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Please note that voting on the proposed bylaw change will take place at June Stated Meeting on June 11, 2019.

See page 6 for the proposed changes.



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In Memoriam

Lowell W. Larson

<u>Born</u> 02/10/1928 Associated 10/09/2010

Passed 03/29/2019

Schedule - 2019

May

6 TASSC / Yo-Shi

13 Clowns

20 Escorts

27 Blue Racers

June

3 Antique Cars

10 Provost Guard

17 Trail 70's / Directors Staff

24 Oriental Band

A minimum of six (6) Nobles and/or Ladies are needed for Bingo Nights by 6:45 pm. If for any reason you cannot work your scheduled time, please try to change with another Unit or Club and then notify Keith Jordan at least one week in advance of the changes.

Thank you in advance for helping with Bingo. This is one of our biggest fund raisers!

ABDALLAH OPEN MEETING

ABDALLAH SHRINE 5300 Metcalf, Overland Park, KS 66202

Open Meeting, Invite your friends May 14, 2019 7:30 PM

Doug Voss Illustrious Potentate



Bennie Smith Recorder





Open Meeting May 14, 2019

No Chefs dinner will be served at the May Open Meeting. We will have hors d'oeuvres and the bar will be open for refreshments at our social from 7pm to 7:30pm.



The POTENTATE'S MESSAGE

We had a pretty good showing for our April Rush Night event. We had 5 candidates there and 2 have already petitioned the Shrine. Great job Membership Committee. Thanks to the Chief Aide, his team, the Divan, and everyone else who helped.

I want to take the opportunity to thank all those who attended our Easter Egg Hunt last month. We had a smaller group of kids, but they sure had a good time hunting eggs. Most of them had a heaping basketful. Thanks Yoshi and Clowns for your efforts on this annual event.

Shout out to the Greeters for a great Pancake Breakfast too. They packed the house and nobody went home hungry.

I spent a day last month going to the St Louis Hospital Board of Trustees meeting with Illustrious Sir, Eldon Masters, and Noble, Bill Leonard. This is the sec-

ond time I have attended a Board Meeting and I always learn interesting things about what our Hospital is doing to help our kids. Thanks to Eldon and Bill for allowing me the opportunity to go along.

Once again, April flew by just like March did and now May is here. I look forward to the Casino Night and other things we have in store this month. I hope to see all of you there!

Thank you all for everything you do for Abdallah!

For the benefit of Abdallah, Doug Voss, Potentate

Building Our Future, Honoring Our Past Impacting Childrens Lives Forever



324.3 Special Meetings. Special meetings may be called by the Potentate at any time, but notice must be given to each member stating the business to be considered and no other business than that specified in the call may be transacted. Except, however, the Potentate may, at a Stated Meeting of the Temple, issue a call for a future special meeting for the single purpose of receiving and balloting on candidate petitions, without any further notification to the Temple Members.







Reach Out... Phone, Write, Visit! Say... **Happy Birthday Noble!**

From the Illustrious Potentate, Divan and Members of Abdallah Shriners



May 1st

Daniel Carr Frank Louk John Harris

May 3rd

Charles Sloan Jr.

May 4th

David Allison P.P. Raymond Keighley Lynn Anderson

May 5th

John Veatch

May 6th

Kevin Robinson

May 7th

Ralph Hufford Ron Stewart

May 9th

Tom Oliphant Earl Freeman

May 10th

Gregory White Kent Needham David Paddock

May 11th

Leo Hibdon Vernon Vaubel

May 12th

Clarence Merrill Jr. Dale Isreal Chris Rhynerson

May 13th

Charles Dover

May 14th

James Walker Robert Wallace Jr. Jim Leahy

May 15th

Richard Craig

May 16th

Donald Demmon

May 17th

Mark Mikulic Jeff Knodel

May 19th

Mickey Mikulan

May 20th

Jody Hines Winton Carrel Steven Nootz

May 21st

Leonard Zody

May 22nd

Brett Lovd Robert Blomquist Keith Jordan

May 23rd

Bob Lamons Ronald Atwell Wendell Sisk Jose Delgadillo

May 24th

Charles Nichols

May 25th

George Litsis Quentin Walker Michael Gordon

May 26th

Bill Hammer P.P. Mark Varble Ronnie White

May 28th

Leaman Murphy Mark Harvey David Miller Jr.

May 30th

Randall Bennett

May 31st

Phillip Smith Derek Oien Mark Hughes



Shrine Ladies Birthdays

May 4th Linda Anderton

May 9th Brenda Tuttle

May 12th

Joann Chalker

May 13th Joni Tavares

May 20th

Naomi Goodnight

May 21st

Sabra Preece

May 27th

Jeanie Horseman

May 28th Irma Jones

May 30th



Don't see your name? Call the office at 913-362-5300 and let us know your birthday. Or fill out the flyer on page 5 and drop it in the office mail slot.





Way to go Bingo Committee!!!

So far in 2019, The Bingo Committee has raised:

\$191.60

in bingo tips!

All money collected in bingo tips is deposited into the transportation fund to help aid our drivers in transporting our Shrine Patients to the Shriners Hospitals for Children!

Hey Ladies!



We are asking all Shrine Ladies to please provide their Birth Month and Day (don't need year). All the ladies birthdays for February that we have received are listed on page 4. Please call the office at 913-362-5300 or mail back this box. Thank you!

Lady's Name	
Lady's Birthday	



Ladies....

Did you know that we have a group of widows that meets for lunch once a month? This group is called They meet once a month on the 4th Tuesday at 11:30 AM, lunch follows. Reservations required.

If you are interested in coming, we would love to have you! Please call the office at 913-362-5300 for more Information.

PLAYGROUND NOTICE

All materials for *Playground* publication should be submitted to <u>playground@abdallahshrine.org</u>. Please do not send materials to any other email address, especially to a specific personal or office email. Only those materials sent to <u>playground@abdallahshrine.org</u> will be published. Electronic submissions should be in Word or Publisher format. We are not able to accept submissions via Facebook or any other social media.

Also, as a reminder, the <u>deadline</u> for submitted materials to the *Playground* is the <u>10th of the month</u>.

Please note that we will not accept any article referencing pricing for upcoming events, as we have to pay for those ads when mailing out the playgrounds. If you would like to advertise an upcoming event and the prices for that event, you will need to place an ad. You can contact the office to get the proper paper work to place that ad.

Thank you, Jerry Ogden, Editor

Abdallah Shrine Proposed By-Law Change

RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of Abdallah Shriners has adopted a resolution approving the following change to the Abdallah Shriners By-Laws and hereby notifies its members, pursuant to Imperial By-Laws, Article 31, that the change will be presented at the April 9, 2019, Temple meeting for consideration and vote of the members present on whether or not to approve the By-Law change.

Article 5.2 Dues section (a) will be changed as follows.

Article 5.2 Dues.

(a) The annual dues shall be determined at a stated or special meeting of the temple after notice has been given to each member stating the proposed amount of the annual dues and shall be paid in advance prior to January 1st of each year either by cash, check or acceptable credit card. The annual dues shall not be less than prescribed by the bylaws of Shriners International. The annual dues do not include the hospital levy, or the annual per capita tax required by the bylaws of Shriners International, each of which shall be added to the annual dues. This temple may, by affirmative vote, remit dues of a member for good cause shown either to the temple or a committee selected for that purpose.

Article 7.3 Finance Advisory Committee and 7.4. Investment Advisory Committees will be changed and consolidated into a single committee. Article 7.4 will be eliminated.

New Article 7.3 Finance and Investment Advisory Committee. Abdallah Shriners shall have a Finance and Investment Advisory Committee.

Composition. It shall consist of five (5) at-large members of this temple. One of the five at-large members are to be elected each year at the annual meeting for a term of five years.

Duties. It shall:

- 1. Analyze and make recommendations as to the financial affairs of the temple.
- 2. Examine the proposed major financial obligations and expenditures before such obligations or expenditures are incurred or made.
- 3. Review all necessary current expenses.
- 4. Examine whether any officer, department, committee, organization, unit or individual having authority incurs expenditures that exceed the appropriations set out in the budget.
- 5. Examine the system under which the financial affairs of the temple, and every subordinate body thereof, are administered and make such recommendations from time to time as may be deemed for the good of the temple or any subordinate body thereof.
- 6. Review any bill for travel, hotel or entertainment expense of any officer or representative to determine if it is reasonable and necessary and within the budget.
- 7. Have access to all financial books, papers and accounts of the officers and review them on a periodic basis and recommend certified public accountants for examination and audit.
- 8. Review the financial institutions in which the funds and investments of the temple are to be, or already are, deposited and/ or invested.
- 9. Analyze and make recommendations as to the financial long-term investments of the temple in accordance with the Abdallah Shriners Investment Policy.
- 10. Review and recommend changes to the Abdallah Shriners Investment Policy as investment goals change.
- 11. Evaluate the proper coverage and limits of the bonds for the treasurer and recorder and any other officers required to be bonded.

Reports. This committee shall issue its findings, recommendations and reports to the board of directors of this temple on a quarterly basis or more often as directed by the Potentate.

Quorum. Three members of this committee shall constitute a quorum for transaction of business.

may 2019 ABDALLAH PLAYGROUND



By Gary Folk

Riding season is now upon us, so please watch out for motorcycles. We had a great trip to Williamsburg to eat at Guy and Mae's (even if we had to use our cars due to bad weather). The food was wonderful and for those who had sandwiches (instead of ribs), they were huge with enough left over for a second meal.

Everyone should say hello to our new member, Shawn Cardin, who will be a big boast to the Unit.

April was full of events, but we are managed to squeeze in a lunch ride to Pittsburg to one of the famous chicken places there on April 28th with a side trip to see Big Brutus after lunch.

We will have more info on our upcoming trip in June to Hannibal (the city of Hannibal has mailed us a packet of info on places to stay and see).

We can't wait for the Clowns/Hawgs Annual Luau on May 18th. It seems to get bigger and better each year. Again this year, there will be a live band performing for your entertainment. See any Clown member or a Hawg Rider for tickets.



By: Pat Emmett

The Antique and Classic Cars Unit hit the ground running in April. We continue to sell candy on Bingo nights at the Shrine as a moneymaker for our Annual Christmas Holiday Party. As the weather continued to improve, we also lined up some dates to begin working bucket donations at Walmart at 135th and Blackbob in Olathe. Finally, we agreed to pick up our onion order when it arrives in May and will plan to sell onions at the Olathe Farmers Markets. Our members committed to attending the Rush Night in order to meet and greet potential Shrine candidates.

Any Shriner can collect donations in buckets, at any location you have permission to stand in front of. Please contact Pat Emmett at 913-648-5375 and ask for the bucket, sign, and tripod. He has them at his house in Overland Park. You will turn the money in to The Shrine Office and return the buckets and signs to Pat.

We had one parade in Mclouth, KS during April. Our next parade will be on June 1st in Shawnee with all of us hoping that they get the streets fixed-up by then. Our Unit has two months of busy work and then, we can cruise (in our cars of course) through the remainder of the year. If you enjoy cars, we are a fun group that would like to see you and your vehicle.

Don't forget, Shrine Bowl comes early this year. It will be in Dodge City, KS. This should make for a fun road trip for our Unit. So, round-up your vehicle and join us by parading with the Antique and Classic Cars Unit in the Shrine Bowl Parade. You do not have to be a member, but you do have to notify the President, Pat Emmett, that you plan to join us. Call 913-648-5375.

During April, our Unit members celebrated Passover and Easter, reminding us that we wish blessings on every reader of this article. Take the time to find something in common with someone else. Who knows, you might make a new friend. Do not focus on your differences and definitely do not use disparaging language against your fellow Shriners. We are all brothers in our great fraternal charity. We By Erik Kittrell spread good work, not fear and hate.



By: Andy Mosley

The Roadster Unit is still alive and kicking. You will start to see more of us soon. We are continuing to work on our cars for the upcoming parade season as well as other events in the works. Especially be on the look out for our totally RAD 80'S Night Party in the Oasis coming May 24th, more details on page 10. Would love to see other brothers come and

check out our monthly meetings. We meet the third Wednesday.



"THE LAUGH" By: Mickey Mikulan

Plans are already being formulated for the 2019 INFAMOUS JOKERS, ALL YOU CAN EAT or CARE TO EAT SHRIMP DINNER! Additional information will be forth coming in future issues of The Playground!

The JOKERS NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING is TUESDAY. April 23, 2019 (the fourth (4th) Tuesday of the month) at 6 P.M. Social Hour commences at 6:00 PM and continues until 6:30 PM. Regularly scheduled monthly meeting starts at 6:30 PM. Come have a drink and share your humor!

There is No GREATER WISDOM than **KINDNESS**



Your APG Pistol Team will be meeting at The Bullet Hole for informal target practice at 5:00 PM prior to the monthly Provost Guard meeting. I am hearing that we may soon be meeting at Noble Ralph Anderton's humble abode (I hope this occurs sooner rather than later). Contact Team Captain Larry Riggs at APG, E-Mail Address: apguard2015@gmail.com for additional details.

Feel free to ask any one of us about our Club and please feel free to join us, we are always open to accept new memberships!!

Your APG MEETS the FIRST Tuesday of the month at 7:00 PM



By: Mystery Writer

This writer is so happy to see the sun and warmer weather. Hope you all have a lot of fun plans for this summer. Don't forget the parades.

We had 27 people turn out at Jumpin' Catfish. Always so much fun to get together with this Unit. The weather even cooperated. Thanks to Chris Zugelder, our Divan Rep., for coming. Jerry Nibarger thanks all the Tin Lizzies for attending his father's funeral. He told us his father loved the Shrine and the Tin Lizzies.

The Tin Lizzies presented 2 certificates for the 100 Million Dollar Club in the memories of Ray Swearengin and Dan Nibarger at their March meeting. Those of us that went to the Mandarin Degree had a great time and lots of good food.

There were a number of Tin Lizzies and Lizziettes that went to the Spring Hill Fish Fry. Plenty of food and fun conversations. This is always an enjoyable evening.

Didn't have many Birthdays in April but Birthday Friday was a fun evening. Always is! Come to the May 3rd Birthday Friday in the Oasis. You won't be sorry.

Don't forget Temple Clean Up Day is May 11th. They always can use your help, both men and women are needed.

We still have a few that have not paid their dues.

HAPPY MOTHERS DAY!

May Birthdays:
Kevin Robinson 5-6
Naomi Goodnight 5-20
Jeanie Horseman 5-27

Irma Jones 5-28 Kevin Robinson 5-6

May Anniversaries:

Eric & Barbara Foster 5-20 Scott & Chari Robinson 5-24 The Tin Lizzies and Lizziettes send our deepest condolence to the Horseman's on the death of Jeanie's sister, Ellie. She will be missed.



By: Ken Holliday

We did it!!!

We survived the snow and freezing temperatures and made it to another riding season. For some, that may not mean much, but for those of us that are of a certain age, it is a victory.

Our first order of business is to welcome Chris Robertson and his lovely Lady, Paula Luna, to the Escorts. We look forward to a mutually satisfying relationship and hope to put Chris' many skills to use. The Ladies are also looking forward to another tireless and very nice friend and helper.

The black camel invaded our Unit this month. Ralph Anderton's mother passed after a difficult couple of years. We extend our heartfelt condolences to Ralph and Linda Anderton.

We also want to extend our most heartfelt condolences to Illustrious Sir Kevin Larson and his Lady, Carolyn, for the loss of his father. I am sure many of you remember him from his cruise or several visits to Abdallah. He was also an associate member of Abdallah, so we lost another Noble.

At this writing, I don't have information on our mystery ride in May, so I guess we can agree it is truly a mystery!

Illustrious Sir Kevin is still open to riders to join his extremely well-planned trip to Wisconsin, leaving July 21st and returning July 27th. It is a beautiful country with a lot of options for rides and other experiences. Talk to Kevin if you are interested.

Building Managers

By: Ken Holliday

You may know them as Building Managers, but what we really do is host a variety of events at Abdallah. For most outside people, the Building Manager may be the only Shriner they ever encounter, so we are very much Abdallah's representatives in multiple ways.

Building Managers duties include:

- Making sure that our property is respected and people follow reasonable rules to assure same.
- Helping our renters by opening and closing at specified times to accommodate their set up and take down needs, as well as their vendors, such as caterers. We then monitor the vendors to see that our facility is left in proper and cleaned condition.
- We set temperatures and make sure the lobby and bathrooms are clean and appropriately stocked.
- We also maintain a loose control of consumption by assuring that bartenders are focused on responsible drinking for guests as well as observing guests. We change out beer kegs as needed and assure the bartenders have the supplies contracted for
- In rare cases we may administer first aid and if necessary, call 911.
- We also perform some security functions, such as overseeing the parking lot and the various rented spaces.

Why do we need more Building Managers? Nichole has done an amazing job of renting our facility. Our revenues have ballooned over the last few years, and now include the Unity Church renting almost every Sunday. A few more people on the Building Manager group will reduce the requirements for everyone. You can fit your schedule into our rental requirements. You could even become a stand by in the event of an unplanned function or sickness by a scheduled manager. If you will promise to help, we will try to make it work. Building rental income is fast becoming a major source of revenue that may exceed the Rodeo and Bingo, but only if we work together to keep it from becoming too stressful for the workers. Please consider helping.



Abdallah Greeters

"A handshake is all it takes to meet, greet, and make friends..."



By: Sean Orner

"The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others."

The Greeters would like to say thank you to everybody that supported our Pancake Breakfast on April 13th. It was a huge success.

Thank you to all the Greeters that came out to help make this wonderful morning happen.

Thank you to all Divan members that helped as well.

Don't forget we have onion sales coming up and need as much support as possible. Also, there are quite a few events our Shrine needs our support with. "If you are brave enough to say goodbye, life will reward you with a new hello" un-known

Thank you!! Thank you!!

We would like to thank the following for donating to sponsor players at our 2019 Kansas Shrine Bowl:

The Abdallah Social Society, The Blue Racers & Ladies, The Antique & Classic Cars, The Provost Guard, The Jokers, The Clowns, Securitas Security Services, The 500's, The Divan, The Tin Lizzies & Lizziettes, The Escorts, The Greeters, The Louisburg Shrine Club, Lecompton Masonic Lodge #420, The Oriental Band & Ladies, The Divan Ladies, Franklin County Shrine Club, Yo-Shi, Lady Escorts, Red Zone Committee, Johnny's Tavern, The Cabiri, Allen & Jackie Baiamonte, and Larry & Stephanie Tatum.

Please keep the following Nobles,
Ladies, and anyone else we may have missed in your thoughts and prayers as they recover:

Weldy Family, Larson Family, Anderton Family and any others we may have missed.

Thank you!! Thank you!!

Thanks to all of the Shrine Family for remembering Bob in such a beautiful way. The Shrine was really quite special to Bob and seeing the work with the children at the hospitals. Keep up the good work as there will always be a need in the future generations.

The Brown Family

Thank you!! Thank you!!!!

Thanks so much for the cards and calls after my recent fall. Love my Shrine family!

Vi Wilard

Thank you!! Thank you!!!!

We would like to thank everyone for their expressions of sympathy, cards and prayers following my Fathers fall and subsequent death. We especially want to thank those who attended the visitation and funeral, the Masons who participated in the Masonic Ceremony lead by Jim Dale Swearengin and Jerry Ogden reciting the "Old Red Fez".

Linda and Don Best, P. P.

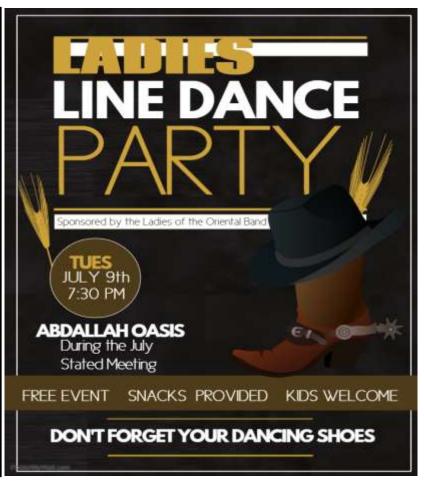
Thank you!! Thank You!!

We would like to thank James & Loretta Morton for their monthly donation of \$100 to our Transportation Fund. Thank you so much for continuing to donate monthly to help transport our patients!









NOMADS 2019 GOLF SCHEDULE

Ken Courtney 913-334-0817 or cell 913-205-9813

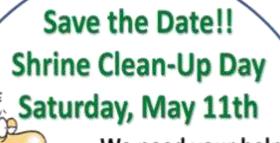
Date	Course	Time		\$\$	Phone	Contact	Date
NOTE: All playing da		Thurs	day	- EX	CEPT AS NO	TED	
May 2, 2019	Royal Meadows	9:00	М	35	816-353-1323	John	3/17/2019
May 10, 2019 - Fri	Heritage Park	9:00	В	27	913-829-4653	Rob	3/14/2019
May 16, 2019	Falcon Lakes	9:00	C	37	913-724-4653	John	3/15/2019
May 23, 2019	Tomahawk Hills	9:00	C	27	913-631-8000	Jay	3/12/2019
May 30, 2019	Eagle's Landing	9:00	C	29	816-318-0004	Jay	3/19/2019
June 6, 2019	Minor Park	9:00	s	30	816-513-8515	Carter	3/12/2019
June 13, 2019	Sunflower Hills	9:00	М	31	913-573-8570	Jeff	3/17/2019
June 20, 2019	Tomahawk Hills	8:30	C	27	913-631-8000	Jay	3/16/2019
June 27, 2019	Teetering Rocks	8:30	В	30	816-356-1111	Taylor	3/19/2019
July 11, 2019	Falcon Lakes	8:30	C	37	913-724-4653	John	3/15/2019
July 18, 2019	Royal Meadows	8:30	М	35	816-353-1323	John	3/17/2019
July 25, 2019	Dub's Dread	10:00	C	32	913-721-1333	Alec	3/12/2019
August 1, 2019	Painted Hills	9:30	C	30	913-334-1111	Dave	3/12/2019
August 8, 2019	Falcon Lakes	8:30	C	37	913-724-4653	John	3/15/2019
August 15, 2019	Dub's Dread	10:00	C	32	913-721-1333	Alec	3/12/2019
August 22, 2019	Sunflower	8:30	М	31	913-573-8570	Jeff	3/17/2019
August 29, 2019	Minor Park	8:30	S	30	816-513-8515	Carter	3/12/2019
September 5, 2019	Teetering Rocks	9:00	В	30	816-356-1111	Taylor	3/15/2019
September 12, 2019	Falcon Lakes	9:00	C	37	913-724-4653	John	3/15/2019
September 19, 2019	Tomahawk Hills	9:00	Č	27	913-631-8000	Jay	3/12/2019
September 26, 2019	Minor Park	9:00	S	30	816-513-8515	Carter	3/14/2019
October 3, 2019	Eagle's Landing	9:00	С	29	816-318-0004	Jay	3/19/2019
October 10, 2019	Sunflower Hills	9:00	M	31	913-573-8570	Jeff	3/17/2019
October 11, 2019 - Friday	Nomad's Banquet	6:00 PM	Main	Meetin	g Room @ Temp	ole 913-334-0	0817

2019 (Tentative) Upcoming Parade Dates

6/1	Old Shawnee- Shawnee	8/24	Tiblow Days- Bonner Springs
6/8	Shrine Bowl- Dodge City	8/31	DeSoto Days- DeSoto
6/29	OZ Lights- Osawatomie	9/28	Fall Festival- Overland Park
7/4	Community Days- Lenexa	9/28	Fall Festival- Spring Hill
7/9	John Brown- Horton	10/26	Halloween- Atchison
7/24	Miami County- Paola	10/31	Halloween- Hiawatha
7/30	Leavenworth County	11/9	Veterans- Ottawa
8/3	Johnson County - Gardner	11/9	Veterans- Lawrence
	j	11/11	Veterans- Leavenworth
		12/14	Holiday- Ottawa



Look for "Abdallah Shrine Parade Page" on Facebook to keep you up to date on all information on upcoming parades.



We need your help getting in shape for our Summer events!

We will start at 8am Lunch served at Noon

Job list and tools needed will be sent out at a later date



Rodeo Buckets:

It is that time of year again! Buckets are a wonderful way to get out into the community and raise money for the Rodeo & Demolition Derby. We also pay every Noble or Lady a 10% Shrine Credit on any amount collected.

All of our signs and buckets are currently being held by Pat Emmett. In order to check out either buckets or signs, we need to have everyone sign a check out form. To get these items checked out, please contact Pat Emmett at 913-648-5375.

Lets make this our best Rodeo & Demo Derby yet!



Need another great reason to come to Stated Meetings? Abdallah Shrine is starting a 50/50 raffle at each Stated Meeting. Half of the pot will go to the winner and the other half will go towards the next months pot! The pot will grow every month and the payout will be higher and higher! Be sure to come to Stated Meetings as you don't want to miss this!





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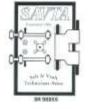
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We need your Help!

Bingo is Abdallah's biggest fundraiser and the Committee could use your help!

The Abdallah Bingo Committee could use your help as we are in need of several new Money Collectors and people to verify winners. If you would like to help out and join the committee please call:

The Temple Office at 913-362-5300

The Bingo Committee could use 3-4 full time Bingo Workers from 5:00-9:30 PM.

With the pots getting bigger we need even more help! If you can come help, please do!



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Attention:

Units & Clubs: Now is the time to be booking the Abdallah Hall and the Nobles Activity Room for your 2019 & 2020 Events & Activities! Don't wait until it's too late to get the dates you want!





of these 50 Guns & 10 Sportsmen's Items for a \$20 donation!

Winners will be drawn & notified on Saturday, September 7, 2019
As a name is drawn as a winner, it is returned back into the drawing for

a chance to win multiple prizes!

- 1. Smith and Wesson Model 642 38 special revolver
- 2. Browning BAR III 308CAL
- 3. Mossberg Silver Reserve II O/U 20GA
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- 6. Ascend 8 man Eclipse Tent
- 7. Taurus Magnum Judge 45/410 cal
- 8. Smith and Wesson M&P 15 SPORT 22 LR
- 9. Remington 783 scope combo 308 cal
- 10. Beretta A300 Outlander camo 12ga
- 11. Cabelas Polar Cap Cooler (Like a Yeti)
- 12. Charter Arms Pink lady 38 special revolver
- 13. Bersa Thunder 380 cal semi auto
- 14. Browning A-Bolt III micro stalker 243cal
- 15. Benelli Nova pump 12ga
- 16. Red Head 14 Gun Safe
- 17. Savage Rascal youth 22 LR
- 18. Remington 597 scope combo 22 LR
- 19. Marlin 336w with scope
- 20. Thompson center TCR Custom 22 LR
- 21. Beretta Pico 380 cal semi auto
- 22. Smith and Wesson M&P 15 sport 556cal
- 23. Browning Buckmark 22Ir semi auto
- 24. FN FNS 40 CAL Compact semi auto
- 25. Savage Axis scope combo camo 270win
- 26. Savage 93r17 scope combo 17hmr
- 27. Bass Pro Pro Quali ier 2 Baitcasting Combo
- 28. Stevens 555 O/U 12GA
- 29. Cabelas 5 Tray Dehydrator
- 30. Glock 43 9mm semi auto
- 31. Savage Axis XP Scope combo 6.5 creedmore cal
- 32. RedHead Intrigue Bow Package
- 33. Glock 23 40cal semi auto
- 34. Remington 1911 R1 SS 45acp
- 35. Thompson Center Compass 30/06 cal
- 36. Henry classic lever action 22 LR
- 37. API 17' Steel Ladderstand
- 38. Benelli Nova pump camo 12ga
- 39. Ascend 10' Fishing Kayak
- 40. Remington RP9MM semi auto
- 41. Mossberg Maveric 88 pump 12ga

- 42. Ruger Mark IV 22Ir semi auto
- 43. Winchester SXP Waterfowl camo 12ga
- 44. Ruger Charger 22Ir semi auto
- 45. Ruger EC9S 9mm semi auto
- 46. SCCY CPX 9mm semi auto
- 47. Taurus Curve 180 380acp with laser
- 48. Mossberg Maveric 88 Home Defense 8 shot 12ga
- 49. Taurus PT1911 45acp semi auto
- 50. Remington 700 ADL scope combo 243cal
- 51. Blackout x77 Ground Blind
- 52. Stoeger P3000 Home Defense Pistol grip 12ga
- 53. Ruger SR 1911 45acp semi auto
- 54. New England arms pump 20ga
- 55. Springfield XD9 Kit 9mm semi auto
- 56. Remington 870 youth pump 20ga
- 57. Springfield XDS FDE 9mm
- 58. Mossberg 500 wood 12ga
- 59. Smith and Wesson M2.0 FOE 9MM semi auto
- 60. Benelli Nova pump 12ga



Rules of Engagement:

- 1. All Local, State, and Federal Laws will be adhered to.
- 2. Must be 21 years of age to purchase ticket.
- 3. If a prize is substituted, the value will be equal to the purchased price.
- 4. Need not be present to win.
- 5. All firearms issued by Bass Pro Shops.
- 6. Photo ID will be required to take possession of prizes.
- All guns won from the 2019 Raffle MUST be picked up no later than 12/31/2019. We will ship to a FFL Dealer for transfer for those persons out of the area.

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Thank you for Your Support

All names will be published as Playground Supporters in following issues of 2019.

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Upcoming Passport Events:

Starting in 2019, Abdallah is issuing 'Passports' to New Nobles that were initiated in 2017, 2018, and 2019, to become familiar with Abdallah and earn some great prizes. This passport will be issued to those Nobles new to Abdallah and should be carried by them to each function, so that they can have each event they attend validated. In addition, this program will also benefit Units and Clubs as it will help introduce you to those New Nobles. Each month, we will list the events available for 'Passport' validation. Most events are listed in the 'Passport' but some NEW events may be added. Parades have been added but only tentatively, as we may not chose the parade to attend. This will be due partly to the local jurisdiction.

May, 3 2019 May Birthday Friday
May 4, 2019 Rodeo Wild West Casino Night
May 14, 2019 May Open Meeting
May 15, 2019 VIP Dinner in Oasis
May 17, 2019 Nobles St. Louis Hospital Trip
May 18, 2019 Yoshi Golf Tournament
May 18, 2019 Clown & Hawg Riders Luau
June 1, 2019 Tin Lizzies Crappie Tournament

I AM RU Updater

I am sure everyone has heard each year that Abdallah receives an award based on the number of New Nobles or restored Nobles. That number is calculated from Imperial Session to Imperial Session, not fiscal year. The last few years we have received the Bronze Award. The Bronze Award is given to a Temple that shows overall improvement of less than two percent from the previous year. We can do

We are currently at 13 New Nobles of our goal of 25.

better!

Tools for Recruitment

Referrals just got easier!!
Go To: https://webfez.shrinenet.org
(Login page for WebFez) do not need to log in, logo is on home page.

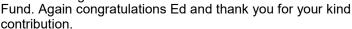
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MEMBERSHIP

Some great changes are coming to Membership Committee Meetings, you will have to come to the meetings to find out! Remember that each Unit/Cub should have a representative. We meet the fourth Wednesday of each month, check the websites/Facebook each month for possible date changes.

Congratulations Ed Harvey! Ed won the April 50/50 Drawing of \$82 and donated his winnings back to the General



The RUSH Event had 5 participants. All were having a good time when I left as many were headed for a late morning getting out of bed. I think we had another successful event. We shortened the presentation and filled in more about the Shrine. I think everyone was pleased. The next RUSH event is July 19th. Be in the process now of thinking of who you can bring.

Feeling a void at the end of the month without Rodeo? Membership May meeting is May 22nd. We have a lot going on this time of year and we could use some helping bodies. Each Unit and Club should have a representative attend. You could be that lucky one!!!

All members of Abdallah are part of the NEW Membership Committee. Your two cents are worth more than you give them credit.

Potes Input on Membership

Passport contestants: LISTEN UP! We will be presenting our 1st Passport Award at the Open Meeting on May 14th. Don't miss this opportunity to see who has been working the hardest to fill his Passport Book.

Who Will it Be?

Meet the Genters

Greetings, I'm Earl "Buzzy the Clown" Genter and I've been a Shriner since 2007. I became a Freemason in 2006, with the intent of finding a way to do meaningful charity by way of becoming a Shriner. My Lady, Marion, and I have always made financial contributions to charitable organizations, but we were looking to do something more, and finding Freemasonry and the Shrine was a calling for us.

Marion and I were married in 1982, following a five month whirlwind romance while I was stationed in Germany as a US Army Military Policeman. Marion was born in Germany and is now a Naturalized US Citizen. Trust me when I tell you that you could not find a more Patriotic citizen. We were not blessed to have children, but we have been married for nearly 38 years. Our children have always been the many dogs we have had the blessed pleasure of owning through the years. We currently have two, Charlie, a five year old 95 pound male German Shepard/ Grey Hound Mix and Daisy, my little 20 pound 2 year old Baby Girl who is a Jack Russell/ Beagle mix. They truly are our "children" and we couldn't love them more if they were actually were kids.

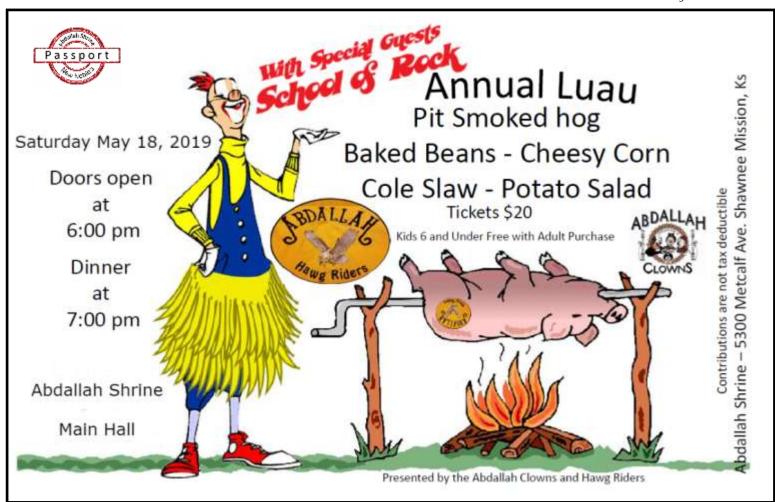
We were members of Abdallah Shrine from 2007 until 2014, when I was was promoted to Supervisory Lieutenant in the Federal Bureau of Prisons. Along with the Promotion came a transfer to Victorville, California where I served until my retirement in January 2016. We were members of the Apple Valley Shrine Club of the Al Malaikah Shrine while assigned there, but we missed our many friends, and really family, as well as the Brotherhood and camaraderie of Abdallah Shrine. In November 2018, we sold our home and returned to Kansas and now live in Leavenworth.

I am retired from the US Army and the Federal Bureau of Prisons. Marion is retired from the Armed Forces Bank. I enjoy fishing, hiking, and generally "Clowning Around". One of the very first things that happened upon my return to Kansas was that I was appointed as the Director of the Abdallah Shrine Clown Unit. We really have a great Unit and we are looking for a couple more good Nobles to join us. I am a Ritualist and enjoy doing the work of the Blue Lodge as well as the Shrine. Currently I have been tasked with reconstituting our Ritualistic Divan and I am looking forward to having a few more Nobles come and join me in this endeavor.



Marion enjoys shopping, shopping, shopping and did I mention shopping, cooking and taking care of the "Kids". We've made a ton of friends here in Kansas over the years and are really looking forward to what our second stint here in Kansas has to bring to us. Most of all we are looking forward to once again being active members of the Abdallah Shrine.











The Oriental Band was the Unit with the most members in Unit Uniform at the April Stated Meeting.







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Not limited to just Shriners – bring your coffee drinking buddies along too!

We will shoot the breeze and enjoy donuts and coffee together.

Looking forward to seeing you there!

Mickey Mikulan 913-206-6240





ST. LOUIS BUS TRIP

Join us Friday, May 17th

For a visit to the

Shriner's Hospital for Children in St. Louis, MO

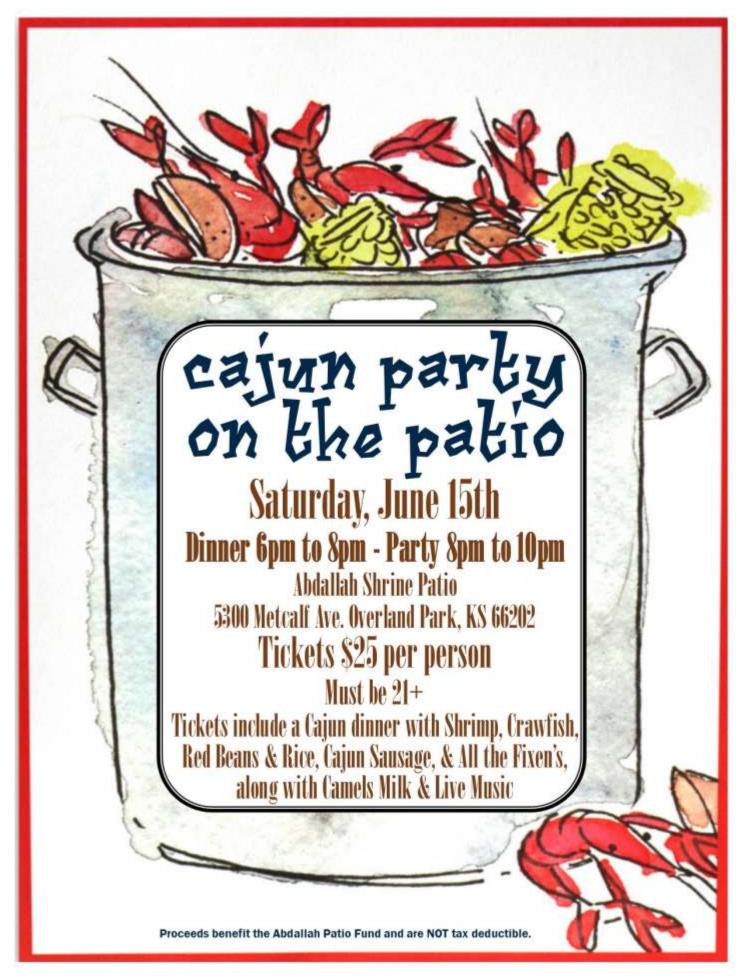
Cost is \$20 per person plus your meals You will experience a Hospital Tour & Presentation, Fellowship and Fun! Ladies are Welcome! If you are a new Noble (2017 – 2019) you and your lady can go at no charge. Call the Shrine Office to be added to the list.

Bus leaves from Abdallah at 7:30am

We will eat lunch at the hospital & stop for dinner on the way home. We will be back sometime that evening. Please call the Shrine Office 913-362-5300 to sign up and pay your \$20.

Call now to reserve your spot!





Interested in becoming a Hospital Van Driver?

For any Nobles or Ladies who are interested in being a Hospital Van Driver or are currently a Van Driver, please fill out this certification form for 2019 and send to the office along with a copy of your drivers license. Once received, you will automatically be on the calling list to volunteer for upcoming transportation trips to the St. Louis and Chicago Shrine Hospitals.



Due to insurance reasons, all drivers must be under 80 years old.

	Annual Drivers	Certification Form	
Name Driver	r Address:	Temple: Date of Birth: Phone Number:	
I,	, do hereby certify:		
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If you are a Hospital Van Driver, make sure to get your form turned into the Office by June 1st. We do need this form completed yearly. Thank you!



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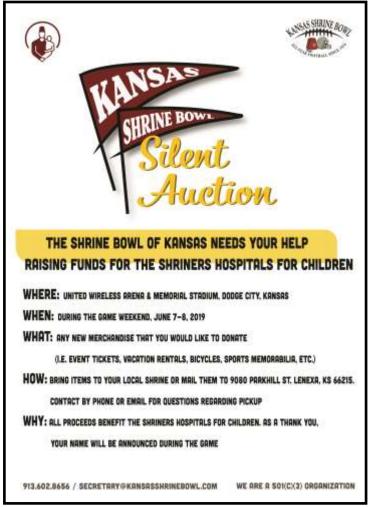


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2019 Kansas Shrine Bowl Bus Trip

June 7 – June 9, 2019

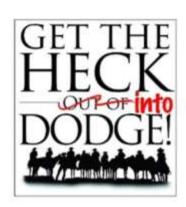
The Plan:

Depart KC:

Friday, 6/7/19, 8:00 am

Depart Dodge City:

Sunday, 6/9/19 9:00 am



Group Transportation to events:

Shrine Bowl Banquet, Friday 6/7/19 Shrine Bowl Parade & Game, Saturday, 6/8/19

Hotel:

(2) nights based on double occupancy

Events:

- (2) Shrine Bowl Banquet tickets
- (2) Shrine Bowl game tickets

Contact Shrine Office, (913) 362-5300, by April 19 if interested!

Estimated Cost:

\$560-\$660 per couple (no meals); \$460-\$560 individual Based on 50 persons going!

2019 KANSAS SHRINE BOWL HOTEL/MOTEL LISTING



Participants will be housed in Dodge City through Friday night, June 7th

We are proving you a list of Dodge City hotels for your convenience. Making early reservations is the best way to insure a room for the Kansas Shrine Bowl and events June 7th & 8th. Please let the hotel know you are with the Kansas Shrine Bowl, as some of the hotels are offering special rates.

Hotel	Address	Telephone	Single	Double
Best Western North Edge Inn	404 W. Frontview St.	620-371-6441	-	\$ 119.99
Comfort Suites	2700 W. Wyatt Earp Blvd.	620-801-4500	\$ 99.00	\$ 99.00
Hampton Inn & Suites	4002 W. Comanche St.	620-225-0000	-	\$ 129.00
Motel 6	1610 W. Wyatt Earp Blvd.	620-225-0231	-	\$ 69.00
Nendels	2523 E. Wyatt Earp Blvd.	620-225-3000	\$ 52.00	\$ 62.00
Regency Inn	2110 E. Wyatt Earp Blvd.	620-225-2654	-	\$ 69.99
Super 8	1708 W. Wyatt Earp Blvd.	620-225-3924	-	\$ 70.00
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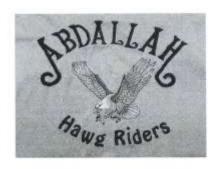
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Mark Twain Brewing Company

Molly Brown Birthplace



And a whole lot more!

This Road Trip is open to all.

Please RSVP by May 15th 2019 to

Dennis Miles (President) Dmm1211@live.com

Gary Folk (Vice President) garyf@kc.rr.com

Stuart Packham (Road Captain) (913) 544-1872

Motel prices and packages to be announced at a later date

Ladies!
Come to the
Stated
Meeting and
we will Play
Games....



Tuesday
June 11, 2019
7:30 pm
In the Oasis

Shriner Diners invites you to experience the food of Argentina while dining right in scenic Briarcliff, overlooking downtown KC....

Piropos Restaurant

4141 N Mulberry Dr Kansas City, MO 64116 USA

Friday, June 14, 2019

6:00 pm meet in the bar, Dine 6:30

You must RSVP to attend!

Use the Abdallah Shrine Facebook site

Or call 913-226-4420

Everyone pays their own bill. Invite Friends! All Welcome!



Join us for our



May Open Meeting



This is a completely Open Meeting. We will have hors d'oeuvres and refreshments at the bar, provided by Abdallah. Our social hour will run from 7pm-7:30pm. The meeting will begin at 7:30pm.

Feel free to bring your friends and family to this event, it is open to the public. We hope to see you there!

CSSA 2019 Sioux City, IA

Unit Competition Market Place

Wednesday, August 21st through Sunday, August 25th

Hampton Inn & Suites: 5555 Sergeant Rd, Sioux City, IA 51106

Package includes:

- CSSA Registration
- 3 Nights Hotel Lodging Price: \$540.24 Couple / \$495.24 Single
- Abdallah Shriners Hospitality Room
- Hot Breakfast

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- Abdallah Shriners Hospitality Room
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Or

• Registration only \$45 per person

More information and pricing to come regarding the add on events.

Registration & Hotel Deposit by July 17th Final Payment by August 5th

	A Registration to \$100 Deposit, to	n Form o the Abdallah Office by July 17th, 2019
Name	Lady	Unit/Club
Phone	Couple	Single
Room Preference: King	_ 2 Queen Bed	ls3 Night
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All rooms non smoking		
CSSA Registration ONLY	(No Hotel Room)	
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23rd Annual Young Shriners Golf Tournament 4-Man Scramble All playing levels welcome

Early Registration deadline is:

Postmarked by 5/3/2019 or hand delivered to a Yo-Shi member by 5/14/2019.

Tournament Information:

When: Saturday, May 18th 2019 approximately 1:00pm
Where: Painted Hills Golf Course, Kansas City, KS
Cost: \$80 per person, \$300 per team (persons signing up as an individual will be assigned to a team. Late registration will be \$85 per person or \$320 per team.

We are limiting this to 30 teams. Tournament fee includes the following: range balls, green fees, cart rental, sleeve of golf balls, and lunch. Complementary beverages (beer, water, soft drinks) will be provided on the course and with lunch, 1 ticket for random prize drawings.

Additional prize tickets will be for sale prior to tee off and right before prize drawings after lunch. 1-\$1 or 6-\$5. Mulligans will also be available for purchase prior to tee off 2-\$5 no limit.

The tournament is open to Nobles, their Ladies, and friends or quests of Shriners.

Mail Entries to:

Yo-Shi 5300 Metcalf Ave Overland Park, KS 66202

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Registration Entry Fo	rm
☐ Individual	Team
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Email or Phone conta	act (Team Captain/Indv only)
Payment in full shoul entry form. Make checks payable	ld be submitted with this
\$80per golfer \$300 per team	Total Fees due:
Late registration will	l be \$85 and/or \$320



Abdallah Shriners—Oriental Band

Texas Hold'em

Downstairs in the Oasis!!! 5300 Metcalf Ave, Overland Park, KS 66202

Date: Friday, May 10, 2019

Jime: 7:00pm

Sign up begins at 6:30pm

Prizes will be paid based on player

Turnout will pay minimum of 5 places

Food and snacks will be provided

This is a cash bar through the Oasis

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APPOINTIVE DIVAN				
First Ceremonial Master - Allen Baiamonte (Jackie)	. 816-204-0945			
abaiamon@gmail.com		Ralph Anderton		913-724-2724
Second Ceremonial Master - Nick Cooley (Sara)	. 913 -238-7551			
Wrestling_coach@hotmail.com				
Marshal - Chris Robertson (Paula Luna)	913-940-8666			
regiscrob@aol.com	040 007 7040	Randy Bennett		816 -260-835
Captain of the Guard - Robert "Mickey" Mikulan mickey5119@gmail.com	913 -206-6240	COMMITTEE CHAIRM	EN AND APPOINTMEN	ITS
Outer Guard - Jim Leahy (Beth)	913-514-4291		_	_
jtleahy189@yahoo.com		Bingo Chairman	Keith Jordan	913-481-7116
Chaplain - Jerry Ogden (Shiela)	. 816-260-8882	Chief Aide	Jeff Johnson P.P.	913-207-914
imastar@kc.rr.com		Transportation Coordinator	Joe Hobbs	913-908-9222
		Hospital Board – St. Louis	Ed McConwell	913-449-530
LIVING PAST POTENTATES		Assoc. Board—St. Louis	Bill Leaonard	913-599-069
Robert Caplinger - 1968	816-214-5283	Insurance Committee	Abdallah Board of Directors	
David G. Allison - 1987	913-849-3766		Ed McConwell P.P.	913-449-530
Gordon Toms - 1988.			Ed Alft	913-488-8310
Glenn Hamilton - 1990.		Legal Counsel	Ed McConwell P. P.	913-262-060
Arthur W. (Bill) Keefer - 1993		KSB Board of Directors	Mike Tavares P.P.	
Larry D. Gaston - 1995.			Tim Williams P.P.	
Dean Schurr - 1996.			Allen Baiamonte	
Fred Hope - 1997		100 Million Dollar Club	Eldon Masters P.P.	913-236-9878
Floyd Fleming - 1999				
Lyle Smith - 2000.		Masonic Coordinator	Herb Merrick	913-683-304
Lee Wilson - 2001		Membership Chairman	Roy Samuel	913-269-7169
Gerald (Jerry) Jeffries - 2005		Oasis Club Manager	Benny Harper	913-449-1478
Bill Hammer - 2006.		Onion Sales Chairman	Allen Baiamonte	816-204-094
Douglas Smith - 2007.		Parade Marshal	Ed Harvey	816-804-9018
Chris Muro - 2008.		Asst. Parade Marshal	Don Marah	913-706-085
Gary Bennett - 2009.		Parliamentarian	Leonard Buddenbohm	913-367-5246
Don Best - 2010		PCM Chairman	Eldon Master P.P.	913-927-519
Nick Turner - 2011		Playground Editor	Jerry Ogden	816-260-8882
Mike Tavares - 2012		Rodeo Committee Chairman	Nick Turner P.P.	913-221-2160
Eldon Masters - 2013		Shrine Photographer	Wayne Rector	913-669-2473
Kevin Larson - 2014.	913 -780-4246	Shimo i notographoi	Sharon Steele	913-492-4430
Tim Williams - 2015.		Sickness and Distress		
Garry Dial - 2016.			Jerry Ogden	816-260-8882
Jeff Johnson - 2017.		Investment Committee	Dennis Cranor	913-219-490
Bennie Smith - 2018.				
Jim Lear (El Jebel – 1998)	913-498-2209			

Upcoming Events May 3rd **Oasis Birthday Friday** May 4th **Wild West Casino Night** May 8th **Abdallah Coffee Club** May 10th **OB Texas Holdem** May 11th **Temple Clean Up Day** May 14th **Open Meeting VIP Dinner in Oasis** May 15th May 17th **Nobles St. Louis Hospital Trip Yo-Shi Golf Tournament** May 18th **Clown & Hawg Luau** May 22nd **Abdallah Coffee Club** May 24th **Roadsters 80's Party** May 27th **Office Closed LOH Memorial Day Service Tin Lizzie Crappie Tournament June 1st**

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May / June 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
8.			1 Office Open Until 5:30 Outside Hall Rental Antique Cars Directors Staff	Outside Hall Rental	Oasis Birthday Friday	Rodeo Wild West Casino Night
5 Outside Half Rental	6 Bingo Oasis Closed Clowns & Ladies	7 Louisburg Shrine Club Provost & Ladies 500's Hawgs & Ladies	8 Outside Hall Rental Office Open Until 5:30 PM Abdallah Coffee Club Escorts & Ladies	Oasis Closed Oriental Band Rehearsal	10 Oasis Closed OB Texas Holdem	11 Temple Clean Up Day
12 Oustside Hall Rental	13 Bingo Oasis Closed Legion of Honor NE 90's	14 Outside Hall Rental	15 VIP Dinner in Oasis Office open Until 5:30PM Tin Lizzies & Ladies Trail 70's Roadsters	16 Oasis Closed	17 Oasis Closed Nobles St. Louis Trip	18 Oasis Closed Yo-Shi Golf Tournament Activity Room Rental Clown Luau
19 Outside Hall Rental	20 Bingo Oasis Closed Red Zone	21 Outside Hall Rental Atwood Lodge YoShi	22 Office open Until 5:30PM Abdallah Coffee Club Outside Hall Rental Membership	23 Oasis Closed Oriental Band Rehearsal Blue Racers & Ladies	Roadsters 80's Party	Outside Hall Rental
26 Outside Half Rental Oasis Private Party	27 Bingo Oasis Closed Office Closed LOH Memorial Service Franklin County	28 Ladies W/O Nobles Ritualistic Divan Jokers	Oasis Closed Office Closes at 4pm Outside Hall Rental	Oasis Closed Atwood Lodge	31 Oasis Closed	Tin Lizzie Crappie Tournament
Outside Half Rental Oasis Private Party	3 Bingo Oasis Closed Clowns & Ladies	4 Hawg Riders & Ladies Provost & Ladies Louisburg 500's	5 Office open Until 5:30PM Directors Staff Antique Cars	6 Oriental Band & Ladies	7 Shrine Bowl Banquet Oasis Birthday Friday Outside Hall Rental	Shrine Bowl Game Outside Hall Rental
9 Outside Hall Rental	10 Bingo Oasis Closed LOH NE 90's	11 Chefs Dinner Stated Meeting	12 Office open Until 5:30PM Abdallah Coffee Club Escorts & Ladies	13 Oasis Closed Outside Hall Rental Oriental Band Rehearsal	Oasis Closed	Cajun Party