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LOOKING

BACK AT

2023



THE
MOSLEMITE
MAGAZINE

DECEMBER



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Shriners Children's Erie has earned the "Best Pediatric Clinic" ranking in the annual Community's Choice Awards through the Erie Times News!

The Community's Choice Awards celebrate the best businesses and organizations in our market. All winners are nominated and voted by members of the local community.

This award would not be possible without the outstanding level of care that you extend to each of our patients and families every single day.

Your professionalism, experience, compassion and kindness are what make us Erie's Choice.

Shriners

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New goals to achieve and new success stories to write.

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2023

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March 2023

April 2023 **The Moslemite Magazine**

Shriners Children's

All Shriners Children's, we are committed to reaching as many children as possible, wherever they may live, and offering them our unique, patient-centered, wrap-around care.

MAY 2023

Parade Schedule Begins This Month!

- Sunday May 21, 2023
Lincoln Park Memorial Day Parade
- Monday May 29, 2023
Stirling Heights Memorial Day Parade
- Tuesday July 4, 2023
Wyandotte Independence Day Parade
- Saturday August 19, 2023
Howell Melon Festival
- Sunday September 17, 2023
Great Lakes Shrine Association (GLSA) Evansville Indiana Parade
- Sunday September 24, 2023
Clinton Fall Festival, Sunday
- Sunday November 5, 2023
Detroit Veterans Day Parade

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Moslem Shrine's Childcare Patient Ambassador
Highlight Article Inside

JUNE 2023

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Happy 143rd Birthday Detroit Moslem Shriners!

Chartered on June 2, 1880

Shriners International founded in 1872 Detroit Moslem Shriners founded in 1880

Shrine Circus founded in Detroit in 1906 Shriners Hospitals for Children founded in 1922

July 2023

THE MOSLEMITE MAGAZINE

149th IMPERIAL SESSION

Moslem Shrine presenting a \$50,000.00 donation to the Imperial First Ladies Project

August 2023

THE MOSLEMITE MAGAZINE

UNDER THE BIG TOP
Michigan STATE FAIR
DETROIT SHRINE CIRCUS
AUG. 31 - SEPT. 4

MICHIGAN'S #1 FAMILY EVENT!

September 2023

THE MOSLEMITE MAGAZINE

THANK YOU TO ALL OF OUR VOLUNTEERS FOR BEING A PART OF THE BEST 5 DAYS OF SUMMER AT THE DETROIT SHRINE CIRCUS AND THE MICHIGAN STATE FAIR LLC LABOR DAY WEEKEND!

WE HOPE TO SEE YOU AGAIN UNDER THE BIG TOP APRIL 25-28, 2024

THE MOSLEMITE MAGAZINE

October 2023

NOVEMBER 2023

THE MOSLEMITE MAGAZINE

MOSLEM SHRINE HOLIDAY PARTY
Saturday December 2, 2023

Perkins of Stirling

TO PURCHASE TICKETS CALL: 313-968-2907

By Golly Be Jolly!

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MESSAGE FROM OUR POTENTATE



Hello Nobles and Ladies,

Wow, I can not believe that my journey as part of Moslems Divan is over; at the beginnig of this year, I said I wanted to find a home for Moslem.

Sadly, I wasn't able to fulfill that promise this year, but we are moving in a direction that it might happen in 2024.

It has been a very sad year with the loss of so many Past Potentates; the loss of so much knowledge is significant. When I place the Past Potentate fez on my head, I will also have the privilege of wearing P.P. John Thornhill's P.P. jewel. John and Mary Thornhill were among the first Shriners to welcome Lady Jan and myself to the Moslem family.

I am very humbled that you let me have the chance to serve Moslem; it was a very, very great honor.

If I can leave with this remark, I truly tried to find us a home because Moslem is a family that needs a home, and without a home, a family grows apart.

YITF

Moslem Potentate 2023

Frank "chum" Dougherty



Frank Dougherty
Potentate

STATED MEETING

&

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4TH
2023



STATED MEETING & ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Attention Nobles

Potentate Franklin Dougherty Jr. has called for a
Stated Meeting and Election of Officers
to be held on

Monday, December 4, 2023

The Stated Meeting and Elections will held at the
Suburban Collection Showplace
46100 Grand River Avenue
Novi, MI 48374

The meeting will be gaveled to order at 7:00 PM.
A 2023 or 2024 Dues Card is required to enter the meeting.

So ordered: Potentate Franklin Dougherty, Jr.

Attested to: Recorder Robert Pate, P.P.



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Patrick McCusker

Chief Of Staff

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2023 WINTER SPORTSMAN'S RAFFLE

Thank you to everyone who supported the Detroit Moslem Shriners Sportsman's Raffle.

We had another great event with a large crowd. Second largest ever 50/50 payout of \$20,565 to the winner, second largest ever decks sold in Randy's 52-card gun raffle 133 (missing the world record of 134 by only 1).

Thanks to all that spent their day selling tickets, distributing beer/refreshments, working the stage, serving food. Special thanks to the crew that after an already long day, they stayed behind and help to tear down the stage and raffle tables, loading the trailer.

We couldn't be successful without all the great dedicated volunteers.

Sincerely,

Mike Zelmanski, P.P.



2023 MOSLEM SPRING CIRCUS







Valentine's Party for our Shrine Kids and their families



Helping Hands Unit



WHO WANTS TO GET LUCKY



MOSLEM SHRINERS St. Practice Party



LOS St. Patty's Day Parade



The Lady Clown Unit from Za-hir-u-din Court No. 7 of the Ladies' Oriental Shrine of North America (LOSNA) invited the Moslem Clown Unit and Elf Khurafeh Clown Unit to participate with them in the Detroit St. Patrick's Parade on Sunday, March 12. This annual event is one of the largest St. Patrick's Day Parades in the USA and is viewed by 80,000-100,000 people each year. Weather was chilly but a great time was had by all. Looking forward to doing this parade together again in 2024!





EAST-WEST SHRINE GAMES



THE JACKSON SHRINE CLUB "ARTESIAN WELLS"



At our November meeting, the members voted to make a monetary donation to The Shriners Childrens Hospital in Chicago. This photo presentation was taken at our December Christmas party. This \$10,000.00 check will be presented to the hospital on our next visit. All is going well at the WELLS

Sincerely,
The Westside Gang



Our president Jake Daweritz was honored to present this \$5,000.00 check to Potentate Frank Dougherty

Ladies Luncheon
Janet Dougherty First Lady



MOSLEM SHRINERS 2023 PARADE MEMORIES



Lincoln Park Memorial Day Parade



Sterling Heights Memorial Day Parade





Island Fest Parade on Grosse Isle



Trenton Memorial Day parade



**Chicago Hospital Patient
Taryn**

We love seeing our amazing Chicago hospital patient, Taryn, at the Trenton Memorial Day Parade today!
We're so proud of all she has accomplished.

- Troy Thompson



Congratulations to Moslem Shriners' Keystone Kops who took second place in this year's 85th Annual Algonac Lions Pickerel Tournament Parade



Wyandotte 4th of July parade



DETROIT VETERAN'S DAY PARADE





Congratulations! Imperial Sir Larry Leib

Elected and Installed as
High Priest & Prophet
Shriners International



Potentate
Moslem Shriners
2015



Imperial Potentate
Shriners International
2026-2027



149TH IMPERIAL SESSION



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Ladies Project



Shriners Day 2023
 Moslem visits the Shriners Children's
 Erie Open House
 on June 4th



KID ROCK

Our Kid's Rock
 Shriners CD sales at July 15-16 concerts
1,740 SOLD

Shriners Children's



THANK YOU!

Noble Tony
 presenting a \$500 check
 to Shriners Child Care
 on behalf of Northwood
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DETROIT SHRINE CIRCUS
CLOWNS

2023

MICHIGAN STATE FAIR



SHRINE HUNGRY FIVE Picnic



OUR NOBLES HONORED



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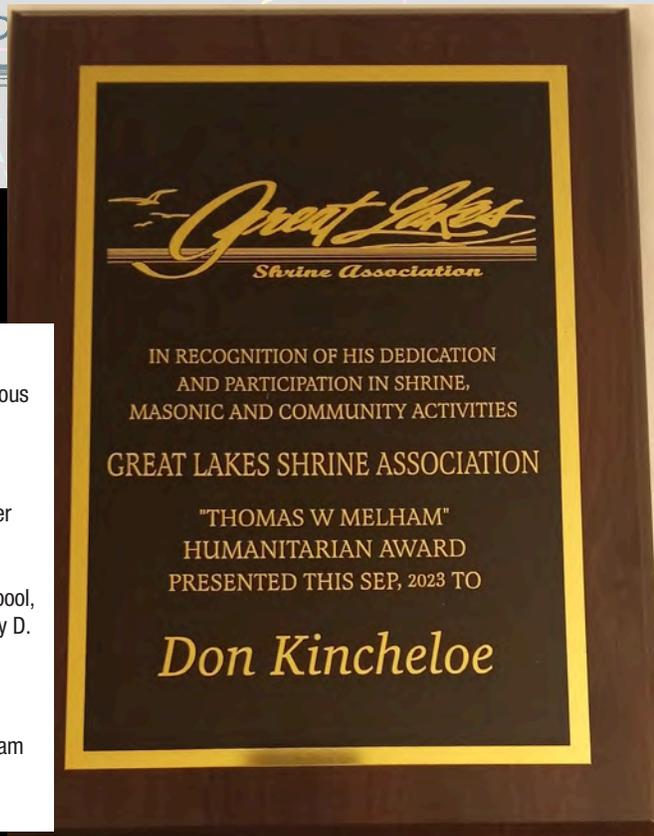


The Thomas W. Melham Humanitarian Award

It is time once again to nominate a Shriner from the Great Lakes Association area for the very prestigious "Thomas W. Melham Humanitarian Award" which has been presented at the Fall Business meeting.

Imperial Sir Melham is considered the 'Founding Father of the Great Lakes Shrine Association'. In order to honor him and those who have emulated him as a role model. The Thomas W. Melham Award was established in 1990. Some of those who have received this award are: James Grebe, Imp. Sir Robert Bailey, Gordon Boyd, Larry Sowder, Thoralf Scherer, Ken Matchette, Archie Anderson, Imp. Sir Tad Claypool, Terry DeVassie, Lynn VanNas, Gary Alves, Ken LeBay, George Sherman, Rev. Ed Puff, Hap Drago, Larry D. Jefferson, PP. and now the latest honoree: Harry Sterling, PP.

Shriners from the Great Lakes Association area are eligible for the very prestigious "Thomas W. Melham Humanitarian Award" which has been presented at the Fall Great Lakes Shrine Association Business Session.



Moslem Shrine's Hungry 5 cooked in appreciation for the Livonia Police and Fire departments. Menu included full breakfast in the morning followed up by ribs, burgers, hot dogs, sweet corn and homemade desserts. Thank you to all our local sponsors who helped make this another successful event.

- Troy Thompson



MUSIC BINGO



The first ever Music Bingo event was a huge success! It's been a long time since Moslem had an event strictly for fun and everyone took advantage of it. The sold-out crowd sang, danced to the music from start to finish as Pote Chum was our DJ and spun the discs all night long. The tables were filled with snacks, sub sandwiches and bingo cards. Besides the many bingo prizes awarded, Diana McCusker went home with a nice chunk of change, winning the \$370 50/50 pot. Hoping for more of the same in the future.

- Mike Zelmanski, P.P.





Lucky Fin Project

Celebrating
the wonderfully made,
one "Lucky Fin" at a time.







When Moslem Temple heard that Zenobia Temple could use a little help we planned a visit to Perrysburg, Ohio.

Mr. Don Kincheloe, Moslem's Photographer, was kind enough to drive & take pictures, Mr. Richard Frembes, P.P. & Pam York from Moslem Child Care Transportation worked with Andrea; Zenobia's new Child Care Transportation coordinator to answer her questions while Kim Belanger met with Mr. John Mann their Recorder to talk about the EMS WebFez payments & fundraising events, it was nice comparing notes. We enjoyed a tour of their new building, a delicious lunch & day of fellowship. It's great to meet people in person & now they know we are only a phone call away.



Treasurer John & Kim



Richard, Pam & Andrea

Winning raffle ticket pulled every 2 minutes for 4 hours!

Do Not Need to Be Present to Win



ANNUAL SHRINER'S **NOVI** WINTER SPORTSMAN'S RAFFLE

DETROIT SHRINERS

Saturday February 10, 2024

Noon to 5 p.m. • Doors open at 11 a.m.



110 GUNS

plus 10

\$500

cash prizes in the main raffle

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Mossberg 835 Uti-Mag 12GA
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S&W M&P 15-22 22LR
Savage 93R
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Benelli SuperNova Tactical 12GA
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Ruger 10/22 22LR
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FN 509 9mm
Savage Precision 308 Win
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Kinpoint Rampage 360 Crossbow
FN 509C Tactical 9mm
\$500
Mossberg 500
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Ruger American Ranch .300 AAC
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Winchester SXP Defender 12GA
\$500

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Savage Axis 2 243
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\$500
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Ruger Ranch 350 Legend
Glock 47 MOS 9mm
Glock 45
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S&W M&P Sport II
Smith & Wesson M&P Sport II OR
Taurus GX4 9mm
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Winchester SXP Defender 12GA
Springfield Hellcat 9mm
Ruger EC9s
S&W Victory 22
Beretta A400 Xtreme Plus 12ga

Many other sports raffles

DOOR PRIZES 50/50 RAFFLE
Huge 50/50 payout
Winter 2023 Raffle Winner Paid Over \$20,000

Randy's Hunting Center ongoing 52 card gun raffles

Ticket includes Country Smokehouse pulled pork, chicken & refreshments

Choice of a Bass Pro Shops gift card in lieu of a firearm

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46100 Grand River Avenue
Novi, MI 48374

TICKETS

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Tickets at the Door: \$25

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ShrineOutdoors.com

248-569-2900

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Make checks payable to Moslem Shriners • Must be 15 years of age to enter • For Moslem Shriners General Fund, not deductible as a charitable contribution



SATURDAY
FEBRUARY 10th
2024

JOIN US • VOLUNTEER!

Get ready for our 10th Annual Winter Sportsman's Raffle, happening at the Suburban Collection Showplace on Saturday, February 10th. It's hard to believe this event has been going strong for a whole decade!

The success of this event is all thanks to the hard work and dedication of our Nobility and the amazing ladies who have consistently supported this fundraiser. Selling advance tickets and volunteering on the event day are essential for the Sportsman's Raffle's success and survival.

What's even better is that everyone who participates gets excellent value for their money. We have a wide range of prizes, and side raffles while the food and drink we offer are top-notch.

Our volunteers have it great too, with only 3 to 6 hours of commitment, and they get to see the success of the event firsthand.

The 50/50 raffle consistently pays out over \$20,000, and the 52-card raffle often results in 130 lucky winners. Together, these raffles generate nearly \$90,000 in profit. Additional raffles, like the 3-gun, duck pond, and heads/tails, bring in an additional \$60,000.

What's unique is that winners of firearms can also choose a Bass Pro Shops/Cabela's gift card instead of the firearm. On average, about 50% of winners opt for the gift card, which can be used for both in-store and online purchases.

Ticket books to sell and flyers are available at the Shrine office or call 586-569-2900 for information on how you can help.

Mike Zelmanski, P.P.

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