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Snowbound Party

By Noble William C. Sweet
Ambassador

TIMMINS AND DISTRICT SHRINE CLUB

The Timmins and District Shrine Club also hosted the Snowbound Party reception for the Cochrane Temiskaming Children's Treatment Centre on Saturday March 2nd 2013. The Timmins and District Shrine Club has supported this event for as long as anyone can remember and it is an opportunity for our Club to offer the kids and family of the Treatment Centre refreshment after their annual ski event at Kamiskotia Ski Resort. The Cochrane Temiskaming Children's Treatment Centre is committed to providing quality rehabilitation services to children and their families in the districts of Cochrane and Temiskaming.

Additional information about the CTCTC can be found at <http://www.nt.net/children/about.htm>.

We were able to use the Masonic Hall courtesy of the Golden Beaver Masonic Non-Profit Building Corporation for this party. Hot dogs, pizza, pop and juice are provided for our guests. Five Nobles and Bro. Alex Chiu, our own Chinese cook, provided the manpower for the event. Many thanks men.



South Porcupine Winter Carnival Parade

A contingent of nine Nobles braved the frosty weather recently to show our flags and happy nature to all who came out to watch the South Porcupine Winter Carnival Parade. Noble Ivan Groulx let us assemble our float in his two-

bay garage and he also towed the trailer. Noble Ambassador Emeritus Ron "Rondo" Theyers represented the Clowns and walked the whole route. We had a great, fun time interacting with the folks young and old along the parade route.





Potentate's Message

ILLUSTRIOUS SIR TERENCE J. "TERRY" LAMPING - POTENTATE

Time certainly goes by in a real hurry when we are busy and having fun and that is what your Divan and myself have been doing for the months of February, March and into April.

In January we visited our Shrine Clubs for Installations and Elections. Noble Terry Fulton and his Lady Helen joined with Lady Joyce and I for an exciting trip to Muskoka, Rorab and Sudbury. As usual the hospitality of these Clubs was and always is outstanding and a good time was had by everyone. We enjoyed being at Credit Valley, Kingston and Orillia and attended the Whitefish Bonspiel put on by The Sheba Shrine Club in Barrie. We had wonderful time in Belleville at the Blacks' B&B and we wish to say again our profound thanks to Noble Bill and Lady Debbie Black. If your Club has curlers I recommend the Sheba experience to you and it just so happens that there are (or were) two vacancies for 2014. It always is a great weekend.

In addition to visiting the Shriners Club of Hamilton we attended the Tri-Club installation for the 3 Clubs in the Niagara area and a big surprise was in store for us when the Port Colborne Shrine Club pledged and later presented \$72,000 for the Transportation Fund. Quite an achievement! Once again, I congratulate Port Colborne Nobles.

Noble Terry Fulton, our Ladies and myself traveled to Kingston, New York, for their Potentate's Ball and were treated to the largest St. Patrick's Day parade we have ever seen. There must have been more than 50,000 spectators. The streets were wall to wall with partygoers having a great time.

Also in February the Berrys, Rennies and the Lampings were invited to speak at a seniors' Club in Richmond Hill. We explained who we were and received a donation for our Canadian Hospital and the promise of further donations in the future.

The Oakville Shrine Club brought their degree team to Brant Lodge in Burlington and put on an excellent display of first class ceremony for the evening. A wonderful evening was enjoyed by all and a big turnout was in evidence.

Noble Al Berry and Lady Jackie accompanied Lady Joyce and I to Oriental Temple's Ball at the resort on Lake George and again we enjoyed the company of the Nobles and Ladies there.

By now the 2013 Potentates Ball is over and it was a great evening with our friends and family and my congratulations and thanks to Chief Rabban Terry and the many people who made the evening the success it was, particularly our office staff that always know the right way to make sure success is certain.

Our search for a new smaller building goes on and we, on your Divan, daily receive suggestions and information from our Real Estate people, Jeff Laceby and company. Our biggest task is the parking issue; many locations are very short of parking for at least 50-100 cars. We do have a sense of urgency here.

This edition may reach you in time for you to attend the trip presentation for the 2013 Russian trip on April 28th at the Temple. So come on out and enjoy fellowship and fun and decide if you would be interested to see some of the most beautiful landscapes on the Volga River from Moscow to St. Petersburg.

In a short 2 or 3 weeks the Shriners Hospital seminar will be held at our Canadian Hospital in Montreal on May 14-15-16 and in view of the recent discovery in their continued research of the gene that causes painful osteoporosis in children. While, of course, finding the gene does not cure the disease but it certainly will hurry a cure as these discoveries are shared worldwide, congratulations to the staff and doctors in Montreal.

Once again, don't miss the Spring Ceremonial in Kingston, Ontario, June 5-9.

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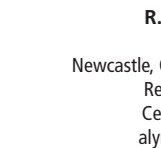


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THE EVENTS STATED IN THIS CALENDAR MAY HAVE BEEN POSTPONED OR CANCELLED. PLEASE CONFIRM WITH THE CLUB/UNIT PRIOR TO ATTENDING

May 2013

DATE	CLUB	EVENT	LOCATION	TIME
3-5 May	NYOSA	NYOSA Spring	Syracuse, NY	
9 May	Founder's Unit	Potentate's Golf Classic	Innisbrook G.C., Barrie	1:00 pm
26 May	Headquarters	Special Ladies Luncheon	Headquarters	11:00 am

June 2013

DATE	CLUB	EVENT	LOCATION	TIME
6 June	Kingston	Stated Meeting	Kingston S.C.	7:00 pm
7 June	Kingston	Spring Ceremony	Kingston S.C.	
21-23 June	Rameses	Shrine Circus	Woodbine Centre	
27 June-1 July	Rameses	Shrine Circus	Woodbine Centre	
30 June-4 July	Rameses	Imperial Council Session	Indianapolis, IN	

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**Rameses Spring
Ceremonial 2013
Hosted by the
Kingston District
Shrine Club
6 - 9 June 2013**



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PROGRAM

Thursday June 6

8:00 am Golf - Westbrook Golf Club
3:00 pm Flag Raising Ceremony - City Hall
7:00 pm Stated Meeting & Meet/Greet - Oasis

Friday June 7

11:00 am Flea Market - Oasis
11:00 am Registration - Oasis
4:30 pm Entertainment, Food, Cash Bar -
Fort Henry

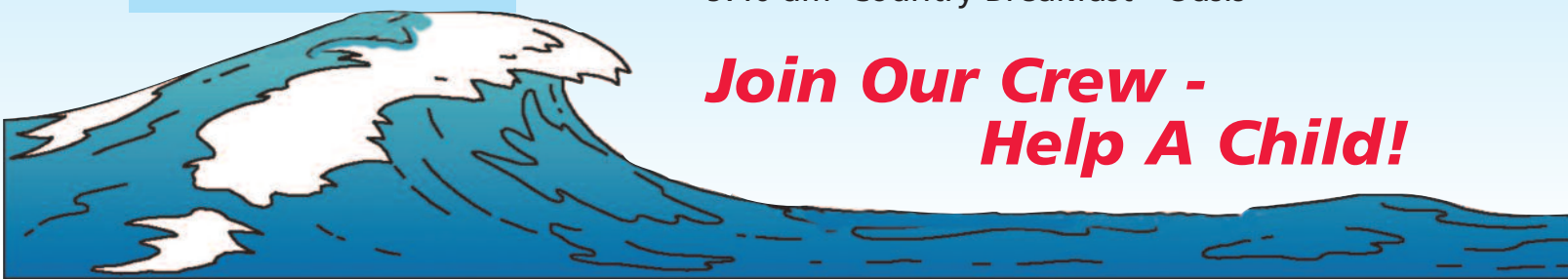
Saturday June 8

7:30 am Candidates Arrive - Bayridge
Secondary School
10:30 am Ladies Program - Ambassador Hotel
11:00 am Flea Market - Oasis
1:00 pm Parade - Downtown
7:00 pm Feast - Ambassador Hotel

Sunday June 9

9:00 am Drum Head Service - Oasis
9:40 am Country Breakfast - Oasis

**Join Our Crew -
Help A Child!**



Rameses Spring Ceremonial 2013

The Organizing Committee of the Kingston District Shrine Club wishes to welcome you to a fun-filled weekend June 6-9 2013. We have made a lot of changes to our programs since you were here last. The following is a listing of what we have planned. Please contact us so that we can tell you more.

THURSDAY June 6th

- 8:00 am Golf Tournament (Ladies welcome). This year we will play at the Westbrook Golf Club, near the Shrine Club, at the west end of the city. This is a great course and there will be a steak BBQ after at the Shrine Club.
- 3:00 pm Flag Raising at City Hall
- 7:00 pm Stated Meeting and Meet and Greet at the Oasis (Kingston District Shrine Club). Ladies will be welcomed into the ballroom at the Club while the Nobles meet at the Stated Meeting in the Club lounge. We will have local entertainment for all following the stated meeting.

FRIDAY June 7th

- 11:00 am Flea Market and Registration. Flea market, registration and Oasis open at the Kingston District Shrine Club.
- 4:30 pm Sunset Ceremony - Fort Henry. The program will include the food court and museum tours. The evening entertaining will start with a brief tattoo by our own bands. This will be followed by a spectacular Sunset Ceremony put on by the world-renowned Fort Henry Guard.

SATURDAY June 8th

- 7:30 am Candidates at the Bayridge Secondary School
- 10:30 am Ladies Program - Ambassador Hotel. You will be picked up at your hotel. We have a great program of entertainment planned for you and we know that you will not be disappointed. A fine lunch will be served and you will be transported to the parade.
- 1:00 pm Parade - Downtown
- 7:00 pm Feast - Ambassador Hotel. The feast will be held at the Ambassador Hotel, we anticipate a quality meal.

SUNDAY June 9th

- 9:00 am Drumhead Service - Kingston District Shrine Club
- 9:40 am Country breakfast - Kingston District Shrine Club. We are planning a big country breakfast, so come and say your goodbyes before you head home.



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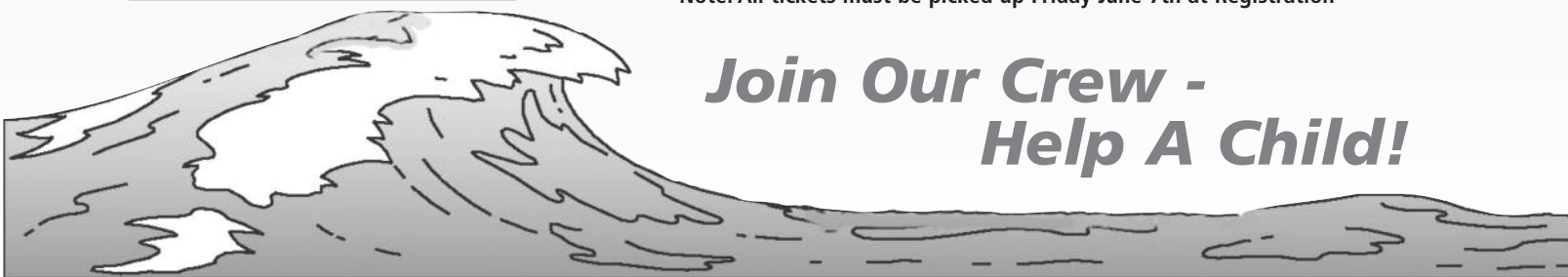
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Golf	\$80 X		
Sunset Ceremony	\$35 X		
Ladies Program	\$45 X		
Feast (max. 550)	\$70 X		
Country Breakfast	\$12 X		
TOTAL AMOUNT \$			

Cheques or Money Orders should be made payable to:

Kingston Ceremonial 2013
Kingston District Shrine Club
3260 Princess St., Kingston, ON, K7L 4V2

Note: All tickets must be picked up Friday June 7th at Registration

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FORTRESS KINGSTON

By Noble Ivan Tees

PEEL SHRINE CLUB

The harbour at Kingston provided the necessary anchorage for the British Fleet to control of the entrance to Lake Ontario and the supply lines for the rest of Upper Canada.

Directly across the St. Lawrence River is Sackets Harbour, NY, was stationed the American Army with superior numbers waiting for the ice to break, then to invade Upper Canada and occupy Fortress Kingston.

This would have effectively cut the supply lines to all of Upper Canada ensuring the end of the war and Canada as we know it. Why was this invasion cancelled?

On March 5, 1813 The Light Company of the 104th New Brunswick Regiment walked from Saint John, N.B. to reach Quebec and secure that Fort from American attack. The temperature was twenty-seven degrees Fahrenheit below when they reached the Madawaska River at the northern end of N.B.

They continued through deep snow to River du Loup, Quebec at the St. Lawrence River. This is still 120 miles from Quebec City. As a point of interest, the St. Lawrence River valley receives more snow than any place of its kind on earth. Further to this, virtually every soldier was now suffering from frostbite, but no lives were lost.

Next, forward to Fortress Quebec, the gateway to North America, pulling their supplies on toboggans and wearing snowshoes.

This they thought was their destination after two weeks of unbelievable endurance. However, the arrival here was of short duration, as they were now ordered to proceed on to Montreal to prevent an expected American attack there.

Again, at Montreal, the threat was considered not serious as a confirmed and certain invasion of Kingston. So off you go boys for another 185 mile walk to Kingston. Fortunately the bitter cold was subsiding but with warmer weather came the melting snow, wet feet and clothing.

When they finally saw Kingston, for boys from Saint John the ships in the



Kingston Harbour were a sight to behold, too bad the entire squadron was frozen to the bottom but they resembled Saint John Harbour and home from the distance.

This date was April 12th and the six hundred troops have now marched more than seven hundred miles in the worst conditions possible and never lost a man. These New Brunswick boys were indeed tough! Imagine travelling most of the trip to Quebec on snowshoes pulling toboggans with their supplies in unbearable cold temperatures, then with little rest on to Montreal, then Kingston, Ontario.

Now, across the river from Kingston at Sackets Harbour lies the American Army just waiting for the ice to clear then attack outnumbered Fortress Kingston. But now, with the reinforcements arriving at Kingston, they decide to select York (Toronto) for this venture instead. Kingston was saved by the Saint John 104th Regiment.

This coming June, none of us have to travel 700 miles to get to Kingston, the weather will be warm and sunny. Rain is not permitted on a Shrine Ceremonial.

Reserve early as hotels here are tops and the entertainment at Kingston will be superb. Be sure to bring your dancing shoes for Friday night.

To add to your fun, Peel Shrine Club just may have an extra Go-Cart for you to drive in the parade. We like to share, look for us on the Saturday morning in the Parade line up.

Incidentally, I come from just upriver from Saint John so if any Kingston Shriner wishes to show his gratitude and appreciation for the above sacrifice made by this New Brunswick Regiment, I could accept, on their behalf, a drink in the Hospitality Room!



Shriners Hospital for Children - Boston

Reagan makes a great recovery

Two-year old Reagan Harwood is a ball of happy energy. She loves to play with toys and has a smile for everyone she meets. Just like most toddlers she is fast moving and into everything! Unfortunately, all that energy was at work on a January afternoon, ten days before her second birthday. It took only seconds for Reagan to pull a pan of searing-hot bacon grease off of the stovetop, which caused second and third-degree burns to her face, chest and arms.

Her mother, Rhiannon, who received some burn-care education during lifeguard training in her youth, immediately removed Reagan's footie pajamas and applied water to the burns. She then called for an ambulance, which took them to the local hospital in Manchester, New Hampshire.

"When we arrived at the hospital, their top pediatrician came to examine Reagan," says Rhiannon. "He took one look and said her injuries were too severe to be properly treated at this hospital. Then he said, I have a daughter, and if this had happened to her, I'd want her to be treated at Shriners-Boston."

The hospital placed a phone call to Shriners Hospitals for Children-Boston and Reagan was on her way. Upon arriving at Shriners, nurses met Reagan and her mother at the ambulance and whisked them up to the 8th floor for emergency treatment. The bacon grease had caused a severe thermal burn, which melted Reagan's pajamas into the skin on her arm and removed several layers of skin. The Shriners-Boston team quickly removed all of the remaining bacon grease from Reagan's body and then began to treat her wounds.

Reagan sustained the most severe burns to her arm and the area around her eye. Before discharging her, Shriners-Boston



staff showed Reagan's parents how to properly care for her wounds—how to dress them and what to look for to ensure they were healing properly.

Almost a year after the incident, Reagan is flourishing, and is still the same bright and happy child she was before the burn occurred. The scar on her face is a mere trace of what it once was, a testament to her mother's fast-acting actions in the moments before the ambulance arrived.

Rhiannon credits the doctors and nurses at Shriners-Boston for Reagan's comprehensive treatment and the assistance and education that she and Reagan's father received during the process. She hopes that Reagan's story will help increase burn awareness and education.

"People don't ever think this will happen to them," she says. "I watch my child like a hawk—I never thought this could happen to her. Reagan's experience proved how necessary it is to know about immediate burn treatment. Reagan had such a severe burn; we were totally in the dark about how to care for it, but the doctors and nurses took us all under their wing. We are so grateful."

Meet an international patient

When it comes to treating children desperately in need of the life-saving or life-altering treatments offered at Shriners-Boston, we are a hospital that operates without borders. Through the hard work and dedication of Shriners-Boston staff, often in conjunction with charitable organizations that operate internationally, we work to provide state-of-the-art medical care to international patients at our Boston location.

Most children who arrive at Shriners-Boston from abroad come bearing the emotional and physical scars of terrible accidents. In our care, they have flourished, healing inside and out, smiling and laughing with Shriners-Boston staff, and looking forward to the future with a renewed sense of hope and wonder.

Ihor Lakatosh of Ukraine captured the hearts of many when the Associated Press covered his story in an article that was widely distributed in September of 2012.

Ihor came to Shriners-Boston through Doctors Collaborating to Help Children, an organization run in part by two Shriners-Boston doctors, which provides international children in need of burn treatment the opportunity to receive quality care. He arrived at Shriners-Boston to receive treatment for untreated third-degree burns sustained when he was about four years old (Ihor is currently nine). Ihor's injury caused burns and scarring on over 30 percent of his body, fusing his arm to his chest and leaving him with limited mobility due to additional scarring in his knees.

Since the time of his accident, Ihor had been unable to walk. After multiple surgeries and extensive physical therapy, the doctors at Shriners-Boston are proud to report that Ihor returned to the Ukraine a few months ago, now able to walk fully upright with the assistance of a walker. Ihor continues his rehabilitation at an inpatient hospital in the Ukraine, where he is putting on weight and regaining health every day.

If you know of a child living outside of Canada who may greatly benefit from the medical treatment provided at Shriners-Boston, we encourage you to reach out by contacting us at 617-722-3000. Treatment is provided to children in need regardless of a family's ability to pay.



Leaside Shrine Club's last supper

By Noble Glenn Pollinger

LEASIDE SHRINE CLUB

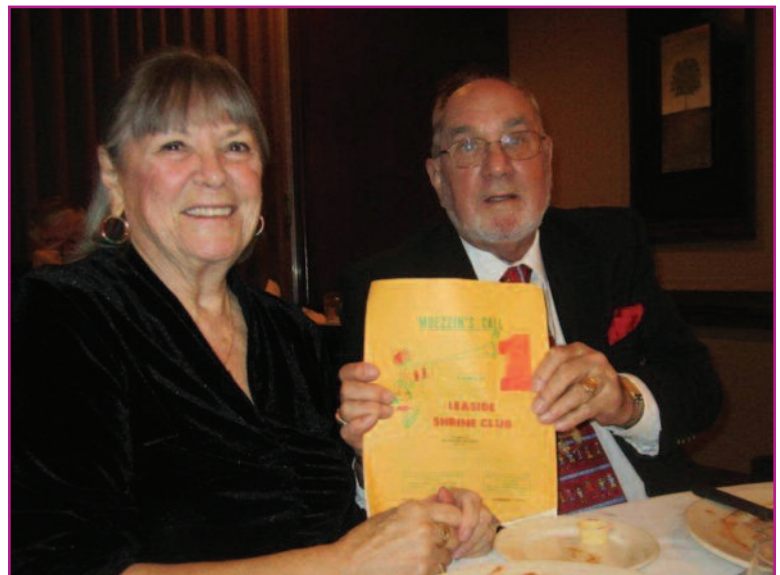
On Monday, 28 January, 2013, twenty-six Nobles and Ladies from Leaside Shrine Club gathered for a final dinner at the Canadianna Restaurant. This was to be the last time that Leaside would meet as a Shrine Club.

Unfortunately, after 54-years the Club could not field a slate of Officers for the coming year and had to go dark. The money that the Club held was distributed with \$5,000 going to the building fund for the new Montreal Hospital and the remainder given to Headquarters.

At the end of the dinner, it was suggested that we hold a reunion next January, so just maybe we will be like a Phoenix and raise from the ashes.

If anyone would be interested in joining us in January 2014 and try to bring Leaside back to life, talk to any member of the Divan and they will let the core of Leaside know so you could be invited to our January reunion dinner.

Or contact Glenn Pollinger at: 416-246-0181 or pollinger@rogers.com.



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0051	G. Morgan	Beaverton	Orillia	\$ 250
3143	C. Trim	Newtonville	Rameses	\$ 250
0378	A. McConnell	Owen Sound	Ramoca	\$ 100
2793	D. Oldham	Mt. Albert	Newbeaver	\$ 100
1987	J. Hayes	Kincardine	Credit Valley	\$ 100
1647	J. Desmasdon	McDougall	Waubuno	\$ 100
2089	J. McCall	Peterborough	Kawartha	\$ 100

Draw 2, 10 January 2013

2843	A. Hatton	Keswick	Newbeaver	\$1000
1362	M. Haig	Campbellford	Trent Valley	\$ 500
0477	R&D Nelson	Sauble Beach	Ramoca	\$ 250
0569	D. Macaulay	Ajax	Scarborough	\$ 250
3301	W. Norris	Scarborough	Rameses	\$ 250
1572	D. Gibson	Parry Sound	Waubuno	\$ 250
2211	G. Banner	Kingston	Kingston	\$ 100
1047	B. Lacroix	Sudbury	Sudbury	\$ 100
0171	J. Fowler	Ajax	Oshawa	\$ 100
0909	G. Loughheed	Sudbury	Sudbury	\$ 100
0061	G. Thiess	Orillia	Orillia	\$ 100

Draw 3, 17 January 2013

2906	T. Wills	Grimsby	Niagara	\$1000
0283	P. Karanfilis	St. Catharines	Pt. Colborne	\$ 500
1523	W. Ditty	Bradford	Viking	\$ 250
2811	M. Hedges	Newmarket	Newbeaver	\$ 250
2279	Bence Motor Sales	Kaladar	Kingston	\$ 250
1728	Rameses Corps	Mississauga	Drum Corps	\$ 250
1507	M. Russell	Newmarket	Viking	\$ 100
3053	J. Ferguson	Collingwood	Manito	\$ 100
0890	W. Wright	Sudbury	Sudbury	\$ 100
0060	R. Seanor	Orillia	Orillia	\$ 100
1507	M. Russell	Newmarket	Viking	\$ 100

Draw 4, 24 January 2013

3089	A. Doney	Peterborough	Rameses	\$1000
1594	P&B Cotie	London	Waubuno	\$ 500
2262	L. Ross	Inverary	Kingston	\$ 250
0736	D. Blevins	Barrie	Sheba	\$ 250
3294	G. Boucher	Collingwood	Manito	\$ 250
0459	J. Penner	Owen Sound	Ramoca	\$ 250
2293	V. Rebelo	Kingston	Kingston	\$ 100
0191	A. Yard	Brampton	Peel	\$ 100
0306	D. Ainforth	Cobourg	Rameses	\$ 100
0603	W. Haza	Everett	Sheba	\$ 100
1726	Drum Corps	Mississauga	Rameses	\$ 100

Draw 5, 31 January 2013

3149	M. Pearce	Brampton	Rameses	\$1000
1274	M. Palangio	Cochrane	Timmins	\$ 500
0466	B. Huduagner	Tara	Ramoca	\$ 250
2739	D. Stevenson	Gravenhurst	Muskoka	\$ 250
0261	J. Weir	Welland	Port Colborne	\$ 250
1708	D. Ogilvie	Burlington	Drum Corps	\$ 250
0612	D. Loughheed	Shanty Bay	Sheba	\$ 100
2652	T. Hornibrook	Sundridge	Muskoka	\$ 100
1454	B. Velema	Holland Landing	Viking	\$ 100
0836	S. Irion	St. Catharines	St. Catharines	\$ 100
2369	E. Buscombe	Toronto	Leaside	\$ 100

Draw 6, 7 February 2013

0177	J. Fowler	Oshawa	Oshawa	\$1000
2922	S. Grant	Welland	Niagara	\$ 500
3251	B. Montgomery	Brighton	Trent Valley	\$ 250
3400	A. Chafe	Fenelon Falls	Sauu Nessu	\$ 250
3272	M. Hurwitz	Toronto	Credit Valley	\$ 250
1573	J. Jackson	Parry Sound	Waubuno	\$ 250
0102	J. Duffy	Courtice	Oshawa	\$ 100
2230	N. Ball	Kingston	Kingston	\$ 100
3344	D. Embleton	Lions Head	Niagara	\$ 100
1208	J. Petrie	Mississauga	Tecumseh	\$ 100
1154	Clark/Horan	Beeton	Tecumseh	\$ 100

Draw 7, 14 February 2013

1891	L. Donaldson	Bancroft	Algonquin	\$1000
0077	L. Johnston	Coldwater	Orillia	\$ 500
1833	J. MacDonald	Scarborough	Security	\$ 250
2789	T. Webster	Aurora	Newbeaver	\$ 250
3646	J. Kubacki	Oakville	Oakville	\$ 250
3095	H. Mowles	Brechin	Hillbilly	\$ 250
2323	E. Elcombe	Toronto	Rameses	\$ 100
0950	E. Wansborough	London	Rameses	\$ 100
1028	H. Dinan	Lively	Sudbury	\$ 100
2409	J. Dahonick	Mississauga	Leaside	\$ 100
1575	K. Smith	Parry Sound	Waubuno	\$ 100

Draw 8, 21 February 2013

2456	T. Wehrle	Wasaga Beach	Manito	\$1000
2568	J. Brown	Port Carling	Muskoka	\$ 500
2676	P. Stephen	Huntsville	Muskoka	\$ 250
1448	B. Morrissey	Mt. Albert	Viking	\$ 250
3649	D. Dell	Oakville	Oakville	\$ 250
1334	J. Mavrinac	Porcupine	Timmins	\$ 250
3326	R. Desante	Owen Sound	Rameses	\$ 100
2954	C. Balogh	Niagara Falls	Niagara	\$ 100
3616	D. Brisbin	Burlington	Oakville	\$ 100
2401	M. Roulston	Toronto	Leaside	\$ 100
1094	K. Godin	Sudbury	Sudbury	\$ 100

Draw 9, 28 February 2013

0499	S. Kitzul	North Bay	Rorab	\$1000
2344	D. Fraser	Godfrey	Kingston	\$ 500
2656	I. McGirr	Sundridge	Muskoka	\$ 250
2109	C. DeCarlo	Peterborough	Kawartha	\$ 250
3402	R. Bertram	Caledon	Tecumseh	\$ 250
1094	K. Godin	Sudbury	Sudbury	\$ 250
3097	R. Kubikak	Bramalea	Hillbilly	\$ 100
2952	P. Oakes	Niagara Falls	Niagara	\$ 100
1202	M. Vince	Toronto	Tecumseh	\$ 100
2193	E. Welbanks	Stella	Kingston	\$ 100
0132	W. Mauch	Oshawa	Oshawa	\$ 100

Draw 10, 7 March 2013

2853	D. Kortko	Pefferlaw	Newbeaver	\$1000
2772	H. Colquhoun	Keswick	Newbeaver	\$ 500
2581	S. Beaumont	Bracebridge	Muskoka	\$ 250
1070	K. McKibbin	Metcalfe	Sudbury	\$ 250
0891	J. Mathison	Sudbury	Sudbury	\$ 250
0970	D. Keller	Mindemoya	Sudbury	\$ 250
2665	J. Fawcett	Huntsville	Muskoka	\$ 100
3684	D. Blackwell	Kirkland Lake	Northland	\$ 100
2811	M. Hedges	Newmarket	Newbeaver	\$ 100
1035	M. Lamoreaux	Garson	Sudbury	\$ 100
3178	R. Detenbeck	Niagara Falls	Rameses	\$ 100

Draw 11, 14 March 2013

1871	S. Burchat	Bancroft	Algonquin	\$1000
1691	D. Fisher	Toronto	Drum Corps	\$ 500
0212	S. Rowe	Mississauga	Peel	\$ 250
2165	I. Crowe	Bobcaygeon	Kawartha	\$ 250
2415	D. Culham	Wasaga Beach	Manito	\$ 250
1628	C. Orr	Parry Sound	Waubuno	\$ 250
2588	L. Sammit	Brechin	Muskoka	\$ 100
3380	R. Neimar	Phelpston	Manito	\$ 100
0893	K&L	Redden	Val Caron	\$ 100
0914	V. Campbell	Lively	Sudbury	\$ 100
3095	H. Mowles	Brechin	Hillbilly	\$ 100

RECORDER'S MESSAGE



BY BOB MCGREGOR, P.P.
Recorder

The Club and Unit Installations are all completed including a few last minute changes and I hope you are all happy with the choices you have made.

I am writing my message on February 13th, and I am well aware that yesterday was the revised closing date for the sale of 3100 Keele Street and I have been assured by our Broker, Noble Jeff Laceby, that he will be bringing the cheque to my office this morning. Note, I have already been in touch with our Investment Portfolio Manager Marcia Wisnewski of the Scotia Private Clients Group and the minute I receive this cheque, I will have it couriered to her for further investment.

Please note that the sale price was \$6,200,000 less lawyer's fee, taxes and real estate commission which will total \$309,227.30 therefore the cheque will be \$5,890,772.70 and that added to our current portfolio of \$2,707,969 makes for a total investment portfolio of \$8,598,741.70.

Be advised that by the time you read this, the bottom line as shown above will have changed due to the market changes. Hopefully the bottom line will be moving up and not down but don't worry, I will keep you posted on a regular basis, however Nobles, please remember that our instructions to Marcia are that we only invest in relatively safe stocks and bonds and we don't take unnecessary risks with this money, consequently our profit margin is not as robust as some would want it. Don't forget, we are governed by the Trustees Act and we must at all times be prudent.

Last, but not least, I promised you that my personal actions on your behalf would be transparent and I intend to honour that promise.

We are now starting to look for our new headquarters and so far I have not looked at anything that has me excited but it's early yet and we have a big city to work on. Note, if I see a property that I think has potential and time is a factor I will write to the G.T.A. Club's and Unit secretary's advising them of the location and they can have their phone committee call your membership so that the Nobles who are interested can pay a visit to the site. If there is no rush, I will advise every one of the location and deadline date in the Papyrus for their comments and recommendation. Let me be quick to point out that I'm under no illusion that I will be able to please everyone but be assured your Divan will always act in your best interest.

Most of you are aware that for the last dozen or so years I have made up Rameses Annual Budget which is given to every one of you at the Fall Stated Meeting. I'm pleased to report that with respect to the 2012 budget, I predicted a budget surplus of \$7,650. The actual surplus is \$13,168, not a huge difference but certainly on the good side of the line. If you look at exhibit 3 in your 2012 financial statement at the bottom of the left hand page, you will see these numbers confirmed.

For the record, I know that our two Ladies groups are concerned. Bokhara Court and Daughters of the Nile will receive the same information that I pass on to the Nobles and it will either

be in the Papyrus or in the standard letter I will send to our Clubs and Units also the Lodges and Scottish Rite. It will simply be a "Dear John" letter but be assured I will not forget you.

You will note that the west side of the parking lot at 3100 Keele is in rough shape. The new owners were required to take soil samples from the property and they drilled 10 sample holes. The west side produced some contamination created by the old oil tank and this soil had to be removed. The work has been done however we are now waiting for the new soil to settle after which the new owner will patch the asphalt (I hope) in the meantime do not park close to the building on the west side as your car could sink into the soil particularly if it's wet.

Generally speaking the Shrine office activity slows down a little which gives our hard working staff a chance to get caught up with the items that get set aside during the mad rush of elections, installations etc. Nancy and I are going south for a month but I'll be back in late March with renewed energy and ambition and ready for what lies ahead.

Don't forget to support the Potentate's Ball on Saturday, April 13th. This is one of the highlights of Terry's year and a large turn out for him and Lady Joyce would be appreciated by your Divan.

On Sunday, May 26th we invite all our Special Ladies out to lunch and I know they all look forward to this very special day. This is our chance to say thank you to them for the support they and their Nobles gave to Rameses over the years. This is the time to reflect on days gone by and the Noble friends we all miss by their departure from our daily lives. I know that the names and faces of my many friends that have passed on, flash into view as I look around the room and I still conjure up the images of good friends who have been gone for many years and I reflect on the happy times we had together.

The Spring Ceremonial will be held in Kingston starting on June 6th with our Stated Meeting at the Clubhouse and followed by a fun weekend. Kingston is a great old city with so many things to see and do. For goodness sake, don't pass up the chance to re-live the history of our great country. It isn't any wonder that people from all over the world try desperately to be accepted as immigrants to this land of plenty where hard work allows you to enjoy the fruits of your labour. I know because I'm one of them and I live the life of a Canadian. I live by their rules and their standards and I love it. I only wish everyone else that came here would do the same.

The Annual Imperial Session starts on Sunday, June 30th and this year we go to Indianapolis. This is the time when your representatives (all 5 of them) speak on your behalf on all subjects relating to us as Shriners or as we are referred to ("Iowa Corporation"). This is where we accept or reject new Temples and make changes to our current Imperial By-Laws and of course many other items all of which are listed in the book referred to as General Order No. 2.

I believe that's enough for now but let me close by thanking every Rameses Noble for the hard work you do on behalf of your Unit, Club and your Temple. We don't always agree and sometimes we are at odds with each other on the subjects that are close to our heart. That's quite normal so long as we quickly put that difference behind us. The problem starts when we take it home with us.

Keep smiling and thank you all for just being Shriners.

JIM'S ON THE RUN



BY JAMES "JIM" RENNIE
Assistant Rabban

As I sit here in front of the window at the cottage looking at the lake that is frozen, the snow is coming down, as it should be on February 19th. Soon the snow will be all gone and the warm weather will be on the way.

A couple events that we have attended at the Temple were the Financial Meeting and the Daughters of the Nile Tea, which were very successful.

I will be attending the Assistant Rabban Seminar in Tampa; I will report back in the next Papyrus.

As you know, the Temple is sold and we are in the process of looking for a new location.

They will be starting on the Hospital in the spring and the

corner stone will be placed in September 2013 with completion September 2015.

The Circus will be back in the Greater Toronto Area only from June 21, 2013, through to August 5, 2013, and we will be looking for all the help you can give.

April 13th was the Potentate's Ball and I would like to thank all the Nobles that attended. It was a great evening.

Events coming up in the future are: May 9th the Potentate's Golf Tournament. May 26th Special Ladies Luncheon at the Temple, June 6th Spring Ceremonial in Kingston - be sure to have your Candidates ready, as we need them. June 30th - July 4th Imperial Sessions in Indianapolis, IN. see Papyrus for details, September 21 2013 the Potentate's Trip see the Papyrus for details.

Remember to go to beashrinernow.com and Shriners Village. Food for thought Nobles: Let's have fun so our Kids can walk. Remember our Ill. Sir's Motto: "WHAT WE WILL WE CAN"

It is my wish that by the time you read this article, that warm weather and spring has returned. I hope all of you have had a great winter.

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Nobles, mark your
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Congratulations and well done goes out to two very hard working groups of ladies. Both the Daughters of the Nile and Bokhara Court had very successful Spring Teas. Nobles, the amount of work each of them put into raising money and making things for our Hospital in Montreal is fantastic. They are truly two hardworking groups.

Congratulations to Pat Monkman's rink in winning the Whitefish Bonspiel and the Founders Unit 1888, who won the Minnow consolation event. Nobles, mark your calendars and

TREASURER'S REPORT



BY JIM MCKINNEY, P.P.
Treasurer

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NUMBERS. I have done some calculations for the Potentate Ill. Sir Terry Lamping and the rest your Divan with the revised projected costs of staying at 3100 Keele Street. In this regard, starting in March, the cost is approximately \$28,000 per month. We are, however, making money on the \$6,000,000 proceeds from selling the building. A 4% return on that money would give us \$20,000 per month.

It is extremely important to get the RIGHT place as soon possible.

Your Divan is carefully considering all options.

Remember, "WHAT WE WILL WE CAN"

POTENTATE'S MESSAGE - CONTINUED

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The Imperial in Indianapolis comes up at the end of June and the first of July. I believe we have found a reasonable place to have our greeting dinner on the Sunday evening and plans are being made as I write this.

The wonderful experience we are having is probably the fellowship with the new and old friends we meet and enjoy each other's company. Travelling around Rameses' huge territory is exciting and a worthwhile experience that I know each member of your Divan cherishes. Be proud of our Fraternity, after all it is the greatest organization for good on



our planet earth. Our philanthropy is amazing and don't be afraid to tell people both in your Lodges and in organizations that you are associated with.

I was recently surprised to learn that during a recent Imperial Executive meeting it was stated that the Canadian Shrine Temples and Clubs give more money to Shriners Hospitals than ALL the US Temples. And go one-step further that your Temple is the largest contributor by far. So be proud.

Lastly, keep in mind that membership is our most important task. Please attend your Lodges regularly and talk up the work we do for children all over North America but particularly in our Canadian Hospital which, as you know, construction has started and a cornerstone laying ceremony is scheduled in September.

Nobles Share the Secret: WHAT WE WILL WE CAN!

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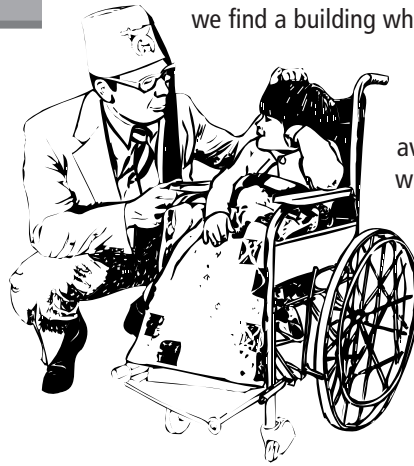


BY ALAN BERRY
High Priest & Prophet

The past two months have been very eventful and interesting. It has been a great experience so far, travelling to the various Clubs to attend installations and meet the Nobility.

I have been very impressed with the thought and planning which goes into the Club agendas for the year. There are some great ideas out there and many Clubs are concentrating on membership. I am sure with the great efforts being made by different Clubs we should have lots of new Candidates for Kingston. I believe we all realize how important this subject is as we continue to strive for new members. Good luck to all the Clubs who are making that special effort.

The other item of great interest to the membership right now is "How is the search for the new Shrine Centre going?" I can tell you that we, on the Divan, get a daily listing of potential sites and I am sure it is just a matter of time before we find a building which is suitable for our needs.



In the meantime I would encourage any of the Nobility who are aware of an available building or a location which would be suitable for us to let someone on the Divan know and we will follow up on it.

Hopefully spring is just around the corner and Lady Jackie and I look forward to meeting you on our future travels.

Now that we are into spring with summer approaching and our southern visitors have all returned home, let's get into the Shrine Spirit and become involved in our Shrine Clubs and Units. We have our Special Ladies Luncheon, the Spring Ceremonial, the Imperial Sessions in Indianapolis, and the Toronto Shrine Circus to name some of the events that will be taking place.

In order for our membership to grow, we all have to get out and show our communities who we are and what we do and hopefully attract new members.

CHAPLAIN'S CORNER



BY REVEREND
BEVAN CARRIQUE, P.P.
Chaplain

Our Shrine Children need your support if we are to continue to give them the care that they deserve.

Don't ask, "What the Shrine can do for you". Ask, "What you can do for our Shrine Children". Get involved.

TERRY'S THOUGHTS



BY TERRY FULTON
Chief Rabban

Here we are well into the new year, as I write this article I am looking out at piles of snow and hoping that as you read this the grass will be green, the birds are singing and all is well in your world and mine.

I was given the honour to represent the Ill. Sir Terry at Hamilton Shine Club at their February meeting. They had a very interesting guest speaker, what a wealth of information, Noble

Jim Thornton our Membership Specialist spoke on both recruitment and retention of membership.

If you would like great speaker with the knowledge and tools to help solve our biggest problem - membership - give him a call. He is under membership in the Temple Directory.

We also need to address our second problem, being the World's best-kept Secret. Our Hospitals are the best in the world in care, treatment and research and our philanthropy. So tell your friends, neighbours, business associates, fellow Masons and anyone else that will listen about Freemasonry, Shiners Hospitals and our organization.

See you at the Spring Ceremonial.

Your Divan has been very busy since our Election on January 5th.

We have travelled to several Club Installations within Rameses and I have truly enjoyed the fellowship from so many Shriners from all the Clubs.

As always "Whitefish" was a great weekend, with all the hospitality and of course the competition for the Whitefish and the Minnow. A good time was had by all. A very special part of the weekend is the luncheon hosted by a Sheba Shrine family. We especially enjoy the great food and the fellowship when we

DAVE'S NOTE PAD



BY DAVID RAWN
Oriental Guide

are invited into your homes.

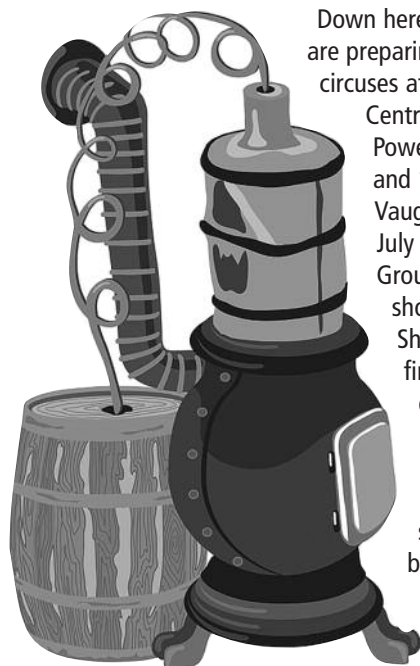
Now that the sale of Rameses Shrine Centre at 3100 Keele Street is complete, everyone's attention is focused on finding a new location within the GTA that fulfills our needs.

Hillbillies all set for a year of paradin' and circussin'

By Cuzin Noble Jim Johnston Sr.

HILLBILLY SHRINE CLUB

Howdee Cuzins! We have sad news. As reported in the March edition of The Papyrus, Cuzin Noble Barry Jones who wrote this here Hillbilly News for years, passed away in January with brain cancer. He was a P.M., a V.W. Brother, Hillbilly Club president 2004, our membership chairman and attended many parades and circuses. Our sympathy goes to his wife Karen and her family. He wore big shoes and it will be hard to fill them.



Down here at Burning Sands, we are preparing for 25 parades, 43 circuses at Woodbine Shopping Centre, June 21-23 and 28-30, Powerade Centre, July 5-7 and 12-14, Interchange-Vaughan July 19-21, T.B.A. July 26-28, Markham Fair Grounds August 2-5. One show we only had 4 Shriners and need 10 for fire doors and it held up opening for an hour until we got our wives, friends and Boy Scouts to man the doors. Shriners, let's support the circus by being there.

We are getting our float and equipment fixed up for a good showing at the

Rameses Spring Ceremonial in Kingston from Thursday June 6 to Sunday June 9 with the parade at 1:00pm, Saturday 8. See you there.

Our Hillbilly Gals sure have a great time with their float in the parades and at a recent big parade the Guys came first and the Gals came second. Good going Gals.

Glad to hear our Illustrious Potentate Terry Lamping has allowed our Hillbilly Gals to ride on our float during civic parades with Nobles only in the official Shrine parades. Thank you.

Speaking of Gals, Cuzin Jezebel wrote her son a letter. We don't live where we did when you went to jail. We moved 21 miles cause your dad read that most accidents happen within 20 miles of home. He is no dummy. I won't be able to send you the address cause the last folks that lived there took the house numbers with them so that they will not have to change their address.

Cuzin Noble Barry Cruickshank, our parade chairman, is slowly recovering from triple by-pass heart operation, get well Barry, we need you. I hear he wanted a quadruple by-pass because he wanted only the best. What a guy.

You know us Hillbillies have so much fun cause we are wild

and crazy Guys and Gals. During parades, playing our loud Blue Grass music and seeing us, people are laffing, toe tapping, dancing, clapping and giving us the thumbs up. It is worth it to make people so happy and spread the news of the good work we do to help children in the Shrine Hospitals. If you are interested in joining us, call our President Rik Kubiak 647-225-1171 or our Secretary John Carter 416-438-8161. We have a fun loving initiation you will never forget for Guys and Gals.

We also have 4 outhouses, #1 in Hamilton, #2 in Sudbury, #3 in Dorset-Muskoka and #4 in North Bay. If you are in these areas, consider joining them too 'cause they have the same fun.

They are all in local parades with old cars and floats. #4 Outhouse in North Bay had a Sadie Hawkins Dance on February 23 and #3 Outhouse in Dorset-Muskoka had a pancake breakfast on February 15, all of them to raise money for the Shrine Hospital.

The Hillbilly Club meets on the fourth Monday of each month except during the summer time. We start at 7:30 at the Shrine Temple on Keele Street in the Fez room down stairs. You will meet a lot of wild and crazy guys who enjoy themselves. Bring your Fez as we recite the Pledge of Allegiance and dress casual, as we do not care what you wear as long as you come.

Us Hillbillies had a meeting on the porch of J. Johnson's General Store with the single gas pump and we all agreed that Annie-Mae's Bar and grill had the best road kill menu. She always says everything is fresh. Last week the special was Raccoon Steak and this week it is Possum Cutlets. She said the bar comes before the grill on the sign because it is the best if you have a couple drinks before eating. Her moonshine is the strongest corn whiskey in the country. If you put some in a glass and add some steel nails, in a week, there they are—gone. It burns going down, but passes thru perty quick.

A very special thank you to Noble Joe Johnson for his dedication, support and assistance to all the Shriners in his effort to make the Papyrus special reading for us here Shriners.

The weather here in Burning Sands isn't too bad. It only rained twice last week, the first time for three days and the last time for four days.

We wish all our Shriners and their families the best of health and may the G.A.O.T.U. take a liking to you.



Signs of Shriners Spring

By Noble Vic Phillips

OSHAWA AND DISTRICT SHRINE CLUB

The entire March issue of the Papyrus put together by Noble Joe Johnson is the biggest hint of the approaching end of another interminable winter.

The April 13 Potentate's Ball is promoted with a sailboat and inviting sky blue water in the background of the article. More pictures of water and boats are in the next pages promoting the Rameses Spring Ceremonial in Kingston from June 6 to 9. What a fun time in one of Canada's most beautiful cities is being planned, including a summery sunset ceremony, golf at a beautiful course and numerous other outdoor activities.

Next check out the ads for other fun sunshiny stuff such as the 22 Annual Potentates Golf Classic in May. Wow! What a deal they are offering. Of course, a number of other Clubs and Units are sponsoring golf tournaments, like my own Oshawa Shrine Club which will be hitting the links of the Kedron Dells Golf course again this summer. We are also planning our annual summer parades, barbeques and other "under the sky" events.

For those who enjoy travelling and excitement check out the details of the 139 Shrine Imperial Session being held in Indianapolis, IN, from June 30 to July 4. The weather will still be lovely when Potentate Illustrious Sir Terry Lamping and Lady Joyce host their exciting Russian River Cruise in late September.

When travelling, I always have trouble with those soft fluffy towels and the hotel bathrobes. I can't stuff them in my suitcase. I recently called my travel agent and asked, "What is the best time to travel?" The answer really hit home. The agent advised me "between nineteen and thirty."



Photo courtesy of Nancy Finch

By Noble Tom Brooks

MUSKOKA SHRINE CLUB

Each new year seems to usher in a sense of quiet in our Club for the Muskoka Shriners but, as is also obvious, these same Shriners must have been Boy Scouts as well because they have that great spirit, "Be Prepared". There is a lot of work going on prepping for the Spring Ceremonial, more colourful parades, our Gala Surf & Turf event and in general Shriners involved.

One winter activity was also well prepared for our participation in the Dorset Snoball Winter Carnival, held in February, reported in the March Papyrus and a chance to grow the event each year. The picture above represents the driving forces of our involvement, Captain Noble Barry Butler and Co-Captain Noble Robert Ruck. They organized well and boast the serving of 550 meals, they staged some good high-jinx involving our Club Ambassador - good fun there - they gained the active participation of the local MPP, L. Scott and our dominion MP, T. Clement with added fun and all left-over supplies were either sold or given to a local food bank. They also boast of a good net profit to be made available to our great philanthropy. This event is now rated as excellent, thanks to all present, especially as well to the local YIG Grocer for their gracious discounts and to all the many non-Hillbilly Ladies and Nobles that chipped in to help in so many ways. A heap of congrats to Noble Barry and his crews.

Our Muskiter Unit in the Club, under the leadership of Noble C. Boyes, has increased their order of 275 to 400 bags of Vidalia onions for 2013. A bold move but they are known for great motivation. Is it a move to perpetuate the onion flatulence in Muskoka or is it purely a good infatuation to gain more monies for our charity. We're confident that it's the latter and, more confident that thy will succeed in their goal. Go for it Nobles - it's a worthy cause.

The 38 Units of our Club are in gear high planning to recreate their transportation trailer with outstanding Shrine pictorials that will adorn the sides of that trailer in a very eye-catching panorama of pictures. It should be ready for the Spring Ceremonial so; keep your eyes peeled for this Muskoka sensation.

The Club Executive, as a unit, is already working to plan our 2013 Gala Surf & Turf event in July. It is hard to exceed the flamboyancy of each previous year but as Shriners they will do it. Plan to attend; it's a joy and a hoot on July 20 in the Bracebridge Sportsplex.

Yes, we've seen quietude but for sure we are not quitting, as we also know that other Clubs are in the same mode.



Masonic Temple enjoys great exposure

By Noble Larry Aldebert
Ambassador

CREDIT VALLEY SHRINE CLUB

Pictured above are Noble Ambassador Larry Aldebert and Worshipful Brother Mike Borgal of Walker Friendship Lodge and Peace Rosa Chapter of Eastern Star.

The Halton Hills Community Open House, took place recently at the Georgetown Mall. It was sponsored by the town and showcased over 70 different organizations. The five tenant organizations of Georgetown Masonic Centre took part. Two Lodges, York Right, Eastern Star and Credit Valley Shrine Club.

Great exposure for us.



Directory Changes

- Page 6 Michael Webb, Marshal, 11 Nida Drive, Tiny, ON, L9M 0B3
- Page 15 Ashley Tidy phone number should be 416-425-2546
Norm Dickenson number should be 416-444-2992
- Page 26 Guelph Ambassador Sam Adams' Lady Frances passed away mid February
- Page 33 Oshawa S/C Ambassador Bob Jones numbers should be: Res. 905 725-2541 Fax. 905 725-6885
- Page 37 Sheba S/C President Tom McCullough
Change Res. phone to 705-503-3150
- Page 38 Email for Hamilton Shrine Club's Secretary Bruce Killinger should be bruce@midtowncarstar.com
- Page 40 Timmins S/C Secretary - John Mavrinac
New email address is johnmav@eastlink.ca
- Page 58 2013 Circus Date Updates
Changes for some of the show dates:
Woodbine - June 27-July 1
Brampton - July 11-14
Vaughan - July 18-21
Mississauga - July 25-28
the rest remain the same.



Fresh, new fundraising idea

By Noble Robert Ridley
Publicity Chairman

BELLEVILLE SHRINE CLUB

Before Past President Noble Al Hackett became President, he thought of "a new approach for raising money for the Rameses Transportation Fund".

P.P. Hackett looked at an old camera film container and wondered if a "toonies" would fit in it. IT DID!

Noble Hackett found that 25 toonies fit, making a \$50 donation. At P.P. Hackett's first meeting, in January 2012, he presented this idea to the Nobles of the Belleville Shrine Club and asked if they would participate in this project.

The Belleville Shrine Club more than participated, and to Noble Al Hackett's surprise, they raised \$5,550 for the Transportation Fund. Nobles, that is one hundred and eleven persons' donations.

Noble Hackett thought they might raise about \$2,000, but was overwhelmed with the amount raised.

This all started with P.P. Hackett thinking outside the box for a new idea, he is to be commended for coming up with this fresh idea.



Fun and games at Memorial Bonspiel

Top left: Ramoca Ambassador Emeritus Noble Ross King and Illustrious Past Potentate Noble Brian Lawson at this year's Terry Harris Memorial Bonspiel hosted by Sheba Shrine Club. Top right: Ill. Sir Terence J. Lamping. Below left: Ill. Sir Terence J. Lamping, Rameses Potentate, centre is Sheba Shrine President Noble Tom J. McCullough and right is Sheba Noble Paul Fockler. Bottom right: the big winner.



WOW what a day!

By Joyce Anderson-Johnson
Queen

DAUGHTERS OF THE NILE
ORONTO TEMPLE NO. 69

What can I say about Oronto Temple No. 69 Installation of Officers except "WOW" what a fantastic day! Thank you to everyone who participated and attended.

I think it is one of the most special days of my life, a favourite memory. A special thank you to my family and Nile and Shrine friends, you made the day a beautiful event for all, most especially me. I was truly honoured.

Daughters of the Nile are celebrating their 100th Anniversary this year and we will be having many fun events throughout the year to celebrate this milestone. Please make sure you join us in all the fun!

The Ladies of Oronto Temple will be working hard to have a fantastic 100th anniversary year, showing you "Dreams Become Miracles When You Believe!"



Done reading your Papyrus?

Share it with your friends and neighbours by dropping it off at your local Doctor's Office, Dentist, car dealership, or anywhere else magazines get left for others to read. Maybe others will know who those "guys with the little bikes and mini cars in parades wearing the funny red hats" really are!

New slate of officers installed at Bokhara

By Marjorie Young

BOKHARA COURT NO.22

LADIES ORIENTAL SHRINE OF N.A.

Our new corps of officers for 2013/2014 is Ladies Barbara Van Der Hayden, High Priestess, Marilyn Willette, Princess, Marion Searle, Associate Princess, Lady, Meredith Pennock 1st Ceremonial, and Lady Tanya Waite, 2nd Ceremonial. Lady Tanya has taken a big step as she just became a new member in November along with her mother, Lori. The good thing is her grandmother, Lady Winnie Law is a Past High Priestess so will be able to help her along the way.

It is really nice when we have new members join and step up to the plate, especially the younger generation. They help by bringing in fresh new ideas. Sometimes we older crew need stirring up.

Our Grand Council will be held in Tampa, Florida, May 19th to May 25th, 2013. Lady Tanya, our mushroom, will receive her symbols for her class and they will be announced at a later date.

Lady Barbara, our High Priestess will be preparing for our Grand High Priestess' visit in June. Our final Installation and Spring Tea will be over at 3100 Keele Street.

We will miss our friendships made in this building but will be looking forward to make new friendships in new premises yet unknown.

Dear Fellow Nobles and Ladies

Our fraternity was founded as an organization where Master Masons could share fun and fellowship, while still adhering to and promoting the Masonic ideals of brotherhood, relief and truth.

So we ask you to please promote more family fun, more fellowship and more brotherly love in your Temple activities and in your relationships with your local Masonic Lodges and fellow Masons.

Membership continues to be our number one priority, and needs to be the top priority at all 195 Shrine Temples!

We have too few Temples showing positive gains, and many with membership decreasing below 1,000. We can turn this decline around, but it will take extra effort, with each one of us focusing on recruiting, retaining and mentoring both the Nobles and the Ladies.

In fact the number of Masons has declined, just like the number of Shriners. We might all do well to focus on strengthening one another, and on our positive missions and goals for the sake of the future.

We talk a lot about our bonds of brotherhood – we suggest that be our main focus as we work to solve our differences and increase our memberships.

Remember that “failure is NOT an option” to bringing peace and harmony to ALL Grand Lodges!

There will be plenty of fun, fellowship and brotherly love at the 139th Imperial Session in Indianapolis. Our amazing Shrine clowns will lead the parade on July 1st.

We are hoping to set a world record for the most clowns in a parade. To do that, we need to break the current record of 850! Shrine Lady Clowns are also welcome to participate and help set a new world record!

So Temple leadership, please help get your Clown Units to the parade in Indianapolis, let's give the public a great time and showcase all our wonderful clowns!

Of course, we continue to travel extensively to be on hand for the many important events involving our great fraternity and philanthropy.

After the Rose Bowl parade in California, we traveled to the donor development seminar in Tampa, FL. Committee Chairman Gene Bracewell and Vice Chair Jeff Sowder, along with Home

Office staff H. Stroth and Jenna Taylor put on an outstanding seminar for the Temple and hospital representatives.

This was followed by the 88th East-West Shrine Game, held at Tropicana Field in St. Petersburg, FL on Saturday, January

February 2013

A message from the Imperial Potentate Alan W. “Al” Madsen



19th. If you did not attend the game or watch it on the NFL Network you missed an outstanding event. We want to again thank the coaches, players, staff and volunteers for their months of hard work that ensured such a successful weekend.

We also want to recognize PP Bob Burr, aka “Nickels the Clown” for attending his 26th consecutive Shrine Bowl game

dressed as a football player. Our two Patient Ambassadors, Hunter Woodhall and Jérémy Gabriel, represented us well in their interactions with the general public, as well as with the Nobility and their Ladies.

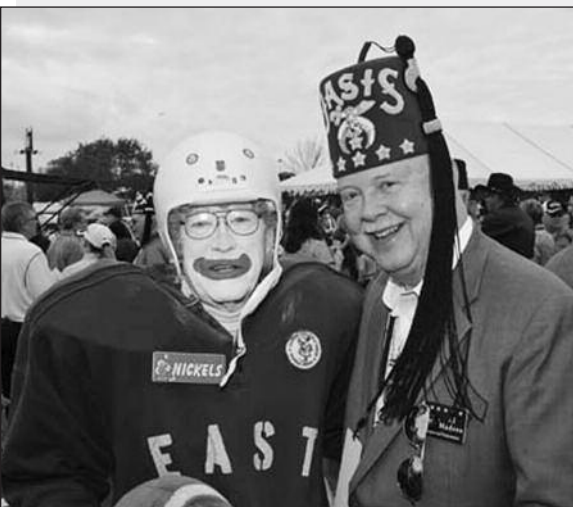
Lady Jan and I were also very proud of the Oasis Shriners Patrol Colour Guard's presentation of the flags of the countries with a Shriners presence. The Color Guard was led by Captain Peter Schuetz and First Lieutenant Bob Saye.

The Leadership Conference, attended by Chairmen and Vice Chairmen of the Hospital Boards of Governors, Chiefs of Staff, Administrators, Directors of Patient Care Services, Directors of Fiscal Services, Joint Board Members, and Executive Vice Presidents and Vice Presidents from home office was held in Tampa, following the East-West Shrine Game. There was great discussion and teamwork as we worked toward important decisions for our organizations.

Next, we attended the Texas Shrine Association mid-winter meeting on South Padre Island. President Richard McNabb did an outstanding job. Imperial Sirs Jerry Gantt and Jim Smith were in attendance, along with their Ladies, Lisa and Alice. The Oriental Guides provided a lot of entertainment and raised hundreds of dollars for the hospitals.

Finally, we traveled to Mexico to visit our Mexico City hospital, which means so much to the families in that area, and to attend the installation of the 2013 Divan of Anezah Shriners, including the newly elected Potentate, Agustin Martinez.

Our next message will include information about: The Midwest Shrine Association meeting in Duluth, MN; Pacific Northwest Shrine Association meeting in Spokane, WA; the Conference of Grand Masters in Kansas City, MO; International Shrine Clown Association meeting in Huntsville, AL; and the Records Seminar in New Orleans, LA.



High on Shrine

By Noble Dave Gillies

NIAGARA SHRINE CLUB

Pictured at right is one of the pictures from the Tri Club Installations held high atop the Skylon Tower that missed the March issue. Many more pictures from that star-studded night can be found on the Niagara website: www.niagarashrineclub.com.

Officers, Nobles, Ladies and our Divan celebrated the installation of the executive for our three Clubs in the region at a great black tie evening in February.

Sometimes bad decisions make good stories. I have mentioned possible offices we can use at our Imperial Sessions before so by now you may think I know every bar in the country. Not true, my gold star list comes from 40 years of traveling in the hospitality field.

Some people try to turn back their odometers. Not me; I want people to know why I look this way. I've traveled a long way, and some of the roads weren't paved". Some of my stories are from yesterday some from years ago so one of these days we may only find a hole in the ground for the office location. I need some other experts out there for suggested watering holes where Shriners can congregate and swap stories.

Our electronic genius, Jack, has been hard at work on the Maid's wiring prepping for another test sail; this time to Kingston, the limestone city, for some fun and games at the Spring Ceremonial. From what I hear, she will be crewed with Shrine Candidates searching out "WHAT WE WILL WE CAN". There's always room for more swabbies so get out your membership petitions, form a pressgang and sign up some Masonic sailors for a voyage to the once capital of the United Canada's. Hurry with that sign up as "every calendar's days are numbered".

Scuttlebutt has it there will be a unique new show put on for us at old Fort Henry along with all that the Kingston Club has planned for us. With the Kingston Penitentiary closing we may be able to kick up our heels a little more than usual provided our Provost Corps or the Keystone Kops don't blow the whistle on the shenanigans.

All these preparations and fun practice are preparing us for the July sail out to Indianapolis the "Crossroads of America" for the Imperial Sessions.

Hoosiers, hunker down for hordes of happy heavysset hungry hatted and noisy Nobles. Included in the horde, us Niagarans needing knowledge about the Soldiers and Sailors monument for a drive by salute with the Maid.

Wow! there seems to be a real spark of charged electricity in the air at our dinner meetings. President Gary has us all on the edge of our seats waiting for his next cheer wiping away any doom and gloom we may have brought with us for dinner. Lots of congrats, plugs for projects, jokes and fun. If you haven't experienced a new dinner meeting by now, be prepared for another plugged-in meeting this month.

Any Noble lost in the desert (dessert!) looking to expand his



waistline on each month's third Wednesday stop in, tuck a napkin under your chin and join us. If liquids are your poison, don't forget the weekly meeting on "Thirsty Thursday". Our Oasis is open between 7 and 10 for one and all to interact, imbibe and include your friends for an evening out, supporting our Club facilities.

Jungle #2 of the Vagabonds is planning on a visit to the Erie Hospital this June for Hospital Days to present their efforts from fundraising again.

The Tramps expect to give two checks to our Potentate for presentation; one for the Rameses transportation fund and one to the Erie unit for their special needs programme. The third Tuesday monthly is when the Tramps gather for hobo stew and frivolity all aimed at collecting a buck or two. There is always room for anyone wishing to join us to see how much fun can be had in a jungle.

The Clown Unit met in February, they had to introduce themselves as nobody recognized anyone without their makeup on. As their own gag, "Hoopie" was elected Captain. They also decided on their parade participation for the coming year along with plans for two fundraisers in the fall. For any new updates check out the Clown newsletter on our links page in the website.

I'm considering a new career in winter sports. The annual ice fishing trip to our Quebec camp followed my usual path of destruction; broken snow machines and trailers, all accompanied by -30°C temperatures and high winds. No fish, late nights, liberal libations, too much fried food and the not to be forgotten frozen posterior from using the outhouse at -30°C. Whitefisher's beware in 2014 Niagarans will be there.

During the French revolution Marie Antoinette supposedly said, "Let them eat cake". Wow! all of Niagara's peasants, Nobles, neighbours and friends of Shriners must have taken her fateful words to heart. Every one of cake chairman Harry's cakes have made the ultimate sacrifice and made that voyage to that great stomach in the sky. A big "AWESOME JOB" to Harry and his "fruit cake" sales force.

Niagara, got a story for the Nobility? Drop me a line for inclusion here and I'll even give you a byline. Noble Joe, the Papyrus editor and photographer extraordinaire, is always looking for a story big or small from any of you Rameses members out there.

Researchers at Shriners Hospitals for Children - Canada, discover cause of debilitating bone disease

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MONTREAL, Feb. 12, 2013 - Shriners Hospitals for Children, Canada is the first, worldwide, to identify the genetic defect underlying a painful bone disease that causes an unusual series of symptoms including severe tooth decay, osteoporosis and spine fractures in teenagers.

Led by Frank Rauch, M.D., a pediatrician, and Pierre Moffatt, Ph.D., a basic scientist, at Shriners Hospitals for Children, the team discovered that a part of the RUNX2 gene was duplicated, and therefore caused a disease called metaphyseal dysplasia with maxillary hypoplasia and brachydactyly or MDMHB. They were able to link the unusual series of symptoms observed in patients to the changes in observed in the RUNX2 gene, which is essential for creating bone forming cells. In doing so, they established that these changes in the RUNX2 gene result in disordered bone cell production which is the cause of MDMHB. The discovery is published in *The American Journal of Human Genetics* this month.

What does this disease look like?

MDMHB was first named and described over 30 years ago by The Montreal Children's Hospital's Fahed Halal, M.D. In 1982, he published his findings which included the physical characteristics of 12 children and their family members who all had the same unusual series of symptoms: fractures of the spinal column (without accident), very low bone density, crumbling teeth and large collarbones. Bones in the arms, legs and pelvis also looked unusually large on x-rays and sometimes scoliosis was present. The first patients to come to Shriners Hospitals for Children with this disease were seen in 1992 by pediatrician Gilles Chabot, M.D. who referred them to metabolic bone disease expert Francis Glorieux, M.D., Ph.D. The outcome of this disease for patients is a life in pain. Their teeth break easily and can be so painful that they have them removed by the age of 20. As they grow, many have breaks in their backbones, similar to elderly people with osteoporosis.

Research to find the cause of MDMHB

In 2003, Dr. Rauch saw a new teenage patient in the Metabolic Bone Clinic at Shriners Hospitals for Children. The patient complained of back pain and had the physical characteristics that matched the already-described MDMHB. He went on to examine relatives and found that 3 other teens and 2 of the adults were affected in the same way.

"We obtained x-rays, performed bone density tests and took samples for DNA analysis," says Dr. Rauch. "However, at that time the technology did not exist to identify the disease-causing gene in such a group. Two years ago, a consortium was set up

for finding rare disease genes in Canada. With their support we could get the samples analyzed at the Genome Centres in Montreal and Toronto, and we detected a problem in the RUNX2 gene in all affected family members."

With genetic results in hand, Dr. Rauch asked for Dr. Moffatt's help to uncover the mystery behind MDMHB. Why was this extra piece of gene causing these physical symptoms? Dr. Moffatt found that the genetic change leads to a more active and higher amount of RUNX2 protein inside cells. Why this causes osteoporosis in teenagers is not yet clear.

Helping affected children

Currently, the bone-building treatment which was pioneered at Shriners Hospitals for Children for patients with osteogenesis imperfecta (brittle bone disease) is being used also for MDMHB patients. "It increases bone density and minimizes bone pain," says Dr. Rauch, "but it does not directly affect the underlying problem in this disease."

"Now that we know the cause, we can identify patients with this disease earlier. So we can address their problems earlier, such as treating children before they have breaks in their backbones. We can also better manage the tooth problem and hopefully prevent the crumbling. Currently, many people with this disease simply have all of their teeth extracted, but by doing so, the jaw bones become thinner and thinner with time. Finding a mechanism to preserve the teeth, while minimizing pain would be a better alternative" concluded Dr. Rauch.

In order to develop tailored therapeutics MDMHB needs to be better understood.

According to Dr. Moffatt, this type of research is like being a detective. "You begin to piece together the different clues. We have found the culprit, the duplication in the RUNX2 gene, but we don't have all the details, the how and the why, we don't have the whole story, this is only the beginning" When asked what the next steps are, he further explained that "In order to push our research further and to fully understand the mechanisms underlying the disease, we need to identify and see more patients, in other words, with more information we will be able to further validate our results and develop more targeted treatments."

Testing is available right now; if you know of a doctor who has patients presenting with these symptoms or you know of a child that has these symptoms and would like to get tested and treatment, Shriners Hospitals for Children asks that you refer to the hospital's Metabolic Bone Clinic by calling:

514-282-6971 locally

the toll free number 1-800-361-7256 extension 6971

or faxing the referral at 514-282-7221.



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Mexico Shriners aid boy's treatment right across North America

The Papyrus published an article in September of last year, see picture above right, about an all-terrain wheelchair that Lake Chapala (Mexico) Shriners bought for a local young man. Below is some information about another project that our Club is officially looking after. These posters tell the whole story about Christian de la Cruz.

This little boy's treatment was started at Lakeside but now involves, along with LCSC, Shrine Centres in Edmonton and Calgary, Alberta, Winnipeg, Manitoba, and Montréal, Quebec along with Shrine Imperial in Tampa, Florida and the kindness of West Jet, the Canadian airline company.

The treatment is possible in the Montréal Shrine Hospital but there is no way we could handle the transportation of this young fellow and take care of the many of children we already have in Mexico City.


It is wonderful to see this "coming together" of the Shriners across North America to assist this young lad.

By Noble Francis Dryden


Secretary

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WHAT HAPPENS TO THE MONEY RAISED BY THE SHRINE CLUB?

Compared to Shrine Clubs in the U.S. and Canada, our Club is relatively small, but very active. Our biggest activity is helping lakeside children with medical problems, either at the Shriners Hospital in Mexico City or locally at lakeside or in Guadalajara.

Here are the statistics for our Club in 2012:

Trips to Shriners Hospital in Mexico City-	182
Local treatment lakeside/Guadalajara-	172
Total	354

Shrine Club Funds spent \$308,685.42 pesos

Statistics from 2006-2012:

Trips to the Shriners Hospital in Mexico City-	543
Local treatment lakeside and Guadalajara -	317
Total	860

Shrine Club funds spent \$1,535,891.42 pesos

The Lake Chapala Shrine Club pays for all of the family transportation costs to Mexico City and the child's local medical expenses which amount to thousands of pesos each year.


Your continued support at these fundraisers is most appreciated.

THANK YOU !!!

SHRINERS BENEFIT DINNER FOR CHRISTIAN DE LA CRUZ
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VISTA DEL LAGO
SAN NICOLAS DE IBARRA

MARCH 28, 2013 THURSDAY

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6:00 P.M. DINNER - ENTERTAINMENT BY CAROL BEDFORD
TICKETS 250 PESOS - CASH BAR



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Cheque or Money Order payable to Founder's Golf Tournament MUST accompany the entry.
For the team (\$640). Individual (\$160). If you have arranged to play with another individual on a Team,
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Potentate's Trophy for Shrine Team

A team is comprised of 4 players who are members of a Club or Unit in good standing and must play together. Clubs or Units may enter more than one team. Club and Unit Teams compete for the Potentate's Trophy and prizes. Non-Shriners are welcome but cannot compete for the Potentate's Trophy. All golfers except the winning team will be eligible for individual prizes.

Cut off date is April 26, 2013.

Payments are not deductible as charitable contributions.

2013 Oshawa and District Shrine Club Annual Golf Tournament

Kedron Dells Golf Club, 2400 Ritson Road North, Oshawa

Friday 31 May 2013

Shotgun Start: 8:30 am

**18 Holes of Golf
Electric Cart
Steak Dinner
\$125 per person**

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Prizes for Everyone

Bar will be open at the Oshawa Shrine Club after the Tournament

Contact: Noble Garry Christenson 905-436-1762

Proceeds from this event are for the benefit of the Oshawa and District Shrine Club.
Payments are not deductible as a charitable donation.



Extraordinary sum donated to Transportation Fund

By Noble Mike Palmer Sr., Ambassador, PORT COLBORNE/WELLAND & DISTRICT SHRINE CLUB

Through the hard work and dedication of the members of the Port Colborne/Welland & District Shrine Club, they are proud to present the above cheque in the amount of \$71,921.57 to the Illustrious Potentate Terry Lamping of Ramesses Temple for the Montreal Shriners Hospital for Children. In attendance from left to right are: Noble Larry Layne, Treasurer, Noble Larry Peyton, Ambassador Emeritus, Noble Art Gill, President, Noble Ralph Tyler, 1st V. President, Noble Henry Weyrauch, Noble Ambassador Mike Palmer Sr. and Illustrious Potentate Terry Lamping.

Oakville conferres Degree

The Oakville Shrine Club conferred the Fellowcraft Degree for Richard Brierley at Brant Lodge 663 in Burlington on March 18th. Bro. Brierley is joined by: W. Bro. Matthew Maennling, Master of Brant Lodge; W. Bro. Terry Lamping (also known as Illustrious Sir Terry Lamping, Potentate of Rameses Temple), a Past Master of Brant Lodge and members of the Oakville Shrine Club.



Newbeaver celebrates St. Pats

At left; our Illustrious Sir Terry Lamping, Potentate, with the Newbeaver Shrine Club Train at the St. Patrick's Day Parade in Toronto on Sunday, March 17, 2013.

Please support our First Lady's project

First Lady Joyce Lamping's Project for this 2013 is to raise funds for the benefit of the Shriners Hospital for Children Montreal Wish List.



She is selling tickets at \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00 at different events she attends. The draw will be made at the Ladies Program at the Spring Ceremonial in Kingston on the 8th June 2013. The main 3 prizes are:

- 1st Prize: Rainbow Knit Afghan
- 2nd Prize: Crocheted Afghan
- 3rd Prize: Gift Bag of Spa Products

Additional Prizes to be announced on the day of the draw.



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Rameses Special Ladies Luncheon

Sunday, 26 May 2013

*Ladies, start making plans now
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*Activities commence at 11:00 a.m.
with light beverage followed by a
sit-down luncheon and
joyous up-beat entertainment.*

*You will be receiving a
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A message from the Imperial Potentate Alan W. "Al" Madsen



March 2013

Dear Fellow Nobles and Ladies

Participating in the various associations' mid-winter meetings has given me the opportunity to stress increasing membership as the TOP priority. We can accomplish this by promoting more family fun, more fellowship and certainly more brotherly LOVE in our Temples and emphasizing these points when we share our Shriners stories with prospective members.

Attending the Midwest Shrine Association Mid-Winter meeting in Duluth, MN was an invigorating experience - daytime temperatures were in the teens. Imperial Officers who traveled with me were Imperial Sirs Jim Smith, Jim McConnell, Dale Stauss, PIP/Chairman of the Board Doug Maxwell and PIP Gary Dunwoody.

The business meeting, conducted by President/PP Steve Kavacic and Secretary/Treasurer PP Del Koons, was well organized and effective. In addition to the serious business of the meeting, we had some Shriner fun. MSA's midwinter boat races are always a highlight. This year was no different - the races were a lot of fun, as was the encouragement to participate provided by our chief medical officer Dr. Ken Guidera. For his many efforts on behalf of our organizations and his enthusiasm, he was presented with an Imperial Potentate medallion.

The Midwest Shrine Association has a lot to celebrate. Five of Midwest's temples have achieved GOLD status in increasing membership. Many others are at the silver and bronze level! This Midwest Shrine Association has the potential of having all its Temples reach GOLD status in a couple years. We'd

like to challenge other associations to aspire to a similar goal!

The 139th Imperial Council pre-convention meeting in Indianapolis was next on the agenda. The Indianapolis Team, under the direction of Director General Jeff Zaring and Deputy Director General Bill Rasner and their Ladies, Margie and Vicki, are well prepared. Schedules, area maps, tours, ticket information, hotel listings are available on the website. Check it out at www.imperial2013.com.

Deputy Imperial Potentate John Cinotto and I, along with our Ladies, Jan and Margaret, hope you all plan to be with us from June 30th to July 4th.

The parade will be on Monday evening and the clowns will be leading the parade. Many of our ladies groups have clown units and they have been invited to participate in the parade, too. All of the clowns will be in front of the colour guard. We hope to set a Guinness World record with the most clowns (851) in a parade.



needed improvements to the operating rooms, parent housing and parking.

We attended the Pacific Northwest Shrine Association Mid-Winter meeting in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. Calam Shriners, led by Potentate Rob Turnipseed, hosted the meeting. The meetings were well attended with a full agenda prepared by President Gordon Brewer and Secretary/Treasurer PP Larry Tipton. Other Imperial Officers in attendance were Deputy Imperial Potentate John Cinotto, and Imperial Sirs Bill Bailey, Jim Cain and PIP Bob Turnipseed.

From Spokane, we traveled to the Conference of Grand Masters in Kansas City, MO, with Imperial Officers EVP/PIP Jack Jones, Chris Smith, Jerry Gantt, Dale Stauss, Deputy Imperial Potentate John Cinotto, PGM Jeff Sowder and PGM Trustee Bobby Simmons.

After the conference we traveled to International Shrine Clown Association Mid-Winter meeting in Huntsville, AL. Other Imperial Officers in attendance were Wayne Latchut and Jim Cain, along with their Ladies, Jan and Janet. Association President Mark Burgad, a Noble from Naja Shriners (AKA Buzzy), and Incoming President George Pipes (AKA Patches) provided a super program of competition including entertaining skits. The "Powder Puff" category included three Lady Clowns.

In closing it's important to again mention that Imperial Session is coming up fast. Please get to know the Candidates running for Imperial Outer Guard and Shrine Hospital Trustee, so you can make the best, most informed choices. They are:

Outer Guard candidates:

1. Joe Savaglio, PP - Kismet Shriners
2. Kenny Craven, PP - Omar Shriners
3. Paul Frank, PP - Philae Shriners

Trustee candidates:

1. Anthony West, PP - Zamora Shriners
2. James Doel, PP - Tunis Shriners
3. Dr Brandt Bede, PP and Trustee Emeritus - Afifi Shriners
4. Douglas Maxwell, PIP, Board Chairman - Moolah Shriners

My next Message will contain information on Sports/Athletic Committee, Oriental Guide and Assistant Rabban Seminars and visits to Hejaz, Egypt and Sahib Temples.

IN MEMORIAM

The deepest sympathy of the Illustrious Potentate, Divan and Nobles of the Rameses Shrine extended to family and friends.

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JAN. 18, 2013
RICHMOND HILL, ON

BARRY L. JONES
JAN. 11, 2013
WILLOWDALE, ON

ERIC T. MOORE
JAN. 11, 2013
SUDBURY, ON

CHARLES G. NUDDS
DEC. 18, 2012
WOODSTOCK, ON

MARVIN J. SMITH
JAN. 18, 2013
BELLEVILLE, ON

SIMPSON S. THOMSON
JAN. 6, 2013
SCARBOROUGH, ON

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SCARBOROUGH, ON

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LARDER LAKE, ON

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FEB. 26, 2013
FENELON FALLS, ON

ERVIN G. PEARSON
DEC. 6, 2012
HAMILTON FALLS

Notice of Stated Meeting

Thursday 6 June 2013

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: Kingston Shrine Club on Thursday 6th June 2013, the said meeting to be held at 7:00 p.m. 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.

Dated at Toronto, this 21st day of March 2013.

Robert R. McGregor, P.P. - Recorder

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