# October 2022

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## **Monthly Meetings**

Board of Directors	2nd Wed (Oct 12)
General Meeting (7:00 pm)	3rd Wed (Oct 19)
VIP Escorts Unit Meeting	1st Thu (Oct 6)
Directors Staff Unit Meeting	1st Fri (Oct 7)
Pirates Unit Meeting	*Contact Captain*
Cowboys Unit Meeting	*Contact Sheriff*
Hillbillies Outhouse #4	1st Mon (Oct 3)

### General Meeting with Meal Wed, Oct 19 @ 7:00 pm

## Happy Birthday

During your birth month, present your ID at the Oasis before or after the GM for 2 birthday drinks.

## **Upcoming Events**

Sat, Oct 1	DSC Annual Pea Supper (drinks at 6 pm; dinner at 6:30 pm)
Thu-Mon, Oct 6-10	Potentate's Cruise (drinks at 6 pm; dinner at 6:30 pm)
Fri, Oct 21	Omar Homecoming Oyster Roast 59 pm, Comfort Suites Summerville)
Sat, Oct 22	Omar Homecoming Parade (10 am–Main St Summerville)
Sat, Oct 22	Omar Homecoming Ceremonial (Dorchester Shrine Club)
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Fri, Nov 4	DSC Fish Fry (kitchen open 6-8 pm)
Sun, Nov 13	C. Miller Memorial Golf for SHC (Summerville Country Club)
Thu-Sun, Nov 17-20	Shriners Children's Charleston Classic <i>(TD Arena Charleston)</i>
Sat, Nov 19	Charleston Classic Kick-Off Dinner (6pm at Omar Shrine Temple



submitted to the Board of Directors in writing thirty (30) days before the event for approval by the Board (approval is not automatic).

# **Torchester Shrine Club**

# From the President: John Kilcoyne

What an amazing year this is wrapping up to be! Last month, we had a wonderful time hosting a great group of kids for the annual kids' fishing rodeo. You haven't lived until you've watched a little one catch their first fish. Many thanks to those who assisted with the event including those who put in many hours to clear the banks of debris.



We will kick off the month of October with our pea supper on Saturday, October 1. Tickets are available so please contact Dan Lehman if you would like one.

Just a few short days later, many members of Omar Shrine Temple will be headed out for the annual Potentate's cruise. Omar's Homecoming Oyster Roast will be Friday, October 21 at the Comfort Suites in Summerville. The following morning—Saturday, October 22 at 10 am—we will honor Summerville's very own Imperial Sir Kenny Craven and Illustrious Sir Andy Garvin in the Homecoming parade. Please get the word out so we can get an awesome turnout for this event. Later that evening, DSC will be hosting the Nobility Celebration for the Homecoming Ceremonial. What a wonderful time to celebrate the brotherhood!

Rounding out October and heading into November, Outhouse #4's Pheasant Hunt is scheduled for Saturday, October 29 and the Daughters of the Nile Milcah Temple No. 77 is scaring up a Halloween Extravaganza so mark your calendars. DSC will have a fish fry on Friday, November 4–tickets are available so contact a Board member if you'd like a few. We are strongly encouraging advance purchase. In November, Omar will be presenting the annual Charlie Miller Memorial Golf Tournament for Shriners Children's on Sunday, November 13 at Summerville Country Club.

At the GM this month (Wednesday, October 19), DSC will hold our annual election. Please make plans to attend and participate in this very important event. As always, if anyone on the Board can be of assistance to you, please reach out. Fraternally, John



Fish Fry Dinner Friday, Nov 4: fish, baked beans, cole slaw, and hush puppies; chicken bog and banana pudding also available! Tickets are \$12 so get yours today!

### Omar in October

October is go big time for Omar Shrine Temple, beginning with the Potentate's Cruise on the Carnival Sunshine, Oct 6–10.

Homecoming will be celebrated in Summerville the weekend of Oct 21–23. A few rooms are still available at the Comfort Suites on Jockey Ct. CALL ASAP–rooms are scheduled to be released SOON: GROUP NAME: OMAR HOMECOMING; FOR RESERVATIONS CALL 843-879-2039.

More details on activities will be forthcoming from Omar Shrine Temple. Current activities include Oyster Roast at the Comfort Suites on Friday, Homecoming Oyster Roast on Friday, Oct 21; Homecoming Parade on Main St at 10 am on Saturday, Oct 22; and Homecoming Ceremonial at Dorchester Shrine Club on Saturday evening at 6 pm.





### 2022: Record Setting BIG Wing Night



In spite of the lingering issues with COVID, DSC sold over 4 tons—yes, 8,000 pounds of wings last year (2021). Not to be out-done, 2022 said "hold my beer" and showed out like

no one could have predicted.

Right out the gate, the kitchen sold over 780 pounds on the first BWN in February. By the time the first drag boat races rolled around in May, to say the kitchen was cooking is an understatement. A new single evening event record was set with over 1/2 a ton of wings–a whopping 1,080 pounds–sold in 2 hours!

And it did not stop! By the time BWN went on hiatus in September, the final tally for 2022 was over 5 tons—an incredibly unbelievable 10,040 pounds of wings!!!

In roughly 10 years, the kitchen has gone from one small deep fryer to four large ones... and we are thinking about a fifth—IYKYK. We could never have anticipated that BWN would generate such a following. Thank you to all the members, Ladies, and supporters in the community. This level of success would not be possible without your continued support. We can't wait to see what 2023 will bring!

### Unit Events

Sat, Oct 29: Outhouse #4 Pheasant Hunt (Cedar Swamp Pheasant Tower, Kingstree)

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