

See inside for more information and any costs for events

MEMBERSHIP

January 1, 2022	613
Creations	4
Affiliations	4
Restorations	9
Associations	3
Deceased	(13)
Demitted	(1)
Suspended	(0)
Withdrawn	0
Associate Dropped	(0)
Expulsions	0
May 31, 2022	619
Regular members Associate members	596 23

Abdallah Shrine PLAYGROUND

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In memory:

Donald Farris

Schedule - 2022

July

- 4 **NO Bingo**
- Provost & LoH 11 18
 - Antique & Classic Cars

ing These Who Gone Before U.S.

25 Hawg Riders

August

- 1 Oriental Band
- **Blue Racers** 8
- 15 500s
- **Tin Lizzies** 22
- 29 Greeters

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 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

The Chef's are taking a break but some of the Divan will be cooking **Burgers and Dogs** Eat for a \$5 donation

ABDALLAH SHRINERS STATED MEETING



July 12, 2022

ABDALLAH SHRINERS 5300 Metcalf, Overland Park, KS 66202

7:30 PM

Herb Merrick **Illustrious Potentate** Bennie Smith P.P. Recorder



July 1st

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

Happy Birthday Noble!

From the Illustrious Potentate, Divan and Members of Abdallah Shriners



Dee D Duttweiler Eugene M Arnott July 2nd Sydney G Smith Adrian P Iliescu July 3rd Jerome N Alberts Allen M Peyton Chad D Wyancko Joshua R Wingerd July 4th Tommie O Nibarger July 5th Stephen C Saunders Kurtis D McCormick July 6th Gerald W Geiger Ronald E Harvey Randy R Mahan

James H Jorgensen July 11th Matthew C Fehr July 12th John E Mowen **Richard W Siecgrist** July 13th Joseph F Brown July 14th Robert M Petitt John D Cota Sr **Bradley S Johnson** July 15th **Enrique Valdovino** July 18th David L Walters James O Cate II Timothy E Williams P.P.

July 10th

July 19th **Dennis J Werner** July 20th Oscar G Wheaton **Kevin W Hughes** July 21st William C Groh July 22nd V. P Lessig July 23rd Jimmie L Grassi Sr Henry L McDaniel P.P. July 24th Frank J Kneaves Richard B Laman Mike Matteson

July 25th Kenneth N Courtney **Charles A Windler** July 27th Glen E Beatty James G Neighbor **Christopher M Tavares** July 28th Michael Patterson Lynn E Gaston July 29th **Charles W Siecgrist** Donald S Lynch Nickolas A Baldi July 30th Doug R Voss P.P.





The POTENTATE'S MESSAGE



Greetings to one and all;

Summer has come and I hope you are all keeping cool. It looks like a busy summer is ahead for all of us. Hope to see you at July's Birthday Friday celebration. Then there is a President and Director's quarterly meeting on 16 July. It will be in the Oasis at 9 AM. We also have the Building Association meeting on the evening of the 26th. Please make sure your representatives know if you have any concerns or questions. We will not have an open meeting in July, because we are hoping to bring in several new members via the cold sands. That meeting will also have a report on Imperial secession. We will also have several parades. Of course, there is the Shrine Bowl with the parade, banguet and the game. The Red Zone could

use your help, so if you are going down for the events let them know if you can pitch in. Everyone looks forward to seeing each other so if you can please make as many events as you can.

The Abdallah 2030 study group is still forming, if you are interested in the shaping of the future, please let me know. We also really need folks to step up and join the committee of Building Managers and the Bingo Committee. These are the key sources of income for us and the future. We are looking for just a few hours a month, or more if you have it, but any help will make a huge difference. Please let Noble Dennis Miles know if you can join the Bingo Committee or Noble Randy Bennett to become a building manager. Without the resources, these activities could dim our future.

Speaking of activities, it is time to start thinking about 2023 and the activities you want to sponsor or attend. The sooner units and clubs get their request in the more likely it will be to get the dates you really want. Remember all events need to go through the process so that you are covered by insurance. The sooner we know the sooner we can make sure that all the "t's" are crossed, and "I's" dotted. The Chief Rabban will be thrilled for all the input.

Finally, a note about CSSA in Wichita. Registration for both the event and for hotels is done through the office. The forms are in the playground and the website. If you are visiting the Shrine itself, you can get them in the office. This is close so come out and have fun. There are lots of events, as well as competitions and a parade. Really hope that a lot of us can make it down there.

YouThank You

Yours in the faith, Herb Merrick, Potentate



Jul y 2022

Chaplain



By Jerry Ogden

In July, we as a nation celebrate our freedoms that have been the basis of our democracy. These freedoms have been anything but free. So many people, from the very beginning of our country, have fought wars, foreign and domestic, to ensure that we have had and still have the right to live our lives without the fear of government retaliations. These freedom fighters fought and won these wars. Many did not survive their service to our country. Below is a rough accounting of American fought wars, 1775-2022:

American Revolutionary War (1775-1783) – 25,000

War of 1812 (1812-1815) – 20,200 Mexican-American War (1846-1848) – 13,283 American Civil War (1861-1865) – 620,000 Spanish American War (1898) – 2,446 World War I (1917-1918) – 58,209 World War II (1939-1945) – 405,399 Korean War (1950-1953) – 36, 513 Vietnam War (1965-1973) – 58,209 Gulf War (1990-1991) – 258 War on Terror (2001-present) - 7, 075

(The above figures are from a single source and may be disputed by other sources.)

The point to made here is that Americans have fought mightily to safeguard our democracy. The true right that was and is being protected is that government is really us, the people. The true power of government is from the people to the leaders, not from the leaders to the people.

God has bestowed upon us His blessings. Our forefathers have blessed us with the very best form of self-government through our chosen representatives. Let us not let either God or ourselves (the true American government) down through apathy. God is always with us, but God expects all of us to do our parts to protect His creation and to protect our freedoms, both from foreign and domestic threats.

God Bless America!

Thank You

The family of Jerry Heathman would like to give a sincere thank you to the Shrine members who came to her Celebration of Life Service on May 26, 2022. We also want to thank those who contributed to the Abdallah Shrine Transportation Fund in her memory. A special thanks to her friends who have sent cards, made phone calls, and visited with her at Brookdale and Sunrise Senior Living.

Sincerely,

Terry Heathman and Meredith Horvath

Sunflower Fund

The Sunflower Fund was created as a means to assist nobles in times when they are unable to pay their current years dues.

Donations are also welcomed to help replenish this fund. Any donations over \$25 will earn you one of our sunflower pins. You can wear the pin proudly to show your support of helping your brothers. Please contact the office for details.



ABDALLAH PLAYGROUND



Antique and Classic Cars By Pat Emmett

The Antique and Classic Cars Unit met at Nick and Jake's in Overland Park for dinner and a meeting on Wednesday, June 1. We had a good turnout with 12 people enjoying dinner together. We had a brief meeting and discussed onion money. Members turned in their money and it was deposited into the Antique and Classic Cars bank account on June 3, 2022.

Our unit made a donation to the Shrine Casino night and several members gambled with play money. Our Chief Rabban, Greg Sippel presented the unit with a letter of appreciation for our donation and support of Casino Night.

June 4th there was a Ride and Drive with motorcycles and cars meeting at Callahan's in Lenexa. Those who attended had a great time. Also, on that Saturday the unit participated in the Shawnee Day's parade before the rain. Barbi White has a Puzzle Party on July 15th in the Oasis, so plan to attend. There will be puzzles to be completed within a specified amount of time. Should be fun!

Antique Cars is scheduled to do BINGO on Monday, July 18th. Plan to come out and help. Just one night for about 3 hours.

We still have that 1948 Pontiac and as the weather improves we plan to assist Bennie Harper to get the vehicle motor running. Should be fun to help him out, gear head or not, like me.

Shrine Bowl will be held in Pittsburg, KS on July 23rd. We will be staying at the Holiday Inn Express. Banquet is Friday evening the 22nd and the parade is on Saturday morning the 23rd. Short day trip should be fun.

If you are a Nobel, not in a unit and reading this article, you may want to come and visit the Antique and Classic Cars. Car or not you and your Lady are welcome to join us. We often meet at restaurants and we frequently go to car shows and museums. We are after all, a car themed group. And if you have that special car you would like to parade with, contact Pat Emmett at the Antique and Classic Cars, 913-744-6347. Our meetings are the first Wednesday of every month, 6:30. You are welcome to join us. We accept affiliate members from other Units. If you are not in a Unit, now is the time to become one with the force. Join the Antique and Classic Cars.









By Roger Miller,

Good weather, good fun and good food! Join us on Thursday mornings at Sunflower Hills. Tee times: Roger Miller -913-915-6048

June 2nd

Closest to pin #4 and #13 – Pat Emmett Closest to pin in 2 - #16 – Bob Hansen Long Drive #10 – Under 80 – Pat Emmett; over 80 – Dick Strong Long Putt #18 – Roger Miller Birdies: Dick Strong – 1

June 9^{th -} two foursomes - separate scores Closest to pin #13 – Tim Williams and Dan Peterson Closest to pin in 2 – #16 – Pat Emmett and Dan Peterson Long Drive #3 – under 80 – Bob Hansen Long putt #9 – Roger Miller and Dick Strong Long Putt #18 – Gregg White Birdies: Roger Miller -1-; Gregg White – 2

June 16th – two foursomes again Closest to pin #4 – Gregg White; #13 – Dick Strong Long Drive #10 – under 80 – Tim Williams; over 80 – Dick Strong Closest to pin in 2 - #16 – Roger Miller and Gregg White Long putt #9 – Bob Hansen Birdies: Gregg White and Roger Miler - 1



"THE LAUGH"

By Mickey Mikulan

The JOKER'S have decided NOT to MEET the following months: June, and July.

Regularly scheduled meetings will resume on Tuesday, August 23. Come for a visit!

Enjoy your summer activities with family and friends. TAKE ADVANTAGE of ACTIVITIRS YOUR TEM-PLE HAS SCHEDULED!



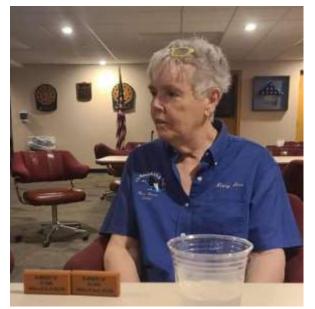
SEEK to be worth knowing rather than be well known!!!

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By Tim Williams

In January 2022, the unit lost one of its founding members, Sy Hess. To honor him & his service, the unit purchased a memorial brick, which will be placed at the Hospital. At our June meeting, we were able to present his loving wife, Mary Ann Hess, a sample of the memorial brick.

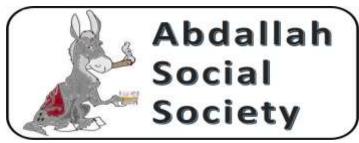


The Blue Racers also had 3 new members petition the unit at the June meeting. We would like to welcome Blair McClelland, Nabeel Jamil & Robert Gifford to the group. We look forward to them joining us at upcoming parades & hopefully they can make it to CSSA in August, where we will once again compete in the Motor Corp competition.

July Birthdays

Mary Ann Hess - July 5 Randy Mahan - July 6 Tammy Baggett - July 7 Tim Williams - July 18

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.The 5th Annual Shriners Hospitals for Children Charity Golf Event on June 6th was a huge success! The weather looked questionable as the day got near but we know Tom was looking out for us and made arrangements for a beautiful day! We had 33 teams playing and not one complaint. (*legitimate anyway, We couldn't do anything about your swing.*)

Illustrious Sir Herb along with Greg and Ronnie will be presenting a large check representing our \$25,000 donation from this years event at the Imperial Session on July 5th. That's over \$75,000 in the 5 years. Additionally, Ill Sir Kevin will be going to St; Louis on July 20th to make the official presentation to the SHC Board of Directors. Look for pictures next month.

Thank you to all of the volunteers that help make this happen as we could do it without everyone's help! Mark your calendars for Monday, July 26th 2023 for the 6th Annual Shriners Hospitals for Children Charity Golf Event at Falcon Ridge Golf Club. Hope to see you there.

Please join us for our next meeting on July 28th. If you're not a member and would like to find out more about the best Club in Abdallah, please visit us. Social starts at 5pm, Dinner at 6:30 followed by a short meeting and more Socializing!



Shriners Children's



The Abdallah Shriners are proud to present our 2022 Bull Bash and Demolition Derby to be held at the Leavenworth County Fairgrounds in Tonganoxie, Kansas. The fun starts with a Bull Bash on Friday, September 9, followed by a Demolition Derby on Saturday, September 10, 2022. One ticket price for both shows, \$15 per person. Children 5 and under are FREE for both shows!

Over the last 63 years, we have established a large following of participants and fans that look forward to our event every year. For this reason, it is important to us to keep this event fun, affordable and family-oriented, even though it is a major fundraiser for Abdallah Shriners annual budget. We would like to ask you or your company to help us by supporting this event.

Advertising with Shriners helps support a great organization as well as connecting your company to our loyal customer base. Various sponsorships are available at every price point. We are grateful for any support from donations to advertising sales.

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> Kind regards, Greg Sippel, Event Chairman

Never to early to start preparing for Next Year!



Lenexa Community Days Parade - July 4th, Parade 10am Staging 9am

Leavenworth Co Fair Parade - July 26th, Parade 7pm Staging 6 PM

Kansas Shrine Bowl Parade - July 23rd at 10AM Pittsburg

Johnson Co Fair Parade - CANCELLED due to road construction

CSSA 2022 Parade in Wichita - August 27th







ANTHROPY

AND WE'RE JUST GETTING STARTED









Message from Your Chief Rabban

This Spring we've enjoyed a Cajun Party on the Patio, an Elvis impersonator and Casino night/Raffle. On Memorial Day, we reminenced about our fore-fathers service to our nation. We also honored those that have more recently served in Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, Coast Guard, US Public Heath Service and now Space Force Services.

Abdallah had a Motorcyle Ride for a Noble Cause followed by a patio party with recording artist, Travis Marvin. We had a first-Friday birthday social with birthday cake honoring the 150th birthday of Shriners and the 100th birthday of our Shriners philanthopy.

On June 6 Abdallah put on our annual golf event with proceeds going to Shriners Children St. Louis. A big thank you is deserved of III. Sir Kevin Larsen and his team. The Tin Lizzies had their crappie tournamnet at Clinton Lake and we had a Cornhole Tournament on June 18.

With all these great events, I have some sad news to report. We have an illness in our fraternity. It is a mental illness. It is an illness called apathy. All of these events were under-attended by our members. Each and every one of these could have done much, much better if our members were willing to attend and participate. Attendance at Stated meetings has decreased in 2022. Unit and club participation for Monday bingo has also not improved.

Last fall, there was a meeting and the nobility was asked what can the temple do to inspire and motivate participation. The general answer was new and fun activities. We have strived, and I believe been successful, in making this occur. Unfortunately, many of our members are still absent from events. Likely, as you read this, the Potentate, Chief Rabban and Assitant Rabban will be attending Imperial Session in Minneapolis, MN. There will be called proposals that affect Shriners international and the other member Shrines around the world (including Abdallah) presented and voted upon. As we ponder these proposals and think about the impact on Abdallah, I believe I have to consider this current mindset that is unfortunately present in our fraternity.

In my professional life, when looking for and interviewing new prospective employees, we consider intelligence, but more so, we look for drive, motivation and passion for the position. The desire to just be present and part of the action is so much more valuable. We can coach, instruct and build proficiency in a person that has passion and drive. An intelligent person with apathy is of little value.

Our situation at Abdallah is not incurable, but it is nearing a point where we likely will make more decisions that may seem undesirable to many in our fraternity. Attendance will drive whether future events are approved. We do not have any more excuses; we have no alibis. We need to attend these Abdallah Shrine events. We event coordinators work diligently to concieve, promote, market and make these events happen. Support for these events is deserved.

This year marks the 150th anniversary of Shriners, the 135th anniversary of Abdallah Shrine. I wonder how the souls of our long buried founders feel about this current situation we find ourselves. This illness can be mortal to this organization. And I think this mortality is closer than most members believe. The legacy they left, worked so hard for, is in jeopardy. The cure, of course, is involvement and participation, which we do not seem to have a current desire.

I charge each of you collectively, but more importantly individually, to reach into your heart and ask yourselves, "would I be a considered a good Shriner tomorrow base upon my actions today?" My hope and wish was this editorial had a more uplifting and positive message and conclusion, but it does not. Only the unknown future tells the truth of our destiny.

My promise as always is to be honest, forthcoming, and proactive during my tenure on Abdallah's divan.

As always, May there be Peace in our time. Greg Sippel & Lady MaryEllen Chief Rabban 2022



Proceeds are for the benefit of Abdallah Shriners Activities. Payments are not deductible as charitable contributions.





ABDALLAH PLAYGROUND





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CSSA is coming sooner than we think and it will be in Wichita. Events begin on the 25th of August and concludes on the 27th. Abdallah has secured a block of rooms at the Fairfield Inn and Suites, 525 S. Main Street. Check in is set for the 24th and check out on the 28th. We will have parking, hot/cold breakfast and our own hospitality room. The host hotel is about a block away where the ladies luncheon and market place are and the furthest venue hosting a banquet is still within walking distance as is Midian's Temple. Our room rate (\$112+tax and fees) will include taxes and fees so you will not have a surprise at check out. Reservations will be made through the office along with registration for CSSA. There is a fee with registration, which includes everything only pay once. Your associations might have some fees that they have not asked us to collect. You will be able to adjust your dates of your stay based on what you are planning to do. Remember, even if you are only coming down for the parade or a single competition you must be registered for CSSA, so stop by the office and pick up the forms or download them from the Abdallah website. Get ready for some fun and a chance to see friends from across the Central States area. We will be updating you as we learn more about what is available to do.

Hotel Reservation Form Next Page or can be download from the website www.AbdallahShriners.com/member-forms

CSSA 2022 Registration is \$45 per-person. All attendees must register and you must Register through the Abdallah Shriners Office by August 12th. Please fill out & return with payment.

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- Enter your login E-mail address and Password in the designated fields:

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Password:			

Click Log in: Log in



Contact Allen Baiamonte, Frank Shell, or Tim Williams for questions

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July

49th ANNUAL KANSAS SHRINE BOWL



Sponsorships (Player/Coach): Sponsorships \$500/participant (can be split with others) Abdallah Player BBQ: Sunday, April 3, 2022 @ 1:00 pm KSB Appreciation Banquet: Friday, July 22, 2022 @ 6:00pm Hotel Information: Holiday Inn Express 4011 Parkview Dr. Pittsburg, KS 66762 (620) 231-1177

Other Hotel

Information - TBA

Carnie Smith Stadium PITTSBURG, KS

East VS West

Abdallah Shriners 2022 Kansas Shrine Bowl Players				
Player First Name	Player Last Name	High School	Sponsored By	
Zach	Atkins	Blue Valley Southwest	Abdallah Escorts	
Brayden	Beerbower	Eudora	Abdallah Escort Ladies	
Collin	Keeney	Bishop Miege	The Abdallah Social Society	
Jovanni	Blackie	Paola	Abdallah Oriental Band	
Daniel	Brown	Bishop Ward KCK	Abdallah Jokers & Abdallah Provost Guard	
Hayden	Essex	Blue Valley High School	Abdallah Divan & Divan Ladies	
Kaden	Fields	Osawatomie HS	Abdallah Oriental Band Ladies	
Will	Gavin	Saint Thomas Aquinas	Frank, Jaimee, and Gabriel Shell	
Divante	Herrig-Britain	Piper High School	Abdallah Escorts	
Kendrick	Jones	Mill Valley High School	Abdallah Tin Lizzies & Abdllah Misfits	
Truman	Juelsgaard	Lawrence HS	Abdallah Red Zone	
Zach	Knowlton	Spring Hill High School	Spring Hill Lodge #56 & The Knowlton Family	
Andrew	Long	Blue Valley High School	Abdallah 500's & Abdallah Greeters	
Eduardo	Lopez	Wellsville	Franklin County Shrine Club	
Brooks	Lowe	Blue Valley West	Allen & Jackie Baiamonte	
Quantre	Moore	Washington High School	John H. Atwood Lodge #461	
Jared	Napoli	Mill Valley High School	Abdallah Tin Lizzies and Lizzietts	
Kenrick	Osei-Bonsu	Olathe North	Abdallah Antique & Classic Cars	
Jacob	Parrish	Olathe North	The Cabiri Chapter #145 Abdallah Temple	
Blake	Reeder	Shawnee Mission NW	Shawnee Lodge #54	
Zach	Sisemore	Basehor-Linwood	The Posse (Sisemore, Bennett, Hubler, Muro, & King)	
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Clint	Rider	Blue Valley Northwest		
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Shriners Hospitals

ABDALLAH PLAYGROUND





Banquet Tickets are on sale NOW!

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Game tickets are on sale @ KansasShrineBowl.com

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Need another great reason to come to the Stated Meetings? Abdallah Shriners has a 50/50 raffle at each Stated Meeting where half of the pot goes to the winner and the other half goes into the year end jackpot. The pot will grow each month for a nice jack pot at the December Stated Meeting. Be sure to come to the Stated Meeting as you don't want to miss this!

Abdallah Coffee Club

Meeting the 2nd & 4th Wednesday of every month 9:00am - Activity Room

2nd Wednesday is now a cooked breakfast, not donuts. Please RSVP if attending

> Come on up to the Shrine and enjoy the company of your fellow Nobles!

Not limited to just Shriners – bring your coffee drinking buddies along too!

We will shoot the breeze and enjoy donuts and coffee together.

Looking forward to seeing you there!

For breakfast RSVP to: Jerry Ogden imastar@kc.rr.com

PCM



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NOW IS NOT THE TIME TO FAIL THE KIDS WHO WILL NEED YOUR HELP TOMORROW!

OUR HOSPITALS REALLY NEED YOUR HELP RIGHT NOW

Every Noble Should Have A <u>PCM</u>

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ble for now and many generations to come. For more information contact:

Illustrious Sir Eldon Masters, P.P. 913-236-9878 or The Shrine Office

ABDALLAH PLAYGROUND



Come Visit the Abdallah Oasis on

BIRTHDAY FRIDAY!

It happens on the

<u>1st Friday, 7pm</u>

Every Month.

On your birth month you donate \$25, and all attendees enjoy a refreshment on you until the funds run out. Then, on the other 11 months, you will whet your whistle at the expense of all the other Birthday folks!

> Bring a Snack to Share! Bring a Friend to Share with!

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



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Units and Clubs

Don't forget to write an Article 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: abdallahplayground30@gmail.com





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Brian Wilson - 2020	
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Playground Editor	Jerry Ogden	816-260-8882
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Sickness and Distress	Jerry Ogden	816-260-8882

Upcoming Events The Abdallah Shrine Office hours are 9 AM to 4 PM Monday through Friday. July 1st - Birthday Friday July 2nd - 7th - Imperial Session 2022 Minneapolis July 4th - Lenexa Lodge Breakfast July 4th - Lenexa Parade July 4th Bingo Trail 70s & Directors Staff July 11th - Bingo Provost & LoH July 12th - Stated Meeting July 13th - Coffee Club Breakfast 9am - Please RSVP to Jerry or Jeff July 15th - Pizza, Puzzles & Pitchers in the Oasis July 16th - Presidents & Directors Meeting - 9 AM July 18th - Bingo Antique Cars July 22nd - Shrine Bowl Banquet July 23rd - Shrine Bowl Parade **July 23rd - KANSAS SHRINE BOWL GAME** July 26th - Leavenworth Co fair Parade July 27th - Membership Meeting 7pm August 5th - Birthday Friday August 6th - Hog Roast Thank you and Stay Safe! Celebrating



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