ABDALLAH PLAYGROUND

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A Quick Note…



Again, THANK YOU for those who helped at this year's Rodeo/Demo Derby and the JoCo Fair! Your support of our fraternity is greatly appreciated!

Also, I would like to thank those individuals and Units for their submission of material to the ***Playground*** - it's a pleasure sharing good news around Abdallah. Keep it coming!

Fraternally, Allen Baiamonte - Chief Rabban

2027 Calendar is filling up fast…

Attention all Units - our 2027 calendar is quickly filling up.

If you have plans for events, fundraising, etc., be sure to contact the office at 913-362-5300 or email office@abdallahshrine.org, so they can get you on the schedule.

Don't forget activity forms are at https://abdallahshriners.com/member-forms.



Elected Divan

Potentate	Tony Pagel
Chief Rabban	Allen Baiamonte
Assistant Rabban	Rob Swecker
High Priest & Prophet	Tim Preece
Oriental Guide	Chris Snell
Treasurer	Ill. Ronnie White, PP
Recorder	Gary Folk

Appointive Divan

1st Ceremonial	Chris Harrison
2nd Ceremonial	Calvin Smith
Marshall	Chase LaPorte
Captain of the Guard	Mark Sager
Outer Guard	Larry Riggs
Chaplain	Shawn Heckmaster

Building Association Trustees

Term 2022 - 2026	Lynn Baker
Term 2023 - 2027	Ill. Kevin Larson, PP
Term 2024 - 2028	Dennis Hubler
Term 2025 - 2029	Ill.Jeff Johnson, PP
Term 2026 - 2030	Ralph Anderton

Finance & Investment Committee

Term 2021-2026	Ken Holliday
Term 2022-2027	Bill Leonard
Term 2023-2028	Duke Neeland
Term 2024- 2029	Ill. Chris Muro, PP
Term 2025-2030	Ill. Mike Guilinger, PP

Imperial Representatives

Potentate	Tony Pagel
Chief Rabban	Allen Baiamonte

CSSA Representatives

Potentate	Tony Pagel
Chief Rabban	Allen Baiamonte
Assistant Rabban	Rob Swecker
High Priest & Prophet	Tim Preece
Oriental Guide	Chris Snell

TEMPLE OFFICE HOURS
MONDAY-THURSDAY 10:00 am – 4:00 pm
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Send address changes to Temple Office

Shriners International

Potentate Aides

Chief Aides	Ralph & Linda Anderton

Personal Aide Blaine Miller

Potentate's Advisors
Ill. Jeff Johnson PP, Ill. Chris Muro PP, Ill. Kevin Larson PP, Ill. Ronnie White PP, Jerry Ogden

Administrative Building Manager
Coordinator Randy Bennett

Communication Coordinator Ryan Urban

DeMolay Representative Allen Baiamonte

Hospital Transportation Coordinator Joe Hobbs

Kansas Shrine Bowl Directors
Allen Baiamonte, Callan Martin, Mark Sager

Oasis
Manager Ill. Tim Williams, PP

Parade Marshall Tim Smith

Permanent Contributing Membership
Chairman Ill. Ronnie White PP

Provost Marshall Larry Riggs

Playground Editor & Chief Allen Baiamonte

Bingo Committee
Chairman Chris Snell

Cajun Party Committee
Chairman Chris Harrison

Membership Committee

Membership Chairman	Mark Sager
Assistant Chairman	Jacob Davisson
Recruitment	Jon Allee
Restoration	Ill. Tim Williams, PP
Retention	Ill. Bennie Smith, PP
Relationships	Jacob Davisson

Red Zone Committee
Chairman Pat Emmett

Rodeo & Derby Committee
Chairman Ill. Ronnie White, PP

Rodeo Queen Program
Chairperson Ms. Lesli Belt

SHC Golf Committee
Tony Pagel, Scott Weise, Ill. Kevin Larson, PP, Ill. Nick Turner, PP

St. Louis Hospital Board
Associate Member Bill Leonard

Sunshine Committee
Chairman Shawn Heckmaster

ABDALLAH SHRINERS STATED MEETING

ABDALLAH MAIN HALL
5300 Metcalf AVE, Overland Park, KS 66202
Tuesday, November 10, 2026
7:30 pm

Tony Pagel
Illustrious Potentate

Gary Folk
Recorder

BINGO

November Schedule

Nov. 2	Blue Racers
Nov. 9	Tin Lizzies
Nov. 16	Weekenders
Nov. 23	Antique Cars & Jokers
Nov. 30	TASS

December Schedule

Dec. 7	Greeters
Dec. 14	Escorts
Dec. 21	Oriental Band & LOH
Dec. 28	Antique Cars

A minimum of six (6) Nobles and/or Ladies are needed for Bingo Nights, Doors open at 5:30 pm. If for any reason you cannot work your scheduled time, please try to change with another Unit or Club and then notify the Shrine Office at least one week in advance of the scheduled day.

Thank you in advance for helping with Bingo!





Meeting Dinner 6:00 pm

(RSVP to the Office Required by Noon, Nov. 7)

Meal provided by Hy-Vee Catering

Ladies are welcomed and encouraged to join us for dinner!

Abdallah Google Calendars

Abdallah Shriners uses Google calendar to manage and track our activities. These calendars are available to the public; it's best to have a Google account and Google calendar installed to see these. They may work with other calendar programs, but no guarantee. They are accessible by adding the following links to your calendar:

Activities - https://calendar.google.com/calendar/u/0?cid=YWJkYWxsYWhzaHJpbmUzMEBnbWFpbC5jb20

Unit & Committee Meetings - https://calendar.google.com/calendar/u/0?cid=b2VkZGIxZjF2MG9jbzNqdHE2a205cWxnMmNAZ3JvdXAuY2FsZW5kYXIuZ29vZ2xlLmNvbQ

Parades - https://calendar.google.com/calendar/u/0?cid=cGNkOWQwMGtvOWFqaWJsdnE2cjY3NDdyYjhAZ3JvdXAuY2FsZW5kYXIuZ29vZ2xlLmNvbQ

Units and Clubs

Don't forget to write an Article for the PLAYGROUND.

Our readers would like to hear about your past and future events and other activities that they missed out on.

It's a good way to get information out to the New Nobels and Ladies (as well as other members) to peak their interest in your group. Email your articles (don't forget to includes pictures) to abdallahgplayground30@gmail.com.

In Memory:

Monte Ray Zinn



Temple Notification …

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NOTICE: ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR ABDALLAH SHRINERS 2026

Election Meeting – Abdallah Shriners **Tuesday, December 8, 2026, 7:30 pm** at the Shrine for the transaction of all Regular business-balloting on petitions for creation, affiliation & associate membership-reports from officers & committees-election of officers.

and

Special meeting of the Abdallah Temple Building Association for the purpose of electing Trustees for 2027

YOU MUST HAVE YOUR 2026 DUES CARD TO ATTEND THIS ANNUAL MEETING

The Law Governing Annual Elections-Illustrious Tony Pagel, Potentate 2026

For the guidance of the Nobility, we publish the law regarding the proper way to conduct the election of Officers. From the By-Laws of Shriners International:

ARTICLE 25

Officers; Their Election or Appointment

§ 325.1 Officers.

(a) **List.** The officers of the temple are:

(1)	Potentate	Shayk
(2)	Chief Rabban	Emeer
(3)	Assistant Rabban	Sahib
(4)	High Priest and Prophet	Imam
(5)	Oriental Guide	Ayn
(6)	Treasurer	Chayzin
(7)	Recorder	Katib
(8)	First Ceremonial Master	Wakil
(9)	Second Ceremonial Master	Alam
(10)	Director	Malah
(11)	Marshal	Amal
(12)	Captain of the Guard	Rays
(13)	Outer Guard	Hafix

(b) **Limitation.** No person may hold more than one of the foregoing offices at the same time.

§ 325.2 Election and Qualification.

(a) **Election Order.** The first 7 officers shall be elected annually, in the order in which they appear in § 325.1(a), by ballot and constitute the official divan. Candidates for the elective office in the shrine center must be members in good standing of that shrine center.

(b) **Term Limit.** A Noble may not serve as Potentate of any shrine center for more than 2 years. However, a Noble may serve as Potentate for an additional 2 years if he has served in an office or offices on the official Divan other than Potentate, for at least 2 years subsequent to previous terms as Potentate and there are no other eligible candidates offering for election to the position as Potentate.

(c) **Qualification.** A Noble may not serve as Potentate of any temple unless he shall have first served at least one term as either Chief Rabban or Assistant Rabban of a shrine center.

(d) **Dispensation.** Upon a showing of good and sufficient cause, in writing and at least 60 days prior to the shrine center election, the Imperial potentate may waive the provisions of subsection (c) with respect to candidates for the office of Potentate at such shrine center election.

§ 325.3 Appointment. The other officers name in § 352.1 shall be anointed by the Potentate.

§ 325.4 When Elected. Each shrine center must elect its officers and representatives at its annual meeting in January unless its bylaws allow the election to occur at the shrine center's stated meeting in December.

§ 325.5 Ballot.

(a) **Separate Ballot**. Election of officers shall be by a majority vote of those present voting. When there is more than one candidate for election to an office, a separate written ballot is required. A blanket ballot is prohibited.

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b) **Retention**. The ballots cast in any contested election for shrine center's office shall be retained in the custody of the Recorder for a period of 90 days following the election, after which they may be destroyed unless the Imperial Potentate otherwise orders.

(c) **Void Ballot**. Blank ballots or ballots containing any markings other than the name of a candidate nominated from the floor are not votes and are not to be considered for any purpose.

§ 325.6 Time of Election. Nominations must commence not later than 9:00pm and when that hour arrives all other business must cease, and none may be transacted until the election is concluded.

§ 325.7 Other Officers. The shrine center may elect such other officers as its bylaws provide.

§ 325.8 Nomination. Candidates for office and representative must be placed in nomination floor.

§ 325.9 Leadership Search Committee. The Board of Directors may appoint a committee consisting of note more than five (5) Nobles to study the qualifications of possible candidates for elective office in the shrine center. This committee may report their findings to the Board of Directors and/or to the shrine center's members in the form of a nomination at a shrine center election. This committee may also consult with the Chief Rabban on his appointments if so requested.

§ 325.10 Representatives.

(a) **Single Ballot**. Where a shrine center elects more than one Representative, all candidates must be balloted for on one written ballot.

(b) **Complete Ballot**. Each member voting must vote only for the total number of Representatives to be elected, otherwise his ballot cannot be counted as a vote.

(c) **Majority Vote**. A majority vote of those present and voting is necessary to elect each Representative.

(d) **Election**. Only those candidates who receive a majority vote shall be declared elected.

(e) **Successive Ballots**. Successive written ballots must then be taken in the same manner on other candidates until all Representatives are elected.

(f) **Highest Vote**. If more candidates receive a majority vote than the number of representatives to be elected, then those receiving the greatest number of votes shall be declared elected.

(g) **Void Ballot**. Blank ballots or ballots containing any marking other than the name of a candidate nominated from the floor are not votes and are not to be considered for any purpose.

§ 325.11 Election Regulations.

(a) **Electioneering**. A candidate for an elected office in a shrine center may print, publish, and circulate during the year he is seeking the elected office, a resume consisting of his educational background, his vocational history, and his Masonic and Shrine record. Except as provided in the prior sentence, the printing, publication, circulating or distribution of resolutions, letters, telegrams, tickets, email or other devices, by a unit, club, Noble, or group of Nobles, suggesting, recommending, opposing, or contain the name of proposed candidates for office in the shrine center is prohibited.

(b) **Expenditures Prohibited**. The expenditure of money for gifts, favors, or entertainment on behalf of a candidate for an elected office is prohibited.

(c) **Violation**. For any violation of (a) or (b), the Imperial Potentate may suspend any offending Noble, and he may declare the election of the officers' void and order a new election.

(d) **Notice**. At least one week prior to the annual meeting or any election the temple Recorder shall mail to each member a notice thereof containing this section.

OFFICERS TO BE ELECTED FOR 2027 ARE; Potentate, Chief Rabban, Assistant Rabban, High Priest & Prophet, Oriental Guide, Treasurer, Recorder, Representative(s) to Shriners International for the year 2027, Representative(s) to the Central States Shrine Association, Representative(s) to the Finance & Investment Committee, and trustee(s) to the Building Association.

Fraternally Yours,
Gary Folk - Recorder

Abdallah Birthdays…

Fred A Henik	11/1
Larry R Jackson	11/1
Peter N Novosel	11/1
Jason N Lamons	11/1
Caleb J Dowty	11/1
William W Johnson	11/3
Frederick C Meek	11/3
Jackie L Clark	11/4
Thomas J Mamie	11/4
David H Ahlstrom	11/4
Dustin H Medlin	11/4
Carol G Pape	11/5
Ill. Gary R Bennett, PP	11/5
Peter G Larson	11/8
Edmond R Anderton	11/8
William D Obermeier	11/9
James P Modic	11/9
Mark E Gaston	11/9
Michael N Rice	11/9
Jeffery T Hines Jr	11/11
Ken N Schweitzer	11/13
Gary L Barber	11/13
Larry D Horseman	11/14
Stanley A Davison	11/15
William C Sheldon	11/17
Ill. Gerald E Jeffries, PP	11/17
Blaine W Miller Jr.	11/19
Jerry C McNee	11/19
William P Leonard	11/20
Patrick Everett	11/20
Robert D White	11/21
Richard W Reedy	11/21
Warren S Hannon	11/23
John H Bousfield	11/23
Clayton E Robertson	11/24
Jerry P Franklin	11/25
James G Alexander III	11/25
Bob Johnson	11/25
William Vonderschmidt	11/26
Frank G Stevenson Jr.	11/27
Daniel Hendricks	11/27
Michael R Denny	11/28
Paul V Pack	11/28
Daniel Todd	11/28
Lee W Craig	11/29
Gaylon R Jones	11/29
Larry J Dain PP	11/29
Bryan J Renyer	11/29



Birthday Friday November 6th!

Come on down to the Abdallah Oasis to celebrate this month's Birthdays along with your fellow Nobles & Ladies. It's one of our best social gatherings! Birthday Friday is on the first Friday of this month and starts at 7:00 pm (for open bar).

Feel free to bring a snack to share. Come join the fun and fellowship!

October Celebrations…



Illustrious Tony Pagel & October Birthday Celebrants

Around Abdallah…

YOUR MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

Again…More New Nobles!

Abdallah had the pleasure of welcoming three more new Nobles at our Birthday Friday celebration on October 6th! Prior to our monthly celebration, Illustriouis Tony Pagel called a special meeting for the purposes of obligating the new Nobles, who had been voted on at the last Stated Meeting.

Our new Nobles are Monto Cauthron, Max Lamons, and Richard Reedy.

After the “Cold Sands”, everyone retired to the Oasis for their “Fezzing” and to spend the rest of the evening enjoying fun and fellowship with the rest of Abdallah Nobles and their guests.

A big welcome to Monto, Max, and Richard to the Mystic Shrine! Everyone else, be sure to introduce yourself and congrate them on their journey of FUN and FELLOWSHIP!



Around Abdallah…



2027 Nobility Trip

Chief Rabban Allen Baiamonte and Lady Jackie would like to invite all Nobles and Ladies for a 2027 "***Fezcation"*** on the Riviera Maya, Mexico, from April 22nd to April 29th, 2027. We will be staying at the all-inclusive resort, ***Ocean Riviera Paradise***, just a short distance from Playa del Carmen.

If you would like more information, see the flyer later in the ***Playground***, contact Allen Baiamonte, 816-204-0945, or the Trip Travel Coordinator, Karen Marlow, 785-266-5701, karen@funinsuntravel.com. You can register at https://www.funinsuntravel.com/shrine-ocean-riviera--el-beso-paradise.html.







Around Abdallah…

The Escorts welcomed two new members to the group: Kyle Boos and Garet Kraft. We also held our annual elections and made the following selections:

- President, Tim Smith
- Vice President, Michael Saylor
- Treasurer, Scott Steele
- Secretary, Mark Sager
- Our internal monthly dinner ride coordinator will be Garet Kraft

In addition to elections, The Escorts made a $500 donation to the temple's upstairs bar project. A portion of this donation was made in memory of our dear friend and Escort, Sam Little.

Some members participated in the Desoto Days and Springhill parades, and many attended the September dinner ride to Sickies Garage for a delicious meal. We also had a great showing for the Atchison and Hiawatha parades as well!

Our group continues to work the concession booth once/month during Bingo, and the ladies have made extra dough themselves by selling homemade baked goods once/month. It's an easy way to earn funds for our group that we can, in turn, donate back to worthwhile projects and needs.

Please consider joining the Escorts for one of their monthly meetings or monthly dinners to see if our group is where you belong! Talk to any of our Escort members any time with questions.



Coffee Club



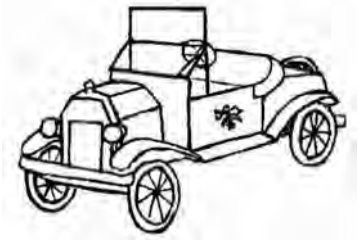
Join us the 2nd & 4th Wednesday at 9am for Coffee, Fellowship and something to eat. On the 2nd Wednesday we have a hot breakfast prepared by Chef Jeffery and on the 4th it's doughnuts. If you can let Jerry know your attending in advance, it will help our planning to make sure we have enough. 816-260-8882 or imastart@kc.rr.com.

If it's a last minute thing, come on anyway. Feel free to bring a good story or joke with you! Hell, even bring your lady along if she won't let you out of the house without her. Hope to see you there.



Illustrious Tony Pagel receiving a donation check from Escort President Tim Smith

Around Abdallah…



October B-Day Friday turned out very well - good crowd and lots of food! Come and find out for yourself on the first Friday in November.

Thanks to Bennie and Deb for the invite to their Lake home. What a beautiful evening and the opportunity to meet so many of their friends. The hamburgers, hot dogs, and the chili was so good - thank you both!

Just a reminder, of our Tin Lizzie's Christmas Party at Cinzetti's, 7201 2. 91st, ST, Overland Park. Cash bar and there will not be a gift exchange. Starts at 5:00 pm and goes to 7:30 pm. This is for our members and Divan Representative only.

The Cajun party was a success and fun for all that attented. Hope to see you all again next year!

Fall Ceremonial is on Nov. 7, 2026. The Unit Expo will be from 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm. Dinner is at 5:30 pm. Look in the ***Playground*** for more information.

Happy Thanksgiving to All!

Happy Birthday to the following for the Month of November:

Bobbi Maybell	11-1
Barbara Muro	11-2
Ralph Anderton	11-8
Marta Dial	11-25
Gaylon Jones	11-29

Tin Lizzie Mystery Writer

Patio Tent Take Down - November 14th

Call all Nobles! We need stong, healthy hands to help take down our patio tent for the year on Saturday, November 14th. We plan to start at 9:00 am.

The more hands, the quicker it goes - see ya there!



Building Managers Needed…

Calling ALL ABDALLAH SHRINERS - supporting your Shrine is integral to your membership…it's one of your obligations as a member.



One way ANY Noble can easily help our Shrine is to volunteer as a Building Manager. These volunteers help ensure that building rentals (one of our fundraising efforts) go smoothly and adhere to the requirements of their agreement with Abdallah Shriners.

We'll show you what you need to know on helping us out.

It typically involves a 4-6 hours of keeping an eye on our facility, answer questions, report issues, and to open and close for the event.

If you are interested, contact Randy Bennett, (816) 260-8357 or partharbor@msn.com.



Playground… Want Ads

The ***Abdallah Playground*** is the official commuication of Abdallah Shriners. It has been published in some form or another for over a hundred years - the lastest format being digital. It's one of the best ways to share Temple news with our Nobility. Anyone can be involved, at any level.

If you are interested, contact the Office or email AbdallahPlayground30@gmail.com

Around Abdallah…



Vote!!! Happy Veterans Day and Thanksgiving.

Our unit enjoyed a wonderful dinner and meeting at the home of Scott and Lisa Lamons. While we were there, we admitted yet another Shriner into our Unit. Gary Lamons has been approved as our newest member. Congratulations, Gary. We are happy to have you among our numbers. Now, with Gary, Max, Scott and Bob, all members of the Lamon's family, we may need to rename our unit "Lamons Country." Thank you Scott and Lisa for a wonderful meal.

We are delighted to report that Unit member Mark Mikulic, who underwent months of Chemo, is now Cancer-free! Hooray! On that same note, Roger Frederick announced that he is receiving a set of dentures to replace the teeth he lost during a terrible accident. Corn on the cob, man! And the President, Patrick Emmett is now a full-time insulin user. How sweet it is!

We did BINGO again in October with a good turnout of members. On the 25th we hosted the annual Community outreach event, Trunk or Treat, in the back parking lot. We had a good crowd with lots of kiddies who eagerly took all of the candy.

On October 31st, Halloween, we traveled to Atchison for the parade. Leonard Buddenbohm and his wife, Kitty hosted us with a chili dinner after the parade, thanks Len.

On the 4th of November we will meet again at the Oasis for our unit meeting and election of officers. Guests and those of you who are curious about what car guys and clowns do, are welcome to come and watch. We can be pretty entertaining.

Saturday, November 7th is our Shrine Ceremonial and admission of new members to Abdallah Shrine. Our unit will parade for the acolytes once again.

We wish all Units and Nobels of the Abdallah Shrine, a wonderful Thanksgiving! Take the time to thank the Great Architect for your blessings. Take special time to appreciate your spouses and children. With their support, they are what makes us the men we are. Return the favor and tell them, how much you love them this holiday season. God bless our Unit and the cars we drive!

Patrick W. Emmett, President
Antique and Classic Cars, 913-744-6347

The Provost Guard was busy in October. Lots of work! We had bingo concessions, and two Quinceañera celebrations, and a Wrestling event this month. Doing our best to keep everyone safe!

Join us for **Abdallah Provost Biscuits and Gravy Breakfast** on November 14th, 2026 at the Shrine. Breakfast will be from 8:00 am to 10:00 am. $10 a person. All you can eat includes coffee, milk, and juice. Check out the flyer.

Check out the Delaware Lodge #96, Sporting Clays Fun Shoot on Saturday, November 21, 2026. Registration is at 10:30 am and the main event is at 11:30 am. Please RSVP by November 14th to Nick Potter at neiko913@gmail.com. The event will be held at Powder Creek Shooting Park in Lenexa, KS.

The pistol shooting competition team has suspended its shooting practice due to the closure of The Bullet Hole. We will be looking for a new place to practice as a team. The shotgun team will start practicing at Powder Creek gun range. Details will be coming soon.

Consider attending a meeting or joining us for a monthly shooting team practice to learn more information about becoming a member! Meetings are the first Tuesday of the month, at 6:30 PM, and in the Oasis. If you are interested in shooting, please contact Larry Riggs. Come join us!

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Abdallah Events...













Abdallah Events…

Halloween Parades


















ABDALLAH
PROVOST
BISCUIT
GRAVY
BREAKFAST
JOIN US FOR BREAKFAST
$10 all you can eat
includes
coffee. milk and juice.
SAT NOV 14th
8am - 10am


Abdallah
Blue Racers
Present
WAVES
of
DANGER
MURDER MYSTERY
DINNER
Come
Dressed
to Set Sail
Break out your cruise wear and get ready to board the S.S. Carnage!
A relaxing cruise in the Caribbean to celebrate the dedication of its crew to the ship hits a port not on the itinerary... MURDER.
Become a passenger on the S.S. Carnage to help find the killer or maybe the killer is you! Pack your thinking cap, keen eye and good memory to put together all the clues and solve the mystery.
SATURDAY, NOV 14
$40 Per Person
DOORS OPEN AT 5:00
SHOW STARTS PROMPTLY AT 6:00
Purchase from a Blue Racer member or
Venmo @Rebecca-Williams-1128 or
Paypal @potentate2021
TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED IN BY NOVEMBER 7th
Ticket includes salad, dinner, dessert &
interactive murder mystery, tea/lemonade. Cash Bar Available.
Questions: Call Becky @ 913-575-4992
Abdallah Shrine - 5300 Metcalf Ave. - Overland Park, KS 66202
This event is hosted by the Abdallah Blue Racers. Proceeds are for the benefit of Abdallah Blue Racer activities.
Payments are not deductible as charitable contributions.
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RODEO
APPRECIATION



NOV 15th

Taco Bar



Please RSVP to Shrine Office

Doors Open 5:00pm
Dinner 6:00pm
Program 7:00pm

everyone welcome

Abdallah Shriners Main Hall

UNITED RODEO ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL URA AWARDS
BANQUET & CELEBRATION
Nov 21st



LOCATION:
ABDALLAH SHRINERS
5300 METCALF AVE. |
OVERLAND PARK, KS

ADMISSION:
$20 PER PERSON
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
DOORS OPEN: 5:00 PM |
DINNER: 6:00 PM
AWARDS CEREMONY:
6:45 PM

A SUMPTUOUS DINNER MENU:
- Smoked Brisket
- Garlic Roastd Potota Wedegs
- Mexican
- Dinner Roll & Salad
- Street Corn
- Herb Roast Chicken Breast

LIVE MUSIC & DANCING FOLLOWING THE AWARDS!
FEATURING: THE FATT RASCALS | CASH BAR AVAILABLE

RSVP NOW!
Call: 913-362-5300
Or Scan for info & registration

FOR QUESTIONS, CONTACT:
Ronnie White | 913-314-1568

2027 Nobility Trip - Riviera Maya!



Chief Rabban Allen Baiamonte and Lady Jackie invite you to the **Riviera Maya, México,** from **April 22 - 29, 2027** to enjoy a luxurious, all-inclusive, seven-night Fez-cation at the **Ocean Riviera Paradise**, a newly built five-star resort located on the Riviera Maya seafront, very close to Playa del Carmen. The resort is noteworthy for its modern architecture and Mediterranean-inspired interior design and benefits from multiple swimming pools (one just a few meters from the sea), lush native vegetation, 10 restaurants, 12 bars and a sports area. It also features Privilege, Exclusive Rooms and Services, a Spa Centre, Dive It! Diving centre, and a wide range of entertainment options for the whole family.
Ocean Riviera Paradise is conveniently located near popular destinations such as, Cancún, Chichén Itzá, Cozumel, Playa del Carmen, Tulum, and other Riviera Maya attractions..



There are multiple room options (family and adult only):

- Paradise Junior Suite Waterpark Side (family section) $1,163.33 pp
- Paradise Junior Suite Nature view (family section) $1,163.33 pp
- Child (ages 3 – 12, in either category above) $612.67 pp
- El Beso Junior Suite Nature View (garden, adult only section) $1,275.33 pp
- El Beson Junior Suite Swim-up (adult only section) $1,602.00 pp

These rates are based on double occupancy and for seven nights. Rates are available for less or more nights. Also, different travel dates within 3 days pre or post. Transfers to/from Cancún International Airport included in the rates.



What's not included:

- Airfare (will be communicated when fares become available)
- Tours/excursions (information to be released later)
- Travel Protection (available based on travel credit/cash refund, value of package, and child/adult. Prices range from adult: $79.99 pp/child: 39.99 pp and up. Airfare can be added later.)
- Environmental Sanitation Tax, to be collectd at check-in at the hotel - approximately $41.30 USD

Deposit amount: $200 + Travel Protection Coverage
Final Payment Due by Friday, February 5, 2027

Allen Baiamonte
816-204-0945
abaiamon@gmail.com



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Around The Realm…



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UPCOMING EVENTS AT ABDALLAH SHRINE

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
01 Chiefs Toy Drive/Watch Party	**02** Bingo-Blue Racers Concessions-Provost	**03** **ELECTION DAY**	**04**	**05**	**06** Oasis Birthday Friday	**07** **FALL CEREMONIAL**
08	**09** Bingo-Tin Lizzies	**10** **STATED MEETING**	**11** Coffee Club Parade- Veteran's Day Leavenworth	**12**	**13**	**14** Drop Patio Tent Provost Breakfst Murder Mystery Dinner
15 Rodeo Appreciation Dinner	**16** Bingo-Weekenders Concessions-Escorts	**17**	**18**	**19**	**20**	**21** URA Awards Banquet
22	**23** Bingo-Antique Cars & Jokers	**24**	**25** Coffee Club	**26** **Thanksgiving** Shrine Office Closed	**27**	**28**
29	**30** Bingo-TASS					

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		01	02 Rodeo Queen Hospital Visit	03	04 Birthday Friday	05
06	07 Bingo-Greeters Concessions-Provost	08 **ABDALLAH STATED MEETING-ELECTIONS**	09 Coffee Club	10	11	12
13	14 Bingo-Escorts	15	16	17	18	19 Kid's Christmas Party
20	21 Bingo-Oriental Band & LOH Concessions-Escorts	22	23 Coffee Club	24 **CHRISTMAS EVE** Shrine Office Closed	25 **CHRISTMAS**	26
27	28 Bingo-Antique Classic Cars	29	30	31 **NEW YEAR'S EVE** Shrine Office Closed		