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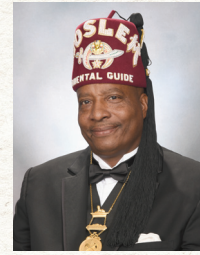
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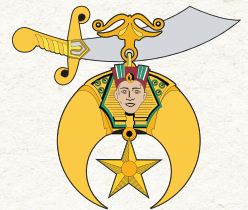
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Potentate's notes



Gary Lewandowski, Potentate

Greetings Nobles, April already?! There sure is a lot of truth to the old saying "time flies!" So here are some comments and thoughts...

I'd like to start this article by thanking several dedicated Nobles and Ladies, starting with Illustrious Sir Mike Zelmanski, who once again "hit one out" with the recent Sportsman's Raffle. I'm very happy to say that our net from this event was one of the biggest yet...so a tip of the Fez to Ill. Sir Mike and ALL who volunteered to work and make this event a success!

Moving on...our W.W.T.G.L. (Who Wants to Get Lucky) party back in February was another amazing success, thanks to Lady Diana McCusker, who chose her team and worked tirelessly to put on a GREAT event even in spite of threatening weather! The net profit proving to be the largest since we started the event years ago... so we applaud you Lady Diana and give a tip of the fez to your better half, our HP&P Pat and the rest of the volunteers who showed everyone how to do it, and do it right!

Moving on to the St. Patrick's Day party. This too was held at our new home and was just a "fun" event, but we actually made a few \$\$ thanks to the great efforts of Noble Scott Clark and his wife Pam...and I will put Scott's corned beef up against anyone's! Noble Scott has game too, as I could never even try to match his moves on the "Unicorn song," I think it's his favorite.

Something new in this month's Moslemite, and that is the "Ask the Divan" section. We did get some great

questions that I think you will find interesting and the answers informative and enlightening.

My Lady Lori and I recently attended the Installation of Officers for the "Daughters of the Nile" and the "LOSNA" (Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America). So a hearty congratulations to Queen Mary Kinning of the Daughters of the Nile and to High Priestess Lady Rena Bloom of the L.O.S.N.A. you are both going to have outstanding years and the entire Nobility of Moslem Shrine wishes you all the best!

The Daughter's of the Nile and the LOSNA (Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America) are the (2) most prominent Ladie's organizations that support Shriners and our hospitals, and believe me, we could NOT accomplish what we do if not for their selfless dedication and support. Like I said at one of the installations...without the (Ladies) support, we're just a bunch of guys...and you know how well that works. (just kidding)

During one of the installations, I was asked if "that rock" was real. They were referring to the rough ashlar in the East in the Lodge room.

I told them yes it was real, but later I asked the group who were gathered for the luncheon if they noticed the "rocks" and if anyone knew what they represented? Some noticed them but I was a little taken back by the lack of understanding, of what they represented...so I explained it like this...

Potentate's notes

There are (2) stones (aka; "the rocks") in the Lodge, one is the rough ashlar, the other being the finish ashlar. The rough ashlar represents the building blocks of the Temple in their pure state as taken from the quarry. The other, the finished ashlar, owing to its precise state, is ready to be used in the building of structures. Okay, so that's understandable, but the Masonic teachings use these examples of us and our lives. We come into this world a rough ashlar, and hope to go out as finished ashlar. How one gets there is determined by how we live our lives, because it is our personal finished ashlar that is used to build that house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens... a house we hope we can reside in one day.

When we purchased our new home in Farmington Hills last year, Illustrious Sir Tommy Thompson appointed Illustrious Sir Mike Zelmanski to take on the enormous responsibility of project lead to finish the interior of our new home as well the other improvements we made on the outside...i.e. our new sign, flagpole, the resurfacing and re-stripping of the lot and the list goes on. Illustrious Sir Mike was also given the approval to choose his team, and I believe he made some great choices, so if you haven't visited Moslem's Home lately, I encourage you to do so...stop in any day and you'll be able to see how well it is all coming together! We have a targeted completion sometime before the Imperial Convention in Atlanta the first week of July...so I'm excited to say there will be a formal dedication soon after the Imperial.

I like to use an old term called "Synergy," and the simple meaning is that the sum is greater than the two equal parts. Just a couple Nobles working in unison can accomplish a lot, but what many can achieve when working together is insurmountable!

Once an organization like our gains (or re-gains) momentum like Mighty Moslem is experiencing now, we will just keep growing and prospering.

But we can do a lot better!!!

I'd like to ask each of you to remember why you joined. What were your aspirations? Where did you see yourself in 1, 5 or even many years? How much effort have you invested in your life as a Shriner?

Moslem Shrine isn't a brick-and-mortar building, Moslem Shrine is the heart and soul of every Noble present and past...Moslem Shrine is YOU!

S&F

Gary Lewandowski
Potentate - 2025

"As iron sharpens iron, so a friend sharpens a friend."
- Proverbs 27:17

Assistant Rabban's notes



Sean Nagoda, Assistant Rabban

You read that right, the meat raffle is coming back! Exciting times folks. More details to come but here are a few to "wet your beak".

Yes, the meat raffle will be on October 4th, 2025. Time is still to be determined. Prices will be announced later. Just a heads up, they will be going up a little, but it will still be an affordable event for all. (I'm not happy about the price hike either) With inflation and other financial factors the old prices just won't cover it any longer.

BYOC (bring your own cooler) and some snacks. We may do a prize for the best themed table. So put your thinking caps on now and get some ideas together. More on that later.

We will still have great prizes. Ribs, bacon, dogs (hot) just to name a few, there will be plenty more than those I just mentioned. Oh, AND YES, THERE WILL BE SPAM!!!!!! So don't worry, old traditions will still be around!

I will be needing help with the meatomountal event. We need runners to sell the tickets, a few for the bank. We're going to need people in the kitchen\coolers to

bring out the meats. I'm sure I'm forgetting some of the jobs needed but don't worry, the team will do great in making this a successful event for all to enjoy. If you are interested in helping with the event, please reach out to me by phone or email and I will get you on the list!

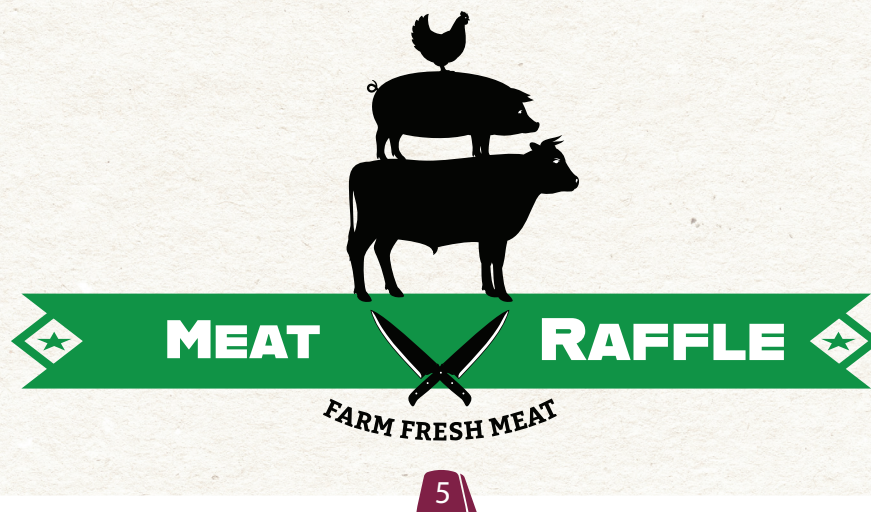
This has always been a great event for all of us. It has always been one of my favorite events to go to. Fun for all!

Look out for a flyer around June\July with all the details. This will be a limited capacity event, so when reservations open, be sure to claim your seat!

I look forward to seeing you at the MEAT RAFFLE!!!

Yours in the faith,
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GET YOUR COOLERS READY!!!!!! ITS COMING BACK!!!!!! NOBLES, LADIES, FRIENDS, FAMILY, OCTOBER 4TH IT RETURNS!!!!!! MOSLEMS MEAT RAFFLE MAKES ITS TRIUMPHANT RETURN!!



Recorder's notes



Robert W. Pate, 33°, P.P. - Recorder, Moslem Shriners

Es Salaam Aleikum to all the Nobles.

Shriners International Headquarters: The Core of the Fraternity and Health Care System

Like any large organization, both Shriners International and Shriners Hospitals for Children depend on a significant infrastructure. The organization's headquarters is home to the administrative personnel for both the Shriners International and Shriners Hospitals for Children corporations, and is located at 2900 North Rocky Point Drive, in Tampa, Florida.

The following departments at headquarters support the day-to-day operations of the fraternity and philanthropy:

Accounting
Compliance
Facilities Management
Hospital Operations
Information Services
Medical Administration
Membership
Patient Financial Services
Planning & Business Development
Shriners Hospitals for Children
Supply Chain Management

Building Operations
Donor Relations
Fraternal Information Services
Human Resources
Legal Affairs
Medical Informatics
Orthotics & Prosthetics
PGA Events
Revenue Integrity
Shriners International

CDI and Utilization Mgt.
East-West Shrine Game
Health Information Mgt.
Imperial Accounting
Marketing & Communications
Medical Research
Patient Care Affairs
Supply Chain Mgt.
Telehealth

From 1928 to Today

In the early days – until the 1950 – headquarters' business was managed from the home or office of the Imperial Recorder. The first Shriners International Headquarters was established in rented space in Chicago in 1958, followed by the purchase of an office building in Chicago in 1961. At a special session in 1978 representatives voted to relocate headquarters to Tampa, where it remains today. Tampa was ultimately chosen for many reasons, including the weather, airport, and available work force.

The headquarters in Tampa began as a 48,000-square-foot facility, but over the years, it underwent substantial renovations to accommodate growing staff. Now it covers approximately 120,000 square feet of total office area, consisting of three levels, and there are additional offices in off-site locations, as well. The building is home to two separate organizations – Shriners International, the fraternity, and Shriners Hospitals for Children, the health care system. To support the complex needs of both organizations, more than 500 people currently work at Shriners International Headquarters.

Recorder's notes

Commemorative Plaza

The plaza in front of the building is known as Commemorative Plaza and was built in 1993. In the center of the plaza is the statue of a Shriner carrying a little girl and her crutches, a symbol based on a photograph taken in 1970 that has become known as the "Editorial Without Words." The polished marble plaza features a semi-circular wall, engraved with the names of every Imperial Potentate and his year served. Below the statue is a cylinder base, surrounded by a cylindrical base with the names of all the Shriners Hospitals for Children. Around the fountain are large inlaid marble squares being the names of each of over 200 Shrine temples, with their corresponding locations, year of charter and the crescent and scimitar emblem.

Showcasing Our Rich History

Beyond the impressive architectural features of Shriners International Headquarters, exhibits and building are used to educate and entertain guests. Tours are also available on request.

Museum-quality exhibits line the main hallways, and a Shriners International Exhibit room, informally known as the memorabilia room, off the lobby showcases the history and memorabilia of the fraternity and the health care system. On display in the exhibit room are novelties that range from fezzes representing every temple, to the original Ancient Ritual written by the founders, to century-old Imperial Session badges, to an authenticated collection of Noble and famous actor John Wayne's guns. Plaques educate visitors on the significance of the display pieces.

Miniature Shriners Parade

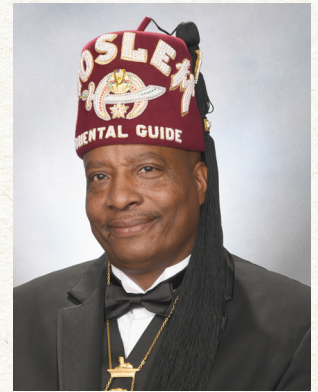
Also unique to Shriners International Headquarters is a centerpiece of the lobby – a 15-foot long, 7-foot wide and 4.5 foot-tall mechanical model of a Shriners parade dating back to 1945. The original version included a model of the Taj Mahal at one end, which was removed and replaced with a more traditional parade viewing-stand in later years. When the button is pushed, the Shriners "march" in the mechanical parade. After being on exhibit for many years at the George Washington Masonic National Memorial, the display was moved to Shriners International Headquarters in 2013.

Schedules a Tour

With advance notice, tours of the building can be scheduled. Each tour consists of a walk-through of the building with commentary, led by a tour guide, along with a visit to the memorabilia room. For more information, please call the corporate marketing and communications department at 813-281-8162, or email mmarketing@shrinenet.org.

Yours in the Faith,
Robert W. Pate, 33°, P.P. - Recorder, Moslem Shriners

Oriental Guide's notes



Michael Cheney - Oriental Guide

My First Visit to the Oriental Guide Leadership Conference

This year, I had the amazing opportunity to attend the 2025 Oriental Guide Leadership Conference in Tampa, Florida. As a new Divan member of the Moslem Shrine Temple, I was both excited and a little nervous. I didn't know exactly what to expect, but I knew this conference would help me become a better leader and help support the important work we do as Shriners.

A Warm Welcome in Tampa

When I arrived in Tampa, I was greeted by friendly faces from all over the country. There were Shrine leaders from different temples, all coming together to learn and grow. It felt great to be surrounded by so many people who shared the same passion for helping others.

The conference took place at the Tampa Airport Marriott, an excellent venue for networking and learning. I was truly impressed by the seamless organization. From check-in onward, everything was thoughtfully arranged—schedules, name badges, and even some great Shriners gear were provided right away!

Learning to Lead

The conference had many great workshops and sessions. Some of the topics we covered included:

What It Means to Be an Oriental Guide

This session taught me about the responsibilities of my role and how I can best serve my temple and fellow Nobles.

The History and Future of Shriners International

I loved learning about how our organization started and where we are headed.

How to Be a Great Leader

This session gave me tips on leading with confidence and teamwork.

Shriners Children's

We talked about the incredible work being done to help children in need. It reminded me why I became a Shriner

in the first place! One of my favorite parts was listening to experienced Shrine leaders share their stories. They gave advice, shared funny memories, and reminded us that being a leader isn't just about making decisions—it's about helping others succeed.

Meeting New Friends

One of the best things about this conference was meeting other Oriental Guides from temples across the country and around the world. We all had different experiences, but we shared a common goal: to serve and support our temples, our communities, and Shriners Children's.

We spent time networking, sharing ideas, and even enjoying some fun social events in the evening. It was great to know that I now have a group of friends and mentors I can call on whenever I need advice or encouragement.

The Shriners International is also shifting its focus toward family-centered activities. They've introduced events like Gayla's Banquets, which combine elegant dining with entertainment suitable for all ages. Other initiatives include interactive workshops and outdoor festivals designed to bring families closer together, creating fun and meaningful experiences.

Taking Home Valuable Lessons

As I headed back home to Detroit, I felt more prepared and inspired to take on my role as Oriental Guide for Moslem Shrine Temple. The lessons I learned at support my fellow Nobles, and continue to grow in the Shrine.

I'm grateful for this opportunity, and I encourage every future Oriental Guide to attend this conference. It's more than just a weekend of learning—it's an experience that connects you to the heart of what it means to be a Shriner. I can't wait to put everything I've learned into action and help Moslem Shrine Temple continue its mission of brotherhood, leadership, and service.

Oriental Guide's notes

Attending the 2025 Oriental Guide Leadership Conference was just the beginning of my journey as a leader in the Shrine. I look forward to growing, learning, and helping our organization thrive.

Until next time, my fellow Nobles—keep the Shrine spirit alive!

Michael Cheney, Divan Member, Moslem Shrine Temple

Treasurer's notes



Joe Merem, Treasurer

News from Shiners Children's Erie

I would like to take this opportunity to personally, as well as on the behalf of SC Erie, thank you all for your generosity in your donations to our facility. Special thanks to the Daughters of the Nile for their \$10,000.00 donation toward Sled Hockey equipment, supporting Erie's Team.

Also to The Red and White Fez Club, for their donation of \$5,000.00 to Erie's Child's nutrient-ion program. Thank you.

If any clubs, units or persons are interested in contributing to our philanthropy, please feel free to contact me.

Erie is moving forward at full speed; The motion analysis lab is up and operating again, the only such apparatus in NW Pa. We are on pace to see more new patients then in the last decade,

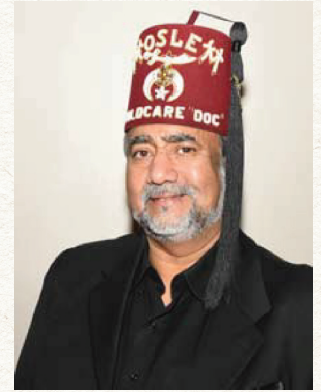
Erie has performed 33 surgical cases through February with a cost of \$0.00, thanks to our relationship with our partner medical hospitals including; Philly, UMPC (Pitt Campus) and Hamot Hospital. However, we do have the surgeons on contract for fee for service. We have made several updates to our 8th Street building and more planned. Fresh paint, a new entrance, and a cleaner, more inviting waiting room for children. And we

can't forget the new comfort Dogs that are helping to keep the children smiling and their minds off their appointments. I believe a new roof is next and automated lunch room kiosk. Things are changing for the better in ALL our facilities. Best Care Anywhere!

Lastly, we are having our Hospital days on June 1, 2025. The building will be open with a self tour at your own pace. There will also be a car show, units pass and review. Don't forget the Food Truck, which incidentally is available to our staff one day a week each month through the warm weather. Maybe that accounts for the very favorable employee retention rate of 98%. In celebration of Erie Hospital days, Moslem has made arrangements to send the Coach to Erie for a same-day trip to transport Nobles and spouses. However, you must RSVP, at this time there are only five spots open. Thank you Moslem Child Care for allowing the Coach to represent our proud Temple at the Open House.

Respectfully your Hospital Rep, Joe Merem
Erie Board of Governors and Erie Treasurer
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The Doctor's notes



Dr. Singh, Childcare Director

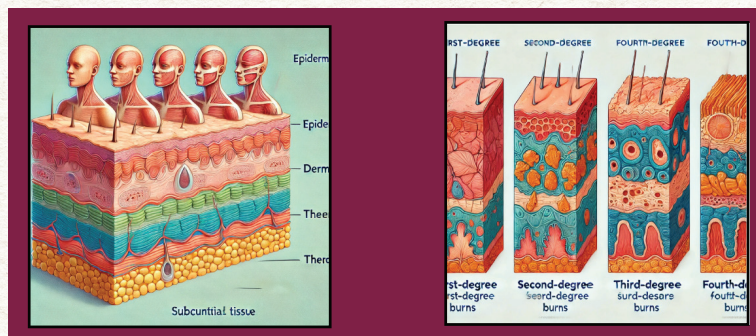
The Science of Healing: How Shriners Children's Hospitals Treat Complex Burn Injuries

Burn injuries are among the most devastating traumas a child can endure, often requiring long-term, multidisciplinary care. At Shriners Children's Hospitals, we specialize in the treatment of all types and severities of burns, combining medical expertise, advanced technology, and compassionate care. Our mission goes beyond simply treating injuries – we rebuild futures. This article is a very basic understanding of what burns are and how Shriners treat them.

Understanding the Skin: The Body's First Line of Defense

The skin is the largest organ in the body, serving as a barrier against infection, regulating body temperature, and allowing sensory interaction with the world. It consists of three primary layers:

- **Epidermis:** The outermost layer, responsible for protecting against environmental damage.
- **Dermis:** The middle layer containing blood vessels, nerves, hair follicles, and glands.
- **Subcutaneous Tissue (Hypodermis):** The deepest layer made of fat and connective tissue that insulates and cushions the body.
- Burns compromise the integrity of these layers to varying degrees, and the depth of injury dictates both the treatment and potential complications.



- 1) Here's the first illustration: an artistic yet educational depiction of the skin layers and how different degrees of burns penetrate each one.
- 2) Here's the illustration showing the four degrees of burns in a clear, side-by-side comparison.

The Doctor's notes

Degrees of Burns: Severity Matters

First-Degree Burns

- **Damage:** Limited to the epidermis.
- **Appearance:** Red, dry, painful.
- **Complications:** Minimal; may cause peeling and temporary pigmentation change.
- **Treatment:** Often managed with topical ointments and pain control.

Second-Degree Burns

- **Damage:** Extends into the dermis.
- **Appearance:** Blisters, wet appearance, severe pain.
- **Complications:** Risk of infection, scarring, and loss of elasticity.
- **Treatment:** Requires wound dressings, possible debridement, and scar management.

Third-Degree Burns

- **Damage:** Entire epidermis and dermis; may reach subcutaneous tissue.
- **Appearance:** White, leathery, or charred; usually painless due to nerve destruction.
- **Complications:** High risk of infection, extensive scarring, loss of function.
- **Treatment:** Often requires surgical intervention and skin grafts.

The Doctor's notes

Fourth-Degree Burns

- **Damage:** Extends through all skin layers, muscle, and even bone.
- **Appearance:** Blackened, necrotic tissue.
- **Complications:** Life-threatening; permanent disability.
- **Treatment:** Intensive surgery, possible amputation, reconstructive procedures.

The Complexity of Burn Treatment: Why Timing is Critical

Time is of the essence in burn care. The initial hours following an injury are crucial for assessing severity, preventing infection, and minimizing long-term damage. At Shriners, we follow a carefully orchestrated timeline for intervention.

- **Acute Phase (First 24-48 Hours):** Stabilization, fluid resuscitation, and wound assessment.
- **Sub-Acute Phase:** Surgical debridement and grafting as needed.
- **Rehabilitation Phase:** Physical therapy, emotional support, and scar management.
- **Long-Term Care:** Reconstructive surgeries, psychosocial support, and life-long follow-up.

Delays in care can lead to deeper tissue damage, increased risk of complications, and prolonged hospital stays. Our team acts fast and collaboratively to prevent these outcomes.

Complications We Manage at Shriners Hospitals

- **Infection:** Burn wounds are highly susceptible to bacterial invasion.
- **Scarring & Contractures:** Improper healing can cause the skin to tighten and restrict movement.
- **Psychological Trauma:** Pain, body image concerns, and PTSD are common, especially in children.
- **Nutritional Deficits:** Burns dramatically increase metabolic demands.
- **Loss of Function:** Especially with deep burns on joints or limbs.

These challenges require a coordinated effort from surgeons, nurses, physical therapists, psychologists, and nutritionists.

The Doctor's notes

Cutting-Edge Technology in Burn Care

Shriners Children's Hospitals are at the forefront of burn treatment innovation. Our tools and techniques are designed not just to save lives—but to restore quality of life.

- **3D Bioprinted Skin:** We are participating in research that uses a patient's own cells to create customized skin grafts.
- **ReCell® Autologous Cell Harvesting System:** A spray-on skin solution made from a patient's own skin, promoting faster healing with minimal scarring.
- **Fractional CO2 Laser Therapy:** Reduces scars, improves skin elasticity, and restores appearance.
- **Virtual Reality for Pain Management :** Interactive VR experiences help children manage pain and anxiety during wound care.
- **Teleburn Services:** Remote consultations and follow-up care allow for expert support even in under served areas.

Beyond the Burn: Rebuilding Lives

What makes Shriners truly unique is our commitment to holistic healing. Every child receives care regardless of a family's ability to pay, and our approach includes:

- **Child Life Specialists:** Help children cope with hospitalization through play and education.
- **Family-Centered Care:** Families are included in the care process from day one.
- **Reconstructive Surgery:** Multiple procedures may be needed as children grow.
- **Peer Support & Community Reintegration:** Helping kids return to school and social activities with confidence.

Conclusion: Restoring Hope, One Child at a Time

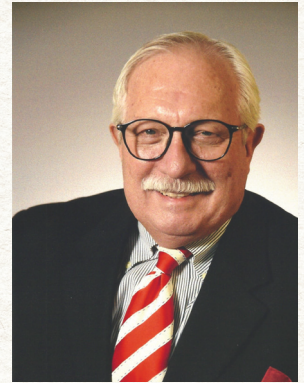
At Shriners Children's Hospitals, treating burns is both a science and an art. Each patient journey is different, but all are guided by compassion, innovation, and a deep understanding of how complex burn injuries truly are. From minor first-degree burns to life-threatening fourth-degree injuries, we're equipped to handle it all—with the urgency it demands and the heart it deserves.

Here's the illustration of a pediatric patient receiving fractional CO2 laser therapy in a gentle, child-friendly environment.



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Tim Lancaster, Past Potentate – Moslem Shriners

THE BEST OF ALL WORLDS SO TO SPEAK.

SCO has become one of the premier hospitals in the Shriners system. Mission ready and at virtual capacity. Our partnership with Dayton Children's Hospital has been a most rewarding joint venture. The physicians and staff are extremely pleased with the efficiency of the arrangement. Shriners Children's Ohio is in the process of renegotiating their lease which will include 22 thousand additional square feet of space, this imminent move will double the current size. Imperial recognized SCO's encouragement, to invest in the Dayton Ronald McDonald house. Their 3-million-dollar contribution has resulted in the expansion of the facility, and it will be completed and dedicated this Spring. SCO will now be able to accommodate many more families whose children are being treated at our facility.

THE KEY TO ALL THIS SUCCESS IS WORLD CLASS CARE AND TREATMENT.

INDIVIDUALIZED CARE: None of this would be possible without the expert individualized care made available to our patients: Our team is committed to providing your child with an approach to treatment that is unique to their need and condition.

A LEADER IN PEDIATRIC BURN CARE: Our team at Shriners Children's Ohio is one of the most experienced in United States in burn care and plastic and reconstructive surgery.

TREATING COMPLEX WOUND AND SKIN CONDITIONS: Our staff has been treating complex wound and skin conditions since 1968. Our team is continually dedicated to ongoing education and innovation surrounding these conditions.

AMERICAN CLEFT PALATE-CRANIOFACIAL ASSOCIATION CERTIFIED:

Our facility is certified by the American Cleft Palate-Craniofacial Association (APCA). The APCA is committed to supporting the care of patients affected by cleft lip and craniofacial conditions.

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Providing expert pediatric burn and plastic surgery care in Ohio since 1968, seeing patients from 34 states and 25 countries.

Please call me directly for more information and if you know of a possible referral. Or you may have a group for me to address or fund-raising opportunities.

Tim Lancaster, Past Potentate – Moslem Shriners

**Member of the Board of Governors, Shriners Children's Ohio (248) 613-5668
or Pam York our Childcare Transportation Director (248) 569-2900 (Let's talk)**

New for the Moslemite, each edition will have a new section called

Ask the DIVAN

The first question submitted came in (3) parts, and it was regarding the new building and how much has been spent...

- a) on acquiring the building, total cost including all acquisitions
- b) on total renovation costs for all renovations to date
- c) what is anticipated to be spent to complete any outstanding renovations

The Potentate responds:

These are great questions that each Noble in good standing has every right to know. However, we are NOT permitted to disclose any financial information in a public forum or on social media outlets which the Moslemite falls into.

That said, if any Noble in good standing would like to review this information, including a YTD P/L on the building or any other financial records, they need to contact our Recorder and make an appointment to come in and meet him and our Accountant Brian and we'd be happy to accommodate you. Please understand that you cannot make copies or take pictures of the records, but you can spend as much time as you'd like and take notes.

An easier way to gain this information will be to simply attend one of our stated meetings, where this information is presented to our Nobility.

I am happy to state that we are substantially UNDER budget on the building overall and will be once the renovations are complete...which we anticipate being sometime after the Imperial Sessions in July.

Question #2:

Imperial requires that we hold a minimum of (4) Stated meetings a year. Why do we only do the minimum for this and not do "bi-monthly" Stated meetings?

Recorder and Illustrious Sir Bob Pate, 33° responds:

I suggest we discuss this at the upcoming stated meeting in June and see how the Nobility feels about bi-monthly Stated meetings. If they decide they want this change, the Divan will be glad to accommodate them...but to date, for Moslem Shrine, having (4) Stated meetings annually seems to have worked well.

Further, we live and communicate in 2025, and with today's technologies, we have many ways to get the word out to the entire Nobility. We have WebFez, Constant Contact, the Moslemite, our website (www.detroitshriners.com), Facebook and several other means of communication to the Nobility, even if there is an emergency notification that needs to go out... it happens.

Ask the Divan Continued...

Yes, the Divan does meet every other week, and they do so to be able to deal with the many working parts of our organization that come to us on an almost daily basis. If there are issues that the Divan feels **MUST** go out to the Nobility immediately, that will happen without hesitation. If not, then the quarterly Stated meetings are the place to update everyone.

Remember, the Nobility voted on the Potentate and the entire Divan to run the “day to day” operations of the Temple, and we take that responsibility very seriously. We will always strive for complete transparency throughout Moslem Shriners.

Question #3:

Why, if we are a “volunteer” organization is a volunteer working an event like the Sportsman’s Raffle expected to purchase a ticket?

The Potentate responds:

The Sportsman’s Raffle, being our largest fundraising event, welcome and encourage our volunteers to participate. No event is considered to be or has it ever been a “Pay to Volunteer” event, but it is hoped that the individual Noble /volunteer would recognize the nature of the event, (that being a “fundraiser,”) and see the benefits of buying a ticket. It not only supports the raffle (and Moslem overall), but you get food, drink, a chance to win some very nice prizes and entertainment which far exceed the cost of a single ticket.

Moslem Shrine has never expected anyone to “pay to volunteer,” but because many of these events are fundraisers, as a Moslem Shriner & volunteer, you are hoped and encouraged to support it...and maybe have a little fun doing so. The policy going forward (even in 2025) will be that the Chairperson of the event will have the final call on whether or not to charge the volunteers.

Question #4:

I found out of a recent ‘short form’ ceremony that was being held for several new members but yet no correspondence was sent out to the nobility to attend and welcome the new nobles.

It’s frustrating when the membership director talks about this but fails to send out the information. Is there any process in place for this to not continue to occur?

This is a big moment for the nobles and if more nobles could get notified of this it would make it more meaningful other than just the Divan.

AR Sean Nagoda responds:

“Short Form” ceremonies often happen with very short notification (like within days) and can be anywhere from one candidate to several. Most recently we had (8), and there were more attending than just the Divan. These “short form” installations are done primarily to get a new Noble active as soon as possible so he can start learning and enjoying our organization. A “short form” only takes approximately 20 minutes to preform because it is the “first section” of a 2-part ceremony. One more thing, the Noble who is with them at that time should be assisting in getting that newly created Noble active and should be a personal mentor.

The Noble asking this question also stated: “I’m not blaming anyone at all, but it seems to me that our processes have gotten a little out of plumb when it comes to increasing our membership. It’s almost like it’s nothing more than a money grab. They sign up, pay the fee get sworn in and never heard from again till the next quarterly meeting.

Ask the Divan Continued...

To say that this is “nothing more than a money grab” is unfair to our organization. The newly Installed Noble is given a wealth of information including becoming a member of the “Potentates Unit” and are encouraged to “BECOME INVOLVED!” In addition, they are also made aware of the Fall Ceremonial and asked to attend, thus completing the second part of their installation.

What an individual new Noble does after they join us is entirely up to them, but we know that our Membership Chairman holds frequent meetings for the Pote’s Unit that keeps the new members up on what is going on...and these meetings are open to ANY Noble in good standing.

Remember, you can lead a horse to water but you can’t make them drink it. I say this because it’s true. It’s not an insult. We can invite them to all our events but if they are not going to take a little bit of initiative themselves to become active and they don’t, no matter how hard we try, we can’t fix it.

Our Membership Chairman will post notifications of when these “short form” installations are scheduled to take place, and yes, the Nobility is always welcome to attend.

I challenge all the Nobility if you are able, to come to the next “short form” and show the new Noble(s) the support they have with their new expanded family.





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The Motor Corp Unit has changed our motorcycle requirements regarding the Harley-Davidson motorcycles. You must have a late Model Arctic White Ultra Classic. You can buy a new or used motorcycle as long as it meets the Unit's requirements. The Motor Corp Unit used to purchase a new Harley-Davidson every two (2) years. That requirement is not the case today.

The Motor Corp Unit will teach you (and practice) our parade and competition maneuvers. The Moslem Shriners' Motor Corp has over sixty (60) years of riding tradition. Come ride with us.

Contact Unit Director Gary Kolwaski at 248-842-6059 for information relating to date, time and location of meetings.

Join the Best, Ride with the Best.



Congratulations to Potentate Gary Lewandowski and his Divan. The Motor Corp would like to welcome two new riding members Ken Rosol and Carl Harrison.



Greetings from the newest Unit of Moslem Shrine.

Motor City Nobles ("MO CI NO") is excited to be Moslem Shrine's newest unit. We enthusiastically ride as a group to put smiles on children's faces and to help raise funds for Shriner's hospitals.

We also had the opportunity to assist ELF Khurafeh Temple by working multiple shifts for their circus fundraiser when they were running lean because of a participation conflict with a funeral services for the passing of a past potentate. With Moslem Winter Sportsman's Raffle, we had a great success with our own unit raffle and look forward to participating in the upcoming summer one.

We have finished our first year as a new unit and look forward to kicking off our 2nd year of parades and unit fellowship opportunities. With the start of parade season right around the corner, we have already scheduled our unit "work party" to work on our trucks together to support each other.

Membership has grown in the unit and we look forward to it continuing. The energy is high and the fun is even higher. They say that a picture can speak a thousand words. I believe this picture speaks volumes:



Currently most of our vehicles are unique mini-monster trucks which are owned and customized by each owner. The response from parade goers has been overwhelmingly positive. They especially like the variety of the vehicles. Many of the children are excited to see Fuzzy riding on the golf cart as our MOCINO mascot.

Our new unit is for Shriners who want to be active participants and enjoy owning and driving 4-wheel vehicles that meet our unit's flexible requirements. For details or to get more information on the unit, please reach out to Noble Ed McDonald@ MOCINO.Director@gmail.com or 248-840-1872 .



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NEW MEMBER UPDATE

Nobles, We're off to a fantastic start in 2025! We've welcomed 15 new Nobles, and 5 more are joining us soon.

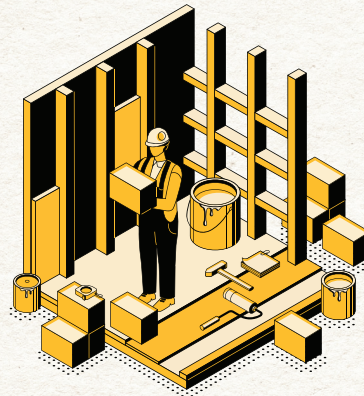
These new Nobles are super energetic and fun, and you'll see them at all our upcoming events. They're all part of the Potentate's Unit and are sponsoring an event on Tuesday, July 29th to watch the Minor League Royal Oak Leprechauns vs Battle Creek Battle Jacks. It's open to everyone, so come out and meet some of the newer members of Moslem.

One thing we'd love to see is the revival of our Shrine Clubs in areas outside of Metro Detroit. Moslem covers an 11-county area from St. Clair County down to Monroe County, and over to Branch County. We know it's a long drive, so if you live in an area where there isn't a Shrine Club, let's start one! It's time to spread Moslem to these areas again. We can do this!

Lastly, please save the date for our 2025 Ceremonial on Saturday, November 1st. It was great having one in our new Temple in 2024. The new Nobles had a blast. And with all the improvements that have been made to the building since then, this year's ceremony can only get better. Come on out. Be a part of the fun. And let's keep Moslem Mighty!

Thanks, Nobles! John Young - Moslem Membership

SHRINE BUILDING UPDATE



By the time you receive this edition of The Moslemite, significant progress should already be visible in the front office area of the Shrine building. By the end of April, the kitchen is expected to be nearly complete and fully functional. The Nobles Lounge will be freshly painted and illuminated with all-new LED lighting, while the bar and cabinetry will be installed and awaiting countertops.

Looking ahead to May, we anticipate the installation of countertops, doors, flooring, and TVs, bringing the building to approximately 95% completion—making it not only fully usable but truly revitalized.

In June, the Silent Messenger statue will once again stand proudly near the flagpole, symbolizing our enduring tradition and commitment to philanthropy.

At the next stated meeting, the Potentate will call upon the Nobility to vote and select names for the Nobles Lounge and the large activity room—a meaningful step in shaping the identity of these newly renovated spaces.

While there is still work to be done, we sincerely appreciate your patience and support as we approach the final stages of this renovation. Thank you for bearing with us through the dust and disruptions—your understanding is truly appreciated.

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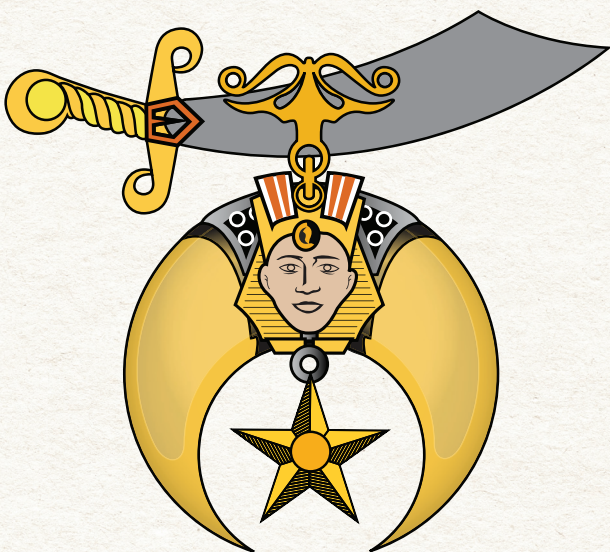
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4/1	Justin Lynch	4/11	Robert J. Thompson	4/21	Charles C. Cole
4/2	Robert J. Hey	4/12	Frank R. Gruenawald	4/21	Donald C. Seay, Jr.
4/2	Thomas C. Patterson	4/12	Louis D. West	4/21	Gary S. Baranski
4/2	Walid J. Habboo	4/12	Vicentiu A. Darzu	4/21	George E. Staten
4/3	Jason H. Chalfant	4/12	William T. Davies	4/21	Jeffrey A. Geske, P.P.
4/3	Kevin R. Banycky	4/13	Carol R. Nash	4/21	Michael L. Zelmanski, PP
4/3	Mark D. Courtney	4/13	Rodney G. Francis	4/21	Paul D. Peters
4/4	Ali H. Baalbaki	4/13	William A. Deighton	4/21	Robert D. Baumgartel
4/4	Bruce P. Walker	4/14	Donald B. Landis	4/21	Sam Chelian
4/4	Dumitru Mateiasi	4/14	George K. Cheatham, III	4/22	Douglas N. Price
4/4	Paul J. Willems	4/14	George D. Wades	4/22	William T. White
4/5	Daniel L. Bowen	4/14	Gerald D. Wades	4/23	William R. Finkel, P.G.M.
4/5	Danny Milunovich	4/14	J. J. Merem	4/24	Dale T. Sirkle
4/5	Walter G. Seal	4/14	Kenneth E. Keelan, Sr.	4/24	Rilett Burns
4/6	Brian Draper	4/14	William E. Farthing	4/25	Donald E. Ellis
4/6	Carl W. Yeary	4/15	Lee E. Francis	4/25	Howard J. Keller
4/6	Matthew J. Flynn	4/15	Rev. Craig A. Pahl	4/25	Michael P. Rekuta
4/7	Arthur W. Whelan, Jr.	4/15	Vincent J. Lenart	4/25	Rodney L. Bramble
4/7	Mark A. Lowry, II	4/16	Jack T. Huston	4/26	James K. Snyder, II
4/7	Ronald M. Lewicki	4/16	John P. Tragge	4/26	James P. Krontz, Jr.
4/8	Adam M. Lankin	4/16	Kenneth M. Davis	4/26	Jay C. Wilson
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4/9	Charles O. Taylor	4/18	Douglas E. Gore	4/28	Robert L. Lafferty
4/9	Clinton R. London	4/18	Thomas Desmond	4/29	Gary Delicato
4/9	Clyde G. Quattlebaum	4/18	William E. Carlson	4/29	Gary R. Bowdler, Jr.
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 5/3 Robert O. Fondaw
 5/4 Thomas L. Benson
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 5/11 Herbert V. Giles
 5/12 Gary S. Agdorny

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 5/14 Keith J. O'Neil
 5/14 Troy S. Wehner
 5/15 Allen B. Clark
 5/15 Cleatus M. Dunn
 5/15 John L. McWilliams
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April

Sat., April 26th
Shrine Night at the Lodge

May

Sat., May 3rd
Kentucky Derby Party

Sat., May 17th
Ladies Spring Luncheon

Sun., May 18th
L.P. Parade

Mon., May 26th
Sterling Heights Parade

June

Sat., June 21st
Stated Meeting
Staff Meeting

Mon., June 23rd
Bob O'Brien
Memorial Fireworks Cruise

Sat., June 28th thru Thurs., Jul 3rd
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