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ORIENTAL GUIDE
Potentate’s Column
Changes in store for an exciting 2013!

Nobles All,
Well, your Divan is off and running. We are looking forward to a great year in Moslah and hope you all get involved and enjoy yourselves. After the Potentate’s Ball, we attended the Flying Fez officer installation and saw Mitchell Smith installed as Commander. The next night we were at the Legion of Honor to witness Dale Clark’s installation as Commander.

Congratulations to both of these Nobles.

As was mentioned in our January stated meeting, change is in the air. Moslah will hold four stated meetings this year in February, May, September and December. The months of March, April, October, and November will have a variety of scheduled events, so you should review the Moslah News each month for details. The year promises to be fun.

I would be remiss if I didn’t congratulate our new Divan members. Phil Trew and Lady Sarah will be a great addition as they start their journey as Oriental Guide. Phil is out of the Patrol and a practicing attorney. He will be a welcome addition with his insight and knowledge. Our new Treasurer, Jim Hailey and Lady Barbara, are from the Bedouins and with his business background will also be a great asset. And last, but not least, is my Potentate, Illustrious Sir Allen Miller and his Lady Janie. Allen will serve as Recorder and will do a great job.

Your Divan will not make unit visits this year as in the past, so come to our stated meeting in February to hear about the plans for the year. You will receive a recap and accounting of the year in December.

As with all change, there will be a learning curve. Should you have any ideas, please pass them on to the Divan. We are at your service. Don’t be bashful.

I also need to congratulate those Divan members who moved up this year – Robert Lee and Lady Linda, Mike Wallach and Lady Susan, and Harold Benefield and Lady Mabel. These individuals, along with Phil Trew and Lady Sarah are truly committed to Moslah.

And of course, I cannot forget my Lady Deb. She keeps me focused and on track. She is my best friend.

Let us all have a wonderful time in Moslah this year. God Bless Moslah, Shriners Hospital for Children, and God Bless America.

– Stephen C. Jones

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IHOP PANCAKE DAY
FEBRUARY 5

On Tuesday, February 5, 2013, from 6 am to Midnight, IHOP Restaurants across the country will celebrate NATIONAL PANCAKE DAY. They will offer a free short stack of pancakes!*

NATIONAL PANCAKE DAY has a rich history that stretches back centuries and has always been a time of celebration. What better way to celebrate improving children’s lives than by enjoying a meal with family and friends?

Spread the word to friends, family, co-workers and neighbors and go to your local IHOP and enjoy a short stack of pancakes on IHOP! All we ask is that you consider making a donation to benefit SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CHILDREN. It is a win-win for all!

* Limit one free short stack per guest. Valid for dine-in only. Not valid with any other offer, coupon or discount. Valid at participating locations only, while supply lasts.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

IHOP PANCAKE DAY
FEBRUARY 5

A big Thanks to all who made the 2012 Santas Little Helpers Party and Drawing a success! In fact, it was so well received that Moslah will be holding another similar Party on August 24, 2013! Save the date and be on the lookout for more on this event!

MOSLAH SHRINE SUPPORTS THE COWTOWN MARATHON

Come join your fellow Nobles Feb. 22 -24 at the Will Rogers Memorial Center. All Nobles and families welcome.

We need the following support:

Stop by and help man the Masonic Information Booth in the Exhibit Hall
Friday, Feb.22, 2013 11:30 am – 7 pm
Saturday, Feb, 23, 2013 6 am – 5 pm

Help with food distribution to runners, west side of Exhibit Hall
Saturday, Feb. 23, 2013 6 am – 11:30 pm
Sunday, Feb. 24 , 2013 6 am – 2 pm

Join the festivities and show your FEZ

Point of Contact – Richard Luke
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Sweetheart Party
February 9, 2013 7:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.
Music-Dancing-Dinner Kat Daddy Band
Beer-Wine-Strawberry Margaritas
Dress: Men: Coat, no tie and Women: Sunday best
$10.00 per person – Guests welcome!
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Wow! It is 2013 already!! Where did the time go? I don’t remember time passing like this since I was a kid in school and it was summer. Summer seemed to pass in 2 weeks. Now, years seem to pass so quickly. Maybe it is the memory that slips? Anyway- here we are in a New Year- with Caliph Kenny Mattoon at the helm and a whole fresh new year ahead of us. Kenny has a lot planned and his team of officers are ready to “get ‘er done” for 2013. We are all eagerly anticipating a Moslah year of successes for Steve Jones and will be supporting his every effort to make Moslah Number 1 in all our activities.

We will have the Potentate’s Ball to start off the New Year and get into the spirit of being Shriners and WHY we are Shriners. We aren’t Shriners just to have fun or compete within the various units and see who can win the most trophies. We are Shriners first and foremost, to help the kids in Shrine Hospitals. Everything we do should have that as our focus throughout 2013. Every success that each Unit has, should be to support, raise awareness and promote the Shrine Hospitals. Every year I meet someone who was helped as a child or their child was helped. Every time, I am reminded why I am a Shriner. Not the parties, not the TSAs, not the meetings and game nights. Not even the cruises or vacations. Not who is in what office or should be in an office or who gets the attention and awards. It is about the kids and the hospitals. Let’s have a great 2013.

Happy New Year one and all!!

Here we are in January and it will soon be time to do a little maintenance on the go karts and get those machines back in action. The Potentate’s Ball has been planned prior to the Ball and it looks like a large turnout at this point.

We want to thank our own, Illustrious Sir Pat Bobbitt and his Lady Mary Lou for a great year in 2012. It was a pleasure to work with you. Congratulations to incoming Potentate, Illustrious Sir Steve Jones and all the Moslah Divan. You can count on the Mystic Wheels to be there and support you throughout the year.

New officers leading the Mystic Wheels this year include: President - James “Ducky” Johnson; Colonel - Brett “Weezy” Wiesner; V President - Greg Illston; Captain - Sonny Francks; Sec/Treas - Doug Watkins and Lt - Rob Ferrell. Congratulations to all!

Visit the MYSTIC WHEELS FACEBOOK page for more information.

If you are a noble looking for a unit home check us out. We are a very family oriented group with the ladies and kids at all our events. We ride inexpensive open wheel go karts, and we are very involved in all temple activities. Call James Johnson 733-6417 or Brett Wiesner 360-7585 for information. Many of your fellow nobles have chosen the Mystic Wheels for their unit home; come see why. Still the LARGEST and FRIENDLIEST motorized unit in Texas!

– Michael Handley
MOTOR CORPS

The Mayan calendar was wrong! Good thing too, the Motor Corps has a lot on the calendar for 2013!

In January many of us attended the Potentate’s Ball to welcome Illustrious Sir Steve Jones and his Lady Deb into their new roles. As always, the Potentate and his Divan will be able to count on the members of the Motor Corps to actively participate in all of the events that make Moslah the best Temple in Shrinedom. We also planned a Motor Corps Polar Bear Ride for January 26 (as this is written in advance, fingers crossed that the weather cooperates), one of several group rides we will be planning this year.

In February we’ll be working at our assigned IHOPs to ring in National Pancake Day, and soon thereafter, our 2013 Riders will begin prepping their machines, and planning the drills for the competition season. Colonel Kevin Rovell has an exciting year planned for the riders, and be on the lookout for the return of loud pipes! Later in the month, on February 23, we will be coming together for more camaraderie with our friends and family for a casual dinner – place and time TBA.

The rest of the year will be just as fun. We have several parties being planned, lots of motorcycle riding, and not to let the cat out of the bag, but rumor has it that several members are planning a “LONG” motorcycle trip in the fall.

As always, for the Nobles looking for a Unit to call home, please consider the Motor Corps. We have a place for motorcycle riders, non-riders, and not yet riders.

Happy 2013!
– Chip Rodgers, President

DIRECTORS

Congratulations are in order for our new Directors Officers, Section Directors and Board of Control members installed last month. All members appreciate the long hours and tireless efforts that each of you will contribute during the course of the year. Outgoing President, Mark Christopher, has done a fantastic job and his leadership will certainly be missed. Special thanks should be extended to our Ladies, without their efforts and guidance, our unit could not function.

The Wine scene backdrop we built for the Potentate’s Ball was a huge success. Although this backdrop took a lot of effort, each added year of experience has helped to speed the construction. The ingenuity and creativity of our members to one up themselves year after year is truly amazing.

The month of February begins an exciting and busy four months for your Moslah Directors. Construction for the 2013 TSA stunt will commence. Double secret stunt preparation is underway and I am sure the Directors Judges will be more than satisfied. Mid – winter will is approaching in March and we always have a great time when we visit our brothers in the other Texas Shrine Center. The Hospital Fund Drive is two short months away as well.

If you are looking for a unit that touches almost every major event within the Shrine then the Directors unit is for you. Come see us at the Circus Building on Tuesday and Wednesday nights to see with your own eyes. Or call me for information.
– Trace Brooks, 817-821-2028

You have seen the trend charts and heard the dire predictions for Moslah membership. In 2011, Moslah was awarded a “Silver Temple” for only losing 2.92% of members which was a great improvement over the 28.47% loss in the previous 5 years. In 2012 Moslah leadership and the Moslah Membership Committee put in more time and had more membership events than ever before. Most of the prospects that came to events signed a petition. The truth is, we did not invite enough prospects to the events to make a difference in membership loss.

Maybe the problem goes back to our Masonic roots of not asking. This is not the “Field of Dreams” where we build the diamond or have the events and they will come. We have to ask or they will not come and we have to ask them to sign a petition or they will not sign.

As Shriners, we help make miracles happen every day for children and families in desperate need of some of the most challenging and sophisticated medical care in the world. Wear the Shriner’s insignia with pride to public activities. On an individual basis you are “The Shrine” to everyone you know or meet. You need to make sure to educate your families, neighbors, co-workers, fellow church members, Lodge members and FRIENDS about the Shrine and invite them to attend our fun activities. Most of our events will be BYOF (Bring Your Own Friend).

Activities this year will include Concealed Gun Class, Group Dance Lessons, Family Activities that will replace some Stated Meetings, Shrine Nights Out, Games Night, Parties, Easter Egg Hunt, Casino Bus Trip, Health Fair, Shrine Dinner Out, Christmas Party, Picnic, and Cowtown Marathon.

Make a commitment to talk about the Hospitals or Shrine activities every week in person and on social media. In addition to all the great unit activities, talk about the wide variety of clubs (i.e. Gun, Grilling, Woodworking, Wine Tasting, Scotch Tasting, and Shrine Riders). We also need to talk about the Legion of Honor for the ex-military and the work of the Flying Fez in taking kids to the Hospitals.

If you would like to be a Lodge Ambassador, Virtual Mentor or member of the Membership Committee, please contact Brett Weisner, Membership Chairman at 817-360-7585 or e-mail brettw@copytx.com. Yours In The Faith, Harold H. Benefield, High Priest & Profit
The Ladies Without Shriners will meet each Wednesday at Old South Pancake House, University Dr. at 11:00 a.m. for games. Contact Coordinator Carol Clarkson at 817-447-4645 or moslahwidows@sbcglobal.net for details.

If you know a Noble or Lady who is sick or shut-in, please contact the Shrine Office at 817-335-9469.

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