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Dedicated Drivers Keep Our Mission Moving

BY NOBLE GARY DAVIS

On July 10, 2025, our new Hospital Van made an early morning run to the St. Louis Shriners Hospital. (Check out the great photo in the online newsletter!) Like so many of these trips, it was powered by true dedication—Ralph Wright and Ben Kenny left Ararat at 12:30 AM to ensure a child arrived for a 5:30 AM surgery. That’s what commitment looks like.



These hospital runs often start around 3:00 AM and can stretch over 12 hours. Our volunteer drivers show up, rain or shine, earning 25 Crown Jewel points per hour—not for the recognition, but because they believe in what we stand for. Every time we see a child walking confidently with a prosthetic or smiling through treatment, we’re reminded: this is why we do it.

Right now, we’re down to just ten active drivers—a steep drop from years past. Demand is climbing again, and we simply need more hands on the wheel.

Take a moment to thank the current crew: Dan Bruckner, Steve Elliott, John Foster, Leroy Graham, Ben Kenny, Sam Manthei, Dennis Marchant, Ralph Wright, Glenn Helverson, Jeffery Yahnig... *and maybe, you.*

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Our kids are counting on us. Let’s keep rolling!

2025 PARADES
AUGUST 23 - PARKVILLE
AUGUST 30 - CSSA
SEPTEMBER 20 - BLUE SPRINGS
OCTOBER 25 - INDEPENDENCE

Save the Date



**Ararat Shriners
Fall Ceremonial**

October 18, 2025

Check the Ararat Advisor for the updated schedule

Save the Date!

Shriners Region 6 CSSMA

CENTRAL STATES SHRINERS MEMBERSHIP ASSOCIATION CONFERENCE

September 5th, 6th, 7th, 2025

Hosted by: Ararat Shrine Community Outreach

Location: Ararat Shrine
499 S 7 Highway, Blue Springs, MO 64015

Conference Schedule

Friday, September 5th,

- Registration Opens
- Welcome Reception & Dinner

Saturday, September 6th

- Registration Continues
- Dynamic Guest Speakers
- Membership & Marketing presentations
- Outing for Accompanying Ladies
- Cocktail Reception, Dinner

Sunday, September 7th

- Breakfast
- Wrap-Up Session
- Conference conclusion

Who Should Attend:

All Shriners, Masons, and appendant body members interested in strengthening membership and community outreach.

More details and registration information coming soon.

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ARARAT SHRINE

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13, 2025
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2025
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2025

Food & cash bar following meetings

Meeting 7:00PM • Regular Order of Business
Balloting on Petitions • Visiting Nobles Welcome
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Nick Baldi
Recorder

Jeremy Yates
Illustrious Potentate

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Pote's Notes

Nobles and Ladies,

We are proud to recognize and congratulate our newly elected Imperial Potentate, Brad Koehn. His leadership and dedication to our fraternity are truly inspiring, and we look forward to the great things ahead under his guidance.

Lady Gwen and I have just returned from a memorable trip to Alaska, where we were surrounded by breathtaking scenery and the warm company of many of our friends. We hope everyone who joined us enjoyed it as much as we did! We also had a fantastic time at the Sugar Creek Parade. It was a joy to see so many familiar faces and to represent Ararat Shrine in the community. I look forward to seeing even more of you at our upcoming parades—they're a great way to keep our fraternity visible and vibrant in the public eye.

A quick reminder: CSSA registration is now due, so please be sure to get signed up. In anticipation of awards to be displayed, the CSSA victory party is planned in conjunction with an evening of mouse races. See any of the Potentate's Aides to sponsor (and name) one of the mice.

It's been encouraging to see increased attendance at our recent events. There's nothing quite like spending time in fellowship with our Nobles, Ladies, and families—thank you for showing up and making these moments special. We have several exciting events on the horizon, and I encourage you to join us—and bring a friend or two to experience all the fun and fellowship happening at Ararat Shrine.

Lady Gwen and I wish you a safe and joyful summer and look forward to seeing you soon!

Fraternally,
Jeremy Yates
Potentate, Ararat Shrine



Introducing Imperial Potentate Brad T. Koehn

Longtime Friend of Ararat Takes the Helm of Shriners International

Ararat Shrine proudly congratulates Brad T. Koehn of Topeka, Kansas, on being elected Imperial Potentate of Shriners International during the 2025 Imperial Session held June 29–July 3 in Atlanta, Georgia.

Brad has been a true friend of Ararat Shrine and the Central States Shrine Association (CSSA) for many years. His ties to our Temple run even deeper—his son, Tyler Koehn, is a Noble of Ararat Shrine. Brad's election is not just a celebration for the fraternity, but a point of pride for all of us who have had the privilege of working alongside him. We offer our heartfelt congratulations to Brad and Lady Cheryl as they begin this new chapter of leadership and service.

Brad is currently serving his ninth year on the Boards of Directors for both Shriners International and Shriners Children's™, bringing decades of professional expertise, Masonic involvement, and heartfelt dedication to the mission.

A Master Mason of Topeka Lodge #17 and a member of Arab Shriners since 1981, Brad served as Potentate of Arab Shriners in 2015. His contributions span a wide array of leadership roles, including:

- Imperial Treasurer (2017–2025)
- Imperial Auditor and Chairman of Finance and Audit Committees
- Member of Strategic Planning, Budget, Investment, Oversight, and Compliance Committees
- Lifetime member of Cabiri International
- Emeritus board member for both Iowa and Colorado corporations

Professionally, Brad retired from the accounting firm of Berberich Trahan & Co., P.A., after 37 years of service—23 of those as a director/owner. A practicing CPA and member of the Kansas Society



UPCOMING EVENTS CALENDAR

AUGUST

7.....	Bingo (Patrol)
8-9	JCSC Old Timers BBQ
11.....	Divan Meeting
13.....	Temple Meeting
14.....	Bingo (Cooking Club)
15.....	2026 Pote's Trip Presentation
21.....	Bingo (Greeters)
23.....	Parkville Parade
28.....	No Bingo
28-30	CSSA, Des Moines, IA

SEPTEMBER

1.....	Labor Day
4.....	Bingo (Blue Springs S.C.)
5-7	CSSMA
8.....	Divan Meeting
10.....	Temple Meeting
11.....	Bingo (Jackson County S.C.)
13.....	Circus Kick Off Party
18.....	Bingo (Tractors)
20.....	Blue Springs Parade
20.....	Sportsmen's Raffle Drawing
25.....	Bingo (Drones)
27.....	CSSA Victory Party & Mouse Races

OCTOBER

2.....	Bingo (AM Radio)
4.....	Gladstone Parade
4.....	Chili Cookoff
6.....	Divan Meeting
8.....	Temple Meeting
9.....	Bingo (Motor Escort)
16.....	Bingo (Pipes and Drums)
18.....	Fall Ceremonial
23.....	Bingo (Clowns)
25.....	Independence Halloween Parade
25.....	Aides Party
30.....	Bingo (Richmond)

of CPAs, Brad has been a trusted advisor to Shriners temples nationwide for more than four decades, helping guide temples in financial policy, internal controls, and overall business operations.

Brad and Cheryl have built a strong Shrine family legacy. Sons Tyler and Brett are both Shriners, and daughter Courtney is married to Alex, also a Shriner. Together, they have six grandchildren and a proud third-generation tradition of Shrine-Masonry.

Brad's journey, leadership, and unwavering passion for our philanthropy are an inspiration to us all. Ararat Shrine stands behind him with pride and gratitude as he leads our great fraternity and supports the life-changing work of Shriners Children's.

We wish Imperial Potentate Brad T. Koehn and Lady Cheryl continued success, wisdom, and joy on this remarkable journey.





Hospital
Van Drivers

All Nobles of Ararat Shrine are encouraged to get involved with the work of our fraternity. Our Hospital Transportation Club is the tip of the spear in the effort to help our kids. We strongly encourage you to call the Hospital Transportation office at (816) 923-5429 or (816) 923-1319 and join the elite team of Nobles who transport our children to our St. Louis Hospital. We encourage every Noble to become a driver and to experience the life changing effect of working with the younger and the weaker. We need office workers and drivers so regardless of ability, all can lend a hand.

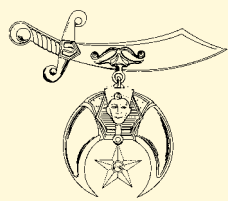
Thank you to the following
Nobles who drove for a total of
54 hours the month of May!

Sam Manthei 27 hours
Dennis Marchant..... 13 hours
Jeff Yahning 14 hours

Thank you to the following
Nobles who drove for a total of
78 hours the month of June!!

John Foster 12 hours
Leroy Graham 13 hours
Ralph Wright 32 hours
Jeff Yahning 21 hours

Please remember that for every
hour the drivers receive 25 Crown
Jewel Points. It's a great way to
earn your points.



CSSA 2025 REGISTRATION FORM

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LADIES LUNCHEON +
\$40/PERSON___

PARKING LOT PARTY +
\$20/PERSON___\$40./COUPLE___

TOTAL ADDITIONAL \$_____

NIGHTS STAYING

WEDNESDAY 8/27___

THURSDAY 8/28___

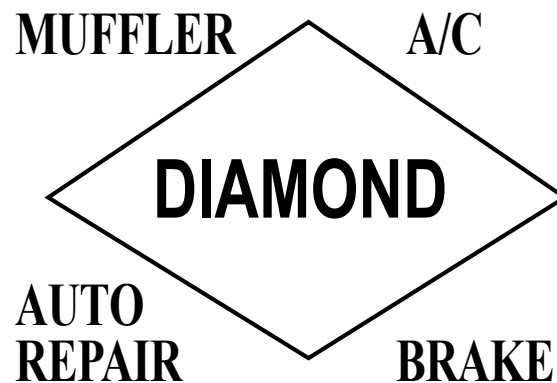
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2025 Chili Cook-Off

Saturday Oct 4th

Ararat Shrine Temple...499 MO Highway 7, Blue Springs

\$10 Unlimited Tasting

All Competitors Welcome

Competitors: Tables and electrical cords will be provided.

Simply bring a minimum of 3 gallons of ready to serve chili.

6PM Judging...Crowd serving to follow

Call John Hooper at 816-572-7437 for Information

Proceeds are for the Benefit of the Ararat Cooking Club activities. Payments are not deductible as charitable contributions.



June 2025 Temple Meeting Notes

BY TONY BROOME, ORIENTAL GUIDE

The June 11th stated meeting of Ararat Shriners was called to order at 7:00 PM at 499 S 7 Hwy by Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates. Since it was an open meeting, Illustrious Potentate also welcomed many visitors that were there with interest in joining not only Ararat Shrine but also the Masonic Fraternity. Several Shrine and Masonic petitions were completed.

Temple officers present were Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates, Noble Ben Allen, Chief Rabban, Noble Keith Stoneking, Assistant Rabban, Noble Steve Costigan, Jr., High Priest and Prophet, Noble Tony Broome, Oriental Guide, Noble Scott Towler, Ceremonial Master, Noble John Foster, Director, Noble Barry Hord, Marshall, Noble David Johnson, Jr., Outer Guard, Noble Larry Potter, Jurisdictional Marshall and Noble Wes Wingfield, Chaplain.

The meeting was opened in due form. Chaplain, Noble Wes Wingfield, read the following list of Nobles who had been visited by the Black Camel: Blanton Hammond, Frank McKinzie, James Gilpin, John Nelson, Hershell Spurlock, William Campbell, Craig Freerksen, and Walter Bruens. The Chaplain then gave the invocation.

Resulting from a motion suspending the reading of the minutes of stated Temple meeting for the duration of the term of office of the current Potentate, the minutes of the May 14th stated meeting were not read.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates presented 50 year pins to the following nobles: Lynn Ballew, John Bennett, Casey Dever, Donald Francis, Darrel Gresham, Ronnie Jones, Tommy Miller, Lawrence Mock, Danny Pepper, Earl Richardson, Elton Rust, Charles Wackerly, and Frank Meyer.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates asked Illustrious Sir Mark Koontz to come forward to present First Crown Jewels pins for 2024 to the following Nobles: James Boone, Zane Brown, Troy Collins, Donald DeSeure, Herbert Hess, Roger Jolliff, Douglas King, Jonathan Laing, Anthony Martin, Bruce Miller, Bryan Sloan, and Raymond Zieger.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates presented Top Crown Jewels to the following Nobles: Larry Teters, Jerry Grimes, and Lee Brown.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates presented Crown Jewels to the following Past Potentates: Illustrious Sir Michael Aulgur, Illustrious Sir Bob Beeler, Illustrious Sir Randy Berry, Illustrious Sir Mark Dobson, Illustrious Sir Steve Elliott, Illustrious Sir Richard Floyd, Illustrious Sir Ed Graves, Illustrious Sir Ben Kenny, Illustrious Sir Jim Kerns, Illustrious Sir Mark Koontz, Illustrious Sir Henry McDaniel, Jr., and Illustrious Sir Kevin Sleyster.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates called for any visiting Nobles. Noble George Thompson, Greeters Director Emeritus, announced that since this was an open meeting, there were too many guests to list them all, and he welcomed everyone.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates reminded everyone about the following upcoming events: Bingo every Thursday night, Potentate’s Trip, Boonville Parade, Imperial Session, Sugar Creek Parade, Richmond Shrine Club Low Country Boil, Ole Cars Fish Fry, Bimbo Bingo, and CSSA.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates called for the Good of the Order. Noble Tony Broome, Oriental Guide, introduced the following:

Illustrious Sir Henry McDaniel, Jr., talked about the Ole Cars Fish Fry in July and has tickets available.

Noble Gary Davis let everyone know that Hospital Transportation is looking for Office help and Drivers. Contact the Hospital Office or Leroy Graham if interested.

Noble David Johnson, Outer Guard, reminded everyone about Rib Fest coming up soon. Order ribs from any Cooking Club member.

Noble Tony Broome, Oriental Guide, really wanted to tell one of his famous jokes, but the Potentate assumed he could not tell an appropriate joke with Ladies in the room, so he sulked back to his seat.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates introduced the following Past Potentates present: Illustrious Sir Hank DeVry, P.P. 2005, Illustrious Sir Kevin Sleyster, P.P. 2010, Illustrious Sir Ed Graves, P.P. 2015, Zamora Shrine-Birmingham, AL, Illustrious Sir Henry McDaniel, Jr., P.P. 2018, Illustrious Sir Michael Aulgur, P.P. 2021, and Illustrious Sir Mark Koontz, P.P. 2024.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates recognized the following Emeriti Member present: Noble Jerry Grimes, G.O.B. Emeritus, Noble Jacque Mote, Vocal Emeritus, Noble George Thompson, Greeters Director Emeritus, and Noble David Johnson, Shrineta Emeritus.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates recognized the following Imperial Provost Line and Officers present: Noble Ben Allen, Imperial Colonel.

Noble Wes Wingfield, Chaplain, gave the benediction. Waiving all forms and ceremony the Potentate closed the meeting at 7:38PM.

IN MEMORIAM

NOBLES WHOSE LIVES

We Celebrate!

The Officers and Nobles of Ararat Shrine express their sincere sympathy to the families and friends of these departed Nobles:

Blanton Hammond.....	Lee's Summit, MO.....	02/14/1929-05/19/2025
Frank McKinzie.....	Wentzville, MO	06/30/1945-01/19/2024
Richard Vandiver	Richmond, MO.....	06/08/1930-01/10/2024
James Gilpin.....	Gladstone, MO	08/07/1933-05/11/2024
John Nelson.....	Raymore, MO	09/23/1939-05/27/2025
Hershell Spurlock	Lee's Summit, MO.....	04/17/1933-11/03/2024
William Campbell.....	Kansas City, MO	04/05/1937-04/01/2025
William Wallace	Branson, MO	09/12/1942-05/04/2025
Craig Freerksen.....	Lee's Summit, MO.....	02/23/1937-06/03/2025
Walter Bruens.....	Harrisonville, MO.....	03/31/1929-05/28/2025
Stephen Allison.....	Wray, CO.....	08/28/1945-02/21/2025
Benny Boyer.....	Cowgill, MO	01/20/1936-01/05/2025
Harry Laughman.....	Kearney, MO	03/10/1935-12/17/2024
Robert Peters	Kansas City, MO	03/12/1932-01/06/2025
Richard Pulliam	Rayville, MO	01/15/1938-05/12/2025
Robert Ross.....	Cornville, AZ	08/10/1932-12/26/2024
Jack Shmalberg.....	Leawood, KS	10/08/1928-01/20/2024
Meryl Stewart.....	Memphis, TN.....	10/17/1928-06/16/2025
Kenneth Swaidner	Aynor, SC	06/16/1924-01/02/2021
Perry Toll.....	Gravois Mills, MO	10/28/1945-03/21/2025
John Wharton	Holden, MO.....	11/2/1926-03/01/2025
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A collage of 15 photographs documenting a JRAA event. The images show men wearing JRAA hats and uniforms in various settings: some are seated in rows, others are standing and interacting, and a large group is seated at a long table. The event appears to be a formal gathering or ceremony.

July 2025 Temple Meeting Notes

BY TONY BROOME, ORIENTAL GUIDE

The July 9th stated meeting of Ararat Shriners was called to order at 7:00 PM at 499 HWY 7 by Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates.

Temple officers present were Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates, Noble Ben Allen, Chief Rabban, Noble Keith Stoneking, Assistant Rabban, Noble Steve Costigan, Jr., High Priest and Prophet, Noble Tony Broome, Oriental Guide, Noble Weston Miller, Treasurer, Noble Nick Baldi, Recorder, Noble Scott Towler, Ceremonial Master, Noble John Foster, Director, Noble Barry Hord, Marshall, Noble David Johnson, Outer Guard, Noble Larry Potter, Jurisdictional Marshal, Noble Wes Wingfield, Chaplain and Illustrious Sir Henry McDaniel, Jr., Chief of Staff.

The meeting was opened in due form. Chaplain, Noble Wes Wingfield, read the following list of Nobles who had been visited by the Black Camel: Stephen Allison, Benny Boyer, Harry Laughman, Robert Peters, Richard Pulliam, Robert Ross, Jack Shmalberg, Meryl Stewart, Kenneth Swaidner, Perry Toll, and John Wharton.

Resulting from a motion suspending the reading of the minutes of stated Temple meeting for the duration of the term of office of the current Potentate, the minutes of the June 11th stated meeting were not read.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates then called for the reading of petitions, creations, affiliations and associations. Noble Nick Baldi, Recorder, announced Keller Hayes and Cody Steffen for creation. There was a motion and then a vote approving the creation. Yes, you read that right, Cody Steffen, the son of Noble Chris Steffen and Nicole Steffen whom is a wonderful asset in the Ararat Shrine Office, creating the Steffen Family Shriner Legacy!!!

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates asked for the reading of restorations. Noble Nick Baldi, Recorder, reported Carlos Chapman and that was a matter of record.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates called for the reading of demits. Noble Nick Baldi, Recorder, reported that there were none to thunderous applause.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates called for the reading of remissions. Noble Nick Baldi, Recorder, reported that there were none.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates called Noble Weston Miller, Treasurer, to read the Treasurers report. He gave the report, including changes since the move.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates, called for gifts and contributions.

Illustrious Sir Jim Kerns donated a just printed crisp hundred-dollar bill to Noble Ben Allen, Chief Rabban, for the 2025 Circus.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates called for any visiting Nobles. Noble George Thompson, Greeters Director Emeritus, announced there were none, guess it was too hot for visitors.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates called for committee reports.

Noble Ben Allen, Chief Rabban, reported on the 2025 circus. He let everyone know there are circus shirts and pins available now. He called on Illustrious Sir Jim Kerns who encouraged all Nobles to come to the next circus meeting. He also let everyone know to keep trying to sell circus ads.

Noble Keith Stoneking, Assistant Rabban, gave an Onion Sales Report. He thanked the Clubs and Units for ordering onions this year. He also let everyone know that he met with the onion grower after sales to go over the details.

Noble Scott Towler, Ceremonial Master, reminded everyone we will be having a Ceremonial on October 18th, and more candidates would be welcome.

Noble Bill Schwartz introduced Dr. Tom Tyron by telling them how they met and that he only started his Freemasonry journey two years ago. He has now been a Shriner for a year and a half and has been elected to the St. Louis Hospital Board of Governors, which is a tremendous honor, and he will represent Ararat well!!!

Noble Dr. Tom Tyron thanked everyone for his support on the Hospital Board. He told a story about Noble Tony Broome, Oriental Guide, in his younger years. He then talked about a hospital patient who Shriners cared for from the ages of 5-21. His mother spoke at the Hospital Board

meeting thanking everyone for caring for him and helping him be a normal adult. Dr. Tom reminded Nobles that the work Shriners Children's does is amazing.

Noble JW Page reminded everyone it was a great day to be a Shriner! He gave the Sportsmen's Raffle report. He also announced the winners of the early bird raffles.

Noble Tony Broome, Oriental Guide, presented the bingo donations "For the Kids!!!" from the players and told a story about Noble Dr. Tom, yes, a joke war between Dr. Tom and Noble Tony has begun!!! He then introduced Noble Duke Diamond to give a Bingo report. He presented a great donation from bingo for the Temple. He then reminded everyone that bingo is every Thursday night, and all Nobles are always welcome to come and help.

Noble Mike Montgomery, Membership Committee, let everyone know that the Membership Committee can always use help and any interested Noble can reach out to him.

Noble Glenn Helverson, Director of Community Outreach, reminded Nobles that they must reach out and talk to people about becoming a Shriner and what we do. September 20th will be community outreach at the Blue Springs Fall Fest and as Ararat Shrine was voted Non-Profit of the Year by the Blue Springs Chamber of Commerce, we will be the beneficiary of all tips collected at the Beer Garden. We will be sponsoring bingo at the Fall Fun Fest and need all the help we can get. There are seminars coming up to build the Blue Lodge/Shriners cooperation with a Masters & Wardens Dinner in August hosted by Ararat Shrine, and a Central States Membership Association Conference on September 5th, 6th and 7th, with featured speakers MWB Kevin M. Fuller, Grand Master and Dan Meers the recently retired KC Wolf.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates read a letter from Imperial thanking Ararat for inviting our Grand Master, Kevin Fuller, to the Imperial session.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates reminded everyone about the following events: Bingo every Thursday, Richmond Low Country Boil, Ole Cars Fish Fry, Bimbo Bingo, Jackson County Old Timer's BBQ, Parkville Parade, and CSSA.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates called for the Good of the Order.

Noble Mike Montgomery reminded everyone about the Richmond Low Country Boil this weekend. Illustrious Sir Donnie Fowler is still accepting sponsorships for the event.

Illustrious Sir Jim Kerns talked about the Imperial Session and the new Imperial Potentate.

Illustrious Sir Henry McDaniel talked about the Ole Cars Fish Fry on July 25th.

Noble Glenn Helverson let Nobles know about the Facebook page Ararat Shriners Nobles available to Ararat Nobles only.

Noble Phil Meisenheimer reminded Nobles about the Aides Party Bimbo Bingo coming up on July 26th. On September 27th the CSSA Victory Party will include mouse races. Mouse sponsorships are available now.

Noble Gary Davis talked about the new Hospital Van and asked for anyone who would like to drive to fill out an application.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates recognized the following Past Potentates: Illustrious Sir Richard Floyd, P.P. 2012, Illustrious Sir Ed Graves, P.P. 2015, Zamora Shrine, Birmingham, AL, Illustrious Sir Henry McDaniel, Jr, P.P. 2018, Illustrious Sir Jim Kerns, P.P. 2020, Illustrious Sir Michael Aulgur, P.P. 2021, and Illustrious Sir Donnie Fowler, P.P. 2022.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates recognized the following Emeriti members: Noble Nick Baldi, Treasurer Emeritus, Noble George Thompson, Greeters Director Emeritus, and Noble David Johnson, Shrineta Emeritus.

Illustrious Potentate Jeremy Yates recognized the following Imperial Provost Line Members: Noble Trenton Kelley, Imperial 2nd Lieutenant.

The Potentate called on the Chaplain for the Benediction. Noble Wes Wingfield gave the Benediction.

Waiving all forms and ceremony the Potentate closed the meeting at 7:59PM.





**additional
games**

**September 27th
Ararat Shrine
Dinner at 6**

**cash
prizes**

**Mouse Races
begin at 6:30**

**Complementary
entry fee/dinner**

6 Races/\$5 per mouse per race

**To sponsor a mouse prior to the event,
contact Phil Meisenheimer at 816-522-6937
\$20/mouse before CSSA
\$25/mouse after CSSA**

**The proceeds of this event benefit Ararat Shriners Potentate's Aides.
Donations and/or purchases are not tax deductible.**

Circus Dad and Mom Pins

The following Nobles have invested in our Circus by purchasing the 2025 Shrine Circus Mom and Dad Pins. **THANK YOU!**
They will receive 25 Crown Jewel Points for each pin.

MOM PINS

Gary Benefield
 William B. George

DAD PINS

Leland W. Brown
 John E. Foster
 Darrell W. Haddock
 Darrell W. Haddock
 Gloyd R. Johnson
 Christopher W. Organ
 Ararat Shrine
 Charles William
 Wackerly
 Larry F. Walters
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 Michael C. Whiteside
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MOM & DAD PINS

James E. Adams
 Michael A. Aulgur, P.P.
 William J. Carboneau
 Jack M. Crownover
 John S. Davidson
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 Henry Devry, P.P.
 David P. Duffer
 J. Donald Fowler, P.P.
 William N. Gray, Jr.
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 Forrest R. Hibbs
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2025 CIRCUS SHIRTS



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Member Number _____

Club/Unit _____

	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL
QUANTITY							

Total _____ X \$20 = _____

CIRCUS MOM & DAD PINS

Name _____

Member Number _____

Club/Unit _____



2025



Mom Pin _____ X \$20 = \$ _____

Dad Pin _____ X \$20 = \$ _____

Total \$ _____

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Chief Rabban Ben Allen and Lady Cheryl invite you to the

CIRCUS KICKOFF PARTY



September 13, 2025

Ararat Shrine
499 S 7 Hwy
Blue Springs, MO

6 pm



James Roland recently celebrated a remarkable milestone with Ararat Shrine. July marked his 40th anniversary! For four decades, James has been a dedicated employee, helping maintain our Temple. We gathered to honor James at a special luncheon. The event was an appreciation of his years of service. Many of us do not realize what goes on behind the scenes, James helps to make much of it happen. Don't forget to congratulate James the next time you see him.



Jackson County Shrine Club's Annual



Old Timer's™
BBQ Contest!
Aug 8 & 9, 2025



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Live Band Friday Evening 7pm - 11pm

BAND: "DON'T KNOW JAC"
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BBQ Dinner: \$15 Donation
Dinner Served Fri 5-9, Sat 11-3

Dinner includes:	Drinks Etc:
<i>Pulled Pork & Ribs</i>	<i>All Sides</i> \$3.00
<i>Bread & Pickle</i>	<i>Ice 10lbs</i> \$3.00
<i>Choice of 2 Sides</i>	<i>Pop or Water</i> \$1.00

Sides:
Home made Fries
Cole Slaw
Baked Beans

Want to be a contestant? Questions?
Contact Club At:
816-287-1953

Proceeds are for the benefit of Jackson County Shrine Club activities. Payments are not deductible as charitable contributions.



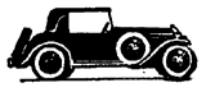
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Ole Cars

Parade season is off and running full steam ahead! We've enjoyed Warsaw, Boonville, and of course, the 4th of July in Sugar Creek. We look forward to the rest of the season and hope to see all of you out there.





Sportsmen's 50 Gun Raffle, 2025!

Nobles, we are up and running with Sportsmen's ticket sales! If you haven't checked out tickets yet, pick them up at Ararat. When you fill out the tickets **PLEASE WRITE CLEARLY** so we can read them. Be sure to write your name on the ticket stub.

Again, this year we have set up a **personal ticket sales page** for every Noble which will allow you to buy, sell and share via text, e-mail or post on Facebook. **You will never be out of tickets and can sell 24/7 from your phone or computer.** It will allow your contacts

to purchase Sportsmen's 50 Gun Raffle Tickets, plus, they are able to share your ticket sales page to their family and friends to solicit more sales. When someone makes a purchase, their tickets are e-mailed to them. **On your personal ticket sales page, you will be able to see in real time everyone that made a purchase and your total sales to date.** You will also see the top 20 salesmen and the sales of every Unit/Club! It's pretty exciting!! Please keep in mind that your cash sales aren't updated until the money and tickets are turned in to Ararat. As soon as they receive and enter them, your page will be updated so keep checking back.

Again, this year:

- **We will give away \$100 Bass Pro Gift Cards every month. You only need to sell at least 1 ticket to be entered in a drawing!**
- **We will also have early-buy drawings for additional guns. We will have a drawing when we reach \$15,000 in sales and additional drawings every time we reach another \$15,000, so we will draw a gun at \$15,000, \$30,000, \$45,000 and so on. You have to sell at least 1 ticket to be in the drawing!**
- **When you sell (5) 6-packs you will receive a FREE 6-pack for yourself.**
- **The TOP 10 Nobles and the TOP 10 Unit/Clubs will receive special recognition.**
- **Units/Clubs will receive commissions of \$5 for every single ticket sold or \$25 for every 6-Pack sold!**

Our Chairman, JW Page sent everyone an e-mail with a link to your personal Sportsmen's Ticket sales page. Just click on it and purchase or sell tickets by sharing it with everyone you know.

Although we try to keep good records sometimes things get missed, so if you didn't receive JW's e-mail, please check your junk mail and unblock it, but don't worry because we still set up your page and this is how you can access it:

Go to araratssportsmens2025.pledge-drive.net (Note: do not use www.) or scan the QR code below.

Under "Seller Lookup": enter your name and click on it. You are now on your ticket sales page.

If you don't find your name: e-mail JW with your name, Unit or Club name and e-mail address. If you don't belong to a Unit or Club let us know and we'll get you set up; give us 48 hours and check back to the site.

If you are listed under the wrong Unit or Club, please e-mail JW at pagejw49@aol.com. Please note that we can only list you under one Unit or Club. If you belong to multiple Units and Clubs and you want to share your commissions, we'll break that out before the commissions are paid.

As always, we appreciate the efforts of all of our great Nobles & Ladies, you make us GREAT!!

Illustrious Sir Jeremy Yates



BINGO ASSIGNMENTS

The following is a list of units/clubs scheduled to furnish 3 members to assist in helping the Bingo Committee on their assigned Thursday evening.

Workers report to the Bingo Desk at 5pm on your scheduled night. Directors/Presidents, if you are not able to fulfill the assignment, please contact Mick Owens at 816-225-0991 so he can find replacements.

AUGUST

7-Patrol

14-Cooking Club

21-Greeters

28-No Bingo

SEPTEMBER

4-Blue Springs S.C.

11-Jackson County S.C.

18-Tractors

25-Drones

OCTOBER

2-AM Radio

9-Motor Escort

16-Pipes and Drums

23-Clowns

30-Richmond



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In memory of Arch and Cecil Witte
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Ross Broderick
Vern Hilliard
Gil Head In memory of Dorothy Head
C.Florence Adams and Virginian McPeck
In memory of Don Ward
In memory of Noble Richard Lee Burgen
In memory of Noble Earl Earls
In memory of Noble Wayne Rucker
In memory of Claton C. Viebrock
In memory of Bill Mccaslin**

*In memory of Harry C. Marshall
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In memory of Noble Ray Oliver
Jean Stonner
Lucy & Dick Daily in memory of Loved ones
In memory of Walt Whitney
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Kennedy L. Schmitz
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ROY C SPEER JR.....	1-Aug	AARON M SHOEMAKER.....	14-Aug	DALLAS R KEARNS	31-Aug	RICHARD L DEHN	9-Sep	KENNETH D JOHNSON	20-Sep
EDDIE L DECKARD	1-Aug	DONALD T GALL	14-Aug	JAMES F SULLARD.....	31-Aug	CARLETON P VOORHIES.....	10-Sep	MARK E BRADY	21-Sep
JERRY C HADDOCK	1-Aug	TONY V MCCOLLUM.....	14-Aug	PERRY GENE VANDIVER.....	1-Sep	ANTHONY E PRATT	10-Sep	BRUCE A OLDS	21-Sep
DONALD E WOOLEN P.P.	1-Aug	IAN RAMAGE	15-Aug	GENE I BURGESS.....	1-Sep	GARY LEE GRACE	10-Sep	THOMAS A CHRISTOPHER ..	22-Sep
GARY R BALL	2-Aug	KENNETH J STICKRATH JR..	15-Aug	JOHN W BOONE	1-Sep	DAVID M MALECKI	10-Sep	GEORGE D MAINPRIZE.....	22-Sep
DARRON B HOWELL SR	2-Aug	LEWIS D EVANS.....	15-Aug	STEVEN L HOLBROOK.....	2-Sep	FRANCIS M CLATANOFF.....	10-Sep	GREGG SMITH.....	22-Sep
JERRY L COOPER SR.	2-Aug	WILLIAM G SNYDER.....	16-Aug	MATTHEW J BRAY	2-Sep	GEORGE E FISCHER.....	10-Sep	JOHN W RILEY	22-Sep
DAVID R MARTIN	2-Aug	PATRICK E WILKINS	16-Aug	LEONARD J HUFF.....	2-Sep	JOHN L BLANKENSHIP JR. ...	10-Sep	SHANNON R CARTER SR	22-Sep
LARRY F WALTERS	3-Aug	CHESTER G HALLBERG	16-Aug			BRIAN G THOMPSON.....	11-Sep	CURTIS MABMA	23-Sep
KEVIN M DOCKERY	3-Aug	RANDALL S HAYNES	18-Aug			RANDALL D BARRY	11-Sep	LONNIE SENSENICH	23-Sep
ROGER A UMPHENOUR.....	3-Aug	MELVIN C BACKUES.....	18-Aug			TROY D STARKEY.....	11-Sep	STANLEY J MORELAND	23-Sep
ERRIE W RAASCH III	3-Aug	THOMAS W WEGENER	19-Aug			CHARLES M OWENS	11-Sep	FLOYD G WORLEY	23-Sep
BOBBY L BENEDICT	3-Aug	RICHARD J HATCH	19-Aug			RANDY L SINLEY	11-Sep	ALBERT R VANDENDAELE....	23-Sep
DANNY L MURRAY	3-Aug	JERRY M DYER.....	19-Aug			ALVIN O GRIFFIN	11-Sep	DEAN DEVRIES.....	23-Sep
CHARLES M GOTH	4-Aug	WILLIAM D TURPIN III.....	19-Aug			HAROLD L JOHNSON	11-Sep	ANDREW J HERMAN	24-Sep
BRUCE L HARBERT	4-Aug	ROBERT C NICHOLS JR.....	20-Aug			DONALD J ROSCOE SR	11-Sep	NATHAN D ARNOLD.....	24-Sep
JIMMIE DON EDWARDS	4-Aug	LARRY H SHIRLEY.....	20-Aug			MICHAEL A KING SR	12-Sep	JERIN D ADCOCK	24-Sep
ROY W SCHULENBERG.....	4-Aug	ROBERT L JOHNSON	20-Aug			TONY R DAY	12-Sep	ROBERT L MOORE JR.....	24-Sep
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EDWARD D SPOTTS.....	6-Aug	JAMES R KERNS P.P.....	22-Aug			JAMES T HATTAWAY.....	12-Sep	RALPH E ERWIN	24-Sep
ROBERT D WIMMER.....	6-Aug	ERNEST L WASHBURN	22-Aug			DONALD J REID	12-Sep	DONALD H HOAGLAND.....	24-Sep
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LARRY E HALL	6-Aug	DAVID L MILLS.....	23-Aug			KENNETH F DEBERRY	12-Sep	PATRICK W RILEY III.....	25-Sep
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DON W FLIGGE	13-Aug	TED L BRANSON JR	30-Aug			KENNETH E SOULE JR.	20-Sep	DAVID W NISTENDIRK.....	30-Sep
ROGER K SWANAGON.....	14-Aug	RICHARD A PRICE	30-Aug			ALLEN J REHMER.....	20-Sep	JAMES D LAMBERT	30-Sep



Parades! Parades! Parades!



Richmond S.C. Low-Country Boil



BLUE LODGES IN ARARAT’S JURISDICTION

Below is an updated list of Masonic Lodges within the jurisdiction of Ararat Shrine.

LODGE	ADDRESS	CITY	ZIP	MEETING TIMES
Ada #444	305 SW Front St	Orrick	64077	2nd & 4th Thursday
Alpha #659	2121 Gentry	N. Kansas City	64117	2nd & 4th Monday
Amsterdam #141	State Hwy Y and State Hwy J	Amsterdam	64723	2nd Tuesday 7:30
Angerona #193	State Hwy, JJ	Missouri City	64072	1st & 3rd Tuesday
Appleton City # 412	315 E. 3rd Street	Appleton City	64724	3rd Monday 7:30
Arrow Rock #55	307 7th ST	Arrow Rock	65320	2nd Thursday
Barbee #217	503 S Locust	Sweet Springs	65351	3rd Thursday
Barry Daylight #17	2000 NW Barry Rd	Kansas City	64154	3rd Wednesday
Belton-Grandview #450	307 N Scott	Belton	64012	1st & 3rd Tuesday
Blue Springs #337	908 Main St	Blue Springs	64015	1st & 3rd Thursday
Brookfield #86	200 Linn	Brookfield	64628	2nd & 4th Tuesdays
Buckner #501	611 S Sibley St	Buckner	64016	1st & 3rd Tuesday
Butler #254	1203 N. Orange	Butler	64730	1st & 3rd Thursday
Cairo #486	209 Martin	Cairo	65239	2nd & 4th Thursdays
Callao #38	300 Market St.	Callao	63534	1st & 3rd Mondays
Cambridge #63	627 Industrial Blvd	Slater	65349	1st Tuesday
Cass #147	405 Independence	Harrisonville	64701	1st & 3rd Thursday
Cecile Daylight #305	120 S. Pleasant St.	Independence	64050	2nd & 4th Wednesday
Censor #172	201 Pearl St.	Macon	63552	2nd & 4th Mondays
Christian #392	1901 S. Broadway	Oak Grove	64075	2nd & 4th Thursday
Clark #610	Main and Hubbard	Clark	65243	1st & 3rd Thursday
Clay #207	110 ½ Main St. PO Box 424	Excelsior Springs	64024	1st & 3rd Mondays
Clinton #548	1109 E. Ohio	Clinton	64733	2nd & 4th Tuesdays
Compass #120	2121 Gentry	North KC	64118	2nd Thursday
Cooper Lodge #36	717 Main St.	Boonville, MO.	65233	2nd & 4th Tuesdays 7pm
Corinthian #265	402 E Russel Ave	Warrenburg	64093	1st & 3rd Monday
Country Club #656	3516 Blue Ridge Cut-off	Kansas City	64116	1st & 3rd Monday
Crescent Hill #368	24 E. 3rd St.	Adrian	64720	2nd & 4th Thursday
Fayette-Howard #4	182 Hwy 5 North	Fayette	65248	1st & 3rd Tuesday
Fidelity #339	5625 NW Hutson Rd	Farley	64151	1st Wednesday
Grand River #276	1905 E 281 street	Cleveland	64734	2nd Monday
Granite Lodge 272	601 W Broadway	Sedalia	65301	3rd Tuesday 7pm
Hale City #216	139 Hwy & 8th St.	Hale	64643	1st & 3rd Monday
Harry S Truman #1941	120 S Pleasant	Independence	64050	4th Tuesday
Higbee #527	Division St.	Higbee	65257	2nd & 4th Thursdays
Higginsville #364	701 W. 22nd St.	Higginsville	64037	2nd & 4th Monday
Holden #262	1192 S.W Hwy 58	Holden	64040	1st & 3rd Thursday
Huntsville #30	110 N. Main St.	Huntsville	65270	1st & 3rd Tuesday
Independence #76	120 S Pleasant	Independence	64050	2nd & 4th Monday
Index #54	709 Old Hwy 7	Garden City	64747	4th Monday
Ivanhoe #446	8640 Holmes Rd.	Kansas City	64131	1st & 3rd Thursday
Jackson #82	300 State St.	Linneus	64653	2nd & 4th Monday
Jewel #480	1480 Broadway	Pleasant Hill	64080	2nd Tuesday
Kansas City #220	1330 E Linwood Ave.	Kansas City	64109	2nd & 4th Tuesday
Knob Noster #245	1124 N.E. 75	Knob Noster	65336	2nd & 4th Thursday
Lexington #149	126 1/2 N 11th St	Lexington	64067	3rd Tuesday
Liberty #31	10 E Franklin	Liberty	64068	2nd & 4th Monday
Marceline #481	201 Main St.	Marceline	64658	1st & 3rd Thursdays
Mc Donald #324	120 S Pleasant	Independence	64050	1st & 3rd Monday
Milton #151	Hwy 63/24	Milton	65270	2nd & 4th Friday
Moberly #344	401 W. Rollins	Moberly	65270	2nd & 4th Monday
Mount Hope #476	6898 N 131 Hwy	Odessa	64076	1st & 3rd Thursday
Mt Washington #614	9515 E. Independence Ave	Independence	64053	2nd & 4th Friday
Platte City #504	100 Main St.	Farley	64028	2nd Monday
Ray #223	205 W. Main St	Camden	64017	1st & 3rd Thursday
Raytown #391	6309 Overton	Raytown	64133	1st & 3rd Thursday
Richmond #57	315 Clark St.	Richmond	64085	3rd Monday
Rising Sun #13	2000 NW Barry Rd	Kansas City	64154	1st Saturday
Shawnee #653	425 Benton St.	Warsaw	65355	2nd & 4th Tuesday
Sheffield #625	903 Harrison	Kansas City	64106	2nd Thursday
Summit #263	2409 S. M-291 Hwy	Lees Summit	64064	1st & 3rd Tuesday
Swope Park #617	8521 Oldham Rd	Kansas City	64138	2nd & 4th Thursday
Temperance #438	119-A N. Bridge St.	Smithville	64089	1st & 3rd Wednesday
Temple Gate #299	903 Harrison St	Kansas City	64106	1st 3rd Tuesday
Trilumina #205	18 E Morrow	Marshall	65340	1st Thursday
Wakanda #52	14 N Main	Carrollton	64663	2nd & 4th Thursday
Wallace #456	Herndon St. and Gladstone Ave.	Bunceton	65237	2nd & 4th Wednesday
Warren #74	300 W. Bridge St.	Keytesville	65261	2nd & 4th Thursday
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