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### **A Mizpah Shrine Publication**

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# POTE'S TRIP PRESENTATION

Thursday, March 10th at 6:30pm

Travel Leaders
presentation for the
Potentate's Trip to the
Dominican Republic will
be held at the Mizpah
Shrine Center



Saturday, June 25, 2022

## POTENTATE'S BALL



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#### MIZPAH SHRINE

1015A Memorial Way, Fort Wayne, IN 46805

#### March Stated Meeting

Wednesday, March 2 • Meal at 6:15pm • Meeting at 7:00pm

#### **April Meeting**

Wednesday, April 6 • Meal at 6:15pm • Meeting at 7:00pm

Fraternally: Jeff Baumgardner, Potentate

**Attest: Greg Romy, 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.

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### Potentate's Message ...

Dear Nobles,

Thank you to everyone that has supported me through this very humbling process of becoming Potentate. It is a great honor I do not take lightly. Your past support and continued support means a lot to me.

A big thank you also goes out to each and every one that helped out in some way with the circus this year. The circus was a success and if not for the hard work of everyone and the organization, and the dedication of Steve Trump, Steve Cowen, Phil Wade and Mike Hardiek. It was great watching so many work together as a family and all for a great circus for the kids and their families.

This years Divan has been great to work with. They are a great group, and I hope you will continue to support them. These guys always step up to any challenge they are given. Tom Lehman has agreed to be my Chief Aide, John Runge is the Membership Chairman, and Andy Fracica will be our Parade Chairman. I also want to thank all the others that agreed to be Aides and help this year.

Remember to check the calendar on the website for upcoming events. Our theme this year is "Back Home Again in Indiana." My hope is that everyone is able to be back with us this year enjoying our time together and working hard at what we love to do for the kids.

Also please remember to help spread the word for the Ladies Project. The more we can get to sign up with the Kroger Rewards the more it will support our always needed Transportation Fund.

Mark your calendars for Thursday, March 10th at 6:30pm. There will be a presentation at the Shrine Center for the Potentate's Trip. We are heading to an all-inclusive resort in the Dominican Republic in October. Travel Leaders have done a great job putting some packages together for us to choose.

Respectfully, Jeff Baumgardner 2022 Mizpah Potentate



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### Recorder's Message ...

Nobles.

As activities are picking up at Mizpah Shrine and covid numbers are declining, please consider supporting Shrine Unit and Club activities. A lot of hard work goes into planning these events, so please come out to participate and have some fun.

As your Units and Clubs plan your giving this year, please consider donating to the Transportation Fund. This fund is used to transport kids and their families to the hospitals to get the care they need. It also provides meals for the families during their travels. The cost of gas and food are rising at an alarming rate, your help will be appreciated.

If you have not sent in your Financial Reports yet, please get them in as soon as possible. Please submit them to the Shrine Office. Thank you.

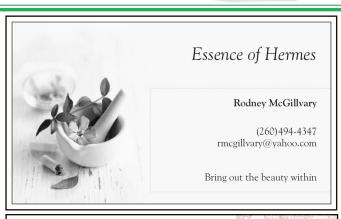
I have a couple parade dates for you to add to your calendar:

Turtle Days Parade June 18th Old Settlers Parade June 25th

More dates to follow.

I am looking forward to serving the nobility at Mizpah. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me on my cell phone at 260-415-7902. My door is always open! Thank you

Greg Romy
Recorder 2022











### Membership Notes for 2021 in 2022 ...

Membership Notes

For all new Nobles that have come into the Shrine via the Abbreviated Ceremony (Cold Sands).

I am proud to announce we have a date for our Ceremonial!

Please save the date for May 21<sup>st</sup>. More details to follow once we have the schedule worked out.

Because of the pandemic, we delayed the full ceremonials out of concern for everyone's health. This is why we have been doing so many of the abbreviated ceremonials. We had to do this so we would not have 2 years of candidates waiting to enter the Shrine.

If you have attended one of the abbreviated ceremonials, you also understood that it is expected of you to attend the full ceremonial. This event should turn out to be a family event that will be great for everyone attending. Letters will be coming out soon and we need you to RSVP with the number of people you are bringing. Please have your fez squared away so that your most important person can conduct your fezzing.

The Divan looks forward to meeting you and your family in May. Please mark that calendar!

If you are a member of the clubs that support the ceremonials, please dust off your gear and prepare!

As of the end of January we have 282 Nobles that have not paid dues for 2022 and we have another 41 Nobles that will be dropped from our rolls by year end if we can't take care of them. I will be assembling the call teams soon. First team up to the plate is our Divan! Date and time to follow after I get it coordinated.

If you would like to be a part of these teams just email membership@ mizpahshrine.com and I'll get you involved.

International has posted virtual web based membership training. The dates for these are Feb 10 / March 10 / April 21 / May 19. All clubs and units should have someone versed in this material. You can register for these training sessions by going to <a href="https://www.shrinersinternational.org/">https://www.shrinersinternational.org/</a> and then under Education go to Membership and Marketing and register for the virtual classes. The training is invaluable to our mission. Please take the time to be involved in this. Anyone can register and take part. If it conflicts with your schedule, you can still view the training after it's happened. However, you have to register to do that.

Finally, It was so good to be back at the circus. It just felt like normal was finally back. It was so great to see all the Nobles back at it and the thousands of smiling kids enjoying the event. It is hard work but so worth it.

J Runge- Nosey Membership Guy

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Person Donating
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In Memory of / Honor of (circle one)

How would you like to receive your certificate?

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Mail to:

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No man stands so tall as when he stoops to help a child.

# Black Came

Name	D.O.B.	Passed	Creation
Richard C. Solaro, 33°	9/1/35	12/14/21	5/5/90
Jesse L. Brown	1/10/48	12/15/21	11/6/10
Richard C. Rader	7/19/24	12/16/21	12/2/61
Jim Markiton	9/29/45	1/3/22	5/2/87
Philip McClure	2/10/29	1/12/22	5/22/76
Robert G Tenney	2/14/39	1/13/22	5/15/82
Steven N. Cadwallader	2/2/49	1/17/22	12/1/90
John Stanwood	11/21/45	1/18/22	10/24/09



# \$100 Million Dollar Club

In Memory of Jesse Brown – Don & Glenna Raber

In honor of the children – Wabash Shrine Club In Memory of Robert D. Beatty – William and Janet Beatty

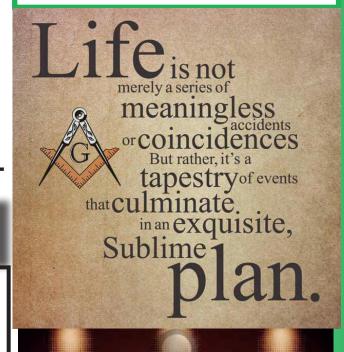
In memory of Holly Jo Woodcock – Robert & Barbara Evers

In Memory of Karen Culler – Tom Culler In Memory of Richard Solaro – Mizpah Shrine Class Directors

In Memory of Gregory Towsley – Richard W. Coker

In Memory of Jacquelyn Laura Beer – Kosciusko Lodge #418

In Honor of the Children – North Manchester Moose #1518



"People who shine from within don't need the spotlight."





## 47th

#### **Great Lakes Shrine Association**

# **Benefit Salmon Derby**

On Lake Michigan in Michigan City, Indiana

May 12, 13 & 14, 2022



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

Registration fee of \$260.00 includes 3 nights hotel lodging, Orientation Bash on Thursday night, King Neptune Banquet on Saturday night, a chance to win prizes, and great hospitality. Phenominal prizes include fishing gear and cash prizes.

#### Mizpah Shriners, Host

Shriners Derby Unit 1015 Memorial Way, Fort Wayne, IN 46805-1332 Sam Winebrenner, Coordinator

Proceeds from this event are for the benefit of SHRINER'S HOSPITALS FOR CHILDREN.

To Raise Funds For Shrine Hospitals For Children

100% of the net proceeds from this tournament go to Shrine Hospitals. This is run by Shriners who donate their time and efforts at their own expense to see that you have a good time and that the hospitals get the full benefit of the proceeds. All times are CDT

Thursday,	May	14,	2020
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2:00 – 6:00 PM Registration Baymont Inn 6:00 – 8:00 PM Orientation Bash Baymont Inn Derby Info & Meet Captain

Friday, May 15, 2020

6:00 AM – 2:00 PM Fishing Lake Michigan Yacht Basin Station

**Saturday, May 16, 2020** 

6:00 AM – 2:00 PM Fishing Lake Michigan
2:00 PM Weigh In Yacht Basin Station
5:30 PM Social Hour Blue Chip Casino
6:00 PM King Neptune Banquet Presention of Awards & Prizes

#### **Application**

GLSA Benefit Salmon Derby Mizpah Shriner's Unit 1015 Memorial Way Fort Wayne, IN 46805-1332 For futher information, call

Sam Winebrenner Cell – 260-229-1122 or Mizpah Shrine 260-426-4543

Name If you need a first floor room, place a mark in				
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## Calendar of Events Around Mizpah

MARCH C	ALENDAR	EVENT
Wednesday	March 2nd	Mizpah Shrine
		Stated Meeting
		Bagpipers
Thursday	March 3rd	Horse Patrol
Saturday	March 5th	Racing Shriners
		Daughter's of the Nile
		Euchre Card Party
		Yoshi Martini Tasting
Monday	March 7th	Iron Camels
Tuesday	March 8th	Class Directors
		Scottish Rite Stated
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Wednesday	warch 9th	Bagpipers
		Flying Shriners
		Kosciusko County SC Lagrange County SC
		Randolph County SC
		Daughters of the Nile
Thursday	March 10th	Vette's
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Saturday	March 12th	Hillbillies
Monday	March 14th	Car Club
í		Director's Staff
Tuesday	March 15th	Radio Unit
Wednesday	March 16th	Bagpipers
		Huntington County SC
		Pokagon SC
		Flying Shriners
		Hospital Unit
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Thursday	March 17th	Mizmur Shrine Club
Friday	March 18th March 19th	GLSA - Evening GLSA - 9am-5pm
Saturday	March 19th	GrillMasters Bourbon
		Tasting — Evening
Monday	March 21st	Yoshi
Tuesday	March 22nd	Khyber Gun Club
		Adams County SC
		Clowns
Wednesday	March 23rd	Samsar
Í		Bagpipers
		Eel River SC
		Hapzim
		Media Unit
		Wabash County SC
Thursday	March 24th	Whitley County SC
Saturday	March 26th	Blackford County SC
Sunday	March 27th	Daughter's of the Nile
Monday	March 28th	Installation of Officers Antique Power
Wednesday		Bagpipers
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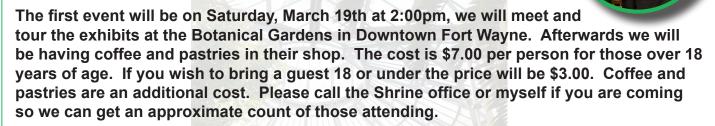
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Monday	April 4th	Iron Camels
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		Stated Meeting
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Thursday	April 7th	Horse Patrol
Saturday	April 9th	Mizpah Shrine Skate
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		Jay County SC
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		Blackford County SC
Monday	April 25th	Antique Power
Tuesday	April 26th	Khyber Gun Club
		Adams County SC
		Clowns
Wednesday	April 27th	Bagpipers
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		Eel River SC
		Hapzim
		Media Unit
		Wabash County SC
Thursday	April 28th	Whitley County SC
Saturday	April 30th	Daughters of the Nile
		Murder Mystery
		(Horse Ground)



### Potentate's Lady's Message ...

#### Greetings,

I want to thank everyone for all the encouragement, support, and guidance. It's really appreciated and helpful. I am trying to schedule some things for our family of Shrine Ladies. I hope that many of you ladies will be able to join us.



#### **Future Dates:**

Thursday, March 10th at 6:30pm – Travel Leaders presentation for the Potentate's
Trip to the Dominican Republic will be held at the Mizpah Shrine Center
Saturday, May 14th at 1:00pm – Ladies luncheon at the Mizpah Shrine Center. The
gentlemen will be in charge of serving us
Saturday, June 25th – Potentate's Ball at the Mizpah Shrine Center
Saturday, August 13th – Past Potentate's Ladies Luncheon

Please watch the Mizpah Facebook page for updates. I am trying to organize some one-day bus trips. I hope you will be able to join us for those and other things.

Thank you for your support with this year's Ladies Project. The more we can encourage people to add us to their Kroger app, the more money Kroger's will "GIVE" our transportation fund. Feel free to call me at anytime 260-355-9764. Looking forward to spending time with all of you this coming year.

Connie

# Save The Dates!! Etna Acres Benefit Golf Outing — June 15<sup>th</sup> Mizpah Shrine Golf Outing — June 29<sup>th</sup>



(more information to follow)



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#### **2022 ANNIVERSARY TALKING POINTS**





#### **Shriners International**

- In 2022, the Shriners International fraternity and the Shriners Hospitals for Children health care system celebrate major milestones.
- Shriners International is celebrating the 150th anniversary of its founding, which was on September 26, 1872.
- Shriners Hospitals for Children is celebrating the 100th anniversary of its founding, on September 16, 1922.
- Shriners International was founded in New York City in 1872 by a group of fun-loving Masons. Master Masons are eligible for membership in the organization, which is based on the fundamentals of Masonry but with the added elements of fun and fellowship.
- Created by Walter M. Fleming, M.D., and actor William J. "Billy" Florence using a Near-east theme that was in vogue at the time, the fraternity was originally named the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. It still uses Near-eastern symbols, most distinctively the red fez.
- Now known as Shriners International, the fraternity has nearly 200,000 members, and Shriners can be found on six continents. Shriners are known for their good humor, and they love spending time with others who share their interests, whether it be performing in parades or bands, connecting via Zoom for a technology unit or getting together to ride motorcycles, make barbecue or craft beer. The bond of brotherhood that Shriners enjoy also helps them develop personal and professional skills such as communications and leadership.
- In addition to fun and fellowship, Shriners value serving their communities in ways large and small. From hosting charity events to volunteering their time to supporting their official philanthropy, the red-fezzed Shriners are among the most generous and caring men you will ever meet.

#### **Shriners Hospitals for Children**

- Members of Shriners International have always shared a common desire to help those in need. Even in the earliest years of the fraternity, nobles aided victims of catastrophic events and served those less fortunate in their local communities, exhibiting a generous spirit beyond the group's mission of fun and fellowship.
- In the late 1910s, Shriners International took steps to formalize a philanthropic endeavor members could call their own. In 1922, the first Shriners Hospitals for Children opened, in Shreveport, Louisiana, to serve children with orthopedic conditions, particularly those caused by the polio epidemic happening at the time.
- What began as a single hospital is now a unique health care system with locations across the United States, as well as in Mexico and Canada. Outreach programs help the system reach children around the world.
- Today, the health care system, often known as Shriners Children's, offers care for a range of orthopedic issues, as well as care for burn injuries, craniofacial conditions, spine care and spinal cord injuries, colorectal and gastrointestinal care, and sports medicine. Our experienced, innovative and dedicated teams work together to provide treatment to help each patient meet their goals and reach their full potential.
- Since 1922, Shriners Hospitals for Children has improved the lives of more than 1.5 million children.
- The health care system's three-part mission has one goal: to change and improve lives. We do this by caring for our patients, conducting research to gain knowledge and develop new treatments, and providing educational opportunities for physicians and other health care professionals.
- The health care professionals of Shriners Hospitals for Children have been responsible for many pioneering treatments over the years, including, but not limited to, innovative treatment for burn injuries, rehabilitative care of kids with spinal cord injuries and new treatments for scoliosis (curvature of the spine) such as vertebral body tethering.
- 👔 Shriners Hospitals for Children looks forward to its next 100 years of caring for children and their families.



### Horse Patrol ...

Burr is it cold out! I would like to thank all hp members that came out to help park buses it was sure cold that morning we parked 150 or so buses and sent in near 6000 excited kids. Few of us stayed around and hung out at the temple and enjoyed refreshments before returning back to the circus to open up the Friday night show and presenting the military and unit flags. The horse patrol looked very good on stage with 12 members, it made the Horse Patrol look pretty sharp. Big thanks guys.

I would like to announce the spring fling date, April 8th tickets will be on sale, ask a hp member for one. It's always a great time to hang out and relax.

Remodeling on the bathrooms has begun, to make them handicap acceptable. They sure needed it. What a great job guys! Thanks to all who have come out and helped.

A few of the gang are going out to Minnesota in March for imperial hp mid-winter meeting.

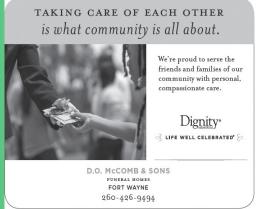
It's that time again to start prepping up for our 68th annual horse show. If u would like to donate or put an ad in this year's program book, please ask a hp member, ads range from 25.00 to 1000.00 sponsor.

The new LED sign will be going up when spring rolls in.

We have got a fun committee started and they have started a card game fun night every 3rd Thursday night of the month Starting at 6pm.

Everything is pretty quiet for the horses right now. Some of the members have talked about doing a good Friday trail ride. Everyone is just waiting for warmer weather to get started with practices.



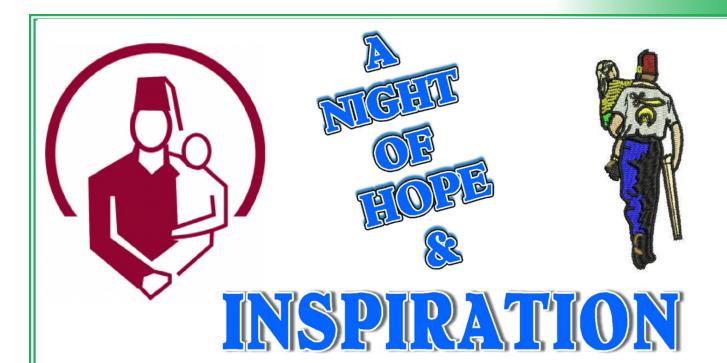




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Please be our "Honored" guest for dinner on,
April 23, 2022
at the Mizpah Shrine Center
1015 Memorial Way, Fort Wayne, Indiana

Come hear the inspiration story of hope from our Shriners Hospitals kids and families

The Mizpah Shriners are inviting the public, nobles, and their families to this night of Hope and Inspiration. The Shriners Hospitals are for children, and our kids and families will remind everyone why our Shriners do what they do.

Buffet Dinner begins at 5:00 pm Presentations at 7:00 pm Please RSVP to 260-426-4543 by April 9th.



### **Club and Unit Fundraising**

With spring just around the corner. Do you have your fundraiser planned for the year? If you feel yours has lost some of its luster and you want to try something new. There are resources out there with new ideas. Mizpah has been a member of the Shrine Fundraising Association for many years. This allows every Noble access to SFA's web site, <a href="https://www.shrinefundraising.com">www.shrinefundraising.com</a>. To gain access it only takes a few minutes to sign up through the website above. SFA also has a Facebook page. All Mizpah members can ask to join and see what other Shrine Centers around the North America are doing to raise funds and gain new members.

If you need help with ideas or gaining access to these resources, see me at Mizpah or send me an email, POWADE60@Gmail.com.

Fraternally,

Phil Wade

Mizpah Shrine Ceremonial May 21st

Any candidates that have gone through the Cold Sands in the past couple are invited to participate

More details to follow

**C** Fellow Nobles,

2022. I can remember when the big issue was the year 2000. Everything was going to crash; nothing was going to work. 22 years later here we are. Now all the conversation is about Covid.

With all that said, the end of one year and start of a new year is a slow time for our club. We took advantage of that by taking time to spend with family and friends and thinking about the coming year.

If you are interested in joining or just learning more about the Car Club, this is the perfect time. We are already starting to work on the Car Show which will be July 16th in Lawton Park.

Our annual 'thank you' is planned for April 11th, social time 6pm, dinner at 6:30. More details to follow.

You are always welcome to drop in on our meetings (2nd Monday @ 6:30pm) there is plenty of room. You do not need to have a special interest car, just a desire to support the Shrine with a good group of people. To keep things interesting and fun, not all of our meetings are at the Shrine. When we don't have much going on we pick an off-site location (Granite City) for example and bring the ladies.

If you are not involved in supporting events like this, you miss out on a great opportunity to get to know some really great people. Yes, there is work to be done, but the relationships built while working beside good men (and ladies) far outweigh the effort invested. For those who keep saying 'I don't know who to reach out to'. I didn't know them either, I just showed up and offered to help. After doing that a couple of times, my Masonic family is larger and stronger because of it.

Don't forget to reach out to a widow or Brother that you have not seen or talked with in a while. Check in on them, make sure they are ok, maybe replace the batteries in their smoke detector or bring them lunch?

Tom Lehman

VP Car Club

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** December CHICAGO:

6 Trips, 6 Patients

#### Drivers:

Jeff Baumgarnder (2) David Ferguson Bob Harting Joel Harting Dave Roose Dennis Schebig (3) Dewey Senger (2) Jerry Willman

#### **Fort Wayne** January **CHICAGO:**

3 Trips, 5 Patients DAYTON: 1 Trip, 1 Patient

#### Drivers:

Jeff Baumgardner (2) Dennis Schebig (3) Dewey Senger (2) Jerry Willman



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# Interested in becoming a driver?

**Contact one of the Schedulers** or the Mizpah Shrine office

# TODAY!!

#### Lagrange and Lagrange and Steuben Counties

December CHICAGO:

8 Trips, 5 Patients Miles Driven: 2.714

#### Drivers:

Ray Hoover (4) Don Shively (4) Ed Tutwiler (3) Gary Soblotne (2) Jim Boss

#### Steuben **Counties** January

**CHICAGO:** 

5 Trips, 5 Patients Miles Driven: 1.674

#### **Drivers:**

Ray Hoover (5) Jay Smith (2) Richard Muntz John Wilhelm

#### Grant January

CHICAGO:

1 Trip, 1 Patient Miles Driven: 402

#### Drivers:

Roger Beck **Bob Surber** 

#### Grant

November CHICAGO:

2 Trips. 2 Patients Miles Driven: 870

#### Drivers:

Roger Beck Jeff Baumgardner **Bob Surber** 

#### Noble January CHICAGO:

6 Trips, 6 Patients Miles Driven: 1.844

#### **Noble** December CHICAGO:

7 Trips, 7 Patients Miles Driven: 1,902

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### Daughters of the Nile ...

Greetings from Daughters of the Nile,

I cannot believe that a year has passed since my Installation as the Reigning Queen of Teti Sheri Temple No. 60, Daughters of the Nile for 2021-22. It is with bittersweet memories I leave and look back on all the events and activities our Ladies of the Household held successfully during my year as Queen. I am so proud of our Members who worked tirelessly for the Children. I am ready to pass the torch to the incoming Queen, Stephanie Baker. I wish her much success and an enjoyable year.

Thank you to the Shrine and its members for the continuing support and guidance they lend to our Temple. We have enjoyed helping at various events at the Shrine and look forward to another year of supporting the Shrine's efforts in whatever way we can.

We are an amazing organization that stands united for a common cause – The Shriners Hospitals for Children®. We still had to deal with a year of COVID-19 (omicron) concerns and protocol, but we managed to accomplish so much as a united TEAM. With this in mind, I hope we can take away the POWER of a united effort for good, and to realize what an honor it is to be affiliated with like-minded individuals in the Shrine. We each have taken vows/oaths in our Initiation, and my hope is that they will be seared in the hearts and minds of us all so we will live by them.

It is my honor to have served as your Queen, and I truly appreciate the faith you had in my ability to lead this Temple, Daughters of the Nile. It is a year I will never forget.

I wish you all health, happiness, and prosperity as I bid you farewell.

Joanna M Harris Queen







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