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 Michael Ray.....(2022)
 Calvin Gamble.....(2023)

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RECORDER REMARKS

By Gene McKelvey

Nobles, the Shrine Circus is getting closer! We need a make a big push to sell as much as we can in order to fund the 2024 Operating Budget. The Program has gone to print, so Ads and Buck A Lines are closed, however you can still sell Tickets and Banners right up to showtime!

Nobles, to clear up bit of confusion from the last issue of India Ink, the Prague Parade and Kentucky Derby Party are on May 4th and the Spring Ceremonial and Potentates Ball are on May 11th. Don't miss out!

Speaking of the Spring Ceremonial, have you gotten your Novice lined up yet? Please secure a Petition and get it turned it to the office.

How many of you saw the great coverage that we received on TV from our Philadelphia Hospital? What great exposure! Our Childrens Healthcare System is really doing some fabulous things these days! If you haven't visited the Shriners Childrens Website, give it a look. You will be impressed at what YOUR Healthcare System is doing and the miracles they are performing every single day!

Nobles, Thank You for all that you do for India!

That's Enough Ink for this Ink!

POTENTATES MESSAGE

Top of the Mornin' Nobles,

As we start this March with Stated Session on March 1. This month we have The St. Paddy's Day Parade on Mar 16 at the Stockyards, and that evening the Okie Dokies are hosting their annual St. Patrick's Day Party. I hope to see everyone there.

You know as we begin the parade year, we will be doing a Participation Trophy, so let's get all our Units slicked up and get to paradin'

Nobles, you Jewel Points Officer is Chris Crowder and he tells me that the

Jewel Box in the Main Hall at the Shrine Center is full and running over with Jewels to be picked up, so the next time that you are at the Shrine Center, be sure and check to see if you have any awaiting you!

Please know how much your work and dedication means to me and the Shrine Center. Let's begin to get fired up about circus and kick its butt together there is nothing we can't do. Doing More is 24 !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!



OFFICIAL CALL OF THE POTENTATE

Notice is hereby given that the scheduled Stated Session of India Shriners will be held at the time and place shown below for the transaction of such business as may come before the Temple.

Attest: Gene McKelvey
Recorder

Dennis E. Schoors
Potentate

Friday, March 1, 2024 7:30 P.M.
India Shrine Center – 3601 N.W. 36th Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Dinner at 6:30 pm in the downstairs dining room and the Ladies are welcome to join their Nobles. Ladies Wine & Cheese to begin in the upstairs ballroom at 7:30 PM.

ATTENTION ALL SCRIBES

Deadline for the April Issue of India Ink is March 10th.

Articles may be sent by email to: indiashriners@gmail.com in MS Word Format. One Page, double spaced and type written. Articles in excess of one page will be edited.



FISHING CLUB NEWS

The next meeting of the India Fishing Club will be March 18th at 6:30 p.m. at India Shrine. For more information, call Bill Rabon at 755-0087



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2024 PARADE SCHEDULE

| | | | |
|----------------------|-------------------------|------------|------------------|
| Mar 16 th | St Patricks Parade | Stockyards | Temple Sponsored |
| Apr 20 th | 89er Day Parade | Guthrie | Temple Sponsored |
| May 4 th | Kolache Festival Parade | Prague | Temple Sponsored |
| May 11 th | Armed Forces Parade | Del City | Temple Sponsored |
| Aug 31 st | Old Timer's Day Parade | Choctaw | Voluntary |



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In Memoriam

The deepest sympathy of the Illustrious Potentates Divan and Nobles of the India Shrine is extended to the family and friends.

These We Do Not Forget

Carl Rehbine

Robert Allen Frerksen

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Adoram Temple No. 95 Daughters of the Nile

Annual Game Party

Wednesday May 15th, 2024

India Shrine Center

10:00 am to 3:00 pm

\$10.00 Per Person

Lunch Included



Chicken Salad, Croissant, Fresh Fruit, Dessert, Coffee, Tea

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India Shrine Hospital Transportation Activity for January 2024

The Nobles listed below have worked in providing transportation for our young patients and their parents to the Shreveport, Galveston and St Louis hospitals. They have worked as Drivers, performed maintenance, assisted in the office or as Area Coordinators.

Thank you guys for the help. You are to be commended.

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|-------------------------------|----------|-----------------------------|--------------|
| Number of van trips for month | 6 | Number of drivers for month | 7 |
| Number of van trips for year | 6 | Number of drivers for year | 7 |
| Number of patients for month | 6 | Van miles for month | 5,163 |
| Number of patients for year | 6 | Van miles for year | 5,163 |

| <u>Driver</u> | <u>Trips</u> | <u>Driver</u> | <u>Trips</u> | <u>Driver</u> | <u>Trips</u> |
|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Dee Cocheran | 3 | Joe Menefee | 1 | Aaron Perry | 1 |
| David Perry | 1 | William Wise | 1 | | |

Lawton Drivers

| <u>Driver</u> | <u>Trips</u> | <u>Driver</u> | <u>Trips</u> | <u>Driver</u> | <u>Trips</u> |
|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Hubert Sims | 0 | | | | |

Van Maintenance

| <u>Van Maintenance</u> | <u>Days</u> | <u>Area Coordinators</u> | |
|------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|---------|
| Richard Overton | | John Carter | Ardmore |
| Bill Deeds | 2 | Hubert Sims | Lawton |
| Elvis Shrum | 2 | | |
| Bill Wise | | | |

| <u>Van</u> | <u>Trips</u> | <u>Month Miles</u> | <u>Total Miles</u> | <u>Description</u> |
|------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|
| 1 | 1 | 858 | 885 | 2024 Honda Odyssey – Gas |
| 2 | 2 | 1,856 | 31,462 | 2022 Honda Odyssey – Gas |
| 3 | 2 | 1,601 | 34,109 | 2022 Honda Odyssey – Gas |
| 4 | 1 | 848 | 96,820 | 2019 Honda Odyssey – Gas |
| 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Retired |
| 6 | 0 | 0 | 11,605 | 2019 Chevy Express |
| 7 | 0 | 0 | 19,518 | 2017 F350 Ford – Handicap |
| 8 | 0 | 0 | 86,083 | 2019 Honda Odyssey – Gas |
| 9 | 0 | 0 | 104,109 | 2010 F350 Ford – Gas |

Airline Flights: Paid for by India Shrine

| | | | |
|---------------------------|----|--------------------|---|
| Airline flights for month | 12 | Patients for month | 6 |
| Airline flights for year | 12 | Patients for year | 6 |

Airline Flights: Free tickets courtesy of Southwest Airlines

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|---------------------------|---|--------------------|---|
| Airline flights for month | 0 | Patients for month | 0 |
| Airline flights for year | 0 | Patients for year | 0 |

POV (personal owned vehicle) Patients: Trips paid for by India Shrine

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|---------------------------|---|------------------|---|
| Travel expenses for month | 5 | Hotels for Month | 6 |
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DUNE BUGGYS

By Field Reporter Jeff Aynes

I start this month's article off on a somber note. A great Oklahoman and Patriot for all, Toby Keith, passed away as I was writing this month's article. I know he was not a member of our organization, but was an advocate of brotherhood. His music touched the lives of many and I have played his music thousands of times at events from Car Shows to weddings to Ceremonials. RIP Toby Keith.

I guess I don't pay attention very well. I didn't realize that our Circus was moved to April until I got my tickets in the mail. I guess I have been on the go quite a bit. I love the Circus and love seeing the faces of the children to the aged come and enjoy this little bit of heaven year over year. To get me started every year, I watch the movie The Greatest Show on Earth with Charleton Heston and always gets me ready and in the mood for India's Greatest Show on Earth Circus. Ask yourself this question... What am I going to do to support the Shrine Circus this year? Am I going to sell Circus Tickets, Banners, Buck-A-Lines? Am I going to come and help set up and tear down banners and booths at the Circus? Am I going to work by selling novelties or Circus Programs? What are you going to do to support the Shrine this year? It takes everyone possible to pull this Circus together.

March as always kicks off parades and parties with St. Patrick's Day Parade and March Madness BASKETBALL. This year, we will see an early Easter as it falls on the 31st. Punxsutawney Phil did not see his shadow last week which means an early spring. Not sure if he will get it right, but hope he does this year. This coming Sunday will see Super Bowl XVIII with the Chiefs and 49ers. It should be a great game and the AFC and NFC Championship games were really good this year and hope the Super Bowl is just as good. Also, will be great to see a fellow Oklahoman, Reba McEntire, singing the National Anthem at this year's Super Bowl.

Remember, new Nobles and long term nobles we would love to invite you to one of our meeting to check out the great Dune Buggy Unit. We meet the 2nd Thursday of each month around 6pm at Bill's Steakhouse and Saloon located 1013 SW 89 Street (just west of Western on 89th Street). Their meals are great, and the prices are really good as well. If you have questions, please reach out to our Captain Bob Jones at 405-229-4579. Have a great Easter and enjoy time with the families. Remember, He is RISEN!!!

Roll of Honor

To these we gratefully tip our Fez in recognition of their generous contribution to the Children's Hospital Transportation Fund. Their names will be permanently enrolled on our Roll of Honor

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IN MEMORY OF

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Steadman Family Foundation

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IN HONOR OF

Tim & Jill Cassil

Bill Wise

This years Charity Smokes Cigar Dinner is scheduled for June 21st. Table of 8 is \$1,000 or \$125 per seat.

Online tickets will go on sale very soon! So get your reservations in **NOW**.

You can also stop by the India Shrine Office and book your seat/table!



*Daughters of the Nile
Adoram Temple No. 95*

*You are cordially invited to attend the
75th Open Installation of Officers*

*Sunday, April Seventh
Two Thousand Twenty-Four
Two O Clock in the Afternoon*

*India Shrine Temple
3601 N.W. 36th Street
Oklahoma City, OK 73112*

*When Princess Kimmie Jackson
Will be crowned Queen*

*Joyce McWaters
Queen*

*LuAnn Lynch, P O
Princess Recorder*

Reception to Follow





Actress Kristian Bell visits Alec and Friends at the Shriners Hospital in Chicago

India Ink

March Birthdays

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Mark David Wagnon
Edward Lance Burns
Marcial Mitchell
Godfrey James Holasek Jr
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James H McElhany
John Richard Conley
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Eleazar Hernandez
Terry William Smith
Robert McWaters
Jared Robert Whittington
Jason Kyle Russell
Phillip Adrian Johnson
Ricky Gene Aynes
R. Don Terrel
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Jaden Lynx Love
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Harry Lewis Coleman
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FISHING CLUB

By Bill Rabon

It's been a tough beginning for the New Year. Originally our monthly meeting is scheduled for the 3rd Monday which would have been the 15th of January. Due to bad weather we decided to postpone for a week. The following Monday "the 22nd" rolled around and the weather warmed up, but my driveway was still very icy. We decided again to postpone until the following day- Tuesday the 23rd.

Finally on January 23rd the Fishing Club met at the Shrine Temple. Marshal came in to open the doors for us because nothing else was scheduled. McKelvey made arrangements to accommodate us and Marshal was there; right on time.

Thanks guys.

Larry Jones and Donny Cusack kept our meal warm for over a week. After dinner, we opened the meeting and started our long list of work which needed to be addressed. A lot of guys didn't show up, because Tuesday was their Lodge meeting night.

Bill had sixteen spots available for the fishing trip to Lake Texoma. Twelve spots were snatched up immediately. I'm sure the remaining 4 openings will be filled shortly.

The most important project was to develop a list for our monthly meal volunteers for the year. You just can't have a monthly business meeting without having a good meal first.

Bill brought samples of Linda Bingaman's handy work, to get the guys reaction to her newest project. Everything she sent was sold before the meeting ended.

Like I said, it was a rough start, but as usual we got the job done and we had a good time. Till next time and hope you have a great month.

Bill Rabon

LEGION OF HONOR

Buddy Givens, Adjutant

Our message this month is a little different. The following really speaks to us as Shriners, perhaps some more than others.

So Long, Volunteers By Erma Bombeck

I had a dream the other night that every volunteer in this land had set sail for another country. I stood smiling on the pier, shouting, "Good-bye phone committees. Good-bye disease of the month. No more getting out the vote. No more playground duty, bake sales, rummage sales, thrift shops, and three-hour meetings."

As the boat got smaller, I reflected, "serves them right, that bunch of yes people. All they had to do was put their tongues firmly against the roofs of their mouths and make an 'O' sound – NO. It would certainly spared them a lot of grief. Oh well, who needs them?"

The hospital was quiet as I passed it. The reception desk was vacant. Rooms were devoid of books, flowers and voices. The children's wing held no clowns, no laughter. The blind listened for a voice that never came. The infirm were imprisoned in wheelchairs that never moved. Food grew cold on trays that would never reach the hungry. The social agencies have closed their doors – unable to implement their programs of scouting, recreation, drug control; unable to help the retarded, handicapped, lonely and abandoned. Health agencies had signs in their windows: "Cures for cancer, birth defects, multiple sclerosis, heart diseases, etc., have been canceled due to lack of interest."

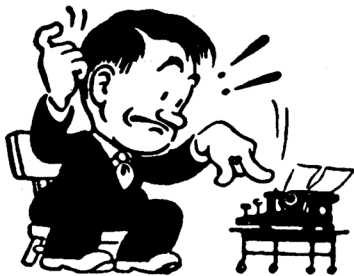
The schools were strangely quiet, with no field trips and no volunteer classroom aides. Symphony halls and the museums that had been built and stocked by volunteers were dark and would remain that way. The flowers in churches and synagogues withered and died. Children in day nurseries lifted their arms, but there was no one to hold them in love.

Alcoholics cried out in despair, but no one answered. The poor had no recourse for health care or legal aid. I fought in my sleep to regain a glimpse of the ship of volunteers just one more time. It was to be my last glimpse of a decent civilization.

If you are a veteran and are not a member of a unit, please consider joining us as a regular member. We are also happy to welcome associate members who belong to other units for just a \$5.00 contribution. Feel free to contact me for further information at 214-425-3337 or buddy.givens@gmail.com. Our next unit meeting will be Monday, March 4th at 7:00 pm at the Shrine Center.

IT IS AN HONOR TO BELONG TO THE LEGION OF HONOR.

Things to do TODAY!



Write a prospect



Phone a prospect



Call on a prospect



Mail in a petition

MEMBERSHIP STATUS

Membership as of
January 1, 2024 1314

Current Year to Date

DECEASED 7

DEMITTED 1

SUSPENSIONS 0

ASSOCIATES 0

TOTAL LOSS 8

CREATED 0

AFFILATED 0

RESTORED 6

ASSOCIATE 1

TOTAL GAIN 7

NET LOSS 1

Membership as of
February 15, 2024 1311

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Oklahoma City, Ok. 73120
1st & 3rd Monday 7:30 PM

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1026 Key Blvd
Edmond, Ok. 73034
2nd & 4th Tuesday 7:30 PM

Norman Lodge No. 38
1700 N. Porter Avenue
Norman, Ok. 73041
1st & 3rd Monday 7:00 PM

Yukon Lodge No. 90
1201 E. Main
Yukon, Ok. 73085
1st & 3rd Tuesday 7:30 PM

Myrtle Lodge No. 145
125 SE 89th Street
Oklahoma City, Ok. 73149
2nd & 4th Tuesday 7:30 PM

Siloam Lodge No. 276
4201 NW 39th Street
Oklahoma City, Ok. 73112
1st & 3rd Tuesday 7:00 PM

Mustang Lodge No. 407
406 E Highway 152
Mustang, Ok. 73064
1st & 3rd Thursday 7:30 PM

Britton Lodge No. 434
820 NW 92nd
Oklahoma City, Ok. 73114
2nd & 4th Thursday 7:30 PM

Hiram Lodge No. 494
1425 N Rockwell
Oklahoma City, Ok 73127
1st & 3rd Wednesday 7:30 PM

Midwest City Lodge No. 532
814 N Key Blvd
Midwest City, Ok. 73140
2nd & 4th Thursday 7:00 PM

Del City Lodge No. 536
4315 SE 37th
Del City, Ok. 73115
2nd & 4th Monday 7:00 PM

Jones City Lodge No. 537
108 NW 3rd Street
Jones, Ok. 73049
2nd & 4th Thursday 7:30 PM

Moore Lodge No. 539
301 E Main Street
Moore, Ok. 73160
1st & 3rd Tuesday 7:00 PM

India Lodge No. 551
3415 NW 36th Street
Oklahoma City, Ok. 73112
2nd Wednesday 12:00 Noon

Amity Lodge No 473
3416 NW 36th Street
Oklahoma City, Ok 73112
2nd & 4th Tuesday 7:00 PM

Blanchard Lodge No 395
103 NW 10th Street
Blanchard, Ok. 73010
1st & 3rd Tuesday 7:30 PM

PETITION FOR INITIATION AND MEMBERSHIP INDIA SHRINERS

TO THE POTENTATE, OFFICERS AND NOBLES OF INDIA SHRINE OF OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA:

I, the undersigned, hereby declare upon my honor that I am a Master Mason in Good and Current Standing in:

_____ Lodge No. _____ City & State _____
which is a Lodge recognized by 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 Bylaws of The Imperial Council. In addition, I declare that I hold a Master Mason Proficiency Card or have been a Master Mason for no less than 6 months. I therefore respectfully request to be created a Noble of the Mystic Shrine and become a member of India Shrine.

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 India Shrine.

Date of Birth: _____ Birthplace _____

Were you ever a DeMolay? _____ If so, what Chapter and Location? _____

Do you belong to the Scottish Rite? _____ If so, where? _____

Do you belong to the York Rite? _____ If so, where? _____

Have you previously applied for admission to any Shrine Center? _____

If so, what Shrine Center? _____ When? _____

Your Address of Residence is: (Street) _____

(City, State & Zip) _____

Your Mailing Address is: (Street) _____

(City, State & Zip) _____

Home Phone(Including Area Code): _____ Cell Phone _____

His E-Mail: _____ Her E-Mail: _____ Her Cell: _____

Wifes Name: _____ **FEE: \$175** Your Hat Size: _____

Occupation: _____ Print Full Name: _____

Date: _____ Signature: _____

Recommended and Vouched for on the Honor of : _____ (This Space for Recorder)

_____ # _____ Ceremonial Date: _____

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| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| | | | | | 1 STATED SESSION Cigar Club | 2 |
| 3 | 4 Legion of Honor Duncan Shrine Club | 5 Ada Shrine Club | 6 Big Wheels Ladies Oriental Shrine Directors Staff Gun Club | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 Cruisers | 14 CSSA Business Session Topeka KS Ada Klowns Daughters of the Nile- Session Mounted Patrol WOWCASS Dune Buggys | 15 CSSA Business Ses- sion Topeka KS | 16 CSSA Business Session Topeka KS St. Patricks Dance St. Patricks Parade- Stockyards |
| 17 CSSA Business Ses- sion Topeka KS | 18 Ardmore Shrine Club Fishing Club | 19 Lawton-Ft. Sill Club Ashara | 20 Old Wheels | 21 Daughters of the Nile- Sewing | 22 | 23 Tulsa Scottish Rite Reunion |
| 24 Tulsa Scottish Rite Reunion | 25 India Clowns Provost Guard | 26 Swokies | 27 Broncos Misfits | 28 Murray County Club Central OK Club | 29 | 30 |

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APRIL

Fri 5th – Sun 7th
Sun 7th
Wed 10th
Thur 11th – Sun 14th
Mon 15th
Fri 19th
Sat 20th
Sun 21st

Guthrie Scottish Rite Reunion
Daughters of the Nile Installation
Move In Day for Circus
SHRINE CIRCUS
OFFICE CLOSED for a day of rest
Scottish Rite Dinner and Bingo
89er Day Parade Guthrie
McAlester Scottish Rite Reunion

MAY

Fri 3rd
Sat 4th
Sat 4th
Sat 11th
Sat 11th
Mon 27th

STATED SESSION
Kentucky Derby Parade
Prague Kolache Parade
Del City Parade
Spring Ceremonial
OFFICE CLOSED-Memorial Day