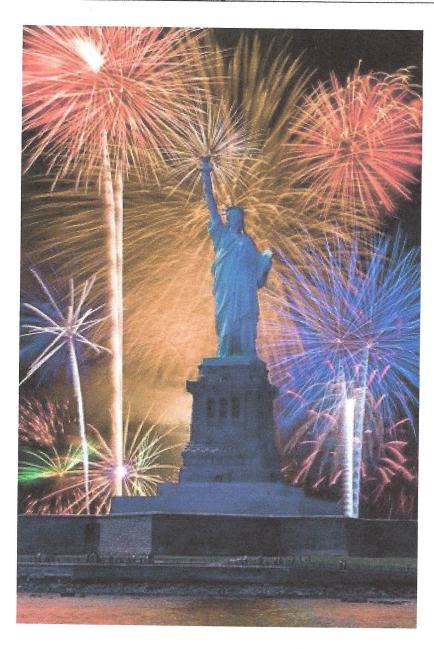


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Recorder Remarks By Gene McKelvey

Nobles as you are reading this, your Elected Officers are in Reno, Nevada attending the Annual Imperial Council Session.

If you are reading this, then you apparently you found the path to the new E-Ink! It is a very different delivery system, but it will save us a tremendous amount of Money in the long run.

Nobles at this time, we have 161 Nobles who have not paid their 2024 Dues and will be eligible for suspension at years end.

Those of you who know me, know that membership loss is something that I find terribly upsetting. It means that we are failing to maintain our existence.

Let's get past the complacent stage, and get the place back up on its feet! New members bring fresh ideas and the energy to see them come to life. If you have a prospect and you really want to impress him, M.W. John Carter has set aside September 7th as a Statewide Field Day for Shrine Initiation! Of course, if we don't have any prospects, then that would be a bit embarrassing now, wouldn't it?

In July we have the Stated Session on the 12th and the Daughters of the Nile Rags to Riches Garage Sale om the 27th & 28th. In August we finish the month with CSSA in Topeka. Nobles Arab Shrine has never hosted a CSSA there in Topeka, so let's make an effort to attend this event and show them the Pride of Oklahoma Shrine!

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

That's Enough Ink for this Ink!

Potentates Message

Happy July 4th Nobles! We hope you and your Family have plans for an enjoyable holiday weekend! Your Elected Divan is in Reno, Nevada at the Imperial Council Session. At the July 12th Stated Session, our Recorder will give a report of the Highlights of the



session including what changes were approved to the Rules and Regulations.

Did you make it to Woodward for the Parade and Rodeo? Those that did not, truly missed out on a great weekend! A Tip of the Fez to the Nobles of the Northwest Phyrtrol Unit for all of their hard work in putting together the Shrine activities and making everyone feel welcome!

Nobles I wanted to take this opportunity to tell you about the upcoming Grand Masters State Wide Shrine Ceremonial to be held on September 7th. All 3 Shrine temple are invited and encouraged to bring candidates for the event. We need to really get behind this and look high and low for candidates for this Ceremonial. After all, we are the "Mother Temple" in Oklahoma and we need to have more candidates than the other two. It would be embarrassing if Akdar and Bedouin show with 12-14 Candidates each and India only has 3, so let's ALL get to work to make this event a true "Big One Ceremonial".

"Doing More in 24"

Dennis Schoors

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.

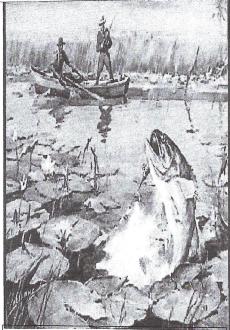
Attest: Gene McKelvey Recorder Dennis E. Schoors Potentate

Friday, July 12, 2024 7:30 P.M. India Shrine Center – 3601 N.W. 36th Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Dinner at 6:30 pm in the downstairs dinning 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 August issue of India E-Ink is July 10th. Articles may be sent 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 Shrine Fishing Club will be July 15th at 6:30 P.M. at India Shrine. For more information call Bill Rabon at 755-0087

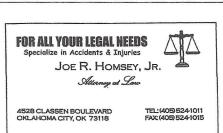
2024 PARADE SCHEDULE

July 4th 4th of July Parade Edmond Temple Sponsored August 17th Free Fair Parade Hydro Temple Sponsored August 24th Old Timer's Day Parade Choctaw Temple Sponsored September 7th Western Days Parade Mustang Temple Sponsored September 14th Harrah Day Parade Harrah Temple Sponsored December 7th Christmas parade Stockyards Temple Sponsored



No Man Stands So. Tall As When He Stoops To Help A Crippled Child





In Memoriam

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

These We Do Not Forget

Richard Allen Rowe

Max Eugene Smith

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Shrine/Mason Entertainment Program

On the 18th of July Linda and I will be performing a program at the Seminole Masonic Lodge. Eat at 6:30, program after dinner. It is an open-door program so the whole family is invited. We will touch on God, Family, Country, Patriotism, Shrine, and Masonry. Come and be a part of a first in what we hope to be many programs in the future. We hope non-mason men will be there so they can see and hear a small part of why we are Masons. We also hope Master Mason will see why we as Shriners enjoy being a part of the greatest philanthropy in the world and hear why we support the Shrine Hospitals, maybe it will spark their interest in becoming a Shriner too.

Hope to see you and your family there.

Thank you,

Noble Ben & Lady Linda Steen

Seminole Masonic Lodge.

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SHRINE CENTER

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Monday, July 1st
Thru
Friday, July 5th

FOR

Imperial & Independence Day

India Shrine Hospital Transportation Activity for May 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	5	Number of drivers for month	6
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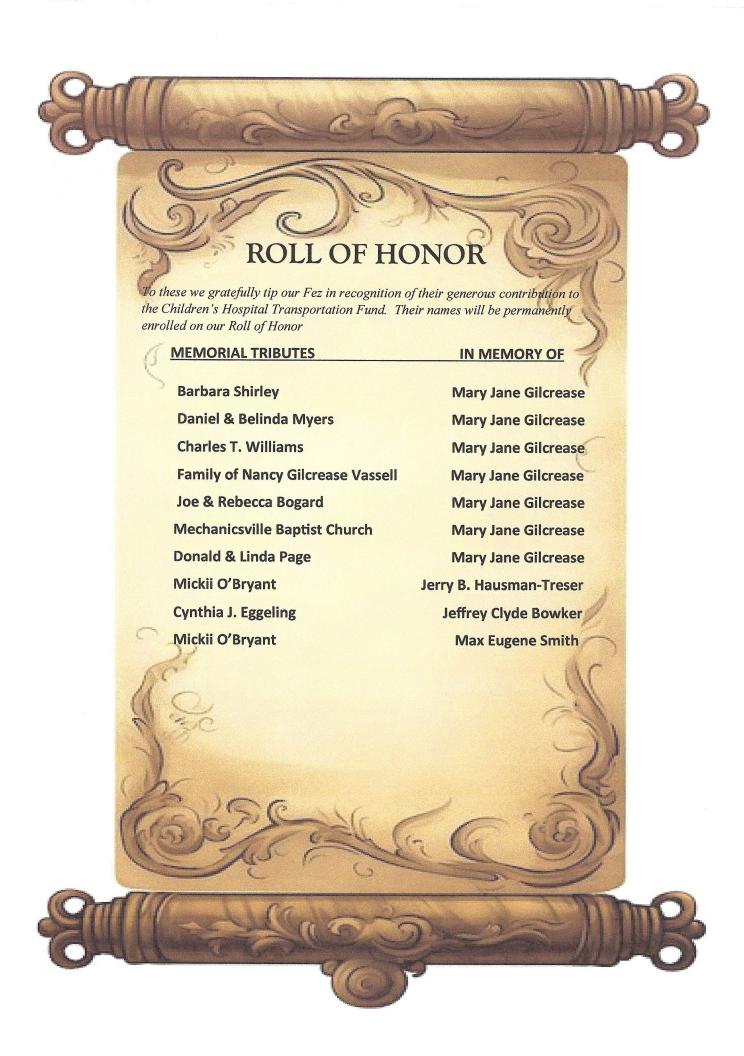
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Lawton Drivers					
<u>Driver</u> Hubert Sims	Trips	Driver	Trips	<u>Driver</u>	Trips

Van Maintenance Richard Overton Bill Deeds Elvis Shrum Bill Wise	<u>Days</u> 5	Area Coordinators John Carter Hubert Sims	Ardmore Lawton
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<u>Van</u>	<u>Trips</u>	Month Miles	Total Miles	Description
1	1	758	4,544	2024 Honda Odyssey - Gas
2	1	835	36,906	2022 Honda Odyssey - Gas
3	2	1,835	39,143	2022 Honda Odyssey – Gas
4	1	802	101,194	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	1	286	86,384	2019 Honda Odyssey - Gas
9	0	0	104,109	2010 F350 Ford - Gas

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Legion of Honor Buddy Givens, Adjutant

Veterans and the 4th of July

Some say that the Fourth of July is a time to honor veterans and their sacrifices, as well as to recognize the freedoms they have secured for the country. The American Veterans Center says that the holiday is a reminder of the brave soldiers who have fought for freedom, and that without them, people would not have the liberty to live their lives as they choose. Veterans Place says that it's important to pause during celebrations and appreciate the men and women who continue to protect the country's freedoms. As we approach the Fourth of July, a day that symbolizes the birth of a Nation and celebrates the values of freedom and independence, it is essential to take a moment to reflect on the sacrifices and unwavering commitment of our nation's Veterans. Together, let us foster a society that truly honors and supports our Veterans, not just on the Fourth of July, but every day. By recognizing their sacrifices, we ensure that their legacy lives on, and their service remains a guiding light for our nation's future.

Here are some ways you can honor our military this holiday weekend.

Thank you notes Pick up a set of pre-designed "Thank You" cards, preferably with a patriotic theme. Write out what you're thankful for and add an encouraging note to lift up our service men and women. When you're out this weekend or watching your local parade, give the note to men or women in uniform or those wearing clothing signifying past military service.

Visit the memorial of a loved one We've all had grandparents or relatives who've served in the armed forces. Some may have given their life on the battlefield; others may have passed on afterward. Honor their life and service with a flag and flowers at their gravesite or a public memorial.

Remember veteran families Whether their loved ones are still serving or not, our military families sacrifice much. Give them a word of encouragement, thank them for the sacrifices they have made, and listen to them talk about their loved ones. Let them know you care

We will conduct our annual gun raffle at the July stated session. The prize will be a Henry Golden Boy Military Tribute 2nd Edition .22S/L/LR lever action rifle with display case. We will sell a maximum of 200 tickets for \$10.00 each. Contact any Legion of Honor member for further information. Any remaining tickets will be available at the stated session.

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 at 6:30 pm on July 12th (just before the stated session).

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 STAT	US
Membership as of January 1, 2024 Current Year to Date	1314
DECEASED	25
DEMITTED	1
SUSPENSIONS	1
ASSOCIATES	0
TOTAL LOSS	28
CREATED	9
AFFILATED	3
RESTORED	9
ASSOCIATE	1
TOTAL GAIN	22
NET LOSS	6
Membership as of June 15, 2024	1308

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July 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Legion of Honor Duncan Shrine Club IMPERIAL OFFICE CLOSED	2 IMPERIAL OFFICE CLOSED	3 Big Wheels Directors Staff Gun Club IMPERIAL OFFICE CLOSED	4	5 Retum from Imperial OFFICE CLOSED	6
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14	15 Ardmore Shrine Club Fishing Club	16 Lawton-Ft Sill Club	17 Old Wheels	18 Daughters of the Nile Sewing	19	20
21	22 India Clowns Provost Guard	23 Swokies	24 India Lodge Luncheon Misfits Broncos	25 Murray County Club Central OK Club Rags to Riches Set up	26 Rags to Riches Sale	27 Rags to Riches Sale
28	29	30	31			

August 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4	5 Legion of Honor Duncan Shrine Club	6 Daughters of the Nile Potentates Appreciation Dinner	7 Past Potentates Big Wheels Ladies Oriental Shrine Directors Staff Gun Club	8 Ada Klowns Mounted Patrol WOWCASS Dune Buggys	9	10
11	12	13	14 Cruisers	15 Daughters of the Nile Sewing	16	17
18	19 Ardmore Shrine Club Fishing Club	20 Lawton-Ft Sill Club	21 Old Wheels	22 Murray County Club Central OK Club	23	24 Choctaw Parade
25	26 India Clowns Provost Guard	27 Swokies	28 India Lodge Luncheon Misfits Broncos CSSA Topeka KS Travel Day	29 CSSA Topeka KS	30 CSSA Topeka KS	31 CSSA Topeka KS

September 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	OFFICE CLOSED - Labor Day Legion of Honor Duncan Shrine Club	3	4 Big Wheels Ladies Oriental Shrine Directors Staff Gun Club	5	6 STATED SESSION Cigar Club	7 Grand Master Initiation Day @ India Mustang Western Days Parade
8	9	10	11 Cruisers	Ada Klowns Daughters of the Nile-Session Mounted Patrol WOWCASS Dune Buggys	13	14 Harrah Day Parade
15	16 Ardmore Shrine Club Fishing Club	17 Lawton-Ft Sill Club	18 Old Wheels	19 Daughters of the Nile Sewing	20	21
22	23 India Clowns Provost Guard	24 Swokies	25 India Lodge Luncheon Misfits Broncos	26 Murray County Club Central OK Club	27	28
29	30					

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 hor	nor that I am a Master N	Mason in Good and Current Standing in:
Lodge No.	City & State	
which is a Lodge recognized by the Conference of Greurrent address for not less than 6 months, as required I hold a Master Mason Proficiency Card or have been request to be created a Noble of the Mystic Shrine and	and Masters of North Am I by the Bylaws of The Im a Master Mason for no le	erica. Furthermore, I have resided at my perial Council. In addition, I declare that
If I be found worthy and my request granted, I promis Imperial Council and the Bylaws and Ceremonies of I	e to conform to the Articl	es of Incorporation and Bylaws of the
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Do you belong to the Scottish Rite?If so,		
Do you belong to the York Rite?If so, v		
Have you previously applied for admission to any Shr	ine Center?	
If so, what Shrine Center?		
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Your Mailing Address is: (Street)		
Home Phone(Including Area Code):		
His E-Mail: Her E-Mail:		
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