read, Installation of Officers.  
Installation of Officers shall be held after the First of January.

Vote to be held at November Stated Meeting. All current years dues members are eligible to vote,  
with proof of dues card.