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# 2022 MOOLAH® SHRINE POTENTATE MITCH WEINSTING

Nobles and Ladies,

What a wonderful circus, thanks to everyone that worked, sold tickets and ads, and assisted in making this a success. As the weather is starting to warm up, we have lots of fun events soon. Coming up on May 14, we have an important happening, our Spring Ceremonial in honor of Illustrious Sir Ron Woods. Later, after the ceremonial, our First Ceremonial Master, John Spraul, has a fun evening planned with his Putt-Putt event. So, let us all work to make the ceremonial and evening a success.

We are happy to announce that we can bring back, Hospital Awareness Day! It will be at Dierbergs again on May 21. Oriental Guide, Greg Dortch, will be reaching out to the units to set up a schedule of the available stores to get out to collect for our hospital.

Who is ready for a Luau? On June 18th we will put on our flowered shirts and head to the Oasis for a party. There is a flyer in this issue with all the details, please sign up and come out and celebrate summer with us in style.

On July 30, we have the Sportsman Raffle. This is always a fun event and a fantastic way for your unit or club to make some extra funds. Remember, \$5 from every ticket sold goes back to the selling unit. Illustrious Sir Dean Isbell has a fun event planned and tickets will be out soon.

Looking ahead, CSSA will be in Wichita, KS on August 25-28. We are staying at the Holiday Inn and there is more information in this issue. Please plan to attend and cheer on our units and clubs as they compete.

Remember, as we celebrate our fraternities' 150th anniversary and the 100th anniversary of our hospital, that we were founded for fun and philanthropy, so let us keep things moving and enjoy this year.

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Fraternally,



Ill. Sir Mitch Weinsting



# God's Mercy Frees You to Serve

By: Ron Reynolds

You were created to make a contribution with your life, not to just exist and live only for yourself. God shaped you to serve him, and it's all because of his mercy.

Paul said in 2 Corinthians 4:1: *"Since God in His mercy has given us this ministry, we do not lose heart"*.

Some people think "ministry" is a churchly word. It's something only ministers do. But anytime you use the talents, gifts, and abilities God has given you to help somebody else, you're doing ministry. Even your job can be your ministry—whether you're an accountant, teacher, or truck driver!

When you understand that everything God does through you is because of his mercy, two things happen:

**You don't have to prove your worth.** Do you ever try to prove your worth through your work? Maybe you think that the more successful you are, the more valuable you are. But your worth has nothing to do with your work. Instead, your worth is found in the fact that God made you, loves you, and sent Jesus to die for you. Understanding God's mercy takes you off the performance track.

**You don't have to wallow in your mistakes.** We've all made mistakes. We've all sinned. But because of God's mercy, you don't have to dwell on your past. You can repent and turn away from your sin. Your past doesn't have to hold you back from doing the work God has given you to do.

In fact, God has never used a perfect person—because there aren't any. When you look through the Bible, you'll find all kinds of people who God used despite their mistakes. Jacob was a chronic liar; Rahab was a prostitute; Jonah was fearful and reluctant; Martha worried a lot; the Samaritan woman had several failed marriages; Peter was impulsive; Moses, David, and Paul were all guilty of murder. Yet God used each person in incredible ways.

So, there's nothing that would prevent God from using you. Because of God's great mercy, you can live out God's purpose for your life.



**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.

**Feburary/March**

**Jimmy R Cunningham**

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**John W Wright**

## 2022 CIRCUS UPDATE

Ron Reynolds: Circus Director

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Robby Dirkers: Circus Chairman

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A giant THANK YOU to everyone that helped with the 2022 Moolah Shrine Circus. It was great to see all the Nobles and their families and friends out assisting with the many duties that it takes to put on the great show we had.

We won't know any numbers until all tickets and monies are turned in, but it looks like the people that did come to the circus were very pleased with the performance.

Again, thank you all for all you do.

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# SPRING CEREMONIAL!!!

May 14, 2022

## Honoring Ron Woods, 2001 Past Potentate

Illustrious Sir Ron was born and raised in Ashland, MO. Ron married Deanna on August 17, 1963. They have four children, Darryl, Darren, Dan & Danette.

Ron started Ron Woods Mechanical, Inc in 1969, originally a residential plumbing and repair and later branched into commercial and industrial work, focusing on mechanical contracting including work on motels schools, hospitals, office buildings, apartments and convention centers in Missouri, Pennsylvania, Texas, Illinois and Kansas. Ron retired after 30 years in the business.

Ron was raised a Master Mason in Ashland Lodge No. 156 in 1972 and became a member of Columbia Valley Scottish Rite and Moolah Shrine in 1973. He is past president of Tiger Motor Patrol and was First Vice-President of Tiger Shrine Club when he was appointed in 1992 by Potentate Ken Myles as Moolah's Outer Guard.

# *What you conceive, We can achieve*

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**May 14, 2022 ————— Schedule for the Day**

**9:30 am                      Registration**

**10:00–11:00am      Orientation**

**11:30 am                      Lunch**

**12:30 pm                      Ceremonial**

**4:30 pm                      Moolah Putt Putt Extravaganza**

## UNIT & COMMITTEE REPORTS

### Air Patrol

Director: Byron Smyrniotis

President Neil Conner 1st Vice:  
Lance Fuqua

2nd Vice: Gary Julius

Secretary: Chris Grau

Treasurer: Richard Prine

Spring has sprung and the clocks have been moved forward and synchronized. The Air Patrol has been meeting in the hangar for our monthly stated meetings and are planning for various events.

The Circus 3/24-3/27 was very well attended. Thanks to all who worked our booth and showed up at the tent.

The Air Patrol with the float walked in the St. Patrick's Day parade downtown. Thanks to all who walked.

Saturday April 23rd will be the installation for the Clowns and Air Patrol in the Oasis/Gazebo area starting around 11am. It will be a casual, back yard BBQ themed event.

The Wings of Hope Gala is June 4th at the Chase Park Plaza Royal Sonesta Hotel St. Louis. The Air Patrol is signed up to be in The 4th of July Parade aka America's Birthday Bash and will have our Flagship Float lined up on Centerline.

Motown is currently scheduled for August 6th at the Shrine. This has always been a really fun event for those who work it as well as attend it. The Festival of the Little Hills is set for August 19, 20 and 21. It is our intention to participate as in the past. Stay tuned for info and STATS regarding the same.

Third Annual John Cordell Charity Golf Tournament is planned for September 18th. It will once again be held at The Forest Park Golf Course in St. Louis, MO. USA. Check out our Air Patrol Facebook page for Third

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### Ambassadors

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The next Ambassador luncheons will be on May 13 and June 10. Social hour begins at 11 AM with a short business meeting at 11:30 AM, with lunch to follow. Call a fellow Ambassador who is homebound and bring him to the luncheon. If you have a birthday in May or June, you can be the first in line for lunch. Send an email to Wally for a reservation at wallygloria@sbcglobal.net.

The cold of winter is behind us. It was not the worst winter we have had but not the warmest either. There were only a few days of snow and ice and thankfully their presence did not remain long. We can now look forward to the warm, sunny days of spring. For many this is the favorite time of year with many activities planned at Moolah.

An important date to remember is Mother's Day, May 8. Illustrious Sir Mitch Weinsting and First Lady Beth are hosting a Mother's Day brunch. The event is from 10 AM to 1 PM in the Oasis and is \$25 per adult. A variety of your favorite foods are ordered: an omelet station, carved prime rib, and mouthwatering desserts including bread pudding and pastries. You can make the women in your family

incredibly happy by inviting them to the brunch. Call the office for a reservation.

On May 14, the Spring Ceremonial will honor Illustrious Sir, Ron Woods, 2001 Past Potentate. Noble Ron became a Shriner in 1972 and Past President of Tiger Motor Patrol. The day will begin with registration at 9:30 AM followed by an orientation, a lunch, and the ceremonial. At 4:30 there will be a putt-putt extravaganza. Units and committees are encouraged to have a putt-putt hole in the Oasis. This is a time to welcome the new Nobles, see old friends, and show your golfing skill.

While the men are attending the Spring Ceremonial, First Lady Beth will host a luncheon for the ladies at the Bel Lago restaurant. The cost is \$42 per person. Please call the office for a reservation. This is a time for the ladies to enjoy a fine meal in an elegant atmosphere, socialize and have fun.

On June 18th Illustrious Sir Mitch Weinsting and Lady Beth invite you to a Moolah Luau. Dinner will be \$20 per person and includes a roast pig dinner, salad, and dessert. A DJ will provide the entertainment. This is a time to invite friends and family and show them how much fun Shriners have. We work hard to help Shriners Hospital but we also have time for fellowship and fun.

Congratulations to Greg Heins of YOMO. At the January Stated Meeting he was made Captain Emeritus by Potentate Mitch Weinsting. Noble Heins was Captain of YOMO for six years. He participated in over sixty-five parades a year. A job well done and well deserved honor.

Congratulations to Jim Hubeli as Shriner of the Month for February. He is a member of Gateway Lodge number forty and joined Moolah Temple in 1972. He has been the President of the Drum Corps and has played the baritone bugle for over 50 years. He recently celebrated his 50th year as a member of Moolah.

Congratulations to Noble David Jacobi who was selected Shriner of the Month for March. He is a 33rd Degree of the Scottish Rite, and a member of Arca Teocalli #21 Order of

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Quetzalcoatl, Chief Supreme Tlaloc, and the Supreme Tlacuilo. He is also the Membership Chairman for Moolah and is active in many Units and Clubs.

Thanks to all who helped make the Circus a remarkable success. It takes many hands to bring the Circus to a successful conclusion, Thanks to Robby Dirkers and Ron Reynolds for bringing a truly memorable Circus.

Memorial Day is May 30th. Remember those people who have died in American wars. It is their supreme sacrifice that allows us to be free and safe. Take a few moments to offer prayers to remember and honor those brave Americans.

Happy birthday to all Ambassador who have a birthday in May or June.

**ONCE AN AMBASSADOR, ALWAYS AN AMBASSADOR!**

## Arab Patrol

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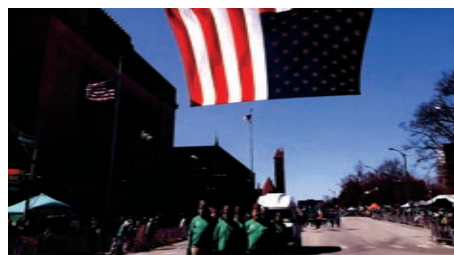
You're left.....you're left.....you're left, right, left.....you're left.....Ahhhhh! The sounds of marching, it's music to our ears, at least, it is for one particular Patrolman, Mark Staffne, who has been long advocating that we, Arab Patrol, started participating/marching in parades once again. And, we did just that, we braved the cold and

joined in the festivities downtown, joining thousands of St Louisans in celebrating St Patrick's Day as we marched proudly down Market Street to the cheers and jeers of many in attendance. To a man, we all felt it was a highly successful venture, a good time was had by all, it felt great to be marching again, in front of an adoring crowd, talking to them, interacting with them, displaying that Moolah Shriner pride, that Arab Patrol pride.

Early indications show that the 2022 Circus was a rousing success when compared to the 2021 Circus, a tip of the Fez to all of the Patrol Members who participated, a special Thank-You to their ladies, their families and their friends, your efforts were noticed and deeply appreciated.

Are you ready for Bocce Ball? If so, we have a tournament for you, it's scheduled for Saturday, May 7th, anyone 21 and older is eligible, entry fee is \$200 for a team of 4, food and drinks will be available, the tournament will be a double elimination format and will be held at Aiello's Cigar Bar located in Cottleville, Mo. Contact Tom Dempski, Tournament Chairman, at 636-795-8825 for additional information.

And finally, we don't have any fancy cars like Yomo and Gateway, but what we do have is fancy uniforms. Take a moment and imagine yourself in a set of these babies. The pride you'll be exhibiting is unmatched as you gaze into the mirror. Your imagination can be turned into reality, stop by and talk to Captain Scott Haenel, before you know it, he'll have you looking good and marching, and, before long, you too will be showing that Arab Patrol pride that consumes one after he dons our uniform. After all, if history has taught us anything, in the end, the man in uniform always gets the girl. Won't you join us?



## BBQ Smokin' Nobles

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The BBQ Smokin' Nobles Unit has been busy this year. We cooked not just for one, but for two days at the Circus (both Thursday and Saturday). In addition, we are now a parade Unit! Director Dennis Burkholder had two banners produced that promote the BBQ Smokin' Nobles and the Moolah Shrine, and these banners were then festooned on our giant new grill which was paraded behind President Travis Mayer's big boy truck in the St. Patrick's Day Parade! Travis also recruited volunteers to walk beside the Unit's parading grill. The volunteers distributed candy and free children's Circus tickets. Thanks, Travis!

The BBQ Smokin' Nobles Unit is developing a brochure outlining the activities for the Smokin' Nobles that we can share with all new Shriners, our fellow Nobles in other Units, our Brothers in their Blue Lodges, and the community. We are reaching out to all the Blue Lodges in the area offering to prepare a meal for their meeting and to promote our Unit and the Shrine. Monthly BBQ fundraiser events are planned that will include Car Cruises involving the Muscle Car Unit. Other planned events include a Wing Cook-off, a cooking competition and tournament, cooking classes with Master Cookers, and a KCBS BBQ event with the National BBQ Champion! with Master Cookers, and a

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KCBS BBQ event with the National BBQ Champion!

As in past years, we are hoping to serve the Veterans at Jefferson Barracks for Veteran's Day, participate in the Festival of Trees in November, cook for the December Christmas parties, and assist the Potentate and other Units in any way we can during 2022.

If you like to BBQ and have fellowship with a bunch of great guys, this is a great Unit to join! We also have NO annual dues! Just show up and have fun! We invite you to visit us for our Business Meeting at 6:30 pm on the first Wednesday of every month. You will have a fun time preparing, serving, and eating BBQ with and for our Masonic, Shrine, and military Brothers. Come join us!

## Chanters El Koran

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Secretary: John Glass  
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The Chanters are pleased to announce our newest member, Duffy! Duffy not only has a wonderful voice, but he is an even better dancer! We look forward to highlighting some of his talents at future events and performances. You might have seen Duffy singing the National Anthem at the Circus, both as a member of the Chanters and as a soloist at the Sunday Night

performance. The Chanters also were proud to feature Mark Briguglio and Rich Farrar as soloists this year. All of them did the Chanters proud. Both Duffy and our other new member, Carl Apollo, have been regular participants at our meetings, performances, rehearsals, and the Circus. They are great and welcome additions to our choir. Thanks, men!

The Chanters will again hold two main fundraisers this year: the Festival of the Little Hills in St. Charles in August and the Green Tree Festival in September. We are also in the process of organizing Karaoke events. And we are looking forward to singing aboard our Unit float at future parades.

A big "Thank You" to all the Chanters that came out to work our novelty booth at the Circus and to sing the National Anthem at the Thursday Night and Sunday afternoon Circus performances. Feedback was that you did an excellent job!

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!

## Clowns

Director: John Frederick  
(Barley)

President: Steve Kanhre  
(Cecil)

1st Vice President: Chris Skornicka  
(Techno)

2nd Vice President: Terry Mueller  
(Milk Dud)

Treasurer: John Tremblay  
(Shabba-Dabba)

What a great Circus. A lot of fun and a lot of happy kids. A lot of people to thank for all of this and it includes all

our members and Ladies. A special thanks goes to Duffer (Gary Fanger) for his design of the lion cage and for his design of the mountain climber used at our trivia night. The tiger skit worked out great and the change over to the hypnotist worked out well. But a lot of us must work on our Baby Shark dancing.

We welcomed some of our newer clowns who immediately got involved with helping at these during the circus skits and going up into the suites. Plus, a lot of clowns from other temples helped.

The Trivia night was a remarkable success. Our Temple and Hospital are really going to enjoy our generous donations. For all of you who aided in this event I am sure you had a wonderful time. Our two added items for raising funds, Boost Your Score and Ducks brought in more donations and helped our grand total exceed our highest event. Excellent job, Clowns.

Now it seems like our Unit slows down a little for the upcoming summer, but we will still need your help at some of the upcoming events that you will find on either our webpage or Facebook page. Please come to our meetings and find out how to get on these.

As you know, Merlin (Tom Dolan) is trying to become one of the top sports agents in the country and recently had a big client sign with him. His/her name is Lia Thomas an elite female (now) swimmer who is crushing all the swimming events. I am sure Merlin is going to make a lot of money marketing this I do not know what to call it.

Just once I want a username and password prompt to say Close Enough!



## Daniel Boone Shrine

President: Mike Heuer  
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Mark your calendar for MAY 26th and JUNE 30th and we will see you at JJs in O'Fallon. You do not have to be a member, and we will not pressure you to join. Just bring your Lady and come on out and join us for a fun night.

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!

You will find Daniel Boone to be a friendly group of Shriners and Ladies and we have members from most every unit at Moolah. So, you are bound to know a few people, and a fantastic opportunity to make a few new friends.

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

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Treasurer: Zach Rodgers  
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Secretary: Randy Baer  
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The Hospital Reception Committee is passionately pursuing ideas to acquire more surgical inpatients for our St. Louis Hospital. Members have reached out to the Shrine Clubs in the outlying areas of our region to assist them in setting up screening clinics and contacting the professionals that can refer children in need of our care. Our outreach with NEMO (the Northeast Missouri Shrine Club) has already produced positive results! On April 1 and 2, committee members staffed an information booth at the annual Missouri School Nurse Conference in St. Louis. We were able to share the resources and superior care available at our hospital, care available to the patients regardless of the family's ability to pay. We are also reaching out to newer Healthcare models such as Health Share Cooperatives, networks that are not insurance and often do not cover Hospital surgeries. Past President and current Board of Governors member Bob Berry has made considerable progress in garnering new patients for our Hospital from the Washington University School of Medicine and from the International Community. Clever work, Bob!

The Hospital Reception Committee staffed a novelty booth at the March Circus. A big "Thank You" to all those members who participated.

An increasing number of our committee members are getting certified to volunteer at the Hospital. The screening desk at the Hospital is staffed every day with two Volunteers, one in the early morning from 6:30 am to 10:30, and the other from 10:30 am to 2:30. The first thing a patient and their family see when they arrive and the last thing they see when they leave is a Shriner wearing a fez. We are also gearing up to begin giving tours of our hospital, hopefully in time for the Shriners Stroll into Summer Annual Walk on Saturday, June 4th.

Our committee is also in charge of selling and collecting dinner tickets before each Stated Meeting, selling 50/50 tickets, checking dues cards and collecting the password at Stated Meetings, staffing the Gift Shop, taking blood pressures at the Ceremonials

and sizing candidates' fez size, running the Racquet Ruckus, supplying Toys for the Clinic patients, assisting in setting up patient screening clinics, staffing a Novelty Booth at the Circus, and performing other duties as requested by the Potentate or the Hospital. If you would like to serve both the Shrine and our Hospital and patients, join us! We invite you to visit us for our Business Meeting at 6:30 pm on the second Wednesday of every month in our Committee Room at the Shrine (just east of the office). See you there!

## Muscle Car Unit

Director: Keith Schillb  
314-221-1948

President: Tom Nelson  
314-221-1948

Vice President: Tom Shumate  
314-267-9803

Treasurer: Tom Nelson  
314-221-1948

Secretary: Jim Gesell  
636-352-5146

The Muscle Car Unit was proud to support the Swing Dance Unit with Novelties at the highly successful Circus in March. We assisted with sorting, transporting, stocking, delivering and battery replacement of novelties to the booths at the Family Arena. We also helped set up and take down the booths used by the units selling the novelties. Every year the process gets better, both easier and more efficient. Everyone owes a big thank you to Wally and Gloria Bowman and the rest of the Swing Dance Team!

We are rapidly approaching the 2022 parading season, and we are anxious to parade our Muscle Cars and Flying Carpets. If you have a car you are proud of and would like to participate in parades, we are the Unit for you! We meet the first Wednesday of every month at 6:30 in our Unit Room at the Shrine. And stay

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tuned for a list of parades where we plan to participate and represent the Moolah Shrine.

The drawing for the \$1,000 Cash Raffle that the Muscle Car Unit is sponsoring in conjunction with the BBQ Smokin' Nobles will now take place since the Circus is finished. Tickets are still available from any member of the Unit for \$10. You do not want to miss this raffle – the chances of winning are extremely high!

The Unit is also planning to hold several Car Cruises in conjunction with BBQ Smokin' Nobles fund-raising events during 2022. The Smokin' Nobles will prepare, serve, and sell BBQ while we assist them and exhibit our cars.

If you have a Muscle Car or would like to pilot one of our Flying Carpets, join us! We meet the first Wednesday of every month at 6:30 pm. Our Unit Room is in the Southwest corner of the Shrine, just around the corner from the Office, behind the Ceremonial Cast Room. We look forward to seeing you!

## Nailah Court #107

PHP: Lady Marcia Jacobi  
314-541-3393

Congratulations to Lady Sarah Hanna, the new High Priestess of Nailah Court #107 and her Corp of officers who were installed Sunday, April 3, 2022, in the Oasis. We are excited to see all the changes that are sure to come in the ensuing year. Thanks to all who came to our Installation of Officers as well, especially Noble Robbie Dierkers, Chief Rabban, and Lady Pam.

We are growing! Two new members were initiated in February followed by two more in March and we have two more scheduled to be initiated in April. We are excited to say we have some who learned about us at the Christmas Ball and the

Potentate's Ball. If you requested and received a petition and membership brochure and have questions, please feel free to call me at the above number.

Doing it all for the Kids,

Lady Marcia Jacobi, Recorder, PHP

## 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

The Temple Charities & Activities Association (aka TCAA) is a tax-exempt 501(C)(3) organization that can accept tax-deductible donations for the patients of our hospital in St. Louis. We hold those donations in revenue-generating accounts until there are unmet needs at the hospital that require our financial support. Several years ago, TCAA contributed over \$98,000 for the purchase of a portable x-ray machine at the hospital. More recently, we have facilitated the funding of surgical tools and supplies, braces, protective helmets for kids, and other medical necessities. A regular ongoing activity is the funding of toys for kids attending our medical clinic. These hospital outpatients have numerous places to visit when they attend clinic, and they receive a "patient passport" upon arrival that indicates which departments they must visit. The passport is initialed by each department's staff after the patient is seen, and once the passport is completed (meaning the patient's visit is completed), the patient is given an age and gender appropriate gift.

In the past, patients would sometimes miss one of the departments they were supposed to visit. This necessitated that a second clinic visit be scheduled to complete the patient evaluation and/or treatment, doubling the cost and effort for everyone involved. The toy passport therefore helps improve patient care and decrease costs! And of course, the most important reason for providing toys is that our kids leave the Hospital with a smile on their faces and a happy memory of their visit.

So far this year, we are averaging almost forty patients per day who visit our out-patient clinic at the St. Louis Shriners Hospital. The toys given to clinic outpatients are separate from

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the toys given to hospital in-patients. St. Louis Shriners Hospital Staff manage, store, and distribute toys for pain-aversion therapy and surgical inpatients, while Shriners have been responsible for the acquisition, storage, and distribution of toys for outpatients ever since we moved from the old hospital on Lindbergh to the new hospital on Clayton over 5 years ago. Storage space at the new hospital is extremely limited and the number of in-patients is relatively small, so sometimes toy donations are refused when they are offered to the hospital and there is no space available. Please contact Jim Gesell at (636) 352-5146 if this happens to you – we always need toys for clinic patients and TCAA has storage space at the Shrine for these outpatient clinic toys.

To help pay for these toys, TCAA will be conducting a “Trash or Treasure” antique and heirloom expert evaluation event in conjunction with the Kodner Galleries on Sunday, October 9, 2022, from noon to 5 pm in the Shrine Ballroom. The Kodner Gallery has sponsored similar events in Illinois in the past with PBS Channel 9. This event will be extremely popular. When the Kodner Gallery sponsored the Antiques Roadshow in St. Louis several years ago, there were over 12,000 unfulfilled requests for tickets! Everyone has something they inherited that they suspect is valuable, and this is the chance to find out! It is also the chance to have your discovery televised! The \$20 ticket price for our event will include admission and the expert verbal evaluation of one item. General admission (with no appraisal) will be \$5 at the door. If capacity allows, a second evaluation will be available for an additional \$15. And if you sell a ticket, your Unit will keep the \$5 admission charge from the ticket. All net proceeds from the evaluations will go towards the TCAA Toy Fund. We are expecting approximately 1,200 people to attend, so we are also going to ask TCAA members to submit fund-raising ideas for the event for their Unit (i.e., selling beverages, popcorn, ice cream, hot dogs, hamburgers, pretzels, etc.). 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 a fund-raiser. If you would like to be a TCAA Director, ask your Unit. Each Unit is allowed up to three representatives.

If your Unit wants to contribute that will go directly to our clinic patients at the St. Louis Shriners Hospital, please consider supporting the Toy Fund with cash or a toy donation. Any check should be made out to the TCAA Toy Fund. We meet the fourth Wednesday of every month at 6:30 pm in the Sheik’s Club, and we look forward to seeing you there!

## Temple Club

President: Nancy Pollock

Vice President: Cheri Viner

Treasurer: Kathy Kelley

Secretary: Kathy Myers

In March, the Temple Club celebrated its 106th birthday, as well as the 150th anniversary of Shriners International, 100th birthday of the Shriners Hospital and the 136th anniversary of Moolah.

At the April meeting, the wonderful ladies of Temple Club collected food and care items for our annual collection. Thanks to Jeannie Smith for coordinating this worthwhile effort.

The May meeting will be hosted by our Honorary President and Moolah First Lady Beth Weinsting. Beth will be choosing the menu and has great entertainment in store.

A Temple Club member brought to our attention the wonderful donations received by Shriners Children from Amazon/Smile in the amount of \$34,961.36. Thanks to customers shopping on smile.amazon.com or using the Amazon app with AmazonSmile on everyday purchases, selecting Shriners Children as their charity. So, if you are an Amazon shopper, check out this app and see

how everyday shopping can help our hospital.

One last thing - Thanks to all who donated their time working at the Circus, it was a great success!



## 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

TRSC had a banner year with the Stith ladies at the helm guiding us in the right direction and supporting our cause. Newly elected President Corey is already one fourth of the way in this year’s journey with a fantastic Installation of Officers and introduction of our Divan.

Many of the regular fundraisers are on our agenda, coupled with a few “fundraisers,” however it has been decided not to continue our annual Rodeo. Boys and girls, these things do not just happen, and it all does come in, but with many other aspects of life, priorities must be established and

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continuing the Rodeo did not make the cut this year.

Vice President Dean Dye, aka "Can I help you burn a tree today," produced the excellent idea of purchasing an Easter Bunny costume for the annual Children's Egg Hunt if BR-549 Morris would wear it. Not only was it a hit with the kids but the adults were treated to 2 hours of Morris not being able to talk. There is a petition for Morris to wear at least the Rabbit's head for the next two years at all Shrine functions.

**CONGRATULATIONS** Bobby Wicker TRSC Man of the Year for 2021. **CONGRATULATIONS** Sarah and Travis Phillips on 50 years of marriage, our love for you still does not offset you forcing My Little Danny on us.

Moolah's Oriental Guide Greg Dortch has requested all complaints about TRSC, Moolah, or any other item of interest be brought to his attention between 2:00AM and 3:00AM weekdays only. Seems Phil Wagner had a little too many refreshments at the Mouse Races, got on a plane the next morning going to Monterey Mexico and ended up in Monterrey California, just saying.'

"River Run" is scheduled for June 25th, always a wonderful day with wonderful scenery. If you are not getting a monthly meeting notice, do not worry anybody else is either. Say your prayers, wear your Fez with pride, and pay it forward.



## 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

YOMO would like to Thank everyone who worked the circus! As always it was a lot of work AND a lot of fun! A great weekend full of great memories.

We were able to participate in 3 St. Patrick's parades throughout our area and had a wonderful time being able to spread the word about our hospitals and represent the Shrine. In Rolla we paraded with some Abou Ben Adhem brothers who could not have been nicer, and some were Keystone Kops.

More Parades are coming! St. Josephs Spirit Day, Valley of Flowers, and Hermann Maifest to name a few. Be on the lookout for them and try to attend. You will have a wonderful time!

On April 2nd Paul Smith headed up a static display set up at the Empower Health Fair in Florissant. Along with some YOMO carts we had hospital, shrine, and masonic information to hand out. There's a lot of interest at events like these. Aside from spreading the word about our hospitals, it helps probable future candidates learn about the shrine and the freemasonry in a comfortable environment.

The 2nd Annual Scrapbooking for Shriners was sold out and next year's Scrapbooking for Shriners sold out in less than 24 hours. Please contact Rob Hynes to volunteer for this exciting event! Yes....it is exciting.

### Fun Mizzou Fact:

The University of Missouri was established in Columbia as the first public university west of the Mississippi and the first in Thomas Jefferson's Louisiana Purchase territory.

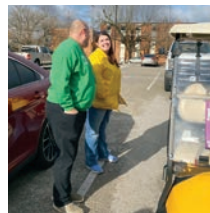
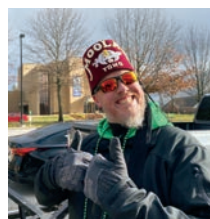
### Event Reminders:

We have Ceremonial coming up on the 14th! Make sure to bring your candidates to see YOMO, the pride of Moolah!

We are having a Meat Shoot in June. It is on June 12th, 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.

As a reminder, 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!





# CAPE SHRINE CLUB



## 2022



# SATURDAY

## APRIL 23RD 2022

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# Kenneth Wayne Tibbits

Our Shriner of the month for April is Noble Kenneth Wayne Tibbits. Kenneth was raised at St. Johns Lodge #28 in October 1991 and served as Master of his lodge in 1999.

His is a Scottish Rite Member and a KCHH. Kenneth joined Moolah in 1995, and has been active with the NEMO Shrine Club. His efforts raising money and awareness for our hospital has made a huge impact on so many of our kids.

He has spend many hours giving back to others. The Moolah Public Relations is proud to have Noble Kenneth Tibbits as our April Shriner of the Month.



# Rick Pollock

Rick began his Masonic journey in high school as a member of Paul Revere Demolay. He continued his Masonic service at Clayton Lodge #601 serving as Master in 2003. Rick is currently a member of Overland Occidental Lodge #623 after the merger of the two lodges. In 1997, Rick became a member of the Scottish Rite and Moolah Shrine. 2022 marks Rick's 25th anniversary as a Shriner.

Rick has been a Potentate's Aide for over 10 years and was honored with the title of Aide Emeritus. He was made an Ambassador in 2010.

Currently, Rick is a member of the Gateway 500 unit, having served as president in 2013. He is also a member of the Guides unit, where he serves on the Board of Governors, the YOMO unit, and Air Patrol. Rick is a member of ARCA 21 Order of Quetzalcoatl. Rick is also a member of the Royal Order of Jesters Court #81.



His Lady Nancy is the President of the Temple Club this year.

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It is an honor to have Noble Rick Pollock as our Shriner of the Month May.



## Don Taylor Recorder/Director General

Sir Don was born and raised in the St. Louis area. He retired from BRI Inc., an industrial pump distributor in Fenton, MO, after 42 years. Don and his wife Diane have been married for 44 years and reside in St. Peters. They have two sons, Dan and his wife Julie, Doug and his wife Jessica along with two beautiful granddaughters Emma and Adelyn.

Noble Don was raised a Master Mason in Florissant Lodge #668 in 1989 and served as Master in 1993 / 1994. He was elected secretary in 1995 and held that position until the Lodge merged with Overland Occidental #623 in 2009. Don was appointed District Deputy Grand Master by Most Worshipful Bro. John Nations in 2005. Don has also served on the Grand Lodge Credentials Committee since 2006 and named chairman in 2019. Don joined the Scottish Rite and Moolah Temple in 1989. In 1995, he joined Gateway 500. He served as their President in 2000 and their Pit Boss from 2001 to 2012. Don was made a member of the ARCA #21 Order of Quetzalcoatl in 1999 and was Camaxtli in 2009. He received the Honor of High Pontiff of the Order of Knights, Eagles and Tigers. (OKET #25). He is also a member of R.O.J. Court 81.

Don has had the proud pleasure of raising his son Dan a Master Mason and putting the Red Fez on his head. Dan was elected Master of his Lodge, Columbia Lodge, in Boston and Don had the honor of being his installing Chaplin. In 2012, he was appointed Marshall of Moolah Shrine by IL Sir Jim Brandenburg and again by IL Sir Andy Metzger. Don was appointed to the advancing line in 2013 by IL Sir Patrick Hensley. In 2019 he was elected and served as Potentate. Don was elected and currently serves as Recorder for Moolah Shrine.

## Richard Weber Treasurer

Richard Weber was raised a Master Mason in Jennings Lodge #640, is a member of the Scottish Rite and has been a member of Moolah Shrine since 1983. He served as a member of the Board of Directors for the Masonic Home of Missouri. Richard is a life member of the Directors Staff where he served as president, secretary-treasurer and a member of the executive committee.

He is a Certified Public Accountant and has earned both a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration degree and a Master of Business Administration degree from the University of Missouri at St. Louis. Richard currently is the Senior Vice President of Strategy at Eldorado Resorts, Inc.

Richard is married to Karen, and together they have three children. The family has a long history of Shriners, including his father, Donald Weber, Uncle Harry Weber, and grandfathers' Louis Schmidt, Harry Weber and John Klein.



## Greg Dortch Oriental Guide

Greg Dortch is married to Kathy Dortch. Currently, Greg and Kathy reside in Fisk, Mo. He is a retired Conductor from the Union Pacific R.R. after thirty-six years of service. Greg and Kathy have two sons Justin and Jonathan Dortch, one Daughter-in-law Valerie Dortch and one Grandson Beau Gregory. Both of Greg's sons, along with himself, are members of Poplar Bluff Lodge #209, Moolah Temple and Three Rivers Shrine Club.

Greg is an associate member of Scimitar Temple of Little Rock Ar. He is a 32nd Scottish Rite and York Rite Mason a member of Hillbilly Shriner's Sho-Me Clan #140. Greg was appointed as Vice-chairman of Imperial Aides in 2014 by Imperial Potentate Dale Stauss and still holds that position at this time. Greg has served as an Aide to Past Potentates Dennis Kelley, David Dieckhaus and Lenny Martin. In 2011, Greg was made an Ambassador by Past Potentate James Brandenburg. Here at Moolah, Greg is a member of the Directors Staff.



FEBURARY 2022

# STATED MEETING





# 2022

## SPRING CELEBRATION





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Illustrious Sir Mitch Weinsting and First Lady Beth  
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### Mother's Day Brunch

\$25.00 per adult / \$15.00 per child ages 6-12 / Free per child 5 & under  
Please call the Moolah office to make reservations (314) 878-6301



Sunday May 8, 2022  
10:00 am - 1:00pm  
Moolah Oasis



#### Menu

Salad Station / Caesar, House & Fruit Salad  
Roll & Butter  
Shrimp Cocktail / Sausage, Cheese & Cracker  
Carved Prime Rib & Carved Ham  
Omelet Station & Scrambled Eggs  
Bacon & Sausage  
French Toast Casserole & Hash Brown Casserole  
Bread Pudding / Whisky Sauce  
Muffins, Danish, Pastries & Mini Cheesecake  
Coffee, Mimosas & Bloody Marys

*First Lady Beth formally invites you to the  
Moolah Shrine Ladies  
Spring Ceremonial  
Luncheon*

*Saturday, May 14, 2022  
11:00 am to 1:00 pm*

*Spring*

*Il Bel Lago Restaurant  
11631 Olive Blvd.  
St. Louis, MO 63141  
(soon to be renamed Giovanni's Bel Lago)  
Cost \$42.00*

*Choice of 4 pre-selected entrees.  
(Including a vegetarian dish)*

*Cash Bar / Basket Prizes*

**Note:** After 30 years of dining excellence at Giovanni's on the Hill, Giovanni's sons Frank and Carmelo brought a taste of The Hill to Creve Coeur by opening Il Bel Lago in 2004. They provide fabulous Italian food in an elegant atmosphere with personal, and friendly service. We hope you enjoy!

*Call the  
Moolah Office  
314-878-6301  
By Friday, 5-6-22  
for reservations*



# CSSA 2022

Wichita, Kansas

August 25-27

CSSA Registration to be filled with  
the Moolah Shrine Temple. \$30  
fee for CSSA not Moolah.

**MORE DETAILS TO COME ON MERCHANDISE  
PRICING ON TUESDAY EMAILS!**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

Lady; Guest, or Noble you are staying with: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

CSSA Registration Fee- \$30.00 per person (Not for Moolah)      Number of people: \_\_\_\_\_ Total: \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to Moolah Shrine. Credit/Debit only accepted over the phone or in person.

# CSSA HOTEL INFO

**Moolah will be staying at the Holiday Inn Wichita East I-35.  
Located at 549 South Rock Road in Wichita, KS.**

Rooms are reserved under Moolah Shrine.

The room rate is \$110 per night plus tax.

Rooms need to be reserved by **8/10/22**

Please call **316-686-7131** to make your reservations.

## **Moolah Putt Putt Extravaganza**

**When: 4:30 May 14, 2022**

**Where: The Oasis at Moolah**

Please join Illustrious Sir Mitch Weinsting for an afternoon of fun and fellowship welcoming our new Nobles. I would ask that each Unit and Committee participate in having a themed putt putt hole in the Oasis for nobles. If weather permitting we will also use the outdoor patio area. It can be as simple or elaborate as each unit/Committee wishes within their designated area. This will be a time to get to know the new nobles, catch up with old friends, and talk about what each unit/committee does. Please contact First Ceremonial Master John Spraul to reserve your space.

**[DrJohnSpraul@yahoo.com](mailto:DrJohnSpraul@yahoo.com)**



# YOMO MEAT SHOOT

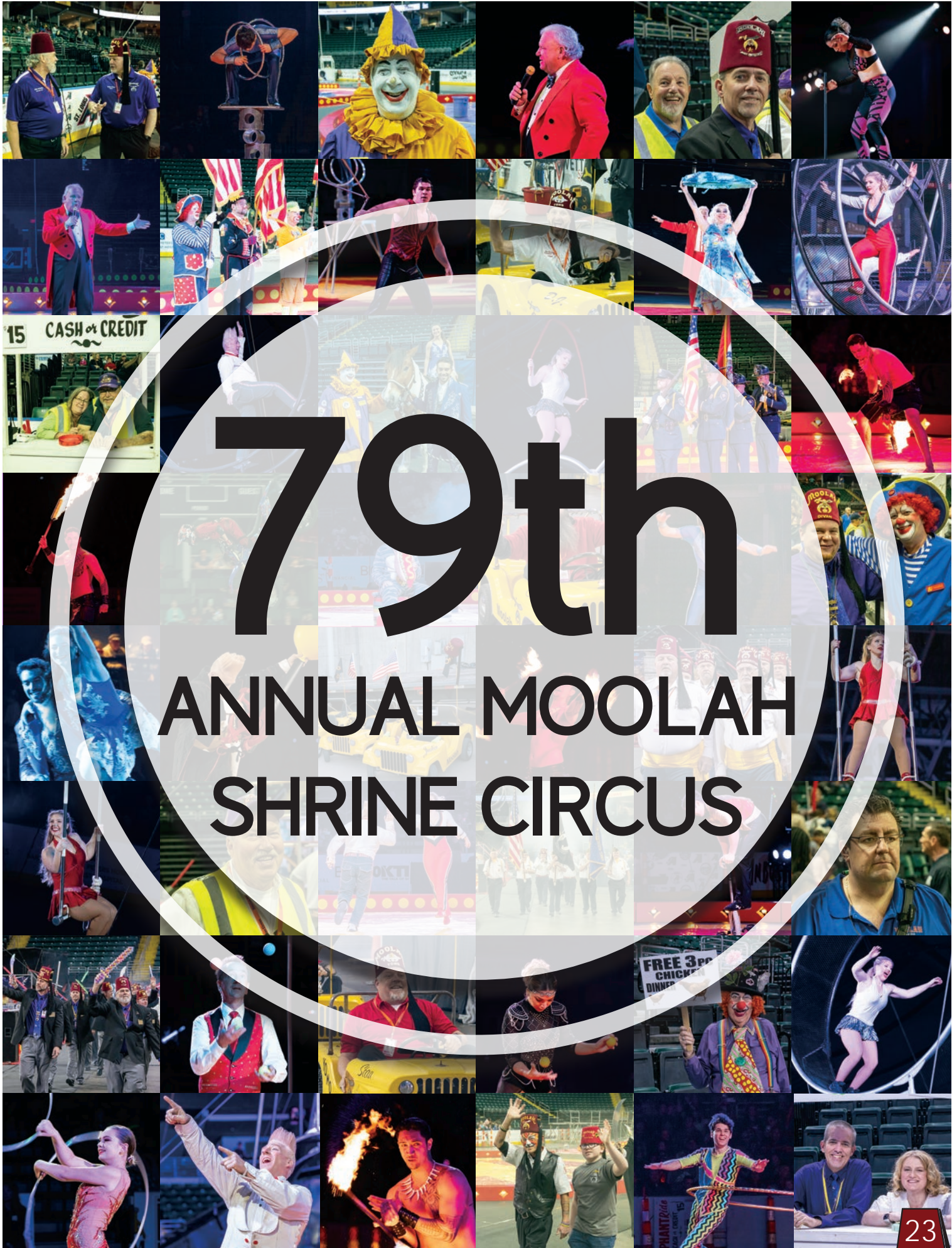
SHOOT STARTS AT 12:30 PM  
FEB 6TH, APR 10TH AND JUNE 12TH

Meat shoot is for the benefit of the  
**YOMO Mini Patrol**



\$5.00 per shot. 11 rounds, 10 prize rounds  
and one winner takes all money round.  
Indoor 22 Bird Shot, Shoot with house guns  
only. VFW bar pricing and refreshments will  
be available.

**VFW Post 4223  
215 Military Rd at Lemay Ferry  
Lemay MO 63125**



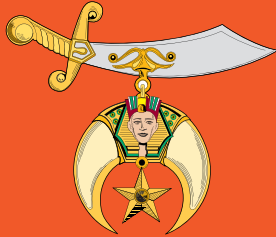
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**\$1,000 Cash (Check)**

- Bear X Constrictor CDX Crossbow Pkg
- Yeti Tundra 65 Cooler
- Glock 42 Semi-Auto Pistol
- Remington Model 700 ADL Varmint Bolt-Action Rifle - 6.5 Creed
- Kimber Micro 9 Semi-Auto Pistol
- CVA Wolf Muzzleloader/Scope Combo - Black
- Traeger Pro 575 Pellet Grill - Bronze
- Hornady Lock-N-Load Classic Reloading Kit

**\$1,000 Cash (Check)**

- Masterbuilt 40" Bluetooth Digital Electric Smoker
- Beretta A300 Outlander Mallard Shotgun
- Sitka Gore Optifade Pants & Hoodie
- Ruger American Rifle Predator 6.5 Creedmoor
- Browning Dark Ops Max Plus Trail Camera
- Ascend FS10 Sit-in Angler Titanium Kayak
- Summit Viper 3P Ground Blind
- Ruger American Rifle - 30-06
- Champion Power Equipment 3550W Portable Generator

**\$1,000 Cash (Check)**

- Winchester SX4 Semi-Auto Shotgun - Black
- Diamond 320 B.A.K. Compound Bow Package
- Cabela's Deluxe 4-Burner Event Grill
- Smith & Wesson M&P M2.0 Full-Size Pistol
- Moultrie 55-Gal NXT Tripod Game Feeder

- Smith & Wesson 642 Double-Action Revolver
- YETI Hopper Flip 18 Soft Side Cooler - Harvest Red
- Leupold VX-3i Rifle Scope - Duplex
- Savage Axis XP Bolt-Act Rifle TrueTimber Strata - .30-06

**\$1,000 Cash (Check)**

- Lucky Duck The Revolt Predator E-Caller
- Leupold BX-4 Pro Guide HD Binoculars
- Abu Garcia Revo SX/Vendetta Casting Rod and Reel Combo
- Smith & Wesson M&P 15 - 22 Sport Rimfire Rifle
- Ascend 9R Sport Sit-On-Top Kayak Lime/White
- Muzzy LV-X Lever Action Bow Fishing Bow
- Team Lew's Custom Black Baitcast Combo
- Smith & Wesson M&P Shield M2.0 Compact Pistol
- Mr. Steak 3-Burner Propane Grill

**\$1,000 Cash (Check)**

- Redhead Cowboy Fire Pit Grill
- Ascend FS10 Sit-in Angler Desert Storm Kayak
- Avian-X AXP Full-Body Mallard Outfitter Pack
- Bounty Hunter Land Star Metal Detector Combo
- Masterbuilt 30" Digital Electric Smoker
- Lifetime Horizon Stand-Up Paddleboard
- Zink Avian-X A-Frame Blind
- Beretta PX4 Storm Semi-Auto Pistol
- Smith & Wesson M&P 15 Sport II Semi-Auto Rifle

**Grand Prize \$10,000 Cash (Check)**

1. Must have photo ID to enter. 2. Must provide an event ticket to enter, one per person. 3. All local, State and Federal laws will be adhered to. 4. Must be 18 years of age to purchase a ticket. 5. Need not be present to win. 6. All firearms issued by Bass Pro Shops, St. Charles, MO and require ID and background check. 7. All prizes, except for cash prizes, will be in the form of a Bass Pro Shops gift card for the value of that item based on the March 2022 Bass Pro Shops catalog. 8. Prizes are subject to change and are not the responsibility of Moolah Shriners. 9. Cash prizes will be awarded in the form of a check. 10. Taxes are the responsibility of the winner. 11. Prizes must be picked up by October 1st, 2022. 12. If the drawing event is canceled, for any reason, the drawing will be held and the winners notified. 13. Payments are not deductible as charitable contributions & proceeds are for the benefit of Moolah Shrine Center.



## **Prenatal Orthopedic Consult Program**

### **Provides Parents with Roadmap**



When Rhonda and Jody Helms, M.D., traveled to China to adopt a 2-year-old boy – they knew their new son-to-be, David, had lived with club feet since birth. They also knew that seeking care as soon as possible to treat the condition would be important for the youngest of their five children.

Now, Rhonda is helping other mothers gain awareness of the Prenatal Orthopedic Consult Program at Shriners Children's Greenville. It is a program helping families with children diagnosed with conditions — like club feet, limb deficiency, spina bifida and arthrogyposis – plan ahead to help achieve the best outcomes for their child.

“The Prenatal Orthopedic Consult Program is a service that our hospital provides to expectant families and expectant mothers, especially those who have gotten a diagnosis from an ultrasound from their obstetrician with a concerning finding – like club feet – on their prenatal evaluation,” said David Westberry, M.D., a Shriners Children's pediatric orthopedic surgeon.

Each family's journey begins with a hospital tour and an educational meeting with a pediatric orthopedic surgeon. Routinely ranked among the top 5% of all comparable hospitals nationwide for Patient Experience by the prestigious Press Ganey organization, Shriners Children's Greenville staff members provide customized treatment plans that include life-changing services.

“If we had early intervention, David's feet would be more mobile now,” said Helms. “He would be able to jump on his toes. The early intervention would have let him have a more mobile foot, to where he didn't have so much pain after exerting or any kind of exercise or activity.”

Lauren Hyer, M.D., one of only three female pediatric orthopedic surgeons in the state, also contributes her expertise to the program.

“Based on what we're suspecting, we will lay out a plan of what the parents should expect in the first couple of days to weeks of life. Then, we'll do broad strokes for further in the future,” said Dr. Hyer. “For arthrogyposis, if we get to these children early, we are able to get them in therapy to get their joints moving, which can open the door to improved function and quality of life.”

Dr. Hyer said that the same is true for children with limb deficiencies and spina bifida, and that meeting with key healthcare providers sooner can put the family at greater ease. She said the comprehensive treatment options available in one location at Shriners Children's Greenville, which includes surgical, physical and occupational therapy, and prosthetics and orthotic services, can lessen stress for new parents.

Article provided by Shriners Hospitals for Children St. Louis

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Moolah Oasis

6pm - 11pm

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Please return this form and a check (payable to Moolah Shrine) to the off ice at 12545 Fee Fee Road St. Louis, MO 63146 by **Wednesday June 8th** or call 314-878-6301 to make your reservation!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Lady or Guest(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_



# Shriners Stroll into Summer

Annual Walk

# 2022 TEMPLE CHALLENGE

Moila Temple Potentate, Bill Couldry, has issued a challenge to the Temples that support the children and families of Shriners Children's St. Louis: Raise \$1,000 and receive some great benefits at the 2022 Stroll Into Summer event on June 4<sup>th</sup>!

You can also receive event benefits with your in-kind donation of bounce houses, inflatables, food trucks, games and more!

## Please join us on Saturday, June 4<sup>th</sup> to Stroll into Summer!

- Enjoy a 1.4 mile walk in St. Louis around the new Clayton Avenue hospital
- Pass the original 1924 St. Louis Shriners hospital
- Event Time: 8AM-12PM
- Free parking provided

## Recruit Your Team!

With a donation of \$1,000 you will receive the following benefits:

- 10 event registrations +10 walk t-shirts
- Customized Team Fundraising Page
- Temple-provided banner on walk route
- Temple logo/name placement on Stroll into Summer website
- Hospital Lobby visibility (four panel screen with recognition)



Temple Name (as you would like it to appear)

Team Contact

Club/Unit Name

Address

Phone Number

Email

To learn more, visit [StrollintoSummer.org](http://StrollintoSummer.org) or contact Lori O'Donnell at [lori.odonnell@shrinenet.org](mailto:lori.odonnell@shrinenet.org) or (314) 872-8330.

### \$1,000 Temple Challenge

- # of t-shirts for team: \_\_\_\_\_
- Adult: S \_\_\_\_\_ M \_\_\_\_\_ L \_\_\_\_\_ XL \_\_\_\_\_
- Child: M \_\_\_\_\_ L \_\_\_\_\_
- In-kind Donation: \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to:  
**Shriners Hospitals for Children — St. Louis**  
Memo: Stroll Challenge

Please mail to:  
**Development Office**  
**Shriners Hospitals for Children — St. Louis**  
4400 Clayton Ave. St. Louis, MO 63110



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Please return by April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

# PETITION FOR INITIATION AND MEMBERSHIP

## 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.

Print Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Wife's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthplace: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Were you ever a DeMolay? \_\_\_\_ If so, what was the Chapter name and location? \_\_\_\_\_

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Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Initiation Fee: \$100.00 (Payment must accompany this petition.)

Dues: January-March = \$135 April-June = \$110 July-October = \$85 November-December = \$25

25 years of age and younger = \$45 (No initiation fee.)

Recommended and Vouched for on the Honor of:

1. Print Noble's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Member Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Print Noble's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Member Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Elected: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Initiation: \_\_\_\_\_



# Shriners Stroll into Summer Annual Walk

## Frequently Asked Questions

Thank you for your interest in participating in the Stroll into Summer Annual Walk. Join us for a 1.5-mile walk on June 4, 2022 as we celebrate 98 years of helping kids. We hope the information below provides all the answers you need to have a fun, meaningful experience and a successful fundraising campaign!

### **1. How do I sign up to participate?**

Visit [strollintosummer.org](http://strollintosummer.org) to create your team, join a team, or sign up as an individual.

### **2. How much does it cost to register?**

Walker registration is \$10 and includes a free t-shirt. Be sure to indicate your size when registering!

### **3. How do I fundraise?**

Click [here](#) to download our official Fundraising Toolkit which contains fundraising tips and information about our mission and the Stroll into Summer Annual Walk.

### **4. How do I start a team?**

Click [here](#) to download our official Team Captain Guide which contains team fundraising tips, information about our mission and the Stroll into Summer Annual Walk.

### **5. What will my fundraising support?**

All proceeds from the Stroll into Summer Annual Walk will support and advance worldclass pediatric specialty care, innovative research and outstanding teaching programs. Since 1924, we have been caring for children with a wide range of orthopedic and neuromuscular conditions, *regardless of the families' ability to pay*. Thank you for helping us provide **The Most Amazing Care Anywhere!**

### **6. Who do I contact if I need assistance or have difficulty registering?**

Please contact Lori O'Donnell at [lori.odonnell@shrinenet.org](mailto:lori.odonnell@shrinenet.org) or (314) 872-8330.

### **7. Will I receive any prizes or giveaways?**

Walk swag will be earned at the \$100, \$250, and \$500 levels. Everyone who registers will be entered into a random weekly drawing with the chance to win gift cards from shops and restaurants. Drawings will begin April 25 with winners announced via email and Facebook.

# 2022



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## Capital Equipment Needs



Meet Jasmine. She's a talented young girl with music in her heart.

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Treating kids like Jasmine takes ever-evolving advanced technology and equipment. We have carefully selected several items to which you can contribute as part of our 2022 gift campaign.

# TOP 3

## Needs You Can Help Meet Today

# #1

### Long Leg Imaging

The plates for this specialized imaging machine provide for a full hip-to-ankle or total spine image. The equipment is mobile and moves between Radiology and our operating rooms. **(\$106,000)**

### Scanning C-Arms

This radiology equipment is used in the operating rooms during surgery. It allows the surgeon to review live x-rays to check alignment and positioning. **(\$455,700)**

# #2

# #3

### Operating Room Integrated Monitoring System

Upgraded monitoring and video systems in our operating room maintain the state of the art communication, surgical displays and advanced imaging required to deliver increased patient safety and excellent surgical outcomes. **(\$407,500)**

### Other General Capital Equipment to Consider

- A surgical tourniquet, to stem blood flow during surgery
- An Ultrasound system, used in epiderals and other anesthesia procedures
- An ALS defibrillator, for the emergency crash carts in the patient care areas of our hospital.
- A X-ray image sharing system, provides direct access of images from patient radiology providers

**Capital Equipment Needs: \$1,300,000**

Contact me to discuss how you can contribute to these important items.

(314) 692-6430 | [dsjohnson@shrinenet.org](mailto:dsjohnson@shrinenet.org)



**Dianne S. Johnson**  
Director of Development

# Be Burn Aware



Shriners Hospitals for Children has been a global leader in burn care, research and education since the 1960s.

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## 27%

of Americans leave **lit** candles within reach of children



### BE PREPARED

- Make sure your home is equipped with working smoke alarms and fire extinguishers.
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# Planning a Fundraiser?

## CHARITABLE FUNDRAISER CHECKLIST

- Has written permission been obtained from the Temple Potentate, Imperial Potentate and Chairman of the Board of Trustees?
- Has the Temple Potentate reviewed and approved any necessary contracts?
- Has the appropriate insurance been obtained?
- Has the Temple Potentate examined all solicitation and promotional material to assure compliance with Shrine law?
- Have federal, state/province and local laws been complied with?
- Has there been compliance with The Revenue Act of 1987 (if the Temple located in the United States)? (See General Order #1)
- Has a "Statement of Purpose" been included on all tickets, solicitation and promotional material?
- Has the Charity Activity Form been completed and returned to Shriners International Headquarters within 60 days of the activity to avoid an interest penalty?

## FRATERNAL FUNDRAISER CHECKLIST

- Has written permission been obtained from the Temple Potentate?
- Has a copy of the approval been sent to the Executive Vice President - Imperial Council?
- Has the Temple Potentate reviewed and approved any necessary contracts?
- Has the appropriate insurance been obtained?
- Has the Temple Potentate examined all solicitation and promotional material to be assure compliance with Shrine Law?
- Have all federal, state/province and local laws been complied with?
- Has there been compliance with The Revenue Act of 1987 (if the Temple is located in the United States)? (See General Order #1)
- Have a "Statement of Purpose" and "Disclosure" been included on all tickets, solicitation and promotional material, including Temple publications?

## Moolah Temple Fund Raiser Fee

When a Unit, Committee, Shrine Club or any appendant or subordinate body of Moolah Temple holds ANY fund raising activity that is NOT for the benefit of the Shriners Hospitals for Children or for the benefit of Moolah Temple, the following shall apply:

If the gross receipts of the fund raising activity are in excess of \$1000, then a fee equal to 15% of the net proceeds of the fund raising activity shall be paid to Moolah Temple. This fee shall be paid to Moolah Temple within 60 days of the completion of the activity and a financial record of the activity shall be reported on a Profit & Loss form prescribed by the Moolah Temple office. Documentation of the receipts and disbursements need not be submitted with the Profit & Loss form; however, they must be available for inspection upon request by the Potentate. The gross receipts test will be applied on a quarterly basis for fund raising activities that span many days or weeks because of their recurring nature.

### Sales Tax

If a fund raising activity is deemed taxable for sales tax purposes, the amount determined to be due for sales taxes shall be paid to Moolah Temple, in addition to the Moolah Temple fundraiser fee, within 60 days of the fund raising activity. If an activity is subject to sales tax, then the Profit & Loss form prescribed by the Moolah Temple office must be completed (regardless if the gross receipts exceed \$1000 or not). The sales tax rate will be provided by the Shrine office and computed on a gross receipts basis as determined by the regulations of the Missouri Department of Revenue.

### Sales Tax Guidelines

Gross receipts from sales of tangible personal property are subject to sales tax unless specifically excluded or exempted.

1. Fund raising for the benefit of the Shriners Hospitals for Children are NOT subject to sales tax.
2. Fund raising for the benefit of Moolah or appendant organizations (Units, Shrine Clubs, etc.) is subject to sales tax on gross receipts unless the event is limited to members and their guests, and the general public is not involved. However, if the event were open to the general public (i.e. a barbeque, etc.) then the gross receipts would be subject to sales tax.
3. Exceptions to the (2) above would be the Green Tree Festival and Fair St. Louis and similar events where the event sponsor collects appropriate sales taxes and remits the same to the revenue authorities. Additionally, routine activities such as meetings, annual parties or events for members and guests usually have no sales tax consequences.

If there is any doubt as to whether the event is subject to sales tax, call the Moolah Temple office for clarification.



# GRAPHIC DESIGN REQUEST FORM

Please allow 24 hours for confirmation on receipt of the graphic design request.

Complete this form, save it and email it with any attachments to [jazmine@moolah.org](mailto:jazmine@moolah.org).

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Unit/Other: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Project Title: \_\_\_\_\_

- NEW PROJECT** (*Attach details in an email with form or meet with the Graphic Designer*)
- REVISION of Previous Project** Approximate date and name of project: \_\_\_\_\_

Submission Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Desired Deadline: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please allow at least 2 months in advance for any graphic design projects to be worked on.**

Please submit all final text as either a Microsoft Word document or PDF. All other electronic content (photos, illustrations, or other graphics) should be emailed along with the graphic design request form. If content needs to be physically supplied, please drop it off at the office or the slip inside the office door after hours. All designs are for Moolah purposes.

Please check box if applicable.

## PROJECT TYPE

*(Check only one. A separate form is required for individual projects.)*

- Brochure
- Flyer
- Camels' Tales Flyer
- Invitation
- Poster
- Banner
- Display Sign
- Circus Ad
- Other

## SIZE

*(Check all that apply)*

- 8.5 x 11
- 11 x 17
- 11.64 x 47.24
- 1/2 Page
- 1/3 Page
- 1/4 Page
- Other

## COLOR INFORMATION

*(Check all that apply)*

- B&W
- Color

## Description or layout of project:

*A PDF file of the finished design will be sent by email for proofing. Final changes can only be made at least 2 days before its due.*

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# Meeting Schedules

## Stated Meetings

January 19th	May 18th	September 21st	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.
February 16th	June 15th	October 19th	
March 16th	July 20th	November 16th	
April 20th	August 17th	December 21st (election)	

## Units & Committees

Name	Date & Time	Location	Contact
Air Patrol	2nd Mon.		Byron Smymiotis 314-494-6464
Arab Patrol	1st Mon. Drill Practice 4th Mon.		Scott Haenel 314-677-5434
Band	Every Wed.		Jack Scherrer 314-644-5362
BBQ Smokin' Nobles	1st Wed. 7:30pm	Unit Room	Dennis Burkholder 314-570-1904
Chanters	1st Mon. Business Meeting 7:30pm Rehearsal every Mon. 7:30pm	Unit Room	David Larkin 636-734-7718
Clowns	3rd Mon.		John Frederick 314-541-4985
DeMolay	3rd Wed. 6:30pm		Jeff Kitsmiller, Jr. 918-497-8008
Directors Staff	1st Mon.		Fred Zurfluh, IV 314-910-3950
Drum Corps	2nd Mon. Rehearsals 1st, 3rd, 4th Mon.		David Glenn 314-560-4431
Gateway 500	2nd Tues.		Dave Hope 314-406-0744
Guides	Last Friday		Rick Mayer 314-603-2106
Hospital Reception Comm.	2nd Wednesday 7:00pm	Unit Room	Jim Gesell 636-352-5146
Legion of Honor	4th Tues.		Gale Going 314-703-0548
Motor Patrol	2nd Mon.		Steve Lovell 314-898-2372
Mounted Lancers	2nd Wed.	Ranch	Allen Coggins 314-602-7454
Muscle Car Unit	1st Wed. 6:30pm	Unit Room	Keith Schilb 314-705-2812
Operational Support Unit	2nd Mon.	Behind the Ballroom	Mike Reese 314-229-3682
Seniors	1st Mon. 3rd Mon. Business	Guides Room	Ken Zesch 314-610-7452
Sportsmen Unit	3rd Mon. 6:30pm	Sheik's Club	Brett Grimm 314-606-4622
Swing Dance Unit	1st Mon. 6:30pm		Wally Bowman 314-498-6915
TCAA	4th Wed. 6:00pm	Oasis	Charles Haas, 314-575-5020
Unique Motors	2nd & 4th Mon.		Ken Wright 636-288-1130
YOMO	2nd Wed.		Lenny Martin PP 314-795-6561

## Clubs

Name	Date & Time	Location	Contact
Cape SC	4th Wed. 6:00pm	Shriner's Hall 57001 Old Cape Road East Jackson, MO 63755	Billy Thorne 573-275-3010
Capital SC	2nd Tues. 6:30pm	Capital SC	Corey Dawson 573-301-8670
Daniel Boone SC	Last Thurs. 6:30pm	JJ's Restaurant	Mike Heuer 314-814-3367
Ecmo SC	1st Fri. 7:30pm	ECMO SC	Billie Inman 314-541-8134
Joachim SC	4th Wed. 7:00pm	Weber's Front Row	Randell Green 314-566-0252
Little Dixie SC	4th Wed.	L.D. Shrine Park	Rennie Davis 573-473-6817
Mid-Mo SC	3rd Mon.	607 S. Sturgeon	Bryan Jonas 573-239-1795
Nemo SC	3rd Thurs. 6:00pm	Call for Location	Aaron Ruhl 573-231-2718
Ozark SC	2nd Mon.	411 Springfield Rd. Owensville, MO	John Behrens Jr. 636-234-7690
Semo SC	1st Fri. 6:30pm	Semo SC	Matthew Hodges 573-619-1795
Three Rivers SC	3rd Fri. 6:30pm	Three Rivers SC	Corey Christian 573-718-6511

## Appendant Bodies

Name	Date & Time	Location	Contact
Daughters of the Nile	1st Wed.	Noble Lodge #684	Marie Preble 314-578-1671
Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America	3rd Mon.	Noble Lodge #684	Marcia Jacobi 314-541-3393
Temple Club	2nd Wed.	Oasis	Nancy Pollock 314-239-2181



## Circus Shout Outs!!!

What a fun time during this year's circus. A special shout to all of our members and volunteers for all your amazing help as always. We also want to give a special shout and thank you to Sherry Weible for sharing a photograph of her grandson, Gramm Weible. Whose class assignment was to draw what he did on his Spring Break. For his drawing he drew his favourite acts of the Moolah Circus. We are so happy to hear that Gramm and his family enjoyed the circus and hope everyone else did as well.

## Imagine your next event at Moolah!



Come on in and book your next event with us! If you would like to take a look at our rooms feel free to stop by 9:00a-4:30p Monday-Friday.

### The below rates are only for 2022.

#### Moolah Unit/Club/Committee Events:

Ballroom: \$750

Oasis: \$450

\$500 security deposit (refunded if no damages are found)

#### Member Benefits for Moolah Shriners & Immediate Family:

Ballroom: \$1,000

Oasis: \$550

\$500 security deposit (refunded if no damages are found)

#### Non-Shriner & General Public Events:

Ballroom: \$2,000

Oasis: \$1,100

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# **What is the Meaning of the Shrine Symbol?**



The symbol represents the 300,000 Shriners who are the backbone of the Shrine. The two claws represent the two divisions of the Shrine, the fraternity, Shriners International and the charity, Shriners Hospitals for Children, joined in the middle by the head of a sphinx which is representative of the Imperial Council of Shriners International, the governing body of the Shrine. The star that hangs between the claws represents the stars of the Shrine, the thousands of children we assist every year.

**Attention Moolah Nobles:** Do you know someone who would be a great addition to the "backbone" of the Shrine? **NOW** is a great time to become a Shriner! Petitions for membership will be accepted through **May 11, 2022** for the Spring Ceremonial on May 14, 2022!

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Issue:	Due Date:
January/February	December 5
March/April	February 5
May/June	April 5
July/August	June 5
September/October	August 5
November/December	October 5

In order to have everyone represented please keep articles to 300 words or less.

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Restorations	5
Associated	0
Demits	0
Suspensions	0
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Expulsions	0
Resignations	0
Associates Dropped	0
Net Change	1
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Dated Material

# MOOLAH® SHRINE CALENDAR

May		June	
6th	Swing Dance presents Backstreet Cruisers	3th	Swing Dance presents Crossfire
8th	Mothers Day Brunch	4th	Shriners Stroll
11th	Temple Club	8th	Temple Club
13th	Ambassadors Meeting & Swing Dance	10th	Ambassadors, Ceremonial Cast, Swing Dance
14th	Spring Ceremonial	<b>15th</b>	<b>Stated Meeting</b>
<b>18th</b>	<b>Stated Meeting</b>	17th	Swing Dance presents Charlie Mann
20th	Swing Dance presents Trilogy	18th	Pote Event
30th	Temple Closed	24th	Swing Dance presents Backstreet Cruisers
July		August	
2nd } 7th }	Imperial Convention	5th	Swing Dance presents Crossfire
4th	Temple Closed	6th	Motown Review Air Patoral
8th	Ambassadors Meeting & Swing Dance	8th	Ceremonial Cast Lucheon
11th	Ceremonial Cast Lucheon	10th	Temple Club
13th	Temple Club	12th	Ambassadors Meeting & Swing Dance
15th	Swing Dance presents Laytham & Holmes	13th	Pote Event
16th	Guides Picnic & Shrine Day at the Ballpark	<b>17th</b>	<b>Stated Meeting</b>
<b>20th</b>	<b>Stated Meeting</b>	19th	Swing Dance presents Pennsylvania Slim
22nd	Swing Dance presents Fanfare	19th } 21st }	Festival of the Little Hills
29th	Swing Dance presents Larry Gwaltney Band	24th } 28th }	CSSA
30th	Sportsman Raffle	26th	Swing Dance presents Backstreet Cruisers