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EAST WEST[®] SHRINE GAME

MORE THAN JUST A GAME

Save the Date for the 91st

East-West Shrine Game

Saturday, January 23, 2016

Tropicana Field, St. Petersburg, Florida

Kickoff: 4 p.m. EST

Benefiting Shriners
Hospitals for Children



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Potentate's Column

Having fun and helping kids!



D. Michael Wallach
Potentate

This spring and summer has demonstrated that being a Moslah Shriner is what being a Shriner is all about. Shriners, having fun and helping kids! We have, again, demonstrated

our support of, and commitment to, our Hospitals and the children who benefit from them. We had another successful street corner and store front collection campaign. Not only did we raise thousands of dollars for our Houston and Galveston Hospitals, we raised enough money to replace our worn out patient transportation van with a new one. We can now safely and comfortably transport our patients and our Flying Fez members to Galveston, Houston, Shreveport and elsewhere and to help provide cutting edge medical care for our patients in our hospitals.

We also had a successful TSA and Imperial sessions, with several units successfully competing in their respective competitions and having a lot of fun in the process. We also had another “bang up” Sportsman’s Spectacular, again filling the Ballroom with Shriners and guests alike. We also had a record attendance at our CHL class on the day of the Sportsman’s Spectacular.

Finally, we filled another busload of revelers for a fun trip to Shreveport and Margaritaville! On top of these Temple events, our units, clubs and associations had their share of summer events, too.

As we decide on our upcoming proposal for a dues increase, please remember that being a member of Moslah Shriners is full of opportunities for social activity and fellowship. It also gives each of us a chance to help make miracles happen in the lives of children from all over the world. Our proposed new annual dues of \$150 per year is only \$12.50 per month. What each of us receives in return for those dues is priceless: friends, fellowship, fun and the privilege of helping those who need us more than we can ever imagine. I would encourage you to support and to vote for our new dues structure, and to take advantage of all of those opportunities for making your life better and happier.

Yours in the Faith,
Michael Wallach, Potentate

In Memoriam

J. Grant Foster
Tommy D. Herron
John W. Waldie

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Shriners Hospitals for Children®

Dear Nobles,

We are proud to announce that Shriners Hospitals for Children® was part of a team that made medical history earlier this month. Chief of Staff, Scott Kozin, M.D. and Dan Zlotolow, M.D from Shriners Hospitals for Children – Philadelphia were part of a multidisciplinary medical team that performed the first-ever pediatric bilateral hand transplant by successfully transplanting donor hands and forearms onto eight-year-old Zion Harvey.

When Zion was referred to Shriners Hospitals for Children, Dr. Kozin and colleagues quickly recognized that Zion was a potential candidate for this transformative procedure, making him the first patient to receive a pediatric hand transplant in the world. In keeping with Shriners Hospitals collaborative approach to care, Dr. Kozin worked together with Children's Hospital of Philadelphia and University of Pennsylvania to assemble a 40+ team of medical experts to perform this complex and demanding 12 hour procedure.

Zion is a bright and precocious eight-year-old who has told his doctors that he cannot wait to someday throw a football and climb on the monkey bars. Shriners Hospitals looks forward to continuing our support in Zion's recovery and goals.

Today's announcement is a true testament to Shriners Hospitals for Children's commitment to innovative, world-class pediatric care. Join us in celebrating being a part of history in the making.

Yours in the faith,

Jerry Gantt
Imperial Potentate, Shriners International





SPORTSMAN'S SPECTACULAR

AUGUST 8, 2015





Car-Vettes



The Car-Vettes continue to

stay very busy this summer. Everyone had a great time at the Moslah

Sportsman Spectacular on August 8.

Congratulations to Chuck Huddleston for being a winner of one of the guns. He was really in need of another one. Joke. Joke. Frank Treadaway is busy spending his scratch off money.

Several members attended the annual TSMPA Obstacle course in Marble Falls August 14 and 15. It was pretty darn hot but everyone had a great time in the beautiful hill country.

We have been invited to ride in a parade in White Settlement on September 26. This will be a first to participate in this parade sponsored by the White Settlement Chamber of Commerce. It is always good to get exposure for Moslah in new places.

If any Noble is interested in joining a fun unit, we have a little yellow car just your size. If you would like to take a test drive in one at the White Settlement parade, contact Tom Smith at 817-528-4675 or Cecil LeMond at 817-247-0246.

Jerry Knott

2006 GMC Savana Conversion Van

Served as Moslah Hospital Van for trips between Fort Worth and Houston, Shreveport and Galveston Shriners Hospitals for Children.

Currently accepting sealed bids at Moslah Temple

Mail to P.O. Box 1320, Fort Worth, Tx. 76101-1320

Phone office to set appointment to see and test drive. **817-335-9469**.

Bids will be opened and read at Moslah Shriners stated meeting on September 10, 2015.



Mark your calendars for October 10

Masonic Family Day at the Masonic Retirement Center.

What a perfect opportunity for building membership and having fun. This is a great chance to meet more of our Brothers and their families and share the fun we have as well as let them know about our support of the hospitals. Moslah is going to participate in a parade with Hella. We brought in 4 new members to the Ceremonial last year from this event.

The Unit Presidents have details on the parade or contact me or the office. Our goal is 100 members for our 100th anniversary!

membership

Mystic Wheels

Hello Nobles All! It's back to school time!

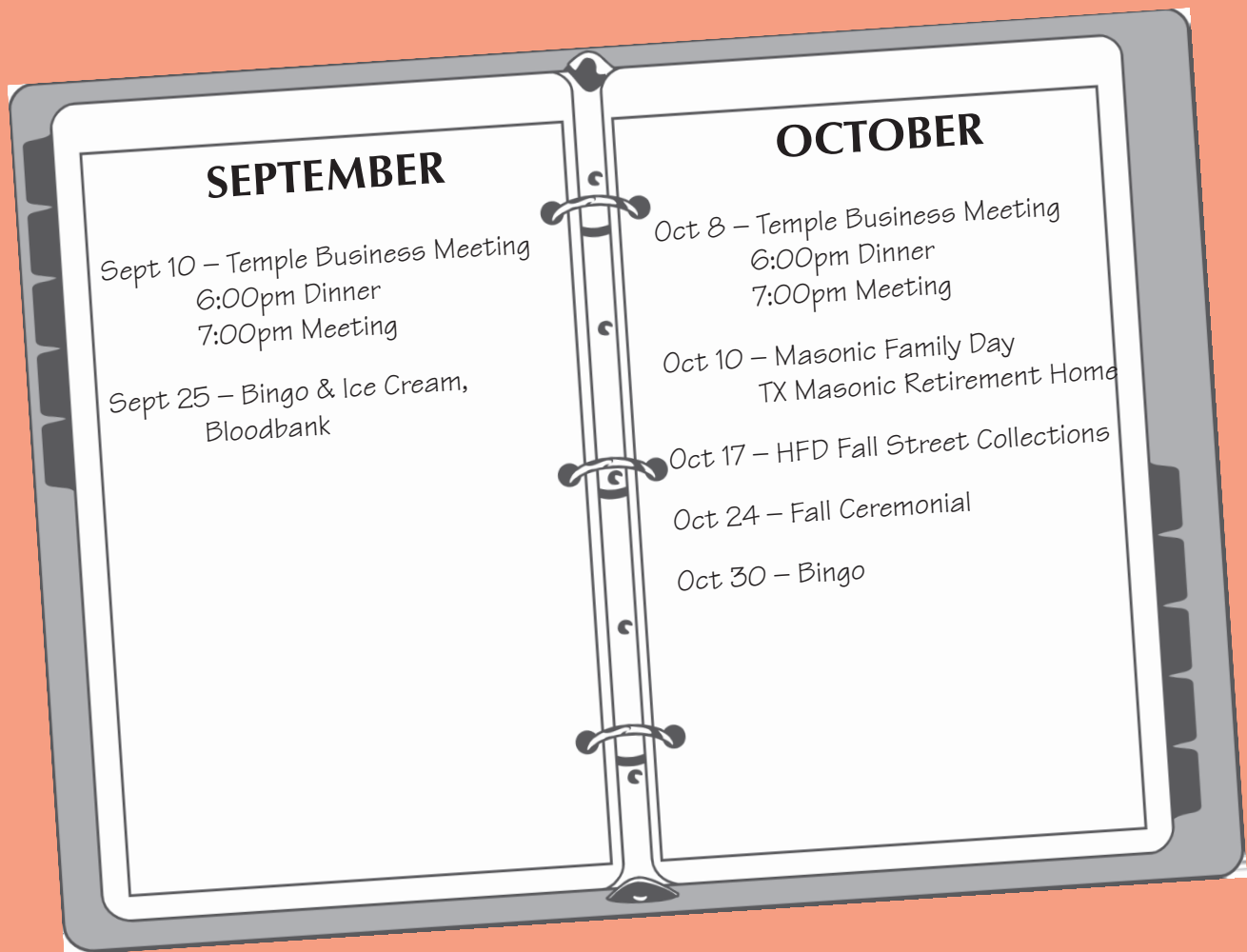
The Mystic Wheels have had a busy summer with social events and parades. Now it is TSMPA obstacle competition in Marble Falls. Final results in the next newsletter due to deadlines. Let us just say this, the Mystic Wheels are expecting to retain their Class VII Champions status. The machines have been tuned up and the sticky tires are mounted. Here we come! Obstacle is always a fun event and our own Larry Ramsey, TSMPA President, has done a great job with both TSA competition and Obstacle. Thanks again, Larry.

Lots of Mystic Wheels have taken their bikes on highway tours this year. Quite a few of our guys are at Sturgis right now, having a ball no doubt, enjoying the scenery. The Wheels are hard at work selling circus ads for the upcoming event. New electronic format this year seems to be popular. We're pushing hard for another record year of sales.

There is lots more happening with us; visit our Facebook Page for even more detail.

And, say, Moslah Noble! Are you looking for a unit home? Come check us out. You will find a very family oriented group with the ladies and kids at all our events... we have a lot of kids! We ride inexpensive, traditional, open wheel go karts, and you will find us heavily involved in all temple and blue lodge activities. Call Bob Roth 703 509-7773, Tommy Boldin 682 888-3427 or Doug Watkins 817 919-0311, for information and a visit. Come see us, you'll be glad you did! Still the LARGEST and friendliest motorized unit in Texas!

- Bob Roth



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

**The Ladies Without Shriners will meet each Wednesday at Old
South Pancake House , University Dr. at 11:00 a.m. for games.
Stop by to have fun and meet everyone.**