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Aladdin's

Membership Statistics

Membership as of 6/3 Net loss/gain YTD	5824 120	
Net loss/gain Monthly		0
	Current	Yr to Date
Creations	34	195
Affiliations	0	4
Restored	4	26
Associate Members	0	2
TOTAL MONTHLY ADD	0	227
TOTAL YEARLY with ADDS	;	5893
Demits	0	0
Suspensions	1	2
Deaths	15	105
Associates Dropped	0	0
Reversals	0	0
TOTAL MONTHLY DROP	0	107
Membership 01/01/201	3	5656
Associate Membership	01/01/13	48
Total Membership 01-0	01-2013	5704

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Where are we going?

By the time you read this Lamp, the Imperial Session 2013 will be history. As usual, there were many items on the call. I consider the biggest to be item 12 – the Arkansas membership. When passed, it would eliminate the prerequisite of Freemasonry to become a Shriner in Arkansas. The issue in Arkansas could change Shrinedom. If it does, where are we going in the future? I do not have the answer. I hope we, as Shriners, will continue to work on building a strong fraternity. I will be able to explain in more detail next month, after knowing what the vote at Imperial is and what it means in our future. I will do my best to keep all Nobles posted.

Where are we, Aladdin, going in our future? We have been around for 119 years. That is a lot of history and a lot of great Nobles. I believe all of our Nobles are great men and important to Aladdin. We have Nobles from all walks of society and every one of us should be proud to be a Shriner. We are members of the greatest fraternity in the world and because of each of you, children receive the best care possible "regardless of their ability to pay." I ask for your continued support to both Aladdin and Shriners International.

On June 23, Aladdin held its first dinner for new Nobles. Five of our unit directors spoke to the new Nobles and their ladies. The history of Shrinedom and Aladdin Shrine was explained. Three more dinners are planned – July 28, September 8 and October 20. Social hour is at 4:30 p.m. and dinner is at 5:30 p.m. Unit directors from the other units will be presenting. If you are a new Noble for 2013 please attend. I think you will be excited about the information that we are sharing.



William R. Amspaugh, Jr.
Potentate

Don't forget Clippers Night on July 30. Get your reservations in soon; it is a great family night. See the reservation form in this issue of the *Lamp*. If you have not sent your reservation in for the Potentate's Ball you need to do so now. July and August are packed full with visitations. I look forward to seeing many of you at the visitations. Remember, let there be "Miles of Smiles for Every Child."

Another Tabloid Year



by Thomas W. Rice, Aladdin Shrine Tabloid Chair

As the books are closed on our 2013 Tabloid efforts, I want to personally thank all of our Nobles who contributed their time and treasure to allow Shriners Hospitals for Children to continue the great work of caring for children in need.

The total contributions this year were \$283,594.56. Included in that figure was \$13,875.00 contributed by Nobles who joined the \$1.00 per day club as Charter Members. A "tip of the fez" goes to everyone who gave their "pocket change" for a year in one check to "change" the life of a child. Make sure you are one of the first to wear the 2014 \$1.00/year pin.

Total Amount Winner - The winner of this year's Potentate's Award for the total amount of Tabloid contributions was the Washington Shrine Club, Washington Court House, with a total of \$ 41,036.07! Congratulations go to Tabloid Chair Tom Shields and all the Nobles for an outstanding effort.

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Regular meetings of the Aladdin Shriners are held the third Monday of each month except June, July and August at 6:30 PM. (Dinner at 5:30 PM) Aladdin Shrine Center, 3850 Stelzer Road, Columbus, Ohio

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Another Tabloid Year

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Per Capita Award - The Potentate's Per Capita Award goes to the Utica Shrine Club with a total of \$10,010.39 or \$910.03 per member! Another outstanding effort by the 11 members of the Utica Shrine Club.

Charter Members of the \$1.00/year Club - Bill Estell, Gene Steineman, Tom Rice, Garol Rogers, Dennis Feyh, Bill Taylor, Harold Nairn, Ron Leonard, Frank Habeker, Bryan Chorey, Mark Malory, Zale Maxwell, Brian Schleppi, Jon Kinney, Dave Peters, Jeff Kopp, Brian Tabit, Rob Hartsell, Randy Cottrill, David Wolfe, Jay Sheldon, Don Slemmer, Jim Bodi, Randy Detty, John Iben, Bill Amsbaugh, Steve Hathaway, Dick Bates, Barney Barnitz, Don Lynn, David Mowry, Donald Earl, Bob Laird, James Light, Howard Bard, Ray McFee, Russ& Nancy Miller, James Light, Evelyn Sweeten & Sheila Wilkerson, Ron Lemaster, Randy Lintz.

Although we did not meet our goal of \$400,000.00, I still have faith that we can meet that goal by working just a little more and realizing the potential of having all of our members join the \$1.00/year club.

Contributions by Club and Units:

Club/Unit	Total	Club/Unit	Total	Club/Unit	Total
Statehouse	=	Hospitality Unit	5,219.57	Pike County SC	6,434.67
Aladdin	25.00	Jesters	-	Pipes & Drums Unit	2,217.14
Athens County SC	11,106.74	Kambri SC	5,116.05	Provost Unit	6,102.50
Audio	365.00	Kentucky Col.	-	Ross County SC	9,466.48
Baldwin SC	7,145.65	Legion of Honor	2,002.00	Shiloh SC	3,217.82
Belpre SC	5,000.00	Licking County SC	30,524.77	Southeast SC	2,855.14
Brutal Brothers	2,382.50	Lunch Bunch	245.00	Steubenville SC	3,800.00
Bucyrus SC	6,046.88	Madison County SC	2,750.00	Taberah SC	-
Chanters	365.00	Marietta SC	6,300.00	Tahre SC	4,004.39
Clinton County SC	5,000.00	Mariners SC	50.00	Union County SC	20,332.00
Clown Unit	730.00	Marion SC	657.02	Utica SC	10,010.39
Coshocton SC	-	Monroe SC	1,631.69	Washington SC	41,036.07
Delaware County SC	-	Morgan SC	8,900.00	Worhtington SC	9,625.00
Flying Nobles	-	Motorcycle Corp	505.00	Zavi SC	2,500.00
Galion SC	2,160.00	Northeast SC	9,373.15		
Gallipolis SC	26,220.09	Operation Fez	793.00		289,852.56
Hardin County SC	7,674.00	Past Master Unit	824.83		
Hilltop SC	13,661.43	Patrol	365.00	Sent to Hospitals	5,600.00
Hocking Hills SC	3,000.00	Pickaway SC	2,111.59		284,252.56



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A Membership Memo

by Calvin Smith, PP

Aladdin conducted three Ceremonials on Saturday, June 8 at Cambridge, Malta and Belpre with 32 men becoming new Nobles.

It is the largest class Aladdin has had for quite some time. On behalf of Potentate Bill Amspaugh, thanks go to all who top-line-signed these new Nobles and who helped during the day.

Aladdin wishes to thank the Brothers of Guernsey Lodge in Cambridge and of Valley Lodge in Malta as well as the officers and Nobles of the Belpre Shrine Club for the use of the excellent facilities for our June 8 Ceremonials.

Aladdin has created 197 new Nobles since February 1. Our goal is for 250 new members for 2013. Therefore we must not quit now. There are many men who were raised on May 11 who have yet to become Shriners - go remind them.

The names of our new class and their sponsors appear below. Thanks, again, for everyone's efforts.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

First Name	Last Name	City	Top Line Signer
William	Wells	Granville, OH	Barry Fouss
Brandon	Neville	Waterford, OH	Bradley Mason
Tyler	Grossett	Lowell, OH	Calvin Smith
David	Buettner	New Philadelphia, OH	Carl Plants
Michael	Jones	Marietta, OH	Clyde Huddleston
Scott	Mankins	Marietta, OH	Clyde Huddleston
Jerry	Akers	Lichfield, OH	Clyde Huddleston
Douglas	McVay	Waterford, OH	Clyde Huddleston
Joshua	McVay	Beverly, OH	Clyde Huddleston
Dirk	Kreiss	Marietta, OH	Clyde Huddleston
Gary	Jones	Cambridge, OH	Frank Potts
Jack	Clemens	Malta, OH	James McInturf
Robert	Cunningham	Malta, OH	James McInturf
Michael	Denbow	McConnellsville, OH	James McInturf
William	Sibler	Bellaire, OH	James Williams
Anthony	Sholtis	Sarahsville, OH	James Williams
Trevor	Parsons	McConnellsville, OH	James McInturf
Mark	Nelson	Marysville, OH	Barry Fouss
Merrill	Gladden	Malta, OH	Jeff Brock
Mike	West	McConnellsville, OH	Jeff Brock
Miller Sr.	Arthur	Steubenville, OH	Larry Sneathen
Miller, Jr.	Arthur	Steubenville, OH	Larry Sneathen
Brad	Bates	McConnellsville, OH	Paul Lane
Michael	Scott	South Zanesville, OH	Paul Lane
Kevin	Westfall	Crooksville, OH	Paul Lane
Harry	Nickols	New Concord, OH	Richard Brixner
Ronald	Herman	Cambridge, OH	Ron Le Page
Jack	Warne	Cambridge, OH	Ron Le Page
Robert	Thomas	Belpre, OH	Ross Thomas
James	Johnston	Cambridge, OH	Tom Fisher
Philip	Post	Crooksville, OH	Thomas Harris
Thomas	Ollom	White Cottage, OH	William Ollom



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Charles W. Hickman Donald L. Keefe Byron C. Kreager J. William Kutschbach, Sr. Lewis J. Mollman

Mark Alan Patterson Palmer D. Ray William F. Saintenoy

Chaplain's Chat

by Chaplain Zale Maxwell

We humans, like many other animals on this earth, are creatures of habit. If we stop and look at what we do each day or each week, we will find lots of repetition in our lives. We get up about the same time each day, eat our meals about the same time and go to bed at about the same time each day.

However, our repetitious habits go farther than that. For example, my college students will sit in the same seat in the classroom every day, twice a week for the duration of the fifteen-week semester. When I ask them what they do in their other classes, they respond that they sit in approximately the same location in those classrooms, provided other students did not already claim their spots. Wherever they sit, though, it is in the same seat for the full semester, unless told to change. You will recall that I am a United Methodist, born



and raised Methodist, which means that my seat in church is in the back pew. When I was growing up, I sat in the third pew from the back because that was my father's spot. I, however, own the back pew on the left. At least that is how I feel. When someone is in my spot and I am forced to sit in another location, it disrupts my whole worship experience. Yes, and I do things that I do not routinely do, like talk to people that sit three pews in front of me or maybe even on the other side of the aisle. In addition, what happens is I learn so much more about the people and the church for having been forced out of my comfort zone. In return, people get to talk to me and learn about what is going on with my family.

On June 15, the Pipes and Drums played on a few street corners and storefronts for Tabloid. We had a great time and met a lot of Nobles and others. Since then, I have been getting comments from others about how nice it was and how it helped to stop traffic and promote our cause. I think that trying something different is the way to revive and revitalize, not only ourselves, but also the Shrine. The Potentate is encouraging all Nobles to get out in front of the people, more parades and other events. The Brutal Brothers are requesting units to get involved in the fall ceremonial. Nobles, I urge you to move up a pew, not only in church, but in the Shrine and in your life.

Come near to God and He will come near to you. James 4:8 (King James)

Behold, I will do a new thing; now it shall spring forth; shall ye not know it? I will even make a way in the wilderness, and rivers in the desert. Isaiah 43:19 (King James)

First Lady's Project

by First Lady Kathy Amspaugh

For the past several years, the Potentate's Lady has sponsored a fundraising project to benefit the children in our hospitals. This year I am raising funds for the Brachial Plexus Injury Program at the Cincinnati Shriners Hospital.

The brachial plexus is a group of nerves responsible for sensation and motor control of the shoulder, arm, and hand. Injury to these nerves can occur as a result of trauma during birth or an accident. The Brachial Plexus Injury Program is a new directed donation program at the Cincinnati Hospital. The children in this program need braces as part of their treatment. They don't have a fund set in place for that yet and want to build one to make the program solid.

For a donation of \$20.00, you will receive a sparkling bead bracelet and a lighthouse lapel pin. Your generous contribution will go a long way to help support this worthy project.

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Cincinnati Hospital

by Bob Lazenby, D. Dee Mowry, PP

The July meeting of the Board of Governors of the Cincinnati Shriners Hospital started off with a nice, VERY NICE, gift from the Saladin Shriners. A check of \$100,000.00 was presented to the hospital by their Potentate.

The board had the pleasure of meeting Ms. Morgan Williams who will become the Grand Worthy Advisor for the Rainbow Girls of Georgia. She informed us that this year's project for the Georgia Rainbow Girls will be to raise \$5,000.00 which will be contributed to Camp Ytiliby and to the Angel Face Camp. (The Angel Face Camp is for young ladies who have suffered debilitating events to the cranio-facial area.)

Because of the coming "Obamacare" legislation, a community needs assessment for the area has been essentially completed by members of the staff. This assessment gathered a great bit of information regarding strengths and weaknesses of the local healthcare community.

Monthly routine reports were presented which covers everything from budget and finance to temple and public relations. An item of special interest was gleaned from the Intake Committee which showed that during May, the hospital had 25 new non-burn intakes, 5 acute admissions, 31 acute outpatients, five reconstructs, and six observations. Patients represented 25 Shrine Centers and the age range was from 1 month to 19 years. This represents 72 applications with NO applicants rejected.

The budget figures showed that year-to-date figures were \$1,712,083.00 under budget for operations and the research budget was under budget by \$91,566.00. Your hospital is functioning very efficiently.

Various other checks were presented to Chairman Jerry Hardisty.

A great Annual Board of Governor's Grill Out picnic type lunch, prepared by the hospital staff, preceded the regular meeting.

Lexington Hospital by Jim Hackett

This month we will talk about a condition that is very common at the Shriners Hospitals--scoliosis. Scoliosis is a musculoskeletal disorder that causes an abnormal curve of the spine. From the Greek word skolios, meaning crooked, scoliosis is a medical condition where the spine is curved from side to side, sometimes resembling an "S" or a "C" rather than a straight line.

TREATMENT OPTIONS

Observation:

If the child's curve measures less than 25 degrees, doctors follow the patient through observation and examine him or her every four to six months while the patient is growing. At this point, no treatment is needed other than the follow-up examinations.

Bracing

Most physicians recommend their patients be fitted for a brace to prevent a curve from worsening when the patient meets specific, detailed criteria.

Surgery:

It is recommended for patients to undergo fusion surgery to either correct a particularly large curve or prevent it from getting worse.

Fusion surgery involves attaching rods, hooks, wires or screws to the curve and placing small pieces of bone over the spine. The bone pieces will grow together with the spinal bone, fusing it in the proper position. There are several fusionless surgical options that can be used alone or in tandem with other treatments.

Again, thank you for all your support in helping "our" kids.

What's New in Erie 👋 🖐 👋



Patient Artwork to Decorate State Senator's Office

Artwork created by several patients at Shriners Hospitals for Children—Erie Ambulatory Surgery Center and Outpatient Specialty Care Center is now gracing the walls of the Erie office of Pennsylvania State Sen. Sean D. Wiley. The artwork was presented to the senator at a news conference held recently at Shriners—Erie.

Several months ago, the senator's office contacted Shriners about obtaining artwork from the facility's patients. Through the efforts of the Child Life and Public Relations departments at Erie, several patients created artwork. Some of the work was done in color and other pieces were drawn in pencil. All of the pieces were either framed or matted compliments of U Frame It and the Poster Annex., a local Erie business.

Participating in the news conference were two of the patient artists — Brooke Daeschner and Megan Grutkowski. Sen. Wiley has been a strong advocate in the Pennsylvania Senate for children's health care issues.

Shriners Kids Take to The Waves in Sailing Program

A day of sailing on Presque Isle Bay was scheduled for Shriners Hospitals - Erie patients on Saturday, July 13, as part of the Erie Adaptive Sailing Experience (EASE) program.

The Erie Bayfront Center for Maritime Studies, in conjunction with other local organizations and volunteers, developed this sailing program specifically for people with disabilities.

The program uses specially designed sailing dinghies that are easy for individuals with physical challenges to sail. Sailing instructors ride with participants, adapting equipment as needed to allow the individual to sail the boat independently. A lift is available to help participants transfer into the sailboats, if necessary.

The July 13 date was specifically reserved just for Shriners Hospitals - Erie patients. Those participating were treated to beverages and lunch as well.

The EASE sailing program is an annual event that Shriners' patients have been involved with for several years, and it is a wonderful opportunity for the kids!

"Timmy's Day Out" Program Continues This Summer

The extremely popular "Timmy's Day Out" program will be held again this summer for patients at Shriners Hospitals—Erie. The program was created to help children with spina bifida grow up to be as healthy, able and independent as possible. This is done through a series of excursions that help these children experience "real work" situations. The program was developed by Erie's Myelodysplasia (spina bifida) Specialty Care Team with initial funding from Candy Bollen and the Ladies of Dendarah Court #10, LOSNA.

Candy's son Timmy was born with spina bifida over 40 years ago before the Americans with Disabilities Act helped to make communities more accessible for individuals with handicaps, and their families. Candy was a big advocate for Timmy and didn't let his diagnosis prevent him from living his life to the fullest. He attended school, enjoyed leisure activities, and she looked for the best health care available.

The Shriners Hospitals for Children-Erie team felt that its patients with spina bifida and their families needed guidance to begin developing the skills necessary for healthy, active lifestyles.

Life for kids with spina bifida can have many extra challenges and the "Timmy's Day Out" activities are planned to help them find ways to overcome obstacles.

The annual summer program takes Shriners patients to a variety of places where they can have fun and at the same time, deal with everyday issues they need to address, such as making healthy food selections in restaurants, addressing potential allergy issues in public places and using public restrooms.

The "Timmy's Day Out" program is funded primarily through private contributions.

	AMBASSADOI August 6,	RS Golf Outing		
St. Alban's Golf Club Northridge Road	Time: 7:00 AM – Coffee And Donuts 8:00 AM – Scramble Golf Tee Times 12:30 PM – Lunch Served 1:30 PM – Cash Awards Presented	\$60.00 Golf & Lunch Cost \$30.00 Golf Only \$35.00 LunchOnly		
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KAMBRI

by Dick Brixner

Your Kambri Shrine Club started the month of June by hitting the streets to raise funds for our 22 Shriners Hospitals in North America.

We had 20 Shriners on the streets in Cambridge, New Concord, Byesville, Caldwell and Senacaville. They accepted donations for our hospitals and shared the good news of the same. We also had three Shriners who worked behind the scenes, counting the money received.

Did you know that our first hospital was founded in 1922? We have provided for medical care to more than one million children, regardless of the families' ability to pay. Our health care facilities provide for orthopaedic conditions, burns, spinal cord injuries and cleft lip and palate. Our Shriners Hospitals for Children are leaders in medical research and medical education in all four specialty areas.

Shriners, there is still time to send in your donations for our hospitals. You can mail your check to Noble Tom Fisher, or you can go online to donate2shc.org and hit the button for "donate now." Thanks, again, to all who gave up their Saturday mornings to raise funds for our 22 hospitals.

On Saturday, June 8, Aladdin held a One-Day Class in Cambridge at our Masonic Lodge. We had 15 members of the Divan, which included our Potentate, travel to our city in "Big Red" to conduct the class. We have 13 new Nobles, several will be members of the Kambri Shrine Club. Thanks go to all who made this day a success.

On Saturday, June 15, we held our annual golf scramble at Wildfire Golf Club in New Concord The weather was ideal, (I took credit for the same), and we enjoyed fun and fellowship along with an excellent steak dinner and numerous door prizes.

The winning team, Lanning, Bryan, Marcum and Burk-Hart had a score of 57, or 14 under par. Congratulations go to this group and thank you for your participation. We had a tie for second place, with the teams of Brixner, Thornton, Thornton, and Madewell; and Mosher, Nickols, Herman and McCormick came in with 62. The skill prizes were won by Brixner, Thornton, Bryan, Marcum, McCormick, Mosher, Brown and Denius.

Special thanks go to Wildfire Golf Club, Nobles Ron LePage, Dave Black, Buzzy Ferguson, and John Polascak for the 41 hole sponsors. A big "thank you" is sent to other Nobles for their assistance.

Nobles, keep watching your mailboxs for the next Kambri Shrine event and please plan to attend. We have a fish fry scheduled for Saturday, September 7, steak fry on October 17, elections on November 21 and our annual Christmas party on December 12. The above dates are published for your planning, and we hope to see you and your lady at the coming events.

On Thursday, June 20, your Kambri Shrine Club participated in the annual Children's Health Fair at our city park. This was the 16th annual event sponsored by our local hospital. Nobles Bates, LePage, Ferguson, Potts, and Shimp worked the table, handing out information on our Shrine Hospitals and other related material. We also presented two children's bicycles (318 children registered) and the winners were Ty Baker and Annabelle Casey.

It was estimated that we had over 700 people in attendance, visiting the numerous booths, eating hot dogs, popcorn and drinks. The hospital provided over 340 tee shirts to those 3-11 year olds.

Thanks go to the five Nobles who took the time to share Shrine information with our community, took part in the consumption of the free food, and be sure to ask them as to the "experience" of working the tables.

2013 ALADDIN PARADES

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

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OFFICIAL		DATE	LINE-UP	STEP
Baltimore Parade		8/10	9:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
Marysville Balloor	n Festival	8/14	6:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
Bucyrus Parade		8/16	6:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
Great Lakes Shrine	e Association 9/14			
Jackson Apple Fes	stival	9/21	6:45 p.m.	7:45 p.m.
Circleville Pumpki	in Parade	10/18	7:00 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
Athens Veterans [Day Parade	11/11	9:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
Lancaster Christm	as Parade	11/23	9:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Optional				
Nelsonville Parade	e	8/17	5:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Marietta Labor Da	y Parade	8/31	9:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Marion Popcorn		9/5	5:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Grove City Parade	:	9/14	8:30 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
Gallipolis Veteran	s Day	11/11	10:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Washington CH C	hristmas	11/30	5:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.

Past Masters

by Dick Bull

Many thanks go to all of our unit members who worked at the Memorial Tournament parking cars recently. On the final day, Sunday, we completely filled every lot that was assigned to us – AA, A, B, C, RV, Handicapped. C lot had not been used for a number of years, but luckily the weather was dry as that lot has terrible drainage during rains. Daun Knox was in charge and did a great job. Gary Fortner had to have surgery for a torn meniscus, but still showed up afterward – on crutches. Three of our "older" members worked on the lots directing traffic – Lou Ardit (92), Tom Thornton (90) and Rollie Lattaner (89). That is real dedication.

Welcome goes to our newest reserve member, Bill Hohman, a Past Master of Linden Lodge #637 in 2009. We look forward to many years of fun and fellowship together.

August 4 is the date for our annual unit picnic at Eagle Pavilion at Rotary Park, 3899 Orders Road. Time is from 1:00 - 5:00 p.m. and we will eat at 2:00 p.m. This is a new venue in the Grove and we look forward to everything that it offers. Doug Hoover is in charge with help from several others. Arrangements were spear-headed by Neil Elan.

We will be attending all three parades with the van in August:

- Saturday, August 10 Baltimore Line up at 9:30 a.m. Step off at 10:30 a.m.
- Wednesday, August 14 Marysville Balloon Festival Line up at 6:00 p.m. Step off at 7:00 p.m.
- Friday, August 16 Bucyrus Bratwurst Festival Line up at 6:00 p.m. Step off at 7:00 p.m. More details will be in our unit newsletter.

We keep our members and ladies who are experiencing health issues in our thoughts and prayers: Al Pettigrew, Ken Sparks, George Roloson, Jim Krinn, Bob Diehl, Margaret Roof and Sharon Justus.

Reception

by Don Owens

The weather was kind to the Reception Unit on Saturday, June 22, when Director Jack Bonn threw a cookout in his capacious backyard, shaded by a magnificent hackberry tree. The rumor that Jack had personally planted that tree proved false. Rain showers were in the general area, but we were undampened and undaunted as the thunderheads passed us by.

We had a great turnout of about forty hungry and thirsty souls, all of whom went home thoroughly satisfied. Bill Compton did great work with his spatula, assisted by the Bonns' daughter and son-in-law. We were especially happy to see a number of people who are recovering from health problems, including Bill Bickel, Doris Davis and Sharon Compton. Also, most welcome were our guests Shirley Kosbab, Esther Manker and Jane Frankenberg.

As this is written, a party of eight members is getting ready to participate in the Imperial Parade in Indianapolis. An eight-man cart has been rented to help us keep pace and endure the heat and humidity. We expect this to be standard practice in future parades.

Jim Paul reports he is recovering nicely from back surgery at Riverside Hospital—he won't be in the Imperial parade, but he may be well enough for Bucyrus. Ann Smith reports that she and Ed are doing alright in Saint Louis. She points out that we would save postage if we left Ed off the meeting announcement mailing, but we plan to ignore her.

Ken and Alice Beckholt have returned from a vacation they would probably rather forget. Alice suffered a collapsed lung in Yellowstone National Park and was life-flighted to Bozeman Montana. When she had recovered sufficiently to go home, she was prohibited from traveling by air and had to go by Amtrak. Best wishes go to Alice and Ken for her complete recovery.

It's a bumper crop of birthdays this month. Bill Bickel, John Bonn, Dave Fultz, Carl Riley, Ed Smith and Ralph Vaughn are a year older. Congratulations go to all.

Reminder: It's not too late to contribute to Steve Russo and Dave Fultz, who are carrying the unit's colors in the Peletonia this year. Defeating cancer is a great cause. See www.mypeletonia.org.

The unit will stand dark until the September meeting, but watch this space for news about members of the unit as well as upcoming parades.

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Hardin

by Ken Rossman



Our June 19 meeting was our annual Potentate's visit. We had a good crowd - 56 from Aladdin and 70 of our Nobles and Ladies. V.P. Ridgeway was in charge of the evening and gave a welcome.

Noble Brutzer gave the opening prayer. We gave a big hand to the kitchen crew. It was a long day for the crew — Nobles Tim Jolliff, Gilbert, Wagner, Don Doll, Hinebaugh, Michel, Wagner, Osborn, Matteson, Garmon and Wynegar. Great job, Nobles.

Ridgeway presented a check to the Potentate's Lady Kathy for her project. Ridgeway presented a check to the Potentate for Aladdin Temple. After the Potentate thanked us, all of our guests were introduced - all Past Potentates and their Ladies and other guests.

P.P. Calvin Smith gave a spirited talk on the importance of Aladdin and the Shrine. We need new $members\ NOW.\ He\ stressed\ the\ number\ in\ total\ loss\ of\ Aladdin\ members\ over\ the\ past\ several\ years.$

The Potentate gave a brief talk on the changes in our Shrine Hospitals and improvements being made at our hospitals. He then mentioned the Fall Ceremonial and reviewed all of our important dates for the rest of the year. The Potentate presented a gift to Vice President Ridgeway.

Our evening meal was great and it was topped off with Noble Tim Jolliff's deep dish pies - five kinds - topped with ice cream. Thank you, Noble Jolliff, for this special treat.

We owe a "thank you" to all who prepared the room for the evening and to all who helped restore it after the meeting was over. Thank you one and all. Our evening ended with a prayer.

We wish "happy birthday" to Noble Bill Clinger who is 85; we hope he has many more.

Kegistrar

by Art Puetz

Muirfield 2013 is history and big kudos go to the Gold Coats who pitched in once again. Especially, thanks go to Noble Russ Ward who filled in for a couple of days for Assistant Director Noble Dick Ham who was still recuperating. Many of our members hit the streets with their Shrine Clubs for Tabloid and from what I hear so far, they contributed to yet another good year for our hospitals.

We had our Ladies Night Appreciation Dinner in the Aladdin Room on June 20 and were honored to host First Lady Kathy Amspaugh who spoke about her project to support the Brachial Plexus Injury Program at the Cincinnati Shriners Hospital. As previously agreed, our support of this terrific program was exemplified by our providing one of the First Lady's bracelets to each of our ladies present. The meal was terrific and huge kudos go to President Noble Dick Huff and Vice-President Noble Craig Lobdell for making the arrangements for this wonderful event. The evening closed with remarks by our Director Noble Andrew Baker who wished each of us a safe trip home.

Even though we've now "gone dark" until next September for our meetings, this doesn't mean the Registrars will not be out and about till then. We are going to be busy with the parades and all of the Aladdin Shrine Center activities our Potentate has on the schedule. Some are the Car Show and Corn Roast and other various Shrine club activities!

The title of Quartermaster Emeritus was bestowed on Noble James L. Murphy and a certificate to that effect was presented to Noble Jim on June 27 by Director Noble Andrew Baker and Vice-President Noble Craig Lobdell.

BTW, the same goes for the Registrars as it does for Masonry in; "If you want to be one, ask one."

Southeast Shrine Club's

FISH FRY & CORN FEST

American Legion Post 144 3253 South High Street, Columbus Ohio

Friday, August 2 5:00 - 7:30 PM Sliced tomatoes baked beans cole slaw deep fried zucchini

INCLUDES;

Adults \$9.00 - Children under 10 - \$4.00

Just Clowning Around by Wayne "Wayno" Shriver

A KNIGHT'S TALE- King Arthur had Sir Lancelot and the Knights of the Round Table. King Henry VIII had his eight wives and JFK had Camelot. Recently Bobby "Tuitt" Barton stepped down as the boss clown, citing personal reasons and wanting to spend more time with the grandkids. Who could fault him for that? Tuitt served the clown unit for many years and did a good job as Clown Director. We wish you well Bobby.

But that left the Clowns of the Oval Table without direction, without leadership but more importantly, someone to take the blame when we screwed up.

Matt "Nutt" Knight was tagged to become the new King of Clowns, or in his case, the Big Nutt of the Oval Table. Sir Nutt will be a great leader of the pack, especially when he is able to stand on his own two feet. (Matt recently had surgery on his feet.)

But now his court was one leader short; have no fear, Matt dusted off Don "Toots" Tootle and asked him to be a Prince of the Court. The rest of our fine leadership has remained the same, but adding Toots to the lineup, primes us for another run for the World Series.

As always, my brothers, remember those who are under the weather.

Kentucky Colonels

by Ron Fraser

Because of the absence of President Bivens, Vice President Rike opened the meeting by asking Chaplain Dee Mowry, PP to give the Invocation. He also led us in the Pledge of Allegiance. Eighteen members and guests then enjoyed a good meal.

Vice President Rike asked the officers of the club to stand and introduce themselves and their ladies. Then asked the past presidents to stand. Neil McCleary, Jim Smith, Ron Fraser, Jim Smith and Lee McKelvey stood and gave the year they were president and introduced their ladies. Col. Gary Shoemaker was introduced and stated the office he currently holds.

Minutes for March and April were read by Secretary Fraser. Under old business, a motion to pay bills was made by Jim Smith and seconded by Homer Anderson. The motion was approved.

Past Potentate Dee Mowry gave a report on the changes taking place in our Shrine Hospitals. Under new business Vice President Rike read a letter from Kentucky Colonel Headquarters stating that a donation of \$30,000.00 had been sent to aid the victims of the Oklahoma storms. Vice President Rike closed the meeting by asking P. P. Mowry to give the benediction.

Motorcycle Corps

by Larry Bell

First, I want to thank all who helped out at Muirfield and with Tabloid Day. **CORPS PARADE REPORT**

Utica: This is always a good trip; the weather was a little cold. Tim and I did brave the 38° morning and rode to Utica. The corps had six mini bikes there; we followed the Tin Lizzies. Between the mini bikes and Tin Lizzies, the folks in Utica had a great show and we showed Aladdin is alive and well.

Worthington: Unfortunately, it was raining when it was time for most of us to start out, so the officers of the corps made the decision to cancel because of the rain and wet roads.

Masonic Home Parade: It was a little warm this day, but we had a good showing in Springfield . Our next ride is the Shriners Hospital Ride For Kids on July 21; there will be more information on this at July's meeting. We have invited the widows of the Corps to join us at our July dinner meeting.

Our Potentate's visit to the Corps is Thursday, September 5. We will be at Schmidts in German Village . Please RSVP to Warren Miller, 614-889-1904, or Larry Bell, 614-506-4737, by August 26.

Our August meeting will be at "Brew-Stirs" Fun Pub, 6035 Sunbury Road and 161 Westerville. Ohio, 43081, 6:30 p.m. fun time, meeting at 7:30. p.m. Everyone have a great summer.

Flying Nobles by Lee McKelvey

The Flying Nobles held the June meeting at the OSU Airport with a good showing of members. PC Bob Cahill came in from Raymond and Roy McGrew came from Granville plus our regular members who attend every month. Commander Williams was on vacation so Deputy Commander Don Shartzer conducted our meeting. We had a good long meeting and a lot of ideas were discussed.

I'm sorry to get the news that one of our past commanders passed away in June - Ben Kirkendall. He was our commander in 1980. I wondered what became of Ben through the years and he was living in Marysville. I don't know if anyone knew where he was living. Our sympathy goes to his family.

Chaplain Jim Paddock was 95 years old on June 23. He hasn't been able to attend our meetings lately but he is doing his best to be with us. Jim was a WW II pilot and has a lot of stories to tell about his time in the Air Force.

Did you see where the last four Doolittle Raiders had their last public reunion? They were part of the Doolittle Raid on Tokyo on April 18, 1942, flying North American B-25 Mitchell bombers. I always liked the B-25. Those guys were heroes but they figured they were just doing their job. I always admired the pilots of WW II. I think that's where I got the desire to fly.

We appreciate the members who attend the monthly meetings, and we are always glad to see our members who haven't been around in a while. Saturday morning might be a bad time but we have been doing it for years. Not much news but it's summer time and that means vacation time for everyone. See you next month. Stay safe and stay well.

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Aladdin Shrine Band by Dave Haney

July arrived along with summer. The Imperial Session happened over the fourth of July. Nine bands were there and Aladdin showed up with four - the mighty few playing in one of four bands somewhere during the day and in the evening. No bad reports or bail money was required, so I guess all of you varmints must have been on your good behavior. Kept us off the streets and out of jail!

The picnic for all band folks, including the Indianapolis survivors, was July 9 at Waller's.

Speaking of picnics, I would like to announce that the Cleveland Indians, as of today, have won five of their last eight games. Justin Masterson on the mound! Those pesky Tigers lost big to a bunch of birds from Baltimore. Orioles? Only 3 ½ games out now. Maybe, just maybe, we can hold on through July? Green Eyes briefly stirred and gave a one eye blink at the mention of birds. Back to sleep on the printer now. Tough life but someone has to do it!

Did any of you get the answer to last month's baseball question? Who was the first integrated team in baseball? The answer - the Bismarcks from North Dakota. The year was 1933. They were brought together by Neil Churchill who owned the Chrysler dealership in Bismarck. It was during The Great Depression and an editor of the Chicago Tribune came up with an idea for a special event that would help "A Century of Progress," the theme of the 1933 World's Fair in Chicago. The event was held on July 6 at Chicago's Comiskey Park. Do you know what it was? Answer next month.

However, if you were a black baseball player, it really did not matter that much. You were not allowed to play in the majors in those days! Dumb, but also true. However, in Nowhere, North Dakota things were beginning to change. Neil Churchill started putting together a baseball team of six black players and five white players for the Bismarcks. Some of the very best from the Negro National League – one in particular! Any guesses who? Tune in next month!

Schedule Stuff: The Aladdin Jazz Band has a schedule for performances at Hilliard, Ohio at the Gazebo on Norwich Street, Sunday, August 18, 7:00 p.m..

August:

- 10 Baltimore Parade Dixieland Band 1:30-2:00 p.m.
- 16 Bucyrus Parade 6 p.m. line up. Parade at 7 p.m. Beverages and brats following.
- 17 Chicken and Corn Roast
- 31 Portsmouth River Days Parade Dixieland Band

September:

- 3 Band Rehearsal 7:00-8:30 p.m.
- 10 Concert Band First Community Village
- 17 Band Rehearsal 7:00-8:30 p.m.
- 24 Band Rehearsal. 7:00-8:30 p.m., Exec. Board 8:30 p.m.

A Word at The End: Do you remember the old-time comedians? Not a single swear word in their routines. The bozos today cannot talk without using swear words.

"I just got back from a pleasure trip. I took my mother-in-law to the airport" "I've been in love with the same woman for 49 years. If my wife finds out, she'll kill me."

"My wife and I had words, but I didn't get to use mine."

And my favorite: Patient: "I have ringing in my ears." Doctor: "Don't answer."

Licking County

by Franklin C. Boner

Tabloid Days are behind us, Mound City Little League is ongoing and the Hartford Fair looms in August! The following Nobles were instrumental in our Tabloid fundraising efforts: Pataskala -Eric Evans and Larry Tuller, Johnstown - Robert B. Thomas and John Knoepfler, Granville - Fred Palmer, Jimmy Gill and Richard Carter, Heath - Mike Hammond, Carl and Bruce Thompson, Herb Wise, Tom Cline, and Roger Hopkins, Newark - William Harvey, Danny Bounds, Richard Denny, and unfortunately, two unnamed Nobles from Columbus.

Tabloid, Fez and Bequests totaled \$6,500.00 of funds transferred thus far. Our July meeting will have taken place at the St. Louisville Fire Department and enjoyed by all in attendance. The August 1 noon meeting at the Grotto will feature disbursement of ASHAC funds to eight area fire departments! President Nobel Danny Bounds is requesting a special effort of all Licking County Nobles to attend and show our appreciation to our area fire fighters. If you can work a four-hour shift at the Hartford Fair, contact Gene Gregory at 740-973-6004.

Several of our Nobles, including Richard Carter and Sherwood Conners, are recovering from recent surgeries and would enjoy a call or a card. Those Nobles with ongoing health issues include Gene Smith and Phil Phillips and they need our support and prayers.

The annual picnic will be held August 16 at McPeeks. More information will be in the next Lamp.

Provost

by John Rohal

The June Provost meeting was well attended. Even though a notice was sent to all members prior to this meeting that our ladies would not have their dinner meeting, two ladies did show up because their unnamed husbands failed to give them the word. (Sorry about that, Virginia and Nancy.)

I guess it would seem to be remiss in my duties if the Muirfield humorous happenings were not mentioned even if there were only a very few this year! Let's start with the very first day when all of our "leaders" must pick up their official vehicles and have their drivers licenses copied. You guessed it, Jim Rohal left his billfold

at home and it had to be delivered to him. The new style trailer on A-lot had bars on the windows, we thought it was previously used as one of Dwight Radcliff's old holding cells. Then there was the one time Dale Cline came to the A-lot trailer specifically to pick up some daily passes. After a little conversation, he forgot to take the passes and had to be reminded by Katie to turn around and get the passes. Speaking of that dynamic duo, Dale lost Katie's sunglasses and she had to purchase new ones, it was pointed out that was the same day Dale was wearing a pink shirt and may have been gender confused. Of course, there is more, but not enough space!

Director Gene Steineman thanked Gary Hamre for conducting the previous months meeting. The minutes of the previous meeting and the treasurer's reports were approved as corrected. The treasurer's report was filed for audit, and the treasurer was given approval to pay bills received during the summer months. Approved for unit reinstatement was Donald Shartzer of Westerville. Don is a retired Columbus Police Officer and was a charter member of the Provost Unit.

Also approved for membership were Fred Goldstein of Pataskala, a retired Highway Patrol Major and presently employed by Ohio Homeland Security; Phil Norris of Delaware, a part-time Police Officer in Cardington; Leo Doyle of Wadsworth, employed as a pressman; Derek Martin of Blacklick, employed as a storm chaser for Nationwide Insurance; Richard A. Hicks of Circleville, a former Deputy with the Cabill County, W. Va. Sheriff's office and presently a security officer with Nationwide Insurance; Robert Christopher Slatzer of Orient, a security officer for Nationwide Insurance; and Aaron Dennis of Lancaster, a Deputy with the Franklin County Sheriff's Office.

A motion was approved to donate \$3,000.00 to the Temple's Tabloid Day. Jim Rohal reported that all Nobles did an excellent job at the Memorial Golf Tournament and that we should do okay financially. Bob Cannon reported that 21 Provost members will be attending the Imperial Council Session and we will be the largest unit in attendance from Aladdin Temple. George Stowe reported that the annual family picnic will be Saturday, August 3. The cost will be \$10.00 per family. Our recovering members in attendance included Jim Cooper, Jon Kinney, and Bill Dountz.

Director Gene reminded us of the Baltimore parade - August 10, the Potentate's Ball - August 10, the Bucyrus Parade - August 16, the Marysville Parade - August 14, the Corn Roast & Car Show - August 17, and the Stag Picnic - August 31. Charles Linek reminded us of the Nationwide Golf Tour September 13-19.

Celebrating birthdays in July are Robert C. Albright, Howard L. Beane, Donald L. Cox, John F. Demjen, Franklin D. Edwards, Christopher P. Fannin, Herber M. Fellure Jr., Dennis D. Feyh, Gary Leslie William Hamre, Charles D. Law, Harry A. Lewis, James C. Light, Jon F. Rhoades, John W. Rohal, Malcom C. Talbot, William W. VanGundy, and Arthur L. Wilson. That's enuff for now; enjoy your summer.

Voice of Aladdin

by Jim Leonard

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Calling all amateur radio operators as well as those interested in computers and radios in general. On Saturday, August 3, 8:00 a.m., 2:00 p.m., the Voice of Aladdin Amateur Radio Club will host the Columbus Hamfest at the Aladdin Shrine Center. This year's event is held in conjunction with the Amateur Radio Relay League (ARRL) Great Lakes Convention and the Ohio Single Sideband Annual Meeting.

The highlight of the day will be an address by Chief Executive Officer Dave Sumner, K1ZZ. Dave will bring a wealth of information about what is happening in ham radio, both locally and internationally. There will be two "tracks" of forums to include some favored ham radio topics. Confirmed at this point are Carl Leutzelschwab, K9LA, speaking on Propagation and Jay Adrick, K8CJY, with a presentation on the Mason, OH Voice of America site and its history.

More presentations are in the works and will be announced as they are confirmed.

The Voice of Aladdin encourages all amateur radio operators to join in this opportunity. Come and see some of the latest in amateur equipment and visit with several of the amateur-related clubs and special interest groups. See our website for further information – www.columbushamfest. com or http://arrl-greatlakes.org/

Can You Sing? The Chanters Want YOU!

The Aladdin Chanters are looking for voices to fill out our ensemble. We sing on Monday Nights, we sing for the Ceremonials, in parades. We also sing at Retirement Homes.

If you are interested please call Director John Iben at 614-459-7363.

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Tarhe

by David Mowry



The officers of Tarhe Shrine Club would like to take this opportunity to thank the Nobles who helped during this year's Tabloid Days. Thanks to your help, Tarhe raised over \$4,300 for the Shrine Hospitals! As always, we couldn't have done it without you. We would also like to thank all of the local businesses and towns that allow us to use their property and equipment during collection times as well.

Now that Tabloid is wrapped up for this year, we'd like to get an inventory of the Tarhe supplies. If you have jugs and satchels that belong to the club, please contact David Mowry (email: davidemowry@gmail.com, phone: 740-503-8958) so we can get an accurate list of what we have and what we will need for next year. Please remember that we are no longer supposed to use jugs or satchels that have labels saying "crippled children" or ones that advertise our hospitals as free. Also, some of our collection jugs are starting to show their age, so if you have extra bleach bottles, please save them for the club so we can start to replace ones that need it.

Tarhe had several events this summer. First was our annual Fish Fry and Brown Bag Auction which will be held at the Baltimore VFW on July 18.

As usual, in lieu of our August meeting, we will be hosting an afterglow for the Baltimore Parade August 10. Tarhe Nobles are welcome to attend, but please let President Hank know you're coming so we can have enough food for everyone. The afterglow will be held at the Baltimore VFW.

If you would like to attend either of our events, please make reservations with Hank Kauffman by calling 614-774-5499 or by emailing hkauffman@usa.net. Any questions regarding this year's Tabloid should be directed to David Mowry or Dan Meenach (phone: 740-687-4582, email: enachgaf@earthlink.net). We hope to see you at our meetings! Have a great summer!

Hilltop

by Ron Craven

The Hilltop Shrine Club held its annual Tabloid Kickoff Dinner on June 5 at the Naus Club Park. It was a perfect evening. We had 36 Nobles and their ladies present, the food was provided by the past presidents and Noble David Ray cooked the hamburgers. The proceeds from the dinner raised over \$200.00 for the hospitals. We want to give a big "thank you" to the Naus Club for allowing us to use the picnic area for our Tabloid Kickoff.

Club President Noble Dave Minton held a short meeting. Noble Art Groves and Noble Dick Ham discussed the schedules for which Shriners were working at their Walmart stores. Due to Noble Gene Dew's health, Noble Ray Pendell arranged coverage for the Hilliard Walmart.

Nobel Ray Pendell reportedt on our members who are having health problems. Recording Secretary Nobel Gene Dew is having health problems and is unable to continue in his position, Nobel Dick Ham is on the mend and his lady friend, Grace, is scheduled for heart surgery. Noble Jim Murphy is home, and Noble Jim Owens is having health problems. Noble Irv Denune's lady, Jackie, is still ailing. Keep them in your prayers and, if possible, send them a "get well" or "thinking of you" card.

Our next meeting will be Wednesday, September 4, at York Steak House with dinner at 6 p.m., meeting at 7 p.m. Ladies are welcome to attend. Have a safe summer and we'll see you in September.

Thebes Temple

by Terry Smith, Queen

I'm not sure if George Gershwin got it right or not when he wrote, "Summertime, and the livin' is easy...." This has already been a very full summer. Five officers of Thebes Temple spent a very busy week in Grapevine, Texas at the 2013 Supreme Session – 100 Years of Nile, Texas-style.

Fifteen amendments to our bylaws were discussed and voted on during session. Members should look for the results of those votes in the Thebes newsletter coming out later this summer.

Next was the Shrine Imperial in Indianapolis. It was a fun week with competitions and, of course, the Shrine Parade. The Daughters of the Nile were granted a first by the Imperial Potentate. Our Clown Units were invited to be in the opening group of Shrine clowns and our "Love of the Children" motor coach was the final motorized unit in the parade. Be sure to look for this motor coach when it arrives in Columbus with the Supreme Queen inside at our official visit on October 15, 2013.

Our members toured the Cincinnati Shriners Hospital for Children on July 16 and were joined by Nile ladies from Akielo Temple #128 in Lexington, KY; Ishtar Temple #54 in Cincinnati; and Azizah Temple #57 in Dayton for this visit. We enjoyed a box lunch together before returning home.

On July 20, members and friends of Thebes Temple will travel to Clifton Mill for a delicious brunch which will feature the pancakes made from the Mill's stone-ground meal. We will go to the Westcott House in Springfield, Ohio. It is Frank Lloyd Wright's only prairie style home in Ohio.

Thebes Chicken & Noode Dinor YUMI

The Thebes Annual Chicken and Noodle Dinner is Friday, July 26 from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. at Luther B. Turner Lodge. This great meal consists of our delicious chicken and homemade noodles, mashed potatoes, biscuits, cole slaw, our Famous Nile Dessert and a beverage. Tickets are still only \$8.00 each. Carry-out is available. This is a meal you don't want to miss. Tickets can be purchased from any member or at the door.

A day trip to The Wilds Wildlife Park is planned for Sunday, August 25 for members and friends. The cost is 50.00/person and includes lunch and the tour of the park. At

this time, the trip will depend on the number interested in going. If you are interested in joining us, call Terry at 614-882-8597; there may still be room on the bus.

Brutal Brothers

by George Bell

Memorial Service: Noble Larry Lott faced the Black Camel with a courage and history of trying his best to solve the problems of a great Mason. We share the heartfelt sympathy with his family and especially for his wife, Linda. The unexpected turn of health issues can bring sudden changes to our unit fellowship. We shall certainly miss but shall long recall the many special deeds accomplished by Larry.

Last Month - A Busy One - Thank you, Nobles, for working the Muirfield gate. We certainly shared the duties under new assignments, but with true Brutal Brother conduct, we never fail meeting the finest of level service. Be sure to

enjoy the Steak Fry next month for those who staffed all the gate assignments.

Tabloid, A Special Tribute - Even Aladdin units have use of our parade equipment on Tabloid Day. It seems we always have something going out daily with the Aladdin image held high in public view. Thanks go to Jake Sturgeon and the Nobles who work diligently to keep them always ready. We are not sure of putting 10 fishing boats into the Wolfe building after the Lake Erie Trip.

Bring New Nobles Back for Ceremonial - We salute the chief and his crew who have assisted the Potentate and Divan with the regional and local ceremonial performances. They have now all been finished except for inviting the newest Nobles to come in December to help perform the Second Section of our full Ceremonial. Remember, let the fun blossom again.

Imperial Parade - As always, we assigned a full crew of drivers and navigators to take all the participating unit equipment for Aladdin's appearance in the Imperial Parade. This year was an evening and night-time event. This required having everything electrical operating in harmony with the towing vehicles.

August Parades - Next month is one of the busiest for parades. New this year will be the trip to the Union County Shrine event at the Hot Air Balloon Rally in Marysville. We shall be on a marathon run of three out of four days in one weekend. Hope you can help staff this heavy schedule. We have been promised good food, too.

Potentate's Ball - The Potentate's Ball will be a full dress event this year with dinner, a great show from Las Vegas, and even cap off the evening with a few dance steps. It would be great to see a full table or two for our Brutal Brothers Unit. Be sure to do the advanced planning with your lady and friends, too.

Take Two for the Summer - Take two months away from our unit meetings. We will resume our monthly meals in September right after the Potentate's Ball.

Hope to see many of you then.

Worthington

by Bob Stevenson

It must be summer for things are going like 90 MPH! Where are those LAZY, crazy days of summer? I got the crazy, but no lazy!

This is A PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT:

If you have a computer, if you do things on it and save what you do–BACK IT UP, ALL THE TIME! PS: Do as I say, not as I didn't!

This past couple months have seen Nobles, families and friends from Worthington Shrine Club at gate 8 during the Memorial Tournament. We thank each of you for your time and helping make this golf event a center piece of our community's year and helps bring International attention to Central Ohio. We appreciate you being there.

Also June 8 was Tabloid Day, and seen were Worthington Shrine Club Nobles at High Street and Rt. 161 in Worthington and at High Street and Bridge Street in downtown Dublin. If you were at Strader's Garden Center on Riverside Drive or Hills Grocery by Worthington Hills, you also saw Nobles. If you visit either of the businesses, let them know we appreciate them letting us hand out Tabloids. What a great time to make the Shrine presence felt in our area. The good news is we raised well over \$9,500 that day.

Coming up will be the picnic on August 8. We will hold forth at Brookside Golf and Country Club. As in years past, good food and fellowship will be in abundance and I'm assured no business or "speech-a-fi-en!" Look for details in the upcoming newsletter.

Our kick-off on September 5 will feature our own First Vice President Russ Fish, a financial planner. He was scheduled for June, but things got a bit crazy (see above), so he will lead us into the fall season. Given the markets, the Fed, the economy, and who knows what else, he won't have to look far for a topic or two. Plan to attend, bring a Master Mason you feel would make a good Shriner.

Nobles, a lot of things are going on in Shrine; follow the list of things in Aladdin's *Lamp* and get involved. I, for one, would like to see members of Worthington Shrine Club attend the stated meetings. It's where you learn more of what is happening in Shrine and a great place to meet other Nobles – men with like interests to yours.

Hope to see you all very soon.

I have to go now, must back up my computer.

10 ALADDIN'S LAMP www.aladdinshrine.org

Annual Aladdin Shrine Night with the

Columbus Clippers VS Buffalo Tuesday, July 30

7:05 PM at Huntington Park

Tickets: \$10.00 Each

Food Coupon Optional: \$5.00

Pre-Game Party - 5:00 - 6:30 PM Enter at Right Field Gate Only.

Exchange \$5.00 food coupon at pregame party for 2 hotdogs, 1 popcorn, and 1 soda or water.





All seats assigned, if you want to sit together order all tickets together

All Tickets Must Be Ordered by July 25 - No Exceptions

Make Check Payable to Aladdin Shrine

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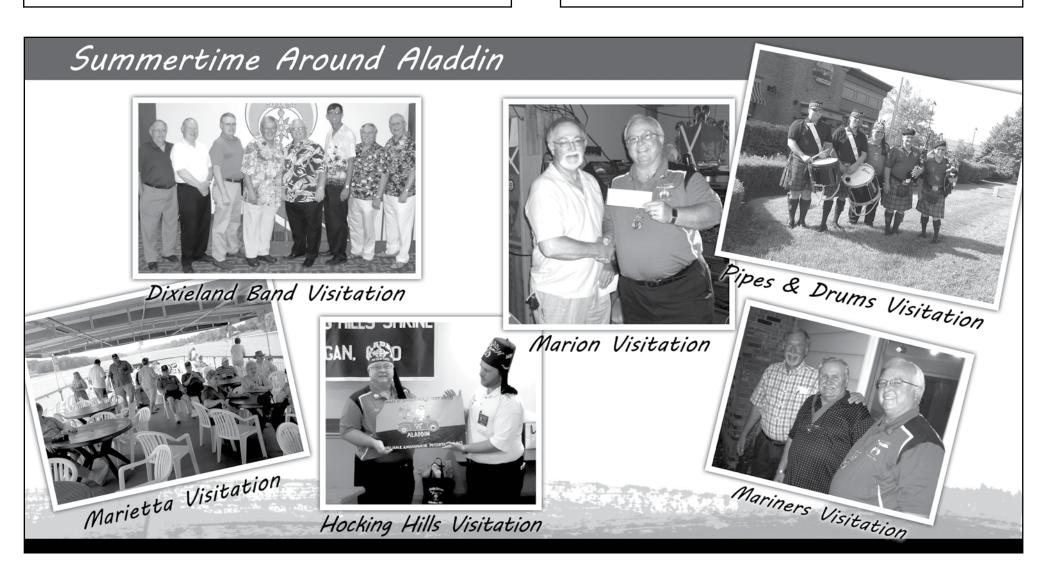
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All proceeds benefit Shriners Hospitals for Children









July 2013



Social - 6:00 PM - Dinner - 7:00 PM Rat Pack Show 8:00-9:30 PM - Dancing Until 11:30 PM

Saturday, August 10, 2013

Dinner Menu

Wedge Salad Tenderloin of Beef with Shallot Demi-glaze Loaded Baked Potato Miniature Baby Vegetables Assorted Cheesecakes

Entertainment

Authentic Las Vegas Rat Pack Tribute Show featuring Tony Sands as Frank Sinatra Luciano Correa as Dean Martin Geno Monroe as Sammy Davis, Jr., 16-Piece Big Band

Tickets: \$100/Couple \$50/Individual Tickets must be ordered by July 29.

Free Babysitting Provided

Join Bill Amspaugh, Jr. and Lady Kathy for an evening of classic Vegas Entertainment. The ballroom will be transformed into the Sands' famous Copa Room. Enjoy dinner, drinks, entertainment and dancing.

Accommodations:

Sheraton Suites, 201 Hutchinson Ave., Columbus, OH 43235 (614) 436-0004 Rate Includes: Non-smoking Suite with King Size Bed and sofa sleeper: \$79, plus applicable taxes Hotel reservations made after Saturday, July 20, 2013will be accepted on a first come, first served basis based on hotel availability.

Make Your Reservations Now!

POTENTATE'S BALL Reservation Form: Mail to: Aladdin Shrine Center, 3850 Stelzer	Road, Columbus, Ol	— — — — - H 43219-3044
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Signature Tickets will be mailed. If not received by Aug		o office

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3850 Stelzer Road, Columbus, OH



Car Cruise-In

Car Registration 1:00 PM-4:00PM

\$10 Per Car - No Pre-Registration Dash Plaques to 1st 100 Entries Trophies to the Favorite 40 at 5:00 PM



Food Trailer - 12:00 - 4:00 PM DJ will supply music during Cruise-In

Chicken / Corn Roast

Time: 4-7 PM

Adult Tickets \$10 in advance, \$12 at door Children 12 & Under 1/2 price

Special Awards for Potentate's Choice and Shriners' Choice