### **May 2021**

## The Shriek

Issue #3

#### **WALTER "TONY" BOWLING**



**2021 POTENTATE** 

#### Hi Nobles, Ladies and Family,

As always thank you for the opportunity to serve as your Potentate for 2021. Spring is here the weather is getting warmer and we are getting active. Parades are starting back up and the first one will be the Fun Fest parade in Pigeon Forge, Tn. Get your room booked and join the FUN. The Memorial Day parade will be the Valley Parade starting in Arlington Heights, Ill. Sir Kenny Harper's old stomping grounds. The Fish Fry's WOW! What a great job everyone. We served over 1,300 dinners this season and net over \$10,000.... awesome job! Thanks to the Units, Clubs, Past Potentates, Divan, Trustees, Ladies, Friends, Family and Nobles all. This kind of teamwork is what makes me proud to be a SHRINER! Thank You for all your hard work! The Nobles Ball was a great time, well attended and much needed, Lots of Fun was had by all. The Ladies

looked awesome in their Flapper Dresses and hairdos, and the Men in Gagster suits set the theme. The Band was entertaining and kept everyone dancing. The Stage Show and Dancing Girls, what a fit for a Speak-easy themed Ball. I know I had a Great Time!! Hope you did as well. Many Thanks!! To the Aids, Nobles and especially the Ladies who helped, and help me with the Ball. Your hard work and dedication to the Shrine is very much appreciated. Thank You!! Membership is working hard and doing great on bringing in new members. We still need your help by reaching out to other Brother Masons and good men interested in becoming a Mason. We will be naming the Installation Ceremonial after our Grand Master of Ohio, Richard A. Dickerscheid who is a long-time member of Syrian Shriners. Membership should be our number one Fundraiser! And our number one Fundraiser should be membership!

Be Positive and test Negative.

Work Hard...Be Humble.....Be Kind....... Yours in Faith,





#### Potentate - Tony Bowling

Chief Rabban - Don Brockman Asst Rabban - Paul Brown HP & P - Chuck Jeffers Oriental Guide - Tim Callahan Tres - Ken Harper Recorder - Gary Caudill Sue Martini - Office Staff
Debbie Idler - Office Staff
Carl Idler - Trustee
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Joe Hancock - Trustee
Jeff Gills - Trustee







1328 Meals Served 571 Drive-Thru 757 Indoor Dining 83% Fish 11% Shrimp 6% Chicken

Fundraising Chairman Chuck Jeffers II would like to thank Paul Brown, event chairman, units/clubs and numerous Volunteers for their fantastic efforts!





## **News from**Shriners Children's Ohio

One Children's Plaza - 2 West, Dayton, Ohio

### Introducing Shriners Children's Ohio

As Chairman of the Board of Governors of *Shriners Children's*™ *Ohio in Dayton, Ohio*, I can tell you that Shriners Children's Ohio is going to be a wonderful place for children and their families to receive the same lifechanging care we've provided for so many years.



A virtual ribbon-cutting ceremony and tour took place on March 19, 2021 with representatives from both Shriners Children's Ohio and Dayton Children's Hospital

What a tremendous feeling to enter our area inside Dayton Children's Hospital and be welcomed by the Silent Messenger statue that was donated by the local Antioch Shriners. The bright colors of the hallways combine with sunlight coming in the many windows provide a warm and cheery place for the most amazing care anywhere.

I shared with hospital staff

that this is a tremendous opportunity to provide excellent care to our patients as we have for more than 50 years, but in a brand new environment. I told them, on behalf of all the Shriners who support our hospitals, that we have every confidence that they will make our new hospital in Dayton a truly amazing and caring place. After all, it's not the building that makes Shriners Children's special, it's our people and our caring hearts.

We are excited to share information with you about our new location in Dayton!

Bill Rasner, Chairman, BOG

If you would like to see our
Facebook Live event with a tour
of our new facility, go to our
facebook page video page at
www.facebook.com/
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## Shriners Play a Big Role in Referrals

When it comes to finding medical help for children, Shriners are now more important than ever. Members of the fraternity have always played a critical role in helping families in their communities get connected with Shriners Children's Ohio, and now it has become even easier with a website and referral cards.

#### Website

Shriners Children's Ohio continues to make referring a patient and obtaining an appointment for care easier than ever through the **www.shrinersohio.org** website.

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Our physicians' experience and expertise in pediatric burn treatment, cleft lip and palate, complex wound and skin conditions, and plastic and reconstructive surgery makes Shriners Children's Ohio a first choice for care.

## CLUB ARTICLES

**FOR May 2021** 

#### Caravan

Why join the Antique Caravan, for our two newest members James Payne and Roger White, they joined the Caravan because we inculcate the principles of charity, brotherly love, and fidelity; while promoting the welfare and enhancing the happiness of our unit members; to cultivate good fellowship; to perpetuate the unit as a Syrian Shrine's premier unit, and lastly to provide support for Syrian Shrine Center and its members. The Unit is a non-political, nonsectarian, unit. We love and enjoy parading and believe this enjoyment is increased by sharing it with family, friends, and all with whom we come in contact. We seek to bring into our fraternal family only those who delight in wholesome associations with congenial companions. Only men who possess a deep sense of patriotism, fair play, chivalry, and dedication to noble causes and community life, will enjoy membership as Antique Caravan Members..... if interested in joining the Caravan, contact any member-Gary C.

#### **Cincy Drifters**

With the weather slowly coming around it feels like Smokey Mountain time. We are anticipating a big turnout from the Cincy Drifters and hopefully all the units will come and enjoy the Mountains with us. Cincy Drifters meet on the third Tuesday of the month at Jim and Jacks on River Road at 6:00 if you would like to eat or 7:00 for our meeting. If anyone is interested in joining the Drifters, please call Travis Proctor at 513-417-2189 or Tim Redrow at 513-724-5522. T.J. P.P.

#### Clowns

Residents of Meadowbrook Care Center enjoyed clowning around with Barrels DaClown and the rest of clown gang from Shriners! We were overly excited to be able to invite the clowns into our facility for some fun after a long year of Covid restrictions. They had so much fun, and it was a joy to see their faces light up when they were given a balloon animal! Thank You! Our clowns that made the trip to

Meadowbrook care center and to the Syrian Shrine Easter drive through was Chili Pepper, Vic The Clown, Mateo, Snazzy, Cheesehead, Comet and me. We will continue to clown for kids of all ages. Barrels DaClown Clown Director G.L.S.C.U.A P.P 2017





#### **ARTICLES CONTINUED...**

#### Classic Chariots

Greetings All! We would like to thank everyone who came out to enjoy our first Cruise In of the season in April and we hope to have even more people at the next one on May 26TH. Any car or bike is welcome to join us from 5 pm to 9 pm at the Temple. You can get your Show & Shine Calendar from us while you are there. Thanks again to the OB for letting us share one of their Wednesdays and thanks to Illustrious Sir Gary Caudill for his help & guidance. Congratulations to our new officers: President – Bill Butler, Vice President – Dale Evans and Treasurer - Terry B aka T-Bone. If you have questions about joining our club you can call or text Chuck Jeffers our PR guy at 513-884-3172. Don't forget to put the Car & Bike show on your calendar for Sat June 19TH. See you on the road! Chuck Jeffers, HP&P

#### **Directors Staff**

Greetings everyone! Kudos to the gentleman who came out and helped at the fish fry. Many thanks to all of you who came out. We also wish to thank the ladies who helped at the fish fry. Bucky's Lady Cheryl, Lady Joy Tucker, Lady Donna Kimmy and Andy's sister the mysterious Sharon. Also known as Miss. hair net 2021. Thanks also to Sharon's husband Rob, a potential Shriner. Directors mark your calendar. Meeting night change. we will be having a meeting on Wednesday May26.We have upcoming parades. Please be at the meeting. We look forward to seeing your smiling faces. See you there. Directors get your calendars out. Saturday May 15 we will be meeting at the Valley View Tavern at 9 am to collect money for the paper crusade. We need a good turnout. Any questions contact Buck or John. It is parade season. We will be in the Memorial Day Parade in the Valley. After the parade hot dogs, burgers and brats will be available at the Shrine Center. We hope everyone had a good time at the Potentate's Ball. Mother Day is fast approaching, remember your wives and mothers. Make sure you buy flowers, candy, or both. You only have 30 days until Mother's Day. Please come to the Shrine business meeting, it would be great if we have a good turnout. May birthdays: Mitchell Light May 9, Ken Proffit May 6, Elmer Hensler, the sausage king of Cincinnati, May 29.

#### Hillbilly Clan #5

YEEEEE-HAW and HOW-DO ~ Lovin' all the dag gone sunshine and weather!!! The Potentate's Ball was one for the bookies (I mean books). Prohibition whhhhat!! Great time had by all... Want to give well wishes and a speedy recovery to our hillbilly cousin, Carl Idler. He is recovering from that there hipster (oops, hip) surgery! Now Carl don't be drivin' Susan CRaZY, ya hear!! We hillbillies are charitable rascals and we gave the Transportation Fund a hunk of change (some of that change will be in the memory of our heaven hillbilly Cliff Fulman). ROAD TRIP ~ where? Pigeon Forge for FUN FEST!!! May 6 - 9, 2021 and can't wait to see all you peeps and fellow Shriners showing off their p-rade rides/marches!! Now, git those p-rade outfits all gussied up and looking purty because we are p-rading in the Valley P-rade on Memorial Day!!! Yes, you hurd right ~ we are p-rading!! Meet at the Shrine on May 31st at 8am to hitch a ride on the bus. Lunch will be served afterwards!! YUMMY.... Happy Birthday to our cousins who had a birthday in April or will be having one in May. Celebrating you with all good weather and health. If you missed our first meetings of the year (March/April 2021), guess what? You are in luck because we are going to have another on May 24th at 7pm ~ so come and see your hillbilly cousins (because we miss your faces!!). Don't forget to check your emails from our Rabban just in case it gets cancelled. Be safe out there and remember to stay kind and help out your fellow neighbor, tig



Hillybilly Clan #5's Dave Ormes presented a check to Illustrious Bowling for the Hospital Transportation Fund for \$500, a portion of the check was also designated in memory of Illustrious Cliff Fullman

#### **Desert Riders**

I sit here writing this article just before I get ready to leave for the Potentates Ball. I'm sure it will be a great time. We are all looking forward to traveling to Pigeon Forge for "Pigeonfest".

Brother Paul Connor has been working on the cars and getting them ready for a successful parade and a great fun time in the mountains of Tennessee. It has been a couple of weeks now and the Desert Riders still smell like fish. I think two or three more showers and the smell should leave until next fish fry. If you are interested in a gun raffle you can see any of the Desert Riders for a \$20.00 raffle ticket. We are selling 400 tickets for three of the most sought-after weapons on the market. Your ticket is good for all three of the drawings and you can win more than once. Get one quick because they are going fast. See everyone at the Ball, and on the parade routes. We'll be the guys in the white cars. Tim Callahan, O.G. Secretary

#### Roadsters

Thank you, Linda and Jeanne, for working the Easter egg hunt for the Roadsters! The weather was perfect! A big "thank you" to Jeremy for doing a great cooking job at the Shrine Fish Fry. I thought it was the best tasting fish the Shrine has had. Weather permitting and looking forward to the parade season, we will have our cars out at our May meeting on Tuesday, the 25th. Anyone looking for a new unit to join, come out and watch us practice. We're going to have a cookout dinner at 6:30 and you're welcome to join us. Just give me a call at 218-2380 for more information. Happy May 22nd birthday to Jeremy! Enjoy your day! Happy Mother's Day to all moms! And Happy Memorial Day to all! Don Meinzen, Director

#### **Shrine Golf League**

Greetings Nobles and friends. Mother Nature decided to delay our opening day for the Syrian Shrine Golf League. Frigid temps and a 12 mile an hour wind kept all but one golfer to show up. The second week we were able to get nine holes in, even though the stormy weather was predicted. The rain held off till we finished number nine. However, we are looking forward to many sunny bright Thursdays to enjoy Glenview Golf Course. We invite you join us each Thursday, 8:45 A.M. (first tee time) for nine holes of golf on the best public course in the Cincinnati area. Just remember...really concentrate on that fourth putt. Nobles keep swinging... Dick Manifold

### **BLACK CAMEL**



## In Memoriam

May They Rest From Their Labors.



### NOBLES MAY BIRTHDAYS

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  BRIAN W CUNNINGHAM
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  DONALD W. WYATT
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  RICHARD A. SURBER
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  ALEXANDER R STEIDLE
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  DONALD W. ROSS, JR.
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  NORMAN D. KIRK
  WILLIAM DETTOR, JR.
  BRUCE M SCHERER
- 16 EDGELL L BENNETT THOMAS MERCHANT DUANE A RILEY
- 18 CARL J GRASHAM
  RALPH T ABERNATHY
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  RYAN J PAUL

- 19 TRAVIS L PROCTOR
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  LAWRENCE MILLER, JR
- 24 PERRY S KNEPPER WAYNE L HANSFORD FRANK C MEEKER
- 25 WILLIAM S SIDERS MARK HIUDT
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Road Runners are volunteer drivers from Syrian Shrine who help ensure our patients are able to keep their medical appointments, by providing transportation to and from our hospitals in; Dayton, Lexington, Philadelphia and Chicago when needed, the service is free of charge to families.

A roster of 30 Qualified drivers is needed for this newly formed Syrian Shrine Roadrunner Club. Patient appointments are dispatched from Syrian Shrine by our Transportation Coordinator Tim Callahan and his Lady Gayle, consisting of two Roadrunners for each trip. Google maps, GPS, smart phones will be available. Drivers must be under the age of 80, Roadrunners over the age of 80 can be companion riders.

Tim Callahan 513-509-0678

k9tgc1@gmail.com



INY ITEM

## We will be Covid 19 compliant at this event!





\$15 per 10x20 Space

Includes Table & Chair Saturday May 29th Shrine Center

8am-2pm

9730 Reading Rd

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# UPCOMING EVENTS 2021

JUN \_

MAY

- 01 BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING-6:00-UNIT DIRECTORS/CLUB PRESIDENTS -7:00
- 04 FUNDRAISING MEETING 6:00 P.M. SYRIAN SHRINE CENTER
- 04 RAFFLE MANIA DOORS OPEN 6:15 P.M. RAFFLE MANIA 7:00-9:00 PADDLE'S ARE \$2.00 AT SYRIAN SHRINE CENTER
- 06-09 PIGEON FORGE FUN FEST
- 09 MOTHERS DAY
- 10 BUSINESS MEETING DINNER AT 5:30 P.M. MEETING AT 7:00 P.M. @ 9730 READING ROAD 45215 ALL MEMBERS WELCOME
- 17 F.M.D.O.A. TBA FAMILY & FRIENDS INVITED
- 17 BONA COURT # 8 STATED MEETING 7:00 SYRIAN SHRINE CENTER
- 18 MEMBERSHIP MEETING 6:00 P.M.
- 22-28 LOSNA GRAND COUNCIL TOUSON, AZ
- 23 ORIENTAL BAND "KIDS FIRST GOLF OUTING" WILLOWS NKY GOLF COURSE
- 29 SPRING RUMMAGE SALE
- 31 MEMORIAL DAY VARIOUS PARADES

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  - 01 RAFFLE MANIA DOORS OPEN 6:15 P.M. RAFFLE MANIA 7:00-9:00 PADDLE'S ARE \$2.00 AT SYRIAN SHRINE CENTER
  - 03 MILFORD PARADE
  - 05 EUCHRE TOURNAMENT TO BE DETERMINED
  - 07 BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING-6:00-UNIT DIRECTORS/CLUB PRESIDENTS -7:00
  - 14 BUSINESS MEETING DINNER AT 5:30 P.M. MEETING AT 7:00 P.M. @ 9730 READING ROAD 45215 ALL MEMBERS WELCOME
  - 15 MEMBERSHIP MEETING 6:00 P.M.
  - 19 13TH ANNUAL CAR & BIKE SHOW SYRIAN SHRINE CENTER
  - 20 FATHERS DAY
  - 21 BONA COURT # 8 STATED MEETING 7:00 SYRIAN SHRINE CENTER
  - 26 CAR & BIKE SHOW RAIN DATE