



A Message from the Chairman

Shriners Children's Ohio
BOARD OF GOVERNORS



Dear Nobles,

We're still smiling from an incredible Celebration Weekend! Nearly 200 nobles, their ladies and distinguished guests got tours of the hospital and heard from our patients and staff about the incredible care that happens every day!

We were proud to have Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Imperial Sir Jerry Gantt and our joint board liaison, Imperial Sir Tim Forbis address our nobles. They also escorted Ohio patient ambassador Gavin onto the field to throw out the first pitch for the Dayton Dragons baseball game. Gavin shared his Shriners story including how he plans to represent our hospital as a standard bearer at the Shriners Children's Open in Las Vegas. [You can read his remarkable story and donate to his campaign by clicking here.](#)

Gavin was joined by a former patient Steven. He survived a gas explosion when he was a teenager and sustained burns to 80% of his body. He recovered for months at Shriners Children's Ohio. Today he has become a part-time firefighter and amateur Strongman competitor. [Click here to read more about Steven's journey.](#)

Dr. Chris Gordon and nurse care manager Julia McBride also explained our expanded craniofacial care. With help from Dayton Children's Hospital, we're now able to accept children with incredibly complex conditions that require multi-disciplinary care.

A special thank you to our host Antioch Temple for making everyone feel at home in Dayton. The best way to cap off a great event is to continue to help us identify more children who need our burn, cleft lip and palate, craniofacial or reconstructive expertise. Together, we can provide the most amazing care to any child who needs it.

Dennis Hewatt
Chairman, Board of Governors
Shriners Children's Ohio



If you know a child we can help, go to
shrinersohio.org or call:

855-206-2096

Shriners Children's™ Ohio is one of only four Shriners hospitals in the country dedicated to the treatment of pediatric burns and specializing in plastic and reconstructive surgery. Our physicians' experience and expertise in pediatric burn treatment, cleft lip and palate, complex wound and skin conditions, and plastic and reconstructive surgery makes Shriners Children's Ohio a first choice for care.

Conditions Treated

Burns
Cleft Lip & Palate
Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery
Complex Wounds & Skin Conditions

*All services provided regardless of
the family's ability to pay.*