

Al Kaly Shriners Stated Meeting December 12, 2025, Elks Lodge Pueblo, CO

"let peace and harmony prevail"

### Ritual Opening

Introductions made by I.S. Brian Carter. Divan present, I.S. Jared Maddox Potentate, CR Scott Rhea, AR Mark Giffin. H.P.&P Abe England, 1<sup>st</sup> Ceremonial Master Mack Word, Recorder I.S. Gary Sears Captain of the Guard Nathan Rolison.

Past Potentates present: Illustrious Sirs, James Hinojosa, Brian Carter, Gary Sears, Dave Stevens, Sam Pisciotta, Ray Singmaster, Larry Weed, Bill Davidson.

### Prayer by I.S. Larry Weed

The LOH posted the Colors, followed by the pledge of allegiance with the band playing the star spangled banner.

The meeting was opened at 7pm with twenty-six nobles in attendance.

- Minutes from the September stated meeting were approved as posted.
- **Treasurers Report by I.S. Dave Stevens, read and approved.**
- **Budget I.S. Dave**
- **2025 Fund Raisers I.S. Dave**
  - **Golf Tournament**
  - **Cigar and steak dinner**
  - **Clay shoot**
  - **Cash Calendar**
  - **Picnic Raffle**
  - **Festival of trees**
  - **Hogs**

- Circus

Discussed and approved.

- Necrology Report I.S. Larry Weed

**James Hauck**

**Born 05-07-1938**

**Created 09-11-2009**

**Died 12-02-2025**

**David Ashley**

**Born 8-25-1937**

**Created 01-09-1992**

**Died 09-30-2025**

**Elmo Gardner**

**Born 08-15-1939**

**Created 06-02-2008**

**Died 10-14-2025**

### **Demitted**

**Eric Ellithorpe, Steven Filichia**

**Membership Report Recorder** as of December 8, 2025

January 1, 2025 339

Gains 12

Losses 17

Total 334 plus 19 Associates

NPDs today of twelve.

Marc Appiano

Jason

Bednarek

Marvin Brown

Daniel Distel  
Warren Edick  
Walter Iiams  
Mark Martin  
Arnold  
Montoya  
Scott Nistler  
Gennaro  
Occhiuzzo  
Earl Schaffer  
Allen Surber  
Approved as read.

## **New Business**

- **Election of Officers for 2025**
- Potentate Scott Rhea Nominated by I. S. Brian Carter, vote 100%
- CR -Mark Giffin Nominated by I.S. Bill Davidson, no objections and the Potentate declared him elected.
- AR- Abe England Nominated by I.S. Jim Burger. No objections and the Potentate declared him elected.
- H.P.&P Mack Word-Nominated by I.S. Maddox . No objections and the Potentate declared him elected.
- OG -John Montoya Nominated by Scott Rhea No objections and the Potentate declared him elected.
- Treasurer I.S. Dave Stevens-Nominated by I.S. Sears, No objections and the Potentate declared him elected.
- Recorder I.S. Gary Sears-Nominated by I.S. Bart Guthrie. No objections and the Potentate declared him elected.

All newly elected officers were present and accepted the office they were elected.

Imperial Session Reps Pote and CR

CSSA Reps Potentate, CR, & AR.

**DUST ADVERTISING SALES, checks were mailed.**

**Allen Ake**

**Dennis Feister**

**Larry Childs**

**Gary Sears**

**Torry Krutzke**

**Wayne McKey**

**Awards:**

- Gold & Silver Stars presented to numerous Nobles and will post in the Al Kaly Dust. The list is attached.
- Hospital Rep Emeritus
- Wayne McKey and Dean Dooley
- Jim Barager hospital emeritus SLC.

**Potentate Remarks**

I.S. Jared reviewed his year and thanked the Nobles for their support.

**Reports of Clubs and Units/Sickness & Distress**

**I.S. Dave discussed thee Festival of trees and the need for different fundraisers.**

**Jim Barager mentioned the possibility of a Dust in electronic form.**

**Dennis Feister, Jim Marcum, Ben Lowery, I.S. James Eaches.**

**Scott Rhea discussed the installation on January 3 and the need for RSVP by December 26.**

The meeting closed at 8:26PM with peace and harmony prevailing.

Submitted by Gary Sears

