

## SPRING CEREMONIAL IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER

Don't forget to register for Spring Ceremonial which is open to all Shriners and their ladies! This much anticipated event is being held on June 12 at the Hotel Mead, 451 E. Grand Avenue, in Wisconsin Rapids. It will be a great time for everyone as the Funsters are ready to show Zor how fun Wisconsin Rapids can be. The festivities and fun starts on Friday night with a fish fry, tunes on the terrace and includes a social time for Nobles and ladies to get acquainted with one another and welcome Zor's new Nobles.

Saturday activities start early with registration at 7:30am for the candidates; the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> sections will start about 10AM, following the new Noble and

lady orientation. The Nobles lunch will be served at 11:30AM, followed by 2<sup>nd</sup> section and the grand finale – the initiation ceremony & fezzing (see schedule). Join the Shrine units for the parade, followed by a great banquet and dancing 'till you or your partner close down the dance floor.

Candidate Ladies will also have an exciting day as they begin with registration and orientation, followed by a welcome from the Divan ladies, a noon luncheon with program and then joining their spouses for the ceremony and fezzing. Ladies, put on your dancing shoes and bring your Noble to whirl around the dance floor following dinner.

Potentate Joe Thompson has issued

a challenge for all Nobles of Zor – have you or your club or unit registered your candidate for the Spring Ceremonial? It's still not too late to get those petitions to the office. Will there be 50 candidates for the ceremonial and will you be a part of Zor's historic ceremonial? Let's hope so!

Meals for the event will be held at the Hotel Mead and includes Friday fish fry (\$10/person), lunch for the Nobles (\$12/person) ladies luncheon (\$12/person). Nobles, ladies, candidates and guests are invited to attend dinner that evening; the cost for the meal is \$28 per person which includes a choice of pork chop or Cornish ben.

Please make your reservation directly

with the hotel by May 15, by calling the Hotel Mead for reservations at 1-800-843-6323. Don't forget to ask for the Zor Shriners discount, to receive the group rate of \$89 plus tax. There will be a registration table on Friday evening and Saturday morning to pick up your meal tickets. Any questions can be directed to Chuck or Sharon Miller at 715-457-4646.

This is a great opportunity for Nobles and ladies to celebrate the successes of Zor and welcome new Nobles to the fraternity. Please take a few minutes to complete the coupon at the back of the Zephyr and send it with your check by June 3 to reserve your place at the Ceremonial.

## Wausaukan Indians Greet Guests With a Flair

Guests of all ages were welcomed to Wausau by the Wausaukan Indians and their ladies on this bright spring day in April. The Elks Club was host to the annual Potentate Party honoring Joe Thompson and Lady Julie as Nobles, ladies and guests were eager to join in the day's activities.

A buffet lunch was served to over 30 Nobles and ladies as the prepared to begin the fun in Wausau. Tucked away in the corner were 25 lovely red geraniums which were grown by a local florist and were examined very closely by both ladies and Nobles.

DADS from the area took part in a Safety seminar refresher led by Past Potentate Earl Buehler as the Divan met for their monthly meeting. The ladies proceeded to the Jefferson Street Inn where the Wausaukan Ladies hosted a tea party. It was a great afternoon for everyone who came to Wausau

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The social hour brought everyone together as they reminisced about previous Potentate parties, renewed friendships and took time to buy additional raffle tickets for the much anticipated geraniums and a table full of prizes.

Celebrating with the Potentate is time honored tradition which Indians are proud to continue and this year was no different



Charlie the Camel is a great conversation piece. Just look at all of the Past Potentates gather around him during the Wausaukan Indian Potentate Party. Pictured L to R: Seated: Jim Soderholm, Ken Grinde, Darl Hoffman, Whitey Jenkins. Back row: J. Kevin Johnson, Norm Allen, Tom Nelson, Potentate Joe Thompson, Steve Willett, Dick Jones, Bob Kaschel and Earl Buehler.

as they toasted Potentate Joe and Lady Julie. The Elks staff did a tremendous job serving nearly 90 Nobles and guests a delicious dinner that evening. Dessert that evening included a uniquely decorated marble cake which the Potentate was very proud to show off – especially the picture of a chimney sweep. The programs and placemats also followed the theme of Potentate Joe's year with pictures and

tidbits of information about chimney

cleaning and sweeps.

Potentate Joe addressed the Nobles and ladies, thanking them for their support for Zor Shrine and the Children's Hospitals. He also shared his challenge to Clubs/Units and Nobles, to sponsor at least 2 new candidates in 2010 to increase Zor's ranks by 100 new Nobles. Joe is very proud to be a Mason and a

Shriner, which he portrayed during his remarks to the crowd. One could feel the energy level rise in the room as he shared his passion about the work being done by the Nobles of Zor.

Unit President Steve Peterson presented Potentate Joe with a wrought iron desk piece, designed by Lenny

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#### From The Potentate

Joe Thompson





Lady Julie and I are pleased to announce the arrival of our first Grandchild!! Tinsley June was born May 17, 2010, at 12:46 p.m. weighing in at 7 pounds 10 ounces and stretching out at 20 inches. We are very proud of Jennifer and Jason. God was very good to us to bring us a very healthy and beautiful princess. For now, we are floating on clouds as proud grandparents.

Speaking of being proud, we are all very proud of Ill. Sir Stephen D. Willett, PGM, on having the Scottish Rite Reunion class named in his honor April 16th and 17th! I was very impressed by the perfect work preformed by the cast in all of the degrees. The candidates received the best from the best! As Shriners, we should be supporting our Rites and should be looking forward to the reunion in the fall.

Onions! Onions! Does anyone have any onions left? No one I spoke to had any extra to part with. A tip of the Fez to Noble Rich Winter for a job well done chairing the annual fund raiser! I have heard numerous complements on the quality of this years' onions. I have also heard of some very good recipes for cooking up those delicious onions.

While on the topic of recipes, Lady Julie is still looking for more great Shriner Ladies recipes. Lady Julie is very pleased with the support and interest her project had drawn. Please refer to the coupons in the May issue of the Zephyr. Please keep those ads and recipes coming and reserve your copies now!

This past month, I have been visiting several Blue Lodges and participating in several degrees. I hope this enthusiasm continues as we have several of these candidates committed to joining Shrine. Have you been to your Lodge lately? Get involved with your Blue Lodge and make a difference in Shrine!

On April 24th we traveled to Wausau for our Quarterly meeting and annual Potentate Party sponsored by the Wausauken Indians. The day was absolutely GREAT starting with a delicious luncheon at noon, followed by a Divan meeting, then the Quarterly meeting. That evening we had a special evening of food and entertainment.

A tip of the Fez to Chief Rabban Steve Peterson and his Lady Mary Ellen for organizing this memorable event. Many thanks to Noble Len Urban and Lady Carol for the beautiful metal craftsmanship of the coat tree and samsar. I have the Samsar proudly displayed in my office.

Eleven Past Potentates were on hand to proudly show off their beautiful headdresses. Of course, the night would not have been complete without the aid of Wayne Kerstell reading off the lucky numbers to the raffle winners. Lady Julie and I would like to extend our sincere thanks to the Wausauken Indians for making this event a memory we will not forget.

On May 1st and 2nd was Zor's first Sporting Clay Shoot at Argyle. "It was the WIND guys, honest." At least it was the best excuse I could come up with for my low shooting score on Saturday. The wind did make it somewhat more challenging, but everyone seemed to have enjoyed themselves. Many thanks to the committee and to the Southwestern Wisconsin Shrine Club for making this event successful.

Zor's second membership drive was a huge success. Zor Mini Cars sponsored the Hawaiian Luau at Thresherman's Park in Edgerton on May 15th. The surf was up and everyone had a great time. The committee did a fantastic job in setting up the beach atmosphere. I just want to go on record to say, "My hula hoop was broken." The night was filled with dancing and fellowship. I heard the "big dipper" could not be located, however, the pineapples were plentiful. A cold sands was held just prior to the Luau and we want to congratulate Dominic Ferraro and Brian Kachlic on becoming Zor's newest members.

We are looking forward to Grand Lodge annual communications to be held on June 4th and 5th, as Noble Joe Harker will become The Grand Master of Masons in Wisconsin. We are so very proud of Joe and I personally extend my support to Joe for the ensuing year. Please join me in supporting Joe!

Following Grand Lodge, the next week will be our Ceremonial on June 12th. Consult the Zephyr for details. Please get your candidate ready! Who will be the next Club or Unit to take home the Traveling Scimitar? I'm told the Traveling Scimitar will be at the Ceremonial. Get your team together to capture the Scimitar!

In faith, Joe Thompson Potentate 2010

#### Recorder's Roll Call



Jim Stelsel, Recorder

On April 24, 2010 Zor held a great Quarterly Meeting and Potentates Party in Wausau at the Elks Building hosted by the Wausauken Indians. One of the high lights of the party was winning one of beautiful geraniums and many other prizes. A big thank

you to all of the Nobles and Ladies of the Wausauken Indians and our Chief Rabban and his Lady Mary Ellen who worked very hard to ensure the party would be a great success.

Most of the summer circuses are held in June and we ask if a circus is held in your area or you are member of the Club or Unit sponsoring the circus please attend the circus with your Fez on and welcome and thank the individuals, families and kids for coming to your circus.

June again is a very busy month starting th Grand Lodge at the Madison Mason Center on the 5th & 6th, Directors Staff Breakfast in Cottage Grove on the 6th, Zor's Spring Ceremonial in Wisconsin Rapids on 11 & 12, Scottish Rite and Shrine Golf Outing at Mineral Point on the 24th, and the Menomonie Sporting Clay Shoot at Whispering Emerald Ridge on the 26th & 27th. July 3rd to 8th is the Imperial Session in Toronto.

As of April 30, we still have about 162 Nobles who have not paid their 2010 dues. We are sending a follow up dues notice shortly reminding you that you have not paid your dues. Please pay your dues so we do not have to spend time and money to remind you again. If for some reason you are unable to pay your dues, please contact the office to determine if we can offer you some assistance.

June June 12 — Ceremonial, Wisconsin Rapids, WI June 15-16 — Mehara Shrine Club Circus, Menomonie

June 24 — Golf Outing with Scottish Rite, Mineral Point June 26 — Green County Shrine Club Circus,

Monroe June 26-27 — Menomonie Sporting Clays

Shoot, Whispering Emerald Ridge June 27 — Heart of WI Shrine Club Circus-Fairgrounds, Amherst

#### July

July 3-8 — Imperial Session, Toronto
July 11 – Madison Mallards Game, Madison
July 17 — LaCrosse Potentates Party, Jansky's Eagles Nest

July 18 — Mini Cars Potentate's Picnic, Edgerton

July 24-25 — Shiocton Sporting Clays Shoot, J & H Game Farm July 24 —Zor Horsemen, Eau Claire July 24 — Directors Staff Road Rally, Zor Shrine Center

#### August

Aug. 11-14 — MSA Summer Session, Sioux City, IA

Aug. 16 — Heart of Wisconsin Potentate Picnic Aug. 21-22 — Frederic Sporting Clays Shoot, Coyland Creek

Aug. 27 — Lakeland Shrine Club Fish Boil, Stoughton Country Club Aug. 28 — Big West Days, Dallas, WI

September

Sept. 11 — Beja Potentate Ball, Green Bay



Zor Shriner's 2010 Calendar

Oct. 1-2 — Scottish Rite Council of Deliberation, LaCrosse

Oct. 2 — UW-River Falls Football Game Oct. 12 — Quarterly Meeting, Madison Oct. 12 — Honored Ladies Luncheon, Madison

Oct. 20-24 — SCAFRA, Fargo Oct. 22-23 — Scottish Rite, Madison Masonic Center

Oct. 30 — Halloween Party, Zor Shrine Center

#### November

Nov. 4 — Daughters of the Nile visit, Zor Shrine Center Nov. 27 — Breakfast with Santa, Wausau, WI

#### **December**

Dec. 4 — Zor Fall Ceremonial, Chula Vista, Wisconsin Dells Dec. 18 — Mini Cars Christmas party,

Edgerton Dec. 19 — Lunch with Santa, Zor Shrine Center



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Zor is in the 2nd quarter of the year, and the Scimitar is moving across the state from clubs and units. As you recall, last month the Scimitar was in the Wausau area as it was passed to the Timber Shrine Club. During the Wausau Potentate Party members from the Mecca Shrine Club came to make their claim to the lovely oak

With the Scimitar moving to the Tomah area, where will its next stop be? Are member of your club or unit near the treasured symbol so that you may capture the sword? Keep an eye out for the infamous treasure and make plans to visit your neighbors.



The Elks Club of Wausau was host to many activities and passing the Scimitar was just one of the highlights. Members of the Timber Shrine club were proud to share their treasure with the Nobles of Mecca Shrine Club. Will your club or unit be the next to receive the scimitar?



## Mark your Calendar – Take Flight with the Mallards on July 12

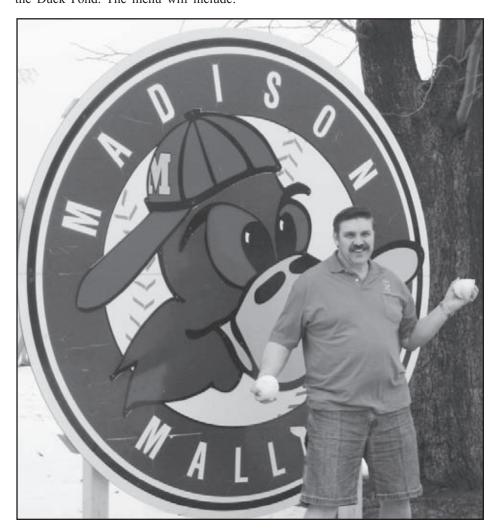
The Shrine Directors staff is sponsoring its sixth annual outing with the Madison Mallards on Saturday, July 11, at Warner Park on Madison's east side. This year the group will be enjoying a 'night' game, which starts at 6:00 PM as the Mallards host the Alexandria Beetles.

Unit President John Thorstad invites all Nobles, ladies, family members and friends to join in the fun and festivities for the early game of the day. The unit currently has 100 tickets on hold, but will be able to request more. The pregame tailgate party this year will be held inside the Duck Pond. The menu will include:

hot dogs, burgers, brats, and chicken sandwiches, all the fixings and plenty of beverages.

The cost for the evening's activities is \$25 per person and includes a raffle ticket for a chance to win one of many door prizes of Mallards merchandise. All tickets and reservations must be pre-paid by June 25. Please mail the coupon that appears at the back of this issue prior to June 25 to Chuck Porter, 813 Gannon Avenue, Madison, WI 53714. Your tickets

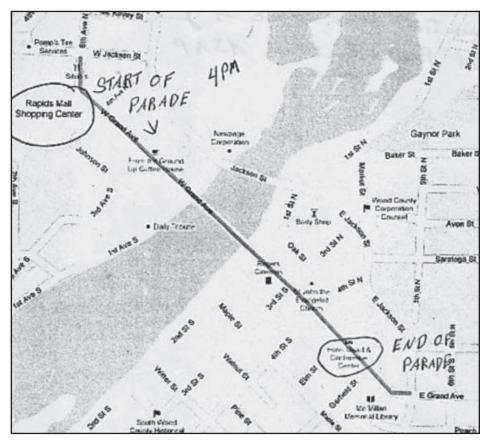
will be mailed to you prior to the game. Let's have fun at the Mallards game!



## Where's the Scimitar? Ceremonial Parade is Just **Around the Corner**

Do you see the parade coming? Can you see the flashing lights, the music and the roar of little car engines? Well, it's not too late to come to the Ceremonial Shrine parade as it is awesome to see the motorized units zig zag around one another, the smiley faces of the clowns, hear the music from celtic bag pipes, and jazzy band sounds and welcome dignitaries and new Nobles to Zor. This year will be no different as the Spring Ceremonial parade will entertain spectators down Grand Avenue in Wisconsin Rapids.

The parade will start at the Rapids Mall, and end at the Hotel Mead, starting at 4PM. Line up will begin at 3:30 so everyone will have time to get their favorite seat on the parade route. A map of the parade route is included. Chair Bob Calverley is soooo excited to welcome all units of Žor to Wisconsin Rapids, so polish up your vehicles, tune your instruments and get your walking legs in order to be a part of the grand festivities. Ladies, bring the sunscreen and folding chairs so you can enjoy the festivities in style.



#### **Zor Shriners Ceremonial**

Hotel Mead, Wisconsin Rapids Saturday, June 12, 2010

#### **Tentative Schedule**

Candidates Registration

8:00 - 10:00Coffee for Nobles and Ladies 9:00 - 9:45Orientation for Candidates & Ladies Opening of the Temple for voting Drum Corp (Ladies invited) 10:00 - 10:1510:15 - 10:30Class enters; Color Guard & Divan enter 10:30 - 11:30 1st and 3rd Sections with Ritualistic Divan (Ladies invited) 11:30 - 12:30Nobles Lunch 12:00 - 2:00Ladies Luncheon 12:15 Divan to Ladies Luncheon 12:30 Candidates report for 2nd section Second Section 1:00 - 2:002:15 Assembly of VIP, PP, units in staging area 2:30 - 3:30Introduction of Guests, Fez talk, Fez presentation to new Nobles 3:30-4:00Parade Assembly (Rapids Mall to Hotel Mead) 4:00 Parade step off 6:00-11:00Dinner and dancing (Hotel Mead)



7:30 - 8:30

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July 18 is the date for this year's Mini Car Picnic, following the Edgerton Tobacco Days parade. Nobles and ladies are anxious to greet everyone to the Tronnes estate and are currently making plans for the picnic feast and entertainment. Bring your family members, potential Nobles, and friends to the picnic as this is a one of a kind family event.

The weather is usually great, the

scenery relaxing and the food is fantastic, what more could one ask for during the middle of summer. Make your plans to attend and ask your fellow Shriners and Masons to be your guest at the picnic. This year the pond will take on new swimmers or perhaps veteran ones — come to the party to see who makes a splash at the picnic.

## Local Area Fraternal Dignitaries Visit River Falls Lodge

Dignitaries from several Masonic bodies met for a chat at the regular communication of River Falls Lodge #109 in River Falls, Wisconsin on Tuesday, May 4th. Those present included: Ozcan Kilic of River Falls, Past Master and Area Administrator of District 2, 1; Steve Schwartz of River Falls, Worshipful Master of the River Falls Lodge; Larry

Riemenschneider of Amery, member of the Zor Divan; and Harold Christensen of New Richmond, District Lecturer for District 2.

Divan Rep Larry Riemenschneider has plans to visit all Lodges within his jurisdiction to help promote Masonic and Shrine activities.



Shown left to right are Ozcan Kilic, Steve Schwartz, Larry Riemenschneider, and Harold Christensen.

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## 2nd Annual Masonic/ Scottish Rite/Shrine Golf Outing

The second annual Madison Area Combined Masonic, Scottish Rite, and Zor Shrine Summer Steak Fry and Golf Outing will be held on Thursday, June 24 at the Dodge Point Country Club located between Dodgeville and Mineral Point off Hwy 151.

The event is open to Master Masons, Scottish Rite Masons, Shriners, and their non-Masonic guests and is a men only event. Golf will begin with an 11:30 a.m. shotgun start and the cost for 18 holes will be \$25 including riding cart. Golf prizes will be awarded based on the Modified Peoria handicap system.

Dinner will begin with a social hour (cash bar) beginning at 5 pm and the dinner will be served at 6 pm. The cost for dinner will be \$15 which includes steak,

potato, salad, vegetable, and dessert, tax, and gratuity. Advanced reservations and payment are required and if you don't play golf, you can come for dinner only.

There will be door prizes and lottery raffle prizes awarded. Please note that anyone can sponsor a hole for a lodge, business, or individual for \$20. All proceeds from hole sponsors and lottery raffle will go to Masonic children's charities. Use the coupon to make your reservation.

This will be a great opportunity to enjoy good fellowship and promote Masonry among all the inclusive bodies within the order. If you have any questions, contact Paul Hallingstad at 608-318-0412 or email pdhpar@charter.

## Summer Steak Fry – June 29

Madison Shrine Club reminds everyone that the first steak fry of the summer will be held on Tuesday, June 29 at the Shrine Center. The social gathering will begin at 5PM, with dinner to follow at 6PM. Hankwitz Hall will be open at 4PM for anyone wishing to come early to socialize or play a game of cards. Dinner will include a choice of steak or chicken, and all the trimmings.

Everyone is invited and you do not need to be a member of Madison Shrine Club to join in the fun. All Nobles, Ladies, friends, neighbors and especially potential new candidates are welcome. Potential new candidates with a new petition in hand will receive a free meal.

Advance reservations are requested; submit your reservation by completing the coupon in the Zephyr and mailing it along with your check (payable to Madison Shrine Club). Those who pre-pay their reservation will have their name entered into a drawing for a free steak dinner for the July Steak Fry. You can also e-mail or phone in your reservations up to 24 hours before the dinner at zortemp@chorus. net or phone 833-6343. Any reservations made but not paid for will be billed back by the Shrine Club.

Any one wishing to help with the event please contact Lisa at the Shrine office.

See you at the steak fry.

## **Patient Screening Clinic**

The Hayward Musky Capital Shrine Club conducted a Patient Screening Clinic with the assistance from the Shriners Hospital Twin Cities staff on Saturday April 24th at the Hayward Area Memorial Hospital. The day was busy and Four

more patients were accepted for services from the Shriners Hospital system.

Thanks to all who helped out. Hayward Shrine Club Hospita Representative Kevin Fischer



Back Row - Allen Heinkel, Larry Meier, Michael Sawyer, Don Engel (Shriners Hospital Twin Cities Director of Development)
Front Row - Kevin Fischer, Kari Leifheit (Shriners Hospital Twin Cities PT and Screening Rep), Gus Conwell and Randy Conwell
Not Pictured - Jennifer Fischer

## **ZOR SHRINE QUARTERLY MEETING**APRIL 24, 2010, WAUSAU WI

Potentate J. Thompson called the meeting to order at 2:55 P. M.

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

Potentate J. Thompson asked for a motion on the minutes of the Quarterly meeting of October 10, 2009 as printed in the Zephyr. S. Peterson moved approval of the minutes and seconded by D. Anderson. Motion Carried.

Treasurers Report: D. Anderson, Treasurer read the abbreviated financial report as of March 31, 2010 that shows Total Revenues YTD \$220,254, Total Expenses \$104.044 for a gain of \$116,210, with Unrealized Wachovia Gain of \$13,012 leaving a Net Gain of \$129,221

As of March 31, 2010 end of the month Balances show Checking Accounts \$266,914 less bills to paid in 30 days \$24,494, Cash Reserves, Hospital Patient Transportation Account \$84,186, Hospital Transportation Tampa \$192,704, Building Improvement Accounts \$95,581, Long Term Investments Accounts \$900,213, Perpetual Membership (26,270) \$22,251. (See attachment #1) D. Anderson moved the report be accepted and seconded by R. Jenkins PP. Motion Carried.

Membership Report: B. Calverley, Membership Chairman, reported that as of March 31, 2010 we had 0 Creations, 2 Affiliations, 8 Restorations, 2 Demits, 13 Deaths and 8 Suspensions for a net loss of 13 Nobles. As of January 1, 2010, we had 1873 members less a net loss or 13 we have 1860 Nobles (1842 regular plus 18 Associates) as of March 31, 2010. (See attachment #2). B. Calverley moved the report be accepted and seconded by T. Nelson PP. Motion Carried.

**Departed Nobles:** J. Thompson reported the list of names of the departed Nobles is not available for reading at this meeting. They will be read at the next quarterly meeting. I will ask Chaplain K. Gant to give a payer for our departed Nobles. K. Gant then gave the payer.

Trustees Report: D. Jones PP. Chairman of the Trustees reported on

the three major functions of the Trustees, which are to oversee the investment of Temple excess funds, the usage of the Shrine Center and the maintenance of the facility. We have about \$1,020,000 excess funds. 55% are invested in CD's and 45% in Wells Fargo mutual funds.

In March of 2009, our excess funds were down to about \$860,000 from a high of \$1,050,000. Therefore, we are almost back to even. However, our CD's are only yielding 1.5 to 2.0%. Out rental, revenue has been declining over the past few years. In the past, our revenue covered our operating expenses of the building. Today it only covers about 50%. This is due to a turn down in wedding receptions, completion on the west side, and a cut back by businesses of holding meetings.

We cannot be overly aggressive in promoting the outside use of our facility in order to protect our property tax exemption. The building is 25 years old and we have to maintain our plumbing, heating and a/c, parking lot and the inside such as painting and carpeting. We are computerizing the A/C and will be repaving the parking lot. (See attachment #3) D. Jones PP. moved the report be accepted and seconded by R. Jenkins PP. Motion Carried.

Circus Report: E. Toman reported on the 56th annual Madison Circus, which had a net profit of \$145,000, which was \$15,000 over budget the highest revenue ever from the Madison Circus. Total Attendance was 32,224 the 3rd highest dating back to 1990. A breakdown of attendance, unit participation, program sales, prizes given away and dollar figures have been in previous Zephyr's and are contained in the attachment. The LaCrosse Circus topped 7300 spectators and Zor's profit was \$3500. We have 12 summer circuses this summer and they are listed in the Zephyr.

A new 3 years contract for telemarketing has been signed with R. Sands and the contract with Carden for Madison & LaCrosse and the Alliant Energy Center are pending. (See attachment #4). E. Toman moved the report be accepted

and seconded by B. Kaschel PP. Motion

Onion Report: T. Nelson PP. for Onion Chairman R. Winter reported this year we have ordered 6275 bags of onions, which is 280 bags less than last year. Vidalia onion signs, recipes and 5 lb bags will be provided by Glennville Produce Co. Each club or unit contact person will be notified as soon as possible of the date (May 5, 6, or 7) that the onions will arrive. R, Amdall PP. is in charge of trucking. (See attachment #5). J. Soderholm PP moved the report be accepted and seconded by R. Jenkins PP. Motion Carried.

Chicago Hospital Report: E. Buehler PP. reported the hospital is operating in an excellent and efficient manner as we expect. The Staff has been reduced by 26 positions and wages have been cut by 4% to 5%. The new gate room has been completed at a cost of over 1 million dollars. The patient load is being maintained

Twin Cities Hospital Report: Before D. Anderson gave the report he and members present thanked K. Johnson PP. for his nine years of serving on TCH Board with a standing ovation.

D. Anderson read the Twin Cities Shine Hospital Report from R. Rommel, Zor's representative on the TCH Board. R. Rommel thanks the Divan for appointing him to the TCH Board. The TCH continues to be innovative and reactive to the needs of our children. I serve on the Public Relations/Patient Recruitment Committee as well as the Finance Committee.

The 2009 operating budget of about 15 million was met. The 2010 operating budget was approved at \$14,267,985 which is a 5% reduction from 2009. Plans continue to move to the U of M Fairview Hospital approximately around July 2011. In 2009 1,183 applications were received and 870 were approved. Evaluation Clinics will be held April 24th in Hayward, September 25th in Chetek and October 2nd in Sparta. There were 11,044 physical therapy treatments during the past year.

During 2009 the Women's General Auxiliary contributed \$209,500 to the wheelchair program. Hospital Public Relations has developed new banners for public information, which can be purchased for \$425. Zor's Challenge goal for new patients in 2010 is 95. Through February there were 13 applications approved. Zor had 79 patients in 2008 and 86 in 2009. The hospital has completed applications for Medicare/Medicaid provider status. I thank you again for your support of the TCH. (See attachment #6)

Old Business: J. Thompson reported on his 100 new Nobles goal for 2010. The Wisconsin Rapids Ceremonial on June 12, at the present time we have about 25 petitions and we are hoping for another 25, so I am asking all of you to find your new candidate and bring them to Ceremonial. We had a membership event called the Mardi Gras Membership Party in Platteville on March 26th with 90 people in attendance. We received 5 petitions for the Blue Lodge and 2 for the Shrine. The next Membership event will be on May 15th in Edgerton. The Mini Cars are hosting a Luau Party so bring your Non-Masonic and Non-Shrine friends to this event.

#### NEW BUSINESS

ShrineSavers Program: B. Giesler reported on the Imperial Council member benefit program, known as ShrineSavers. Imperial is asking each Temple to adopt a Resolution that allows Nobles to obtain products and services at a reduced price, which would have the Temple furnish a list of members for this program. (see attachment #7) B. Giesler moved this resolution be adopted by the membership and seconded by T. Nelson PP. Motion Carried

J. Thompson again thanked Kevin for his years of service on the TCH Board and a Thank You to Jan Johnson for her years of service on the Woman's Auxiliary.

K. Gant gave the closing prayer. The meeting was adjourned at 3:53 P. M.

## Wausau Dads Seminar

Driving and riding can be challenging, especially when one is taking on the responsibility of transporting extra special individuals — Zor's hospital patients and family members. So keeping up with the rules of the road and common sense safety tips is just one way that the DADS of Zor keep their charges safe.

Wausau brought together more than 25 nobles as they reviewed the safety rules of the road, and engaged in stories about their travels to the hospitals. Past Potentate Earl Buehler led the discussion and reviewed current driving and safety tips from the National Transportation & Safety Board, Federal Highway Administration.

After comparing cafeterias at the Twin Cities and Chicago Hospitals, it was a draw as to which one had the best food. The rewards of visiting the hospitals and providing a service to the patients and families in Zor's area are great. So many people have donated numerous hours of time to make a positive impact on the lives of children and Zor thanks them for their dedication and efforts.

Above right, following a fantastic dinner, DADS drivers took a few minutes to gather for a picture in Wausau.

Right, experienced drivers review literature while in Wausau during the DADS Safety Seminar.











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#### Wausaukan Indians...

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Urban, in the shape of the Shrine logo. Maryellen Peterson, representing the Wausauken ladies, presented Lady Julie with a beautiful wrought iron coat tree. Both Joe and Julie were pleasantly surprised and expressed their thanks with smiles and hugs to Indians and their

It was an evening to remember for a number of reasons – Charlie the Camel made his appearance at the party dressed as an Indian, with his own headdress. It was a sight for all to see and experience and the hosts (Gloria and Pat) did their usual great job in welcoming Nobles and ladies to Wausau. A record number of Past Potentates (11) donned their headdresses following dinner so the crowd could compare the colorful array of feathers and intricate beadwork. They too took advantage of Charlie's costume and posed with him. It was great to see so many PP's in one place.

The big event finally came – the raffle drawing for the lovely red geraniums and other raffle prizes. The ladies were extremely happy when their number was drawn as they selected one of the many plants. The raffle prizes were also a hot ticket as Nobles and ladies waited in

anticipation for the mystery gifts.

Congratulations to the Wausaukan Indians and their ladies for a fantastic party. A great time was had by all.



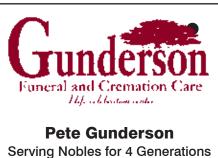
It was a great day in Wausau as Potentate Joe Thompson thanks the Wausaukan Indians for their hospitality and gifts. Pictured L to R: Lady Julie Thompson, Potentate Joe Thompson, Mary Ellen Peterson, Carol Urban and Lenny Urban. (Missing from the photo is Steve Peterson on the far left).



Isn't it awesome? What a great way to welcome the Potentate and his lady and share a sweet treat with everyone at the party.







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Above left, Indian Wayne Kerstell and guest enjoy dinner

Above, Noble Bob Anklem and

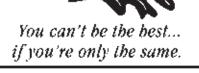
with the Potentate at the and Lady

Lady Helen admire the lovely red geranium plant during the

Julie at the Elks Club.

Potentate Party.

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Members of the UW Jazz Singers enjoy entertaining Nobles and Ladies at the Wausau Potentate Party.



Hosts Arlen and Rich keep the party lively as they serve refreshments at the Jefferson Street Inn following the Potentate Party.

## Early Season Luau Party Brings Hawaiian Celebration

It's never too early to begin to celebrate Hawaiian style – so says Potentate Joe Thompson and this was true as the Zor Mini Cars hosted a great luau on May 15. If you didn't know you were in Edgerton, you thought you had been transported to the Polynesian Center in Oahu. The pavilion at Thresheree Park was decorated to capture the true Hawaiian spirit.

Driving in the park, tiki lights greeted Nobles, ladies and guests (and they looked even more spectacular in the dark when they were lit). Nobles Bob and Miles Bradley welcomed everyone into the pavilion with the traditional Hawaiian lei, as special guests were given 2 leis to make

them feel special and invited everyone to make them feel welcome.

Most of the partiers wore traditional Hawaiian outfits, from moo moos, to brightly colored Hawaiian print shirts along with matching sandals. The evening started with welcome by Divan member Steve Peterson and a presentation from Imperial public relations on being a Shriner. It was a great CD and everyone there watched in anticipation as it shared the story of Shriners, and the Shriners Hospitals.

So much for the serious side of the evening, the fun was just beginning as the Mini Cars and their ladies hosted a feast

to feed hundreds – pulled pork, teriyaki chicken, brown rice, cole slaw and fresh fruit, followed by dessert of lemon bars and coconut bars.

As the party moved on, music from the 60's and 70's, the Beach Boys and many of the beach tunes to get everyone in the luau mood. After a bit of encouragement, Miles recruited several volunteers to participate in the hula hoop contest; one could tell it had been a few years since the recruits had twisted their hips to keep the hoop moving. Several were innovative in their presentation styles as they swung their hoops around their necks, wrists and feet. It was great fun to watch (and be

glad you weren't on stage).

Dancing took center stage as Nobles and ladies took turns line dancing, performing the Macarena and other group dance steps. Most everyone made their way to the dance floor as they celebrated in style.

Potentate Joe was most impressed with the number of people attending the festivities, and welcome 9 potential candidates and their ladies to the party. He asked that everyone bring their members to the Spring Ceremonial in Wisconsin Rapids or to Wisconsin Dells in December.



Noble Bob welcomes visitors to the Hawaiian Refreshment Center with several tropical punch drinks at membership Luau in Edgerton.



Swinging their hips, several ladies and Nobles including the Potentate and Lady Julie took their spot on stage to teach everyone in the crowd how to get the hula hoop moving.



It didn't take long for guest to follow the great smells throughout the shelter as they waited patiently for their turn to taste the delicacies of the tropics.



Lady Julie and Potentate Joe Thompson are all smiles as they stand next to the Hawaiian statue and enjoy the great fellowship at the Luau Party.

## COOKS, BAKERS – RECIPES NEEDED!

Traveling across the state, Lady Julie is working hard to promote her fund raising project. The Zor Shrine Cookbook is well on its way to becoming a reality and a huge success. Please take a few minutes to find your favorite recipe and send it to Lady Julie Thompson or Lady Ronda Pedley. Proceeds from the cookbook are being donated to Zor's General Fund, so this is an opportunity for everyone (Nobles and Ladies) to help support Zor's activities.

Lady Julie has 2 goals for this project: one is to sell advertisements to cover the cost of publishing the cookbooks, the other is to collect 500 recipes and sell 1,000 cookbooks. This is a very attainable goal, and with everyone's help it will be a huge success with profits benefitting Zor.

Advertising sales have been coming in slow but steady, and there is still plenty of

room to add your advertisement. Take a minute to talk with your local businesses; ask them to consider placing an ad in the cookbook. You as an individual can also place an ad – just send in the information with your check for \$30 and Zor's ladies will design an ad for you. An example would be "Paul Smith and his Lady Ramona from the Rollerblades Unit, Leadmine, WI." Clubs and Units – what a great opportunity to support Lady Julie's project and be a part of Zor's history by placing an ad.

Lady Julie's goal to at least 250 business card size ads at the low price of \$30 is getting closer. With this many advertisers, her goal is to sell the cookbooks for \$10.00 each. If Lady Ronda collects more than 500 recipes the cost for printing will be adjusted accordingly, so the sale price of the cookbook may be adjusted

So – How can the ladies of Zor Help? Lady Julie is asking everyone to help sell ads. Ads can be from any business, club, unit, or individual that would like to buy an advertisement. If an individual or business does not have a business card, just have them write down the information they'd like to include in their ad and one will be designed for them. An example would be "Paul Smith and his Lady Ramona from the Rollerblades Unit, Leadmine, WI."

Recipes and ads will be collected until July 15, 2010 with a distribution date slated for October 12, 2010 at the Honored Ladies luncheon. The Divan and their Ladies will be asked to distribute the cookbooks to the Clubs and Units when they visit so Cookbooks will not need

to be mailed. The final selling price for the cookbooks will be published in the Zephyr and money can be mailed in with your order, so upon distribution of the books, no money will need to be handled.

Lady Julie and Lady Ronda will be providing updates on the status of the cookbook in the Zephyr. They know there are many talented and experienced cooks out there, so please submit those recipes. A form for the recipes is included with this month's issue of the Zephyr, along with an order form of how many cookbooks you wish to order.

With everyone's help, Lady Julie knows that this will be a successful project for Zor, besides what a GREAT birthday, wedding, or Christmas gift! Thank you in advance for your cooperation!

Lady Julie and Lady Ronda

#### Lady Julie's Project – Zor Shrine Cook Book Ads

WOW – What a great opportunity to see your business in print throughout the state of Wisconsin! This could be you and your business; all you need to do is to place an advertisement in Lady Julie Thompson's 2010 cook book. A business card size ad costs only \$30! (Checks can be made payable to Zor Shriners).

Clubs, Units and individuals are also welcome to place an ad in the What a great way to cookbook. support Lady Julie, Zor and let others know more about your activities. The cookbook committee has a few talented

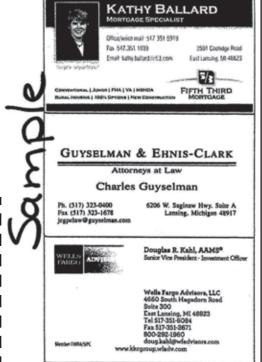
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artists who are very willing and able to create a business card ad for you. If you don't have a business card, and would like to place an ad, please also complete the information in the form and include a picture/graphic that you would like to include and an ad will be designed for you.

Please complete the form below, include your business card (do not staple it) and check made payable to Zor Shriners – send it by July 15 to: Lady Julie Thompson, PO Box 251, Shullsburg, WI 53586.



Ad size is 3-1/2"x2"

# Calling All Cooks! Zor Cook Book

**Recipe Request** Lady Julie, Wife of Potentate Joe Thompson, is putting together a cook book filled with recipes from Zor Shrine

members and their ladies. This is a great opportunity to share your favorite family

recipes with you fellow Shrine members. Please feel free to use the guideline (listed below) or better yet, please email your recipes to either Lady Julie at jewels@yousq.net or lady Ronda Pedley at spedley@centurytel.net.

All recipes are due to Julie or Ronda by July 15, 2010. Watch the Zephyr for information about purchasing these wonderful cook books. Remember to reserve your copies of the cookbook now!

## Mini Cars Kick of Lady Julie's Cookbook Project

Please enclose your business card, check for \$30 and send to:

Julie Thompson, PO Box 251, Shullsburg, WI 53586,

by no later than July 15, 2010

Please include my advertisement in

the 2010 For Shrine Cook Book

Company/Group Name\_\_\_\_\_

During the evening's activities at the Luau Party in Edgerton, Lady Julie Thompson took a few minutes to promote her project and encouraged everyone to send in recipes or purchase an advertisement to be printed. The crowd was very receptive and one could hear mumblings of recipes that might work well in the Zor Cookbook.

As Lady Julie finished her talk, Noble Miles Bradley of the Mini Cars had a few surprises up his Hawaiian shirt sleeve and took center stage. Representing all of the Mini Car members and their ladies, he presented a check to Lady Julie's project in the amount of \$300 to help get the project off the ground.

Everyone in the crowd was very excited as hugs were shared on the stage and applause filled the building. So - it's still not too late to get your recipes and advertisements in for the Zor Cookbook.



Still smiling Lady Julie and Potentate Joe pose with Noble Miles Bradley as he presents a check to boost advertising sales for the Zor Cookbook.

#### **Recipe Collection Sheet** (Zor Shrine Cook Book 2010)

Due date: July 15, 2010

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Select a category: 1. Appetizers

3. Main Dishes (Circle one)

5. Breads & Rolls

- 2. Soups, Salads, Vegetables & Sides
- 4. Crock Pot Dishes
- 6. Desserts, Cakes & Cookies
- 7. Canning & Freezing 8. This & That

| Recipe Title:                     |        |
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| Submitted by (first & last name): | Phone: |
| Ingredients:                      |        |
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Please reserve your copies by Pre-ordering now.

Feel free to use this sheet and mail your recipe to: Ronda Pedley, PO Box 477, Shullsburg, WI 53586 Julie Thompson, PO Box 251, Shullsburg, WI 53586 Email to: Spedley@centurytel.net or jewels@yousq.net

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## May Calendar Raffle Winners

With Spring weather bringing smiles and sunshine, calendar winners had a little more incentive to celebrate spring as they shared in the monthly winnings. Congratulations to these lucky winners. Top winners this month: \$200, Donna Hayes (Hammond); \$100: Linda Outhouse (Oregon); Billy Winner (Monona); Ernest Kramer (Readstown); Peg Katuin (New Lisbon); Duane McClain (Sparta).

Winners this month came from

Winners this month came from different parts of the country. Share your congratulations with this month's \$20 winners

Carol Sedgwick, Potosi Gerald Sallmann, Columbus Duane McClain, Sparta Gary Cuskey, Spooner Deb Bell, Edgerton J. Gordon Englund, Eau Claire Maryann Kwell, Hammond, IN Tim Pike, Janesville Jerry Mattakat, Sparta Darcy Fields, Eau Claire Dixie Johnson, Brooklyn John Fox, Dane George Christopherson, Janesville Henry VanWychen, Warrens FE Spangler, Richland Center Don Schaefer, Madison Wadeno Sweno, Black River Falls Lina Schmoekel, Platteville Kathy Lunderville, Amery Matt Pinckney, W. Hartford, CT Al Bernat, Munster, IN Kalem Irwin, Baldwin Dudley Johnson, Sun Prairie Randy Webb, WI Rapids Todd Perry, Black River Falls

## Zor Shrine summer office hours:

Memorial Day - Labor Day the office will be open Monday - Friday 7:30 AM - 4:00 PM.

## **April Drivers** and Riders

Moving down the road and enjoying the scenery while transporting patients and family members, drivers and riders had fun. The vans were busy as they went to the Twin Cities and Chicago for day visits to the clinics.

Thank you to everyone who shared their time and energy in supporting the patients and the Shriners Hospitals for Children. If you have some free time, please contact one of the area coordinators to put your name on the driver/rider list. It is an awesome experience that everyone can share in.

To Chicago Hospital

Drivers Riders
Gene Blair (2) George

Christopherson (2)
Earl Buehler
Richard Winter
GP Wiemer

To Twin Cities Hospital

Drivers
Jim Builer
Martin Burkhardt (8) Jim Bitner
Randy Erickson
Don Fennie (2)
Kevin Fischer
Bob Giesler
Gary Krause
Terry Loper
Tim Natarus (2)
Marlowe Nelson
Stan Spivey

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Jim Arena
Tom Bush
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Nancy Log
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Tom Bush
Ramon Erickson
Mary Fennie
Jerry Gappa (3)
Roger Hancock
Ernest Kramer
Nancy Loper
Barry Maxfield (2)
Steve Peterson
Jerry Schroeder
David Vosseteig

## UniTidings

CAMEL PATROL: The Camel Patrol hosted its annual Spring Fling as Nobles and ladies gathered for a delicious meal at the Maple Tree Restaurant in McFarland. President Mike Heitke welcome Nobles and guests as they socialized before, during and after the meal. Several items were discussed; the status of the camels, the upcoming parades, June Ceremonial and MSA session.

**ROAD RUNNERS:** The popular parade unit, the Zor Roadrunners, began preparations for the coming summer festival session with a practice at the American Legion hall in New Richmond on Wednesday, May 5th. Watch for the Zor Roadrunners in your towns celebrations.

The Royal court asked if they could be photographed at the wheel of some of the Zor Roadrunners popular go-karts at the parade in Woodville on Saturday, May 15. Roadrunners Capt. Jerry Wilkens agreed and the queens and princesses had their photos taken by their entourage. The parade also brought another surprise for the Nobles, as they were treated to an unexpected lunch at the Woodville Syttende Mai celebration.

The parade route used a farm drive way to unload their Go Karts as Wade and Beth Anderson of Menomonie were preparing lunch for their family. The Andersons served the Roadrunner drivers freshly grilled hamburgers, much to the Roadrunners surprise and gratitude.

It shows the warm hospitality of Wisconsin rural people toward total strangers. The Andersons said, "You guys don't get paid enough and we appreciate what you do."



## Wausaukan Ladies Host Tea Party

The ladies of the Wausaukan Indians are most gracious hostesses as was demonstrated by their welcoming tea party to honor Lady Julie Thompson. Ladies from all parts of Zor were entertained and informed of the intricacies of tea, its history and the delightful flavors.

Katrina Isaacson greeted the ladies and shared information on the various types of teas, flavors and shared samples with a host of flavors. The program also included the proper way to drink tea and the benefits that tea provides to ones health. Lady Mary Ellen Peterson and Carol Urban prepared the tea room with a flair of spring, with the dainty butterfly napkins, the tea pot center pieces and the

ornate menus from Johanna May's.

During the tea, the ladies enjoyed tasting several varieties of tea, including pod teas which when put in hot water opened up to look like a flower bud. It was quite tasty as well as decorative. Ladies also enjoyed scones with several different traditional spreads served in formal tea settings.

Katrina gave a bit of history about her tea shop, explaining that the shop was named after her mother. All in all it was a great afternoon as ladies enjoyed trying new flavors of tea, sharing their comments with others and telling stories about their experiences with teas while traveling.



Checking out the menu and the descriptions of the various teas, the Wausaukan ladies enjoy sipping and taste testing during the Ladies Tea.



Hostesses Carol Urban and Mary Ellen Peterson welcome Katrina Isaacson from Johanna May's Fine Teas as she prepares her presentation for the ladies in Wausau.

#### 2nd Annual Directors Staff Road Rally Planned

The Directors Staff road rally team of Russ Hunt and John Mackenzie have laid out what they say is one of the best they have seen in a long time. So mark your calendar for Saturday July 24th starting at 10:00am from the Zor parking lot.

The rally is laid out for you in printed format listing all roads, mileage distances and points of interest, so you cannot get lost. This event is a very relaxing 2 hour drive, taking you through some beautiful countryside.

Make sure to invite fellow Masons, Shriners, family and friends as there is no cost except for your gas and the meal at the final destination. Please call John Mackenzie (608-215-4366) to sign up as we need a count for map printing and table space at the restaurant.

Left, drivers pictured left to right are: John Beebe, Bob Peirson, Jason Decheine, River Falls, Barry Ausen, Dan Hoffman, Gene Bonnes, Doug Hoffman, Beth Anderson, Capt. Jerry Wilkens, Wade Anderson of Menomonie at the grill. (Photo by Milt Helmer)

## **Club Chronicles**

BADGER SHRINE CLUB: Members of the Badger Shrine Club welcome Potentate Joe and Lady Julie Thompson to their quarterly social gathering on Sunday, May 25 at the Cannery in Sun Prairie. Several Past Potentates also enjoyed the morning social activities with their ladies, Dick & Karen Jones, John and Debbi Thorstad, Tom & Nancy Nelson and Mark & Sheri Severson.

Noble Dave Bomkamp welcomed guests as they enjoyed a prime rib brunch buffet and refreshments. Potenate Joe also shared a few words with Nobles and Ladies as they reminisced about the year so far, the great membership activities at the Mardi Gras and Luau Parties and the challenge for each club and unit to bring in two new members.

BELOIT SHRINE CLUB: Club members started the day early as they prepared for their annual Pancake breakfast at the Masonic Center in Beloit. Pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausages and applesauce along with beverages brought smiles to the many adults and children who attended the event.

Nobles from all parts of Wisconsin also shared breakfast that morning, some coming from Shullsburg, Albany, Monroe, Wausau, Cottage Grove, and Madison to warm their tummies with delicious pancakes. Cooking and grilling, Nobles kept the line moving and the tables full of guests for the morning.



Collecting tickets and money for breakfast keeps these Nobles from Beloit Shrine Club busy, especially when the line of breakfast guests goes outside the door! Potentate Joe Thompson greets the greeters.



Cooks and servers from the Beloit Shrine Club gather together as they prepare to serve hundreds of hungry patrons at the Beloit Masonic Center.



MUSKY SHRINE CLUB: During its April meeting at the Ranch Supper Club, Nobles and Ladies of the Hayward Musky Shrine Club were honored to present Noble Mike Sawyer with his 25 year certificate as a member of Zor. Those who were present at the meeting enjoyed congratulating Noble Mike and shared a great evening of fellowship.

Nobles also welcomed Noble Bud Davis who reinstated his membership with Zor Shrine as he was presented a plaque by Al Heinkel as he was recognized for his 60 years of Masonic Service. The club celebrated birthdays and anniversaries for Nobles and Ladies for the month of April, which included the 51st anniversary of Noble Al and Lady Pat Heinkel.



Divan Representative Steve Peterson, Noble Mike Sawyer (center) and Noble Gary Cuskey share congratulations as they present Mike with his Zor 25 year membership certificate and pin.

ST. CROIX VALLEY SHRINE CLUB. Members are busy promoting their Rallye in the Valley fund raiser. A presentation was made to Prescott Mayor Mike Hunter who receives a Rallye in the Valley 'players book' from Dennis Donath on Friday, April 23rd at Northwestern Lodge #105 F&AM spring scholarship steak fry in Prescott.

Participants visit businesses in the book and compete for hundreds of cash and merchandise prizes including a half of beef from Olson's Meats in Woodville and a whole hog from Sailers Market in Elmwood. The Rallye continues until July 15th, 2010.

Club members attended the annual VFW sponsored Gun Show at the Amery Ice Arena on April 16, 17, and 18. The club sold raffle tickets on a shot gun and player books for their Rallye in the Valley, which is a combination road rally and scavenger hunt promotion.

Members of the St. Croix Valley Shrine Club attended St. Croix Valley Riders motorcycle club show on Saturday, May 22nd at GB Curleys Sports Bar in Burkhardt, Wisconsin. Jim Wolfe and Milt Helmer were present to promote the sale of the Rallye in the Valley players books.



President Barry Ausen of Star Prairie is shown with the Gun Show organizer Bob Wilbert, who is the incoming Service Vice Commander of the Amery VFW and is also the Adjutant of the New Richmond American Legion.



Past Presidents gather to reminisce about issues and stories, and find their name on the official gavel from their year as President of Lakeland Shrine Club.

LAKELAND SHRINE CLUB: Lakeland club members celebrated Presidents day with their ladies as they joined together at the Maple Tree in McFarland for a delicious meal of steak or shrimp. Honoring Past Presidents has become a tradition as the official gavel (or rather large hammer) is passed around to review the names of all of the Past Presidents. The green and gold gavel reminds one of GB Packer paraphernalia.

Members were planning their summer activities and the pending fish boils in May and August.

## **Things** Might

#### Like to Know

#### **Golden Oldies**

Ora Giles, Eau Claire, will be 94 on

Vernon Molbreak, Madison, will be 90 on June 13th.

Wesley N. Nelson, Menomonie, will be 94 on June 13th. John Gurtner, Haugen, will be 98 on

Thomas E. Hemstock, Sparta, will be

91 on June 20th. Harvey Jaeckle, Madison, will be 93

on June 22nd.

#### **Summer Activities Bring Nobles and Ladies Together**

With Summer fast approaching, so comes parade season for many units of Zor. To keep everyone posted on the festivities which are open to Nobles, their ladies and families, here are a few dates to keep in mind as you plan your days.

July brings the Directors Staff sponsored Mallards Game (7/11), which is a night game! LaCrosse area Potentate Party at Jansky's Eagles Nest (7/17), Mini Car Potentate Picnic at the Tronnes Estate in Edgerton (7/18), Directors Staff Road Ralley (7/24), Shioctin Sporting Clays Shoot (7/24-25).

August is also very busy with the Midwest Summer Session being held in Sioux City, IA (8/11-14); Heart of Wisconsin Potentate Picnic in Arkdale (8/16), Frederic Sporting Clays (8/21-22), Lakeland SC Fish Boil, Stoughton (8/27) and "BIG" West Days Membership Drive, in Dallas, WI (8/28)

Watch for further information in upcoming issues, but mark your calendars now for these fun-filled and family events. Bring a guest or potential new member to share the fun and fellowship.

#### Take Flight with the Mallards

July 11, 2010; 6:05 PM at Warner Park

| Name:                                                                                                                   |  |  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|--|
| Address:                                                                                                                |  |  |
| Phone:                                                                                                                  |  |  |
| Tickets @ \$25 each. Total: \$                                                                                          |  |  |
| Return coupon and check payable to Directors Staff by June 25 to:<br>Chuck Porter, 813 Gannon Avenue, Madison, WI 53714 |  |  |

#### 2nd Annual Masonic/Scottish Rite/ **Shrine Golf Outing**

**Dodge Point Country Club** June 24 - Golf: 11:30/Dinner: 5PM

| Name(s) and Phone No. or Email Address: |                                                                    |  |
|-----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
|                                         |                                                                    |  |
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| RESERVE                                 | PLAYERS FOR GOLF. \$25 EA. DINNER RESERVATIONS AT \$15 PER PERSON. |  |

Please make check payable to: PAUL HALLINGSTAD Send coupon and check to: Paul Hallingstad, 735 Clardell Drive, Sun Prairie, WI 53590 RESERVATIONS DUE BY WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10.

#### STEAK FRY RESERVATION

June 29, Wednesday 5:00 Social -- 6:00 Dinner

| Name                             |        |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Phone                            |        |
| E-Mail if you have one           |        |
| Number of reservations @ \$10.00 | )      |
| I/we would prefer chicken breast | number |

Make check payable to Madison Shrine Club and mail to Zor Shrine, 575 Zor Shrine Pl, Madison, WI 53719. Reservations to be received by June 24. You can also e-mail your reservation to zortemp@chorus.net or call to phone 833-6343.

#### Zor Quarterly Meeting – July 21

Nobles - mark your calendar for the Quarterly meeting to be held on Wednesday, July 21 at the Zor Shrine Center, beginning at 4:00 PM. All nobles are invited to attend to hear the updates that are happening in Zor, at Shriners Headquarters and the Shrine Hospitals. Remember to bring your dues card to the meeting as this will be required for attendance.

The meeting will precede the Madison

Shrine Club's Steak fry, so feel free to bring your lady to share a quaint dinner with your fellow Nobles and friends. The meal costs only \$10 and includes your choice of steak or chicken, various salads, rolls, coffee and dessert. Watch for the coupon in the July Zephyr.

Questions, please contact Recorder Jim Stelsel at 608-244-6396 or the Shrine office at 608-833-6343. See you then!

#### JULY STEAK FRY RESERVATION

Wednesday, July 21, 2010 **Zor Shrine Center** 

| Name                                                                                                                 |  |  |
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| Phone                                                                                                                |  |  |
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to be received by July 16. You can also e-mail your reservation to zortemp@chorus.net or call to phone 833-6343.

## **Cold Sands Brings in** 2 New Nobles

On Saturday, May 22, Nobles and members of the Divan gathered together in Edgerton to initiate two candidates into the ranks of Zor. Zor welcomes Brian Kachlic, fezzed by Bob Bradley and Dominic Ferraro fezzed by Dave Bomkamp as they participated in the cold sands prior to the Mini Car Luau Party.

Potentate Joe Thompson was all smiles as the newest Nobles were congratulated by those present at the Comfort Inn in Edgerton. It was a great time at the hotel as Nobles and ladies welcomed these two new energetic Nobles. Following the initiation, refreshments were served to celebrate the two newest Nobles.



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| Arnold Piersall, Menomonie (6/30/01)          | 3/31/10 |
| Robert D. Goodman, Madison (5/23/53)          | 4/1/10  |
| <b>Robert W. Olson, Madison (6/2/73)</b>      | 4/11/10 |
| Rollo Vallem, Madison (5/31/75)               | 4/14/10 |
| Albert R. Potter, Black River Falls (8/21/52) | 4/19/10 |
| Harold Muenich, Eau Claire (8/6/66)           | 5/3/10  |

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