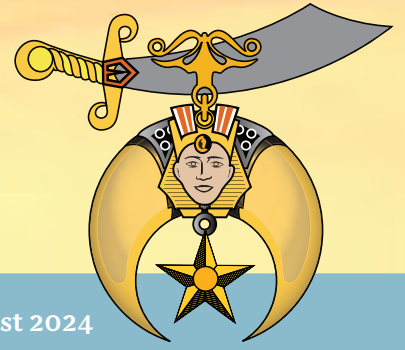


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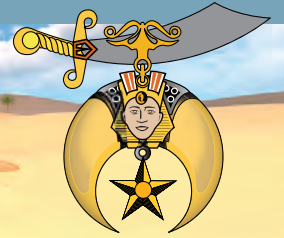
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Potentate's notes



Martin Bush, Potentate

Is It August already???

Time is flying by, and I hope everyone is enjoying a safe and memorable summer. July was a great time and as of this writing, a great summer for Al Kader as well.

We ended June with the long-anticipated trip to Reno Nevada for the Shriners Imperial Session. Lots of memories and time spent with long time friends as well as making new ones. Our Oriental Band was honored to perform at the opening ceremonies and did not disappoint. Our Oasis room was decorated Tiki style and was a hit with those who visited.

The Grand Master's dinner, honoring our fellow Noble Tim Best and his Lady Teresa, was held at a Brazilian steakhouse which everyone enjoyed.

The good news from Reno was our own Dale Vrsalovich was elected Imperial Outer Guard and a Cold Sands degree bestowed on new Noble Jordan Nerski. Proud Grandpa IS John Nerski donned the red fez onto his Grandson, which made Noble Jordan eligible to ride their Motor Escort motorcycles in the Shriner's parade alongside IS John.

The parade was amazing as being in a Shriner's parade was a first for many, including yours truly. Nobles from all around the US participated. We had Motor Escort, Oriental Band, Desert Patrol, High Desert Shrine Club from Bend, and the Locomotive made the trip and was a hit with onlookers in the staging area. Our Hospital Support trailer was transformed into the Daughters of the Nile float with Supreme Queen Jackie Hollaway and her entourage, as well as other Daughters of the Nile princesses, taking part in the parade as well.

The worst news about our trip to Reno was how many Nobles and their Ladies that attended the Imperial session fell ill to an unknown ailment. One of our own was admitted to hospital

due to this bug. Thankfully, he recovered and made the journey home a day late.

Baker City East West Shrine football weekend went off with hesitation at first due to the major wildfires in the area. The Good Lord watched over us and the smoke cleared for a fantastic weekend. Since it was the 100th anniversary of Shriners Childrens – Portland, the activities were better than ever. Many months of planning and meetings came to fruition at the end of July. The Caravanners held their annual Breakfast at the RV park on Friday. The meal was amazing and the East/West Cheerleaders showed off their skills during the breakfast. The Queen's luncheon was met with about 50 some in attendance. Our Queen June amazed the attendees as she did her speech memory, and for a 10 year old she did great. Our Co-Captain, Julian, shared his speech as well. That evening, we had the Player and families BBQ in LaGrande which was delicious and enjoyable for all. The Oregon Cattle Women's association had their annual Steak and Pancake breakfast and tailgate lunch the day of the big game at Geiser Park. Both were amazing meals and delicious as always. I encouraged all Al Kader attendees to support the Oregon Cattle Women's association as they have supported us all these years, and Al Kader did not disappoint. Many Fezzes were in the park showing their support and winning some really neat items in the silent auction as well! The game was another nail biter as the West won 26-21. At the end of the weekend, our Football meeting was held with lots of positive feedback and planning for the future games. I would like to thank Zach Steele for his years as Director for East/West as he turned over the reins to Ron Henderson.

For August, there are several dates to jot down on your calendar.

August 3rd: Silverton Parade

August 10th: Astoria Parade

Oregon Freemasonry Masonic Youth Day at
Oaks Park

Potentate's notes

August 23-25: Oregon Freemasonry Cave Degrees
August 31st: Tillamook Masonic Lodge Cajun Social
(sponsored by our Oriental Guide Kris Torrey)

The human spirit is more powerful than any drug, and that is what needs to be nourished with work, play, friendship and family. These are the things that matter the most.

Our quote is from someone I admired not only as an actor, comedian, and philanthropist, but as one who spent years supporting the troops through USO performances and other military related charities.



Ten years ago, on August 11th 2014, Comedic genius Robin Williams ended his life as news of a debilitating disease, Lewy Body Dementia, was more than he could bear. The world mourned his loss as he could make everybody smile with his gift of humor and kindness.

... Until next time

Al Kader Shriners



Chief Rabban's notes



Forrest Hatch, Chief Rabban

It seems to me that this year is moving along at a faster rate than normal. The weather is warmer than normal, I do not seem to be getting things done as fast as normal! The first part of July, Lady Linda and I had the honor and privilege of attending Shriners International Imperial Session held in Reno, Nevada.

This session was the most rewarding Imperial Session that I have ever attended. Not only did I have an opportunity to visit with friends and their ladies, I also met new nobles from all over the world which simply confirms the fact that Shriners International is rapidly growing. There were over 950 nobles who attended the business meetings.

The Al Kader Oriental Band did all of us proud from the very beginning by being involved in the public opening! Based on the audience's response those in attendance were obviously impressed with their performance. The Imperial Potentate Ed Stolze mentioned that they did an outstanding job and that he really enjoyed their performance.

Members of the Oriental Band continued to demonstrate their commitment to our philanthropy during the parade. The crowd demonstrated their enjoyment with loud applause and smiles. In talking with Tim Best, M.W. Grand Master of Oregon, he expressed how much he enjoyed riding in the parade with the Oriental Band.

Al Kader had a strong presence in the parade. We were represented by members of the Desert Patrol, the Central Oregon Shrine Club and Noble Dannie Admanson who drove the Calliope train. Al Kader has a lot to be proud of, I would like to thank each and every one of our members and their ladies who attended this Imperial Session.

The participation of each and every noble and their wives demonstrates our strong commitment to our philanthropy. I often recall I.S. Ard Pratt telling me, "We do what we do for the children." I am convinced that working together Al Kader will become stronger.

The most enjoyable aspect of the Imperial Session is an opportunity to meet the patient ambassadors for Shriners International. These young adults demonstrated during their presentations why they will both be very good representatives of Shriners International. I would encourage each of you to take a few minutes and go to the Shriners International webpage and learn about both of them.

During the Membership Hall of Fame luncheon, Al Kader was recognized by receiving the "Conversion Excellence" Certificate Award. During the year your membership team yielded a 65% Master Mason Conversion rate and a minimum of ten successful conversions from e-Petitions. It may not seem like it however Al Kader is growing, it may be at a slower pace than what we would like. I encourage each and every noble and lady to continue to share with everyone why they are members of Al Kader Shriners.

Forrest L. Hatch
Chief Rabban

Assistant Rabban's notes



Jay Carey, Assistant Rabban

Nobles one and all,

Well another great weekend in Baker City has come to a close and everyone has traveled to their homes, both far and near. The football game itself was a great exhibition of talent and caring by the young men who played, the young ladies who supported the teams with their cheers and the staff who managed the game.

This year the week was consistently having to be re-evaluated and events moved around to accommodate the environment due to the wild fires in the area. The Committee did an outstanding job of holding the varied events and everyone enjoyed their time and the food. Our Shrine Hospital Ambassadors, Queen June and Co-Captain Julian, were well received and had a once in a lifetime experience. We recognized and expressed our appreciation to them for their participation.

Finally, to the East-West Shrine Committee, we can only say thanks for all of your efforts and dedication in making the week a success. That said, I now get up on my soapbox: Nobles of all Al Kader Clubs and Units - it is important to know that all of you are representatives to the East-West

Committee. Each Club and Unit is authorized two representatives from the Club or Unit to attend the Committee meetings. The meetings are held throughout the year and are currently located in Wilsonville (Sunday following the Food Caravan October 19th), Roseburg, Bend, and Baker City. It is expected that they will be in those cities again this coming year. It is imperative that our current Club and Unit leaders "elect" or "appoint" delegates to attend these meetings. Let's get back to having a large representation from Al Kader at the meetings, bringing ideas and support so that we can continue sponsoring the week along with Hillah Temple. This is a premiere statewide event that provides the opportunity to showcase Shrinedom and support our Hospital. Have a great remainder of the Summer and let's get ready to return to the swing of things at Al Kader in the Fall.

Jay Carey
Assistant Rabban

Chaplain's notes



Kenton Wolfe, Al Kader Chaplain

Mentors. Have you had some mentors in your life? A Mentor is defined as an experienced individual who provides advice and guidance to another person. A mentor helps the mentee grow and develop, often based on more advanced knowledge or experience. Does that sound familiar or similar to our Shrine Mason experiences?

I have had many mentors in my life. In my Masonic journey I have had many mentors and do so today. In my personal and professional life, I have had many people of positive influence that could be considered mentors. It has varied from fishing partners to neighbors to fellow employees to friends. In my careers mentors have been counterparts, fellow workers and even sometimes employees.

As a chaplain in Al Kader and in Masonic Lodge I have had and continue to have people who were and continue to be mentors. Several past Chaplains in Al Kader and several Lodges have been quite helpful.

Do you have mentors? Do you look for and use mentors? How do you find a mentor? All you have to do is seek or ask. Being part of the "world's greatest fraternity" certainly makes it easier as you associate with like minded people. If you are in a new position of authority or responsibility you don't "have to go it alone". Seek some help. In Lodges and at Al Kader we have training and education to take advantage of. You can also find plenty of Nobles, Brothers, their Ladies (and even their children) that can be of assistance.

I urge you to show up, join in and take advantage of all the fraternal, social, family and fun activities in your lodges and especially at Al Kader. We have opportunities for ritualists, actors, speakers, brewers, chefs, servers, financial experts, managers, carpenters, plumbers, electricians, musicians, (and even people who aren't musicians who like to make music), drivers, technicians, landscapers, legal and financial experts, security experts to name a few as well as a lot of opportunities to have fun.

Come join in. You might find a needed friend or mentor or become one to someone else. There are so many opportunities in your Lodge and at Al Kader for fun and fellowship. There are also opportunities for personal growth, leadership, and mentorship.

Kenton Wolfe, Al Kader Chaplain

Oriental Guide's notes



Kristopher Torrey, Oriental Guide

Molalla Buckaroo Rodeo

While a majority of the Nobles and their Ladies were down in Reno for Imperial Session, a group of us were back here holding down the fort and still fulfilling other opportunities and obligations.

July 1st through the 4th, a contingency of 15 Nobles, Ladies and family members came together to support the Molalla Buckaroo Rodeo. We had a booth where we sold raffle tickets for the Chief Rabban's Harley Davidson and sell water. We also assisted Noble Grant Sharp at the Main Gate with scanning tickets.

This event was quite successful for us. We sold a bunch of tickets, lots of water and, more importantly, educated the patrons about Freemasonry and the Shrine. We had around a dozen or more come up and tell us stories of how Shriners have helped them or their families.

I would like to thank all the volunteers who came out to help and make sure we had enough volunteers to run the booth and gate. Over the course of the 4 days, we put in a combined total of 208 man hours of labor to make this week successful.

Noble Kris Torrey

Oriental Guide



Recorder's notes



Ron Gamble, Recorder

This is an update for all Nobles of Al Kader on our current dues status. We are approaching the 8th month of the 2024 and we have 79 members that have not paid their 2024 dues. We are facing another 34 members that are more than two years past due and face suspension at the end of the year. Al Kader has paid the \$50.00 Shriners International the annual assessment with the additional \$5.00 Hospital assessment.

Please send in your dues as soon as possible. If any Noble is having special needs, please do not hesitate to contact me personally so we can work out some arrangements.

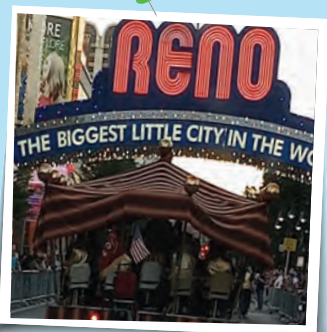
The Membership Committee works very hard to get new members. We should work very hard to keep the members we have.

Yours In Faith

Ron Gamble PP
Recorder



RENO MEMORIES



IN THE NEWS



Ticket available at AlKaderShriners.org



Wilsonville Music Festival

ECLECTIC AMERICAN SONG STYLES SEPTEMBER 20, 21 & 22, 2024

twelve PNW bands • three dance floors • two stages
Al Kader Shrine Ballroom
25100 SW Parkway • Wilsonville, Oregon

Billy & the Rockets • Black Swan JB w/ Marilyn Keller • Bridgetown Sextet • Djangophiles • Fabulous Bad Cats



Ginger & the Tonics • Linn Street Din • Lonesome Dewey • Ne Plus Ultra JB • Pink Lady w/ LATS • Shaymus Hamlin



Festival Tickets

Three day pass \$110 • Friday only \$35 • Saturday only \$45 • Sunday only \$35
Net proceeds are for the benefit of Al Kader Shrine. Tickets are not tax-deductible.



Congratulations!

We are thrilled to announce that IS Dale Vrsalovich was elected to the prestigious position of Imperial Outer Guard at the Imperial Session in Reno. This marks the beginning of his 10-year journey toward serving as the Imperial Potentate. Imperial Sir Dale served as Potentate of Afifi Temple (Tacoma/SW Washington) in 2019 and is an associate member of Al Kader Temple (Wilsonville, OR).

A frequent visitor to the Portland Hospital, Dale's alter ego is "Keys" the clown, who plays the piano and entertains patients. His unwavering commitment to our cause and its values highlights his dedication.

Accompanying Dale is his wife, Lady Keely, an adept Family Nurse Practitioner who complements this dynamic duo perfectly. Please join us in extending heartfelt congratulations to both Imperial Sir Dale and Lady Keely for their achievements and ongoing contributions.



For more information about Imperial Sir Dale's distinguished journey and contributions, please visit www.tinyurl.com/Imperial-Dale

Tillamook Lodge No. 57

Cajun Social



August 31, 2024

2 pm

1904 1/2 Second Street
Tillamook, OR 97141

Cost: Donation



Menu

Green Salad
Clam Chowder
Corn Maque Choux

Jambalaya
Dirty Rice
Red Beans and Rice
Crawfish Etouffee*

Fried Chicken
Corn Bread
Desert

Join us for food and Fellowship

RSVP with WB Kris Torrey
541-324-3389/ kristopher.torrey@gmail.com

*Crawfish Etouffee is pending availability of fresh crawfish

Al Kader History Mystery #3

John Smith, Historian
Nathan Alexander - Assistant



Question: Many famous people have visited Portland's first and/or second Shriner's Hospitals in Sandy and Portland. Can you name at least 2 others?

Answer: Your list may NOT include these names or groups.

Franklin D. Roosevelt (future U.S. President)	
Harold Lloyd (actor, Shriner)	Barbers
Betty Hutton	Portland Trailblazers
Santa Claus	Queen Marie of Romania
Circus performers	Babe Ruth
Lt. Commander John P. Sousa	
Sen. Mark Hatfield	

Where in Al Kader Center might you find the answers?

In the Jones Library & Museum books or in the display cases upstairs or

In white (do-not-take-home) binders in the Office (ask for Past Potentate info.)

If you have an Al Kader History question you would like answered, email (starmason@aol.com) it to me and I will try to find an answer and get it to you.

The Eastern/Central Oregon Food Drive is coming, but when?

EAST WEST Shrine Game & Parade



EAST WEST Shrine Game & Parade



Volunteer Drivers Needed Soon

The Portland Hospital is losing several of its volunteer Drivers in the next several months and we need to find replacements. Drivers need not be Shriners

We are seeking dedicated individuals to join our volunteer teams of drivers. These crucial roles provide a supportive and welcoming environment for our patients and their families.

Driver Volunteers

Role:

Our Driver Volunteers play a vital role in ensuring patients can access our facilities and services. They assist with transportation needs within and around the Portland area.

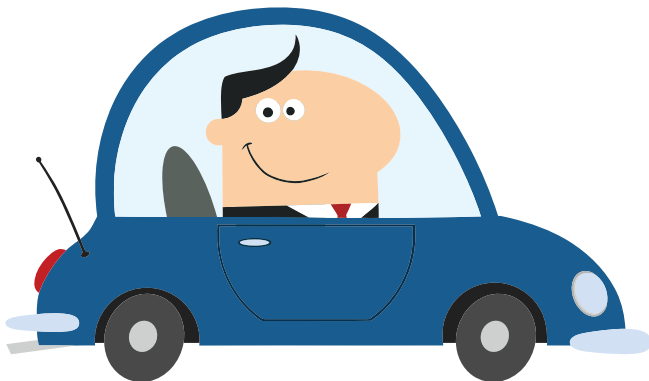
Responsibilities:

Safe transportation of patients and families to and from the hospital.
Assisting international patients, sometimes during late hours or early mornings.
Providing a warm, welcoming presence to ease the stress of hospital visits.

Requirements:

Valid driver's license and a clean driving record.
Strong interpersonal skills and a compassionate demeanor.
Flexibility to work at various hours, including early mornings or late nights.

**How to Apply: Contact Cheryl McCurry
Volunteer Coordinator/Human Resources
Phone: (971) 282-4618
Cheryl.Mccurry@shrinenet.org**





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VETERANS
Breakfast
SATURDAY
NOV 9TH 2024

8AM - NOON

MILITARY STYLE
BREAKFAST

- PANCAKES
- EGGS
- HASH BROWN
- S.O.S

NON MEMBER PRICE - \$12.00

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MASTER MASONS FREE IF
THEY TURN IN PETITION FOR
AKS MEMBERSHIP.





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Portland



Shriners Children's now has a clinic in Redmond!

Shriners Children's new Redmond clinic provides specialized orthopedic care to children regardless of ability to pay, conveniently located for families in Central Oregon.

**Join us for our
ribbon cutting
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CARE**
anywhere™



Pediatric orthopedic surgeons from Shriners Children's Portland are available at the clinic on the second and fourth Friday of every month, 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. This means children who come to Shriners Children's Redmond Clinic see a doctor with a high level of specialty training in areas that include clubfoot, cerebral palsy, scoliosis and many other orthopedic conditions.

TEMPLE LIAISON MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

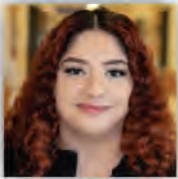


KEY TAKEAWAYS FROM THE LAST BOARD OF GOVERNORS MEETING



Register now for the [2024 Walk for Love](#) at the Oregon Zoo! The event will be on Saturday, Sept 7th from 6:15pm—9:00pm. Early bird registration through July 31st. Click [HERE](#) to sign up!

The Daughters of the Nile will be throwing a **Patient Party** on Sunday, July 21st. We want to thank them for their continuous support for our patients



We want to congratulate our **Employee of the Quarter**, Lupita Rodriguez from our Outpatient Clinic! Her kindness and calm demeanor helps put patients and families at ease, enhancing the patient experience in such a positive way. She truly embodies the essence of the Shriners mission.

The Office of Philanthropy continues to seek donations to help the Portland Hospital. We still have items on our “Priorities List” that need to be funded. For instance, assist with the funding in the Child Life department or recreational rehab. **We would like to thank all of the clubs, units, and temples who have supported the hospital so far this year.** Any questions, please reach out to Angie Gofredo at 971-544-3334. Click [HERE](#) for the items the hospital is seeking.

HOSPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

GREAT INFORMATION ON HOSPITAL PATIENTS, STAFF, AND BOARD MEMBERS

- Our walk-in fracture and Sports Injury Clinic is open M-F, 7:30am - 4:00pm, (excluding holidays). Here is a quick [clip](#) on what we do!
- Are you interested in joining the Shriners Team or know someone who would be a great fit? Check out our newest recruiting [Video](#). Click [Here](#) for our list of open positions.
- Shriners Portland has unwavering high quality award winning healthcare. Check our [Outcomes Book](#).
- Feel free to circulate our [Fraternal Toolkit](#).

Meet our [Board of Governor Members!](#)



Want a chance to win a Shriners Children’s 100th Anniversary Blanket? Please click [HERE](#) to leave any questions, comments or suggestions for the Temple Liaison Committee about hospital communications.

Yours in the faith,
Portland Board of Governors
Temple Liaison Committee

Al Kader Shriners **presents** **Harley Davidson** **Motorcycle** **RAFFLE**



Saturday
November 16th, 2024 8:00 p.m.
Tickets \$10.00 each
Only 5000 Tickets Will Be Sold
Retail Value \$17,300.00

Net Proceeds go to Al Kader Shriners
Not deductible as a contribution for tax purposes
Winner Must be 18 Years of Age
Winner Responsible for Taxes and Registration Fees
Need Not Be Present to Win

Tickets Available Through Al Kader Shriners
12500 SW Parkway Ave
Wilsonville, Oregon
503-682-4420
Or Online at alkadershriners.org
Contact your Local Shrine Club or Unit



CELEBRATING 74 YEARS OF THE HARNEY COUNTY YOUTH AUCTION

By Noble Bill Quier

In an article from the Burns Times Herald dated September 1950, they reported that Illustrious Sir Edward Swink and three other officers of Al Kader Shrine Temple in Portland visited Burns. Their mission was to meet with the Harney County Shrine Club officers and tour the Burns Packing Plant. They inspected and admired a 1,000-pound beef donated through the Harney County Shrine Club to the Shrine Hospital for Crippled Children (Shriners Children's) by Rocky Hill incorporated, owner of the Alvord Ranch.

Present for the tour were Illustrious Sir Edward Swink, Potentate of Al Kader, Noble Orville Corbett – Harney County SC, Noble Luther Duckworth- Recorder, Noble Rajah R.E Kriesien-Harney County SC, Noble John Rankin-Chief Rabban, Noble Bill Hamilton-Harney County SC and Noble Len Fuller-High Priest & Prophet.

The article acknowledged the Harney Shrine Club “as one of the smallest but most active clubs in the state”. That reputation comes from their continuing involvement with the annual Youth Livestock Auction at the Harney County Fair. Donations of beef, swine, sheep, goats, chickens and the famous rabbits provide a valuable and significant resource to Shriners Children's in Portland. Financial records from as far back as 1998 reflect the monetary value of those donations exceed \$1,114,736!

It is extremely important that this tradition continues and that the ranchers that donate are acknowledged and feel valued. The Harney County SC needs your help with finding donors (old and new) to attend the 2024 4-H & FFA (Future Farmers of America) to purchase animals for donation. It will be held Saturday afternoon, September 7th. We also need Shriners just to attend with their fez to show appreciation for the donors. Please plan on attending and making the trip to Burns for the BBQ on Friday night and the parade on Saturday!

For more information, please call Noble **Bill Quier at 541-589-0950.**



September 6-7,
2024

HARNEY COUNTY FAIR

Friday - Sept 8- Bill Quier's House

5pm - Oasis hosted by Central
Oregon SC

**6pm- Harney County
Steak Dinner - \$10**

Saturday - Sept 7

10am - Parade

4pm - 4H-FFA Auction

**Call Rose at the Shrine Center
for reservations**

Save the Date!

Al Kader Shriners

Desert Patrol



FOOD | DRINKS | GAMES | PRIZES | DESSERT AUCTION

OCTOBER 5th, 2024

\$30 Includes 1st Beer and Stein

5:00pm Doors Open - 6:00pm Dinner

25100 SW Parkway Ave, Wilsonville OR 97070

(503) 682-4420 for Reservations

Proceeds are for the benefit of Al Kader Shrine Desert Patrol

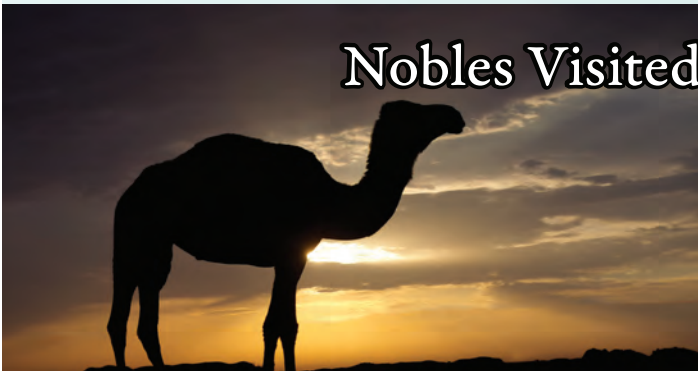
Payments are not deductible as a charitable deduction

Ticket available at AlKaderShriners.org

August BIRTHDAYS!!!

8/2/2024	William A. Walton	8/18/2024	Fredrick J. Licurse	8/28/2024	Jeffrey J. Hilderbrand
8/4/2024	Dal R. Vrsalovich P.P.	8/18/2024	Scott H. Shaw	8/28/2024	Roger Mortimore
8/4/2024	Craig A. Moore	8/20/2024	William H. Sparks III	8/29/2024	Robert J. Imbrie
8/5/2024	Donald G. Mobley	8/21/2024	Art Bush	8/29/2024	Glen A. Weeks
8/6/2024	Donald H. Slezak	8/21/2024	Danial C. Jenkins	8/29/2024	Robert L. Mcmanus
8/6/2024	Quinn A. Haase	8/22/2024	Billy W. Haris	8/30/2024	Herbert J. Semler
8/7/2024	James H. Bowlds	8/22/2024	Gareth J. Duggan	8/30/2024	Curtis C. Leibrant
8/7/2024	Richard Ling	8/22/2024	Ryan D. Neal	8/30/2024	Michael L. Bishop
8/8/2024	Dennis M. Basmajian	8/22/2024	David J. Klementis	8/31/2024	Wallace W. Wolf Jr., DVM
8/8/2024	Gilbert C. Thonstad	8/22/2024	Bowen L. Kelley	8/31/2024	Scott D. Cook
8/10/2024	Carl A. Robinson	8/23/2024	Steve C. Holms	8/31/2024	Craig T. Wilcox
8/11/2024	Clifford L. Culley	8/23/2024	Gerald L. Risberg		
8/11/2024	Harold W. Simpson	8/23/2024	Robert L. Bergner		
8/12/2024	Richard W. Blizzard	8/23/2024	Paul D. Hardin		
8/12/2024	Ronald C. Dubbs	8/24/2024	Ralph W. Thompson		
8/12/2024	Garth D. Edwards	8/24/2024	Jeremy P. Kidwell		
8/13/2024	Michael L. Usle	8/25/2024	Warner L. Stein		
8/14/2024	Jon C. Swails	8/25/2024	Kenneth C. Burdick		
8/17/2024	Lois I. Gordon	8/25/2024	Roger A. May		
8/17/2024	Richard S. Gregory	8/26/2024	Michael J. McGuyer		
8/17/2024	Rodger A. Hood	8/27/2024	Russell L. Canaga		
8/17/2024	Larry E. Trip	8/27/2024	Carl H. Puckett		
8/17/2024	Fred E. Scheiffele	8/28/2024	Crawford T. Roach		

Nobles Visited by the Black Camel



I.S. Stuart L. Boos, P.P.	6/21/2024
Ric A. King	6/26/2024
Robert W. Blankinship	6/26/2024
Richard King	6/26/2024

We do not lose the ones we love, They only go before.
Where there is everlasting life, Where sorrow is no more.
And there the soul will always live, And peace is everywhere.
We do not lose the ones we love, God takes them in his care.

MEMBERSHIP

PETITION FOR INITIATION & MEMBERSHIP

AL KADER SHRINE - 2023

50/50

Shriner International
25100 SW Parkway Ave. Wilsonville, OR
Office 503-682-442 Fax 503-685-5080
Email: office@alkadershriners.org



To the Illustrious Potentate, Officers and Members of Al Kader Shrine, Oasis of Wilsonville: I am a mastermason in good standing in _____ Lodge No. A. F. & A. M. and have been since (Date) _____ Address _____ City/State _____ which is recognized by or in amity with the Conference of Grand Masters of North America. Furthermore, I have resided at my current address for not less than six months, as required by the Bylaws of the Imperial Council. I respectfully pray that I may be made a Noble of the Mystic Shrine, and become a member of Al Kader Shrine. If I be found worthy and my request granted, I promise to conform to the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Imperial council and the Bylaws and ceremonials of your Al Kader Shrine. Have you previously applied for admission to any Shrine Center of the order? _____ Name? _____ When? _____

SIGNATURE

DATE

CANDIDATE INFORMATION

PRINT FULL NAME _____ SPOUSE NAME _____
RESIDENCE _____ CITY _____ STATE _____
ZIP _____ HOME PHONE _____ CELL _____ BUSINESS _____
EMAIL _____
HAT SIZE _____ PROFESSION OR OCCUPATION _____
BIRTHPLACE CITY _____ STATE _____ DOB: MONTH _____ DAY _____ YEAR _____
SPOUSE EMAIL: _____

Are you Sr DeMolay? _____ Member of Scottish Rite? _____ York Rite? _____

SPECIAL NOTE: PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF YOUR CURRENT BLUE LODGE DUES CARD

This Petition must be signed by two (2) Nobles in good standing in Al Kader Shrine

Top line signer

Noble _____ Print Name _____ Member # _____

Second line signer

Noble _____ Print Name _____ Member # _____

Involve Yourself! Get Active. Join a Shrine Club or Committee. If you are interested in any of the following, please make a mark next to the group you would like to learn more about.

Al Kader Brew Club _____ Cyclowns _____ Hospital Guide _____ Patrol _____
Calliope Corps _____ Desert Patrol _____ Hospital Support Club _____ Ritualists _____
Caravaners (RV Club) _____ Emerald Patrol _____ Legion of Honor _____ Shrine Club in my area _____
Classic Cars _____ Greeters _____ Motor Escort _____ Shurtah _____
Concert Band _____ Golf Tournament _____ Oriental Band _____

Initiation fees, in full, must accompany Petition. The special 50/50 fee is \$50.00*.
The first year's dues may be prorated, based on date of initiation. *Cost of Fez not included.

New Velour Fez \$205.00, Fez Case and Accessories \$50.00. Some used fezzes may be available in select sizes. Call the Shrine office for details. Used Fez \$25.00

Ceremonials will be held on March 4th & October 28th. Anyone desiring to schedule additional Cold Sands initiations, please contact the Recorder or Potentate.

Total 50/50 Fees for initiation \$50.00 – Total Fees for Shrine Year 2024 \$140.00

Enclosed is payment in the amount of \$ _____ Check No. _____

Please charge my credit card No. _____ Expiration Date _____

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

Recorders Record: Elected _____ Check \$ _____ Created _____ Member No. _____

Mark Your calendar

Please note that all dates and events shown are subject to change without notice.

August

August 3rd
Silverton Parade

August 8th
Emissary Meeting (Via Zoom)

August 10th
Astoria Parade

August 23-25
Masonic Cave Degrees

Sept

Sept 6-7-8
Burns Weekend

Sept 12th
Stated Meeting

Sept 20-21-22
Music Festival

Sept 26th
Unit Head Meeting

October

Oct 5th
Desert Patrol's Oktoberfest

Oct 12th
Fall Ceremonial

Oct 17th
Stated Meeting

Oct 19th
Shrine Food Caravan
OB's Western Night

Notice of Stated Meetings

Thursday, September 12th, 2024

5:00 Oasis - 6:00 Dinner

Pre-Paid Reservations Required - Call 503-682-4420

7:00 pm Stated Meeting

Al Kader Shrine Center Wilsonville

2024 Dues Card Required

by Order of: IS Martin Bush, Potentate • Attest: IS Ron Gamble, Recorder

For all club/unit meeting dates and times, visit alkadershriners.org

With your phone in camera mode, hover over the QR code
above to go directly to the Al Kader Events Webpage!

