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Potentate  
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The Rameses 2017

# Potentate's Ball

**Honouring Illustrious Sir  
David Rawn and Lady Edith**

**Saturday 22 April 2017**

**At the Crowne Plaza Toronto Airport**

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**Reception and Cocktails 5:00 pm Dinner 6:00 pm**

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## Potentate's Message

*ILLUSTRIOUS SIR DAVID E. RAWN - POTENTATE*

I would like to thank all the Nobles of Rameses Shrine for the privilege of becoming Potentate for the year 2017. This is a great honour and I will do my best to represent all the Members to the fullest. I would also like to congratulate Noble Shawn Hewlett on being elected Oriental Guide and look forward to working with Noble Shawn and his Lady Ann in the coming year.

I would also like to congratulate Ill Sir Bryan Lawson on being elected Recorder of Rameses Shrine. Ill. Sir Bryan and Lady Ingrid will bring a wealth of knowledge to our Temple.

I would like to thank Lady Edith for all her hard work in the past; we are both very much looking forward to this coming year.

As the newly elected Divan Officers assume their leadership role, always remember the TEAM approach. Together Everyone Achieves More.

The Divan leaders together with the Appointed Officers and general Nobility have a great responsibility of preserving our organization, setting the foundation and strategic plan for many years of continued success.

Membership is by far the biggest challenge Shriners International and Rameses Shriners face today.

Only about 14% of Masons in Ontario are Shriners. If each of us were to bring in only one new Candidate into the Shrine we would soon double our membership. To do this we all have to attend our Lodges and spread the good word of our Great Philanthropy, Shriners Hospital for Children.

In 2011, Ill. Sir James McKinney had 118 Candidates and he has challenged our 2017 Team to beat that number. Nobles, I ask for your help to achieve this goal. Together we can do this.

In the next few months, the events coming up at the Temple are:

- Financial Meeting on Saturday 18 February
- Potentate's Trip Presentation at Rameses Temple on Sunday, 2 April at 2:00pm. The trip is on our eastern seaboard starting in New York City and ending in Montreal. The trip is scheduled for 9 September to the 21 September. Everyone is welcome.
- Potentate's Ball on 22 April
- Special Ladies Luncheon on 28 Sunday May,
- Rameses Spring Ceremonial in Collingwood, 9 to 11 June weekend,
- Imperial Session in Daytona, Florida 9 to 13 July

In closing, I look forward to visiting with the Clubs throughout the year as we work together . . .

### Helping Kids Today and Tomorrow



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## February 2017

DATE	CLUB	EVENT	LOCATION	TIME
18 February	Rameses	Temple Financial Meeting	124 Queens Plate Drive	1:30 pm

## April 2017

DATE	CLUB	EVENT	LOCATION	TIME
2 April	Rameses	Potentate's Trip Presentation	124 Queens Plate Drive	2:00 pm
22 April	Rameses	Potentate's Ball	Crown Plaza Hotel	5:00 pm
21-24 April	NYOSA	2017 Spring Session	Lake George, NY	

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<b>October 20 2016 Draw 42</b>				<b>December 1 2016 Draw 48</b>					
3620	F. JOHNSTON	BOWMANVILLE	OSHAWA	\$1,000	0249	M. MURRAY	HAMILTON	RAMESES	\$1,000
2746	R. ZEGGIL	SINGHAMPTON	MANITO	\$500	0650	B. GRAHAM	BARRIE	YACHT	\$500
2062	B. CROSS	BANCROFT	ALGONQUIN	\$250	1119	K. BRISBOIS	WINONA	HAMILTON	\$250
0919	M. L. REED	BARRIE	SHEBA	\$250	1981	O. FERGUSON ET AL	BOWMANVILLE	RON DIXON	\$250
1878	D. FISHER	TORONTO	DRUM CORPS	\$250	2916	J. DAWSON	GRAVENHURST	MUSKOKA	\$250
2730	S. HARDISTY	STAYNER	MANITO	\$250	0870	A. MCLELLAND	TORONTO	SHEBA	\$250
2795	D. SPENCER	MIDLAND	MIDLAND	\$100	0223	H. KOPPERS	ST. CATHARINES	ST. CATHARINES	\$100
2480	B. CHALMERS	KINGSTON	KINGSTON	\$100	2911	J. & M. SMART	BRACEBRIDGE	MUSKOKA	\$100
1126	H. TURNER	JORDAN STATION	ST. CATHARINES	\$100	1526	J. LEBLANC	PORQUIS	TIMMINS	\$100
1891	J. BRADLEY	WHITBY	DRUM CORPS	\$100	0352	B. DUBEAU	PENETANG	CREDIT VALLEY	\$100
3164	C. DEVOS	BEAMSVILLE	NIAGARA	\$100	0870	A. MCLELLAND	TORONTO	SHEBA	\$100
<b>October 27 2016 Draw 43</b>				<b>December 8 2016 Draw 49</b>					
1434	R. WARD	ORANGEVILLE	TECUMSEH	\$1,000	1821	D. LEBLANC	PARRY SOUND	WAUBUNO	\$1,000
3244	B. WARMAN	NIAGARA FALLS	NIAGARA	\$500	2886	R. RUSSELL	ORILLIA	MUSKOKA	\$500
3158	M. REID	NIAGARA FALLS	NIAGARA	\$250	3153	K. TODD	NIAGARA FALLS	NIAGARA	\$250
1732	R. & M. HUTCHINSON	HOLLAND LANDING	VIKING	\$250	0707	D. LAUZON	CHATSWORTH	RAMOCA	\$250
2987	L. RUTTLE	BRACEBRIDGE	MUSKOKA	\$250	1426	D. ARMSTRONG	TORONTO	TECUMSEH	\$250
2792	T. RICHARDSON	MIDLAND	MIDLAND	\$250	2848	P. SZCZECINSKI	HUNTSVILLE	MUSKOKA	\$250
1709	R. JAGOE	HOLLAND LANDING	VIKING	\$100	2869	M. HVAISTI	BRACEBRIDGE	MUSKOKA	\$100
2983	D. CUBBERLEY	PORT CARLING	MUSKOKA	\$100	2157	M. BURKHOLDER	BELLEVILLE	BELLEVILLE	\$100
0822	R. WALL	NORTH BAY	RORAB	\$100	0093	A. BURNS	MARKHAM	HILLBILLY	\$100
0843	R. CARLSON	WARREN	RORAB	\$100	3584	S. GRAHAM	OSHAWA	OSHAWA	\$100
1608	D. THOMPSON	BRIGHTON	TRENT VALLEY	\$100	3598	J. & D. DEACON	OSHAWA	OSHAWA	\$100
<b>November 3 2016 Draw 44</b>				<b>December 15 2016 Draw 50</b>					
0881	H. AYERST	BARRIE	SHEBA	\$1,000	0356	B. BARR	GEORGETOWN	CREDIT VALLEY	\$1,000
1732	R. & M. HUTCHINSON	HOLLAND LANDING	VIKING	\$500	2919	A. SMELLIE	BRACEBRIDGE	MUSKOKA	\$500
1748	D. GARAGAN	PARRY SOUND	WAUBUNO	\$250	0699	B. & R. WELSH	OWEN SOUND	RAMOCA	\$250
2414	E. CROWE	BOBCAYGEON	KAWARTHA	\$250	2277	B. POOLE	GUELPH	CREDIT VALLEY	\$250
0290	G. FRASER	WASAGA BEACH	DAVID RAWN	\$250	2397	J. MCCALL	PETERBOROUGH	KAWARTHA	\$250
2884	H. CURRIE	GRAVENHURST	MUSKOKA	\$250	2894	T. WILLIAMS	BRACEBRIDGE	MUSKOKA	\$250
3585	W. & B. MAUCH	WHITBY	OSHAWA	\$100	0120	H. FLOYD	WHITBY	RAMESES	\$100
3469	T. HARRISS	BEAVERTON	ORILLIA	\$100	1430	B. PETRIE	MISSISSAUGA	TECUMSEH	\$100
1901	F. GURNEY	BOLSOVER	ORILLIA	\$100	1649	F. SALES	NEWMARKET	VIKING	\$100
2143	A. HACKETT	WELLINGTON	BELLEVILLE	\$100	2406	V. BRITTON	BOBCAYGEON	KAWARTHA	\$100
2179	J. BONNIN	FRANKFORD	BELLEVILLE	\$100	3352	R. BOTHAM	OAKVILLE	OAKVILLE	\$100
<b>November 10 2016 Draw 45</b>				<b>December 22 2016 Draw 51</b>					
2014	J. LAMB	TORONTO	KEYSTONE KOPPS	\$1,000	2361	B. MCCARTHY	GUELPH	GUELPH	\$1,000
0985	J. PRICE	BARRIE	SHEBA	\$500	0399	T. JARDINE	STAYNER	DAVID RAWN	\$500
0975	B. MOFFATT	UTOPIA	SHEBA	\$250	1375	C. LIPSETT JR	SCOMBERG	TECUMSEH	\$250
1641	C. TOMLINSON	QUEENSVILLE	VIKING	\$250	1511	J. MAVRINAC	PORCUPINE	TIMMINS	\$250
2740	C. SPOTTISWOOD	WASAGA BEACH	MANITO	\$250	1925	R. LUSTY	HORNBY	FIREFIGHTERS	\$250
3549	A. & D. ROSNAK	WHITBY	OSHAWA	\$250	3235	G. YERICH JR	NIAGARA FALLS	NIAGARA	\$250
0022	RAMESES HILLBILLY SC	TORONTO	HILLBILLY	\$100	1591	L. CAVE	CAMPBELLFORD	TRENT VALLEY	\$100
0075	D. BONE	PETERBOROUGH	HILLBILLY	\$100	0616	J. AMOS	STOUFFVILLE	HILLBILLY	\$100
2101	J. LINTON	BANCROFT	ALGONQUIN	\$100	0637	G. MACDONALD	SCHUMACHER	RAMESES	\$100
2426	K. INGRAM	BOBCAYGEON	KAWARTHA	\$100	1406	Z. DE ALBUQUERQUE	BOLTON	TECUMSEH	\$100
2706	F. HAMILTON	GLEN HURON	MANITO	\$100	2977	G. MEDLEY	BRACEBRIDGE	MUSKOKA	\$100
<b>November 17 2016 Draw 46</b>				<b>December 29 2016 Draw 52</b>					
3295	G. ATACK	THOROLD	NIAGARA	\$1,000	0135	J. HENSON	COLLINGWOOD	MANITO	\$1,000
2447	J. YOUNG	BOBCAYGEON	KAWARTHA	\$500	0289	W. NOBLE	COLLINGWOOD	DAVID RAWN	\$500
2234	C. LOUCKS	GRAVENHURST	CREDIT VALLEY	\$250	1586	K. DAVIDSON	COBOURG	TRENT VALLEY	\$250
2575	S. WILSON	CLOYNE	KINGSTON	\$250	1548	D. BELISLE	COCHRANE	TIMMINS	\$250
2591	J. SIKORA	KINGSTON	KINGSTON	\$250	1468	N. MACINNES	PORCUPINE	TIMMINS	\$250
3686	PT. COLBORNE/WEL.	WELLAND	PORT COLBORNE	\$250	0392	R. TAKEDA	NORTH YORK	EL SHAMALY	\$250
0174	K. GURNEY	BOLSOVER	ORILLIA	\$100	3234	J. WILSON	NIAGARA FALLS	NIAGARA	\$100
1382	J. & R. LAMANTAGNE	OTTAWA	TECUMSEH	\$100	0346	A. CHAFE	FENELON FALLS	ED HEIGHINGTON	\$100
2300	R. & L. SANGUNETTI	MARKHAM	EL SHAMALY	\$100	2992	D. BROWN	PORT CARLING	MUSKOKA	\$100
2948	C. LONGHURST	BRAMPTON	MUSKOKA	\$100	1315	M. BOLANDER	GARSON	SUDBURY	\$100
3429	H. FURNISS	BRECHIN	ORILLIA	\$100	1356	W. THOMPSON	LIVELY	SUDBURY	\$100
<b>November 24 2016 Draw 47</b>				<b>January 5 2017 Draw 1</b>					
3441	D. WHITFIELD	ORILLIA	ORILLIA	\$1,000	1849	J. ROSS	UXBRIDGE	HILLBILLY	\$1,000
2497	D. HOGAN	KINGSTON	KINGSTON	\$500	1307	A. MOREAU	NIAGARA FALLS	NIAGARA	\$500
0092	L. JONES	UXBRIDGE	HILLBILLY	\$250	2572	P. CAMPBELL	SUDBURY	SUDBURY	\$250
1531	B. THEYERS	COLLINGWOOD	TIMMINS	\$250	3111	L. DUNN	COLLINGWOOD	DAVID RAWN	\$250
1823	T. NICKSY	PARRY SOUND	WAUBUNO	\$250	3301	M. WILSON	MILTON	CREDIT VALLEY	\$250
3196	J. FULLER	NIAGARA FALLS	NIAGARA	\$250	3628	S. & V. TAPLEY	STAYNER	DAVID RAWN	\$250
3048	H. TIMBERS	AURORA	NEWBEAVER	\$100	0917	D. PULFER	WASAGA BEACH	MANITO	\$100
1093	C. KERR	BOBCAYGEON	SHEBA	\$100	1368	B. CRYER	STEVENSVILLE	NIAGARA	\$100
1289	R. MCCOWAN	SUDBURY	SUDBURY	\$100	1508	D. BRISBIN	BURLINGTON	OAKVILLE	\$100
3328	D. REID	ELK LAKE	NORTHLAND	\$100	2018	M. OLEARY	SHALLOW LAKE	RAMOCA	\$100
3458	P. GILES	BEAVERTON	ORILLIA	\$100	3069	A. RUTLEDGE	ETOBICOKE	WAUBUNO	\$100

## WOODY'S WISDOM

BY NOBLE TOM WOODROW  
Chief Rabban



**W**e have finally made it to 2017. This means that we have a new Potentate and First Lady. Congratulations to Ill. Sir David Rawn and his Lady Edith. Please get behind them to make 2017 a very special year for them and Rameses.

A tip of the Fez to Ill. Sir Al Berry and Lady Jackie. Thanks for a great year. My Lady Linda and I wish you all the best in the future. We know that you'll be there to help anytime that you are needed. Ill. Sir Al will be busy with N.Y.O.S.A., as he is the 4th Vice President.

We also welcome 2 new members to the 2017 Divan, congratulations to Noble Shawn Hewlett and his Lady Ann on becoming our new Oriental Guide. We are welcoming back Ill. Sir Bryan Lawson and his Lady Ingrid. Ill. Sir Bryan is our new Recorder and we look forward to working with him.

Nobles, as you know, there is no Circus for 2017. There are many reasons for this, such as growing expenses, declining attendance and PETA (People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals).

For 2017, your Divan has introduced a "Sportsman Draw". The tickets are \$5 each or 3 tickets for \$10. The tickets are in a book of 13. Why 13 you ask? Well Nobles, you sell the first 12 tickets and the 13th is free to you or your Club. If your Club wins you can have a draw at your Club for the prize, thus creating revenue for your Club. The 1st prize is a \$2,500 gift card at Trombly's Tackle and Sporting goods store in Orillia. 2nd prize is \$1,000 card, 3rd prize \$500 card 4th & 5th prizes are \$250 card. There are 10 additional prizes of \$100 cards. Nobles please get behind this project and make it a success.

The Potentate's Ball is on 22 April 2017 at the Crowne Plaza. This is an opportunity to support our new Potentate and his Lady, Ill. Sir David and Edith. Please plan to attend. If you can't go, please make sure that your Club or Unit is represented. Contact the Shrine Office for tickets.

Woody's Quote: Life is like a coin, you can spend it any way you wish, but you can only spend it once.

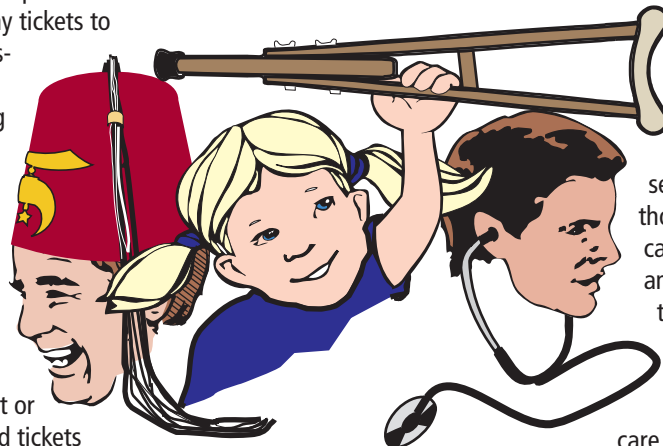
**H**appy New Year folks. It is time to return to our Shrine endeavours after a short break to recharge our batteries, spiritual and otherwise.

I must first wish Noble Jim Thornton good luck in his future endeavours. We have worked together in a few contexts such as Grand Lodge Committees and most recently in the Shrine. I will miss him.

I must comment on the Shrine lottery. It was not a sell-out. This is once again due to declining membership. Clubs or Units that have ceased functioning cannot be sent any tickets to sell so this leaves a lot of tickets unassigned and hits the bottom line hard. Many Clubs stepped up by requesting more tickets to sell.

This is very much appreciated but this action could not make up the shortfall. I recommend that we sell all unassigned tickets online beginning this year.

Another point that must be made is to sell tickets early. They were distributed to the Clubs in late August or early September as requested but sold tickets and cheques were still arriving in the office after Christmas. This puts undue pressure on the office staff because other



major items such as membership files and election meeting preparations are occurring at the same time. Try to get the tickets in

early folks. The last point is to get out and sell tickets to people outside of your Club or Unit. It lets you become a sales force for the Shrine and to do some preaching about us to the world.

In January, we completed the Rameses Temple Elections. A tip of the Fez to those who let their names stand for office. It can be a trying time with a lot of pressure and excitement. It is our duty to welcome the newcomers and make them comfortable and productive in their new posts, just as we should always do with new Nobles after Ceremonials. Good customer care starts at the top.

Lady Barbara and I look forward to meeting you at Rameses functions over the next few months.

## BILL'S BANTER

BY NOBLE BILL SWEET  
High Priest & Prophet



## HUEY'S HIGHLIGHTS

BY NOBLE SHAWN W. HEWLETT  
Oriental Guide



**W**ell, to say I had the feeling of "a deer in the headlights" would be an understatement. This has been a life long ambition which has now come to fruition.

I would like to thank the Nobility for placing their trust in me, and I look forward to serving you as your Oriental Guide, while traveling to the various Clubs and Units throughout the realm. Lady Ann and I look forward to attending Shrine functions and serving you, the Nobility.

Congratulations to Ill. Sir Bryan Lawson for being elected to the position of Recorder, and the Divan on their advancement.

It takes courage for someone to put their name forward for election and see things through. Noble Joe Johnson has been that someone, a complete gentleman at all times, thank you Joe. I wish you and Lady Joyce all the best and look forward to working with you.

One of my first duties is that of the Vidalia Onion Project. I will be contacting your Clubs and Units as my predecessors have to arrange for yet another successful campaign.

Please promote this endeavour within your Clubs, Units and communities.

Nobles, as you are well aware, our goal is to support our Shriners Hospitals by transporting and providing the best medical care for handicapped and burned children, and without your ongoing continued support this is not possible. We must never give up on our Shrine Children. Once again, thank you Rameses.

## RECORDER'S CORNER

BY ILLUSTRIOUS SIR BRIAN W. LAWSON, P.P.  
*Recorder*



**N**obles, it is with a great amount of pride that I write this opening message as your Recorder. The election meeting was a very exciting time having two positions on the Divan being contested and a large attendance of Nobles there to exercise their right to vote. I would thank the Nobility for electing me as your Recorder and pledge to do my best for Rameses Shriners and continue to support all members of our Temple.

I would like to congratulate Noble Shawn Hewlett on being elected as Oriental Guide. I know that he also will work hard for Rameses over

the next 5 years. To the other Nobles who ran for office I also congratulate you as well. It shows well that there is an interest in our Temples wellbeing and having an election shows health in the organization.

It will take a little time to settle into the big shoes left by previous Recorders and getting the routine in the Recorder's Office down pat will also take a bit of time.

I would be very remiss if I did not congratulate Illustrious Sir Al Berry and Lady Jackie on their term as Potentate of Rameses Shriners and First Lady. Your guidance over the past year and your care of the Nobility was appreciated by all. You now join the ranks of the Past Potentates of Rameses Shriners who welcome you to their midst.

**2016 Illustrious Sir's guidance and care of the Nobility appreciated**

**C**ongratulations to both Noble Shawn Hewlett who was elected as Oriental Guide and Ill. Sir Bryan Lawson who was elected Recorder.

Congratulations also to Ill. Sir Dave Rawn who was elected and installed as Potentate. We should all get behind the Illustrious Sir in 2017. Under his leadership, 2017 promises to be a great year.

Hot off the press: a rink from Rorab Shrine Club won the 2017 Terry Harris Whitefish Bonspiel. Congratulations to them. This was the 52nd Annual Bonspiel. There are openings for teams for 2018 so I would suggest getting a team and going to Barrie next year for a really great

## TREASURER'S REPORT

BY ILLUSTRIOUS SIR JIM MCKINNEY, P.P.  
*Treasurer*



weekend. Nobles, there are lots of great events that deserve your support.

I would like to wish all of the Clubs and Units success for 2017. With your help 2017 will be a lot of fun.

## CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

BY ILL. SIR REVEREND BEVAN CARRIQUE, P.P.  
*Chaplain*



**H**opefully everyone had a good Christmas and Hanukkah. As we are now into a new Shrine year, let us all work in harmony for the benefit of our Shrine Children and the Shrine in general.

Thank you to all who came and supported our annual Carol Service, Rameses Drum Corps, our Temple Organist and Soloist, and the ladies

of Bokhara Court of the Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America and Oronto Temple of the Daughters of the Nile for their enjoyable singing. Thank you all.

You Reap What you Sow.

It is just common sense. You reap what you sow. If you show kindness, love and gentleness, you will eventually reap it. If you sow bitterness, anger and frustration, it will swing back around to meet you. No doubt about it.

Keep the Faith.

If I can be of any assistance to you or your family, please feel free to give me a call.

**I**t's hard to believe another year has come and gone. For a lot of people 2016 was not great. For me it was a busy year full of change for my family and I. We have taken on a new business. I have advanced in the Shrine executive.

Our family continues to grow and mature in many ways. My daughter, Robyn, just got her driver's license. That took pressure off in one way and adds a lot of different anxiety. Anyway, life moves on.

I hope all you Nobles and Ladies are doing well and digging deep to help our Shrine Kids and Shrinedom in general.

The recent elections at Rameses has a new face appearing and a familiar one returning with a new title.

## HANDYMAN'S MUSINGS

BY NOBLE JED HANDY  
*Assistant Rabban*



Congratulations to Noble Shawn Hewlett on his appointment to Oriental Guide and Ill. Sir Bryan Lawson on his election as Recorder. They both fought a good battle to attain the positions. Special thanks to the Nobles who ran against them. Hopefully you will continue your journey in the Shrine and consider running again in a future election.

I would be remiss to sign off without congratulating Ill. Sir Al Berry on our successful year with him at the helm.

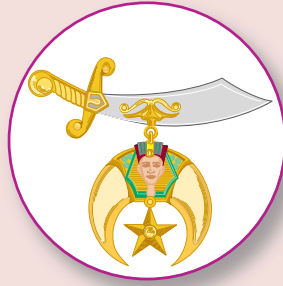
I saw so many of you Nobles at the Sheba Whitefish Bonspiel. As always, it was a great time. Thank you President Don Scandrett and your amazing team of organizers.

Time to go but remember, "work hard and give back".





# Banner Exchange and Installation



To view ALL the photographs of this event, please visit our web sites at [www.pbase.com/rameses](http://www.pbase.com/rameses) AND [rameses-shriners.ca](http://rameses-shriners.ca)





**By Noble Eric Magill**  
RORAB SHRINE CLUB

The Office of the Mayor of the City of North Bay Proclaimed Saturday, November 19, 2016 "Shrine Christmas Cake Day For The Kids".

Mayor Al McDonald read the proclamation at the opening of our Rorab Shrine Christmas Goodies booth to kick off our selling time for our Shriners Hospital for Children.

Pictured above left to right are Nobles Rick Cunningham, Charlie Bradford, Royce Wall, Mayor McDonald and Noble Stephen Kitzul.

Others in attendance were Noble Randy Sheppard and Lady Tiny Sheppard and Noble Eric Magill.

Our local newspaper arrived and reported on this event with a 6-column colour picture in the following Monday's Nugget.



## Thank you for your donations and for making a difference in the life of a child

**By Noble Jim Gilpin**  
CREDIT VALLEY SHRINE CLUB

On Saturday September 10, Credit Valley Shrine Club held its annual Golf Tournament at the Acton Golf and Country Club raising \$4,000 for the Montreal Shriners Hospital.

Seen above are Nobles Peter Marshall, Jim Gilpin and Bill Somerville presenting a thank you donation certificate to Mr. Randy Stewart of Ed.Stewart's Equipment Erin Ont. for the company's generous prize donation to the tournament.

This year's successful tournament was a result of the many prize donators and sponsors who gave bigheartedly.



## Remembrance Day 2016

At left is a photo of Noble President Bob Barker saluting the war dead at the end of the Ceremony for Remembrance Day at the Georgetown Cenotaph on Sunday November 6th. As a member of the Credit Valley S.M.A.S.H. Unit, Noble President Bob attended 3 services over the weekend and placed wreaths in memory of those who gave their all. First at Acton on November 5th, then at Glen Williams and Georgetown on November 6th.

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# RAMESES DIVAN 2017



**James "Jim" McKinney, P.P.**  
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**Bryan W. Lawson, P.P.**  
*Recorder*



**David E. Rawn**  
*Illustrious Potentate*



**Thomas W. "Tom" Woodrow**  
*Chief Rabban*



**Jed Handy**  
*Assistant Rabban*



**Bill Sweet**  
*High Priest and Prophet*



**Shawn W. Hewlett**  
*Oriental Guide*

## Shriners, meet your new Oriental Guide

**B**orn in Toronto, Noble Shawn is in his 53rd year. Presently a Staff Sergeant with Ontario Provincial Police stationed out of the Orillia Detachment, he is in his 32nd year of policing.

Shawn has been a Shriner since 1996 when he and his stepfather (Doug Ewles, Ramoca Shriners) walked the hot sands in Peterborough together.

Noble Shawn has served as president of the Orillia Shriners 2001, also as Master of Equity Lodge #659 in Orillia that same year. Presently a member and Unit Treasurer of the Orillia Desert Riders where he continues to enjoy driving his little orange go-cart in both civic and Shrine parades.

Noble Shawn is both a Knight Templar with the Barrie Preceptory, a 32 degree Mason, with the Barrie Consistory, and a past First Principal of Couchiching Chapter. Shawn has served on the Appointed Divan from 2012 to 2015 as Special Aide, 2nd Ceremonial and 1st Ceremonial masters. Noble Shawn also served two terms as President of the Orillia Masonic Temple Board from 2005 to 2009, then as secretary for two years.

Noble Shawn and his lady Ann are completely committed to Rameses Shriners and the Shrine Philanthropy, Shriners Hospital for Children.

Shawn continues to enjoy golfing, boating and riding his Harley Davidson motorcycle, as well as Home Improvement renovations.

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## Rameses Spring Ceremonial June 8-11, 2017

### Rameses Shriners Spring Ceremonial 2017 Program

#### THURSDAY, JUNE 8TH

4:30 pm	Opening Ceremonies	Collingwood Museum
7:30 pm	Stated Meeting	Manito Shrine Club

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 9TH

8:00 am	Golf Tournament	Duntroon Highlands
10:00 – 6:00 pm	Registration	Eddie Bush Arena
2:00 – 6:00 pm	Oasis & Flea Market	Eddie Bush Arena
6:00 pm	Buffet Dinner	Eddie Bush Arena
8:00 pm	Dance to the DeSoto's Rock 'n Roll	Eddie Bush Arena

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 10TH

	Candidates -	
8:00 am	Registration & Ritual	Petun Room, BMR
9:30 am	Ladies Program	Huron Ballroom, BMR
10:00 am	Flea Market	Eddie Bush Arena
11:00 am	Parade Lineup	See Parade Route Map
10:00 - 3:00pm	Registration/Flea Market	Eddie Bush Arena
1:00 pm	Parade Begins	See Parade Route Map
1:30 - 4:00 pm	Oasis Opens	Eddie Bush Arena
5:30 pm	General Reception	The Courts, BMR
6:30 pm	Ceremonial Feast	The Courts, BMR

#### SUNDAY, JUNE 11TH

8:00 am	Drumhead Service	Manito Shrine Club
9:00 am	Buffet Breakfast	Manito Shrine Club



**POTENTATE**  
Ill Sir Dave Rawn

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Noble Wally Skomra



**BMR** - Blue Mountain Resorts

**EDDIE BUSH ARENA** - 97 Hurontario Street, Collingwood, ON

**MANITO SHRINE CLUB** - 2265 Fairgrounds Road, Collingwood, ON

**DUNTROON HIGHLANDS GOLF CLUB** - 1226 Conc. 10, Duntroon, ON

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## 2017 Rameses Ceremonial Registration Form

**NOTE: All bookings must be received by April 30th, 2017. Cancellation must be no less than 30 days prior**

<b>NOBLE (PLEASE PRINT)</b>	FIRST OR GIVEN NAME	SURNAME
<b>LADY (PLEASE PRINT)</b>	FIRST OR GIVEN NAME	SURNAME
<b>STREET ADDRESS</b>		<b>P.O. Box No.</b>
<b>CITY/TOWN</b>		<b>POSTAL CODE</b>
<b>TELEPHONE NO.</b>		<b>CLUB/UNIT</b>
<b>EMAIL ADDRESS</b>		<b>ARE YOU A CANDIDATE? YES ___ NO ___</b>

*Please make cheques payable to Manito Shrine Club Ceremonial 2017  
and mail to:  
John Chipchase, P.O. Box 947, Stayner, Ontario L0M 1S0*

DAY	EVENT	NO. OF TICKETS	COST (EACH)	TOTAL
FRIDAY	DINNER & DANCE – EDDIE BUSH ARENA		\$ 45.00	
SATURDAY	LADIES PROGRAM – HURON BALLROOM, BMR		\$ 50.00	
SATURDAY	CEREMONIAL FEAST – THE COURTS, BMR		\$ 80.00	
SUNDAY	BUFFET BREAKFAST – MANITO SHRINE CLUB		\$ 10.00	
			<b>TOTAL AMOUNT</b>	

**Ceremonial Feast Tickets for New Candidates and their Ladies are Complimentary.  
Please Note: All New Candidates are required to fill out a Registration Form**

**PLEASE NOTE DIETARY NEEDS:**

All accommodations for the 2017 Rameses Spring Ceremonial are at Blue Mountain Resorts in a unique alpine village setting with cafes, restaurants, shops and spas all within walking distance. Take a ride up the chairlift and enjoy the view of beautiful Georgian Bay. Visit Blue Mountain Resorts at [www.bluemountainresorts.com](http://www.bluemountainresorts.com). Shuttle Service to and from Collingwood on Friday and Saturday. Shuttle times will be included in your Registration Package.

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# Join us as we celebrate "A Night to Remember"

**Friday, June 9th, 2017**

Enjoy a beautiful roast beef buffet dinner at the Eddie Bush Arena at 6:00 pm followed by a trip down memory lane for your dancing and listening pleasure with the . . .



*The DeSoto's*

## **Rock 'n' Roll Show**

*Featuring Vocalist  
Madeline French &*

*Russ Strathdee*

*Sax Player Extraordinaire*

*50s – 60s Dress Attire Welcome  
Registration Deadline is  
April 30th, 2017*

**NO TICKETS SOLD AT DOOR**

## **Ladies Program**

*. . . will be held at Blue Mountain Resorts in the  
Huron Grand Ballroom, Village Conference Centre  
on Saturday, June 10th at 9:30 am.*



*For your enjoyment  
**Dave LaFame***

*will be our performer who will  
take you back in time.*

*Dave's tribute show captures perfectly the  
glamour, excitement and sizzle of one of the  
entertainment industry's brightest stars  
Tom Jones. He has also accumulated an  
impressive list of awards, including the  
2012 Las Vegas Impersonators Award for  
top male entertainer.*



Following the performance a lovely buffet luncheon will be served

**So come join us, you are sure to enjoy**

*Shuttle service to the parade will be at 12:15 pm sharp and will return at 4:00 pm.*

## **The Feast**

*. . . will be held at the Blue Mountain Resorts in "The Courts", Village  
Conference Centre on Saturday, June 10th, 2017. General Reception at 5:30 pm  
with "The Ceremonial Feast" at 6:30 pm. Come join us as we welcome  
our "New Members" into the wonderful world of Shrinedom.*

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# Spring Ceremonial Golf Tournament

**Friday, June 9th, 2017**

**Duntroon Highlands Golf Course - 1226 Concession 10, Duntroon, Ontario**  
*www.duntroongolf.ca*

**Registration 8:00 - 8:45 am - 9:00 am Shotgun Start**

Duntroon Highlands, known as "The Jewel of the Escarpment" features a par 71 course which offers a unique challenge for both accomplished and novice golfers along with spectacular views of Georgian Bay and the surrounding area. This is a fun-packed all-inclusive golf package which includes coffee, tea, muffins and croissants on arrival, lunch served at the "Caddy Shack on the Run" - burgers, hot dogs or sausage with potato chips, 18 holes of best ball scramble, cart and prizes for . . .

**\$125 PER PERSON**

**Golf Registration Forms and Payment** must be received 30 days prior to event date.  
For information, please contact Noble Ron Willett at 705-435-6122 or ronwillett1260@gmail.com.

***So come on out and join us for a fun day of golf!***  
***Shriners, Masons, Friends and Ladies are all welcome***

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## 2017 Registration Form

**Individual Golfers and Foursomes are Welcome**

Please try to assemble your own foursome - first come, first served

NAME - PLEASE PRINT	HOME ADDRESS	PHONE NO.	CLUB/UNIT
Golfer #1			
Golfer #2			
Golfer #3			
Golfer #4			

**\$125 per Person - Total Golf Amount Remitted \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Please make golf cheque payable to:** Manito Shrine Club Golf and mail to:  
Ron Willett - 28 Burbank Circle  
Everett, Ontario L0M 1J0

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## Algonquin Shriners Ladies' Draw

By Noble Charles Mullett  
Publicity Chairman

ALGONQUIN SHRINE CLUB

Above are the ladies of the Algonquin Shrine Club, pictured from left to right are Debbie Mueller, Jean Burke, Wilma Robinson and Jewel Wiggins with Matt McMichael of McMichael Jewelers of Bancroft.

The draw was held in Maynooth on December 10, 2016.

We wish to thank all who participated in our draw, in support of the Shriners Children's Hospital and the Algonquin Shrine Club.

Winners were:

1. Topaz Diamond Ring, donated by McMichael's Jewelers, Bancroft - Winnie Kuno of New Carlow.
2. Homemade single bed quilt - Linda Erwin of Bancroft.
3. Homemade lap quilt - Wendy Dillabough of Monteaagle Township.
4. Moveable teddy bear with 33-piece wardrobe - Fred Nicoll of Tottenham.
5. Large wooden bird feeder - Joan Clarke of Wilberforce.

## The Guelph District Shrine Degree Team



By Noble Willy Oliver

GUELPH DISTRICT SHRINE CLUB

The Guelph District Shrine Degree team led by R.W. Bro. Brian Poole put on a 3rd degree in Trillium Lodge No. 724. R.W. Bro Ian Millar assembled the team to bring Bro. Thomas Lees into the sublime degree of a Master Mason Thursday evening November 17, 2016. The ritual was awesome with the degree team decked out in their Club jackets. Upon completion of the degree the candidate Bro. Lee's asked for an application to the Shrine - it does work Nobles!

## Oakville looks forward to success

By Noble Ken Lewis

OAKVILLE SHRINE CLUB

The 2017 Oakville Shrine Club is looking forward to another successful year under the able guidance of Noble President Daren Dell and his executive.

Last year the Club's involvement in bingo headed by Noble Doug Clouse was again successful. Well over \$30,000.

The other annual fundraiser was our Christmas products sale in Oakville Place and the individual efforts of each Noble. Both projects put a big smile on the face of the Club Treasurer, Noble Hal Watson.

Later this year we will again be inviting our Lodge Brethren to join us for dinner (no cost to them) to a meeting especially to explain what the Shrine is all about, and hopefully encourage them to join our merry band of fellow Masons in the Shrine.

Speaking of initiations, our Club meets at Moe's Restaurant on Speers Road in Oakville on the third Wednesday of the month. Social at 6:00pm with dinner and meeting at 7:00. Kindly call Noble Boe Hladysh that you are coming.



Nobles Brian Davenport and Bert Lynas of Rameses Drum Corps present a cheque for \$2,500 to Bob Lee, P.P., Chairman of the Board of Governors at Shriners Hospitals for Children - Erie, PA.

## Put dis chow down in ya kalendors

By Noble Cuzzin' Kelly Holden

HILLBILLY SHRINE CLUB

Hey there Cuzzins and all the flatland Rameses Shriners! Well Sir, we had to say goodbye to one Pote and howdy to a new last Month. Illustrious Sir (and Cuzzin') Al Berry is now whatcha call the 'Junior' now. All the best Ill. Al, thanks for everything you did in 2016.

As fer the new Potentator, Illustrious Sir David E. Rawn, the Hillbilly's is lookin' forward to yer year.

We'd like to invite you and all the rest of the Divan to our Annual Chow Down, August 19th. We're gonna fire up the grill and burn some more road kill over tu Eaglewood in Pepperlaw. So, to all the Shriners lookin' fer a good time in August, mark yer kalendors.

We'll sir, it seems like the weather can't make up its mind aroun' here. One day its colder then heck and the next it day it can be rainin'. Y'all sure gotta be careful out there on the side roads two. There's bin reports of bullwinkles lickin' the salt offin the side o' trucks. That aint good!

Had us a good time up there with those Sheba Shriners chuckin' them fancy rocks around. Them fellers sure know how to put on a good time.





## Scarborough Officers elected

By Noble Arthur Redublo  
President

SCARBOROUGH SHRINE CLUB

**O**n the evening of Monday, November 14, 2016 the Scarborough Shrine Club held our Annual Elections for 2016/2017 Officers of our Club.

We would like to express our fraternal gratitude to Assistant Rabban Noble Thomas W. Woodrow for presiding over the Club elections.

In the picture above from left to right are 1st Vice President Noble Geoff Waite, President - Noble Arthur Redublo, Assistant Rabban - Noble Thomas W. Woodrow, Treasurer - Noble Jim Milroy and Secretary - Noble Ronel Manabat.



From Left to Right - Noble Don Bellamy, Noble Steve Christie (2017 1st Vice President - Kawartha Shrine Club), Nathalie Kamel, Noble Bob Russell (Unit Chief), Noble Justin Mark (2017 President - Kawartha Shrine Club)

## Kawartha presents generous cheque

KAWARTHA SHRINE CLUB

**T**he Kawartha Shrine Firemen's Unit is pictured above presenting Nathalie Kamel, (Director of Donor Development, Shriners Hospital for Children - Canada in Montreal) with a cheque for \$3,000. Nathalie generously made time to visit our general meeting and spoke about the new hospital and the capital campaign fund.

Funds donated were raised by the Unit through participation in various parades in Ontario.



## Algonquin Shrine Club News

By Noble Charles Mullett  
Publicity Chairman

ALGONQUIN SHRINE CLUB

**F**riday, October 14, 2016, members of the Algonquin Shrine Club and guests boarded their coach in Bancroft to leave for their overnight trip to Montreal and the Shrine Hospital.

They were going to make three presentations to the hospital on behalf of the Club members and Shrine Ladies. The bus departed at 9 am and by 9:45 the coach was in Denbigh, Ontario, when the coach left the highway.

There were 47 people on the coach, and the majority of them were seniors. As you can see from the picture, the bus landed on its side in a ditch. The passengers landed on top of each other. Many of the passengers exited through the front windshield once it was kicked out, others near the rear of the bus, had to exit through the emergency exit in the roof.

EMS sent passengers to hospitals in Bancroft, Renfrew, and Barry's Bay. Fortunately none of the passengers had life threatening injuries but some had fractures and lots of bruises.

At the next Algonquin Shrine dinner meeting many of those same Shriners and their Ladies attended, as well as guests who went on the trip, all discussing how they managed through this ordeal without major injuries.

All of the members were most appreciative of the help from the Fire Department, EMS Paramedics, Police and citizens who lived nearby as well as truckers who stopped to help. We all give thanks to the "Great Architect of the Universe" who obviously was watching over them.

## Class of 19 November 2016 Toronto - Ontario

KEITH A. ARMSTRONG  
SAMUEL R. BAILIE  
MONJUR CHOWDHURY  
PASCO EDGARDO  
JOSH A. FRASER  
TROY E. HEFFRON  
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ROBERT J. MURDOCK  
ROBBIE RAIL  
JUSTIN SCHMIDT  
ALLAN SERVIENTO  
NEIL S. TAYLOR  
WILLIAM WILLIAMS

## Elections produce popular personalities

By Noble Dave Gillies

NIAGARA SHRINE CLUB

**Y**ou might have thought our new executive was part of a comedy team as the only "official" picture, was poorly captured on someone's cellphone. A tip of the fez was all it took to break up the gang.



This year is shaping up to be another fun one and we haven't even installed them yet. Speaking of installations, the Nobles of Port Colborne/Welland are gearing up for the tri-installation in early February so brush off that

tux and tell your gal to keep an eye out for an outfit befitting the yearly gala.

Congrats to all who advanced, our new third VP and the new slate of directors. With all these new chiefs, we need to find more Indians, check in your Blue Lodge for some brave ones.

I think I mentioned once before that Grimsby might be the fertility capital of Ontario as there were more kids per linear foot than even last year making our participation in the Santa Parade all the more important. Dogs came a close second in all forms from the ankle biters to the Great Danes with most in some sort of costume, the poor devils. Not to be missed were some very easy to look at mothers for those that might have been looking for something other than kids and dogs.

The Maid was all-aglow with our rope lighting, and the tunes in tune with the season for their annual night parade. Our captain was on the bow shaking his tush to the beat of the "gummy bear" song much to the delight of the kiddies all jumping to catch a bubble or two. With everyone wishing us a Merry Christmas it completed a scene we may not want to repeat (the captain part). We were closely followed by a reindeer hybrid John Deer sporting a (borrowed?) red stoplight nose pulling a string of antique tractors and wagons through our wake of bubbles. A fitting end to a day of parades starting in Stoney Creek and ending up in the peninsula's birthing capital, Grimsby.



The shiny new look of our Papyrus brings back some memories of long past issues. My little grandson eating spaghetti at one of our fundraisers was featured in a shiny earlier issue. He now stands about 3 inches taller than I am. Thanks Joe for a classy rebirth of the magazine.

Our monthly breakfasts wrapped up for the year in November with Chef Bill Cryer and his line cooks serving up "mmm" crispy bacon and flapjacks to a full house. Attended by both our current and past MPPs it was another of our several successful fundraisers instituted in the last couple of years. Any ideas for another, let the Prez know so we can top up the Club coffers.



Does anyone know my mailman (actually he's a lady?)? I need her to lose the Papyrus before it's delivered to my mailbox. If Chris ever finds out I know how to operate a vacuum cleaner, the job jar's going to have an addition.

Our Nobles are getting into the swing of a monthly Club clean up with numbers showing up to complete the job in an hour. When I was selling cakes the other day a lady came in and like that TV commercial I hate said, "Gee it smells nice in here". Now we know how much pressure was on Drew, our resident manager, over his years running the building with very little help. That old adage many hands make light work is true and we are making it fun with some munchies when finished just to keep the waistlines up to that last hole in the belt.

You might be able to use this the next time you're working on your own job jar. I called an old school friend the other day and asked what he was doing. He replied that he was working on "Aqua-thermal treatment of ceramics, aluminum and steel under a constrained environment". I was really impressed. On further enquiries, I learned that he was washing dishes with hot water, under his wife's supervision.



The annual Carol Service at headquarters had a pretty good turnout in December for the last get together for the year. If you don't have a voice like Bob Jones all you need to do is move your lips and let him, Bill Saunders, the Bokhara Court and Divan ladies carry the tune. Surprising enough for a big guy Reverend Bevan's sermon delivers very little fire and brimstone so it's a fun event. Think about attending next year and partake in the cake and cookies after the service that our Ladies put on.

The Maid's last two parades wrapped up the year in the best way possible, in the turn out both for sailors, in the watching crowds, in the weather and in the FOOD. You may have guessed I love food and my Buddha like waistline met its match when facing the groaning board buffet at the Hagerstown Legion. My system is usually on autopilot after the fed bag is removed; head for the lazy boy, crank that handle, lay back and hit the remote.

I had conflicting signals generating from the system after leaving town. I needed to drive the Maid home and there is no lazy boy handle in the wheelhouse, no autopilot and way too much racket from the backseat sailors astern with no remote to shut them down.

This voyage was followed early the next morning by the Niagara on the Lake Santa send off. Normally it's a rather frigid ride for the captain on the bow. This one greeted him with warmer temps, a gentle snow fall befitting the season, well over a 100 entrants and crowd lined streets like we have never seen. It was a good thing our helmsman did a system check before sailing from the Clubhouse dock. While testing the air horns they stuck on full blast, till the air supply ran out. Probably woke up most of the neighbourhood and patients in our hospital next door. Hopefully they will forgive us as they know "We love and care for our kids". Dressed turkeys trooped dutifully to each full table along with their colour guard of spuds, veggies and gravy. It was the annual Christmas non-meeting dinner in an almost filled to capacity room. Carols softly playing, icicle lights twinkling, wine glasses tinkling and lots of lovely ladies present really set the scene. Chef, Noble Steve and his crew of helper elves put on a great spread to close out our year's ending meeting.

Hope you all had a Merry Christmas and have a successful 2017!





## Exciting times for Oronto in 2017

By Joyce Anderson-Johnson, P.Q.

DAUGHTERS OF THE NILE  
ORONTO TEMPLE NO. 69

**O**ronto Temple No.69 would like to start by saying Happy New Year to all! May 2017 be Happy, Healthy and Safe for all, most especially our very Special Children.

Oronto Temple No. 69 was presented with a very special award for being one of the top contributors to the New Shriners Hospital for Chil-



dren, Canada in Montreal. Princess Marilyn Carrique was honoured to accept on behalf of Queen Christina Connell, Oronto Temple No. 69 and all Members Daughters of the Nile. Congratulations!



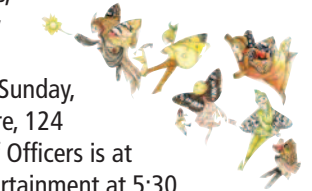
We have two very important and exciting events we would like to invite you to. First, there is the Orthopaedic Tea on February 26th, 2017 at The Rameses Shrine Centre, 124 Queens Plate Drive, Toronto, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Please come and enjoy our delicious sandwiches, sweets and our Special Presentations. This event is open to all Nobles, family and friends and the only cost is a voluntary donation at the door.

Next is the Open Installation of Officers on Sunday, March 26th, 2017 at The Rameses Shrine Centre, 124 Queen's Plate Drive Toronto. The Installation of Officers is at 2:30 p.m. and the High Tea will follow the entertainment at 5:30 p.m. This event is open to all Nobles, family and friends, so please come join us.



We are once again preparing to make our very delicious Pie Pastry. It will be ready on May 2nd 2017. Order now so you do not miss out! Contact Princess Marlene Whiting at 416-495-8172 to place your orders.

We are always working on our fundraising plans and we are saving Canadian Tire Money to purchase items for the Hospital as well as the Temple. If you would like to contribute any of your Canadian Tire Money to our cause, please contact any D.O.N. member - or leave it in an envelope at the Rameses Temple with our name on it. Thank you!



*Oronto Temple No. 69 Daughters of the Nile  
Cordially invites you to attend*



*Sunday 26 February 2017*

*At the Rameses Shrine Centre  
124 Queens Plate Drive, Toronto*

*2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.*

*Come and enjoy our delicious Sandwiches, Sweets  
and Very Special Presentations*

*All Nobles, Family and Friends are welcome*

*Oronto Temple No. 69  
Daughters of the Nile*

*Open Installation  
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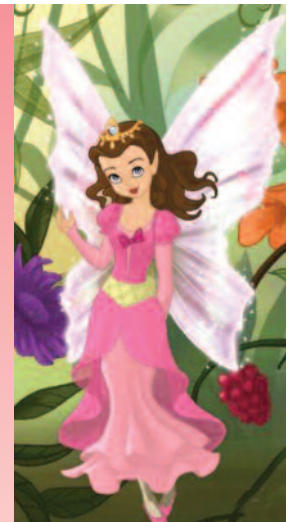
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# Sheba busy just having fun

By Noble Doug Griffin SSCCS

SHEBA SHRINE CLUB

**H**ere I sit in September gathering my thoughts, knowing some of you will be reading this in February. One thought comes to my mind, "simple minds think alike, great minds seldom differ!" (Someone tell me what that means!)

Sheba's Nobles have been busy having fun and participating in numerous events. Here is a brief recap:

**The Alliston Potato Fest Parade:** Before the start of the parade we gathered at the Red Pine Hotel where Noble Earl Login feed us with his World Famous Hot Dogs. To some, they are a culinary delight. To others, they are a gastronomic wonder. But everyone will agree Earl's Dogs will always put you in the mood to march. The crowd was large. The Parade was long. The weather was extremely hot. Water was the desired liquid refreshment.

Rameses and Sheba were well represented in the two-hour procession of floats, tractors, horses, pipe bands and marchers. In the end, after all the hand waving, smiling and watching by everyone, there wasn't a dry eye, except on the spuds themselves. See You Next Year!

**The Shriner's Circus:** The Big Top came to Barrie August 5, 6, and 7th. This brought back many childhood memories for a lot of us. The smell of hot buttered popcorn, red candy apples, coloured snow cones and sticky candyfloss filled the air. I watched small children holding onto balloons and flashing toy lights (that's toy lights not toilets for those who read too quickly). Noble Donald Scandrett made sure all fire exits were guarded and everyone got a good seat. What a show! From the high wire acts to the circus clowns everyone was entertained. You should have been there.

On Saturday August 20 many of us gathered in Stroud to honour W. Bro. Rory MacDonald and our own W. Bro. Stuart Crocket on their Grand Lodge of Canada appointments as Grand Stewards. Congratulations! In July, Ill. Bro. Stuart Crocket was also selected as a recipient of the York Rite's highest award "The Order of The Purple Cross". He was one of only five Canadians receiving this award from The York Rite Sovereign College of North America this year. This is the highest honour that can be bestowed on one of its members. This is a very well deserved honour for Stu and we here at Sheba are proud of



our Brother Noble and his great accomplishments. (He takes a great picture too!) Congratulations Stu!

The Terry Harris White Fish Bonspiel is coming up and the countdown has begun. This continues to be one of the best-kept secrets in Shrinedom. If you have never been - you will never know. If you have been - thank you for keeping your personal experience in the safe and sacred repository of your Heart. (I know some of you still have a hard time keeping the smile from your face at the mere mention of The White Fish Weekend). Get your tickets now and get your brooms out of the closet.

## EPILOGUE

As I stand up from my writing desk a strange but familiar feeling comes over my body. My tongue is starting to stiffen and a profound taste fills my mouth. You will have to excuse me. It seems that Earls Famous Hot Dogs have decided to make a second appearance.

So from the near shores of Kempenfelt Bay, remember recycle your Papyrus - give it to a deserving Mason or future Shriner.



## Viking Shriners host Tri-Club Dinner

By Noble Ted. McClenny

VIKING SHRINE CLUB

**P**ictured at left are: Noble Marvin Minor, President of Newbeaver Shrine Club; Noble Ron Ploder, President of Viking Shrine Club; Mr. Ian Proudfoot, Guest Speaker; Noble Ross Trumphour, President of El Shamaly Shrine Club and Illustrious Sir James Rennie, Past Potentate of Rameses Temple.

Noble President Ron Ploder and the Viking Shriners hosted the Annual Tri-Club Dinner meeting at the Royal Canadian Legion in Aurora with a good turnout of about 40 Shriners from Viking Shrine Club, El Shamaly Shrine Club and Newbeaver Shrine Club.

Guest speaker for the evening was Mr. Ian Proudfoot who gave a very informative outline of the planned development and growth of the Regional Municipality of York.



Noble Tom Christie receiving his 50 Years Captain Emeritus Award. From left to right: Noble Steve Christie (1st Vice-President-Elect - Tom's son); Noble Justin Mark (2017 President-Elect); Noble Tom Christie; Ill. Sir Raymond Causton, P.P.



Noble Tom Christie receiving his 50-Years a Shriner Award. From left to right: Noble Tom Christie; Chief Rabban Noble David Rawn; Noble Steve Christie (1st Vice-President-Elect - Tom's son)

## Kawartha Captain Emeritus awarded Noble Scott Stuart

KAWARTHA SHRINE CLUB

The Kawartha Shrine Club Band was honoured to be able to make a very special presentation recently. They presented a Captain Emeritus Award to Nobel Tom Christie.

This prestigious award is to honour Tom as the original founder and captain of the Kawartha Shrine Club Band and to recognize his 50+ years of dedicated service to our Club. Tom's Shrine and Masonic Resume is as follows:

- Raised in Roman Eagle Lodge # 160 Edinburgh Scotland of Ancient Free and Accepted masons of Scotland May 25, 1954.
- Life member Jan 20, 1957
- Received Royal Arch Degree April 18, 1957
- Life member of the Chapter, Immigrated to Canada May 1957
- Member and past officer of Moore Perceptory No. 13 Peterborough, Ontario Sovereign Great Priority of Canada, February 2, 1966
- Member of Ionic Chapter Royal Arch Masons No 168 G.R.C. Campbellford Ontario
- Principal of Royal Arch Masons No 168 G.R.C Campbellford Ontario 1971
- Member of Past Principals Association, Ontario District No. 10 R.A.M.
- Noble of the Mystic Shrine in Rameses Temple, Toronto Ontario May 28, 1966
- Member of Kawartha Shrine Club, 1966
- Captain Kawartha Shrine Patrol 1967
- By 1974 the marching band expanded to over 54 members
- The band averaged 20+ parades per year for 10+ years
- 2016 Tom remains captain with 22 members
- 2016 Band performs 4-5 parades per year

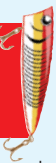
The Kawartha Shrine Club is very fortunate to have such a loyal and dedicated Noble. Tom turned 92 years old on August 23, 2016 and to this day still dedicates a big portion of his life to the Kawartha Shrine Club and our band. Congratulations Tom on this very prestigious and well-deserved award.



## Rameses Shrine Sportsman Draw 2017

Nobles, 2016 is over and we are looking forward to 2017. As you already know, there will be no Circus this year. With no Circus, means no revenue. Your Divan is introducing a **"Sportsman Draw"**. This draw will be held on **Saturday, October 7, 2017** in Owen Sound and there will be 15 prizes for Gift Cards redeemable at **"Trombly's Tackle Box"**, a premiere sporting goods store located in Orillia.

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3rd prize  
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4th prize  
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5th prize  
\$250  
gift card



Plus 10 prizes  
of a \$100  
gift card



The tickets are \$5 each or 3 for \$10. The tickets are in packs of 13. Why 13 you ask? Well you sell the first 12 tickets and the 13th ticket is free to you! The more tickets you sell the more free tickets you can get. Nobles, we need you and your Clubs to get behind this project.

Please do your part, remember **THIS IS YOUR TEMPLE!**

Yours in the Faith, Thomas W. Woodrow, Assistant Rabban

Proceeds from this event are for the use of Rameses Shrine. Payments are not tax deductible



# Oktoberfest



## Guelph Shrine Club Oktoberfest

By Noble Willy Oliver  
GUELPH SHRINE CLUB

Yet another year has come and gone - as October winds down and the Guelph District Shrine Club sends it out with bang! Our annual Oktoberfest celebration brings everyone out for a dinner of Oma's homemade Sauerkraut and Oktoberfest Sausage on a bun - of course after singing "Ein Prosit".



The Guelph Shrine Club recently presented both a 50-year Shriner pin and certificate and a 25-year Shriner pin and certificate. Receiving his 50-year a Shriner pin and certificate was Noble James Ingles and our 25-year recipient was Noble Rod Blair. Presenting the honours were Oriental Guide Noble Bill Sweet and President Noble Frank Douglas.



## Guelph get out and flashes the Fez

By Noble Willy Oliver  
GUELPH SHRINE CLUB

Another successful showing at the Annual Guelph Santa Claus Parade. Lots of people this year and the kids where just in awe of the go carts and mini bikes as they circulate around the parade route - good to get out and flash the Fez!



# Belleville Firefighters donation

By Noble Stephen D. Shirk

BELLEVILLE SHRINE CLUB

**O**n Wednesday, 28 September 2016, at their first fall General Dinner Meeting, a generous donation cheque in the amount of \$5,000 was presented by the Chief of the Belleville Shrine Club Firefighters Unit, Noble Lloyd Kellett, to Noble John Neil, Board Director with the Montreal Shriners Hospital for Children.

The Belleville Shrine Club was a very active and growing Club in the 1970s and 1980s with well over 200 members. A group of members proposed an alternate option of joining the Club's Camel Herders Unit to take part in parades. They formed the Belleville Shrine Firefighters Unit in 1984.

The members of the new Unit bought a 1949 Bickle-Seagrave Ladder Fire Truck from the City of Belleville and started fundraising and parading with the Club's Camel Herder Unit.



In the early years of the Unit funds were raised by hosting an annual Rodeo. This worked well for a few years providing sufficient funds to pay the expenses of operating a fire truck and also donating funds towards our Shrine Hospital Transportation Fund. The Rodeo business wore thin,

and the Unit moved to working bingos at the local bingo hall on Pinnacle Street. This proved to be a very lucrative fundraiser in the late 1980s and 1990s.

The fire truck was in need of some very extensive repair work in the early 1990s and the Unit members decided a complete rebuild of the truck was warranted. The truck was completely dismantled at Central Taxi Garage under the direction of Noble Grant Devolin in the winter of '93-'94. The frame was sandblasted and painted, as well as all body panels and ladders. A brand new GM engine and automatic transmission was installed with new wheels, tires, and suspension parts.

The new 1949 fire truck made its debut at the Belleville Shrine Ceremonial Parade in June of 1994. The Firefighter Unit continued to do well with the bingos and was able to donate many thousands of dollars to the Shrine Hospital Transportation Fund over the years.

A move to the new Bingo Hall on Highway 62 followed the closing of the Pinnacle Street facility. Bingo revenue started to fall off for a number of reasons in the new millennium, but still provided sufficient funds to keep the Unit afloat and provide funding for the kids.



The local Bingo Hall on highway 62 closed last year, and the Unit was left without a source of funding. The Unit membership had shrunk to only a few members and they were not in a position to chase alternate fundraising activities.

The Unit members decided to close the Unit and sell the fire truck. On the dissolving of the Unit, all remaining reserve funds were donated to the Canadian Shrine Hospital.



Building Fund (\$5,000), and to the Belleville Shrine Club (\$3,471.86). The Fire Truck is still for sale if anyone is interested!

Shriners have operated a paediatric orthopaedic hospital in Montreal since 1925. The Hospital on Cedar Street served the children well for many years, but was showing signs of age and not large enough to meet the current needs of serving our children.

A new Hospital was proposed, as part of the new McGill University Hospital Complex on Decarie Blvd. in Montreal. Approvals were received, plans were drawn, and a new Hospital was under construction in 2013. The new Hospital is approximately two and a half times as large as the older facility, designed for children, built to the most current standards and fitted with the most advanced medical equipment. The construction budget was \$130 million.

The new Hospital opened on October 5th, 2015. An aggressive capital campaign to raise the required dollars was started in 2012 and was closed in May 2016. The target was met. The Belleville Firefighters Unit contribution was part of the Rameses Shrine commitment to this project.

The Canadian Shrine Hospital in Montreal is one of 22 Shrine funded and operated children's hospitals across North America. The Canadian Shrine hospital in Montreal is a bilingual, acute care centre providing paediatric orthopaedic ultraspecialized treatment for complex disorders such as osteogenesis imperfecta (brittle bone disease), severe spinal and limb anomalies, reconstructive surgery and rehabilitation.

This donation of \$5,000 from the Belleville Shrine Club Firefighters Unit was well received showing the mandated commitment of the Nobles of the Shrine Club to continue to find ways of helping support their Shrine Hospitals, especially in Canada.

**And the winner is...**

The lucky winner of \$40,000 in the 2016 Rameses Lottery was L. Leech of Windsor, Ontario. The winning ticket was sold in St. Catharines.

**Nobles**, don't forget to purchase your Rameses Lottery ticket. The odds are the best of **ANY** lottery in Canada.

L. Leech



## Ladies present \$513,000 to Hospital

By Lady Meredith Pennock

High Priestess

BOKHARA COURT NO. 22 L.O.S.N.A.

The Ladies of Bokhara Court No. 22 held their Ceremonial of Initiation of New Members on Saturday November 12th, 2016. Seventeen new Ladies joined our Court.

The afternoon ceremony was one to be remembered, as we honoured many members for their years of service. Thank you to the Ladies and Nobles who helped with the banquet.

On November 17th 2016, eleven of our Ladies visited the Shriners Hospital for Children – Canada to present a \$513,000 cheque from our fundraising efforts over the last 6 years. This monetary donation is Bokhara Court's contribution towards a Motion Analysis Lab (Gait Lab).

We were welcomed by the Hospital Board, sat down to a wonderful lunch and had a private tour of the hospital. Bokhara Court's next goal for the hospital is to purchase a C-Arm Unit which will assist doctors during surgery.

On March 15th 2017, the Ladies will be going back to Montreal for the formal dedication of the Gait Lab.

The Ladies of Bokhara Court No. 22 will host our Annual Spring Tea on Sunday March 12th, 2017 at 2:00pm to 4:00pm at Rameses Shrine



Centre - 124 Queens Plate Drive. We invite you to bring your family and friends to this event. We are also holding a silent auction, where all proceeds will go to support Bokhara Court's current Hospital Project – The C-Arm. All donations are welcome.

The Installation of Officers will take place on Saturday April 1st, 2:00pm at Rameses Shrine Centre. A banquet dinner will follow. Please book your dinner reservation with Lady Linda Dart at 289-240-2439 or lindadart@rogers.com. We look forward to having you join us for this exciting afternoon.

## 2017 a year of “Fun and Frolic” planned for Sheba Shrine

Noble Doug Griffin, SSCCS

SHEBA SHRINE CLUB

When I first became Sheba's Chief Scribe, I thought there wouldn't be a lot to write about - but I could not have been so wrong. It seems that our Sheba Nobles take pleasure in keeping my pen to paper. You may notice that my November Newsletter is also in this issue - I guess it decided to finally show up after being lost in electronic Never, Never Land. Who knows where it was? That's technology! When Babies are delivered by email then I will worry!

Now to the News

Our new President Noble Don Scandrett and our new Executive have planned to make 2017 a year of Fun and Frolic.

2016 was a Fantastic year for our Past President Norm Malcolm and all of our Nobles. So on behalf of all the Nobles here at Sheba, I would like to congratulate Norm for doing an excellent job of guiding us through the past year. You truly deserve to have your picture on the Past Presidents' Wall. Congratulations to all the Nobles who assumed the various positions to take our Club into 2017. (Wow! I mean, "take on the various jobs". I know how some of you may have found that funny.) I am sure that with President Den's sense of humour and a never-ending supply of email jokes, we should (as I mentioned) have a year of Fun and Frolic.

Now back to my report. Santa came to Sheba again this year, even though some of us were a little naughty in 2016. He brought Greetings and Cheer from the North Pole. The Jolly Old Fellow showed all our Children the True Meaning of Christmas and put a twinkle in everyone's eye. Thank you to Santa and all his helpers for a great Children's Christmas Party. From all of Sheba's Nobles, we hope everyone had a great Christmas Holiday and wish you all the best in 2017.

Cal's Gentlemen's Breakfast was held on December 17th to honour Noble Dale Kitchen. One hundred and sixty Fellows showed up at 7:30 in the morning for ham and eggs with baked beans. This annual event

brought out Barrie's Mayor Jeff Lehman, many O.P.P. officers including the Chief and a lot of early risers looking for a coffee.

To everyone's astonishment Noble Terry Arnold surprised us all by announcing that we were not honouring Dale Kitchen but our host Cal Madill. This was a great relief to Dale Kitchen and a total shock to Cal who had spent hours researching and compiling a list of Dale's misgivings. Many of Cal's family spoke about Cal but Jeff Crowe and Ken Tully enlightened us on the real Cal Madill. But Dale did not go unnoticed. He had cleaned out his garage and proceeded to glorify some of the fellows by giving them his junk with an oral explanation. Two thousand dollars was raised and given to Hospice on behalf of Dale and Cal.

By the time you read this, the "White Fish" will be in the history books. There certainly should be a lot of gossip and entertaining antics for my next column. (Remember not everything that happens at the White Fish can be repeated or written.) Those who have attended know all the signs, tokens and secret handshakes. Every year another degree in Curling is discovered.

This is truly one event that brings out the best in every Noble, seeing is believing.

The Temple Elections were held on January 14th but this article was due on the 9th, so without using my Crystal Ball, there is only one thing I can report. (I sure hope this is right!)

At this time on behalf of all the Nobles at Sheba, I would like to thank Illustrious Sir Al Berry and Lady Jackie for making 2016 a year to remember at Rameses. Your hard work and dedication was admired throughout the year. To our new Potentate for 2017, Illustrious Sir David Rawn and Lady Edith - we at Sheba wish you great success and know that Rameses will flourish under your leadership. Congratulations!

Well it is my turn to exit to the Sunny South (that's Florida for those who live in Sudbury). So from the icy waters of Kempenfelt Bay, I wish everyone all the best in 2017 and may all your thoughts and deeds be Noble Ones.

# Fall Ceremonial 2016



To view ALL the photographs of these event, please visit our web sites at [www.pbase.com/ramesses](http://www.pbase.com/ramesses) AND [ramesses-shriners.ca](http://ramesses-shriners.ca)

## Whitefish Bonspiel



# Mississauga Shrine Club completes 2017 Election

By Noble Tony Fernando

MISSISSAUGA SHRINE CLUB

November is Election time and we had the pleasure of receiving our Assistant Rabban, Noble Thomas W. Woodrow and Ambassador at Large, Noble Art Settle to conduct our annual elections. The elections were conducted expeditiously and there was an aura of camaraderie along with the protocol.

We have a new Executive: President - Noble Les Bodrogi. 1st Vice President - Noble Chris Brown. 2nd Vice President - Noble Victor Codato. Treasurer - Noble Glenn Pollinger. Secretary - Noble Tom Malicki. Directors - Nobles Malcolm McKay, Melvin Wilson and Ralph Cornish. Auditors - Nobles Malcolm McKay and William Karda. Chaplain - Noble Glenn Pollinger. Noble executives, you have our support and we wish you a successful year.

Our plans for our 50th Anniversary are in motion and one proposal is to hold the event at Woodbine. Further proposals will be entertained.

The Woodbine facility is excellent. The all-you-can-eat buffet is also excellent. There are options to bet on horse races or to slide away to the casino to indulge in one armed or digital bandits.

We are happy to say that Mississauga Shrine Club won \$500 in weekly draw #36. It pays to purchase a ticket.

Thanks to our Noble Ambassador for promoting cake sales. Our focus has been our Bingo initiative. However, Noble Don Rowe has been diligently promoting the selling of cakes at our Club meetings and at the Bingo facility. Thanks, Noble Don.

Over three decades we have donated toys to hospital children at Credit Valley and Trillium Hospitals. Toys are donated by the members

of our Club and we have a small budget to purchase more if more toys are needed. The kids have been entertained by our Santa Claus and it is great to see their excitement when they receive toys. On December 23rd, we kept up with our annual initiative. Noble Keith McKay, our special thanks to you.



A Ladies' Night Dinner was held at the Canadiana Restaurant in December and it was a success. Nobles and the Ladies had a choice of Roast Beef, Salmon or Turkey three course meals.

A Mandarin Degree is planned for April 3rd, 2017 after our Regular Meeting. Masons are invited for this once-in-a-lifetime event. Our Noble Chef will be preparing a Mandarin meal. More details later.

Our Bingo sessions continue to generate monies for the Transportation Fund. Training sessions are available for those who are interested in assisting Noble Chris Brown and his team who continue to manage this initiative every year.

For Masons who are unaware of Shrine Hospitals, Shriners Hospitals for Children is an international healthcare system dedicated to improving the lives of children by providing paediatric teaching programs. The hospitals focus on four specialized areas, Orthopaedic Care, Burn Care, Spinal Cord Injury, and Cleft Lip and Palate Care.

We meet on 1st Monday of the month except in July and August. To join our Club or to visit, email: mshrineclub@gmail.com. All Master Masons are welcome.

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# WORK IS UNDERWAY TO CREATE A MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY

New Directory will Help  
Everyone Stay Up-to-Date  
and Connected

**LEGISLATION ADOPTED AT THE 2016 IMPERIAL SESSION** included permission for Shriners International to publish and distribute a membership directory. This was one of the measures included in a group of proposals, referred to as the "six-pack," offered by the Capital Evaluation Committee.

We're pleased to announce that an agreement has been reached with PCI, an experienced and reputable publisher, to produce a membership directory for our organization, and our members. The directory will list the name and temple affiliation of every Shriner and will not include other member information, such as individual addresses and telephone numbers, without permission. Shriners may provide verification of member data and/or may also opt out of being listed by contacting PCI.

The membership directory will be available in print and electronic formats. The Inaugural Edition will include a section related to the history and accomplishments of our great fraternity, a section available for temples, clubs and units to provide interesting photos and captions, and a section for nobles to submit a picture and a brief narrative, as well as directory listings by nobles along with their temple. There will also be a section listing nobles by city and state. A percentage of the proceeds generated by the directory will be provided to Shriners International to augment available support for nobles and temples.

A significant benefit of the membership directory to all nobles is the ability to cost-effectively verify and update their member data. By contacting PCI in connection with the membership directory project, the accuracy of member information kept and maintained by the temples can be verified and improved at no cost to the noble or the temple.

We strongly encourage nobles to call the toll-free number provided to them on the postcard which should be in their mailboxes on or about Feb. 1, 2017.



A number of Grand Lodges have successfully produced membership directories, and we look forward to joining them in providing this valuable and convenient resource to our members.

Additional information about the member directory can be found on Shriners Village and at [www.shrinersinternational.org/faqs](http://www.shrinersinternational.org/faqs).

## Remember Regarding the Membership Directory

- A. We strongly encourage Shriners to contact PCI to verify their member information.
- B. The directory will list every Shriner and his Temple affiliation.
- C. With, and only with the permission of a Shriner, will his member information such as street address and phone number, be included in the directory.
- D. Any Shriner can exclude himself from the directory by contacting PCI.

## STAY UP-TO-DATE WITH WEBFEZ

Your member record is maintained in WebFez, Shriners International's new membership database. Temple leadership maintains all the data relating to members - including lists, club and unit records, dues payments, participation awards, etc. Nobles can now log in and update contact information, view records and verify payments. Please register today at [webfez.shrinenet.org](http://webfez.shrinenet.org).

## SHRINE INTERNATIONAL MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY

Legislation adopted at the 2016 Imperial Session permission to publish an electronic Shrine Membership Directory. A postcard is being mailed to ALL SHRINERS from Shrine International from Publishing Concepts. Please call the number listed on the postcard to ensure your membership file data is up to date and grant permission to include your address and phone number(s)



## Degree Team does a phenomenal job

By Noble Rob McDonald

RORAB SHRINE CLUB

### Rorab Shrine Club Degree Team Performed

The Rorab Shrine Club kicked it off early with some Masonic liaison by attending Corona Lodge on Thursday 5 January 2017, and conducting an initiation for Mr. Cook. Despite not being able to have a practice or two, due the Christmas season, the Nobles from The Rorab Shrine Club did a phenomenal job conducting a first degree.

The Rorab Nobles represented seven different Lodges in our district, (Mattawa, North Bay, Nipissing, Sturgeon Falls, Powassan, Strong and Corona). Way to go guys! Fellowship is definitely alive in our district.

### First Degree at Corona Lodge, Burks Falls.

Participating Rorab Nobles were: Rob Bain, Colin Clark, Andy Currie, Alonzo Harris, Adam Harwood, Dennis Harwood, Steve Kitzul, Steve McQuade, (Master of the Corona Lodge) Jim O'Neill, Burton Parks, Bill South, Royce Wall, and Rob McDonald, Candidate is Bro. Glen Cook.

D.D.G.M. Noble Matt Plant was in attendance and stated he wanted to participate, but couldn't because of his official duties, but he is looking forward to getting back on the Degree Team. So with that being in the official minutes of Corona lodge, we'll ensure he does some work after July 2017!

What is even better is that Corona Lodge graciously donated \$200 for the Shrine Hospital in Montreal as a way of saying thanks to the Rorab Nobles for putting on the first degree.

So for all the other Lodges in the district, we are open for business - price negotiable!



Imperial Sir George Mitchell, P.I.P, helping serve customers at the 2017 East-West Shrine Football Game at Tropicana Field, St. Petersburg, Florida, on 21 January, 2017. The East-West Shrine Football Game helps support the Shriners Hospital for Children Love to the Rescue Campaign.

## Done reading your Papyrus?

Share it with your friends and neighbours by dropping it off at your local

Lodge, Doctor's Office, Dentist, car dealership, or anywhere else magazines get left for others to read. Maybe others will get to know who those "guys with the little bikes and mini cars in parades wearing the funny red hats" really are and what they really do!



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## DECEASED NOBLES REPORTED IN THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2016

Murray B. Campbell  
Bobcaygeon, ON  
October 1, 2016

Norman F. Dickinson  
Scarborough, ON  
October 18, 2016

Jack J. Eggenberger  
Caledon, ON  
September 9, 2016

Alfred H. Harris  
Toronto, ON  
October 14, 2016

Robert F. Hood  
Agincourt, ON  
December 3, 2015

Robert H. Julian  
Loring, ON  
February 13, 2016

Martin M. Noakes  
Cobourg, ON  
May 8, 2016

John J. Stewart  
Norwood, ON  
September 23, 2016

Robert H. Wilber  
Burlington, ON  
October 24, 2016

## DECEASED NOBLES REPORTED IN THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 2016

Donald R. Goltz  
Bracebridge, ON  
August 20, 2016

J. Albert Hall  
Toronto, ON  
November 18, 2016

Harold F. Isnor  
Guelph, ON  
November 19, 2016

Frederick G. Lock  
Aurora, ON  
November 22, 2016

Beverly G. Roberts  
Milford Bay, ON  
February 19, 2016

David B. Rudyk  
Cochrane, ON  
November 1, 2016

Murray W. Silk  
Oro-Medonte, ON  
May 30, 2016

Lorne L. Smith  
Peterborough, ON  
October 28, 2016

## DECEASED NOBLES REPORTED IN THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 2016

J. Russell Bradley  
Dundas, ON  
December 6, 2016

Donald J. Craig-Paul  
Orillia, ON  
November 22, 2016

Joseph A. Leblanc  
Porquis Junction, ON  
December 5, 2016

Colin Sim  
Midhurst, ON  
December 9, 2016

Alec Swannell  
North Bay, ON  
November 25, 2016

Robert E. Zadow  
Lively, ON  
December 31, 2016



# Christmas Carol Service

To view ALL the  
photographs of this  
event, please visit our  
web sites at  
[www.pbse.com/ramesses](http://www.pbse.com/ramesses)  
AND  
[ramesses-shriners.ca](http://ramesses-shriners.ca)



# DAYTONA

## 143<sup>RD</sup> IMPERIAL SHRINE SESSION 7-13 JULY 2017 - DAYTONA BEACH, FLORIDA



### 143rd Imperial Shrine Session - 7-13 July 2017 Imperial Session Schedule

#### Sunday, July 9

Canadian Breakfast  
Imperial Church Service  
Imperial Session 2017 Public Opening



#### Monday, July 10

Official Opening of the 143rd Imperial Session  
Ballyhoo (open to all Shriner Musical Units)

#### Tuesday, July 11

Representatives' Ladies Luncheon  
Night Parade  
Fireworks and music after parade

#### Wednesday, July 12

Imperial Sir Gary J. Bergenske Pageant  
Public Installation  
Public Relations Report and Patient Success Story

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<http://imperial2017.com>  
<http://imperial2017.com/housing/hotel-map/hampton-inn-beachfront>

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Please forward this form to the Shrine Office

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Rooming with: \_\_\_\_\_

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City: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal code: \_\_\_\_\_

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Potentate David Rawn  
and First Lady Edith



## ITINERARY

**Saturday 9:** This morning you will make your way to the airport for your flight to New York on arrival you will be met and taken on a tour of New York, after which you will be transported to your hotel.

**Sunday 10:** This morning is free for you to do what you want. Checkout time is 11.00am, but may leave the luggage at the hotel. You will be picked up at 3.30pm and taken to your cruise ship. Departure time from New York is 8.00pm

**Monday 11:** At sea. This evening there is a welcoming cocktail party

**Tuesday 12:** Arrive Boston at 8.00am. On arrival, you will be taken on a tour of Boston's highlights then to the Shriners Hospital. After the tour you will be taken back to ship by 3.30pm for departure at 5.00pm.

**Wednesday 13:** Arrive Bar Harbour at 7.00am. You are on your own for touring. Depart Bar Harbour at 4.00pm.

**Thursday 14:** Arrive Halifax at 9.00am. You are on your own for touring. Depart Halifax at 5.00pm.

**Friday 15:** Arrive Sydney at 9.00am. You are on your own for touring. Depart Sydney at 5.00pm.

**Saturday 16:** Arrive Charlottetown at 8.00am. You are on your own for touring. Depart Charlottetown at 5.00pm.

**Sunday 17:** Cruising the St. Lawrence.

**Monday 18:** Arrive Saguenay at 8.00am. Scenic cruising Saguenay Fjord. Depart at 5.00pm

**Tuesday 19:** Arrive Quebec City at 8.00am. You are on your own for touring. Stay on board overnight.

**Wednesday 20:** This morning you will be transferred to the railway station in Quebec City at 8.00am for the train to Montreal. On arrival you will be met and taken to your hotel to drop your luggage, then continue on a tour of the old city. You will then be taken to the Shriners Hospital, after which, you can make your way to your hotel.

**Thursday 21:** This morning you will transfer to the airport for your flight to Toronto.

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