

THE WARBLINGS

WA WA Shriners - Saskatchewan, Canada



Everyone will be there!

CEREMONIAL 2009

INFORMATION & REGISTRATION

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THANK YOU!!

On behalf of all WA WA Shriners we want to extend our sincere appreciation to Noble Kent Peters who has been the Warblings Editor for the past year and a half. Due to commitments he has had to relinquish the position and we wish him well in the future

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POTENTATE'S MESSAGE



Well Martha, I believe spring might actually be here. The geese are back and I actually heard a robin singing. If spring is indeed here, that means the Annual Shrine Curling Classic just concluded. The Prince Albert Shrine Club should take a bow. The club hosted our curling

March 27, 28, and 29. The Chairman, Noble Lou Lintick and his right hand – Noble Ed Glynn, organized a first class event.

I am proud to report that your Divan Team once again prevailed over the Grand Lodge Team. The victory was short lived, as the Divan Team won their second match and then went down to the Ills. Sir Garth Sander's rink (three past Potes on that rink). That proved to be a significant game as we were left high and dry. By the way, Garth's team went on to win the "A Event", Grand Lodge went on to the final in the "C" Event and lost to the last stone thrown by Lou Lintick.

Prior to the curling, Inez and I attended the second annual Moose Jaw Shrine Club's Gala Fundraiser. This is where 100 businesses from Moose Jaw each purchase a \$1000.00 ticket which includes an evening of fun, a cash raffle, hearing the story from two Shrine patients and concluding with a dance. Congratulations to the MJSC, the Moose Jaw business community, and all the Nobles and Ladies who worked so hard to make this such a success.

May is here and in our Shrine world, that means Lady Jan Forrest enters into a long distance relationship with her husband Noble Bill Forrest. As you know, Bill is our Provincial Circus Chairman. Each year at this time he leaves home and joins the Circus as it weaves throughout the Province. Our Circus continues to be the single largest Provincial fundraiser and that success depends on you, our Shrine family, to support the Circus when it is in your community. This project starts many months before show time and I truly thank those Nobles and ladies who give so much of themselves.

By the time this reaches your home, I will have contacted each Club to ask for their support in a new fundraiser initiative for WAWA. All the Canadian Shrine Temples will be joining forces with Petro Canada to raise local funds for local initiatives, by purchasing Petro Canada gas. For each Shriner, family and friends who sign up, Petro Canada will reimburse up to two cents / litre to WA WA Shrine Temple for each litre of gas purchased with cards issued in WA WA's jurisdiction. We have been issued 4000 cards (we can always get more). Your Divan has agreed that our current funding formula will apply to all funds raised. We do not expect anyone to switch their current purchasing pattern, but if you happen to be a Petro Canada customer, you can now raise extra funds for your unit or your club by continuing to purchase from Petro Canada. There is no cost to participate in this program but it does involve some record keeping by the individual club.

Please mark your calendars for June 5, 6, & 7 and plan to attend this year's Ceremonial in Saskatoon. If your club has a candidate or 2-3-4; please make sure the application(s) and fee of \$200.00 is into the Recorder by May 27th. This is the date for the next Stated Session and all candidates will be voted upon at that time. This year's Ceremonial will be a full weekend of fun and renewing friendships. Please see the ad/registration form for full details.

The next opportunity for our "family" to get together will be the Annual Golf Tournament hosted by the Cypress Shrine Club at Maple Creek July 17, 18, & 19.

I hope to see a number of you at Grand Lodge in June.

Have an enjoyable spring and if you are traveling – arrive safe.

*Yours in the faith
Dave Fairlie
Potentate.*



RECORDER'S MESSAGE



I hope, by the time you read this, spring has sprung. After spring comes our busy summer season and I want to advise you of the upcoming major events in WA WA.

On June 5 – 7, 2009 the Frank Atchison Ceremonial will be held in Saskatoon. Hoping you have rounded up your candidates and submitted their applications to the Shrine Centre, as they will get to enjoy the many events offered that weekend. See the Ad and ticket application in this edition for further details.

MSA2009 will be held in Rochester, MN August 19 – 22, 2009, see www.msa09.org

and this edition for the schedule and WA WA Registration form. Osman Shriners are using an online registration and payment system, however to maintain local control of hotel accommodations and payments, the WA WA housing committee will be doing the online data entry for all WA WA nobles and ladies. Please insure all questions are answered on the application form in this edition or distributed via the units.

Some nobles may be receiving a nice letter from the Recorder, reminding them 2009 dues were payable by January 1, 2009 and for some unknown reason their payment has not reached the office. A short call to 1-866-699-9292 with a credit card number can quickly correct this.

M.R. (Mel) Douglas
Recorder

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2009 DIVAN LADIES



Back Row L-R: Betty Eskdale, Lynn McEachern, Jean Gaebel, Elaine Hunter, Joan Osborne, Pat Berg, Lynne Monsees, Grenda Kellington

Front Row L-R: Darlene Clarke, Vi Leipert, Inez Fairlie, Jill McDougall, Jan Forrest





Shrine Centre Summer Hours
July and August 2009
9:00am - 1:00pm CST



WAY TO GO!!!



Congratulations Noble Roy!!

The Torch Awards has been established by the Better Business Bureau (BBB) of Saskatchewan to recognize the actions of businesses that display ethical business decisions making and integrity in business resulting in a positive impact in their community. Nominations for the award are made by clients and then a panel of judges names the award winners.

In the Hospitality & Personal Services category, Gaebel's Brewhouse & Offsale in Regina was awarded the Torch Award for 2009.

We want to congratulate Nobles Roy Gaebel and wish him well in the future!

50 Year Jewels

On Tuesday, Jan 27, 2009 Illustrious Sir Dave Fairlie, along with Noble John Tompalski (Motor Patrol Pres), Illustrious Sir Blaine Martin (Past Potentate) and Club President Noble Dennis Skuce went to Noble Len Chase's residence where Illustrious Sir Dave presented Noble Chase with his 50 year pin. Noble Chase regaled us with some amusing anecdotes from his time with the Directors Staff and his years with the Saskatoon Motor Patrol. Congratulations Noble Chase!!



50 Year Jewels

At the Quarterly meeting of the Saskatoon Shrine Club Noble Dave Wilson was presented with his 50 year pin by Illustrious Sir David Fairlie. Thank you for your many years of service Noble Wilson!



Saskatoon Shriners Long Service

At the Quarterly meeting of the Saskatoon Shrine Club Noble Craig Inkster was presented with his 35 year pin by Illustrious Sir David Fairlie. Here's to many more years Noble Inkster!

DO WE HAVE THE COURAGE?

In looking through some past issues of the Warblings and thinking of today and what lays ahead I thought about contributing something to the Warblings. I had been reading an article entitled "IMPERIAL POTENTATE DR. FRANK S. LAND LAYS CORNER STONE OF THE WA WA TEMPLE". The date was May 18, 1955 and the sub-heading said, "This date will go down as one of the extremely important dates in the history of WA WA Temple. On this day, the cornerstone for our beautiful Temple Building was laid by Imperial Potentate Frank S. Land assisted by Nobles and distinguished guests."

What is also interesting is that in the May 16, 1955 edition of the Regina Leader-Post a full quarter page was devoted to a preview of the upcoming ceremony. The article went on to say that a parade of dignitaries, escorted by the Drum Corps and Patrol, would proceed to the site of the new building for the laying of the cornerstone. The dignitaries were, The Hon. W. J. Patterson, Lt.-Gov. of Saskatchewan, Mayor L. H. Hammond of Regina, Hon. C. C. Williams, representing the Premier of Saskatchewan. The ceremony was under the direction of P.P. J. Alex MacKenzie as Master of Ceremonies. The parade of dignitaries, riding in convertibles, left the Hotel Saskatchewan and proceeded to the steps of the Temple. Included in the official ceremonies were DeMolay boys from the four Saskatchewan Chapters located in Regina, Moose Jaw, Saskatoon and Prince Albert. This was a significant event for the DeMolay as Frank S. Land was the founder of DeMolay in Kansas City in 1919.

From the same Warblings issue: "This Temple building represents years of pioneering in building the Shrine in Saskatchewan, and it is very fitting that our Temple comes to completion in this the 50th Jubilee Year of our great Province.

WA WA Temple's first meeting under dispensation was held February 10, 1911 and while our Temple is not quite as old as the Province, it has grown with the Province these last 44 years and its good works have resounded far beyond its borders.

WA WA Temple received its Charter from the Imperial Council on December 4, 1911 and there were 93 Charter Members."

On the evening of May 18th, Imperial Potentate Frank S. Land addressed a large gathering of Masons at Knox-Metropolitan Church. The title of his address was, *The*

Problems of the Shrine and Masonry. He also discussed how to get all bodies to meet in general conference for the good of all concerned and how to better fulfill our responsibilities as Masons first and then Shriners.

The challenge to you and I today is to remember the passion and drive of those early Nobles. Do we have the same pioneering courage that they had to not only build a building, but also a fraternity for the future? Their future dreams have enabled us to enjoy the fellowship of today. Look around your community and offer an opportunity to someone else to enjoy the Shrine and, more importantly, support the World's Greatest Philanthropy.

It is now our turn to lay the cornerstone for the future of WA WA Shriners!

*Noble Don McDougall
Chief Rabban*



Imperial Potentate
Frank S. Land
lays corner stone of
WA WA Temple
May 1955

WA WA Shrine Provincial Curling 2009

Prince Albert Shrine Club Report

Prince Albert Shrine Club really wound up March in great style - at the East End Curling Rink where we heard “h-u-r-r-y h- a r d” – “whoa if you can” - “peel”, and many other curling phrases as the Club hosted the Annual WA WA Provincial Curling Event. Twelve (12) Teams entered with Noble Lou Lintick arranging Ice Times, and in a couple of cases, finding substitute curlers to fill out a rink. While some curling commenced on Friday evening, featuring the “Grudge Match” between WA WA Shriners and Grand Lodge Team. This was won by Ill. Sir. Dave and his team – the “Ass-End” Trophy was also presented to them. Official Opening was held at noon on Saturday. All Curlers led by Ill. Sir. Dave Fairlie

(Potentate) were piped into the rink and he later did the honors by throwing out the ceremonial first rock (smoothness of delivery requires some work). Special thanks must go to the Moose Jaw representatives who had to drive most of the night after their big fundraiser on Friday to attend here on Saturday. They got here tired but were ready to curl and have fun - which they did. As in the past, with the relaxed atmosphere, all curlers and ladies had ample time to socialize and enjoy themselves.

Friday evening was a “Calcutta” social – entertainment was by local Musician and Auctioneer Mr. Al Stubbs and lively bidding on teams was enjoyed by all. Special thanks must be given to V.P.

Noble Boris Sen and Lady Pat for all their efforts in ensuring that a great lunch was prepared and served. They also supervised the cooking of breakfast on Saturday and Sunday mornings. I’m sure they spent many hours purchasing and preparing the food. Saturday evening was the banquet attended by 88 Shriners and their ladies. Lucky Draws – 50/50 was won by Noble Wayne Flatten of Regina and the “Elevator” Draw was won by Noble Gerald McLeod of Saskatoon. Entertainment during the meal was provided by Noble Bob Hayes on the drums and his partner on the piano. This turned into a “sing along” after supper.

*Submitted by
Noble Bill McKay*



Fairlie's Fine Form



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A Event

L-R: Ill Sir Dave Fairlie presenting the "A" Event plaque to Skip Garth Sanders, Third Mal Edwards, Second Sean McDougall, Lead Ken McDougall



B Event

L-R: Ill Sir Dave Fairlie presenting the "B" Event plaque to Skip Bill Batty, Third Alvin Hartness, Second Doug Gaillard, Lead Sam Costain



Assend

Carrying on the tradition and capturing the "Assend" plaque are (L-R back) Skip Don McDougall, Lead Dave Fairlie, Second Roy Gaebel, (L-R front) Third Laurie Monsees, coach Don Kellington and missing is Vice Skip Bill Forrest.



C Event

L-R: Ill. Sir Dave Fairlie presenting the "C" Event plaque to Skip Lou Lintick, Third Joe Zbeetnoff, Second Otto Boetcher, Lead Roy Johnson



Grand Lodge/Divan Challenge

Presenting the trophy to his favourite Divan team (L-R) Ill. Sir Dave Fairlie, Third Don McDougall, Lead Roy Gaebel, Second Laurie Monsees, Skip Bill Forrest.



The 2009 Divan Team

L-R: Third Laurie Monsees, Lead Ill Sir Dave Fairlie, Second Roy Gaebel, Skip Don McDougall





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PROVINCIAL DATES

MAY 2009


SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	 Regina Drum Corps Lobster Night
 10	11	12	13	Circus Swift Current 4:15pm & 7:30pm	15	Circus Moose Jaw 10:00am, 2:00pm & 7:00pm
Circus Moose Jaw 2:00pm TZ Special	Victoria Day 18	19	Circus North Battleford 4:15pm & 7:30pm	21	Circus Saskatoon 4:15pm & 7:30pm Potentates visit to SHC Montreal	Circus Saskatoon 12:00pm, 4:00pm & 7:30pm
Circus Saskatoon 2:00pm TZ Special	25	Circus Humboldt 4:15pm & 7:30pm	27 3:00pm Divan Mtg 5:30pm Dinner 7:00pm Stated Session	Circus Yorkton 10:30am, 4:15pm & 7:30pm	Circus Regina 4:15pm & 7:30pm	Circus Regina 12:00pm, 4:00pm & 7:30pm
Circus Regina 2:00pm TZ Special	31					

JUNE 2009


SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 11:00am EDT SHC Montreal Conference Call	2	3	4	5	International Shriners Day WA WA Ceremonial 2009
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
 21	22 4:30pm Zem 5:00pm Dinner 6:00pm Meeting	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

PROVINCIAL DATES

JULY 2009

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 	2	3	4
5 135th IMPERIAL SESSION - San Antonio, TX	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18 Provincial Golf Cypress Shrine Club Maple Creek
19 Provincial Golf Cypress Shrine Club Maple Creek	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27 4:30pm Zem 5:00pm Dinner 6:00pm Meeting	28	29	30	31	

AUGUST 2009

						1
2 Heritage Day 3 	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30 Divan Meeting/ Summer Party TBD	31					

The Circus is in town!!

It's hard to believe but another year has gone by and our circus is upon us again. Everyone is very hard at work to insure that the 2009 edition is again a huge success.

Naturally, we need your support to work your circus. Coming out to the show allows us to show the public who we are and what we do. It's also a lot of fun especially between shows when the clubs feed the workers.

Showing the public our Fez is a natural public relations event. Seeing the smiling faces of those who attend is a testament to the efforts you have made to bring the circus to town.

Last year, we had the second most successful financial circus on record.

With your help, we should surpass 2008.

Please don't wait to be asked to help out at the show. Lots of bodies make the work of your circus committee much easier. Remember that your ladies are always welcome to assist. In fact, in many clubs we could not have a circus if the ladies were not present. Your provincial circus committee are looking forward to seeing all of you at the big show. The elephants are back so let's have fun at the circus.

May all your days be circus days!

Bill Forrest



DATES & TIMES



SWIFT CURRENT

iPlex
May 14
4:15pm & 7:30pm

MOOSE JAW

Civic Centre (Tent)
May 16
10:30am, 2:00pm & 7:00pm
May 17
2:00pm (TZ Special)

NORTH BATTLEFORD

Civic Arena (TZ Show)
May 20
4:15pm & 7:30pm



SASKATOON

Prairieland Park (Hall C)
May 22
4:15pm & 7:30pm
May 23
12:00pm, 4:00pm & 7:30pm
May 24
2:00pm (TZ Special)

HUMBOLDT

Uniplex
May 26
4:15pm & 7:30pm

YORKTON

Gallagher Centre
May 28
10:30am, 4:15pm & 7:30pm

REGINA

Armoury Lot (Tent)
May 29
4:15pm & 7:30pm
May 30
12:00pm, 4:00pm & 7:30pm
May 31
2:00pm (TZ Special)

AN EXCERPT FROM GENERAL ORDER NO. 1: 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.

§503.10 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 Board of Directors and Trustees has been first obtained.

Now, therefore, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. 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.
- (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 mailed to the Executive Vice President, Imperial Council. Further, such written material pertaining to the fundraising activity, as requested by the Executive Vice President, Imperial Council shall be promptly mailed to him.

2. Fundraising for Charitable Purposes:

- (a) No Noble (in his capacity as a Shriner), club, unit, organization of Nobles or affiliated or appendant corporations shall engage in any charitable fundraising activity other than for Shriners Hospitals for Children, and said activity shall not be in the jurisdiction of any other temple. Permission therefore must be first obtained in writing from the temple potentate. The temple potentate must then obtain written permission from the Chairmen of the Boards of Directors and Trustees. This request for written permission shall be sent to the Executive Vice President, Imperial Council, P.O. Box 31356, Tampa, FL 33631-3356.

However, a joint charitable fundraising activity with another §501(c)(3) charity may be authorized provided that a minimum of 50% of the net proceeds are for the benefit of Shriners Hospitals for Children, and the Chairmen of the Boards of Directors and Trustees determine, on a case by case basis, that it is in the best interest of Shriners Hospitals for Children and they grant their written permission for the activity.

- (b) 100% of net proceeds (as defined in the Charitable Fund Raising-Approval And Reporting provisions of any existing General Order) from charitable fundraising must be given to Shriners Hospitals for Children except for such portion thereof as may be permitted to be retained for the temple Shrine Hospital Patient

Transportation Fund, pursuant to the Special Purpose Funds provisions of any existing General Order. Provided, however, if the Chairmen of the Boards of Directors and Trustees determine for good cause shown, that the law of the land requires that a portion of the net proceeds must be distributed locally, then they may, if they determine it to be in the best interest of Shriners Hospitals for Children, grant their written permission for such distribution.

- (c) The temple shall report the result of each charitable fundraising activity within sixty days of the activity, pursuant to the Charitable Fund Raising-Approval And Reporting provision of any existing General Order.
- (d) This section shall not apply to activities exempt under §335.4(b) of the bylaws of The Imperial Council.
- (e) Each independent corporation or entity that receives the permission of the Chairmen of the Boards of Directors and Trustees to raise money for Shriners Hospitals for Children, and which does not have its financial statements reviewed pursuant to §334.6 & §337.8 of the bylaws of The Imperial Council, shall have its financial statements audited by a certified, chartered or licensed public accountant and shall submit such audit report to The Imperial Council within 120 days of the activity.

3. Statement of Purpose and Disclosure:

- (a) Every fundraising activity must contain factual information on its solicitation material, tickets, programs and documents, including all electronically transmitted materials, regarding the use of the proceeds.

Examples:

"Proceeds are for the benefit of (_____ Shriners) (_____ Shrine Club) activities."

"Proceeds are for the benefit of Shriners Hospitals for Children."

- (b) Every fundraising activity which is not entirely for the benefit of Shriners Hospitals for Children shall prominently state on the solicitation material, tickets and documents that "payments are not deductible as charitable contributions."
- (c) There must be compliance with the Revenue Act of 1987 provision of any existing general order by U.S. temples.

4. Compliance with Applicable Laws:

It is the responsibility of the temple potentate, after receiving the advice of the temple attorney, to determine that there is compliance with all applicable laws in its jurisdiction for the temple's fundraising activities.

5. Financial Records:

- (a) The temple shall maintain detailed financial records pertaining to all fundraising activities involving Nobles, clubs, units, organizations of Nobles and affiliated and appendant corporations. Details of all revenues and expenditures shall be maintained in such financial records.
- (b) The temple must retain such detailed financial records for a period of seven (7) years.
- (c) There must be compliance with *Financial Reporting on Charitable Funds and Activities* provision of any existing general order.

6. Notification to Nobility:

A copy of the *Fundraising Activities* provisions of any existing general order shall be printed in the temple publication at least once every calendar year. If there is no temple publication, then a copy shall be mailed to each Noble in the temple not later than the last day in March of each calendar year.

7. Discipline:

Any officer, Noble or temple which violates a provision of *Fundraising Activities* is subject to discipline pursuant to the bylaws of The Imperial Council.

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WHO WE ARE

Imperial Sir Douglas Maxwell
Notes from a recent speech



We are often asked by Reporters...
“Why do you Shriners... Give away
your care”

Well... its because we were all “Free Ma-
sons”

Puzzling look by the reporters... and
then... so “who are these Free Masons”

Well... History says... we were the
Builders of King Solomon’s Temple a
few thousand years ago

But we can realistically trace our early
years to the Renaissance Era; over 600
years ago... we were the Builders of the
“Cathedrals of Europe”. It was a time
before “Certificates of Recognition”,
more commonly called “College De-
grees”, and so the only way a man
could be known... to really being the
“Builder”.... he claimed he was... by
giving a certain Handshake or “Grip”
and speak a certain “word”.... To prove
who he was... A “True Master Mason
Builder” (A Free Mason).

Later in time... These Builders decided
to allow other good men of the commu-
nity, such as the Mayor, the doctor, the
chief of police, etc, to join this frater-
nity of men... and then this became
known as “**The Ancient** (from King
Solomon’s Time) **Free** (they were free
men- not slaves) and **Accepted Ma-
sons**”.

Fast forward to about 233 years ago,
1776 to be exact

The American Revolution was very
much a Masonic Event

The Boston Tea Party was planned in St
Andrews Lodge of Free Masons in Bos-
ton

Their Leader... Paul Revere... was the
Junior Warden (2nd vice-president of the
Lodge)

All of the “Indians” were... Free Ma-
sons

About 13 years later, on April 30th,
1989... in a place near the Grand Lodge

of New York... on lower Manhattan
Island of New York City... our First
President of the United States... George
Washington, a Free Mason... took the
“Oath of Office” on the Bible from the
Grand Lodge of New York... held by
the Grand Master of New York...
Chancellor Livingston... the State of
New York’s highest Judicial Officer

Present at that inauguration were all of
the Governors of the original 13
states... all Free Masons

In Fact.... Of the 44 Presidents of the
United States... 14 of these were Free
Masons... one third of them... including
Theodore Roosevelt, Franklin Roose-
velt, Harry Truman, and Gerald Ford
and the Right Honourable John G.
Diefenbaker of Canada.

Statesman Benjamin Franklin and
many of the signers of the “Declaration
of Independence” were all Free Masons.
In Canada there was Prime Minister the
Rt. Hon. John G. Diefenbaker.

Explorers... Lewis and Clark, Jim
Bowie,

Kit Carson, Davy Crocket, and Sam
Houston... all men of “Vision and Char-
acter” ... belonged to our “Craft”

Movie Makers... Daryl Zanuck, Cecil
B. DeMille, and Louis B. Mayer

Entertainers... Gene Autry, George
Cohen, Burl Ives, John Phillip Sousa,
Irving Berlin

Actors... Clark Gable, John Wayne,
Richard Tyson

Military Leaders... Admiral Richard
Byrd, Charles Lindbergh, General
Douglas McArthur

Astronauts... Gus Grissom, Buzz
Aldrin, and John Glenn (also a 33rd de-
gree Mason”),

About 137 years ago, in 1872, 13 Free-
masons in New York City, said they
truly appreciated what Free Masonry
was all about... but they wanted an aux-
iliary organization that was a little more
“Fun”.

So a Doctor and an Actor began this
“Organization” called Shriners with a
unique “Arabic Motif” to attract atten-
tion.

This new group of “Fun Loving Free
Masons”, now calling themselves... the
“Ancient Arabic Order of Nobles of the
Mystic Shrine”... was everything you
ever heard about “Shriners”... bands
playing at all hours of the day and
“Night”, water balloons out of the
“Hotel Windows at their Conventions”,
Motor Cycles thru the Hotel Lobby’s...
once motorcycles were invented.

About 50 years into this new groups
existence, 87 years ago... in 1922, the
Shriners at their “Annual Meeting”,
stated that no one was taking care of
Children with Polio, so they decided to
“Pass the Hat” among themselves, to
get the money to start some hospitals.
Then they went to some “Medical
Schools” and asked some Doctors to
help us take care of these children... and
**“We will never charge the Family for
any of this Care”.**

87 years later we have taken care of
over 830,000 children in the fields of
Orthopedics, Burns, Spinal Cord Inju-
ries, and more recently Cleft Lip and
Palate.

**For this Mission of “Taking Care of
these Children in Need”**, we need to
continue to tell this story through the
“Activities” such as our:

- 1) Justin Timberlake/Shriners Hospitals
for Children PGA golf tournament,
- 2) Our 84th playing of our Shrine East/
West All-Star Football Classic,
- 3) Events such as Nascar Race Driver
David Reagan having our “SHC Logo”
on his Race Car,
- 4) And all the other “Public Fund Rais-
ing Events”... that we have been doing
since 1922.

Notes from the Drum Corps

While the Corps has missed providing an update as to our activities in the last couple Warblings, that does not mean that we have not been active.

We launched into our 2009 year with the election of our new executive consisting of Nobles Brad Wilson – President; Gord Rubin – Treasurer; Bill Smith, Secretary; Don McDougall, Lieutenant; Bill Watkins, Sergeant.

While we said temporary farewell to the members who become snowbirds, for those of us who toughed out the winter nights, the Corps organized a fun social evening in February honouring our Ladies who support us with such dedication in our cause. Well, maybe the word fun depends on your point of view, Ladies or Nobles. The evening began pleasant enough with the Nobles being “lured” to the event with promises of a social followed by a supper, both of which were excellent. Soon, however, it became evident that the Ladies were intent on putting the Nobles “on trial” for their many alleged transgressions over the past two years. The trap was sprung as the exits were sealed and the judges, jury, prosecutors and police showed up, eager to bring the might of the “Ladies Law” to all of the Nobles who had alleged transgressions, which strangely enough seemed to be the entire Corps. The judges and jury showed no mercy as Noble after Noble was quickly tried, convicted and sentenced to some form of immediate punishment. Even Past Potes were not spared from their wrath – matter of fact I think being a Past Pote was more of a hindrance than a help. Some of the many many many alleged transgressions were: forgetting one’s fez, marching out of step, talking too much, not talking enough, etc etc (I think you

get the picture). When all was said and done it turned out to be a truly fun evening. On the bright side, all the Nobles have pledged to follow the straight and narrow path and cease all these terrible transgressions – at least while the Ladies are around!



Here come Da Judges



Here comes Da Jury



Here comes Da Typical Punishment – these Nobles were all bad.

Our thanks are extended to all those who supported the Corps Pasta Night in mid March. It was another sell out event with ample amounts of tasty pasta. If you missed this event, there will be another Pasta Night in the fall – keep your eyes open for tickets.

The Corps congratulates Noble Roy Gaebel on his business – Gaebel’s Brewhouse & Offsale – for the winning of the Regina Torch award sponsored by The Better Business Bureau of Saskatchewan. The award was in the Hospitality and Personal Service category. Well done Noble Roy and Lady Jean as we know he couldn’t have done it without your support.

With the snowbirds back, some sporting nice tans and some without, the Corps is once again on the practice field learning yet another new show. We are bringing back some favourite music and some “fancy” new steps are being designed by our marching director, Noble Ken McDougall. Our kudos to Noble Ken for being able to not only design the various floor movements but for his “patience” in successfully herding what must seem like a bunch of cats who forget their left from their right from one week to the next. Actually we don’t really forget, we just do it to mess with Ken!

The Corps annual Lobster night is upcoming on May 9th. Already it appears to be another sell out event as ticket demand is high. We anticipate another successful fund raiser for the Shrine.

Our Lieutenant Noble Don McDougall is busy lining up show and parade dates for the spring and summer and once again it looks like we have a very busy summer schedule ahead of us.

That’s all for now from the Corps!

*Submitted by
Noble Marlowe Smith*

Hospital Report

Date: April 15, 2009
Period: Jan 1, 2009 to April 15, 2009

Clubs & Patient Trips Booked to Date:

Regina Shrine Club	9
Saskatoon Shrine Club	6
Moose Jaw Shrine Club	1
Estevan Shrine Club	7
Battlefords Shrine Club	
Indian Head	1
Swift Current	
Weyburn	
Parkland	2
WynEIWa	
Goose Lake	
TOTAL	26

Patient files:

Active patient files Jan.1, 2009	69
Current active patient files	69
New patients,	
No longer patients	
Re-instated.	

Number of trips to hospitals booked:

Montreal	24
Chicago	
Cincinnati	
Twin Cities	1
Winnipeg Clinic	1
Total	26



The satellite clinic in Winnipeg is now up and running I believe they are going to try one clinic a month. This has created some new opportunities for us. Patients can go and return by air in the same day. We have sent 1 patient to Winnipeg this year and have 1 more patient waiting for a booking in Winnipeg. The patient that went drove from Regina and took advantage of a little more time away. One of the big advantages of driving is an increase in freedom of coming and going on your own time frames. We do give a gas allowance for those driving themselves.

If you are aware of a potential patient please forward their name to me. If they have an E-mail address that would be very helpful as I like to do most of my correspondence by computer. When I get their name I will send a package of

information to them and the same package to you so you know they have it and you know what I have sent. It is then up to you to follow up and see if there are any problems or questions related to applying. If there is a question you cannot answer I will be more than happy to help out. The personal touch they get from a local Shriner is extremely valuable in the application process.

If you have any questions related to the hospital or patient application processes feel free to contact me.

Respectfully Submitted

Dr. Brian Donbrook P.P.

WA WA Shriners Hospital Chairman.

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Carter is on his feet and cruising

Article published in The Estevan Mercury on Wednesday March 25, 2009

It was a night to celebrate so members of the local Shriners gathered at the home of Mike and Jennifer Brown for an Impromptu pizza party last Saturday. The cause of the celebration was the fact that two-year-old Carter Brown was now on his feet (with the assistance of some walking frame wheels) and was quite mobile. Vernon "Butch" McLean, a member of the Shriners who were involved in providing financial and physical assistance for the Brown family for several trips to the Montreal Shriners Children's Hospital, said it was great to see the youngster "on his feet and nothing's holding him back now. He's got wheels." Most recently the Brown family spent a week in Montreal with Carter as he received final treatments (at least for now) to correct what is commonly referred to as brittle bone disease. The affliction had put him in deep jeopardy since birth since he was in constant pain and susceptible to bone breaks at every turn. "Jennifer reported back that he is now at 100 per cent bone den-



Enjoying a pizza party and cruise night with two-year-old Carter Brown last Saturday were members of the Shriners who gathered with the Brown family in their home to celebrate the fact that Carter was now on his feet and overcoming his brittle bone disease. Back, left to right: Vernon McLean, Robert Coleman and Reed Gibson. Front: Lawrence Benard, Mike Brown (father) and Paul Deren (grandfather) along with Carter.

sity," said McLean. Carter was sent to Montreal for his first treatment about one month after he was born and he is now two years old plus three months, so it's been a battle, and one that has been made a whole lot easier through the Shriner support and financial intervention. "He will be going back as he grows, and during his treatment the family needed to go to Montreal several times, so this was a landmark," said McLean. He's in leg braces and he's using the wheeled walker, but he's moving forward with determination and that was reason enough to haul out the celebratory salutes and pizza slices on Saturday, said McLean. The local Shriners have continued to provide funds and other support for a total of nine youngsters in this region who have battled similar problems or other health related obstacles that can be treated in one of several Shriners Hospitals that are located throughout North America.

Rise & Shrine!

Parkland Shrine

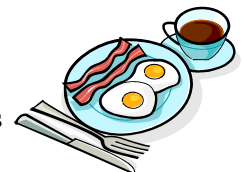
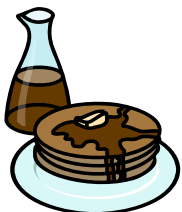


Parkland Shrine Club are doing something new for our monthly meetings. The day was changed to Saturday mornings and we start with a breakfast - pancakes, eggs, sausages and bacon. A goal is to attract more members to the meetings by making it more interesting than just a meeting. The meetings are open to all Nobles. The first event was Saturday, February 21st with 17 Nobles attending (double the usual number) and then Saturday, March

21st with 8 Nobles present. We had some competition that weekend with Canada Cup curling in Yorkton. Our next meeting is planned for April, in Kamsack and the meeting will be followed with soup and sandwiches.

March 18th was our annual Irish Stew supper event with 47 Nobles, Ladies, Masons, Royal Arch, Eastern Star and guests present. Excellent stew, good social and we viewed a DVD on Shrine Hospitals.

Submitted by
Noble Randy & Noble Murray Williams



Saskatoon Shriners and Guests visit to Mobile Nobles of El Zaribah Shrine Centre

Submitted by Noble Craig Inkster



Saskatoon Shriner, Noble John McPhail (President of Mobile Nobles shrine Club), Lady Helen McPhail and Saskatoon Shriner, Noble Glen Burt & Lady Phylis are seen dining with El Zareba Potentate, Illustrious Sir Jim Miller and Lady Jackie.



Other Saskatoon Nobles are Noble Gordon and Lady Janet McGonigle, Noble Craig Inkster and Lady Lucy . Noble Bob Young of Weyburn & Lady Helen. Guests are Murray & Delilah Westby of Watrous. Great Party and Great People.



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BURN PREVENTION PRESENTATIONS

An ounce of prevention

Article from the April 3rd Estevan Lifestyles Publication



The WA WA Shriners recently conducted burn prevention presentations in each of Estevan's six elementary schools. Ken Eskdale, the Shrine's stop burn injury chairman, talked about how young people can avoid burns, and what they should do during a fire.

Estevan Fire Services volunteer firefighters demonstrated the gear and the equipment they use while fighting fires.



Fire Safety

Ken Eskdale, the stop burns injury chairman for the Wa Wa Shriners of Saskatchewan, was in Estevan last week to speak with local students about fire safety and what to do in the event of a fire. Eskdale made stops at all of the city's elementary schools including Westview School which he visited on Friday.

*Excerpt from The Estevan Mercury
April 1, 2009 edition*

WA WA PROVINCIAL SHRINE GOLF

Hosted by Cypress Shrine Club, Maple Creek, SK July 17, 18, & 19th, 2009

Open to all Shriners & Ladies and Masons & Ladies.

Texas Scramble Golf, 18 holes/day

Friday, July 17th Registration & Social - 7 pm -10pm Legion Hall

Saturday, July 18th Shotgun Tee-Off – 9am Maple Creek Golf Course
Lunch - Noon - Golf Course, Banquet 6:30 pm Legion Hall
Investment Seminar 8:00pm

Sunday, July 19th Shotgun Tee-Off - 8am Maple Creek Golf Course
Lunch - Noon - Golf Course
Presentations - 2:30pm

Cost Golfer - \$160 includes cart and meals
Non-Golfer - \$40.00 Meals only

Hotel rooms blocked under 'Shriners Golf' until 15 June or until gone, book early

Cypress Hills Motor Inn 662-2639 rates \$64.00 - \$100.00

Maple Grove Motel 662- 2658 \$40.00 - \$100.00

Also rooms available but not blocked

Commercial Hotel 662-2673

Camping – Willow Bend Campground - \$30.00 Full service

Eagle Valley Campground - rate unknown, full service

Cypress Hills Provincial Park rates unknown, part service

ENTRY FORM

WA WA Provincial Golf - Maple Creek, Sask. July 17, 18, & 19th, 2009

Man's Name _____ Handicap or averages score (18 holes) _____

Lady's Name _____ Handicap or averages score (18 holes) _____

Address _____ Phone _____

City/Town _____ Postal Code _____

Golfer \$160 _____ Non-Golfer \$40 _____

Make cheques payable to Cypress Shrine Club: P.O. Box 1673, Maple Creek, SK S0N 1N0

Moosomin Shrine Club News

The membership of Moosomin Shrine Club are saddened to report the passing, after lengthy illness, of Lady Leona [Lee] Mills, wife of our President, Noble Bob Mills. Our sympathy to Noble Bob and family. Noble Bob has also had a minor heart attack to deal with and we wish him a full recovery. Noble Barrie Davidson has stepped up to handle Bob's responsibilities, in his absence.

Our 'You Are Being Served' project is nearing completion with the final dinners scheduled for late April. This project was once again a great success, both as a fundraiser and as wonderful public relations. Thanks to Noble Les Gerhardt, project chair, the host Nobles and Ladies as well as to other Nobles and Ladies who assist them!

Noble Bill Thorn has this year's Rose Day project well organized, and we hope to exceed last year's total of 450 dozen in sales.

Work on replacing the brake systems on our Go-Carts has been planned and will be done in the very near future. Nobles Don Middleton, Ken Miskiman and Les Gerhardt are leading that effort. Noble Les continues on as Patrol Captain and is booking parades for this season.

Once again the Patrol is in demand and we will attend as many as possible. The Patrol is another great public relations success for Moosomin Club.

Nobles enjoyed a special 'German meal' at our April meeting. Nobles Ray Norgan and Les Gerhardt cooked smoked sausage, sauerkraut, perogies and all the trimmings! Les even provided warm 'home-made' apple and blueberry pies, with ice cream. As an extra touch Les packaged the pies in fancy boxes like you see in the frozen food section at the grocery store!

Our Club is delivering 'Meals-on-Wheels' for the month of April. This is much appreciated in the community and especially by those who enjoy the meals and a quick 'hello' from a Shriner.

We are please to have two candidates for the Shrine, who will attend the Ceremonial in Saskatoon. At least one more individual is interested in becoming a Mason and joining the Shrine Club. Our efforts to encourage new members continues.

*Submitted by
Noble Phil Hamm*



What is it? What does it do? Why does it exist?



Job's Daughters is an organization for young women that teaches a philosophy of life based on the life of Job, in the Old Testament. It says that in all the land there were no women so fair as the daughters of Job, and that to be fair is to do good.

At meetings, the Daughters take part in ceremonies of the Order which are traditional and beautiful. Each Daughter wears a white Grecian gown and is given a specific role within the Bethel, each role being as essential as the rest. Music and poetry are also a crucial part of our ceremonies, such as Opening, Closing, Initiation, and Majority. In the business portion of our meeting, we teach and practice parliamentary procedures, public speaking, protocol, diplomacy, as well as keeping minutes and financial records.

There are many beneficial

experiences for our members, such as learning co-operation, poise and confidence; We also collect friendships, memories, and everlasting connection to the organization. Through our fundraising activities, such as serving at banquets and assisting sales; We gain practical experience while having fun and making friends. In Job's Daughters, almost any occasion is a good reason to get together socially for all kinds of fun activities and good food!

Did you know that Job's Daughters is involved in many charitable activities too? We contribute our time and efforts to raise funds for worthwhile causes, both locally and worldwide. We do this in a manner which we can be proud of.

In our Organization, each Daughter is given a unique opportunity for self-development. We welcome girls of all

religions and nationalities, between the ages of 10 and 20. Our only requirement are that she abide by the standards of good behaviour and that she is related to a member in good standing, living or deceased, of any Masonic Lodge. Parents are an intricate part of our Order and are welcomed at all functions and meetings. We also have a Jobie-to-be Program for younger girls that are interested in joining Job's Daughters. Although they cannot be a part of our meetings, they are invited to every fun activity, which our Bethel plans.

We exist in the hope that we can help make a better world through strong and capable women. If interested or have further questions, please contact Michelle Schlosser, 581-3051 or by email at, Michelle.Schlosser@hotmail.com

WA WA Regina Ladies Auxiliary

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Our Annual Chili night was held Friday Jan. 30th. This was a fun evening with the tasting of 14 different chili's entered in the competition. Winners were as follows 3rd place – Al Strand , 2nd place – Terry Yanko & Paul Johnson, 1st place – Jill & Don McDougall.

Congeniality Cup was won by Cheryl & Bill Squires.

Our Dinner meeting will be held Monday May 25th at Seven Oaks at 6:00 pm. Ladies mark this date on your calendar as we would like to see you there.

Circus dates are listed below. We will need help with phoning, making sandwiches and on Circus days to help the Nobles in the Tent.

DATE 2009

Mon, April 27th

EVENT *Regina*

1:30pm Regular Meeting - Shrine Centre

Mon, May 25th

6:00pm Dinner Meeting - Seven Oaks

Circus

Fri, May 29th

Sat, May 30th

Sun, May 31st

****Show times may change**

4:15pm & 7:30pm

12:00pm, 4:00pm & 7:30pm

2:00pm

Fri, June 5th

Sat, June 6th

Ceremonial - Saskatoon

Ceremonial - Saskatoon

Mon, September 28th

Get Acquainted Dinner - Time & Place TBA

IN MEMORIAM

Frank Widdifield Age: 87
Box 234
Cabri, SK S0N 0J0
Deceased: March 2009
Initiated: June 19, 1971

John David Phillips Age: 82
1213 - 8th Ave NW
Moose Jaw, SK S6H 4G5
Deceased: January 4, 2009
Initiated: June 14, 1968

Walter Huculak Age: 86
Box 1167
Maple Creek, SK S0N 1N0
Deceased: April 3, 2009
Initiated: June 24, 1983



H. Grant McKenzie, P.P. Age: 90
4850 McTavish St
Regina, SK S4S 6T1
Deceased: March 6, 2009
Initiated: June 24, 1966

Jack Edmond Moore Age: 84
2528 Elphinstone St
Regina, SK S4S 0J6
Deceased: April 2, 2009
Initiated: June 16, 1972

Evert H. Near Age: 96
Box 724
Kindersley, SK S0L 1S0
Deceased: April 12, 2009
Initiated: June 18, 1960

Anqet Temple #123, Daughters of the Nile



Past Queen Sharon Hester of Maple Creek was installed as Queen of Anqet Temple No. 123, Daughters of the Nile, on

April 4th in the Red Room of the Regina Masonic Temple. Past Queen Myrle Grainger, Regina was the Installing Queen, assisted by Past Queen Elda Bacon, Ogema as Installing Marshal; Pr. Florence Steininger, Regina as Installing Chaplain; Past Queen Lyn Smith, North Battleford and Pr. Dionne Edwards, Regina as Installing Attendants and Past Queen Iris Dutton, Regina as Installing Musician.

Other officers installed were: Jr. Past Queen, Kay Blydo, Swift Current; Pr. Royal, PQ Mary Myers, Elrose; Pr. Badoura, Pr. Betty Cumming, Regina; Pr. Recorder, PQ Audrey Forrest, Regina and Pr. Banker, PQ Hayven Bing-Wo, Regina. Appointed Officers installed were: Pr. Sylvia Thomson, Biggar as Pr. Marshal; Pr. Vivian Skuce, Saskatoon as Lady of the Keys; Pr. Kayla Pizzy, Saskatoon as Lady of the Gates; Pr. Joyce Smith, Swift Current as Pr. Nydia; Pr. Esther Sandercock, Southey as Pr. Zulieka; Pr. Joyce Stadnick, Regina as Pr. Zora; Pr. Bep Hamer, Swift Current as Pr. Zuliema; Pr. Marina Onclin and Pr. Patricia Robinson, Saskatoon as Attendants. Absent and to be installed at a later date: Pr. Darleen Kryski, Yorkton as Pr. Tirzah;

Pr. Carol Janzen, Saskatoon as Pr. Chaplain; Pr. Betty Moore, Regina as Pr. Zenobia; and Pr. Margaret Cobb, Regina as Pr. Musician.

The D.O.N. Singers presented a specially written song in tribute to Queen Sharon and members of the Aurora Club also entertained in her honour.

Following the Closed Installation, a regular Stated Session of Anqet Temple No. 123 took place, after which members and guests enjoyed a wonderful dinner prepared by members of Bethel No. 10, Job's Daughters.

Anqet Temple No. 123 received its Charter from the Supreme Temple Daughters of the Nile on May 29, 1959. In her remarks, Queen Sharon Hester stated that this golden time symbolizes optimism and strength, with each day a new beginning. The Temple will host a 50th Anniversary Celebration on September 15th in Regina, at the time of the Official Visit of the Supreme Queen of the Supreme Temple, Daughters of the Nile. A committee is working hard to ensure that all those attending this special celebration will enjoy the festivities to the fullest.

*Submitted by
PQ Audrey Forrest
Princess Recorder*



Past Queen Sharon Hester



Aurora Club members present a musical tribute to Queen Sharon Hester



Queen Sharon Hester and newly installed Officers of Anqet Temple No. 123, Regina

Weyburn District Shrine Club

Our Club is very small with a membership of only 14 Nobles. We are constantly looking for new members but to no luck so far. We are planning to have a membership night in May but at present we have no specific date.

In 2008 we participated in 5 parades consisting of Ceremonial, Weyburn Fair parade, Ogema Fair parade, Creelman Fair parade and

Bengough parade with an average of 6 riders at each parade.

We held a burger and hot dog sale at the Weyburn Coop in July making a profit of \$282.89.

At our annual meeting in October Illustrious Sir Richard Brown Installed the Officers for 2009 as follows: President – Brad Barlow; Vice-President – Arnold Maki and Dick

Gutfriend as Secretary Treasurer.

Now that most of our members are home from the sunny south our next meeting will be on May 21st in Weyburn at which time we will be making plans for the parade season, the burger and hot dog sale and our summer steak fry.

*Respectfully submitted
Ill. Sir Dick Gutfriend*



PARADE LIST

MAY	1 to 3	Regina Pipes and Drums	Band Camp Moose Jaw
	30	Cypress SC	Maple Creek Rodeo Parade
JUNE	30	Indian Head Steel Band	Seniors Home Regina
	4	Regina Pipes and Drums	Mosaic Scot Pavilion Regina
	5	Regina Pipes and Drums	Shrine-a-Rama Saskatoon
	5	Regina Drum Corps	Shrine-a-Rama Saskatoon
	5	Goose Lake SC	Shrine-a-Rama Saskatoon
	5	Indian Head Steel Band	Shrine-a-Rama Saskatoon
	6	Indian Head Steel Band	Ceremonial Saskatoon
	6	Regina Drum Corps	Ceremonial Saskatoon
	6	Goose Lake SC	Ceremonial Saskatoon
	6	Regina Pipes and Drums	Sons of Scotland-Mosaic Regina
	18	Regina Drum Corps	Moose Jaw Parade
	19	Regina Pipes and Drums	Special Olympic Games Regina
	20	Indian Head Steel Band	Tisdale Parade
	24	Regina Pipes and Drums	RCMP Sunset Ceremonies Regina
JULY	27	Regina Drum Corps	Indian Head Parade
	27	Cypress SC Swift Current	Pioneer Days Parade
	27	Indian Head Steel Band	Indian Head Parade
	1	Indian Head Steel Band	Fort Qu'Appelle Parade
	1	Regina Pipes and Drums	RCMP Sunset Ceremonies
	1	Estevan Skooter Unit	Beinfait Parade
	2	Estevan Skooter Unit	Estevan Parade
	4	Indian Head Steel Band	Dysart Parade
	4	Regina Drum Corps	Montmartre 100 Anniversary Parade
	14	Regina Pipes and Drums	RCMP Sunset Ceremonies
	18	Goose Lake SC	Rosetown Parade
	18	Regina Pipes and Drums	Manor Parade Manor (AM)
	18	Regina Pipes and Drums	Nursing Home Manor (PM)
	18	Estevan Skooter Unit	Manor Parade (AM)
	18	Estevan Skooter Unit	Roche Percee Parade (PM)
	22	Regina Drum Corps	Concert Medicine Hat
	22	Indian Head Steel Band	Concert Medicine Hat
	23	Indian Head Steel Band	Medicine Hat Parade
	23	Regina Drum Corps	Medicine Hat Parade
	23	Cypress SC	Medicine Hat Parade
	24	Regina Drum Corps	Medicine Hat Parade
	24	Indian Head Steel Band	Medicine Hat Parade
	28	Regina Pipes and Drums	RCMP Sunset Ceremonies
AUGUST	1	Regina Drum Corps	Buffalo Days Parade Regina
	1	Regina Pipes and Drums	Bulyea Parade & Ceremonies
	1	Estevan Skooter Unit	Lampman Parade
	1	Indian Head Steel Band	Wolseley Parade
	11	Regina Pipes and Drums	RCMP Sunset Ceremonies
	17/18	Indian Head Steel Band	Lethbridge AB Parade
	20	Regina Drum Corps Parade	MSA Rochester MN
	20	Regina Pipes and Drums Parade	MSA Rochester MN
	21	Regina Drum Corps	Competitions MSA Rochester MN
	21	Regina Pipes and Drums	Competitions MSA Rochester MN
SEPT	22	Regina Drum Corps Parade	MSA Rochester MN
	22	Regina Pipes and Drums Parade	MSA Rochester MN
	7	Regina Drum Corps	Duck Derby Parade Lumsden
	7	Regina Pipes and Drums	Duck Derby Parade Lumsden
	26	Goose Lake SC	Kindersley Parade

June 6th - Shriners International Membership Day

Join Together to Celebrate
Shriners International Awareness Day

Mark your calendars and start making plans!

Shriners International Awareness Day is coming up on June 6, and nobles around the world are encouraged to participate in this exciting opportunity to celebrate the fraternity and recognize the day the Imperial Council was founded - June 6, 1876. The Imperial Council is the governing body of Shriners International.

On June 6, Shriners everywhere are asked to wear their fez, if appropriate,



or a hat, shirt, lapel pin or other item with the fraternal logo to help recognize fellow nobles and increase awareness about Shriners International. Many Shriners are also organizing special events at their temples and in their communities.

"The goal of Shriners International Awareness Day is for each and every noble to join together for one purpose - to support our great fraternity," said Imperial Membership Committee Chairman George Mitchell. "Shriners International Awareness Day is an

opportunity for us to increase awareness about Shriners International while celebrating the fraternity's impressive achievements over the past 137 years. The first Shrine temple opened in New York City in 1872."

Here are a few ways nobles can participate in Shriners International Awareness Day:

- * Wear their fez on Shriners International Awareness Day when appropriate (during an official Shriners function).

- * Show pride in Shriners International by wearing a hat, shirt, lapel pin or other item with the fraternal logo.

- * Organize an event in your local community. Invite the public to participate in the event to increase awareness about the local temple and Shriners International.



- * Contact the Temple Recorder or Public Relations Chairman to order copies of the Shriner Primer. Hand out

copies to neighbours, friends, family members and any one else who may be interested in learning more about Shriners International and Shriners Hospitals for Children.

- * Refer people in the community to our website at www.wawashriners.org

- * Contact one of the Shriners Hospitals for Children to schedule a tour. Organize a group tour for local nobles, family members or interested community members.



This international day of recognition, every June 6th, will continue to be an opportunity for Shriners to share information about the fraternity, its history and the benefits of becoming a part of an organization dedicated to fun, fellowship and philanthropic support.



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2009 M.S.A. SUMMER SESSION

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19th

6:30pm Counterparts Event—Kahler Hotel Heritage Hall Ballroom

THURSDAY, AUGUST 20th

10:30am-5:00pm Marketplace Open—Mayo Civic Center Ballroom: Setup early Thursday morning

8:00am-11:00am Golf—Willow Creek Golf Course (Advance Registration NEEDED)

10:00am Counterpart Ladies Brunch & tours of Mayowood and City of Rochester—Radisson Hotel Ballroom

2:00pm Meetings of Chiefs of Staff with Provosts and all Motorized Units Captains or at least one representative of all Motorized Units—Mayo Civic Center Legion II Room

2:00pm Ceremonial Ritual—Mayo Civic Center Presentation Hall

2:00pm-4:00pm Women's Auxiliary Tea—Mayo Civic Center North Lobby. ALL Ladies invited!

3:00pm Meeting of Captains or at least one representative of all Motorized Units—Mayo Civic Center Legion I Room

5:00pm Parade Line-up—Byron, MN Elementary School

5:45pm Parade followed by Oasis—Byron American Legion

FRIDAY AUGUST 21st

8:00am-6:00pm Marketplace Open—May Civic Center Ballroom

8:00am-3:00pm Competitions & Exhibitions

Horse Patrols—Fairgrounds Horse Arena

Motor Corps—Shoppes on Maine Center, US 63 South, 40th St exit, Left (East) to right to Theater Parking Lot Area

Clowns—Apache Mall, Santa Court

Band & Marching Units—Apache Mall Parking Lots

10:00am-4:00pm Special Degrees—Mayo Civic Center Legion, Mayo & Elliott Suites

11:30am-2:30pm Ladies General Luncheon—Kahler Hotel Heritage Hall

6:00pm Banquet—Mayo Civic Center Exhibition Hall (Advance Registration NEEDED-LIMITED SPACE)

8:00pm Shrine A Rama—Mayo Civic Center Auditorium (FREE TICKET INCLUDED IN REGISTRATION)

SATURDAY, AUGUST 22nd

7:00am-10:00am Unit Breakfasts—Various Locations, TBA

10:00am Parade Line-up—Mayo High School South Parking Lot

11:00am Parade Followed by Bon Voyage Oasis—Fairgrounds

WA WA Registration & Housing MSA2009

The 2009 M.S.A. Summer Session is being held in Rochester, MN from Thursday, August 20th to Sunday, August 22nd. In order to confirm your accommodations and ticket requirements, completion of the following form by each Noble is required. Shrine Centre will do the online registration. Please answer ALL questions.

Name of Noble: _____ Unit: _____ Telephone #: _____

Will your Lady be accompanying you? Yes () No () Lady's Name: _____

Unit Widows (add name here, complete section below): _____

If your Lady is not going to accompany you, are you willing to share accommodations with another Noble?

Yes () No () Noble's Name: _____

Type of Accommodation requested: Smoking: Yes () No ()

Single with Queen or King size bed: Yes () No ()

Double with two beds: Yes () No ()

If you require accommodation other than the nights of Thu, Aug 20th and Fri, Aug 21st please indicate below:

Tue, Aug 18 () Wed, Aug 19 () Sat, Aug 22 () Sun, Aug 23 ()

Please indicate any special requirements: _____

NOBLE REGISTRATION \$65.00 CA \$ _____

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(Registration includes Thu & Sat after parade Oasis, Thu Ladies Auxiliary Tea & Shrine A Rama)

Tickets available for:

Wednesday evening Counterparts \$50.00 X _____ CA \$ _____

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Friday Ladies General Luncheon \$40.00 CA \$ _____

Friday Evening Banquet \$40.00 X _____ CA \$ _____

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If you are bringing children and want them to attend their program on Friday, please indicate number of children in each age bracket for each program. Ad \$5.00 per child per program.

Age Bracket	During Ladies General Lunch	During Evening Banquet & Entertainment
Age 0-2	_____	_____
Age 3-5	_____	_____
Age 6-10	_____	_____
Age 11 & Over	_____	_____ CA \$ _____

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Locations:

SSC – Saskatoon Shrine Club
1021 Saskatchewan Crescent W.

BES – Bessborough Hotel
601 Spadina Crescent

NU – Nutana Curling Club
2002 Arlington Avenue

Ladies Dinner

5:00pm Reception Terrace Room
Delta Bessborough

5:30-7:30 Dinner Terrace Room

8:00 -9:00pm Motorized Units perform
in front of **BES**

Ladies Breakfast

9:30- 10:30am SSC (Shuttle Service
from **BES**)

3:00pm Fezzing Ceremony and
Candidates Photos
William Pascoe Room, **BES**
Open to All

Friday JUNE 5th

SSC

2:00 – 5:00pm Candidates -
Registration and Medicals

5:00 - 5:30pm Overview of the Shrine

5:30 – 6:30pm Candidates Dinner (By
invitation)

NOBLES

6:30- 7:30 2nd and 3rd Sections Blue
Room- Masonic Temple (**SSC**)
(All Shriners Welcome)

9:00- 11:00pm Shrine –A- Rama
Bands and Clowns perform in
Bessborough Gardens - BBQ

Saturday June 6th

Candidates

7:00am Breakfast at the **NU**
NOBLES

7:30-8:30am All Nobles Breakfast **SSC**
– hosted by Saskatoon Drum and
Bugles

8:45-10:30am 2nd Section at **NU**
11:30- Parade forms up in front of
Bessborough and side streets.

1: 00pm After Parade Lunch **SSC**

5:00pm Reception
Adams Ballroom **BES**
6:00pm Dinner and Dance

Sunday, June 7th

8:30am Farewell Breakfast **SSC**

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Name: _____

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Individual Event Tickets per person

Ladies Friday Evening Dinner

Shrine-A-Rama BBQ (Hotel Gardens)

Saturday Breakfast(s)

Saturday Lunch

Oasis Banquet and Dance

Sunday Breakfast

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