



## December Ceremonial: The Next Generation Is Here!

*More fun pics and stories inside!*



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Top left, Meet the new kids on the block. Top right, the Potentate is illuminated by the Wausauken Indians. Upper left, Noble Jewell celebrated his 60th anniversary as a Shriner at the Ceremonial. Above left, special guests, the Guideras and the Bergenskes. Above right, PP Amdall reading "The Old Red Fez."



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**Recorder's Roll Call**



**Jim Stelsel, Recorder**

Welcome to the New Year. I hope and pray all of you will have a great, healthy, and prosperous 2012.

I would like to thank and congratulate Potentate Steve, his Lady Mary Ellen, and his hard working committee for a great December Ceremonial held at

Chula Vista Resort in Wisconsin Dells. Congratulations to the 16 new Nobles and the 4 Cold Sands Nobles who came to participate in the day's events. It was a great day and everyone I talked to said they had a great time.

The biggest event in January is the Annual Meeting and Election of Officers on Saturday, January 14, 2012. The 11:45 A.M. buffet lunch will be in Oasis Room and Ladies are invited to attend. Please use the coupon in the Zephyr to make your reservation. The Temple will open for business and the election of officers at 1:00 P.M. At 3:30 P.M. Ladies, family members, and guests are invited to participate in the open public installation of new officers. At 4:30 P.M. the Oasis Room will open with plenty of hors d'oeuvres and beverages. The Directors Staff Annual Fez Party will follow with a buffet of ham and chicken dinner. See the Zephyr for the coupon to make your reservation.

Other events to participate in is the Camel Patrol's Chief Rabban Party on January 7th at Rex's Innkeeper in Waunakee, Clown Party also at Rex's Innkeeper on February 4th, the Madison Circus Feb 17th -19th, and the La Crosse Circus the 28th & 29th.

The 2012 dues notices were sent to you in October and should have been paid by January 1st. If you have not paid your 2012 dues, please do so now to save all of time and cost it takes to follow up with additional mailings and calls to you.



**From The Potentate**

**Steven Peterson**



The New Year is here and it is time for reflections on 2011. This brings us back to where we started on January 15, 2011. A theme was set forth for the year of Three R's for membership – Revitalize, Retain, Reel-em in for Membership.

Let's review how we Revitalized our activities within Zorland this year.

- We created a Geekz technology team within Badger Shrine Club that developed a fantastic website for Zor Shriners. If you have not had an opportunity to see the revised website, please go to www.zorshriners.com
- Fourteen clubs and units sponsored Magic/Variety shows that were held throughout Zorland to raise funds for the fraternity and created a new perspective in fundraising for our Shrine.
- The first bike and classic car run sponsored by the Midget Car unit was a success.
- The Divan met with several clubs and units throughout the year to review current activities and discuss new activities to drive growth in the coming five years.
- The Spring and Fall Ceremonials created excitement within the Clubs and Units and new this year were the displays that were set up to show incoming Nobles how we have fun being Shriners.
- The Veteran's Patrol "Salute to Veterans" on 11-11-11 was a great way to rejuvenate the unit. Again, we thank our Nobles and all service men and ladies in their dedicated service to our country. God Bless America!

Retaining members is a challenge across all fraternities, here are some ways we focused on our membership in 2011.

The membership team developed a mentor program for new Nobles. Current active Nobles were identified as mentors to the new Nobles, encouraging their participation at different events and helping them understand the importance and impact Shriners have on the children our hospitals serve. We've already seen positive results from the program. A new Noble from the Spring Ceremonial class was the first line-signer for a new Noble that came in during our Fall Ceremonial.

An Ambassador program was launched and is in development within the membership team of Zorland.

Reeling in new members is an ongoing focus and ZOR Shriners were successful in making it happen this year.

The Spring Ceremonial on June 4 at UW Whitewater included nine new Nobles and two Cold Sands.

The December Ceremonial had 16 new Nobles and 4 Colds Sands go through the hot sands on December 3 at the Chula Vista resort center.

We have also done a great job in the restoration of Nobles with 17 Nobles returning to ZOR as active members. Showing that ZOR is Hooked on Helping Kids.

Special thanks go out to Unit and Club leaders for rallying the troops to attend the Spring Ceremonial and Fall Ceremonials and putting together the displays to show new Nobles how we have fun being Shriners.

These reflections all happened because of the dedication of our Nobles, Ladies, Units, and Clubs. I am grateful for your support and participation throughout the year. I am proud to say that the Parade to Glory brought over \$515,000 to ZOR Shriners and Shriners Hospital for Children. This all happened because of your dedication to our fundraising events throughout the year – selling gun raffle tickets, onions, supporting the circuses, variety/magic shows, special events throughout the year, parading, and special fundraisers by each of the clubs and units.

**THANK YOU**

As the year comes to a close I would like to express heartfelt thanks to the Nobles, Ladies, Units, and Clubs for the support and participation you have given me throughout the year.

I would like to thank our Divan and Officers. These are the talented and dedicated individuals who are the core leadership of our temple. Review the list of members on the second page of the ZEPHYR – we are fortunate for their service.

A special thank you to the Membership team: Chairman Bob Calverley, Assistant Membership Chairman Keith Krinke, and Ambassador General Tom Voight.

Thanks to the special events chairpersons:

Circus: PP John Thorstad, PP Mark Severson, & their Ladies

Spring Ceremonial: PP Earl Buehler & Lady Sue and Dale Olson

Potentate Ball and December Ceremonial: PP John Thorstad & Lady Debbi and their committees

Honoring our Veterans on 11/11/2011: PP Tom Nelson & Lady Nancy.

The dedication and many hours of planning provided for several enjoyable event in 2011.

Zor Shrine would not run without the dedicated team of Lisa Boline, Pat Parrell-Sonnerberg, and Dick Jones at the Shrine office. And, we must not forget our entertaining and enlightening ZEPHYR editor Todd Wohlert.

A special thanks to my family for their support: my son Joshua, daughter Nicole, my brothers and sisters, and in-laws who traveled to support us and participate in a number of events.

The most important person, my Lady Mary Ellen, whom I am forever indebted to - I thank you for being there for me all the way and being dedicated to ZOR and our cause of Being Hooked on Helping Kids.

To the Nobility, Ladies, and families of ZOR, I thank you for your dedication and enthusiasm in ZOR Shriners. We are a temple that is blessed with talent, dedication, and a desire to have fun, which has allowed me to be honored to serve you as your Potentate for 2011.

As I reflect on the past year, one quote comes to mine. Life is not measured by the number of breathes we take, but by the moments that take our breath away and you have been a part of those moments.

I wish Potentate Elect, Larry Riemenschneider and Lady Julie, the best with his planned programs for the coming year, and look forward to seeing the continued success in revitalizing, retaining, and growing Zor Shriners.

Peace and faith,  
Potentate Steve Peterson

**Zor Shriner's 2012 Calendar**

**January**

- 7 Chief Rabban Party, Rex's Innkeeper in Waunakee
- 14 Annual Meeting/Installation, Zor Shriners Center 1pm
- 14 Fez Party, Zor Shriners Center, 4:30 pm
- 21 Indianhead SC, Snowmobile Fundraiser, Rice Lake
- 28 Zuhrah Shriners Ball, Minneapolis

**February**

- 4 Clown Party, Rex's Innkeeper in Waunakee
- 9-11 MSA Winter Session, Grand Forks, ND
- 17-19 Madison Shrine Circus, Alliant Energy Coliseum
- 28-29 La Crosse Shrine Circus, La Crosse Center

**March**

- 3 Mehara S.C. Potentate Party, The Plaza Hotel, Eau Claire



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# Where's the Scimitar?



Zor Midgets receiving the Scimitar. Let's see if it fits in their little cars!

The Zor Scimitar is on the move! This mighty blade housed in a handcrafted wood display case is a sight to see and to show off at your Shrine event. The Scimitar was last seen in the Madison area. When your Club or Unit takes possession of the scimitar, please take a picture of the event, get all the names of the Nobles, and email it to zorzephyr@tds.net or mail it to the Zor Office, 575 Zor Shrine Place,

Madison, WI 53717.  
The scimitar sailed through these sections of Zorland so far this year:  
Wausauken Indians, Wausau area  
Timber S.C., Wausau area  
Funsters, Wisconsin Rapids area  
Mehara S.C., Eau Claire area  
Sawdusters, Eau Claire area  
Drum Corps, Eau Claire area  
Tin Lizzies, Eau Claire area

Mehara S.C., Eau Claire area  
St. Croix Valley S.C., River Falls area  
Wild River S.C., Rice Lake area  
Directors Staff, Madison area  
Sahara S.C., Madison area  
Mini Cars, Edgerton area  
Past Potentates, Zorland  
Madison Shrine Club, Madison area  
Zor Midgets, Tomah area

## Fez Party Follows Installation of Officers

Directors Staff President John Mackenzie invites everyone to attend the annual gala festivities when the Potentate officially receives his fez following the annual meeting and installation on Saturday January 14th. Starting at 4:30 p.m. in the Oasis Room, plenty of hors d'oeuvres will be served compliments of Queen Anne's Catering, beverages will be provided by the Zor Host. Then at 6:00 p.m., the doors to Hankwitz Hall will open for a buffet meal of ham, chicken, mashed potatoes, carrots, corn, salad, and dessert for \$19 per person.

Master of Ceremonies John Thorstad will introduce the a cappella group from Edgewood High School who will provide the entertainment, followed by the Divan ladies who will present a pre-fezzing skit, and lastly the Roast. Then it is up to the members attending to determine if he should receive his fez by the hand vote of thumbs up or thumbs down.

Reservations must be mailed by January 4th to: Dale Holmen, 13 St. Albans Ave. Madison, WI. 53714. Meal cost is \$19.00 per person and payable to Zor Directors Staff.

# Exotic Animals Are Coming to Madison

Now that the holidays are over, it is time to move forward and start planning for the annual Madison Circus on February 17, 18, and 19. We ask everyone to make a commitment in taking an active role in the success of Zor's biggest fundraiser. Additionally to all Dane County Residents, PLEASE contact your county supervisor on the elephant ban issue. (see article in Zephyr)

A big "thank you" to the Clubs and Units who have committed to purchasing the 18 bicycles that are given as door prizes. We can always use more Volunteers with the school ticket counting on Feb. 2nd and the delivery on Feb. 6 and 7. A reminder on parking reimbursement - that it's only one ticket per day. The tickets are different colors each day and you may pass through the gate on one ticket each day. Each



George Carden Circus International will present 6 show in Madison and 2 shows in La Crosse on Feb. 28 and 29. Several popular returning acts: The Human cannon ball, Baby Bo, motorcycle jumps, & the motorcycle in the steel globe. Complete act line-up will be in the February Zephyr.

A reminder to pay for your sheet of tickets, a face value of \$96.00, but a \$70.00 payment will get your name added to the Ringmaster Club which is printed in the April Zephyr. If you will not be using your tickets, please send them back with your payment as we have committed free tickets to the families of the Wisconsin Air National Guard.

For those who live outside the Madison area, housing is available at the AmericInn on Monona Drive, (608-222-8601) Mention Zor Shrine according to Housing Chairman Joe Harker. Final call to Units and clowns who want new pictures in the circus program - please get them to the Shrine Office by January 14th.

ticket turned in will get \$5.00 back.

Please consider absorbing the cost as in the past we have paid out over \$800.00 which could go towards the circus profit. As always there is plenty of food and beverage all weekend. Menu for Saturday is hot dogs, soup and chili. Sunday morning, the annual brunch at the Eastside Club starting with a 8:00 a.m. social and a 9:00 a.m. meal according to Roy Holm. The Coliseum menu is make-your-own cold cut sandwiches.

Debbi Thorstad asks for volunteers to help count and sort tickets at all 6 shows. As Always:

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Joseph, who has been performing stunts for more than 15 years, was also awarded the gold medal as "Best Cat in the World", by the royal family of Monaco, for his performance of the thrilling and original "Wheel of Thrill".

Joseph Dominick Bauer, an extremely multi-talented young man, also presides over the show as our RINGMASTER EXTRAORDINAIRE!



## Shrine Circus Elephant Information

Some of you may have heard that the Dane County Board's Public Works and Transportation (PW&T) Committee is considering an amendment to its ordinances that would ban elephants at Dane County owned properties. Clearly, this would affect the Zor Shriners Circus held in Dane County's Coliseum.

In Mid-December, a PW&T committee hearing was held and the amendment issue has been postponed until a January meeting. Circus Chair John Thorstad and Co-Chair Mark Severson are working with Zor's attorney and other professionals to

address this situation. At this time, we believe that this will not have an impact on the 2012 circus and we are planning to host the elephants at the circus. The Circus committee has implemented an email campaign with Dane County Nobles to contact their supervisor to oppose the amendment. Please feel free to contact John (jtcircus04@charter.net) or Mark (rugerm55@charter.net) with any questions. We will provide an update in upcoming Zephyrs.

Thank you for your membership in Zor Shrine and supporting the Shrine Circus.



# DECEMBER CEREMONIAL: THE NEXT GENERATION IS HERE!

Photos by Milt Helmer & Dennis Wilkerson. Story by Todd Wohlert.

Potentate Steve Peterson and Lady Mary Ellen welcomed new 20 Nobles to Zor Shriners at the Ceremonial on December 3rd at the Chula Vista Resort in Wisconsin Dells. Zor was honored to welcome Imperial Sir Gary Bergenske and Lady Ann as well as Chief of Staff at the Shriners Hospitals for Children® - Twin Cities, Dr. Ken Guidera & his Lady Carol. The committee of PP Tom & Nancy Nelson, PP John & Debbi Thorstad, Chuck & Cheryl Porter, and PP Mark & Sheri Severson put a lot of time and effort into the event... and it showed! The activities were plentiful, starting with social time in the Hospitality Room on Friday evening. Stories were told, games were played, and some folks stayed up a little too late.

Saturday started early as the Clubs and Units set up their table displays, the Daughters of the Nile set up their Cookie Walk, and candidates got registered. The energy was high and the enthusiasm was contagious. The Directors Staff had everything set up, the Divan was preparing to open, and the committee Ladies were literally flying around taking care of last minute preparations.

At 10 o'clock sharp, the Temple was opened by Potentate Steve Peterson and the Divan who then turned it over to the best in the business: the Zor Shriners Ritual Divan. These desert wanderers put on a flawless performance with robes, fans, and fine words. Ritual Divan performers: Potentate - Chet Gabris; Chief Rabban - Ted Erickson; Assistant Rabban - Bob Bradley; High Priest & Prophet - Matt Hughey; Orator - Joseph Howell; Oriental Guide - Miles Bradley; 1st Ceremonial Master - Todd Wohlert; 2nd Ceremonial Master - Dean Holmen; Marshall - Bob Ott directed by Dale Holmen; and Captain of the Guard - "Sweet Old" Bill Burkhardt.

The Ladies left the boys to their devices and headed off to the Ladies Luncheon for guest speakers Imperial Lady Ann Bergenske and Noble Dr. Ken Guidera. Lady Mary Ellen Peterson reports on the Ladies' events: "The day was awesome. It went very quickly. After we left the Ritual Divan, we had the Ladies Luncheon where they showed a video about being the Lady of a Shriner. Some of us saw it at the Imperial meeting. They go over the different terminology and that type of thing. It was very well done. The new Nobles' Ladies really liked it (for the information). They said 'how many times do you go somewhere and wonder what do I wear and what am I supposed to do?' For the Ceremonials this year, I and the Divan Ladies called the candidates' ladies to answer their questions and make sure they know what's going on this weekend. It makes things go smoother and they know what to expect.

"Dr. Ken Guidera was our guest speaker for the luncheon. As always, he's an entertainer and he had some great things



The Potentate and the Divan prepare for the afternoon's events.

to share about what he does at the hospital. Then Ann Bergenske talked about the First Lady and her project. We had about 80 Ladies at the lunch with 16 new Noble Ladies. Just seeing the number of new Nobles and the number of Ladies was a high point and seeing how excited they are to be a part of the Shriners."

Imperial Lady Ann Bergenske was very complimentary: "The Ladies event was great; it was a lovely time. We enjoyed listening to Dr. Guidera. They planned it great and everything went smooth."

After the Nobility enjoyed lunch and ventured off into the Hot Sands, the Ladies rejoined the Nobles for the Fezzing ceremony. PP Roger Amdall read the classic poem "My Old Red Fez". Please welcome these new Nobles into Zor Shriners: James Carlson, Wausau; Gregory Allen Chilli, Sun Prairie; David Drackrey, Spring Green; Brian Goff, Sun Prairie; Raymond Gwinn, WI Rapids; Daryl Haumschild, Watertown; Duane Harvey, Janesville; Mathew Harvey, Janesville; Gregory Heinbuch, Clear Lake; Larry Herzog, Columbus; James Hraban, Ladysmith; Lyle Jerabek, Ladysmith; Joshua Kearney, Hazel Green; David Miescke, Madison; Brian F Miller, Ladysmith; Joseph Nemeth, Sun Prairie; Kevin Sorenson, Mosinee; Charles Van Heest, Wausau; Christopher Walmsley, Onalaska; & Daniel Weiss, Madison.

Other notable events in the afternoon program included the Wausauken Indians performed their traditional Potentate skit, riffing on fishing and light bulbs in "honor" of Potentate Peterson and the recognition of Zor Nobles for special achievements. This year's Awards of Merit went to Ronnie Jaacks and PP Dick Jones. We also recognized Nobles for their years of dedication and their enthusiasm for recruiting:

### 25 Year Members

John H. Campbell, Donald Dvorak, Galen Fox, Peter Gehrke, William Hart, Kenneth Kuhlka, Frank Laundrie, Ralph Madden, Carl Mickelson, James Moore, Ralph Neale, David Nelson, Kent Olson, Harold Parker, Robert Salisbury, DuWayne Schelter, Darrell Schultz, Morris Severson, Sterling Standiford, & J.B. Van Hollen.

### 50 Year Members

Theodore Hagberg, Thomas Hemstock, Donald Soberg, William Hauser, Howard Schwebke, James Huff, Bruce Mohs, Thomas Watkins, Edmund Neidner, & Alexander Thornton.

### Samsar awards for 1st line signers

Phase 1 (2 petitions): Bob Ott, Rodney LaBlanc, Monte Steiber, Ralph Thompson, Jerret Cook, Daryl Spagnoletti, & John Campbell.

Phase 2 (10 petitions): Dave Bomkamp & Bob Geisler.

Phase 3 (13 petitions): Dave Bomkamp.

Finally it was time for the Nobility to line up for the Parade to Glory. The line stretched out the room, then down the hallway. Look for the donation listings in the Zephyr. There was a lot of good-natured competition between the Units, especially the Clown Units. (The Firehouse Jesters thanked the Funsters for not singing this year.) Then it was time for the banquet! Emcee Thorstad introduced our VIP's including Past Potentate III. Bob Morrison and his Lady Cheryl from Ahmed Shriners in Michigan as well as their Marshal Ronald Rogowski and his Lady Roxanne. Ahmed joined the Midwest Shrine Association in 2009 and we were pleased to have them! The Potentate announced that we raised \$245 for Lady Ann Bergenske's annual snow angel. Unfortunately, we didn't have any snow. (Maybe she'll make 2 snow angels next year!) The money raised is always donated to the Shriners Hospitals for Children®.

"It was a very proud day for me - you made me a member of Zor," said Dr. Ken Guidera at the banquet. "I'm proud to work with you and the children. I think that we are a great team. It is a team effort - it's a "360 program" because we take care of the kids all the way around and you are a part of that. It's delightful that you had Carol and me out here and we'd love to do it again. For the new members, have fun and help the

kids. That's what it's all about. God bless you and keep up the good work."

"First off, I would like to congratulate the Master Masons who have become Zor's newest Shriners," said III. Bob Morrison. "When you young guys reach my age, you're going to look back, and, in the top 10 list of your favorite moments, Shrine is going to be there. Get involved and enjoy yourselves."

"Today was an exciting day and for a number of reasons," said Imperial Sir Gary Bergenske. "I want to start off by saying that John F. Kennedy, back in the early 1960's, back in his inaugural speech, said 'and the torch will be passed to a new generation'. The average age of a Shriner in Shriners International is 67 years old. The average age of your class today was 38 years old. I stand before you to say that, for the first time, in all the Ceremonials that I've been to, the torch is being passed to a new generation. Today, their names were inscribed on a scroll that lists many famous Shriners. How many of you are NASCAR fans? David Ragan should be a Shriner by this time next year; he drives the #6 UPS car. He's working on his MM degree now. Those old names that we know, like John Wayne, Bart Starr, Gerald Ford - they were Shriners. They came from that other generation, that past generation. I charge our new Nobles tonight that you go out and you find other Nobles and you grow your generation in our Fraternity. You make it happen. There's a generation that's missing. How many people do you talk to about Shrinedom - a young guy in his 20's or 30's - and he says his grandfather was a Shriner. Not that many say that their father was. I am so proud today to see that the torch has been passed.

"I have been fortunate this year to travel to many of our Shriners Hospitals for Children® as a member of the strategic task force that is charged with the task of finding ways to make our hospitals more efficient. Our goal is to balance our budget and treat more children in more places. That is our plan in the next 3-5 year span. I want to share with you the one incident that touched my heart the most. You know that children at a young age from 2-6 years... I like to call it the 'no fear years'. They have absolutely no fear. Shriners Hospitals for Children® got a call on 2 children that had been badly burned. These two children were from China; these two children... their lives had been given up upon because they had been burned so severely. The last resort, the last hope was Shriners Hospitals for Children®. I was at our Galveston hospital where these two children are now being treated and

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# Ceremonial...

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they're doing quite well. The little boy is about 2 and the little girl is about 6 - they are brother and sister. The little sister had no fear. She was out of the house safe. Her little brother was still in their burning house. She went back in that burning house to retrieve her little brother. They both made it out... but not very good. When I saw them about a month ago, they were both using walkers going down the halls. Both of them had their legs burned off; both of them were missing all their fingers. They did not have any hair. (The image of) burned children will upset you more than anything that I can think of. And yet these two little ones were smiling at each other while walking on their prosthesis. As I sat next to them - I couldn't communicate with them other than with gestures because they didn't speak any English - and I can tell you that, in their eyes, they were saying 'thank you... you have given us hope, you have given us life.' These two children are what all of you represent: hope and love. That is what you are! We have the greatest physicians in the world and the greatest staff. The Shriners are wonderful people but what we really provide is hope and love to children."

Fun followed dinner with music and dancing to the Kristi B band - soft rock, country and everything in between. The Hospitality Suite was hopping as the Nobility eagerly watched the Badgers game. It was a fun, exhausting day that left the Nobility enthused about the future.

"I think that it was a great experience," said New Noble Chris Walmsley from La Crosse Masonic Lodge #190. "It was not what I expected but better. I won't forget it! It was good to see that there were a lot of people my age in this group. I'm excited. I'm glad I decided to take this step - it's worthwhile. (My wife Heather) had a good time. She said that she felt welcome and really enjoyed the camaraderie and friendship."

"Overwhelming... in a good way," said New Noble Greg Chill. "It was very interesting, very creative... overall, it was very enlightening. I really didn't know much about Shriners prior to asking. With the orientation and talking with a few of the other Shriners, it was pretty decent. To see the camaraderie with all the other Shriners

from the different age groups coming together for this one event - you can't beat it. (As a new member of the Veterans patrol), we would like to try get back into marching the parades. They are trying to get more veterans involved - they'd like to see sub-chapters around the state."

John Thorstad PP and Ceremonial committee member had this to say: "The day went fantastic! We have a good class and everything stayed on schedule - we even got ahead of schedule this year. I think everyone had a good time and they are partying with the band, even though the Badgers are playing football right now. I want to thank the committee for doing such a great job. We put a lot of time and effort into putting this whole weekend together - my wife baked all the banquet cakes, Sheri did all the decorations, the Nelsons & the Porters all did a great job. It was a great crew to work with!"

"February 17, 18, & 19 - purchase those circus tickets! They are coming out in the mail real soon. Zor's biggest fundraiser! We need to set another record for money for this coming year. And the new idea for the tickets to go to the Wisconsin Air National Guard went over very well. It will be very pleasing to present them a couple of hundred tickets in February for the Madison circus."

"Great, great - lots of good candidates. One of the best Ceremonials we've had in years," said 1st Ceremonial Master Bob Giesler. "Our mentoring program has produced positive results. One of our New Nobles from this summer signed up a new candidate with only 6 months under his belt - that's tremendous. I'm really enthused about that. We have a lot of young guys coming in now and (they) are starting to take over. We've passed the torch."

"It was fun," said New Noble Joshua Kearney from Melody Lodge #2 and Olive Branch Lodge #6 and new member of Southwestern Wisconsin Shrine Club. "It was really nice meeting everybody. I'm a relatively new Mason; I was raised in April. It's a really nice experience and I'm looking forward to what it's going to bring in the future."

Mark Severson PP shared this: "I thought that it went really well. It was a very nice crowd - lots of Nobles and Ladies here. The attendance at Parade to Glory was about what I wanted... should have had a few more people, though. Very nice layout



**New Noble Chris Walmsley with his Lady Heather at the Fezzing ceremony backed up by the Potentate, PP Amdall, and Noble Dave O'Neill.**

here (at Chula Vista); this is a great place to work with and the people have been really good. The band is exceptional and, at this point, the Badgers are still winning."

"My highlight today was Dr. Guidera getting his Zor Shriners fez," said committee member Lady Nancy Nelson. "At the Lady's Luncheon, he talked about not having a Zor fez. He had a cheese fez and a Packer hat but he said he didn't have a Zor fez. It was fun because we knew he was going to get one tonight. Gary and Ann Bergenske being here again was fun. We collected money for a snow angel again, like we have for the last 3 years. Gary's speech at the banquet was wonderful, very heartwarming. It was a busy day, there was lots to do, but everyone was happy."

"I think that the Ceremonial was very well attended and everyone was very enthusiastic," said 2nd Ceremonial Master Dave Bomkamp. "Everyone seemed to have a really good time today and they had a great energy level. It was good to see 20 some guys come into the Shrine and I think we are moving in the right direction."

"I think that it went really well today," said committee member Lady Sheri Severson. "People had fun: they enjoyed everything that went on, it was festive and wonderful, and the Lady's lunch turned out really nice. I think everyone felt warmed and welcomed. The Potentate and his Lady did a lot to make sure that everyone felt that this was for them. Dr. Guidera's talk was really cute. He made everyone giggle and laugh and added a personal touch to the Twin Cities hospital that I think people didn't know about before. It was a very good program."

"It was awesome. Nothing that I expected. I was kind of nervous about the Hot Sands," said New Noble Charles Van Heest from Forest Lodge #130 and new Wausauken Indian. "It was like going through the EA degree. You have no idea what was going to happen. You're ready but you're not ready. I've been looking forward to this for a really like time. I've got my first Indian meeting on Tuesday and I'm pretty pumped up about that. Thank you to the Shrine for giving me this opportunity."

"Exhilarating and emotional," said New Noble Matthew Harvey from Morningstar Lodge #10 who joined with his father Duane. "It was a good ceremony with powerful messages. I absolutely loved it. One word: phenomenal! Walking over the Hot Sands was a high point. Low point was the lack of greased pig and chickens that the Director's Staff promised. I'm going to join one of the number one units in Zor - I'm going to join Zor Clowns. I can't wait to be a clown. My lady has never been to anything like this before in her life. She's proud and happy and I think she thoroughly enjoyed it."

"It was everything I thought it would be and more," said New Noble Brian F. Miller from Mystic Tie Lodge #280. "I turn 34 in a few days, and, ever since I was little, my grandpa Bob Miller, Sr. told me stories about the Masons and the Shriners. It was the fulfillment of a lifetime. My late grandpa was the driving force behind me joining the lodge. It was an emotional thing joining the lodge. I couldn't help but cry

every step of the way through the EA, the FC, the MM. This was so uplifting and so joyful that half the time I couldn't stop from laughing. I finally got my lady involved. This is her first time at an event. She's a nurse so this fits right in. She wants to get a job at a Shriner Hospital now. I really appreciate how friendly everyone is and it was great - I will be back!"

"Excellent Ceremonial. One of the best I've ever been at," said Chief Rabban Larry Riemenschneider. "Lot of new candidates, young candidates. We've got to get them mentors to help them stay active. Good food. The whole day was excellent. The committee did an amazing job. It's always nice to see the Daughters of the Nile cookie walk and watch the hungry guys buy their treats to go with the coffee. The Host did an excellent job. We were all together in one of section of the facility and that worked great this year."

"It went good, it was great," said Oriental Guide Monte Steiber. "We had a lot of young, new Nobles coming in. The average age of the candidates was 38. That will help us turn it around, the nucleus of younger guys. They'll start bringing in their friends, getting them involved in Masonry and the Shrine. It was an excellent class and an excellent day. Receiving the Samsar Award was an honor and highlight for me. I like that Ron Jaacks & Dick Jones got the Service awards. The real high point though was seeing all those young Nobles."

"I thought that it went very well," said Outer Guard Wally Trouten. "I really like the New Nobles. I had the chance to talk to quite a few of them. The spouses I talked with were very nice. They are all going to be good assets to the Fraternity. I'm still impressed by the age. That's what we need; we need that bad. But all in all, it's been an excellent weekend. I'm draggin' my butt and I should be. It was a good day yesterday, a late night, and a damn early morning but it's gone well. I think that Potentate Steve should be very pleased."

"It was very interesting, packed full of knowledge, and the high point was being here with my brothers," said New Noble Daryl Haumschild from Jefferson County Lodge #9.

Noble Tony Bell from Ft Atkinson said, "I thought that everything was very well done. The highpoint was putting my brother Daryl Haumschild through as a candidate - that was very special for us."

"It was a very interesting day and a lot of fun," said New Noble Lyle Jerabek from Mystic Tie Lodge #280. "The Hot Sands was kind of interesting. Getting dressed up for the Ritual divan was interesting. My Lady had a good time. It was a very interesting experience and we all had a good time."

New Noble James Hraban from Mystic Tie Lodge #280 said, "I thought it was fun. The highpoint was watching 'Sweet Old' Bill give that guy a haircut. My wife had a good time, too. The reason I joined the Lodge was to become a Shriner. I waited a couple of years then came into the Shrine. (I) just waited for the right time and the right place."

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**The Potentate and his Lady present their gifts from the Wausauken Indians.**



# Ceremonial...

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Above left, Dr. Guidera showing off his cheese fez and feather boa.

Above right, Zor Clowns display. The number 1 Clown Unit?

Below left, Firehouse Jesters display featuring a shiny disco ball. The number 5 Clown Unit.

Below right, Zor Pipes and Drums display featuring a pipe at rest.

PP Severson and the rest of the Director's Staff before things get messy.







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Chief of Staff Wayne Henning preparing to greet the crowd.



Funsters Clown display. The number 1 Clown Unit?



Potentate Peterson making a presentation to Ronnie Jaacks. That's Jaacks, not Jaaacks.



Lady Mary Ellen addressing the other Zor Ladies and guests.



The Wausauken Indians preparing for their annual skit to "honor" the Potentate.



# Ceremonial...

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"I thought that the Ceremonial was excellent this year," said High Priest and Prophet Larry Hanson. "I think that we had a great turnout; we had a nice young class. We had a ton of people here – I was impressed by the number of people that showed up for the Ceremonial. Everybody had a good time. Chula Vista is nice place to have it; it's big enough to hold it. They kept us all in the same area this year. I think that the committee did an excellent job of setting it up. The number 1 Clown Unit (Zor Clowns) outnumbered the number 2 clown unit (Funsters) by quite a few people. You noticed more red jackets in the crowd than white jackets. The number 5 Clown Unit (Firehouse Jesters) making fun of the number 2 Clown Unit was very funny."

"I thought that this was a good day. It was fun to see the new parts in the 2nd section," said Barry Ausen, President of the St. Croix Valley Shrine Club. "It was nice to see all the new people, all the young people."

"I was real impressed (with the day),"

just started showing up and assembling those beautiful displays. It was really something neat for the candidates to see and figure out if they want to participate with them. It was very rewarding and exciting to have Dr. Guidera to talk about the work he does at our TC hospital. His speech at the Ladies Luncheon helped the candidates' Ladies understand why their man wants to be a part of the Shrine.

"The whole event went very smoothly. The guys had fun going through the 2nd section. The Ritualistic team did a fantastic job again. Everything flowed well. Fezzing the new Nobles and having their Ladies be a part of it made it more meaningful for them as a couple and it highlighted the work of the first-line signer. The process took more time but I think that it had a lot of meaning. The dinner meal was great.

"The committee did a great job – they are pros. They are a team that has worked together before – it was perfection. I want to thank my Lady, Mary Ellen, for the help she gave me the last couple weeks as we prepared for the Ceremonial. She made sure I did the right things and kept me on task.

"I want to mention the outstanding presentation by our Imperial Sir, Gary



**Imperial Sir Gary Bergenske giving a deeply moving message to the Nobility.**

said Chief of Staff Wayne Henning. "I think that the Directors Staff was well coordinated and had everything on time – it was well put together. The Chief of Staff could learn how to pronounce (names) better. The Ritual Divan put on a good show with no rehearsals – which goes to show how good they are, especially with those long parts. I was glad to see all the Clubs and Units show up for the Parade to Glory and I was glad to see all the work they did this year to fundraise. The Ladies working behind the scenes, at the event and at the office, really made this event work. The Ladies should get all the credit for these events being successful. All in all, it was a very good show and I'm proud of the class of 2011 Winter Session."

The Potentate finally stopped moving and we were able to make him relax and comment on the day: "It was great, it was awesome. We started the day excited about the number of candidates that we had coming in – all the YOUNG candidates we had coming in. The Club and Unit displays were exciting. I didn't hear back from some of them about participating but then they

Bergenske. It was a very enlightening experience for our new Nobles and their Ladies.

"The Host put a lot of time and work into making sure that the Nobility is well taken care of. They did a fantastic job all year. The Pipes and Drums are always a highlight at any event. The Wausauken Indian skit meant a lot to me and I appreciate my brothers doing it for me."

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UNITS	\$17,313.81	\$54,026.87
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MADISON CIRCUS	\$99,021.00	
LADIES AUXILIARY		\$22,579.56
WAUSAUKEN LADIES		\$577.21
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$148,159.63</b>	<b>\$395,646.16</b>

UNIT DONATIONS	FRATERNAL	CHARITABLE
Camel Patrol	\$1,955.00	\$2,005.00
Clowns	\$1,125.00	\$2,675.00
Color Guard	\$75.00	\$195.00
Concert Band	\$60.00	\$10.00
Directors Staff	\$1,355.00	\$1,590.00
Drum Corp		\$1,665.00
Escort Patrol	\$550.00	
Firehouse Jesters	\$1,625.00	\$3,110.00
Flambeau Clowns		\$95.00
Funsters	\$1,100.00	\$4,223.22
Horsemen		\$600.00
Mavericks	\$95.00	\$5,075.00
Midgets	\$335.00	
Mini Cars	\$995.81	\$5,695.00
Musky Cycle Patrol	\$655.00	\$925.00
Pipes & Drums	\$3,050.00	\$13,090.00
Road Runners	\$65.00	\$1,720.00
Sawdusters	\$230.00	\$1,800.00
Tin Lizzies	\$15.00	\$45.00
Vet Patrol	\$8.00	\$500.00
Wausauken Indians	\$2,865.00	\$6,808.65
Wranglers	\$1,155.00	\$2,200.00
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$17,313.81</b>	<b>\$54,026.87</b>

CLUB DONATIONS	FRATERNAL	CHARITABLE
Badger	\$1,804.80	\$20.00
Beloit	\$340.00	\$3,070.00
Green Co	\$2,243.35	\$11,369.26
Hayward	\$3,138.85	\$4,625.00
Heart of WI	\$5,757.85	\$7,030.00
Indianhead	\$127.50	\$11,670.00
La Crosse	\$35.00	\$3,879.53
Lakeland	\$1,330.00	\$3,190.00
Madison	\$3,565.00	\$3,220.00
Mascoutin	\$1,016.95	\$1,000.00
Mecca	\$2,150.00	\$6,528.00
Mehara	\$851.17	\$2,385.00
Mississippi Valley	\$175.00	
Mound View	\$400.00	\$1,765.00
Pine River	\$590.00	\$250.00
Sahara	\$310.00	\$109,358.64
St. Croix Valley	\$805.00	\$20,060.50
SW WI	\$3,016.80	\$4,395.00
Timber	\$1,538.00	\$1,390.00
Vacationland	\$1,031.55	\$1,775.00
Vernon Co	\$193.00	\$10,065.00
Wild River		\$73.00
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$30,419.82</b>	<b>\$207,118.93</b>

## ATTENTION, ATTENTION!!

1. If you are in possession of a petition for Zor Membership, THROW IT AWAY. With the dues increase for 2011, the petition you have in your possession, is no longer valid and the fees listed on your 2011 or older petition are incorrect for 2012. THROW IT AWAY! 2012 Divan Reps will be bringing new petitions to your club and unit meetings starting in January. If you do not attend a club or unit meeting regularly, and would like a 2012 petition, please call or email the Zor office and we would be happy to mail you a petition.

2. PER SHRINERS INTERNATIONAL HQ, we have been asking you all year to THROW AWAY all printed brochures that you have regarding Shriners Hospitals for Children® and Shriners International. If a brochure you are in possession of is NOT dated 2011 on the backside, THROW IT AWAY. We must all be in sync with using the proper terminology when providing information on our hospitals and our fraternity, and only the brochures printed in 2011 have the CORRECT information. All others MUST be thrown away per a directive from Shriners International HQ. This directive from Shriners International HQ is in support of the changes mandated by the new hospital insurance initiative.

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The Hayward Musky Shrine Club met on December 14 for their regular meeting and Installation of Officers at the Ranch Supper Club in Hayward, WI. The following were elected for 2012 l-r: First Row: Tom Spelbring (Treasurer), Robert Odell (Vice President), Gary Cuskey (President), and Al Heinkel (Secretary). Second Row: Larry Meier (Zephyr Correspondent), Kevin Fischer (Hospital Representative), Chief Rabban Larry Riemenschneider (Installing Marshall), Past Potentate Roger Amdahl (Installing Officer), and Kingman Loomis (Chaplain).



Our own Lisa Boline worked the Badger Honor Flight on November 12th for the Red Cross, and was able to catch a photo with one of our Shriners again. Bill Smith, Belleville, is a 55 year member of Zor Shriners!



Each year the County Legionnaires present a check to the St. Croix Valley Shrine Club to help support their many fraternal and charitable activities. Shrine Club Past President Jerry Hauschildt of Baldwin is shown presenting Noble & Legionnaire Charlie Grant with a framed recognition noting his efforts over the years. Grant also presented the Shrine club with a check for \$500.



## SEND IN THE CLOWNS

The annual Zor Clowns Sweetheart/Potentate party is all planned for Saturday Feb 4, 2012 and now it is time to SEND IN THE CLOWNS. Special entertainment will be provided by the new Potentate as he will reveal his true inner Clown self. We ask for any and all Past Clown Potentates to bring their picture along that evening also. It is always nice to be in a room full of clowns as everyone is a clown, some just dress the part.

This year we will be at Rex's Innkeeper in Waunakee again. The social time will begin at 5:00 p.m. or whenever you arrive but we will eat at 6:00 p.m. You will need to make a meal choice of either Prime Rib, Fried Shrimp, or

Chicken Cordon Bleu and the meal will include salad, rolls, & baked potato with milk, tea or coffee. There will also be a desert, of course. The cost will be \$23.00 per person and reservations are necessary with a deadline of January 28. Look for the coupon on page 11.

This is always a fun evening and we will continue to hold our door prize give away with ALL money raised going to the Shrine Clown Red Sneaker Fund for Shrine Burn Hospitals in the name of the Potentate and his Lady.

So where should you be on Feb 4? Why, of course, it is Rex's in Waunakee where we will SEND IN THE CLOWNS.

## 2012 Mehara Shrine Club Potentate's Party

Mehara Shrine Club and Units are pleased to invite everyone to join us March 3rd to honor the new Potentate and his Lady at The Plaza Hotel & Suites 1202 W. Clairemont Ave., Eau Claire. Activities start with cash Oasis at 6:00P.M., followed by a great dinner buffet. Entertainment will be by The Innocent Men, one member of which is Eric Conner, grandson of Norma and P.P. Robert [Whitey] Jenkins. Rooms are available by calling the hotel at 715-834-3181 or 800-482-7829 requesting rooms for block #7647. Rates will be \$82.00 per room plus tax. 15 rooms have been set aside for our use.

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## 3rd Annual ZOR Gun Raffle Underway

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# Student Researches and Fundraises for Shriners

Seth Green a student at TAGOS Leadership Academy in Janesville took on the challenge of raising money for the Shriners Hospitals for Children and presented a check to Will Reck, Zor Donor Relations. This was a class project requiring substantial research regarding Shriners Hospitals for Children. At the completion of the project, Seth had to

make a presentation to his class about the results of his efforts. He coordinated his research with Bob Cotner, Development Director of Shriners Hospitals for Children - Chicago. Seth was encouraged in this effort by his younger brother, currently a patient at the Shriners Hospitals for Children - Chicago.



Seth Green presenting check for SHC to Will Reck.

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## Calendar Raffle Winners

Congratulations to our first lucky winners of the New Year! Top winners were: Audrey Herden, West Allis, \$100; John Jones, Beloit, \$100; Gary Morton, Madison, \$100; Jim Swan, Pardeeville, \$150; & Jerry Hauschildt, Baldwin, \$150.

The \$20 dollar winners were: Harold Beals, Platteville; Jason Laramee, WI Rapids; Phil & Carol Nelson, New Richmond; Richard Hanson, New Lisbon; Robert Nogle, Plainfield; Randy Nelson, River Falls; Bill Owens, Ft Atkinson; Daniel Conrad, Denton, TX; Gary Gilbertson, Black River Falls; Trish Gulseth, Stoughton; Robin Hyde, Plymouth, MN; William Smith, Belleville; Brigette Smith, Stoughton; Brian Majerus, Beloit; Mark Charbonneau, Tomah; Debbie McLimans, Fair Play, CO; Matthew Glimme, Madison; Joshua Greenwold, Blair; Carl Ruedebusch, Madison; Betty Thompson, Shullsburg; Vince Gandolph, Madison; Jennifer Torkelson, Tomah; Robert Nogle, Plainfield; Jerry Potter, Oshkosh; Peter Hoffman, Black River Falls; & Bill Moe, Black River Falls.



## Hospital Dads: Hooked on Helping Kids!

Thank you to the Nobility who donate their time and energy transporting our kids. If you see any of these caring folks, be sure to thank them for all they do. If you would be interested in being a driver or a rider, contact your local club/unit or the Zor Shriners office. Get to know our kids and get to know our hospitals – it will change your life!

### Drivers and Riders to the Chicago Hospital in November

Driver	Rider
Dale Anderson	Al Becker
Earl Buehler (5)	Gene Blair
George Christopherson	Mike Bovre
Don Komplin	Sue Buehler
Godfrey Lewis	Bill Burkhardt
Tom Nelson	David Jackson
GP Wiemer	Lee Saunders
Richard Winter	Mel Stark
	GP Wiemer

### Drivers and Riders to the Twin Cities Hospital in November

Drivers	Riders
Jon Barthel	Roger Barthel
Jim Bitner	Dave Frogner
Bob Giesler	Del Gilbertson (2)
Roger Hancock (2)	Richard Jarvis
Peter Rotter	Bob Keene
Mike Sund	Jerry Mattakat
Larry Wiegand (3)	Barry Maxfield
	Jeff Symes

## 2012 Zor Annual Meeting and Election

Zor Shriners annual meeting and election of officers will be held on Saturday, Jan. 14, at the Zor Shrine Center starting about 11:45 a.m. The usual buffet lunch will begin at 11:45 in the Oasis Room, with the Ladies invited to join. Please see the coupon in the Zephyr. Please RSVP by January 6.

The reservations for the ladies off-site lunch can be called in or emailed to the Zor Shriners office. Reservations need to be in by January 10th. Lunch will be Dutch treat at the Longhorn Steakhouse at West Towne Mall. Carpool from the Zor Shriners Center or meet there.

After the opening of the Temple at 1 p.m., the business session with all annual reports will be held until 3 p.m., when the election of officers will be held. Remember to bring your 2011 dues card when you register to attend the business meeting.

Following the election of officers, Ladies, family members, and guests are invited to participate in the open public installation of new officers, which will begin at approximately 3:30.

Housing will be at the Hampton Inn & Suites located at 483 Commerce Dr (1/2 mile from Zor next to the Princeton Athletic Club). Call the hotel directly at 608-271-0200 and mention the Zor Shriners room rate. Nobles one and all, please join in the annual meeting and election of officers for 2012 as this is your Divan and representatives for the coming year. Ladies and guests, please join in the ceremony and celebration as the newly elected officers of Zor will be installed. It is a great opportunity for you to be a part of Zor's history and enjoy fun and fellowship with the Nobles and ladies of Zor.

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# Honored Ladies Lunch – A Unique Experience for All

Story by Sheri Severson. Photos by Nancy Nelson.

The day started with welcome smiles and greetings from the Divan Ladies and the Divan as Honored Ladies entered the Zor Shriners Center on a beautiful sunny day. It was a perfect day for the guests of the Honored Ladies luncheon as each unique Lady spent time together before lunch socializing and sharing memories of past events. Nearly 50 people attended the event, with 20 Ladies being recognized for their devotion to the Shrine.

The room was decorated in the theme of snowflakes. Lady Mary Ellen Peterson shared her enthusiasm for snow, explaining that snowflakes are like people - no two are alike and each one is unique in its own way. The tables were elegantly decorated by Queen Anne's staff with red and white fanned napkins with Lady Nancy Nelson and Lady Debbi Thorstad putting on the finishing touches with large colorful snowflake Christmas toppers. Lunch was delicious as they enjoyed chicken cordon blue, potatoes, salad, vegetable, and a slice dessert that melted in your mouth (just like snowflakes)!

Potentate Steve and Lady Mary Ellen welcomed Ladies and guests to the annual luncheon. Potentate Steve thanked the Ladies for their support of the Shrine and

encouraged them to continue to participate in activities at Zor. Lady Mary Ellen greeted the Ladies with her smiles and enthusiasm as she talked briefly about her project "The Toy Box". She is gathering toys in the traveling toy box to give to the children at the Chicago and Twin Cities hospitals. So far she has filled the toy box 5 times, and thanked everyone for their contributions.

With winter comes snow and, of course, the holiday season. Following the theme of the day, Co-chairs Debbi and Nancy solicited the talents of Lady Lois Hoonstra to play a variety of musical tunes of the season. Lady Lois was joined by fellow musician Jim Bufford who accompanied her with his delightful baritone horn. Recanting memories from earlier days, the music brought a warm and fuzzy feeling to everyone in the room. Lady Lois performed gracefully and engaged everyone with several sing-alongs.

As the afternoon came to an end, the Ladies reminisced on their past Shrine experiences with their Nobles and the luncheons of the past. It was a wonderful day, filled with warmth, comfort and friendship. A big thank you goes to the Potentate, his Lady, and the committee for making this day special for so many guests.



Above left, Honored Ladies Wava Grinde & Bonnie Davies enjoying the festivities. Above right, not too much snow to be found but the Petersons found a snow man! Left, musical entertainment provided by Lois Hoonstra & John Bufford.

## Annual Fez Party - Zor Shriners Center January 14, 2012

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## 2012 Mehara Potentate Party

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## Zor Shriners Annual Meeting Lunch

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