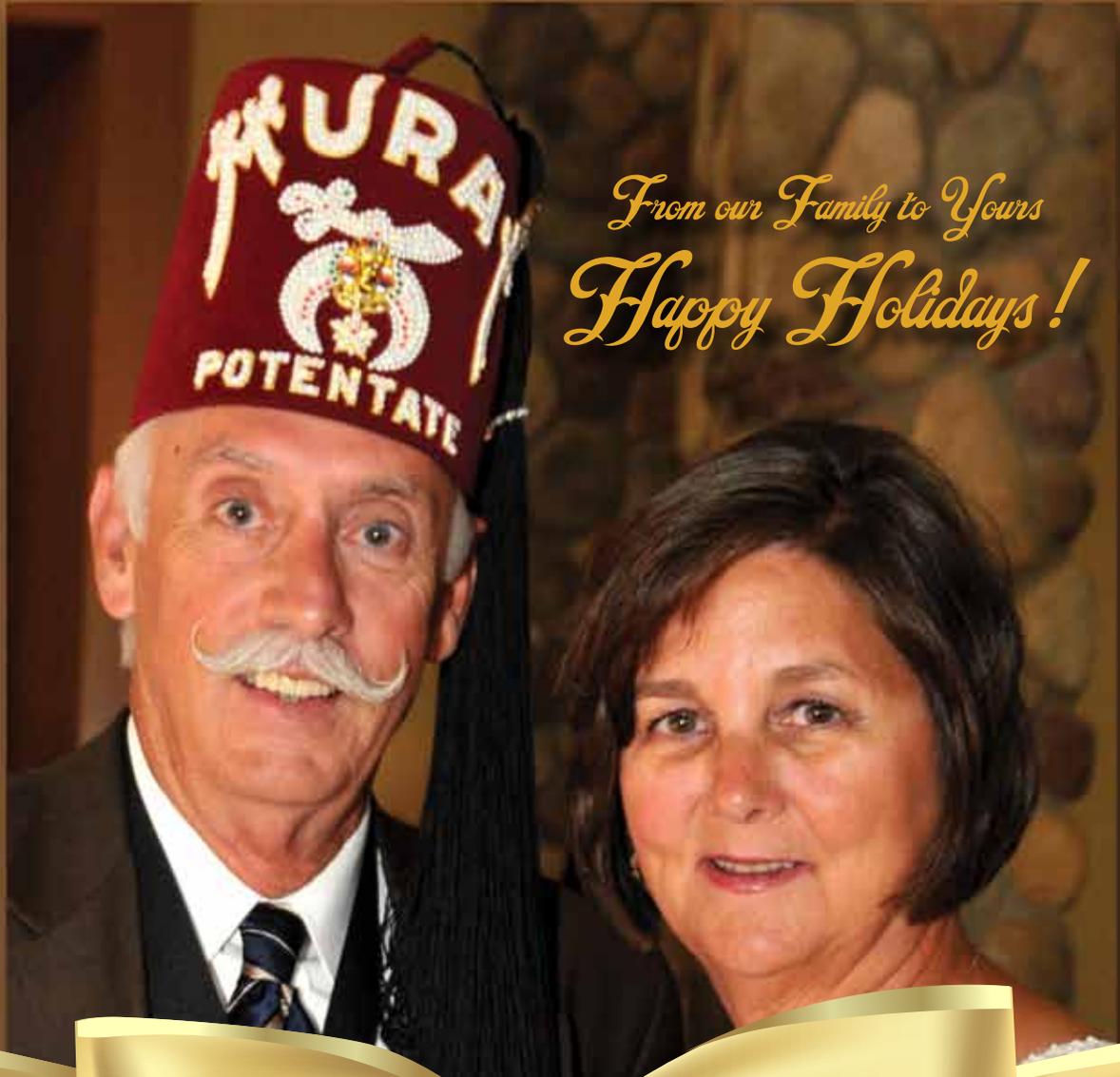


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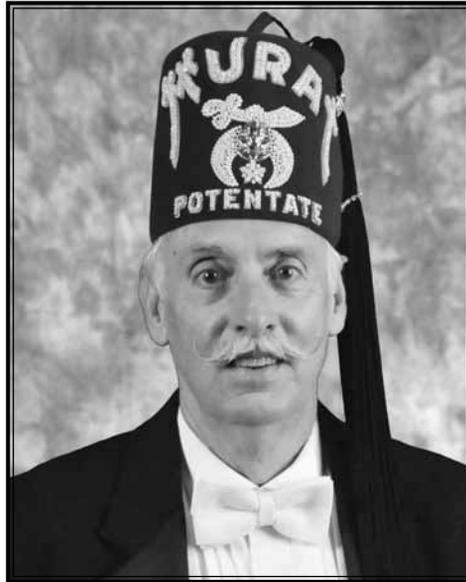
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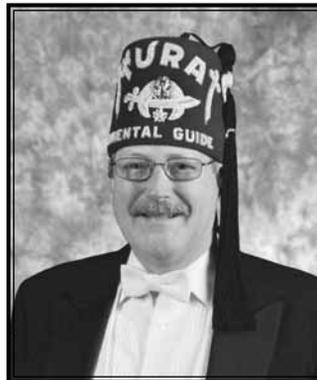
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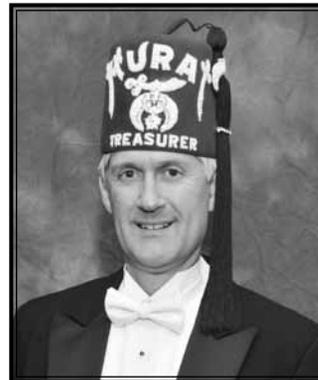
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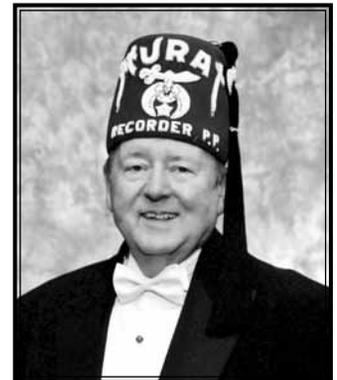
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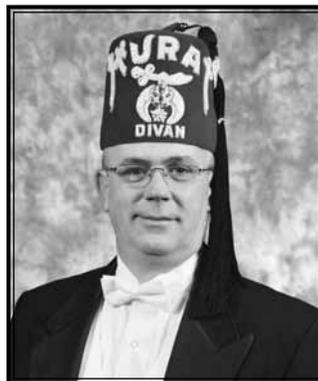
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Have You Boldly Gone?

December ... I cannot believe the year has gone this fast. I thought the first Potentate's article in January was hard to write, but this last article is the hardest. Being appointed Outer Guard in 2006 seems like only a few short months ago. It has been my privilege to serve you as Potentate this year. I have tried to serve you all to the best of my ability; I hope you have been pleased with my leadership.

We have had some new events and some old events brought back. The Parrothead party was a huge success. The temple picnic was revived. The pin program brought in more than \$15,000 for the Cincinnati Shriners Hospital. Imperial Session in Charlotte and Great Lakes Shrine Association Session were both well attended. The Arch Presentation was awe-inspiring. There were so many great Club/Unit events that were a joy to attend. The memories are priceless.

There are so many people I would like to thank for their assistance this year. The men who have been an enormous help: Chief Aide Joe Stoutner and Executive Aides. I only needed to ask, "Can this ...?" and they would say, "Don't worry, it will happen." Mike Moxley and Cliff Lewis served as editors of the Murat Magazine. Photographers Bob Wilson and Joe Krebsbach did an outstanding job producing hundreds of photos. Bill and Barb Wimmenauer chaired the "Oh What a Night" Potentate's Ball,



and thank you, Bill, for appointing me to the line. To my appointment, Chuck Shull, thank you for accepting. I know you will be an outstanding leader for Murat. I was blessed with two wonderful Recorders, Ed Wolfe and Larry Jefferson, P.P. All of Murat's Clubs/Units and all three ladies' organizations have been so supportive of the fraternity and our hospitals; I cannot thank you enough.

We are finishing the year with the ceremonial and Arch program creating several new nobles on December 1.

Faye and I have traveled to many places and made new friends throughout our international organization and became better acquainted with the nobles and ladies of Murat.

Lastly, I would like to thank my family for the understanding, love and support they have given me over the last seven years. The First Lady of Murat, Faye—your love and support has made this seven-year journey in the Divan line a true joy. There is not another person I would have wanted to share this experience with.

May God Bless all of you and our hospitals.

Fraternally,
May God Bless

Charlie Crabtree
Illustrious Potentate 2012

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Ladies' Corner

Faye Crabtree

"So long, farewell, auf wiedersehen, goodbye" ... so go the lyrics of a song from the "Sound of Music." Like Marta, I too hate to go and leave this pretty sight. But wait! I'm not leaving at all—just changing titles. I'll still be around and hope you will be as well. It has truly been a thrill, an honor, and indeed a privilege to serve beside Charlie as First Lady of Murat Shrine. I have endeavored to represent Murat with the dignity and honor you all deserve. I hope you have been able to participate in some of the many events that have been planned with you in mind.

We began the year with the three-heart ladies' pin representing the three Shriners Hospitals where Murat has members sitting on the boards and the three ladies' organizations. I hope you will continue to wear your pins and enjoy them. On a personal note, for me, the three hearts also represent my husband and two sons. It is my sincere desire that the pin has become personal to you as well.

Christmas is my favorite holiday. I enjoy everything about it, but believe the music of the holiday is what I love the most. I will share a little secret with you ... I listen to Handel's "Messiah" and "The Nutcracker Suite" all year long, but even more so in December. I never tire of them. I hope you share your special December holiday with those you love the most.

Thank you to the remarkable nobility of Murat who have supported and encouraged me the past seven years. I appreciate your tolerance. Thank you for allowing me this little corner this year to share my thoughts with your ladies.

Until we meet again ...

Hugs,
Faye

From the Recorder

Larry D. Jefferson, P.P.

Since January 2008, the Kentucky Colonels have administered the Murat Plaque Program on behalf of the Divan and the nobility. We thank you for this great service, and a special thanks to Dennis Scott.

Beginning in January 2013, the Murat Plaque Program will be administered by the Fraternal Office. Nobles, Clubs and Units, please order your plaques for the next five-year commitment to help with our Shriners Hospitals for Children. Love to the Rescue.

December is a very busy month for the Divan and Murat. December 1, 2012, is our public ceremonial with the presentation of the Arch Degree. Nobles, bring your lady and friends to this ceremonial. Several Clubs and Units have scheduled their installations and other holiday events. The Children's Christmas party is on Sunday, December 9—a great, fun day!

Wishing you and yours a joyous holiday season.

Travel Club

Jim Priest

Jim Priest, Chief Rabban, and Lady Tammy would like to invite you and your lady to travel with us on our 2013 Murat trip. We will be traveling to Dreams Puerto Vallarta Resort & Spa for seven nights, leaving February 28, 2013. This is an all inclusive resort with all meals, drinks, entertainment and luxury included in one price!

Also, a fall trip leaving November 2, 2013 - a seven-day Southern Caribbean cruise on the *Celebrity Summit* - departs San Juan visiting Barbados, St. Lucia, St. Johns, St. Maarten & St. Thomas.

For details call Angela Brown at (616) 647-2430.

Highlanders

Jerry Lance

We played for the best — Arlington National Cemetery.



From all of the Highlanders, wishing you a safe and warm holiday season and a very Happy New Year!



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GORDON J HUSK, FORMER CHAIRMAN, BOARD OF GOVERNORS, SHRINERS HOSPITAL®-CHICAGO

During his auto racing days, Edward Shickel was called “Fast Eddie” or “Lightning.” He exudes enthusiasm, sincerity and self-confidence. Having been actively involved in construction work, he likes to be in control of any situation. That feeling of control changed in a dramatic way on October 12, 2009, when his daughter Bailee phoned from Normal, IL. Through her tears and sobs, she said, “Jordan was hurt. A gas can exploded on him and they don’t know if he will live. They are putting him into a helicopter to take him to a hospital in Springfield.” Edward recalls, “It was devastating to hear my son had been so seriously hurt. I drove to Springfield, IL, the longest drive of my life. Only four or five times as an adult have I totally lost it and cried. That was one of the times.”

Jordan suffered third-degree burns over 50 percent of his body and was on life support for a week. Although he received excellent care in an adult burn unit, his emotional needs could be best met by a children’s hospital. Several nobles from Mohammed Shriners in Peoria, including Eric Tjarks, Jeff Prochnow, Joe Harrison and Steve Wright, told the family about care provided by Shriners Hospitals for



Children. The family was astounded by this opportunity for Jordan.

Jordan, his sister Bailee, and their brother Devin had been looking forward to participating in the wedding of their father and Katherine Davis, to be followed by a trip to Cancun. Not knowing how long the recovery period might be for Jordan, Edward and Katherine asked the hospital’s chaplain to perform the wedding. The ceremony was at Jordan’s bedside, and he served as ring bearer. His mother Lori was the official photographer. As rings were exchanged, the flight team from Shriners Hospital rushed down the corridor to take Jordan to Cincinnati. Lori accompanied Jordan on the Lear jet.

Edward and Katherine drove to Cincinnati that night. They never made the Cancun trip. The day of the scheduled trip, a hurricane hit Cancun and all travel was suspended. Edward, Katherine and Lori spent many days in Cincinnati with Jordan. Every significant milestone became a cause for celebration. The family cheered each successful surgery,



skin graft, dressing change, meal of solid food, Jordan sitting in a chair, learning to walk again, and beginning to bathe himself. Katherine is a nurse, and she fully explained to the family each medical procedure.

We recently visited the Shickel family in their Westfield, IN, home and heard of Jordan's amazing progress. He has recovered very well, and no additional medical procedures are scheduled. He may need keloid removal or other minor treatment in the future, but the doctors have told Jordan he can do anything he wants to do. Three years have passed since Jordan was so badly burned. The doctors are pleased with his healing. Jordan is a very active 14-year-old. He plays guard in a traveling basketball league and shoots a mean three-pointer. Jordan is also an avid fisherman. Jordan, his older sister Bailee, and little sister Chloe spent much of the summer in their backyard pool or camping.

Edward is chief field engineer for Walsh Construction and had been assigned to Kokomo, IN, until recently. He now leads a major construction project in Delphi, IN, and arises at 5 a.m. for the long commute. He usually gets home about 7 p.m. Instead of his former nickname Fast Eddie, he has accepted the name Edward, at the strong suggestion of Jordan, who thought Dad should use a grownup name.

Edward is an enthusiastic fundraiser for Shriners Hospitals. His son Devin is a crew member for Jason Feger, UMP 2009 late-model champion. Feger dedicated a race to Jordan and helps with name promotion for our hospitals. Edward has received fundraising approval from Shriners headquarters. Edward and Eric Tjarks (associate member of the Chicago hospital board) recently met with the Jason Feger race team and others to discuss affiliation with Shriners Hospitals for Children. Jason is a huge draw and would increase visibility of the Shriners. Every summer, the Jason Feger Race Team raises money for the Shriners Hospitals, and Edward hopes to formalize the relationship.

Edward says, "It is my mission to help raise money for Shriners Hospitals so other kids may have the same chance my son did. After the first week in the Springfield hospital, my insurance was done. Thank God the insurance paid 80 percent. After Jordan went to Cincinnati, there have been no bills. It is my passion to raise at least as much money for the hospitals as his care would have cost. Shriners are the greatest people in the world."

We put Edward in touch with Noble George Clark, who introduced him to the Master of a local Lodge. Edward has completed the second step of his Masonic journey. Having attained that level, he is eager to become a Master Mason. His current work schedule is not conducive to that step at this time, but he is determined to reach that sublime degree, then to become a Shriner.

Edward is a Colts fan. Jordan and Katherine support the Steelers. Edward may persuade Jordan to become at least a part-time Colts fan. We are not positive he can convert Katherine, who grew up in Pittsburgh, but Edward's enthusiasm is contagious.

Every Shriner should be proud to see Jordan as a healed and happy young man. He is thankful for the treatment and kindness he has received. Edward and Katherine say, "We are truly blessed with Jordan's outcome. The passion of everyone at Shriners Hospital makes the seemingly 'impossible' become possible. The greatest motivator was the hospital staff. The total interdisciplinary approach enhanced Jordan's success. Shriners are the greatest people in the world."

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HighRollers

Bob Hudson

Congratulations to the incoming officers of the Murat HighRollers for 2013. We wish you the best of luck for the new year. Murat Shrine Texas Hold'em has been seeing quite a few new faces this year. We would like to encourage all of the nobility, along with their ladies, to come down the second Saturday of each month and join in the fun.

As a reminder to all Units and Clubs, you can host your own Texas Hold'em Tournament as a Unit/Club fundraiser. Please contact Rob Plummer or Bob Hudson to get details and to schedule your tournament. This is a great social activity for your Unit/Club, not to mention lots of fun and an easy way to make some money for your group. The HighRollers are here to help any and all Units/Clubs in hosting your own Texas Hold'em Tournament.

Something you may not know, but more than 90 percent of the players who come to a Hold'em tournament are not members of the temple, but poker players from the public who have been invited or heard about a tournament being advertised. This means that your fundraising tournament is bringing in 'net new money' for you. That's the best kind of money to get for ways and means.

As we move forward to 2013, we are looking for bigger and bigger crowds at Texas Hold'em, so come down and work, play and support Murat temple.



Legion of Honor

Bob Watson

Merry Christmas from the Legion of Honor.

Well, Christmas is upon us, that merriest of all seasons, with shopping, holiday parties, gatherings of family and friends, etc. With all the planning and preparation that goes into the season, let's not forget the real meaning of Christmas, the birth of our Savior. During all the hustle and bustle, we need to take a moment to thank God for all our blessings. We are so fortunate to live in the greatest and freest country on earth, but that freedom comes with a price. Please say a prayer for our troops, especially those in harm's way. They do so much for us and ask for so little in return.

October 13 found Great Lakes Shrine Association Commander Larry Hearn, Chief Aide Lloyd Hearn and me, Chief of Staff Bob Watson, in London, Ontario, Canada for Mocha Shrine's Legion of Honor change of command ceremony. The hospitality was great, the food was good, and the weather cooperated.

From all reports I'm getting, Divan Day at the Shriners Hospital in Cincinnati on October 27 was a huge success. A couple of our guys went and they tell me it was great to witness firsthand the wonderful work our hospitals do for "our kids." Oh, and they also enjoyed the dinner cruise on the Ohio River the night before.

Veterans Day weekend found a few of our guys in Washington, D.C., for the annual Wreath Laying Ceremony held at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington Cemetery.

The first of this month, we will have a ceremonial, including the Arch production, to be held at the temple. The Arch production will be open to the public, so bring your family and

friends to see what being a Mason and Shriner is all about. I can tell you from experience, it is very inspirational.

To all those new nobles who will be joining our great fraternity on December 1, my advice to you is Get Involved! Talk to the various Clubs and Units, find out what they do, and get involved in something. To those new nobles who have served or are currently serving in our nation's armed forces, I invite you to consider the Legion of Honor. All our members are veterans of military service. The Legion of Honor Color Guard presents colors at all Shrine Stated Meetings

and various other events throughout the region. We meet on the fourth Tuesday of the month at the temple. You can usually find us at the Oasis Lounge on meeting nights around 1700 hours, having dinner and swapping lies, I mean stories. Drop by and we will be glad to fill you in on what we're all about.

Just a reminder from our adjutant: your dues for 2013 are now due. If you haven't already taken care of that, please do so ASAP.

Everyone have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, and remember, "It's an honor to belong to the Legion of Honor."

Ladies' Oriental Shrine

Judi Taflinger

Welcome to the wonderful and exciting holiday season. Amid all the "hustle and bustle" and preparations, we must remember the REASON FOR THE SEASON. We are celebrating the birth of Jesus. I wish you all a most enjoyable and blessed Christmas with family and friends!

At the time of this publication, we will have had one of the highlights of my Egyptian Ladies' year. The Grand Visitation of Lady Carol Sue Roberts, Grand High Priestess of the Ladies' Oriental Shrine of North America on December 1, was truly a memorable occasion. We attended the "Murat Masonic Arch Presentation" accompanied by many of the ladies of Tarum Court #14. I thank Lady Barbara Smith, Past High Priestess, for giving Tarum Court's presentation. We then adjourned to the Corinthian Room where we enjoyed a wonderful Christmas luncheon. I truly appreciate all the help received to make this special. A meeting and ceremonial were then held and we welcomed four (4) new members into Tarum Court.

We will have a few more fundraisers in the near future for Shriners Hospitals for Children. December 8 is our annual SANTA'S SWEET SHOP consisting of homemade cookies, candies and other goodies for sale at Speedway Masonic Lodge. Come and stock up on these delectable treats for your holiday enjoyment. We are planning to have the "Souper Supper" the Friday of Super Bowl Weekend. Watch for more information on these fun events. We need your support to help raise funds to "Brighten a Child's Life." The Discover Indy books are still available for your use or for gift giving. Contact Lady Kay Hinshaw at (317) 271-7179 to purchase them. Tarum Court ladies will also be assisting at the Murat Children's Christmas Party on December 13 by serving sodas, ice cream, cookies and candy canes. This is always a joy to mingle with the children and families of Shriners Hospitals patients and Shrine members. The smiles on their faces are awesome!

Another early reminder—there will be NO Stated Meeting in January as the date falls on New Year's Day. A happy and safe New Year's greeting to all and I hope to see you not only until the end of this year but also into the new year of 2013!!!

December is here at last with its cold weather, snow, ice, rain and short, dark, bleak days which means winter is here for real. Like any situation in life, we can dwell on what we see as negative or we can find the positives that have been right in front of us all along. At the end of October, I was riding my motorcycle home from work when my rear brakes failed just as I was approaching a stop light and a car was running a red light in the turn lane to my right. The positive part of this story is that I only hit my foot on the bumper of the car and was able to get stopped and then home after I found the problem. Since I didn't die or get seriously injured, it was a good day and all was well. You can fix mechanical

stuff, but it's hard to replace people. So when cold, wet weather comes to stay for a while, I look for positives such as I don't have to mow the grass for months. Snow will cover the ground and make everything white and uniform. Snowplow drivers get to make money for their families; the melt in the spring will help with the drought conditions and so on. It's all about your perspective and outlook. I really like December for many reasons such as the attitudes of most people are generally more positive near Christmas. Maybe it's because they feel like kids again or maybe it's because they know my favorite holiday meal is here at last! I am very fortunate to have in-laws and outlaws and aunts and uncles, so I get at least

three Christmas meals during the season of giving as well as cooking a lot to bring to the family pitch-ins. While we are busy stuffing our faces and spending large amounts of money on gifts for our loved ones, let's pause to remember the reason for the season. "For unto you a child is born a savior which is Christ our Lord." Remember, the Mobil Nobles meet the second Friday of every month with social hour starting around 6 p.m. and the meeting at 7 p.m. In January, we will have our installation dinner for the new officers, so call Craig Stevenson at 437-0058 to RSVP for a great evening of fellowship and fun. We are everywhere.

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Smyrna Shrine Guild

Melanie Close

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to ALL!

A great big thank-you goes out to the Smyrna officers for all you do, and did, this year. Our success is always in the hands of our team, and our committees worked very hard, along with us, to make our year so profitable.

2012 has just flown by, and oh what fun we had. Auctions, flower sales, bus trip, card party, candy sale, Butter Braids and last but not least, our bake sale.

I would like to thank all nobles, ladies and friends who participated in all our fundraising events to help our Shrine children and Shriners Hospitals. Our great success this year could not have happened without all of you.

We had a wonderful convention and attended the Cincinnati Shriners Hospital; the food was delicious and the tour was very informative. We also viewed the case where a Shrine Guild of America Past Maharanee Fez will soon be placed. Thank you to Jim Priest and Lady Tammy who got the ball rolling and had the proposal written and signed by Parliamentarian Lou Benell. Thank you Illustrious Sir Charlie Crabtree for finalizing the proposal. All Smyrna members will be notified as to a placement date for this ceremony. I am also very proud to announce there was a \$25,000 donation made from Smyrna to the hospitals in Past Imperial Maharanee Mary Lou Tabor's name. Great job, ladies.

Welcome and congratulations to all new Smyrna members this year. Enjoy and have fun, along with great fellowship, each and every month.

"Believe" that is what I did! Thank you to all Smyrna ladies who believed in me. My year as your Maharanee has been exciting, fulfilling and busy. I had a wonderful time and was very honored to represent the Smyrna Shrine Guild. However, I have to thank my family for being so understanding and supportive, but especially my husband, Noble Jeff Close, for always supporting me and always having my back!

Love and hugs to all, and always "believe."

Dates to remember:

- Dec. 5 - Guild Night Bake Sale
- Dec. 11 - Board and Stated Meeting
- Dec. 15 - Installation

As a rule of thumb, Smyrna Guild (Fun) Night is the first Wednesday of each month, and Board and Stated Meetings are the fourth Thursday of each month.



Chairman of the Imperial Board of Directors, Shrine Guilds of America, Inc., Lou Benell presented the Guild's annual donation check to Ill. Sir Charlie Crabtree and Imperial Sir William S. Bailey in the amount of \$68,467 at the organization's Closing Banquet, October 5, 2012.

Dramatic Cast

Mark Bartolovich

The Dramatic Cast will be having our annual Christmas Party December 12 at Bynum's Steakhouse on Madison Avenue. Social hour will begin at 6 p.m. with dinner at 6:30 p.m. If you are interested in joining us for an evening of Christmas celebration, please contact Noble Dave Penscek or myself. The cost is \$30 per person or \$60 for a couple. Choices are steak, salmon, Santa Fe chicken or pork chops, with a side and a salad. We will be installing the new Dramatic Cast officers for 2013 and giving a toast to our outgoing president, Bill Munston.

In addition, I would like to announce that Brass Hat for 2013 will be February 13. We will be presenting the Potentate his a special adornment. Come and join the Cast for fun and fellowship. If you have never attended this event, it is very entertaining to all. We hope you can join us! We will be announcing the cost as time gets closer. It will take place at the Murat Shrine.

As a reminder, if you are interested in buying any jams or jellies from Ruth Ann Kepler to help with the transportation funds for the hospitals, she is usually at the Cast meetings on the second Wednesday of every month. Also, if you have any jars from previous purchases, please return those to her for reuse to cut down on expenses.

I wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a healthy, happy New Year! Please keep our brothers who may need assistance or are ill, and those who are serving in the military, in your thoughts and prayers. May 2013



Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays. It's December, the last month of the year, time to batten down the hatches and see what Mother Nature has in store for us. Now is also the time to pause and reflect on what we as individuals and Shriners have achieved during the past year. Did we do our best to live up to the ideals of our Shrine? Did we make a difference? What can we do better next year to accomplish our goals and make 2013 a better year? Let's all resolve to get active and support Murat Shrine and our Police Club, not only with our wallets but with our time and hard work.

President Don Weilhammer and PC member Duane Burgess, also president of the Johnson County Shrine Club, did a short film for the International Law Enforcement Torch Run Conference held here in Indy. Don, in his IMPD cruiser, executed a "traffic stop" and issued a ticket to Duane who was driving his Mini-Mystic vehicle. How does a big man like Duane fit in a Mini-Mystic car anyhow? Wonder if he paid the ticket?

Our Drill Team was asked to participate in a parade in Madison, IN. In fact, the team was awarded appearance money. You know you are



Police Club President Don Weilhammer giving Duane Burgess a "ticket" as Duane sits in his Mini-Mystic car.

good when someone pays for you to show up! The Drill Team donated the \$300 to the Transportation Fund. In addition, your Police Club donated a percentage of the reverse raffle net profits to the Transportation Fund.

Special thanks to all those wives who have already written the check for our Club dues. Please remit early (and often) and let's work on increasing our membership numbers. We would hate to see our Drill Team give up the Harleys for Schwinn's! Can anyone imagine Tom Bond on a Schwinn bike?

There are lots of super upcoming events in 2013. Let's try to make the Florida Visitation and, of course, the Potentate's Ball, Moondance at the Oasis. Don't forget the Imperial!

Please remember our police, fire and military in your holiday blessings. I know that I, and others, have spent many a Christmas overseas or patrolling our streets. Let's pray for their safe return.

Take time to read the Murat Magazine cover to cover and if I don't see you before, I'll see you on the first Tuesday.

Tarum

Jeff Dickey

Merry Christmas! It is hard to believe that Christmas is almost upon us. That means we will be having the Children's Christmas Party this month. Please see Barbara or Robert to find out what they need or how you can help. The party is always fun and a joy to be a part of.

There will be holiday rentals this month that will need people to help make them happen. Please see Chad to help out. These rentals are part of the way we keep our doors open. The parties are a time for work but also a time to have some fun. If you have not been a part of the fun, come join us.

Friday night dinners are still going strong. Of course, Robert and many others have been at the core of keeping this Tarum tradition going. It is up to all of us to keep attending the dinners. The food is good and it is always good to see your friends. When you do come down to the Club, make sure to say hi to Mark and Jon and the rest of the Depot crew. Their tireless work has brought substantial donations from the business owners in the Depot District to the Shrine and the kids. Thank you from all of us for the hard work and long hours. Well done, nobles!

Christmas also brings another chance for donations to the Shrine from the Depot District. This is a very vibrant and up and coming area of Richmond. It is also a shining example of what private individuals can accomplish. This year, as always, Roger Richert and the rest of the Depot will be hosting Tuesday evening Old-Fashioned Christmas in the Depot District. This includes carriage rides, luminaries, hot roasted chestnuts, and the rest of the Yuletide trimmings. That means pictures with Santa. Roger Richert's Furniture Store has pictures with Santa every Tuesday during the festival. We, as a club, take these pictures and put them in frames for the people.

Roger then donates all the profits to the Shriners Hospitals for Children-Cincinnati. See Robert to sign up to help with this important and rewarding project. Invest a few hours so our kids can get the help they need.

Remember those who are not as fortunate as we are this season. Keep all of our brave service men and women in your prayers. And above all, have a wonderful time with your family and friends.

Merry Christmas to one and all and Happy New Year from Tarum Shrine Club and Jeff and Cindy.

See you at Tarum.

Johnson County Shrine Club

Duane Burgess

Hello fellow nobles and family members! Well, 2012 has been an incredible year here at the Johnson County Shrine Club. We have worked diligently to bring new members into the Club. We had a successful year at many events we hosted and participated in. Some of those events included a Super Bowl party, Indy 500 Race party, and Johnson County Fair. One evening, we were fortunate enough to have Chief Rabban James "Jimmy the Grill Man" Priest and Lady Tammy come out and join us at the fair. The fun continued with our annual golf outing, "The Toddy Tournament," Halloween party (photo included), Reverse Raffle, Christmas party, and the possibility of a New Year's Eve party! I believe that just about every Friday night my wife Dee Ann attempted to supply some type of birthday dessert to someone.



My year as president has been very enjoyable and rewarding. I will continue to work in the kitchen on Friday nights with my crew of friends. I have had the privilege of meeting several people, some of whom have become members of our fine establishment. Please come out and see us—you are always welcome at the Johnson County Shrine Club!

I would like to congratulate Don "The Man" Borski as our 2013 president. I, Duane Burgess, will be the first vice president; Barry "The PP" Cook, second vice president; Ron "Ronda" Bailey, secretary; and Jim "The Money Man" Carter, treasurer.

God Bless, Merry Christmas, and Happy New Year!

Johnson County Mini-Mystics

Duane Burgess

Where do I begin? The Johnson County Mini-Mystics have come together like old times. The meetings are filled with some old faces as well as some new. We are no different than any other Unit or Club; we struggle to keep membership flowing in the right direction. I consider myself privileged to be a member of this long-running Unit. We have added two new members, Chip Sturgeon and Jeffrey Fisher. Welcome aboard, boys!

The Johnson County Mini-Mystics made several parades throughout the year and hope to make even more next year. We have three cars for sale at this time along with a couple of trailers. If you are interested in joining our Unit, please contact either President Lee Langlotz at (317) 694-

4081 or me, Duane Burgess, at (317) 410-9009. We are always looking for new members to come out and drive our little "Hot Rods"!

We meet every fourth Wednesday of the month at the Johnson County Shrine Club at 7 p.m.



Reception Unit

Jeffrey A. Close

Ho Ho Ho, Santa's on his way. Melanie and I wish all of you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. I hope everyone was able to have a wonderful Thanksgiving with family and friends. Melanie and I would like to thank all of you in the Lil' Istiks and Reception Unit for a wonderful 2012. The year has flown by and it seems I was always trying to catch up. It was a fun-filled year with lots of help from all our officers and friends. Thanks to everyone in the Reception Unit for making this a successful year for all. It has been a great honor and pleasure to be the Reception Unit president for 2012. I would like to wish all those who stood up to hold positions in 2013 a happy, healthy and prosperous New Year.

The Reception Unit Christmas party and installation of 2013 officers will be held December 11 in the Murat Shrine Tunisian Room. Social hour will start at 5:30 p.m., dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m., followed by installation of officers. Please send your reservations to Mike Waldrip, 6190 E. Newberry Ct., Camby, IN 46113, (317) 856-1629. Cost is \$30 per person or \$60 per couple. Reservations are required and must be received by Tuesday, December 4, 2012.

December Reception Unit Calendar

Dec. 11 - Reception Unit Christmas party and installation of officers for 2013

January Reception Unit Calendar

Jan. 19 - East/West All-Star Game

Nobles and ladies, Reception Unit meets the second Tuesday of each month, except July and August, at 5:30 p.m. in the Tunisian Room for dinner. Men's meeting starts at 7 p.m. in the Mediterranean Room and the ladies meet in the Mecca Room.

Thanks for a great year.

Transportation Club

Dennis Scott

THANKS NOBLE PRESIDENT - As 2012 comes to an end, on behalf of all Club members, I would like to thank our 2012 president, Chuck Crabtree, for a job well done. During the past year, the Club has transported many patients to our hospitals, attended several parades, and recognized our ladies with dinners and a picnic. The Club is doing well at retaining members which speaks well for what we do as a mission and social endeavors. Thanks also to the officer line that does so much in keeping the Club headed in the right direction.

DRIVERS' MEETINGS - Lexington, Cincinnati, and St. Louis hospitals held their drivers' conferences recently. We now transport some patients to St. Louis in addition to Lexington, Cincinnati, and Chicago hospitals. Thanks to all drivers who attended these gatherings. A picture of the attendees at the Lexington Hospital drivers' conference is included.

PARADES - The last parade this season was in Flora, IN. We have participated in 17 parades this year. Thanks to Mike Harrison and all who participated.

SAFETY PROGRAM - Thanks to Chris (Chief) Lawson for conducting



Transportation Club drivers and conference at Lexington Hospital.

the CPR training class. Safety classes are required in order to drive our patients.

KIDS' CHRISTMAS PARTY - Sunday, December 9, is the date for the annual Children's Christmas party. Committee Chairman Bucky Everhart has a great party lined up this year. Through the donations of toys and funds by several Shrine Clubs and Units, we will be able to make lots of children happy. Thanks to all on the committee who worked the last few months to make this party memorable and to all the volunteers it takes to put on a great show. Please try to park in the north parking lot for this event.

CEREMONIAL - The final ceremonial is on Saturday, December 1.

There is still time for you to get your candidate signed up to go through this class. This ceremonial will include the Arch Presentation. If you haven't seen this Masonic presentation, you are missing out. Please ask your family to attend. The ceremonial is open to the public.

INSTALLATION/CHRISTMAS PARTY/DINNER - Our annual Christmas dinner and installation of our 2013 officers will be held on Wednesday, December 19, at the University of Indianapolis. Social gathering will begin at 5:30 p.m. and dinner will be served at 6 p.m. Let's get together to honor our outgoing president, Chuck Crabtree, and welcome our 2013 president, Ryan Powell, and his officers. Please have your reservations in by December 5.

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION - As the new year approaches, let's all resolve to make 2013 our best year ever. Bring in new members, participate in our activities, and support our new Potentate. We meet on the third Wednesday of the month in the Mecca Room for dinner around 5:30 p.m. and conduct our meetings at 7. See you there.

Yacht Club

John Hess

Nobles, please mark your calendars for Saturday, February 16, 2013! This is the Murat Yacht Club's Valentine's Party Date Night at the White River Yacht Club! Great food, prime rib, wine, Zem-Zem, great entertainment, dancing, etc. for a mere pittance! The details have not yet been finalized, but we will have a great semi-formal evening with a small orchestra and dinner, drinks, toasts, singing, and all the rest of the festivities the Yacht Club has to offer. We might even get our "singing commodore," Bernard Wurger, to sing a tune or two. Look for e-mails to follow, but please keep the date. Mark your calendar now!

The Imperial Session in July will

soon be here and if you do not yet have a uniform shirt, please, please, please contact Joyce Puterbaugh (our official gear outfitter) at Jspembroidery@sbc-global.net. We want to have the parade of all parades and put our Yacht Club in front of the masses. Joyce will get you a uniform shirt to your specifications at a most reasonable price. Simply get on the Murat Web site and click on "clubs" and hit the Yacht Club. Our Web site will display all of the beautiful gear that is available from Joyce Puterbaugh and will get you an order form for downloading. Don't be a dork—be cool and get your Murat Yacht Club official gear! For all of you who are internet ignorant, you can call Joyce at (317) 297-5505.

Our Club plans to have the party of all parties at the Imperial Session in July 2013, so please consider joining the I.A.S.Y.C. (the International Association of Shrine Yacht Clubs). The dues are only \$20 and these boys really know how to throw a party. If you have not already joined the I.A.S.Y.C., please contact our own Bob Dancey, past international commodore of the I.A.S.Y.C., past commodore of the Murat Yacht Club, the Illustrious Grand Knight of the Knights of the Sea, and B.S.O.A.B.S. at (317) 788-9539. Bob will set you straight and will answer all questions about the I.A.S.Y.C.

Until then, we wish you fair winds and following seas!

Merry Christmas Nobles,

Christmas ... a time for remembering the true meaning of CHRISTMAS. A time to gather with family and friends, sharing stories, having fun and enjoying great pitch-in dinners. It's a time to have fun and celebrate the season. While you are expressing your thanks for all we enjoy, please remember to keep our service men and women in your prayers as they help keep us safe in our homes. Please pray all of those on the East Coast who have suffered so much from Hurricane Sandy can rebuild their homes and their lives.

As the year comes to a close, please thank Illustrious Potentate Charles L. Crabtree for his contributions to keeping our Murat Shriners leaders in Shrinedom. Thank Lady Faye for her hard work and support of her husband throughout the year.

Finally, if you can top-line a new Shriner for the December 1 ceremonial, what better way to say thanks to Charlie?

President Tracy Badgley's year is also coming to a close with the elections that take place this month. Tracy's year has been consumed by preparation for the coming year with our engine repairs. His goal of having it ready will be accomplished only if all of our members help him. Time is growing short. The Imperial Session

Flying Fezzes

Patrick DeCallier

We voted on a new member and are happy to have some "new blood" in the Unit. There was some discussion about our Christmas party and it was decided to have it on the night of our December 10 meeting.

In addition, plans were made for our annual Lutherwood kids' party this year. We look forward to having our members help out at the party.

is not that far away (JULY 2013).

He is working aggressively and will continue to do so, even though his term is ending. Thanks, Tracy, for all of your hard work. Please thank Lady Kim for her ongoing support of your endeavors.

Please welcome and support our new president, Harry Morris. Harry, too, has a strong supporting spouse named Kyle. I know she will support Harry as much in 2013 as when he was Master of his Lodge in Beech Grove. They will make a great team to lead our Club during a busy 2013.

As Harry takes over the leadership of the Club, he will also take over writing the monthly article. This will be good as he will know what programs he wants to emphasize and express what his goals are for our Club. As I take on new responsibilities,

I will offer my continued support to our Club and our membership. We have a strong Club and Harry will only make it stronger. However, I would be remiss if I didn't thank those persons who helped make my writing of articles these past few years easier: Mike Moxley, Cliff Lewis, and Julie Grammer. These three people are all assets to the scribes of Murat Magazine, a good product we can all be proud of. THANKS!

In closing, please keep our ailing brothers in your thoughts and prayers; several have been struggling all year. And, please keep Brother Ed Pierce in your thoughts and prayers as he mourns the loss of his beloved Donna. They had been married 64 years.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Directors Staff

Gerald Frost

Greetings Nobles and Friends,

Please keep us informed as to any illnesses you may have heard about so we can keep everyone up to date. With your help, I can try to make our articles informative and the best in Murat Shrine. Reminder: dues are being collected for 2013 at the December meeting—\$20 for full directors and \$10 for veterans. You can mail your check to Mike Glenn at 1578-J Sandy Bay Dr., Greenwood, IN 46142. Please make checks payable to Directors Staff.

Volunteers are always needed for our events such as the circus, Paper Crusade, SDA, bus trips and summer picnics. If you would like to volunteer to be on any committee, please let your president or other Staff officers know your desires.

By now, elections will have been held and new officers elected. They are not known as of this writing but will be published in the January issue. The best way to find out who your new officers are is to attend more meetings. Hope everyone has a safe and happy holiday season. See you at the next meeting in January 2013.

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Next Directors Staff meeting - Dec. 10 @ 7 p.m. at Murat Shrine. (SECOND MONDAY OF DECEMBER DUE TO THE HOLIDAYS.)

Recruiting is still ongoing. Our goal is 12 good Nubians for 2012. If you need applications, please contact me and I will gladly send some to you ASAP. Feel free to invite prospects to attend any of our meetings held on the fourth Monday of each month. Exceptions for November and December are the second Monday of the month.

We are always looking for good men to develop an even better Directors Staff. "Shriners ... Having Fun and Helping Kids."

Kentucky Colonels

Dennis Scott

THANKS COLONEL PRESIDENT -
On behalf of the entire Club, I would like to thank our 2012 president, Jim Huffman, for a job well done. Thanks also to the officers and members of the board, and especially the members who worked and supported the Club through our raffle. As the year ends, we look forward to another successful year in 2013.

MISSION STATEMENT - We are near completion of our mission statement and it should be ready by the beginning of 2013.

PARADE TRAILER - The Club members are excited to be working on a parade trailer for next year. The Club plans to participate in several parades and advertise our hospitals using this trailer which will be provided by Colonel Ernie Condra. We hope through our efforts we can better advertise our hospitals.

INITIATION/CHRISTMAS PARTY



- Wednesday, December 5, is the date of our annual party. It will be held at George's Restaurant/Pub located at 71st and Binford Blvd. Please get your reservations to me as soon as possible. Social hour will be at 6:30 and dinner at 7 p.m. We have limited seating for 50 people, so get your reservations in early. Please be there to welcome in our new officers.

KIDS' CHRISTMAS PARTY - Sunday, December 9, is the date for the kids' Christmas party. Our hospital patients and children of the nobility will get to see Santa and take home



a nice gift. Entertainment will be provided by the Murat Band, Clowns, and magician James Kessler. A special treat will be songs from one of our hospital patients, Page Cox. Check the magazine for details.

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION - Please make one of your resolutions to attend as many meetings in 2013 as possible. The Club needs your input. Our new president, Mike Waldrip, has several things he wants to accomplish next year. We meet on the first Wednesday of the month in the Mecca Room. See you there.

Clowns

Allan Hall

Year in Review

A new clown year starts every year with the Madison County Shrine Club Christmas party for our first appearance. Then we do Murat's Christmas party. It took us two shows to figure out who JCPenney was. Three of us turned into stars as we went on TV to promote the circus. You can have autographs for a small fee.

Then on to the circus—your clowns were at all the shows. We honored Bob "Rainbow" Hensley on Saturday for 40 years of clowning. During the circus, we go to other places to spread cheer. Some of us went to the Stratford in Carmel and there we met a gentleman who was a pilot in WWII; he was almost as big a cutup as we were.

Then "Oh What a Night" at the

Potentate's Ball; we had some problems getting our props upstairs, but we overcame and pulled off our skits. Thank you Corvette Club; we could not have done it without you.

Throughout the spring and summer, we did numerous festivals and parades and even a few birthday parties. Some of the guys went to the Imperial in July. We even helped to pull a plane at the old airport. We had a good showing of clowns at Great Lakes in the fall. One of our clowns, Chuck "Zero" Shull, was installed as president of the GLSCA for 2013. Congrats, Chuck. Boots "Wrong Way" competed as he always does and finished in the top 10. There were only six in his category. Way to go, Boots. Don "Cosmo" Waters also competed

and he came in first place. Good job, Cosmo. Cosmo is also the man developing the skits for our appearances, so if you do not like them, call and I will give you his phone number.

Winter is here and now we are gearing up for 2013. We will start again at Madison County. If you want to join the clowns or just come and see what we do, we meet on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. Stop by and visit with us. We get there around 6:30 p.m. and you can tell us by all the laughter going on. Plus, if you need clowns for something, please call me at (317) 716-0676. Thanks for allowing us to do what we do. Keep smiling.

Circus Coupons Now Available

BILL RASNER, CIRCUS DIRECTOR

The 2013 Murat Shrine Circus won't be kicking off until April 11 of next year, but believe me, that great day will be here before you know it. You now have the opportunity to cash in on one of the many perks included in your Murat Shrine membership. That's right folks; it's time to order your 2013 circus coupons!

For only \$24, you can get \$30 worth of circus tickets. These coupons are not available to the public, and they are easy for you to get! Your order form and envelope are inserted right here in the magazine. Simply remove, fill out your request, include your form of payment, and mail it in. We'll send your coupons right back to you.

If you don't plan to attend any performances, you can



always pay this discount forward. Please consider donating your \$24 to the 2013 Murat Shrine Circus fund. In years past, these donations have greatly supported us in bringing the magic and joy of the Big Top to thousands of children, seniors, and developmentally disabled Hoosiers for FREE.

Remember, your coupons cannot be used as tickets at the venue door. Beginning January 2, they may be redeemed as such through the Murat Fraternal Office. If you have any questions about your coupons, contact Julie or Rachel in the office at (317) 635-2433. Thank you all so much for your support. We look forward to seeing you at the show!



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Corvette Club

David Heacox

Another memorable year of fun and fellowship is coming to an end. To wind down the year, the Corvette Club enjoyed a pitch-in dinner at the home of Gary and Terry Cleveland, and their surprise entertainment for the afternoon was the opportunity to tour a neighbor's extraordinary collection of 1930 and 1940 era Packards and Auburns and other very nice collectible automobiles.

The following week was our fourth annual Mystery Trip which Club members always look forward to. We met in Whiteland not knowing where our tour guides, Gary and Terry Cleveland, were leading us. The only clue was "bridges and industrial buildings." We began the trip with 18 brightly colored Corvettes and

were joined in Columbus by four additional Club members. Twenty-two brightly colored Corvettes traveling the rolling hills on Highway 7 was a beautiful sight looking ahead and in the rear-view mirror. Many of the local residents appeared to enjoy the colorful convoy as we received many waves along the way. Our first stop was in North Vernon to stretch our legs, and then our tour guides led us to beautiful Madison, IN, where we had lunch at the Key West Shrimp House which was a block from the Ohio River. Following lunch, we crossed the Ohio River into Kentucky and paralleled the Ohio River going through several small towns and industrial areas, working our way to our next stop at the Belterra Casino in

Florence, IN, for an excuse to stretch our legs again. We then saddled up and continued on to Shelbyville which was our final destination. Thanks to Gary and Terry for once again organizing a great mystery trip.

For event and parade details or membership information, contact David Heacox @ david_heacox@yahoo.com. We invite all Shriners to check out our Club which meets at 7 p.m. the third Tuesday of each month at the Murat temple (next meeting is Tuesday, December 18). Remember, you don't have to own a Corvette to be a member of our Club or participate in our activities. Come join us; we'd love to see you!



500 Club

Rick Solly

News Bulletin: The Brickyard 500 restaurant's interior has been totally remodeled from ceiling to floor with a great new layout. It now boasts a new brunch buffet with a tempting variety of food and tremendous service.

The Club is now back to our third Sunday of each month's Sunday Brunch. The following were in attendance: Dan Price and Lady Helen, Bruce Raymond and Lady Cathy, and his friends Louie Sater and wife Cathy. Also attending were Mike Wagner, Bud Whitis, Rick Solly and Lady Jeanie. Everyone commented on the well-prepared food and look forward to returning next month. We would like to see everybody in the months to follow. Bring your friends.

Rolling Hills Shrine Club

Duane Graham

Greetings from Rolling Hills Shrine Club; it has been several years since we have contributed a monthly magazine article. I hope to change that and get some of our local Club news in print. For RHSC members, if you have something you would like to get into the magazine, please pass the information on to me. E-mailing (dd43graham@yahoo.com) would probably work best as I will be in Florida for most of the winter, starting in December.

This is a busy time at the Club. November is election of officers and planning for the children's Christmas party. Again this year on Sunday, December 2, at 1:30 p.m., we will present the Melchior Marionettes puppet show by Heidi Shackelford. Last year's show was so enjoyable, we are bringing them back for an encore performance.

Letters are going out to the local Masonic Lodges and Eastern Star, inviting them to bring their kids and grandkids. We just ask you to bring a plate of cookies for refreshments. What a deal—cookies and a puppet show.

Like all Clubs, we need membership and participation. We meet on the second Wednesday each month with a pitch-in dinner at 7 p.m. and business meeting at 8 p.m. All nobles are welcome (you don't have to be a member; come on and join us).

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2nd Annual Shriners International Personal Essay Contest

What should I write about?

Your essay should be a story from your life as it relates to being a Shriner. A personal essay gives the reader an intimate glimpse of the author's experience, observations, thoughts or feelings. The individual stories of our members make up the history of our organization and by preserving them on paper you will help us tell the story of Shriners International.

It does not matter whether you are 25 or 85, if you are an experienced writer or have not formally written anything since you were in school. Please take the time to reflect on your life as a Shriner. We love reading all your stories and appreciate your participation.

What are some of the qualities of a good personal essay?

- Reflective
- Creative
- Heartfelt
- Humorous
- Truthful
- Genuine
- Nostalgic
- Inspirational

How will the winners be recognized?

The top three essays and winner photos will be printed in the 2012-2013 Annual Report as well as in a new Shriner publication that will be released in July 2013. They will receive a plaque and a pin and will be recognized at the 2013 Imperial Session in Indianapolis. Each winner will also receive an Amazon.com gift card.

Essays must be submitted to shrinepr@shrinenet.org by January 4, 2013. For an entry form and a complete list of rules and guidelines, visit www.shrinersvillage.com or call 813-281-8162.



Membership Corner

BOB HUDSON - MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR

Welcome New Members! What a great open ceremony we had on December 1. To each of the new nobles of Murat Shriners, remember the teachings you heard during the ceremonial, and especially the Arch Degree. They will serve you well in your new Oasis.

It was very encouraging to see the number of friends and families in attendance at the Arch Degree. This is one of many ways the Murat Membership Team is working for you to educate those about Shriners International and Shriners Hospitals for Children.

We would also like to thank those who assisted at the Scottish Rite Convocation in October and the Open House in November. Having more and more of the nobility out in public answering questions for Master Masons and those who are curious about Shriners is how we will continue to bring new members into the temple.

As we continue to visit Blue Lodges in Indiana, each of the team is reminded of just how many Master Masons are still not members of Murat Temple. This is where we have a great opportunity to educate those brothers about all the work we do as Shriners. It is also a great way to show support to the Lodges that we as Shrine/Masons never forget our beginnings in our great fraternity. Just as we struggle with membership numbers, so are the Lodges. So it's our belief that those who help each other will help grow all Masonic organizations. By supporting one another, it shows the brotherly love that we all have as Masons.

As we forge on in 2013, we have a great opportunity in Indianapolis to show off Murat Temple with the upcoming Shriners International Imperial Session. The time to recruit new nobles for this event is now. If your Lodge has an aggressive candidate pool of upcoming Master Masons, the Membership Team would like to know when these new brothers are going to be eligible to join Murat Temple. A prospective candidate who is still receiving his degrees of Masonry can still submit his name on www.beashrinernow.com. He would just need to give the Lodge that he is receiving his degrees from, and the anticipated date for becoming a Master Mason. At that time, the Membership Team can provide him with the tools necessary to further his path in becoming a Murat Shriner.

Finally, as we finish 2012 and look to 2013, the plain simple fact remains that "Membership" begins with each and every one of us. No one person has all the answers, the silver bullet, or the perfect way to recruit new mem-

bers. If we each took someone we knew, outside of the temple or outside of the Lodge, and educated them about our respective fraternities, we would see an increase in membership that would bring Murat back to number one for many, many years to come.

Have a safe and prosperous holiday season and to our new nobles, please join all of us in 2013.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

December 17, 2012

THE ANNUAL MEETINGS OF MURAT SHRINERS AND MURAT TEMPLE ASSOCIATION WILL BE HELD AT 7 P.M., MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2012, AT MURAT SHRINE CENTER, 510 N. NEW JERSEY ST., INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA. THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND REPRESENTATIVES FOR 2013 WILL BE HELD.

ARTICLE 25, Section 325.11 Election Regulations.

(a) Electioneering: A candidate for an elected office in a Shrine temple may print, publish and circulate during the year he is seeking the elected office, a resume consisting of his educational background, his vocational history, and his Masonic and Shrine Record. Except as provided in the prior sentence, the printing, publication, circulating or distribution of resolutions, letters, telegrams, tickets, e-mail or other devices, by a Unit, Club, noble, or group of nobles, suggesting, recommending, opposing or containing the names of proposed candidates for office in the temple is prohibited.

(b) Expenditures Prohibited: The expenditure of money, gifts, favors, or entertainment on behalf of a candidate for elected office is prohibited.

(c) Violation: For any violation of (a) or (b), the Imperial Potentate may suspend any offending noble, and he may declare the election of the officers void and order a new election.

(d) Notice: At least one week prior to the annual meeting or any election, the Temple Recorder shall mail to each member a notice thereof containing this section.

ARTICLE 32, Section 332.2 requires payment of dues in advance before January 1 by all members. A 2012 DUES CARD IS REQUIRED TO ATTEND THIS MEETING.

Charlie Crabtree, Illustrious Potentate
Larry Jefferson, Recorder

ADDITIONAL NOTICE:

Appointments by a potentate are for one year only. It is customary and expected that each committee chairman or noble holding an appointed position will tender his resignation to the potentate at the end of the calendar year.

Hancock County Shrine Club

Fred L. Crace

As 2012 comes to a close, we would like to take a few moments and look back on the activities for the year.

ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP - In May, we had the honor of presenting the 2012 HCSC Scholarship to Lauren Deeter. She is a senior at Greenfield Central High School and will continue her education at Purdue University.

PAPER CRUSADE - Marsh Supermarket in Greenfield was the location for our annual Paper Crusade to benefit the Shriners Hospitals for Children. More than \$1,000 was raised.

PARADE ROUTE - Hancock County Shrine Club participated in the 4-H parade as well as the annual Riley Days parade.

HONORING OUR POTENTATE - On July 14, 2012, a dinner was given to honor one of our own: Ill. Sir Charles Crabtree, Potentate of Murat temple. Presentations were made, and kind remarks were given by all. Sir Charles and Lady Faye were very appreciative and thanked the Club for the honor.

FAMILY PICNIC - The annual family picnic was held at the home of our president, Bob Bailey. Good food and fellowship abounded.

A NEW KENTUCKY COLONEL - Noble and past President Irv Lew was presented his Kentucky Colonel Commission at the September meeting held at the Greenfield E.O.P. This was presented by past President Fred

L. Crace, assisted by Colonels Charles Crabtree and Dennis Scott.

PAST PRESIDENTS - The past presidents of the HCSC were honored at the November meeting held at the E.O.P. These nobles paved the way for the great Club we have today.

ANNUAL MEETING - Noble Art Borton, Captain of the Guard, will be the installing officer on December 12, 2012, at the Bluebird Restaurant in Morristown.

A tip of the fez to our outgoing president, Bob Bailey, and best wishes to our incoming president, Gary Frieden, for a great 2013.

TENT RENTALS - Remember, the tents are our primary fundraiser each and every year. If you need a tent or for more info, please call Noble George Scott at (317) 326-8173 or (317) 796-2108.

"We work that our kids might walk."

Band

Leonard Hull

The holiday season approach-eth; smile and be happy. It takes 56 muscles to frown but only 8 to smile. It can be contagious. What a beautiful time of year. But this time of year we reminisce far beyond the Yuletide season. Do you remember gasoline (at 15 cents per gallon), a new Chevy coupe for \$659, Danner Brothers 5 & 10 cent stores, The Pole, the Tee Pee and the Lyric? Hardware was hardware and software wasn't even a word. Cigarette smoking was fashionable, grass was mowed, coke was something you drank, and penny postcards cost one cent.

The beginning of Christmas season was when L.S. Ayres turned on their 10-story candle and the cherub mysteriously appeared on the clock that was the meeting place for the entire community.

You say what has this got to do with the Murat Band? And I say everything. We're not a bunch of stuffed shirt musicians; we're just people with so many memories and good times, we just want to share our happy thoughts, good fortune, and Season's Greetings with everyone.

This past month, we had a concert with the Forty and Eight at the Kitley Elementary School honoring our veterans, and a concert at the Greenwood Meadows Retirement Home among our regular rehearsals.

The Shrine Imperial is in Indy next year. Our president and director, Ray Hauser, has been given the privilege to help with the competition events of all groups attending the session. Our Murat Band is very supportive and excited to assist. Both Mama & Papa Bear parade trailers will come out of mothballs to accommodate Shriners from coast to coast as well as the Murat Shrine five-foot base drum and the century old (Cecil Byrne) calliope. Oh, what secrets ... our history will be remembered.

It's been a busy 2012 and will be an even busier 2013—never a dull moment. The Murat Band rehearses almost every Wednesday in the Corinthian Room at 7 p.m. Guests are always welcome. If you have ever played a band instrument, oil up the valves, grease up the slides and as they say on *The Price Is Right*, "Come on Down!"



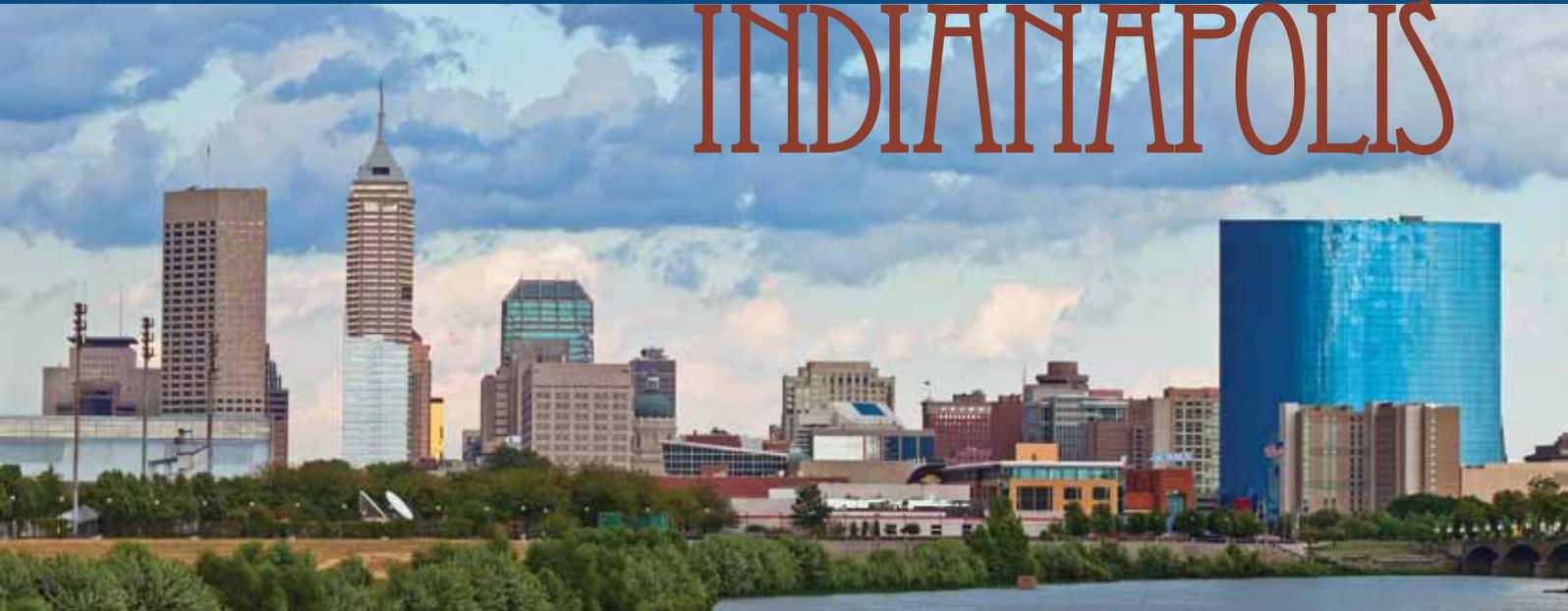
Papa Bear out of mothballs.





139TH IMPERIAL SESSION

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JUNE 30 – JULY 4, 2013

Join Murat Shriners for the 2013
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Join your nobles and ladies for the 2013 session at the Downtown JW Marriott. This is a modern hotel offering traditional hospitality. Enjoy a great view of the city and the luxury rooms. Murat has 40 rooms reserved for the session. The first night room deposit, including the Shrine Imperial binder, is \$175 plus tax. The remaining three nights will be \$155 per night plus tax. Four nights stay minimum. No room reservations will be taken after May 24, 2013.

Montgomery County Shrine Club

Bob Vanderkolk

Hey! Hey! Hey! It's that time of year!! It's that time of year when the president says to himself ... I made it! I made it!—and thanks to the nobles for helping him make it! It was truly a good year!

It's time for us to celebrate at the Installation Banquet at the Elks on December 15: Attitude Adjustment at 6 p.m., Prime Rib at 7, and a Chinese Auction (for chopsticks??). Then comes the actual installation of officers and directors AND having the rules for their ladies made clear.

We have the annual Christmas parade coming up on December 2. Meet at the Eagles about 1 p.m. with the parade to commence about 2:30 p.m. This year's theme is "A Charley Brown Christmas."

The annual Montgomery County Shrine Fish Fry held October 13 was quite a success again this year, netting (that's a joke, son) more than \$2,000. Thanks to all the nobles for your help AND to the ladies who brought in more than 5,200 desserts for sale.

The annual "Turning in the Tabs" took place at the temple in November. Way to go, guys! A very nice monetary gift was presented to President Lewis for the Club at our October meeting. The K of C treated us and our ladies again this year on November 14. Always a delightful evening of fellowship.

Thanks again to Janet Pittman and her helper, Bob Suiter, for the great dinner at the October meeting.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!! "Shriners ... Having Fun and Helping Kids."

Stone Belt Shrine Club

Dan Furlong

As the year draws to a close, it is a good time to reflect on the accomplishments of SBSC during 2012. It has been both an exciting and busy year here in South Central Indiana.

In addition to our regular Monday night Texas Hold'em Tournaments and our annual events such as Sweetheart Dances, we enjoyed special events like the Paul Crawford Memorial Shrimp Peel, put on entirely by the family of the late Paul Crawford, and serving approximately 125 attendees. We also enjoyed our annual trip to Churchill Downs and a great Saturday at the races, thanks to Steve and Betty Fiscus. Steve and Betty arranged everything from reservations at our favorite motel in New Albany, to transportation to the track, and special seating in the Millionaires Row at the track.

SBSC held a very successful "differing abilities picnic" for our challenged youngsters in the Monroe County area. Dozens of Club members and spouses happily hosted more than 100 guests at the event. We were ably assisted by that smiling face of "Wrong Way" and his clown antics. SBSC member Bob Slisz, affectionately known around Indiana University as "Magic Bob," wowed the guests with his array of magic tricks. The afternoon wound up with a large majority of our guests participating in Karaoke by giving us their renditions of favorite songs. This event is one if not the most, personally rewarding activities we engage in all year. Just seeing the joy on the faces of these kids makes it all worthwhile.

The most engaging activity of the 2012 year was the Stone Belt Shrine Club International Professional Rodeo Association Rodeo. Under the able direction of President Danny Hicks, the SBSC promoted a full action western rodeo at the Monroe County Fairgrounds. The Rodeo Committee went to work in early summer planning and executing those things necessary to put on this show. Sponsors from all over South Central Indiana came forward to buy advertising space in the printed program and around the arena. To call the rodeo a success is not strong enough. According to their accounts, the thousands of people who attended were treated to an event unequalled in this area. All are looking forward to next year's rodeo.

Last but certainly not least, our SBSC Hillbilly Clan took part in 10 parades during the summer. The rebuilt truck, thanks to Tom Parker, won first place trophies in two of the parades as best float. Thanks to all our Hillbilly Cus'ins of Clan 14, Outhouse 16.

Looking forward to and planning for next year has begun. Our Nominating Committee has produced an excellent slate of candidates for the officer positions and members of the board of directors. The recommended slate of officers includes Dan Furlong as president, Tom Parker as vice president, Billy Combs, P.P., as treasurer, Steve Fiscus, P.P., as secretary, and Sergeant at Arms Ted Capshew. Of course, nominations from the floor will be entertained prior to the actual election.

Thanks to every member for a truly great 2012. Make a New Year's resolution to become more active in 2013 and to bring in at least one new member to the A.A.O.N.M.S. and the Stone Belt Shrine Club. Best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, and may God Bless our nation, our philanthropy, and each of you in 2013.

SHRINERS INTERNATIONAL PHOTO CONTEST

Shriners International is hosting its first ever photo contest! Shriners are dedicated to their mission of fun, fellowship and philanthropy. We invite all Nobles to share your images that best represent what it means to be a Shriner.

Two winning photos will be chosen from each of the following categories:

- Fellowship/Brotherhood
- Fun
- Family
- Community
- Legacy
- Costumes

What are the qualities of a winning image?

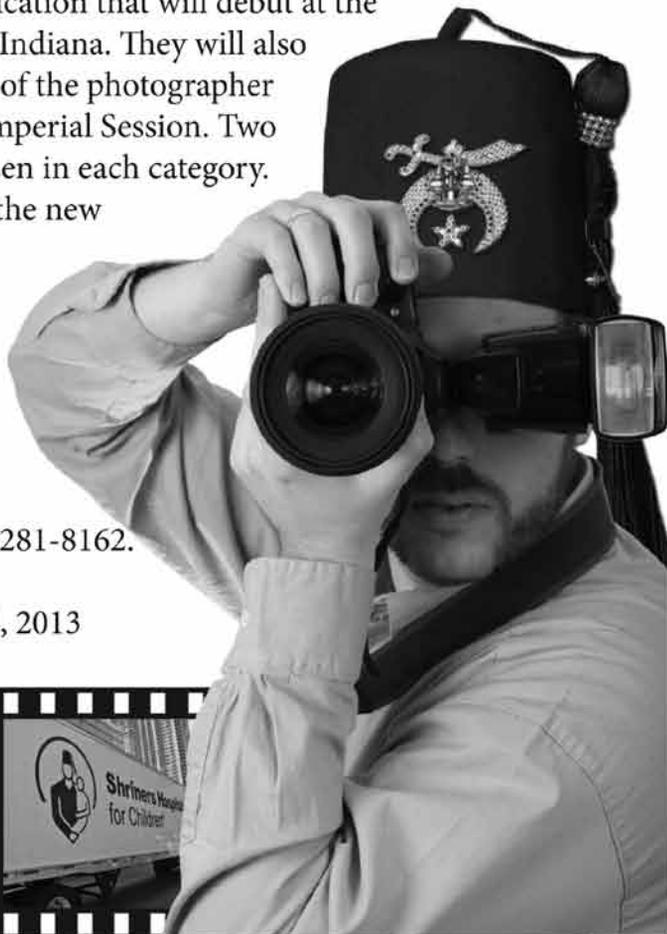
Technical quality, clarity and composition are all important, but what will set a photo apart from the rest is the ability to capture that “picture perfect” moment that expresses the true spirit of the Shriners.

How will winners be recognized?

Winners will receive a plaque, pin and an Amazon.com gift card. Winning photos will be published in a new publication that will debut at the 2013 Imperial Session in Indianapolis, Indiana. They will also be shown on the screen with the name of the photographer during the Public Relations report at Imperial Session. Two honorable mention photos will be chosen in each category. These photos will also be published in the new publication, and honorable mention recipients will receive a certificate and pin. Best of luck! We can't wait to see how you have captured the essence of what it means to be a Shriner.

For rules and entry form go to www.ShrinersVillage.com or call 813-281-8162.

Entries must be received by February 4, 2013



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OCTOBER STATED MEETING



George Clark and Charlie Merlau, representing the Antique Power Club, make a \$200 donation to Potentate Charlie Crabtree for the Children's Christmas Party.



Jeff Zaring, P.P., gives Potentate Charlie Crabtree a \$250 check for the Murat Transportation Fund on behalf of the Murat Highlanders. The check is given in memory of Noble A. Lee Clifford.



Potentate Charlie Crabtree accepts a \$200 check for Lexington Shriners Hospital from Commander Thomas Morgan on behalf of the Murat Legion of Honor. Assisting with the presentation are LOH members John Cheeley, Larry Hearn, Lloyd Hearn, Steve Wilson, Leroy Callahan and Bob Sexton.



McDonald's Restaurants have been an important corporate sponsor for the Murat Shrine Circus. Murat's gratitude for the sponsorship was expressed with the presentation of a check in the amount of \$25,411 to Beth Johnson, executive director of the Ronald McDonald House of Indiana; Joe Schulz, director of development; and McDonald's franchisee, Pete Wojtowicz. Gathered with Potentate Charlie Crabtree to make the presentation are Chief Rabban Jim Priest, Assistant Rabban Bill Rasner, High Priest and Prophet Tim Murphy, Oriental Guide Carl Culmann, and Captain of the Guard Art Borton.



Bartholomew Shrine Club members Bucky Everhart, John Redman, Buddy Antle, Harry Bond and Gene Cooper hand over a \$200 check for the Children's Christmas Toy Fund to Potentate Charlie Crabtree.

The Divan wants to thank members of the HighRollers Club and the Golf Committee for their hard work in organizing and running the events that raised the money.



Potentate Charlie Crabtree is given a \$500 check for the Children's Christmas Toy Fund by Murat Transportation Club President Chuck Crabtree who stated that an additional \$100 donation is made in memory of Martha Harrison. Accompanying President Crabtree are Club members Frank Tharp, Luke Whitehouse, Richard Kirkman, Mike Harrison, Jim Marlin, Ward Frazier, and Mike



Putnam County Shrine Club President John Jackman and Club members John Blaydoe, Don Mundy, and Dick Bronkus present Potentate Charlie Crabtree with a check for Shriners Hospitals in the amount of \$2405.32. These monies were raised from the Club participation in the Paper Crusade.



Police Club Commander Bill Pike hands over a \$400 check for the Transportation Fund to Potentate Charlie Crabtree. With Commander Pike for this presentation are Club members Tom Bond, Randy McMains, Paul Daugherty, Lloyd Young, Fred Golgarth, Charlie Merlau, Leroy Callahan and Willard Payne. \$300 of this donation comes from the Motorcycle Drill Team.

Presentations



Craig English receives a \$1,000 scholarship check on behalf of the Trustees of the Indianapolis Valley of the Scottish Rite. Joining in the presentation is Potentate Charlie Crabtree and Executive Director of the Indianapolis Valley A.A.S.R, Jeff Saunders. Craig was accompanied by his father and mother, Bob and Jennifer English, and brother, Cole. Assisting in the presentation are Murat Business Connection members Don Richards, Mel Anspach and Gary Lewis, P.P.



Potentate Charlie Crabtree, along with Business Connection members Don Richards, Mel Anspach, Ray Gotshall and Gary Lewis, P.P., in the presentation of a \$1,000 scholarship check to Abigail Mobley. Abigail was accompanied by her mother, Susan Mobley, and Abigail's friend, Jake McCarthy.



Brown Co. Shrine Club President Harry Bond presents Potentate Charlie Crabtree with a \$2475.12 check for Shriners Hospitals. This donation was raised as a result of the Club's annual car show. Joining in the presentation are First VP Gene Cooper and Club members John Redman and Buddy Antle.



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SHRINE GAME

MORE THAN JUST A GAME

The East-West Shrine Game: “More than Just a Game”

The East-West Shrine Game[®] is the longest running college all star football game in the country, and has consistently proven itself to be a stepping-stone to the NFL. For example, more than 60 players from the 2012 game launched their professional career this fall. Currently, 40 of the players in our 2012 game are on active NFL rosters, 19 are on NFL practice squads, and the two Canadian players made Canadian Football League squads.

Clearly, the game draws significant attention from the NFL.

A player's performance in the practice sessions and in the game can make or break his chances for an NFL career. Since the game's inception, 69 players from the East-West Shrine Game have been inducted into the National Football League Hall of Fame and more than 100 alumni are in the College Football Hall of Fame.

The annual event has launched the NFL careers of many players including Tom Brady, Greg Jennings, John Elway, Willie Roaf, Shannon Sharpe and Brett Favre.

“The most important thing is that these players have a chance to make it into an NFL club,” said Harold Richardson, executive director of the East-West Shrine Game. “Our goal is to keep improving the quality of players every year. That's one of the keys to growing the game.”

More than Just a Game

In addition to being an important step in the careers of aspiring professional football players, the East-West Shrine Game also benefits Shriners Hospitals for Children[®], a health care system that has given hope and healing to more than 1 million children, regardless of their families' ability to pay.

The East-West Shrine Game is “More Than Just a Game.” In addition to providing an opportunity

for top college football players to showcase their skills, the East-West Shrine Game gives the players, spectators and television audience a chance to learn more about the life-changing work of Shriners Hospitals for Children.

On the Sunday leading up to the game, players witness first-hand the true purpose of the game when they visit the local Shriners Hospital. During the hospital visit, players and coaches participate in games, crafts and several other activities with the patients. This chance to interact with the patients is the highlight of the East-West Shrine Game experience for many of the players.

The 88th annual East-West Shrine Game will take place on Saturday, January 19, 2013, at Tropicana Field in St. Petersburg, Florida. The game will be broadcast live on NFL Network with a kick-off time of 4 p.m. EST.

To learn more about the East-West Shrine Game, and to purchase tickets, please visit www.shrinegame.com.



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2013 MURAT SHRINE CASH CALENDAR RAFFLE

MORE THAN \$13,000 IN CASH PRIZES!

\$20 per TICKET

Cash Winners \$20 Daily Monday thru Saturday
(Except March 31, June 30, September 30 and December 31)

Cash Winners \$100 every Sunday
(Except March 31, June 30, September 30 and December 31)

Cash Winners \$500
(March 31, June 30, September 30 and December 31)

Drawings for each day of the month will be drawn on the last day of each month at 2 p.m. at Murat Shrine Temple, 510 N. New Jersey St., Indianapolis, IN 46204.

Proceeds of this Raffle are for the benefit of Murat Shrine and not deductible as a charitable contribution.

Murat Plaque Program

“WE GAVE BECAUSE WE CARE”

The Plaque Program will continue the first of January 2013.



LEVEL I

8" x 10" plaques require a \$50 donation for five years.



LEVEL II

10" x 13" plaques require a \$100 donation for five years.



LEVEL III

10" x 13" plaques require a \$300 donation for five years.

Whether the plaques are hung on the "Wall of Plaques" at Murat, on the wall at your club or unit, in your home or at a business in your community, they represent the commitment to our Shriners Hospitals for Children and the terrific care they provide our hospital families regardless of a family's ability to pay.

There are several opportunities to sign up for a plaque:

- From the Fraternal Office
- At the Leadership Seminar in January 2013

Sample Plaques will be on display at Murat Stated Meetings and the Leadership Seminar.



Shrine License Plates Available

Show your pride in our fraternity by purchasing a Shrine license plate for all of your vehicles and motorcycles.

- To qualify for the plates, go to the Murat Web site at www.muratshrine.org.
- Click on the license plate heading and fill out the form. Printed forms are also available from the Fraternal Office.
- Send the completed form along with \$10 to the Fraternal Office. The \$10 goes to the Linn Van Fund to purchase the Transportation vans.
- A stamped, approved original will be returned to you.
- Take that to any BMV office to get your license plates. BMV will charge a \$15 service fee for the plate.

2013 Murat Shirts



This design is new for 2013. Available in either men's or ladies' sizes, the shirts are \$35 each and include either the Shrine (crescent and scimitar) logo or the 2013 Potentate's logo.

Orders may be placed by contacting the Fraternal Office.

MURAT

Children's Christmas Party

Sunday, December 9, 2012

Murat Arabian Room

Guided tours of gigantic railroad display from 11:30 a.m. until 1 p.m.

Party Begins at 1 p.m.



BRING THE KIDS AND ENJOY THIS SPECIAL DAY!



Enjoy the entertainment provided by those whacky Murat Clowns, and featuring the magic of James Kessler and a special guest singer, hospital patient Page Cox.

Enjoy the refreshments and entertainment while you wait for the man himself – SANTA CLAUS AND HIS BAG OF TOYS.

NO RESERVATIONS REQUIRED

Murat Florida Winter Party

Ladies Welcome

February 5-9, 2013

Holiday Inn Ft. Myers Beach
6890 Estero Boulevard
Fort Myers Beach, FL 33931
ON THE BEACH

Have a fun-filled four days at Ft. Myers Beach, Florida, with Chief Rabban Jim Priest and his Lady Tammy.

Cost \$275 per person includes*

- Souvenir Shirt (men and women)
- Two Dinners, Lunch, Hospitality Room
- Great Social Fun

Subway sandwiches will be served for lunch on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

Itinerary:

Tuesday, February 5 – Travel Day and Hospitality

Wednesday, February 6 – Lunch in the Hospitality Room 11 – 1 p.m.

Dinner will be at Charley's Boat House (Included)

Thursday, February 7 – Open Day, Lunch in the Hospitality Room 11 – 1 p.m. • *Dinner on your own*

Friday, February 8 – Open Day, Lunch in the Hospitality Room 11 – 1 p.m.

Dinner will be at Pinchers FM Beach (Included)

Saturday, February 9 – Kiss the sun and beach goodbye and head back to enjoy the lovely Indianapolis winter!

Optional excursions for Thursday and Friday include

- Boat to Key West, Deep Sea Fishing, Everglades Airboat Tours, Dolphin Tours and Parasail Rides
- Rent Waverunners, Cabanas, Sailboats, also Dolphin Tours and Parasail Rides. Price will be available upon arrival
- Relax on the Beach, Swim at the Pool, or Party at the Beach Hut

For reservations contact the Fraternal Office at 635-2433. Cut off for this trip will be January 4, 2013

** Transportation and Hotel not included*



Shriners Hospitals
for Children®

New Patient Referral Process Approved at Imperial Session

Great news! It is now easier than ever to refer a patient to Shriners Hospitals for Children®! At the 138th Annual Session in July 2012, the attending delegates approved amendments to the Colorado Bylaws 509.2 and 509.3 which simplified the way for patients to access Shriners Hospitals. Patients/families no longer need to fill out a two-page application form that must be processed before being considered for treatment. While this is a big change for our system and YOU, we want to assure you that our Shriners are more important than ever in finding children that need our help; as well as informing the public about the noble mission of Shriners Hospitals for Children. We need your participation now, more than ever, to reach more patients. This new process makes it easier for our patients and will still allow for engagement with the nobility. Travel and transportation support should not change. Contact your Shrine temple or hospital if you have questions.

This new intake process continues to support your valuable referrals, without the added step of completing a patient application. Instead, simply provide patients/families with the Shriners Hospitals for Children patient referral card, which may be obtained from your hospital or Shrine temple. In addition, a new Patient Referral Form will be forthcoming in the near future. However, the referral card is preferred, with the patient/family calling the hospital's referral intake line directly. Why? This is the quickest and most convenient way for a patient to get the care they need.

When did this start? In October 2012, Shriners Hospitals simplified the process

for our new patients; allowing immediate scheduling for an appointment if their clinical needs meet the hospital's scope of service. To avoid any confusion to our patients or the community, temple staff are asked to no longer use the application form and remove any reference to a patient application process in temple materials or website. Thank you for your continued hard work in helping the children. Please contact your local Shriners Hospitals facility if you have any questions.



www.shrinershospitalsforchildren.org

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21ST ANNUAL
Murat Leadership Seminar

Saturday, January 26, 2013
9 AM – 1 PM
Arabian Room, Murat Temple



A New Year's toast to each noble.

“May the best day you have ever had be the worst day you ever have.”

Happy New Year!

Charlie Crabtree
 Potentate 2012

COMING EVENTS

(The current Murat calendars for 2012 are available at <http://calendar.yaboo.com/muratsbrine>)

DECEMBER

- SAT. 1 Murat Shrine Ceremonial
- MON. 3 **DEADLINE FOR JANUARY MAGAZINE**
- SAT. 8 Texas Hold'em
- SUN. 9 Murat Children's Christmas Party
- MON. 17 **Divan Meeting, Board Meeting Stated Meeting 7 p.m.**
- MON. 24 – Fraternal Office Closed
- TUE. 25 Merry Christmas!
- MON. 31 Fraternal Office Closed

JANUARY 2013

- TUE. 1 Fraternal Office Closed Happy New Year!
- WED. 2 **DEADLINE FOR FEBRUARY MAGAZINE**
- SAT. 12 Texas Hold'em
- SAT. 19 Shrine East/West All-Star Game
- MON. 21 **Divan Meeting, Board Meeting Stated Meeting 7 p.m.**
- SAT. 26 Murat Leadership Seminar

FEBRUARY

- FRI. 1 **DEADLINE FOR MARCH MAGAZINE**
- TUE. 5 – Florida Visitation
- SUN. 10
- SAT. 9 Texas Hold'em
- FRI. 15 Little Pig
- SAT. 16 Indpls. Valley AASR District Degree Day – Bloomington
- MON. 18 **Divan Meeting, Board Meeting Stated Meeting 7 p.m.**
- SAT. 23 Potentate's Ball
- THU. 28 – Potentate's Trip
- THU. 7

MARCH

- MON. 1 **DEADLINE FOR APRIL MAGAZINE**
- SAT. 9 Texas Hold'em
- FRI. 15 – Indpls. Valley AASR Grand
- SAT. 16 Master's Class
- MON. 18 **Divan Meeting, Board Meeting Stated Meeting 7 p.m.**



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