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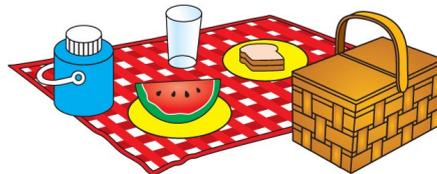
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## LOTS OF FAMILY FUN!

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# From The Potentate

## Larry Hanson



Time keeps moving on. On May 13th, we had our first steak fry where we had a great turn out with over 100 in attendance. A big Thanks goes out to the Past Potentates for doing a great job on the cooking. On May 12th, I attended Brodhead Lodge to recognize a noble with 50 years: Bruce Timm. May 16th was Twin City Hospital Days with some of the Divan attending.

Parade season has started and I have been busy doing some of the parades. We started with Stoughton on May 18th, then to Albany on May 24th, and Monona on May



26th. Then Lady Jill and I attend the Fish Boil at the Stoughton Gun Club - the fish was excellent as usual. If you had not yet had the



**11th Annual Albany Lion's Club Car Show**

opportunity to go the fish boil, please try and do so you won't regret missing it.

On May 30th, I attend the Columbus Lodge Spring Hand Gun shoot - this has grown over the years. Please go out and support your local and neighboring Lodges at their events.

June 1st, Lady Jill and I along with Noble Jack Lyon and Lady Marie attended Hospital Days in Chicago to see the world's shortest parade and tour the Hospital. June 6th and 7th, your Divan attend Grand Lodge in Madison. June 10th brought on another Steak Fry with clowns cooking. Great Job guys!!!!

June 14th was the summer picnic. A Great day for me as my Son became a Shriner. It was a well-kept secret until they showed me the petition. Seems the Divan does not let me know everything. Thanks guys for your support and help. The Picnic was a great success with over 100 in attendance there. A huge Thanks to John and Debbi Thorstad for heading up the committee and to Joe and Julie Thompson, Lyle Fox and Ginny, Miles

Bradly and Candy, Bob and Carol Gorsuch, all committee members and to all of the other people that helped make that day a success. It meant a lot to Lady Jill and I.

The Branson trip is full and we are looking forward to a great time. Your Divan reps are getting ready to head for Imperial session in Minneapolis on the 5th of July. Then we have the MSA in August. Until next month have fun, support your clubs, units and Lodges.



**Billy the Clown with his great-grandson**

# SAVE THE DATE!

## Ceremonial at Chula Vista December 6

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# Zor Shriner's 2014 Calendar

July		October	
6-10	Imperial Session, Minneapolis, MN	2	Daughters of the Nile,
15	Divan Meeting/Quarterly/Steak Fry Zor Temple		Supreme Queen Visit, Zor Temple
20	Mini Cars Picnic	4	UW-River Falls Football Game
	Tronnes Pond, Edgerton		River Falls
26	Mallards Game, Madison, WI	14	Honored Ladies Luncheon
30	Scottish Rite/Shrine Golf Outing		Zor Temple
	Kestrel Ridge Golf Course, Columbus	14	Divan Meeting/Quarterly Meeting/ Steak Fry, Zor Temple
August		November	
2	La Crosse Potentate Party	8	UW-Whitewater Football Game
	Jansky's, La Crescent, MN		Whitewater, WI
16	Divan Meeting/Milladore Fest	December	
	Milladore, WI	5	Divan Meeting, Zor Temple
17	Vernon County	5 - 7	Fall Ceremonial, Chula Vista
20-23	MSA, Sioux Falls, SD	14	Lunch with Santa, Zor Temple
September			
9	Divan Meeting/Steak Fry, Zor Temple		
13	Musky Shrine Club/Musky Cycle Patrol ATV/UTV Rally Welt Pt, Spooner		
14 - 18	Branson Trip, Branson, MO		
25 - 27	SCAFRA, Greenville, SC		



# Shriners Hospitals for Children: A History of Innovation and Excellence in Burn Care

Shriners Hospitals for Children® is noted worldwide as a leader in pediatric burn care. Since opening our three pediatric burn hospitals in the 1960s, our health care system has been at the forefront of innovative programs and treatment techniques that have both dramatically improved the survival rate for children with severe burns and enhanced their quality of life.

Here is a brief timeline of the development of our burn care program:

**1960s:** In response to the growing awareness of a need for pediatric burn care, research and education, the governing body of the Shriners organization passed a resolution at the Imperial Session in 1962 to build and operate hospitals specializing in pediatric burn care. The first one opened in 1966 in Galveston, Texas, followed by those in Cincinnati and Boston two years later. The establishment of these hospitals helped raise awareness of burn injuries and appropriate care throughout the medical community.

**1970s:** Tremendous improvements in survival rates were made, particularly because of innovative research in excision, grafting, and intravenous feeding. In addition, pressure garments that helped lessen scarring were developed. Shriners Hospitals for Children — Cincinnati pioneered skin banking — a precursor to future methods of tissue, bone and skin procurement. In addition Shriners Hospitals for Children worked with the United States Fire Administration and Consumer Product Safety Commission to identify burn prevention programs for schools and fire departments. And finally, our Boston hospital began the first school re-entry program for patients.

**1980s:** Outpatient clinics were added at the three burn hospitals to provide continued care after patients are discharged. Also, researchers at Shriners Hospitals for Children discovered that early surgical excision and grafting reduces infections, shortens hospital stays and improves cosmetic outcomes for patients. Finally, Burn Awareness Week, a national education campaign, was

created in an effort to raise public awareness and reduce the number of burn injuries in children.

**1990s:** Services were expanded at our burn hospitals. Care was made available for non-burn conditions such as port wine stains, congenital ear deformities and other complex wound and skin conditions. In addition, new programs were set up to help burn patients with psychological and social issues, including transitioning back to school and community. And, in 1997, Shriners Hospitals for Children — Northern California opened in Sacramento to serve children with orthopaedic conditions, burns and spinal cord injuries. The hospital has become the busiest pediatric burn center in the western U.S.

**2000 - 2010s:** Shriners Hospitals for Children continues to demonstrate and be recognized for their leadership in burn care. The hospitals in Boston and Cincinnati received the Press Ganey Summit Award for extraordinary patient satisfaction. All four burn hospitals have leaders who have served as president of the American Burn Association and three of the hospitals have hosted or co-hosted the World Burn Congress, an annual event of the Phoenix Society for Burn Survivors that brings together approximately 800 burn survivors and their families, caregivers, burn care professionals and firefighters to share experiences and support one another.

In the years and decades to come, Shriners Hospitals for Children expects to continue its leadership in pediatric burn care, and its long-standing legacy of improving the lives of children.



**Top left:** Shriners Hospitals for Children — Boston

**Top right:** Shriners Hospitals for Children — Cincinnati

**Bottom left:** Shriners Hospitals for Children — Galveston

**Bottom right:** Shriners Hospitals for Children — Northern California



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# Summer fun in the sun!

Saturday, June 14th, Potentate Larry Hanson and Lady Jill hosted a fun filled afternoon of enjoyment for all ages. Over a 100 Nobles, Ladies, family, and friends enjoyed a beautiful summer afternoon in

the Zor Shrine "backyard". The Shrine welcomed its newest Noble, Ill Sir Larry's son, with a Cold Sands Ceremony. Lots of food, lots of fun, and lots fellowship – the keys to any great event!



Virgil and Karl showing off the latest in summer headwear.



The boys of summer enjoying a beautiful day.



Getting the grill ready for burgers and hot dogs.



The Steibers with their high decorated grandson.



MWPGM and Noble Dan Slavik with his wife Laura enjoying their "retirement".



The bounce house never stopped bouncing.



Sandy Davila, from our office, came to enjoy the fun, too.

## The Future of the Zephyr....

Your Zor Zephyr has served our Nobility for decades and has garnered acclaim nationally with Dromedary awards. The economic hardships over the last few years has caused our Nobility to do a lot of belt-tightening. Your Potentates and Divan have worked hard in recent years to maintain the Zephyr as the newspaper that you know and love – sharing stories, pictures, and memories from all over Zorland.

The current Divan has been wrestling with changing expenses and incomes that make the Zephyr the paper that you look forward to every month. Some of the options include raising dues to cover the cost, running Zephyr specific fundraisers, ask for Club and Unit sponsorships, change the Zephyr from a monthly to a bi-monthly or a quarterly, or just posting the Zephyr on-line only.

The Divan wants your input – how do you want your Zephyr? In your opinion, what is the future of the Zephyr? Are you willing to pay a bit more? Should we do fundraisers? Should we just shrink it down to a simple newsletter?

Over the next few months, please send your input to: zorzephyr@tds.net. In the Fall, the Potentate and the Divan will assess the feedback and take action. If you see the Potentate or your Divan Rep, feel free to talk to them personally and share your thoughts. If you would like to make a donation of \$25 or more now, it would be greatly appreciated and will help the Zephyr continue its work.

## Woodville girl is Grand Marshal of Shrine parade

Story and photo by Milt Helmer

Life takes some unexpected twists and turns. For eleven year old Victoria Butler, life changed the minute she took a tumble and fell on her hip. She was just five years old at the time. Her mom said she limped for two weeks and it was not getting any better, so she took her to see the doctor. The pictures uncovered a fracture.

Within a couple days "Tori", as everyone calls her, was in Gillette Hospital undergoing the first of what would be 6 surgeries. Doctors at Gillette discovered she had a benign cyst. Such a cyst is most common among boys and usually happens to a shoulder or femur bone. Tori's was in her leg. Doctors removed the material from the bone and replaced with new material and her healing began.

When her parents, Bill and Marla Butler of Woodville, learned their insurance had changed (a \$4,000 deductible) they remembered Bills brother Rick had been a patient at Shriners Hospital of Children® when he lost a leg at age 16.

Noble Larry Wiegand, a family friend, got them into Shriners Hospital in the Twin Cities.

Bill and Marla were very hesitant at first since they were very pleased with their care at Gillette and did not want to walk away from their doctor. But since Shriners accept patients regardless of their insurance or ability to pay, they knew it was the right thing to do Tori. The decision was made easier when they consulted with Dr. Meilke, who assured them he knew her doctor at Gillette and the two had worked on cases in the past.

Life for Tori has been anything but normal, but she is tough little lady. On two separate times she had a body cast from her ankle to her chest. She was not supposed to walk with it, but she was up and walking in just a couple days, even in the cast.

Tori had one surgery before kindergarten

when the tumor was removed. That was followed by a surgery in 1st grade, one in 3rd grade and again in 4th and 5th grade.

She now undergoes therapy at Shriners Hospital for Children® in the Twin Cities. They monitor the leg differences. Right now one leg is a quarter of an inch shorter than the other, but she is not in pain. In fact, she does the splits, is a competitive dancer, plays volleyball and baseball. Her middle school coaches are surprised to learn about her surgeries.

Tori has spent the last 2 years at Shriners. Her mother Marla says the experience at Shriners has been wonderful. "The hospital is easy to get to." Noble Larry Wiegand drove them to their first appointment, but since then they found access to the hospital to be so easy. "It is such a pleasant, home like environment at Shriners. You don't feel like you are going to a hospital."

The doctors at Shriners are considering one more surgery to add a plate in her leg, but that will wait until she gets a little older. Right now she is focused on going to the Twin Cities to see Disney's Jake Short on June 13th.

She participates as a competitive dancer at the St. Croix Dance Academy in Baldwin where she takes Tap, Jazz and ballet. Her mother said when she was laid up with her surgeries she would watch a dance and pretty much knew the steps when her leg was healed.

The Butlers family is made up of Bill, Marla, Victoria and teenage son Logan. They have lived in Woodville for the past 14 years. Bill works at Norlake and Marla works at the Family Resource Center in Baldwin.

The St. Croix Valley Shrine Club has named Tori their 2014 Grand Marshal of the Little East West Shrine Game in October. Tori will not only ride in the parade, but will be introduced at game and attend the Potentates Banquet the weekend of October 4th, 2014.



Victoria "Tori" Butler of Woodville has been named as the Grand Marshal of the Little East West Shrine Game on October 4th at River Falls. Shown left to right is her family, mother Marla, brother Logan, Tori and her father Bill.

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# ZOR SHRINE QUARTERLY MEETING - APRIL 26 - WAUSAU WI

## James Stelsel, Sr – Recorder

The meeting was called to order by L. Hanson at 3:47 P. M. with 27 Nobles present.

K. Gant gave the opening prayer and all present joined in the Pledge of Allegiance.

B. Ausen moved the agenda be approved as amended and seconded by W. Trouten. Motion Carried.

J. Thorstad PP. moved approval of the November 14, 2013 Quarterly Meeting Minutes and seconded by C. Miller. Motion Carried.

**TREASURERS REPORT:** D. Olson, Treasurer moved acceptance of the March 31, 2014 report and seconded by B. Giesler. Motion Carried.

**MEMBERSHIP REPORT:** C. Miller reported as of January 1, 2014 we had 1567 members and during the period ending March 31, 2014 we had 2 Creations, 2 Affiliations, 2 Restorations, 14 Deaths, 3 Demits, and one Suspension, for a total loss of 12 members leaving the total membership at 1555.

C. Miller moved acceptance of the report and seconded by B. Hering. Motion Carried.

J. Stelsel, Recorder read the names of 29 Nobles whose deaths were reported in the first quarter of 2014 and K. Gant gave prayer for the departed Nobles.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS:

**TWIN CITIES HOSPITAL REPORT:** R. Rommel, Zor's, Appointee to the TCH Board reported the TCH celebrated 91 years on April 23rd, last week the hospital conducted 13 surgeries and had 1689 outpatient visits, a new patient portal will be added May 5th that enables the patient to view their medical records over the internet, 6 Physician have been interviewed and with offers made to 3 of them and all three rejected the offer, Tampa has approved a \$200,000 marketing campaign for the hospital. The public will be informed of the Imperial Session in Minneapolis and its membership in the Mayo Clinic Care Network. We now have 3 full time marketers, this year 37% of our patients were referred by physicians, Noble referrals are less than 10%, only Los Angeles had less than the TCH. Zor has referred 14 patients through February and we had 66 in 2013. The TCH open house will be Friday May 16th from 8:00 A. M. to 2:30 P. M. D. Olson moved acceptance of the report and seconded by B. Giesler. Motion Carried.

**CHICAGO HOSPITAL REPORT:** report unavailable.

**TRUSTEES REPORT:** D. Jones PP. Vice Chairman of the trustees reported he had both bad and good news. The equity accounts under control of the trustees equals about 70% of our holdings which had a return in excess of 24% for the first calendar quarter. The certificates of deposit represents 30% of investment's ranged from .006% to 1.40%. The good news was, gross catering income for the first quarter was \$25,000 compared to \$5,400 for the same period in 2013. We had 2060 meals served compared to 425 for the same period in 2013. This increase was the results of the city of Madison holding code training sessions for electrical, plumbing and building inspectors. The bad news is we spent the full budget for snow plowing of \$7,000. Maybe we won't get and snow the rest of 2014. During the spring we had heavy wind and rain that resulted in some water

damage through the roof. We hope we can repair the 26 year old roof at a minimum cost. We are waiting on estimates on options for the roof. We are experiencing loss of Freon in the main A/C unit. This could be a major expense to either repair or replace. Both of these items were included in Zor's capital expenditure budget. D. Jones moved acceptance of the report and seconded by W. Trouten. Motion Carried.

**ONION REPORT:** L. Hanson reported the onions are scheduled to be here the 2nd week in May.

## OLD BUSINESS:

**CIRCUS REPORT:** J. Thorstad PP. reported Madison Annual Circus held on Feb. 14th to 16th only had a net profit of \$120,000 which was \$23,000 under budget. 335 Zor members paid \$70.00 for their tickets and were listed in the April Zephyr along with a list number of units, clubs, ladies and non-Shriners who worked during the shows. Door prizes were given away at all 6 shows. 21 bicycles donated by the Horsemen, Wranglers, Midgets, Road runners, Mini Cars, Clowns, Camel Patrol, Directors Staff, Pipes & Drums, Divan, Past Potentates, Sahara SC, Heart of Wis.

SC, St Croix Valley SC, Southwest SC, Lakeland SC, Madison SC, Mound View SC, Green Co SC and Herb Johnson. \$20.00 Red Lobster Gift Card and a Mallard Baseball family pass were given away at each show. The Pipes and Drums provided bicycle helmets to the bike winners. The program profit was \$3,586.00. Dollar figures, Nobles Tickets \$29,833 down 14%, Telemarketing \$113,266 down 4%, PDQ tickets \$67,932 Down 13 %, Gate Sales \$138,871 Down 6% and Advanced sales \$84,365 Up 16%. Thanks to those who absorbed the parking cost. 32 people turned in stubs and we paid out \$208.00 for parking a savings of 75% from last year. 15 Nobles used their tickets without paying for them and they have been billed for tickets totaling \$705.00. The La Crosse Circus will be May 5th and 6th and will receive a total of \$3,500.00 and the Eau Claire Circus will be held June 10th & 11th. J. Thorstad PP. moved acceptance of the report and seconded by G. Cuskey. Motion Carried.

## IMPERIAL SESSION:

L. Hanson reported the session will be in Minneapolis July 6th to the 10th 2014.

## NEW BUSINESS:

**PICNIC:** L. Hanson reported the Zor Family Extravaganza (Picnic) will be in Madison at the Shrine Office on June 14, 2014. The cost is \$5.00 for adults and \$2.00 for kids but children under 5 will be free. Please use the coupon in the Zephyr for reservations.

**HOSPITAL DAY CHICAGO:** L. Hanson reported the Chicago Hospital Day will be on June 1, 2014 and all are encouraged to attend.

**IMPERIAL SESSION:** L. Hanson reported the Imperial will be held in Minneapolis from July 6th to 10th and Zor Units are encouraged to attend and participate in the parades and competition.

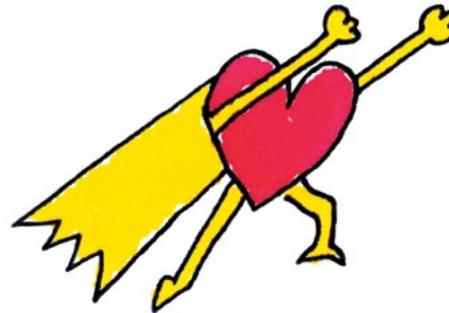
**MSA:** L. Hanson reported the Midwest will be in Sioux Falls SD. August 21st to 23rd and all Units are encouraged to attend and participate in the competition and parades. The Housing Chairman will be sending out information when it is received.

**GUN RAFFLE:** L. Hanson reported the drawing will be held Sunday April 27th and the



## Shriners Village

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winners will be announced.

**DIVAN DAY TWIN CITIES HOSPITAL:** L. Hanson reported TCH Day will be held on May 16, 2014 and again all are encouraged to attend.

**ST. CROIX VALLEY SHRINE CLUB:** J. Fussy a member of the St Croix Valley SC moved the St Croix Shrine Club be granted permission to donate the balance of their commitment from our general fund accumulated through fraternal fundraising, to the Tri-Angels Playground to be erected in River Falls, Wisconsin in memory of the three Schaffhausen girls murdered by their father and seconded by B. Hering. Motion Carried.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:** L. Hanson reported the Grand Lodge Annual Communication will be held on June 6th & 7th at the Madison Masonic Center and the Divan will be attending.

The first Steak Fry will be held on May 13, 2014 at the Madison Shrine Office and the Past Potentates will be cooking. Send in your reservation using the coupon in the Zephyr.

Zor membership is important as at the MSA Winter Session we are paired against Osman Shriners for total new members. If we win Osman will have to wear a Cheese Head that the Midwest and if we lose we will have wear a purple helmet will gold braid.

At 4:05 P.M. J. Thorstad PP. move for adjournment and seconded by B. Giesler. Motion Carried.

## Shriners Hospital patients enjoy fishing



Photo by Rod Rommel.

Even a little rain doesn't dampen the spirit when it comes to fishing. The Zuhrah Shriners from Minnesota joined hands with the St. Croix Valley Shrine Club to sponsor their annual trout pond at the Shriners Hospital for Children® in the Twin Cities recently. Divan Member Noble Bob Hering of Roberts is shown helping a patient with a wiggling trout at the event.

Story by Milt Helmer.



## La Crosse Potentate Party at Jansky's Eagles Nest

Nobles and Ladies are welcome to attend this year's annual La Crosse Potentate Party August 2nd at Jansky's Eagles Nest on top of the Bluff in La Crescent, MN (just across the mighty Mississippi from La Crosse). The annual afternoon event brings together Nobles and Ladies from all over West Central Wisconsin to one of the most beautiful areas in the state. The view is amazing as one looks over the river, the lock & dam, and the adjoining bluffs. But this is only part of the fun, as the cooks prepare a delicious steak dinner, with appetizers and refreshments for everyone. \$15 per person. 3pm social, 4:30 pm dinner. Please see coupon or, if you have questions, contact the Sec/Tres by calling: 608-385-1923. Deadline 7/28.



# Zor Shriners Steak Fry start to heat up again



Ill. Sir Larry Hanson & Lady Jill invite you and yours to the Zor Shriners Center in Madison for some fantastic feasts this summer. Make your reservations early and invite a friend or two to the monthly steak fry! The grilling begins this summer. These are the scheduled dates so far: July 15, September 9, & October 14. Please fill out coupon and mail it with your check to make your reservation.

## Zor Shriners Steak Fry

**Tuesday, July 15 – Zor Shriners Center.  
5p Social. 6:15p Dinner.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Menu: \_\_\_\_\_ Steak or \_\_\_\_\_ Chicken

Amount enclosed (\$10/person) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

RSVP with coupon and check payable to Zor Shriners by **July 9** to: Zor Shriners, 575 Zor Shrine Place, Madison, WI 53719

## Zor Shriners Steak Fry

**Tuesday, September 9 – Zor Shriners Center.  
5p Social. 6:15p Dinner.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Menu: \_\_\_\_\_ Steak or \_\_\_\_\_ Chicken

Amount enclosed (\$10/person) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

RSVP with coupon and check payable to Zor Shriners by **Sept. 2** to: Zor Shriners, 575 Zor Shrine Place, Madison, WI 53719

# Take Me Out to the Ball Game

Directors Staff President Lance Severson invites all Nobles, Ladies, family, and friends to the 10th annual Zor/Mallards baseball game which is being held on Saturday July 26th, when the Green Bay Bullfrogs come to Madison's Warner Park. The pregame tailgate party starts at 4:30 in the Duck Pond with all you can eat of brats, burgers, hot dogs, chicken sandwiches with all the fixings, and plenty of cold beverages. Prior to the start of the 6:00 game. Watch as Potentate Larry throws one of the

honorary pitches. After the game, stay for the fireworks and receive a free ice cream scoop on your way out of the park.

The cost for the pregame tailgate meal, game ticket is \$ 25.00 per person. Please mail the coupon with payment to Zor Directors Staff by the deadline of July 16th to: Chuck Porter, 813 Gannon Ave, Madison, WI, 53714. The tickets will be mailed to you prior to the game



## Zor/Mallards Baseball Outing- July 26 - 4:30pm

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

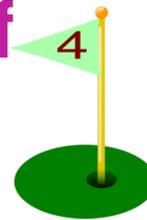
Number of Tickets: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**\$25.00 per person - payable to Zor Directors Staff Deadline: July 16**

**Mail to: Chuck Porter, 813 Gannon Ave. Madison, WI 53714**

# Annual Masonic, Scottish Rite, Shriners Golf Outing

By Paul Hallingstad



The 6th Annual Combined Zor Shriners/Madison Scottish Rite Golf-Dinner outing will be held on Wednesday, July 30 at Kestrel Ridge Golf Club in Columbus. The men-only event is open to all Master Masons and their guests. Shotgun start at 11:30 am and steak dinner at 5:30 pm. Auction for door prizes benefit Zor Transportation Fund and Madison Childrens Dyslexia Center. Contact Paul Hallingstad at 608-318-0412 or pdhpar@charter.net for details and sign-up sheet.

## Annual Masonic/Scottish Rite/Shrine Golf Outing

**Kestrel Ridge Golf Club - July 30  
Golf: 11:30 Dinner: 5:30**

Name(s) and Phone # or Email Address:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Reserve \_\_\_\_\_ Players for golf. \$30/each

Reserve \_\_\_\_\_ Golfers box lunch \$6/each

Reserve \_\_\_\_\_ Dinner reservations at \$25/person

Reserve \_\_\_\_\_ 10 prize lottery tickets at \$20/bundle

*(Tickets will be given to you that day.)*

**Please make checks payable to: Paul Hallingstad**

**Send coupon and check to:**

**Paul Hallingstad, 735 Clardell Drive, Sun Prairie, WI 53590**

**Reservations due by Wednesday, July 16**

## La Crosse SC Potentate Party

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed (\$15/person) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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# Hospital Dads: We Drive So Kids Can Thrive!

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

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## Drivers and Riders to the Chicago Hospital in May

Drivers	Riders
Dale Anderson	Steve Ehle

# Mini Car Picnic Plans Announced



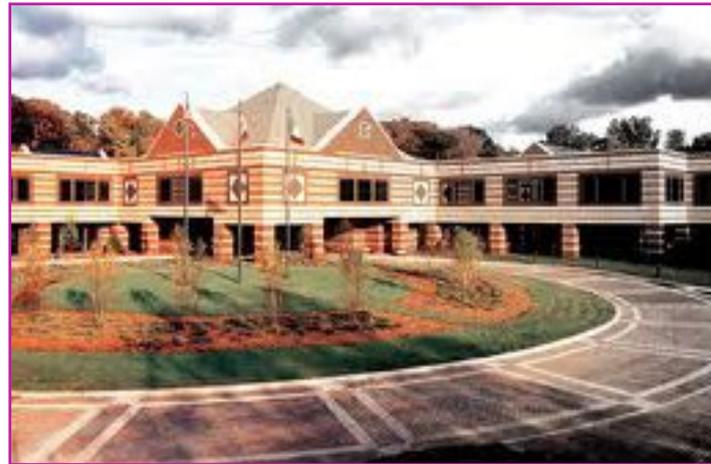
Unit Captain Roger Amundson invites everyone to Edgerton on Sunday July 20th for the annual Tobacco Days parade and picnic. Be in the downtown area for the start of the parade which steps off at 11:00 a.m. and features the following 3 Zor units: Concert band, Clowns and the Mini cars. Following the parade, everyone is invited to the home of Austin and Connie Tronnes for the picnic which honors Potentate Larry Hanson and Lady Jill.

We cannot stress enough to be sure to bring family members, friends, and potential Blue Lodge and

Shrine candidates. This is NOT just for the parading units. There will be plenty of grilled brats, burgers, corn on the cob, with other picnic treats and plenty of cold beverages. This is a FREE event and NO reservations are required.

A MUST SEE: The Mini car officers will hold a class entitled: Clown Makeup Removal 101. As always, it will be held on the pier so everyone can watch.

# Teenagers bond while undergoing leg-lengthening procedures



Like most teenagers, Christopher Jones enjoys playing sports and leads an active lifestyle. But his road to physical mobility has had some bumps and challenges. He was born with a left clubfoot and leg length discrepancy, causing his left leg to measure 3-1/2 centimeters shorter than his right leg.

When he was only 6-months-old, Christopher came to Shriners Hospital for Children in Minneapolis, Minnesota to have his clubfoot

corrected. From then on, he frequented the hospital for appointments and surgeries, driving 15 hours round-trip from his home in Escanaba, Michigan. "It's a long drive, but well worth it," says Christopher.

To address the leg length discrepancy Christopher's family learned about a leg lengthening procedure. During this procedure the physicians would surgically cut his tibia bone and attach an

external fixator to each side of the cut. The fixator would gradually pull the bones apart so that new bone would fill in and grow. Shriners Hospitals for Children – Twin Cities specializes in this and many other orthopaedic procedures, but Christopher was still a little unsure if he wanted to go through with it...until he met Maggie Kueter.

Maggie was born with the same condition as Christopher and knew firsthand about the leg lengthening surgery – which she had just undergone two days prior. The two talked candidly about the procedure and became fast friends.

Christopher decided to go ahead with the procedure after talking with Maggie. Post-surgery, he gained 3 centimeters on his leg, eliminating the hindrance in his physical activities.

Both Maggie and Christopher are happy with their results and of the unexpected bonus of a life-long friendship. Each year Shriners Hospitals

for Children – Twin Cities helps thousands of children with orthopaedic conditions just like Christopher and Maggie.

On Tuesday, August 12th, Shriners Hospitals for Children – Twin Cities is holding a complimentary screening where children will be evaluated by a Shriners Hospitals for Children medical provider. Shriners Hospitals for Children provides comprehensive medical, surgical, and rehabilitative care for children with bone, muscle, or joint conditions regardless of insurance coverage or their ability to pay.

Screenings will be done on August 12th at Baraga County Memorial Hospital in L'Anse from 9 a.m. – 12 p.m., and at Marquette Masonic Center in Marquette from 3 p.m. – 6 p.m.

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<b>Lloyd DuBois, Baraboo (12.01.79)</b> .....	<b>01.24.14</b>
<b>Graydon Peterson, Minneapolis, MN (09.13.75)</b> .....	<b>11.06.13</b>
<b>Glenn Sandve, Spring Valley (09.11.76)</b> .....	<b>05.30.14</b>
<b>Stewart Martin, Oregon (06.08.68)</b> .....	<b>06.07.14</b>
<b>Kurt Gerken, Naples, FL (12.02.50)</b> .....	<b>06.03.14</b>
<b>Robert Kastens, Deer Park (12.03.05)</b> .....	<b>06.07.14</b>

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Congratulations to these lucky folks! Top winners were: Jerry Retallick, Garfield, \$100; Noah Flanum, Anchorage, AK, \$100; Justin King, Tomah, \$100; Cindy Powell, Lake Ozark, MO \$100; & Brandi Yates, Oregon, \$150.

The \$20 dollar winners were: Ken Nygaard, Baldwin; Caden Skelding, Black River Falls; Keith Creuziger, Mosinee; Gina Poster, Sun Prairie; Gary Zeidler, Loretta; Kyle Deno, Black River Falls; Kim Meyer, Tomah; Gerry Smith, Harrisburg, IL; Miranda & Mike Laffin, Pewaukee; Ryan Brookman, Tomah; Cherie Shaw, Durand; Tracy Egan, Orfordville; Lisa Vender, Tomah; Jackson Larson, Oshkosh; Kathy Bjoin, Janesville; Gary Cuskey, Spooner; John Hendrickson, West Allis; John Hoeft, Omro; Tressa Tetallick, Eau Claire; Jim Hover, Mauston; Bob Mc Neill, Dodgeville; Barb Spagnoletti, Menomonie; Logan Noll, Oshkosh; Gene O'Neil, Fort Atkinson; & Debra Edmundson, Stevens Point.



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