

February 2020



Tripoli Shriners Tattler



Upcoming Events:

- 2/8 Swingin' The Blues
- 2/12 Stated Meeting
- 2/15 Queens Luncheon
- 2/22 Midnight Masquerade Party

Potentate's Message

Rick Kingstad

Nobles and All,

Thank you from the bottom of my heart for electing me as Potentate 2020. My installation on Saturday was a great event for me, my family, and my Shrine Mason family. Special thanks to Peter Salza and Robert Manske for performing as Installing Officer and Marshall at the Installation. I can't thank you enough!

Our new Past Potentate Robert "Bob" Capen and Lady Jan gave Tripoli a wonderful year. With the guidance and wisdom that they shared with all of us, Tripoli is in a good place. The Divan and nobles will continue moving in a positive direction.

There are many events coming this year:

- Midnight Masquerade is scheduled for February 22nd with a magical evening of surprises, beverages, and dining. We had a preview of the fire-eaters at the Installation. You can get more information at <https://tinyurl.com/masquerade2020>.
- Sportsman's Night is Friday, March 20th. Sign up as a guest or a volunteer. Sportsman's Night is always a good time and is also one of our major fundraisers.
- The Circus has moved to May 8, 9, and 10th this year. Nobles, Ladies and family have enjoyed the Circus for many years. Bring your fez and be a part of the big show.
- The Imperial Divan is coming to Milwaukee this summer as well. Imperial Sir Jim Smith is a native son of Wisconsin and has chosen to come here for their retreat and Shrine Mission. More to follow as we learn more.
- Onion sales and the Locust Street Festival are also coming. Volunteers are needed for these events. Wear your fezzes and help get Tripoli visibility in our community.



Also, please note that I am inviting the Ladies of Tripoli to attend all dinners preceding our Stated Meetings. After dinner you are welcome to relax in Melham Parlor with the other ladies and enjoy some social time. We do have a couple of activities scheduled, such as a demonstration by our Tripoli Chef to show some easy foods to make. We would appreciate any input as to activities for the ladies.

Again, thank you for your support and trust in electing me as Potentate for 2020. Stay active in your clubs and units. Bring in "Just One" new Shriner. Let's remember what Shriners do - help kids & have fun. Thank you and the nobility for the honor to serve you.

Fraternally,

Potentate Rick Kingstad & Lady Bonnie

Chaplain's Corner

Ron Hack

February 2020

Change. Some relish it, many fear it. Depending on the change, it causes excitement or anxiety. There is a lot of change this time of year; a new year to remember to write on checks and documents, the start of a new decade. Each of us experiences a multitude of changes in our lives at home or work daily. January is a month of change for our temple with the installation of our 2020 Potentate and Divan and the many installations of new Unit, Shrine Club, Ancillary or youth officers.

February is the month we celebrate Love. One constant in all the change about us is the Love of God for His people. Throughout the Bible there are many verses that tell of God's love for each of us; no strings attached. In Jeremiah 31:3, The Lord says, "I have loved you with an everlasting love. ..." and in 1 Peter 5: 7, we are told to "Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you." In John 3:1; we are told, "See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called the children of God!" We are assured that nothing will be able to separate us from the love of God, not even death itself.



God's love allows us to love one another and in fact, he commands us to love one another as he has loved us. He adds that "Hatred stirs up conflict, but love covers all wrongs." [Proverbs 10:12] Take time in your busy life to acknowledge God's great love for you. Allow his love to help you navigate the uncertainties in your life, love the people in your life, help you to grow in your faith and lead you to the abundant life God wants for you.

In Brotherly Love, Ron

"And now, these three remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love" [1 Corinthians 13:13]



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In Memoriam

Our beloved Brethren live on in new and more glorious life and service. We carry their influence in our lives and their memories in our hearts. They are not forgotten.

Black Camel

Name	Date	City	Age	Member Since
Pgm William E Day	12/23/2019	Dousman	92	05/11/1968
Norman M Marcus	12/26/2019	Milwaukee	83	05/14/1966
George W Hegerty	12/31/2019	Colgate	75	12/05/1987
Stephen J Conway Jr	01/07/2020	Crandon	97	11/13/1985

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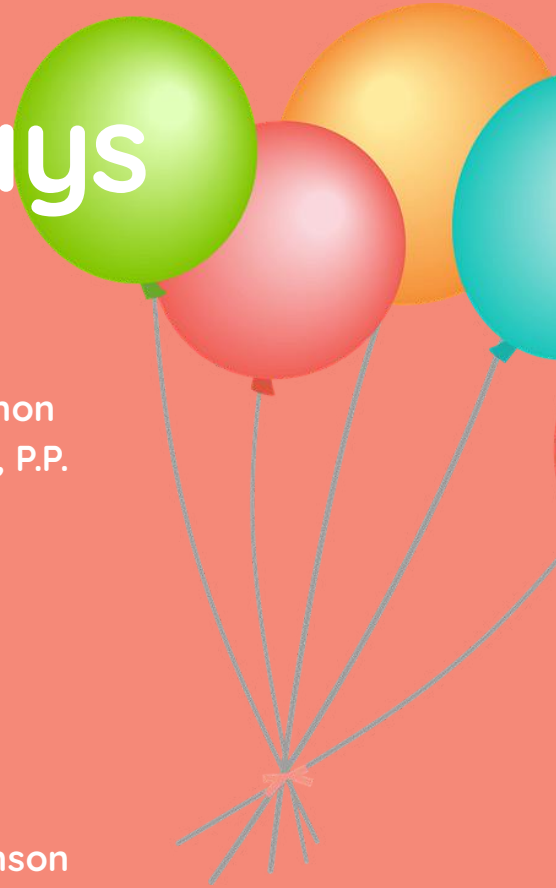
JUST ONE

Refer a Good Man

Who do you know that would make a good Shrine Mason?



February Birthdays



2/01
Orloff Styve
Walter Camp Jr.
Todd Schlicht

02/02
Thomas Cihowiak

02/03
Ernest Anderson
John Kneiszel
Norm Christensen
John Werner
James Froggatt
Carson Blaszak

02/04
Clifton Peterson
Frank Bevsek

02/05
Doug Winter, P.P.
Gordon Johnson
Daniel Bruckner

02/06
Robert Klatt
Daniel Mathson

02/07
Richard Rhyner
Steven Meyer
James Cairo

02/08
Larry Knight
John Fink

02/10
Walter Mason

02/11
Ron Hurst, P.P.
Brian Mayer

02/12
Lincoln Smith

02/13
Chad Berkan

02/15
Ken Gorgen
Aaron Labovitz

02/16
James Vivian
Ken Wilcox
Matthew Wright

02/17
Bryan Ockwood

02/18
Donald Nordholm
Trevor Harder
Michael Lasley
Damon Albers

02/20
Jerome Stein
Robert Chagnon
Peter Hennig, P.P.

02/21
Jeff Bryden
Charles Reed

02/22
Gary Parker
Roger Jorgenson
Gregg Bubolz

02/23
Thomas Foerster
Duwayne Bruckner
Roger Rosenthal

02/24
Bryon Folts
Robert Grohall
Keith Franz

02/25
Herbert Dahm
Jerome Konicek
Vincent Shuler
Dustin Herzog

02/26
George Bilansky
Robert Capen
Jose Zarate

02/27
James Bacon
Ronald May

02/28
Richard Sell
Raymond Radtke
Larry Pfeiffer

02/29
Jason Volstad

THE HISTORY OF THE SHRINERS ANIMAL UNIT

The Tripoli Shrine Animal Unit got its start at the 1965 Sheboygan Wisconsin Shrine Ceremonial. Bob Patterson was the first Shriner to wear an animal costume. He rented a gorilla costume, climbed aboard a go-cart and came down the street as part of the parade. For the following years, this small group rented costumes and paper mache heads from a costume supplier from Milwaukee, Wisconsin. They participate in various Shrine parades and even managed to work in a hospital visitation at the two (2) local Sheboygan hospitals. At a meeting on May 5, 1966, held in Sheboygan Turner Hall, the new unit was formed and was known as the Sheboygan County Shrine Club. The unit discovered talented Green Bay artist who specialized in making paper mache cartoon caricatures. The unit became a reality. The Green Bay artist was replaced by Sheboygan biology teacher, Shriner Robert Root. He was the unit's first Mickey Mouse. He constructed many of the unit's heads. The heads were made with chicken wire, paper mache, gesso, and fur.

February, 1966 - Letters from Potentate Judge Milton Meister related to the animals forming as a group and the Sheboygan County Shrine Club giving their approval and authorization to support the group.

September, 1967 - It was announced the Animal Unit expects to be affiliated with the Tripoli Clown Unit.

May, 1973 - The animals were now accepted into the Tripoli Official Family and are now be called the Tripoli animal Unit.

Swingin'
with the
Blues



February 8th
2020

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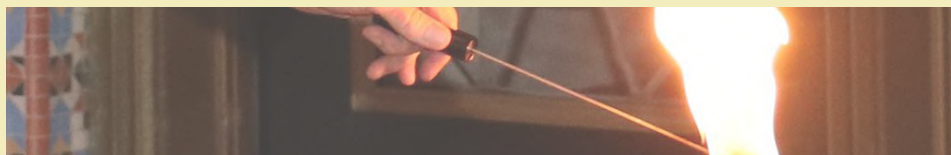
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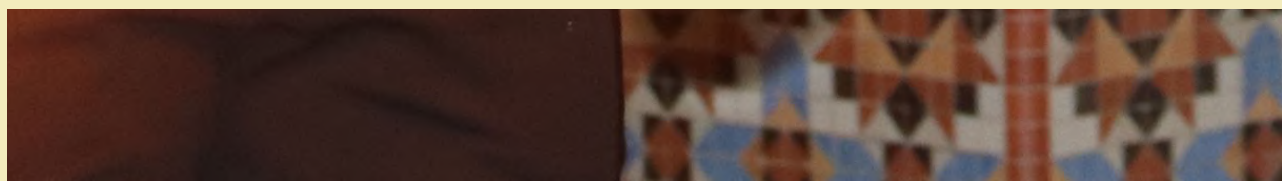
Can't make it for Dinner, No problem party tickets only are available.

Tripoli Shrine Center, 3000 W. Wisconsin Ave. Milwaukee WI 53208



2020 OFFICER INSTALLATION









ALL CLUB & UNIT HEADS

ATTENTION

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30th Annual Scimitar Sportman's Night

Friday, March 20th, 2020
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BRONZE

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\$1100 TABLE SPONSORSHIP INCLUDES: **

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Banquet Tickets Include: Open bar until 9:00, Dinner, Grand Door Prize Ticket and a door prize when you leave!! The doors open at 5:00pm.

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STATED MEETING
February 12, 2020

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Stated Meeting

WED, JAN 8TH

Corrections: PP Peter Hennig accepted the position of Recorder. Not John Bugajski. PP Peter Salza nominated Nobles Doug Winter, Joe Schoner and Jim Cleary to the finance committee. All accepted.

Jan. Stated Meeting: Meeting opened at 7:00 by Ill. Sir Robert Capen in due form. Flag was presented by the Legion of Honor and Pledge of Allegiance recited.

Introduction of Guests: MWGM and Past Potentate Robert Straeder was introduced along with new Noble Don Goelz followed by Past Potentates, Trustees, Shrine Club Presidents, Unit Heads and Emeritus members.

Cold Sands: Candidate Donnie Rivera crossed the "Cold Sands" guided by Noble Matt Wright.

Minutes: Minutes of the December meeting were accepted as printed in the January Tattler. Motion was made to accept and a vote was called. Motion passed and minutes were accepted. Later it errors were discovered and they are corrected in these minutes.

Petitions: Petition of Damar J. Reed was read. A vote was spread amongst the nobility. The meeting continued awaiting the results.

Correspondence: None.

Affiliations: None.

Demits: Three (3). Michael Reindl, Ahmed Ayyash and Stephen Belongie. All were current on the books and demits granted.

Suspensions: After the December meeting 59 members were suspended. A list is available to anyone who would like to see it. All Suspended nobles were notified by mail and Re-instatement form included.

Associations: One (1) pending.

Treasurers report: Chosen one Bugajski went over the report. He informed us of Money to come from Verizon project to be built on our property.

He went over the balance sheet, reporting that they are not completely accurate due to money still coming in. A corrected report will be given at the next meeting. The Potentate asked all units to turn in their financial reports ASAP. A motion to accept the report was made and seconded. A vote was called and the motion passed. Report was accepted.

Report on Petition: The ballot on Damar J. Reed was returned. The ballot was clear and his petition was granted.

Black Camel: Four Nobles joined the caravan to the Oasis in the Heavens. George J. Kontos, Norman M. Macus, PGM. William E. Day and George W. Hegerty. Chaplain offered a Prayer.

Sick and Distressed: Noble Hack went over the list.

Finance: Ill. Sir Doug Winter gave the report. Upcoming expenses in the report are accrued in the December report. Utility costs are coming down. Significant changes have been made to help lower costs. Income for the year 2019 was \$50,000.00 a little better than budgeted. Installation will be on January 18, 2020. Ill. Sir Peter Salza was unable to give the report due to his wife Georgina being in the hospital.

Trustees: Noble Arnholt informed us that we are still changing light bulbs to lower energy costs. We are still waiting on the report for our energy improvements. Security signs have been put around the parking lot to deter vandalism.

Hospital: Noble Bob Manders informed us that the Chicago hospital has served over 120,000 children had over 100,000 visits and performed 12,000 surgeries. New outreach programs are being started to get more patients. Noble Matt Wright informed us that the Twin Cities clinic is under construction. The Clinic will be expanding our presence in Northern Wisconsin and upper Michigan. The Twin Cities hospital has been sold to the University of Minnesota and they will let us the Shrine use it rent free until the clinic is completed.

Hospital: There were only 2 trips to the hospital last month. There are 3 coming up.



Stated Meeting

continued

Scimitar: Noble Arnholt told us that new stage lights have been installed. The Lights were donated by Lady Jan Capen and her husband Potentate Bob. Noble Bob Helback was instrumental in installing the lights. The lights inside the dome have been replaced. The first time in years. Sportsmen night will be March 20th, tables sign-up by January 30 will be included in a special drawing. Many prizes have been acquired to give away. Noble Gerry informed us that Sportsmen night pays for all the maintenance in the building. The next meeting will be January 21st and volunteers are needed the Sportsmen unit will be sponsoring a "Trap shooting team" at the Daniel Boone club this year. January 25th will be a membership meeting. All units are strongly urged to attend. There will be breakfast at 8:00, meeting at 9:00. June 22nd will be the Tripoli Golf outing and there will be a mini Sportsmen night April 16th in Green Bay. It was noted that Noble Sean Schult has put in many hours installing and programming the new lights which will be a great draw in renting out the facility.

Red Fez: Will be sponsoring a Masquerade ball on Friday and Saturday February 21 and 22nd.

Circus: Nothing.

Festival of Trees: Ill. Sir noted that it was a very good year. \$50,000.00 was budgeted and \$55,000.00 was donated to Tripoli. The event made \$93,000.00 with expenses of \$38,000.00. We are looking for 2020 to be even better. The 2020 event will have a Patriotic theme with the colors being Red, White and Blue.

Noble Frank Mayer was presented with a Distinguished Service award for all his work for the Temple and in Upgrading the Long Rider Vehicle. 2020 Divan Installation will be January 18th. Potentate Elect Kingstad would like the officers to come at 3:00 to get things ready.

The Divan voted to create a Festival of Trees unit. By-laws for the unit were submitted to the Recorder.

The Potentate presented his elected Divan with a present, Pink Aprons from the Ladies Fashion Show embroidered with their names.

We have signed on with a new Security Service.

Potentate Capen thanked everyone for their help during his year.

There being no more business the Temple was closed in due form at 8:20 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Frank A. Recorder, (No Longer)

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Motor Corps Installation



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Highlanders

St. Patrick's Day is coming! The Tripoli Scottish Highlanders will be performing March 14 at Noon in the Downtown Milwaukee Parade and at 3:30 on Bluemound. January 21 is the largest St. Patrick's Day parade in the state in the town of New London. We meet every Wednesday at 7:00pm in our Quarters downstairs. Stop by and say hello or ask how you too can be part of the spectacle!

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UNITS

Mystic Brewers

Brewers, Winemakers and Tasters, it's time to get together and set the course for 2020! As your current Brewmaster (President), I want to invite you to attend our meeting on February 16th at 1:00. We will be meeting at Urban Harvest Brewery located at 1024 S. 5th St, Milwaukee. Food will be provided (Lou Malniti's Pizza). Last year was a busy year for me and I apologize that I wasn't able to give the unit the attention it rightfully deserved. I have some great ideas for the upcoming year and want to schedule some "brew sessions" as soon as we can. NEW MEMBERS are welcome and bring your ladie.

Please RSVP at bobcapen@sbcglobal.net

Cheers! Bob Capen, Brewmaster

**Friday
February 28th**

7:00PM - 10:00PM
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Billiard Room



Craft Club

Fun and Fellowship

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DAUGHTERS OF THE NILE



Shelomoth Temple No. 106

Working together to benefit Shriner's Hospital for Children

Greetings to all. Happy Valentine's Day to all. I hope February finds you looking forward to exciting new beginnings for the New Year of 2020.

*I've included a "Valentine Month Challenge" to perform daily kind deeds. I hope you have fun with it.

We had our Winter Wonderland Holiday Luncheon at Alioto's on January 18, 2020. We had a very nice turnout, and had a lot of fun with some fabulous raffle prizes. Thank you to everyone who attended, who donated raffle prizes and those who bought raffle tickets and were the lucky ones who won. To those who were not able to attend, we missed you but we are glad you are safe and sound.

We've had some challenges with our Wisconsin weather lately. Some of our events had to be cancelled and others had lower attendance. We want you to be safe out there and we totally understand if inclement weather keeps you away from participating in any of our events. Stay safe and warm.

In the process of notifying our members of the cancellation of our January 11, 2020 Session, Luncheon and Ceremonial, due to inclement weather, we encountered some issues contacting them. We need to have your contact info for emergency notifications and for our new Roster Book. Contact Princess Recorder Nancy Ryburn if you need to change your contact information.

Tripoli Shrine had their Open Installation on January 18, 2020. Illustrious Sir Potentate Richard Kingstad had a wonderful Installation of the 2020 Tripoli Divan and their Ladies. The American flag presentation was performed by

the Highlanders. Immediate Past Potentate Bob Capen and his Lady Jan, gave remarks and presentations were made. They received a standing ovation for the amazing work they did in 2019-2020. We are so appreciative that they both supported "Making a Difference" in the life of our Shriner's Children.

Illustrious Sir Potentate Richard Kingstad invited Representatives of other groups and Queen Maria from Shelomoth Temple No. 106 Daughters of the Nile for remarks and presentations. Queen Maria extended congratulations and best wishes to Potentate Rick and his Corps of officers and presented him with a "Stepping Stone of Happiness" on behalf of Shelomoth Temple. Queen Maria explained about the "Stepping Stone of Happiness" and how it supports the Daughters of the Nile Foundation.

Potentate Rick Kingstad extended an invitation to ALL the Ladies to join Tripoli for dinner. After dinner the ladies will breakaway for some fun activities. Tripoli stated meeting is held on the second Wednesday of each month except July and August. This should be a wonderful time to have some fun and meet some new friends.

In June 2019 at Imperial Session, Supreme Queen Dale Obernolte of the Daughters of the Nile presented a check in the amount of \$1,765,510.00 to Imperial Potentate Jim Cain for the Shriners Hospitals for Children. This demonstrates our commitment to the Shriners Hospitals for Children.

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DAUGHTERS OF THE NILE - continued

We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Tripoli Women's Auxillary newly installed President Joanne Stawicki and her corps of officers. We look forward to continue building our relationship in supporting our mission of helping the Shriners Hospitals for Children.

It takes a "special team effort" to do the job of membership building. Our Shelomoth Temple Princesses have exceeded my expectations. You've stepped up to the plate to accept the challenge that I shared at one of our first Sessions. I am so very proud to announce that we have exceeded our goal of initiating 12 new Princesses. None of this would have been accomplished without your amazing efforts. We have more prospective members waiting to be initiated. Thanks to all of you who took this challenge and ran with it. I will be recognizing these Princesses before the end of my term.

Thank you to our Princess Recorder Nancy Ryburn for all her efforts to "spearhead" and complete the forming of our San Juan, Puerto Rico Nile Club. It took an enormous amount of time and effort to get this done. Princess

Recorder Nancy Ryburn and I will be traveling to San Juan, Puerto Rico in February. We are very excited to possibly being able to obligate and Christen our new prospective members. We are very excited that through the very hard work of our Shelomoth Temple members reaching out to the other organizations, we are building our membership.

We are no longer a "silent" organization, we are here to be actively involved.

SAVE THESE DATES:

**February 8, 2020
Session, Luncheon and
Ceremonial beginning at 10 a.m.**

**February 15, 2020
*Queen's Luncheon honoring
Queen Maria Boyer-Jensen.**

RSVPs to Princess Jane Blackwood no later than February 8, 2020. *VIEW the FLYER IN TATTLER Nile Angel Love and Hugs, Maria Boyer-Jensen, Queen
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**Potentate José Seguí
of Puerto Rico
and the two newest
members of our Temple,
Daughters Betty and Neysa.**

**Queen Maria Boyer-Hensen and
Princess Nancy Ryburn will be going
to Puerto Rico in February to initiate
14 more members.**

Animal Installation



SWEET VIDALIA ONIONS



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Onion Meeting March 2nd. 2020

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Women's Auxiliary

Our installation was held at our January meeting. The officers for 2020 will be:

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Auxiliary Greeter & Assistant:	Robert Mehle	

We are looking forward to working with YOU to make this year memorable for the children in need of our help, the Women's Auxiliary and our Tripoli Shrine!!!

1. Our mission is to provide funding for wheelchairs and special therapy equipment that are needed by children.
2. Membership dues are only \$5.00 per year.
3. No masonic affiliation is necessary!
4. We begin the day of our meeting at noon with a delicious meal prepared by our Shrine Executive Chef, Robert Bramblett. The price for lunch is \$14.00. (Lunch is optional) Reservation are required by the Friday before each meeting. Add your name to the permanent lunch list or call Cheri Brus.
5. We meet on the 3rd Wednesday of the month. Our meeting begins at 1:00 p.m. and is usually completed by 2:00 p.m. You do not have to attend the monthly meeting, but we would love to see you there. Again, attending the meeting is optional! We will inform you of additional special events.
6. The only requirement we ask of you, is a desire to help children. Since 1923, the Women's Auxiliary has made a difference!!!

Let's work together to increase the membership of this worthy organization. Invite your family, friends, their friends and their friends!!!

Please join! This will be your first step in making a difference in a life of a child!

Best Regards,

Jo Ann Stawicki, President

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Dear Ladies and Nobles!!!

Please donate \$5.00 this year to the Women's Auxiliary and support us

In our mission to improve the life of a child.

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP Year: 2020

Women's Auxiliary, Shriners Healthcare for Children

WGA4kids

Milwaukee Tripoli Unit

3000 W. Wisconsin Avenue

Milwaukee, WI 53208

Jo Ann Stawicki President 414.861.3201

Yearly dues \$5.00

Meetings are held on the third Wednesday of each month

Additional events to be announced!

11:30 a.m. Social time

12:00 p.m. Lunch (\$14.00) reservation required

1:00 p.m. Meeting

I hereby apply for membership in the WGA (Women's General Auxiliary) & agree to its laws, rules, and regulations. Attendance is NOT REQUIRED!!!!!!

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code plus 4: _____ - _____

Phone: (H) _____

Phone: (C) _____

Email: _____

Signed: _____

Sherry Schlicht 262-628-8187 Membership Chairperson

Please call Sherry if you have any questions.

Your application and check for \$5.00 can be delivered or mailed to the Shrine office,



Milwaukee Tripoli Unit

3000 W. Wisconsin Avenue

Milwaukee, WI 53208

Attn: Sherry Schlicht

Thank you!!

Official Call of the Potentate: Nobility of Tripoli



Monthly Stated Meetings

FEBRUARY 12TH
MARCH 11TH

For the Purpose of Old and New Business Your
Attendance is Urgently Requested
Dinner: 5:30PM - Meeting: 7:00PM

WEAR YOUR FEZ!

Attest: Pete Hennig, Recorder
Yours in the Faith,
Rick Kingstad, Potentate

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FROM THE EDITOR



March's Tattler
Submission

Deadline

March 14th

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Be well. Be home. Be family.

Whether you join our community-based Wellness Connection, become a member of our team, or experience our full continuum of care, we welcome you!

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Tripoli Shrine Circus



Tripoli Shrine Center Banquet & Events

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Change Service Requested

TRIPOLI HAPPENINGS

- 1st Wed. Highlanders, Photo Corps
Freemasons 363 Lodge
- 1st Thurs. Nathan Hale Lodge
- 2nd Tues. Lafayette Lodge
- 2nd Wed. Stated Meeting (except July and Aug.)
5:30 Dinner, 7 PM Meeting
- 2nd Wed. Shriner's Hospital Committee
(between dinner and Stated Meeting
in Melham Parlor)
- 2nd Fri. Directors Staff
- 3rd Mon. Motor Corps Exec. - 6:00 PM
Motor Corps - 7:00 PM
Legion of Honor, Antique Auto
- 3rd Wed. Highlanders, Hillbillies, Clowns
- 3rd Thurs. Nathan Hale Lodge
- 4th Wed. Provost, Freemasons 363 Lodge
- 4th Fri. Craft Club, 7 PM
DeMolay Unit Meeting
- Last Wed. Ring 41 Magicians

Red Fez Schedule

Executive Meetings - 1st Monday - 6:00 PM
 (ex. July & August)

Women's Auxiliary

Third Wednesday of each month at Tripoli
 For Luncheon and Business Meeting
 (ex. July & August)

Daughters of the Nile

Second Saturday of each month at Tripoli for
 Meeting and Luncheon—10:00 a.m.
 (ex. June & December)

Whitnall Park Shrine Club

4th Tuesday at noon each month at Alioto's



FEBRUARY

- 2/1 Whitefish Bay H.S. Dance
- 2/3 Daylite Lodge
- 2/5 Freemasons 363 Lodge
- 2/6 Nathan Hale Lodge
- 2/7 Marquette Honor Ball
- 2/8 Daughters of the Nile
- 2/10 Divan/Finance Meeting
- 2/11 Lafayette Lodge
- 2/12 Stated Meeting
- 2/14 Director's Staff
- 2/15 Queens Luncheon
- 2/15 Pius High School Prom
- 2/17 Daylite Lodge
- 2/19 Hillbilly initiation
- 2/19 Women's Auxiliary
- 2/20 Nathan Hale Lodge
- 2/22 Masquerade Party
- 2/26 Freemasons 363 Lodge
- 2/28 Nathan Hale Dessert Lodge

MARCH

- 3/2 Daylite Lodge
- 3/4 Freemasons 363 Lodge
- 3/5 Nathan Hale Lodge
- 3/7 Job's Daughters Bill and Drill
- 3/7 Masonic Day of Light Racine
- 3/9 Divan/Finance Meeting
- 3/9 Red Cross Constantine
- 3/10 Lafayette Lodge
- 3/11 Stated Meeting
- 3/13 Director's Staff
- 3/14 Daughters of the Nile
- 3/16 Daylite Lodge
- 3/18 Wome's Auxiliary
- 3/18 Scimitar Board Meeting
- 3/19 Nathan Hale Lodge
- 3/20 Sportsman's Night
- 3/21 Masonic Day of Light
Eau Claire
- 3/25 Freemasons 363 Lodge
- 3/26 Combined Table Lodge
- 3/27 DeMolay Unit Meeting
- 3/29 Daughters of the Nile
Installation