



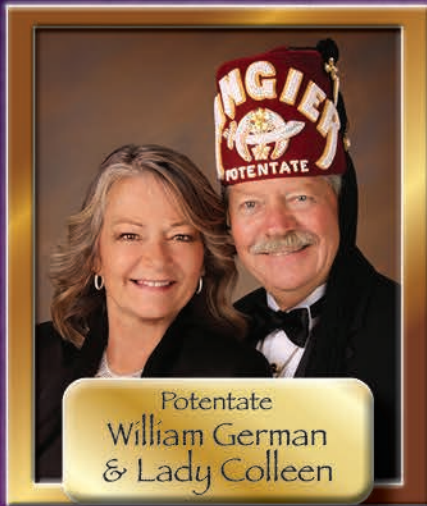
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Potentate
William German
& Lady Colleen

Tangier Shrine 2022 ELECTED DIVAN



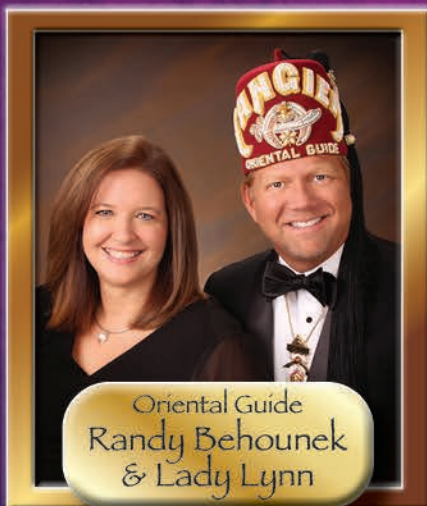
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& Lady Dawn



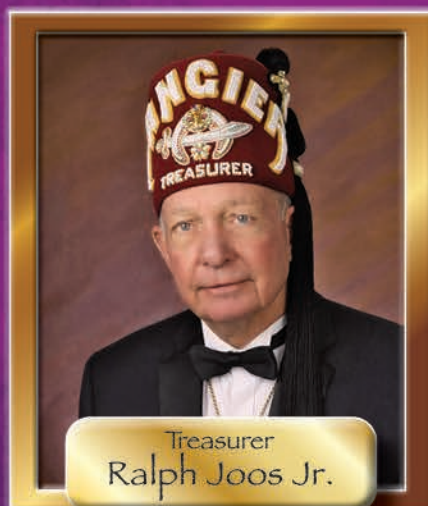
Assistant Rabban
Bryan Deming
& Lady Erin



High Priest & Prophet
Paul Bohannon



Oriental Guide
Randy Behounek
& Lady Lynn



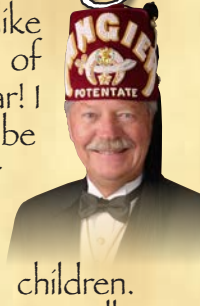
Treasurer
Ralph Joos Jr.



Recorder
Charles Sohm

Potentate's Message

First Lady Colleen and I would like to wish all of the Nobles and Ladies of Tangier a healthy and happy New Year! I am beyond humbled and honored to be elected to serve as your Potentate for 2022. With your help, I look forward to a year of fun and fellowship along with continuing our mission of helping children.



As the Hot Sands will be out before Installation night, I'd like to thank in advance everyone who played a part in my Installation Ceremony and Reception.

Congratulations to our newly elected Oriental Guide, Randy Behounek, Trustee, Dave Workman, and to all of the Unit and Club Leaders. If the Divan can be of assistance to your Unit or Club, please let us know.

Congratulations to Ill. Steve Elliott on his very successful year. His leadership and dedication to Tangier was evident to all. We wish Steve and Lady Cheryl all the best.

After an exhausting nine days of being your Potentate and First Lady, we will be 'dragging' a contingency of Nobles and Ladies to Jamaica on January 16th for some rest and relaxation. We'll be back all refreshed and ready to get to work, as the Circus is coming to town! We are excited to have a new promoter with some new ideas this year. The Circus will run February 18-20 at the MAC. Your Divan will be visiting various Lodges this year to further the word about Shrinedom in an effort to increase membership. We also have some community awareness fundraisers and creative family events planned.

My sincere thanks to all of the Nobles and Ladies of Tangier for all you do to make this such a great Shrine Center. I believe you are what makes the difference. Your friendship and trust in me is greatly appreciated, and I look forward to working with all of you in 2022.

Fraternally,
Bill German
 Potentate 2022

TANGIER STATED MEETING

Wednesday,
January 12th



DINNER
6:15 pm
Lower Level

*Beef Tips over Noodles,
 A Vegetable & soup
 Shrine Bowl Guys & Gals are
 decorating & serving!*

MEN'S MEETING
7:30 pm
Main Room

LADIES MEETING
After Dinner - Lower Level
*Our First Lady Colleen & the Divan
 Ladies will be sharing plans for 2022.*

Tangier Shrine Office • RSVP to 402-392-0404

JANUARY LOUNGE SOUP

Tue, Jan 4 - Wisconsin Cheese

Tue, Jan 11 - Potato Soup

Tue, Jan 18 - Chili

Tue, Jan 15 - Chicken Noodle

ELECTED DIVAN & APPOINTMENTS

ELECTED DIVAN

Potentate..... Bill German
 Chief Rabban Paul Gonzales
 Assistant Rabban..... Brian Deming
 High Priest & Prophet..... Paul Bohannon Jr.
 Oriental Guide..... Randy Behounek
 Treasurer PP Ralph Joos Jr.
 Recorder..... Charles Sohm

TRUSTEES

Travis Drews Joe Hodges
 Bob Duff Dave Workman

APPOINTIVE DIVAN

First Ceremonial Master Freddie Clopton
 Second Ceremonial Master Jeremy Martin
 Co-Directors..... Mel Morton & Robert Grzebeilski
 Marshal Kraig Prange
 Captain of the Guard..... Brooks Call
 Outer Guard Terry Nelson

POTENTATE'S PERSONAL AIDES

Mike German..... Don Streeter..... Jerry Leapley

POTENTATE'S STAFF

Chief of Staff..... Rob Kuhl
Assistant Chief of Staff..... Adam Reese
Chief Aides..... Adam Reese, Alec Engleman, Pete Larson & Jeff Sterba.
Potentate's Aides Dan Henn, Kevin Potter, Tim Bernet, Dave Treadway, Dillon Hadcock, Kim Gardner, Dean Nelson, Eric Hadcock, Danny Whitlow, Jim Jacobson, Jim "Junior" Smith, Tom Jones, Larry Ruh, & Greg Hess
Project Manager..... PP Frank Kroupa
Ambassadors Roger Moore & Micah Evans
Chaplains Mike Stuhr & Ron Stites
Commander of Units..... Matthew Beahm
Lt. Commander of Units..... Wade Ridout
Samsar..... Tyler Goodman
Circus Chairman..... Jim Turpen
Festival of Trees Co-Chairman.PP Jim Hirl & John Golden.
Hospital Benefit Days..... Bob Duff & Travis Drews
Hospital Representative..... PP James B. Parks Sr.
Hospital Patient Coordinator.... Jim Huebner & Susan Ryan
Hospital Van Coordinator Jim Huebner
Board of Directors, Twin Cities PP Daryl Finley
Housing Chairman..... Gary Shepherd
Kitchen Manager Mike Gardner & Kim Gardner
Dry Goods Manager Bill Garner
Legal Staff..... Darren Carlson & Rick Myers
Photographers Jim Reese, Steve Reese & Greg Norton
Publicity Chairman..... PP Gary Unger & Travis Drews
Show & Shine Chairman..... Don Streeter
NE Shrine Bowl..... David MacDonald, David Workman, Elliott Bottorf & Mel Morton
Sunshine Committee Chuck Sohm
Historian Tim Bernet
Web Master..... Michael Brooks & Chuck Sohm
Hot Sands Editor..... Dave Shaw & Kevin Conner
Chief Aide Emeritus..... Al Sesemann, Dave Muller
 Scot McCaul, Leroy Fuglsang, Dan Henn, John Hoagland, Clair Burroughs & Barry Ahlborn.
Chief of Staff Emeritus..... Daryle Winder
Hospital Van Coordinator Emeritus Marv Kovar
Treasurer Emeritus PP James B. Parks, Sr.
Board of Directors Emeritus, Twin Cities..... PP Don Perry



MASONIC FAMILY ACTIVITIES
 Omaha-Council Bluffs Metro Area



- Jan 1 New Year's Day**
- Jan 2 Bellevue Lodge #325 Installation of Officers OPEN 2:00 PM BelMC
- Jan 7 Tangier Installation of Officers OPEN 6:00 PM TSC
- Jan 8 Shiloh Lodge #327 Installation of Officers OPEN 2:00 PM ShiMC
- Jan 8 Nebraska Lodge #1 Installation of Officers OPEN 7:00 PM WOMC
- Jan 8 Papillion Lodge #39 Installation of Officers OPEN **TIME TBA** PapMC
- Jan 8 Mizpah Lodge #302 Installation of Officers OPEN **TIME TBA** MizMC
- Jan 9 Springfield Lodge #112 Installation of Officers OPEN 2:00 PM SprMC
- Jan 9 Omaha Lodge #288 Installation of Officers OPEN 2:00 PM **LOCATION TBA**
- Jan 9 Centennial Lodge #326 Installation of Officers OPEN 2:00 PM WOMC
- Jan 9 JJ Mercer Lodge #290 Installation of Officers OPEN 2:00 PM BenMC
- Jan 13 Big Red Dinner 7:30 PM TSC
- Jan 15 Covert #11 Installation of Officers OPEN 2:00 PM WOMC
- Jan 15 Albert Pike Lodge #333 Installation of Officers OPEN **TIME TBA** SRMC
- Jan 16 Waterloo Lodge #102 Installation of Officers OPEN 2:00 PM WMC
- Jan 16 Capitol Lodge #3 Installation of Officers OPEN 2:00 PM ShiMC
- Jan 16 Bee Hive Lodge #184 Installation of Officers OPEN 2:00 PM SRMC
- Jan 16-22 Tangier Potentates Trip to Jamaica
- Jan 17 Martin Luther King Day**
- Jan 18 G. W. Linger Lodge #268 Installation of Officers OPEN 6:00 PM SRMC

EVENTS ARE AS OF THE 1ST OF THE PREVIOUS MONTH

This is an informational email service offered by the Omaha Metro Area Masters & Wardens Club for all Masonic family members in the Greater Omaha Area. For additions, corrections or adding of individuals to receive the list, contact Ron Stites, 402-293-1538 or rontami@cox.net. For events please include host organization, event name, date, time, and location.

For other activities see the following websites:

- Grand Lodge www.glne.org
 Scottish Rite www.scottishriteomaha.org
 Jobs Daughters www.jdne.org
 Rainbow www.nebraskarainbowgirls.com
 OES www.neoes.org
 DeMolay www.nedemolay.org
 Tangier Shrine www.tangiershrine.com
 York Rite www.neyorkrite.org

HOT SANDS MEMORIALS

GENERAL FUND

United Ostomy Association, Inc
 Michael & Marcel Remund
 Terrance & Anita Corbit/Fez of Trees
 S. Jeanne Meeker Daharsh/Chapter BS/PEO
 Nancy Hanks Meeker/Chapter BS/PEO
 PP John McDonald/Arabia Shrine/TX
 Stated Meeting Drawing/12/9/21

TRANSPORTATION FUND

Edward & Lida Robinson
 Charitable Trust
 Charles & Patricia Scheuneman
 Western Specialty Contractors/Rich Voshell
 Tangier Keystone Kops
 Tangier Directors Staff/Fall Ceremonial
 Tangier Shrine Bowl Unit
 Arbor Shrine Club
 Charles & Patricia Scheuneman
 Eastern NE Western IA Car Council
 Gwen & Vicki Atwell
 David & Sandra Jameson
 Michael Horton
 Leslie & Joanne Oleson
 Charles Baxley
 Mike & Deb Frecks

In Honor of First Lady Cheryl Elliott:
 Legion of Honor Ladies

In Memory of Don Meadows:
 Bernard & Sharon Bena
 Kevin & Lynne Kush/Mobile Nobles
 Bruce & Katherine Meadows/Mobile Nobles
 Beverly Meadows/Mobile Nobles

In Memory of Ron Schmierer:
 Tangier Shrine Greeters
 Dallas & Erma Jean Johnson

In Memory Raymond Banse:
 Frank Sabatka

In Memory of Tom Hultquist:
 Marv Kovar

In Honor of Mary Ann Swanson:
 Roger Pieper/Arbor Shrine Club

Passed Through The Unseen Portals



STATED MEETING EXPIRATIONS

Donald L. MeadowsNov 17, 2021
Thomas J. Hultquist.....Nov 21, 2021
Ronald SchmiererDec 4, 2021
R. Kevin Throckmorton ... Dec 8, 2021

January 2022

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|--|
| | | | | | | 1 <i>Mew Year's Day</i> |
| 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 Tangier Installation | 8 |
| 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 Stated Meeting | 13 Big Red Dinner | 14 | 15 Unit and Club Installation |
| 16 Pote's Trip | 17 Pote's Trip <i>Martin Luther King Jr's Birthday</i> | 18 Pote's Trip | 19 Pote's Trip Hamburger Night | 20 Pote's Trip | 21 Pote's Trip | 22 Pote's Trip B&C Wild Game Feed |
| 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 Hamburger Night | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| 30 | 31 | | | | | |

CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

February 2022

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|---------------------|---|-----------|------------------------------|---|-------------------------|---|
| | | 1 | 2 Hamburger Night | 3 Grand Lodge | 4 Grand Lodge | 5 Grand Lodge |
| 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 Hamburger Night | 10 Stated Meeting | 11 | 12 Blood Drive Nile Bingo |
| 13 | 14 <i>Valentine's Day</i> | 15 | 16 | 17 Circus Setup Big Red Dinner | 18 Circus | 19 Circus |
| 20 Circus | 21 <i>Washington's Birthday</i> | 22 | 23 Hamburger Night | 24 Circus Appreciation | 25 | 26 Director Staff Mardi Gras |
| 27 | 28 | | | | | |

Shrine Bowl Unit



By: Tom Erickson

Greetings from the Shrine Bowl Unit. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. First I'd like to recognize outgoing Commander Bruce Arp for his leadership and dedication to our unit this past year. His passion to the success of our unit is demonstrated by all the time and efforts he and his Lady Ruth contribute. Bruce will not be going far as he is resuming his prior position as Treasurer. A big thanks to Chuck Ploughman for serving as Treasurer the past year and he also did a fantastic job. Greg Hess will be installed as the new Secretary and also as the Vice-Commander to fill in when the Commander is not available. The unit elected the Deans, Dean Abel and Dean Nelson, to remain on the board for another term. Dave Muller and Past Potentate Don Perry have agreed to serve on the board as invited by the Commander. My Lady Kim and I are looking forward to this challenge as we once again have a strong leadership team to keep the train rolling and to attack any new challenges the next two years bring. This is also my last missive, I will miss this writing this, into the Hot Sands as incoming Secretary Greg will take over this role. The annual unit Christmas Brunch was held Dec 12th and we had a fantastic turnout of nearly 90. The brunch is a great way to cap off the year and a good time was had by all.

A big Thanks to Dean Abels for leading the Big Red Prime Rib Dinners this past year. Our next dinner is Thursday January 13th featuring radio personality Sean Callahan as the keynote speaker. The unit will also be serving at Hamburger Night on January 26th. Here's to a great new year and I hope to see you at Tangier's New Years Eve Party.

Arab Patrol



By: Steve Bugajny

Greetings and welcome 2022! I for one am happy its a new year. I hope it's better than 2021.

Welcome new officers to clubs and units and the new line of our distinguished Tangier Shrine leaders.

A heartfelt thank you to Potentate Steve Elliot. What a fantastic example of leadership during these tough times.

Arab Patrol looks forward to an exciting year. We are pleased to have new members and new energy that is evident in our gatherings and events. The line of officers for our Arab Patrol is doing a super job. Our Taste of Wine at the Shrine looks like it will be a keeper and we plan to make it even better than last year.

We wish you a healthy and happy 2022. Peace and good fortune.

Chanters



By: Bernie Hauber

Last month, the Chanters performed in their annual Christmas Tour (somewhat abbreviated due to Covid) for senior living centers, etc.

The Chanters are saddened to report the death of Chanter and 2021 Captain, Noble Kevin Throckmorton, who was born in Council Bluffs, Iowa, on December 14, 1951. He married and moved to O'Neill, Nebraska, where he was raised to a Master Mason in Garfield Lodge #95 on April 16, 1982. Kevin joined Scottish Rite and Tangier Shrine in 1988. After he moved to Omaha, Kevin became a dual member of Capitol #3 in October 2015, where he served as Worshipful Master in 2019 and 2020. He joined the Chanters as a bass several years ago. Please keep Kevin's wife Missy and his 8 children and 24 grandchildren in your thoughts and prayers.

Last October, the Chanters held elections, and Noble Hal Cottrell was elected Captain. Hal was born in West Virginia and grew up in a musical family. He says he began his music career at the age of 10. In 1984, Hal entered the US Air Force and retired from the USAF in 2009, returning to the Bellevue area. He became a Master Mason in 2008 and was the Master of Bellevue Lodge #325 in 2016 and 2017. Hal became a Shriner in 2010 and joined the Chanters in 2018. He is the current Secretary of Bellevue Lodge and the Grand Tyler of the Grand Lodge of Masons in Nebraska. We Chanters are thankful for his tenor voice, his talent, and his leadership.

Noble Charlie Jones was elected Lieutenant, Noble Bruce McCoy was re-elected Treasurer of the unit, and Noble Bernie Hauber was elected Recording Secretary.

Coming up in January, the Chanters have received only a few requests to perform at Masonic-family installations, including that of Potentate-elect Bill German on January 7. Any man with a joy for singing and interested in joining us should contact any Chanter or just stop by on Mondays (starting January 13) around 7:00 pm at the Shrine Center. That's my update for January.

"And David spoke to the chief of the Levites to appoint their brethren to be the chanters with instruments of music, psalteries and harps and cymbals, sounding aloud and lifting up the voice with joy." (1 Chronicles 15:16)

Circus Office



By: Jim Turpen, Circus Chairman

Greetings to all Nobles and Ladies. How time flies, here it is January 2022 and the all new for 2022, 92nd Tangier Shrine Circus, is almost here. Our TV ads are running, the Daddy Tickets have been sent out and our Hy Vee promotions will start soon. Thanks to the Keystone Kops, Mobile Nobles and Clowns for their help with the in-store activities. A reminder that the Daddy Tickets are worth full value when used to upgraded to reserved seats. Upgrades are available either at the MAC or at the Tangier Office. We also have gift certificates for novelties available on our website and the Tangier Office. We are now continuing to accept donations for our "Great Bicycle Giveaway" and Sandy in the Office will gladly take your money. Entrants must be under 12 years old and the lucky winners will be randomly drawn and announced during intermission. The Giveaway is a big hit with the children and the good will it brings to Tangier is invaluable. Now is the time to continue monitoring our social media pages, be sure to like, comment, and share on our Facebook page. Happy New Year to all and remember to THINK CIRCUS!

Hospital Float



By: Mike Donham

Happy New Year! 2022 is here. Our hope is that following a very successful Feztival of Tress and the Hospital Float's successful Christmas Greens fundraiser that we are off to a wonderful year at Tangier. Thank you to the unit members who helped in any way during the Feztival of Trees and for selling the greens.

Congratulations to the elected Divan for the ensuing year. Plan to attend the Installation of the Divan and the informational meeting for the Units.

Lady Barb Madsen and Noble Stan Hale are both recovering from ankle injuries. It is great to see them out and about.

We are saddened by the passing of Noble Tom Hultquist, a member of the Hospital Float Unit. He was a dedicated member of the Unit for many years. We thank him for his service and send our thoughts and prayers to Lady Caryl Jean and their family.

January birthday wishes are sent to Noble Bob Brown and Ladies Cindy Nisley and Barb Madsen.

Members, it is that time of year, don't forget, dues are due to your Blue Lodge, Shrine, and to the Unit. Send your unit dues to Noble Ken Nisley.

Remember Nobles: "A New Year's resolution is something that goes in one year and out the other." – Anonymous

Daughters of the Nile

By: Angie Huebner, Queen



Happy New Year to all who are reading this article! May 2022 bring you JOY in all things. May we all prosper in Love, Health, and Friendship!

Sat-ra had a wonderful year in 2021. We initiated 8 new princesses, held successful fundraisers, celebrated a glorious day with our Supreme Queen Donna Kramer, where Sat-ra received high reviews and compliments on our ritual work, but mostly what open, friendly, and gracious hosts we were! Excellent job Sat-ra!

There is no session held in January – enjoy the month off!

February session is on Saturday, February 5 at 10:00 am. Donuts at 9:30 am. We will have our annual Memorial Service to remember all members who have passed. I hope you can join us, it truly is a beautiful service.

Sat-ra will be hosting a Souper Supper Bingo Bash on Saturday, February 12. Lunch will be served at Noon with Bingo following. For only \$10 each. We will be serving home cooked soups to help keep the winter chill off. I hope you will join us. If you are unable to attend, please consider making a donation. See flyer for details.

If you would like to hear more about becoming a member, please reach out to me! Angie Huebner at 402-699-0213 or anhuebner@cox.net.

Until we meet again: Discover Your True North and Find JOY in the Journey! - Selah!

Vintage Iron

By: Ron Niederhaus



As you read this the new year will be shuttled in with much fanfare. But we can't pass on the year that has just ended. Our leader, Steve Kohler, did a tremendous job leading us in the post pandemic 2021. It was great to see our nobles gathering again for the many events that we all missed in 2020. Steve was a very involved leader in all the activities that make Tangier a great organization to belong to. Thank you Steve.

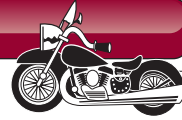
We also need to take a moment to celebrate the lives of two nobles we lost but will never be forgotten. Ed Ticknor and Travis Prater. May they continue to watch over us.

The Circus will be in town soon and we look forward to the new adventure we are taking on, of selling novelties. We need all hands on deck for this event and want to help make it the best Circus ever. There are several shifts you can sign up for.

Please join us on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm for an introduction to the many activities Vintage Iron will be involved in during 2022. You can join this very active unit whether you own a vintage car or not. And if you are looking for a vintage vehicle there are nobles who can help you out.

Motor B

By: Rick Mason



Motor B is hoping everyone had a great Christmas and New Years Day and is wishing all a great 2022!

Santa was with us this year for our tree sales and helped us sell trees and took pictures with some excited customers.

We had a record-setting year due to many things that were out of our control. We sold out in eight and a half days! Weather, supply chain issues, as well as great attendance to the Festival of Trees helped this year. For the second year we had the assistance of KOTW, Widow's Sons, and would like to thank them for their help! Due to these successes, we have upped the number of trees and placed our 2022 order already. Thank you to all that supported us.

Again, Motor B members wish you and yours a prosperous and safe 2022.



Road Runners

By: Jim Huebner



Similar numbers of van trips and patients served by Tangier in November. Boys Town had an outreach clinic and another one was scheduled for December 17. Please consider becoming a Tangier Road Runner and if you see any Road Runners at Tangier please thank them.

November Numbers:

Total van trips (2), all for Minneapolis.

Total van miles driven – 1589.

(7) patients driving themselves - Minneapolis.

(3) patients with appointments at Boys Town.

(3) commercial flights;

(2) Philadelphia, (1) Chicago.

Total of (15) patients assisted for the month.

Director's Staff

By: Mel Morton

Happy New Year! We are starting a new year with a new Divan. We would like to congratulate the new Divan and look forward to their leadership. We know we are in good hands.

There are two installations coming up, the Divan's on January 7th and the unit and club on the 15th. Come out and support both installations as these are our leaders for the Shrine, units, and clubs for the year. They would be very grateful and appreciative of your support at the installations.

Everyone had a great time at the ceremonial. What a turnout for the class honoree Illustrious Sir Mike Gardner P.P. What fun we had with the candidates and the party at the hotel was a blast. What a way to end the year.

Hamburger nights are starting up again. Come out and support the Shrine, have some good food and enjoy a conversation with another Shriner. Bring your friends and family. They need to eat also.

The Pote's trip is this month. It looks like it will be a great time with all of our Shrine brothers and sisters. It sounds like there are a lot of people going. If they are like me, not only are they going for a good time but to warm up a little also.

A couple of things coming up in the future to put on your calendars include Grand Lodge in early February and our Mardi Gras party on February 26th. Both are well worth attending.

If you haven't joined the Scimitar club yet, give it some thought. This is to help us not take funds out of our investments to operate our general budget. This will help pay it forward for our future nobles.

Everyone likes doughnuts and fellowship. That is what happens every Tuesday morning at the Shrine. Coffee, doughnuts, and fellowship what a good time. Bring your lady and let her see the fellowship we have.

If everyone brings in "Just One" new member our membership will grow leaps and bounds. How many of our Shriners have brought in "Just One" good quality noble this past year?

If you are interested in seeing what the Directors Staff is about, contact any of our members or come to one of our meetings. We meet on the 4th Monday of every month in the lower level of Tangier at 7:00 pm. Our ladies meet at the same time. Support the other clubs and units, your blue lodge, and other Masonic organizations. As always remember it's a great day to be a Tangier Shriner.

Spirits of the Shrine

By: Brewmaster Travis Drews

Greetings everyone! Congratulations to our newly elected Potentate, Divan, and Trustee! We look forward to your leadership and care for our Fraternity!

A big thank you to Brett and Trish Thompson for hosting a wonderful Christmas Party last month!

Do you enjoy locally brewed beer and spirits, and great fellowship? If so Tangier Spirits of the Shrine Club may be just for you! We meet on the first Monday of every month at 7:00 pm. We typically meet at local breweries or establishments that serve locally made beer and spirits. Dues are only \$20 and that includes your significant other! Our ladies are a big part of who we are as a club and are encouraged to come to the meetings and outings. Our meetings are short and are about 15-20 minutes long so we can enjoy fellowship and have fun! If you have any questions feel free to contact my cell 402-657-7690 or email me at Tdrews29@gmail.com

Speaking of meetings, our first three meetings are set and confirmed: Monday January 3rd at Wine Beer and Spirits near Oakview Mall at 6:30 pm ****note meeting time change****; Monday February 7th at Pint Nine Brewing Company 10411 Portal Rd #104 La Vista, NE at 7:00 pm; Monday March 7th at Thunderhead Brewing Taproom at 13304 W Center Rd #126 Omaha at 7:00 pm.

If you have any ideas on where to meet in the future let's discuss them over a pint!

Some food for thought: "Always do sober what you said you'd do drunk. That will teach you to keep your mouth shut." – Ernest Hemingway.

Update from the Clinic Greetings & Happy Holidays!



Shriners Hospitals for Children

By: David J. Voller, MBA, FACHE - Clinic Administrator

Wow, what a year... Here we are already in December and as the Clinic Administrator I am just completing 5 months on the job. So much is happening as we prepare for 2022 and see even greater opportunity to transform how we care for all children regardless of means to pay with the best care anywhere. And while this is very exciting we all still have a lot of work to do.

As Shrine members you can help beyond the incredible assistance you all provide today with the volunteering, event support and incredible fund raising. One of our biggest challenges we face today is that of legacy. This incredible legacy Shriners has had for the past 100 years is outstanding, but it also challenges us for the future. Over these past three weeks I have heard we are closed, we only see "free" kids and we do not accept insurance. Sadly, this has mainly come from providers in our markets and individuals in the community. Even more challenging, are the many who do not know us at all or only recognize the Shriners as a group of men who wear a fez, are in parades and some recognize the Shriners as a circus. We have work to do...

The opportunity we all have is to help spread the word. Shriners Children's is a premier pediatric orthopedic healthcare organization who sees all patients with pediatric orthopedic needs, regardless of means to pay, providing the best care anywhere. What does that mean? As each of you promote or refer patients to the clinic what you need them to know is that as an organization we can help. We accept all insurances, we treat all pediatric orthopedic needs regardless if it is genetic condition or a traumatic event, and we have a network of clinics, hospitals and ambulatory surgery centers spread throughout the United States, Mexico and Canada.

Operationally we are enhancing a number of other opportunities. One of the biggest will be that of direct referrals for our ancillary support services. Initially this will be with Therapy but should soon include Imaging and Prosthetics and Orthotics (POPs). We are also improving our Outreach model of care to ensure we are optimizing our resources by sending the appropriate skill level and enhancing the use of technologies to better care for children remotely. Additionally, in 2022 we look at expand our network with additional partnerships in our markets. While many of these discussions are preliminary, these relationships and models of care is what will help ensure Shriners Children's establishes a foundation for the next 100 years.

Happy Holidays from all of the very grateful staff at Shriners Children's - Twin Cities for everything YOU do!



Omaha York Rite
DATES TO REMEMBER

- January 7 Mt. Calvary Commandery #1 Meeting 7:30 pm, PMC**
- January 10 Omaha Chapter #1 Royal Arch Masons 7:30 pm, BenMC**
- January 10 Plattsmouth York Rite Meeting 7:30 pm, PlatML**
- January 12 Florence Chapter #61 RAM Potluck Dinner 6:30 pm, Meeting 7:30 pm, PMC**
- January 20 Omaha Council #1 Cryptic Masons 7:00 pm, Bellevue MC**

Check with each body to determine if the meeting is in fact taking place.

BE SURE TO SUPPORT YOUR BLUE LODGE AND ALL APPENDANT BODIES!



Scottish Rite Masonic Center
Calendar of Events

CHECK THE DATE

January 21 Scotch Tasting 6:00 pm

For Many Events At Scottish Rite Masonic Center

If you prefer you can register online:

www.scottishriteomaha.org

Click on "Events Calendar", the month, scroll down to find an event, "View Details", and finally "Register & Pay".

Call the office if you have questions, 402-342-1300

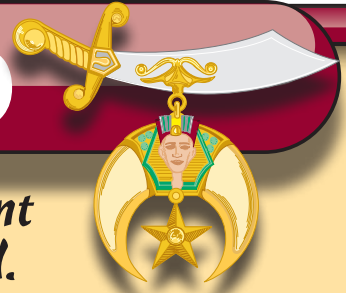
Happy Birthday

to Everyone Celebrating a Birthday in January



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| James G Willett..... | 1/1 | Arthur J Ferguson | 1/12 | Alan J Penner..... | 1/23 |
| Rhett R Sears | 1/1 | Reid Jacobson | 1/12 | John M Collins | 1/23 |
| Richard German..... | 1/1 | Michael L Thomas | 1/13 | Thomas W Hosier | 1/23 |
| Jon M Schuetz | 1/2 | Dylan Schmielau..... | 1/13 | Charles V Sederstrom III..... | 1/23 |
| Bernard Rolfs..... | 1/2 | George R Hooper Jr | 1/14 | Chester R Harris Jr..... | 1/24 |
| Howell P Roberts | 1/3 | Jay H Speck | 1/14 | Mark M Mahaffey..... | 1/24 |
| Noran L Davis | 1/3 | Jack Gardner..... | 1/14 | Steven L Crouse | 1/24 |
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Scimitar Club as of December 20, 2021

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Tangier Arab Patrol

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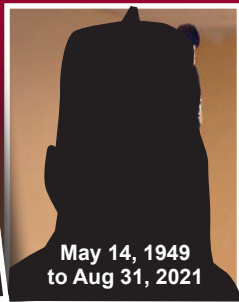
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December 2021
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In Memory of
Travis Prater



October 2021
Alec Engelsman



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Jeff Sterba



August 2021
Jim Schmidt



July 2021
Barry Higgins



June 2021
Terry Nelson



May 2021
Dan Henn



April 2021
Walt Keast



March 2021
Bill Sullivan



February 2021
Dave Workman



January 2021
Ed Thompson

2022 MEMBERSHIP GOALS

Julius Boatwright
Heath Evans
Christian Jennings
Branden Ovens

Curtis Pennewell
Jason Shelton
Brendon Yates, Jr.

| Unit Name | 2021 Goal | YTD |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Arab Patrol | 2 | 4 |
| Band | 2 | |
| Chanters | 2 | |
| Clowns | 3 | 4 |
| Directors Staff | 5 | 1 |
| Greeters | 2 | |
| Hospital Float | 2 | 1 |
| Keystone Kops | 5 | 8 |
| Legion of Honor | 3 | |
| Mobile Nobles | 5 | 6 |
| Motor A | 2 | 1 |
| Motor B | 2 | |
| Provost Guard | 4 | 3 |
| Rag Tops | 2 | |
| Shrine Bowl | 6 | 6 |
| Unit Total | 47 | 34 |

| Club Name | 2021 Goal | YTD |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Arbor Shrine | 2 | |
| Boone & Crockett | 5 | 5 |
| Botna Valley | 1 | |
| Corvette Club | 3 | 2 |
| Fremont | 2 | 1 |
| Kruzin Kushions | 1 | 1 |
| Mo Ri | 2 | 5 |
| North Bend | 3 | 2 |
| Oasis | 1 | |
| Pirates | 2 | 2 |
| Racers | 3 | |
| Ritual Divan | 2 | 2 |
| Road Runners | 2 | |
| Sand Hills | 1 | 1 |
| Straight Shooters | 2 | 2 |
| Spirits of the Shrine | 2 | |
| Vintage Iron | 3 | 3 |
| Wise Ashes | 3 | |
| Club Total | 40 | 26 |

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| Past Potentates | 3 | 1 |
| Trustees | 3 | |
| Divan | 7 | 4 |
| Tangier 2021 Total | 100 | 65 |



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Team**



Keystone Kops

Presentations to Transportation Fund at December Stated Meeting

Shrine Bowl Unit



Circus is Coming

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Sat Feb 19 @ 2:00 pm
Sat Feb 19 @ 7:30 pm
Sun Feb 20 @ 1:00 pm
Sun Feb 20 @ 4:30 pm





MARDI GRAS

**Saturday
February 26, 2022
PUBLIC WELCOME**

Cocktails 6-7:00 p.m - Dinner 7-8:00 p.m.
Dance 8-12:00 p.m.



Tangier Shriners Center
2823 S 84th Street



Costumes Optional
Admission \$15.00 Each / 2 for \$25.00
Table for 8-\$100.00

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"Payments are not deductible as charitable contributions." Fair Market Value \$8.00

Director Staff

- ★ Dinner
- ★ Party Favors
- ★ Prizes & Raffles
- ★ Costume Contest
- ★ Crowning of King & Queen

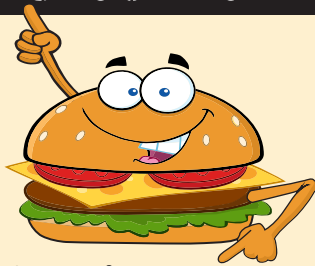
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Desserts - Jobs Bethel #1
- Jan. 26 Cooks - Shrine Bowl
Special is Meat Loaf
Desserts - Demolay CH 1
- Feb. 2 Cooks - North Bend Shrine Club
Special is Chicken Cordon Bleu
Desserts - Aksarben OES 277

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Wild Game Dinner

Saturday, January 22, 2022

at Tangier Shrine

2823 S 84th Street

84th & Center

Shot Shell Board, Raffles and Guns

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Tickets - Single \$15.00
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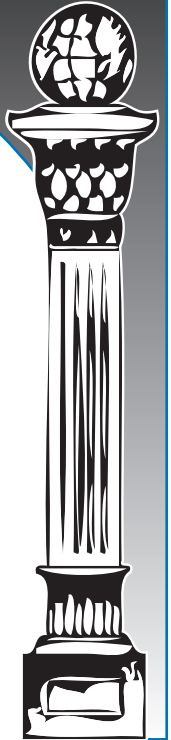
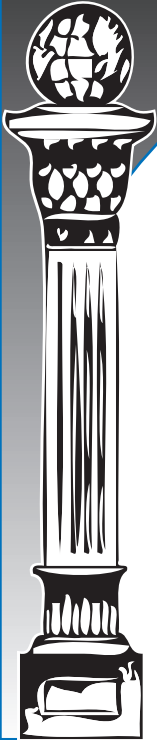
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Divan Installation & Reception

January 7th, 2022
7:30 PM

Tangier Shriners Center

*Nobles, Ladies and friends are welcome
& encouraged to attend to show the
Illustrious Potentate & Divan their support.*



2022 Unit & Club Officers' Installation & Informational Meeting

January 15th, 2022
Breakfast 8:00 AM



~ TANGIER SHRINERS CENTER ~

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT ALL OFFICERS ATTEND.

THIS MEETING OFFERS VALUABLE INFORMATION WHICH WILL AID YOU IN YOUR DUTIES AS OFFICERS FOR THE COMING YEAR.

Bring Your Fez! 

Black & White Formal Gala



The Illustrious Sir Bill German & Lady Colleen request your presence at the

2022 Potentate's Ball

Scottish Rite Masonic Center 202 S 20th St.
Saturday, March 19, 2022

Hospitality 2:30 - 4:30 Dinner Ball 5:30 Social Hour
6:30 Dinner & Dancing

Cost: \$50 per person for dinner & ball

Hotels, please book direct. **Code:** Tangier Shrine Ball 2022
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2022 Potentate's Ball Registration

Deadline for Ball registration on or before February 18, 2022.

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Tangier Tales

History that is Tangier



Greetings,

I'm sure we would all agree that our Shriner's philanthropy is one of the best of its kind ever created. Though we would be a bit biased, I am sure we would also say that we are one of the best Shrine Center's ever to be created. It would certainly be true to say that we enjoy one of the most active memberships within the Shrine organization. Our Shrine Center welcomes Nobles and their families six day a week, with unlimited opportunities to become engaged and give back. Exactly how it should be.

No organization, however large or small, can operate on autopilot. The successful organization we enjoy today, is the direct result of the continued dedication and commitment of individuals. This was true in 1889 and continues to be true today. Our success is because of each of you.

I encourage each of you to get involved with a Unit and/or Club and to seek higher elected office when you feel the time is right. Further, I encourage each Unit and Club to document their history or revise and update your existing history. Our history provides continuity and direction and binds our Masonic and Shrine families together.

Peeking at the Past

The Tangier Temple Band, pictured here in Washington D.C. in 1923, was established in 1919 and has been an organized group for over 100 years. Those first eight members became the second oldest organized unit within Tangier Shrine and were under the direction of Frank Elias. From 1921-1930 the group was known as the Tangier Patrol Band. After a reorganization in 1930, the band became known as the Tangier Temple Band. Frank Elias would continue his tenure as Director from 1919-1930; though he was assisted, from time to time, by Fred Phelps and Oscar Lieben.



One of the original eight band members was Fred Elias, Frank's brother. Frank and Fred could not have known it then, but they had begun a legacy not only for the Tangier Temple Band, but for their family. Fred Elias was our very own Past Potentate, Frank Kroupa's, grandfather. Frank and Fred Kroupa, along with their families, continue the legacy passed to them and Tangier is the better for it.

Once organized, the band wasted no time sharing their talents and promoting Tangier Shrine. Their first journey, a trip of 150 miles, found them performing in Grand Island, Nebraska. Throughout the 1920's the group continued to be on the move, they could be found in places like Portland, Oregon and Miami, Florida and many points in between.

The band is administratively overseen by a Captain and led by a Director. In many cases, over the years, this person has been one and the same. Other times, there has been a Captain and Director. One of the early Captains was Dr. Harvey McNichols, who reigned from 1928-1931. He was a member of the John Phillip Sousa Concert Band and would go on to have a son, Larry, who was a member of the Press Club Ball Orchestra. Another distinguished alumnus was Keith Lately. He was composer of 25 marches for brass bands. He was so well thought of and respected for his contributions; Council Bluffs honored him with "Keith Lately Day" on September 6, 1981. Nobel Lately passed on August 13, 1987, at the age of 91.

In 1932, Dr. Floyd Williams, a Chiropractor and clarinetist, took the helm as Director. Doc Williams had joined the band in 1923 and would hold the position of Director until 1965, a total of 33 years. Doc continued to participate in the band until 1980, bringing his overall years of service to 57. A shining example of being Connected, Committed and Engaged. Doc Williams answered his final call in 1985 at the age of 92.

Ted Sheil, a percussionist, would hold the baton for the next two years. The family's talent was not reserved for Ted, he had a daughter Martha that became an accomplished and well-known opera singer. Next, Mal Dunn would take on Directing duties from 1967-1975. Mall was a local orchestra leader and was nationally known for his directing and compositions. He wrote the Tangier Temple Song, performed by our Shrine Chanters and also wrote arrangements for the Lawrence Welk Orchestra.

Over the ensuing decades; the Tangier Temple Band could be found performing at CSSA, local parades, as well as Masonic and Shrine events, at home, and around the country. While their numbers may not be what they once were, the Tangier Temple Band has remained committed to Tangier Shrine.

We have many talented members of Tangier Shrine who I am sure would be welcomed by this group. Let's "Strike Up the Band" and help them continue the legacy handed them by Frank Elias and so many other distinguished Nobles. (source: Tangier Shrine Band History by Wayne D. Hansen December 28, 1998. Tangier Shrine History 1889-1989)

The Shrine Bowl Unit was established in 1979. At that time, eighteen eager Nobles joined, then Commander, Bruce Williams. The unit quickly became identified by their familiar parade equipment; a king-sized fiberglass football and shoe and motorized football helmet, built around a VW bug. Later, the unit would introduce Indy cars as parade vehicles. Today, the unit maintains a parade bus and float with inflatable football.



Once formed, the Shrine Bowl Unit's primary focus was to assist the Potentate and his Divan better manage Tangier Shrine Center's involvement with the promotion of the Nebraska North South Shrine Bowl Football Game, played each year by high school seniors from across the state of Nebraska. Their first task was to become responsible for the steak fry held each year to honor the north coaches, football players and their parents. This remains one of the highlights for the unit each year and is a great opportunity to showcase the Shriner's mission. As our Master of Ceremony for some many years, Illustrious Sir PP Jim Parks, always reminds the players, "the score doesn't matter." The winners are our kids. That's who this game is played for." He is absolutely right!

In addition to the support of Shrine Bowl Inc. of Nebraska, the Shrine Bowl Unit organizes many activities and participates in various spectacles throughout the year. These activities have included Golf Outings, Nebraska Football Spring Game excursions, Fish Fry's, parading, as well as the very popular "Big Red Dinners." Five times each year during the football and recruiting seasons; the unit brings in a coach, member of the media, former player, etc. to celebrate Nebraska Football. This is a very well attended and a looked forward to fundraiser each year and offers visibility into our Shrine philanthropy.

The Shrine Bowl Unit now enjoys a membership greater than 70 members. If you are looking to join a fun, highly visible and active group, the Shrine Bowl Unit would love to have you. No scholarship needed, simply "Walk On!" (source: SBU archives. Tim Bernet SBU historian)

If you have "Tangier" branded or "Tangier Past Potentate" branded items no longer being used, please consider donating them back to the shrine. We will preserve these items and use them to tell, promote and celebrate our story. You may leave the items at the office directed to me.

Thank you for reading. Please look forward to future entries as we navigate the history that is Tangier.

Tim Bernet
Historian
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| Chanters | 7:00 P.M. | Every Monday | Tangier | Hal Cottrell | 402-989-2131 | |
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| Directors Staff-Co | 7:00 P.M. | 4th Monday | Tangier | Mell Morton/ | 402-659-6324 | |
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| Hospital Float | 5:30 P.M. | 3rd Saturday | Various | Todd Davison | 402-968-7396 | |
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| Keystone Kops | 7:30 P.M. | 2nd Friday | Tangier | Dave Hammond | 402-957-0861 | |
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