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Potentate's Message

Matt Wright



Nobles and Ladies,

As you read this, or soon after you read this, Tripoli will welcome new Nobles into this remarkable fraternity and celebrate the achievements of Jim Gename and the entire Kenosha Shrine Club during the Ceremonial and Potentate's Ball on December 3rd. Three years have passed since the last Ceremonial, and the entire day would not have been possible without the contributions and hard work from Pat Jackson, Curt Campagna, Gerry Arnholt, the Ritualistic Divan, the Directors Staff, and the Next Gen Unit. Thanks to all who contributed and made it a fantastic day!

Every year, the December Stated meeting involves two things: Officer Elections and Ugly Christmas sweaters. Come out to the stated meeting on December 14th, wearing your ugliest Christmas sweater, and you could possibly win some prizes. The sweater that is voted the ugliest by all in attendance will win a \$100 Visa gift card, the 2nd runner-up wins a \$75 gift card, and 3rd place wins a \$50 gift card. To be considered in the voting process you must make a dinner reservation for the December 14th Stated meeting, either through the Tripoli website or by calling the office BEFORE DECEMBER 12TH. When you arrive for the meeting on December 14th, stop by the check-in table to receive your meal ticket; along with your meal ticket, you'll receive a sticker with a number on it. Peel the backing off the sticker and place it on your sweater. If someone thinks your sweater is an ugly sweater, they'll write your number on a sheet of paper and cast their vote at voting stations placed by the coat check room, and the bar. If you made reservation on or after December 12th, you will NOT receive a numbered sticker.

As Christmas draws closer, along with the end of the year, I'm reminded that time has flown by quickly. This is my last Tattler article as Potentate; the January edition of the Tattler being reserved for the new Potentate elect. It has been a wonderful year, filled with memories I'll cherish for a lifetime. Throughout the year I've tried to thank people who have contributed their time and efforts to Tripoli either personally, in printed words, or at the stated meetings; however, if anyone feels I have missed them, it truly was not intentional. As Potentate, I could not have made it through the year without Illustrious Sir Pete Hennig. He has been a phenomenal mentor to me and has always been there when I needed him with a helping hand, or words of wisdom. I thank Pete and his lovely wife Carol with all my heart. I also could not have made it through the year without the support of the hardest-working Nobles in all of Shrinedom – the Tripoli Divan. Their dedication is matched only by their drive and intelligence, and the future of our organization looks extremely bright! I want to thank Ceil Klein for making the Tattler the outstanding publication it is, and capturing much of this year in pictures so that our old memories won't soon forget. I thank my family for all their support, and I thank my counterparts throughout Wisconsin, like Beja Potentate John Van Lanen, and Zor Potentate Rodney LaBlanc. Most of all, I want to thank all the Nobles of Tripoli! During every visit, every meeting, and every event, most of you have welcomed me with a big smile and a heartfelt handshake. You've made me unbelievably proud to be Potentate this year, and even prouder to be a Noble, and your Brother. THANK YOU. Good luck to the 2023 Potentate and Divan Officers! Please support them by attending the Installation of Officers on January 14th, 2023, at 3:00pm. I'm confident they will all do a fantastic job and make Tripoli extremely proud.

Matthew Wright

Tripoli Potentate - 2022



As of November 9th, 2022, Shriners Children's – Twin Cities (SC-TC) has finally been authorized to take community direct referrals in the Shriners Hospitals for Children healthcare system. This is a significant milestone for the Twin Cities as progress continues to be made to shape the future of care delivery for Shriners Children's as an organization.

What is a therapy community referral?

In the past, patients needed a rehab order from a Shriners doctor to be seen in rehab. Now, patients can be seen by a Shriners Occupational Therapist (OT) and/or Physical Therapist (PT) with an order from any referring provider within the community.

What is the process?

All referring providers need to be added to the Shriners system, and then given approval prior to their referral being accepted/scheduled. Examples of providers who have already been registered and approved are Central Priority Pediatrics, Minnesota Community Cares, and all prior contracted Shriners Hospitals for Children providers. Even if a provider is yet to be registered, they can still make a referral, which will get them authenticated in the SHC system.

What happens if an outside referral is received?

Melissa Forrest, the Ancillary Services Manager will review and ensure the outside referral is an appropriate referral for a SC-TC OT/PT and gather more information if necessary. The outside referral will then be given to the registration and scheduling team to complete the scheduling process. This a general example of the process; however, there are several other workflows regarding authorization.

Will community referrals take priority over in-house referrals?

As the referrals come in, they will be scheduled as they are received. There will still be therapists available to see clinic patients the same day as needed.

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At Oktoberfest the
United States flag
was presented by the
Legions of Honor
and after
The Toast to the Flag
was read by the
Purveyor
Noble Jim Goodman Jr.

Here you stand with colors bright I think tis only right
That since you neither brag or boast I bring to you this heartfelt toast

Here's to the red of it-There's not a thread of it, No, nor a shred of it,
In all the spread of it,
From foot to head.
But heroes bled for it, Faced steel and lead for it,
Precious blood shed for it,
Bathing it Red!

Here's to the white of it-Thrilled by the sight of it, Who knows the right of it,
But feels the might of it Through day and night?
Womanhood's care for it Made manhood dare for it,
Purity's prayer for it
Keeps it so white!

Here's to the blue of it-Beauteous view of it, Heavenly hue of it, Star-spangled dew of it. Constant and true; Diadems gleam for it, States stand supreme for it, Liberty's beam for it Brightens the blue!

Here's to the whole of itStars, stripes and pole of it,
Body and soul of it,
O, and the roll of it,
Sun shining through;
Hearts in accord for it, Swear by the sword for it,
Thanking the Lord for it, The Red White and Blue!

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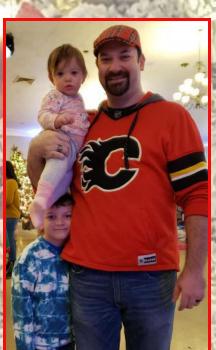
FEZTIVAL OF TREES A PATRIOTIC CHRISTMAS







The Soriano Family was in charge of the Feztival of Trees
Alan ~ Abby ~ Albert ~ Carrie
(They filled in last year with the Capens out with covid)















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FEZTIVAL OF TREES A PATRIOTIC CHRISTMAS Volunteers



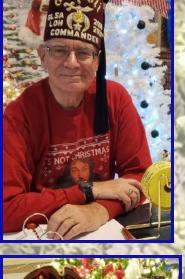






















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Carrie Soriano



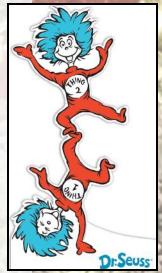


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Ceremonial Program

8:30 Coffee & Donuts

9:00 Registration of Candidates

10:00 Presentation of the First Section
Ladies Orientation with Sondra Graeven

11:00 New Noble Orientation

12:00 Lunch

1:00 Knickerbocker Degree

1:30 Introduction of the Units

2:15 Arch Ceremony

3:00 Fezzing Ceremony

Potentate Ball

4:00 Cocktail Hour

5:00 Introduction of Potentate, Divan & New Nobles

5:30 Dinner

6:30 Introduction of the Ceremonial Honoree

7:15 Music by Buddy Love

Dinner Choices:
Beef Bourguignon,
Salmon or
Stuffed Winter Squash
\$25 ~ rsvp by Nov 27

Scan me







Jan and Bob Capen were presented with a wreath for being the Committee heads of the last 5 years of the Feztival of Trees.

The wreath was made by Melinda Winter and includes decorations from themes of the last 5 Feztival of Trees.

Thank you for doing such a fantastic job.



The Feztival of Trees Big Raffle Total Take Home Amount



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Recently, my Lady Sondra and I were honored to represent Tripoli Shriners at the Wisconsin Grand Court Order of Amaranth banquet in the Wisconsin Dells honoring the outgoing leadership of Lila Kimbel and Dale Holman. There were quite a few Appendant Masonic Body representatives in attendance, and I was happy to share the greetings of the Nobles of Tripoli.

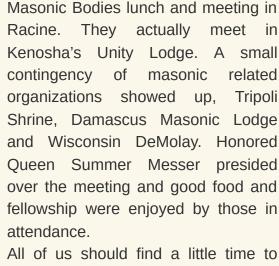
There were raffles and baskets galore which raised a lot of money for their philanthropy which is Diabetic Research.

The banquet had a "train" theme to it, note the pictures.

I also represented Tripoli and the Shriners at the Bethel 22 Honor







All of us should find a little time to show up (that's all the DeMolay and Job's Daughters are asking) to support our Masonic Youth Groups.

That's it from the Rambling Rabban for now.

See you at the meetings.

Dale Graeven, Chief Rabban



Nadaluti Nices

2023 Theme - Grinch Christmas

Help Wanted - Attention Crafters, Decorators and Helping Hands needed.

After years of decorating the Feztival of Trees, it is time to pass the torch. Alex Alba has graciously agreed to help but needs a committee to put together a Grinch Christmas for 2023. Please call me if you are willing to participate and help plan for next year.

Thank You,

Melinda Winter Home 414-334-1676 Cell 414-364-4723

Chief Rabbans from the two other Shrine Centers came to visit Dale Graeven







TRIPOLI SHRINERS

3000 W WISCONSIN AVE MILWAUKEE WI 53208



INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

3 PM INSTALLATION 4 PM APPETIZERS 6 PM DINNER \$40

MENU

SALAD:

Blueberry Goat Cheese Salad

Field Greens, Blueberries, Red Onion. Cucumbers, Goat Cheese Crouton, Pistachios and finished with a Balsamic Vinaigrete

ENTREE:

Prime Rib with Au Jus

Roasted Baby Heirloom Potatoes with Parmesan Cheese Brown Sugar and Brown Butter Roasted Carrots

DESSERT:

Chocolate Cake Dolce Sauce and Cherry Compote

RSVP BY: JANUARY 4TH

Divan Photos will be taken at this event. Please bring your Fez and Potentate tie.



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PROCEEDS SHARED BY DAUGHTERS OF THE NILE AND TRIPOLI AUXILIARY

SATURDAY DECEMBER 10, 2022

7ripoli Shrine Center
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MEAL: SALAD & ROLLS
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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 heart. They are not forgotten.

Name	Date	City	Age	Member Since
John R Marotta	10/21/2022	Waukesha, WI	78	12/06/1997
Bernard "Bernie" Klein	10/21/2022	Boynton Beach, FL	101	04/30/1949

Well Done Good and Faithful Servant

December



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12/01	12/10	12/18	12/24
Fred E Roycraft	Lowell H Scott	James R Schweitzer	Donald A Haas
Wayne E Schwartz		Jeffrey L Delaney	Neal W Jochims
Joseph M Scites	12/11		Robert D Hall
William G Hahnfeldt	Donald J Hansen	12/19	Richard J Young
Jonathan Ziegler		Walter F Neumann	Steven D Bruckner
	12/12	James J Burton	Gary T Sorensen
12/02	Glen B Jones	Richard A Pfeiffer	
David L Spatcher			12/25
Richard J Torstenson Jr	12/13	12/20	Bruce T Haubrich
Charles Alby	Jerry A Halbrooks	Richard B Anderson	Michael D Consiglio
	Kennedy P McGuigan	Richard C Shultis	_
12/03	_	Brian M Swartwout	12/26
John J Slazas	12/14		Robert S Drenk
James M Doherty	Steven J Winters	12/21	
		Jay L Johnson	12/27
12/05	12/15	John D Zitzner	Martin A Seitz
Kenneth J Savadil	Fred A Gebauer	Thomas J Freuck	
John G Gamache	Mark Halliburton	Dennis P Webster	12/28
	Nicholas J DeStefanis	Geert Henk Touw	Edward L Gorsuch
12/06		Michael T Tiernan	Mark S Patzke
Ronald E Van Veghel	12/16		
Joseph Brunk P.P.	Werner Rueckemann	12/22	12/29
	Gary R Jablonski	Robert C Lory	Ronald R Buettner
12/08	•	Donald E Kuehn	Jan Talaga
Jerry Slater	12/17		Chris A Luttrell
•	Malcolm Creighton	12/23	
12/09	William S Daniel	James H Gename	12/31
Richard M Wood	Richard C Gutowski	Lee R Hollenbeck	Gerald R Slagoski Jr
	Bryce Ripp	David M Bugajski	Peter J Kyriazes
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Hilbillies

Raban Joe says dat 2022 was a purdy good year fer as it goes fer da Staff Car. Its so purdy dat it was da usual hit at all the parades, so it made some bucks fer da Clan. Da bucks goes to da transportation fund er hospitals, one tather or both sometimes both. Same with da earnings Clan 50 gits at the social functions.

Yew all are now getting enough notice of clan 50 meetings so it would be nice to git more Clan Hillbillys at our meetings n' other functions. Da meatins' fer 2023 are on the third Wednesday uf da month, like Jan 18, Mar 15, May 17, nuttin fer da summer, Sept 20, n' Nov 15.

There's gonna be a Christmas git'ta'gether on Saturday, Jan. 28th. It'll be at El Hajj, 7204 W. Greenfield Ave. Park in the rear parking lot of the building. Kick-off time is 2:00 pm, chow down sumtime after dat n' follow wid some games n' raffles n' stuff. There may be some music by the Clan 50 Korn Kobblers. Price is \$10.00 each. Dis price includes da pleasure of each udders company, sum chicken, taters, beans, n' udder stuff. We'uns ain't had a social fur awhile so we's a gonna throw in sum soda n' beer too. We may even have an installation of new ossifers too, if'n we git any new ones, which we ain't had much luck at.

We's a gonna need reservations fur dis shindig by Jan 23rd. Don't gotta send no money, yew-all can pay at da door. Call Don Adams, 414-378-9131 ur Gary Parker, 414-421-0314 n' tell us how many are coming.

If'n yew ain't a Hillbilly yet come n' join us. 40 bucks covers gittin in an' gittin in fer life. Dats all. We'll have petitions.

We'll be tellin' you bout the future things a' happening in 2023 in da Tattler so read your Tattler n' yew-all will be a'knowin what's a'goin on. So yer ossifers wish yew-all have sum Happy n' safe Holidays too.

Member dis specially if'n yer kind uv an old gomer like me n' though If'n I felt any better I'd be scary I don't think I should be eatin' too many health foods cuz at my age I need all the preservatives I can git.

Dat's all Honor the Cob: Cuz Gary

Onions

Due to the Circus falling on our usual selling weekend, our onions sales will be moved up one week.

Delivery will be April 27th, 2023, and onion sales will start, Friday the 28th through that weekend.

Now's the time to check on your locations.

Thank You, Tom & Mark

Jolly Badger Pirates

Yo Ho Yo Ho A Pirates Life For Me

Calling all crew, are rolls of the Jolly Badgers is growing by the week. If you want more info on getting your Pirate on, come on out to one of our meetings (every third Thursday at 6:30 pm in our Crew Quarters at Tripoli).

Our elections are in December, and our cut-off to be part of the "Plank Crew" will be on St. Patrick's Day. The Plank Crew is traditionally the first crew of a ship. We will honor all those historic members by having them sign a plank which will be hung in the Crew Quarters. So, remember to join this crew before St. Patrick's Day!

We plan on helping with the Tripoli Feztival of Trees, the Shrine Ceremonial and work with the Clown Unit in a parade or two. We are also excited to start setting our own parades for next year with our ship almost ready to go. Fate has brought us together again. Well, actually,

buried treasure and pirates brought us together.

Kermit the Frog (Admiral Curt Angelo Campagna) curt.campagna@gmail.com



Mini Model T

When you give to Shriners Children's Twin City on November 17th, you show how much you care.

Give the Max Day and gifts will be matched, double your impact.

The Mini Model T Unit of Chippewa Falls annually contributes to this event. For the year of 2022 their gift was \$10,000, money raised thru their annual parades and sponsorships.

John O'Connell

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Northwoods Shrine Club

The Northwoods Shrine Club represents Nobles and Ladies of ten different Shrine temples with members residing in four of Wisconsin's northern counties. When our members gather, our fez's display the names of different temples; but, they are all red and we wear them proudly.

The Northwoods Shrine Club meets the 3rd Thursday of each month at various restaurant locations. We proudly welcome all Shriners and Ladies, Masons, and friends of our philanthropies to join us for our meetings. Camels milk at 5:30 pm and dinner at 6:30 pm. Please call Bill Jacobs for reservations, 715-891-5574. Come join us for many laughs in the great Wisconsin Northwoods.

Topics of discussion for our upcoming meetings include:

- 1. Election of club officers for 2023
- a. We will hold election of officers for 2023 at our November meeting
- b. Our club officers for 2023 will be installed at our December 15th meeting
- 2. Northwoods Joint Ceremonial potential
- 3. New or additional locations for our 2023 meeting schedule
- 4. Discuss details of our Christmas party
- 5. Salad Dressing sales
- 6. New petitions

Our meeting schedule for the remainder of 2022 is as follows. Please join us!

November 10, Erin's Pub "N" Grub, Eagle River December 15, Eagle Waters, Eagle River, (NOTICE: this is a change in location from earlier schedules)

January 14, 2023, Our club Christmas party, (mens jacket & tie), Eagle Waters, Eagle River. Camels milk 5:00pm, and sit down, order off menu @ 6:00pm. Contact Bill Jacobs with reservations.

Fraternally, Ross Borchardt, President,





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Daughters of the Nile

As I am writing this, there are snow flurries! It truly is beginning to look a lot like Christmas! My favorite time of the year!

Just a reminder that "Santa Letters" can be sent to your list of young and "old" kids this year. The deadline to get your list to Pr. Lisa Schulze is December 10. Cost is \$5.00 per letter. Checks are to be made payable to Shelomoth Temple No. 106 (with "Santa Letters" on the memo line). Send your check along with the following information: recipient's name, age, address, gender, this year's good deeds/accomplishments and any fun information you would like Santa to include to: Pr. Lisa Schulze, 1014 7th Ave., Grafton, WI 53024. If you have any questions, please contact Lisa at

Lisa-smiley@yahoo.com or text 262-707-5137.

Thank you to all who were able to attend our first joint Christmas party with Tripoli Auxiliary. My hope is that it becomes an annual event!

I hope those of you who ordered wreaths and poinsettias are enjoying them this holiday season. Thank you to all who participated in this fundraiser for our Temple.

Mark your calendars to share with us at the Queen's Luncheon at Tripoli Shrine Center on Saturday, February 18, 2023! More information will be coming soon!

Looking forward to a Ceremonial after the first of the year!

Wishing you and your Families Happy Holidays! Take Care and Stay Safe.

God Bless

Mary Mock
Queen Daughters of the Nile
Shelomoth Temple No. 106



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Tripoli Auxiliary

Happy Holidays to Everyone. I hope that everyone who attended the joint Daughters of the Nile and Tripoli Auxiliary Holiday Luncheon on December 10th had a nice time. The food was delicious, the raffle items were great & the music was superb. I hope it got everyone in the Holiday Spirit.

The December meeting on December 21st will be Installation of Officers for the 2023 term. I hope everyone can attend to celebrate this Installation. The entire board from this year has agreed to serve another term. The Officers will be; Kathy Lijewski as President, Peggy Studenec as Vice President, Gloria Leeb as Treasurer, Cheri Brus as Secretary & Sunshine, Sherry Schlicht as Membership Chairperson & the Trustees will be Lorin Christie Jones as Chairperson, Sharon Drake as 2nd Trustee & Diane Zarse as 3rd Trustee.

December 21st will also pick up for Stollen & Cookies. This is the 1st year we are selling cookies. The orders for both were due in by December 2nd. However, I always order a few extra. If you come on the 21st, I'll try and fulfil your request.

Please remember that your Membership dues should be paid by the end of the year. Dues were raised to \$10 as of this renewal.

I wish everyone a healthy & safe holiday and new year.

Kathy Lijewski, President KK.Lijewski@Yahoo.com 414-422-9452



Hospital Report continued from page 4

What does this mean for the Twin Cities location?

This will allow SC-TC to increase patient volumes in rehab. This could in turn result in additional referrals to other in-house services such as medical treatments, POPS and imaging.

So that everyone understands the arduous process required to get authorization from the main office for community direct referrals, Melissa Forrest needed to put together a justification and a business plan that was then sent to the Shriners Hospitals for Children Board of Directors. Melissa also directly assisted in developing the system with the main office and helped to ready SC-TC staff operations and clinic staff. From there, the SC-TC Board of Governors, along with Imperial Sir Tim Forbis – who was the SC-TC Imperial Representative at the time, worked for several months to move the community direct referral plan through the "system" and obtain Board of Directors approval.

Currently, the registration and scheduling team are busy accepting community direct referrals requests that are fitting of the services provided at SC-TC. This is quite an achievement for OT/PT Department, and Administration is hoping POPS and Imaging referrals will be approved next.

All that said, this program will not be a success with you! Help is needed from every member of the Shrine family to promote this program and spread the word about Community Direct Referrals.

Matthew Wright - SC TC Board of Governors



SAVE the DATE for the 33rd Annual Sportsman's Night March 24th.



33rd Annual Scimitar Sportman's Night



Friday, March 24th, 2023 at Tripoli Shrine Center

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51,500. See everybody's friend and sponsor the beer. You will get 500 cups with your name or logo on them, 35 page in the booklet, banner and an announcement in the main hall.

You will be loved by everyone if you are the sponsor of the bar. You will get 500 cups with your name or logo on them, Y2 page in the booklet, banner and an announcement in the main hall.

Website: scimitarfoundation.com Gerry Arnholt, Chairman (414) 460-7548 or garnholt3@gmail.com Contact for more information.

33rd Annual Scimitar Sportsman's Hight

HENRY SUPER LIMITED EDITION RAFFLE

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325.11 Election Regulations

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- **(b) Expenditures Prohibited**. The expenditure of money for gifts, favors, or entertainment on behalf of a candidate for elected office is prohibited.
- **(c) Violation.** For any violation of (a) or (b), the Imperial Potentate may suspend any offending Noble, and he may declare the election of the officers void and order a new election.

(d) Notice At least one week prior to the annual meeting or any election, the temple Recorder shall mail to each member a notice thereof containing this section.

Please be sure to have your current dues card (2022) for the December meeting as only current, up to date members may vote. Your cards will be scanned to verify your status when you enter the temple.









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Midwest Shrine Association

MSA 2023 | Alexandria, MN

Winter Session | February 22 - 25, 2023

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From the Editor's Desk

A Feztive Holiday greetings to you.

I hope you had a nice Thanksgiving and are ready for the rest of the holidays.

Starting the New Year out right, I wanted to touch base on the procedures of deadlines. I know I have explained this to a few people and they totally understood what it took to get the information out to everyone.

- ~ First and foremost, you have to get every flyer approved by the Potentate according to the International Shriners by-laws, even if you have had something similar before.
- ~ If this flyer needs additional information added or changed it takes time to traverse the emails needed to get it right.
- ~ Every flyer gets to have extended advertising put out on our screens, inside and out. I work closely with the publisher of the Tattler and the web designer of the Tripoli website to make sure there are all streams of information available to Shriners and the public.
- ~ QR codes get added for ease of getting payments and more information such as dates and times. It takes you directly to the page associated with that event on our website.
- ~ There has to be a short description included with the event information to go out in the email that all Shriners receive with the current Tattler Magazine.

This all takes time to get it ready to be in the Tattler. Space is limited so this is another reason that it needs to be sent in before the first of the month.



With all that said, there is an even more important reason for getting flyers to me earlier. I will not be putting flyers in the Magazine that are just happing in the next month. These flyers should be out three months earlier for the information to reach Shriners in a timely matter. This gives them time to consider it and do a "save the date" for future planning. You can't expect good attendance if it is only in the Tattler for 10 days before an event. This is becoming a recurring problem with most flyers.

If you have an event that is coming up, you can make a flyer with limited information with a note that says that more information will come in the next Tattler issue. Just have the where, when, date, time, place and just a bit of information to get them hooked.

Low attendance is a problem with the budget and future events. Shriners have said that we had low attendance, so why do it again. Make it better!

Ceil Klein - Editor of the Tattler tattlereditor@tripolishrinecenter.com 262-581-3500

How Many Words Can You Make out of the Word HOLIDAYS

Categories

8 letter words 1

7 letter words 6

6 letter words 7

5 letter words 36

4 letter words 67

3 letter words 43

2 letter words 23

FUN GAME you can play around the Holidays for all Ages

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The prize is not told till you have the winner, dishes, cleaning the turkey, cleaning up all the wrapping paper or whatever you think fits.

Have fun! Page 27

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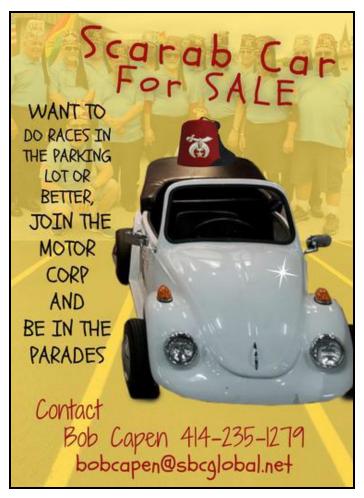
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Monthly Stated Meetings

December 14th, 2022

January 11th, 2023

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WEAR YOUR FEZ!

Attest: Pete Hennig, Recorder Yours in the Faith, Matt Wright, Potentate

STATED MEETING

MENU

Green Goddess Salad
Caesar Salad
Turkey Divan
BBQ Pull Pork
Roasted Garlic Mashed Potatoes
Roasted Corn and Feta
Dinner Rolls
Assorted Christmas Desserts

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5:30 Dinner, 7 PM Meeting

2nd Wed. Shriner's Hospital Committee

(between dinner and Stated Meeting

in Melham Parlor)

2nd Fri. Directors Staff, DeMolay Priory, DeMolay unit,

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