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HAPPY NEW YEAR

MEMBERSHIP

January 1, 2020	733
Creations	1
Affiliations	2
Restorations	8
Associations	2
Deceased	(33)
Demitted	(11)
Suspended	(29)
Withdrawn	0
Associate Dropped	(4)
Expulsions	0
December 31, 2020	669
Regular members	647
Associate members	22

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SHRINE OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday
9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Closed Saturday & Sunday



In Memory:



- J.C. Dame
- Ralph "Jody" Hines
- Richard "Dick" Hitt
- Robert "Bob" Johnson
- Roy Johnson
- Robert "Bob" Johnston
- Ralph Reese

BINGO Schedule - 2021

January	
4	Provost & LoH
11	Trail 70's & Director Staff
18	Hawgs
25	Oriental Band
February	
1	500s
8	Tin Lizzies
15	Greeters
22	Misfits

A minimum of six (6) Nobles and/or Ladies are needed for Bingo Nights by 6:45 pm. If for any reason you cannot work your scheduled time, please try to change with another Unit or Club and then notify Keith Jordan at least one week in advance of the changes.

Thank you in advance for helping with Bingo. This is one of our biggest fund raisers!



Stated Meeting Dinner
January 12, 2021
6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

BEQ Rib S... with Fries and Slaw.
\$10

NO Dinner

Interested in helping the Chefs? They are looking for a few good men to help in the kitchen .

Ladies are welcome and encouraged to join us for dinner. Please come support Abdallah Chefs!

ABDALLAH STATED MEETING

January 12, 2021

ABDALLAH SHRINE

5300 Metcalf, Overland Park, KS 66202

2021 Dues Card Required

7:30 PM

Zoom Only

Brian Wilson
Illustrious Potentate

Bennie Smith P.P.
Recorder

The POTENTATE'S MESSAGE



Greetings to all Nobles and Ladies.

I hope you all had a very merry Christmas and wish you a happy new year.

This will be my last article as your Potentate. Serving as your Potentate, and Amy as your First lady, has been our greatest honor. We have both tried to serve you in the best way possible. 2020 was a challenging year for all of us. Many difficult decisions had to be made in order for Abdallah to continue to function in the midst of the worldwide pandemic. I hope you all understand that every decision I made in 2020 was meant in the best interest and safety for all of you. Not every decision I made was popular, but I tried my very best. While many events were cancelled and many of my intended missions did not come to fruition, I would like to point out some of the things that we did accomplish that I am very proud of.

We were able to update the paint the main hall, replace the aging curtains, lighting and AV system were upgraded in the main hall. We were able to replace the flooring on the first floor. We were able to bring much needed updates to the building manager's desk with a new chair, cable TVs, and a monitor that is connected to the video surveillance system along, with some cosmetic changes that allows the building managers comfort at the desk. We updated the paint and flooring in the activity room along with new wood baseboards and chair rails. We used the old TV's that were removed from the main hall and added those monitors to the Potentate's office to use for PowerPoint presentations and also incorporated in the video surveillance system. We purchased a new hospital transportation van. We replaced an air conditioner on the roof. While all of these upgrades cost a lot of money, this money was well spent on the much needed improvements. These updates will help to recruit potential new Nobles and their ladies in the future.

I want to congratulate Potentate Elect Chris Zugelder and his wife Mindy and all of the rest of the Divan for 2021 on their being elected as your leaders for 2021. I am confident you all will do great things in 2021! The dedication the Divan has for the betterment of Abdallah is unmatched. I am leaving you all in good hands.

As I have stated before, and I will always speak about, I believe Membership is the only way Abdallah continues to function and thrive going forward. I hope that in 2021, membership will be a renewed endeavor for our organization. Please get out there and wear your Shrine shirts proudly, talk amongst your friends about all the fun things we do, get the word out about who we are, who Shriners are. Wear your fez in places that you would not think to. I promise you, because I have experienced it firsthand, if you wear your fez at the airport or at the mall, you will get people talking and people will come to talk you about their grandpa or uncle who had a fez. Don't be scared to tell them about who we are and what we do. You might be surprised, that by just wearing your fez, you might get a new Noble to join. Please consider going back to your blue lodge and get involved. Not only will you make more friends and meet people you might not have known before, but you may find men who would make great Shriners. As the old saying goes, you are not going to get new members at the Shrine. I admit, that over the last few years with my increased responsibilities at the Shrine, I have not been a very dedicated Blue Lodge Member, but I will work on attending both of my blue lodges in the future. As you all know, I will now have a lot more time on my hands!

I want to thank Illustrious Sir Kevin Larson and his lady Carolyn for putting us on the progressive Divan line and giving us this opportunity to serve all of you. Even though we were not able to have a Potentates ball, I want to again thank the ball committee for their time and dedication that was put into planning for the ball. It was going to be a beautiful event. Amy and I were very disappointed that we could not safely have the ball. I want to thank the Nobles and Ladies that volunteered to be Potentates aides this year. Even though the duties this year were very minimal, the events we did have were a class act. As mentioned in previous articles, I again want to thank the 2020 Chief Aid, Noble Ralph Anderton and his lady Linda. I am really disappointed we could not of had more events this year because the events planned by Ralph and Linda were going to be new, fresh and beautiful. I am just disappointed we were not able to see those ideas and share with all of you.

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I want to thank Illustrious Sir Ed McConwell for his dedication to the betterment of Abdallah. Many of you may not know, all contracts and other items that involve any temple business is reviewed by legal counsel to ensure we are not obligating Abdallah to something that could potentially be negative. Illustrious Sir Ed donates his time to review these documents. This year we were able to negotiate the potential selling of our field. Illustrious Sir Ed participated in dozens of phone calls, teleconference meetings, document reviews and many calls from me. Again, Illustrious Sir Ed, thank you for all that you do for Abdallah. Your hard work goes unnoticed by many people, but it's very much appreciated by me.

Now that a vaccine for this horrible virus is being administered into the community, I hope that all Nobles and Ladies plan to resume your Unit and Club events when it's deemed safe to do so. Please bring back the dances and fish fry's and motorcycle rides and all of the other fun events that many of us look forward to. We have all missed those events and I hope that all of you plan to do so in 2021. One thing that I always hoped we could do better was our participation in parades. Parades are the best, cheapest and easiest way for the public to get know who we are. Yes, when we are in parades all the public sees are those guys wearing the funny hats and driving little cars and motorcycles, however, if the public thinks that we do is fun and they want to see what we are, they will see our wonderful hospital system and all the good works we do for our community.

I want to thank my Lady Amy Wilson. Amy has been a very dedicated Shrine Lady serving all of you for the past ten years. Amy has dedicated hundreds if not thousands of hours to serving the Nobles and Ladies of Abdallah. Amy has worked many tireless hours at the rodeo and demolition derby over the years, leading the ticket takers, working in food tents and the last few years coordinating all of the food being served at all of the food tents. Amy has planned and coordinated many beautiful and fun events that all of you have had fun at. Without the love and support that Amy has given to me, and given to the Abdallah Nobles and Ladies, I would never have been able to get to 2020 and complete 2020 as your Potentate. Amy, you are my best friend and I thank you for everything you have done to support me over the last ten years. You are the best lady a man could have. I am blessed to have you in my life. Thank you for letting me do this over the last ten years.

Nobles and Ladies of Abdallah, Thank you all for allowing me to serve all of you. Let's get over all of the terrible events that have occurred in 2020 and have a great 2021.

Brian Wilson, Potentate

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Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!

Thank you from the bottom of my heart to all of the ladies of Abdallah for making me feel appreciated and honored to serve as First Lady of Abdallah. Despite the curve balls we have been thrown this year, the Divan Ladies, especially Mindy Zugelder, were still able to host a First Lady's Appreciation event. Although many were unable to attend the virtual event, I am hoping you were able to view the slideshow on Facebook. It was amazing to see all of the photo memories I have shared with many of you ladies, some of whom are no longer with us. It definitely brought tears to my eyes to think of all of the friends I have made and all of the fun we have had since being able to be a part of this organization. Each and every one of you have selflessly shared your time and talents to make Abdallah a wonderful place. Thank you all for all of the gifts, kind words, and most of all, your friendship. Although our time on the Divan is about to come to a close very soon, we hope to continue to call Abdallah our second home. Again, thank you for allowing me to serve as First Lady for Abdallah.

With love, Amy



**Reach Out...
Phone, Write, Visit! Say...**

**Happy
Birthday Noble!**

From the Illustrious Potentate, Divan and
Members of Abdallah Shriners



January 1st

Jimmie A Facklam
Larry E Pearl
Ronald D Evans
Dylan Cline

January 3rd

John W Lowden
Clifford E Downing
Shawn Cardin

January 4th

Clifford Wade
Bill L Harris
David R Wilson

January 5th

Lyndon B Jordon
Charles D Haney

January 6th

James H Holloway

January 7th

Robert D Lacer

January 8th

Charles G Volk
Mitchell L Fassnacht

January 9th

Thomas D Facklam
John V Lewis
Charles L Adam

January 10th

Anthony F Macek
Scott C Weiss

January 11th

Donald C Kay
Robert L James

January 12th

Greg Seymour
Ronald L Jackson
Shawn M Heckmaster

January 13th

W. R Sobek

January 14th

Donald B Johnson
John S Packham
Donald R Yoakum
Edward H Harvey Jr.

January 15th

Randall B Fassnacht
Gregory D Perkins

January 16th

Shaun C Bolinger
Duane J Lyon
David L Reuter

January 17th

Robert L Anderson
Robert K McDaniel
Jerry A Stokes
Bernie C Passler
William L Murray
Jeff T Hines

January 19th

Will Channon
Joseph V Hobbs

January 20th

William D Kelley

January 21st

Christopher F Zugelder
Edward M Wayda

January 22nd

Carl L Hollis

January 23rd

Paul C Jeffries

January 24th

Edward A McConwell P.P.

January 26th

Frank Shell

January 27th

M. R Cole
Tim Wiswell

January 28th

Victor J Henke Jr.
Douglas Smith P.P.
Bruce R Fischbach

January 29th

Ray E Boswell
James F Millholland
Henry M Starkey
Joseph B Wilson P.P.

January 30th

Gerald W Holmes
Richard D Bennett
Terry A Price

January 31st

G. L Macrae
John D Beasley III
Thomas E Brandtonies Sr

**wishing you
the BEST
birthday
ever!**



Chaplain



By Jerry Ogden,

No resolutions this year, just some reflections that might be worth considering.

'Gossip'

Gossip is the art of saying nothing in a way that leaves practically nothing unsaid.

'Rumor'

The greatest trouble with the idle rumor is that it doesn't remain so.

'Liar'

The biggest liar in the world is "They Say."

'Remark'

To reply to a nasty remark with another nasty remark is like trying to remove dirt with mud.

'Mistake'

Anyone can make a mistake. A fool insists on repeating it.

'Rights'

Don't be so concerned with your rights that you forget your manners.

'Truth'

A half-truth is usually less than half of that.

'Another Truth'

It does no harm just once in a while to acknowledge that the whole country is not in flames; that there are people in this country besides politicians, entertainers and criminals.

'Inferior'

Remember, no one can make you feel inferior without your consent.

'Scales'

The injuries we do and those we suffer are seldom weighed in the same balance.

'Ideas'

Don't dismiss a good idea simply because you don't like the source.

Finally, this one – 'Treat others like you want to be treated'. That sounds remotely familiar, huh?

May you have a God Blessed year. We all should since God has already blessed it.

Amen



"THE LAUGH"

By Mickey Mikulan

The JOKER Family WISHES EVERYONE a Healthy, Safe and Prosperous New Year!

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

BECAUSE of THIS PANDAMIC, the JOKER FAMILY HAS POSTPONE ALL METINGS!

UPDATES WILL BE ANNOUNCED IN THE PLAYGROUND!

LIFE is a LONG LESSON in HUMANITY



By Gaylon Jones

Please keep practice social distancing. Wear your masks! Hang in there it is a new year with great hope.

Anniversary:

Brian and Misty Christenson 1-15

Jerry and Jeanie Horseman 1-20

Birthdays

Lupe Valdovino 1-2

Wylene Nibarger 1-5

Doug Smith 1-28

Sending Condolences to all of our friends and family we have lost in the past year.

Wishing everyone the Happiest of New Year. 2021 got to be a better year.

Happy Birthday to all Shrine members and their ladies that have birthdays in January.

This is a short story about how Tommie Nibarger became a Mason and a Shriner.

Donnie Reel passed away Friday November 20th, in Parsons, Ks. Donnie was a close friend of Tom's and is the reason Tom became a Mason and a Shriner. Donnie transferred his membership from Mirza to Abdallah where he was a member for several years until his health prevented him from making the drive to attend events. He and his wife Vickey loved attending the dances and other events. Donnie was a member of Parsons Lodge No. 117, A.F. & A.M. and served as Master in 1987. Donnie loved being a Mason and a Shriner. He was a good man, always willing to offer a helping hand. He was a great friend to us and he will be missed.

Wylene Nibarger
(Friends bring friends to Freemasonry.) Editor

Units and Clubs

Don't forget to write an Article to go here in this section of the PLAYGROUND.

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

It is a good way to get information out to New Nobles and Ladies to peak their interest in your group.

email your article to:
playground@abdallahshrine.org

The 2021 Kansas Shrine Bowl Player Selection Show

will be live on the
KSB website

Saturday, January 2, 2021
at 10 AM

go to
KansasShrineBowl.com
to watch live



2021 Kansas Shrine Bowl
Saturday, June 26th at 7p.m.
Gowans Stadium
Hutchison Kansas

2021 Officer Installation

The installation of the Abdallah Shriners 2021 Elected Officers will take place on the evening of Friday, January 15, 2021. Unfortunately, due to the restrictions on gatherings by the Johnson County Health Ordinance, this will not be an open activity. As we must limit the attendance to 50 persons, only to the 2021 Elected and Appointed Officers along with the Installing Officers, the officers ladies and a few special guests will be invited to attend. If you do not receive an invitation, please don't show up anyway, we must comply with the limitation of 50 attendees, as we'll have to send you away.

We are planning to allow those not in attendance to view the proceedings via Facebook live and possibly YouTube.. Details on how to watch will be provided in the Weekly Update on January 10th. We're still working on those details..

In place of the annual Potentate's Reception, we have a "Drive Through" Reception planned. Please see the next page for more information.

Presidents & Directors Meeting

The annual Unit and Club Presidents and Directors Meeting is set for Saturday, January 16th at 1 PM. The meeting will be held in the main hall so as to provide social distancing. PPE face covering are required. If you are an officer in your Unit or Club, you are encouraged to attend. This is our first opportunity to share the 2021 plans

Abdallah's **2021**

DIVAN

Drive Thru Reception



Please join us to celebrate
Chris Zugelder's installation as
Abdallah's 2021 Potentate, the
2021 Divan, and their Ladies.

Pick up calendars, pins,
and a sweet treat.

SATURDAY
JANUARY 16
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM
ABDALLAH SRHINE
5300 METCALF AVE



*Drive By
Honk,
and Wave*

Your
participation
would be
valued and
greatly
appreciated.

Give \$100 and feel like a Million

Join the Shrine's \$100 Million Dollar Club

The \$100 Million Dollar Club is a way for Shriners and non-Shriners alike to provide a gift of hope for a child in need. It's an excellent opportunity to personally participate in the "World's Greatest Philanthropy" — Shriners Hospitals for Children.

The Shriners operate 22 hospitals in North America dedicated to treating children with orthopaedic problems and burn injuries. There are 18 orthopaedic hospitals, three burn hospitals and one Shriners Hospital that provides orthopaedic, burn care and spinal cord injury care. All care and services provided by Shriners Hospitals are totally without cost to the patient or family.

Since the founding of Shriners Hospitals in 1922, about \$5.5 billion has been spent to provide quality and compassionate medical care to more than 675,000 children with orthopaedic problems, severe burn injuries or spinal cord injuries. Most of these services are paid for by the **Shriners Hospitals for Children** endowment fund.

Without this fund, Shriners Hospitals would not be able to ensure optimum and compassionate patient care. In order to meet the needs of thousands of children in need of the expert care Shriners Hospitals provide, the endowment fund must continue to grow during these times of increasing costs of medical care.

Since approximately 95 percent of the annual Shriners Hospitals for Children operating budget will be spent in direct support of the 22 hospitals, your gift to its endowment fund is a gift to one of the world's "purest" philanthropies.

Visit our Web site: <http://www.shrinershq.org>.

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I prefer to make a cash donation at this time (of \$100 or more).



Make your check payable to:
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Signed _____

Temple Member? _____

Address _____

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State ____ Zip Code _____

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@

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\$20
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Winner responsible for all taxes, title & licensing fees, and all other associated fees. No cash out value. Winner must pick-up motorcycle from Twister City Harley Davidson in Wichita, Kansas.



Abdallah Shrine 2021 Player BBQ

Sunday, March 7, 2021 @ 5:00 pm



MEET YOUR LOCAL PLAYERS FOR THE 2021 KANSAS SHRINE BOWL

Cost is \$10/person—purchase tickets from Shrine Office,
Red Zone Committee Member, or at the Event.

Abdallah Shrine, 5300 Metcalf Avenue, Overland Park, KS

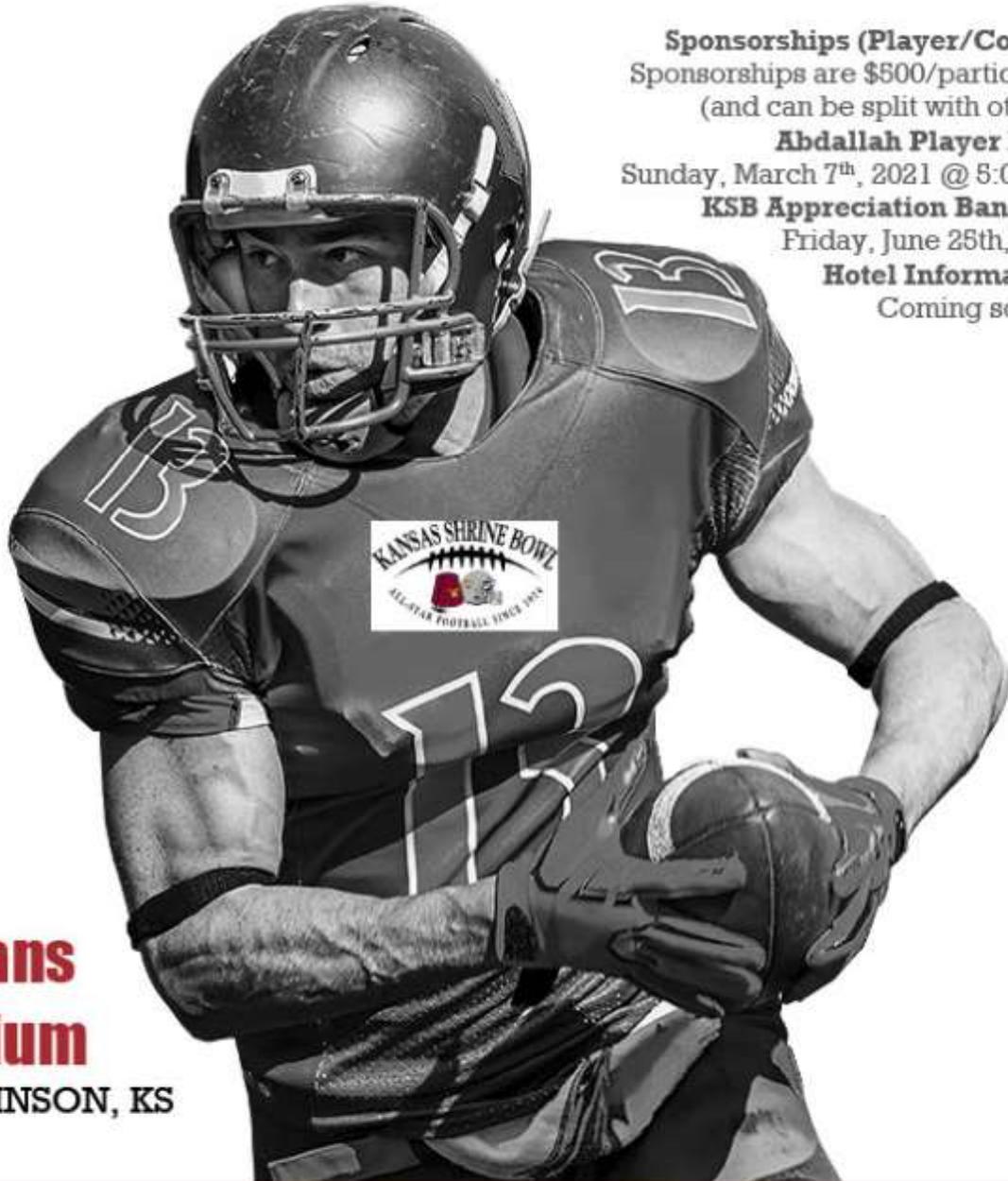
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Jun

**48th ANNUAL
KANSAS
SHRINE BOWL**

7

PM



Sponsorships (Player/Coach):
Sponsorships are \$500/participant
(and can be split with others)

Abdallah Player BBQ:
Sunday, March 7th, 2021 @ 5:00 pm

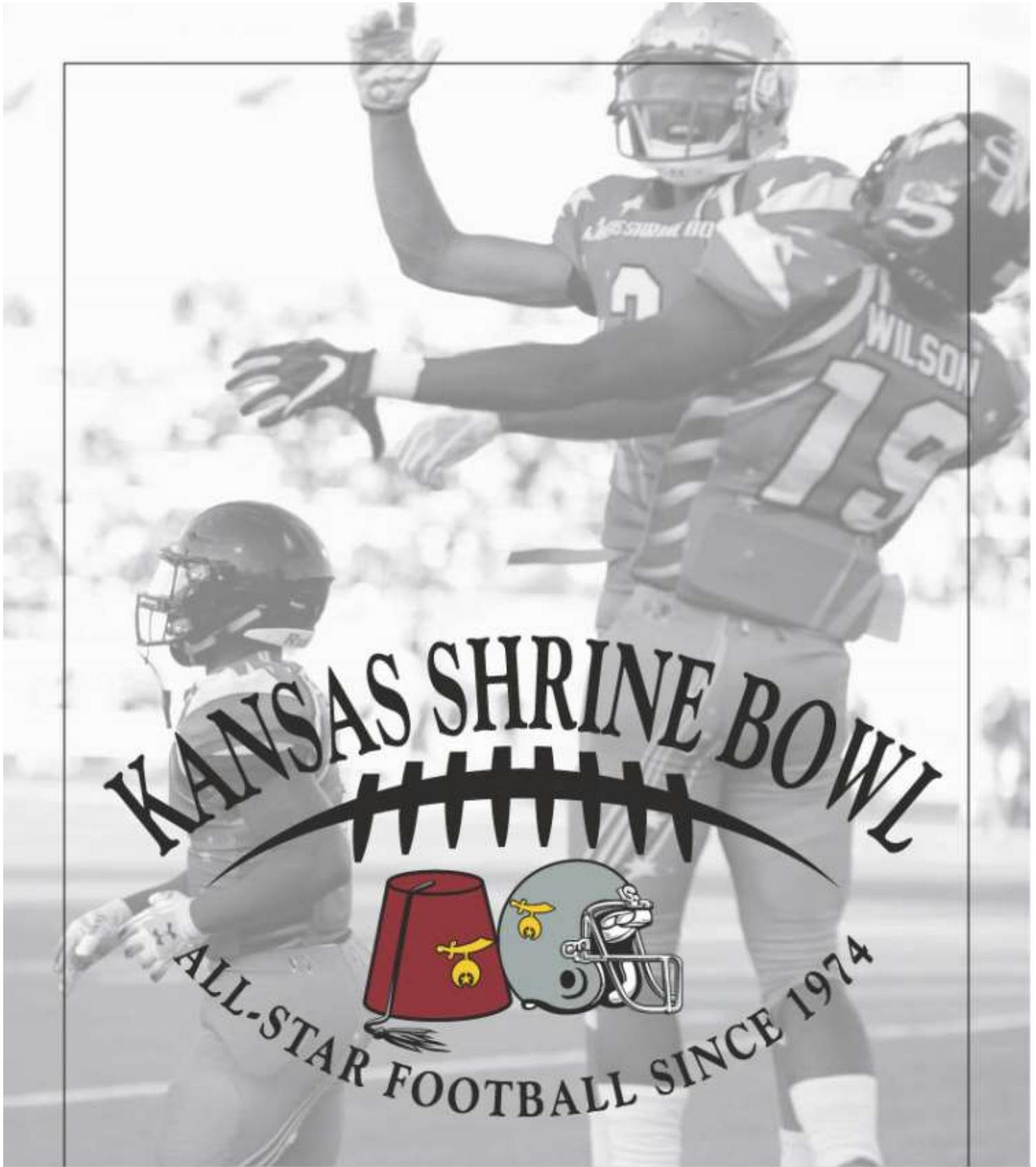
KSB Appreciation Banquet:
Friday, June 25th, 2021

Hotel Information:
Coming soon...

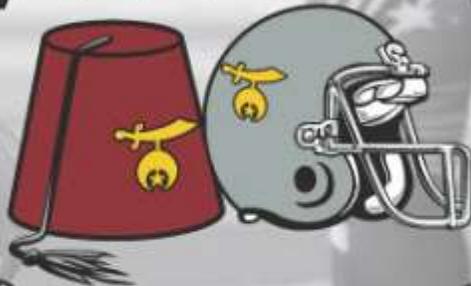
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KANSAS SHRINE BOWL



ALL-STAR FOOTBALL SINCE 1974

Advertising & Sponsorships

Participant Support



Video Board Logo or Congratulatory Message - \$100

- Business logo or congratulatory message rotating on video board during the game

Banner Sponsor - \$100

- Banner hanging in stadium during the game (*Banner provided by the business at businesses expense*)

Banquet Meal Sponsor - \$100

Help pay for the banquet for football players, coaches, cheer, band and hospital kids. You will receive:

- 2 banquet tickets for your use
- Banquet program recognition
- Business logo, club or name on Sponsor presentation at Participant Appreciation Banquet

Hospital Ambassador Sponsor - \$150

Kids that have been treated at the Shrine Hospital for Children share their experiences with all participants during the Hospital Experience Day. This is a special experience for all. Help pay for our patient's expenses to travel, eat and stay at the game.

- Signage recognition at Hospital Experience Event
- Game program recognition
- Banquet program recognition

Camp Meal Sponsor - \$250

These kids LOVE food! Sponsor a meal for football, cheer, band or hospital kids at camp or the game. You receive:

- Game program recognition in "Meal Sponsor" section of the official game program
- Banquet program recognition
- Business logo, club or name on Sponsor presentation at Participant Appreciation Banquet
- ¼ page advertisement

Football Player, Coach & Camp Staff Sponsorships - \$500

Help with costs to bring them to camp and the game.

You will receive:

- Name on selected player, coach or staff members camp shirt
- ¼ page advertisement in program
- Name on player's program feature
- Game program recognition
- Banquet program recognition
- Business logo, club or name on Sponsor presentation at Participant Appreciation Banquet

Participant Sponsorships

Name, Company and/or Individual: _____

Sponsor Name in Program (if different from above): _____

In honor of (participants name): _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

X	SPONSORSHIPS	PRICE
	Football Player, Coach, Trainer, Manager, Camp Director	\$500
	Meal Sponsor	\$250
	Hospital Patient Sponsor	\$150
	Banquet Sponsor	\$100
	Video Board Logo/Message	\$100
	Stadium Banner	\$100

TOTAL \$ _____

Shrine Volunteer/ Ad Salesman: _____

Date _____ Sponsor Signature _____

KANSAS SHRINE BOWL

P.O. Box 53, Spring Hill, Kansas 66083

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Website: www.kansasshrinebowl.com Email: secretary@kansasshrinebowl.com

Advertising



One of our principle fund-raising methods is to sell advertising and sponsorships that are acknowledged in the annual Kansas Shrine Bowl Program. We produce 1000 copies of the 300+ page book for the game that ensures state-wide distribution. In the Shrine Bowl Program, football players, cheerleaders, band members, managers, coaches, and trainers can be featured with a picture and short bio on a page with local advertisers and supporters. All participants and/or their families are invited and asked to help with this fundraising effort. Each participant is encouraged to set a fundraising goal, our recommendation is \$500. Our advertising packet is a great way to meet that goal.

We have designed the ad spaces to credit advertisers, supporters, and donors of every budget size. If need more forms please feel free to make copies. **You can also save time by completing your advertising orders at www.KansasShrineBowl.com/Advertise.** The Shrine Bowl office can produce the ad copy from the information provided, or the advertiser may provide the copy if they prefer. We can create the ads from business cards, other advertisements, emails or any other similar item. Computer generated ads and logos can be e-mailed to the Kansas Shrine Bowl office (secretary@kansasshrinebowl.com) in jpeg or PDF format.

We ask that advertisers and donors pay at the time of the sale, we can bill if it is necessary. Cash can be accepted for payment. The post office recommends not to send cash through the mail, most participants who receive cash will keep the cash and send in a personal check with a list of the cash receipts that it covers.

This grass roots project benefits the advertiser, the participant, the Kansas Shrine Bowl and Shriners Hospitals for Children.

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 www.KansasShrineBowl.com • secretary@kansasshrinebowl.com

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Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Email: _____

Participant in honor of: (coach, player, cheer, band) _____

Ad Salesman: _____ Date: _____

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- Repeat last year's ad copy
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	1/2 Page Ad	\$150
	1/4 Page Ad	\$100
	1/8 Page Ad	\$75
	1/16 Page Ad	\$50
	Mailed copy of program (mailed in August)	\$12
X	GAME & BANQUET TICKETS	PRICE
	Adult General Admission \$15 x _____	\$
	Student General Admission (K-12) \$10 x _____	\$
	Reserved Seats \$25 x _____	\$
	Banquet Tickets \$35 x _____	\$
	TOTAL	\$

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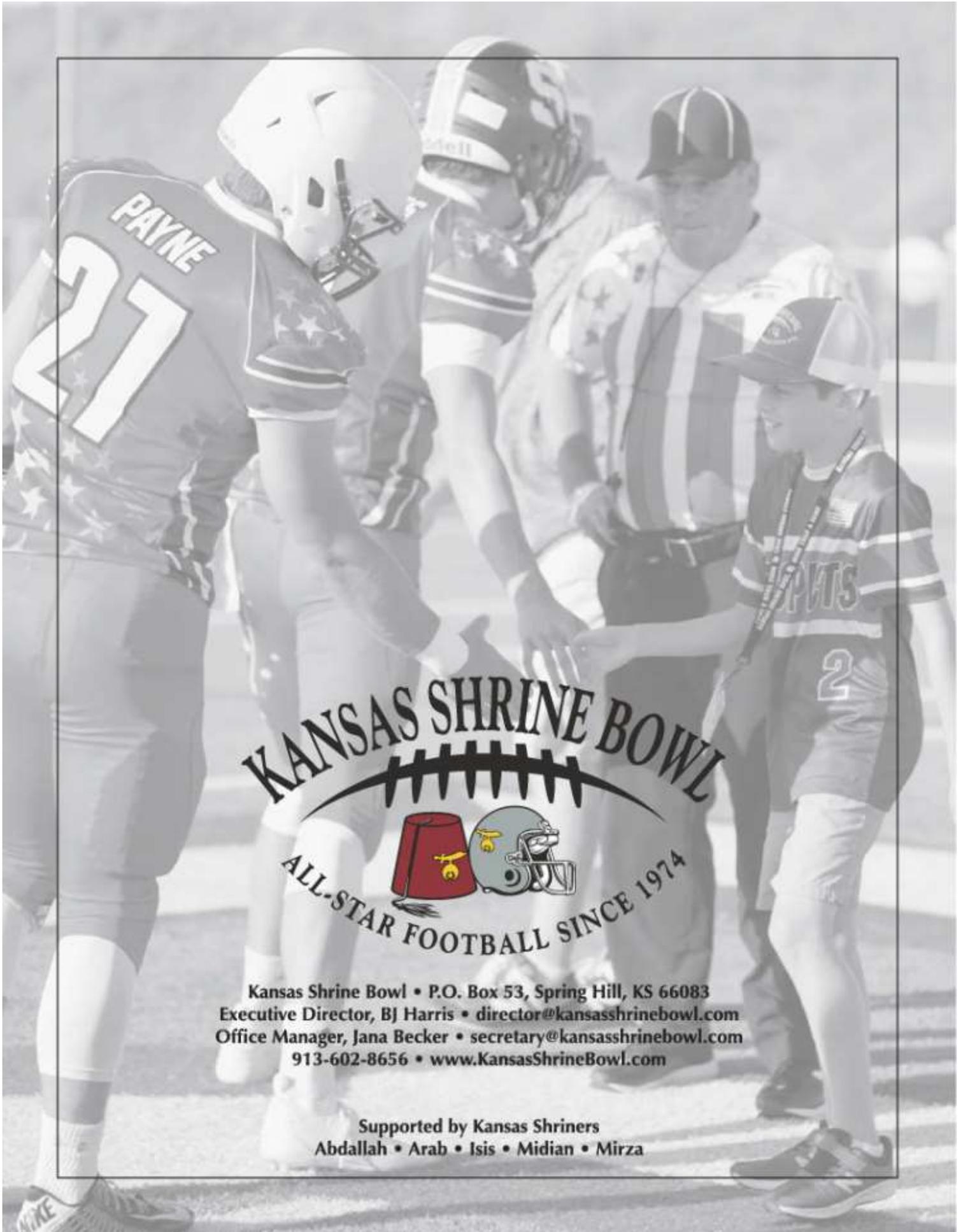
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As we have to pay for table clothes by the week, whether they are used or not, the Temple no longer carries an inventory. *(We actually pay the same per week, per table cloth, for them to sit on the self or to be used)*

They are now a special order item so, If you need table linens or table clothes for your event, they **MUST** be ordered 2 weeks in advance through the Abdallah Shriners office.

If any member would like to be added to my Angel Lady Sunshine News Updates please email me at anniem22@att.net There are a lot of new members and I don't have all your email addresses. Thanks!

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Also, as a reminder, the deadline for submitted materials to the *Playground* is the 15th of the month.

If you would like to advertise an upcoming event and the prices for that event, you will need to place an ad. You can contact the office to get the proper paper work to place that ad.

Thank you,

Jerry Ogden, Editor

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puzzle in 6 months,
and the box said 2-4
years!**

**Husband and I went
grocery shopping with
masks, got home, took
off masks, brought
home wrong husband!
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January 2nd—KSB Player Selection Show

January 12th—Stated Meeting by Zoom Only - NO in person.

January 15th—Installation of the 2021 Officers

January 16th—Drive by Reception 11:30am — 12:30pm

January 16th—President & Directors Meeting — 1pm Main Hall

Thank you and Stay Safe!



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