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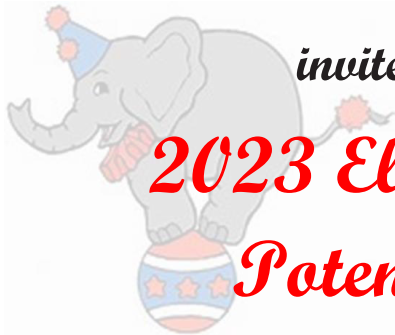
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Life is a Circus

I'll Sir Todd Morgan and Lady Stephanie

invite you to the ...



2023 El Kahir Shrine Potentate's Ball

**Get your tickets now for May 19 -20, 2023
Hilton Double Tree * Downtown Cedar Rapids**

Friday night Hospitality Room and Pub Crawl

**Saturday includes a tour of the Grand Lodge of Iowa &
Hospitality Room with**

**an Extravaganza Event
on Saturday Night**

Don't miss the Fun!

Complete and submit Reservation Form to attend.



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Todd W Morgan.....Illustrious Potentate
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 James T Voss.....Assistant Rabban
 Michael Sion.....High Priest & Prophet
 Robert O'Mara.....Oriental Guide
 Larry Potter.....Treasurer
 Floyd A Sauter, PP.....Recorder

Appointive:

Keith F Zeigler.....1st Ceremonial Master
 Michael Flockhart..2nd Ceremonial Master
 Justin L Tisor.....Director
 Jimmie E Arnold.....Marshal
 Richard J Hofmeyer....Captain of the Guard
 Jimmie E Arnold.....Chaplain
 George R Zinser.....Outer Guard

LIVING PAST POTENTATES

James M Fry	1995
George R Zinser	1996
Dennis R Wiley	2000
S Michael Brain	2002
Marlin W Mullnix	2004
Christopher D Gilstrap	2007
Randy E Cejka	2008
Darrell R Hansen	2009
Linc A Aldershof	2010
Daniel R Bush	2011
Larry D Ritze	2012
Floyd A Sauter Jr	2013
Todd B Eiler	2014
Douglas J Strike	2015
Ronald L DeVoll Jr	2016
David A Robinson	2017
David A Sutton	2018
Jay W Owens	2019
Dale G Roberge II	2020
Rusty J Meister	2021
Larry D Ritze	2022



**Articles for the
 June/July
 Karavan are due
 to the Editor by
 Friday, May 19th.**

FROM YOUR DIVAN**THE POTENTATE'S PRONOUNCEMENT**

I hope everyone has made it through the snow and cold and ice. Spring has Sprung and we are heading to warmer weather. Time to start cleaning up and tuning up your "Rides." I can't wait to hit that first parade of 2023. We are going to be having sooooo much fun! Don't forget to submit your parade requests to the office. We will be keeping the "Parade List" updated. Completing the request form will ensure your Unit/Club is covered by El Kahir's insurance.

Looks like the Fish Fries are going very well. I would like to give my sincere thanks to Illustrious Sir Dave Sutton for providing the food for our "Fish Fry Teams." I would like to thank the Units/Clubs involved for cooking for each event.

The Spring Masonic Henry Rifle Raffle Tickets are still on sale. With no Vidalia Onion campaign this year, we are looking forward to giving this COLLECTABLE rifle a new home. Please consider picking up a ticket. I plan on having the drawing at OUR April Stated Meeting after all of the tickets have been sold. Remember, we have the Stated Meeting Attendance Raffle going, too. You have a chance of winning: \$25, a liquor or wine package, a Shrine Bowl merchandise package or YOUR 2023 El Kahir dues paid (worth \$190!!).

Because we must submit our articles by Mid-March for our Karavan Editor, Noble Rick Bowersox, to process them, we do not know how OUR Circuses fared, but I am sure we had several Nobles out to help "Show Our Fezzes"!!

Membership:

WE just brought in another new Noble and restored another. That is AWE-SOME! It looks like there is a good chance of welcoming at least FOUR new Nobles at OUR May Stated Meeting. Who do **YOU** have joining our ranks THIS YEAR? The Membership Committee is **ALL OF THE EL KAHIR NOBILITY!** Remember, there is a Membership Raffle at our December Stated Meeting where one Noble will be walking away with \$500!!

OUR THREE MAJOR FOCUSES:

This year I want to make sure WE are focusing on Three Major areas:

- 1. OUR CHILDREN.** What can we do to help them this month? Do the decisions of Your Potentate, Your Divan, Your Unit/Club Leaders, YOU support OUR Children?
- 2. MASONRY.** Have YOU attended Lodge lately? Have YOU been a part of a degree cast? Have you helped with a brother completing his proficiency?
- 3. SHRINEDOM.** Are YOU a member of a Unit/Club? If not, consider getting involved. Are you helping a Unit's /Club's activities? Parading? Consider stepping up to provide some fresh Leadership? Helping with one of its fundraisers? Helping with a Shrine-wide event like Bingo/Kid's Day/etc.? I challenge you to step up to help with ONE THING.

DARE TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE AND SEE HOW GOOD IT FEELS!

In Shrine faith,

Todd Morgan, Potentate
 319-320-8376 - Potentate@ElKahir.org

FROM YOUR DIVAN

THE CHIEF RABBAN'S RAMBLINGS



Happy Spring!

As we leave winter behind, things are getting busy at the Shrine!

One of our greatest needs is for our members to get involved!

We have lots of opportunities. Join a club or a unit. Attend stated meetings. Come out for upcoming events like the kids

Easter party in April or the Kentucky Derby party in May. Sign

up to transport patients. Have an idea for a new unit or club? Let's

talk about it! Please reach out to your friends and family and ask them to join the world's greatest fraternity.

On April the 29th is the one-day Masonic class in Des Moines. This is a unique opportunity for those men who would like to join Masonry to do so in one day, rather than months.

I would also ask that if you were a top or bottom line signer of a Shrine petition in the last few years and you haven't seen that Noble, please reach out to them and bring them to a function. Have a friend that you think would make a great Mason and Shriner? Bring them to the Revvin' Fez Omelet Breakfast, Grillmasters meals on Thursdays, or Basket Night (2nd Friday of the month). Have them experience the fun and philanthropy that makes the Shrine great!

Yours in the faith,

Tom Kurtz, Chief Rabban

ChiefRabban@ElKahir.org

ASSERTIONS FROM THE ASSISTANT RABBAN



Hello everyone, I hope you all are enjoying the last days of winter and getting ready for Spring. Lady Kari and I are busy getting ready for the warmer Spring weather and enjoying some time with other nobles and their ladies. There is a lot of fun coming up at El Kahir with fish fries every Friday night. The Circus coming to town, the Kentucky Derby Party on May 6th & Ill. Sir's Potentate's Ball on May

19-20. Please come out and join us for the fellowship & fun. The Sons of

the Desert will be having a poker run on May 27th with a live band to follow. Bingo is picking back up with Grill Masters serving food every Thursday afternoon starting at 4:30. March Stated Meeting had a good turnout and I hope more of you will make the trip to the next Stated Meeting.

We are looking forward to the many exciting events coming up at and around the Shrine. I hope all that are reading this Karavan will come out and join the fun. Enjoy and be safe.

Yours in Shrine faith,

James T. Voss, Assistant Rabban

AssistantRabban@ElKahir.org

HOOPLA FROM THE H.P. & P.



Parades and smiles on our communities' faces and ours.

Again, parade season is upon us, EL KAHIR, along with other Shriner Temples across the country, will be assembling and gearing up for upcoming parades: tuning up Vintage cars, Convertibles, Classics, Go Karts, Drift Trikes, Motorcycles, Leaping Leana, Lopping Lola, and Popcorn trucks.

I think back many years and can remember the Tradition of the

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April Birthdays

- 1 Robert L. McGowan
- Kha N. Phan
- 3 Rusty J. Meister
- 4 Richard W. Peshek
- 6 Tom E. Boeckmann
- 8 Dennis Hrabak
- David P. Kroeger
- John M. Waychoff
- 9 Ross D. Anthony
- 10 Jay D. Cassill
- Douglas C. White
- 11 Donald R. Katterhenry
- 12 James C. Kepple
- 13 James L. Albright
- Jeffery D. Hatch
- 14 John C. Betterton
- 15 Michael Flockhart
- 16 Richard E. Kammerer
- Peter L. Koppen
- Walter E. Laetare
- Keith A. Myhre
- 17 Steven C. Van Fleet
- 19 Timothy E. Allen
- Marvin L. Berg
- 20 Chris A. Witt
- 24 Bradley D. Kurtz
- Jack R. Locke
- Ronald O. Masters II
- 25 Daniel J. Kelley
- Jeremy Kubovec
- 27 Kevin P. Maloney
- Michael McMeins
- Larry Potter
- Matthew G. Trask
- 28 Kelly F. Mulford
- 30 Zac J. Berndt
- S M. Brain



May Birthdays

- 1 Mark A. Hullinger
- 2 Kenneth M. Anderson
Dennis L. Salmon
- 3 Ollie J. Tomson
Robert G. Walker
- 5 Benjamin W. Blackstock
Peter Gouge
David E. Johnson
- 6 Timothy J. Cunningham
- 9 Darrell R. Zacharias
- 10 Marvin D. Boldt
Cecil E. Holmes
Brian R. Phillips
- 11 Mark Sutton
- 12 Douglas C. Anderson
- 13 Joe E. Boll
Charles D. Robison
- 14 Richard L. Bowersox
Dennis C. Christensen
Jonathan K. Westercamp
- 15 Delmar E. Kramersmeier
- 17 Rick L. Seger
- 18 Roger L. Muth
Ronald J. See
- 19 Donald E. Stamy
Paul J. Yamilkoski
- 21 Maurice J. Morford
- 22 Ruhl A. Barker
- 24 Floyd A. Sauter Jr.
- 25 Ted D. Shelly
- 27 Donald H. Gringer
Keith R. Reid
- 29 Beau P. Barnes
Larry E. Hartmann
- 30 Wayne A. Schmidt

ATTENTION NOBLES

Please notify the Shrine Office if you have a new telephone number, email, or are planning to change your address, even if temporarily. Please call the Shrine Office at 319-395-0109.

The Shrine Office Will Be Closed on the Following Dates:

May 29	July 3/4
Sept 4	Nov 23/24
Dec 25	

FROM YOUR DIVAN

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Shriners parading in downtown Cedar Rapids. As a young child I always looked forward to the Red Fezzes, little cars, clowns, and band. The Shriners paraded through the city, passing by Armstrong's, Killian's, and Sanford's on 3rd Ave. Men, women, and many of us as young children crowded the sidewalks to watch in amazement. What a spectacle it was, so much fun and how proud everyone was.

I would like to ask that all Nobles able to make it out, shine up their cars, bikes, and motorcycles, and get a new pair of walking shoes. Check the weekly e-mails and the Karavan for parade dates locations and times. Let's again have a great parade season. Our towns and cities look forward to seeing us. We can carry on the Tradition of Red Fezzes parading down the streets, putting smiles on every one of those faces and our own!

May the Great Architect of the Universe help us to stay healthy and enable us to Parade this year.

Yours in Shrine faith,

Michael Sion, High Pries & Prophet
HPP@ElKahir.org

OBSERVATIONS OF THE ORIENTAL GUIDE



Thanks to all the Nobles and the guidance I have been given. This first 2 months have been going great and I'm learning more every day. I have met some really great Nobles and their ladies on my trips north. I am looking forward to meeting more over the next 10 months. I am also looking forward to attending the Oriental Guide Seminar in Tampa.

Maybe now the weather will let us have a great year with lots of fun. The Fish Fries have started, and the fish was tasting very good this past Friday night. The Revvin Fezzes have done two FANTASTIC Fish Fries and I look forward to the rest of them. Their March Omelet Breakfast was very well attended. I look forward to our April Stated Meeting. Be sure to attend our Stated Meetings and you may win your 2024 Dues being paid. Lady Betty and I will see you all when we get back from Tampa the 25th of March.

Fraternally yours,

Bob O'Mara, Oriental Guide
Oriental Guide@ElKahir.org

THE RECORDER'S CORNER



I would like to thank the nobility for sending me to the Recorder's Seminar. I received a lot of new information and some old information. A lot of things are changing in the Transportation Fund, Fraternal Funds, and Fundraising. I will keep you up to date when we start implementing this. They talked about the dues increase again.

I would also thank my Lady, Judy Sauter. While doing my journey on the Divan Line and as Potentate, we always had something fall on a very special day to us. This year it happened on the same day, and it was our 55th wedding anniversary. She is very special to me.

I would like to talk about the Legion of Honor. Some veterans and I had a joint meeting with Tom Hodges, PP, and Sam Burnett, Legion of Honor Officer, from Kaaba Shrine Legion of Honor. I am working on setting up the by-laws, dues, and registration forms. These need to be sent into the National Legion of Honor. We are working on an auxiliary for this unit also. I will keep everyone updated.

Membership: we are doing good in getting dues in. The MDS list shows 80 Nobles that have not paid their dues. Remember, if you are having problems or need help,

FROM YOUR DIVAN

please contact me.

Our Fish Fries are going well. Please come out and have some fish with us. Remember the different units, DeMolay, and the Ladies of the Shrine do the preparing and cooking for these nights.

One last note: I would like to congratulate the Revvin Fezz for their Wild Game Feed day.

Remember, my door is always open. If you need to call, text, or email me, please do it.

Fraternally yours,

Floyd Sauter P.P., Recorder

Recorder@ElKahir.org (319) 395-0109

"Why I Am Proud To Be A Shriner"

I have been a Shriner for more than 50 years. During this time, I have seen what I call miracles. These miracles come in many different forms, from bad legs to bad heart. The kids with these problems start life with a slightly bleak outlook on life.

A two-month-old girl with a leg that turned black, whose doctors in the States said to amputate, was taken to the Shrine Hospital in the Twin Cities and now has a good leg and plays basketball for her home school.

A young man with a cleft pallet that was ridiculed by his peers now looks just like his peers and is no longer ridiculed.

There are many such stories that touch my heart and make me feel proud to be a Shriner. My contribution, no matter how small it may be, goes to help these children. This is why I am proud to be a Shriner.

Bob McGowan, North Iowa Shrine Club

Upcoming Stated Meeting Meals

April 12, 2023:

Chicken Enchiladas, Chips in a boat with add-your-own toppings: (Salsa, Black Bean Salsa, Cheese, Onion, Jalapeno, Lettuce, Sour Cream, and pulled pork.), Desserts

May 10, 2023:

BBQ Chicken, Pasta Salad, Green Beans, Salad and Rolls, Desserts

June 14, 2023:

Hamburgers and Hot Dogs, Chips, Potato Salad, Mixed Vegetables, Desserts

Donations

El Kahir Shrine Transportation Fund

In Memory of Tom Rich

Mobile Nobles

Joyce Schmidt

Ill. Sir Dan Bush & Lady Cindy

In Honor of Gaylord (Gig) Billerbeck

Mobile Nobles

In Memory of Mary Louise Schaffer

Revvin Fezzes

Noble Kevin Winn's Mother

El Kahir General Fund

Apollo Commandery #26 Belgian Waffle Breakfast

Northern Lights of Masonry

You have 8,760 hours in a year. If you have not been in lodge in five years, that is 43,800 hours.

A typical meeting is about 90 minutes long. It is important for each of us to put a face to the name and learn about each other.

If I called each of you and only spoke five minutes, I would be on the phone for 18 hours. My Brothers, I work 70 hours a week, while also being the secretary of my lodge, teaching at Kirkwood Community College, and running my own business. I also do things with my wife and family.

I only wish I had the time to call each of you to express what the lodge is doing and preparing for.

When I petitioned and started my degrees, no one really told me what Masons do. Today, through learning about Masons, I see they do many important things in our lives. I see brothers helping each other out, by helping them move, fix something on their house, helping with financial needs and with medical problems. In our lodge we have donated and helped six individuals by building ramps so they can get into their houses, and by helping a teacher get school supplies for her kids in her classes.

Being involved in Masonry provided the mentorship and friends that allowed me to pursue helping others and family.

So, remember 90 minutes, food, brotherhood, Masonic education and opportunity.

See you at lodge!

Fraternally,

Floyd Sauter, Secretary Mt. Hermon Lodge No. 263



El Kahir Shrine Blood Drive

Friday, May 12th 3:00-6:00 pm

Sign up here: https://login.bloodcenter.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/117297 or contact Rick Bowersox at Rick@Bowersox.org or Floyd Sauter at Floyd@ElKahir.org

Some insights on Shriners Hospital for Children / Shriners

Children's Hospital and Fundraising

Brother Nobles,

I am including some of the Shriners International Bylaws related to fundraising. always try to be transparent and help others understand the "WHY" of how WE do business. One of the goals of YOUR Divan is to make sure our Nobility understands what they need to know to be successful. Please read below:

FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES

It is natural to associate the fez with Shriners Hospitals for Children. Because of this, meticulous attention must be given to all fundraising activities, including circuses, to make certain that such activities comply with the law of the land and that a contributor is not led to believe that his money will be used for the Hospitals when all or a portion thereof will be used otherwise. The integrity of our charity and of our fraternity must remain above reproach.

Your specific attention is called to the following fraternal and charitable bylaws:

§335.3 Use of Name "Shriners Hospitals For Children." The use of the name "Shriners Hospitals for Children" or reference to the Hospitals in connection with any fundraising activity by a temple or Noble without the written consent of the Imperial Potentate and the chairman of the board of trustees of the Hospitals is prohibited.³⁸

§503.11 Commercial Use of Name. The use of the name "Shriners Hospitals for Children" or reference to the hospitals in connection with any commercial product or business enterprise is prohibited unless the written consent of the boards of directors and trustees has been first obtained.

Now, therefore, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

I. Fundraising for Fraternal Purposes:

- (a) No Noble (in his capacity as a Shriner), club, unit, organization of Nobles or affiliated or appendant corporations, shall engage in any fundraising activity without the express written consent of the Potentate of the temple having jurisdiction thereof.
- (b) There can be no representation, express or implied, that the proceeds will be for the benefit of Shriners Hospitals for Children.
- (c) The temple Potentate shall carefully examine all phases of the advertising, promotion and solicitation to determine that it complies with §335.3 and §503.11 of the fraternal and charitable bylaws and that there is no representation, expressed or implied, that would lead a reasonably prudent person to believe that the proceeds will be for the benefit of Shriners Hospitals for Children. If the Potentate is in doubt, he must receive the opinion of the Imperial Potentate who, after consultation with the Director of Temple Accounting, shall make the final determination.
- (d) The temple Potentate must approve the terms and provisions of any contract for a fundraising activity after receiving the advice of the temple attorney, and, additionally, as may be required by the temple bylaws.
- (e) A copy of the temple Potentate's written consent shall be sent to the Director of Temple Accounting, Shriners International. Further, such written material pertaining to the fundraising activity, as requested by the Director of Temple Accounting, Shriners International, shall be promptly sent to him.

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In Faith,

Todd Morgan

Potentate, El Kahir Shrine

DIRECTOR'S STAFF

Greetings from the Director's Staff. Spring is here. I know because red-winged blackbirds are back and singing. Plus, we only get snow on Thursday, not every day of the week. As you can see



in the picture, we were able to capture four of our dedicated Potentates from years past. All

were very busy at a recent Basket Night.

Fish Fries are in full swing. If you haven't enjoyed yet, get a Friday booked on your calendar. Thanks to Ill. Sir Dave Sutton for keeping us all consistent each week.

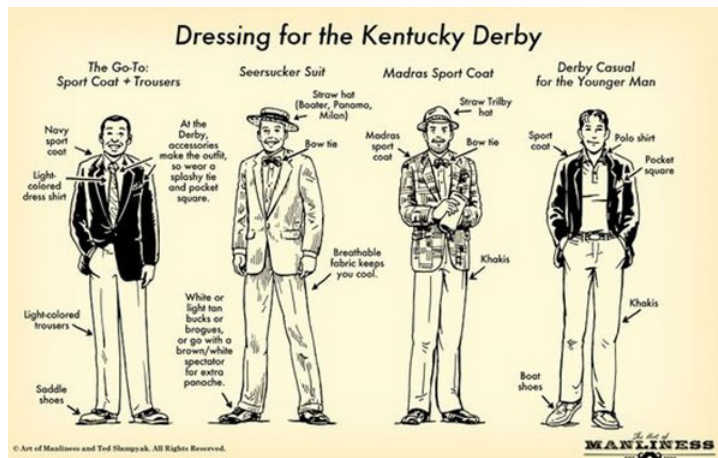
Look for us at these upcoming events:

Basket Night – Have you been to a Basket Night lately? It is the place to be on the 2nd Friday of each month. Spring weather is just around the corner, so make plans to join us at El Kahir Shrine. The burgers are tasty! How tasty you might ask...? So tasty that Julia Child once asked if we could give her a lesson on making burgers, so I've been told.

I know you are waiting for the answers from the last Karavan.

- What does the ocean do when it sees its friends? (Waves!)
- Can a kangaroo jump higher than the Empire State Building? (Of course. The Empire State Building can't jump.)

A fun party is coming up fast. Block your calendar for Saturday, May 6. El Kahir is hosting our first Kentucky Derby party, complete with ladies in fancy hats and gentlemen looking dapper. Post time (that's Derby speak for starting time) is XXXX. For your enjoyment, here are some funny dressing tips for the gentlemen –



As usual, food for thought (or my jokes of the month) Answers next month.

- Who was first to download files from the cloud using a tablet?
- What does a vampire take for a sore throat?

Yours in the faith,

Jim Arnold

It Is An Honor To Belong

All Nobles who are veterans of the Armed Forces, Reserve Units, Merchant Marine, or current active service are eligible to join.

If you are interested in joining, contact the office.

These We Do Not Forget

IN MEMORIAM

"ES SELAMU ALEIKUM"

John W. Carter, Jr.
Thomas Charles Rich
Imperial Sir John D. VerMass
Francis (Fritz) Possehl

2023 IOWA SHRINE BOWL

Saturday, July 22nd, 4:00pm – UNI-Dome, Cedar Falls

Did you know, that in 2022, the Iowa Shrine Bowl donated \$18,750 to each of the four Iowa Shrine Center Transportation Funds with proceeds from ticket sales, ad sales, and sponsorships?

(That's \$75,000!)

More fun facts from the 2022 Shrine Bowl week include:

16 Coaches
92 Players



51 Cheerleaders
16 Dancers

27 Shriners Children Kid Camp Attendees

2 Imperial Guests

Several Thousand Attendees



2023 will be the 51st annual Iowa Shrine Bowl football game! This event brings together exceptional athletes who not only achieved great accomplishments on the field, but were also excellent students and continue to be team leaders and pillars in their community. Due to their hard work on ad and ticket sales, and the Shriners' continued dedication to the game, Iowa's Shrine Bowl is one of the top in the nation!

Mark Your Calendars Now and plan to participate in the parade in the morning, and attend this year's Shrine Bowl game in the afternoon on July 22nd! With your help, we can make this year's event even more successful than the previous years!

If you have questions, please contact fellow Nobles Keith Zeigler, Chris Witt, or Linc Aldershof, PP – all Board members of the Iowa Shrine Bowl.

YOU'RE INVITED!

Join us for a special Easter get-together

Saturday, April 8th 12-3pm

Easter Celebration and Egg Hunt

El Kahir Shrine Center
905 Tower Terrace Road
Hiawatha

RSVP to Julie at
319-431-1489



MEMBERSHIP INFO FROM THE RECORDER

January/February 2023

Beginning Membership	447
Creations/Affiliations.....	4
Restorations.....	0
Expired.....	1
Demits.....	0
Suspensions	0
Associate Drop.....	0
Ending Membership	450

PATIENT TRIPS - DECEMBER thru MARCH

DATE	TO	DRIVER	CO-DRIVER				
12/6-8	MPLS	Bart Waddell	Casey Waddell	1/10-12	MPLS	Bart Waddell	Casey Waddell
12/11-12	CHI	Lloyd Billman	John Waychoff	1/25-26	MPLS	Bart Waddell	Julie Waddell
12/14	MPLS	Todd Morgan	Dan Kelley	2/6	MPLS	Jay Owens	Connie Owens
12/19	MPLS	Kevin Maloney	Sheena Maloney	3/14	MPLS	Bob McGowan	Bev McGowan
12/29	MPLS	Bart Waddell	Bill Hamilton				

In addition to the above drivers, 24 patient families went by themselves. El Kahir Shrine assisted them with mileage, lodging, and/or meals.



Life is a Circus

May 19 -20, 2023

*Ill Sir Todd Morgan and Lady Stephanie
2023 El Kahir Potentate's Ball*

Registration Form

Noble's Name _____ Shrine _____

Title _____ (Pres., Divan, PP, etc) Lady's Name _____

Club or Unit _____ Request to be seated with _____

Phone _____ Email _____

\$75 per person or \$150 per couple

Banquet Meal Choices:

New York Strip Steak with Peppercorn Sauce _____ x \$75= \$ _____

Sesame Crusted Salmon _____ x \$75= \$ _____

Pub Crawl (you buy your own drinks) 6-8PM Friday _____ x \$0 = \$0.00

Grand Lodge of Iowa Tour – 11AM Saturday _____ x \$0 = \$0.00

Total \$ _____

Note any Special Dietary Needs:- _____

The Potentate's Ball will be held at Hilton Double Tree Cedar Rapids Convention Center 350 1st Ave Cedar Rapids

There is a block of rooms for this event at a special rate of \$129 plus tax per night reservations can be made by calling the Hilton Double Tree CRCC at 319-731-4444 and use code "El Kahir Shrine Potentate's Ball" (or letter code "ZEKS"). **Room Reservations are due no later than April 28th** to receive the special rate. Parking is available at the hotel for \$12 p/day if added to bill at check in - Otherwise \$18p/day.

-Dress for the ball is either a Circus costume or suit with Fez / cocktail dress.

Ball Reservations due by April 30. For inquiries contact Julie at 319-431-1489.

Please send your reservation form and check to:

2023 Ball Committee c/o

Jay Owens PP

509 5th St

Traer Iowa 50675

NASHVILLE!

III. Sir Todd Morgan's Potentate Trip Fri. June 16th - Mon. June 19th

*This is going to be an **AMAZING** trip you won't want to miss!!!
So much music and
so many sites to see!*



Allegiant Air- CR(CID) to Nashville(BNA)- book flights through **Allegiantair.com**
Staying at **Embassy Suites** by Hilton Nashville at Vanderbilt hotel- address is:
1811 Broadway in Nashville. Reservations: book online through Hilton or call
1-615-320-8899. Hilton free shuttles to all the major attractions nearby. Hilton
also has free, made-to-order breakfast and evening receptions. Every room is a suite.
Questions? Contact Al Schaul at 319-560-7414

New 2023 Raffle Statuses

March Stated Meeting Attendance Raffle Winner was:

III. Sir Dale Roberge, PP!!

Dale won \$25!!

The remaining prizes are:

2 - \$25 envelopes

4 – Liquors packages (one of them is wine)

2 – Shrine Bowl Merchandise Packages

2 – 2024 Dues awards (It covers your \$190 dues!!)

Just show up and attend a Stated Meeting and you are Entered for that meeting. Each meeting's attendance raffle will have the names of those Nobles attending that evening's meeting and have registered at the door. With two of the \$25 prizes claimed, you have a 1 in 5 chance of getting **YOUR 2024 SHRINE DUES PAID FOR!!!**

Membership Campaign Raffle Status

During our March Stated Meeting, we welcomed one new Noble, Scott Denney, and restored a Noble, Stephen Minert. This means there are now SEVEN entries into the 2023 Membership Raffle!

Remember:

If you are the Top Line Signer for either a new Noble or a Restoration, you get one entry!!

If you bring in a 2nd Noble or Restoration, you get two more entries. (3 total)

If you bring in a 3rd Noble, YOUR 2024 El Kahir Dues (worth \$190) is paid for!!

One of entry will be drawn @ our Dec. Stated Meeting and that person will win \$500!!!

El Kahir Shrine
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