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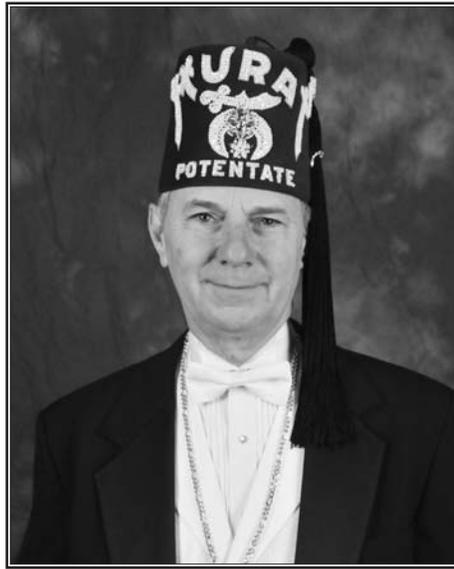
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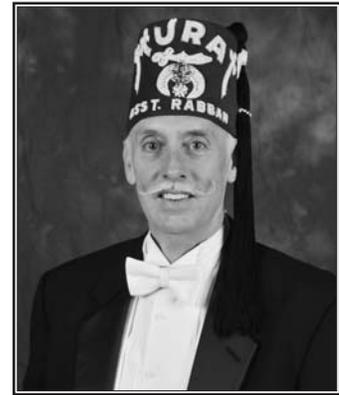
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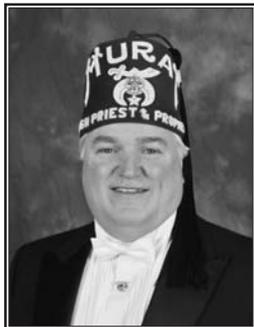
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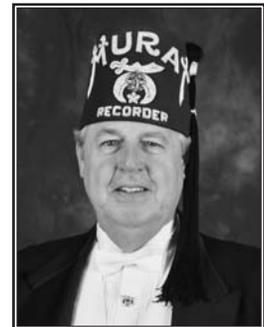
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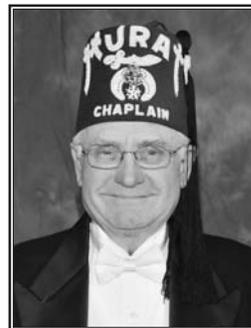
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POTENTATE MESSAGE

Hand in Hand

Our fraternity often takes the duties performed at Murat as something that just happens. When we receive the Murat Magazine, we admire and enjoy the photography. There is one special individual who is responsible for taking most of the photographs at the Divan Installation, the Potentate's Ball, the Shrine Circus, Imperial Potentate's visit, Imperial Session, State Fair activities, Great Lakes Shrine Association meetings, various parades and many other Shrine activities and events. Noble Robert L. Wilson, a longtime member of Murat Shrine, has been our photographer for many years with support from Joe Krebsbach, member of the Firemen's Club, and Carl Culmann, Murat Outer Guard. Bob is a member of the Firemen's Club and serves on Murat's board of directors. I appreciate all the long hours and hard work he puts forth to provide the Divan, as well as our Murat nobles and their ladies, a wonderful assortment of pictorial memories of our special events and activities. He has also served as Imperial Photographer for many years. Please thank these nobles when you see them for their contribution to Murat and for doing an excellent job that we all appreciate.

Our Murat Magazine is an awarding-winning publication which records the history, events, and activities of Murat from month to month due to the excellent efforts of our executive editor, Mike Moxley, and managing editor, Cliff Lewis. In addition to these two editors, there are designated people from each Club and Unit who write articles about their fundraisers, social events, and philanthropy efforts. Gordon Husk writes special articles about our Shrine hospital patients, and there are numerous announcements regarding upcoming Shrine events and activities. Our Shrine ladies' organizations submit an article each month to keep their members and others abreast of their activities, special events, and philanthropic efforts. Our magazine helps our nobility and their ladies keep informed about our fraternity, our hospitals, and upcoming events. I appreciate all the individuals who help create a magazine that we all look forward to receiving and reading. Please thank these people for their contribution and hard work for Murat.

I would like to remind everyone that our last ceremonial for 2010 is Saturday, November 13. This ceremonial will have an added feature of the Arch Presentation which is open to family and friends. This presentation is a performance which presents all aspects of Masonry. Membership continues to be one of Murat's most important priorities. Please make an effort to give some serious thought to people you know who are Masons that would be an asset to our fraternity and sign them up for November 13. Explain to these prospective members about our mission to support our 22 hospitals that treat children with specific conditions without any cost to them so they can have a better life and a brighter future. I cannot emphasize enough the importance of bringing in new members who will be good Shriners and will help us accomplish our goals for Murat and our hospitals.

Murat is fortunate to have strong support and dedication from our numerous Clubs and Units.

Through various fundraisers and activities that they sponsor each year, they are able to contribute financially to Murat and our hospitals. Month after month at our Stated Meetings, numerous Clubs and Units present me with checks designated for our hospitals and/or our Transportation Fund. Without these monthly donations, Murat would not be able to meet our obligation to our hospitals. Donations to the Transportation Fund help with the expenses of transporting our patients to the various hospitals. With the rising cost of purchasing our vans and the continuing rise in the cost of gasoline, these donations are put to good use. Donations designated for our hospitals help with their expenses in treating our Shriners Hospitals patients. With the ever increasing cost of medical care and equipment, these donations are very much appreciated.

A big thank-you to each and every Club and Unit as well as the Shrine ladies' organizations that have made a donation during 2010. I appreciate your dedication and hard work to support Murat's mission and goals.

Serving on the Chicago Hospital Board for the past six years has given me an opportunity to observe the wonderful care that our patients receive when treated at one of our Shriners Hospitals. Until you have an opportunity to tour our hospitals, meet the staff and perhaps meet a patient and their family, it is difficult to appreciate and totally understand what a fantastic and remarkable philanthropy that Shriners support. We're not just those guys with "red hats" in parades but men who care about helping children who are suffering from various orthopaedic problems, spinal cord injuries, cleft lip and palate birth defects, and burn injuries. We support our 22 hospitals to give these children an opportunity to have a better life and a brighter future without costing their families one penny. Please take advantage of any opportunity you may have to visit one of our hospitals to see for yourself what our philanthropy is all about. When a patient or family member at one of our hospitals walks up to you and thanks you for the medical care they have received, it makes you feel really good and proud to be a Shriner.

I would like to recognize the nobles from Murat who serve on various Shriners Hospitals Boards. Gordon Husk has served on the Chicago Hospital Board several years and is now serving as Chairman of the Board. Assistant Rabban Charlie Crabtree serves on the Cincinnati Hospital Board. Dennis Scott and Murat Recorder Ed Wolfe serve on the Lexington Hospital Board. Congratulations to these nobles for being selected to serve these hospitals as a board member. Please thank these individuals for their dedication and time spent attending their monthly board meeting.

I would like to wish all our nobility and their families a wonderful Thanksgiving holiday. Enjoy the opportunity to spend quality time with family and friends. I look forward to seeing you at the various upcoming Murat events.

Illustrious Potentate
Craig T. Hinshaw

Noble Robert L. Wilson Twenty-Five Years of Murat Shrine Photography

CLIFF LEWIS

In 2010, Noble Robert L. Wilson celebrates the completion of 25 years of photographing the activities of Murat Shrine. Bob became an assistant photographer for Chief Photographer Noble Lloyd Walton in 1983 under Potentate Fran Preston. Noble Lloyd became Bob's father-in-law when Bob married Vicki Walton in 1995. In 1984, Potentate Ivan Frakes asked Bob to be Chief Photographer for Murat. In March of that year, Bob's first cover photo appeared in the Centennial publication of the Murat Magazine. Bob currently is an assistant Imperial Photographer and has been asked to be Imperial Photographer for Imperial Sir John A. Cinotto in 2013.

Bob was born in 1943 in New Albany, IN. His family moved to Indianapolis in 1958 where he graduated from Tech High School. He went to work for Horner Electric in 1963 and is still with that firm. He worked for the Indianapolis Fire Department in 1967 until he retired in 1992. He also worked for a while with Frakes Electric. Bob is a veteran of the U.S. Navy.

Bob was raised a Master Mason in 1972. He is currently a member of Greenwood Lodge No. 514.

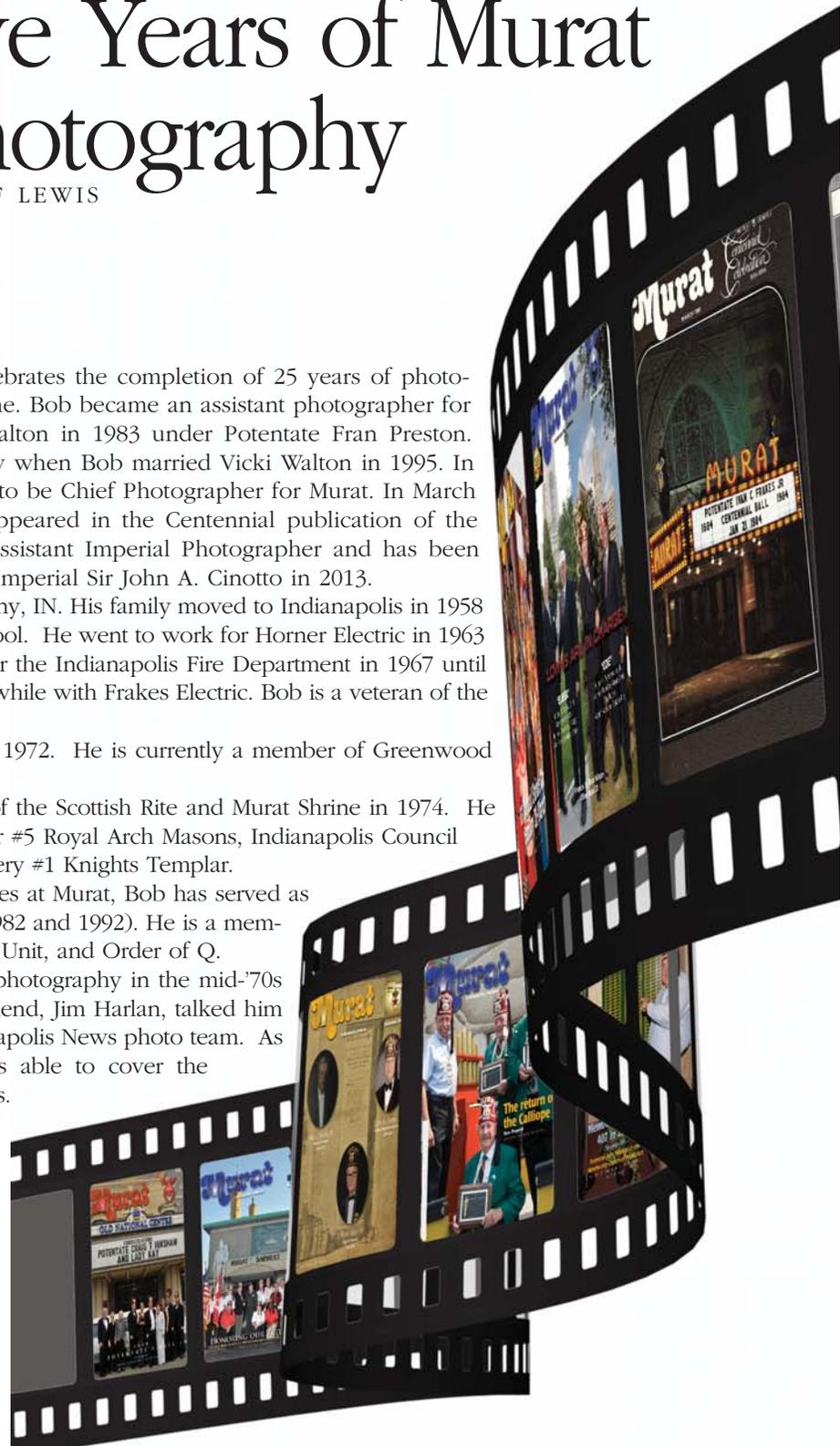
He joined the Indianapolis Valley of the Scottish Rite and Murat Shrine in 1974. He is also a member of Indianapolis Chapter #5 Royal Arch Masons, Indianapolis Council of Cryptic Masons, and Raper Commandery #1 Knights Templar.

In addition to his photo-taking duties at Murat, Bob has served as president of the Murat Firemen's Club (1982 and 1992). He is a member of the Kentucky Colonels, Reception Unit, and Order of Q.

Bob initially became interested in photography in the mid-70s when he purchased a Canon AE-1. A friend, Jim Harlan, talked him into becoming a "stringer" for The Indianapolis News photo team. As a volunteer for the newspaper, he was able to cover the Indianapolis 500 Mile Race and time trials.

In 1981, Bob attended Wedding Photography School where he received training from one of the area's foremost wedding photographers of that time, Jerry Goldberg. As a result, he photographed several weddings for a number of years.

In 1983, at the request of Potentate Fran Preston, Bob, along with future father-in-law Lloyd Walton and with the assistance of Nobles Owen Crew, Bob





Fisher and Jerry Hart, got the Murat Photography Club organized.

One of Bob's more memorable photos was done during the term of Potentate Wes Kidwell. The Illustrious Sir stationed himself at the top of the southeast turret of the temple. Bob was on the roof of the Barton Apartments about a block east of Murat. The job required a telephoto lens and was coordinated with the use of hand signals (pre-cell phone days). The caption: "Kidwell's on top of things."

Another memorable shot also involved Wes Kidwell and his lady, Helen. It was a photo of their reflection in the glass at the Gatling Gun Club. In the photo, the camera actually appears to be behind the Kidwells and between their shoulders. Bob staged it so that the Illustrious Sir actually squeezed the bulb to take the photo and the photographer was not seen in the reflection.

In recent years, family Christmas portraits have appeared on the December cover of the Murat Magazine. This idea appears to have originated with Noble Bob. When Potentate Walt Walther was Chief Rabban, Bob suggested using the cover photo in December of Walt's year as a Christmas card to the nobility. Walt and Lady Crimmie both liked the idea so the "family" Christmas photo was taken the December prior to Walt being elected Potentate. The concept has been used many times since then.

Noble Bob, thank you for 25 years of memories and congratulations for 25 years of service to Murat. May your camera always be steady and your exposure just right.

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October brings an end to an incredibly fun and active parade year for the Corvette Club!

September's highlight parade was the Great Lakes Association Fall Ceremonial, held September 23-25 in Rockford, IL. This was the most enjoyable Great Lakes parade that I have attended in years! The drive up to Rockford was enjoyable. We wish a speedy recovery to Sharon Baugh and Susie Brown who were unable to make this trip. Nine members met in Brownsburg so we could all caravan up to Rockford. Our Corvettes looked like a "string of jewels" driving down the road. We had about 20 Club members who met at the "Stone Eagle" Friday night for a wonderful dinner. On Saturday, Gary Cleveland "ran" the parade route prior to the parade, so our Club was well prepared. There were enough 'vette members to drive our Illustrious Potentate Craig T. Hinshaw, his Divan, and several past Potentates through the parade route. We had 16 Club members who met at Giovanni's for another wonderful dinner after the parade. Thanks to our Potentate for providing the Murat Hospitality Room. We made lots of new friends and had a great time with the Murat Family.

October proved to be a very busy month. The Plainfield Quaker Parade was held October 2 and was well attended. On October 3, the Corvette Club rolled up their sleeves and reported to the temple for a project to refurbish the wood trim. Assistant

Rabban Charlie Crabtree was the "kazook" in charge of this project, and provided pizza and refreshments for the work crew as a "thank-you" for the Club's effort. Our thanks to Terry Cleveland who made sure we had the necessary supplies and organized the helpers. October 10 was Martinsville's Fall Parade, the biggest local parade of the year, and I think nearly all of Martinsville gathers to watch this parade. I can't say enough about it! It has a lot of history and a lot of local participation, so it always takes up most of the afternoon. October 24 was our second annual Mystery Trip (with a rain date of October 31)! Last year's trip was a huge success and well attended by Club members. Gary Cleveland, first vice president, started this tradition, and the Corvette Club is looking forward to many years of fun-filled Mystery Trips.

We are happy to have Phil Goodwin as a new Club member. Phil drives a red '90 Corvette. Our attendance continues to grow, and we extend an invitation to join us for fun times! We meet the second Thursday of the month at 7:30 in the Motor Corps Room. Many of us come early to the Oasis Lounge for food and Zem-Zem. Bring your lady and remember that you do not have to be a Corvette owner to join the Club. If you have questions about the Corvette Club, please feel free to contact our president, Pip Hapgood, at (317) 753-4350.

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GORDON J HUSK, CHAIRMAN, BOARD OF GOVERNORS, CHICAGO HOSPITAL

Mike and Jane Scott's first child was born December 31, 1987. They were surprised that the baby was missing most of all four limbs. Following the initial shock, the parents were determined to give Brandon every possible opportunity in life. Jane says, "The prayer that reached me at the time was, 'God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change, the courage to change the things I can, and the wisdom to know the difference.'" This included finding proper medical care. Jane said, "The first hospitals were not familiar with Brandon's condition, and we were met with uncertainty. This didn't give us much peace of mind, as parents. Then we heard about Shriners Hospitals for Children® and Brandon was accepted as a patient at the Chicago hospital. Dr. Jeffrey Ackman told us, 'We have seen several cases like this.' Those words lifted a heavy weight from our shoulders."

Brandon had some surgical procedures over a period of years, and for some time he tried prosthetic arms and legs. He considered the prosthetic appliances cumbersome since he was always very active and found other ways to adapt to situations. He spent weeks at a time in physical therapy, doing exercises and learning which exercises to use at home. He says the greatest gift from Shriners Hospital® was the self-confidence he gained by accepting the advice of Dr. Ackman and the physical therapists.

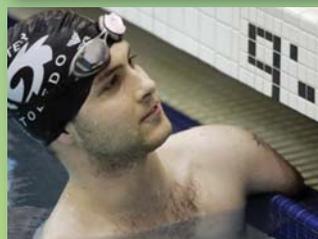
At a very early age, Brandon developed an indomitable spirit that enabled him to cope with any challenge. His cheerful attitude gained him many friends everywhere he went. His enthusiasm was evident as he began each new adventure. At Lawrence North High School, he was very determined to be part of the wrestling team. A teammate said, "When I felt I could exercise no longer, I saw Brandon still doing all the exercises and

I was ashamed of myself." After being on the wrestling team three years, Brandon voluntarily chose to be student manager in his senior year.

Brandon's recent years have been a whirlwind of activity. He sang with the Indianapolis Children's Choir until he was eligible to join the Indianapolis Youth Chorale, which performed in the United States, England and Italy. He was awarded a \$5,000 Kiwanis Club scholarship and entered Purdue University. He is an active member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. After two years at Purdue, he transferred to Ball State University, where he studies TV/radio broadcasting.

When asked what he has been doing, Brandon nonchalantly says, "I work on a TV show at school called Cardinal Sports Live. I am the men's swimming reporter for the show. I am on a radio show at Ball State's radio station 91.3 WCRD, a sports talk show with four other guys. Last year, I played power soccer (wheelchair) for Ball State and was the goalie when our team placed third in the nation in Division 2. I gave up power soccer this year to focus on the TV and radio shows to get back into the pool and continue my swim training for the Paralympics. This past summer, I was an intern for Fox 59 Sports and <http://indysportsnation.com> and had the opportunity to have many stories published online, a feature story put on TV, and interview many athletes."

Broadcasting work has enabled Brandon to meet several famous people, such as Arie Luyendyk, Jeff Gordon, Bill Polian and Jeremy Renner. He approaches every new opportunity with poise, self-confidence and a big smile. Life handed Brandon lemons, and he is creating gourmet lemon chiffon pies. He would never be satisfied with simply making lemonade.



Shriners Hospitals for Children® is a pediatric health care system of 22 hospitals dedicated to improving the lives of children by providing specialty care, innovative research and outstanding teaching programs. Children up to age 18 with orthopaedic conditions, burns, spinal cord injuries, and cleft lip and palate are eligible for care and receive all services in a family-centered environment, without financial obligation to patients or their families. Shriners Hospitals for Children® relies on the generosity of donors to deliver this mission every day.

Our annual fall party, Margaritaville II, was held on September 11 at the beautiful lakeside home of Joann Perkins. In spite of rain, the party was very well attended and we were honored to have our Illustrious Potentate, Craig Hinshaw, and his Lady Kay, as well as our Assistant Rabban, Charlie Crabtree, in attendance. Past Commodore Bill Graam was honored and received the Scottish Rite Medal for Masonic Service, which was presented by the Illustrious Robert Elrod, the Deputy Sovereign Grand Commander of the Scottish Rite from Indiana. Joann Perkins was presented with the Commodore's Appreciation Award for her support of Shrinedom. Past Commodore Bob Abel played Jimmy Buffet music until we ran out of margaritas, and the party was duly adjourned before the volcano blew. As the saying goes, "A good time was had by all!" Thanks for all who worked at this party, promoted the event, mailed the fliers, hauled the Zem-Zem, shuttled the attendees, and generally made this experience the crown jewel of our parties.

We have a great assortment of Yacht Club gear that we encourage all of you to purchase for yourself, your ladies, and children. We have hats, sport shirts, jackets, sweatshirts, and white uniform shirts. We really want all members to at least purchase the white uniform shirt so we can look like a Shrine unit when we parade or participate in

Shrine events. The official white uniform shirt sells for \$33 and can be purchased directly by contacting Joyce Puterbaugh at Creative Design Embroidery, 10473 N. 1075 East, Brownsburg, IN 46116, telephone (317) 297-5505, or by e-mailing her at JSPembroidery@sbcglobal.net. Kevin Scott, our new director, is going to attempt to create a link that can be navigated from our official Web site at the Murat Shrine that will have photos of all of the new Yacht Club gear, the sizes, and prices. We have the largest Club at the Murat temple and want to promote it by wearing official Club gear whenever possible.

If you have not already done so, you need to sign up for Commodore Bob Dancey's Knights of the Sea cruise which will be leaving Miami for Belize, Mexico, Grand Cayman Island, and Guatemala on March 27, 2011, on the *Carnival Valor*. The price is right and we already have about 60 people signed up. An inside cabin is only \$487 and this is really a great deal for a seven-day cruise. Call Bob Dancey at (317) 788-9539 for all of the details. You know if Bob Dancey has put his stamp on this cruise, it will be fun.

We have done much soul-searching and have decided that we simply cannot give formal notice by mail for all of our events. For the major events and parties, we can and will send notice by mail. However, for many events, costs

make it prohibitive to mail fliers, and we must resort to e-mail as the primary source of notice. Therefore, if you do not have e-mail, you should contact a buddy who does and stay in touch with the Club in this manner. We will try to place notices in the Murat Magazine, but this is not possible for many of the events that are planned and over prior to the deadline for the magazine. Therefore, keep us advised of your e-mail address. Contact our secretary-treasurer, Don Dawson, at ddawson@K-GLaw.com.

Nobles, dues R due and overdue! We have reluctantly removed several members from our rolls because of non-payment of dues, and 2011 membership cards will not be mailed to these members. To be reinstated, you need to contact our secretary-treasurer, Don Dawson, at (317) 638-4521. The Yacht Club is one of the best deals in Shrinedom. Not only do we have free or subsidized parties at various intervals during the year, but your card will provide reciprocal privileges at more than 2,000 yacht clubs in the U.S. and the Caribbean Islands. So check your checkbook. If you have not mailed in your check, do it now to avoid being disembroided. Send to Don Dawson, 5694 E. Fall Creek Parkway N. Drive, Indianapolis, IN 46225.

Until next month, we wish you fair winds and following seas!

Montgomery County Shrine Club

Bob Vanderkolk

Yes, the signature of the Montgomery County Shrine Club for many a year ... the fall Fish Fry was a success. This year it was held at the Crawfordsville M-o-o-se Lodge on Saturday, October 9. Thanks to all who helped. Bill Woodall and crew did their exemplary job in cooking those tender morsels and delicious fries. Darn they're good!! A lot of people, including our

Shriners, look forward to this event each year.

The sixth group of five past presidents of Montgomery County Shrine Club are said to be: 2000 – Mike Dowell; 2001 – Kevin Rhodes; 2002 – Al Harris; 2003 – Jim Byers; and 2004 – Charlie West.

Edd and Judy: with this weather ... hot and humid, humid and hot ... have

you given any thought about your winter hibernation in Florida yet ... to cool down!!

The Christmas Parade, Election of Officers, and the Ladies Night/Installation of Officers Night ... Hey, Terry Switzer, we're headin' for the last round-up!!

G' night Edd!!

Hancock County Shrine Club

Fred Crace

Greetings Nobles,

Where is the 90-degree weather we were complaining about just a short time ago? It seems that here in the Heartland you only have two seasons, hot and cold. Guess we are in the cooler one now. The September meeting of the Hancock County Shrine Club was held at the Conservation Club in Greenfield. A delicious meal was served and enjoyed by all. HCSC's own member and Murat's Assistant Rabban, Charles Crabtree, gave a short but very moving talk on the Burn Unit at the Cincinnati hospital. He encouraged all Shriners to try to visit the hospitals at least once. It was said a long time ago by a past Imperial Potentate that if every Shriner took the time to tour the hospital closest to them, fundraising for the hospitals would never be a problem. That should make each and every one of us stop and think.

The November meeting of the board of directors will be held at Fountaintown Gas Co. on November 17 at 6 p.m. with dinner at the Bluebird Diner following the meeting. The regular November meeting will be held at the Greenfield FOP on the 23rd at 6:30 p.m. Nomination and election of officers for 2011, as well as the charities that the HCSC supports, will be discussed. All interested members should try to attend the regular meeting. The December Christmas party will be finalized and all the info will be in the December issue of the Murat Magazine, so watch for details. Until next time, remember, it is all about our KIDS.

Madison County Shrine Club

Gary Dalzell

Parades are over and the holiday season is upon us. Thanksgiving is almost here and Christmas is ever so close. It seems that fall went by so fast.

During the month of September, the past presidents held their all-you-can-eat breakfast on Sunday, September 19. Past President Mark Nugent was the chairman for this event, which had a good turnout. The past presidents did the cooking along with their ladies who helped serve and clean the tables.

The past presidents were Dick Dawson, Jim Swain, Bethel King, Bob King, Tony Wilson, Bruce Skinner, Andy Miller, Chris Robbins, and current president, Jeff Mock.

The lady "Shriners" are Jan Nugent, Joanna Murdock, JoAnn Anderson, Kathy Limbrock, Brenda Dalzell, Dottie Payne, Betty King, Joan Wright, Tonya Robbins, Pam Mock, and Sue Dawson. Not pictured are Lady Debbie Skinner and Debi Miller who had to leave.

I want to thank all the ladies; without their help, this wouldn't have gone so smoothly.

Upcoming events for the MCSC are the Thanksgiving dinner-dance for November 20 hosted by the Ladies Club.

I want to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving and remember: THINK POSITIVE; NEGATIVE COMMENTS and THOUGHTS ruin organizations. Yours in Shrindom.



Southeastern Indiana Shrine Club

Noel Houze

It was a long, hot, and dry summer at Southeastern, but we didn't let the heat keep us from "having fun, helping kids." The Crescent Patrol participated in numerous parades over the summer. We held several paper drives and we're hoping our collections this year exceed what we collected in 2009. Of course, we held our monthly steak dinners all summer with the final one scheduled for November 12.

For many years, Southeastern has had an outdoor Masonic Lodge set up, and there have been numerous Master Masons raised there over the years. Over the past several years, however, the outdoor lodge has not been utilized and it deteriorated tremendously. Thanks to Noble Steve Neal for taking it upon himself to build new officer stations, an altar, and benches. He, along with Noble Don Grace, headed up the "outdoor lodge cleanup" in late August and early September, cutting weeds, getting rid of yellowjacket nests, replacing the furniture, etc., and we were able to have an outdoor raising on September 18. These nobles and all the others involved in this endeavor are to be commended. Any candidate raised in an outdoor degree will always have something special to remember about their raising.

The Club is tentatively planning a Christmas party for our patients and the children and grandchildren of the members. More information will be forthcoming.

It's that time of year again—time to pay your dues. Nobles belonging to Southeastern are urged to send a check for \$25 to our secretary, Noble Ed Wolfe, at 1832 E SR 350, Osgood, IN 47037, before the end of December. Also, don't forget to pay your Murat dues too.

“And the Band played on.”

Another new member is welcomed into our ranks—Brian Sherrill. Brian is an EMT and now plays the tuba in the Murat Band. Welcome aboard, Brian.

Maybe our membership is not as depleted as thought but our aging group of yesteryear still enjoy music whether they participate or not. Our active ranks were more than 100 at one time and our parade vehicle accommodated more than 40, but Mother Nature takes her toll on participating seniors.

Many Band members served this great country (as well as this great Band) for several wars and we will honor them on November 11 – Veterans Day. As General MacArthur addressed Congress in 1951, in part:



Duty, Honor,
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Band

“The shadows are lengthening for me. The twilight is here. My days of old have vanished – tone and tints.

They have gone glimmering through the dreams of things that were. Their memory is one of wondrous beauty, watered by tears and coaxed and caressed by the smiles of yesterday. I listen then, but with thirsty ear, for the witching melody of faint bugles blowing reveille, of far drums beating the long roll.”

So it is with the famous Murat Band.

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Mobil Nobles

Ron McCoy

Veterans,

I was looking at the newspaper the other day in the obituary section. There was a small article about a 22-year-old soldier being killed in Afghanistan. There was also a 2" x 2" picture of him. It got me thinking. He gave his life for us, for our country, and what it stands for. His body will lie in a small funeral home for two days for those who knew him so they may reflect. He will then be laid to rest. I don't remember seeing anything on the news or TV about him.

I remember a congressman who died and never served in the armed forces. He was never put in harm's way. The closest he ever came to war was when he cast a vote on whether we spend the money on our veterans' hospitals so when they came home we would see they got the care they needed.

The congressman's body would lie in state at the Capitol in Washington, D.C., and then be moved to his state for all to see. This made all the newspapers and TV.

I don't know, but there is something wrong with this picture. It may be just me, but I think any serviceman that gives his life for our country deserves more than what I saw today in the paper.

This month, on November 11, is Veterans Day. How fitting it is that also this month is Thanksgiving.

President Brian wants to thank all our veterans for their service to our great country. He would like to send out a very special invitation to all veterans of the Mobil Nobles to attend our meeting on November 12 so our Unit can say thank you. It is because of you that we can still hold meetings and Brian can call for a vote and the majority rules.

To all veterans and those in the service now, the Murat Mobil Nobles want to thank you and let you know you are always in our prayers.

Flying Fezzes

Patrick DeCallier

Everyone was excited about discussing our participation in the Indiana Masonic Home Parade in Franklin. We were one of 18 Units taking part.

It was announced that Terry Kimble would be taking over as secretary and Deo Carter would be stepping down from that post.

Under discussion was the Unit's involvement in the Paper Crusade which will be split between two Marsh Supermarket stores this year.

The Flying Fezzes have two other parades to participate in later this year.

Directors Staff

Gerald Frost

Greetings Nobles and Friends,

Well, we have just returned for our first meeting on September 27 since coming out of the dark. Attendance was a little low for a first meeting. We had 19 compared to 28 at last year's same meeting. Year to date we are at 123 attending compared to 128 last year. We need your attendance at all meetings to keep you abreast of coming events, and we need your participation in these events. Hope to see everyone at the next meeting. We have lost several members due to illness and the economy this year, so recruiting should be at the top of our list of things to do before the end of the year.

We understand that Bob Bland is still under with weather but coming along. Hope to see Bob back real soon. Give him a call; he would like to hear from you.

Please keep us informed as to any health issues 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.

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 or run for office, please let your president or other Staff officers know your desires. Elections will be coming up real soon, so let us know how you want to be involved. We will be happy to work with you.

The summer picnic was a complete success. We had more than 40 people show up for a fantastic steak and chicken dinner. Special thanks go out to Kelly Glass and Norm Jones for all the food preparation. We would like to thank Gene Yeager for the use of his shelter and picnic area again this year. We need more volunteers for next year's picnic, so please plan on signing up to help. We would like to see more Nubians in attendance. This is a good way to get to know more of the Directors and their families in our Unit and make many new friends.

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Stated Meeting is Nov. 15 @ 7 p.m. at Murat Shrine.

Next Directors Staff meeting – Nov. 25 @ 7 p.m. at Murat Shrine.

Public Ceremonial in honor of George Proctor – Nov. 13, 2010, at Murat Shrine. This is not a normal ceremonial and will not have our participation.

Recruiting is ongoing. Our goal is 10 good Nubians for 2010. 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.

We are always looking for good men to develop an even better Directors Staff. "Shriners ... having fun and "Helping Kids Hand in Hand."

As Murat begins to look forward to a new decade in a couple of months, there are still several events in 2010 you should keep in mind. November 13 has been set aside at Murat Shrine for the Public Ceremonial with the Masonic Arch Production. The Legion of Honor Color Guard will present the colors as well as have a table display. Bring a candidate for this day with the Shrine as well as your ladies. I understand this will be a ceremonial no one should miss. Our membership is down to 176 members, and we urge all veterans who are not currently members of the Legion of Honor to consider joining our ranks on the 13th.

Dues notices have been mailed to the membership and you are urged to return your notices along with your dues which remain at \$12 per year.

Another date to keep in mind, the Legion of Honor will be making a second visit to the Veterans Hospital, 1481 West 10th St., on December 21. We will be meeting for dinner before visiting with our brother vets and delivering socks and funds for snack machines when the cafeteria is closed. This visit is open to our ladies and will be more meaningful being

so close to Christmas. If you want to donate socks, please contact our chaplain, Phil Greenwood.

December is also the month we elect our officers for the coming year. We will need a chief of staff as well as a finance officer. Please consider filling one of these two very important positions. If you are interested, contact one of our past commanders before December 11, which will be our election night.

At the time this is being written, Legion Noble Jim Vest had suffered a fall, but we understand he is on the road to recovery.

Murat Legion of Honor invites those members who have not attended a meeting in a while to come back and see old friends and become active again. We meet the fourth Tuesday of the month except in December when we meet the second Tuesday. Looking forward to seeing you at a meeting soon.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

December 20, 2010

THE STATED MEETINGS OF MURAT TEMPLE A.A.O.N.M.S. AND MURAT TEMPLE ASSOCIATION WILL BE HELD AT 7 P.M., MONDAY, DECEMBER 20, 2010, AT MURAT SHRINE CENTER, 510 N. NEW JERSEY ST., INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA. THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND REPRESENTATIVES FOR 2011 WILL BE HELD.

ARTICLE 25, Section 325.11 Election Regulations.

(a) Electioneering. The printing, publication, circulating or distribution of resolutions, letters, telegrams, tickets, e-mail or other devices, by a noble, suggesting, recommending, opposing or containing the names of proposed candidates for office in the temple is prohibited.

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

ARTICLE 32, Section 332.2 requires payment of dues in advance before January 1 by all members. A 2010 DUES CARD IS REQUIRED TO ATTEND THIS MEETING.

Craig Hinshaw, Illustrious Potentate
Ed Wolfe, 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.



19TH ANNUAL Murat Leadership Seminar

**Saturday, January 22, 2011
9 AM - 1 PM
Arabian Room, Murat Temple**

PARADES – The final parades for 2010 will be Beech Grove and the Martinsville Fall Festival. We have received many compliments this year and thanks to all who participated and especially Mike Harrison for his efforts in organizing the outings.

UNIT FAIR TABLE – The Club will have a table at the November ceremonial. If anyone is willing to work the table, please contact our president, Jim Huffman. If you have someone in mind who may want to join the Shrine, please ask him. This is a very special ceremonial and is open to the public.

SAFETY MEETING – The final safety meeting was held at our October meeting. All drivers are required to attend at least one safety meeting per year in order to keep driving.

SICK AND DISTRESSED – Please keep Elmer Habicht in your thoughts as he continues in rehab.

CLUB ROSTER - The Club is in the process of updating its roster. If you have moved, phone number changed, or have a new e-mail address, please let

the president know so we can include it in the new roster.

KIDS' CHRISTMAS PARTY – Bucky Everhart, party chairman, has put together a great party for the hospital patients and the children of the nobility. We need help in making this a success. Please let Bucky or me know if you can participate. The party will be held on Sunday, December 12, at Murat.

DONATION – The Club donated \$500 to the Transportation Fund at the Murat October Stated Meeting. This donation will help pay for the transportation of our kids to our four hospitals.

CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY – The Club will again be at the University of Indianapolis for their annual Christmas

party on December 15. We will meet for fellowship at 5 p.m. and have dinner at 6. Bring your ladies for an enjoyable evening of good food and good friends.

PASSING – Longtime member of the Transportation Club, Andy Anderson passed away on September 29, 2010. Andy was very active in the Club until recently when his health began to deteriorate. Andy will be missed.

NEW MEMBER – Welcome to our newest member, Mitch Server. We invite Mitch and all our members to try to attend as many meetings and functions as you can. We meet on the third Wednesday of the month around 5:30 p.m. in the Mecca Room for dinner and our Stated Meeting is at 7 p.m. See you there.

Kentucky Colonels

Dennis Scott

RED BULL MOTORCYCLE RACE – Thanks to all members who either donated or sold raffle tickets for the August race. We came out pretty good on ticket sales and have deposited the funds in the Club account that we can use as donations to worthy groups.

Wally Renn has ordered tickets for the 2011 race to be given to that lucky winner.

PERMANENT SECRETARY – Colonel Terry Kimble has accepted the position as the permanent secretary for the Club. It's always hard to get someone to join the officer line when they need to start with the secretary position. Many thanks to Terry for taking on this very important job.

OCTOBER DINNER OUTING – The Colonels and their ladies were literally wine and dined in October. Our president, Terry Boyer, arranged for an outing to Chateau Thomas near Plainfield for some wine sampling. Afterward, the members and their ladies went to the Coachman Restaurant for some fine food and fellowship. Thanks to Terry and Becky for a great night out.

DONATION – At the October Murat Stated Meeting, the Club donated \$300 to the Murat Transportation Fund to help cover the cost of transporting our patients to our four Shriners Hospitals. Many members were dressed in their white suits and looked pretty spiffy.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS – The Club will hold its election of officers for 2011 at the November meeting. Please try to attend to show support for our leaders for next year.

CEREMONIAL – Don't forget the November 13 ceremonial at Murat. It is open to the public for all to witness our regular ceremonial in addition to the inaugural Arch Presentation. Please ask a fellow Mason to join the Shrine on this special day as we celebrate Freemasonry.

CHRISTMAS PARTY – The Club will have its annual Christmas party on Wednesday, December 1, in the Tunisian Room at Murat. Good food and fellowship is on the menu as well as entertainment. Please make your reservations as soon as possible. More information will be available at the November meeting.

Chanters



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500 Club

Jerry Lance

Well 500 members, the 2010 parade season is over. A very hot summer took its toll on drivers and cars. Hope to have cooler weather next year.

At the November meeting we will have nominations for new officers for the 2011 year. Included are nominations for president, vice president, and for the upcoming year, a single office for treasurer and a single office for secretary positions. Hope to see all of you there. Elections will be held on the first Wednesday of December. Again, hope to see everyone attend.

As the holidays are fast approaching, I would like to wish all members a very happy Thanksgiving and a safe holiday. Hope to see all of you at the November meeting. Until next time.

Highlanders

PipeDoc

Oops! I missed last month, and I am sure everyone lost a lot of sleep on that one. Anyway, I am back and ready to catch you all up on the goings on with the lads in plaids. We want to welcome Art Snodgrass, a new member who with his musical past, is ready to play with the band. Andy Hamaker is back on the snare drum, and with Bob Stephens, we are back in business.

Performances in the last months included our regular Fall Festival in Zionsville on 9/11, Columbus Highland Games on 9/12, and Paoli Festival on 9/19. Other individual gigs included playing for the Scottish Rite and a special performance with the police for 9/11. Not much going on in October. When it gets chilly, the pipes tend to “freeze up,” so it will be pretty much indoor activities the rest of the year.

Did you ever wonder where Scottish names come from? A family name (surname, last name) is a name that is passed on from one generation to the next, and usually a woman adopts her husband's last name when they are married. But, where do those surnames originate? In Europe, they did not begin to be used until the 12th century. The primary purpose of the surname was to further distinguish people from one another. In the 13th century, about a third of the male population had a given name of William, Richard or John. To uniquely identify them, people began referring to different Williams as William the son of Andrew (leading to Anderson), William the cook (leading to Cook), William from the brook (leading to Brooks), William the brown-haired (leading to Brown), and so on. Eventually these surnames became inherited, being passed from parents to children.

Broadly, most surnames fall into four categories:

Surnames derived from given names include Johnson, Williams, and Thompson. Most often they are patronymic, referring to a male ancestor, but sometimes they are derived from the mother.

Occupational surnames refer to the occupation of the bearer. Examples include Smith (blacksmith), Clark (clerk) and Wright (wheel straightener).

Locational or topographic surnames are derived from the place that the bearer lived. Examples include Hill, Woods and Ford.

Surnames derived from nicknames include White, Young and Long.

Many Scottish names begin with “Mac” which means “son of,” such as MacDonald, meaning son of Donald. In other cases, the “son” portion is tacked onto the end of the name, such as Ferguson (son of Fergus), Gibson (son of Gib – which is a short form for Gilbert), Patterson (son of Patrick). A common name is Scott, originally given to a person from Scotland or one who spoke Scottish Gaelic. Look up your own last name; it might prove to be interesting.

Our regular business meeting is always the first Monday of the month in the Nile Room of the Shrine Club. We continue to have practice on the second and fourth (and fifth) Mondays, so come on down to see what's happening with us.

DeMolay

Mike McLaughlin

On Sept. 27, the Unit met at Murat. Three new members were added. The Unit meets on the fourth Monday of September, December, March, and June. Since 1977, we have supported DeMolay in Indiana through scholarships, co-coordinating the Youth Dance for Murat, and assisting Indiana DeMolay in all areas possible. Our next meeting will be on Monday, Dec. 27, at 7 p.m. in the AB Rooms at the temple. We will be electing the officers for 2011, amending the bylaws, and welcoming new members. If you are a senior DeMolay, advisor, or want to assist Indiana DeMolay through the Unit, please join us.



At the 91st session of the International Supreme Council of the Order of DeMolay at Dallas, TX, Noble Greg Chiles, Executive Officer for Indiana, was elected to Grand Junior Councilor. Mike McLaughlin, Deputy Member of the Supreme Council and president of the Murat DeMolay Unit, congratulates Greg. (Photos by Mike McLaughlin)

Smyrna Shrine Guild

Vicki Wilson

Maharanees Message:

Smyrna stayed busy in October with two special fundraising events. Everyone enjoyed trying on—and buying—Premier Jewelry at Guild Night. And Ranees Tammy Priest had a successful annual Card Party on October 16. Both events were fun for all who attended and, best of all, we raised money for our Shrine kids!

It seems impossible that the year is almost over! Most of the “big events” for the year are behind us ... in November we will gather at the K of C for Guild Night on Nov. 4 to just play cards/games and chat with friends. Election of officers will be held at the November Stated Meeting on Nov. 23. In December, there will be a Bake Sale at Guild Night on Dec. 2, and

Stated Meeting is on Dec. 14—two weeks early. December will wrap up with installation of officers on Dec. 18 at Murat.

Smyrna’s year of fun and friendship continues, helping to support the education of our Shrine kids!

In tolerance, Maharanees Vicki

November Calendar

Thursday, November 4—Guild Night: 5:30 p.m. at Knights of Columbus.

Tuesday, November 23—Board Meeting: 6:30 p.m. and Stated Meeting: 7 p.m. at Murat (Election of Officers).

December Calendar

Thursday, December 2—Guild Night: 5:30 p.m. at Knights of Columbus (Bake Sale).

Tuesday, December 14—Board

Meeting: 6:30 p.m. and Stated Meeting: 7 p.m. at Murat.

Saturday, December 18—Installation of Officers: 2 p.m. at Murat.

A quick rule of thumb: Guild Nights are held the first Thursday of each month beginning at 5:30 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus (1305 N. Delaware) and Stated Meetings are held the fourth Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. at Murat. Make your reservation by contacting Guild Night Chairman Karen Waldrip, (317) 856-1629, and leave a message. Reminder: Dianna Craft is our Cheer Chairman. Please contact her with news regarding our Smyrna membership and their families so we can communicate the news in a timely fashion. Her number is (317) 882-8587. If no answer, please leave a message.

Murat Shriners Business Connection

Don Richards

The month of October was another great time for the Murat Shriners Business Connection, beginning with our silent auction on October 2. This, once again, was an overwhelming success in providing necessary funds for our scholarship program.

Emcee for the event was Mr. Dick Wolfsie and all in attendance enjoyed the vocal talents of the Indianapolis Children’s Choir. To further complement the evening, two scholarships were awarded to students who were, at one time, patients at one of the Shriners Hospitals. Ms. Abigail Mobley and her family of Lafayette and Mr. Tyler McAhrens and his family of Monticello were not only gracious in their acceptance, but also moving in their description of how the Shriners and Shriners Hospitals have had an impact on their lives.

The generosity of the Charles and Jean Owens family was also recognized for funding not only a complete scholarship for 2010 but also one for 2011. Although the Owens are not officially members of the Masonic Family, their generosity and support make us feel like they are, certainly in spirit.

As part of the Owens’ generosity, a scholarship was also awarded at the regu-



(L to R) Don Richards; Dick Wolfsie, MC; Todd McAhrens, recipient’s father; Tyler McAhrens, scholarship recipient; Mitch Server; Rhonda McAhrens, recipient’s mother; and Joel Hall.

larly scheduled Stated Meeting of Murat temple on October 18. The Owens helped present the scholarship that evening in person.

A final thought as we approach the Thanksgiving holiday ... even though there are some mornings when it’s hard to just put one foot in front of the other, we should reflect on the challenges faced by the Shriners Hospitals patients and families each day and be thankful that we are still able to individually give a little so that our fraternity can give so much to those in need.

Have a great Thanksgiving!



(L to R) Don Richards; Susan Mobley, recipient’s mother; Abigail Mobley, scholarship recipient; Dick Wolfsie, MC; Mitch Server; and Joel Hall.



(L to R) Joel Hall, scholarship contributors Charlie and Jean Owens, and Don Richards.

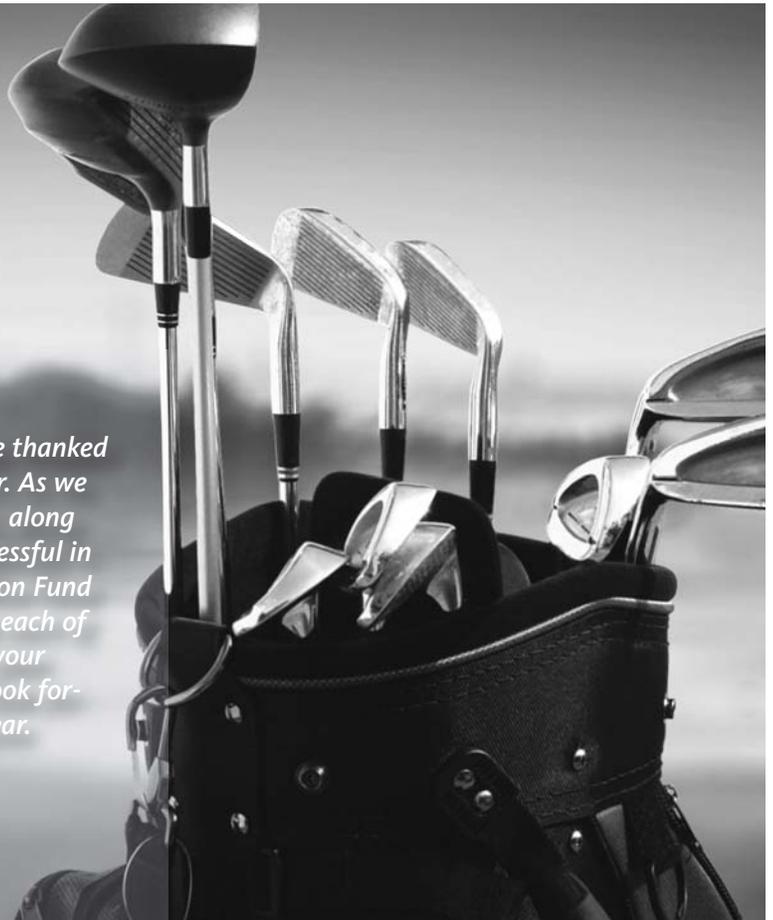
2010 MURAT GOLF

Nobles,

In Potentate Craig T. Hinshaw's monthly article, he thanked me for coordinating the golf events during the year. As we worked "Hand in Hand," Illustrious Sir Craig and I, along with your respective golf chairmen, were very successful in raising monies and awareness for our Transportation Fund and Shriners Hospitals. I want to personally thank each of you for your hard work and dedication, as well as your monetary contributions to our great fraternity. I look forward to working with each of you in the coming year.

Sincerely,

Tim Whitaker, Golf Chairman



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RV Club

Ron Estell

Can you believe it is November? Come and see us at the ceremonial on the 13th. The Murat RV Club is a group that likes to camp and have fun ... going different places, learning new things, and solidifying friendships. Some of our charter members are still camping out and loving it.

It has been wet, hot and chilly camping this year, but the camaraderie has always been very warm and friendly. If you need a hand, there is always someone to help.

The October campout was a little cool. No one got in the pool, but the

fishing contest and golf were a lot of fun. The food was really good, too! We always have good food right after happy hour.

We are planning some nice trips for 2011, so come on down to the temple and help plan some of your summer fun on the third Tuesday. Dinner is at 6 p.m. in the Tunisian Room and the meeting starts at 7 p.m. for great friendship and a good time.



Ladies Oriental Shrine

Ruby Warmouth

Patrol

Chris "Chief" Lawson

Greetings Nobles and Ladies,

As the fall season begins to pass, the Patrol has officially closed out our parade season. We had a good year and a good time at GLSA in Rockford—a good turnout for the last parade of the season. Thanks to Ron Fannin and Bob Hornaday for getting the trailer to GLSA. Now as we begin to store the trailer, our thoughts turn to the fast approaching holidays. As we prepare to celebrate Thanksgiving, we ask that you remember our troops serving our country and keep them in your prayers. Be sure to check the calendar in the back of the magazine for upcoming events and most of all, do not forget the Masonic Arch Production ceremonial. Invite your family and friends to see this rare production. If you think you would like to be part of the Murat Patrol, come down to the Oasis before 7 p.m. on the last Friday of the month. To all the nobles and their ladies, have a safe and fun holiday.



The Grand High Priestess Visitation is now complete. For the effort and help given me from the ladies of Tarum Court, I give all a big hug and sincere thank-you. Everyone will be number one in my heart forever. I was proud of my officers, pages, pro tems, "sideliners" and visitors for making this special day one I shall never forget. It was an honor to stand in the East and see the many happy and dedicated ladies honoring my Grand High Priestess Lady Jennie Crawford. She will cherish many Indiana lifetime memories shown to her through our "Hoosier Hospitality." Our best wishes for her safe travel throughout the remainder of her year.

To Lady Jane Ann Buchanan PHP, you were a great Mistress of Ceremony at our dinner. I asked her to do this for me as a special favor. If you did not know, our Jane Ann and Jennie were classmates while advancing through the LOS line and served as High Priestesses together a few years ago. Thanks for a job well done, Jane Ann.

Have you checked your closets for any clothing you do not wear but would be willing to put in our first "Putting on the Ritz" consignment sale? Lady Rebecca Brazzell and her committee members have been planning and organizing in preparation for this sale on Saturday, November 6, from 9 to 5 in the Tunisian Room. Give us a call and let Tarum Court help to "unclutter" your house closets. If you have additional questions, please contact Rebecca Brazzell at 847-7791 (cell) or 357-2744 (home), PHP Leslie Condre at 299-5136, HP Ruby Warmouth at 241-3730, or PHP Ruth Ann Kelly at 690-4290 (cell).

Have you purchased your "Discover Indy" book (formerly Zoo Book) from Murat's First Lady Kay Hinshaw at 271-7179 or Ruth Ann Kelly yet? Hopefully, everyone will support this project ending the second week in December. The many coupons save money on food, entertainment, services, and other bargains, thus making them great Christmas gifts.

The Children's Christmas Party will be on Saturday, December 12. Please let me know if you can help with this event. Call me at 241-3730 and give me your name and the time you can assist our Murat Shriners.

For our December 7 meeting, dress in Christmas attire and bring toys or monetary donations for our Toy March. We hope to spread joy and love to the children with these holiday gestures. Thanks for your help.

I am sorry to report our October Pizza Sales were down from previous years due to our present economy. However, we are anticipating an increase in our sales for our second January pizza sale. This project has many participants who sell, work and support this Ways and Means activity. Everyone can do their part and make this a success.

Johnson County Shrine Club

Dave Alspaugh

It is November and a time of Thanksgiving. Soon, 2010 and Ron Bailey's term of president will be over. As the year comes to a close, the Club will be using December to arrange for a new batch of officers. We still have November and December to complete before all this happens.

Back in October, our Club helped the Franklin Chamber of Commerce sponsor the Franklin Fall Festival. That Saturday the Club decided to have a fish fry for all the Shrine guests participating in the parade.

Well, our day dawned with sunshine and a little bit of cool fall air, but as the parade time neared, the clouds got heavier and heavier. Finally, about an hour before the parade, the skies opened up and the rain came. Since most of the motorized units sport tire slicks, rain is their enemy. The various Clubs watched the skies until finally Ed Andrews announced that the Clubs should decide whether they would parade or not.

As well laid plans can sometimes change, such was our day. The Murat Band decided to set up in the Club and perform there rather than parade in the rain. The rest of the day the Club was serenaded by the Band.

Jim Carter, Don Borski, Barry Cook, Ron Bailey and others kept the fish cooking, while the 500 Club, some of the Clowns, the Mini-Cycles, and the Mini-Mystics enjoyed the fish sandwiches and dinners. Actually, the Club saw more activity in their parking lot and in the Club than we've seen lately.

The parade did go on as scheduled. Mike Percy drove President Ron Bailey in a black convertible with the top up! Some of the Divan was also present. After the parade, activities at the fish fry picked up. All in all, what could have been a disaster turned out to be a pretty good day.

In closing, the Johnson County Shrine Club would like to wish all of our friends a very Happy Thanksgiving. We'll see you in the Christmas issue next month.



Murat Shrine Band



President Ron Bailey

Clowns

Kevin "Sneakers" Upshaw

Once again, our Murat Shrine Clowns show just how good we look. At the Great Lakes fall ceremonial in Rockford, IL, this past September, some of our clowns placed in the competitions. In the Makeup and Costume Competition, Walter "Doodles" Dann won first place in Character Clown, Don "Cosmo" Waters won first place in Happy Hobo, and Rob "Dr. Floppy" Plummer won third place in Happy Hobo. In the Parade-ability competition, Rob "Dr. Floppy" Plummer won second place and Don "Cosmo" Waters won third place. Great job guys; keep up the good work!

To all Shriners, wouldn't all of you like to be a real clown? If you would like to join the Clown Unit or just see what we are all about, mark your calendars as we meet downstairs in the Nile Room on the second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. for our Stated Meeting and on the fourth Wednesday of each month for a makeup meeting, held at 7 p.m. We gather early in the lounge for some good fellowship and good ole "Zem-Zem."

If you are in need of great entertainment, you may contact the clowns' business manager, Allan "Dutch" Hall, at (317) 716-0676 or by e-mail at AHall@republicservices.com.

See you on the streets!



Murat Clowns were big winners at Great Lakes. Assistant Rabban Charlie (Flatfoot) Crabtree, Outer Guard Carl Culmann, and Great Lakes Shrine Clown Unit Association Second Vice President Chuck (Zero) Shull congratulate Rob (Dr. Floppy) Plummer who placed second in "Parade-ability" and third in "Hobo," Sonny (Doodles) Dann for his first place finish in "Character," and Don (Cosmo) Waters who took first place "Hobo" and third place in "Parade-ability."

Veteran Car Club

Darrel Wilkinson

It seems like only last week we were getting our old cars out and preparing for the parade season and all the summer activities our Club enjoys.

In the past two months, we have been to the Bears of Blue River Parade in Shelbyville, with a large group participating, and we had a nice turnout for the State Fair Parade where the Club furnished convertibles for the Divan. Another highlight was a two-day tour to southern Indiana in the Jasper area.

Most recently, the Club toured through Shelby, Rush and Decatur coun-

ties on back roads and through two covered bridges for a nice fall event. Later we stopped at the cottage of Club secretary, Chris Fields, for a cookout that was enjoyed by all.

In the near future will be the final parades of the season: Martinsville and the Veterans Day Parade in Indianapolis.

Remember, the Club meets the second Monday of each month at 7 p.m. at the Murat. If you have an interest in antique or special interest vehicles or if you own one, you would be welcome at our meetings.

This is the time of the year that families get together to celebrate the past year with a big meal and give thanks to everything important to their existence, making Thanksgiving a special holiday. Shriners are among these people who will be thanking doctors for their work on our "kids," soldiers for making our daily freedom such a gift, and many other things. To all our Shrine friends, have a Happy Holiday.

A few issues back, I started introducing the many Mini-Mystics that make up our parade team. Being November, I have chosen to introduce Mike Percy to you. I personally give thanks to the good Lord for giving me the opportunity to become Mike's friend. He is a very unique individual.

Mike lives on the near south side of Indianapolis with his lovely wife of 36 years, Jackie. When Mike is driving in a parade, you can always look for the Mini-Mystic ladies in their matching Mini-Mystics shirts, and there will be Jackie, usually with their grandson Brandon.

Becoming a Mason all started for



Mike in 1984. In the spring of 1984, April to be exact, he was raised a Mason at Beech Grove in Lodge #694. This is the same lodge where Harry Truman once raised a friend from the service to the Master Mason degree.

A few months later, Mike chose to join the Indianapolis Scottish Rite. Then before he lost momentum, he became a member of the Murat Shrine of Indianapolis. Once Mike put on his fez, he started running and believe you me, he has not slowed down one bit.

Just check out what he's accomplished. Having known Wes Kidwell, P.P., as a child, that acquaintance grew into quite a Masonic friendship. In fact, Wes taught Mike to bowl. As a result, Mike joined the Shrine Bowling League and 25 years later,



he is still in the league. To consider how well Wes taught him, Mike once averaged a whole season at 217. Some people would consider that a series. Mike also has the honor of having a perfect game of 300 and a series of 813 in the Bowling Hall of Fame at St. Louis.

As a Shriner, Mike has served in many offices. Here's just a few. He was president of the Gun Club in 1993. He was president of the Mini-Mystics in 2005, 2006, and 2007. Then in 2009, he served as president of the Johnson County Shrine Club. You can add president of the Shrine Bowling League as well as the Shrine Bowling Club. I'm sure I haven't listed all the offices he's been involved with, but you can readily see why Mike is so well known around any Shrine function.

This has really been quite an honor to write this article, and I am quite proud to be considered a friend to Mike Percy. See you next issue.

Dramatic Cast

Happy Thanksgiving Nobles: T is for turkey on Thanksgiving Day; H is for "Hurry, I'm hungry!" we say; A is for Auntie, she works and she mends; N is for Native American friends; K is for kitchen, the oven's on low; S is for silverware, set in a row; G is for Grandma, the one we love most; I is for inside, where we're warm as toast; V is for vegetables, eat them we try; I is for ice cream on top of the pie; N is for never do we have enough dressing; G is for Grandpa, who gives thanks for our blessings. - *Author Unknown*. The holiday season is almost upon us as we express how thankful we are for such full lives and wonderful loved ones during this time. Let us remember to work at being forever reverent and mindful of those blessings as each morning breaks.

On Saturday the 13th of this month, Murat is having a Public Ceremonial in memory of our Illustrious Past Potentate, George Proctor, and it will include the beautiful Masonic Arch program. Nobles, this is our chance to do what we do best ... "perform." Considering that George's

Unit was the Dramatic Cast and this is going to be a public ceremony, and there will be representatives from all of our Masonic related organizations visiting here in our house, let's make this one of our best performances ever. We need to have a full Cast turnout; please put this date on your calendar. Contact our director, Terry Sanders, or Assistant Director Bob James (rg33james@yahoo.com) if you are available to attend (even if it is only as a non-speaking part) and don't forget to bring your family, significant other, or a friend.

Next month on Wednesday, Dec. 8, in lieu of our regular Stated Meeting, your Dramatic Cast will be celebrating Christmas and installing our 2011 officers in style for \$30 a person at Bynum's Steak House, 3850 S. Meridian St., Indianapolis, IN 46217. (For reservations, contact the current second vice president, Bill Munson, at wmunson8@earthlink.net.) The following Sunday, Dec. 12, Murat Shrine is having the annual children's Christmas party for our hospital kids. If you have never attended this event, it is an experience that all

Robert Emerson Hancock III

members should witness at least once. Another great Christmas party for your kids and/or grandkids this year will be at the Scottish Rite on Sunday, Dec. 5, at 2 p.m. (always a wonderful show and a great way to see Santa).

Thank you to President Smith and his lady, Annette, for putting together last month's hayride and weenie roast at Eagle Creek Park; a wonderful time was had by all. "Together it Happens."



2010 Dramatic Cast Hog Roast Picnic: about to slice into that succulent chicken stuffed pig are Leon Clark, Jim Hale, Francis Lineback, Larry Sutherlin and Bill Munson.

Police Club and Drill Team

Don L. Weilhammer, Jr.

It's October 1 and time for me to turn in another article for the November magazine. As I write this, my heart, and the hearts of police officers around central Indiana, is heavy due to the line of duty death of Greenfield police officer William "Will" Phillips who was killed by a hit & run driver on September 30. I bring this up because we are either police officers or have some type of connection to police officers—that is why we are members of

Reception Unit

Larry Sutherlin

With the passage of summer and cooler weather back with us, we need to be thinking of the activities for the balance of our calendar year.

The Stated Meeting of the Reception Unit will be November 12 with the election of the new officers for 2011. I hope you will be able to come and participate in the evening's activities.

We will be having a public ceremonial November 13 in memory of Past Potentate George Proctor. The ceremonial will feature the Masonic Arch Production, which has not been done before at Murat. This should help everyone better understand Masonry.

Our Stated Meeting will be December 14 in the Tunisian Room with a sit-down dinner. We will be installing new officers for 2011. A mailing will be sent to all members shortly, and we hope that you will be able to attend. If you are not a member of the Reception Unit and would like to attend the installation, please contact President Larry Sutherlin at (317) 839-4443. A flier will be mailed to you.

Please come and join us for our monthly meetings held the second Tuesday of each month. You and your lady are invited to join us at dinner (from the menu at your expense) in the Tunisian Room at 5:30 p.m. The ladies are invited to join Lil' Istiks in the Mecca Room for a short business meeting and program, while the men meet in the Mediterranean Room.

Remember our kids in the hospitals with your prayers.

the Police Club. I also mention this because officer Phillips was riding his bike on a training ride when he was killed. Somehow, the driver did not see all of the lights and the reflective vest he was wearing. Our own Drill Team members know how dangerous it is to ride a "two-wheel" or "three-wheel" motorcycle. Many of our members have had close calls before. So keep your eyes open and try to pay attention to the motorcycles and bicyclists that we share the road with.

Speaking of the Drill Team ... did you make it to the last meeting? Did you see all of the trophies and plaques that the Drill Team had won during the summer parades? I don't know if it was by design or not, but all of the tall ones seem to be down at my

end of the table blocking my face ... hmmm. Next time you see a Drill Team member, tell him congratulations! I know for myself, I could not be prouder of them!

Elections are next month, so if you have someone in mind for an officer position, make sure you show up at the meeting and nominate him. I know it might seem early, but before you know it, the circus will be around in March of 2011. Start talking it up now and look for business sponsors for the program.

Well that is it for this month. I already have given short bios on all of the current officers. Don't forget that YOUR Club meets on the first Tuesday of the month, downstairs at the Shrine, 7 p.m. Hope to see you there, and be careful out there!

Firemen's Club

Tim Whitaker

Welcome Nobles,

Can you believe it's Turkey Time already! We hope each of you have a Happy Thanksgiving. We also hope you will have time, or at least take time, to break bread and enjoy the beginning of the holiday season with your family and friends. It's a time for all of us to reflect on how lucky we really are to be living in such a great country. But you know as lucky as we are, we have lost some great people this past year ... great Shriners and Masons. Some we lost sooner than we should have. So as you count your many blessings and give thanks to the Man above, don't forget to make that annual trip to your local doctor and get that annual checkup. Your family will be thankful and you will too. Unfortunately, some of our friends have found they are battling some type of illness or disease that had not been detected until they made that trip. So please keep those friends in your thoughts and prayers as you start your holiday season.

At our November 3 meeting we will be accepting nominations for officers of our Club for the coming year. Anyone interested should have their name placed in nomination at this meeting. I know First Vice President Mark Elder is looking forward to moving up, and I am happy to see the younger firefighters stepping up to help lead our Club for another 60 years.

NOTE THE MEETING TIME CHANGE: "We now will begin our monthly meeting at 7 p.m." as was voted on and passed at our September 2010 meeting.

I want to acknowledge and thank all of the members who have supported our various parades this year. Also, I have seen an increase in members attending Murat Stated Meetings, thereby helping them understand the way Murat does business. I was especially proud in September when after we posed for our picture for the 2011 calendar, most of the participants stayed for the meeting. It doesn't last long but the fellowship is great. Our Club is not a large one, but we do work "Hand in Hand" with other members to help strengthen Murat. I know our Potentate appreciates the support.

As the weather changes and the falling leaves give way to colder, wetter weather, some of our friends head to the warmer climates. To those friends we say so long and wish them well. May the good Lord watch over you and we'll see you in the spring.

For the rest of us, there will be a bevy of functions taking place, starting with the Shrine ceremonial on November 13 followed by the Stated Meeting on the 15th and the Scottish Rite Convocation on the 20th. We hope to see you there!

In Memory of George Proctor, P.P.

Open to the Public

NOVEMBER 13, 2010

Featuring the **Masonic Arch Production**

All nobles, their ladies or significant others, guests, prospective Masons and Shriners and their ladies are encouraged to attend this day of Masonic Celebration and Enlightenment.

The Masonic Arch Production orchestrates Masonic family and Shrine quality values into a unique educational and entertaining production, allowing the candidate, his lady, family, friends and guests to experience an impressive and everlasting image of Masonry, the Shrine, and Shriners Hospitals for Children.

Pick up a petition, or two, or more and ask a brother if he would like to become a part of a great organization – The Shrine of North America.

Petitions are available in the Fraternal Office and at our August, September and October Stated Meetings.

There will be a Shrine Unit Fair including Murat Units and Clubs, Scottish and York Rites, Eastern Star, DeMolay, Jobs Daughters, Rainbow Girls, and Murat ladies' groups, Ladies Oriental Shrine, Smyrna Shrine Guild, and Daughters of the Nile.

Nobles, don't forget to bring your lady so she can experience what our fraternity is all about. Remember the entire ceremonial is open to all who come.

November 13 Public Ceremonial

In Honor of George Proctor, PP

1:00-1:45	Registration and Reception Fez Sizing Office/Tunisian Room	4:00-5:15	Arch Presentation Arabian Room
2:00-2:10	Open Temple Arabian Room	5:15-5:30	Closing Remarks Arabian Room
2:10-2:30	50-year Members Introduced Arabian Room	5:30-5:45	Class Picture Arabian Room
2:30-3:30	First Section Ceremonial Arabian Room	5:45-?	Reception Unit Fair Men, Ladies, Rainbow, DeMolay, all groups Tunisian/Mecca Rooms
3:30-3:45	Break Assemble Candidates	6:30	Dinner after Ceremonial
3:45-4:00	Introduce Candidates Arabian Room		

Masonic Arch Production

A performance the candidate and his lady will cherish forever. The program allows invited guests to experience an impressive and everlasting positive image of the Shrine and Shriners Hospitals for Children®.

The production orchestrates Masonic family and Shrine principles, features and values into a 40-minute educational and entertaining production. Modern day language and interpretations are used.

The program is open to invited guests and recognizes the candidate and his lady, or friend, as much respected individuals. Those in attendance will acknowledge the Shrine as a premier international organization. The Arch Production will enhance Shrine image and recruitment opportunities.

Area of concentration is the construction of a unique 12 ½ foot tall arch, stone by stone, while ritual cast in ancient attire narrates the script supported by music, lighting and special effects. The main attraction will feature a child who has been treated at one of the 22 Shriners Hospitals for Children®.



MURAT

Children's Christmas Party

Sunday, December 12, 2010

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 the Murat Band, Murat Chanters, those whacky Murat Clowns, and featuring the magic of Jay McLaughlin.

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

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(September 2010)



Clark Ford, accompanied by his mother Pat, is the grateful recipient of a \$1,000 scholarship check presented by Murat Shriner Business Connection Nobles Don Richards, Bob Hudson, Mike Bertrand, and Potentate Craig Hinshaw.



Noble Tim Limbrock receives a Certificate of Appreciation from Past Potentates Larry Jefferson and Alex Rogers which is presented on behalf of the J. Worth Baker Museum Foundation for the beautiful cabinetry work constructed by Noble Limbrock for Murat Temple.



Legion of Honor members Ron Bolyard, Bob Watson, Tom Morgan, Larry Hearn, Lloyd Hearn, and Tony Stout gathered to present Potentate Craig Hinshaw with a framed photo and letter recently taken of Bobby Jo Wright who was the child in the famous "Editorial Without Words."



Potentate Craig Hinshaw receives 80 pounds of aluminum can pop tops given on behalf of the Madison County Shrine Club by its president, Jeffrey D. Mock.



Transportation Club President Jim Huffman is joined by Club members Don Schildgen, Frank Tharp, Mike Harrison, Bucky Everhart, Terry Boyer, Ryan Powell, Ron Bolyard, Dennis Scott, and Recorder Emeritus Gordon Husk in presenting two checks to Potentate Craig Hinshaw. The first was for \$50 in memory of Loretta Smith and the second for \$500. Both were for the Transportation Fund.



Transportation Club representatives Bucky Everhart, Mike Harrison, and President Jim Huffman give Potentate Craig Hinshaw a \$100 check for the Children's Christmas Party.



Potentate Craig Hinshaw accepts a \$200 check for the Transportation Fund from Murat Clowns Phil Christy, Terry Boyer, Fred Schowengerdt, Chip Sturion, Chuck Shull, and Charles Howard.



Nobles Bucky Everhart and Buddy Antle hand over a \$300 check for the Transportation Fund to Potentate Craig Hinshaw.



Firemen's Club members were out in force to hand over a \$300 check for the Transportation Club to Potentate Craig Hinshaw. Attending the presentation were President Tim Whitaker, Mark Elder, Lewie McQueen, Joe Krebsbach, Bob Borgmann, Harold Pierce, Ed Pierce, J.D. Moore, Ray Miller, Dick Shorer, Bob Cooper, Randy Adams, Jeff Hodges, Floyd Sendmeyer, and Ryan Elliott.



Mobil Nobles President Brian Miller, along with Bob Miller, Joe Jones, Art Borton and Jim Ross, gives Potentate Craig Hinshaw a \$300 check for the Murat Transportation Fund.



Potentate Craig Hinshaw receives a \$300 check from Kentucky Colonels President Terry Boyer and Club members Dennis Scott, Wally Renn, Mike Harrison, Mike Waldrup, Larry Sutherlin, Bucky Everhart, Don Strawser, Don Harris, Jim Hoffman, Stanley Moore, Garland Moore, Ernie Condra, and Kent Smith, Sr.



Brown County Shrine Club President Harry Bond is joined by Club members Steve Bond, Gene Cooper, and Buddy Antle in handing over two checks to Potentate Craig Hinshaw. One is in the amount of \$300 for the Transportation Fund and the other for \$200 for Lexington Hospital.



President Ralph Kauffman of White County Shrine Club and Club member Karl Shake make a presentation of three checks to Potentate Craig Hinshaw. The first was \$135 to Shriners Hospitals for Children in memory of Joe Latko. The second was \$485 to the Transportation Fund in memory of Robert Carter, and the third was \$7,000 from Club fundraising for the Transportation Fund.



Dave Disponett, treasurer of the Tri-County Shrine Club, presents Potentate Craig Hinshaw with a \$2,500 check for the Murat Transportation Fund.



Potentate Craig Hinshaw accepts a \$2,000 check for the Transportation Fund from Commodore Jerry Lance of the Murat Yacht Club. Joining in the presentation are Club members Bob Dancey, Don Harris, Fred Schowengerdt, Carlis Inabnitt, Stanley Moore, Garland Moore, and Wally Renn.

Daughters of the Nile

Ruth Ann Kelly

Hm-m-m-good!!! The smell of fresh homemade pies is in the air! The Southern orchards produce and harvest 250 million pounds of pecans a year for our taste and enjoyment. Yes, pecan, pumpkin and sweet potato pies symbolize Thanksgiving and the month of November. Everyone remembers the "flaky" pie crust, spices and ingredients, pecans, and added toppings of marshmallows, whipped cream and Cool Whip. They are found on a slice of pie and enjoyed at special family gatherings. November is truly a month to savor these tasty desserts.

A big thank-you to all the ladies who attended and helped with our September sewing session. "Everyone worked very hard that day to complete the task of stuffing 100 pillows for the children in the Shriners Hospitals," reported Queen Elana Dix. "This was fantastic and I was so proud of everyone's efforts. My deep appreciation for your dedication and willingness to help with this project was remarkable."

The "White Rose Ceremonial" will be held on Saturday, November 20, at Murat Shrine. Lunch will be served at noon in the Tunisian Room followed by the ceremonial at 1 p.m. in the Corinthian Room. Please make your reservations with Past Queen Betty J. Rathbun at (317) 846-2800 by the Tuesday,

November 16, deadline. These ceremonials are meaningful and our officers will exemplify their beautiful initiatory work for everyone to enjoy. Let us make this a memorable day in the life of a Daughter of the Nile. Note: please contact Queen Elana Dix, (317) 752-2928, as soon as possible if you cannot participate in this ceremonial.

On Saturday, January 15, the Daughters of the Nile will have their Ways and Means Luncheon/Style Show in the Arabian Room. The marketplace will open at 10 a.m. followed by a noon luncheon and style show. Interested in being one of our models? Let us know if you are. Additional information will be forthcoming in the December magazine.

Finally, Jane Ann Buchanan, (317) 844-0531, and Pam Herther, (317) 403-3149, still need all your aluminum can donations. Please contact one of them for pick-up. Also, help is greatly needed at the Children's Christmas Party on Saturday, December 12. Contact Queen Elana if you can assist with this Shrine project. Lastly, be sure to bring your toys and/or monetary donations for our December 1 stated session Toy March.

Final Thought: The best vitamin for making friends is to B 1.

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In April 2009, six-month-old Gavin Bennett came down with a low grade fever. The fever soon escalated. Gavin had contracted purpura fulminans, a rare blood and tissue disorder sometimes caused by infection in the bloodstream.

Gavin was rushed by ambulance to the nearest hospital in rural South Dakota. Doctors there told Gavin's mother, Echo, that her son would need more specialized care. They were not sure Gavin would even survive the trip to the next hospital. The doctor obviously did not know Gavin is one tough kid. Miraculously, he made it through those first few hours and was then quickly air-lifted to a major trauma facility in Sioux Falls.

The next few days were excruciating for Echo. "Gavin spent three days on life support," she recalled. "We had exhausted all of our options. I just couldn't imagine my world without him. But I knew we wouldn't give up."

A few more days passed, and when he became stable enough, Gavin and Echo made the trip to Children's Mercy Hospital in Kansas City (Missouri), where Echo received more devastating news. Because of the infection in Gavin's bloodstream, circulation to his extremities had been comprised. Doctors recommended amputations to his fingers and legs. But Echo was determined to explore other options.

"Medical professionals were telling me they didn't know what to do," said Echo. "I kept telling myself there has to be someone else who knows how to deal with this disease."

Once Gavin was stabilized in Kansas City, the surgeons came to Echo and told her that her son's case was one of the most extensive they had seen. The physicians were not sure of their ability to care for such a traumatic case, especially without performing amputations to Gavin's extremities. The medical team at Children's Mercy then started researching who would be best suited to help Gavin. Within an hour, the team came back to Echo and told her she would be leaving for Cincinnati. "I knew if Shriners Hospitals for Children® couldn't help my son, no one could," said Echo.

By the time the plane landed in Cincinnati, Echo wondered if she would ever stop crying. But once they arrived at the hospital, the expert and compassionate staff gave her plenty of guidance and support. "I knew Gavin was getting the best medical care and attention he needed. It made all the difference to me," said Echo.

During the eight weeks Gavin spent at Shriners Hospitals for Children® — Cincinnati, Gavin showed everyone just how tough he really is. Gavin walked away from the hospital without amputations or neurological damage. Today, he is an energetic two-year-old who loves to jump on trampolines, run around, and talk to everyone. "When this happened, I didn't know where my son was going or what our lives would be like," said Echo. "Without Shriners Hospitals for Children®, I know Gavin's outcome would not have been this successful."



Shriners Hospitals for Children® is recognized worldwide for its expertise in treating pediatric burns, but also specializes in many non-burn conditions like purpura fulminans.

Other non-burn conditions treated by the team in Cincinnati include:

- Severe scarring, resulting in contracture or interfering with mobility of the limbs
- Brachial plexus
- Congenital hairy nevus
- Port wine stain and hemangiomas
- Gynecomastia
- Congenital ear deformities
- Craniofacial anomalies
- Hand reconstruction
- Reconstructive surgeries related to traumatic injuries (accidents, dog bites)
- Complex wounds and acute skin tissue injuries/infection, such as necrotizing skin infections and necrotizing fasciitis, Stevens-Johnson syndrome, toxic epidermal necrolysis (TENS) purpura fulminans
- Cleft lip and palate
- Hydradenitis

To talk with a care coordinator about evaluation of a child with a non-burn condition, call Pam Kresser, R.N., or Jackie Lynch, R.N. at 513-872-6000.

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(The current Murat calendars for 2010 are available at <http://calendar.yahoo.com/muratshrine>)

NOVEMBER

- MON. 1 **DEADLINE FOR DECEMBER MAGAZINE**
- THU. 4 Caravan Club - Don Roach, Veterans Trip to Washington, D.C.
- THU. 11 Caravan Club - Larry Jefferson, Treasurer Emeritus
- SAT. 13 **Murat Shrine Ceremonial**
Texas Hold'em
- MON. 15 **Divan Meeting, Board Meeting Stated Meeting 7 p.m.**
- THU. 18 Caravan Club - Gary Lewis, PP, Achieving Financial Goals
- SAT. 20 AASR Fall Convocation and Reunion
- THU. 25 - Happy Thanksgiving - Fraternal Office Closed
- FRI. 26

DECEMBER

- WED. 1 **DEADLINE FOR JANUARY 2011 MAGAZINE**
- THU. 2 Caravan Club - Brian Lane, Exec. Dir., Indiana Masonic Home
- SUN. 5 AASR Children's Christmas Party
- THU. 9 Caravan Club
- SAT. 11 Texas Hold'em
- SUN. 12 Murat Kids' Christmas Party
- THU. 16 Caravan Club
- MON. 20 **Divan Meeting, Board Meeting Stated Meeting 7 p.m. Annual Meeting & Election of Officers**
- THU. 23 Caravan Club
- FRI. 24 Christmas Eve - Fraternal Office Closed
- SAT. 25 Merry Christmas - Fraternal Office Closed
- THU. 30 Caravan Club
- FRI. 31 New Years Eve - Fraternal Office Closed

JANUARY 2011

- SAT. 1 New Years - Fraternal Office Closed
- SUN. 2 Open Installation of Murat Divan
- MON. 3 **DEADLINE FOR FEBRUARY MAGAZINE**
- THU. 6 Caravan Club
- SAT. 8 Texas Hold'em
- THU. 13 Caravan Club
- SAT. 15 Grand Lodge Founder's Day
- MON. 17 **Divan Meeting, Board Meeting Stated Meeting 7 p.m.**
- SAT. 22 Murat Leadership Conference
- THU. 20 Caravan Club
- TUES. 25- SAT. 29 Florida Visitation
- THU. 27 Caravan Club



AASR Valley of Indianapolis Convocation & Reunion November 20

Adoniram Lodge of Perfection Degrees

Saturday, November 20, 9 a.m. - Oath of Fealty
4° Master Traveler
14° Grand Elect Mason

Sarahiah Council of Princes of Jerusalem Degree

11:30 a.m. - 16° Lunch & Prince of Jerusalem

Indianapolis Chapter of Rose Croix Degree

1 p.m. - 18° Knight of the Rose Croix

Indiana Consistory Degrees

20° Master Ad Vitam
31° Knight Aspirant
32° Sublime Prince Royal Secret
5:30 p.m. - Awards Banquet

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