

THE ABDALLAH SHRINERS'

PLAYGROUND



Shriners International

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2021 Kansas Shrine Bowl

Saturday, June 26th at 7 P.M.



Gowans Stadium

Hutchison, Kansas

MEMBERSHIP

January 1, 2021	670
Creations	2
Affiliations	0
Restorations	2
Associations	0
Deceased	(7)
Demitted	(1)
Suspended	0
Withdrawn	0
Associate Dropped	0
Expulsions	0
May 31, 2021	666
Regular members	645
Associate members	21



In Memory:

BINGO Schedule - 2021

June	7	Blue Racers
	14	Clowns
	21	Escorts
	28	Antique Cars
July	5	Provost & LoH
	12	Trail 70s & Directors
	19	Hawg Riders
	26	Oriental Band

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!

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SHRINE OFFICE HOURS

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



Stated Meeting Dinner
June 8, 2021
6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

Oven Baked BBQ Chicken, Pasta Salad, Green Beans, Salad & Roll.

\$10

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



ABDALLAH SHRINERS
STATED MEETING
Current Dues Card Required to Enter



June 8, 2021

ABDALLAH SHRINERS
5300 Metcalf, Overland Park, KS 66202

7:30 PM

Chris Zugelder
Illustrious Potentate

Bennie Smith P.P.
Recorder





The POTENTATE'S MESSAGE

The month of May was active! We had the temple's newest and coolest fundraiser - the Ride for a Noble Cause on May 15th. The rain stopped the motorcycle ride but the rain out party was a huge hit with "Delta Haze" rocking the evening! The rain out date for the ride is rescheduled for July 24, 2021! Spread the word! Thanks to Ronnie and Barbie White for coordinating this event for the temple!

DO YOU NEED ONIONS? There are still a few available. Contact the office and get some fine-looking Vidalia's for yourself or friends so we can wrap up this Unit fundraiser. Thanks for your onion help.

Here's a quick recap of all the "Return to Fun in 21" there was to be at Abdallah in May...Yo-Shi had an incredible golf tournament on the 1st, and even though it was windy, a fun day was had by all!

I attended the Beer Fishing with the Misfits was May 21st and had a blast. If you have not gone fishing like this before, you are missing out. I think I caught something!

Demolition Derby Casino Night was on May 22nd and Abdallah entertained over 100 people. There were great prizes, televisions, baskets, casino games and more fun than you've probably had in over a year! This event was open to the public and we showed off the new building renovations and what Shrine/Masons do. Huge kudos to Herb and Carolyn Merrick for all their hard work!

Has your club or unit purchased an ad or banner for the Demo Derby this year? Our Chief Rabban, Herb Merrick, and the team are working hard on the Demolition Derby in August! Selling ads and sponsorships for the Demolition Derby may be a little more difficult with the economy and its current state, but please try to sell a program advertisement, banner, or sponsorship. Let me know if you want help landing that special sponsor. Please attend unit and club meetings to see how you and your unit can help our annual Demolition Derby succeed. If you aren't in a club or unit, don't worry, we can use your help, too!

Mindy and I are looking forward to our trip to Cabo October 16th-23rd. There are a few seats left before we have to release them! Don't wait because, if you do, the price has gone up about \$700 and there are no rooms at the hotel! Plus we can get to the Cabo Wabo Cantina or ride camels on the beach together!

Here's some things that I look forward to doing in June to "Return to Fun in '21" ...We are planning an Info Night June 4th (formerly known as Rush Night. If you know someone who is interested in becoming a Shriner, please invite them and let the office know, so we know how many are coming.

Do you like Golf? Be a part of the SHC Golf event on Monday, June 7th at Falcon Ridge Golf Course. This is a charity event for the hospitals. There are plenty of spots for golf or help or advertising.

June 12th is the Tin Lizzie Crappie Tournament. Time to get your pole out and have some fun!

Please plan on joining Abdallah for The Kansas Shrine Bowl in Hutchison, KS, Saturday June 26 to cheer on the EAST. The host hotel is The Comfort Inn & Suites, Hutchinson, and we will have a joint hospitality room with the other Kansas Shrines.

This year is starting to fly by and it's not too early to get ready and book your room for CSSA in Oklahoma City in August 19-21! Our hotel is across the parking lot from the host hotel and it's incredible! We have a block of rooms, and this is a year you won't want to miss!

Lastly, I want to wish everyone a Happy Father's Day on June 20th. This will be my first Father's Day without my dad and I know I am not alone in this category. Remember to make every moment count with the ones you love.

Thank you for your efforts. Until next month, we will keep "Returning to Fun in 2021" and hope to see you soon in June!

Fraternally,
Chris Zugelder
Potentate



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

Happy Birthday Noble!

From the Illustrious Potentate, Divan and
Members of Abdallah Shriners



June 1st

Frank E Karim
Thomas E Davis

June 2nd

John W Bennett
Marshall A Widman
Duane R Miller

June 3rd

Arthur C Miller
Dennis V Christo
Edward A McConwell Jr.

June 4th

Oran K McDaniel

June 6th

Charles V Adams
John E Masters Jr.

June 7th

Stephen H Pierce
Edward M Rice

June 8th

Dennis M Miles

June 9th

James C Anderson

June 11th

Jeffery A Harville
Earl E Genter Jr

June 12th

Jimmy A McGrath

June 13th

Anthony Batencourt
Callan Martin

June 14th

Robert Morton

June 15th

Walter E Erickson
Lester E Volentine
Michael R Thome

June 16th

William E Harmon

June 17th

Kevin R Wilkinson

June 19th

David J Hood
David A Bondank

June 20th

John R Dill
Brian A Hancock
Richard E Johnson

June 21st

Richard L Stofer
Kurt Osmundson
Gary B Strout

June 22nd

Paul F Frame
John P Silkiner
Leonard C Harper
Zebulon Hopper

June 23rd

Glenn G Hamilton P.P.
Ronald J Fitch
Darrel R Schrader P.P.
Alan D Harmon
Andrew S Norris

June 25th

J. K Verden
Donald R Freeman
Jerry E Young

June 26th

Leon A Olson Jr
Robert B Anver
John Duke

June 28th

Albert G Sharp

June 29th

Trevor L Urban
Jeremy B Fasnacht

June 30th

Harvey L Gartner



**June 4th
Birthday Friday**

**wishing you
the BEST
birthday
ever!**

Chaplain



By Jerry Ogden

We have all been through a period of time that is so very different from any other period we have experienced before in our lifetimes. There have been other periods in times past that were every bit as bad or worse for humans, but we weren't alive to deal with them. In other words, we have a shared experience with all other human beings at this moment in time. What's the point? The point is that not one single person has been left completely unaffected by COVID 19. Some have lost their lives from the virus complications. Others have become ill and were able to withstand the affects of the virus. Some have decided to take the precautions suggested by Health Officials. Others don't want to have government officials tell them what they can do and what they can't do. Still others have come to the conclusions that the virus isn't really that dangerous and/or does not even exist. The matter of face coverings has become a volatile issue. We have also been through the whole discussion of vaccines and whether they are needed, safe and not another invasion of our personal rights.

Something else has been learned, although not always with respect and grace. Each of us has the right to think and do whatever we wish as long as we are not infringing on anyone else's right to think and do what they want. None of us have the right to place others in harm's way for any reason. It's not legal, and what's more it's not in keeping with our Creator's plan for us.

We have become a stronger society because of our shared experience. We need to thank God for not letting us try to get through this shared experience without His help.

Amen

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!
Anna Marie Swearingin

membership

TODAY is a word we use freely, but now, more important to our continued presence because TODAY is the day that the members of Abdallah Shrine need to seriously act on Abdallah's continued place in Shrinedom. Each of us are proud as peacocks to claim to the world the we are Shriners, Shriners that help kids, Shriners that stand for all that is good in the world, the 'Greatest Philanthropy in the World'. Other than proclaiming to the world your affiliation, what are you doing to help continue 'keeping on'?! Finding new members is not the only answer, many of us have already talked to all our 'outside' friends and now almost all our friends are Shriners. Putting ourselves out there to help with events that draws the public or being a member of a Club/Unit which could create those events is a couple of ideas.

Maybe you saw this coming, the Membership Committee is obligated, more so, enthusiastically concerned with efforts to enlighten the public of our existence and endeavors. The Membership Committee is inviting those that are proud as peacocks to be a Shriner to participate. Not all participation is work, each Club/Unit should have a representative at Membership Committee meetings to share needs/ideas from/to their group is absolutely necessary for survival. 'Stepping up', COMMIT, especially post COVID, is crucial TODAY !!!

INFO NIGHT is June 4th, just before Birthday Friday at 6pm in the Activity Room with an invite to attend the Birthday Friday as a hospitality following. We hope to have each attendee RSVP by June 2, if you know someone that would be interested even the same evening, please invite them. We will welcome all. Inviting attendees to the Birthday Friday is a continuation to defining what fraternity, brotherhood and friendship fun looks like. Come out, meet the attendees, they could possibly be your next new Brother.

Sunday June 6th is INTERNATIONAL SHRINER AWARENESS DAY. Celebrate your involvement by wearing your Shriner attire. Celebrate the day !!!!

June 7th is the Tom Roy Memorial Shriner's Hospital Golf Tournament at Falcon Ridge Golf, 20200 Prairie Star Parkway, Lenexa, KS 66220. This is a grand event to expose Abdallah Shiners and Shrinedom to the public. Our SHC Golf is growing, help is always needed and more help needed each year. Membership Committee will be operating in the 'Canopy', open to fulfilling the need to provide information to the masses. Come out, enjoy some time outdoors, a good time will be had by all.

You are a member of the Membership T.E.A.M. !!!

ABDALLAH SHRINE

PRESENTS

INFO NIGHT

JUNE 4TH

**WANT TO LEARN
MORE ABOUT THE
GREATEST
FRATERNITY &
PHILANTHROPY IN
THE WORLD?**



Doors Open at 5:30 pm
Presentation at 6:00pm
*Stay after for Shrine
Hospitality in the Oasis*

**Bring a Friend & RSVP to Abdallah Temple
at 913-362-5300 to reserve your spot**



**Come see what all the fun is about!
Masons & Non-Masons Welcome**



"THE LAUGH"

By Mickey Mikulan

"THE LAUGH"

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

The JOKER'S are STILL in a HOLDING PATTERN

UPDATES WILL BE ANNOUNCED IN THE PLAYGROUND!

Get your shots, wear a mask and practice social distancing. Not only think of yourself, but of others as well!

STAY HEALTHY



By Gaylon Jones

It was so nice to be able to see our friends again at Birthday Friday. Good crowd, good food, and fun were had by all that attended. If you missed it, hope to see you on June 4.

The trip to Cabo San Lucas, Mexico sounds like a lot of fun! Had a good number of people sign up to go. Hope to see some of you on this trip.

There are still some members that have not paid their dues. It is already June. Please send your checks or bring them to the June meeting. (Ladies and Nobles.)

If you are planning on working the Demo Derby call the Shrine Office and let them know. Volunteers are needed.

It was great to have a regular meeting and seeing everyone. Plan on attending the next meeting on June 16th. Your input is needed.

DON'T FORGET THE TIN LIZZIE FISHING TOURNAMENT ON JUNE 12TH!

Anniversaries:

Garry /Marta Dial	6-06
Lee/Lou Wilson	6-23
Ike/Cookie Sisemore	6-29
Greg/Mary Ellen Sippel	6-29

Birthdays:

Candy Kling	6-10
Carolyn Brown	6-13
Cindy Reese	6-21

Happy Birthday, to all Shrine members and their ladies who have birthdays in June.

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ABDALLAH SHRINERS PRESENTS

JUNE 6TH 2021

NOON - 4PM

THIS IS A FREE EVENT FOR THE COMMUNITY first responders appreciation & take me home project

HAVE LOTS OF FUN
COME CHECK OUT :

HOSTED BY THE JOHNSON
COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT
AND ABDALLAH SHRINERS

BOUNCE HOUSES
CARNIVAL GAMES
HOT RODS
MOTORCYCLES
POLICE CARS.



The Take Me Home program is a database maintained by the Johnson County Sheriff's Office and is only accessible to law enforcement personnel. The database includes a picture, disability information, physical description, emergency contact information, and a map of all registered individuals. If a person in the Take Me Home program is encountered alone by a police officer, or is reported missing, the officer can access the database by the persons name or description to locate their enrollment record. With this information at hand, the officer can appropriately assist your loved one. This program is for anyone with cognitive disorder from ages 0-100



come see the
Shriners Hospital
NASCAR CAR
this event is rain or shine

5300 METCALF AVE
OVERLAND PARK
KS. 66202
for more info call or email Ronnie White
913-314-1568
rwhiteabdallahshrine@yahoo.com



From our Chief Rabban, Herb Merrick



.June is busting out all over, it is finally getting warmer; but best of all it looks like we are coming out of our long term stay in the basement. At least that is how it is in our house. We got the shots and are getting out more and more. We are really looking to see our Shrine family at events this summer and fall. We hope you all are doing well also. Couple of updates to share with everyone. Casino Night did happen and we really thank all those who came out and played. A special thanks to all those units, clubs and individuals who helped to sponsor the event.

The Derby planning is going full speed ahead it looks this is going to be a great two-day event. I have not seen a long-range weather forecast, but we are looking forward to fair skies and warm days. I have already heard from several groups and individuals about what they are interested in volunteering to do. Because of all the things that have happened over the last 18 months and the fact that this is Derby only we will be doing somethings a little different. There will be a lot of information coming out in the next 60 days or so, but if you have a question please ask.

The main focus between now and late July remains advertising and getting sponsorships. We have heard from several outside organizations and are hoping to hear even more, if you know of anyone who is interesting in sponsoring, please let us know. We do need lead time with new sponsors to get banners and the like made. This is our kick off for 2022 fund raising and its success will determine what we may be able to do in the coming year, but it is also a change to have fun in 2021; getting to see folks you have not seen for a year or more. It is also a great chance just to be outside and enjoy the Kansas summer.

If there is anything I or Lady Carolyn can do please let me know. We are here to make our Shrine a place that all the membership looks forward to going out and doing thing with people they know and for causes they support. We really look forward to seeing you in June and throughout the rest of the summer.

PLAYGROUND NOTICE

All materials for *Playground* publication should be submitted to playground@abdallahshrine.org. Please do not send materials to any other email address, especially to a specific personal or office email. Only those materials sent to playground@abdallahshrine.org will be published. Electronic submissions should be in Word format. Ads maybe submitted as a jpeg file. We are not able to accept submissions via Facebook or any other social media site.

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

Playground Advertising Rates

Size	Dimensions	Mthly	Annual
Full Page	10"h x 8"w	\$200	\$2,200
Half Page	5"h x 8"w	\$110	\$1,210
Quarter Page	5"h x 4"w	\$60	\$660
B-Card	2.5"h x 3" w	\$25	\$275

Units & Clubs receive a 50% discount

**Abdallah
Golfing
Nomads**



After a winter hibernation, the Nomads are back in action. We tee off on Thursdays about 8 at Sunflower Hills. Call or text me if you are interested.

Roger Miller 913-915-6048

PS: we use the new Senior tees and play a Sham-ble. Makes for a fun event. Come on out!

April 15th

Closest to pin #4 – Bob Caplinger; #13 – Bob Hansen

Closest to pin in 2 #16 – Pat Emmett

Long drive #10; under 80 – Bob Hansen; over 80 – Roger Miller; over 90 – Bob Caplinger

Birdies: Bob Hansen 1

April 29th

Closest to pin #13 – Dick Strong

Closest to pin in 2 #16 – Kevin Larson

Long drive #10; under 80 – Kevin Larson; over 80 – Dick Strong

Birdies: everyone birdied #13 thanks to Strong's shot only 14 inches from the cup.

May 6th

Closest to pin #13 – Bob Hansen

Long Putt #18 – Roger Miller

Closest to pin in 2 #16 – Roger Miller

Long drive #10; under 80 – Bob Hansen; over 80 – Roger Miller

Birdies: Roger Miller 2; Bob Hansen 1



**PARADE
ALERT**

Upcoming Parades:

June 26th—Kansas Shrine Bowl, Hutchison KS

**July 27th—Leavenworth County Fair, Tonganoxie
Stage 5:30pm—Parade 6:30pm
4th & Main use Midwest Carpet Parking Lot**

August 21st—C.S.S.A.—OKC

Sept 25th—Abdallah Ceremonial



**Shriners Hospitals
for Children®**



**CORNHOLE
TOURNAMENT**

Friday, September 10th On the Patio
Tournament Entry Fee: \$5 per person
Hosted by the Blue Racers
Prizes will be awarded!
Snacks will be provided!
Sure to be a great time!



Nobles all.

The Provost is up and on station! We meet the 1st Tuesday of the month, 1830 hours, in the Activity Room. The Shooting Team Will practice at the Bullet Hole, 1700-1800 hours, prior to the meeting. If you are interested in joining us, I invite you to attend a meeting, and if you are a pistol shooter, come and check out a practice session.

For further information contact Larry at (816) 810-0819, or: olfouldude70@gmail.com.

Stay well and safe!!!

We had a good attendance at our May meeting and the weather even cooperated some. We had a new Noble to be visit the meeting and we'll be voting on him at the June Temple Stated meeting.

June 7th is our 4th Annual Shriners Hospitals for Children Charity Golf Event at Falcon Ridge Golf Club. We have raised and donated over \$25,000 in the first three years and we're well on our way to exceed \$15k again this year.

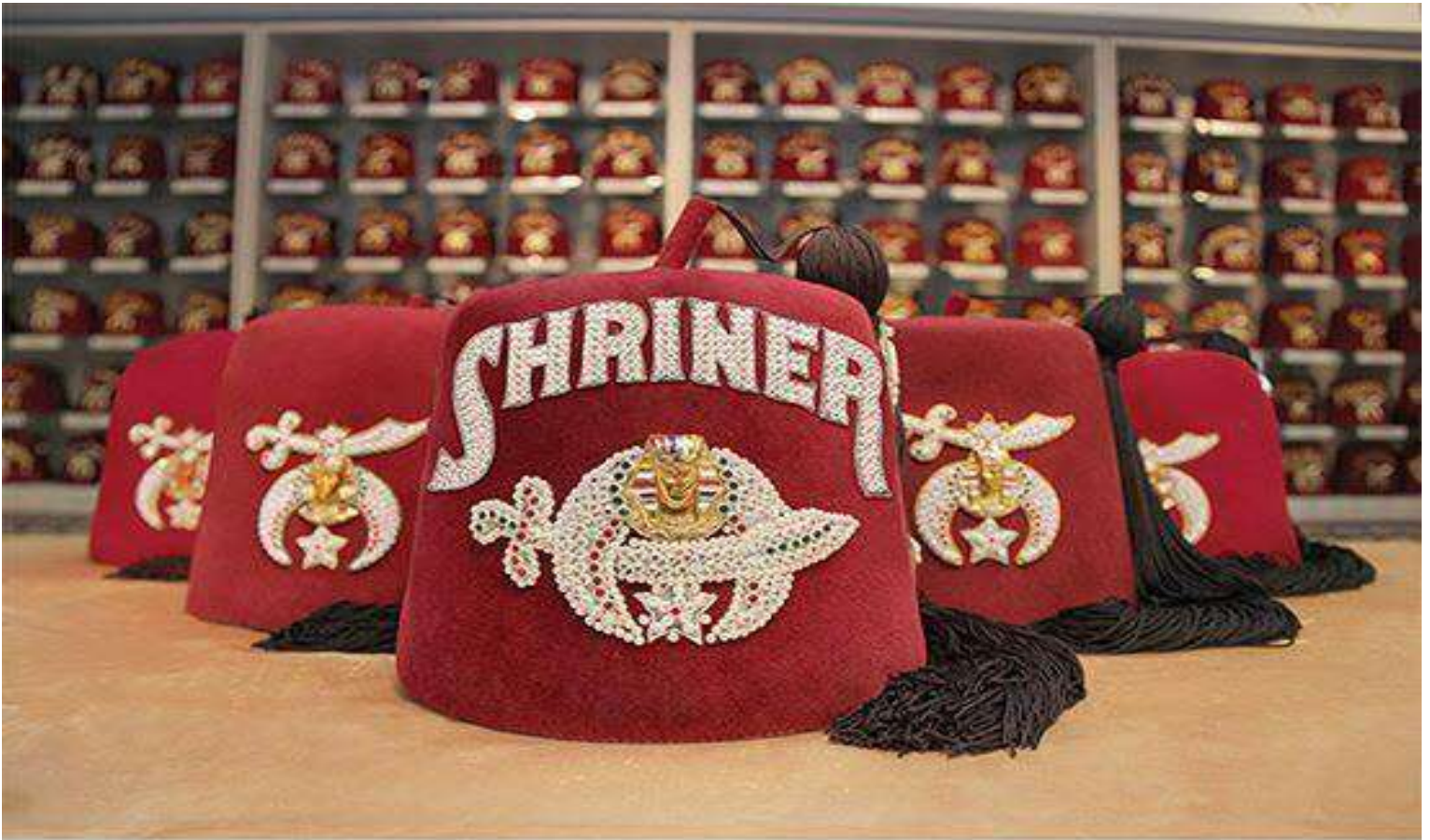
Our next meeting is June 24th. Social starts at 5pm, Dinner at 6:30 followed by a short meeting at 7 and more socializing. Come join us.



**A wise man
once told his wife
nothing, because
he was a wise man.**



**AbdallahGolf.com
June 7, 2021**



Shriners International Day

On June 6, we celebrate our great fraternity

Show your fraternal pride on social media:

- 1. Share a link to beashrinernow.com**
- 2. Post about why you love being a Shriner**
- 3. Use #ProudShriner in fraternity-related posts**
- 4. Share a photo from a fraternity event reflecting the values of brotherhood, family or philanthropy**



LADIES B.Y.O.B.

Bring Your Own Beverage

SOCIAL *Night*

June 8, Tuesday

*While the men are at their stated meeting
LET'S GET TOGETHER FOR A SOCIAL*

ABDALLAH OASIS - 7:30pm

Prepackaged snacks served



Saturday, June 12, 2021
Clinton Lake

Shotgun Start 8 AM—Weigh-in 2 PM

Entry Fee \$50.00 per person
(Buddy tournament, 2 person teams)
Entry includes Hamburgers & Hotdogs, Side Dishes and Cold Drinks at Weigh-in
Entry deadline June 7, 2021

For more information, an entry form and rules, contact:
Dennis - 913-485-5989
Jerry - 913-248-4441

Proceeds benefit the Abdullah Tin Lizzies
Payments are not deductible as charitable Contributions

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. In confidence, please email abdallahsunflower-fund@gmail.com for assistance.

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.



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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Application for Membership

\$100 Million Dollar Club

Yes, I (we) want to Share in the Care of **SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CHILDREN**.

I have previously made a Will leaving a Bequest (of \$100 or more) to the Shriners Hospitals for Children endowment fund.

I have added a provision in my Will leaving a Bequest (of \$100 or more) to the Shriners Hospitals for Children endowment fund.

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



Make your check payable to:
SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CHILDREN

Signed _____

Temple Member? _____

Address _____

City _____

State ____ Zip Code _____

You may give a \$100 Million Dollar Club Membership in another person's name, as a special anniversary, birthday or appreciation gift. Please have the membership certificate read:

RETURN THIS APPLICATION TO YOUR LOCAL SHRINE TEMPLE

*The 2020 Ball Committee
wish to invite you to a party honoring*

Brian & Amy Wilson

*Saturday, July 31st, 2021
Abdallah Main Hall
Social 6:00 PM • Dinner 7:00 PM*

Music provided by DJ Dave's Music for Memories following dinner

*Dress Business Casual • Reservations Required
Please call the Abdallah Office at 913-362-5300*

*\$60 per person
Deadline July 15th, 2020*





11th Annual Golf Tournament

Four Man Scramble

Friday, August 13th, 2021

7am Registration • 8am Shotgun Start

Heritage Park Golf Course, 16445 S. Lackman Road, Olathe, KS 66062

Registration deadline August 1st, 2021

Tournament is open to Shriners, their Ladies, Friends and Guests of Shriners

Player Information Individual \$75 4 Player Team \$280

Includes green fees, cart, lunch and welcome bag with two drink tickets and a raffle ticket

Team Captain _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Player 2 _____

Player 3 _____

Player 4 _____

Please Send "Cash or Check" Only To:

Scott Steel, 7740 Long Street, Lenexa, KS 66216 913-515-4996

Prizes awarded for top team in each flight, longest drive, longest putt and closest to the pin. Mulligans available for purchase prior to tee off.

Sponsorships

We have several opportunities available. If interested, please check type of sponsorship desired. Please include artwork and payment with registration.

- \$500 - Corporate Sponsor With 4-Player Team • Includes Two Hole Sponsorships
- \$300 - Corporate Sponsor Without Players • Includes Two Hole Sponsorships
- \$150 - Hole Sponsorship • Hole Sign With Sponsor Logo

Please print company name as you would like it to appear on Hole Sign and attach logo

Company Name _____ Contact Name _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Donations Accepted

Questions? Please contact Scott Steele at 913-515-4996

Thank You for Your Support

Proceeds from this golf tournament are for the benefit of Abdallah Escorts and are not tax deductible as a charitable contribution



While we try to teach our children all about life, Our children teach us what life is all about.



I hope the weather is good tomorrow for my trip to Puerto Backyarda. I'm getting sick of Los Livingroom.

Oldtimers

Do you ever get the urge to start organizing and then 2 hours later you're just looking around at a mess like... what the heck have I done?

Lyndaskitchen.com

Only in America do you find a kid wearing \$150 tennis shoes, drinking a \$5 cup of coffee, typing on his \$1000 cell phone complaining on social media that he is oppressed and that capitalism has failed him!

I'm stuck between I need to save money and you only live once.

WIN THIS BIKE

Proceeds Benefit the Kansas Shrine Bowl



2021 HARLEY-DAVIDSON STREET GLIDE

www.KansasShrineBowl.com/Bike

**DRAWING HELD
SATURDAY, JUNE 26TH**

@

48th Annual Kansas Shrine Bowl
Hutchinson, Kansas
(Need not be present to win)

\$20
Per Ticket

**ONLY 2500
TICKETS
SOLD**



Tickets available:
Allen Baiamonte,
816-204-0945 or
abaiamon@gmail.com

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.



BINGO NIGHT



Featuring
*Miss
Daisy
Buckët*



SATURDAY - JULY 10th

DOORS OPEN AT 6:30pm

Balls Drop at 7pm

ABDALLAH TEMPLE
MAIN HALL

5300 Metcalf - Overland Park, KS

ADVANCE PURCHASE TICKETS

\$15 from DIVAN LADIES or OFFICE

NOT YOUR
GRANDMA'S
BINGO

If you are easily offended, this might not be the event for you. It will contain politically incorrect content. Light snacks will be provided and a cash bar will be available. You MUST have a ticket to enter! Tickets are limited to 150. Prizes will be awarded for the winner of each game.

MUST BE 21+ TO ATTEND!

Proceeds are for the benefit of the Abdallah Shrine Divan Ladies. Payments or donations are not deductible as a charitable donation.

CSSA 2021 Oklahoma City

Thursday, Friday & Saturday
August 19th thru 21st

Registration is \$40 per-person. All attendees must register and you must Register through the Abdallah Shrine Office by August 13th.

Name: _____ Lady _____

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zugelder@ieee.org	
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hmerrick@kc.rr.com	
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gcsippel@gmail.com	
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randbauto66083@yahoo.com	
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Regiscrob@aol.com	
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mikeguilinger@gmail.com	
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benmaltrev@gmail.com	

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dmm1211@hotmail.com	
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klasic_mustanf_lvr@yahoo.com	
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mickey5119@gmail.com	
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chrish@mwfert.com	
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Upcoming Events

The Abdallah Shrine Office hours are 9 AM to 4 PM Monday through Friday.

June 4th - Info Night 6pm

June 4th - Birthday Friday 7pm

June 6th – Shriners International Awareness Day

June 6th – Take Me Home Project

June 7th - SHC Golf Event Noon

June 7th – Bingo - Blue Racers

June 8th – Stated Meeting 7:30pm – Dinner served from 6 – 7 pm

June 9th – Coffee Club 9:30 am

June 12th – Crappie Tournament at Clinton Lake

June 14th – Bingo – Clowns

June 21st – Bingo - Escorts

June 21st – RedZone Meeting – 7pm

June 23rd – Membership Meeting – 7pm

June 26th – Kansas Shrine Bowl

June 28th – Bingo – Antiques & Classic Cars

Thank you and Stay Safe!

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