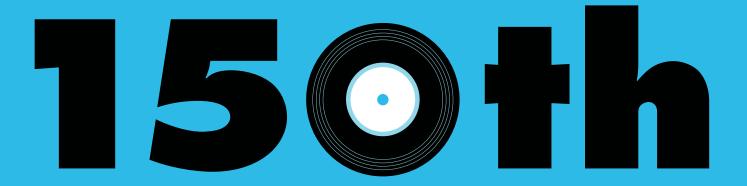
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Nobles and Ladies,

I hope everyone enjoyed themselves in Wichita at CSSA! I am sure we brought home some trophies! Your chief aide, Rich and his lady Cheri did a fantastic job on the hospitality, I am sure everyone got their fill.

Thanks again the Illustrious Sir Dean Isbell on another successful Sportsman Extravaganza. Congratulations to all the winners.

Coming up this month we are going to celebrate the 150th Anniversary of Shriners International. On September 24 we are not going all the way back 150 years but to the 50's for a Sock Hop. Get out your poodle skirts and come out and drink, dance, eat and enjoy a celebration.

In October, the Grand Lodge of Missouri will be holding their annual communication in St. Charles. If you have not been to a session, be sure and register and attend and see what is going on in Masonry in Missouri.

Let us have a big push for membership at the end of the year and get your candidates out to the ceremonial on October 29. This will be in honor of right worshipful brother Rick Kaeser. The ladies will also have a luncheon that day. Things will start around the temple at 11am. See more information in the Camels' Tales.

Hope to see you around the Temple.

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Fraternally,

Ill. Sir Mitch Weinsting



How to Live with Significance

By: Ron Reynolds

"Only those who throw away their lives for my sake and for the sake of the Good News will ever know what it means to really live."

Mark 8:35

Why don't I feel more fulfilled? Far too many people are asking themselves that question. They are not happy, they are not satisfied—in fact, they are miserable

Here is a story that illustrates why. Climbing Mount Everest is one of the challenges that inspire people to do something big. Many people try to reach Everest's summit—but there are also climbers who die in their attempt. Many of the corpses line the path up the mountain. Yet people still want to climb the mountain, though it has no real redeeming social value.

A few years back one climber, David Sharp, was clearly in trouble on the mountain. There were at least forty other climbers who noticed his obvious need but did little to help him. He died on Mount Everest because none of the other climbers were willing to put their personal goals on hold or risk their own safety to help him.

The truth is that most people are like that. Your own personal drive to have more, be more, do more—or even to protect yourself—causes you to lose sight of what really matters. But that is not how God wired you. Life is not about what you make, who you know, what you do, or looking out for yourself. Life is all about love—loving God and loving others.

God wired you in such a way that you will never be happy unless you are giving your life away in his work. You were made for something greater than yourself. The Bible calls this your mission in life. Significance does not come from status, salary, or sex. It comes from service.

It is only when you give your life away that you will feel fulfilled—like you are living a life of significance.



These we do not forget "Es Selamu Aleikum"

We do not lose the ones we love they only go before, Where there is everlasting life. Where sorrow is no more. And there the soul will always live and peace is everywhere. We do not lose the ones we love, God takes them in his care.

June/July

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2023 CIRCUS UPDATE



Ron Reynolds: Circus Director Shaun Ruether: Circus Chairman (314) 732-2121 (314) 960-7398

It is time to start thinking about our 2023 Moolah Shrine Circus. Dates are March 23 to 26, 2023.

Let's get out and start getting ads for the ad book, electronic banners and corporate sponsors.

Businesses are putting their 2023 budgets together and we might as well be on them.

Let's have a great circus.

Thanks for all you do.

314-732-2121 or rdreynolds6@charter.net.



Name:	Lady or Guest(s):
Address:	City, State, Zip:
Phone:	

Ambassadors

Chairmen: PP David Dieckhaus custom636@gmail.com

Co-Chairmen: Wally Bowman wallygloria@sbcglobal.net

Treasurer: Don Wander Dandmat3119@sbcglobal.net

Summer is winding down with a few warm days remaining. Fall is a time of transition. Baseball's World Series is underway, and football and hockey have begun. People are getting back to their regular routines and activities. Lawn mowers, picnic tables, and patio furniture have been stored, and the snow blower is ready. The Ambassador luncheon is also back. The September date is September 9th, and the October date is October 14th. Plan to attend. It is a great way to reconnect with old friends and share tail stories.

Moolah will host a number of events and activities in the coming months. WW2 Hanger Dance will be performed by the Order of Quetzalcoatl ARCA 21 on Saturday, September 3rd. The music is provided by Second Generation Swing, an 18-piece big band. The \$20 admission fee will benefit the Q Foundation for Kids. Please contact Jay at j.traxel@yahoo.com or 314-537-7913 for more information or to make a reservation.

On September 11th, Country Lakes Golf Club has a 4-person golf scramble. Sign-in is at noon, with a shotgun starting at 1 pm. Lunch is provided, plus beer, soda, and water all day. Dinner is after 18 holes. Proceeds will help ARCA 21 support the transportation of children to Shriner's Hospital in St. Louis. Contact Mark Davis at 314-277-2178 or markd2422@gmail.com to make a reservation.

Joachim Shrine Club will host a Poker Run on Saturday, September 17, 2022. Start and finish are at the American Legion Post 253 in Fetus, MO. Contact Kevin at 314-452-4832.

> If you like cars, attend the annual Daniel Boone Shrine Club car show on September 18th at

O'Fallon Plaza. Registration begins at 10:00 am, with the show starting at noon. You will see various cars of different makes, models, and years. You can enter your vehicle as well. Call Mark at 314-605-7615 to make a reservation or for more information.

Plan to attend the Third Annual John Mike Cordell Children's Charity Golf Classic on September 18th at the Courses at Forest Park. The event benefits Shriners Children's St. Louis & Wings of Hope. Call Marilyn at 314-205-9662 for more information.

Enjoy the 50's Sock Hop on September 24th at Moolah hosted by Illustrious Sir Mitch Weinsting and Lady Beth. It is the celebration of the 150th Anniversary of Shriners International. The cost is \$25 per person. Contact the office to make a reservation.

On Sunday, October 9th, TCCA will hold a "Trash or Treasure" event. For \$20 a ticket, Kadner Galleries will make an expert evaluation of your item. Proceeds will be donated to TCAA Toy Fund. You may find your treasure worth something like New York's family. They bought a cup at a garage sale for \$3.00. It was a 1000-year-old Chinese cup worth \$2 million.

ARCA 21 is hosting a trivia night on October 22nd. The cost is \$200 for a table of eight. Raffles, silent auction and 50/50 will be part of the fun. Net proceeds benefit the transportation of children to Shriners Children's St. Louis. Make checks payable to ARCA 21, 2350 Bruno Ave. St. Louis Mo. 63114.

The Fall Ceremonial honoring RWM Richard Kaeser will be on Saturday, October 29th. Noble Kaeser will be the Grand Master of the Missouri Grand Lodge in 2023. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m., followed by an orientation, lunch, and the Ceremonial. A tailgate party is planned for enjoyment, socializing, and meeting new people. Noble Kaeser has been a Moolah Shriner since 1989. He has a long and distinguished Masonic career, holding numerous offices and titles. Lady Beth will host a luncheon for the ladies honoring Carolyn Kaeser, who will be the Grand Lodge of Missouri's First Lady. The luncheon is set for 11:30 a.m. at Edgewood Winery in Chesterfield. Call the office before October 21st to make a reservation.

We regret to inform you that Ambassadors James Smith, PP. and William Drake, PP, have ridden the Black Camel. Noble Smith was a member of the North and South County Shrine Clubs, as well as the Three Rivers Shrine Club and the Arab Patrol. In 1983, he was the Potentate. In 1974, he received his medallion and four rubies. Noble Brake belonged to the Arab Patrol, the Ceremonial Cast, and the Gateway 500. In 2010, he was Potentate. In 2000, he received his medallion, which contained three diamonds and seven rubies. Everyone will remember these fine Nobles for all they did to improve Moolah.

Happy Birthday to all Ambassadors born in September or October!

Have a great and safe Labor Day Weekend.

Labor Day trivia: Labor Day is the third most popular grilling day.

ONCE AN AMBASSADOR, ALWAYS AN AMBASSADOR!

Arab Patrol

Director: Scott Haenel 314-677-5434

President: Jerome D'Agostino 314-565-3790

1st Vice President: Kevin Kramer 314-486-7875

2nd Vice President: Dan Hancock 314-724-9657

Treasurer: Jan Phillips 314-348-7919

Secretary: Dennis Shell 636-288-6078

Arab Patrol hopes everyone had a safe and joyful 4th of July. It was a momentous day to celebrate the birth of our nation with family and friends. We, Arab Patrol, celebrated by

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participating in the Bridgeton Parade. It was another box checked as we move towards our competition in the CSSA. Although the extremely hot weather proved to be a challenge, we were rewarded by those in attendance, many of which was beaming in patriotism, as they were greeting us, encouraging us, and thanking us for our participation in their beloved parade. All and all, it was a wonderful day for all involved and another opportunity to allow the "Great American Spirit" to shine thru.

As we all know, the CSSA is right around the corner, Arab Patrol is now practicing for our competition. For you, the reader, who is not familiar with our CSSA Competition, it is split into two separate activities. The first is the Drill Competition, we have a "Set Drill," and we are practicing this routine now, fine tuning it, if you will, as we prepare to sharpen our routine for the CSSA Judges. Our second appearance at the CSSA, will be our participation in the CSSA Parade, it is not as competitive as the Drill Competition, however, it is also a judged event and one that we do not take lightly. Trophies are awarded for both events. Many of our members are involved with several activities during the CSSA and because of these commitments they are unable to perform in both. So, we have plenty of openings, it is not too late for you to come and join us and to put us over the top. Imagine the pride that you will feel knowing that you helped a brother, helped one of the oldest standing units in Shrinedom and help us bring home our trophies, back to where they belong, to Moolah. Give our Captain, Scott, a call at 314-677-5434. Practices are Mondays and Thursdays, 6:30PM, until we depart for the CSSA.

Lastly, a tip of the Fez to the following three members, all of whom are celebrating 25 years of membership in the Patrol during the calendar year of 2022, they are: Greg Heins (5/5/97), Kevin Heins (5/5/97) and Mark Staffne (6/23/97). "Gentlemen, Thank-You and a Job Well Done!"

BBQ Smokin' Nobles

Director: Dennis Burkholder 314-570-1904

President: Travis Mayer 636-675-0831

Vice President: Keith Schilb 636-236-7436

Treasurer: Dave Hope 314-406-0744

Secretary: Jim Gesell 636-352-5146

The merger of the Smokin' Nobles with the Muscle Car Unit continues to progress. Keith Schilb, Tom Nelson, Travis Mayer, and Dennis Burkholder are on the committee that is working to make this happen. The names for the merged Unit are still being considered.

The BBQ Smokin' Nobles Unit will be preparing hamburgers and brats (as well as possibly chicken breasts) for the Shrine's Trash or Treasure event on Sunday, October 9. We are also contacting all of the Blue Lodges in the area and offering to prepare a meal for their meeting while also promoting our Unit and the Shrine. Other BBQ fundraiser events are planned, including car cruises with the Muscle Car Unit. We hope to hold a Wing Cook-off, a cooking competition and tournament, Master Cooking classes, and possibly a KCBS BBQ event with the National BBQ Champion!

We hope to be able to serve the Veterans at Jefferson Barracks on Veteran's Day, but the VA is currently prohibiting events. We will take part in the Feztival of Trees in November, cook for the Christmas parties in December, and help the Potentate and other Units in any way we can during 2022.

If you enjoy barbecuing and fellowship with a group of great guys, this is the unit for you! We also have NO yearly dues! Simply show up and have fun! We invite you to our Business Meeting on the first Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. You'll have a great time cooking, serving, and eating BBQ with and for our Masonic, Shrine, and military Brothers. Come and join us!

Capital Shrine

President: Corey Dawson 573-301-8670

Treasurer: Jim Trammell 573-338-0211

Secretary: David Mauldin 573-896-4389

Our Annual Fish Fry on Saturday, June 4, 2022, was a complete and total success. At our Fish Fry, we were delighted to welcome our Illustrious Potentate Mitch Weinsting and several of his Divan members. Noble David Mauldin won the Gun Raffle, which was also a success. Noble David Perkins was given a standing ovation for his contribution to the success of the event.

Noble Ben Dennison is shown below presenting the Shrine Lady of the Year for 2022, to Lady Michelle Dawson, with members of the Missouri River Bottom Band looking on in the background.

Noble Ed Glawson (right) and Noble Dana DeWeese (left) present the Shrine Teddy Bear Blanket to Dawn Pearson, a waitress at a local restaurant, for her outstanding support of our A & J dollars collection. In the last five years, she has given Noble Ed Glawson over 2,000 A&J dollars.

Except for July and August, the Capitol Shrine Club meets on the second Tuesday of each month at 2432 Tanner Bridge Road in Jefferson City, MO.



Chanters El Koran

President: David Larkin 314-570-1904

Director Emeritus: Jerry L. Gaddy 636-779-3242

President, Conductor: Jim 636-352-5146

Vice President: Rich Farrar 314-608-9606

Treasurer: Barry Spitzer 314-239-8179

Secretary: John Glass 314-805-8376

The Chanters held our two main fundraisers this year: the Festival of the Little Hills in St. Charles in August and the Green Tree Festival in September. We will also be selling Ted Drewes Frozen Custard at the October 9 Trash or Treasure Event in the Temple Ballroom. We are in the process of organizing Karaoke events, and we look forward to singing aboard our Unit float at future parades. Finally, if you would like some free entertainment at one of your Christmas events, please let us know. We would love to sing for you if we can.

The Chanters held a Ladies Night on Monday, June 27 for all our members, their Ladies, and our Chanter widows. There was a patriotic 4th of July themed dinner and a performance of patriotic songs by the Chanters afterwards. We plan to hold another Ladies Night during the 4th Quarter of this year with a Thanksgiving Theme.

If you like to sing, please join us. We are in special need of your voice if you are a bass! We meet every Monday night at 7:00 pm in our Unit room at the Shrine to rehearse (the first Monday of each month being the business meeting). We hope to see you there!

Daniel Boone Shrine

President: Mike Heuer 314-814-3367

Mark your calendar for September 29th and October 27th and we'll see you at JJ's Restaurant in O'Fallon. You don't have to be a member to give us a try. Just bring your Lady and come on out and join us for a fun night. We have members from nearly every Unit/Club/ Committee at Moolah, so I am sure that you'll already know a few people when you arrive. And this is a great opportunity to make a few new friends!

We meet on the "Last Thursday" of the month at JJ's Restaurant in O'Fallon. Arrive around 5:30 for dinner, and at 7:00 the guys will have a meeting and our Ladies will play Bunko. As always – BRING YOUR LADY. This is a fun night for everyone!

If you would like more information about our activities, give President Mike a call at 314-814-3367. We would love to have you and your Lady join us!

Hospital Reception Committee

Director: Jim Gesell 636-352-5146

President: David Sir 314-280-7865

Vice President: Kevin Davis 314-482-8602

Treasurer: Zach Rodgers 573-614-2015

Secretary: Randy Baer 314-277-7097

The Hospital Reception Committee continues to help our Moolah Shrine Clubs set up screening clinics and contact professionals who can refer children in need of our services. The average daily census of inpatients at our St. Louis Hospital has risen from less than two to 3.6. The Northeast Missouri Shrine Club, which has already identified children in need of our assistance, deserves special mention. Thank you so much to everyone at NEMO for your hard work and dedication. We are attempting to replicate our success with other Clubs, Units, and Shrines in the St. Louis Hospital catchment area.An increasing number of our Hospital **Reception Committee members are** getting certified to volunteer at the Hospital, but we need even more. Our volunteer's staff the screening desk at the Hospital every morning from 6:30 am to 10:30 am. A second volunteer from 10:30 am to 2:30 pm. We also assist in purchasing, storing, and distributing the toys given out to our medical clinic patients at the end of their appointment, helping ensure that all our kids leave with a smile on their faces and a pleasant memory of their visit.

Committee members conducted first tour of our Hospital on Sunday, June 26 for the Nobles and Ladies from Zorah Shrine. We are hopeful this will be the first of many tours for both Shriners and the community. Have all your Unit members had a tour of our Hospital? How about their Ladies? The Hospital Reception Committee would love to set up a private tour for your group to see the Hospital we support and to give everyone a better idea the amazing things that happen there. We could also arrange for food to be delivered, making the event into a Ladies Night for your Unit. If your Unit is interested, please contact one of our members.

Our committee is in charge of selling and collecting dinner tickets prior to each Stated Meeting, selling 50/50 tickets, checking dues cards, collecting the password at Stated Meetings, staffing the Gift Shop, taking blood pressures at Ceremonials, sizing candidates' for their first fez, running the Racquet Ruckus, supplying Toys for Clinic patients, assisting in setting up patient screening clinics, staffing a Novelty Booth at the Circus, and other duties as requested by the Potentate or the Hospital.

Join us if you want to do any of these things to help the Shrine, our hospital, and our patients! We invite you to join us for our Business Meeting on the second Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. in our Committee Room at the Shrine. We'll see you there!

Joachim Shrine Club

President: Randy Green

1st Vice President: Tony Mueller

2nd Vice President: DJ Hermen

Secretary/Treasurer: Nathan Coughlin

Email: joachimshrineclub@gmail.com

Greetings from Jefferson County! A lot of wonderful things happening with Joachim Shrine Club this year.

First, we want to wish a VERY Happy 99th Birthday to one of the charter members of Joachim Shrine Club! Elmo Blum celebrated his 99th birthday in June. Joachim Shrine Club began in 1979 and Elmo Blum was one of the founders and continued to be active in Joachim Shrine Club until 2021 when he decided to step down and hand over the reigns to others to continue the mission.

Joachim Shrine Club is also planning a big fundraiser. On September 17th, we will be holding our 1st Annual "Run What Ya Brung" Poker Run! This poker run is open to all street-legal, insured vehicles. The event will start and end at the American Legion Post 253 in Festus, MO. The American Legion has been a great supporter of Joachim Shrine Club over the years, and their many generous donations have helped ensure that Joachim would continue to be able to support Moolah, Shriner's Children's, and the kids in our care. We hope that this event is a big success and hope to see you all there!

JSC meets on the 4th Wednesday of each month at Weber's Front Row in Arnold, MO. If you are in the Jefferson County or South St. Louis County areas (or even if you are not) we welcome, you to attend a meeting and join us for fun and fellowship. Please contact an officer or email joachimshrineclub@ gmail.com if you would like to be added to our mailing list. Our membership continues to grow, and we add new members every month. We always love to see new Nobles join us at meetings!

Mounted Lancers

Captain: Allen Goggins allencoggins01@gmail.com

President: Pancho Windler pancho@windlers.net

The Lancers participated in the Fair St. Louis parade on Saturday, July 2. We had ten horses in the parade. This event helps support the unit and will also help in maintaining the ranch. Thanks to Allen Coggins (Unit Captain), Dave Allen, Pancho Windler (Unit President), and Dave Wren (Unit Treasure) for supplying the horses. In addition, to all the help from other unit members and family in preparing for the parade.

On September 24, the Lancers will be in the Celebrate Wildwood parade. Come out and support the Unit and enjoy live music, food, and drink vendors.

The Unit meets the second Tuesday of each month at the ranch in Robertsville. For those interested in meetings, minutes or finding out more about the unit, please reach out to one of the officers.

Swing Dance

Director: Bud Waters 636-225-2354

President: Dennis Martin 636-293-3348

Vice President: Gary Fanger 636-447-2361

Secretary: Gene Burnett 636-219-7221

Treasurer: Charlie Haas 314-575-5020

We Dance So Kids Can Walk

Come join us on Friday nights for live bands, socializing and dancing. We provide a cash bar at all of our dances. You are welcome to bring your own snacks. No outside drinks are allowed. Admission is \$10. Doors open at 6:30 pm. Band plays from 7 to 10.30 pm.

Sept, 9. Laytham and Holmes. A duo who plays a wide assortment of music from Swing, Blues, Rat Pack, Pop, Motown and Rock and Roll.

Sept 16. Crossfire. They are a four person band playing a wide variety of music from, Swing, Pop, Funk, Motown, R&B and Rock and Roll.

Sept. 23 Trilogy. They are a seven member band playing Swing, Motown, Pop, Disco, Classic Rock, Funk, Golden oldies and today's hits.

Sept 30. The Charlie Mann Band. They are a five member band playing swing, pop, 80's country and Rock and Roll.

October 7. The Backstreet Cruisers return to the Oasis. They are a four member band with the best of 50's and 60's Rock and Roll for everyone to enjoy.

October 14, Fanfare is a four member band playing a wide variety of music from Pop, Motown, R&B, Rock Classics and Big Band.

October 21. Larry Gwaltney Band. They are a 5 person band playing R&B, Motown, Blues, Swing and Funk.

October 28. Trilogy. They are a seven member band playing Swing, Motown, Pop, Disco, Classic Rock, Funk, Golden oldies and today's hits.

Plan a date night and join us for a fun filled evening. Invite your friends, too. There is plenty of room to dance on our 3,200 square foot dance floor. We do not care how you dance, just come and have a good time.

Visit www.mssdc.org for more information.

Tap & Cigar Club

Chairman: Dave Jacobi

Come one, come all to the next Moolah Tap and Cigar Club gathering on the 1st Tuesday of the Month in the beautiful Moolah Oasis at 6 pm.

We gather once a month and have a drink or two of your favorite beverages and we have a few cigars, or pipes if you prefer, and have a good old time relaxing and having some good conversations.

Clubs like ours have been started all over The International Shrine for the purpose of having fun and fellowship with no agenda in mind, and they are growing to where they are having around 100 nobles in attendance. One of the largest ones is at the Boston Aleppo Shrine where they are always having great attendance.

So, consider joining us on the 1st Tuesday of the month and meet some Nobles from our Shrine.

TCAA

President: Charles Hass

Vice President: Dennis Martin

Secretary/Treasurer: Bob Daniels

TCAA will conduct a "Trash or Treasure" antique and heirloom expert evaluation event in conjunction with Kodner Galleries on Sunday, October 9, 2022. The doors will open at 12:30 p.m., and evaluations will begin at 1 p.m. and continue until 5 p.m. in the Shrine Ballroom. Our event's \$20 ticket price includes admission and an expert verbal evaluation of one item. At the door, general admission (without appraisal) will be \$5. A second evaluation will be available for an additional \$15 if space allows. Your Unit will keep the \$5 admission fee from ticket sales. We are expecting to have the capacity for four hundred - five hundred evaluations, and it is expected that another one hundred or so people will attend without an antique or heirloom to evaluate. We are allowing TCAA members to submit fund-raising ideas for their Unit to conduct in conjunction with the event. So far, the Swing Dance Unit will be selling beverages. The Smokin' Nobles will be cooking hamburgers and brats. The Guides will serve chili, chili dogs, nachos, and cheese. The Chanters will be selling Ted Drewes Frozen Custard. The Hospital Reception Committee will be selling popcorn and pretzels. If your Unit does not have a TCAA representative, now would be a fun time to elect at least one to submit your request for an additional fundraiser. If you would like to be a TCAA Director, ask your Unit. Each Unit is allowed up to three representatives. All net proceeds from the evaluations will go towards the TCAA Toy Fund, which provides toys for every Shriner Kid that visits our Hospital Medical Clinic.

At our April 2022 Business Meeting, the Directors of TCAA decided to support the purchase of a new patient transport van when a new one is needed. A final vote will be taken once a specific request for the desired van is submitted. Please consider supporting the Toy Fund with cash or a toy donation if your Unit wants to make a tax-deductible contribution that will go directly to our clinic patients at the Shriners Childeren St. Louis. Make checks payable to the TCAA Toy Fund. If your Unit would like to make a tax-deductible contribution to one of our other hospital purchases, please make checks payable to TCAA.

We meet every fourth Wednesday of the month at 6:00 p.m. in the Sheikh's Louge, and we hope to see you there!

Three Rivers Shrine Club

President: Corey Christian 573-718-6511

1st Vice President: Aaron Morris 573-712-3956

2nd Vice President: Mike Gustin 217-771-1895

Treasurer: Larry Capps 573-778-6516

Secretary: Danny Phillips 270-872-5464

Going to change the words of a song to "This is dedicated to someone I Love" and am proud to call my Brother/ Friend. Bruce Goin aka Bee Gee the Clown is an example of what we should all strive to be. His dedication and love for our Fraternity/Philanthropy is unquestionable and he is always willing to do what is requested. Bee Gee always has a new trick with something funny.

At a recent function, a little boy walked up and said, "Hey Clown---I want a balloon---Bee Gee looked at him and said, "Hey kid---I want a hot dog." The youngster got him a hot dog and Bee Gee gave him a balloon in return. He often stops in front of an adult sitting in a lawn chair watching a parade, and before it is all said and done, Bee Gee is sitting in their chair or on their porch clapping for the parade as it goes by.

Bruce was President of TRSC and was the second best we ever had,



plus Secretary/Treasurer for several years, again possibly the second best we ever had. Bruce, like most Shriners does not do it for the thanks, recognition, or pay, he does it for the love of the kids. That is not to say he would turn down a huge bowl of ice cream, knowing he helped change a child's life or put a smile on someone's face is his standard fee. Bruce does not do this on his own, he has the full support of his beautiful wife Lou Ellen, aka Lucy Lou, his motorcycle "chick."

September meeting is Thursday September 15th with Social Hour at 6:00 PM and Meal at 7:00. Say your prayers, pay it forward, wear your Fez with pride, and be a part of the love and fun at TRSC.



YOMO

President: Bill Pires 314-724-5585

1st Vice President: Paul Smith 314-503-0473

2nd Vice President: Ron Townley 573-263-9731

Secretary: Rob Hynes 636-373-0569

Treasurer: Dennis Huey 314-913-0879

Email address: yomomolah@gmail.com

We had a fun time and spread hospital awareness at a bunch of parades in the past couple of months. We even had a mention during the Imperial Session Parade on Shriners International Facebook Live. It is just before the 1-hour mark if you would like to have a listen. The Sportsman's Extravaganza was a fun time as always. A few members got to participate in the Aiden Green Superhero parade in Rolla and see Austin Naucke's first pitch at Shriners Day at the ballpark. Overall, it has been a great summer so far.

A page on Facebook created a meme with a parade photo of YOMO featuring Ray Westhouse. Along with some colorful language it says all Shriners looked forward to the parade, but Ray lived for it. Who cares right? Well that meme was shared over 20,000 times as of the writing of this. That is a lot of eyes seeing Moolah YOMO Shriners doing what they love to do. Hopefully, it may spark some interest in potential new members.

Fun Mizzou Fact:

The University of Missouri has over nineteen famous and professional athletes that have graduated from the campus.

If you would like to be a part of the fun, you can stop by the YOMO unit room for a meeting or go to our website www.moolahyomo.com and subscribe to our calendar of events.

Upcoming Events:

The Ainad Little Big Rig's Nubys Jeep Run on September 17th.

We are having a Meat Shoot in September. It is on the 11th, 12:30pm at the VFW Post 4223 at 215 Military Rd in Lemay, MO! Come have some fun with us and please spread the word and bring your friends. The funds raised help offset the rising costs of insurance and other expenses the Mini Patrol incurs, and the event also provides Fun and Fellowship! If you would like to help, please arrive around 11:30 am for set up.

We meet on the 2nd Wednesday of the month in the YOMO room. Please check your emails for updates. Also, if you are on Facebook, please connect with Moolah YOMO as well. Rob sends out regular emails. If you are not receiving them, please let him know.

See you on the streets!



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OCTOBER 29 11:30 AM

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A and J Dollars (Angels and Jesus)

By: Dana DeWeese

Dawn Pearson is a waitress at Cameron's Country Cafe in Holts Summit, Missouri. To support Shriners Hospitals, Dawn collects every "A" and "J" dollar from her tips, the tips of other staff members, and from the cash register, with permission from her boss and coworkers.

Noble Ed Glawson buys about 90% of the money collected. Dawn donates the rest from her tips.

Glawson makes sure every dollar is then donated to the Shriners Hospitals through Capital Shrine Club in Jefferson City, MO.



Dawn and Ed have been doing this for over five years, amounting to well over two thousand dollars in donations.

As a small thank you for her efforts, past presidents Noble Dana DeWeese and Noble Ed Glawson presented Dawn with a Loves Shriners Blanket, June 7th, 2022, at Cameron's Country Cafe. A small group of family and friends witnessed and cheered the event. Dawn in turn thanked the Club, the Nobles, and all the staff at Shriners Hospitals for the wonderful care give to each child and family. Generous hearts are everywhere if you know where to look.

A Tribute to a Shriner Friend



Robert Edward Gruver passed away Thursday, June 30, 2022 at the age of 51 after a valiant battle with cancer that he fought with the strength of a warrior.

Robert grew up in Fenton, MO and graduated from South County Technical School, focusing on small engine repair. While there, he was the captain of his soccer team and Vice President of his class. After high school, he worked for a machine shop, repairing lawn equipment and mowers, and then he went on to work for the St. Louis Moolah Shriners for 28 years, a job he dearly loved alongside people he was truly fond of in so many ways.

Robert is survived by his mother, Michelle Gruver, and his sister, Lanette Imig (Mark), as well as his niece Ashten Young (Brandon) and his nephew, Eric Witzel. Most recently, he was preceded in death by his brother, Jeffrey Gruver, who also had a similar cancer diagnosis. He was also preceded in death by his father, Michael Gruver, Sr., and his brother, Micheal Gruver Junior, as well as his grandparents on both sides of the family. He was and will always be a beloved son, brother, grandson, uncle, cousin and friend.

In keeping with Robert's wishes, there are no public services planned. The family requests that In lieu of flowers or gifts that you simply help someone who needs it, or reach out to a family whose loved one is struggling with cancer. You can also consider a memorial gift to Mercy Health Foundation, The American Cancer Society, or Shriners Children's St. Louis.

John Anderson

Masonic Lodge journey began in January 2015 at Fenton Lodge.

John became a member of Moolah Shrine February 2015. He is a member of the Moolah Swing Dance Unit and the Guides and a former VP of American Muscle organizing the Parades. He has worked Bingo and very involved with the Guides Hospital Van. Noble Anderson is the current President of the Guides Unit and the Hospital Van Chairman. With the Guides he is also Chair Hand Camp for Moolah once a year with the Shriner patients. He has been a driver for the kids in the Hospital Van since 2015. He is an Aide and Ambassador and a member of the Daniel Boone Club.



He is also a new member of the Q.

The Public Relations Committee is proud to have Noble John Anderson as our Shriner of the Month for August.



Bob Wesling

Shriner of the Month for September is Noble Bob Wesling.

Bob was raised as a Mason at Noble Lodge in 2017 and joined Moolah the same year. He is a member of the Muscle Cars, and the BBQ Smoking Nobles and is the current 2nd VP of the Moolah Guides. You will find Noble Wesling working at the circus and helping our kids at our hospital regularly. His help throughout our building and our hospital have been awe-inspiring.

The Public Relations Committee is proud to have Noble Bob Wesling as our Shriner of the Month for September.





Wayne Price Marshal

Potentate Russell Georgeon is proud to appoint Wayne Price as Moolah Temple Marshal for 2020. He previously served on the Divan in 2014. Price was initiated in Auora Masonic Lodge in 1972 and served as Master of the Lodge in 1984, 1993 and 1996. He became a member of the Scottish Rite, Moolah Temple and the Guides in 1979. He was President of the Guides Unit in 2005; Guides Director Emeritus since 2014 and Moolah Guides Bingo Chairman since 2008. He has served as Moolah's Parade Marshal Emeritus; Aide Emeritus and is the Moolah Building Committee Chairman. He is a member of the Director Staff; Gateway 500; Ambassadors, Yomo; Ecmo Shrine Club; Mid Mo Shrine Club; Royal Order Jesters; Order of Quetzalcoatl, ARCA Teocalli

#21; OES 397; DeMolay; Legion of Honor and Hillbilly Clan 140.

Wayne was married to Grace for 53 years. They have 3 Children, 5 Grandchildren and 4 Great Grandchildren.



Nathan Coughlin Captain of the Guard

Nathan Coughlin was born and raised in South St. Louis County, graduated from Westminster Christian Academy in Ladue in 2006, and received his B.A. in management from Webster University in 2013. He is currently the business manager for Music Go Round St. Charles.

Nathan began his masonic career at Craftsmen Lodge #717 in 2006 and has served the lodge as Temple Board President, Memorial Fund (charity) Committee Chairman and was Worshipful Master in 2013. Nathan Joined the Scottish Rite Valley of St. Louis in 2010 and was Honored with the rank of Knight Commander of the Court of Honor in 2017. He served as Venerable Master of The Lodge of Perfection in 2017 and has been honored to remain on the degree team of that body. He is currently the chaplain of the St. Louis K.C.C.H. Association. He is also a member of Keystone #146 and Oriental-Rabboni #78 Chapters of Royal Arch Masons and serves the Grand Chapter as Assistant Grand Chaplain. Additionally, he is member of Meridian Chapter #442 Order of The Eastern Star where he currently serves as Worthy Patron.

After completing his year in the east at Craftsmen Lodge Nathan followed his grandfather's footsteps by becoming a Moolah Shriner. He is Member of the Guides Unit, Ceremonial Cast, and Joachim Shrine Club where he serves as Secretary/Treasurer. He is also a member of the Hillbilly Shriners Sho-Me Clan No. 140 and served as Potentate's Aide for the year 2021.

He met his wife Christine a Navy Veteran and Real Estate Agent in 2011 and they

have two children Grant (8) and McKinley (5) and reside in South St. Louis County.







































PARTY THE YEAR TAILGATE EXTRAVAGANZA

10/29/22 • 4PM • MOOLAH TEMPLE

Please join Illustrious Sir Mitch Weinsting for an afternoon of fun and fellowship welcoming our new nobles. I would like to ask each unit and committee to participate in having a theme for their room. If the weather is good, some may want to use the outdoor patio. It will be a great time to get to know the new nobles and tell them what they need to know about your unit.

For further information contact 2nd Ceremonial Master, Keven Worley with any questions at kevinworley 1@icloud.com or cell 314-580-8336.

A St. Louis Clown with a Heart for Patients



obert Gale has been clowning around for 49 years. He became a Shrine clown in 1973 in Syracuse, New York, where he earned his bachelor's and master's degrees in chemical engineering.

Through his professional career, his temple membership transferred from the Tigris Shrine to the Hadji Shrine in Pensacola, Florida, to the Moolah Shrine in St. Louis.

Retired now, he's best known around town as "Robby the Clown." You'll find him in parades, in the circus, at events, and most importantly, entertaining patients at Shriners Children's St. Louis.

"What does it take to be a clown? It takes a smile. You have to be in it for others, not for yourself," Robby said

He learned that lesson during his first visit to a Shriners Children's hospital.

"When you're having a chicken lunch with a child who is eating the chicken with his feet because he didn't have any arms, you learn early on that it's your job to stay in character and entertain," he said. "You can't get too emotional about what you're seeing. Us clowns are with the kids so they can have fun and not stress about their treatment."

Robby the Clown is excited to get back in front of patients once it's safe and COVID-19 restrictions loosen. He knows there's another generation of smiles he has yet to unlock.

As for the legacy of the last 100 years of Shriners Children's, Robby said the proof is all around us.

"There are grown children out there that you don't know were our patients," he said with a smile. "And you don't know that they were our patients because we did such a good job in providing them care. That's the testament to Shriners Children's."

Robby the Clown is 71 years young. He might move a little slower than when he started clowning around almost five decades ago, but don't count him out. Robby plans to entertain patients for years to come.

"As long as I can put the make-up on and make a kid laugh," promised Robby.

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One Evaluation & Admission

Admission Only (Pay at the door)

OCTOBER 9TH SUNDAY

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All Proceeds to Benefit the TCAA Toy Fund for Shriner's Medical Patients.

Reflections of a Staff Nurse at Shriners Children's St. Louis

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ny surgery comes with its own anxieties and concerns, but there is a certain elevated level of tension and worry when a child is having surgery. Many children are scared and intimidated by the whole experience.

No doubt about it, the patient's family is nervous and wants nothing more than for their child to get the best care and outcomes possible. Colleen Hogland doesn't take that lightly.

"We have stayed true to the mission by providing the highest quality care to our kids in a compassionate, family-centered environment," Colleen said about Shriners Children's St. Louis, the hospital to which she has dedicated the last four decades of her career. "We also continue research to improve our patients' quality of life."

Colleen prides herself on working for a healthcare system that emphasizes quality care in every way, and takes personal responsibility for providing the most amazing care anywhere for children and families facing surgeries

Colleen spent nearly 30 years as a staff nurse in one of the Shriners Children's St. Louis inpatient-nursing units. Since 2009, though, she has been an integral part of the pre-op and recovery team. She values the fact that Shriners Children's mission never wavers. While the mission remains the same, things have changed a lot over Colleen's long career in nursing.

"Our kids' length of stay is so much shorter now," Colleen said. "Visiting hours have changed a lot too. When I first came, even parents had to follow set visiting hours and were not allowed to stay overnight. All of the charting was on paper until 2004, when SHCIS (Shriners Hospitals for Children Internet System) came into our lives. I started in the day when we used 'one-inch by one-inch' medication cards to pass our meds. Now of course, we use the Medication Administration Wizard with barcoding."

While technology has advanced the practice and presented its own challenges over the years, Colleen's favorite part of the job never changes. "The kids are what make working here so special and wonderful," she said. "I love working at Shriners because of the beautiful, loving, happy, strong children we get to help get better every day."

Interactions with patients have provided a lot of special memories for Colleen over the years, but one encounter stands out. "We had a party at the old hospital before it closed in 2015, and so many of our previous long-term patients came back to see us," she recalled. "It was like a big reunion of patients, doctors and staff. The first patient I ever took care of in 1982 attended the party. I hadn't seen Dawn or her mom in more than 25 years."

For Colleen, it felt like mission accomplished.

"It was just so special to see them again," she said. "They were still so grateful for the care received at Shriners and how it changed her life."

Article provided by Shriners Children's St. Louis

THREE RIVERS SHRINE CLUB POKER

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH

RIDE TO BEGIN AND END AT THREE RIVERS SHRINE CLUB 3102 KENNEDY DRIVE - POPLAR BLUFF, MO

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Results from an independent survey conducted by Shriners Hospitals for Children® show many people do not practice fire and burn prevention during the holidays.

Follow these simple safety tips for a safe holiday season!



TREE CARE AND HOLIDAY DECORATIONS

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- Inspect lights for bare wires, frays or kinks.
- Never use indoor lights outside.

HOLIDAY COOKING

- Keep an eye on what you fry.
- Turn pot handles toward the back of the stove so children cannot reach them.
- Wear short sleeves or roll up sleeves when cooking.

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• Keep something, such as a lid or cookie sheet, nearby to cover a pan if it catches on fire.

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don't keep a lid or cookie sheet nearby to extinguish cooking fires

CANDLE CARE

- Consider using battery-operated, flameless candles
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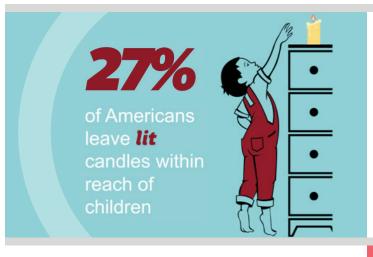
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- Teach every member of the household how to recognize the smell of natural gas. Some compare it to the smell of rotting eggs or food.
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Moolah® Shrine

To the Potentate, Officers and Nobles of Moolah Shrine, situated in the Oasis of St. Louis, Desert of Missouri, I, the undersigned, hereby declare that I am a Master Mason in good standing in Lodge, #, located at

which is a Lodge recognized by or in amity with the Conference of Grand Masters of North America. Furthermore, I have resided at my current address for not less than 6 months, as required by the By-laws of Shriners International. I respectfully request that I may be made a Noble of the Mystic Shrine, and become a member of your temple.

If, I be found worthy, and my request granted, I promise to conform to the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Imperial Council and the Bylaws and Ceremonies of the Moolah Temple.

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Meeting Schedules

Stated Meetings

January 19th February 16th March 16th April 20th

May 18th September 21st June 15th October 19th July 20th November 16th August 17th December 21st (election) Stated Meeting Reminders: Dress in business casual, Dues Cards are required, dinner is served at 5:30pm and meetings begin at 7:00pm, along with balloting on all new petitions for memberships.

Name

Air Patrol Arab Patrol Band BBQ Smokin' Nobles Chanters

Clowns DeMolay **Directors Staff** Drum Corps

Gateway 500 Guides Hospital Reception Comm. Legion of Honor Motor Patrol Mounted Lancers Muscle Car Unit **Operational Support Unit** Seniors Sportsmen Unit Swing Dance Unit TCAA **Unique Motors** YOMO

Date & Time 2nd Mon 1st Mon. Drill Practice 4th Mon. Every Wed. 1st Wed. 7:30pm 1st Mon. Business Meeting 7:30pm Rehearsal every Mon. 7:30pm 3rd Mon. 3rd Wed. 6:30pm 1st Mon. 2nd Mon. Rehearsals 1st, 3rd, 4th Mon. 2nd Tues. Last Friday 2nd Wednesday 7:00pm 4th Tues. 2nd Mon. 2nd Wed. 1st Wed. 6:30pm 2nd Mon. 1st Mon. 3rd Mon. Business 3rd Mon. 6:30pm 1st Mon. 6:30pm 4th Wed. 6:00pm 2nd & 4th Mon.

Units & Committees Location

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Unit Room

Ranch Unit Room Behind the Ballroom Guides Room Sheik's Club

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Contact

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Dave Hope 314-406-0744 Rick Mayer 314-603-2106 Jim Gesell 636-352-5146 Gale Going 314-703-0548 Steve Lovell 314-898-2372 Allen Coggins 314-602-7454 Keith Schilb 314-705-2812 Mike Reese 314-229-3682 Ken Zesch 314-610-7452 Brett Grimm 314-606-4622 Wally Bowman 314-498-6915 Charles Haas, 314-575-5020 Ken Wright 636-288-1130 Lenny Martin PP 314-795-6561

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Semo SC Three Rivers SC Date & Time 4th Wed. 6:00pm

2nd Wed.

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Location







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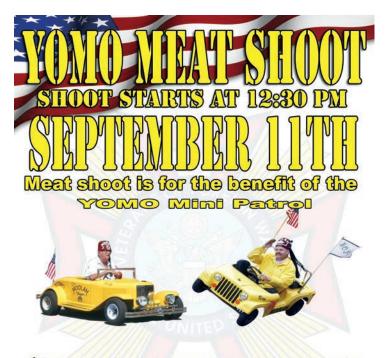
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	September
3th	Q Hangar Dance Fundraiser
5th	Temple Closed
9th	Ambassadors Meeting & Swing Dance
12th	Ceremonial Cast Lucheon
14th	Temple Club
16th	Swing Dance presents Crossfire
17th	Joachim Shrine Club Poker Run
21st	Stated Meeting
23rd	Swing Dance presents Trilogy
24th	150th Anniversary of the Shrine Celebrati
30th	Swing Dance presents Charlie Mann

	October
7th	Swing Dance presents Backstreet Cruisers
9th	TCAA Trash or Treasure w/ Kodner Gallery
12th	Temple Club
14th	Ambassadors Meeting & Swing Dance
15th	Air Patrol Wine Picnic and Divan Retreat
19th	Stated Meeting
21st	Swing Dance Larry Gwaltney Band
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22nd	Q Trivia Night
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November

4th	Swing Dance presents Crossfire
5th	Yoway 250
9th	Temple Club
11th	Ambassadors Meeting & Swing Dance
16th	Stated Meeting
17th 27th }	Feztival of Trees OOLAH TE
18th	Swing Dance presents Charlie Mann
24th 25th }	Temple Closed

December

lnd	Swing Dance Christmas Party
Brd	Holiday Ball
Oth	Ambassadors Meeting & Swing Dance
l0th	Brunch with Santa
1th	Patient Party
l2th	Ceremonial Cast Holiday Dinner & OSU Christmas Party
l4th	Temple Club & YOMO Christmas Party
l 6th	Swing Dance presents Crossfire
21st	Stated Meeting/Election Night
23rd	Temple Closed and Swing Dance
30th	Swing Dance