



Al Koran Shriners News



Installation ...Changing of the Guard



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From the Potentate



The first regularly scheduled Board of Directors and Monthly Meeting is under my belt. With the assistance and patience of all ... we seemed to move right along.

Monday night we welcomed in a number of New Nobles and they seemed eager to jump right in. One has joined the Legion of Honor and another has talked with Mike Davison about driving our kids... great!

I wish to again thank the Nobles and Ladies that attended the Installation of Officers. I had a great time. I have to admit my pride in my daughters Karen Helner and Alison Wilgus as they took on the planning of this event – and – the execution from the programs to the center pieces, menu, cake, flowers, and table favors. Great job ladies...

A liquor license update is necessary to keep all informed. The short story is ... since we no longer have in our control the areas of the Ballroom, Oasis and kitchen we are no longer eligible to keep the particular license we have. The State has given us 30 days to present a plan of how we are to proceed. We will seek to sell/transfer our current license to a party of interest and the State will work with us to provide the legal availability of alcohol in areas of the building that we do have under our control. There does not seem to be a quick fix. I urge all to be patient and if need be... and with enough time we may move events to other venues. **No Club, unit or person from Al Koran Shriners may have alcoholic beverages of any kind in our building for the time being.** With this timing, the first casualty is the Sweetheart Social. This event is cancelled. We will move to have this all resolved as quickly as possible. Lets not lose track of why we are Shriners. Socializing is very important ... kids win – when Shriners play... but we need to handle this issue responsibly. Thank you.

Yours in faith,

Roger Neff

Official Call of the Potentate

Notice is given that Al Koran Temple A.A.O.N.M.S. will hold its monthly Business Meeting at the Al Koran Shrine Center on **Monday, February 15th at 7:00pm**. There will be a dinner at 6:00 pm with reservations due by **Noon** on Friday before the event.

Es Selamu Aleikum

Robert Berteau
Recorder

Roger Neff
Illustrious Potentate

Calendar of Events

Valley of Cleveland – Winterfest 2016 Feb. 27 - 5:30 pm
Hillbilly Chili Cookoff - March 6 - 2 pm

Shriner of the Month Charles “Chuck” Wither



Charles “Chuck” Wither and his beautiful and petite Jean have been a fixture around Al Koran for a very long time. It is not my intent to go back in time on any regular basis to honor a Noble who has passed. But, Chuck is going to be my exception. Chuck Wither is posthumously our Shriner of the Month. A month doesn't even seem long enough. “Stinky” the skunk standing at the front of the Hunters trailer at the parades waving to the kids is a visual I will never forget. Standing for hours behind the bar serving refreshment or in front of a hot grill – that was Chuck. Serving as an officer of a Club ... or an officer in his North Star Lodge... Chuck, with Jean by his side and working with him, served us very, very well. We won't forget him or his service to Al Koran. He is missed by all.



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Paper Deadline!

All submissions must be in to Al Koran by the 7th day of the month preceding publication. Email files & photos to: rneff@rencomm-ad.com

Hunters

Our next Hunter's Unit meeting is Tuesday February 9th in the Fez Room. Please plan to attend so we may discuss plans and events for 2016. Also we ask you attend our business meeting on Monday, February 15th. Prior to every business meeting Al Koran's membership committee meets at 5:30PM. Illustrious Sir Terry Hamilton needs your help to increase our membership. Please also support Al Koran's Sweetheart Social on Saturday, February 13 at 6PM. Call Mike and make your reservations. Al Koran and the valley of Cleveland Scottish Rite are partners in Winterfest, Saturday February 27th at our Scottish Rite, 3615 Euclid Ave, 5:30PM, Appetizers, Dinner and Entertainment. Save the dates for: Sunday, March 6th, Annual Hillbilly Chili Cook Off, Saturday, July 9th combined Al Koran/ Scottish Rite Golf Outing.

Chief John Deliman, Assistant Chief Roger Neff, Secretary Wayne Angstrom, Treasurer Russ Arndt

Southwest Shrine

Southwest Shrine Club February dinner meeting is at Thyme2 restaurant, 113 West Smith Road, Medina 44256. Off South Court Street Our reservation will be for 6PM. Please call Jane Edgington to make your reservation: 330-606-4479.

Lorain County Shrine Club

The Lorain County Shrine Club will meet at their new meeting place which is the Wood and Wine Restaurant 38790 Chester Road at the corner of Colorado Avenue and Chester Road in Avon Ohio. We meet at 11:00 AM and all nobles and their ladies are welcome to come. This will be the permanent meeting place for this group on the third Friday of the month at 11:00 Am. The Lorain County Shrine Luncheon club will meet there every Friday. *John Deliman, Secretary*

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Randy Pritchard, President

Drivers' Corner

The following volunteers have driven children to and from the Shriners Hospitals during the month of December.

Mike Brookins

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Once again, Erie is on the move!



On behalf of the Board of Governors, Administrative Staff and everyone at Shriners Hospitals for Children - Erie thank you for your wonderful donations and support in 2015. Once again we find ourselves near the end of the year. Our charitable giving for 2015 is the best in our history, but we are still in need of your support. We were able to secure several grant increases in 2015 including; The Glenn and Ruth Mengle Foundation, Palumbo Charitable Trust, Larry and Gloria New Foundation, The Erie Community Foundation - Herb Sweny Fund, and The Great Expectations Foundation. In addition, we held our second successful telethon in collaboration with JET 24 (ABC) and FOX 66. In 2015 we launched a special project to replace our C-arm and ultrasound equipment with new

state-of-the-art equipment. The cost of this project is well over \$350,000.

Our Gentle Imaging Pediatric Radiography Campaign was extremely successful and we succeeded in reaching the goal of \$750,000, thanks to all of the generous donors and sponsors. The first x-ray room was remodeled in September and the second room was finished in October. Thank you to everyone who made this a huge success.

There were several successful third party fundraisers which included the Howard Hanna Chow Chow events, Bids for Kids and Victory Motorcycle Poker Run. Our third annual Toast and Taste event was held in November and it was our best yet! Toast and Taste is rapidly becoming a favorite regional event. Our bi-annual Shredding for Shriners event has really taken off over the last few years. The general public now looks forward to April and September so they can dispose of their important papers safely. We were so thankful to the Cathedral Prep football players who helped us unload cars and look forward to seeing them again in April.

We also welcomed Tina Espin to the development department, who has a great background in event planning and fundraising. Welcome to Tina. The development department continues to reach out within the footprint of the Erie Shriners medical center by making presentations to the Shrine Temples, area Rotary Clubs and other organizations. We continue to have success with local businesses and corporations making generous donations, such as Hampco Machine Company, A. Reynolds Ceramics Company, Shred-X, Northwest Savings Bank, Erie Insurance Group, GE Transportation and Cummings Inc.

We have several changes coming in 2016. First, is a local advisory committee comprised of business leaders, government officials, and donors. This committee will help Shriners Hospitals for Children - Erie with fundraising and establishing relationships in the community. This committee has the opportunity to become a huge asset to the Erie Shriners medical center. In November 2016, we will host a "Giving Thanks" reception for our donors. This reception will be tailored as a thank you for all your support.

We continue to cultivate our donors and attract new donors to Shriners Hospitals for Children - Erie and we expect to continue our growth in 2016.

Again, thank you for your continued support for the Erie Shriners medical center and we look forward to working with you in 2016.

Transportation Unit

Our Transportation Unit will not meet in February, but we would appreciate continued donations of aluminum cans and copper. We remain grateful for nobles and others who bring cans and copper to the center. We are especially grateful for the continued support of Baker's Union #19, Iron Woods Golf Course and Russ from Berea Heating and Cooling for their collection of cans and copper. Members please send your 2016 dues to John Tascar. Al Koran needs drivers to transport our children to the hospitals. If you would consider volunteering as a driver please call Mike at the center. Driver are not required to belong to the Transportation Unit.

President/Secretary Thom Sabados, Treasurer John Tascar

Al Koran Candidates Fees Reductions For 2016.

Total fees to accompany petitions for 2015 are reduced to \$137. This covers a Standard Fez and 2016 dues. If a candidate wants a jeweled fez the additional cost is \$60 for total of \$197. Nobles this is your opportunity to share Shriner membership. Please help us grow Al Koran membership.

Al Koran Boosters "Al Koran Boosters" help to defray the cost of publishing and mailing our magazine. To be a "Booster" please send a check, payable to Al Koran, for \$10 **per person listed** to Al Koran Headquarters. Names are listed for one year, after which it is time to renew. Renewal dates are shown after your name.

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Ray & Elsie Day	2/16	Jim & Lois Parkenson	8/16	Elaine Fishleigh	10/16
Terry & Angie Hamilton	2/16	John & Margie Haught	8/16	Jerry & Martha Gundrum	10/16
Carl R Munn	3/16	Walt & Marilyn Ibele	8/16	Stan & Betty Updike	10/16
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Emil Arvidson	3/16	Dan Frenz	9/16	Dale Kandle	11/16
Ralph & Eda Thadeus	3/16	Irene Miller	9/16	Donald & Merle Milmine	11/16
Bob Powell	4/16	Jack & Marge Conner	9/16	Gary Brookins	11/16
Stan Leff	4/16	Ray & Kay Wilson	9/16	Ronn Murphy	11/16
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Wilbert Winold	4/16	Jim Lloyd.....	9/16	Paul & Bonnie Peddie	11/16
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Ken & Peg Dezman.....	5/16	Ray Wohl	9/16	Jeryl Denton	12/16
Carl Pfeifer	5/16	Rose Hixenbaugh	9/16	Sofia Froom.....	12/16
Gordon Hastler	5/16	Jack Ahlstrom	9/16	Tom & Jere Boyer	12/16
Neil Kuhn	5/16	Earle Cyphert.....	9/16	Richard Piskura	12/16
Chuck and Bonnie Erickson	5/16	Wayne & Sandy Angstrom	9/16	George & Mary Kapsulis	
Arthur Moore.....	7/16	Loli Hanna	9/16	In Memory of Michael	12/16
Leo Smith	7/16	Elsie Lowery	9/16		

Lakewood Shrine Club

Lakewood Shrine Club invites all Nobles, Ladies and their guests to join us for our February meeting at the Cleveland Yachting Club on Wednesday, February 10th. Our entertainment that evening will be Mike Callahan and Doug Kilmer, the Guitar Duo. Oasis starts at 5:30 PM, so please join us for fellowship and fun. Dinner is at 6:15 PM and offers two main course selections as well as a vegetarian selection all superbly prepared by the Cleveland Yachting Club. Call your reservations in to George and Peggy Everden at 440-777-3118. They will tell you what the menu selections are. Lakewood Shrine Club meets on the second Wednesday of each month. Become a Club member and there will be no Club dues for the first year, and, even better, your first dinner will be on the Club.



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Al Koran Legion of Honor

Nobles, our Al Koran Legion of Honor was granted it's charter on July 13, 1938. All Nobles who are veterans of our military services are welcome to join. Please give me a call: 305-609-3376 if you would like to discuss membership. Also you may wish to consider the following:

Ainad Shriners of Southern Illinois will be hosting the 85th Annual Convention of the International Association Legion of Honors on April 6-10. Meetings, events and entertainment begin the morning of Wednesday, April 6th and end the evening of Saturday, April 9th. The convention will be held at the Hilton Garden Inn and Convention center in Fallon Illinois. Tours will be available to our St. Louis Shriners Hospital for Children and the Anheuser-Busch Brewery

The GLSA Legion of Honor 41st annual meeting hosted by Hadi Legion of Honor is in Evansville Indiana at the Airport Holiday Inn, August 10 thru 11. Meetings, events and entertainment begin the morning of Wednesday, August 10th and end the evening of Saturday, August 13th. Miss Bobbie Jo Wright, the little girl in the Shriner's International logo will be on hand for the convention for photos and autographs.

In the fall our Legion of Honor participates in laying a wreath at the tomb of the Unknown Soldier. As members of the Legion we are all invited to this ceremony.

Wayne R Angstrom PP
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From The Recorder

January has made it's escape and into the history books with little snow to speak of, I feel sorry for those ski resorts, but same thing happens when it rains and us golfers have to play in rain or close courses, don't worry February and March still provide opportunities for plenty of snow and cold so all is not lost!!!!

Nobles, the 2016 dues statements have been mailed from Tampa and if you have not received yours please give me a call in the office, I have been informed several have NOT received a dues statement if you are one please give me a call in the office and I will mail you one if needed, I will do my best to get them to you quickly. There are still 275 who have not paid 2016 dues. You do not need your statement to pay your dues, they remain at \$137.00, you can send them to my attention in the office, please include your member number on check. The 2016 dues cards are also being sent from Tampa and should be arriving to those who have paid their dues shortly. Al Koran does not have these cards, both these items were provided by Imperial to help all Shrine Centers save postage costs. There are 195 Shrine Centers in USA and over 300,000 members so it is a great effort to make sure the statements and cards are sent correctly and they rely on the Recorders to provide correct information. I have received several back via return mail which was sent to the address on file, if you have moved or are a snowbird, please inform me of your new address and also address of your winter months so communications are not lost, thank you in advance for complying.

As 2015 concludes the annual reports were filed and some interesting facts about Al Koran. We started the 2015 year with 1187 regular members and 5 associate members for total of 1192 members. During 2015 we created 42, restored 33 and affiliated 3 for total of 78, however we lost 25 to suspension (NPD or pre-req. body suspension), 5 to demit and 59 to death for total of 89, our membership as of December 31, 2015 was 1177 regular and 4 associate for total of 1181, our net loss was 11. Thanks to the hard work of our membership committee the net loss was better than previous years. Nobles please do your part to remain a member of Al Koran, if you are experiencing hardships please call the office and we will provide suggestions for dues payments, also be on the lookout for new members, petitions are available on line and fees remain \$137 for 2016. Requirements remain must be Master Mason in good standing.

Please MAKE THE EFFORT to attend one meeting or event during 2016, you will be surprised of the changes, the officers have pledged to improve our meetings and events so come out and be part of the exciting 2016 Shrine year. Please call the office for all reservations. I look forward to working with all of you and the continuing challenges of this office.

Fraternally, Robert D. Berteau, Recorder

Valley of Cleveland – Winterfest 2016

Join our Brothers for a great evening on

Saturday, February 27, 2016 in our Auditorium at 3615 Euclid Ave. at 5:30 PM.

With appetizers served – followed by dinner at 6:15.

Entertainment will begin at 7:00 with the performance of the original silent movie "The Phantom of the Opera" starring Lon Chaney Sr.

Well known organist, Mr. Jay Spencer will add his special touch on the Auditorium's great organ.

Dress is jacket and tie for men – evening dresses for the Ladies.

All attendees will receive a commemorative wine glass. The cost is \$35 per person.

Please send your check and reservations to AASR (auditorium), 3615 Euclid Ave., Cleveland, Ohio 44115. Checks payable to AASR. For additional information call 216 432-2370.

Deadline for reservations is February 19, 2016.



In Memoriam

December 2015

Thomas Adams Jr.

David F. Davis

E.R. Hawken Jr.

James W. Larsen

William H. Mackin

Paul R. Miller

Charles E. Piper

Douglas Welker

Edmund E. Wood

December 2015 Membership

December 1st	1,207 Regular	4 Associates
Creations	4	0
Affiliation	0	0
Restorations	0	0
Demits	3	0
Deaths	9	0
Suspensions	23	0

December 31st 1,177 Regular 4 Associates

Total Membership as of December 31st, 2015... 1,181 Nobles

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Roger Calkins

Gordon Hastler

Richard Metzler

Thom Sabados

Help out Al Koran and earn Merit Jewel points too. Come out and volunteer your time; you'll be glad you did.

Mariner's Log – Bob Stanley, M.S.A.

Congratulations go out to Al Koran's Mansfield Shrine Club. There was a fantastic article in the Shrine International December 2015 Magazine about their hosting the 40th Annual Event for Kids With Disabilities at the Richland County Fairgrounds on September 17. They showed to the people in Ohio that our Shrine is based on pride and tradition, which has always been the Shriners' way of life. All the proceeds from this afternoon went to benefit the Shrine Hospitals for Children. Thank you Mansfield Shrine Club.

Several Mariners were seen at the Greater Cleveland Boating Association Boat Show. When it's time for the boat show, Spring and the boating season are right around the corner.

The Mariners wish our new Ill. Sir Roger Neff a wonderful, healthy, productive and memory full year as our 2016 Potentate.

Sunshine Chairman Emil Arvidson has informed me that as of this writing (January 5), that sick bay is empty. Keep up the good health!

The February Al Koran meeting at our Shrine Center will be on Monday, February 15. There will be a dinner at 1730 hours prior to Al Koran's monthly meeting.

For information regarding meetings, membership or activities of the Al Koran Mariners Yacht Club, please contact Commodore Robert Schiebli at 440-257-5672.

The Mariners wish everyone in Al Koran Shrine a Happy Valentine's Day. God's Speed



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Eagle Shrine Club *by John E. Haught*

Due to the many complements on the food and location, we were able to secure the Hellriegel's Inn again for our February meeting. This historic restaurant is located at 1840 Mentor Avenue in Painesville Township and Shriners will begin to congregate at about 6:15 PM. with dinner served at 7:00 PM. This will be our Annual Sweetheart Dinner so have your favorite Valentine mark your calendar. We have such a large room for the meeting and it will comfortably accommodate a large number of guest, please invite your Masonic and non-Masonic friends to attend with you. It is a great way to showcase the Shriner's and what we do for the kids. Please watch for your bulletin with the details regarding this meeting and we hope to see you all there.

Eagle Choppers *by John E. Haught*

The Choppers will ride again! It's official as the riders of the little red choppers met recently and voted to ride again this year. A schedule of parades was agreed upon and we will attempt to have all necessary repairs completed for the first one of the new year. Serving as Officers this year will be Ray Wilson as President, John Haught as Secretary and Ken Dezman as Treasurer. Norm Melchreit will again assume the duties of our Director and will try to keep us together and doing the right thing. We invite any Shrine member to try out a Chopper and see if they would be willing to ride in a few parades. We have spare bikes available and we promise not to take a lot of your time. Our main objective is to promote our hospitals for children and to do this while having fun. If you have any interest in the Choppers, please call President Ray Wilson at 440-257-2141 and he will set up a private try-out for you.



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Eagle Shrine Club
Trumbull Shrine club

February 2016

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Lorain Fire Brigade Youngstown Clowns	2	3 Band	4	5 Mansfield SC	6
7 Paper Deadline	8 Trumbull SC	9 Divan & Board of Directors Hunters	10 Lakewood SC Band	11 Korvettes Mariners LOSNA – Kheedawee Ct	12	13
14	15 Al Koran Business Meeting Al Koran Trustees Meeting	16	17 Ashland SC Camel Herders Fairview SC Massillon SC Shooters Band	18 Eagle SC Youngstown SC	19 Lorain SC (11:00 AM) Southwest SC	20
21	22 Past Masters Cleveland Clowns Krazy Kops	23	24 Bay SC Hillbilly Clan Band	25	26	27 Valley of Cleveland – Winterfest 2016 5:30 pm
28	29					

March 2016

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 Band	3	4 Mansfield SC	5
6 Hillbilly Chili Cookoff Paper Deadline	7 Lorain Fire Brigade Youngstown Clowns	8 Divan & Board of Directors Hunters	9 Lakewood SC Band	10 Korvettes Mariners LOSNA – Kheedawee Ct	11	12



Shriners International

The Shriners' Legacy Program:

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As Shriners, we are part of an international organization that strengthens us individually, enhances our families and makes us part of a history of brotherhood and camaraderie. As Shriners, we also have the opportunity to be Legacies. The Legacy Program helps strengthen our fraternal bond with those closest to us, and allows members to honor the many men before us who laid the foundation of our great fraternity.

Promoting both membership and the Legacy Program will help ensure the future strength of this great organization that has enriched so many of our lives. Shriners International invites each of you to be part of the Legacy Program, and to encourage your family members to participate, as well.

Start Your Family's Legacy Today: Register on Shriners Village!

Step 1: Who is Eligible?

All family members who are Shriners, including: sons, sons-in-law, brothers, uncles, grandfathers, etc. are eligible to become part of the Legacy Program.

Step 2: Register on Shriners Village

When logging in to your account on Shriners Village (shrinersvillage.com), click on the "Membership" tab on the top of the web page. From this page, select the "Legacy Program" on the left-hand side of the screen. On the Legacy Program's main page you will have the opportunity to read more about the program and visit the registration page via the "click here" link.

If you are not already registered as part of a Legacy, your account will prompt you to click the link to "set up." Once in the "set-up" screen, your name will appear as the "current legacy" in your family. Once this step is completed, enter each of your Shriner family member(s) that are to be included in your family's legacy. If you should have any questions or need help during the registration process, please contact the membership development office at **813-281-8101** or membership@shrinenet.org.

Congratulations!

To commemorate taking part in this exciting program, each Legacy may download a certificate signed by the Imperial Potentate and Imperial Recorder. Shriners and their registered relatives will be eligible for a special gold Legacy pin that represents the pride they have in their Shriner heritage.

Strengthening our Bond

Each February, which is now recognized as Legacy Month, temples will be encouraged to host Legacy Nights to promote membership and honor the members who have taken part in this program. Shriners International will also share stories of Legacy families to celebrate their pride in the Shriners fraternity.

Register today to take part in this exciting program by visiting shrinersvillage.com.



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