# 2023 Al Koran Shriners Mid-Ohio Shrine Club



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## Introduction



The Mid-Ohio Shriners are members of the Al Koran Shrine, which covers the Northeast Counties of Ohio and is an organization that has a focus on children in our area. As part of the Shriners International Organization, we do more than just drive around in parades in the little yellow cars with funny hats. We are a group of local men working to help children in a unique way with our Philanthropy.

In 1920, the Imperial Session of the Shriners was held in Portland, Oregon. During that session, the membership unanimously passed a resolution to establish what at the time was called the Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children system. The first hospital in the system opened in 1922 in Shreveport, Louisiana.

The Al Koran Shriners was formed from local Cleveland Freemasons in 1872. By 1927 the Erie Hospital specializing in orthopedics was opened and helping children. Our Dayton hospital is a leader in burn care and has specialized in the treatment of burns and burn-related injuries since opening in the mid-1960s.

In the early 1980s, the Shriners discovered yet another way it could help children: by opening the nation's first pediatric spinal cord injury center. Today, Shriners has pediatric spinal cord injury centers in the Philadelphia, Chicago and Sacramento hospitals. Young people with spinal cord injuries find not only the specialized medical care needed for rehabilitation, but also hope, inspiration and strength with 22 hospitals and our newest hospital opening July 2017 in Pasadena, California. February of 2021 Shriners hospitals for Children relocated the Cincinnati Burn Hospital to Dayton Ohio.

In 2021 Shriners in the Mid-Ohio area developed a new Shrine Club to promote events in the Mid-Ohio Area. The focus of the Mid-Ohio Shrine Club (MOSC) is to build an organization to create awareness of our Philanthropy, Masonry, and grow the local Shriners.

Over the past several years, the local Shriners have promoted the Shriners Golf Open at Westbrook Country Club, the Spring Luau, the East-West Football Game Watch Party, and the Fall Bike Show. As a result of these events, we have established multiple new Masons & Shriners in Mansfield and broadened the number of children we care for.

The Mid-Ohio Shrine Club will continue its current mission in growing our organization and improving our community one child & Shriner at a time.





## **Mission Statement**



#### The Mission of Mid-Ohio Shrine Club:

Be the premier fraternal organization for men of good character in the Mid-Ohio area. Provide attractive, quality programs and services for its members, their families and their friends in a spirit of fun, fellowship, and social camaraderie. Foster self-improvement through leadership, education, perpetuation of good moral values and community involvement.

Serve mankind through the resources of its Philanthropy, Shriners Hospitals for Children and the Al Koran Shrine in Mansfield and surrounding areas.

This mission is carried out without regard to race, color, creed, sex, disability, national origin or ability of a patient or family to pay.

#### Our vision

Be the premier fraternal organization in the Mid-Ohio area covering Ashland, Crawford, Morrow, Richland and Wayne Counties.

Create an awareness campaign for fundraising, member building and families to be aware of our ability to care for children no matter the parent's ability to pay. Making Shriners Fun & Exciting.





# **2023 Goals**



#### 2023 Goals:

Membership and Fundraising, this is our prime directive for 2023. In 2022 we grew our organization from our 2021 startup group of 6 Nobles to 13, plus 8 Auxiliary members, and were able to present and a check to the Hospital & Transportation Fund in the amount of \$17,669.55.

In 2023, our goal is to increase our membership to 20 Nobles and 12 Auxiliary members, our Auxiliary have been a strong support to our organization and fundraising efforts.

Al Koran's local Shriners currently utilizes a 2006 E150 Econoline 12 passenger van to transport our kids to the Erie or Dayton Shriners Hospitals.

Our goal for 2023 is to start raising funds to purchase a new van to transport the children and replace the current 2006 E150 van. The new van will provide the level of comfort, safety and modern technology for the transport team as well as its passengers. We have established a goal of \$32,000 for the purchase of a properly equipped replacement van for the Mid-Ohio area.





#### 2023 Schedule of Events



2023 Annual Valentines Day Dinner	February 11 <sup>th</sup>	DLX, Mansfield Ohio
2023 Spring Craft Show	April 1 <sup>st</sup>	Masonic Temple Mansfield Ohio

Downtown Mansfield Chili Cook-off	May 20th	Mansfield City Square
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4 <sup>th</sup> Annual Shriners Luau	June 17 <sup>th</sup>	DLX, Mansfield Ohio
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3rd Annual Bike Show July 22<sup>nd</sup> The Local 97 Lexington Ohio

7<sup>th</sup> Annual Shriners Golf Open August 14<sup>th</sup> Westbrook County Club

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# 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Valentines Dinner





Come join us for an evening of fine dinning, music, and special speaker at DLX. We will have a special dinner menu for us, and music performed by the Jeffrey Boyd Band. February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023







# 2023 Annual Shriners Luau





#### Come join us at DLX on the Square

As they host the Mid-Ohio Shriners with food and Live Entertainment in Sunny Mansfield! Get your best Hawaiian shirt or dress and have a great time supporting the Shriners.

28 North Main Street, Mansfield Ohio





# **Annual Bike Show**



The Local @ 97 Lexington







July 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023







Stands up at MVP

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# 2023 Mid-Ohio Shrine Club



# 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Open



#### **\$150 Entry Fees Per Player Include:**

4 person Shotgun Format Green Fees With Cart
Door Prizes Food & Beverage at Turn
Awards & Game Prizes Steak Dinner (Dinner Only Option: \$50)

#### **Event Schedule**

Registration 9:00 AM Tee Off 11:00 AM Happy Hour 3:30 PM Dinner 4:00 PM

All Net Proceeds To Benefit The Al Koran Shriners Hospitals Patient Transportation Fund!

1098 Springmill Street, Mansfield Ohio <a href="https://www.Westbrookcc.org">www.Westbrookcc.org</a>

August 14<sup>th</sup> 2023





#### Mid-Ohio Shrine Club



#### **2023 Officers Information**

Mike Miranda President

Mike Seveigny Vice President

Jason Rupp 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President

Randy Waddles Secretary

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