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# Tripoli Shriners Tattler



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## *Sportsman's Night*



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# Potentate's Message

Rick Kingstad

Nobles, Ladies and friends,  
Well, fall is here. Summer was long and warm. Not many events happened this summer at Tripoli but the building did get needed attention. Recently we had our first official wedding of the year and there is another wedding coming up soon. Sportsman's Night was a success. These events keep the Shrine Center viable. It's good to see activity at the Shrine Center starting again.

The Imperial Sir Jim Smith, Lady Alice and the Imperial Divan came to Milwaukee for a retreat and spent a wonderful evening with us at Tripoli. This was quite an event, especially because it is not very often the whole Imperial family comes to see us. The Grand Master of Wisconsin, Ken Gorgen and his Lady were in attendance as well. It was a very good evening.

There were golf outings for Beja, El Hajj and Tripoli, which quite a few of us attended. We enjoyed the great outdoors and fellowship. Golf in my case was just that, golf! Maybe a little more practice here and there. The good news is we found the red ball! The bad news is it was the next day! Special thanks to Noble Damon.

The parade season was really short this year. We recently participated in the Muskego Dandelion Daze Parade. Many Shriners were in or attended the parade and here's hoping that the 2021 season will be back to normal.

Director's Staff just had a Fundraiser at Matty's Bar. Items were raffled, comradery was shared by all. We still do what Shriners do, HAVE FUN!

We are teaming with Florida Indian River Groves to sell fruit and other tasty items to help fund Tripoli. If you are interested, look in your email for the flyer. If you haven't received an email call Tripoli and leave your email information and we will send you the flyer.



The items for sale are Navel Oranges, Grapefruit, Hamlin Juice Oranges, Mandarin Oranges, Red Delicious Apples, Pears, Marmalade, Toffee and Pecans. The ordering is online and will be shipped directly to you. No chasing around at all and best of all, it will make a great Holiday gift or treat. All of the proceeds go to Tripoli Shrine Center.

UW Milwaukee has purchased the church next door to the Tripoli Shrine Center and is converting it into a school. During the transformation, the teachers are using Tripoli as a learning center. This is a great help to Tripoli as they are renting the space which will help supplement the "lost" events. Our "New Neighbors" will continue to be an asset to us as well as the neighborhood.

Rick Kingstad  
Tripoli Potentate 2020





# Black Camel

These we do not forget.

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.

Name	Date	City	Age	Member Since
David Beeman	02/03/20	Union Gove, WI	88	6/11/1977
Lincoln D Smith	10/01/20	Colgate, WI	94	6/10/1972
James Dottke	09/06/20	Oak Park, IL	89	5/19/1984

Well Done Good and Faithful Servant.



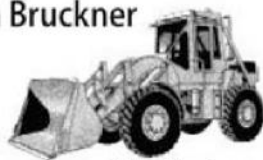
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10/02  
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10/03  
Bruce A Davie

10/04  
Warren H Kramer

10/05  
James I Cardinal

10/07  
Gary B Heiberg Sr  
John H Taylor

10/08  
John P Storrs

10/09  
Frank Kasperek  
Louis A Capriotti

10/11  
Christ Ganos  
James M Bock  
Leroy D Kifer  
Jan F Talaga

10/12  
Keith B Sargeant

10/13  
Robert K Mehle

10/15  
Bruce P Robrahn  
Brian L Beschta  
Joseph C Zielski

10/16  
Leo J Esch  
Albert R Bertling  
Dennis H Deis  
Benjamin D Olson  
Dennis Delaney

10/17  
Paul D Suchocki  
John E Tankovitch

10/19  
Milne G Harvey  
Neil J Laack  
Larry C Hinze  
Ron E Gustafson

10/21  
John P Heick

10/22  
Paul Peterson PP

10/23  
Dale R Opgenorth  
Jeremy J Koss

10/25  
Lowell E Bailey  
Richard P Shecterle

11/26  
Delmar M Berger  
Sean S Smith

10/27  
Carl D Hoy

10/28  
Kosta P Demopoulos  
John B Butler  
Chris J Mihas  
Leonard R Brandt Sr.  
Terry D Herzog

10/29  
James F Van De Hey Jr.  
John W Krinke

10/30  
Robert A Reid

10/31  
Stephen V Seliga

# Chaplain's Corner

Ron Hack

Nobles,

As I sit here trying to wrap my head around what's been happening lately, I just have to wonder what the future will look like and how we will move forward. We have a pandemic, civil unrest, horrible fires out west and now tropical storms in the south. I don't know about you but I have had enough. We are all trying to make the best of a bad situation. We keep hoping things will get back to the way they were before COVID but life has changed, just as it did after the Tylenol poisonings and 9/11. It's our new normal. We've figured out Zoom meetings and ways to have socially distanced interactions.

Things are starting to get back to some sense of normal. Our Lodges and Shrine Temple have reopened for meetings. We can attend religious services, weddings and funerals although they may still look a different. Restaurants and other venues have opened in some capacity. Some of us have gone back into the office, others are still providing essential services, and some have been transitioned to permanently working from home. We have some sports events to keep our minds occupied but it's just weird to see games being played in empty stadiums with no fans (cardboard cutouts don't count). A Lambeau leap with no fans in the stands just isn't the same. We have more opportunities to meet with the people we love and enjoy each other's company again although a bit differently.



We can't control much about the current events nor the affects of the COVID Pandemic on our lives but we can control how we act in our little corner of the world. We need to support and encourage those who have been affected by current events. We need to work together to keep our communities safe and healthy. We need to respect each other's choices. We need to respect that even as more activities open up, some of us choose to social distance ourselves and/or wear a mask, and others may choose not to.

I know we have made it this far with the help of the Almighty and we ask his continued blessings upon us. Heavenly Father, Help us to feel your presence in our lives. Help us to reach out to each other in Brotherly love. We ask that you watch over us, especially those who are in sickness and distress. Touch their hearts with the healing power of Your presence. In His name we pray, Amen.

Blessings, Ron Hack



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Orders are due on October 15th.

Pick up at Tripoli on November 7, 2020 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Proceeds go to help with expenses of Tripoli Shrine and Shelomoth Temple, allowing us to  
keep working for the children at Shriners Hospitals for Children.

# Meet Carl Hall

## The Oldest Shriners Volunteer

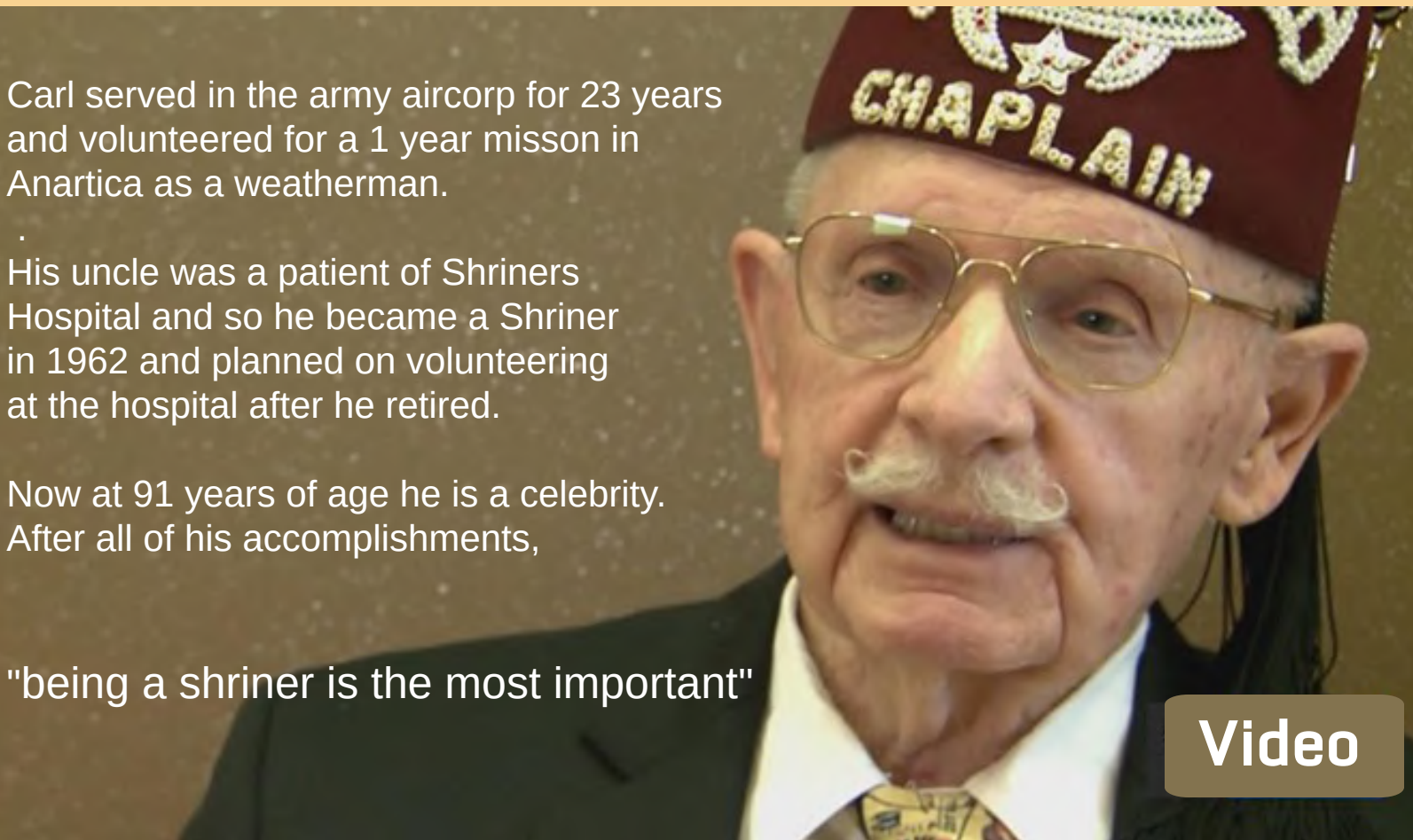
*Legend at Shriners Hospitals for Children - St. Louis.*

Carl served in the army aircorp for 23 years and volunteered for a 1 year misson in Anartica as a weatherman.

His uncle was a patient of Shriners Hospital and so he became a Shriner in 1962 and planned on volunteering at the hospital after he retired.

Now at 91 years of age he is a celebrity. After all of his accomplishments,

"being a shriner is the most important"



[Video](#)

### Postponed until further notice

Tripoli Shrine Center  
2nd Floor  
Billiard Room



### Craft Club

### Fun and Fellowship

For Shriners, Masons and Men over 21  
Refreshments and Snacks  
Watch the Game of the Night on the 80" TV, Cards, Pool, Conversation on Freemasonry and the Shrine

Bring a cash donation or a bottle of your favorite spirits



# Sportsman's Night











## *Sportsman's Night*

*Very successful even with a smaller attendance*

*We would like to list everyone individually,*

*but we had over 80 volunteers - Thank You!*

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***Saturday, October 31, 2020***

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**Place: El Haag**  
**7210 W. Greenfield Ave**  
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**West Allis, WI 53214-4742**



**Time: 1:00 pm Start**

**3:00 pm Eat**

**\$15.00 per Person**

**Kids under 12 free**

**Food: Chef Don Adams Famous Spaghetti the way you like it**

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**Raffle 50/50 Stand Up Bingo**

**Music by Clan 50 Korn Kobblers**

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# Stated Meeting Minutes

Wed, Sept 12th

Prior to the opening of Tripoli Temple, a presentation was made by Brethren of Damascus Lodge #290. They presented Ill Sir Rick Kingstad a check in the amount of \$1900 to be used to purchase new silverware for Tripoli. This is to honor Ill Sir Rick in being the first member of Damascus Lodge to serve as Potentate of Tripoli Shrine. Ill Sir Ricked thanked the Brethren for the great gift and said that they hope to have it for use at the upcoming Sportsman Night. He also added that he had Tripoli petitions if anyone was interested.

The stated meeting was opened in due form at 7:05PM by Ill. Potentate Richard Kingstad. All officers were present except Joe Brunk and Neil Laack.

Chaplain Ron Hack offered an opening prayer.

The flag of the United States of America was presented by the Legion of Honor and the Potentate led the membership in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Ill. Potentate introduced Visitors from other Temples, Past Potentates, Unit Heads, Shrine Club Presidents, and Emeritus members.

A motion was made for the adoption of the February minutes as published in the Tattler. The motion was seconded and passed by a significant majority.

The petition of Mr. Dennis Krahn was read and he was elected to membership in Tripoli. We will plan on having the Cold Sands conferred on 5 candidates at our next stated meeting.

There were requests for reinstatement of Noble Kenneth Kealy and Noble Wayne Budwick. There being no objection their reinstatements were granted.

There were no affiliations or demits.

Treasurer's report was given by Treasurer John Bugajski. He noted that our Imperial Hospital Assessment and Per Capita Tax has been paid. We will be receiving a partial refund from Imperial due to the cancellation of the 2020 Imperial Session. This is to help offset the Temple shutdowns due to the

COVID-19 pandemic. Motion made, seconded, and passed to accept the report.

Black Camel: HP and P Dale Graeven read the roll of the workmen summoned by the Black Camel since our last meeting. The following Nobles answered not: Clarence Fruik, Jr, Eugene Johnson, William C Kirchner, Lawrence Presnell, Peter W Stathas, William J VanZile, Vincent L Shuler, Khristian Kay, Frederick L Jorgenson, William E Nelsen, and Thomas J Cole.

The Chaplain offered a prayer for our departed Brothers and included the Lighting of 3 candles and a prayer to honor and remember the tragedy of September 11 (9/11) 19 years ago.

Chaplain Ron Hack reported on sickness and distress. Past Chaplain John Bennethum helps with the sickness and distress list. The complete listing will be available by the next meeting. Any additions or updates please contact John or Ron.

PP Doug Winter reported on the Finance Committee. Due to the COVID-19 shutdowns we lost all our outside events. The majority have rescheduled. Our first wedding is schedule for 9/11. We also have revenue from 4 lodges, the DeMolay office, the Learning Center, and Verizon. The Verizon building has been completed. They also replaced the fencing along 29th street and we lost only 5 parking spaces. Revenue from Verizon will be about \$21,000 per year.

He also informed us the Our Savior Lutheran Church has been sold to UWM and will be used in conjunction with MPS as a 5th year high school. They have been renting space in our building for initial sessions.

The fish fries have been a great success. The income has covered all expenses and enabled us to meet our payroll during the shutdown. They will be discontinued for now due to startup of other activities.

Scimitar Report: – OG Gerry Arnold reported reminded everyone of Sportsman's Night on September 25. We need everyone's help for this event including buying and selling tables and tickets as well as volunteers. See Dave Bevsek if interested in volunteering.

# Stated Meeting Minutes

continued

This is an especially important event to the continued improvements of our beautiful building. Social distancing and COVID-19 requirements will be followed.

During the shutdown, the building has seen work on the small outside domes, internal plaster repair, AC repairs, Crowe's Nest updating, floor cleaning throughout the building, and window cleaning.

He also announced that the Daughters of the Nile are planning on selling Chicken Pot Pies, made by Tripoli's Chef, for \$20. This will be to benefit Tripoli.

Outer Guard Pat Jackson reported of Fund Raising.

1) Two Wheeled Thursdays was successful and brought in about \$3600.

2) The 1st Annual Big Daddy Ray Ugowski Memorial Car & Bike Show. This show honored a Noble of Tripoli and put together by his widow. It was huge success and brought in about \$4300. Thanks to all the volunteers and we hope to do it again next year.

3) Rummage Sale. Due to the work being done at Tripoli during the shutdown it could not be done at the Temple. Diane Zarse step forward and headed the Rummage Sale at her house. Thanks Diane. It brought in over \$600.

4) Tripoli Shrine Car Show was held at the Bevsek-Verbick Funeral Home in Muskego. It again was successful and brought in about \$5000. Thanks to Dave and the volunteers.

5) Tripoli Golf Outing has just concluded. It was successful and final numbers should be in by the next meeting.

PM Tom Schlicht presented information on a Florida Fruit Sale. All orders are made online, product is delivered direct to the customer's home, Tripoli makes a profit on each sales. Tentatively scheduled for the week before Thanksgiving. More information to follow.

Captain of the Guard Damon Albers presented a check to Tripoli Temple in the amount of \$9500 on behalf of the Zarse and Albers family.

This matches a check for the same amount presented earlier this year.

Potentate Rick Kingstad introduced the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in Wisconsin Kenneth C. Gorgen. Noble Ken remarked how COVID-19 has made for a most unusual year and it's great to see us getting back to work. He also thanked the membership for his "Grand Master" fez. He is looking forward to all Masonic bodies moving forward with a great year.

For the Good of the Order:

Nobel Frank Foti came forward with the split the pot raffle. There was \$410 in the pot so the winner will receive \$205. The winner was Noble Marv Laack.

There being no further business, the Temple was closed in due form at 8:13PM

Respectfully submitted,  
Peter Hennig, PP - Recorder



**Grand Master Ken Gorgen &  
Potentate Rick Kingstad**

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# Shriners Hospital for Children Outfits 8-year-old Patient WITH **1ST 3D PRINTED BIONIC ARM**

SPRINGFIELD, MASS. (WHDH) - Shriners Hospital recently outfitted an 8-year-old Lynnfield boy with its first custom-built, 3D printed bionic arm that was made to look like Marvel superhero Iron Man.

The Hero Arm device was customized for Sam, a bilateral amputee, in collaboration with a company in the United Kingdom to ensure he can live his life to the fullest, according to Shriners.

Engineers specifically designed the Hero Arm as a myoelectric prosthesis for below elbow amputees. When a user intentionally flexes specific muscles in their residual limb, EMG electrodes within the Hero Arm detect tiny electrical signals, allowing them to activate different grips with precise control.

Sam, who first came to Shriners in Boston in 2018 following amputations resulting from a bacterial infection, is now receiving prosthetic care from the health system's location in Springfield.

The Hero Arm will enable him to engage more fully in all the sports and activities he loves including baseball, basketball, and playing with his friends and younger siblings. It will also make dressing, eating, cooking and other self-care tasks easier.

**“It is an amazing gift that our family is incredibly grateful for,”**



“We selected Sam to be the first patient to receive the Hero Arm because we knew it would help him do all the things he currently enjoys while providing an opportunity to develop fine motor skills and greater independence,” said Brock McConkey, Manager of Orthotics and Prosthetics at Shriners Hospitals for Children – Springfield. “It’s also lightweight and durable, which is perfect for a boy as young and active as Sam.” Sam’s mother, Michelle, said the arm has “significantly” improved her son’s quality of life.

# UNITS

## Director's Staff

Director's Staff meeting was opened at 6:48 by Mark Norville followed by the pledge of allegiance. There were 14 members present who enjoyed some great pizza & garlic bread. Our treasures report was given and accepted. We will be donating \$5,410.00 to Tripoli at the October's stated meeting. This is the fruit of our labor through the summer. We need to thank all of the nobility that helped. There wasn't any Old Business and the New Business followed. 1. We made 3 donations to the hospital for the following , Fritz Jorgenson , Kelly Beyer, & Linda Schoner.

2. Tripoli will be having a fruit sale and we all need to participate and promote it.

3. The Festival of Trees will be happening , we need ideas. We are counting on Doug Brown. 4. Marty's meat raffle and 50/50 has happened and we needed you there. Thank You .

5. We have our Ceremonial on Dec. 5th & 6th , mark your calendar. A special Thank You to Mark, G-3, & Tom PP for cleaning the refrigerator and quarters prior to our meeting and Keith PP for bringing dinner.

The meeting was closed at 8:10.

See you at the next meeting.

Fraternally Tom Schlicht PP

## Legion of Honor

We finally had a meeting on September 21st. That was our first one since February. Looking ahead, we have hopes on having a Christmas Party but we will have to wait and see what restrictions will be in place for gatherings in December or January. We plan on cleaning up our meeting room before our October meeting. Reporting time is 5pm. I also plan on mailing out dues notices the beginning of October. The Legion of Honor is a unit comprised of Veterans. We meet on the third Monday of the month. If you are not a member but are interested, please bring a copy of your DD-214 to our meeting.

Bob Lijewski - Adjutant

## Hillbillies

We'll all wood like yew-all to know about a Social Function we's agoin to throw on Saturday, October 31. Its da" Hillbilly Clan 50 Spookgetti Git-together". It's a family function an yew-all are invited. It'll be kickin-off at 1:00 pm. There'll be food, drinks, raffles, sum games an' music by the Clan 50 Korn Kobblers. Price is \$15.00 fur an afternoon uv fun. Course da raffles is going to cost yew-all a few bucks if'n yew-all wishes ta participate. Its'a gonna be held at El Haaj, 7210 W. Greenfield Ave; park in rear of building; go in the rear door wit da sign on it. We gonna need reseervations fer dis shindig so contact Raban Joe Scites, 414-281-1905; josephscites@yahoo.com or our KOQ Gary Parker, 414-421-0314 or gjparker@wi.rr.com. If'n yew-all do this reserving stuff by October 24th it sure wood be appreciated. Don't fergit, yew all are invited. Money we make goes to the children's Hospital or the Transportation Fund so it's a good cause. Nuttin's too good fur da kids.

We had a pretty good group uf Hillbillies at our September Meatin' an they all helped wit da plans n' stuff that we all plan on fur finishin' up dis year. Fur sure our next meatin' is a-gonna be November 21st an a doozie it will be. We's a planning an Open Door – Walk in Initiation. Yew show up with the \$40.00 (dats all its ever going to cost you) an we'll have da applications and udder necessary stuff waitin fur you. Come on down, sign up n' git initiated into the Clan 50 Hillbillies. There will be more info on this.

Raban Joe give a purdy good run-down on all da peerades wid da staff car in 2020. Due to the virus thing, we only had 3 parades but dats better'n nuttin. So da world's still good.

Member dis: We'uns already hearin' bout football n' super bowl stuff. Raban Joe says yew-all should know dat back in da hills. if'n ya-all has piped in water, a super bowl's a toilet what cleans itself. Sure do beat a two-holer in a liddle ole wooden shed. Dats all.

HONOR THE COB - Cuz Gary

Brought to you by the Tripoli Sportsman's Unit  
Tripoli Shrine Fundraiser

**Nov 17th**

Sportsman's Raffle Night at  
**AJs Bar and Grill in Muskego**



**Only 100 tickets will be sold**

**Dinner included, cash bar**

**\$100**

**Everyone gets a door prize**

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Dress would be your choice of Packer, Pirate  
or Halloween costume. Open to all members, families, and  
friends. Admission includes wings, cheese curds, potatoes  
and open bar through the game!



# FEZTIVAL OF TREES



After careful consideration,  
we have decided to postpone  
Feztival of Trees due to COVID reasons.

We thank you for your interest and  
look forward to a future event.





What makes a couple with four young biological children decide to adopt two teenage boys with overwhelming disabilities from a Ukrainian orphanage? Jackie of Salt Lake City, Utah, would tell you she didn't decide. She and her husband, David, felt called to take these boys in. That calling, rooted in a strong Christian faith, was the catalyst for their decision to pursue the boys with all of their hearts.

Neglected in their care, Jonah 17, who has spina bifida and Miles 16, who was the size of a baby lived at the same orphanage. The adoption went through just in time when both were close to death. complications of life-threatening pressure, osteomyelitis (an infection in the bone) and septic, their lives were changes when the family arrived home. Mobility was the last thing on the adoptive parents' minds as they addressed Miles' nutrition and Jonah's emergent wound care.

When the boys' doctors advised the family to wait on mobility and seating Jackie and David trusted their instincts and pressed for more and they found it at Shriners Hospitals for Children, Salt Lake City. Everything changed with the help of the surgeons, seating specialists and physical therapists. "Both of my boys are incredibly medically complex, but Shriners Hospitals doesn't even bat an eye," said Jackie. "Everyone at the hospital has been so accommodating, and no mobility challenge presented to them has been outside their scope.

A safe, custom wheelchair for Jonah is what prevents pressure sores that could kill him. For Miles, encouraging his mobility is ultimately what opened up his world cognitively." A whole new world for Miles The staff of the hospital's wheelchair and seating and therapy services departments wanted to give Miles a way to be mobile as

soon as possible because of the link between mobility and cognition. Once his therapist placed him upon a crawler – a small board with wheels (like a square skateboard) – he experienced self-propelling for the first time His face lit up with joy as he began scooting himself around, and Jackie began imagining all the possibilities for his quality of life. They also swapped the baby stroller for a custom wheelchair. The mobility interventions made a marked difference in Miles' cognition.

Matt Lowell, MPT, said treating the boys has been amazing to watch. "We have really enjoyed working with the family and seeing the boys develop, not only their mobility, but their social and physical health as well," he said. "Miles had gained so much weight that from the time his chair was ordered to the time it was delivered, we actually had to send it back and go to the next size. The family is so caring, and they're such great advocates for the boys."

Living a full life, it's been a year and a half since the boys were adopted, and they're thriving. Miles has grown more than 12 inches and tripled in weight. He's even begun talking, saying "gaga" and "baba." Jonah's had critical wound care and is sitting up taller, thanks to spinal fusion and endless mobility interventions. The parents and their specialists at the Salt Lake City Shriners Hospital are dreaming big for the boys. Jonah is on the hospital's wait list for an adaptive bike, and they're looking into self-propel wheelchair options for Miles. The boys have put down strong roots in their new, loving home but now their definition of home is expansive in a way it's never been. They're at home at Shriners Hospitals for Children. More than a hospital, it's a place where the staff and Shriners International

fraternity members commonly refer to patients as "our kids."

Parentless for 16 years, Jonah and Miles now have countless individuals in their lives eager to love them as their own, dedicated to helping them reclaim all of those lost years.



# Tripoli Shriners Golf Outing Western Lakes Golf Club



# DAUGHTERS OF THE NILE



Shelomoth Temple No. 106

**Working together to befit Shriners Hospitals for Children**

I hope this letter finds everyone doing well and staying safe. School is back in session and things are starting to feel more like our regular routine. I often think of our Shrine kids and how hard this pandemic has been on all of them. I know my little ones are glad to be back around their friends (even if they are 6 feet apart) and I can see the difference in their moods. I hope you have been able to get out as well and start to share time together.

That all being said we are ready as a temple to meet in person again with a few changes of course. Our first session back will be Saturday October 10 at 10:00am.

We are asking that masks be worn and I will have direction from Supreme how to alter some

of our work so that we may maintain social distancing. Please join us if you are comfortable.

We will be able to continue using Zoom to share the business portion of the session Watch your email for instructions on how and when to join!

We do have a few fundraisers going on right now  
Pot pies to benefit our temple funds  
Princess Badoura has a project to benefit our endowment fund

Also - mark your calendars for the February session on 2/13 2021 - our annual Queens Luncheon will follow that session - ALL are invited to attend. More details to come!

Stay safe and continue to Smile for Nile,  
Queen Jenna Gapinski

**Calling all Animals**  
The Animal unit will have a fall meeting  
via zoom October 12th at 7pm



***Open the Possibilities!***

Place an ad for your business  
and help us produce this Tattler.  
Contact Tripoli Shrine Center office  
@ 414-933-4700 to place an ad.

# Business Networking Lunch 1st Wednesday of every Month

Tripoli Shrine will be hosting a  
monthly business networking lunch.

First event:  
November 4, 2020  
Doors open at 11:45  
Lunch served at noon  
Wrap up by 1

Cost is only \$15 pp

Be a monthly sponsor and talk to the group for 15  
minutes, only \$100

For safety we ask that you arrive with a mask, tables will  
be set for 6 to accommodate social distancing standards.

Bring a friend or co-worker and meet more people.

FROM THE EDITOR



Next Tattler's  
Submission

**DEADLINE**

**Sept 20th**

All submissions for the Tripoli Tattler are to  
be sent to [tattler@tripolishrinecenter.com](mailto:tattler@tripolishrinecenter.com)  
on or before the 20th of the month,  
**WITH NO EXCEPTIONS!**

The publication of the Tattler will no longer  
be delayed waiting for articles, flyers or  
pictures by order of the Potentate.

Please be considerate of dated material  
that needs to be published on time.

Since everybody has started  
washing their hands, the  
peanuts at the bar have lost  
their taste.



I don't know why my fishing  
buddy is worried about  
Coronavirus, he never  
catches anything.



Q: Is Google male or female?  
A: Female, because it doesn't  
let you finish a sentence  
before making a suggestion.



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# October - 2020



Tripoli Shriners

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			30	1 Nathan Hale Lodge	2	3
4	5 Daylite Lodge Red Fez	6	7 Freemasons 363 Highlanders Photo Corps	8	9 Directors Staff	10 Daughters of the Nile
11	12	13 Lafayette Lodge	14 Stated Meeting	15 Nathan Hale Lodge	16	17
18	19 Antique Autos Daylite Lodge Legion of Honors Motor Corps	20	21 Clowns Highlanders Hillbillies Womens Aux	22	23 Craft Club DeMolay Unit	24
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## Official Call of the Potentate:

### Nobility of Tripoli



### Monthly Stated Meetings

October 14th

November 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

## STATED MEETING

October 14th

### Menu

# Chef's Choice



Social Hour at 5:00

Dinner at 6:00

Meeting at 7:00

Divan attire is a sportscoat,  
tie, and gray slacks

**\$15**

 **RSVP Now**

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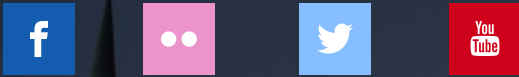
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# TRIPOLI HAPPENINGS

- 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

