## September 2022

#### Board of Directors

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## **Monthly Meetings**

Board of Directors	2nd Wed (Sep 12)
General Meeting (7:00 pm)	3rd Wed (Sep 19)
VIP Escorts Unit Meeting	1st Thu (Sep 1)
Directors Staff Unit Meeting	1st Fri (Sep 2)
Pirates Unit Meeting	*Contact Captain*
Cowboys Unit Meeting	*Contact Sheriff*
Hillbillies Outhouse #4	<del>1st Mon (Sep 5)</del> Tue Sep 6

## **General Meeting with Meal** Wed, Sep 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**

Fri, Sep 2	BIG Wing Night (kitchen open 6-8 pm)
Sat, Sep 10	Kid's Fishing Rodeo Returns (registration @ 7am)
Fri, Sep 23	LAST BIG Wing Night of 2022 <i>(kitchen open 6-8 pm)</i>
Sun, Sep 25	Omar VIP Escorts Golf Tournament (Summerville Country Club)
Sat, Oct 1	DSC Annual Pea Supper (drinks at 6 pm; dinner at 6:30 pm)
Fri, Oct 21	Omar Homecoming Ceremonial (check Temple News for details)
Sat, Oct 22	Omar Homecoming Parade (10 am–Main St Summerville)
Sat, Oct 22	Omar Homecoming Ceremonial (Dorchester Shrine Club)
Sat, Oct 29	Hillbillies Outhouse #4 Pheasant Hunt (Cedar Swamp Pheasant Tower, Kingstree)
Fri, Nov 4	DSC Fish Fry (kitchen open 6-8 pm)



Clubhouse Member Rate: the DSC clubhouse reduced member rate is a privilege for members and their immediate families only and should be used with discretion and not abused. Use of the pavilion, point and/or

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

# **Dorchester Shrine Club**

## From the President: John Kilcovne

Let me say it again: we are so excited that the Kids' Fishing Rodeo is returning to DSC this month (next Saturday, September 10, to be exact). And it bears repeating: any event with the word "rodeo" in it requires all hands on deck. Please contact Mike Dopkant @ 843-259-7654 if you can donate time, talents, and/or treasures. And speaking of the Kids' Fishing Rodeo, I would like to express my appreciation to everyone who showed up and worked so hard last weekend to get the grounds ready. They were troopers and accomplished a ton of work in spite of the heat and humidity.



It seems as if we have been wide open all year long... so there's no reason to slow down now! In case you have not heard the great news, DSC will be hosting the Nobility Celebration on Saturday evening, October 22 during the Omar Homecoming Ceremonial. Earlier that same morning at 10 am, the Homecoming Parade will step off on Main Street in Summerville. Let's line the streets as Omar celebrates the Homecoming of Illustrious Sir Andy Garvin... AND Imperial Sir Kenny Craven! Posters are available at DSC if you would like to display one.

The Omar VIPs are hosting a golf tournament on September 25 and Outhouse #4's Pheasant Hunt is scheduled for Saturday, October 29. Also, please mark your calendars for the annual Charlie Miller Memorial Golf Tournament for Shriners Children's on Sunday, November 13.

On a more serious note, General Meetings are always important as we discuss and make decisions regarding the wellbeing of the Club. For those members who regularly attend, ask a member to tag along with you. At the Sep 19 GM, we will be voting on changes to the Bylaws; at the Oct 19 GM next month, we will hold our annual election. Perhaps more importantly, the GM is also an opportunity to share information on members who may need our assistance, prayers, and/or encouragement. If anyone on the Board can be of assistance to you, please reach out. Fraternally, John

### **BIG Wing Night!**



BIG Wing Night this will be Friday, Sep 2 and Sep 23-the last two BWNs in 2022. The kitchen will be open from 6-8 pm. The ballroom, Oasis, and

covered patio will be open. Join us for great fun, great food, and great fellowship!

#### **Imperial** Potentate

It is always a great day to be a Shriner in South Carolina, but this is a grand year, indeed! Our very own Summerville native, Kenny Craven, was elected

the 2022 Imperial



Session in Minneapolis, the highest-ranking Shriner in the world! Kenny is the first Imperial Potentate from South Carolina. Thank you for your hard work and dedica-

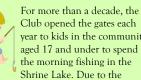
tion to the fraternity and Shriners Children's. Check out this video interview with Mark May.

Congratulations, Imperial Sir and Lady Jennifer-it's going to be the best year yet!





Kids' Fishing Rodeo Returns Saturday, Sep 10



year to kids in the community aged 17 and under to spend the morning fishing in the Shrine Lake. Due to the

pandemic, the event was not held in 2020-2021.

#### IT IS TIME FOR THE KIDS TO FISH AGAIN!

Thanks to the generosity of our sponsors, we are able to provide bait, hotdogs, chips, water, drinks, and prizes for the kids and their parent or guardian–all at no cost. And after a long drought, we have our very own snow cone machine!

\*\*\*Due to time constraints with weigh-in and trophy presentation, we will not be awarding trophies. However, every child will receive a medallion commemorating the day. This is a wonderful opportunity to be a good neighbor to our community and showcase our great fraternal organization and the outstanding venue we offer.

If you would like to be a sponsor and/or volunteer your time, talents, and/or treasures, please notify Mike Dopkant at 843-259-1654.

#### Unit Events

Sun, Sep 25: Omar VIP Escorts Golf Tournament (Summerville Country Club)

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

Please submit articles or flyers for newsletter or website to info@dorchestershrineclub.com. Copies of the current edition are available in the box at the front gate. Previous editions are available online or in the Oasis at DSC.

