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### This Issue's Highlights:

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White Rose Celebration ▲ Dues Increases and By-Laws Changes ▲ and More!

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# POTENTATE'S MESSAGE

by Ill. Sir Jim Eaches, Sr.  
Potentate

## SHRINE IS FUN, MEMBERSHIP IS WORK!



My Lady Rosa and I are having fun and the year is moving very fast. We have had fun attending the Official Visits of several of the units and clubs; you never really know what is in store at the visits, however, they always end up being full of good fellowship and lots of laughs. Now we have to prepare for the circuses and the parade in Canon City. This being the first parade of the year we usually have a great turnout. The Legion of Honor have their uniforms all pressed and are ready to stand tall; the Potentate's Escort have their motorcycles ready; Flivvers got their cars and trucks all tuned-up; the Band has been playing year around and they are ready to go. The mules have their hoofs painted and their riders have their Stetsons all nicely shaped. Clowns are stocking up on balloons and make-up, Little T's are purring like kittens, Corvettes are polished, scooters are clean and sassy and, last but not least, the RACERS are ready to roll!

We have just returned from Little Rock, Arkansas where we attended the Central States Shrine Association business meeting. Representing Al Kaly was Chief Rabban Ron Bowen, Assistant Rabban Jim Burger and Lady Mary, Ill. Sir Dave Stevens and Lady Maddy and Lady Rosa and myself. Naturally, the business portion went smoothly and quickly, then we started into the second half of the day talking about membership.

This topic is a major concern throughout our fraternity and everyone is affected by declining membership. Here at home, the membership committee has implemented an idea which will not only help with getting new Shriners, but also help with getting new Masons. The idea is simple, invite a friend or someone you know who has an interest in what we do as a Philanthropy, shake their hands, introduce yourself (no titles and don't wear nametags) and just ask a simple question, "What can I do for you?"

If we want new members, we must engage new prospects with conversation. We need to find out what they are seeking and what their needs may be. Several of the younger prospects may not have a family in the local

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# OFFICIAL CALL OF THE POTENTATE

Notice is hereby given that the next annual meeting will be held as follows:

## Pueblo Shrine Club

June 10, 2016

Dinner: 6:30 p.m. / Meeting: 7:30 p.m.

Attest:

Bart Guthrie, P.P.  
Recorder

Jim Eaches  
Potentate



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area and look for that connection to make them feel like they belong. As Masons, we are all one big family spread throughout the world and no matter where we travel we can find our Masonic family.

By talking to new prospects we can help guide them so they may reap the most from our Fraternity. I believe if we plant the seed of Masonry in new prospects, nurture it during infancy, then guide it during adolescence the results can only be positive and we can continue to be known as the largest and oldest fraternity in the world. Brothers, reach out and shake a hand, there is a potential Mason right in front of you.

Recently Al Kaly Shriners was presented with a check for \$50,000 for the Transportation Fund from

the estate of Marilyn Geddes. Presentations such as this are always a surprise and warmly welcomed. To receive a donation from someone you never met is a humbling experience. You cannot simply reach out, shake their hand, and thank them for their support in helping our hospitals and children.

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# DUST

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### JUNE

1	Circus - Trinidad	10	Stated Meeting - Pueblo Shrine Club	17	OV Mon-Ark Shrine Club
3	Circus - Monte Vista			18	Parade - Salida
4	Circus - Durango	12	OV Band	25	Parade - Cripple Creek

### JULY

2	Parade, La Veta	10	OV, Flivvers/Little T's	30	Parade, Monte Vista
3-7	Imperial Session, Tampa, FL	16	Parade, Fowler	30	OV, Escalante SC
4	Parade, Monument	19	OV, Trinidad SC	31	OV, San Juan Basin SC
5	Pikes Peak or Bust Parade	29	OV, Sand Dunes SC		

### AUGUST

6	I-25 Speedway Night	15	Al Kaly with Sky Sox	21	Al Kaly Annual Picnic
12	OV, Southeast SC	19	Parade, Rocky Ford	24-27	CSSA, Little Rock, AR
13	Parade, Lamar	20	Parade, Armed Forces in Cripple Creek	28	Mule Train Fish Fry
14	DON White Rose Celebration				



## *The Honored Ladies Club*

by Rose Enyeart  
Secretary

*of Al Kaly*

The Honored Ladies met at the Egg and I and had a good attendance. We always enjoy visiting with others and sharing our lives. This organization is not one you choose to belong to, but we widows are grateful for its existence.

Our wonderful sponsors IS Bob and Lady Betty Burr are faithful in their attendance and support. Our Chaplain, Jeanne Gibson, is always supportive and sends wonderful cards. If you are ready to step into a new part of your life, come join us. Call Ruth Wilber-Sheaves 633-3024, if you have any questions.

*(Potentate and First Lady, continued from page 3)*

In closing, the circus season is here along with the parade season, let's not waste a single opportunity to show the public who we are and what we do.

Lady Rosa wishes to thank all the ladies who come out to support the various activities along with the individual support they have given her thus far. We both look forward to seeing all the Nobles and their ladies throughout the year whether on the sidelines of a parade, in the stands at a circus, at club meetings, official visits or fundraisers. Let's just get together and have fun the way the founders of our Great Fraternity would have wanted us to do. On To Mecca!

# Al Kaly Shrine Bazaar and Craft Show

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## *Featured Member* **Chris McMichael**

*by Rose Enyeart*

### **NEW IN THE SHRINE**

What do younger men and their families think of the Masonic Family, the Shriners in particular? How does the Shrine keep alive and thriving? Scrapbooks from 30 years ago show many different parade units and many marching Shriners. How will our great philanthropy survive into the future?

This question is being addressed by several of the newer and younger Shriners. When Nobel Chris McMichael inquired how to become a Shriner he was told he needed to become a Mason. His reply was, "What's a Mason?"

So began this young man's journey to become a Shriner. In 2013, he joined El Paso Lodge #13, where he currently serves as Junior Warden. He affiliated with #76

as well and has started his own membership campaign for his Lodges, knowing that is where Shriners and Scottish Rite members are born.

He got so involved with the Masons it took several years before he joined Al Kaly Shrine in 2015. He became involved in membership after meeting IS Jim Eaches and became inspired to reach out to other men his age. Nobel Chris and Joe Clendaniel have been appointed to the 2016 Membership Committee and for the past year had been hosting picnics at their homes until the attendance outgrew that venue. Now they are held every Sunday at the Mule Train facilities and are for prospective members and their families. Their numbers have grown from thirteen or fourteen to fifty-five recently. Their last outing at the Mule Barn brought thirty-two people.

Chris and Joe have been bringing the meat to grill at

the weekly pot lucks and they brought in a Bounce House recently for the children of the families who attend. What makes this unique is the wives and children are present and form friendships with the other families and allow those brotherhood bonds to grow in bonds of friendship and family ties. So far this year, they have generated twenty men who are already Masons or are in line to become Masons.

The Mule Train also provides an opportunity for members of the State Masonic Line and officers or members of other Masonic bodies to come, meet, and greet prospective members and their families. This recruiting tool can be used by units who are wanting to show off their units and perhaps help in the process of recruiting new members. Noble Chris also invited prospective members to the Super Bowl Party at the Colorado Springs Shrine Club. (We all remember that the BRONCOS Stomped the Panthers in that game and are the Super Bowl Champs!)



*Nobel Chris McMichael (left) with Ill. Sir Jim Eaches*

When Nobel Chris talked about how he views the renewal of the Shrine, he emphasized the brotherhood Masons experience as similar to the fellowship of comrades in arms for those men who have served in the military. By becoming involved with the Masonic fraternal organizations, men can recreate the feeling of support and loyalty present in their military lives. He felt younger men were attracted to an organization with men whom younger fellows could admire and emulate.

The lessons and the fellowship of Masons and Shriners give purpose and focus to their lives and ways to grow and become better men; for Nobel Chris it was a grandfather he admired and wanted to be like.

He knew about the Hospitals and all the good they do, but the first time he really knew about Shriners was when he went to one of their circuses. Grandfather was a Road Runner, or one of the men who would drive children and their parents to the hospitals for appointments. The good the Shrine does attracted him to become a Shriner, and of course, a Mason. As the Shrine and Masons move along into the 21st Century, the principles and the tenets that have lasted for centuries still attract the men who want to live good lives.

Keep the tradition alive. Aren't you proud to be a Shriner?



# HILLBILLY NIGHT AT PUEBLO SHRINE CLUB



*Karen Mendenhall, Merv Terrill, Shelley Meldrum*



*Dave Ashley, Ron Crawford, Bill Davidson*



*IS Jim and Rosa Eaches with Floyd Beard the Cowboy Poet*



*Barbara and Jay Bernard*



*Carmella Scoggin and Stacey Potter*



*Mike and Nancy Palmer*



*Chuck and Deborah Wingfield*



*Lady Rosa and IS Jim Eaches get a hillbilly charm*



*Floyd Beard the Cowboy Poet, and James Hinojosa*



*Betty and Jack Teel*



The Pueblo Shrine Club hosted a dinner in April, where participants were encouraged to dress in their "best" hillbilly attire.

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# MEMBERSHIP EVENTS

*by Ron Bowen*  
Chief Rabban

Greetings All,  
When I was at the Mule Train O.V. I found out something absolutely terrific! I had no idea a membership picnic was being held at the Mule Train each Sunday for potential new Masons and Shriners. What a great idea! (An article on the membership picnics appeared in the 25 April Nuts and Bolts, so I won't repeat what was written, but take a look at the article if you haven't read it yet.)

I encourage all to attend these Sunday get-togethers to meet and greet the potential candidates. Bring a pot luck dish and a donation to help in the purchase of meat and other essentials. This is exactly the idea I have been writing about in previous Dust articles. Coming together as a unit could be the start of something big! We not only have the opportunity to talk with the candidates, but we come together as Masons, Shriners, and clubs. Many new ideas could come from these Sunday get-togethers. My thanks go to Joe Clendaniel, Chris McMichael, and William Medina for all their hard work with these picnics. Let's all take this example and come together and build on this!

So as you can tell, I had a great time at the O.V.! The Mule Train O.V. is always a good time, with great people, but it was made even better for me realizing the attention to one of my passions, membership, is being realized.

I have to say, I wish more Nobles had attended the last Stated Meeting. Joe was asked to speak about membership to the members in attendance. It has been so long since I have heard such an inspirational speech. You know, it just made you feel like getting out to the Lodges and other Shriners to talk about membership and generate new ideas we could use to bring more interest in becoming a Shriner. Wouldn't it be great if we could get Chris or Joe, or perhaps both, to come to a PR meeting to talk about membership? I'm sure we would get fresh ideas on advertising the Shrine and what we are all about. It was truly motivational; I hope you all get an opportunity to hear that speech!

Until next time take care, stay healthy, and continue our work toward becoming a bigger and better Shrine.



# SUMMER EVENTS

*by Jim Burger*  
Assistant Rabban

Is it finally summer time? Are winter and spring snow gone for a while? As I write this I am not sure. This is the start of parade season and the Parade at Fib Ark is one of the big ones we do. We meet in Salida along with our counter parts from El Jebel in Denver. There will be an OV Friday evening in Salida, with some of the best chicken I have had in a while.

Because of the time delay in the newsletter, I will have to say, the circus season just finished up and thank you for all who helped to make this a success. As you read this we are finishing out our tour ending in Monte Vista and Durango. The circuses are always so much fun; we look forward to them every year.

Speaking of Durango and the San Juan Basin Shrine Club, they have a raffle for a side by side 4 wheeler; two other prizes are good chunks of cash. Please support their raffle as they do great deeds in the Southwest corner of our state for the Shrine.

July brings the annual 4th of July Parades in Monument and La Veta and several other parades and OV's. It also brings the Imperial Session in Tampa, FL which should be nice and cool; as long as you are inside of a building with AC.

Other events in July are the Ski-Hi Stampede Parade in Monte Vista on the 30 of July along with the Sand Dunes Shrine Club OV the night before. Escalante and San Juan Basin OVs follow on the nights of the 30th and 31st. Check the Nuts and Bolts for exact times. August brings more parades and the OV in Lamar, along with our annual Shrine Picnic.

The CSSA annual completion is coming up in August in Little Rock, AR. We just recently returned from the business meeting there in April. While it was snowing here, the weather there was damp but calm. The main event of CSSA will be in Little Rock in August from the 23rd to the 27th. While we were there for the business meeting, we learned this is a really beautiful town. You would be amazed on how big and deep the Arkansas River is there, and how deep the history is there too! They have many events planned for the celebration and a good time will be had by all who attend.

The Pig Roast will happen in September on the 11th at the Pueblo Shrine Club. If you have your pig from  
(Assistant Rabban, continued on page 9)





# SUMMERTIME

by James Hinojosa  
High Priest and Prophet

Nobles of AL KALY  
SHRINE,

I want to thank all who came out to the 2nd Annual Al Kaly Softball Tournament and helped. This tournament could not go on without the hard work you put in. ASA Colorado has pledged to work with us and would love to see our tournament take off. We have a great opportunity in front of us and if we put our heads together we can definitely make this a tournament for all of Southern Colorado to talk about. It can also eliminate some of the other fundraisers we do.

However, all of this is only possible if we, as a Temple, want it, or we just continue to do the same things we are doing now. I, for one, think it's time for some new ideas and different ways of raising money. Each time we hold our tournament we hear great things, so if you have ideas on how to improve it please let me know. I am willing to listen.

This year we faced some hard knocks and still triumphed. The statewide SAT tests were on the same weekend and caused many teams to have to cancel. We, also, had some super competition in Denver causing some other teams to go up there for a much lowered entry.

Again, thanks to all who supported us this year, (and there were many) and those who donated burritos for the concession stand to sell. These are the reasons we made money on our tournament this year.

*(Assistant Rabban, continued from page 8)*

previous years, begin filling it now. If you don't have a pig yet, they are available at all OV's. Fill the pig up with your spare change and then donate to the Temple for admission to the Pig Roast. These little pigs are good collectibles, and make great gifts for grandkids too. It is never too early to teach them to save their money. We are also looking at cooking some chickens for those who prefer not to eat pork at this event.

My Lady Mary and I thank you for your Support and ask you to remember Being a Shriner is Always Fun! (That's what we do!)

As Always, participation is the key ingredient of having FUN! See you Soon



# THERE'S A LOT GOING ON!

by Ray Singmaster  
First Ceremonial Master

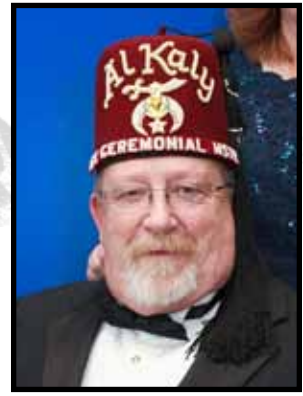
Nobles, Ladies and Friends,  
As I write this, looking out of my office window at several inches of snow, I have to remind myself parade season is here; not that you would know it today, Saturday April 30. Spring Time in the Rockies. Speaking of Spring Time in the Rockies, the Al Kaly Annual Girls Fast Pitch Softball Tournament was very successful and, with much cooperation from Mother Nature, the weather was beautiful, providing a perfect weekend between spring storms. Many thanks to High Priest and Profit, James Hinojosa for his efforts making this a fun and worthwhile event which will continue to grow and prosper for years to come.



None of these events can be successful without the help and support of the Nobles and their families. I want to thank my wife, LorAnn and our daughter Lorry, for all they did for two days maintaining

one of the fields and promoting peace and harmony between the umpires, coaches and parents. The turn out by the Nobles and their families to watch and support the event was great. All of the folks who worked the concessions with contributions of time and goodies added to the atmosphere and success of the event.

As always there is a lot going on, please visit the Al Kaly Website, read the Dust and the Nuts and Bolts, then mark your calendars for the upcoming events. Not only are these events full of fun and fellowship many of them are fundraisers which contribute to the operation of Al Kaly Shrine, as well as calling attention our mission, the support of the Shriners Hospitals for Children and the children themselves. Please support your units, clubs, Blue Lodges and all of the organizations that make us who we are.



# SPRING OPPORTUNITIES

by *Larry Newman*  
Treasurer

Looks like, as I write this, we're almost done with snow for a while. (Hope I didn't just jinx us.) We have many great events coming up this summer, not the least of which are the parades. As I've said before, it's a great opportunity for us as Shriners to sell ourselves and the work we do in our communities. I meet so many people who know us as "those guys in the little cars and funny hats". That's a good start because they remember seeing us as we're having fun. We can't afford to lose that image people have of us; it's our starting point to getting some of them interested in finding out more about us.

We're doing ok so far this year on the financial side. Dues are a little slower coming in than normal, but I'm hopeful they will catch up soon. We had a successful Softball Tournament, and the Raffle Calendar has been about what we had expected.

We've got some more fun events coming up which other people are telling you about in this and future issues of the Dust. I'll just say I'm especially looking forward to the golf tournament.

As usual, we've still got money so I've still got a job. Thanks for letting us serve you and Al Kaly. See you on the streets!



# SUPPORT OUR FUNDRAISERS

by *Bart Guthrie, P.P.*  
Recorder

At the April 2016 stated meeting you heard the resolutions read proposing an increase to Al Kaly dues and proposed changes to our By-Laws. We would never be able to increase our dues to match our operating expenses without losing members. Over the years, your Divan has done its best to initiate fundraisers that, we hope, appeal to the nobility and also offset operating expenses. So far this year, we've had to cancel the annual trip and Bands in the Backyard, and our Softball Tournament did not meet budgeted expectations. Our annual raffle is coming up in August at the Al Kaly Picnic and it is our desire everyone support the raffle by purchasing tickets or selling the tickets to friends and relatives. Our prizes are as follows:

- |           |                                     |
|-----------|-------------------------------------|
| 1st Prize | Shriners Ring (10k gold)            |
| 2nd Prize | \$500 Wal-Mart gift card            |
| 3rd Prize | 40" Samsung Smart TV                |
| 4th Prize | Bose Wave Radio                     |
| 5th Prize | Kindle Paperwhite Electronic Reader |

The ring is absolutely gorgeous and was donated by Noble Greg Armstrong of Jack Armstrong Jewelry with a retail value of \$2,800. Noble Greg realizes the winner could be a non-Shriner or a lady and he is willing to work a trade. However, for us Shriners, this ring will "knock your socks off!!!" and attests to the generosity of Jack Armstrong Jewelry.

The other prizes are pretty much the same as last year; when the Nobles were queried, these all seem very popular. Wal-Mart donated a portion of the gift card. The Kindle comes with a very nice leather case. This raffle supports Al Kaly's general fund and the operating expenses of our Shrine. Please support by purchasing one or all of the tickets sent to you.

Thank you for your support.



## CIRCUS DATES



The Jordan Family Circuses are here! Please come out to any and all of these you can. We would love to see more fezzes in the stands; especially in Rocky Ford where our membership is low. Come support your temple. Check with the Shrine Office, the Potentate or the Chief Aide for exact times.

May 30 – Lamar – Sand & Sage Rodeo Grounds  
May 31 – Rocky Ford - Fairgrounds  
June 1 – Trinidad – Fairgrounds  
June 3 – Monte Vista – Ski-Hi Rodeo Grounds  
June 4 – Durango – Rodeo Grounds



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# *In Memoriam*

*as of April 30, 2016*

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I am in a thousand winds that blow,  
I am the softly falling snow.  
I am the gentle showers of rain,  
I am the fields of ripening grain.  
I am in the morning hush,  
I am in the graceful rush.  
Of beautiful birds in circling flight,  
I am the starshine of the night.  
I am in the flowers that bloom,  
I am in a quiet room.  
I am in the birds that sing,  
I am in each lovely thing.  
Do not stand at my grave and cry,  
I am not there. I do not die.

*- Mary Elizabeth Frye*

Raul A. Balquin, Colorado Springs, CO  
Born: January 17, 1936  
Created: December 2, 1983  
Died: April 22, 2016

Robert J. Heel, Colorado Springs, CO  
Born: April 18, 1921  
Created: June 29, 1961  
Affiliated: September 25, 1977  
Died: March 4, 2016

Charles O. Housman, Pueblo, CO  
Born: June 15, 1926  
Created: April 30, 1948  
Died: February 15, 2016

Alvin C. Howard, Colorado Springs, CO  
Born: November 12, 1920  
Created: November 30, 1967  
Died: January 2, 2016

Derry G. Phelps, Farmington, NM  
Born: October 7, 1933  
Created: June 26, 1981  
Died: February 20, 2016

Jerry E. Ragan, Penrose, CO  
Born: August 26, 1934  
Created: June 25, 1982  
Died: March 4, 2016

Donald A. Reeves, Colorado Springs, CO  
Born: September 2, 1925  
Created: May 21, 1965  
Affiliated: December 30, 1975  
Died: February 17, 2016

Robert G. Smotherman, Rocky Ford, CO  
Born: November 29, 1936  
Created: April 25, 1986  
Died: January 31, 2016

Richard N. Stienmier, Castle Pines, CO  
Born: June 24, 1936  
Created: December 9, 1988  
Died: November 15, 2015

Reimer Von Kalben, Pueblo, CO  
Born: February 26, 1931  
Created: June 9, 1972  
Died: March 21, 2016

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# Hospital News 2015 Summary

by **Phil Moss**

*Al Kaly Board of Governors Representative*

Although there are a lot of facts and figures in this article, I feel it is important you are made aware of the accomplishments of “your” hospital in Salt Lake City (SLC). Your donations thru the Temple, Clubs, Units, Daughters of the Nile and individuals, are what make it possible for our hospital system to survive and thrive.

- 1) The SLC hospital had a record year for 2015. The number of patients seen was 9,180 with 940 wait-listed for surgery. This is up 10.4% over 2014. Lead time for new orthopaedic appointments was down to from 33 to 22 days. Spine surgeries with implants was 68, a 51% increase. The total number of surgeries for 2015 was 952.
- 2) The year ended with Gross Revenues of \$36.1M. Our hospital third party collections amounted to \$7.9M which equals a 25% return; the system average is 19%. This will increase even more this year (2016) as we will be able to start billing for pharmaceuticals and other services.
- 3) Our Director of Donor Development, M.J. Miller and her team raised \$4.7M in 2015. The commercials you have seen resulted in a 13% upswing in donations system wide. Last year, only 6% of the public had heard of Shriners Hospitals for Children (SHC); in 2015, the

commercials resulted in a 23% recognition. SHC is now second only to St. Jude’s for name recognition and SLC has a lot to do with that.

- 4) For bragging rights, the SLC Tribune ranked our hospital as the 6th best midsize business to work for in the Utah area. Our hospital was ranked #1 among all SHC hospitals. And finally, along with the University of Utah Primary Children’s Hospital, we were ranked NUMBER 10 overall in the entire country for quality of pediatric orthopaedic care!
- 5) The rules for making donations did not change. I will reiterate; Temples, Clubs and Units may only direct donations to the SLC Hospital Travel Fund (money used to provide transportation of children from Mexico to the hospital for treatment) and to the Special Approved Capital Items. If your club or unit is interested in making a donation, you may contact me and I will coordinate or even better you may contact MJ Miller, Director of Development ([mjmiller@shrinenet.org](mailto:mjmiller@shrinenet.org) or 801-536-3567).

If you are interested in having the donation recognized by the Board of Governors, I would be more than pleased to make a presentation of your donation at a Board meeting. If you have any comments or questions please feel free to contact me at 719-650-2391 or email at [moss2000@gmail.com](mailto:moss2000@gmail.com)

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**PIG ROAST IS  
COMING UP!**

The annual Pig Roast is coming up on September 11! Watch out for more details on this exciting event in the next issue of the Shrine Dust.



# THOP Presentations



South IHOP Presentation: (left) Sarah with Merv Terrill and Fezzy.



Pueblo North IHOP Presentation

## AWARDS

*Congratulations to the following Nobles that were recognized at the April 22, 2016 stated meeting.*

### Jewel of Distinction

Ray Singmaster

### Gold Stars

Jim Burger  
Ralph Hathaway  
Dwain Jack  
Frank Klein  
Ben Lowery  
Jim Marcum  
Wayne McKey  
Phil Moran  
Marvin Narragon  
J.D. Potter

### 50 Year Service Award

Herschel Fund  
James Rodeen

### 25 Year Service Award

Henry D. Ainsworth  
George S. Cann Jr.  
Terry C. Johnson  
William O. Mullen  
Freddie R. Petit  
Richard K. Price  
Clifton L. Snow  
James S. Tatum  
Joseph E. Wooton

## Annual Picnic

**August 21, 2016**

Please make your reservations for the annual picnic and raffle to the Al Kaly Office (719.544.0658) no later than Wednesday, August 17, 2016.

**Where: Metcalf Park Fountain, CO**

**Time: 11:00am – 4:00pm**

**Annual Raffle: 2:00pm**

There is no cost to members and their family members. Reservations are needed so as to let the cooks know how much food to prepare and how much drink to obtain. Lots of fun and fellowship! Games for the kids.

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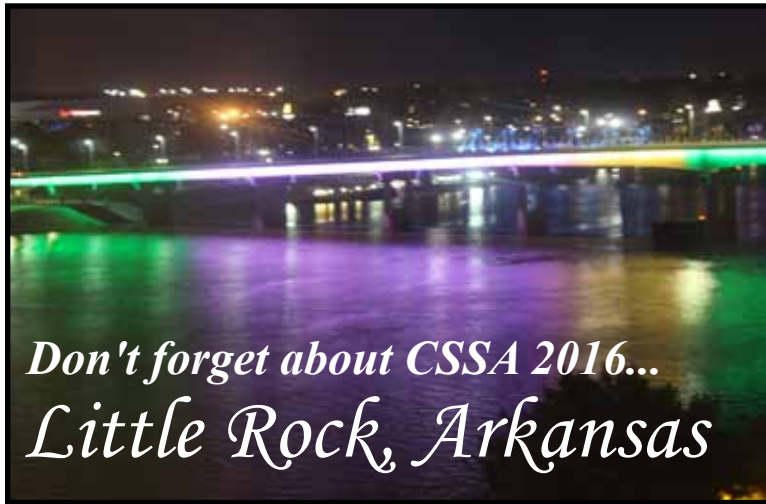
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# DUES INCREASE AND BY-LAWS CHANGES

This Dust contains resolutions to increase Al Kaly dues \$2.00 per year; eliminate the requirements that annual election of officers/annual meetings must be at the location of the temple (Pueblo) and a resolution relating to the disposition of life membership funds after a life member's death. All but the dues increase are By-Law changes that make us conform to Shriners International By Laws. These resolutions were read at the April 22, 2016 stated meeting and will be voted on at the June 10, 2016 stated meeting.



*Plan early  
for Central  
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This year's  
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# RESOLUTION

Whereas, the By Laws for Al Kaly Shriners, Article 3, paragraph 3.1(a) currently states at the December stated meeting the officers and representatives for the ensuing year shall be elected and the meeting is to be held at the locations of the temple and,

Whereas, the By Laws for Al Kaly Shriners, Article 3, paragraph 3.1(b) currently states that the annual meeting shall be held during the month of January at the location of the temple and,

Whereas, the By Laws for Shriners International, paragraph 325.4 states that each temple must elect its officers and representatives at its annual meeting in January unless its by laws allow the election to occur at the temple's stated meeting in December and,

Whereas, the By Laws for Shriners International, paragraph 324.1(b) states that the Imperial Potentate may grant a special dispensation to change the location of the annual meeting (amended in 2015).

Now therefore, be it resolved, that the By Laws be changed to conform to Shriners International By Laws by deleting the portion of paragraph 3.1(a) and 3.1(b) stating "at the location of the temple".

Article 3, paragraph 3.1(a) currently reads:

**December Meeting.** At the December stated meeting the officers and representatives for the ensuing year shall be elected. The meeting is to be held at the location of the temple.

Article 3, paragraph 3.1(a) is amended to read:

**December Meeting.** At the December stated meeting the officers and representatives for the ensuing year shall be elected.

Article 3, paragraph 3.1(b) currently reads: **Annual Meeting.** The annual meeting shall be held during the month of January at the location of the temple.

Sub paragraph (b) is amended to read: **Annual Meeting.** The annual meeting shall be held during the month of January.

## Al Kaly Little T's



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# RESOLUTION

Whereas, revenue from Al Kaly dues is far short of meeting requirements to fund the administrative affairs and,

Whereas, membership continues to decline reducing our dues income and,

Whereas, to the extent Al Kaly is projecting a reduction in membership which could be in excess of 50 members for non-payment of dues at the end of 2016 and,

Now, therefore, be it resolved that an increase in Al Kaly dues from \$63.00 to \$65.00 will create an additional \$1220.00 to offset the budget deficits.

# RESOLUTION

Whereas, the By Laws for Al Kaly Shriners, Article 5, paragraph 5.3a currently states that a member who has served a term as Illustrious Potentate shall become a life member and shall thereafter be exempt from paying dues, and

Whereas, the By Laws for Al Kaly Shriners, Article 5, paragraph 5.3b currently states that a life membership may be granted to a member who has paid dues to Al Kaly Shriners for a continuous period of 50 years. Life membership does not exempt the member from paying the annual hospital levy, per capita tax, or any other assessment which Shriners International may levy upon us and,

Whereas the By Laws of Shriners International, paragraph 332.6(a)(4) states.... However, if the temple by laws so provide, upon the death of a life member, an amount equal to the sum paid by him may be transferred to the operating fund of the temple...

Now therefore, be it resolved, that the Al Kaly By Laws be changed to add the following sentence to Article 5, paragraph 5.3a. Upon the death of a life member the amount which had been paid into the life membership fund on his behalf, may be transferred to the operating fund of the temple, and

Now therefore, be it resolved, that the Al Kaly By Laws be changed to add the following sentence to Article 5, paragraph 5.3b. Upon the death of a member the amount which that member had submitted in prepayment of dues, may be transferred to the operating fund of the temple.

## BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT CHANGE

Due to scheduling at CSU-P, the Basketball Tournament has been moved to November 18 and 19, 2016. Please make changes to your calendars.

## Membership April 30, 2016

<b>Starting:</b>	<b>668</b>
Creations:	0
Affiliations:	0
Restorations:	1
Demits:	1
Suspensions:	2
Deaths:	6
Resignations:	0
Net Total:	639
Associates:	21
<b>Grand Total:</b>	<b>660</b>

*On April 30, 2015 Al Kaly total membership  
was 726*

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# The Al Kaly Shrine Transportation Fund

## is in need of a financial boost.

The increasing cost of transporting our Shriner Kids to one of the Shriners Hospitals combined with the number of kids being served is putting a strain on our Transportation Fund. The Dust each month will highlight those who have contributed to the Transportation Fund.

**Help us fill this page!!!!** For your contribution, your name or "in Memory of" will be listed in the Dust for one year (10 issues).

Support the Al Kaly Shrine Transportation Fund. Send your donation to: Al Kaly Shrine -P.O. Box 193, Pueblo Colorado 81002. A date will be posted behind each name indicating the year and month of your last donation.

### In Memory/Honor of...

**Kay Mayes** by Grant Anderson (6/16)  
**Fred Huskins** by Grant Anderson (6/16)  
**Betty Walls** by Jim & Mary Burger (6/16)  
**Pat Wetmore** by Jim & Mary Burger (6/16)  
**Bob Heel** by Bob & Betty Burr (6/16)  
**Jerry Ragan** by Bob & Betty Burr (6/16)  
**Wendell Lueders** by Bob & Betty Burr (6/16)  
**Dewey "Duke" Dwyer** by Dorothy Dwyer (6/16)  
**Jay Barrilleaux** by Jane & John Gnadt (6/16)  
**Betty Walls** by Wayne McKey (6/16)  
**Steve Jordan** by Roger & Karen Mendenhall (6/16)  
**Ron Yerkey** by Roger & Karen Mendenhall (6/16)  
**Jerry Szymanski** by Roger & Karen Mendenhall (6/16)  
**Bill Husted** by Roger & Karen Mendenhall (6/16)  
**Guy Hammerland** by Roger & Karen Mendenhall (6/16)  
**Robert Figgie** by Roger & Karen Mendenhall (6/16)  
**Jay Barrilleaux** by Roger & Karen Mendenhall (6/16)  
**Jerry Ragan** by Roger & Karen Mendenhall (6/16)  
**Kate Leyda** by Dan Neu (6/16)  
**Pauline Neu** by Dan Neu (6/16)  
**Reimer Von Kalben** by Dan Neu (6/16)  
**Jerry Szymanski** by Geno & Mary Fran Romero (6/16)  
**c/o Marlyn Geddes Estate** by Harold Seifert (6/16)  
**Pat Wetmore** by Shrine Ladies Club (6/16)  
**Reimer Von Kalben** by Dagmar Von Kalben (6/16)  
**Bob Heel** by Joe & Lois Wooton (6/16)

**Jerry Ragan** by Joe & Lois Wooton (6/16)  
**Vic Sestokas** by Joe & Lois Wooton (6/16)  
**Wendell Lueders** by Joe & Lois Wooton (6/16)  
**Raul Balquin** by Joe & Lois Wooton (6/16)  
**Jerry Szymanski** by Karol Szymanski (4/16)  
**Jerry Szymanski** by Gale & Shirley Fortney (4/16)  
**Adolph Wolff** by Gale & Shirley Fortney (4/16)  
**Jerry Szymanski** by Bob & Betty Burr (4/16)  
**Jerry Szymanski** by Lionel & Yvonne Robertson (4/16)  
**Pat Wetmore** by Joe & Lois Wooton (4/16)  
**Ryoko Droppleman** by Donald & Doris St. Clair (4/16)  
**Pat Wetmore** by Bob & Betty Burr (4/16)  
**Bill Husted** by Dane M. Smith (4/16)  
**Steve Jordan** by Dane M. Smith (4/16)  
**Guy Hammerland** by Diane Hammerland (4/16)  
**Steve Jordan** by Jim & Mary Burger (2/16)  
**Ron Yerkey** by Jim & Mary Burger (2/16)  
**Steve Jordan** by Robert & Barbara Winkelmeier (2/16)  
**Ron Yerkey** by Ken & June Hallenbeck (2/16)  
**Patrol** by Ruhamah Temple 71 (2/16)  
**Dewey "Duke" Dwyer** by Dorothy Dwyer (2/16)  
**Sertoma (Doc Hathaway)** by Woodmen Valley (2/16)  
**Dave Hammett** by Mona Hammett (2/16)  
**Steve Jordan** by Mona Hammett (2/16)  
**Ron Yerkey** by Bill & Irene Sheard (2/16)  
**Steve Jordan** by Ace & Mary Lou Hall (2/16)  
**Jerry Szymanski** by Joe

& Lois Wooton (2/16)  
**Judy Buxmann** by Joe & Lois Wooton (2/16)  
**Judy Buxmann** by Bob Buxmann (2/16)  
**Judy Buxmann** by Tom & Sue Buxmann (2/16)  
**Jerry Szymanski** by Chuck & Kathy Tedrow (2/16)  
**Jerry Szymanski** by Potentate's Motor Escort (2/16)  
**Steve Jordan** by Clowns of Al Kaly (1/16)  
**Dave Hammett** by Mona Hammett (1/16)  
**Steve Jordan** by Mona Hammett (1/16)  
**Steve Jordan** by Norma Harre (1/16)  
**Steve Jordan** by Lois Torri (1/16)  
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**Ron Yerkey** by Ray & LorAnn Singmaster (1/16)  
**Vera Cain** by Swede & Olga Hanson (1/16)  
**Duke Dwyer** by Swede & Olga Hanson (1/16)  
**Steve Jordan** by Swede & Olga Hanson (1/16)  
**Ron Yerkey** by Swede & Olga Hanson (1/16)  
**Steve Jordan** by Bob & Phyllis Allen (1/16)  
**Ron Yerkey** by Bob & Phyllis Allen (1/16)  
**Louise Allison** by Bob & Betty Burr (1/16)  
**Guy Hammerland** by Al Kaly Public Relations (12/15)  
**Guy Hammerland** by Bob & Betty Burr (12/15)

**Steve Jordan** by Bob & Judy Buxmann (12/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Floyd & Carmella Scoggin (12/15)  
**Cliff Williams** by Grant Anderson (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Jackie Barrilleaux (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Barbara Bills (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Bob & Betty Burr (11/15)  
**Krista Pearman** by Bob & Betty Burr (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Ron & Chris Crawford (11/15)  
**Bill Husted** by Ann Delancey (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Ann Delancey (11/15)  
**Sam Quindt** by Ann Delancey (11/15)  
**Harry Kirkwood** by Ann Delancey (11/15)  
**Dave Hammett** by Ann Delancey (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Gale & Shirley Fortney (11/15)  
**Don Johnson** by Lynn Goucher (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Bart & Rosemary Guthrie (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Robert & Donna Hudson (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Kalyklowns (11/15)

**Stephen Walth** by Bob & Helen McCale (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Wayne McKey (11/15)  
**Mary Mendenhall** by Roger & Karen Mendenhall (11/15)  
**Mary Mendenhall** by Wesley Mendenhall (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Dick & Mary Mills (11/15)  
**Robert Figgie** by Marvin & Janet Narragon (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Marvin & Janet Narragon (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Dick & Anne Sater (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Bill & Irene Sheard (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Shriners Ladies Club c/o Ann Delancey (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Ray & Lorann Singmaster (11/15)  
**Faye A. Akers** by Donald & Doris St. Clair (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Jim & Cindy Stivers (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Chuck & Kathy Tedrow (11/15)  
**Jess Tising** by James R. Tising (11/15)  
**Vera Cain** by Joe & Lois Wooton (11/15)  
**Steve Jordan** by Joe & Lois Wooton (11/15)

**Doris Sestokas** by Joe & Lois Wooton (9/15)  
**Bill Husted** by Cuba Y. Hollaway (9/15)  
**Bill Husted** by Mary & Larry Newman (9/15)  
**Bob Figgie** by Joe & Lois Wooton (9/15)  
**Clugston** by Bob & Betty Burr (8/15)  
**Stephen Walth** by Geno & Mary Fran Romero (8/15)  
**Sara Heuser** by Dona Bymaster (8/15)  
**Bill Husted** by Bob & Betty Burr (7/15)  
**Bill Husted** by Dorothy Dwyer (7/15)  
**Jay Barrilleaux** by John & Jayne Gnadt (7/15)  
**Bill Husted** by Wayne McKey (7/15)  
**Bill Husted** by Joe & Lois Wooton (7/15)  
**Richard Scoggin** by James D. Graves (7/15)  
**Ill Sir Jerre Swink** by Steve & Deborah Jordan (7/15)  
**Dave Huff** by Steve & Deborah Jordan (7/15)  
**Bill Husted** by Steve & Deborah Jordan (7/15)  
**Dave Hammett** by Steve & Deborah Jordan (7/15)

### Individual Contributions

**Al Kaly Mule Train** (6/16)  
**Jackson Chandler** (6/16)  
**Jim & Suzanne Johnson** (6/16)  
**Jerry Szymanski** (6/16)  
**John Schroyer** (6/16)  
**Honored Ladies** (4/16)  
**Legion of Honor** (4/16)  
**Jackson & Robin Chandler** (4/16)  
**Past Masters Club** (4/16)  
**George Cann** (2/16)  
**Al Kaly Band** (2/16)  
**Clowns of Al Kaly** (2/16)  
**Jackson Chandler** (2/16)  
**J.R. White** (1/16)  
**Elite Scooters** (1/16)  
**Jackson & Robin Chandler** (1/16)

**John Schroyer** (1/16)  
**Potentate's Motor Escort** (1/16)  
**Jackson & Robin Chandler** (12/15)  
**Jackson Chandler** (11/15)  
**Larry Newman** (11/15)  
**Pueblo Shrine Club** (11/15)  
**John Schroyer** (11/15)  
**James M. Bennett** (9/15)  
**Trinidad Shrine Club** (9/15)  
**Fremont Shrine Club** (9/15)  
**John Schroyer** (9/15)  
**Jackson & Robin Chandler** (9/15)  
**Hazel Kula** (9/15)  
**LOH Bluebirds** (8/15)

**James M. Bennett** (8/15)  
**Jackson & Robin Chandler** (8/15)  
**John Schroyer** (8/15)  
**Mon-Ark Shrine Club** (8/15)  
**James M. Bennett II** (7/15)  
**Jon & Diane Bower** (7/15)  
**Jackson & Robin Chandler** (7/15)  
**Clowns of Al Kaly** (7/15)  
**Mule Train** (7/15)  
**John Schroyer** (7/15)  
**David Salberg** (7/15)  
**Jackson & Robin Chandler** (7/15)



# Bowl-a-Thon 2016



*Upper left: First Lady Rosa Eaches throwing a strike.  
Upper right: Jim Burger, Rhonda Davidson at Bowl-a-Thon.  
Right: IS Jim Eaches getting ready to bowl at Bowl-a-Thon.*



## Dust Article Due Dates for 2016

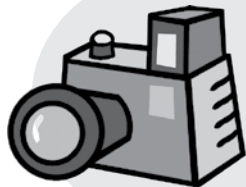
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# Fundraising Activities

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:**

No Noble (in his capacity as a Shriner), club, unit, organization of Nobles or affiliated of

- a. An appendant corporation shall engage in any fundraising activity without the express written consent 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 503.10 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 the temple bylaws.
- e. A copy of the temple potentate’s written consent shall be mailed to the Executive Vice President – Shriners International. Further, such written material pertaining to the fundraising activity, as requested by the Executive Vice President – Shriners International, 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. Permission therefore must be first obtained in writing from the temple potentate. The temple potentate must then obtain written permission from the Chairman of the Boards of Directors and Trustees. This request for written permission shall be sent to the *Executive Vice President, Shriners International, P.O. Box 31356, Tampa, FL 33631-3356.*

However, a joint *charitable* fundraising activity with another 501c3 charity may be authorized provided that a minimum of 50 percent of the net proceeds are for the benefit of Shriners Hospitals for Children, and the chairman 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 percent of net proceeds (as defined in the *Charitable Fundraising – Approval and Reporting* provisions of this 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 this 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 results of each charitable fundraising activity within sixty days of the activity, pursuant to the *Charitable Fundraising – Approval and Reporting* provision of this General Order.
- d. This section shall not apply to activities exempt under 335.4b of the bylaws of Shriners International.
- 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 audited pursuant to 334.5 and 337.8 of the bylaws of Shriners International, shall have its financial statements audited by a certified, chartered or licensed public accountant shall submit such audit report to Shriners International 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 electronically transmitted material, 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 a charitable contribution."
- 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 or affiliated or 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 years.
- c. There must be compliance with *Financial Reporting on Charitable Funds and Activities* provision of any existing general order.

### 6. Notification of Nobility:

A copy of the Fundraising Activities provision of this 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 Shriners International.



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# Al Kaly Shriners Golf Tournament of Southern Colorado

The date has been set for our annual Golf Tournament. We are looking forward to another successful tournament at Fort Carson Cheyenne Shadows Golf Course. The date is Monday, September 12, 2016 at 8AM. We are excited for the tournament again this year and I am confident we will have a successful turn out.

We are looking for Sponsors for the Tournament and are asking for your help! We at Al Kaly Shrine are not as large as other Shrines and rely on fundraising events such as the Golf Tournament to gain funding for things needed to operate our organization. We have accomplished a great deal in the past few years and have a list of more things we would like to provide for. This can become a reality with the help of yourself, your business, or anyone willing to help our cause.

We have a few ways you can help. First, we have an individual sponsorship for \$100 for returning sponsors, or \$125 for new sponsors. The extra cost for new sponsors is for the sign we will make and provide. This is a great way to advertise.

Second, you can play in the tournament. We have a 4 man/woman scramble with a shotgun start at 8 AM. The cost is again \$85.00 per player and includes green fees, cart, lunch, a certificate for green fees for an additional round of golf at Fort Carson and many, many, prizes which have been donated by local businesses.

Those of you sponsoring a hole are welcome to participate in promoting your business at your sponsoring hole.

I appreciate all your efforts in helping the Al Kaly Shriners of Southern Colorado. Our Potentate, Executive Board, and all Shrines would like to thank you for your time and consideration in this matter and hope we will be able to count on you this year and many years to come.

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*Rosa and Ill. Sir Jim Eaches, Maddy Stevens, Anne Sater.*



*Joe Clendaniel, and IS Jim Eaches with a visitor.*

# SAN JUAN BASIN SHRINE CLUB MAKES \$20,000 DONATION TO SALT LAKE CITY SHRINERS HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN

by **Richard D. Rohrbacher**

*President, San Juan Basin Shrine Club and Tin Lizzies*

On Tuesday April 5th, members of the San Juan Basin Shrine Club and The Tin Lizzies, traveled to Salt Lake City Shriners Hospital for Children to present a check for \$20,000 to be used for upgraded digital radiology equipment.

The Club was represented by Richard Rohrbacher, San Juan Basin Shrine and Tin Lizzies President, and Dean Dooley, San Juan Basin Shrine Club Hospital Representative.

"This was without a doubt one of the most moving experiences that Dean and I had ever participated in, and we offer our appreciation to all who worked so hard to make this possible. The San Juan Basin Shrine Club and Tin Lizzie members are to be congratulated.

We also offer a very special thank you to all of the Durango Merchants who have supported our fundraising efforts with the Circus and Raffle drawings that have made this donation possible."



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# CLUB AND UNIT NEWS

## CLOWNS OF AL KALY

by **Craig "Patches" Sparks**  
*Boss Clown*

Another year has passed, with the addition of many great memories, which is what we expect, as Clowns.

This was our traditional month for the Official Visit of the Potentate, and Illustrious Sir James Eaches, his Lady Rosa, and the elected Divan were there to make it a great evening. A special thanks goes out to them from every member of our Clown Unit.

This is just a start for another great year and I have asked each member to be prepared to support our very well planned parade schedule as well as the circus schedule, and any other events we may be able to attend in support of Al Kaly Shrine. This unit plans to be there whenever there is an opportunity to entertain those children.



*Tina and Craig Sparks, 1st Lady Rosa and IS Jim Eaches at the Clowns OV.*

The Official Visit also gave the unit an opportunity to recognize the efforts of one of our older clowns. Yes, on March 26th, Bob "Nickels" Burr completed forty active years as a clown with this unit and he continues to appear at most events and opportunities. Thank you, Nickels. At this time I would also like to recognize Noble Phillip

*(Clowns of Al Kaly, continued on page 27)*

## AL KALY PR COMMITTEE

by **Don Hamilton**  
*Chairman*

Now that IHOP Day is behind us we are back to meeting on our normal schedule, alternating each month between Pueblo (North IHOP) and Fountain (Coke's Diner). On June 14th we will meet at Cokes Diner in Fountain at 10:00a.m. All are invited to join us and share your ideas.

Doc Hathaway received a spread sheet from Imperial showing the results of all the Temples participating in IHOP Day (there were a total of 25 Temples on the list). Al Kaly ranked 10th overall in both total donations and average donation by individual IHOP. It was the outstanding effort by Doc to organize the event and make sure everything ran smoothly, and the hard work of the store captains and volunteers which made this a success. Doc will be presenting appreciation certificates to the IHOP managers and recognizing an outstanding server with a certificate and a teddy bear (see the pictures on page 13).

For several months the PR committee has been

discussing the hospital ads seen on television, how we could utilize them to let people know more about Shriners, and how to become one. We discussed, maybe, there could be a short follow-up television spot telling people how to become involved with the Shrine. A communication was sent to Imperial suggesting this and asking how it could be accomplished. We have yet to hear back from Imperial.

In March, 1st Lt Edward Peterson, for whom Peterson AFB is named, was inducted into the DeMolay International Hall of Fame. In its nearly 100 year history, Edward Peterson is only the 31st person so honored. Lt. Peterson was the first person from Colorado killed in the line of duty in WWII. In response to a request, your PR Committee sent a card to Alec, the little guy in the wheelchair who promotes Shriners Hospitals in the TV ads, wishing him a "get well" on his recent wheelchair injury.

Mr. Michael Kline from the Therapeutic Riding and Education Center (TREC) in Pueblo gave a presentation at the last PR meeting on the benefits horseback riding gives to

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# TRINIDAD SHRINE CLUB

by Duane Plant

Trinidad was honored by a visit of Ill. Sir, Jim Eaches and his Lady Rosa at our March meeting, it was so nice to see them.

Our April meeting was held at Bob & Earl's again. The food was as good as the last time. The next meeting will be at the Peaks Restaurant at the Holiday Inn south of Trinidad at I-25 Exit 11.

We participated in the Armed Forces Day parade in Trinidad. President Ruben used his truck to pull a wagon loaded with members of the many different Masonic groups. The Little T's were a big hit with the crowd!

We have had five winners from our calendar sales so far this year; very exciting.

On a personal note, my wife Diana twisted my arm into becoming the Dust Reporter for Trinidad. What did she get me into? I joined Shrine in 2002. It has been a wonderful experience. Helping children in need is so rewarding. Our youngest granddaughter is a Shrine Kid. At 6 months old she developed a staph infection in her hip. Just after Christmas of 2014 she had a total hip replacement at the Shreveport Hospital. She was 16 at the time and just turned 18 last month; and is a very happy and active young woman thanks to the doctors at the Shrine Hospital.



IS Jim Eaches and President Craig Sparks at the Clowns OV.

*(Clowns of Al Kaly, continued from page 26)*

Moran who became a clown in 1973 with the Clowns of Al Kaly and Boris Dimoff who started his clown career with the Nile Shrine in 1971 then came to the Clowns of Al Kaly in 1979.

I would like to pass along a special thanks to all three of you for your dedication of many years to the Clowns of Al Kaly, and Al Kaly Shrine.

*Editor: Al Kaly Temple also passes their congratulations along to these dedicated men!! Forty years puts several of us back in school and several more just thinking of becoming a Shriner. Thank you for your years and years of hours and hours of dedicated service.*

## STATED MEETING DINNER

**Pueblo Shrine Club**

June 10, 2016

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## BAND

by **Larry Weed**  
President

This has already been a tough year for losing inspiring music legends. Prince, David Bowie, Glenn Frey, Maurice White, Merle Haggard – we will miss you and appreciate the legacy you have left behind. We've lost some musical friends too: Jerry Ragan (drummer) and Dick Willet (clarinet). You will very much be missed! A couple more members have been tackling cold bugs, other infirmities, and surgical procedures. We wish them a speedy recovery. Just reminds us that "life is too short," you've got to enjoy it! Play when and where you can!

Our second 2016 "fourth Sunday" band practice and quarterly meeting was held in April at the Pueblo Shrine Club. After practicing some tunes (following the guidelines announced in the last Dust) under the provision of Directors Galen Feeback and Jim Marcum, we had our business meeting with coffee and goodies, then all went home humming.

So far we have completed the Apple Blossom Festival and Parade in Canon City on May 7, and the Spring Ceremonial in Pueblo on May 21. We're looking forward to the "Fun in Boating on the Arkansas River" (FIBArk) in Salida on June 18, the Donkey Derby Parade in Cripple Creek on June 25, the Independence Day Parade in Monument on July 4, the Fowler Parade on July 16, and the Monte Vista Parade on July 30.

June 6 is Shriners International Awareness Day, a day to celebrate our history and showcase our great fraternity. Make sure you take advantage of it locally! We're also playing at the Stated Meeting on June 10, and our Band OV with the Potentate on June 12 at the Pueblo Shrine Club. Don't forget the Central States Band connection in Little Rock, AR this August 24 - 28, with details at: <http://cssa2016.com>.

We've got lots more fun activities planned for 2016. Come on along and enjoy the fun with us. Contact any bandsman for details!

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special needs children and young adults. While there are many questions to be answered, this is a program the Mule Train might be interested in as a community service.

The PR Committee reviewed a list of business partners and advertisers in the Dust and the Basketball Tournament program, and updated it on the Al Kaly website. Please remember to tell them you are a Shriner and you saw their ad when you use their service or purchase from them—and don't forget to thank them for their support. We need to let them know their ads are doing some good to keep them buying those ads.

## COLORADO SPRINGS SHRINE CLUB

by **Roger Mendenhall**  
President

The club held our Official Visit for Illustrious Sir Jim Eaches and Lady Rosa in March. We honored them with over 100 people in attendance. I.S. Jim and Lady Rosa have been long time members and supporters of our club.

Our Mexican Fiesta in April was well attended and festive. The food and music were enjoyed by all. Doc Hathaway presented Shrine bears and certificates to our special guests, IHOP managers and staff who supported our Free Pancake Day fundraiser in March. Our "Donald Duck" character, Twinkle Gordon, also received a Shrine bear and certificate. She has really become interested in visiting one of our Shrine hospitals to see for herself all we do for kids.

Also, at the meeting, the representative of a local estate presented I.S. Jim Eaches with a check for \$50,000 to the Transportation Fund. What a gift to help our Shriner kids!

The redo of our ladies bathroom has been ongoing since our Shriners' Ladies donated money for that project this spring. They have donated \$1000, which they raised mainly with their monthly basket raffles and by running the coat check room from September through May. They are a valuable asset to our club. Thanks to all who support their efforts.

We hold our monthly dinners all summer long on the third Wednesdays of the month, with our social at 6:00 and dinner at 6:30. Guests are always welcome. Call in your reservations with entrée choice to 719-632-3881 by the Monday before. Hope to see you there.

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# AL KALY MULE TRAIN

by Allan Ake  
President

A number of years ago I was visiting family members in New Mexico and after church services one Sunday morning, the pastor named Mike, a cousin of mine named Bob, and I were standing around “visiting”. The preacher owns horses, Bob has owned mules for forty years or more, and I, of course, own a mule. So naturally and predictably, the conversation turned to horses and mules.

“How do you get a mule to do what you want it to do, Bob?” the preacher asked. (I always wondered if the question wasn’t really about how to make his congregation behave themselves.)

Bob, a big beefy man, but not huge, has red hair going gray and a large red moustache, not yet going gray, pasted in the middle of a ruddy face and freckled hands as large as a mule’s hoof. He raised one hammy hand, extended a sausage index finger, and said in his soft-spoken way, “Rule number one, make it easy to do the right thing.” A second sausage finger joined the first. “Rule number two, make it hard to do the wrong thing.”

*Rule number three, I thought, is patience with the big animals.* He didn’t add that one, I believe, because to him, it is simply understood.

A number of years later, Gale Fortney told me if I wanted a mule to behave, all I had to do was make the mule believe it was his or her idea. *All I had to do. Ri-i-i-ight! Ok,* I thought, *that’s now rule number three and patience is rule number four.* Believe me, I had plenty of opportunities to test the rules. And the mules had plenty of opportunities to test me.

A few years ago, Torry Krutzke and I rode on the Colorado Mule Riders ride and had trailered our mules together. That year we rode at the Elk Mountain Ranch near Buena Vista. The last day, a Friday, all 35 of the riders had enjoyed a great breakfast and walked out to our animals, trucks, and trailers to begin the drive(s) back home. We put a little feed in the feed shelf of the trailer and, amid the sounds of truck and trailer doors closing, and the sounds of some last goodbyes, we went about the task of loading our mules for the ride home.

I led Maggie to the rear of the trailer and she spied the feed immediately. In she went. *Her idea.* She is always ready to eat. So all three rules applied: *Easy to do the right thing;* for her eating is easy; *Difficult to do the wrong thing;* for her not eating is difficult; *Her idea;* It’s always her idea to eat. In fact,

she likes to eat so much, she might be described as robust... er... maybe rotund is the better word. I tied her with a short lead; long enough to give her some slack, but not enough slack for her to try to turn around and get in trouble.

Torry then led the big mule, Denver, to the rear of the trailer to load him next to Maggie. He stepped up tentatively and stopped with both front feet on the edge of the trailer. *Definitely not his idea to step into the trailer.* It seemed a little too dark and scary. So we set about implementing rule number one: Torry looped the lead rope through the tie-off ring in the front of the trailer, which happens to be next to the feed shelf. He then stepped out the escape door and put some of his weight into pulling on the rope. That gives the human a little advantage because it allows for leverage, more or less like a pulley, to use against the mule. Torry maintained pressure on the rope. *That makes it easy for Denver to move forward; difficult to move backward.* I stood behind Denver, encouraging him to climb into the trailer. I whacked him lightly on the rump, talked to him with encouraging words, pushed him a little, all to no avail. This went on for several minutes. Torry and I exchanged places – I pulled on the lead rope – Torry took up a spot behind Denver to encourage him to move forward.

Fifteen minutes in, I noticed the ranch had gotten incredibly quiet. **All** the other riders had departed and were well down the road. I idly wondered where the staff and ranch hands were. Working inside, I assumed. Here we were beneath a bright blue cloudless Colorado sky trying to get a recalcitrant mule to load into a dark trailer. *Who says mules are stubborn?* The only sounds were those of Maggie happily munching her grain, Torry and I breathing a little harder than normal from our exertions, and an occasional “C’m on Denver, get in there.” *There are much worse ways to spend a Friday morning.*

We worked, talked, sweated, cajoled, and bribed, but nothing would move the big mule. Finally, forty minutes later, Denver decided it was his idea to load. He stepped up into the trailer like there had been no problem whatsoever and had a bite of grain. I quickly tied him with a short rope. Torry wasted no time closing the trailer door.

I hopped into the driver’s side of the truck; Torry hopped into the passenger side. I closed my door, cranked up the engine and rolled up the window. I looked over at Torry and grinned. He grinned back. I pulled the gearshift lever into the D position, and with our live cargo in mind, eased down on the gas pedal to begin the drive home.

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# MON-ARK SHRINE CLUB

by **Bob McCormick**  
*President*

Please be aware the Official Visit location as given in the April/May Dust has been changed from the Salida Masonic Lodge Hall to the Salida Elks Lodge at 148 East 2nd Street.

Nobles and Ladies All !! Please plan to attend the Mon-Ark Shrine Club Official Visit of Illustrious Sir James "Jim" Eaches and First Lady Rosa on Friday, June 17, 2016. The change of venue is due to the Elks Lodge providing more seating and having a cooling system whereas the Lodge Hall has limited seating and no cooling system.

The "OV" will begin with Oasis at 5:30 p.m. and Dinner Buffet at 6:00 p.m. The menu is Bruschetta Chicken, rice, vegetable, salad, roll, and dessert. Cash Bar will be available. Cost of the dinner is NO CHARGE. Please "RSVP" your reservations by June 13, 2016 to Bob McCormick at robertmccormick478@yahoo.com or (719) 539-5576.

**Dinner reservations are an ABSOLUTE MUST for a plate count.** No late reservations will be accepted.

Buses have been acquired through the Salida School District for transporting everyone from the "Gateway Inn & Suites" and "Baymont Inn & Suites" to the event location. A bus will arrive at the motels around 5:00 p.m.

For the Nomads Unit staying at the "Four Seasons Campground" a bus will stop there and pick up everyone on top of the hill at the entrance to the Campground at 5:00 p.m.

A Lunch-By-Donation will be available at the Masonic Lodge Hall, 140 West 3rd Street following the parade on Saturday, June 18th. Reservations are not required, just come and enjoy.

Mon-Ark Shrine Club is looking forward to another great Official Visitation with great friends and guests and we wish to welcome and thank the El Jebel Shriners and their Ladies for their participation.

"FYI" – In case you haven't heard, the Mon-Ark Shrine Club Holding Corporation closed on the sale of their property on March 3, 2016. The Mon-Ark Shrine Club is now holding their regular stated meetings at the Masonic Lodge Hall located at 140 West 3rd Street. Please feel free to come visit.



*Gift exchange at the Kalyklowns OV.*

## KALYKLOWNS

by **Howard "Cuz'n Clem" Magan**  
*Dust Reporter*

As the spring has sprung, the Kalyklowns are readying themselves for the parades and circuses.

We were treated to an Official Visit by our Illustrious Potentate James Eaches and First Lady Rosa on March 26, at Willie's Barbeque in Pueblo with a fine dinner and a minimum of business and introductions due to the potential for more inclement weather as can be expected in Colorado.

Our next event saw Cuzn Clem, Howdy, El Lobo, Sleepy, Pocket Change, and Billy-Bob assisting with clowning and providing help on the fields at the Second Annual Al Kaly Invitational Softball Tournament. It was really refreshing to see two teams from Pueblo were in the finals on the last day of the tournament.

We are now in the process of planning some fundraisers to enable us to make use of another smaller calliope which was donated to the unit. We will be purchasing a gasoline powered golf cart on which to mount it and plan on decorating it in a circus theme to be used in conjunction with our larger calliope that is towed on a trailer. Currently, the new calliope is being stored on property owned by Noble Doug Gabel and we hope to be up and running with this very soon.



# POTENTATE'S MOTOR ESCORT

by **Doc Collinson**  
President

Parade season has finally started and our first parade in Canón City was a huge success. We showed those people a lot of chrome. Their eyes still might be suffering from "chromitis" from all that shine. Illustrious Jim Eaches will be riding with us this year so we will always provide a trike for him to be a co-rider in the middle of our unit. I think he better put back about 30K because he'll be wanting a trike by end of summer. Sorry Rosa, no comments from you!!

Our OV was a blast and we had 35 people there at the Pueblo Shrine Club. The dinner was great and we sent our Potentate home with possibly a couple more dinners at the Saltgrass Steak House depending on how thick he likes his steaks.

We had a great social at the Golden Corral at the end of April. It's always fun for us to get together for dinner and we try to switch it around so we never get tired of someone's food. Here's a "dining hint," if you're trying to lose weight, don't go to the Golden Corral; if you're trying to stay the same weight, don't go to the Golden Corral and if you don't want to over eat, don't go to the Golden Corral. "Nuf" said!

Our second annual Escort trip will be getting under way by the time you get this issue of the Dust. We will be riding the byways going through Nebraska to South Dakota to see the "GUYS" - Mt. Rushmore that is. We are leaving Thursday the 9th of June and are coming home Tuesday the 14th. If that doesn't give us a tired butt, we'll be back on the road to Salida on Saturday the 18th.

We are going to start the "Crazy, Lazy Days of Summer" in style.

*(Mule Train, continued from page 29)*

As we drove down the hard packed dirt road with a light and lazy plume of dust rising gently behind us, I couldn't help thinking during those forty minutes I had learned a great deal more from a mule named Denver than he had learned from me.

*And that ain't all bad, I decided.*

# LITTLE T'S

by **Kim Sturdy**  
President

Calling all Little T's. Take a look around your place and see if you have a Little T sitting around doing nothing. If you do let us know, we need T's for our club. If you have one and are not using it, sell it to the club or better yet, donate it to the club. It can be used and we can accomplish some repair and updates.

Contact J. D. Potter 719-240-0675 or Kim Sturdy 719-564-3309 if you have one for us. See you in the parades!!



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