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## ***Potentate's Message***

Illustrious Sir Raymond A. Causton, Potentate

**A**s the shadows grow longer and the sunny days of summer are just a remembrance, it's a good time to reflect on the past few months. I must thank all Nobles and their Ladies for their support and dedication to Rameses Temple at the 135 Imperial Sessions in San Antonio, Texas. Once again when Rameses Shriners are on parade, in their Red and Whites- it's a sight to behold. I just wish all of you could hear the wonderful comments and positive remarks from spectators and other Shrine Temples.

To say it was an interesting Imperial Session would be an understatement. Please see our Recorder's Message, it is very comprehensive and quite Accurate, as to what transpired. I would personally like to thank our Recorder for sitting through 4 days of meetings and taking such accurate notes. These days were very long and tiring but quite interesting.

We all as Shriners must congratulate the Rorab Shrine Club for an excellent Spring Ceremonial. The Nobles and Ladies of this great Shrine Club went well beyond the call of duty and supported Director General Dale Letts at every conceivable opportunity. Both Lady Maureen and I would like once again to thank all concerned and to welcome all the newly created Nobles and their Ladies into the number one Shrine Temple in Canada.

By the time this issue of the Papyrus goes to print- Rameses Shrine Circuses will have come to an end. Many thanks must go out to all Circus Chairman and all the Nobles and Ladies who supported the many performances. If it were not for our Shrine Ladies many of the tent fire exits would not have been covered- thank you from the bottom of my heart for your hard work and dedication in supporting Rameses and all our shrine activities.

I must thank Mr. Michael Platz CEO of our telemarketing firm Zentle for giving us the opportunity to have a full blown circus performance in support of membership for the Shrine and the Family of Masons. Not only did the audience leave with a better understanding of our Masonic Fraternity but a better insight as to what the Shrine has to offer and to see and hear from the the Special Shrine Children that we treat. Brother John O'Ross of Zentle and Noble Jim Thornton Membership/Public Relations Director did a wonderful job assisted by many, many Nobles.

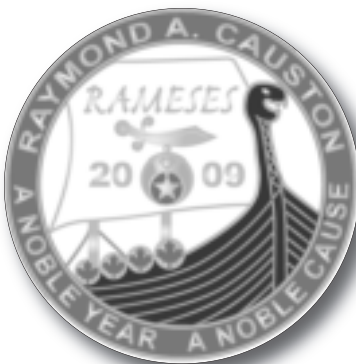
The circus elephants had a few days of relaxation at Camp Robin Hood in Markham and seemed to enjoy the country atmosphere and fresh air. It was quite interesting to see them scoop up the long grass and sniff the air. Thank you to the management and staff of Camp Robin Hood.

On a personal note and on behalf of all the Nobility, I would like to congratulate Noble Robert McGregor P.P. (Recorder) on being presented with his 50 Year Masonic Pin by the Grand Master, Most Worshipful Ray Daniels. What a great honour- we should be very proud to call him brother.

Ask not what Rameses can do for you? But what you can do for Rameses!

**\*\* Please remember to support the Rameses and Petro Canada fund raising opportunity.\*\***

Yours in the Faith  
Raymond (Ray) A. Causton



***A NOBLE YEAR - A NOBLE CAUSE***

# 2009 SHRINERS LOTTERY RESULTS

WINNERS WILL BE PRINTED IN THE TORONTO STAR, SATURDAY EDITION, SECTION 670, PERSONAL COLUMN AND ON OUR WEB SITE:

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## Draw 17, 30 April 2009

2861	D. Siverns	Hamilton	\$ 100
3558	W. Mccarron	Brechin	\$ 100
0089	W.D. Tyrall	Stouffville	\$ 100
2378	J. Lockwood	Owen Sound	\$ 100
0227	E. Kohut	Wellington	\$ 100
1893	L. Sleep	Pickering	\$ 250
2250	K. Hosking	Oshawa	\$ 250
0282	C. Mullett	Bancroft	\$ 250
0942	D. Law	Thornhill	\$ 250
1477	B. Kefer	Sharon	\$ 500
3396	J. Anderson	Kapuskasing	\$ 1000

## Draw 18, 7 May 2009

1367	S. Lang	Bracebridge	\$ 100
3561	C. Wilson	Richmond Hill	\$ 100
0759	J. Trepton	Gananoque	\$ 100
0670	M. Kittle	Bobcaygeon	\$ 100
0933	M. Plummer	Bewdley	\$ 100
1205	G. Willard	Bracebridge	\$ 250
3541	G. Downer	Keswick	\$ 250
2045	M-L Oyler	Willowdale	\$ 250
0202	F. Kobelka	Scarborough	\$ 250
2944	R. Ruff	Sudbury	\$ 500
2950	D. Innis	Sudbury	\$ 1000

## Draw 19, 14 May 2009

1913	K. Rowell	Tottenham	\$ 100
1653	R. Mathews	New Liskeard	\$ 100
0368	F. Smith	Belleville	\$ 100
3680	M. McMahon	Parry Sound	\$ 100
3008	M. Nelson	Hanmer	\$ 100
0086	L. McLenaghan	Toronto	\$ 250
0630	C. Arcsott	Fenelon Falls	\$ 250
2888	C. Kitchingham	Thorold	\$ 250
0259	E. Yard	Bramalea	\$ 250
1823	P. Obrien	Lindsay	\$ 500
0978	R. & S. Dixon	Maple	\$ 1000

## Draw 20, 21 May 2009

1496	H. Watt	Cedar Valley	\$ 100
2464	D. Clark	Collingwood	\$ 100
1035	B.W. Lawson	Borden	\$ 100
3674	F. Haldenby	Parry Sound	\$ 100
2890	W. Lay	Grimsby	\$ 100
0063	M. Smith	Holland Landing	\$ 250
2113	R. Shettell	Elliott Lake	\$ 250
3082	S. Langille	Sudbury	\$ 250
0205	J. Kobelka	Agincourt	\$ 250
1640	D. Spencer	New Liskeard	\$ 500
1201	R. McIntyre	Bracebridge	\$ 1000

## Draw 21, 28 May 2009

3374	A. Berube	Timmins	\$ 100
3499	B. Vanderwiel	Queensville	\$ 100
2711	Voyageurs Unit	Midhurst	\$ 100
3167	B. O'donnell	Coniston	\$ 100
2181	J. & J. Pollock	Port Dover	\$ 100
2494	P. Macdermid	Sauble Beach	\$ 250
0044	The Elcombes	Toronto	\$ 250
0175	M. Sutherland	Lindsay	\$ 250
3012	K. Firth	Sudbury	\$ 250
3295	M. Matias	Scarborough	\$ 500
0318	E. Campbell	Milford	\$ 1000

## Draw 22, 4 June 2009

1976	M. Mooney	Acton	\$ 100
0792	K. Prohaska	Harrowsmith	\$ 100
1617	S. Wirght	Niagara Falls	\$ 100
3454	R. Phillips	Campbellford	\$ 100
1834	B. Jones	Oshawa	\$ 100
2774	D. Gareh	Temagami	\$ 250
0846	D. Fraser	Godfrey	\$ 250
2717	L. Robert	Barrie	\$ 250
3232	T. French	Bolton	\$ 250
1498	A. & J. Vassos	Newmarket	\$ 500
1596	B. Halbert	Niagara Falls	\$ 1000

## Draw 23, 11 June 2009

1380	Robert Kinsman	Milford Bay	\$ 100
2525	Lorne Ritchie	North Bay	\$ 100
1554	Rick Nunn	Niagara Falls	\$ 100
3484	Donald Emerson	Newmarket	\$ 100
1853	Ella Joel & Clay Willett	Ajax	\$ 100
3361	Ronald Theyers	Timmins	\$ 250
0107	Heldur Laht	Toronto	\$ 250
0503	Don Watson	Elor	\$ 250
2208	R. Wayne Sawyer	Oakville	\$ 250
2785	Diane Lennox	Oak Ridges	\$ 500
0192	Douglas Mackay	Toronto	\$ 1000

## Draw 24, 18 June 2009

2860	L. Levitt	Hamilton	\$ 100
0085	C. Clark	Markham	\$ 100
0609	J. Cumin	Peterborough	\$ 100
1103	H. Noble	Collingwood	\$ 100
3366	I. Groulx	South Porcupine	\$ 100
0286	V. Campbell	Acton	\$ 250
1741	M. Peacock	Hawkestone	\$ 250
0368	F. Smith	Belleville	\$ 250
3604	J. Cremer	Parry Sound	\$ 250
1190	M. Cathcart	Bracebridge	\$ 500
1795	L. Hodgson	Orillia	\$ 1000

## Draw 25, 25 June 2009

1807	R. St. Onge	Orillia	\$ 100
0472	G. Hill	Oakville	\$ 100
0152	M. Hurwitz	Toronto	\$ 100
2924	B. & J. Dickie	Kitchener	\$ 100
3166	T. Thompson	Kitchener	\$ 100
2249	C. Blakelock	Whitby	\$ 250
3570	M. Heddle	Uxbridge	\$ 250
2005	Pt. Colborne/Welland	Welland	\$ 250
2878	B. Roland	Vineland	\$ 250
2809	J. Imrie	Barrie	\$ 500
1486	J. & B. Smith	Newmarket	\$ 1000

## Draw 26, 2 July 2009

1198	Pt. Colborne/Welland	Port Colborne	\$ 100
1966	K. Oliver	Brampton	\$ 100
0651	R. Beckstead	Alliston	\$ 100
0589	Pt. Colborne/Welland	Port Colborne	\$ 100
3691	J. Scarr	Parry Sound	\$ 100
0693	K. Macmillan	Odessa	\$ 250
1716	B. Pelech	Toronto	\$ 250
0371	H. & B. Newton	Belleville	\$ 250
3068	F. Arnold	Sudbury	\$ 250
3174	R. Lamarche	Chelmsford	\$ 500
1219	Pt. Colborne/Welland	Port Colborne	\$ 1000

## Draw 27, 9 July 2009

1884	N. Sharples	Curtis	\$ 100
2678	A. Green	Barrie	\$ 100
0818	K. Leavitt	Cherry Valley	\$ 100
1684	B. Faughnan	Toronto	\$ 100
0515	F. Adams	Elora	\$ 100
1539	N. Ross	Fort Erie	\$ 250
1123	D. Spencer	Midland	\$ 250
1420	B. Moffatt	Angus	\$ 250
3367	P. Groulx	South Porcupine	\$ 250
2493	S. Bartley	Chatsworth	\$ 500
0547	R. Dunn	Guelph	\$ 1000

## Draw 28, 16 July 2009

1951	D. Rowe	Mississauga	\$ 100
1868	L. Fagel	Port Perry	\$ 100
3524	K. Holtz	Richmond Hill	\$ 100
3223	R. Wilson	Bolton	\$ 100
0341	J. Douglas	Stirling	\$ 100
1244	P. Mascarin	Bracebridge	\$ 250
1115	H. Umlah & D. Umlah	Elmvalle	\$ 250
0142	T. Carter	Schomberg	\$ 250
2913	T. Jackson	Sudbury	\$ 250
0050	E. Elcombe	Toronto	\$ 500
2127	D. Lebitka	Newcastle	\$ 1000

## Draw 29, 23 July 2009

3220	V. Bromley	Orangeville	\$ 100
0469	B. Yates	Guelph	\$ 100
1820	L. & E. Reid	Ajax	\$ 100
1881	W. Mauch	Oshawa	\$ 100
3413	P. Skazin	Toronto	\$ 100
0552	I. Blake	Burlington	\$ 250
0278	C. Pritchard	Lamable	\$ 250
1156	G. Hall	Sharon	\$ 250
0144	V. Karagiannis	Bradford	\$ 250
0415	G. Prior	Burlington	\$ 500
2408	F. & D. Lauzon	Chatsworth	\$ 1000

## Draw 30, 30 July 2009

1216	C.W.T. Boon	Bracebridge	\$ 100
2431	D. Stewart	Hepworth	\$ 100
2430	B. Tannahill	Owen Sound	\$ 100
2052	S. Goldstein	Toronto	\$ 100
3317	V. Kauhala	Timmins	\$ 100
0442	I. Mccrae	Caesarea	\$ 250
0974	A. Cox	Toronto	\$ 250
0229	D. Smith	Toronto	\$ 250
3043	L. Bechamp	Sudbury	\$ 250
2988	N. Lenart	Sudbury	\$ 500
1621	M. Stokes	Niagara Falls	\$ 1000



# RAMESES SHRINERS MONTHLY EVENT SCHEDULE

THE EVENTS STATED IN THIS CALENDAR MAY HAVE BEEN POSTPONED OR CANCELLED. PLEASE CONFIRM WITH THE CLUB/UNIT PRIOR TO ATTENDING

## September 2009

DATE	CLUB	EVENT	LOCATION	TIME
23 September	Candidates Cut-Off Date for Papyrus Listing			
25-27 September		New York/Ontario	Lake George, New York	

## October 2009

DATE	CLUB	EVENT	LOCATION	TIME
16 October	Rameses	Western – Thanksgiving Dinner	Headquarters	6:00pm
17 October	Rameses	Varsity Blues Football Game	Varsity Stadium U of T	1:00pm
25 October	Rameses	Halloween Party	Headquarters	2:00-4:00pm
29 October - 7 November		Potentates Trip	Hawaii	

## November 2009

DATE	CLUB	EVENT	LOCATION	TIME
15 November		Rameses Fantasy Show	Headquarters	2:00pm
20 November		25 & 50 Year Awards	Headquarters	7:30pm
21 November		Rameses Fall Ceremonial	Headquarters	

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Mississauga Shrine Club	www.mississaugashrineclub.net	
Muskoka Shrine Club	www.kirk-white.com/m-p-masons/shrine1.htm	
Niagara Shrine Club	www.niagarashrineclub.com	Email: niagarashrine@cogeco.ca
Oakville Shrine Club	http://oakvilleshrineclub.ca/	
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Sheba Shrine Club	www.shebashrine.ca	
Shrine International Headquarters	www.shrinershq.org	
Toronto Imperial Session	www.toronto2010.ca	
Waubuno Shrine Club	www.kirk-white.com/m-p-masons/waubuno/shrine1_2.htm	

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We must have NEW members to grow.

Thousands of children depend on the Shrine to help mend their twisted and burned bodies. Let's not let them down, let's share with our friends the opportunity to join us in this great philanthropy.

Sign them up now!

# Letters to the Editor. . .

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## Noble Michael

Many thankyoues are in order for placing the article: "The history of the Little Red Caboose", in the most recent edition of Papyrusm, it definitely looks outstanding. We at the Transport Corps Unit, really appreciate the effort that was made by yourself, in putting it all together.

Again, many thanks.

## Noble Bruce

### Directory Changes

Please make a note in your directory  
Page 6 The new Director replacing  
bruce fraser is Clarence  
Bytheway.



### Notice

Candidates Cut-off date for  
Papyrus listing is Wednesday,  
September 23rd, 2009

## Warm and friendly welcome to Shriners from the citizens of North Bay

By Cuzin' Nobe Barry L. Jones

HILLBILLY SHRINE CLUB

**G**reetings dear and gentle readers. The executive-types and members (of all descriptions) of the Rameses Hillbilly Shrine Club extend a warm welcome to you via this column of information, advice and sheer wonderment.

I am typing this column in the shade of the front porch of Parkes General Store and what a delightful way to spend a hot summer afternoon - visiting the ol' place, enjoying a cold bottle of Nehi soda pop and getting the latest news from General Manager and County Census Taker, M. J. Parkes.

Many Hillbilly Club members attended the Rameses Spring Ceremonial in North Bay and what a great time was had by all. Y'all who didn't get to travel north sure missed a most hospitable and friendly welcome to we Shriners from the citizens of North Bay.

The Ceremonial parade is likely one of the largest I have seen - so many Shrine Units and Clubs who were thanked, applauded and cheered on by the rows of spectators along the parade route. Congratulations to all Shriners for showing North Bay what a wonderful Fraternity we belong to. It sure was apparent the residents of North Bay have been seeing and hearing plenty of great publicity concerning Shriners and our efforts for our very special children, because their responses to our appearance was truly heart-warming. Thank you North Bay.

Well, folks, I must report to y'all of this incident: as my wifey and I were driving north on the highway, we suddenly saw a feller standing in the middle of the road waving a yellow flag. Well, we figured he was waving to get me to speed up, which I did, however, as we sped by him he hollered 'Hey..there's a caterpillar on the road ahead!'. By golly, we reckoned he was a real lover of nature -standing there on the road warning folks about that ol' caterpillar crossing over, but by golly, about three hundred yards ahead we were almost hit by a giant earth mover! Now gentle readers, that is an experience one should never have to recollect! Some fancy driving and zig- zagging by me sure did help. You know, come to think about it now, we never did see any caterpillars crossing that road.

To all you newly initiated Shriners - wow - you sure picked a great time and a great location to become a Shriner.

A warm tip of the Hillbilly floppy hat is extended to y'all. Thank you for making Shrinedom your next step in Masonry. You should know for sure...all the applause, thumbs-up and cheers you heard along the ceremonial parade came from people who know and appreciate what Shriners do and how much we care for our special little children.

New Noble, be proud to be part! I should mention, y'all should be checking out the various Shrine Units and Clubs, which is where, as a member, you will enjoy much fun and great camaraderie. Any Unit and/or Club would welcome your membership, so don't be shy about asking questions - then make your own decision. With great humility I would add here... the Rameses Hillbilly Shrine Club would be more than pleased if you were to at least consider us. Also, because you are a Shriner you are invited to come along to any of our parades and be part of our float, etc. Of course, being new, perhaps y'all have never heard about us nor have seen us in a parade - however - if you hear bluegrass in the distance and get a whiff as we approach, you will know it is the Rameses Hillbilly Shrine Club on the move.

For more information about our Club and/or parades, please contact us - we will be glad to get you started on the right foot to the joys of Hillbilly Shrinedom (even if you are left-handed). Folks, we don't even give a care if y'all have a hole or two in your socks).

The Toronto-area garbage (and related services) strike caused the cancellation of two parades we normally participate in on July 1st - East York and Scarborough. Fortunately, however, this year we added a couple of 'new' parades to fill in the void - thanks to the efforts and work of Parade Coordinator (Noble) Cuzin' Barry 'Pinky' Cruickshank, thus allowing us to continue our annual and substantial contributions to the Shrine Transportation Unit and especially our Shriners Hospital for Children in Montreal.

And that, dear and gentle reader is what Shrinedom is all about. Folks, for now I will say 'g'day' and may the Good Lord

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## Terry's Tunes

TERRY LAMPING - *Oriental Guide*



Our circuses are now history and we look forward to the start of the second half of our Shrine year while many of us reflect upon the membership of our great Masonic and Shrine Fraternities. We must be ever mindful of our own responsibilities to our great organizations as far as the future is concerned. That my fellow Nobles is our challenge.

It has been said "that the measure of a man's life is what lives on after he is gone". Many of us believe, as you do, that membership is our number one priority. To have Shrinedom and Free Masonry persist after we have "graduated" to the Grand Lodge above is a goal with which we are concerned about. So how do we contribute to the normal unstated goals as outlined.

Why not make it your goal to bring in one new Mason into our fraternity in the next 12 months AND convince one Mason to become a Shriner?

We could restore our population in the blink of an eye by simply sharing our zeal and enthusiasm with everyone we meet who we deem to be a "just and upright man". Please think on this my fellow Nobles and reflect upon the following.

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Summer has come and almost gone and we look at the coming autumn season. The leaves turn from green to gold and the maples have their beautiful reds added to their beauty. We enter the season when we return to the programs and activities of the fall season. Looking ahead we have many opportunities awaiting us that will enable our "Shrine Kids" have richer and fuller lives. That can only happen through our efforts in supporting our hospitals, the burns and research centres.

There is an old saying: "Never put off until tomorrow what you can do today." Yes it is easy to put off doing things but where our young folk are concerned we cannot afford to put off

We have been given a wonderful gift to influence society that is disguised in our present opportunity with The Petro-Canada Project. While most of us regard this as a purely monetary vehicle we must think of it as MUCH MORE.

We can impact our society with mega results by jumping on the Petro-Canada train and talk to everyone about the Shrine and how the average person can help us to continue all of our efforts as Nobles.

That our Christmas cakes that raise money but also create an awareness with the public and strengthen our own Nobles' resolve is so much smaller than our NEW GAS CARD PROGRAM is nothing short of phenomenal!

We have the opportunity to raise 2-4 million dollars a year (AT NO COST) to assist us in our goals as Shriners but also to stimulate interest in our fraternity.

My question to you is, "what have you done lately to significantly increase our presence in the minds of people everywhere?"

Ask the Noble next to you the above question and then ask yourself if you have done enough to ensure that this unique fraternity persists after you have passed to "The Grand Lodge Above"

Please Nobles SEIZE THE DAY.

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## Chaplain's Corner

BY REVEREND MARSHALL JESS - *Chaplain*



any task that will enable them to have a richer quality of life.

As we step into the coming season let our resolve be to put forth every effort in support of our hospitals, burns and research centres so that those young folk can wear a smile and be thankful for the dedication of Shriners. It is indeed great to follow our Potentate's theme for the year: "A Noble Year – A Noble Cause".

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## Bryan's Blackboard

BY BRYAN W. LAWSON - *Chief Rabban*



The fall weather is already upon us and it is hard to believe that the summer is just about over. The 2009 Imperial Session in San Antonio is now part of history with all its important sessions and the Imperial Parade. The location was absolutely beautiful but the weather was very, very hot.

The Rameses Circus Tour has also ended and it would appear that it was a success again this year with good crowds and very few problems. Congratulations to our Assistant Rabban who was Circus Chairman for a job well done and to the GTA Circus Director and all his committee, as well as all the Nobles who worked the many performances. Without the clowns, fire watch, ticket takers etc there would be no successful Circus. Also a big thanks to all the ladies who assisted their Nobles during the

Circus. Your participation is always welcome and it adds a special something by having you attend.

The 2010 Imperial Session is now less than a year away and that is when Rameses will have the chance to showcase Toronto to the rest of the Nobility. Rameses Shriners will be staying at the Delta Chelsea and I would like to see a large attendance of our Nobility attend the 2010 Imperial Session. It will never be any closer and it may be a long time before another member of Rameses is installed as Imperial Potentate.

The Rameses Spring Ceremonial for 2010 will be in Collingwood, June 10th to the 13th hosted by the Manito Shrine Club. The Fall Ceremonial next year will be in Owen Sound, October 15th and 16th. This will be a little different as the Fall Ceremonial has been at 3100 Keele Street for a number of years. Please mark these dates on your calendar and plan on attending.

Best wishes for safe and happy travels, and remember, Shriners do it Best.



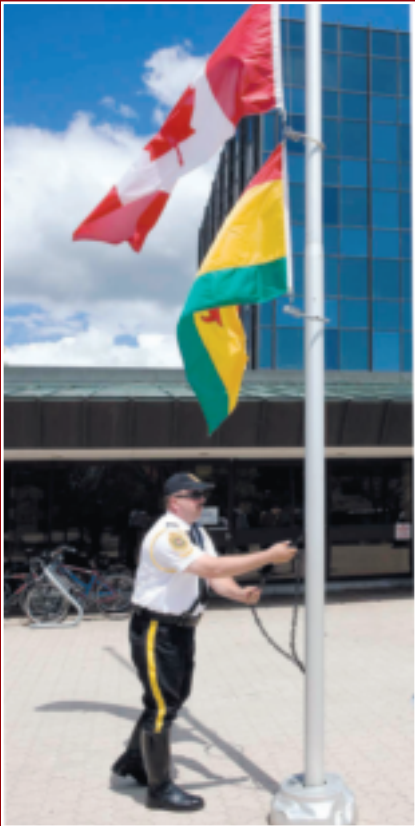
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# 20th Annual Kick-Off!



## Varsity Blues vs Waterloo Warriors

Date: **Saturday, October 17**

Location: **Varsity Stadium**

Time: **1:00pm**

Each fall Rameses Temple and the U of T holds the Shrine Varsity Blues Football Game at Varsity Stadium in Toronto. Your Potentate has asked that each Club and Unit please attend. This event represents our third largest fund raiser and your participation would be greatly appreciated. Bring your Banner and parade on the field with our Potentate and his Divan. Nobles bring your Fez and if possible your Lady for a day of fun and excitement. Nobles we need your support and enthusiasm.

If you need any information please contact High Priest and Prophet David Dunn.



## Recorder's Message

BY BOB MCGREGOR, P.P. - Recorder



**N**obles, the Imperial Session for 2009 was held in San Antonio Texas and your Divan spent a very active week attending meetings from early morning until supper time and beyond. It's the 13th of July as I write and I do remember that I promised to let you all know what happened at this session.

All the action at the Imperial Session is listed in a book referred to as "the call" and you may remember that at our Stated Meetings I advised you that this book is always in my office and any Rameses Noble is welcome to review this book at any time at 3100 Keele Street. Note, I cannot allow the call to leave our building for any reason unless I go with it.

This year in the call we had 17 articles in the Iowa Corporation to discuss and vote on. Note, this is the Shrine Nobles side of our organization. There were also 19 resolutions to be discussed and voted on in the Colorado Corporation. Note, this is the hospital side of our organization and remember as Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, we have a big stake in both groups.

Many of the articles on the Iowa side were of a fairly routine nature and of the 17 discussed, some at great length, one was withdrawn, five were defeated and eleven passed. Of interest to all of us is that two new Temples were created; one in the Philippines called Mabuhay and the other in Puerto Rico called Al Rai's Saleh. Of note, the request for a Temple in Germany was defeated. Bottom line, the Shrine is now referred to as International and we are 193 Temples strong and yes we are still using the word "Temple" where applicable.

You may remember that Rameses had an article change requested on the Iowa side and it was listed as item 9 on the call. This was a motion made at our Stated Meeting by Noble Brian Denton and seconded by Noble Jim Rennie that ladies be allowed to be in civic parades in the company of their male partner. Be advised that our Illustrious Potentate presented this motion with passion and sincerity, however it did not pass and it will be two years before this can be brought up again by Rameses at an Imperial Session. Of note, a change in by-laws requires a two thirds majority to pass and the vote was as follows with 628 votes cast; 374 were in favour, 254 against however it needed 418 votes to pass, so we lost by 44 votes. "Ah, such is life". For the record Nobles, we are still bound by the current by-laws and I don't think this needs further explanation.

The Colorado Corporation (Hospital) was clearly divided on what should be done to move us on to a path for recovery and I believe most of you know that the Galveston Hospital was closed earlier this year due to severe damage by Hurricane Ike and further due to the recent economic downturn. The suggestion was put forward that we close another five hospitals that were deemed to be somewhat of a burden to the system. Make no mistake about it, when you talk about closing Shrine Hospitals it becomes a very, very emotional issue. The facts

tend to get lost or completely disregarded and regrettably in my opinion our representative of which we have approximately 1,000, tend to vote with their heart and not their head.

Be assured no Shriner; myself included wants to close a Shrine Hospital. The thought of such is repugnant to all of us however, as a businessman we must put our passion and emotions aside and cast our vote for what is best for the Shrine in the long run and not just go for a quick fix that is destined to fall apart five years down the road. Regrettably I believe that is what we've done however please believe me when I say I hope I'm wrong.

Let me give you some of the facts then you decide what you think our *modus operandi* should be.

We have 22 hospitals running at an average of 27 percent occupancy (head office figures). We have in those 22 hospitals approximately 1,100 patient rooms. That means that on any given date, 297 of these rooms are occupied by patients and the other 803 rooms are sitting empty. It was also stated that we must be at all times be prepared with a full staff "just in case". For the record I believe the "just in case" has never happened and it's rumored that some of our hospitals use the empty rooms for storage purposes. We have approximately 6,000 employees and if we divide that number by 22, it seems reasonable to assume that we have an average of 272 employees at each hospital, all of whom get paid.

As a businessman I have a great difficulty with these numbers and we must find a more efficient way to operate, if we are to survive, however despite the numbers, the representatives voted to keep all our hospitals open and we will in fact be re-opening the Galveston Hospital. Membership dropped another 20,000 last year and costs are spiraling out of control and to top this of our investment fund valued at in excess of (8) eight billion dollars early last year is now worth just a little over (5) five billion dollars. The picture is very clear to me and I don't like what I see. Can the Shrine as we know it be saved, "yes it can" but only by businessmen who are not afraid to do what must be done even if it means suffering the anger of the well intentioned and ill-informed masses, we cannot continue to spend in excess of two hundred million dollars a year more than we take in and to top this off it was stated from the stage that in recent years the Imperial has presented a negative budget to the representatives, and in all cases it passed.

Note, the impressions expressed in this article are my own and do not necessarily reflect the opinion of the other Divan members.

For the record, Imperial Sir Ralph Semb who was Chairman of the Board of Trustees was defeated at the elections and that position is now held by Imperial Sir Doug Maxwell. The Imperial Potentate is Imperial Sir Jack Jones who was the Imperial Recorder for many years and of course our own Noble George A. Mitchell is now Deputy Imperial Potentate.

It was a busy session and your Divan worked hard on your behalf and were I might add, proud to do so. For myself, I just thank you all so much for just being Shriners and for the support you give to Rameses.



### **Notice of Stated Meeting** **Friday, 20 November 2009**

A Business Session of Rameses Temple A.A.O.N.M.S. will be conducted in accordance with the Imperial Council regulations and as required by the by-laws of Rameses Temple, at Rameses Temple, 3100 Keele Street, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, on Friday, November 20, 2009, the said meeting to be held at 7:30 p.m. in Rameses I and II, for the purpose of balloting upon Petitions for Initiation and Affiliation and to conduct all other business as directly related to the affairs of Rameses Temple A.A.O.N.M.S. and Rameses Club Incorporated. The Fall Ceremonial will be held on Saturday, November 21, 2009, 1:15 pm, at 3100 Keele Street, Toronto, Ontario.

Dated at Toronto, this 14th day of August, 2009.

**Raymond A. Causton - Potentate**  
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## Dave's Place

DAVID DUNN - *High Priest and Prophet*



The Rameses Spring Ceremonial in North Bay is now just a memory, and what a memory it will always remain. I would like to personally congratulate all our new Nobles, welcome to the greatest philanthropy on earth. you now have the opportunity to join the Club or Unit of your choice.

Our circuses were a huge success, being enjoyed by kids of all ages.

I would like to remind all the Nobility of a few up and coming events. The Shrine/Varsity Football game,

Saturday, October 17th, 2009 at Varsity Stadium Toronto. The game will feature University of Toronto Blues vs. University of Waterloo. Your Potentate has asked that Clubs and Units please attend, bring your banner and parade on the field with him and your Divan. Nobles bring your fezes and your Ladys and sit in the stands to enjoy the game. In the past it has been poorly attended, Nobles we need your support and enthusiasm. We are at risk of losing this event, remember it's our third largest fundraiser.

Also, our Fantasy Shows begin in mid November. Your Club's Fantasy Show Chairman has the dates, it's another great chance for you to come out and show off your fez.

As I close, a quick reminder to use your Petro-Canada cards and distribute as many as you can. USE IT OR LOSE IT.

The Rameses shrine circus tour is now history.

As chairman of the event I would like to thank all of the nobles (some who were at most if not all the performances in the GTA) and their wives and non-Shriners who worked long hours to help make it a great success. A very special thank-you goes out to Rik Kubiak (and his daughter Candy, who did the cooking) the circus director for all his hard work and dedication. Also the clowns who took part in almost every performance. The imperial session is now a distant memory. At that session in San Antonio there were many resolutions and elections. Some of the results were as follows:

- a) Jeff Sowder from Toronto Kansas was elected as imperial outer guard
- b) imperial sir Doug Maxwell was elected President of the hospital trustees
- c) The resolution to close some of the hospitals was defeated.
- d) the resolution to allow women to

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## Jim's Notebook

BY JIM D. MCKINNEY - *Assistant Rabban*



take part in civic parades was defeated.

I would like to thank the many Shriners and their friends who are using the PETRO CANADA FUELLINGSHRINERS cards on a regular basis and would also like to ask everyone who is not, to please consider using the cards and to encourage their family and friends to do the same. Remember, you don't have to be a Shriner to take part in this project.

On closing, I would like to wish everyone all the best for the balance of the year. Please try and get out and attend as many shrine events as you can. My best regards to you all.

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## Treasurer's Report

BY ROBERT "BOB" YOUNG, P.P. - *Treasurer*



Nobles, we will soon be starting our fall activities. One of the most important issues is membership. Our Spring Ceremonial in North Bay saw us create eighty-seven (87) new members. We will lose over two hundred (200) members this year due to deaths and demits. I would like to see everyone

bring in one candidate for the Fall Ceremonial (Saturday, November 21, 2009). We need to keep our Shrine strong for our Special Children.

We have come through the recession and not lost a great deal of our investments. As the market grows so will our investments and we should be back to strength in the next few months.

Always in our thoughts are and ill and shut-ins, may you have a speedy recovery and enjoy our fall colours.

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bles and keep you and take a genuine liking to you. To all our Shriner friends and family members who are not enjoying the best of health, may the G.A.O.T.U. watch over and guide you through your predicaments.

Folks, it's Summer, so don't forget to give your dogs fresh, cool water every day. Special greetings and thanks to all those hard working Hillbilly Club Outhouses whose members do just what we do, expect in other parts of Ontario. Please support them when we see them parading. They are all fine folks. Thanks dear and gentle readers for having a look at this humble effort.

Cuzin' Barry – (416) 221-7828 (or three short rings and one long) (ve3dtj@aol.com) On behalf of Club President Noble James (Jim) Rennie (905-640-2143) and all we Club and Hillbilly Clan 46 members. Ol' Uncle Robert and his wifey, Maude, were attending a funeral, seated in the front row. 'I hate to say this, Maude, but I sure ain't gonna miss your mamma a whole lot', he whispered. 'Why, she gave me nothing but fifteen years of fretting and worrying with her constant complaining, criticizing and endless spending over at Parkes General Store.' 'My mamma?' exclaimed Maude 'Well, by golly, I always figured she was your mamma!'

# Clowns babysit at the Circus

By Noble Dave Gillies

NIAGARA SHRINE CLUB

Wow another summer almost gone already. A busy one for the Maid, she sailed successfully under the command of Noble Stokes up to the Spring Ceremonial in North Bay. What a parade they put on under sunny skies and warm weather. I heard a ton of advance publicity and it brought out the crowds who lined the route cheering us all on. Good job Nobles of the North.

On the bow, the Maid's dancing chorus line also paraded in the Burlington Sound of Music, Welland Rose Festival, Cactus Day in Dundas and Cambridge's Canada Day celebrations. All the spectators welcomed them with cheers from the sidelines, much clapping, some serious twisting dance moves in response and lots of laughter. It's so great to be recognized as Shriners, greeted with thumbs up for our work with the children and encouraged to continue. "Isn't it great to be a Shriner".

Our annual golf tournament went off without any organisational hooks or slices. The course was in excellent shape unlike my game, but Jim Mc Kinney from our Divan brought along his "A" game and picked up the slack. Everyone seemed to have a great time and we made a buck or two for the Montreal hospital, actually over \$2,000. The epic 2 man contest was won by two rather large friends and over the field by an even larger margin. They must share the Skylon dinner prize where the Chef has been warned to double the food on the buffet and to forget about his food cost. Thanks to Meridian and all our other sponsors everyone received golf prizes, a tube steak lunch, some liquid refreshment, and a great dinner. Our Maid was quite a site parked up by the first tee creating a lot of interest from other golfers not participating in our festivities. The captain reported many asked "who are you guys?" to which he willingly replied "Shriners". It pays to advertise!

Hospital closings were discussed in San Antonio at the Imperial sessions, and rumours picked up on the internet down



there indicate that no closings are in sight. Also apparently approved, private insurance payments will now be accepted for patient care. A bylaw change allowing our Ladies in non Shrine parades was also brought forward. The jungle drums report this item did not pass but that it was a fairly close vote, perhaps next time.

The Shrine Circus parade came to town in July, lots of red jackets and gold braded fez's greeted the children and their parents at the opening ceremonies. The big tent's centre ring was surrounded by a full house and included a special spectator, Imperial Sir George Mitchell.

Lots of photo opportunities but the keeper, some hardly working clowns doing security work with two "babies" during the event.

Both afternoon and evening performances seemed to be filled to capacity. This due I'm sure to the hard work by the Temples' circus chairman Jim McKinney and helped by Nobles Doug Foss and Andy DeVos, our own big guys in the wings.

The Shriners Club of Hamilton Klowm Unit started off their "Trike-A-Thon" fundraiser from our club building fortified with a big blueberry pancake breakfast prepared by Nobles Ward,

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## Club and Unit Installation Dates for 2010

DATE	DAY	CLUB/UNIT
9 January	Saturday	All Temple Units
11-Jan	Mon	El Shamaly Shrine Club
11-Jan	Mon	Kingsway Shrine Club
11-Jan	Mon	Newbeaver Shrine Club
12-Jan	Tues	Viking Shrine Club
13-Jan	Wed	Peel Shrine Club
14-Jan	Thurs	Muskoka Shrine Club
15-Jan	Fri	Sudbury Shrine Club
16-Jan	Sat	Belleville Shrine Club
16-Jan	Sat	Rorab Shrine Club
20-Jan	Wed	Sheba Shrine Club
20-Jan	Wed	Oakville Shrine Club

DATE	DAY	CLUB/UNIT
20-Jan	Wed	Oshawa Shrine Club
25-Jan	Mon	Lakeshore Shrine Club
25-Jan	Mon	Leaside Shrine Club
25-Jan	Mon	Shriners Club of Hamilton
26-Jan	Tues	Credit Valley Shrine Club
26-Jan	Tues	Waubuno Shrine Club
27-Jan	Wed	Kingston Shrine Club
30-Jan	Sat	St.Catharines/Niagara/Pt.Colborne
1-Feb	Mon	Trent Valley Shrine Club
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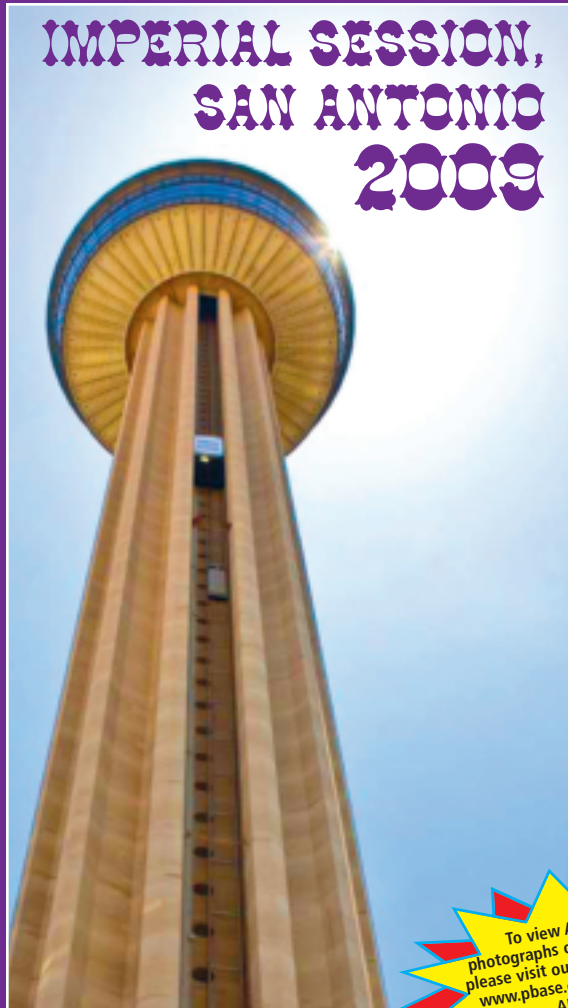
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## Exciting times for all

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**T**he Ladies of Bokhara Court traveled to Pittsburgh, PA for their annual Grand Council Session held from May 18th to May 23rd. Our newest line officer, Lady Barbara Van Der Hayden was given her official class name, Jan's Explorers and symbols by her Grand Officer, Lady Jan Hiebert, and P.H.P. from Arami Court #101, Wichita, KS. They have a great class motto, **"If you're handed it, you can handle it. If you know you're going to laugh about it someday, why wait?"** On the Friday night, Lady Patricia "PC" Mabray, P.H.P. of Amani Court #72, Houston, TX was installed as our Grand High Priestess. This is a very exciting time for her, our officers and members.

Many of our Ladies attended the Men's Imperial Session in San Antonio, TX. The Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America, Inc. had a display booth at the men's flea market. This is where we promote who we are and what we do. It was a great success and our Ladies answered many questions and filled in many petitions. Good for our Grand Officers and Ladies.

We are gearing up for a busy fall and winter. The Great Lakes Unit Meet, September 24th to 26th, hosted by Tarum Court #14, Indianapolis, IN. This is a fun weekend filled with seeing friends and performing units drills.

Saturday, November 14th, we are looking forward to initiating new members. We wish you a very happy fall.

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Fuller and Boutilier. As going back to Hamilton was all uphill the added weight may be a factor in posting an unconfirmed slower time this year. Somebody reported our own Hoopie may have peddled his "tush" off for a block or two in aid of their fundraising efforts.

Greg Frewin an international grand champion of magic donated 100 tickets to his theatre as a fundraiser for our club. Talk about a fantastic magic show, slight of hand, smoke and mirrors, disappearing assistants, lots of pretty girls, white tigers and even a huge parrot that flies out and buzzes the audience. This act is a must see if you haven't already, it really belongs in Vegas but Greg has made Niagara his home. We appreciate his donation and this his second commitment to the Shriners.

Attraction specials for anyone visiting the Falls can be found on our web site [www.niagarashrineclub.com](http://www.niagarashrineclub.com). Why pay regular price, buy on line here and save. More attractions will be added soon.

After hopefully having a good relaxing summer, we are all back to work in our fundraising and transportation duties. Remember the close call we had with proposed hospital closings and our ever dwindling Funds... Membership alone will not support our expenses!

Think up a fundraising effort, big or small, get it approved, implement it yourself, and get your other Nobles, friends and neighbours to support it. Just wait and see how great you'll feel, knowing where its going when you give that check to your treasurer.

## Honorary Membership

**A**t the June Sudbury Shrine Club meeting, Noble Wah Chung, President, presented Noble Marvin Firth, on behalf of all members of the Sudbury Shrine Club, an Honorary Membership Certificate. This Certificate of Appreciation recognizes Noble Firth's tireless contribution to the Shrine, our Club and the very special children of the Shriners.



## Decoration Day

**O**n the afternoon of Sunday, June 7th, 2009, veterans and the people of Manitoulin Island gathered at the Island Cenotaph in Providence Bay to observe the tradition of Decoration Day. This tradition stretches back to 1921. In the same time, we also observed the 65th Anniversary of the D-Day and recognized the significance of Canada's sacrifices and achievements. In addition to the many wreaths which were laid that day, 4 wreaths were of particular significance to the District Masons; The District of the Sudbury-Manitoulin Masons, Doric Lodge #455, The Haweater Unit of the Sudbury Shrine Club and the Sudbury Shrine Club. The Masons and the Shriners participated in laying wreaths to pay their respects to and recognize the contribution of those who gave their lives while in service. This service also recognized those who continue to serve for the cause of freedom, justice and peace. The Sudbury-Manitoulin District Mason's wreath was laid by the District Deputy Grand Master, R.W. Bro Robert Fleming and escorted by W. Bro Roy Eaton. The Doric Lodge #455 wreath was laid by the past president of Legion Branch 177, W. Bro. Roy Eaton and escorted by Bro Jim Corrigan. The Haweater Unit of the Sudbury Shrine Club was laid by Chairman Noble Peter Thureson and escorted by Noble Brian Martin. The Sudbury Shrine Club wreath was laid by President Noble Wah Chung and escorted by Noble Tom Newburn. The following picture of the Brethren and Nobles was taken after the ceremony in front of the Cenotaph.





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## Big-time travellers

By Noble Vic Phillips

OSHAWA SHRINE CLUB

The North Bay spring ceremonial will go down as one of the best yet. Our five units were out in force and our hospitality room was a big hit with the hundreds who visited with us. The local Rorab club were excellent hosts and came through with their promise of a perfect parade day with thousands of people lining the lengthy route through one of Ontario's most beautiful cities. We all stuffed ourselves every day with fresh caught pickeral caught in the nearby lakes and featured at many local restaurants.

Then it was off to San Antonio Texas for the International Convention, again with all units represented. Many of the guys and gals came back with new western boots and hats. Now a lot of the lads are walking around in high heels. Kudos to our Potentate Raymond Causton for being a great representative of the Temple on both sides of the border.

There was no time to rest this summer with parades in Perth, Brooklin, Oshawa and Bobcaygeon. Our golf tournament in Oshawa was also a huge success with lots of money raised for our "kids". Our "murder mystery" night was another success and now we are on our way to the races at Woodbine. One tip I received years ago never works. I was told to bet on jockeys with bad breath....the horses are always trying to get away from them.

We are always on the lookout for new members, even though the club continues to grow like a bad weed. Give us a call at 905-436-1762 or visit us at the Club on Simcoe Street North in Oshawa.

## A memorable visit

NEWBEAVER SHRINE CLUB

On 11 May 09, Noble Don Scandrett, attended the Newbeaver Shrine Club's regular meeting where he was invited as their guest speaker and gave a short talk on his experiences in Afghanistan, while serving on Rotation #2, from 2006-2007. The fellowship was second to none, the catering was absolutely fantastic and a great time was had by all. Noble Scandrett conveys his sincere thanks to the officers and members of Newbeaver Shrine Club for the invitation and the opportunity to be their guest speaker!

Noble Scandrett is currently serving as a regular force member of the Canadian Forces. He is also the Adjutant for the Rameses Temple Legion of Honour and a member of Manito Shrine Club.



Pictured from left to right is: Noble Ambassador Jim Mortson, his Lady Joan, Noble Don Scandrett, Lady Gail and Noble President Ed Moore.

## 50th Anniversary, 2009

SHEBA SHRINE CLUB

Sheba President (hard working) Noble Earl Login, his executive, Units of Sheba & committees have planned a BIG year of "CELEBRATING SHEBA" as the HALF CENTURY Club.

The TERRY HARRIS Whitefish 44th year, bonspiel was won by Woodstock Shrine Club team Members Bob Elliot, Jim Elliot, Nile Baker, Wayne Wright and Dave Robinson.

The MINNOW Trophy went to Wabino Shrine Club of Parry Sound. Team members Doug Kerr, Ron Lillie, Roger Beagan and Roy (sky scraper) Milligan.

Thanks to Illustrious Sir Ray and all who attended making another great Sheba function.

Other Unit festivities – Valentine dinner & dance by the Knight Riders Unit, Pancake supper by the Voy-Agers Unit, Fig Leaf Jazz afternoon by the (P) Circus Unit and Vidalia Onion sale by the Colour Party Unit have also been successful.

The club Elimination Draw was not as successful as in the past NOT because of the hard working committee. Probably because of hard times reported on the news every hour or the kfdnm ??

---- HOWEVER MUCH MORE TO COME !!!!!

GOLF Tournament, BBQ, and a "Black Tie Dinner" in September also the installation and DEDECATION of our SHRINE MONUMENT. Hope to see you there.

## Shrine Circus Tour is History

The Rameses shrine circus tour with the exception of the stop in Kingston is now history. As chairman of the event I would like to thank all of the nobles ( some who were at most if not all the performances in the GTA) and their wives and non-Shriners who worked long hours to help make it a great success. A very special thank-you goes out to Rik Kubiak (and his daughter Candy, who did the cooking ) the circus director for all his hard work and dedication. Also the clowns who took part in almost every performance . The imperial session is now a distant memory. At that session in San Antonio there were many resolutions and elections . Some of the results were as follows : a) Jeff Sowder from Toronto Kansas was elected as imperial outer guard b) imperial sir Doug Maxwell was elected President of the hospital trustees c) The resolution to close some of the hospitals was defeated. d) the resolution to allow women to take part in civic parades was defeated.

I would like to thank the many Shriners and their friends who are using the PETRO CANADA FUELLINGSHRINERS cards on a regular basis and would also like to ask everyone who is not , to please consider using the cards and to encourage their family and friends to do the same. Remember, you don't have to be a Shriner to take part in this project.

On closing, I would like to wish everyone all the best for the balance of the year. Please try and get out and attend as many shrine events as you can. My best regards to you all.

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## **The Fez Represents the Shrine**

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# ***Nobles of Fame, Distinction and Honour***

FIFTH IN A SERIES  
By Noble Michael A. Parkes  
*Editor-in-Chief*



**T**his time I'm going to depart a little from my regular format and knock off two birds with one stone. As both of these Nobles were Politicians I thought it would be acceptable.

The first Noble I bring to your attention is John George Diefenbaker, the 13th Prime Minister of Canada who served from June 21, 1957 to April 22nd 1963. By profession, before entering politics he was a criminal defence lawyer. Noble John was born September 18th 1895, believe it or not in Neustadt, Ontario, (near Hanover) although served in the House for his entire political career as a representative from Saskatchewan. This was brought about when the family homesteaded in 1903 near Fort Carlton, which at that time was in the Northwest Territories and later incorporated into Saskatchewan.

Noble John, served in the First World War in the Canadian Expeditionary Force with the 105 Saskatoon Fusiliers from March 1916 to July 1917 reaching the rank of Lieutenant in the 29th Light Horse. Unfortunately he suffered an injury while in England on pre-deployment training and was invalided back to Canada where he was discharged as Medically Unfit for Service owing to heart irregularities.

His first attempt at running for Parliament in 1925 & 1926 was unsuccessful but in the 1940 election, after trying a further 5 times he was finally elected to the House of Commons representing Lake Centre. In 1952 he became Canada's delegate to the United Nations. After 2 attempts in 1942 and 1948, John was successful in 1956 becoming the leader of the Progressive Conservative Party and in 1957 as previously stated, Prime Minister of Canada.

John George Diefenbaker was Initiated September 11th 1922 in Wakaw Lodge No. 166, Wakaw, Saskatchewan. Tunis Shriners I'm sure are so very proud that they have the unique distinction and honour of having had a former Prime Minister as their first Potentate.

The second Noble of Distinction is W.A.C. Bennett, former Premier of British Columbia. William Andrew Cecil Bennett, with just over 20 years in office remains the longest serving premier in British Columbia history. Like John Diefenbaker, W.A.C. was not originally from B.C. He was in fact born in Hastings, Albert County, New Brunswick, September 6th 1900, the son of Andrew Havelock Bennett and Mary Emma Burns.

His father was a third cousin of Canada's eleventh Prime Minister. At the age of 18 the family moved Edmonton, Alberta and then to Westlock, Alberta where his father operated a Hardware Store. W.A.C. opened his own store in 1927 in partnership and married soon afterwards. In 1929 just before the Stock Market Crash he left Alberta and moved to Kelowna, British Columbia. W.A.C. tried for the Conservative Party's nomination for 1937 Provincial Election but was unsuccessful.

His next try was successful and he became member of the British Columbia Legislative for South Okanagan. After a failed attempt to become leader of the P.C. Party in 1951, he left the party to sit as an independent member but in December of the same year took out a membership in the Social Credit League. In a complicated bit of political maneuvering the Social Credit with only 19 seats out of a total of 48 succeeded in convincing an independent labour member to support them and thus was able to form a minority government. The problem was the party had no leader, so in a vote of the newly elected caucus, W.A.C. won the position of party leader and Premier-Elect and on August 1st was sworn in as Premier. An office he was to hold for the next 20 years.

W.A.C. Bennett was Initiated in 1932, St. George Lodge No. 41, Kelowna, B.C. becoming Worshipful Master in 1944. He was a member of Gizeh Shriners of British Columbia and Yukon.



# HOWDY PARDNER!

The Potentate Ill. Sir Raymond A. Causton invites you,  
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## Fuelling Shriners...Litre by Litre: A Unique Fundraising Effort from Shriners and Petro-Canada

Starting April 1st, Shriners and Petro-Canada launched a unique and powerful fundraising opportunity. The Fuelling Shriners program requires no additional effort on your behalf, other than ensuring that you purchase your fuel for the next year at Petro-Canada gas stations. Simply filling up your gas tank can help to contribute over \$500,000 to the Shriners fundraising efforts over the next 12 months!

### The Program Details

70,000 Fuelling Shriners Cards were distributed to participating members and supporters at 11 Shrine Centers across Canada. Shriners members should go online at [www.FuellingShriners.ca](http://www.FuellingShriners.ca) beginning April 1st to activate their cards as well as their supporters cards before distributing them to the supporters. Supporters and members then swipe their cards before filling up at one of Petro-Canada's 1,400 retail locations, or at North Atlantic Petroleum gas stations in Newfoundland. The cards are also valid with diesel purchases for your personal vehicle.

### The Outcome

Petro-Canada will track the activity on a monthly basis and provide Ramses Shrine with a quarterly contribution cheque based on those participation numbers. Shriners will be able to go online at [www.FuellingShriners.ca](http://www.FuellingShriners.ca) on a monthly basis to see the latest total aggregated contributions from the program.

### What is required for Success?

The secret ingredient is the strong personal commitment that Shriners members are already known for:

- Commit to buy your fuel exclusively from Petro-Canada
- Ensure all Fuelling Shriners cards are activated at [www.FuellingShriners.ca](http://www.FuellingShriners.ca) before they get distributed to your supporters
- Ensure you always use the Fuelling Shriners Card at the time of fuel purchase, including diesel
- Communicate with your supporters on a regular basis to ensure they continue to go to Petro-Canada and always use the card at the time of fuel payment

With full commitment from participating Shriners and supporters over the 12 months of this program, Fuelling Shriners can prove to be a simple and profitable fundraising strategy!



**KNOWING IS NOT ENOUGH; WE MUST APPLY.  
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YOU NEED TO START USING YOUR SHRINERS CARD TODAY!**

**W**e partnered with Petro-Canada almost 5 months ago and created a wonderful and simple program to help the Shrine earn money nationally. All we needed to do was fuel our vehicles at Petro-Canada. It was that simple. We were given 9 months to show that the Shriners were the right group to partner with and are truly dedicated to their cause and will do this with passion. At the same time, we were also allowed to collect Petro-Points and get entered in a chance to win a trip-for-two to the Olympics. Use your Shriners card today!

The first quarter of this program has brought in a significant number of activations. With 22,605 cards activated across the Shrine Centers as of July 1st, with enough cards out among our members and supporters to generate over \$900K in fundraising dollars! The potential earnings are much greater than this and we need every bit we can get this year. We need you to start using your Shriners card today.

That is the good part of the story. Nobles, I regret

to inform you that merely activating cards will not make us successful. Our combined usage in this program, since April 1st, has only amounted to 1% of what we can achieve. This is unacceptable! If we ever wish to benefit from this easy, fun, and profitable way to generate funds for the Shrine, we need to change our behaviour. After all, that is our creed – to do the things we like as a fun loving group of men with a purpose. You need to start using your cards today, for tomorrow will be too late!

Your Divan is very committed to this cause and they believe that there is no greater opportunity than to dedicate yourself and participate in this program. We cannot do this without your help!

To realize that value, you need to start using your card at each and every fill-up. If you do not have a card yet, ask for one and start using it. Ask those around you if they are using theirs. If you need to go a bit out of the way to do so, your participation and dedication to this cause would mean a great deal to the Shrine.

**ASK NOT WHAT THE SHRINE CAN DO FOR YOU...  
ASK YOURSELF WHAT YOU CAN DO FOR THE SHRINE!**



## Drum Corps On Parade

By Derek Fisher, P.P.

CAPTAIN RAMESES DRUM CORPS.

**B**y the time this message is printed the Drum Corps will have been in earnest practice for upcoming events like the Varsity Blues Football Game, The Santa Clause Parades and of course the great Imperial Ceremonial being held right here in Toronto next year. As we are all aware this is when our own Imperial Sir George Mitchell will be watching us with a keen eye.

There is also a Spring Ceremonial to prepare for and I am sure there will be other events we be called upon to participate in as the year progresses.

In the past months the Drum Corps have played in Mississauga's Bread & Honey Parade and as always received a huge reception. Mayor Hazel McCallion led the Parade. As we all know she is very proud of the work Shriners do in the community.

During the Spring Ceremonial in North Bay, once again we were proud and honoured to lead the parade.

As stated earlier the upcoming twelve months are going to be particularly busy not only for the Drum Corps but for all Rameses units.

May I once again remind all Nobles but particularly those who have just joined our fraternity the Drum Corps is always looking for new members. Nobles are needed not only to play in band but to also carry flags. Don't be shy. Uniforms will be supplied and it will be our pleasure to teach you how to play. It is of particular importance that we increase our numbers for the 2010 parade. Help us make Rameses Proud.

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**Michael A. Parkes**  
Editor, Papyrus



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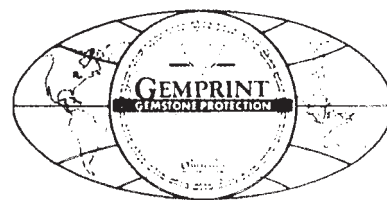
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# In the line of duty: Canada's casualties

Last Updated August 4, 2009

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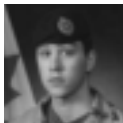
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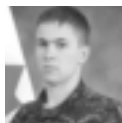
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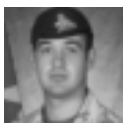
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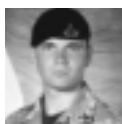
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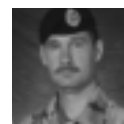
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**Nick Bulger**  
Corporal  
Alberta  
July 3, 2009



**Corey Hayes**  
Trooper  
New Brunswick  
March 20, 2009



**Gregory Kruse**  
Sergeant  
Ontario  
December 27, 2008



**Charles-Philippe Michaud**  
Master corporal  
New Brunswick  
June 23, 2009



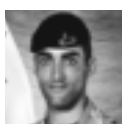
**Scott Vernelli**  
Master corporal  
Ontario  
March 20, 2009



**Gaetan Roberge**  
Warrant officer  
Ontario  
December 27, 2008



**Martin Dubé**  
Corporal  
Quebec  
June 14, 2009



**Marc Diab**  
Trooper  
Ontario  
March 8, 2009



**Michael Freeman**  
Private  
Ontario  
December 26, 2008



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John Curwin	Private	NS	Dec 13, 2008	David Greenslade	Private	NB	Apr 8, 2007
Thomas Hamilton	Corporal	NS	Dec 13, 2008	Kevin Kennedy	Private	NL	Apr 8, 2007
Justin Jones	Private	NL	Dec 13, 2008	Donald Lucas	Sergeant	NL	Apr 8, 2007
Demetrios Diplaros	Private	ON	Dec 5, 2008	Brent Poland	Corporal	ON	Apr 8, 2007
Mark McLaren	Corporal	ON	Dec 5, 2008	Christopher Stannix	Corporal	NS	Apr 8, 2007
Robert Wilson	Warrant officer	ON	Dec 5, 2008	Aaron Williams	Corporal	NB	Apr 8, 2007
Prescott Shipway	Sergeant	SK	Sep 7, 2008	Kevin Megeney	Corporal	NS	Mar 6, 2007
Andrew Grenon	Corporal	ON	Sep 3, 2008	Robert Girouard	Chief warrant officer	NB	Nov 27, 2006
Chad Horn	Private	AB	Sep 3, 2008	Albert Storm	Corporal	ON	Nov 27, 2006
Mike Seggie	Corporal	MB	Sep 3, 2008	Darcy Tedford	Sergeant	AB	Oct 14, 2006
Shawn Eades	Sergeant	ON	Aug 20, 2008	Blake Williamson	Private	ON	Oct 14, 2006
Stephan Stock	Sapper	BC	Aug 20, 2008	Mark Wilson	Trooper	ON	Oct 7, 2006
Dustin Wasden	Corporal	SK	Aug 20, 2008	Craig Gillam	Sergeant	NL	Oct 3, 2006
Erin Doyle	Mstr corporal	BC	Aug 11, 2008	Robert Mitchell	Corporal	ON	Oct 3, 2006
Josh Roberts	Mstr corporal	SK	Aug 9, 2008	Josh Klukie	Private	ON	Sep 29, 2006
James Arnal	Corporal	MB	Jul 18, 2008	Glen Arnold	Corporal	ON	Sep 18, 2006
Colin Wilmot	Private	AB	Jul 6, 2008	David Byers	Private	ON	Sep 18, 2006
Brendan Downey	Corporal	SK	Jul 4, 2008	Shane Keating	Corporal	SK	Sep 18, 2006
Jonathan Snyder	Captain	BC	Jun 7, 2008	Keith Morley	Corporal	MB	Sep 18, 2006
Richard Leary	Captain	ON	Jun 3, 2008	Mark Graham	Private	ON	Sep 4, 2006
Michael Starker	Corporal	AB	May 6, 2008	William Cushley	Private	ON	Sep 3, 2006
Terry Street	Private	QC	Apr 4, 2008	Frank Mellish	Warrant officer	NS	Sep 3, 2006
Jason Boyes	Sergeant	MB	Mar 16, 2008	Richard Nolan	Warrant officer	NL	Sep 3, 2006
Jérémie Ouellet	Bombardier	QC	Mar 11, 2008	Shane Stachnik	Sergeant	AB	Sep 3, 2006
Michael Hayakaze	Trooper	AB	Mar 2, 2008	David Braun	Corporal	SK	Aug 22, 2006
Étienne Gonthier	Corporal	QC	Jan 23, 2008	Andrew Eykelenboom	Corporal	BC	Aug 11, 2006
Richard Renaud	Trooper	QC	Jan 15, 2008	Jeffrey Walsh	Mstr corporal	SK	Aug 9, 2006
Eric Labbé	Corporal	QC	Jan 6, 2008	Raymond Arndt	Mstr corporal	AB	Aug 5, 2006
Hani Massouh	Warrant officer	QC	Jan 6, 2008	Kevin Dallaire	Private	AB	Aug 3, 2006
Jonathan Dion	Gunner	QC	Dec 30, 2007	Vaughan Ingram	Sergeant	NL	Aug 3, 2006
Nicolas Beauchamp	Corporal	QC	Nov 17, 2007	Bryce Keller	Corporal	SK	Aug 3, 2006
Michel Lévesque	Private	QC	Nov 17, 2007	Christopher Reid	Corporal	NS	Aug 3, 2006
Nathan Hornburg	Corporal	AB	Sep 24, 2007	Francisco Gomez	Corporal	AB	Jul 22, 2006
Raymond Ruckpaul	Major	ON	Aug 29, 2007	Jason Warren	Corporal	QC	Jul 22, 2006
Christian Duchesne	Mstr Corporal	QC	Aug 22, 2007	Anthony Boneca	Corporal	ON	Jul 9, 2006
Mario Mercier	Mstr Warrant Officer	QC	Aug 22, 2007	Nichola Goddard	Captain	AB	May 17, 2006
Simon Longtin	Private	QC	Aug 19, 2007	Matthew Dinning	Corporal	ON	Apr 22, 2006
Jordan Anderson	Corporal	NU	Jul 4, 2007	Myles Mansell	Bombardier	BC	Apr 22, 2006
Cole Bartsch	Corporal	AB	Jul 4, 2007	Randy Payne	Corporal	ON	Apr 22, 2006
Colin Bason	Mstr corporal	BC	Jul 4, 2007	William Turner	Lieutenant	ON	Apr 22, 2006
Matthew Dawe	Captain	ON	Jul 4, 2007	Robert Costall	Private	ON	Mar 29, 2006
Jefferson Francis	Captain	NB	Jul 4, 2007	Paul Davis	Corporal	NS	Mar 2, 2006
Lane Watkins	Private	MB	Jul 4, 2007	Timothy Wilson	Mstr corporal	AB	Mar 2, 2006
Stephen Bouzane	Corporal	NL	Jun 20, 2007	Glyn Berry	Diplomat	Wales	Jan 15, 2006
Christos Karigiannis	Sergeant	QC	Jun 20, 2007	Braun Woodfield	Private	NS	Nov 24, 2005
Joel Wiebe	Private	AB	Jun 20, 2007	Jamie Murphy	Corporal	NL	Jan 27, 2004
Darryl Caswell	Trooper	ON	Jun 11, 2007	Robbie Beerenfenger	Corporal	ON	Oct 2, 2003
Darrell Priede	Mstr corporal	ON	May 30, 2007	Robert Short	Sergeant	NB	Oct 2, 2003
Matthew McCully	Corporal	ON	May 25, 2007	Ainsworth Dyer	Corporal	QC	Apr 18, 2002
Anthony Klumpenhouwer	Mstr corporal	ON	Apr 18, 2007	Richard Green	Private	NS	Apr 18, 2002
Patrick Pentland	Trooper	NB	Apr 11, 2007	Marc Léger	Sergeant	ON	Apr 18, 2002
Allan Stewart	Mstr corporal	NB	Apr 11, 2007	Nathan Smith	Private	NS	Apr 18, 2002

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### DECEASED NOBLES REPORTED IN THE MONTH OF APRIL 2009

Raymond B. Cater  
April 18, 2009  
Etobicoke, ON

W. Stanley Corke  
April 1, 2009  
Scarborough, ON

Francis R. Donnelly  
March 1, 2009  
Barrie, ON

Lennel G. Goodwin  
March 28, 2009  
Elmvale, ON

Jack H. Pearse  
April 5, 2009  
Belleville, ON

James A. Prince  
March 31, 2009  
Peterborough, ON

Alexander Williamson  
January 29, 2008  
Milton, ON

Dennis J. Ross  
April 27, 2009  
Agincourt, ON

John J. Lensen  
April 17, 2009  
Belleville, ON

Frederick Harris  
April 23, 2009  
Toronto, ON

W. Sheldon Newman  
April 22, 2009  
Kingston, ON

### DECEASED NOBLES REPORTED IN THE MONTH OF MAY 2009

Ivor Blaney  
May 6, 2009  
Angus, ON

Christopher J. Dearing  
April 28, 2009  
Guelph, ON

Melvin J. Friesen  
May 10, 2009  
St. Catharines, ON

Kenneth D. Hare  
August 31, 2008  
Cannington, ON

N. Jack Hollyoake  
May 8, 2009  
Mississauga, ON

D. Fraser Howes  
May 9, 2009  
Kingston, ON

Reginald E. Jewell  
May 13, 2009  
Cobourg, ON

John P. MacKay  
May 17, 2009  
Parry Sound, ON

Theodore M. Potter  
May 17, 2009  
Beamsville, ON

H. Lavelle Staff  
May 20, 2009  
St. Catharines, ON

Aaron Zimmerman  
May 4, 2009  
Toronto, ON

### DECEASED NOBLES REPORTED IN THE MONTH OF JUNE 2009

Nathan E. Austin  
April 27, 2009  
Willowdale, ON

Bruce M. Brown  
June 17, 2009  
Oshawa, ON

John L. Churchill  
January 31, 2009  
Lakefield, ON

E. Ted F. E. Daub  
December 8, 2008  
Elk Lake, ON

John Furedi  
November 5, 2007  
Beamsville, ON

Gerald F. Parker  
June 27, 2009  
Barrie, ON

Arthur R. Pollock  
April 9, 2009  
Keswick, ON

Robert B. Ross  
December 30, 2008  
Hamilton, ON

Samuel Smith  
January 13, 2009  
Toronto, ON

R. D. Thomson  
July 15, 2008  
Bala, ON

Thomas C. Warner  
May 31, 2009  
Brantford, ON

David S. Wilson  
June 11, 2009  
Westbrook, ON

Garfield E. Wright  
June 17, 2009  
Newmarket, ON

### DECEASED NOBLES REPORTED IN THE MONTH OF JULY 2009

Frederick B. Alton  
June 25, 2009  
Uxbridge, ON

John D. Holtby  
July 2, 2009  
Parry Sound, ON

W. Mike J. Lewis  
July 17, 2009  
Etobicoke, ON

James C. Lowes  
May 30, 2009  
Mississauga, ON

Ray R. McFaul  
July 12, 2009  
Havelock, ON

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