

January 2023

Tripoli Shriners Tattler



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33rd Annual Scimitar Sportman's Night

Friday, March 24th, 2023
at Tripoli Shrine Center
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YEAR IN REVIEW

JOIN US FOR THE
TRIPOLI SHRINE
Potentate's Ball
DECEMBER 3 2022

Join us for our celebration of the newest Nobles of Tripoli, and the Class Honorees
Jim Gename and
The Kenosha Shrine Club

Music by
Buddy Love

TRIPOLI SHRINE CENTER
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RSVP: tripolishrine.com by Nov 27th

Models Still Needed

All Proceeds go to Tripoli Shrine

Tripoli Shrine Car Truck Bike Show

Fun for the Whole Family
Stick Rick
SATURDAY
JULY 16TH - 10AM - 3PM

People's Choice Award
Mayor's Choice Award

Meat RAFFLE
Hunter's RAFFLE

Best Classic Car
Best Truck
Best Motorcycle
Best Race Car

BEER-FOOD-WINE

Location: W995 56610 Racine Ave
Bevsek-Verbeck Funeral Home
Racine and Hwy 43
Rain Date: October 1st
All Proceeds go to Tripoli Shrine Center

Tripoli Baseball Game

Thursday
June 16th at 6:35 PM
Franklin Field 7035 S. Ballpark Dr, Franklin

Chicago Dogs vs Milwaukee Milkmen

Tripoli Shriners are thrilled to be the featured non-profit at the June 16th Milwaukee Milkmen Game!

Join us for family-focused fun, come see what the Shriners are all about!

Tripoli Shriners Golf Classic

Monday June 27th, 2022
Fairways of Woodside-Sussex
W232 N8318 Clubhouse Cir, Sussex, WI 53089

Shriners-Masons-Friends Welcome

\$125 per Person - Breakfast and Lunch included
Shogun start at 9:30

DON'T MISS OUT ON THE FUN!
Clubhouse reception will immediately follow 50/50 Raffle, Gun Raffle, and Many More!
Awards will be handed out after lunch for:
First place team Last place team
Longest drive-Men Longest drive-Women
Best dressed team Best dressed individual

Space is limited, register today!

Sponsorships:
Hole \$125
Grab bags \$350
Raffle \$750
Breakfast \$1000
Lunch \$1500

tripolishrine.com or contact:
Gerry Arnholt @ 414-660-7548
Bob Haggarty @ 262-308-2930

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AUG 14 | 1:00 PM

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Buses will be provided for

OCT 27th Oktoberfest
Table / Lodge

BEER • GERMAN FOOD

COCKTAIL HOUR 5:00 • CASH BAR
DINNER AND TABLE LODGE 6:30
MAGONS, LADIES & FRIENDS INVITED
\$48 PER PERSON

Reservations Requested by Oct. 17th
go to: tripolishrine.com or call 414-933-4700

2022 Potentate's All Shrine

Saturday
July 30th 11am

SOUTH MILWAUKEE * HERITAGE DAYS PARADE

The parade route starts at 8th and Milwaukee Avenue's leads west on Milwaukee to 16th Avenue

Tripoli Scottish Highlanders TARTAN BALL

Saturday
October 22, 2022

Doors Open - 5:30pm \$95 Per Person by 9/23
Dinner - 7:00pm \$100 Per Person after 9/23
Sale ends 10/10

Evening Includes
Highland Pipes & Drums
Scottish Dancing
Whiskey Tasting
Magpie Ceremony
Dinner Music by O'Baroque
Photos by Tripoli Photo Corps
String Quartet in Malham Parlor

Tickets available online: www.highlandertartanball.com

DECEMBER 3

Doors Open 6
Dinner 7:00 - 8
Champagne To
Live Band 8:30-1
Tripoli Shrine Center 3

Name _____
Cost _____ @ \$7

Seat _____
Payment options: Che
or on

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Potentate-Elect's Message

Dale A Graeven



Are you ready?
Signed up for installation?
I would like to thank all that attended our last Stated Meeting and elected me to serve Tripoli as your Potentate for 2023.

I will be releasing the calendar at Installation as well as some activities that will take place during the year but do not have dates on the books yet. One item you can sign up for now is the East-West Shrine Game on Thursday February 2nd, see the flyer in this Tattler for details.

The elected Divan as well as those I have appointed are looking forward to

some different things to do as well as some of the "old" favorite activities.....hopefully you are too!

Let's make Tripoli the place to be in 2023!

Congratulations to our Potentate Matthew Wright on his wonderful year leading Tripoli. Your love, dedication to and zealous support of Tripoli, the Shrine as a whole and Shriners Children's is seen by everyone. I and all the Nobility of Tripoli say Thank You!

Thanks again, See you at Installation,
Dale A. Graeven
Potentate Elect



EAST WEST
SHRINE BOWL

PARTY

02.02.23

6:30pm

R.S.V.P.
Contact
Matt Wright P.P.
414.254.5677

MORE THAN JUST A GAME

JOIN US AT TRIPOLI SHRINE CENTER TO WATCH THE GAME WITH GREAT FOOD AND DRINK

Brats. Burgers. Salad

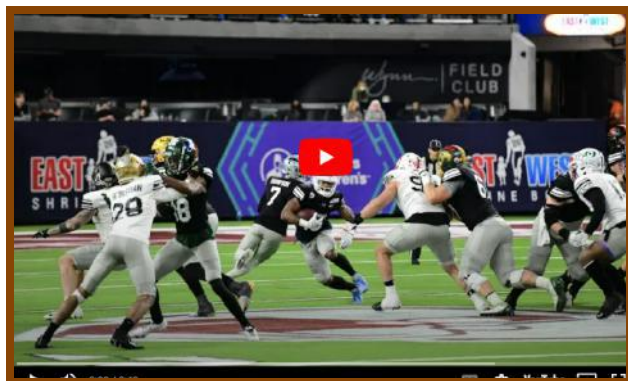


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Tripoli Shrine Center Billiards Room

3000 W Wisconsin Ave, Milwaukee WI 53208

Since 1925, the East-West Shrine Bowl has benefited Shriners Children's and it's mission while showcasing the next generation of NFL legends. An invitation to take part in the annual East-West Shrine Bowl is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity for the best senior collegiate football all-stars in the country to showcase their talents in front of top representatives of NFL teams. A strong performance in the game greatly impacts a player's chances of a career in the NFL. Many of professional football's most recognized and decorated players, including **Tom Brady, Walter Payton, Lawrence Taylor, John Elway, Gale Sayers and Jimmy Garoppolo**, played in the East-West Shrine Bowl.



TRIPOLI SHRINERS

3000 W WISCONSIN AVE MILWAUKEE WI 53208



January 14th 2023

DALE A GRAEVEN POTENTATE-ELECT

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

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

MENU

SALAD:

Blueberry Goat Cheese Salad

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

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*

 **BUY TICKETS**



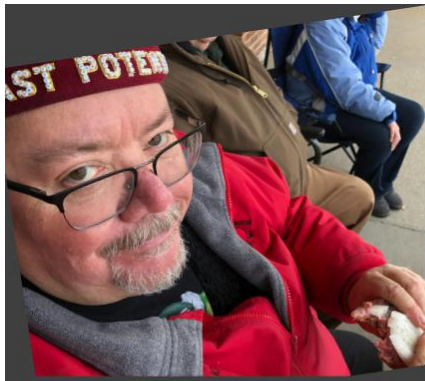
Divan Photos will be taken at this event. Please bring your Fez and Potentate tie.



RSVP BY: JANUARY 4TH

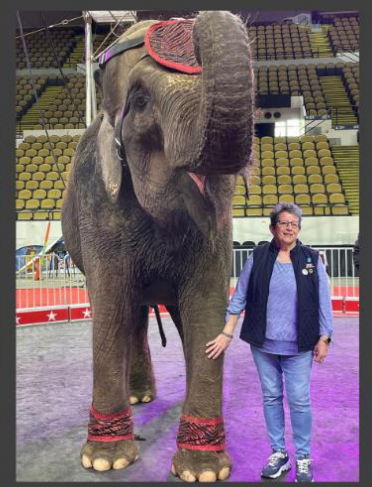
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2022 YEAR IN REVIEW









DELICIOUS

Dessert Auction

*Ladies
Invited*

**FEBRUARY 8TH
STATED MEETING DINNER**

MENU

CAESAR SALAD

BEEF SHORT RIBS

TURKEY AND DUMPLING CASSEROLE

ROASTED CARROTS WITH A RAW HONEY GLAZE

DINNER ROLLS

ASSORTED DESSERTS

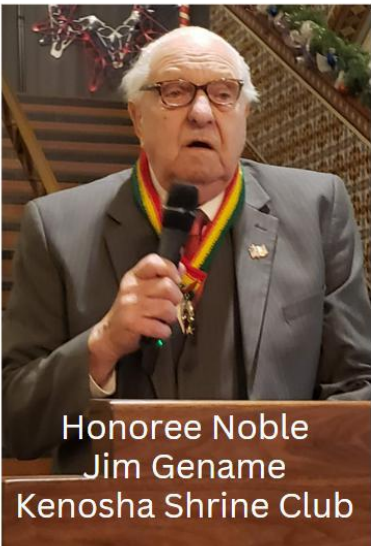


**PLEASE BRING A DESSERT TO BE DISPLAYED FOR AUCTION.
DONATIONS WILL BE COLLECTED AT EACH TABLE.
THE LARGEST TABLE AMOUNT, PICKS FIRST AND SO ON.**

TRIPOLI SHRINE CENTER

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Potentate's Ball

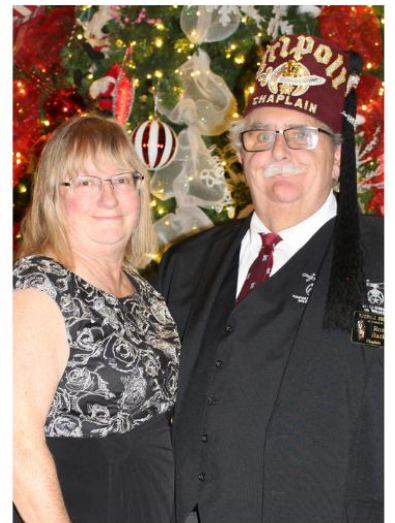


Honoree Noble
Jim Gename
Kenosha Shrine Club





*New Nobles
Past Potentates
Photos by the Tree
Fun Night for All*



Farshid Guilak Ph.D. Research Director at Shriners Children's

recently received one of the highest honors in the field of health and medicine. He has been elected to the National Academy of Medicine. Guilak will be inducted as part of the class of 2022. This comes the same year he was elected to the National Academy of Engineering. These academies are reserved for the most elite in medicine and engineering, for individuals who “show outstanding professional achievement and commitment to service.”

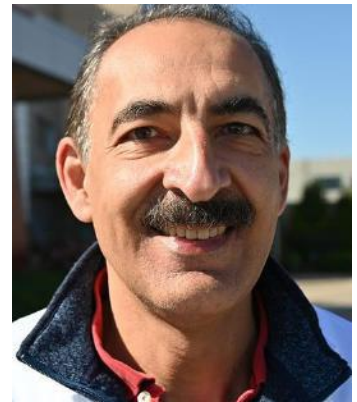
“Dr. Guilak is an outstanding biomedical scientist whose groundbreaking research is improving the quality of life of children with orthopedic conditions.”

Shriners Children's is proud of his recent honors and to have him as the director of our Shriners Children's St. Louis research center,” said Marc Lalande, Ph.D., Shriners Children's vice president of research.



Currently, Guilak leads roughly a dozen research projects focusing on preventing and/or slowing the degenerative effects of osteoarthritis and juvenile idiopathic arthritis. However, he says the National Academy of Medicine and of Engineering have specifically taken notice of the lab's work in cell engineering. Through decades of work, Guilak's team has used genome engineering to create a cell that doesn't exist normally in nature. The cell can release a drug if/when it senses inflammation in the body. An animal study showed that the modified cells, when put into cartilage, can eliminate pain and prevent degeneration any time an inflammation flare-up is imminent.

He hopes to bring this treatment option to patients, in the form of a clinical trial, within the next 10 years. Right now, it's a proof of concept.



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2ND PLACE

3RD PLACE - TIE



Waukesha County Shrine Club ~ Installation of Officers



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so don't miss your chance to attend
our 33rd Anniversary!!**

Over 140

**Guns to
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GUN BOARDS

Scimitar Sportman's Night continues to offer the best guns available plus more limited ticket gun raffles than any banquet out there. Guns this year come from Browning, Ruger, Winchester, Henry, Glock, Christensen, S&W, Colt, Bennelli, Weatherby and many more. We will also continue to have Raven and Tenpoint crossbows. You do not want to miss this event. Must be of legal age to win firearm and pass all state and federal requirements to receive a firearm.

TWO BIG RAFFLES THIS YEAR!!

Buy tickets before the event or the night of.
You don't need to be present to win!!
See the raffles at the top of the next page.

SPECIAL HUNTS TO BE AUCTIONED OFF! HARD TO FIND GUNS!

SUPER SAVER RAFFLE PACKAGE

The Super Saver package includes tickets for two gun boards, and 6 other event boards. This package is included in Silver table package and the Gold and Platinum table packages for all attendees at table.

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GUN AND EVENT BOARDS: **\$750.00 each**

Have your name or business name posted at the Gun or Event Board and in the booklet. Your name will also be announced when the items are given away.

SILENT AND VOCAL AUCTIONS: **\$1,000.00 each**

Large banner with your name or business name and a ¼ page ad in the booklet. Your name will also be announced when the items are given away.

THE BEER: **\$1,500.00**

Be everybody's friend and sponsor the beer. You will get 500 cups with your name or logo on them, ½ page in the booklet, banner and an announcement in the main hall.

THE BAR: **\$2,000.00**

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, ½ 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 Night

HENRY SUPER LIMITED EDITION RAFFLE

One winner takes both guns:
 Henry 25th Anniversary Silver Boy 1 of 5,000
 Henry Golden Boy 25th Anniversary 1 of 1,000
 300 Maximum Tickets Sold! 1 ticket for \$20

* Need not be present to win

ATV AND TWO GUNS RAFFLE

Win all of this:
 170cc ATV Automatic
 12ga 3.5" semi auto and Ruger 9mm semi auto
 300 Maximum Tickets Sold! 1 ticket for \$20

* Need not be present to win

CORPORATE SPONSORSHIP TABLES

PLATINUM

\$ _____

\$5500 TABLE SPONSORSHIP INCLUDES: **

Front and center table with dinner for 10 and open bar till 9:00pm, early VIP entry at 4:00pm with appetizers, 5 table guns, full ad in the booklet, large banner in dining room, two reserved parking spaces, 10 grand door prize tickets, 20 super saver packages and much more. (approx. value \$7150)

GOLD

\$ _____

\$2750 TABLE SPONSORSHIP INCLUDES: **

Front table with dinner for 10 and open bar till 9:00pm. early VIP entry at 4:00pm with appetizers, 2 table guns, half page ad in the booklet, 10 grand door prize tickets, and 10 super saver packages. (approx. value \$3620)

SILVER

\$ _____

\$1600 TABLE SPONSORSHIP INCLUDES: **

Table with dinner for 8 and open bar till 9:00pm, early VIP entry at 4:00pm with appetizers, one table gun, 8 super-saver packages, 8 grand door prizes and your name in the booklet. (approx. value \$2620)

BRONZE

\$ _____

\$1200 TABLE SPONSORSHIP INCLUDES: **

Table with dinner for 8 and open bar till 9:00pm, early VIP entry at 4:00pm with appetizers, one table gun, 8 grand door prizes and your name in the booklet. (approx. value \$1620)

SUPER-SAVER RAFFLE PACKAGE

\$ _____

\$160 value for only \$100 per package

The Super Saver package includes tickets for 2 gun boards, 5 other event boards and a \$20 coupon towards any one vocal auction item.

General Admission

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.

(If purchased before March 1st) Banquet Ticket # _____ tickets @ \$100.00 each \$ _____
 VIP Entry # _____ tickets @ \$25.00 each \$ _____
 Henry Super Limited Edition Raffle # _____ tickets @ 20.00 each \$ _____
 ATV and Two Guns Raffle # _____ tickets @ 20.00 each \$ _____



TOTAL \$ _____

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Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Credit Card _____ EXP. _____

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3000 W. Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee, WI 53208 (414) 933-4700

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

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
William L Korn	11/07/2021	LaFayette, IN	90	07/24/1965
John P Heick, Sr.	04/11/2022	Elkader, IA	89	12/07/1991
Renates J Johns	04/21/2022	Bloomer, WI	79	12/07/1974
John W Eldred	06/08/2022	Wausau, WI	90	07/05/1985
Robert L Schroeder	07/04/2022	Hartland, WI	96	11/30/1963
James Carroll Roberts	07/07/2022	Whitefish Bay, WI	82	11/16/2019

Well Done Good and Faithful Servant

January



1/04 John G Slazas Christopher J Wagner	1/13 Jimmie R Thomas Harold J Anderson	1/21 John Henry Wahlers	1/27 William H Emory Matthew Konradt
1/05 Ned L Huwatschek Don P Jensen Timothy Bauer	1/14 Larry M Broich Donald W Hensiak	1/22 Sunny J Reed Gavin J De Grave	1/28 Charles M Korankye
1/06 Michael Clinnin	1/15 Daniel E Bast Tyler A Opgenorth	1/23 Boynton L Nissen Stephaine L Hibbler	1/29 Kenneth A Stein Andrew Kochanski
1/07 William H Grunze	1/17 Kenneth K Kersky George H Easton	1/24 Anthony S Busalacchi Jerome D Sayles Richard A Loch, PP  Kevin P McGowan	1/30 Paul H Erber
1/08 Thomas M Turner Scott B Endejan	1/18 James L Shaffer	1/25 Donald L Hall Douglas P Brown Bradford A Iding	1/31 John R Pentek Sr. Walter B Noble Arthur Leydel
1/09 Marvin F Metzger	1/19 Lloyd E Schoen Thomas K Couture Robert N Strickler	1/26 James E Schneider	
1/11 Thomas R Robel Wayne A Budwick Leroy C Kivi II	1/20 John H Oakley John H Wirtz		

Legion of Honors

Happy New Year to all Nobles. Our first parade is two months away and right now there is not much to write about. As of this writing on December 4th, only 11 members of the Legion of Honor have paid their 2023 dues. They were due on December 31st. Also, only 7 members have RSVP'd for our January 21st party. Reservations are due for that on January 7th. Call me at 414-422-9452 to reserve your spot. The dinner will replace our regulated January meeting.

Bob Lijewski, Adjutant

Onions

Sweet Vidalia Onions Are Coming

April 28th - 30th, 2023

We will have a meeting on January 10th, 2023 to discuss possible changes. We'll meet at El Hajj quarters 7210 W. Greenfield Av., public parking in the rear, at 5:00 with a light lunch. Start thinking about locations. See you there! Tom, Mark & Dustin

Director's Staff

Director's Staff meeting Dec. 9th 2022

Our evening started with a great fish fry held at the Shrine. The meeting was opened at 7:30 by our President G. Arnholt. Reports were given and accepted. New Business:

1. We received from Imperial a letter indicating they do not want a second section as we know it.
2. Jan.7th AJ's gun raffle
3. Jan. 14th Tripoli Installation.
4. Crawdaddy's - Director's Staff Christmas Party.
5. Mar. 24th Tripoli Sportsman Night.
6. April. 28th - 30th Onion Sales
7. May 5th - 7th Circus

We had the election of officers and the following have been elected to serve next year:

Pres.- Dustin Herzog

Vice Pres.- John Cervantes

3rd, Secretary- Pat Kehan,

Treasurer -Joe Schoner

Director - Rick Loch

The installation of our officers will be Jan. 6th, 2023

And YES we will have our annual, chili cook-off, so bring your appetite, sounds like we'll have more than usual. Starts at 6:00

Old Business - None ps Our Potentate bought our dinner, Thank You

See you in January Fraternally Tom Schlicht PP



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Motor Corps

The Motor Corps Unit held our December meeting on Monday, December 19th.

The previously submitted Secretary and Treasurer reports were reviewed and voted on by those in attendance to be accepted. Reports were then given by the Scrabs, Escorts and the Trikes. The Scrabs have one little car for sale. The Escorts are looking forward to the 2023 parade season with their established members, as well as, trying to recruit new members to expand the Escort's visibility to the parade attendees during the 2023 parade season.

Anyone who would like to be part of this very popular and fun unit should contact Chad Howard at 262-224-5904.

Attention then turned toward elections:

President	Tom Dohoney
Commander	Keith Sargeant
First Lieutenant	Mike Hendren
Secretary	Frank Foti

All agreed to remain in office for another year.

James Goodman Jr. was elected as our new Treasurer. The Quartermaster and Second Lieutenant positions remain open at this time. If you are interested in either one of these positions please contact Commander, Keith Sargeant. You do make a difference.

Installation will be at our next meeting on January 16th. This will also be the date of the Motor Corp Christmas party. Dinner will be served at 6:00 pm followed by the installation at 7:00 pm. Dinner will be catered and tickets are \$10 per person. A separate email will go out soon regarding the details. Please RSVP to me, Mike Hendren at blazercoach14@aol.com or call at 262-424-6041. It is critical that we have an accurate number of people attending so that we have the correct number of plates for dinner and that we have food for everyone.

I hope everyone had a very Merry very Happy New Year.

Noble, Mike Hendren



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.

Our Northwoods Shrine Club officers for 2023 are as follows:

President	Ross Borchardt
Executive Vice Pres.	Bob Smith
1st Vice Pres.	Bill Jacobs
2nd Vice Pres.	Al Rousseau
Secretary	Scott Kellogg
Treasurer/Hospital Admin.	Roger Tesch
Chaplain	Larry Mueller

Topics of discussion for our upcoming meetings include:

1. Northwoods Joint Ceremonial potential
2. New or additional locations for our meeting schedule
3. Our club Salad Dressing sales
4. New petitions

Our meeting schedule for the 2023 year will be announced soon.

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

Fraternally,
Ross Borchardt, President



NORTHWOODS SHRINE CLUB



alliances

Tripoli Auxiliary

Welcome to a new year at Tripoli Auxiliary. I'd like to thank you for electing me to another term as your President. I'd like to thank my Board of Officers for continuing in their positions on the Board.

The joint Holly Luncheon with the Daughters of the Nile was a fun afternoon. There was good attendance, great raffles & we were serenaded during lunch by the Easy Days Quartet. The desserts were delicious too. But best of all was the companionship of those attending. Please try and attend our next event the Spring Luncheon in June. You're missing a good time.

Our 2023 Officers were installed at our December 21, 2022, meeting by the Potentate elect. Stollens and cookies were also distributed on that date. We sold 55 boxes of cookies & 73 stollens. Thank you to everyone that supported this fundraiser. I handed out programs that listed the officers & a tentative schedule. If you were not present, I'll have extra copies available.

Our January meetings can be a difficult time due to poor weather. Please be careful & decide if it's safe to travel if the weather is bad. At our January meeting, I'd like to discuss alternatives to the \$20 lunch. Please bring ideas for an open discussion. If you are unable to attend our meeting, please call me & I'll bring your ideas to the meeting for discussion.

I plan on meeting with the board of officers to discuss a new member handbook & telephone calling tree. I'll bring these to the January meeting for review by the group & make final revisions.

I hope everyone have a Happy Holiday.

Please be safe & healthy.
Kathy Lijewski – President
KK.Lijewski@Yahoo.com
414-422-9452



Daughters of the Nile

Here's to 2023 and Happy New Year to all our Masonic Family and Friends! Time has a way of going by very quickly and looking forward to 2023!

Our hope and desire are to have a Ceremonial in January or February. At this writing, it is a very tough time of year to get someone to commit to a date as it seems so far in advance. Surely, we will welcome Ladies into our Temple in the New Year.

Remember to mark your calendars to join us for our first Session of 2023 on Saturday, January 14, 2023, beginning at 10 a.m. with lunch to follow.

Just a reminder to "Save the Date" of Saturday, February 18, 2023, for the Queen's Luncheon. I certainly hope all of you can attend. There will be an invitation with all the details in the January Tattler. My hope is that you will come and share the day with us. As you all know, I am looking forward to greeting all of you and sharing some social time together!

I would be very remiss if I did not mention that we had a wonderful turnout for our Holiday Party in December that was combined with the Tripoli Auxiliary and Shelomoth Temple Daughters of the Nile. We raised \$1000.00 and we divided it in half with the Auxiliary's share going to the Shriners Children's Twin Cities and Nile's share going to the Shriners Children's – Chicago for a special need they have.

Happy New Year!

Take Care and Stay Safe

God Bless

Mary Mock - Queen

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We love our generous donors. Thank you to the Kenosha Shrine Club, and the many people in their southern Wisconsin communities who supported a large raffle, and entertainment events throughout the summer, with their theme "It's For The Kids." The generous Tripoli Shriners presented a check for \$43,000 to our hospital administrator and donor relations team this week. #Thankyou. If you'd like to find out how to support our pediatric care, visit lovetotherescue.org.

from Shriners Children's Chicago

Connections



Danielle along with 600 athletes competed in the 2022 International Wheelchair & Amputee Sports Games in Vila Real de Santo António, Portugal. Danielle won a full set of medals; a Gold in Javelin, Silver in Discus and a Bronze in Shot Put.

A VOICE FOR CHANGE

Emma, a 26-year-old, is practicing attorney, passionate about civil rights, and since college, she has been involved in creating change surrounding issues of reproductive justice, public education, LGBTQ+ equality and voting rights.



Lily helped to create the Patient Alumni Network, a way for former and current patients to come together through mentoring, volunteering, fundraising and more.

When **Lily** was "graduating" from care at Shriners Children's, she wanted a way to remain involved with the place that had been part of her life for 20 years. A part of Shriners Children's 100th Anniversary celebrations, Lily's dream was brought to life through the Patient Alumni Network (PAN).

Lily was born without a fibula, the outer thin bone that runs from the knee to the ankle, in her right leg.

She had surgery to amputate her right leg when she was 7 months old. She and her family made the four-hour trip to Shriners Children's Lexington, where she was a patient of pediatric orthopedic surgeon Vishwas Talwalkar, M.D., starting when she was a toddler. The Pediatric Orthotic and Prosthetic Services team fit her with prosthetic legs throughout her 20 years as a patient.



Jennifer, 39, is studying for a doctorate in medical research in the field of molecular biology at the National Polytechnic Institute (IPN)

A former patient at Shriners Hospitals for Children, Mexico, Jennifer's dream was to contribute to the world's store of medical knowledge through rare disease research.

Jennifer, 39, is studying for a doctorate in medical research in the field of molecular biology at the National Polytechnic Institute (IPN), a top technical and engineering university in Mexico. She also collaborates on research projects at the National Autonomous University of Mexico. Jennifer has arthrogyrosis multiplex congenital, a rare condition characterized by joint stiffness and muscle weakness throughout the body. She was also born with congenital hip dislocation and clubfoot.

"The Shriners Children's healthcare system planted within me, from a very young age, the tenacity with which I grew throughout my life," Jennifer said.



The Buddy System



Getting medical treatment is easier with someone special by your side. When a major medical treatment is scheduled at Shriners Children's Greenville, there's one preliminary procedure the kids look forward to: a visit to the Build-A-Bear Foundation Buddy Room. Upon entering, children's eyes widen in delight as they take in the shelves lining the walls, where a rainbow of colorful stuffed toys look down. Racks of hangers hold tiny clothes of every color and style. And it's all for them, courtesy of the Build-A-Bear Foundation, which has joined forces with Shriners Children's to create an opportunity for patients to select a complimentary toy and customize it with just the right accessories.



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2023 Feztival of Trees 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,

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2	Chief Rabban	Gerry Arnholt
3	Assistant Rabban	Alan Soriano
4	High Priest & Prophet	Jim Burton
5	Oriental Guide	Damon Albers
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9	FC #2	Doug Winter PP
10	FC #3	Joe Schoner
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11	Trustee #1	Jeff Delaney - 2nd Term
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12	Imp Rep #1	Dale Graeven
13	Imp Rep #1	Gerry Arnholt
14	Imp Rep #1	Alan Soriano



I NEVER INTENDED ON BECOMING A PIRATE, HIGGINS, UNTIL THAT FATEFUL CHRISTMAS DAY I SHOT MY EYE OUT WITH AN OFFICIAL RED RYDER CARBINE ACTION TWO HUNDRED SHOT RANGE MODEL AIR RIFLE...

Tripoli Shriners December Dine-in Fish Fry



Tripoli Donations - January

SHRINER HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN DONATIONS

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In Memory of Noble Gerald Nelson

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David Nelson

January - 2023



Tripoli Shriners

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<i>New Year's Day</i> 1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	Stated Meeting 11	12	Craft Club 13	Installation & Dinner 14
15	16	17	18	Jolly Badgers 6:30pm 19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	Tripoli Auxiliary			

February - 2023



Tripoli Shriners

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Happy Valentine's Day 			1	EAST-WEST Shrine Bowl Party 2	3	4
5	6	7	Stated Meeting Dessert Auction 8	9	Craft Club 10	11
12	13	14	15	Jolly Badgers 6:30pm 16	17	18
19	20	21	Tripoli Auxiliary	22	23	24
25	MSA Winter Session 2023 Alexandria, MN					25
26	27	28		33rd Annual Scimitar Sportsman's Night March 24th		

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Monthly Stated Meetings

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Yours in the Faith,
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STATED MEETING

MENU



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