



ZOR WELCOMES CLOWN "SOOT" TO THE MADISON CLOWN UNIT

By Todd Wohlert, Zephyr Correspondent

The ever popular Rex's Innkeeper in Waunakee was host to scores of revelers Saturday, February 13 and quite a few of those folks wore fezzes. The evening marked the annual Zor Clown Party honoring the new Potentate and it was also the unveiling of a new Zor Clown. Over 50 Zor Nobles and their ladies enjoyed the Sweetheart's Banquet and festivities. Decorated with Valentine's Day themed regalia, the dining room also featured 5 large photos of Past Potentates in their Zor Clown personas.

Potentate Joe Thompson, Lady Julie, and their children and guests were present as well as most of the Divan, a number of Past Potentates, and a whole lot of clowns. Charlie the Camel was also present, noticeably close to the refreshments.

Dale Holmen, Chair of the event, welcomed everyone and started the evening the clown way. He offered the Clown's Prayer before the meal, then he and his wife, Deb, read Red Skelton's (a famous clown and Shriner) expanded version of the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by the Pledge recited by the whole assembly. Dale plugged the raffle they were having after that the feast commenced for the Shriner Burn Hospitals. Rex's Innkeeper has a reputation for fine food and all expectations were met. The Nobles and their ladies enjoyed delicious entrees of prime rib, fish or chicken.

As with all Shrine events, the table conversation is one of the highlights of the evening. One of the Divan ladies commented on her fondness for the fish - any and all fish. Valentine's Day was on the mind of the revelers. A couple of Past Potentates were overheard discussing the purchase of flowers for their sweeties. They agreed that the best place to buy flowers was at gas stations because of the convenience and low cost. Their ladies were not amused.

After the meal, it was time for the program. The Potentate took the hot seat at the front of the room where he was divested of his coat and tie, then draped with a barber's cloth to keep his clothes free of clown paint. Lyle Fox a.k.a. Foxy, had the dubious honor of transforming the Potentate into his new clown persona. The traditional clown white grease paint was applied liberally to his face, taking special care not to mess up his hair or disturb his finely trimmed moustache. A few Past Potentates shouted from the crowd that Joe need a buzz cut and proper shave. Billy the Clown suggested painting the Potentate's moustache pink. Joe was very patient throughout the procedure and was probably relieved that Foxy didn't take any advice from the peanut gallery.

Three little girls from an adjoining party saw the adults playing with makeup and decided to join the party and watch the transformation. They had a front row seat as Foxy stated applying the pink makeup to the Potentate's cheeks, lower lip, and upper part of his chin. P.P. Tom Nelson said Joe "looked like the Joker".

Finally, the Potentate was taken into the backroom for further preparation. While the extreme makeover was taking place, Dale was busy running the raffle. Dozens of gifts were won and over \$200 was raised

for the Clown's Red Sneaker Fund, which supports the Cincinnati Burn Hospital fund. P.P. John Thorstad plugged the circuses in Madison and La Crosse and invited the Nobles and their ladies to participate in any way they could.

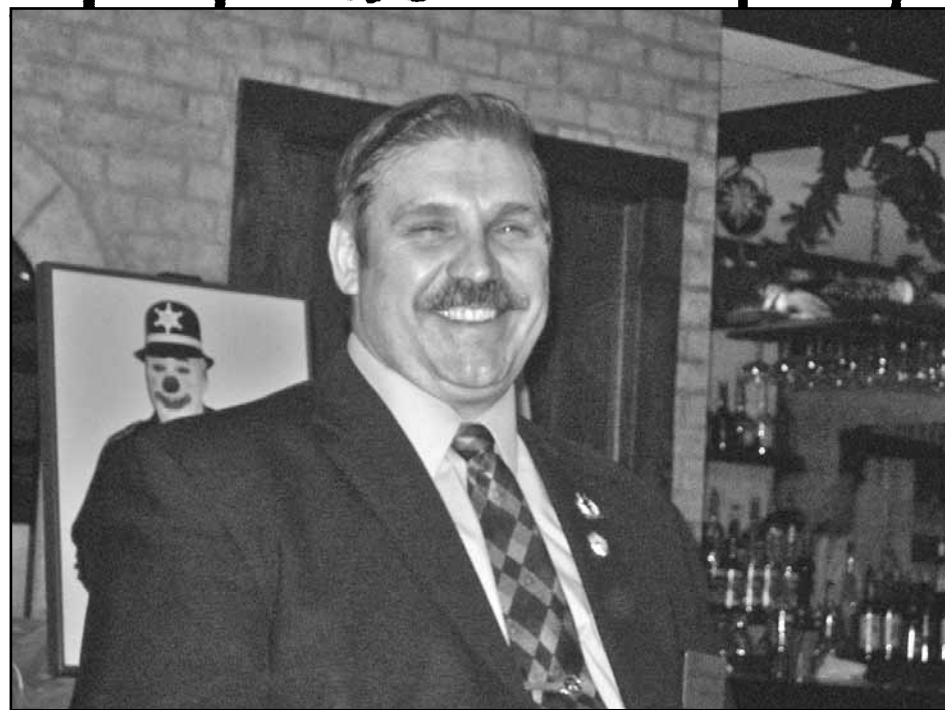
The moment everyone had waited for finally arrived. The door opened and "Soot the Clown" made his first appearance. Wearing a chimney sweep tuxedo (of course), the new clown had long blue hair, a extended red nose, a puffy blue bow tie, a small toothbrush in the lapel pocket, and a small blue chimney sweep brush in his hand (which happened to look a lot like a toilet brush). Commenting on his new persona, the Potentate has this to say, "(It's) excellent. Foxy does a great job". Noble Justin Thompson commented on his father's clown persona, "It's fitting, very fitting. They came up with a good design. The blue hair really sets it off." A line formed to take pictures of "Soot" and the Divan. The Potentate was kind enough to comb some of the Divan member's hair with his special brush.

Foxy was called up to the front of the room and congratulated on his clown design and application for "Soot" along with other contributions. Foxy's clown image was used in the Zor Shrine Circus advertising, most notably in newspaper ads and the large billboards seen around Madison. In appreciation of his work, Foxy received a miniature billboard of the Circus advertisement featuring his clown likeness.

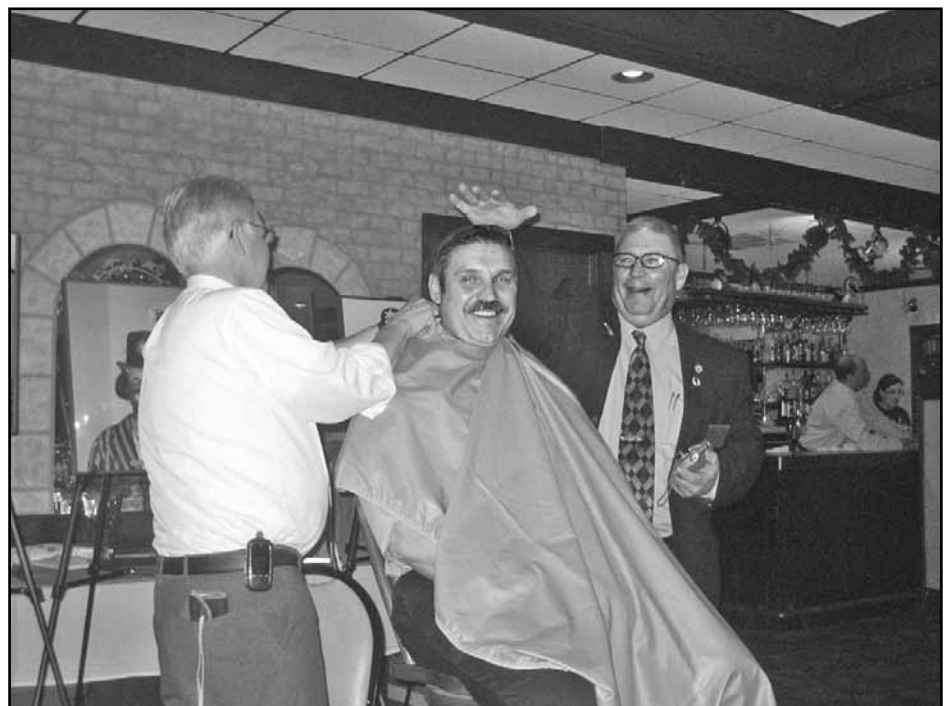
With the festivities finished, Dale Holmen thanked everyone for coming out and sharing the fun evening. He especially thanked his wife Deb for her help with the party. Dale warned the Divan members that their turn in the clown chair would be coming up and that the Zor Clowns would be scrutinizing them over the upcoming years trying to determine what kind of clowns they will be. Finally, Dale introduced the Past Potentate's wives who were present, and they were asked to identify their husbands' clown pictures from previous years. Those present were: "Tommy Turtle" Nelson, "Chief B Rocolli" Severson, "Wheels" Thorstad, "Short Change" Grinde and "Professor" Kaschel.

The Potentate a.k.a. "Soot", at last, had the chance to address the crowd after his ordeal. He thanked everyone for coming out, introduced Lady Julie, and his children and their guests. Next he introduced all the Divan members that were present and put in a plug for the Mardi Gras Party in Platteville March 20. Make your reservations ASAP!!! Joe thanked the clowns again, "This was a great night, it was a lot of fun." To show their appreciation to the ladies, "Billy the Clown" and "Soot the Clown" passed out roses to all of the ladies in the room, which pleased the ladies greatly (especially the ladies who have husbands that buy flowers at gas stations).

Dale Holmen weighed in on the evening, "It went very well. It always fun to see people get together and have a good time!" He also remarked on "clowning up" the new Potentate, "It's a tradition... We love it...And they remember it...Ask them, from 15-20 years ago, what their clown name was and they'll be able to tell you" (at least some of them do).



Before the big event, notice the smile, clean cut and tidy look of Potentate Joe.



Foxy and Billy prepare Joe for his transition from Potentate to Clown Soot.

Check out pages 6 & 7 for more Clown Party Pictures

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Recorder's Roll Call

Due to the fact the deadline for submitting articles for the Zephyr is before the Madison Circus and the Midwest Winter Session I am unable to give you any information on these events.

We have 2 Membership Drives coming up soon. The first is a Mardi Gras on March 20th in Platteville at the Governor Dodge Convention Center. Bring your Blue Lodge members and their lady. The cost is \$25.00 per person, but if you bring a guest or potential member who is not a Shriner, it's only \$12.50 per person. Honor Potentate Joe and Lady Julie by coming in costume. More information is contained in the February Zephyr.

The second event will be May 15th which will be a Luau to be held in Edgerton. More information on the Luau will be published shortly.

Other March events will be the La Crosse Circuses on the 2nd & 3rd, Mehara Shrine Club's Potentate Party in Eau Claire on the 13th and the Easter Egg Hunt at the Zor Shrine Center on the 27th.

One of most asked questions this year will be "Where's the Scimitar?" Potentate Joe has a Traveling Scimitar which will travel between Clubs & Units throughout the year. This program was introduced to resemble the "Masonic Traveling Gavel. Each Club or Unit will take steps to obtain the Scimitar, take picture of the transfer and sent it to the Zor Office.

Last is a reminder that your 2010 Zor Shrine Dues are now due and payable as the deadline was January 1, 2010.

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From The Potentate

Joe Thompson



Wow!!! Time is on the fly and Zor has been busy this past month. Lady Julie and I started the year out by heading north to the Rice Lake Snobird fundraiser on Saturday, January 23. What a successful event it was! Even though the weather did not cooperate, some of the snowmobilers braved the elements to begin the ride in the rain. It wasn't long however, and they were unable to participate. But the rain did not dampen their spirits and everyone seemed to have enjoyed themselves. The club was able to raise \$10,572.00 for the Shriners Hospitals for Children. Special thanks to Roger Amdall, PP, for chauffeuring myself and Chief Rabban Steve Peterson to all the check points. Congratulations for a job well done!

As luck would have it, the following morning, Lady Julie headed back south pushing several inches of snow and slush. We arrived at Erin's Irish Pub in time to witness the Pipes & Drums present Badger Shrine Club with the Traveling Scimitar. What a surprise to see this project take off and to see the fellowship it has developed. I'm also proud of the Badger Shrine Club for its renewed interest with its membership.

January 27, I traveled to Ft. Atkinson to attend the Sahara Shrine Club's Winter Holiday party. Badger Shrine Club was on hand to transfer the Traveling Scimitar to Sahara Shrine Club. I had a very enjoyable evening sharing fellowship with the Nobles and their ladies.

On January 30, Lady Julie and I traveled back up north to Minneapolis to attend Zuhrah's Potentate's Ball. We met Chief Rabban Steve Peterson and Lady Mary Ellen along with five Counterpart

Potentates from El Raid; Aad; Osman; Beja; and Yelduz. We all had a wonderful time sharing friendship and fellowship. Potentate Daryl Metzger had a great program and we enjoyed listening to all the Units performing music.

On Wednesday, February 3, several nobles and ladies met at the Shrine Center to sort Circus Tickets. This certainly kicked in the Circus spirit! John Thorstad, PP, was still singing those famous words, "Come to the Circus. The biggest show in town!" Thanks to those who helped with sorting Circus Tickets. Many hands made quick work. Special Thanks to John and Mark Severson, PP, for the countless hours and excitement they created to get the Circus off to a GREAT start.

February 13, was a special night for me, as I became "SOOT" the Clown at the annual Clown party held at Rex's Innkeeper in Waunakee. The event was well attended and everyone appeared to have enjoyed the evening. Lyle Fox, "Foxy" was presented with a miniature billboard by John Thorstad, PP, for Foxy's help promoting the Circus by being photographed and featured on area billboards inviting people to come to the Circus. I would also like to personally thank Foxy and Larry Hanson "Billy" for creating "Soot".

Midwest Winter Session was the next adventure. Chief Rabban Steve Peterson, High Priest & Prophet Bob Gorsuch, Oriental Guide Larry Hanson, Membership Chairman Bob Calvary, and I traveled to Sioux City, Iowa on Thursday, February 18. The rest to the Divan stayed in Madison to help with the Circus. We were fortunate not to get snowed in there

until Spring. The break-out presentations were very informative and we were all present for a great Membership presentation by Imperial Sir Jeff Sowder. We're all pumped up and ready to continue promoting membership at Zor!

On Saturday morning, we began traveling back to Madison to attend the evening performance at the Circus, as it was Masonic Night at the Circus. Right worshipful Senior Grand Warden Davey White, Jr., District Deputies Scott Pedley and Dave Bomkamp were on hand to represent the Grand Lodge of Wisconsin. All Masons were acknowledged.

The Circus was a HUGE success! The weather cooperated with us and the people obviously were ready to COME TO THE CIRCUS! Next month, I'll report more of the details, but at this point, things look very profitable. Many thanks to George Cardin for again bringing THE BIGGEST SHOW IN TOWN to Madison. I would also like to thank Bob Sands for an outstanding job in promoting the Circus. All of which could not and would not be possible without the help from ALL of the Nobles and their wives. Special thanks to Debby Thorstad and Sheri Severson for taking charge of preparing the food and their leadership in counting tickets.

Get your candidates ready for the Mardi Gras! We are ready to show them an evening of FUN and fellowship!! Also, keep the Traveling Scimitar on the move!

In the faith,

Joe Thompson
 Potentate 2010

Zor Shriner's 2010 Calendar

March

Mar. 2-3 — La Crosse Circus, LaCrosse Center
 Mar. 13 — Mehara Shrine Club Potentate party, Eau Claire, WI
 Mar. 20 — Mardi Gras Membership party, Platteville, WI
 Mar. 27 — Easter Egg Hunt, Zor Shrine Center

April

Apr 11- Daughter of Nile Installation, Zor Shrine Center
 Apr. 16-17 — Scottish Rite Reunion, Madison Masonic Center
 Apr. 24 — Wausau Pote Party / Quarterly, Wausau, WI

May

May 1 — Abu Bekr Ball, Sioux City, IA
 May 1-2 — Sporting Clay Shoot, Argyle
 May 21 — TC Hospital Information Day,

TC Hospital
 May 22 — Potentate Ball, Madison

June

June 4-5 — Grand Lodge, Madison Masonic Center
 June 6 — Directors Staff Breakfast
 June 12 — Ceremonial, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

July

July 11 — Madison Mallards Game, Madison

Quarterly Meeting Notice

Zor's Quarterly meeting is scheduled for Saturday, April 24 at 2:30 PM to be held in Wausau. All Nobles of Zor are invited and encouraged to attend. Please remember that a paid 2010 dues card must be presented in order to attend the meeting. If you need to pay your dues, please send payment to the Zor Office at 575 Zor Shrine Place, Madison, WI 53719.

If you are experiencing difficulties and

need assistance, please feel free to contact any Divan member who will help keep you active. All nobles of Zor are valuable and we need your time and talents. Potentate Joe Thompson is looking forward to greeting everyone in Wausau and will bring updated information to the Nobility.

Join the Wausauken Indians as they honor Potentate Joe and Lady Julie at the annual Potentate Party.

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You are notified that the regularly stated meeting of Zor Shriners will meet at the above time and place for the purpose of hearing reports, amend the by-laws and conducting regular business.
 Admittance by your 2010 dues card. Please wear your Fez.

Attest
 Yours in the Faith
 /s/ James Stelsel, Sr. /s/ Joseph Thompson
 Recorder Potentate

Where's the Scimitar?

Potentate Joe Thompson issued a challenge to all clubs and units in Zor following the Installation of Officers – please share the Traveling Scimitar with your fellow Nobles. Since January the Scimitar has passed on to several clubs and units in the area. Mini car members (Miles Bradley, Bob Bradley and Dave Dunahee) traveled from Edgerton to the Shrine Center one January Thursday evening to present Zor's new status symbol to members of the Pipes and Drum Corp, which they graciously accepted.

Now, where did it go? Members of the Pipes and Drums trekked from various communities to meet at Erin's Pub on Sunday, Jan. 30 to share the treasure with the Badger Shrine Club. With 8 members present, the group entered the dining area carrying the sword to begin the tradition of passing on the "traveling Scimitar". Accepting the scimitar on behalf of the Badger Shrine Club were members Dave Bomkamp and PP Mark Severson. There was a great feeling of excitement as members of both groups shared a toast and fellowship prior to the brunch meeting.

Next trip for the Traveling Scimitar? From Madison/Cottage Grove to Ft. Atkinson where members of the Sahara Shrine Club welcomed PP Mark Severson and the Scimitar at their annual Holiday party. Potentate Joe and members of the Divan were on hand to witness the transfer of the ornamental sword and see

the camaraderie between Nobles.

Trip No. 4 – from Ft. Atkinson to Madison where the Sahara Shrine Club members passed the sword to members of the Camel Patrol at the Shrine Circus on Feb. 20. There were lots of witnesses to share the exchange along with laughs, fellowship and congratulations for moving it so quickly through Zor.

If your club or unit is the next to receive the ornamental sword at a scheduled meeting or event, please take a picture of the transfer between Nobles and email it to zorzeephyr@tds.net or mail it to the Zor Office, 575 Zor Shrine Place, Madison, WI 53717. Please include the names of the members from both of the clubs or units as they will be recognized in the Zephyr.

When will your club or unit be added to list. Keep a close eye on the Zephyr to see where the Traveling Scimitar has been or where it's currently residing.

Travels of the Scimitar

January

Minicars – Madison
Pipes & Drums – Madison area
Badger Shrine Club – Columbus/
Beaver Dam area

February

Sahara Shrine Club – Ft. Atkinson area
Camel Patrol – Madison area



Members of the Pipes and Drums come in full swing as they deliver the Scimitar to the Badger Shrine Club.



Sahara officers accept the Traveling Scimitar from Badger Shrine Club during their Holiday party in January.

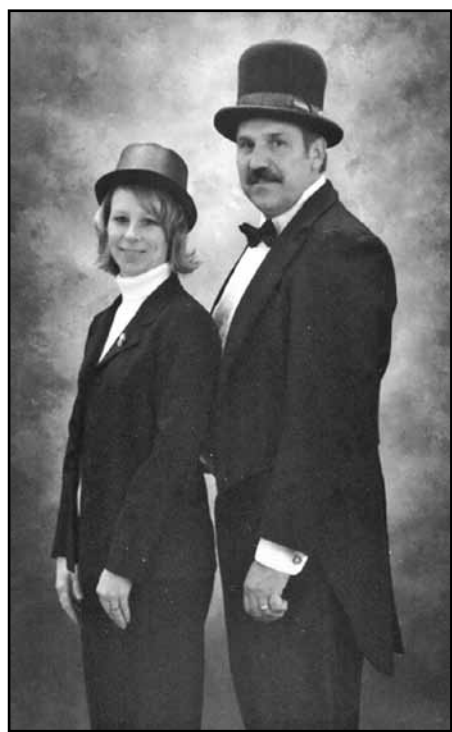
It's a Clean Sweep at the Crowne Plaza

The Zor Shrine Potentate's Ball to honor Potentate Joe Thompson and Lady Julie will be held on Saturday May 22nd at the Madison Crowne Plaza hotel, which is located across from East Towne Mall.

The theme for the evening relates to Joe's occupation as a chimney sweep. Our extreme design team has come up with some extraordinary decorations for both the room and tables that are well worth seeing.

The evening will start with a social hour from 5pm to 6pm. A steak and shrimp dinner or a vegetarian entrée will be served at 6:30pm. Dancing will follow by the music of the Transition Band.

The cost is \$49.00 per person with a reservation deadline of May 8th. Please use the coupon located in the back of this issue to reserve your spot at the ball. A block of rooms is reserved at the Crowne Plaza for both Friday and Saturday nights at \$139.00 per night. Mention Zor Shrine when calling the hotel (608-244-4703) for reservations



Potentate Joe Thompson and Lady Julie

prior to the May 3rd cut off date.

Seating requests will be honored and formal attire with fez is requested.



Easter Egg Hunting Is March 27

Time is passing quickly – so mark your calendars for Zor's Annual Easter Egg hunt. Bring your kids, grandkids, great-grandkids or the neighbor's kids. This is a family event and we'd like to see lots of smiling faces.

The Easter Egg hunt will be held at the Shrine Center on March 27th from 11:30 A.M. to 3 P.M. The egg hunt will start at approximately 1 P.M. and will be held outside, so please dress appropriately. In

case of bad weather the egg hunt will be held indoors.

There is a great probability that we will get to see the Easter Bunny. There will be snacks and candy for all. Please fill out coupon and return as soon as you can or call Larry Hanson 608-862-3227 or 608-778-0802 to reserve a place. There is no charge for this event but a head count is needed for food and candy.



Madison Circus Entertains Over 32,000 in 2010

The weather was great this year as circus goers enjoyed the World Famous George Carden Circus, with new acts and amazing animals. This year acts included an amazing contortionist, motorcycles flying across the sky or rolling in the wire cage, aerialists of all kinds. There were animals of all kinds to entertain: Bo, and the elephants, tigers, dogs and ponies. It was a great event for everyone who watched the show on the edge of their seats.

See next month's issue for more details and pictures galore.

Welcome to the Zor Shrine Circus!

BRING IN THOSE CANDIDATES!



Welcome 2010 Divan



Captain of the Guard J R Boeck

J R Boeck was born in Monroe, WI. He attended grade schools in Orangeville, IL and Rat Hollow, Argyle; then started High School in Argyle and graduated from Monroe High School in 1965.

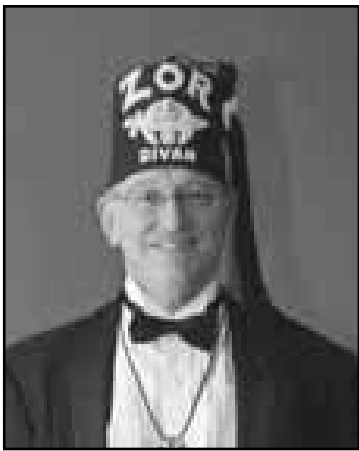
J R entered military service following high school with the U.S. Army and National Guard. Following his military career, he worked at Sundstrand Aviation from 1965-1972. Working wasn't quite enough for JR as he attended Blackhawk Technical College from 1971 to 1972.

Beginning in 1972, J R worked as a Field Engineer with IBM Corporation until 1978 when he worked in Bolter, Co and San Jose, Ca Support Centers before returning as a Field Engineer in 1986. He retired from IBM in 2003 with 30 years of service.

Noble Boeck became a Mason at Smith Lodge #31 in Monroe where he served as Worshipful Master in 1995 and 1999. He is still serving Smith Lodge as Treasurer (since 1996), and Secretary since 2006.

His other Masonic activities include: Monroe Masonic Center Association President since 2000; member of the Scottish Rites of the Valley of Freeport and York Rites of Monroe. J R's Shrine service includes: President, Green County Shrine Club 1998-2000, Zor Escort Patrol (joined in 1994), Captain, Zor Escort Patrol 1999-2000; appointed Zor Captain of Guard in 2001 by Potentate Earl Buehler; member of Zor Mini-Car unit.

J R has 3 children: Judi (John) Tucker of Marshall, their children: 3 boys, Riley, Connor and Kaleb. Jeremy (Jenni) Brown of Monroe, their children: 1 boy, Zach and 2 girls, Zandra and Zaisha. Mike (Monique) Trickel who is currently serving in the U S Navy since 1999.



Outer Guard Ron Boeck

Noble Ron Boeck resides in New Glarus with his wife Ann. Ron was born in Freeport, IL and attended school in Orangeville, IL; Rat Hollow in Argyle, WI and Monroe. He also attended UW-Whitewater.

Ron currently works at SVA Certified Public Accountants, S.C. as Manager and previously with Baily & Stolzman, S.C. CPA's.

His fraternal activities include membership in Smith Lodge #31, Monroe, holding positions of Tyler (2007 & 2008); Junior Deacon (2009 & 2010). He is also a member of Green County Shrine Club holding offices of Vice President (2008) and President (2009 & 2010). Take a moment to congratulate Noble Ron in his role as Outer Guard.

St. Croix Shrine Club Hosts Valentine Party at Ellsworth Masonic Center

by Milt Helmer

It is an annual event filled with brotherly love and fellowship. The Valentines Day Party, hosted by the St. Croix Valley Shrine Club was held on Friday, February 12th at the Ellsworth Masonic Center in Ellsworth, and was filled with the fellowship you would expect from Shriners.

Club President Barry Ausen of Star Prairie served as master of ceremonies for the evening. He introduced visiting dignitaries including Past Potentates Darl Hoffman of River Falls and Vern Engebretson of Clear Lake. He also introduced members of the Knights of Columbus who were invited guests of the Shriners. President Ausen said it was nice that both fraternal organizations could

break bread together, since our missions of helping others are very similar.

Club Chaplain Ron Leibl of Clear Lake, continued a long standing tradition of story telling about Valentines Day, including some humorous tales.

Milt Helmer gave the Nobles and guests a briefing on the Shrine Clubs newest fund raising effort. The "Rallye in the Valley" is a scavenger hunt where the public purchases a book listing advertisements from businesses all over the St. Croix Valley. The object of "Rallye" is to visit all the advertisers in the book and receive a stamp to verify their stop. When all stops have been made, their book is sent to the Shrine Club and a drawing is held for hundreds of dollars in cash prizes.

They are also vying for a grand prize of a half of beef, donated by Olson's Meats of Woodville.

The Rallye will take place from April 1, to July 15 with prizes drawn in Amery on July 25th. If you are interested in participating you can buy a book for \$10 from any member of the Shrine Club or by calling Milt Helmer at 715-821-5002.

At the end of the fine dinner catered by Clifford Catering of Maiden Rock, the guests were entertained by the highly talented choir from the Ellsworth High School under the direction of Peter Dulak. Nobles Charlie Webster and Larry Larrabee were in charge of the refreshments.



Dignitaries present at the St. Croix Valley Shrine Club Valentines Party were left to right Larry Riemenschneider, Divan; Barry Ausen Club President; Darl Hoffman, PP and Vern Engebretson, PP.



St Croix Valley Nobles and Ladies are Woowed by a local choir at their annual Valentine's Day party.



Marshal David Bomkamp

David and his Lady Tammy reside in Columbus where he currently holds the position of Alderman for District 2. He has been very active in local politics as he served in a variety of positions and offices: Plan Commission 2004-06; Alderman District 2, 2006; City Council President 2006; and Mayor 2006-07.

Dave is currently employed at Trachte Building Systems as a Sheet Metal Worker since 1993 and also serves as ESOP Chairman as of 2008.

Noble Bomkamp has been very active in blue lodge as he has held several positions; his positions in Columbus Lodge #75 as Master in 2006, Trustee 2007-Present; GLOW Area Administrator 7/2, 2006-08; GLOW District Deputy #7, 2008-Present; Member of York Rite - Tri-County Chapter; Scottish Rite - Valley of Madison; Zor Shriners as a member of the Directors Staff and Badger Shrine Club.

Dave was born in Boscobel and attended Riverdale High School in Muscoda, MATC in Madison where he received his EMS Specialist Diploma. He was a EMT-D for 6 years. He and Tammy are members of the Heartland Community Church in Sun Prairie.

Dave family includes Bryan Personke (stepson) who resides in Sun Prairie.



Shrine Club Chaplain Ron Leibl of Clear Lake, shared a story with the Nobles and guests at the Valentines party held in Ellsworth on Friday, February 12th.



Nobles and Knights' members visit following a delicious meal.

**Membership Growth Is Zor Temple's
No. 1 Job... And No. 2-3-4-5**

News from Shriners Hospitals for Children® — Cincinnati

Cincinnati Patient Serves as Patient Ambassador at Shrine Game

Cincinnati patient and burn survivor Daniel Happy was selected to represent Shriners Hospitals for Children® as a patient ambassador for the 85th East-West Shrine Game, held this past month in Orlando, Fl.

Happy sustained second- and third-degree burns over 95 percent of his body when a plane crashed into his family's Sanford, Fla., home in 2007. Only hours after the crash, Happy was airlifted from a local hospital to Shriners Hospitals for Children® — Cincinnati. Today, Happy is seen on an outpatient basis at the Cincinnati hospital.



As a patient ambassador for the 85th East-West Shrine Game, Happy represented the more than 120,000 children currently receiving care at the 22 Shriners Hospitals for Children® throughout North America. He attended official East-West Shrine Game events and took center field on game day for the coin toss.

"Danny's last name fits his disposition," said St. Dominic's principal Bill Cavanaugh, where Danny is in 6th grade. As an extremely outgoing student, Happy helped start "Happy Tabs for Shriners Hospitals" at his school in Cincinnati. The initial goal to collect 1 million aluminum can tabs was achieved in just a few short months. The students then collected a second million tabs, and have connected with dozens of people across the country who collect tabs on behalf of their program. The money Happy and his schoolmates collect from the sale of the aluminum tabs help provide a variety of items for patients at Shriners Hospitals for Children® — Cincinnati.

The East-West Shrine Game is the longest-running college all-star football game in the country. While the teams are divided by East and West, the players come together for the beneficiary of the event - Shriners Hospitals for Children®. For more information about the East-West Shrine Game, visit www.shrinegame.com.



DAUGHTERS OF THE NILE INSTALLATION

Antioch Temple No. 113, Daughters of the Nile, will hold its fifty-sixth Installation of Officers on Sunday, April 11, 2010 at 2:00 p.m. in Hankwitz Hall at the Zor Shrine Center, 575 Zor Shrine Place, Madison, Wisconsin. This is an open installation and everyone is invited.

Mary Millard will be installed as Queen, PQ Lois Hoornstra as Princess Royal and PQ Jodi Ott as Princess Tirzah. Installing Queens will be PQ Janis Reck and Laura Richardson, Supreme Princess Tirzah.

Following installation the Antioch Flag Unit and Antioch Ambassadors will entertain. Refreshments will follow in the Oasis Room. Please mark your calendars as we welcome our new officers.

Mardis Gras is Nearly Here!

Make your reservations now for the Mardis Gras Party, to be held on March 20th in Southwest Wisconsin at the Governor Dodge Convention Center in Platteville. With an emphasis on membership, the party will show guests how much fun we have as Shriners, in addition to having a great time with Nobles, their Ladies and honoring Potentate Joe and Lady Julie.

The cost is \$25 per person; but the cost for a guest or Potential Shriner is only \$12.50 per person. Look deep in your closets as everyone is encouraged to wear his/her Mardis Gras costume (the more colorful, the better). A Reservation coupon is located in the back of Zephyr. Please send your reservation and check made out to the Southwestern Shrine Club by March 7, to Wally Trouten, 6786 N. Elm St., Platteville, WI 53818.

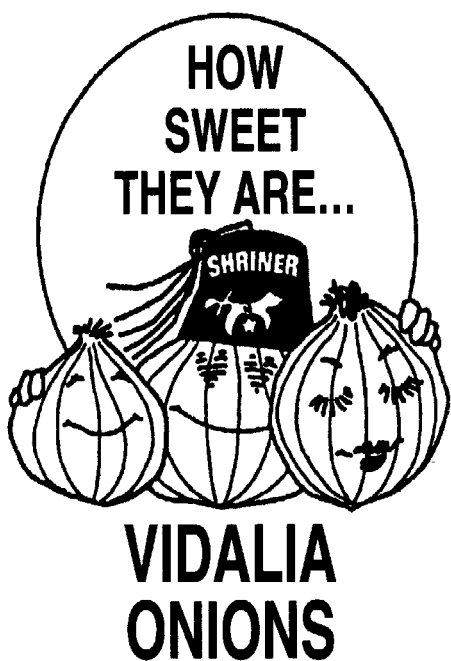
The committee has reserved a block of rooms at a discounted rate with several hotels in Platteville. Please call the hotels directly at the respective numbers listed and ask for the "Zor Shriners Discount". They are: Super 8 at \$60/night (608-348-8800) and the Country Inn & Suites at \$81/night (608-348-7373). Do not call their nation-wide 800 number as you will not get the discounted rate.

Feel free to call Monte Steiber at 608-326-4640 if you have any questions. We hope to see many smiling faces and guests, so make your reservations now.

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Onion Chair Richard Winter is challenging all Clubs and Units to increase your onion sales this year! Let's sell TWO semi truckloads of onions!

Buy One Bag and Sell One Bag! This slogan is meant for every Noble Richard is encouraging every noble to buy one

and sell one. If every Noble in Zor Shrine busy one and sells one bag of Vidalia Onions, Zor will sell 38,000 pounds of onions – a semi load! With those sales, one-half of this goal will be met.

Pre-selling onions is a great way to get sales prior to the delivery of the onions. PP John Thorstad and PP Ken Grinde both have great success in pre-selling onions. Their secret for success is to get several sales at one location, such as your work place, an organization, etc. This simplifies the delivery process – you can deliver several bags of onions to one place!

Jerry Hauschildt and his crew from the St Croix Valley Shrine Club, PP Roger Amdall and his crew from the Horsemen and Marshall Coon, Heart of Wisconsin Shrine Club all do a tremendous job selling onions. I know we have any other members who sell numerous bags of onions every year. We count on those sales and Noble Richard wants to personally thank each of you who go that extra mile to make these sales. He would also like to recognize other top sales people. Please send Noble Richard the names of the top sales people in our Units and Clubs as he is interested in how others sell large quantities of onions. Don't keep them a secret – share them.

The price of onions will remain at \$10/bag which is the same as it has been in the

past several years. Shad Dasher, owner of Glennville Produce Co in Georgia (our onion supplier) is not going to raise the price of onions this year. Shad is a fellow Shriner and shares our common goal of helping children.

Noble Rich would appreciate any ideas or suggestions you may have to increase the Vidalia Onion sales. Any and all questions or suggestions are welcome. Please contact Noble Richard Winter at (608) 513-2309 or email winterhaven91@hotmail.com or call Jim Soderholm at (608) 223-0354.



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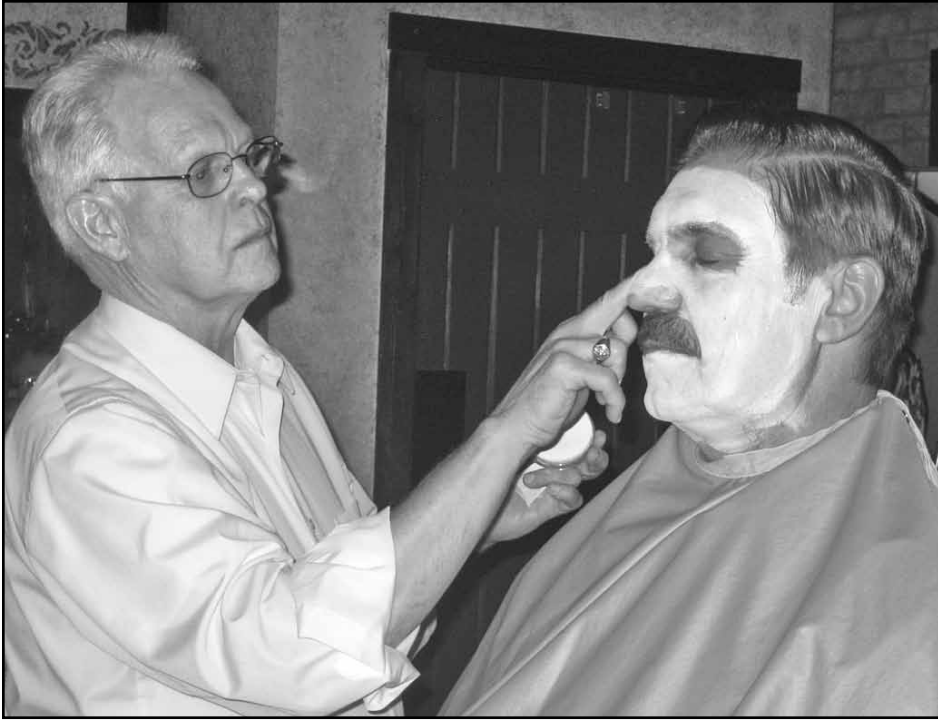


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Madison Clown Party...

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Applying make up is an art form in itself, but does it itch when it stays on too long?



Members of Zor Clowns welcome their newest member 'Soot' during the annual Potentate Party.



Joe Thompson (L), and Circus Chairman John Thorstad (R) present Foxy (Lyle Fox) with his own commemorative Zor Shrine Circus Billboard.



The finished product – Introducing 'Clown Soot' (notice the wild hair?)



Charlie takes his place of honor at the Clown party, dressed in his own special outfit complete with his own Chimney Sweep brush.



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Green County Shrine Club Hosts Annual Pancake Breakfast

Cooks filled the kitchen at the Masonic Lodge in Monroe on February 6 as they prepared pancakes and sausages for the many hungry visitors who would enter the Lodge. The room was filled from edge to edge with seating and work stations around the perimeter for the Nobles and ladies who helped with beverages, serve extra pancakes and beverages, bus tables and kept the open seats ready for the next round of patrons. The Boeck family brought their many years of experience to help make the day run smoothly.

Visiting from all over the state, Divan

members and their ladies were on hand to help out; Steve and Mary Ellen Peterson, Bob & Carol Gorsuch, along with PP's John Thorstad and Mark Severson with Lady Sheri. No job was too small or too big for their helping hands.

The Shrine Club thanks all of the sponsors who provided goods, services or funds to make the day a success. It was a busy day as members shared their secrets in creating the perfect batter and cooking the sausages just right so everyone enjoyed a great meal.

Past Potentate Clowns show off their clown faces; "Professor" Kaschel; "Chief B Rocolli" Severson, "Short Change" Grinde, "Tommy Turtle" Nelson and "Wheels" Thorstad.



Above left, PP John Thorstad and Lady Jill Hanson wait for the next customers who want beverages – a choice of white or chocolate milk, juice or coffee.

Directly above, Potentate Joe has a hard job – keeping the griddle greased and ready for the pancake drop.

Below right, Nobles measure the pancake mix and water so that it's just right for the grill.

Below left, Taking a minute for a picture, the cooks weren't able to take a break as they grilled pancakes from 8 to noon.



Wausau Potentate Party - April 24

This year, the Wausau Potentate Party will be held on April 24 to honor Potentate Joe Thompson and Lady Julie by the Wausau Indians at the Wausau Elks Club on 414 Scott St.

The afternoon will begin with a Divan meeting and also Safety Refresher training for Hospital Dad's at 1:00 PM, followed by a Quarterly meeting at 2:30 PM. The Quarterly meeting is open to all nobles.

Social hour will begin around 4:45 with dinner to follow with entertainment, and raffle. A lunch meal of soup and sandwich buffet will also be available at

noon before the meetings begin.

We will have our annual raffle for the beautiful locally grown Geraniums, so don't miss this event. It will be a great weekend to come to the Central part of the state. We will also have activities for the Ladies while the Nobles are laboring at their meetings. More details will be forthcoming - so make plans to attend.

A block of rooms are being held at the Jefferson Street Inn (only three blocks from the Elks in beautiful downtown Wausau). Please call soon to make your reservations at 715-845-6500.

Wausau Potentate Party

Elks Club, Wausau
Saturday April 24, 2010

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Guest: _____ Lady _____

Phone: _____

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Number Attending: _____ @ \$18.00 = Amount Enclosed _____

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Knott Family Recognized By Shriners Hospital for Children

by Milt Helmer

"When someone reaches a certain level of donations to the Shriners Hospitals for Children, the Hospital makes it a point to recognize their generosity". Those were the comments of Don Engel, Director of Development of the Shriners Hospital for Children in Minneapolis as he presented Bess Knott of River Falls with a handsome crystal plaque for her and her late husband Harry's long term commitment to the mission of the Shrine Hospitals. The engraving on the plaque reads: "In grateful recognition of your generous support and investment in humanity - Shrine Hospitals for Children."

Engel said the Knotts have been giving generously to the Shrine Hospitals for many years. Harry Knott was a Shriner

for 58 years and always supported the hospital financially. Engel added, the community of River Falls has always been very supportive, both financially, and by supplying the hospital with patients. He indicated there is room for more patients at the Twin Cities Hospital.

The care, according to the Engel, is the very best and made possible only from the generous donations from Shriners throughout the world.

Bess Knott accepted the recognition in behalf of her late husband at her apartment in Wellhaven in River Falls on Tuesday, February 26th, 2010.

Bess is also a 50 year member of the Kinnikinnic Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star in River Falls.



Shown during the plaque presentation is left to right, Darl Hoffman, Past Potentate, Bess Knott and Don Engel, Director of Development, Shriners Hospitals for Children, Minneapolis, MN.

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(MINNEAPOLIS) February 17, 2010—Dr. Kenneth Guidera, Chief of Staff at Shriners Hospitals for Children® Twin Cities returned on February 3 from Haiti, where he spent a week volunteering as part of a medical relief team organized through a Minneapolis based non-profit organization, No Time for Poverty, MN (NTFP). NTFP is dedicated to ending the suffering of children living in poverty. Once in Haiti, Dr. Guidera and the medical team joined members from Partners in Health (a Boston based group) to organize a medical relief effort. Dr. Guidera shares the following about his experiences in Haiti:

This trip will forever have a lasting impression on me in many different ways. I don't think I will ever again take for granted all of the luxuries and comforts that we enjoy on a daily basis. "Getting back to basics" by sleeping on a mat and taking cold showers got my attention but grew old after a couple of days. It's true what they say about the Haitian people; they are polite, appreciative and very tough. They are resilient and will need to rely on that resiliency and toughness because the country has virtually no infrastructure – including a medical system. When we got there I was amazed at the utter chaos and the extreme medical /surgical needs of those injured. It looked like a war zone and I felt like we were in an old episode of MASH. Initially, we were not made to feel welcome at St. Damien's hospital by administration of the hospital but our multi-discipline team with all the competent, industrious people just started to work our way into the hospital's systems. There were several other American teams in addition to personnel from across Europe. By the end of the week we were basically running the hospital.

The orthopedic surgeons arranged an operating room to take care of fractures, wounds and amputation revisions. We developed a clinic and cast room, and

rotated between those two areas and the inpatient wards. Some how a C-arm showed up and we were able to take care of complex fractures. We worked about 12 hours a day in either setting. It was hot, tiring and stressful, with flies in the operating room and on the wards. In spite of the conditions, we all felt good about what we were doing and I never heard a cross word. We developed lifelong friendships and learned to work together and many members of the medical team plan to go back. As other teams arrived we received more equipment which enabled us to take better care of the patients. Every day the hospital seemed to become more organized and I believe we left the place in much better shape than when we found it. At the end of the week we passed the torch to other medical teams and some what reluctantly left knowing there was still so much to be done.

I thank the team of No Time for Poverty for their excellent organizational skills. We had food, lodging, travel, and all of our other necessities were provided. I was amazed at their ability to get things done. I would strongly suggest to anyone who wants to go to Haiti, to work with an established group with ties to a local facility.

I believe Haiti will need long-term care once this acute phase is over. In my Pediatric Orthopaedic specialty we will need long term deformity management and prosthetic care. We will need to work together to accomplish this and I am hoping that if we put groups together like NTFP, Shriners Hospitals for Children®, ACPOC (a prosthetic group), and facilities such as St. Damien's, we can make this happen.

I thank all of my new friends at NTFP for their assistance, comradeship and spirit of volunteerism and I hope to work with them again.

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CAMEL PATROL The Camel Patrol held its meeting at the Maple Tree they welcomed their ladies to a social party where they enjoyed a delicious dinner of ham and chicken. Business discussed included summer parades, status of the camels and the circus. Members signed up to volunteer to help at the Madison Circus.

DIRECTORS STAFF Members and their ladies, family members and friends huddled together in the cold to serve refreshments (mainly warm ones) and food at Camp Randall Stadium on Feb. 6 at the first UW Hockey Badger Classic. With a crew of 8 hearty souls, they served non-stop from the end of the 1st period through the beginning of the 3rd period.

Members are also planning their annual trip to the Shrine Directors Association meeting to be held in Springfield, MO in April.

MINI CARS The Minicars held their monthly meeting at Ray's in Edgerton where they discussed upcoming activities; working the concession stand for the UW Hockey Classic; the Madison Circus and summer parade schedule.

Nobles shared their experience as they passed the Traveling Scimitar to the Pipes and Drums at the Zor Shrine Center.

Several Nobles and family members worked through a bigger than expected crowd at the UW-Hockey Badger Classic on that cold Saturday in February. All in all it was a busy day, but everyone survived the hour-long rush.

MUSKY CYCLE PATROL In a joint meeting with the Musky Shrine Club held on December 11, Nobles of the Musky Cycle Patrol and their ladies braved the weather to be a part of the installation ceremony conducted by Divan Member Roger Reas, Installing Officer and Larry Meier, Installing Marshall. Installed as Officers for 2010 were: Chuck Stene, Captain; Roger Brooten, First Lieutenant; Al Heinkel, Secretary; and Tom Spelbring, Treasurer. Congratulations to these newly installed Nobles.

ZOR ROADRUNNERS 2010 officers of the Roadrunners were installed on January 8th at the Coachman Supper Club in a joint meeting with the St. Croix Valley Shrine Club. This year's officers are: Jerry Wilkens of River Falls named Captain; Jerry Debois of New Richmond as 1st Lieutenant; Rod Rommel of River Falls as Secretary; and Jack Thomas of River Falls as Treasurer. A grand time was had by all.



Above, Musky Cycle Patrol Officers (L to R), Back row: Installing officers: Larry Meier, and Roger Reas; Front row: Tom Spelbring, Al Heinkel, Chuck Stene, and Roger Brooten.



To the left, Installed officers of the Zor Roadrunners are shown left to right: Jack Thomas, Treasurer; Rod Rommel, Secretary; Jerry DuBois, 1st Lieutenant; and Jerry Wilkens, Captain.

Indianhead Shrine Club Sponsors 15th Annual Snow Ride

By Ellwood Thomas

The annual snow ride sponsored by the Indianhead Shrine Club with the Rice Lake SnoBirds was held on January 23. The riders reported in at the Blue Hills Masonic Center with their pledge cards and the money they had raised.

After the usual coffee, donuts and the proper instructions on how the riders were to travel, they went off on their trail ride with plenty of spirit. The Shrine Club crew was busy checking pledge books and accounting for the money. The group is close knit as Nobles and ladies have become better and quicker in finishing their work as they came up with a total for the SnoRide in time for the banquet festivities.

The club had set a goal of raising \$200,000 in 15 years, but fell a bit short. Like the saying goes "wait 'til next year". Spirits were high as riders and on-lookers watched the trails and the rain throughout the day.

The day was complete with the banquet and awards held in the Masonic Center. The Club and SnoBirds were honored to have Potentate Joe Thompson and Lady Julie as their guests for the day's activities and banquet. They had the opportunity to visit with some of the riders at the check in and again at the banquet.

Larry Hoyer, President of the Indianhead Shrine Club, welcomed all to the banquet and introduced the guests; Divan members Steve Peterson, Lady

Mary Ellen, Larry Riemenschneider, Lady Julie, Past Grand Master Herman Friess, and Potentate Joe Thompson, Lady Julie.

Potentate Joe addressed the banquet attendees, as he expressed his thanks for the great welcome and hospitality. He also spoke of membership goals for the coming year, and encouraged Nobles to help and provide assistance to their fellow Nobles who may be experiencing a hardship.

Lady Marlene Arnold and Pete Schneider presented awards to the prize winners. First place went to Jim Ebner, with \$3,000 in donations; 2nd place to Brent Thumberg raising \$1,873 and 3rd place to Delores Buesser who raised \$1,050. Prizes were awarded to the top 18 winners; all of which were donated by local merchants.

Organizers for the 15th Annual ride were Jim Sockness, his loyal Nobles and ladies who worked very hard to obtain prizes, check in riders, and completed the little details that made the ride fun and successful.

Members of the Shrine Club presented Potentate Joe and Lady Julie with a gift as a remembrance of their visit to Indianhead Shrine Club. It was a fitting end to a wonderful day. As of this printing, the Club raised \$10,572 during this funding raising event.



Past Grand Master Herman Friess and Lady Judy (right) and Jim Sockness (left) enjoy the buffet line at the SnoRide banquet.



Rice Lake Sno Birds with Potentate Joe Thompson at Rice Lake.



Former Hospital Patient Brent Thumberg and his family shares his story with Potentate Joe Thompson. Pictured (L to R): Rusty, Bruce, Brent, and Judy Thumberg, Potentate Joe Thompson.

Club Chronicles

BADGER SHRINE CLUB. With its 2nd meeting under its belt, Nobles and ladies are anxious to get the ball rolling as they work to re-activate the Badger Shrine Club. Noble Dave Bomkamp is working hard to bring old and new members together as they initially plan to meet as a social club on a quarterly basis.

During the morning brunch on Sunday, Feb. 1, the members were visited by the Zor Pipes & Drum Corp as they entered the dining area with the ornamental sword in hand. Six members arrived early to enjoy refreshments and stories with members of the Badger club.

MADISON SHRINE CLUB. The new slate of officers kicked off the New Year with a visit from Mark Strautman, President and CEO of Three Pillars, the unique senior living community sponsored by our Masonic fraternity at Dousman, WI.

Strautman gave the 30 Nobles and guests at the Club's noon meeting in the Shrine Center on Feb. 5 a really complete look at the highly-regarded complex for Masons and Non-Masons that has evolved from the Wisconsin Masonic Home, created back in 1905.

To give everyone attending a full view of the growth, his historical picture started in that original home and carried right up to the plans for even more space in a Rehabilitation and Wellness Center to be added to the Dousman campus in the

near future.

Each of the great improvements to the campus built over the century-long planning has been highly successful in continuing the solid reputation we have built into Three Pillars – the Village on the Square for independent senior living, the Compass Point, that added nursing care services “discretely” in a hospital focused environment; Riverside Lodge for supportive senior living, and the new Center for health and rehab in a home-like setting.

The Wellness Center, he emphasized, will be 4,700 square feet of space designed for workouts, aerobic center, massage rooms, meeting rooms, lockers and showers next to the exercise equipment and much more.

True to his promise, he only spent a very minimal amount of time telling of the on-going campaign to raise \$2 million in funds to help complete the \$7 mill Center.

MUSKY SHRINE CLUB. The Hayward Musky Shrine Club met in conjunction with the Musky Cycle Patrol in December to hold the installation of officers. Installing officers were Roger Reas and Larry Meier. Nobles installed for 2010 were: Kevin Fischer, Hospital Chairman; Tom Spelbring, Treasurer; AL Heinkel, Secretary; Gary Cuskey, President; Kingman Loomis, Chaplain; and Robert O'Dell, Vice President. Congratulations to the new officers.

MEHARA SHRINE CLUB. The Club held its Christmas Party at the Mehara Center in December with the installation of officers conducted by PP J. Kevin Johnson. 66 Nobles and ladies attended the festive event, with music supplied by Noble Ray Henning and Vernie Hays of Altoona.

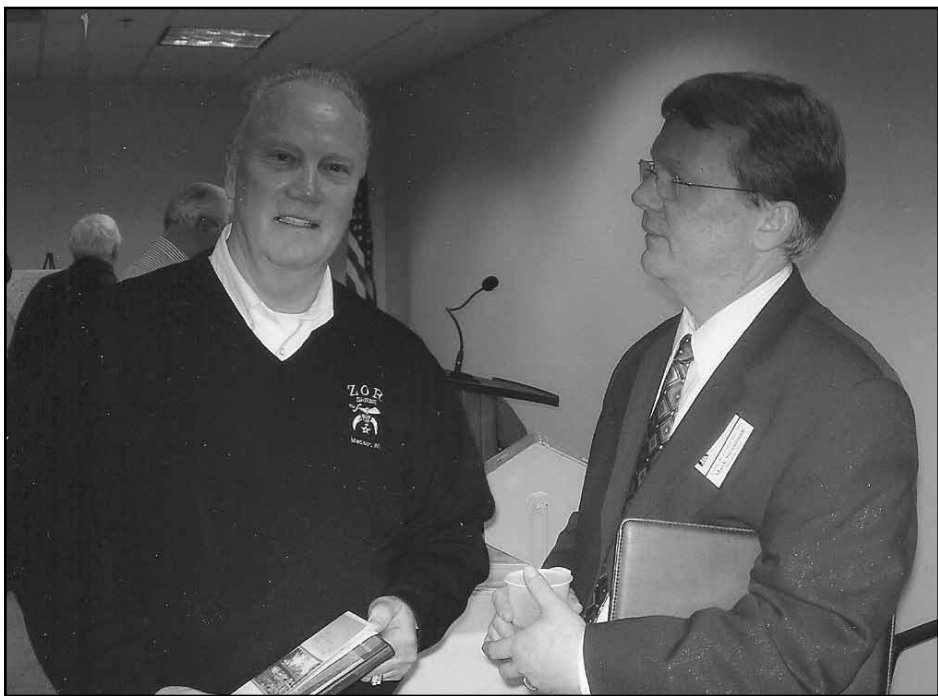
The Club recognized the efforts of Noble Randy Smeltzer for his work

as a Hospital Dad, member of the Tin Lizzies and Chairman of the Zor Summer Ceremonial by awarding him with the Mehara Shriner of the Year. Officers for 2010 installed: Randy Smeltzer, President; Mick Loffik, 1st Vice President; Corky Spagnoletti, 2nd Vice President; PP J. Kevin Johnson, Secretary; Jim Weaver, Treasurer; and Mike Meinke, Chaplain.



At left, Randy Smeltzer (l) accepts award from Outgoing President Mike Meinke.

Below, Mehara Shrine Club officers (L to R); Corky Spagnoletti, J. Kevin Johnson, Mike Meinke, Randy Smeltzer, Mick Lovvik, Jim Weaver.



Madison Shrine Club Vice President Tom Nelson, PP (L) had one added question of Mark Strautman (R) following the open discussion.



Shriners, Ray Henning on the keyboard and Vernie Hays on the accordion with his 'stump fiddle' to liven up the dancing and singing at the Mehara Holiday party.

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January Drivers/Riders Keep Everyone Warm During Their Travels

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Marlowe Nelson	Nancy Loper
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February Calendar Winners

Happy Valentine's Day, President's Day and all the other notable days in February, and congratulations to the February calendar raffle winners. Bringing home BIG smiles this month were Ron Outhouse, Oregon (\$150); with \$100 winners: Steve Griffith, Oregon; Norm Allen, Adams; Brigitte Smith, Stoughton; and Susan Gersinde, Tomah.

There were quite a few familiar names in this month's drawing – how many do you know? Enjoying the daily drawing winnings of \$20 were:

- Roy Subera, Oregon
- Rachel Stene, St. Paul, MN
- Tracy Hoffman, Black River Falls
- Jack Thomas, River Falls
- Larry Hanson, Albany
- Jim Ricci, Almena
- Dick Jones, Madison
- Jeff Wolman, New Berlin
- Kay Pucalik, Hammond, IN
- Russell Klatt, Beloit
- Gary Kiger, Whitewater
- Wanda Korslin, Wis. Rapids
- Scott Komplin, Madison
- Jeffrey Beals, Waunakee
- Ken Engevold, Mauston
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Mardis Gras Party

Governor Dodge Convention Center-Platteville
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Guest: _____ Lady: _____

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Golden Oldies

Celebrating birthdays of 90 years or more this month are:

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Michael G. Ohren, Altoona, will be 99 on March 6.

Loren A. Gipp, Ft. Myers, FL will be 91 on March 8.

Donald Jordan, Park Falls, will be 93 on March 13.

Clarence V. Thronson, Mount Horeb, will be 96 on March 14.

Howard J. Schwebke, Las Cruces, NM,

will be 91 on March 18.

Thomas S. Eldredge, Wausau, will be 92 on March 22.

Ernest A. Hosig, Prairie du Sac, will be 91 on March 24.

Cloyce Campbell, La Crosse, will be 94 on March 25.

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The first session will be held in conjunction with the Mehara Potentate Party on Saturday, March 13 at the Metropolis Resort (5150 Fairview Drive, beginning at 4:30 pm. The hotel is located just off I-94 exit 69; take first turn to west off HWY 93 south.

The second session will be held along with the Quarterly meeting and Wausau Potentate Party, Saturday, April 24 beginning at 1 pm (prior to the Quarterly meeting) at the Elks Club in Wausau.

All drivers and riders are encouraged to attend one of the safety seminars. Others will be scheduled in the southern part of the state; watch for more details. Questions - please contact PP Mark A. Severson, 608-628-2688 or rugerm55@charter.net.

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