

Aladdin's Lamp



Proclamation

Allah hath spoken from the Seventh Heaven and comes the call to all ye faithful to make a Pilgrimage to the sacred city of Mecca.

The Pilgrimage is forming and none should be left behind.

The road to Mecca is opened for all who would desire to join the Hegira to the Holy City and proceed to Mecca. If you would join in this hazardous journey, gird yourself well, for strange is the road for those who have never gone that way. Arouse, Awake and Arise ye sons of the Desert, for Allah has decreed the Pilgrimage to the Sacred City will be on

Saturday, October 28

I beseech you therefore Nobles, to let no stone remain unturned, let no camel path remain unexplored in order that you may discover whom you believe will merit the purifying draught of the incorruptible waters.

Promise them The Benevolent Brotherhood and unselfish friendship accorded all pious and trustworthy Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. If they bear bravely the trials and ordeals precipitated by the Blazing Sun and Sands, they will become Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. They will be able to enjoy the Feast of the Ramadan and rejoice at the end of the hot journey by cooling their burning feet in the shade of the Great Oasis in Mecca. Arouse ye Nobles, go forth, and bring Novices by the score for our fateful journey.

Es Selamu Aleikum,

Attest:

P. Daniel Martin
Recorder

Donald G. Goodman
Illustrious Potentate

Fish Fry

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Stag Picnic

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Regular meetings of the Aladdin Shriners are held on the third Monday of each month except June, July and August at 6:30 p.m. at the Aladdin Shrine Center, 3850 Stelzer Road, Columbus, Ohio

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Summer Was A Busy Season! The Potentate's Message *by Donald G. Goodman*

Summer is drawing to a close and it seems to have gone by far too quickly!

In the first week of August, we attended the Hospitality and Voice of Aladdin visitations. Thanks to both for making each visit a special time. The first Saturday the Provost unit hosted a fine picnic. Mike Grey and his staff did one heck of a job in preparation. We ended the week with a trip to Erie Hospital where checks for over \$250,000.00 were presented from ASHAC and Aladdin. What a great feeling to contribute this to our philanthropy. Each Noble should feel proud in all we do to help our kids!

Record Attendance At Classic Car Cruise-In/Chicken & Corn Roast: The second week we visited the Motorcycle Club (Ryan, you did a great job on this for your maiden voyage). We were then hosted by the Pike County Shrine Club. Thanks for some great Shrine hospitality, folks. On the weekend we saw the best turnout to-date for the Classic Car Cruise-In and Chicken and Corn Roast. Words can't express the thanks and appreciation to Assistant Rabban Dan Stainbrook, Executive Director Harry Webster, Pike County and Washington Court House for all of their hard work and dedication to this event. The food, as usual, was simply out of this world! We finished the weekend with the Baltimore parade. There was a good turn out and good weather. This was the first time we had the newly refurbished Jeepster in the parade to assist the Legion of Honor in carrying the Shrine and National colors. Commander Bob Faber worked the bugs out of the old Aladdin motor vehicle and it was not only nice to see it but assisted us in showing off what we are all about in patriotism and Shrine values.

Bumgarner Turns Reigns Over to Bob Stevenson: Sunday, we attended a picnic at Union county and presented a well deserved Tabloid Emeritus Distinction and golf shirt to Bill Bumgarner. He has done a gargantuan job with Tabloid the past few years and now turns the reigns over to Bob Stevenson. Thanks for all the hard work, Bill and best of luck to Bob in 2007.

Bob Faber - New Commander of Great Lakes Region of Honor: The third week of the month saw us at Baldwin S.C., Bucyrus parade and Nelsonville parades. Along with this, many of the Divan attended the installation of our own Commander Bob Faber to the Commander of the Great Lakes Legion of Honor. This was conferred on Bob at Mocha Shrine in London, Ontario. Congratulations Bob and Barb in taking this on. We are all proud of you representing Aladdin in this office.

Oasis Patio Opening: An official opening of the Oasis Patio was held on Sunday. It is a beautiful addition to your Shrine center. Please consider using it whenever possible and enjoy the touch of nature and outdoors environment it conveys. This was built for all the Nobility of Aladdin. Thanks to Harry Webster, Brenda Springer and Catering By Design (Lori Green) for your individual and collective efforts in making the opening special.

Riverboat Trip: At the end of the month we traveled by riverboat down the Mississippi, Ohio, Tennessee and Cumberland Rivers. We had exceptionally great weather and one fabulous time. Thanks to those who accompanied us on this memorable trip. Thanks, also, to Magic Cruises and especially Sandy Wolfe for your personal attention to all of our needs. This wrapped up an exciting and busy month for many of us. In all we do, we still keep in mind that we work hard to help those less fortunate. Thanks, Aladdin Nobles, for helping us Fly High for Kids!

October Ceremonial: Last, keep in mind we have a Ceremonial coming up October 28. We always need new brothers to help us keep our dream alive. We need to introduce others to the good we do. Have a great fall and thanks for all you do to make Aladdin and the work we do vibrant in our busy world!



PROVOST

by John Rohal

Summer is coming to an end and all the young ones will be returning to school. August has been an active month for the members of the Provost Unit, and your reporter was unable to attend some of the functions. Mary and I helped Jim and Cindy Rohal and their family celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary on the Carnival cruise ship, Triumph, for a cruise of the western Caribbean.

Speaking of wedding anniversaries, Richard and Mary Westinghouse celebrated their 50th on August 25.

The remainder of this report was compiled by Russ Miller who started off by attending the family picnic along with his lady Nancy, and her mother Betty Maple, who was visiting from California. The F.O.P. facilities in Gahanna were great and the food was plentiful and fabulous. There were 150 Provost members and guests in attendance, including a good number of young children. Cy Leonard did his usual great job of handling the games and providing the many nice prizes. The egg tossing (or throwing) contest provided its usual entertainment, and a lot of people ended up with egg splattered on their faces.

One anonymous source reported that Bob Albright fell in the pond (?). Thanks, again, to the hard working committee members.

The Baltimore parade participants included Director Jon Kinney, Terry McLaughlin, Howard Beane, Harold Nairn, and Tom Thornton. Upon their return to the Shrine Center, they joined Fred Rake, Leo Genders, Mike Gray, Corky Talbot, Larry Mosley, and Russ Miller where they directed and parked cars for the Classic Car Cruise-In, Chicken and Corn Roast. There were 180 cars entered in the show, and the chicken and corn were excellent on what turned out to be a beautiful day. It was great to see Dan Stainbrook at this event.

The sick and lame includes Tom Douglas, who has been in the hospital for over a month after a couple of surgeries; Gary Hamre, who had a heart catherization; and Ernie Busby, who had his gall bladder removed. I'm sure cards would be appreciated.

Our condolences go to Fred Rake who lost a brother and to Boyd Black on the loss of his wife, Margaret.

Just read the August issue of the *Lamp* and request the Past Masters please clarify the nature of Daryl Metcalf's surgery.

On Sunday, August 20 we had the pleasure of attending the opening and christening of the new deck just outside the Oasis. Invited to attend this function were all Divan members, Past Potentates, club presidents, and unit directors. This deck is great addition to our facility and I heard it has already been rented out for a wedding next year.

See y'all in September, when we can all view the completed patio deck located off the Oasis Room. And, don't forget the annual Stag Picnic on October 7.

ALADDIN

Calendar

Upcoming Events

- September 16 - Grove City Parade
- September 18 - Stated Meeting
- September 29 - Fish Fry
- October 6 - Chanters Spaghetti Dinner
- October 7 - Aladdin Stag Picnic
- October 20 - Circleville Parade
- October 21-23 - New River Train Excursion
- November 3 - Harvest Ball
- November 19 - Washington CH Parade
- November 10-12 - Aladdin Shriners At OSU/Northwestern Game

Aladdin Shrine's Fish Fry
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FISH FRY SEPT 29

Tabloid Makes It Happen

Make Powerful Changes in The Lives of Children

"I Urge Shriners to Visit The Hospitals."

by **Bill Bumgarner, Tabloid Chairman**

Well, the Hospitals received the checks that all of you fine Nobles worked so hard to achieve. The kids will benefit from your labors. The best way that you can receive the thanks you so earned is by visiting one or more of our hospitals and seeing first hand the thanks that you deserve.

As the Tabloid chairman, it is again my privilege to say thank you to all the club and unit Tabloid leaders for their fine efforts. It is, as always, an honor to work with Aladdin's Tabloid committee who works to distribute the Tabloid and prepare the awards your clubs and units. Again, they have proved why I think they are the best.

Thanks to all of you the Tabloid set another record this year. Great job, Nobles! Rumor has it that Logan County started a Cans for Kids Program. It is a nice block

of counties when you look at the map and see Champaign, Logan, Hardin, and Union Counties all collecting aluminum cans for the kids. The Can Man in Athens would be tickled to pieces to see his neighbors work this program as hard as he does and these other four counties. Now we need to start filling the spaces between.

The Nobles of Columbia, South Carolina collects Cans for Kids. Who is up to doing the same in our cities in Ohio? Aluminum has been at a high for a long period of time. No better time to start than now. Make a difference for the kids.

Remember, the Stag Picnic is October 7. Make time to come and support your clubs and units plus Aladdin Shrine. The Illustrious Sir Don G. has put his best foot forward to make sure each and every one has a good time. See you there.

Bill Bumgarner Received Tabloid Emeritus Distinction

Potentate Don Goodman presented a well deserved Tabloid Emeritus Distinction and golf shirt to Bill Bumgarner for the work he has done with Tabloid the past few years. He now turns the reigns over to Bob Stevenson.

check presentations

HOCKING HILLS



Pictured is Rodney Carr, president of the Hocking Hills Shrine Club presenting a check for \$3,400 to Cliff Harmon, administrator of Hocking Valley Community Hospital. This check is given each year by the Aladdin Shrine Children's Hospital Association to obtain necessary equipment in the pediatric unit of the hospital.

Front row (from left): Lonnie Bail, Karl Grant, Harry Dickerson, Jim Stewart. **Second row:** Paul Stivison, Mike Downour, Terry Woltz, Harmon, Carr, Bob Wells, Don Farrow, and Fred Webb.

NORTHEAST SHRINE



On Tuesday evening September 5, 2006 the Northeast Shrine Club presented an ASHAC check for \$9,200 to the Westerville Fire Department at the Westerville City Council meeting. NESC President Frank Habeker, First Vice President Ed Lacey and Divan Oriental Guide Bill Estell presented the check to the chief of The Westerville Fire Department in the presence of city council. A Boy Scout troop was also in attendance.

Bill Estell gave city council an overview of Shriners Childrens Hospitals and our ASHAC program.

The Jug Program Serves Tabloid Year 'Round

Northeast Shrine

by Aaron Dominey

The dog days of summer are upon us. Despite the heat and humidity, we had 74 Nobles and Ladies attend our annual picnic. Thanks go to the members of the Buckeye Boat Club who made the facility available for the event and to the chefs who manned the grills.

Upcoming Meetings and Events:

Friday, September 15 - Regularly scheduled monthly meeting at Aladdin with a wine and cheese tasting. Discussion will be around the upcoming cheese and nut sale.

Saturday, October 14 - Monthly meeting will be held at the Columbus Zoo. For \$18 per person, you will receive an all-day pass to the Columbus Zoo, including parking, and lunch. Lunch will be served at 2:00 p.m. Our monthly meeting follows immediately after. Reservations are required. Additional information will be distributed shortly.



Senior Shriners

by Chuck McLeod

The days are getting shorter, there is a chill in the air and the grass isn't growing as fast. Do you know what that means? It means summer is about over and it's time for the Senior Shriners to start meeting again.

Yes, that's right. We will have our next Senior Shriners meeting on the fourth Wednesday, September 27. So, bring your Lady and come on out to the Aladdin Shrine Center. Let's have a good turnout to start the second half of the year. As always, there will be an interesting and entertaining program provided. The Senior Shriners Club is the best-kept secret in Aladdin Shrine. Where else can you get all this for only \$10.00 per person?

Our president, Noble Richard Dix Snow, has ordered a delicious meal of beef tips over noodles, green salad and vanilla ice cream with chocolate sauce for the meeting.

There is a lot of activity happening in Aladdinland. The following are official parades dates:

Circleville Parade is October 20 - Line up 7:00 p.m.

Washington C.H. Parade is November 19 - Line up 1:00 p.m.

ROSS COUNTY ENCOURAGES RECRUITMENT

by Don Jones

Hey Aladdin Shriners!

Wow! Time flies when you are having fun. It is September already. The kids are back in school, the mornings are foggy and soon we will start seeing the fall colors in nature. Our Blue Lodge meetings are resuming after the summer break and we will soon be electing new officers in our lodges, clubs, and units. All of these events will happen whether we participate or not. However, there is one very important duty which falls to each of us at this time of year. If a Masonic Brother or Shriner had not sponsored your petition you wouldn't be reading this. So, how about it? Get a petition and get it signed. Our next Aladdin Ceremonial is October 28. Let's give Jim Badgley something to smile about. See your lodge secretary for a Blue Lodge petition. It will be accepted anytime. One more thing before I get off my soapbox, it is also the time of year to pay your dues. When you get your notice put a check in the mail; second notices cost time and money.

August is an important fund raising month for Ross County Shrine Club. We have the ice concession for the Ross County Fair and we also have a concession trailer where we serve cold melon. Both projects were very successful this year with many members and their Ladies helping. Thanks to everyone. September is a quieter month with no special activities scheduled. October is our annual election of officers. November 1 is our annual Spaghetti Dinner which we hold at our place on the hill. We sell tickets in advance for a great meal at a modest price. This event provides an opportunity for us to mix with the public and show them our club's personality and our facility. It is always a wonderful day of fundraising and public relations. Come join us. You'll be glad you did.

Morgan County

by Richard E. Troup

Twenty-four Nobles enjoyed a terrific roast beef dinner prepared by Gene and Rusty Masterson. A sign-in sheet was passed around for the fair pop stand. At our chicken BBQ with the fire department in July, we made \$1,000.

For our October chicken BBQ, we will cook the chickens at the lodge and voted to ask the lodge to help and split the profits. Bobby Reed will order tickets. Eddie Lindamore and Bobby Reed are in charge. We will also serve potato salad and baked beans and ask for cookie donations from our members. Pop at the fair pop stand will sell for \$1.00 a bottle, the same as last year.

The next meeting will be a Fish Fry at Paul Lane's; call Richard Troup, 962-3610, for reservations.



2006 Fundraiser

Illustrious Sir Donald Goodman has commissioned the making of four ornaments to sell as a fundraiser for the Aladdin Fraternity. These beautiful 24-karat gold flashed ornaments are only \$5.00 each.

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Baldwin Shrine Hosts Potentate

by Don Knouff

Kentucky Colonels

by Frank Lewis



Our August meeting was held at Dr. Clyde Purdy's Farm. The honored guests were Potentate Don Goodman, Lady Kris, and the Divan. Local introductions were made by President Leo Butler and members of the Divan and their Ladies were introduced by Potentate Don Goodman. Gifts were exchanged and Potentate Don gave a short talk on the upcoming events at the Aladdin Shrine Center. He urged the Nobles to take advantage of the programs.

Noble Dr. Clyde Purdy has hosted the Potentate's visit for many years. Potentate Don, the Divan, Baldwin Nobles and their Ladies expressed their sincere gratitude for his loyalty to the Shrine.

I have been advised that the meeting date for the Colonial Star 742 High Twelve Club has been set for the third Thursday of each month and will be held at the Eastern Star Home, 1451 Gambier Road, Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

Baldwin Shrine Nobles celebrating birthdays during September are Nobles Jim Bell, Leon Butler, Brad Hunter, Bradford Lukins, Dan Snyder, Bob Wagner, Herb White and Nelson Williams. Best wishes to all.

Nobles, watch for your September Baldwin newsletter. There will be a special meeting you won't want to miss. Make plans and be sure to be there.

York Rite members and friends of Clinton Chapter #26 Royal Arch Masons and Kinsman Council #76 R. & S.M., remember the meeting dates and times have been changed to the fourth Monday of the month, beginning with September. Watch the *Mount Vernon News*, coming events for further details.

See you at the September meeting. Get your reservations in early.



Worthington Shrine Club

by Bob Stevenson

September is here and the fall colors are arriving. With colors of red, yellow, dark brown, scarlet and gray come the opportunity for fellowship in your lodge and here at Worthington Shrine Club. We are asking each Worthington Shrine Club Noble to bring an idea for an outside club activity for this winter. We will be planning a hospital trip again this year. If you have not visited one of our hospitals, you have missed the essence of being a Shriner. I thought I knew about the hospitals and they were why I became a Shriner. It wasn't until I visited our Cincinnati Burn Hospital that I **really knew** about them and our fraternity. You hear the leadership of the Shrine talk about the hospitals; but believe me one or two little kids can whisper the story much better. Remember, nothing screams louder than a whisper!

Now, permit me to be among the first to wish you a very happy holiday season. What? Too Soon? Well maybe, but it's a good way to state the obvious - time does fly by. That being the case, Nobles, select an activity and participate in it; call a Master Mason to join Aladdin Shrine at the October 28 Ceremonial; think up an activity you and a few others would enjoy and get going on doing it; call a Shriner who you've not seen at a meeting in some time and pick him up; and, above all else, remember why you became a Shriner and act upon that interest.

I have this crazy idea that no man has ever joined the Shrine with the full intent of being an inactive member, as in "boy, am I excited about getting my Fez, putting it in a closet, and being sure to not attend anything." Now, I may be wrong (have been many times, so it would not be a new experience) but I believe if each Shriner recalls the main reason he signed on and makes that reason his objective in the next year, we would have a lot of Fez's running around; we would be getting a lot more done. I think the "why" we become Shriners gets lost over time. To quote a good friend of mine, "the main thing is to remember the main thing is the main thing." So what was your main thing back then? Come and join us at Worthington Shrine Club and let us help you with your main thing.

Our October 5 meeting for Nobles and Ladies features Noble Darren Harder returning as our speaker after a very popular program on Identity Theft last year. He will pick a timely topic for his program.

Worthington Shrine Club meets the first Thursday for dinner at Brookside Golf and Country Club. Call Bob Stevenson, 614-846-2523, for information.

Dear Colonels, I hope you all have survived the long, hot summer and are now looking forward to the beautiful Ohio fall season.

We still have no volunteers to replace the current officers but I am sure some of you will step forward.

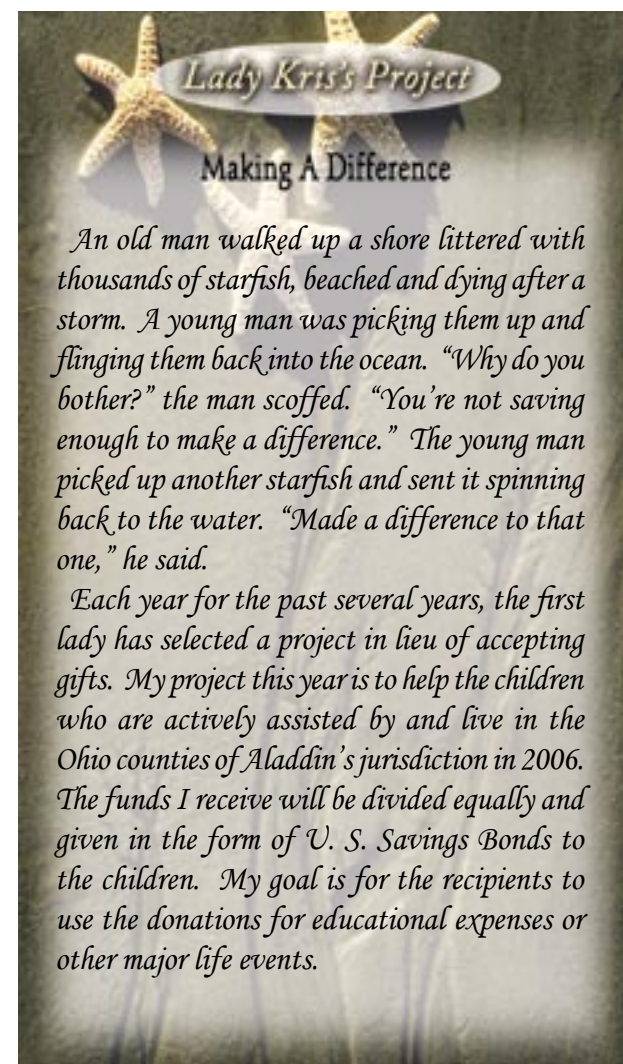
As you prepare your fall lists of things to do and places to go, please add the following Colonel meeting. We will be meeting at the Aladdin Shrine Center on Tuesday, September 26. Social hour is at 6:00 p.m. and dinner is at 7:00 p.m. We will be enjoying a Mexican style buffet. The cost will be \$15.00 per person.

Please call President Dave, 1-740-536-7668, for reservations.

Colonels, this month we are recognizing those Colonels who became club members during the 1970s and 1980s. Many were often seen marching in the parades, participating on the streets on Tabloid Day, painting the float, attending meetings, working at the circus, etc. They were always there, a very loyal group of fellows:

Birdsell (Red) Burnette (78)	Sherman Seydler (85)
Bill Farson (78)	Ernest Bible (85)
Don Strader (76)	Bill Lemaster (86)
John Peck (81)	James Kelly (86)
Walter Bunns (81)	Charles Holman (86)
Woodford Triplett (81)	Ned Young (87)
Winston Allen (81)	Loren Divan (87)
William McCarthy (81)	Darvin Banks (87)
James Green (82)	David Longnecker (88)
George Myers (82)	John Dilley (88)
Charles Drummond (82),	Jack Perigo (88)
Joseph Lambert (82)	Homer Anderson (89)
James Linton (83)	Billy Lucas (89)
Hershal Craft (83)	Frank Lewis (82).
Billy Monks (93)	

Congratulations to all of you!



New Twist for The Clowns

by Matt "Nutt" Knight

Hilltop News

by Ray Pendell

At our last business meeting we began to do some training. We held a class on how to do balloon art. Greg Osborne and Bobby Barton lead the class. They were hoping to eventually teach us to learn how tie at least six different balloons. We will continue to hold this type of educational seminars focused on subjects such as face painting, balloons, skit development and pocket magic. These types of activities will hopefully allow us to become better prepared as clowns and allow us to keep up the rich history that all clowns before us have given to us.



I would like to take this opportunity to personally thank Tim Jones for all the time he has spent training all of the apprentices for the last ten years or so. That being said, Tim has decided to step down. Tim has been working so much overtime with his job that he decided to resign his position. The director has appointed a new apprentice director in his place. Please join me in welcoming Greg Osborne as our new apprentice director.

We have been so busy lately. We had our ladies party in July. Bill Amspaugh and his Lady Kathy hosted it and made this event a huge success. Thanks to both of them for all of their hard work.

We have attended several parades starting with the Pro Football Hall of Fame Parade in Canton, Ohio, the Baltimore Parade, and the Bucyrus Parade. Our next event is the parade in Grove City. We will attend the GLUSCA convention on September 21 in Lansing, Michigan. On October 5, we will be at the James Cancer Center at The Ohio State University Hospital. We will be performing for children with cancer and children with family members with cancer. Don't forget the Circleville Pumpkin Show on October 20.

There is only one birthday in September - George "Z-Klown" Mather 9-8.

Look for more from Aladdin in the upcoming months. I will try to keep you informed of the events that take place.

God Bless,

Golf Outing Great Event!

Our Golf Outing at Mentel Memorial Golf Course on Wednesday, July 19 was a delightful event and we had 41 golfers who said they all had fun.

The scramble event was won by the team headed by Paul Wiley with a smooth 66. Prizes were awarded to the first, second, and third place teams and door prizes were awarded to all in attendance. Past President Ron Martino took pictures of all the teams and those were presented at the steak supper held at the K of C Hall after golf. The crew at the K of C, headed by Don Wihl, again, did a superior job and, of course, they didn't make any money on us again this year.

Potentate's Visit: Coming on September 6, the Potentate Visit and Ladies Night gala event at JP Ribs located at Bolton Field Airport. There will be a delicious rib dinner with all the trimmings and we must have a reservation. Dress casual "'cause you'll get rib sauce all over your good clothes." Jeans and bib overalls are fine.

2007 Officer Nominations: Coming in October will be nominations for new 2007 year officers, so be prepared if you are asked to serve the best club in Aladdin land.

Also, dues notices will be mailed in October.

Several of our members have "under the weather" but all are on the mend and back in the harness.

Hardin County

by Ken Rossman

Our regular meeting was held on August 16 at Veterans Memorial Park Club House with 32 Nobles in attendance. Our evening opened with Noble Weaver giving a prayer. We then dined on a great meal prepared and served by Nobles Doornbos, Wagner, Wynegar, Walden, Michel, and Osborn. Good job, Nobles!

Our business meeting opened with President Williams leading us in the pledge of allegiance. We gave a big hand to the kitchen crew. President Williams told that he attended a church service at Mt. Victory Methodist Church where he accepted a check for \$700.00 from Vacation Bible School at Mt. Victory and Ridgeway United Methodist Churches to be donated to our Shrine Burn Center in Cincinnati. Our treasurer, Tim Jolliff, will send this to the burn center. We thank these churches for this generous donation.

Noble Harder noted that he had eye surgery and that Nobles Garmon and Musselman worked on the "Cans for Kids" project. He turned in \$450.00 as our latest total.

Nobles Harder and Jim Holmes took a boy to Erie Shrine Hospital and were given a guided tour of the hospital. They were impressed, especially with the motion room, where children are evaluated.

Noble Wynegar was signing up workers for working at the Coon Dog Trials which will be held the last week of August.

Several Nobles are recovering from health problems. Noble Clinger is now home after triple by-pass surgery. Noble Britt is recovering and says he feels great. Noble Morris is now home after a lengthy stay at Cleveland Clinic. Noble Bradshaw is now on oxygen. We wish the very best to all these Nobles and hope they have complete recovery real soon.

We wish a happy birthday to Noble Ted Elasser who is 86 years-old.

Noble Rossman closed our meeting with a prayer.

Remember, we must "Fly High with Kids."

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Washington C.H. Parade is November 19 - Line up 1:00 PM


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Magnificent Moments

by **Richard Westinghouse**

Most of our lives are filled with high and low times. When the low times become excessive, anxiety and depression seem to appear. These low times are sometimes caused by activities and issues which decrease our ability to function normally.

Recently, I had the privilege of attending a three-day conference on leadership. The very last speaker spoke on anxiety. He made me aware that anxiety is possible in all of us. He indicated that when anxiety is left unchecked, it may lead to emotional outbursts and possibly to a nervous breakdown.

I began to think about Jesus and His earthly problems. He had twelve disciples who never seemed, during his earthly ministry, to comprehend His teaching or lordship. Both the High Priest and most of the Jewish leaders did not accept or acknowledge His position or authority. Pilate, a Roman governor, claimed he found no guilt in Christ and yet he issues orders to crucify Him.

Anxiety is possible in all of us. Why was it not present in the life of Christ? What did Christ do differently? John 15 records Jesus as saying, "I am the true vine, and my father is the vinedresser." Later in this chapter Jesus said, "Abide in me and me in you." Is it possible that we are too much into ourselves and not enough into Christ?

First, Christ went about doing His father's will. Second, Christ enjoyed being with His disciples and third, Christ especially liked to go to Jerusalem. The pattern has been set. What do we enjoy doing? With whom do we enjoy fellowship? Where is our favorite location that makes us feel at ease?

Fill your life with things you enjoy and decrease adding activities which rob you of your health. Finally, read your scriptures and journal your thoughts. It may only be one verse each day. But think about what it says and how it applies to your life today.

This will be a positive step in your health plan and healing. Try it and you may even learn to like it. Always accept God's blessings and pass them on.



Lost in The Desert by **Jim Badgley, Membership Chairman**

The following Nobles are Lost in the Desert, and we need help in finding them.

We know that some have moved but no forwarding addresses have returned to us other than moved and mark undeliverable. There is also a possibility that some may have passed away and we have not been informed of their deaths; so if you know any of these Nobles or their whereabouts, PLEASE INFORM US. (614-475-2609, Ext. 10, Jim Badgley.

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Reception News

by **Ken Beckholt**

Fall is her, the Buckeyes are back on the field and the Shrine and Masonic seasons have started. Where did summer go? It will be time for the unit Christmas Party before you know it.

The summer parades this year saw the Reception Unit well represented. A big thank you goes to all of you who made the parades a success. Yours truly could only make the Bucyrus parade, but I have it on good authority that the Baltimore Parade was a fine one. In my opinion the Bucyrus crowd was the biggest I have seen. A couple of hours before the parade, I was a little worried about the attendance and wondered how many folks would show up. But when we came out of the midway and I saw the size of the crowd lining the last half of the parade route, I got a big surprise. The folks were packed three and four deep on the sidelines!

Don't forget that our meeting dates changed last year to the 3rd Thursday of the month. By now you should have received your reply card in the mail for the next meeting.

Don't forget that in October our normal monthly meeting date changes since it will be the Potentates Visitation. This year it will be at Medallion rather than at Little Turtle as it has in the past few years. The date for the visitation is Friday, October 13. We hope all you October snowbirds can stick around long enough to attend. Let's try to have a good showing for Don and Kris.

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Gallipolis Shrine Club

by Frank Petrie, Jr.

Thanks are not enough for all the Nobles and Ladies who endured the heat and humidity at the 2006 Gallia County Junior Fair gates. We wish to offer our sincerest appreciation for all the hours of dedicated gate keeping to our gate commander, Noble Melvin Craft, and all the gate captains: gate 1 - Noble George Stover, gate 2 - Noble Steve Salisbury, gate - 3 Noble Frank Petrie, Jr., and gate 4 - Noble Tom Pasqualli. It should be noted that there was a vast number of people hours dedicated by Nobles, Ladies, widows and friends of the Gallipolis Shrine Club. Without all of these people devoting their time and energies, this project would not be possible for the betterment of our club.

We always hear some interesting stories during our tabloid collections. This is a story told by one of our Nobles. It seems he offered a Tabloid paper to a little, old lady who handed the paper back to him and said "young man I can't take this because I don't have any money to give you." The Noble quickly explained that she did not have to pay for the paper. He explained that she should keep the paper in case any of her grandchildren or anyone she knew ever needed the services we provide because they would be absolutely free. She took the paper and thanked him several times. About a half-hour later the lady came back with an old crumpled paper bag. She said, "I found these in our car and I wanted you to have them." The bag contained 18 pennies. God bless her and everyone else who gave so generously.

On July 20 the Black Camel stole into our Oasis and took from us, Noble Ernie Sheesley, our first vice president and active brother. Noble Ernie often dressed in his clown costume and visited shut-ins at the local nursing homes and distributed treats to all of them. He brought good cheer wherever he went. He will be sadly missed by family and friends.

Remember to mark your calendars for the Gallipolis Shrine Club Golf Tournament on September 24 at Cliffside Golf Course. For more details see Noble Jack Richards.

Remember the Potentate's annual visit will be on October 14. Also, don't forget the Fall Shrine Ceremonial will be held at the Aladdin Temple on October 28.

Nobles and Ladies, just remember that as we go down this bumpy road of life, that which does not kill us makes us stronger.

See you for supper, Thursdays at 6:30 p.m.

Aladdin's Patrol Marches on...

by G. Vaughn Doss, C.E.

The Patrol Appreciation Get-Together for the Memorial Golf Tournament volunteers was held at the Aladdin Shrine Center in the Oasis Room. We had 30 volunteers to attend and the food was excellent. Lori and her crew at Catering by Design did a great job!

By the time you receive this edition of the *Lamp*, Ray Flauhaus will be home and recuperating from open heart surgery. Ray had surgery on August 17 and spent about 10 days in rehab at Wesley Glen.

We received word from the SPANA Secretary-Treasurer Don Caldwell that Mel Grove, secretary-treasurer emeritus, passed away on August 15 in Fort Wayne, Indiana, at the age of 91. Noble Mel of Medinah Patrol was secretary-treasurer emeritus of both SPANA and GLSPA, having served as secretary-treasurer of SPANA for 28 years and GLSPA for 18 years. He was the first and only one to hold those positions until he decided to step down in 1992.

Congratulations to Gene Mitchell on 50 years in the Patrol. Gene came in the Patrol in February, 1956 and was very active for a number of years and is now serving in the Veteran status. We want to thank Gene for his dedication to the Patrol.

Let us not forget that on Saturday, October 28 we will have the Fall Ceremonial, which we always participate as the Ritualistic Guard. We will need 14-16 Patrolmen to assist in the Ceremonial, so please call Captain Larry to let him know that you are able to help.

Patrolmen, please check the *Lamp*, call the Shrine Center at 614-475-2609 or Aladdin's website: www.aladdinshrine.org for future get-togethers in the Oasis Room. If you haven't been to the Shrine Center lately, they have completed a very nice outside patio. If you're out and about, stop in and check it out.

As always, this is your column, so if you have some news and would like to share it with the Patrol, give me a call. Go BUCKS!

Aren't You Proud to Be A Shriner?

As you are sitting at home writing checks, going through your bills, and oh yes, paying your Shrine dues, I hope you will think about these families and I hope it makes you proud to be a Shriner!

Thursday, August 24, 2006

A house in Cambridge, Ohio explodes. The homes on either side are completely destroyed. The landlord (who was working on a drain) and a 17-year-old girl were in the home when it exploded.

Both are transferred to OSU Medical Center – the girl with burns over 60% of her body. With information from Ron LePage, president of the Kambri Shrine Club, we are able to have the teenage girl transferred to Shriners Hospital in Cincinnati within two hours of receiving the information.

The family is very grateful and extremely amazed at the care given to their daughter, care far and beyond any she received prior to being transferred.

The teenager will be in Cincinnati for many weeks but the family will never receive any bills for her burn care because **you are a Shriner and pay your dues.**

Sunday, May 7, 2006 – Baltimore, Ohio

Mom is removing the brand new saucepan from the stove to the sink. The handle on the saucepan breaks and the boiling water spills on the one-year-old child sitting on the floor. The child is taken to Children's Hospital in Columbus where bills now total hundreds of thousands of dollars for the burn care.

We were alerted to this family by Congressman Dave Hobson (a Shriner), our Chief Rabban, Dee Mowry, and Chuck Hedges. We spoke to the mother and explained to her the benefits of Shriners Hospital Cincinnati. Within the hour the family had their first appointment at Shriners Hospital in Cincinnati scheduled for September 18!

The real tragedy for this family is they are selling their home to help pay for hospital bills and are living on \$30.00 per week for groceries. These bills would not even exist if the child had been flown directly to Shriners Hospital in Cincinnati.

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Now, aren't you proud to be a Shriner?

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What A Day It Was!

Car Club's Car Show A Roaring Success

by James Allen

Largest Car Show and Chicken Roast Yet!

After last year's near disaster with the weather, it was a perfect day for the Annual Corn Roast and Car Show this year. Of course, as Aladdin Car Club members we were primarily concerned with the car show aspect of the event. From our standpoint, it was a roaring success. We had 182 cars and motorcycles registered. The registration duties were very capably handled by Rhonda Hartman (on her own time). Thank you Rhonda. There were over 180 door prizes that were given out by the ladies of our club members. We could not do as well without you. With the help 18 of our club members who donated door prizes, picked the winners, parked cars, etc. Things went smoothly.

A special thanks to George Buttrick and Fred Coventry who "manufactured" the trophies. Fred Coventry deserves a big pat on the back for overseeing the entire car show to a successful conclusion. It was gratifying to have 18 of our 40 members participate in working the show. There were 60 car awards and seven motorcycle awards given out. The Potentate's Award went to Bill Greenwalt for his 1967 Chevy Chevelle.

This event is growing bigger each year. All we need is good weather and enthusiasm all of us to see that this continues to be a money maker for Aladdin. If any of you out there in the Shrine Clubs have cars, trucks, or motorcycles that you would be proud to show, bring them along next year. The more the merrier. Proceeds go to the benefit of Aladdin and the Shrine Hospitals that we support.

We don't sit still in the Aladdin Car Club. Our next event is our fall leaf peeping tour of southeastern Ohio which is being arranged by Chester Van Horn. The date is September 30. We will meet at Meijer's parking lot on Route 33 in Lancaster at 10 a.m. We will proceed by back roads to Old Mans Cave where we will have lunch at the lodge. After lunch, we will drive a short distance to Ash Cave. There is a very easy 15 minute trail, which is handicapped accessible, back to the cave. We will then proceed to the village of Rockbridge back on Route 33 where people can browse through the flea market or make their way back to Columbus. Remember, you don't have to have an old car to participate in these tours. In fact, you don't even have to be a member of the Car Club. If you don't want to drive come and ride along with one of our members. The object is to have a good time and see some beautiful scenery. It will help Chester if you can let him know if you will participate. His phone numbers are 740-342-3215 cell or 740-653-3655 home. We have had several interesting tours in the past and this looks like another. Please join us.

Flying Nobles

by Lee McKelvey

The Flying Nobles' meeting was held the same day as the corn roast and car show at Aladdin. Commander Williams was attending a Bonanza fly-in at northern Michigan and didn't plan on the meeting because of the corn roast. Some members did attend both events.

Frank Koehler made the trip to Oshkosh again this year and reported on his trip to the week long airshow.

Fall Classic at Bolton Field: On Wednesday, September 20 we will be one of the Shrine Clubs to be included in the Fall Classic at Bolton Field. As in previous years, the Potentate and the Divan will be our guests and this will be his visit to our club. This does save all the individual visits and combines one visit for us all which does help save expenses and gasoline. You get a chance to meet members from other clubs that you wouldn't ordinarily get to do. Some are friendly some are not but most are congenial. This is the fourth year this has been at Bolton and it's getting better every year. Hope you can attend.

Nominations for 2007 Officers: October is our meeting month to hold nominations for our 2007 Officers. We can always use your help and it doesn't take too much of your time so think about being an officer. We want to keep the Flying Nobles flying for Aladdin for a long time to come.

PC Don LeFavour is getting around as much as possible and doesn't let anything hold him down when he wants to do something. He uses crutches and sometimes his cane but he and Doris go when they want to go. Best wishes to you Don. I'm told that some of his friends call him "Professor" since he did teach at a college.

PC John Fleming has good days and bad days and we hope he doesn't get any worse. John did a lot for the Flying Nobles and for Aladdin when he had good health. John had a lot of patience to help anyone who needed a helping hand. He is one of my best friends and he is a friend to us all.

Two Good Men Lost to Black Camel: We lost two good men in the Ohio aviation world this past month. One was Norm Crabtree, who was an honorary member of the Flying Nobles and was the Deputy Director of Aviation for Ohio at one time among other things. Norm, along with Governor Rhodes, worked at getting the county airports that we have today. They cost about \$150,000 to build in the 70s and today you couldn't extend the runway a few hundred feet for that amount. They were looking ahead and it paid. Not too many states have what we have by having an airport in every county. Another well know pilot/flight instructor who passed away was Jay Tritt. Jay was a flight instructor most of his life and had at least 33,000 instructing hours. I knew Jay for more than 40 years and I instructed for him at one time out of Port Columbus. I know there are many pilots in the area who were taught by Jay. I'm sure a lot of them made the airlines or became corporate pilots. Both Norm and Jay will be missed.

The Blue Lodge and the Shrine need a lot of good men to become better men. They are out there and I hope we get some of them. I met some of the best men who I know because I joined the Masons.

I hope we get a beautiful day for the Fall Classic and I hope to see you there. The Imperial Potentate has been there a few times and if he is near Columbus I know Potentate Goodman will have him with us.

Everybody stay well and I'll see you later.



Thank You!

The Daughters of the Nile Chicken and Noodle Dinner was a HUGE SUCCESS!!

The ladies thank you so very much for your support, and we hope to see you again next year!

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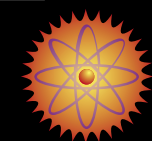


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Chanter News

by Brent Wilson

By the time you read this, fall will definitely be with us, the Buckeyes will be well on their way to running the table for a National Championship, the Cincinnati Reds will surely be ready for their run at the World Series and my youngest child (we only had two) Jamie will be married.

Our own John Ash, Reverend John Ash, will perform the ceremony and his lovely lady Jenna, our Chanter accompanist, will play the music and my daughter will sing. She has a lovely voice, got it from me of course. Our son is marrying a great little gal that we just love to death and I am sure they will be a very happy pair.

Thinking back, a little melancholy, I wonder where the years went. They just flew by and now our children are all grown up and making lives for themselves. Mom and Dad aren't quite so important, but still loved I'm sure. But, what I really want to know is, who took my kids and where did these replacements come from? Did aliens abduct them, do something to their heads and send them back? I always said if anyone kidnapped them, the constant fighting and name calling would cause the kidnappers to bring them back. Now, they actually go out on double dates, help each other with their houses and fix dinner for one another. They actually are nice to each other. What happened? Oh well, maybe they just grew up. Okay, okay, now! How about some grandchildren.

I guess we are all in one stage of growing up or another and with that goes growing older and as that phenomenon occurs, parts start going haywire. I know in our Chanter family, we have some folks that need our thoughts and prayers. Davy Jones and Dick Phelps went to the Village of Westerville Nursing Center to visit Frank Tresenrider. Frank is very weak and has developed an infection. Dan Stainbrook is very well and could still use a prayer or two. Howard Porshinsky tells me he is fine, but his lady Gwen is still having some problems and the doctors don't seem to be able to find the cause. Lou Snyder had a very successful procedure recently and so did Roger Nelson; and, for that we can certainly be thankful. Lou Snyder's Lady Vi has been under the doctor's watchful eye and hopefully she will be fine. As you go through your busy days, remember those less fortunate than you, the sick and suffering, and all of our brave sons and daughters in the military.

Now, here comes the stuff we love, the singing part. Our schedule is as follows:

September 19 - Rehearsal Ladies Night 7:30 p.m.

September 25 - Singing at Ohio Masonic Home, Springfield 7:00 p.m.

September 27 - Social Order of the Beauceant Dinner 8:00 p.m.

September 29 - Potentates Visit

October 2 - Rehearsal 7:30 p.m.

October 6 - SPAGHETTI DINNER

October 9 - Rehearsal 7:30 p.m.

October 17 - Rehearsal Ladies Night 7:30 p.m.

October 20 - Circleville Pumpkin Show Parade

October 24 - Rehearsal 7:30 p.m.

October 28 - Fall Ceremonial

October 31 - Rehearsal 7:30 p.m.

If you have a singing voice or think you have, come join us for a rehearsal or two. We are always looking for voices and this is your chance to be heard. Oh, did I mention we also have a lot of fun!

Thought for the day: A chip on the shoulder is often a piece of wood that has fallen from the head.

BRUTUAL BROTHERS

by Tom Ruggles

For starters this month, we want to send out a big "thank you" to all of the workers who came out to help at the Wendy's Classic LPGA Tournament which on August 21-27 and especially to Director Duane Hays for serving as chairman for this very profitable project.

And another "thank you" goes out to Chief Todd and his committee for the dinner served before our September meeting in the Wolfe Building. It was a great social, made even better because it was "free" (to all except some of those who played cards after the business meeting!). With a few more meetings like this one, I'll bet that we'll be seeing record attendance at our monthly meetings, and probably a swelling of our list of apprentice applicants! Good job, Guys! Keep us the great work.

And likewise, a big "thank you" goes out to our hard working Mobile Equipment crew and Mobile Equipment Chairman Jake Sturgeon for promoting Aladdin's finest in our local communities' parades. In the last couple of months the parade schedule included Baltimore on August 12, Bucyrus on August 18, Nelsonville on August 19, Marion on September 7, and Grove City on September 16.

Near future dates on the parade schedule include the Pumpkin Show in Circleville on October 20 and Washington Court House on November 19. All Brutal Brothers are welcome to go to any parade in which we participate, and if you can go on either of these parades, be sure to let our Mobile Equipment Chairman Jake Sturgeon know so he can plan to take enough equipment.

And based on the old saying that "no news is good news," we have some terrific good news this month: We have not heard from the Sunshine committee of any Brutal Brothers in distress. But, if any one knows of any of our members who might be "under the weather," please let us know.

And there is one last reminder for this month. Our regular monthly meetings are scheduled for the first Tuesday of each month, so be sure to post your calendars. See Ya' there!

Marching with The Legion

by Dick Luckay

GREAT LAKES LOH HAS A NEW COMMANDER – It is now official. Aladdin's Bob Faber is now the Commander of the Great Lakes Shrine Association Legions of Honor. The swearing in was accomplished at the recent GLSA-LOH convocation in London, Ontario, Canada, August 19, 2006. It was an impressive ceremony witnessed by the over 200 Legionobles and Ladies in attendance. That means the 2007 Great Lakes Legion get-to-gather will be here in Columbus in August. Plans are well under way for the event and a large gathering is expected.

There were the usual concerns regarding the meeting in London by the staff in charge; but, as usual, it was an enjoyable three days and the Canadian hospitality continues to be second to none. The food was good, the hospitality rooms were small but well stocked – and frequented – and the weather cooperated all but for one rainy day. Aladdin's Dick Ollila earned the golf outing's silver trophy; Fred Kreutz actually wore his Fez when he was sworn-in as finance officer and the "politicizing" for the 2nd Lieutenant Commander was held to a minimum. Two lessons were learned however, that should be noted for future conventions: 1. Don't ask Dick Ollila to fill your empty water glass; 2. Try to keep Bob Wilson's "few remarks" under an hour.

Those present and accounted-for at the Conference were Commander Bob Faber and Lady Barb, Legionoble Glenn and Lady Judy Ferrone, Legionoble Fred and Lady Gail Kreutz, Legionoble Robert and Lady Betty Jo Spencer, Legionoble Bob Ward and Lady Caroline, Legionoble Bob and Lady Judy Wilson, Legionoble Jack and Lady Lil Woodworth and Legionobles Dick Luckay and Dick Ollila. Aladdin was well represented by this fine group of Nobles and Ladies.

THE LEGION IS "RIDING HIGH" – The parade in Baltimore last month provided a first for the Legion. After following a weary (and sometimes struggling) color guard during the Tampa parade, Potentate Goodman offered the use of Aladdin's bright red Jeep for the Legion's use in future parades. For the first time ever, the four National Colors were carried – as well as all five service flags were displayed flying from the back of the Jeep. It was a sight worth seeing – and repeating at future parades. Commander Faber had the honor of driving the Jeep in the Baltimore Parade and Legionobles Willie Fitchett (P.C.), Bob Krieger, Dick Ollila and Robert Spencer carried the national colors with Dick Luckay providing the marching cadence. The Jeep will give the Legion a more commanding presence in future parades

and provide non-marching Legionobles an opportunity to participate.

Thank you Potentate Goodman! The Legion appreciates your concern and support!

PASS IN REVIEW – The following parades are on the schedule – with Jeep. So non-marchers take notice and plan to be involved:

October 20 – Circleville Pumpkin Parade

November 19 – Washington Court House Parade

SICK CALL – As this issue of the Lamp goes to press, word was received that Past Commander Don Powell had entered a Mississippi hospital for surgery believed to be heart related. Please add his name to your prayer list.

Shiloh

by Tim Gillis

Here it is September already. We had our regular meeting on September 7 and it was pretty well attended. We held election of officers and the results are: Mike McManis, president; Robert Long, vice president; and Harry Steel will remain our secretary/treasurer. Their duties will start the first of October.

Another fine meal was prepared by Robert Long; I wonder if he will keep cooking for us as vice president? If he has to fill in for the president some time, we may go hungary that night. lol! I am sure they have that all arranged.

Lets see – birthdays for the month of September are Chris Barber, Frank Ferguson, Ed Green, Mike Jones, Ken Knox, Terry Perkins, and Richard Whiteside. Can't remember who won the prizes but I know I was not one of them. Sure would have liked to have won the wrenches. Andy kept us abreast on upcoming events. Stag Picnic is October 7 and the Ceremonial will be October 28.

I was chosen to check on new carpet, Thanks Jim.

So there is no confusion, Gilbert, Mike McManis was our out going president and his son, Michael Lee McManis, is the incoming. Some get the two confused. Thanks to Gilbert for a fine year and good luck to Mike on this new year. That's about it so have fun and see you next month the October 5.

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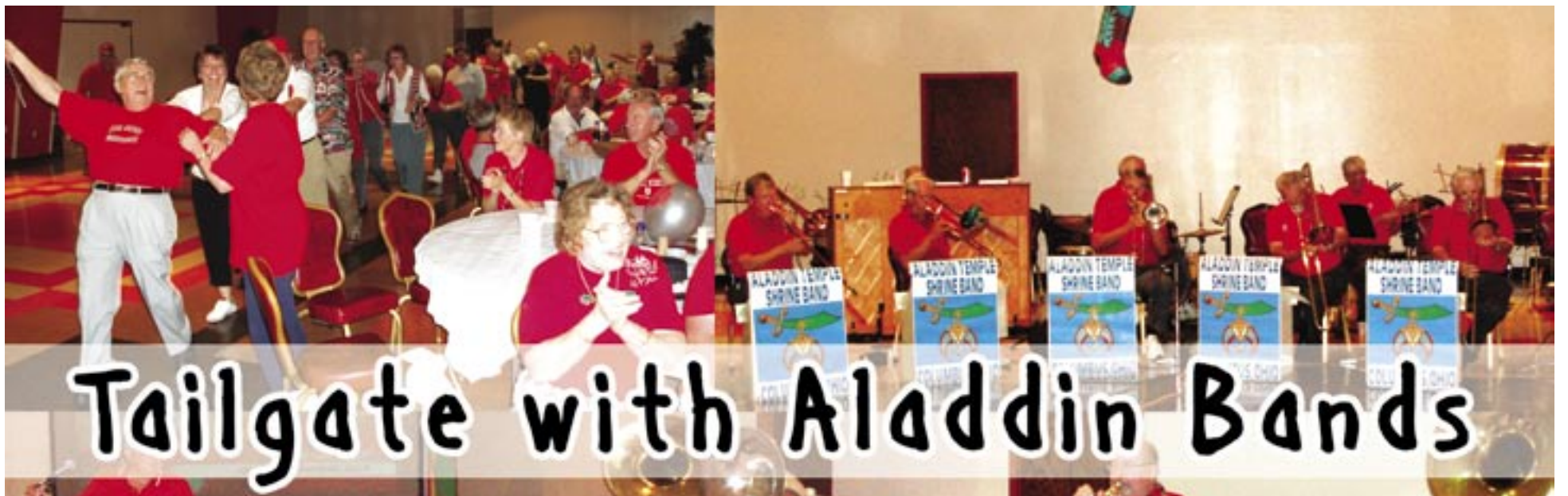
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Steubenville News

by *Anthony Violi*

Greetings from Steubenville.

The August 3 meeting of the Steubenville Shrine Club was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by club President Noble Dave Hunt at Aladdin Land. He led the Nobility in the pledge to the flag of our great country. Prayer was offered by Ill. Noble Harry Williams. He asked the Lord to bless all crippled children and all servicemen who are defending our country, and for the Lord to guide us in all we do.

Reported ill were Nobles Herb Utzler and Henry Whitman. Both are in Trinity West Hospital. Noble Bob Moffatt Sr., 1st vice president, informed the Nobility that he is having eye problems and was in the hospital for an MRI. The Nobility wishes all distressed Nobles a speedy recovery.

Noble Harry Williams thanked all for their prayers, cards and concern during his recent illness.

The minutes of the July meeting, as presented by Secretary Noble Leonard Morris, and the treasurer's report, as presenter by Treasurer Noble Jerry Williams, were accepted. Noble Ken Gorney, Luau Chairman, reported that the Luau was a huge success. One hundred and two Nobles and friends were in attendance. Twenty members from the Divan and their wives, were present. What an energetic and fun group. Noble Mike VanHuss displayed his talents as a Hula dancer. He had all the right moves. He was assisted by Noble Ken Gorney, who was dressed as a lady ???.

Our club was honored to have Ill, Potentate Donald Goodman present. He informed us that it was his 10th wedding anniversary. He was pleasantly surprised when Noble Ken Gorney and his wife, Lady Jackie, presented Ken and his wife, Lady Kris, with a large cake.

I had the pleasure of spending some time with Noble Gary Schuen and his Lady Patti. What nice people they are. Music was provided by our president, Noble Dave Hunt. Noble B. J. Johnson informed the members that the Board of Governors would be having an open house on Sunday Aug. 6th and any Noble who would like to attend should meet him at the Temple.

Past President Noble Al Dubois, golf outing chairman, stated that the outing was a success. He was applauded for his efforts.

Motor Patrol Chairman Noble Jim Halstead informed the Nobility that the Patrol would participate in a parade in Scio on August 18th. He displayed a beautiful shirt, with the Shrine logo, that would be worn by riders.

We were saddened to hear the Noble Jason Gorney, son of Noble Ken Gorney, would be moving to Atlanta. He has been very active in our club and will be missed.

Lady Nancy Kotora offered to donate "kitchen stuff" to our club. She was thanked for her offerings. Noble Morris reminded the Nobility that the Shrine is still having dinners for Shriners and their friends on the third Wednesday of each month. Attendees will find good food and fellowship. Our club will have a rummage sale in September at Aladdin Land. Items can be brought out for storage.

A happy birthday was extended to Noble Larry Sneathan. His birthday is September 14. Noble Jim Halstead and his Lady Patty, will celebrate their 38th wedding anniversary on August 31.

Noble Bob Wilson and his Lady Dessie will celebrate their 59th wedding anniversary on August 24. They are the parents of two sons. The writer of this article and his wife Alice will celebrate their 62nd anniversary on August 25. They are the parents of three daughters, one living in Maine, one in California (ocean to ocean) and one in Pataskala.

Noble B. J. Johnson proudly announced that his granddaughter, Marcy Haught, started medical school at Lewisburg, West Virginia and granddaughter, Nicole Haught, started law school at the University of Dayton.

The writer of this article informed the Nobility that, as a graduate of OSU and a member of the Alumni Band, he will play and march in the band on September 2 during the game between Ohio State and Northern Illinois. At 88 years old, he will be one of the oldest marching members.

Distinguished Mason Ill. Harry Williams 33, Jerry Williams, KYCH, and Anthony Violi, Meritorious Service, were recognized. Local lodge reports were given. 25- and 50-year members and past presidents were also recognized. A closing prayer was given by Ill. Noble Harry Williams.

Delicious food, as prepared by 2nd Vice President Frederick Gorney was available. Fellowship followed. GOD BLESS AMERICA

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