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Aladdin's

Memberhip Statistics

Membership 01/01/2010	6677
Associate Membership 01/01/10	49
Total Membership 01-01-2010	6726

	Current	Yr to Date
Creations	0	29
Affiliations	0	5
Restored	0	39
Associate Members	1	1
TOTAL MONTHLY ADD	1	74
TOTAL YEARLY with ADDS		6800
Demits Suspensions Deaths Associates Dropped Reversals TOTAL MONTHLY DROP	0 1 19 0 0 20	6 8 195 1 1 209

6591

- 135

Membership as of 9/30/2010

Net loss/gain YTD

Net loss/gain Monthly



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NOTES FROM THE POTE

By the time you read this article, we will have had the Randy Riggle night at the Shrine Center. I hope all who attended had a good time and I want to thank you for your support. Likewise, we will have had our concert with the Air Force, and I thank those who attended for their support.

Our second Ceremonial for the year is over. I can not emphasize enough the importance of new membership. When I started in the Divan there were approximately 9,500 members in Aladdin. Today, we have about 6,500 members. In six years, that is a loss of 3,000 members which represents, in this year's dollars, a loss of \$160,000.00 in dues income. We have not replaced that income. We need everyone's help. As I have said before in my articles, go to your Blue Lodge, tell them about being a Shriner, what we do, how we have



by William E. Estell

fun, and ask a brother Mason to become a Shriner. Start doing something now for next year. Don't forget the **Aladdin Shrine Endowment Fund**. Information was sent to you earlier this year about the fund. If you have had fun as a Shriner, and you think the Shrine is a worthwhile program, remember the Shrine Center in your estate planning. Or if you would like to make a donation, send a check made payable to the Aladdin Shrine Endowment Fund. If you need more information about the fund, please contact the Shrine office at (614) 475-2609 and talk with Harry Webster at ext. 16 or the Potentate at ext. 14. Please support the future of Aladdin.

October 29 is the **Halloween party** and hayride. The staff is working on a fun evening which will be free. There will be hot dogs, cider, candy, and fun for the entire family. Please send a reservation to help us with the planning. See details in this issue of the *Lamp*.

The **Harvest Ball** with the Aladdin Shrine Band and Aladdin Chanters is November 20. Both are award winning units and we are blessed to have their talents in our Shrine. Mark this night on your calendar and bring a friend for a fun evening; come out and support your fellow Shriners.

Upcoming Visitations: October 25 - Bucyrus, October 27 - Utica, October 30 - Gallipolis, November 4 - Medical Unit, November 9 - Provost Unit, November 18 - Marion, November 19 - Northeast.

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MEMBERSHIP ON THE MOVE

by Calvin Smith | Membership Marketing Director

2011 Dues Notices

You may have already received this dues notice or will soon receive it. There are two items for thought. Please pay your dues early. If you owe for two years, you may pay for 2010 and wait until later to pay for 2011. By doing this you will avoid being suspended from the fraternity.

I Must Share This Masonic Experience

On Saturday, September 4 the Aladdin Potentate, Divan, and others of us attended the dedication of Mt. Zion Lodge's new facility in Mt. Vernon, Ohio. The Grand Master, Terry Posey, and the Grand Line officiated with the assistance of several Mt. Zion Past Masters.

The ceremony is neither lengthy nor complex. But I had never seen it in my 47 years as a member of the Grand Lodge of Ohio. It was truly meaningful. The fashion in which the Grand Marshal Steve Cokonougher, an Aladdin Shrine Mason, led the floor work and ritual was stellar by any standard. The faces of Mt. Zion Masons reflected all that transpired in a way that inspired me.

The new Lodge is marvelous. You must see it. Mt Zion meets the first Thursday of the month; travel a little and take a sideline seat. I promise you will not regret it.

A Restoration Bargain

Know an inactive member who has been suspended? He can restore his membership now for \$94.00. If he were to restore himself by December 17, his 2011 dues will be paid as well. This is a savings of \$54.00. It is almost unethical not to pass this along to others who would benefit.

Pay Attention

Have you moved? Do we know It? If you gave us your new address, what about your phone number, your e-mail? Please contact us at the office: 614-475-2609, ext. 10 or ext. 27 or at 800-475-3850, ext. 10 or ext. 27. You can also use our website, aladdinshriner.org. The "button" is on the home page. This also applies to anyone you know who may have moved.

Birthday Corner

Aladdin has 21 Nobles with a very special birthday in this month. They have lived for a total of 1,931 years and have spent 764 of them as Shriners. HAPPY BIRTHDAY, BROTHERS!

John Morgan	Berea, OH	10/1/1913	97
Edwin Mulligan	Coshocton, OH	10/16/1915	95
Garnet Moore	Marion, OH	10/5/1916	94
David McDonald	Medina, OH	10/17/1916	94
Henry Stewart	Cambridge, OH	10/2/1917	93
Porter Webb	Okatie, SC	10/16/1917	93
Robert True	Caldwell, OH	10/16/1917	93
Byrl Shoemaker	Columbus, OH	10/5/1918	92
Charles Maston	Springfield, OH	10/6/1918	92
Richard Plum	Bonita Springs, FL	10/18/1918	92
Paul Brandfass	Springfield, OH	10/7/1919	91
Robert Case	Upper Sandusky, OH	10/11/1919	91
Jack Thayer	Columbus, OH	10/17/1919	91
Oscar Brooks Jr.	Heath, OH	10/19/1919	91
Rollie Williams	McConnelsville, Ol	H10/19/1919	91
William Hall	Lakeland, FL	10/20/1919	91
James Huffman	Logan , OH	10/9/1920	90
Robert Deafenbaugh	Newark, OH	10/11/1920	90
Virgil Hughes	Marietta, OH	10/17/1920	90
Murrel Swartz	Newark, OH	10/24/1920	90
Harry VanVoorhis	Galion, OH	10/25/1920	90











The Fall Ceremonial

The Fall Ceremonial was conducted on Saturday, October 2. These Master Masons became Shrine Masons.

Mark Appleton Heath, OH James Conrad

Zachary Augustine Chillicothe, OH Ron Miner

Michael Bolognon Columbus, OH **DUANE Hivnor**

David Bonnett Rushville, OH John Bonnett

Wesley Brown Reno, OH Clyde Huddleston

Dustin Casto Stockport, OH Robert Casto

Brian Chaney Kingston, OH Howard Schuenaman

Ronald Choina Marengo, OH Calvin Smith

Michael Cool Piketon, OH Paul Hale

Dennis D' Angelo Bidwell, OH George Henderson

James Doak Marietta, OH Orlando Bragg

Jordan Doll Dunkirk, OH Jeffery Doll

Harold Early New Matamoras, OH Lee Scott

David Early New Matamoras, OH Lee Scott

John Freund Blacklick,OH Terry Boyd

Michael Gifford Westerville, OH Charles Scott

Jeffery Golden Gallipolis, OH Wm. C. Johnson

David Hall Radnor, OH Frank Carson

Paul Hammond Columbus, OH Phillip Clouse

Robert Hoffman Dublin, OH Michael Tyne

Keith Jenkins Columbus, OH John Rust

Brad Jenkins Jackson, OH Greg Houge

John Jones Marietta, OH Pat Davis

Jeffery Laird Pataskala, OH Robert Laird

David Littler Marietta, OH Garry Bonnett

Daniel Marshman Dunkirk, OH Kenneth Doll

Beau Miller Crown City, OH Maurice Smith

David Minton Columbus, OH Jim Badgley

Jedidiah Potts Dennison, OH Frank Potts

David Quinn Sr. Reynoldsburg, OH Jim Badgley

Brice Schreiber Columbus, OH Harold Vail

Richard Sevy New Albany, OH Frank Henderson **Clifford Slay** Powell, OH Robert Parson

John Stibbs Waverly, OH Paul Hale

Thomas Tipton Cambridge, OH Lynn Weekley

Philip Voelker Bonita Sprinas, FL Gordon Voelker

Edward Wasser III Marietta, OH Mark Beardmore

David Welch Lewis Center, OH Mike Clevenger

Chaplain's Corner

by Chaplain Zale Maxwell

Fall is here and what a wondrous time it brings us to enjoy. Having grown up doing farm work, I know all about harvest time and what it means to bring in the crops. It is hard work with long hours, and I would not change any of my experiences for anything.

With fall, also comes Halloween, which has always been a favorite of mine, next to Christmas, of course. Did you know that Halloween originated as a Celtic festival know as Samhain (pronounced sahwin)? The festival of Samhain celebrated the end of the harvest season in the Gaelic culture. These ancient pagans took this time to take stock of the supplies and prepare for the winter months. These Gaels believed that on October 31, the boundaries between the worlds of the living and the dead overlapped and the deceased would come back to life and cause havoc such as sickness or damaged crops. Like most holidays, it has evolved over the years and "Trick-or-Treating" became an activity for children to collect sweet treasures with the ever-present threat of tricking those who did not treat. Beggars Night was also a time for those who had plenty to

share with those in need. What a wonderful thing, to share with those who are needy, and how great the reward is.

This fall finds many of our neighbors down the road, across the street, in the next town, even in our country falling on hard times; please help, as you are able. Whether at Halloween or Thanksgiving, the fall season is a time for sharing, and the rewards are infinite and eternal.



Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will reap generously. Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work. (2 Corinthians 8:6-11 NIV)

Marching with the Legion

by Dick Luckay, Nancy Krieger

Since there was no LOH article in last month's *Lamp*, we have some catching up to do. It has been a busy time for the LOH and it doesn't seem to let up as the months roll by.

LOH PARADE FUNCTIONS – Aladdin Night at the Clippers game saw a full contingent of the unit presenting the flags. Commander Gary Bogart, PCs Bob Faber, Willie Fitchett, and Dick Ollila and LN Dave Ozvat and John Iben made an impressive march to the mound. John Iben thrilled the crowd with a rendition of "The Star Spangled Banner" that made everyone proud to be an American. The Bucyrus Parade had a full color guard and jeep escort with PCs Bob Faber, Robert Spencer, and Dick Ollila with LN Terry Kitchen and Bob Krieger making a fine showing at the head of the parade. The color guard keeps growing and looking better each and every parade.

BELATED CONGRATULATIONS – The cake may be eaten, but the birthday memories linger on. Happy belated birthday to Nancy Krieger (9/22), Marjorie McCall (9/27), Katie Biers (9/29), Mac Sandusky (10/7), Shy Lanthorn (10/10), Anna Buss (10/14), Bob Krieger

and Mary Knotts (10/16).

CURRENT BEST WISHES TO – John and Sharron Lehman (10/20) and Jim and Karen Weimer (11/18) for another year of marriage. May the day be a special one indeed. Happy Birthday to: Mildred Smith (10/19), Barb Faber (10/25), Glenn Ferrone (10/31), Ruth Dean and Pat Moore (11/1), John Lehman (11/3), Bev Powell (11/6), Mary Sue White and Gerri Pritchard (11/10), Gary Schleigh (11/11), Don Powell, PP, and Bob Wilson PC (11/15) and Irene Schleigh (11/18). The cake keeps getting brighter – just keep the candles coming. Congratulations to one and all. God Bless.

SPECIAL CONGRATULATIONS TO DON POWELL – In June, Illustrious Sir Don Powell, PC Aladdin LOH, PP Joppa Shrine, was awarded the Samsar Jewel at the Joppa stated meeting. The jewel is the highest award a Joppa Shriner can receive. It is awarded to a Noble who has shown extraordinary dedication and loyalty to Shrinedom and has gone the extra mile. We're proud of you, Don. Congratulations on this well deserved honor!

Registrar by Buck Boyd

We've had a successful outing at the Delaware County Fair and Little Brown Jug. Tim Daniel and Andy Baker put together a team that represented the Registrar Unit in fine fashion. Contrary to last year, great weather and warm temperatures made the task both enjoyable and profitable. You know meeting great people makes the task go quick and fun. Sometimes you meet someone who tickles your funny bone. I approached a lady who was with five children and asked them if they needed a ride from the parking lot to the midway. She asked if the ride cost anything and could I take her anywhere she wanted to go. I said no charge and yes, as long as it was within the fairgrounds. After loading all the kids, stroller, and the woman, we set out for the midway. First she wanted me to go through the stables so her little girls could see the horses. She asked me to go through the mobile home sections to see how they were set up just in case she ever owned one and wanted to bring it. Next was a trip to the restrooms and to get water. Then she requested a trip back to her car for aspirin because the kids were starting to get

on her nerves. At last we arrived at the midway. She thanked me, and went off. Her last remark to me was I should drive slower and try to miss the ruts in the road if I hoped to keep this job. After a good laugh, I was off to the next person needing assistance.

With the parade season winding down, it should be noted that once again the Registrar Unit met its obligations with good turnout and enthusiasm. With Andy Baker wearing the Cordial Clarence outfit, (the Shriner Man suit) another dimension was added to our participation. Everyone seemed to enjoy it. However Andy should be reminded to watch out for low hanging wires and lights.

Now that golf season is coming to an end for most but the hardiest of golfers, it's time to make the most important people in your life number 1, again. Get out there and cheer for those Buckeyes! Seriously, it's time to pay a little attention to the better half. Make her feel special. Anytime is a great time to show her how special she is. Have a great fall and see you at the next unit meeting.

by Jim Allen

Aladdin Toots Its Horn This past Summer.

The activities began with the Imperial in Toronto. We were awarded superior ratings in all the categories in which we participated. The key to Aladdin's continuing success is that we can play soft as well as loud. The sad part is we are one of the few Shrines that can and do still field bands. Our band participated in the parade on our own trailer. There was a second parade in which Jim Esswein (our conductor) carried the Aladdin banner (figuratively) by marching the parade playing two pieces solo on his Sousaphone. This indicates the "can do" attitude of the Aladdin Band.

Another adventure was when the Aladdin Bones (trombones) played a concert at the Toronto Convention Center. About three quarters of the way through the performance, there was a massive power

failure that plunged the venue into darkness. People were urged to vacate the hall since it was not likely that the power would be restored quickly. This posed a problem since there were no elevators or escalators in operation. The band equipment was on the lower level. It had to be brought up to the next level to a loading dock to be loaded into Jim's van. He then discovered another loading dock at the lower level. However, there were no traffic lights operating on the street. As a result, Jim had to back his van up the ramp where he could gain access to the other loading dock without going out on the city street. By this time Jim was hot and not in the best of humor.

Perseverance paid off and the van got loaded with all the equipment. The next chore was to get from the Convention

Center back to the hotel where a pick-up jazz band was scheduled to play. Jim got a lot of direction from some human GPSs. The problem that he faced was that it was rush hour in Toronto with no traffic lights due to the power failure and no left hand turns were allowed at rush hour. Perseverance paid off and the equipment made it to the hotel in the nick of time for the Dance Band and the Dixieland Band to perform in the lounge. They played without a break for three to four hours to a packed "house" of both Shriners and non-Shriners. Even after the chops had given out and the bands had departed, people were still coming into the lounge because they heard that there was live music.

Zem Zem Temple from Erie, Pennsylvania fielded a good concert band. They also participated in the parades. Aladdin Band got an informal invitation to play a program with Zem Zem in Erie and for the Shrine Hospital. It is always good to have other bands to compete with at these events. It is good for everyone and great fun. It builds the camaraderie and the quality of the performance.

Following the Imperial, we had a picnic for band members and their ladies. About 35 - 40 of our contingent and their ladies attended.

Jim Esswein represented Aladdin with his solo Sousaphone march in the Plain City Steam Threshers parade in Plain City. A full complement of musicians on our trailer represented Aladdin in the Bratwurst Festival.

Recently, we played an outdoor concert at First Community Village. We had 32 musicians and quartermasters attend. We are able to put together a varied concert of marches, show tunes and other popular music. The repertoire will expand over time.

We are looking forward to playing at the Circleville Pumpkin Show Parade on October 22 and the Aladdin Harvest Ball on November 20. We invite all Shriners and their friends to join the bands at these events. This is a musical group of which you can be proud.

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New Date for
THE ALADDIN QUIZ
November 30
See ad on page 10.

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October 2010 Building A Man - Helping A Child

Reception Unit

by Don Owens



Bill Compton receives Meritorius Service Award from Potentate Bill Estell

The highlight event of the season took place on Saturday, September 25 when Potentate Bill Estell, his Lady Carol Estell, and members of the Divan visited the Reception Unit. Unit Director Jack Bonn presented the Potentate with checks for the Temple Endowment Fund and for Lady Carol's Project, entitled "Our Shining Stars."

Our Shining Stars project

raises funds for educational classrooms in Shrine Hospitals located Erie, Cincinnati, and Lexington, the three hospitals supported by the Aladdin Shrine. The classrooms benefit children who are admitted to the hospitals for an extended period of time and need help to keep up with their studies. Both of the Estells have had lifelong contact with the field of education which has sensitized them to this need.

Unit Quartermaster Bill Compton was honored for his outstanding service to the unit and Aladdin Shrine. Recognition took the form of a Medal for Meritorious Service presented by the Potentate.

As noted elsewhere in this issue of the *Lamp*, the competition for Aladdin's Cup has been rescheduled until November 30.

Our final parade for 2010 will take place on Saturday, October 23, at the Circleville Pumpkin Show.

Birthdays: Jack Davis and Mike Johnson celebrate theirs this month. Congratulations and many happy returns.

The next unit meeting will be at the Shrine Center Thursday, October 21. Call Don Owens or Ralph Vaughn if you need transportation to the meeting.

Steubenville

by Anthony Violi

The September meeting of the Steubenville Shrine Club was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by club president, Noble Richard Hazelip. He led the Nobility in the pledge to our flag. A prayer was offered by Chaplain Noble Bob Moffatt. Reported ill were Nobles Gene Groves, who is in the Dixon Health Facility, Herald Cook, and Bill Alexander. We wish them a speedy recovery.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, as well as the treasurer's report, were accepted as presented. The report on buildings and grounds was given by Noble Russ Barker. He stated that general maintenance is being performed. He gave an update on the repair of the tractor.

Members were reminded that the Wednesday dinners are continuing. Our second vice president position is vacant due to the advancement of Second Vice President Dan Moffatt to the position of first vice president. Noble Wayne Fulmer was nominated and elected as second vice president.

A committee was appointed by the president to review our by-laws. Members are Nobles Jerry Williams, Wayne Fulmer, Tom Windand, and Bill Bell.

Rentals at our club for September included a car show. Willie Pierce of Lodge 45 was the sponsor. Local lodge reports were given. Past Presidents were recognized.

I want to thank Secretary Leonard Morris for compiling this report. I was unable to attend our meeting on September 2. I am a retired band director and a member of the Ohio State Alumni Band. I performed in the band program during the football game between OSU and Marshall on September 2 in the OSU Stadium. I was recognized for being the oldest marching member at age 92.

A closing prayer was offered by Chaplain Bob Moffatt. Refreshments were available. Fellowship followed. GOD BLESS AMERICA!

October 29 - 6:30 PM Aladdin Shrine Center Nobles - bring your entire family to this fun-filled evening! Guests of Nobles are welcome. HAYRIDES - BONFIRE - COSTUMES OPTIONAL Hot Dogs - Chips - Donuts, Soft Drinks - Hot Chocolate Reservations: Email kluckeydoo@aladdinshrine.org Hayrides - Bonfire - Costumes optional Reservations: Email kluckeydoo@aladdinshrine.org Halloween Reservation Form: - Mail to: Aladdin Shrine Center, Kim Luckeydoo 3850 Stelzer Road, Columbus, OH 43219-3044 Name: Phone: HAYRIDES - BONFIRE - COSTUMES OPTIONAL Hot Dogs - Chips - Donuts, Soft Drinks - Hot Chocolate Reservations: Email kluckeydoo@aladdinshrine.org

Ross County

by Jay Morgan

We had a great meeting at the Ross County Shrine Club in September. Our Noble President Terry Morris was AWOL. He went to Canada to catch some fresh perch and fellowship. The meeting was run by yours truly, Noble Vice President Jay Morgan. It was a nice way to get my feet wet for next year.

The meeting went off without a hitch with a lot of help from some good Nobles. The meal of brats, baked beans, and scalloped potatoes was prepared by Noble Mike Bell with help serving by Nobles Dave Patterson and Darrell Detty. A big "thank you" goes to Shawna and Bert Bell for making the desserts for the evening.

The Black Camel visited our club, again. Noble Martin Wikle has passed and a moment of silence was observed.

The upcoming yard sale was on October 9. Our Annual Spaghetti Dinner will be on October 28. Noble Brad Burns had sign-up sheets at the last meeting. Brad still has some spots that need filled on Wednesday, October 27 and Thursday, October 28. Wednesday is the preparation day and Thursday is the actual dinner day. If you can help on either day, please call Noble Brad at 779-1410 to see if you can fill some spots.

Attention, Ladies! We need your best desserts for sale on spaghetti day. Your help in this matter is greatly appreciated and it helps a lot.

Your annual dues notices and spaghetti dinner tickets should be arriving shortly. Noble Paul Langhirt would like you to write him a check and send it to him; it makes it much easier on him than giving cash at the spaghetti dinner.

The next stated meeting is Tuesday, October 26. The date change was because of the spaghetti dinner. We will perform all regular business and also election of officers for 2011. On October 30, we will be in the Halloween parade. Time to meet for the parade will be discussed at the next meeting.

2010 ALADDIN PARADES

Aladdin Parades - The Potentate and the majority of the Divan will attend. All units and clubs should attend.

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PARADE

Circleville Pumpkin Parade Washington CH Christmas DATE LINE-UP STEP OFF

10/22 7:00 PM 8:00 PM 12/4 4:00 PM 5:00 PM

Hospitality

by Gary Harding

Last meeting, we did not have a large turnout. We still got things done. Randy Lintz retired as treasurer. He was a good one and received plaques and trophies along with many thanks. Thanks, again, Randy.

The new treasurer is Jim Badgley. Jim is hard working, honest, and very organized. He will be a dandy replacement.

Next time Dwight Rife shows up, he has an award coming. Maybe you are to be recognized too? Come to a meeting and see.

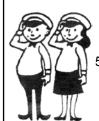
The Circleville Pumpkin Show is Friday, October 22. We meet at Rooster's Restaurant on Route 23 in Round Town! Come ride the big red fire engine, ring the bell, wave to all the nice folks, and enjoy. It really is fun – bright lights, food, drink, friendly people and we are the stars of the show.

Let us not forget the sick and ailing. The list is ever changing and someday your name will be there. Keep them in your prayers as I do.

Till next time, keep the rubber side down and I hope to see ya soon. God bless.

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Sled Hockey Tournament Returns

The Eighth Annual 2011 Aladdin Invitational Sled Hockey Tournament returns to the Dispatch Ice Haus on January 15-16, 2011. Aladdin Shriners Hospital Association for Children sponsors this event for physically challenged children and all Shriners, their famlies, and friends are invited to attend.

There is no admission charged. Children, ages 6-18, will compete for a championship trophy for their respective age group.

This opportunity makes for a great time and you may come and go as you please. Clubs and units should consider holding their monthly meeting at this event where you can watch and cheer these youth as they play hockey on special designed sleds.

There are no food facilities at the ice rink, so bring a sack lunch and warm clothing to the tournament.

The youth will be competing on Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. and on Sunday the schedule will commence about 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. The Potentate and the Divan will award trophies on Sunday. Put it on your calendar and participate.





October 23 - OSU vs Purdue Kickoff: Noon No Tailgate (Room Rented)

October 30 - OSU vs Minnesota Kickoff: 8:00 PM Tailgate: None

November 13 - OSU vs Penn State Kickoff: Noon Tailgate: 11:00 AM

November 20 - OSU vs Iowa Kickoff: 1:00 PM Tailgate: Noon

November 27 - OSU vs Michigan Kickoff: Noon Tailgate: 11:00 AM

PARTY STARTS 1 HOUR BEFORE KICKOFF

If kickoff is before 4:00 PM, there WILL be a tailaate party. If kickoff is after 4:00 PM, there WILL NOT be a tailgate party.





Brutal Brothers

by Ron Martino

From all reports, the unit's trip to Cincinnati was a huge success.

Over 30 members and their ladies toured the Shrine Burns
Hospital. Brian Crosier and his Lady Crista were in attendance
and I understand Brian helped with the tour, pointing out
points of interest that even the hospital's tour guide wasn't
aware. But, after all, he spent many hours at the hospital
getting repaired from burns he got as a 10-year-old child. Brian
Tabit and his Lady Susie prepared a lunch for the trip which was

enjoyed by all. Susie did all the work and Brian took all the credit – as always. On October 2, Aladdin Shrine welcomed new members into our great fraternity. The number of new members was not available at press time, but all are very welcome. I encourage all new members to get involved with Aladdin's Shrine clubs and Aladdin's many units. This is how you will get the full benefit of the Shrine and learn of the many services for children that our Shrine provides.

November 2 is our unit's election meeting, and I encourage all members to attend and cast your vote for those who will guide our unit for the coming year. Our younger members need your encouragement and experience in guiding our unit. A list of new officers will be in next month"s *Lamp*. The meeting will take place at the Wolfe Building and the dinner will be chilly cheese steak subs with all the trimmings. Camel's milk will be flowing freely. All of this is for a small fee of \$10.00 to help cover the costs.

On Friday, December 3, our Brutal Brothers Ladies Party will be held at the Scarlet and Gray Golf Course. It will be the official visit of Potentate William Estell and First Lady Carol. The Scarlet and Gray Golf Course is an ideal place to gather and party. We had a wonderful time there in the late 80s.

Halloween is just days away and remember, if you see a zombie or a witch, they are all running for office, so don't run over the wrong ones.

Other News: Director Dave Williams and his father, Don, went on a great fishing trip. It was hugely successful and they will be eating large fish fillets all winter. I didn't know Dave could extend his arms that far. How BIG was that fish?

Chief Brian Tabit has been busy at the Farm Science Review taking care of our farming businesses. Younger men all must take care of their livelihoods.

On September 7, we voted to send a team to the Aladdin Quiz Bowl. We tossed it around trying to find our four smartest members, but since they had to bowl that night, we picked Todd and Clay Jones and Duane and son, Jonathan Hays. Thank goodness there is no one on the sick list this month.

Wishing you happy days and cheer our Buckeyes on to a Big Ten championship!

Pipes & Drums by Jim Bradham

Kirkin O'The Tartan: If you have attended a Presbyterian church the last Sunday in October, you have probably observed the ceremony, Kirkin of the Tartans. The tradition is an old Highland one. After the defeat of the Scots by the English in 1746, the wearing of the tartans, playing the pipes, and keeping of any Highland culture was forbidden in hopes this would subdue the Scottish spirit. The rebellious Scots went underground, having a church service one Sunday a year while concealing a piece of tartan. The minister pronounced a blessing on all tartans. This tradition was brought to America to celebrate Scottish Heritage.

If you would like to observe a Kirkin, there are two scheduled. The first is at the First Presbyterian Church, Prospect St. in Marion, October 24, where the Highland Dancers will perform with the pipes. The second is at the First Presbyterian Church, Newark, October 31, where you will hear the skirl of the pipes as they lead the processional, followed by the clergy and clan representatives, to the front of the church. The roll call of the clans begins as each clan member presents his tartan. Hearing the pipes play "Amazing Grace," accompanied by the organ, with the acoustics in the church is worth the trip.

"May you be in heaven five minutes before the devil knows you're dead."

Past Masters

y Dick Bull

Our October 25 stated meeting will be our annual dinner meeting that is hosted by the Ladies Auxiliary. It will be held at the Shrine Center with Vice President Missy Knox in charge of arrangements.

We will participate in the Circleville Pumpkin Show Parade on October 22 and our van will be available.

The unit performed the Master Mason Degree at Grove City Lodge #689, F. & A.M. on October 11. Assistant Director Neal Elam coordinated the arrangements while Assistant Director Phil Clouse set up the cast of participation.

The unit furnished candidate escorts and the cast for "Evolution of a Shriner" for the Pre-Ceremonial and the Ceremonial at the Shrine Center.

Carl H. Diederich, a long-time unit member passed away on September 8 at age 92. He had been in failing health for some time and was recently moved to Altercare of Bucyrus. We extend our deepest sympathy to his widow, Phyllis, and the family members. Also, the widow of Dick Ridgway, Becky, passed away in early September and our condolences go out to the family.

As of this writing (September 19), our walking wounded are all improving which is good news. Those thoughts and prayers are working.

Seven of us and our spouses attended the Old Time Movie Night on September 17 and a good time was had by all. Also, three of us played in the annual Pickaway County Shrine - K. of C. Golf Outing at Pickaway Country Club in Circleville on September 18. Fun, good, and fellowship were great – fairways were in need of grass and water.

Bucyrus by Gene Diller

The Bucyrus Shrine Club opened the meeting with prayer led by President Noble Tim Miller. The pledge was led by President Noble Tim Miller. Gus's and Grog Restaurant Bucyrus catered the meal. The meal was mashed potatoes, beef and noodles, mushrooms, green beans, salad, and chocolate fudge cake.

A moment of silence was held for the armed forces. Treasure Noble Pete Roll gave the treasurer's report. The sunshine report was given by Noble Pete Roll. The Bucyrus Shrine lost two member to the Black Camel: Noble Robert Laipply and Noble Carl Diederich

Noble Secretary Gene Diller read the secretary's report.

Noble Paul Leonhardt was given an award for a gift of \$500.00 from a Rice Chapel group in Florida for the Tabloid. Noble Dave Crum and his family was given an award for a gift of \$1000.00 in memory of his brother Glen Crum for the Tabloid Fund.

The next meeting and Potentate's visit will be October 26. The election of officers will be in November.

Tarhe Shrine

by David Mowry

Tarhe's September meeting was at the Eagle's in Lancaster. We were fortunate to have the Lancaster Mayor David Smith as our speaker. He presented a program about the economic development of the Lancaster area and answered questions from club members. Tarhe would like to thank Mayor Smith for taking time out of his busy schedule to attend our meeting.

For the October and November meetings, we've had a change of venue. Instead of the Eagle's, we will be meeting at Tammi Jo's Restaurant located in the Plaza Shopping Center on Memorial Drive by Slater's Hardware and Carnival Foods. Many members may remember it as the former site of the Kane's and Woody's restaurants. We are thinking about booking Tammi Jo's for the 2011 meetings. Be sure to come out and tell us what you think.

Mina Ubbing, CEO of Fairfield Medical Center, will be the speaker for the October meeting. Please make plans to attend. The social hour will begin at 6:00 p.m. with dinner at 7:00 p.m. Guests are always welcome, so feel free to bring your friends. Remember to bring your

KENTUCKY COLONELS

Aladdin Kentucky Colonels met for their first meeting of the fall with a talkative group of 31 Nobles attending. What a good meal – like home cooking! Potentate Bill Estell was with us for his first time as a new member. Also attending were Cal Smith, PP and Dee Mowry, PP. Among our own past presidents attending were Ron Fraser, Don Lynne, and Pete Ranabaugh.

President McCleary opened the business portion with the pledge and invocation by Chaplain Dee Mowry. Potentate and Colonel Estell spoke briefly about the Ceremonial, the recent, very successful Family Movie Night, and the upcoming Family Halloween Party.

This was our meeting to nominate officers for the coming year. The report of the nominating committee was accepted and nominations included: John Bevins, president; Larry Jarvis, vice president; Joe Rike, secretary; Neal McCleary, treasurer; and Ron Fraser, reporter.

wife or girlfriend, too (but not both at the same time).

Reservations for meetings should be made be the Saturday preceding the meeting. Please call Zale, 740-862-4601 or Chris at 740-808-4210 or or by email at tarheshrineclub@gmail.com. Meal cost is \$15.00 per person.

Check Aladdin's Website: In order to get more information to our members, we will be using Aladdin's website to post club, contact information, and meeting dates. Please take a look at it at www. aladdinshrine.org/tarhe.htm. You should be getting reminder cards about the October and November meetings in the mail. Please make sure we have an updated address for you and let us know if you or someone else doesn't get one.

Upcoming Meetings:

October 21 - (Please make reservations by October 16.) November 21 - (Please make reservations by November 16.) December 11 - Annual Christmas party at Lancaster Eagles. I hope to see you all in October!

by Dick Phelps

Secretary Rike read minutes of the past two meetings and reported that Colonel Henry Morris was having problems with his neck. Treasurer Don Shoffstall reported we have a healthy balance on hand. Noble Clyde Warth was introduced as our newest Kentucky Colonel and was presented his commission certificate signed by the governor of Kentucky. Dee Mowry, PP gave him his charge as a new Aladdin Kentucky Colonel.

Slides of Aladdin's March Cruise through the Panama Canal was eloquently narrated by PP Dee Mowry. It was an interesting program and meeting. Our October luncheon will be on Tuesday, October 26 at 11:00 a.m.. Colonels, call in your reservations to either Joe Rike at 740-587-2496, or Neal McCleary at 614-890-7376. Bring a Masonic friend and show him another highlight of Aladdin. Our Ladies are always welcome.



Here is your chance to prove that your club or unit is the best in Aladdin Land!

- Get a team of four together and compete head to head with other teams for Aladdin's Cup.
- The entry fee is \$150.00/team. Units and clubs are not limited to one team, but each Noble can only represent one team.
- Pairings will be drawn at the stated meeting on November 15.
- This is a fundraiser for the benefit of the Aladdin Endowment Fund and the Reception Unit.
- There will be a \$5.00 admission charge if you are not competing.

Come, cheer on your unit or club. generate a little friendly competition, and help a worthy cause! Snacks and a cash bar will be available.

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Pickaway by Jack Saune

From Pickaway Shrine Club to all of our members and the Shriners around the world, we are still here in Pickaway County. It's been a little while since we have made an entry in the *Lamp*. Things are going well in our club. Our meetings are on the fourth Monday of each month. Social hour starts at 6:00 p.m. and the meeting starts 7:00 p.m. There has been great companionship, as well as something to eat. So come out and join us.

The fair has come and gone with great success. The building is in pretty good condition but some work needs. A work party is to meet shortly and decide what to do first and how to get done what needs to be done. President Rex Emrick has kept the grass cut and we can't thank him enough. This is the second year that he has done this job.

The coming attraction is the great Pumpkin Show. It starts October 20. Some exciting changes may be in the works for the booth this year. Our trustees are thinking about future plans.

As you are reading this article, we will have completed another golf fundraiser. Carl Hemming and other members put together another a great tournament at the Pickaway Country Club. In the past, we always used Upper Lansdowne Golf Course. This is a chance for us to make money that is greatly needed for our bills and to continue improving our building.

Kambri by Dick Brixner

Your Kambri Shrine Club is still active and doing well in Shrinedom. Your Shriners have made several trips to our hospital in Erie, Pennsylvania and we need to give one big "thank you" to the following Shriners who have completed the round trip with patients: Ron LePage, Tom Fisher, Buzzy Ferguson, Russell McFarland, Ed Turner, Ted Calvert, Gerry Wetherell, and Elmer Bright.

We also need to give a "big thank" you to Whiteside's of Cambridge for their willingness to support this valuable program.

Shriners, if you would be willing to be a driver to our hospitals, please contact Noble President Lynn Weekley or Noble Ron LePage. You will benefit from the trip and will be able to visit and see your hospital in action. It is a trip you will always remember.

Please mark your calendars and plan to attend:

October 21 - Annual steak fry with program - Program: On The Railroads by Steve Stolarek.

To all members and friends, our building is ready to be used. We have had at least two weddings, several birthday parties along with other parties. We have a nice place. Members can use this space for personal use at a smaller fee than non-members. If you are planning any kind of party, or hear of someone wanting a place to hold any type meeting, let them know about our place. You can contact Glen McFarland, 474-1652, for better details.

To all Shriners – don't forget to attend our next meeting. If you need transportation, call Jack Sauner, 474-6906.

We are saddened by the loss of some of our members. They are hard to replace in our hearts. Those who are suffering from illness or an injury, we hope a speedy recovery.

Craft Vendors Wanted: The Pickaway Shrine Ladies Auxiliary needs vendors to display and sell their crafts at our craft show November 20 at the Pickaway Shrine Building, 670 Granite Drive, Circleville. Tables will be available for displaying your merchandise for \$20.00 per table.

The craft show will be open to the public November 20 from 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Vendors may set up on Friday evening, November 19, 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. For table reservations, please call Brenda, 740-601-8076 or 740-474-8347. The deadline to make reservations is November 6.

November 19 - Annual nomination of club of 2011 officers - You should show up and take part or to protect yourself from nomination.

December 9 - Our Annual Christmas Party with a special guest, wearing a red suit and ringing his sleigh bells

You have heard and read it before, this is your club, come out and enjoy the fun, fellowship, and great food. See you at our next event; watch your mailbox for the flyer with the details.

Shriners, your Kambri Shrine Club's Tin Lizzie Patrol is alive and well and performing at area parades. Earlier this month, our fleet took to the streets at the Barnesville Pumpkin Parade. Noble President Lynn Weekley led the group, with Nobles Lew Smith, Sam Martini, Frank Potts, Buzzy Ferguson, Ron Hickman, and Carl Burris close behind. This same group will be heading to the Circleville Pumpkin Show to perform. A special "thank you" goes to all our members of the Tin Lizzie Patrol. They represent us well

Just Clowning Around by Matt "Nutt" Knight

A clown's work is never finished...

Well, last month I told everyone that our season was winding down. Boy, was I wrong! We've had a handfull of events and more are coming: the Ceremonial and the Buddy Walk for Down Syndrome kids on October 2 and the Autism Speaks function on October 10. The last event in this month is the Circleville Pumpkin Show Parade on Friday evening, October 2.

I have just one last thing to mention and that is the October birthdays. We have two of our clowns who are celebrating birthdays this month: Steve "Little Mac" McKitrick (10-14) and Wayne "Wayno" Shriver (10-13). Happy birthday.

This is just a reminder that our website is up and running. Mike "Bucket Head" Clark is maintaining it currently. The address is aladdinshrineclowns.org. Please take the time to visit us.

On a continued sad note, I would like to mention the passing of two long-time clowns – Albert Fletcher, a clown since June, 1967 and John McEowen, a clown since May, 1995. Our prayers are for their families.

As I mention the passing of our brothers, I would like to request that, as you say your prayers throughout the day, that you try to keep your brothers in mind. You never know what another brother is going through unless you truly know him. God Bless,

October 2010 Building A Man - Helping A Child II

Aladdin's CAR CLUB

by Jim Allen

The Aladdin Car Club came out of the gate (a horse term) on September 11 with a tour to Lithopolis to visit the car collection of Lloyd and Shirley Young. We were treated to a fine display of his cars and her cars. Woody Coombs (the tour director), Ron and Ginnie Brubaker, Fred and Bev Coventry, Chester and Janice Van Horn, and Jim and Lois Allen assembled at the Bob Evans in Canal Winchester for breakfast. Jim and Lois had to go to the OSU game so they did not make the tour. The only casualty was Chester and Janice who had prepared the maps. They got lost, but they eventually found their way to the destination. Some of the Young's collection includes Reos, Marmons, Rickenbackers, and other cars of the early twentieth century. It was a treat to see a display as large as this. Lloyd and Shirley have several people assist in the maintenance of the vehicles. Shirley maintains the collections of hood ornaments and other accessories of the period. We may visit them again in the future.

Our first regular meeting of the new season was September 15 in the Oasis Room. Louis Ardit led the invocation. Fred Coventry gave a brief synopsis of the car show-it rained. Chester told us we did make some money in spite of the inclement weather. Final figures are not in yet. Chester was not at the meeting since he was having surgery (Jack Van Gundy, laryngitis and all, presided). We all signed a card for Chester and we wish him a very speedy recovery.

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Jim Allen gave a pitch for being a Road Runner and driving patients to the hospitals. Please contact Gail in the Shrine office for more details. The current officers have agreed to serve again this season. If anyone wishes to challenge any position, now is your opportunity. We will elect a new vice president next year when Jack Van Gundy (current vice president) steps up to take Chester's place as president. Our election will be held on October 20.

Bill Ross is putting together a trip in October to Amish Country culminating at Lehman's Hardware Store in Kidron. More on this later. Let's have a great year.

Hospitality Unit's Kids Christmas Party At The Aladdin Shrine Center Sunday - December 12 For Children and Grandchildren Ages 1-8 of Aladdin Members Only Once again the Hospitality Unit of Aladdin Temple will sponsor a Christmas Party for the children and grandchildren of Aladdin Nobles. Santa Claus and all the wondrous things he conjures voungsters who and all his helpers will be visiting. Space Limited to First 350 AN ADMISSION TICKET IS REQUIRED LIMIT OF 3 CHILDREN PER FAMILY Must Submit with a Self-Addressed, Stamped Envelope Complete The Coupon with Self-Addressed, Stamped Envelope and Submit **Send to:** HOSPITALITY CHRISTMAS PARTY Dan Schleppi, 2695 Bixby Rd., Groveport, OH 43125 Please send tickets for the following children 1-8 years of age. 1st Session 2nd Session Name: 1:00-3:00 pm 3:30 - 5:00 pm Relationship Shrine Membership #: _ Phone: Address:_

Provost by John Rohal

For starters, the September 14 meeting of the Provost Unit was very well attended; the dinner was well prepared and accepted by all in attendance. Don Slemmer opened the meeting with a prayer and the pledge to our flag.

As usual, we dispensed with the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, but we did require Treasurer Charles Linek to report on our income and expenditures for the past three months.

Secretary James Light researched our old attendance records and minutes from the time the unit was formed and presented us with a Provost Unit charter member report which should now resolve who were our original charter members and who came into the unit later. A hand written record began on August 17, 1971 as the third and final organizational meeting. Also, found was a report from Director Robert Russell to Potentate Ernest Roush which listed the names of all charter members.

Director Jon Kinney reported on the Imperial Council Session, our family picnic, and the Chicken and Corn Roast and Car Show. He presented everyone in attendance with a copy of our by-laws, article X11, the Participation Awards Program.

Our Ladies Night and Potentate's Visitation is scheduled for November 9 and several of our ladies will serve on a gift committee. Mike Gray reported on the activities of the membership

Worthington by Bob Stevenson

Fall resumed with the dinner meeting on September 2 having to be rescheduled to a week later. I didn't get full details, but I understand something else was going on in Columbus and that event might cut into our attendance. It's hard to believe that anything could take away from our monthly dinner meeting, but some felt there was, so...

On September 9, 30 attendees heard Shirley Brooks-Jones talk about the grounding of Delta Flight #15 in Lewisporte, Newfoundland on September 11, 2001. Folks were glued to their seats as she described the ordeal first hand, the many acts of bravery, and acts of kindness that were manifested toward passengers from all over the world in this tiny area. Shirley was honored during intermission at the Ohio State-Miami game on September 11 for her volunteer efforts in establishing a scholarship foundation for this tiny community. The Worthington Shrine Club, along with personal donations from President Ken Harrington and Vice President Bob Nevell, contributed

committee. Accepted for membership was Ken Bethea of the Blendon Township Police Department.

George Stowe advised that next year's family picnic reservations have been made at the Heimet Haus for August 6, 2011.

Jim Rohal reported on the Memorial Tournament and said other clubs and units were awarded \$8,000.00 from gate cut income. Next year's tournament sponsor will be the Nationwide Insurance Company.

The report from the history committee has been delayed for another month.

Celebrating birthdays in October are Thomas J. Colburn, Kenneth W. Corder, Russell H. Duffy, James M. Liebherr, and Theodore R. Shaeffer.

Our members unable to attend meetings because of health issues are Jay Devoll, Cy Leonard, Bob McCullough, and Ted Shaeffer. Dave Grannan is now receiving cancer treatments.

Our condolences go to Jeff Rannebarger whose father, Ned, passed away on September 3. Condolences go to Russ and Nancy Miller on the loss of their brother-in-law on September 6, and to John and Mary Rohal on the loss of a brother-in-law on September 15. Our condolences go to Richard G. Westinghouse whose mother, Helen, passed away on September 23.

Let's all become active again and support all Shrine activities. Oh yes, we will forgive our soon-to-leave snowbirds.

a total of \$250.00 to the Lewisporte Scholarship fund in her honor. This is an outstanding woman from our community and her story would be excellent for Shrine gatherings. It shows what one person can accomplish. Donations can be made to the Lewisporte Area Flight 15 Scholarship Fund c/o The Columbus Foundation.

Coming events are the annual election meeting at Brookside CC on Thursday, November 4. We need nominations for 2nd vice president.

The best event of the year, the Christmas Dinner, will be held on Thursday, December 2. As in years past, we ask you to bring at least one UNWRAPPED toy for a child at one of our hospitals. It is such a great way to start the holiday season, seeing all those gifts under the Christmas tree at Brookside. More details will follow.

With the New Year coming quickly, it is important to get the Nobles of Worthington Shrine Club out and involved in Shrine activities. Look forward to more info and calls regarding events to come.

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Flying Nobles

by Lee McKelvey

Last month's Lamp article from David Ray was a very good report on the Flying Nobles' July trip to Oshkosh. Dave makes all the arrangements for these trips and is usually one of the drivers on the bus. This year Garol Rogers and Steve Hathaway did the driving.

Dave is thinking about a trip in 2011, but a lot of planning has to be made before he makes his decision. One very good part of the trip is having air conditioned rooms at the University.

We had Potentate Estell and the Divan visit us on September 7 at the Shrine Center. Commander Kopp presented the Potentate and Lady Carol with a check from our club. In return, the Potentate gave a gift to Commander Kopp.

Chief Rabban Steve Hathaway spoke about next year's events and the Shrine trip to Scotland and Ireland which sounds like a nice trip. That will be on April 27 to May 7.

The Fall Ceremonial will be past when you read this so I hope we got a lot of new members because we are losing more members than we are taking into the Shrine. Also, make sure the Shrine has your proper address if there are any changes made.

We have nominations for the 2011 Flying Nobles officers at the October meeting and we vote at the November meeting. Both

meetings are at the OSU Airport. We need a few good men to fill these positions in 2011. Our chaplain, Jim Paddock, said he would like to step down next year. Jim has been our chaplain since he joined our club. We thank him for his loyalty to us and to the Shrine. Jim will be 93 next year so he deserves a break.

Terry Kitchen will be our commander next year and he will need some help. If you can give some of your time to hold an office, let us know. I have always enjoyed being a member of the Flying Nobles. I have met some of my best friends in the club but several have passed away.

We don't have as many planes as we did have but we still manage to get some together to have a flyout. We used to fly to other states for the weekend but I think those days are gone.

The Family Halloween Party is coming to the Shrine Center on October 29 and a smaller group of the Air Force Band will be at the Shrine on October 17.

Our meetings are the second Saturday of the month at 10:00 a.m. at OSU Airport. Everybody, do your best to stay well and I will see you next time.

Hardin County

by Ken Rossman

Our regular meeting was held September 15 at Veterans Memorial Park Clubhouse with 42 Nobles attending. Since President McKee could not attend, First Vice President Carl Musselman was in charge of the meeting.

We observed a moment of silence in memory of Noble Lauren Hiller who died recently. We extend our sympathy to his family.

Noble Rossman offered a prayer to open our meeting. Then Vice President Musselman led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

We gave a hand to our kitchen crew for our meal. The crew included Nobles Doornbos, Osborn, Michel, Gilbert, Rice, Garmon, and Ridgeway. Good job, Nobles.

Noble Latham reported that it was suggested by Community Market in Ada that we remove our collection drums from the store - someone is stealing the cans all the time. We will remove drums as suggested.

Applications for our annual scholarships are available. Students must be freshmen or sophomores in college. Contact Tim Jolliff for forms. We generally award those scholarships at our Christmas Party.

Closing prayer was given by Noble David Brutzer. "Happy Birthday" goes to Nobles Neil Good (82) and Ken Rossman (82) and a belated birthday wish to Noble Paul Root Jr. who is 84. Best wishes go to these Nobles. We must remember the words of our Potentate, "Aladdin is Building a Man-Helping a Child".

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Southeast

by Cecil Moore

We had a good meeting on September 23 at the MCL restaurant. The food was fine and the camaraderie was even better; everyone enjoyed the time together. The blessing was asked by Fred Kreutz. The pledge was given, and afterward, we ate dinner.

The meeting was opened by President Pete Ransburg. He discussed the cooperation and help everyone gave at our annual fish fry . It was a great success and the guests had all the fish and sweet corn they desired; everything was delicious. We thanked all the ladies who were so generous with their help and for the delicious desserts they donated. They are there to help with whatever is needed. Thank you, ladies, very much.

Fred gave the treasurer's report; we had a good year with our finances. He has been our treasurer for many years and has done a great job. Thank you, Fred. Keep up the great work; we need you.

George Kosbab, PP, was present at the meeting. He gave our club praise for always donating money toward the children's sled hockey. We know it is appreciated and spent wisely. The sled hockey is his great pride and joy.

Long-time member, Henry Morris, is laid up again. He has had a lot of health problems in the past and still continue. They are mainly caused by injuries from World War II. Say a prayer for him and give him a telephone call; he would be happy to hear from each of us.

If you know of someone who is sick, please contact me (Cecil Moore, 759-9357), so I might give him a call. I'm sure they would be glad to hear from us. Pete closed the meeting and everyone went on their way. So long for this time, maybe more next time.



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