



# Hot Sands



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## 2022 TANGIER SHRINE



# CIRCUS OF THRILLS™

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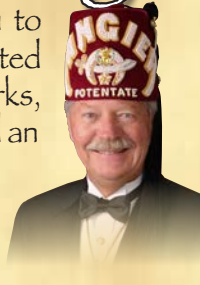
**Mid-America Center**  
**February 18th, 19th & 20th**  
**For Information Visit:**  
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# Potentate's Message

With much gratitude, I say thank you to everyone who attended and participated in my Installation. Illustrious Sirs Jim Parks, Sr., Frank Kroupa and Tom Brummett did an outstanding job. Our Ritualistic Divan, Provost, Vintage Iron and Chanters all performed beautifully. Our appreciation and thanks to Allan and Misty Kuiper for our wonderfully decorated reception and to Illustrious Sir Jim Hirl for the wonderful food. You all made it a very memorable night for Lady Colleen and me. Thank you!



February is a very busy month. Grand Lodge, Feb. 3-5, in Kearney gets the month started and is quickly followed by the Stated Meeting on the 10th, a blood drive on the 12th and of course, Valentine's Day on the 14th. Don't forget guys! Our Circus runs Feb. 18-20 at the Mid America Center. There will be five performances, in addition to the Special People performance. This is a big event, which needs many volunteers from start to finish. Any amount of time you can spare to help either your Club or Unit, to help set up or tear down or anything in between, would be greatly appreciated. We finish up the month with the Director's Staff's Mardi Gras party on Saturday, Feb. 26, and it is always a good time.

Looking ahead to March, there will be a Friendship Dinner held at the Scottish Rite on March 4 at 6:00. We should always have membership foremost in our minds, and this is an excellent opportunity for a gentleman to learn more about Masonry, the Rites and the Shrine. If you have a co-worker or friend who is interested, bring him and his lady to this dinner. Make reservations by calling the office.

Our Ball will be held at the Scottish Rite on Saturday, March 19. Hank and Sharon Schwarz and their committee have been working hard to make this a fun night for all. If you haven't made your reservations yet, please do so soon. The deadline is fast approaching, and we would love to have you join us!

As always, thank you to each of you for all you do for Tangier. Lady Colleen and I are truly honored to serve you this year.

*Fraternally,*  
**Bill German**  
 Potentate 2022

# TANGIER STATED MEETING

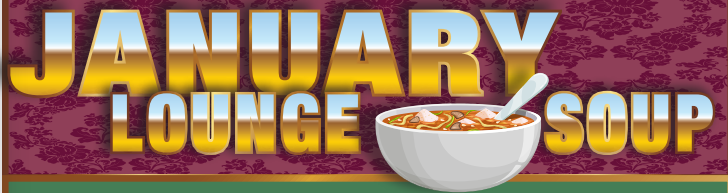
**Thursday,  
 February 10<sup>th</sup>**

**DINNER  
 6:15 pm  
 Lower Level**

*Surf & Turf, Steak & Shrimp,  
 Potatoes & a vegetable  
 Cook will be PP Jim Hirl & Crew,  
 Servers will be the Mobile Nobles*

**THIS WILL BE A  
 COMBINED MEETING  
 (Nobles & Ladies)  
 7:30 pm  
 Main Room**

**Tangier Shrine Office • RSVP to 402-392-0404**



**~ Soups Every Tuesday ~**

- Feb 1- Minestrone
- Feb 8 - Chicken Tortilla
- Feb 15 - Chili
- Feb 22 - Clam Chowder



**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 ..... Brooks Call  
 Captain of the Guard..... Kraig Prange  
 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  
**Trustee Emeritus**..... Ron Barber

- Feb 3-5 Nebraska Grand Lodge Annual Communication  
Younes Conference Center Kearney
- Feb 5 Papillion Lodge #39 Coffee on the Square  
8:00 AM PapMC
- Feb Nebraska Grand Lodge 2022 Officer Installation  
4:00 PM Younes Conference Center Kearney
- Feb 18 Tangier Shrine Circus 7:00 PM Mid-America  
Center Council Bluffs
- Feb 19 Tangier Shrine Circus 2:00 PM & 7:30 PM  
Mid-America Center Council Bluffs
- Feb 20 Tangier Shrine Circus 1:00 PM & 4:30 PM  
Mid-America Center Council Bluffs
- Feb 19 Omaha Area Masters and Wardens Club  
Meeting Host JJ Mercer Lodge #290  
9:30 AM BenMC
- Feb 21 Presidents' Day
- Feb 24 Alpha Chapter #325 OES Sweet Heart Event  
TIME TBA BelMC
- Mar 5 York Rite Royal Arch Festival 8:00 AM PapMC
- Mar 5 Papillion Lodge #39 Coffee on the Square  
8:00 AM PapMC
- Mar 11-13 Alpha Chapter #325 OES Craft Retreat  
BelMC
- Mar 19 York Rite College 1:00 PM FMC
- Mar 26 York Rite Council & Commandery Festival  
8:00 AM PapMC

**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**

Blake Nelson/50/50 Drawing 1/12/22  
Dave Watts

**BUILDING FUND**

**Gold Brick:**

**J Dale Harding/Potentate 1989**  
From: The Harding Family

**Red Brick:**

**In Memory of PP 1989 Dale Harding**  
From: Mo Ri Shrine Club

**Cheryl Elliott/2021 First Lady**  
From: 2021 Divan Ladies

**BUILDING FUND & GENERAL FUND**

**In Memory of PP Dale Harding:**

Jim & Nancy Jacobson  
Frank & Susie Kroupa  
Chad & Ann Hall  
Mike & Staci Stuhr  
John & Linda Walter  
Mary Ann McAfee  
Kim Tepoe  
Glenn & Sally Smith  
Jim & Carrie Smith  
Randal & Mary Nelson  
Steve & Diane Kohler  
Ed & Sue Dellinger  
Mark & Michelle Barna  
Neil O'Donnell & Phyllis White  
Mike & Staci Stuhr  
Nebraska Manufactured Housing  
The Harding Family

**TRANSPORTATION FUND**

Tangier Chanters  
Michael Horton  
Leslie & Joanne Oleson  
Charles Baxley  
Barbara Costello  
Thomas Easter  
Gene & Della Cunningham  
Klemme Family Charitable Trust  
Neal & Leone Spencer Trust  
Loren & Carol Kastanek  
Mark & Debie Dreier  
Sheridan Binkly  
Mike Chaney  
Donald & Janet Bush

**In Memory of Don Meadows:**

JoAnn Sherven  
Beverly Meadows

**In Memory of Ron Schmierer:**

Kathi & Alan Rowch  
June Kulakofsky  
Barbara Larson  
Marti Welch  
Ron Schmierer  
Doris Edwards  
John Wolf  
Sherryl Lilley  
Lisa Carlson  
Shirley Crites  
Howard & Nancy Eliuk  
Michelle Penwell Fryzek  
James Gathman  
Gerald & Mary Gray  
Ronald & Mary Haddock  
Marilyn Hale  
David & Mary Anne Hoover  
Nancy Koehler  
Jackie & Judy Pagel  
Jerome & Sandra Sueper  
Holly Ann Willert  
Jean Weichman

**In Memory of Cory Reed:**

Adam & Lori Reed  
Terry & Sandy Sporven  
David & Deana Taylor-Wilson  
Steve & Jenny Cash Family  
Bob & Jennifer Sporven Family

**In Memory Kevin Throckmorton:**

Alan & Alyce Mae Berk  
Tangier Chanters  
National Camping Stradlers Chapter #47  
Stan & Carol Hale

**In Memory of Scott Petersen:**

John & Shelly Pottebaum

**In Memory of Harlow Todd:**

The Todd Family

**In Memory of PP Dale Harding:**

Tangier Hospital Float  
Ken & Cindy Nisley  
Larry & Pat Drews  
Travis & Jill Drews  
Jake & Mindy Barna  
Stan Hanquist  
Gayle McCaul  
Jerry & Carol Leapley  
Shirley Colson  
Don Streeter & Marcie  
Robert Schapp  
Frank & Gladys Janda  
Guenter & Renate Horn  
Ron & Pat Calvin  
Jim & Paula Turpen  
Dan & Faye Daniels  
Brad & Mary Waite

**In Honor of Chaplin Chuck Sohm:**

Roeder Mortuary/PP Dale Harding

**In Honor of Chaplin Mike Stuhr:**

Roeder Mortuary/PP Dale Harding

**In Memory of Fred Yates:**

Stan & Carol Hale  
Tangier Greeters  
National Camping Stradlers Chapter #47

**In Memory of Robert Heckert:**

Anthony R. Brown

**In Memory of Ed Mummy:**

Rod & Ruth Schake  
Michael & Teri Gunson  
Don Streeter & Marcie  
Jim & Paula Turpen

**In Memory of Betty Carter:**

Diane Andrews  
Doris Brewer  
Isaac & Laine Waltma

**SHRINERS HEALTH CARE  
FOR CHILDREN TWIN CITIES:**

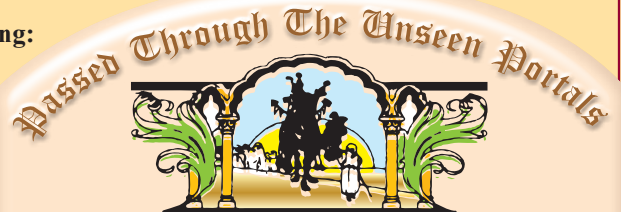
**Caldwell Trust**

**In Memory of Mackenzie Galvin:**

Paula Markman  
Michael Galvin

**In Memory of John Eltiste:**

Patricia Thompson  
William & Ariel Clark  
Howard & Catherine Eltiste



**STATED MEETING EXPIRATIONS**

**DECEMBER 2022**

- Charles R Scheuneman Dec 10, 2021**
- David Schlotzhauer..... Dec 11, 2021**
- John D. Eltiste..... Dec 20, 2021**
- Pp J. Dale Harding ..... Dec 21, 2021**
- Clifford Morrow..... Dec 24, 2021**
- Fred R. Yates ..... Dec 26, 2021**
- Tom Tyrakoski..... Dec 31, 2021**



## February 2022

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

# CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

## March 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> Hamburger Night	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> Hamburger Night	<b>10</b> Stated Meeting	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> Mobile Nobles 357 Drawing
<b>13</b> Cookie Making <i>Daylight Savings Time</i>	<b>14</b> Cookie Making	<b>15</b> Cookie Making	<b>16</b> NO Hamburger Night	<b>17</b> <i>St Patrick's Day</i> Corned Beef and Cabbage Feed	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> Pote's Ball
<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> Hamburger Night	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> Kruzin Kushions Comedy Night
<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> Hamburger Night	<b>31</b>		

## Chanters



by Bernie Hauber

Here we are in the second month of a new year. Last month, Nobles Hal Cottrell and Char-lie Jones were installed as Captain and Lieutenant of the Chanters, respectively. The Chanters performed at the installation of the Tangier Shrine Divan on January 7, 2022. We hope we made a good impression on all the nobles and ladies present at this event.

In a continuation of the tradition, I would like to introduce you to our Lieutenant; Noble Charlie Jones moved to Bellevue from Groton, CT in 2012 after retiring from the Navy and a career in the submarine force. A native of Ardmore, OK his blue lodge is Unity Lodge #130 in Sioux Falls, SD. Charlie has been married to his amazing and supportive wife for 26 years and has 4 amazing children and 1 granddaughter. A lifelong musician, he enjoys sharing his talents wherever and whenever he can. Whether it is singing, playing trumpet or DJing parties, music is an essential part of his life, and sharing it with others is a gift. Charlie joined Tangier Shrine in 2021 and, shortly thereafter, tried out for our unit. The Chanters are happy that Charlie has chosen to add his bass voice to our group.

Perhaps due to Covid and aside from the installation of the Tangier Shrine Divan, no other group has asked us to sing this year. If you want us to sing at any such events, requests should be received early to verify our availability. Just contact any Chanter or leave a mes-sage at the Shrine Center.

Any man, with a joy for singing, should be interested in joining us and should contact any Chanter or leave a message at the Shrine Center. That's my update for February. Of course, we all know that February 18 through 20, 2022 is the Shrine Circus and the Chanters will provide direction and help with the National Anthem as usual. See you there!

"When a singer truly feels and experiences what the music is all about, the words will au-tomatically ring true." Monserrat Caballé (Spanish Opera Singer)

## Golden Girls



By: Marilyn Guss.

The Golden Girls had their January meeting, with eight ladies attending, followed by a delicious lunch. Our new officers for this year will be LouAnn Stoffers as President, Marilyn Guss as Secretary, and Dee Marshall as Treasurer. Our birthday girl for January was Helene Campbell. Our next meet-ing will be on Feb. 8th, at the lower level of the Tangier Shrine, at 11:00 a.m., with a catered lunch served at noon. As widows of Shriners, we enjoy visiting, and invite others to join us. Take care of yourself and count your blessings. Until next month.....

## Corvette Club



By: Pete Larson

It's amazing how fast January flew by! With the anticipated upcoming mild weather many of the Corvette Club members are already thinking about the various road trips and parades that are planned for 2022. Numerous Corvettes can hardly wait to break out of the various storage facilities and lose their covers – mine included!

Congratulations to the newly elected and installed Divan, especially Illustrious Sir Bill German and Lady Colleen. The Corvette Club is looking forward to helping you throughout the year as 2022 will undoubtedly be another outstanding year to remember.

Nobles one and all, including the Tangier Corvette Club, will be helping with another Tangier Shrine Circus, held at the Mid-America Center in Council Bluff for another year. The TCC will once again be manning one of the many novelty booths at the Circus along with Motor B. The Circus has been one of the premier events for Tangier Shrine for many years and many patrons young and old who have attended previously look forward to another circus in 2022. It is my hope this tradition will continue for many years to come!

REMEMBER – The TCC is looking for a few new members, who own a parade-worthy Corvette. The Club meets at Tangier Shrine at 6:00 pm the second Monday of every month. Please contact Rick Whitesides at (402) 319-0463 or email him at: whitesides@centurylink.net if you would like more information about becoming a Tangier Corvette Club member.

Until next time, keep your top & windows down when it sunny & hot, but UP when you go through the car wash!

## Keystone Kops



By: Bernie Rolfs, Captain

Hello Kops and Kuties. It is a New Year and has been a really busy one for some of us. But sorry for not getting January's Hot Sands done. To start off I would like to congratulate our new Line Officers, Chief Dave Hammond, Captain Bernie Rolfs, Lieutenant Thomas Ross, and Sergeant Gene Holman.

Finally ready with the Circus being back and ready to sign them Circus books for all of our friends and families. We will be back at the Mid America Center February 18th through the 20th. I hope to see everyone there and remember to try to have as many guys as we can get there.

Remember there are a lot of things coming up for the Shrine with other Clubs and Units, so let's try to get out and help wherever we can. Keep looking at the Hot Sands for the latest schedule of events.

Congratulations again to our new Potentate, Illustrious Sir Bill German and Lady Colleen and to the rest of the Divan.

## Daughters of the Nile



By: Angie Huebner, Queen

As Queen I would like to thank Past Queen Cheryl Elliott for leading us in 2021 as First Lady of Tangier! And thank you PP Steve Elliott for your support throughout the year. Congratulations to Illustrious Sir Bill German and Lady Colleen and all of 2022 Tangier Officers! Sat-ra wishes you all a successful year!

Reminder of our Souper Supper Bingo Bash on Saturday, February 12. Lunch will be served at Noon with Bingo following. Tickets are only \$10 each and 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. To reserve a table for you and your friends please contact me at 402-699-0213. Thank you in advance for your support!

Sat-ra would like to wish you all a Happy Valentine's Day on the 14th. May your day be filled with Joy, love, happiness, and friendship!

Our March session will be held on Saturday, March 5th at 10:00 am at Tangier Shrine Center. I encourage all members to attend as this is Election of Officers for the 2022/2023 year. Interested in leading this great organization? Contact me for details. Just a reminder annual dues are due in March, contact Pr. Recorder Serenna Russell.

Installation of Sat-ra 2022 Officers will be held on Saturday, March 26 at 2:00 pm at the Scottish Rite Masonic Center, 202 S. 20th St. Theme for the year "Celebration."

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

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

## Tangier Band



By: Jim Radosevich

The Band is BACK; and with new music! We kicked off the 2022 season with music at the Tangier Installation of Officers, and at the January Stated Meeting. If you missed the great tunes, the band will entertain at the February Stated Meeting and also at the Circus! (FYI: As of the date of this publication, the Tangier Band has not been contacted to play during the 2022 Super Bowl Festivities!)

Recent results from Punxsutawney Phil, the infamous groundhog, has more or less indicated that the Band should not change to shorts and short sleeved-shirts yet.

Please suggest a tune for the Band to play for the Introduction of our 2022 Potentate, Bill German, at the Stated Meetings. Call Jim at 402-496-2691 (Early suggested tunes have been for "Wild Thing", and "La Bamba").



## Director's Staff

By: Mel Morton

February, the month of love. Don't forget your valentine this month. Make your dinner reservations and take your loved one out for a nice quiet evening.

Last month was a fast month with the Divan and club and unit installations. Both were well attended and a good time was had. We also had a Big Red dinner and Boone and Crockett Wild Game Feed. We also started hamburger nights again but the big event was the Pote's trip. What a great time everyone had. It was nice to go warm up for a week then return to reality with winter. What a shock.

This month starts off with Grand Lodge in Kearney. It is always good to attend, see what changes are made and see some old friends from across the state. This is a good way to support Masonry and our fraternity. Attend if you can. Other events are hamburger nights, a blood drive on the 12th, the last Big Red Dinner on the 17th, and our Mardi Gras party on the 26th.

Circus starts with setup on the 17th and the performances 18th-20th. This is one of our biggest fundraisers for the temple. This is a lot of work and the temple needs everyone to step up and help out. Support our temple and help out where you can.

The Directors Staff's Mardi Gras party is on the 26th. There are tickets/tables still available. Please contact any Director Staff member to get your tickets or the office. We need everyone from the Directors Staff to help out and make our fundraiser a success. Please come out and help. It takes all of us to put it on.

If you haven't joined the Scimitars 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 the shrine 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.

**I would like to say a huge thank you to** Brad Waite and to Past Potentates Tom Brummett, Bob Maline, Daryl Finley, Charlie Marchand and Frank Kroupa for the beautiful Masonic Service. To Chuck Sohm, Mike Stuhr and Jim Mueller for the Memorial Service. To the Mobile Nobles and Vintage Iron Members who stood guard during the visitation. To Larry Drews and Dan Waldron for bringing the train and driving the Honorary Pallbearers and Pallbearers to the cemetery. To the Pallbearers for carrying the casket. Last but not least, to Dan and Ruthie Henn for preparing and serving the wonderful lunch. The family appreciates all the courtesies extended to them by the Tangier Nobles and Ladies. **It is heartwarming to know Dale was so loved at Tangier - The Family of Dale Harding Sr.**

## Hospital Float

By: Mike Donham



February is here and so is the Tangier Circus beginning on February 18 through February 20. Volunteers are needed, please consider working at the Circus. Call the Tangier office and volunteer.

The circus features a new promoter from Family Entertainment Industry. Please bring your family and friends to enjoy something new.

February birthday wishes are sent to Nobles Stand Hale and Mike Donham and to Lady Martha Sherman.

Happy Anniversary wishes to Noble Ken and Cindy Nisley and Noble Tim and Laura Mendoza.

Under sickness and distress, Noble Stan Hale is recovering from an ankle surgery at home. Noble Dave Linn is recovering from abdominal surgery. I regret to report the death of Lady Betty Carter. Please keep all of them in your thoughts and prayers.

Remember Nobles: "The time is always right to do what is right." – Martin Luther King.

## Mobile Nobles

By: Jim Huebner



The Mobile Nobles biggest fundraiser each year is the "Old 357 drawing". That 43rd annual event takes place this year Saturday March 12 at Tangier Shrine Center in the main room. Tickets to all previous ticket holders were mailed in early January 2022. This year's drawing will once again be on Facebook live for those ticket holders who can't be at Tangier in person that night. We will have light food (sandwiches, etc) that is served ahead of the Draw-ing for those who have paid for a ticket.

We ask that all people planning on attending the 357 event pay for their tickets as soon as possible so we're not "chasing down" payment in the last few days before the event. Ticket prices are once again \$125.00. If you have any questions or would like to purchase any tickets that become available, please call or text our treasurer Dan Waldron at 402-249-4493.

The Circus is returning this year to the MAC; dates are February 18th through February 20th. Mobile Nobles plans to bring the little train and give rides before and after the shows. Hope to see everyone there.

## Motor A

By: Larry Hulsebus



Motor "A" would like to congratulate Bill German and Lady Colleen as our new Potentate and Lady of Tangier Shrine. We welcome you to come and join us at our monthly meetings.

We are a small group, but always looking for new members to join us and have fun. We have an extra "Little '57 Chevy" parade car, and just need a driver to join Motor "A" and drive it. We also have a little "racer car" and we would like to sell, and if you know someone who would like to buy it (very reasonable), please contact me.

Our meetings are the first Monday of the month, and various locations we meet for dinner then have our meeting. In February, (February 7th), we will be meeting at Lansky's on 50th & L Street, we would like very much for you to join us.

A big happy birthday wish goes out to Tami Stites for our January birthday. Until next time, "keep your gas tanks full and remember to turn the key."

## Shrine Bowl Unit

By: Greg Hess

Greetings from the Shrine Bowl Unit.



For all to know, this is my first Hot Sands Article. I hope that I can keep to the standards that Tom Erickson achieved writing it. The Shrine Bowl Unit appreciates all of your columns.

The unit members want to acknowledge all the ladies which include Kim Erickson, Judy Abels, Ruth Arp, Jan Cade, Linda Nelson, Jean Brinkman, Marcie Sergeant, and of course Lisa Hess for doing a wonderful job of decorating the Shrine for January. I hope that all members, ladies, and visitors enjoy it also. It's been a busy month with the installation of the new Divan and all the other business of the new calendar year. A big thank you to Dean Abels, all the members, and the ladies that served our January 13th Big Red Dinner. Sean Callahan was our guest speaker. Even with the last-minute mask mandate, we had over 200 guests. I feel our nobles, ladies, friend and relatives did a super job of pulling of a successful dinner. Some of our members enjoyed a fun evening of ringing in the New Year at the Shrine in which "Good Times Where Had by All". I had to get that in because Tom Erickson coined the phrase. It is now a unit motto. The unit will be having our annual Valentines Dinner Feb. 9th at Anthony's. We will be hosting our final Big Red Dinner of the year on Feb 17th. Nebraska receivers coach Mickey Joseph will be our guest speaker. Remember, good things happen when you don't dwell on problems but learn from them and then keep moving forward.

## Road Runners



By: Jim Huebner

We're in new year and things are going well for transporting and supporting our Shrine patient families.

We've had several consecutive months in a row of outreach clinics here at Omaha Boys Town and that is having a large and positive impact on our patients as well as on Tangier's transportation costs. We're always looking for new Roadrunner volunteer drivers so please consider becoming one.

### Our December 2021 numbers:

Total van trips (4): Minneapolis  
 Total van miles driven - 3,375  
 (1) patients driving themselves: (8) for Minneapolis, (2) for Chicago, (1) for St. Louis  
 (3) patients with appointments at Boys Town.  
 (3) commercial flights; (1) Philadelphia,  
 (2) Chicago.  
 Total of (18) patients assisted for the month.

## NE Shrine Bowl



By: Dave Workman

Greetings from the Tangier Shrine Bowl committee, we are excited to bring you news on the 64th annual Shrine Bowl. The game will be played on June 4th at the Ron & Carol Cope stadium in Kearney NE at 6 PM kickoff. Parade in happen down on the bricks of Kearney downtown district at 11 AM. The Beyond the Field event that features our Nebraska patients entreating with the players and coaches with be at the UNK Fine Arts Auditorium on Monday May 30th at 10 AM. All Shriners and their ladies are invited to come see our patients teach us about their experiences in the hospital system, and challenge the players to some of the experiences that they have overcome. After lunch, the players will get together with the patients and have fun playing outdoor games at the park.

You all are invited to attend the Players Banquet on June 3rd at the Crown Plaza Convention Center @ 6 PM. Reservations can be made through the NSB office 402-477-8980 or ronell@nebraskashrinebowl.org.

For the Tangier Shriners, two events are coming up that you can also attend and help support the Nebraska Shrine Bowl. First in the April 24th Players/Parent banquet @ 5 PM. Reservation for the dinner can be made through the Tangier office for \$15 per person. The second event is the Shrine Bowl Bowling tournament on May 21st @ Mockingbird Lanes at 7 PM. \$35 per person will get you 3 games, shoes, dinner and chances to win money while you bowl. Reservation needs to be made by May 14th to dgworkmanjr@gmail.com..

Reservations for the hotels in Kearney are:

Crown Plaza 308-238-7000 or Holiday Inn 308-237-5971. \$119.95 per night must be made by May 3rd. Ask for the Shrine Bowl rate!

See you in Kearney, for it won't be the North or South team that wins but or patients and transportation fund.

## Spirits of the Shrine

By: Brewmaster Travis Drews

Welcome to February, and may your homes be warm and your drinks cold! The Circus is quickly approaching and volunteers are in high demand for this fundraiser so keep an eye out for email blasts from Tangier and the Hot Sands for ways to help out.

If you like great fellowship, locally brewed, or locally distilled spirits come check us out. Our meetings are short so we can all relax and enjoy fun conversation and camaraderie. We meet on the 1st Monday at 7:00 pm. Our club dues are only \$20 per couple. The Ladies that are in our club are a vital part of who we are so make sure to bring your Lady to our meetings! If you have any questions feel free to contact me. Travis Drews 402-657-7690 or email Tdrews29@gmail.com

At our last meeting a new idea was discussed to do an outing at Soaring Wings Vineyard in Springfield, NE. A date has not yet been set yet, but is looking like sometime this coming spring. More details will be discussed. This sounds like a fun time and we need everyone's input to make this fun!

Our February meeting will be February 7th at Pint 9 Brewing Company at 7:00 pm. Located at 10411 Portal Road #104, La Vista, NE.

Our March 7th meeting will be at Thunderhead Brewing Taproom at 7:00 pm. Located at 13304 West Center Road #126 Omaha, NE.

We look forward to seeing you all! Cheers!

## Vintage Iron



By: Ron Niederhaus

Well 2022 came in with flying colors. It was certainly fun seeing our own Bill German in diapers. That was quickly replaced by a Tuxedo at his installation. Vintage Iron was well represented at the installation and a certain amount of humor managed to make its way into the ceremony. Thank you to Frank Kroupa for your part in the ceremony.

As we start the new year we have two activities already on the docket. Hamburger night serving on February 9th and the Circus starting on February 17th. This year Vintage Iron will take their first shot at running a novelty booth. We will need 4-5 nobles to man each shift and the ladies are a welcome addition. Our ladies do a tremendous job of helping us do so many activities. I don't think we will miss the cold chill you get driving golf carts to shuttle nobles to the door. We are so fortunate to no longer need to provide that service.

If you are interested in older cars or own a nice piece of history, we would love to have you join our club. We meet on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm at the Shrine Center. You can also contact me or any member of Vintage Iron for more information. You will be joining the largest and most active club in Tangier.

## Women's Auxiliary



By: Jan Moore

Hi to Everyone! It seems that I have been using the wrong email address for the editor of the Hot Sands. Since I wrote the January letter and thought that it was going to the right place, I am resending it. Hope this one doesn't get lost in the ether.

As the new Divan rolls into place, we look forward to another great year as members and ladies of Tangier Shrine Center. Good luck to all those that have been elected officers in all units and clubs.

Happy New Year to you all. This past year has been a tough one, but we all lived through it and can face a new year that we hope will bring good things.

The Auxiliary had a good 2021. We sent \$2745 dollars to Minneapolis from our treasury and another \$1240 in designated money for memorials and honorariums. Way to go Tangier. I seem to harp on this, but a good way to remember an anniversary, birthday, or accomplishment is to give to the Auxiliary as an honorarium. Of course a memorial on the loss of a friend or loved one is another. All monies that we send are for the wheelchair fund. The Auxiliary used several means to raise money this last year. We raised \$500 on the quilt raffle, thanks for buying tickets. We also had the Valentine gift sale, the Easter Basket gift sale and Pam Christensen made and sold fall centerpieces with the money going to the Auxiliary. We also sold the last of our craft items at a sale at the Papillion Masonic Center. Of course all of you helped us to raise money by sending us your tabs from your beverage cans. Thanks, I believe that total for the tabs was about \$300 this year.

The General Auxiliary sent us the following information for the year 2020, the following items were paid for by the wheelchair fund: 2 power wheelchairs; 39 manual wheelchairs; 10 growth kits; 104 orthosis and repairs; 2 ramps; 4 lap trays; 1 crutch holder; 1 IV feeding pole; and 1 prone stander. The total spent was \$202, 980.32 from the wheelchair fund of the General Auxiliary. In addition the figure of \$27,260.73 was paid by various insurance companies for some of the same type of equipment.

The new officers for the year are the same as for the last two years. Faye Daniels, Chairman; Pam Christensen, Vice Chair; Julie McKerlie, Secretary; Sharon Perry, Treasurer.

We enjoyed being part of the Festival of Trees again this year. A big thank you to everyone that donated to the cause. Our tree had many gifts and a great deal of cash on it. I understand a couple from Blair won it.

The annual meeting will be held in Minneapolis from April 22-24. We hope that some of you might want to join in going up there. I'm sure that we will be able to tour the new facility during that time.

Until next time, be kind to all, you don't know what they are dealing with and yours may be the only smile they see.





## Omaha York Rite

DATES TO REMEMBER

- Feb 4 Mt. Calvary Commandery #1 Meeting  
7:30 pm, PMC
- Feb 14 Omaha Chapter #1 Royal Arch Masons  
7:30 pm, BenMC
- Feb 14 Plattsmouth York Rite Meeting 7:30  
pm, PlatML
- Feb 9 Florence Chapter #61 RAM Potluck  
Dinner 6:30 pm, Meeting 7:30 pm,  
PMC
- Feb 17 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**

**February 12 Knights of St. Andrew  
Meeting 9:00 am**

**February 21 Ladies Night at the 'Rite**

### For Many Events At Scottish Rite Masonic Center

If you prefer you can register online:  
[www.scottishriteomaha.org](http://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

## Mobile Nobles Raffle

*Hello ticket holders! Just a reminder that the 357 raffle is coming up on March 12th and payment is due Feb. 15th. If you have not received your ticket in the mail, please send me an email or call me to make sure you get your ticket. If you chose to opt out, please send your ticket back in the envelope provided.*

Just to make sure you are aware that the votes last year were in favor of a raffle without a dinner, with more prize money given out. There will be a food bar with light food during our social hour. So come on out and let's have some fun. Everything else will be the same, 50/50, cash bar and our social time before the raffle drawing at Tangier in the Main Room. If you have any questions feel free to email me, text me or call me and I will be glad to answer any questions.

If you are looking to purchase a 357-raffle-ticket, please contact me and I will get you on the list to buy the next available ticket.

My Best Regards,  
Mobile Nobles  
Dan Waldron

**Contact information**  
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Phone - 402-249-4493

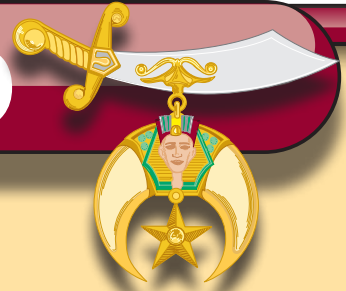


### Prizes

<b>1ST PLACE</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>
<b>2ND Place</b>	<b>\$5,000.00</b>
<b>3rd Place</b>	<b>\$2500.00</b>
<b>4th Place</b>	<b>\$500.00</b>
<b>5th Place</b>	<b>\$125.00</b>
<b>6th Place</b>	<b>\$125.00</b>
<b>7th Place</b>	<b>\$125.00</b>
<b>8th Place</b>	<b>\$125.00</b>



# Scimitar Club



*The idea is to raise funds and reduce the amount of dollars needed from the Fricke-Jackson Fund.*

To join, we are asking for a donation of \$100 each year. For that donation, your name will be placed in the Hot Sands Newsletter each month and your name will also appear on a recognition plaque in the main hallway.

## Scimitar Club as of January 25, 2022

**Think about joining the members below who have already donated.**

**JANUARY**

Brett Bennett  
Vince Delehoy  
Charlie Lovell PP  
George Speliotis

**DECEMBER**

Larry Broermann  
Robert Brown  
Lloyd Burke  
Hank Schwarz  
Sharon Schwarz

**NOVEMBER**

Jacob Barna  
Ron Stites  
OCTOBER  
Dale Harding PP  
Richard Samuel  
Cheryl Wonder

**SEPTEMBER**

Daryl Finley PP  
Mike Gardner PP  
Stan Hanquist  
Roger Huntman  
Jim Provost

**AUGUST**

Barry Ahlborn  
Charles Andersen  
Edward Anderson  
Marty Davis  
Tom Erickson  
Stephen Gwasda

**JULY**

Rob Kuhl  
John Maxell  
Jerry Nielsen  
Charles Odorizzi  
Kenny Patrick  
Calvin Richards  
Eric Stewart  
Tangier Arab Patrol

**JUNE**

Bruce Adams  
Jim Alessandro  
Carl Brady  
Lt Col Michael Burke  
Donald P. Bush  
John Chester  
Freddie Clopton  
Travis Drews  
Bob Duff

**MAY**

Roger Edgar  
Leonard Falk  
Gary Fields PP  
James Frampton  
Richard Freshman  
Leroy Fugsang  
Stan Garner  
John D Harding Jr  
Donald C. Harrington Sr  
R Conrad Heinson  
Henry Higgs  
Joe Hodges  
Michael Horton  
Jay Johnson  
Linda Johnson  
Morris Johnson  
Loren Kastanek  
Bob Klesath  
Phil Lepert  
Rupert Lyon  
Gary Martig  
Rob Mead  
Timothy Mendoza  
Roger D. Moore  
Mel Morton  
Todd Nelson  
Ron Niederhaus  
Travis Prater  
Joseph Riddle  
Rod Schake  
Rhett Sears  
Al Sesemann Jr.  
Al Smith PP  
Laurence Sortet  
Don Streeter  
Harold Terry  
Michael L. Thomas  
Ed Ticknor  
Arlene Warsocki  
Jerry Witthun  
David Workman Jr.  
Tangier Botna Valley  
Tangier Arbor Shrine Club

**MAY**

Dean Abels  
Karl Adamson  
Scot Albertson  
Robert Aronson  
James Barna  
Ray Barr  
Brett Bennett  
Tim Bernet  
Charles Binge  
James Blaszak  
Maynard Boehler  
Ronald Bojanski  
Reginald Boyer  
Tom Brummett, PP

Ron Calvin  
Gary Churchill  
Kenneth Clayton  
Warren H. Cooke  
John L. Cooke  
Bill Cornell  
Pat Costello  
Dennis Coufal  
Leroy Daniels  
Sherrill Dashner  
Hal Daub  
Richard De Well  
Bryan Deming  
Jay DeYoung  
Alfred Dietrich  
Roger Dollen  
Mark Dreier  
Larry Drews  
Gary Duncan  
Don Eppley  
Randy Fleming  
John Folsom  
John Furstenberg  
Fred Gach  
James Gallant  
Alan Gardner  
James Gathmann  
John Golden  
Michael Gunson  
Patrick Hargis  
Bernie Hauber  
Robert Herbolzheimer  
Guenter Horn  
Michael Horton  
Jim Jacobson  
Robert Jasa  
Robert Jeffus  
Nick Jensen  
Don Kavalec  
Walt Keast  
Richard Knapp  
Katie Knickman  
John Knickman  
Steve Kohler  
Marvin Kovar  
Frank Kroupa, PP  
Rod Larsen  
Paul Larson  
Peter Larson  
Gerald Leapley  
Justin Lofgren  
Stan Longmeyer  
Dave MacDonald  
Robert Maline PP  
Robert Mc Manigal  
Everett McCallum  
W. Bruce McCoy  
Tracy McCurdy

George McMullin II  
Jim Mueller  
David Muller  
Richard Myers  
Arnold Nelson  
Terry J. Nelson  
Jim Parks Sr PP  
John Parsons  
Jeffrey Passer  
Alan Penner  
Don Perry, PP  
Chuck Ploughman  
Larry Poffenbarger  
Ward H Reesman III  
Ward M H Reesman IV  
Cleo Robinson  
Jon Roeder  
Patrick Rowland  
James Ryan  
Robert Schapp Jr.  
Charles Sederstrom Jr  
John Sheffield  
Gary W. Shepherd  
William Simmons  
James Smith  
Kenny Soejoto  
Ramona Soejoto  
Ronald Sorensen  
James Spielman  
Paul Stoupa  
Mike Strohmman  
Frederick Strong  
William Sullivan  
Brett Thompson  
Brent Thone  
William Thummel  
Jim Turpen  
Richard Uttecht  
David Vogtman  
Bud Vosler  
Ivan Vrtiska  
Bradley Waite  
David Witchell  
Brad Wood  
Duane Woodman  
Louis Worm  
Brian Zahm  
Tangier Mobile Nobles  
Tangier Hospital Float

**APRIL**

Paul Bohannon  
Steve Elliott  
Bill German  
Paul Gonzales  
Ralph Joos, Jr. PP  
Chuck Sohm



# NOBLE OF THE QUARTER



**Quarter 1 - 2022**  
Larry Drews

## 2022 MEMBERSHIP GOALS

We are all part of the Membership Team



Welcome to these new Nobles

- Tyran Adams
- Phil Lepert
- Karl Smith

As of Jan 25:

<b>Goal</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>YTD</b>	<b>3</b>

Unit Name	Goal	YTD	Club Name	Goal	YTD	Goal	YTD
Divan	7	1	Fremont	2		Pirates	2
Trustees	3		Greeters	2		Provost Guard	4
Past Potentates	3		Hospital Float	2		Racers	3
Arab Patrol	2		Keystone Kops	5		Rag Tops	2
Arbor Shrine	2		Kruzin Kushions	1		Ritual Divan	2
Band	2		Legion of Honor	3		Road Runners	2
Boone & Crockett	5		Mo Ri	2		Sandhills	1
Botna Valley	1		Mobile Nobles	5		Shrine Bowl	6
Chanters	2		Motor A	2		Spirits of the Shrine	2
Clowns	3		Motor B	2		Straight Shooters	2
Corvette Club	3		North Bend	3		Vintage Iron	3
Directors Staff	5		Oasis	1		Wise Ashes	3

# 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  
**Holiday Inn Express:** 402-509-3451; Rate king \$99, 2 queen \$109  
**EVEN Hotel:** 402-345-3836; Rate \$104

### 2022 Potentate's Ball Registration

Deadline for Ball registration on or before February 18, 2022.  
Make checks payable to Tangier Shrine Center.  
Mail to: Pote's Ball, 2823 S 84th St, Omaha, NE 68124

Noble \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_  
Lady's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP Code \_\_\_\_\_





# MARDI GRAS

**Saturday  
February 26, 2022  
PUBLIC WELCOME**

### Director Staff

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

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**

\*Proceeds are for the benefit of Tangier Directors Staff activity fund\*  
\*Payments are not deductible as charitable contributions.\* Fair Market Value \$8.00

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Join us for Lunch at Noon  
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Cost \$10.00 each,  
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Pay at the door

# HAMBURGER NIGHTS

## Wednesdays

Feb 2 Cooks - North Bend Shrine Club  
**Special is Chicken Cordon Bleu**  
Desserts by Aksarben OES 277

Feb 9 Cooks - Vintage Iron  
**Special is Chicken Fried Chicken**  
Desserts by Daughters of the Nile

Feb 16 No Hamburger Night

Feb 23 Cooks - Pirates  
**Special is Lasagna**  
Desserts by Jobs Daughter Bethel 18

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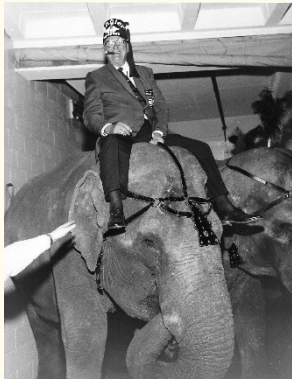


# Tangier Tales

History that is Tangier



## Hey, Hey It's Circus Day



Where did it all begin? The date was March 14, 1931, and Tangier Potentate Dan Johnson had an announcement. The headlines in the Omaha World Herald read, "Shrine Plans a Circus in the City Auditorium."

During the week of April 27-May 2, the citizens of Omaha and the surrounding areas would be entertained and amazed by a three-ring circus complete with all the spectacles of the tent circus of by gone days. 30 acts would comprise the program with many of the best and most prominent circus stars from across the country. Among them were Chief Clown, Larry Kohler, who was a featured act with many of the "Big Top" shows of the day. The Rosella Sisters would excite and amaze as they performed daring stunts above the crowd as they hung by their teeth. A troupe of the most accomplished tumblers and leapers from across America and Europe would perform the "tournament of leaps," an act having been removed from programs during the preceding 22 years due to its daring and danger.

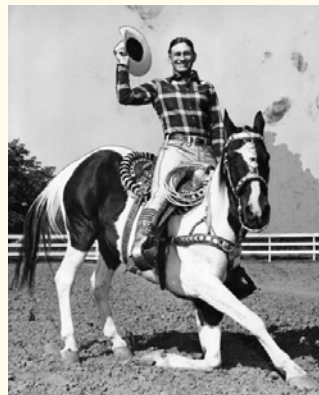
As the week concluded and the circus pulled up stakes on May 2, 1931, nearly 35 thousand children and adults had attended the first Tangier Shrine Circus. Tangier Shrine was excited and pleased to announce that the circus had been "the most successful enterprise ever sponsored by Tangier temple." So successful was the endeavor, it was decided the circus would become an annual affair.

On March 5, 1932, Potentate John Poucher announced that John G. Robinson owner of the John G. Robinson circus would produce the second annual Shrine circus at the City Auditorium. General admission and reserve seats would be .50 cents. The Annual Shrine Circus was off and running.

Potentates Dan Johnson and John Poucher couldn't have known it at the time, but they were creating a tradition and legacy that would sustain Tangier Shrine for decades to come. Nearly 91 years later, we continue to excite and amaze the citizens of Omaha and surrounding areas with our Shrine Circus spectacular. (sources: Omaha World Herald: March 15, 1931, April 5, 1931, April 13, 1931, April 19, 1931, April 26, 1931, May 3, 1931, March 6, 1932)

Photos: (top from left) Lloyd Blair PP 1969, Charles Samson PP 1970, Edgar Bergen & Charlie McCarthy – Shrine Circus headliner 1959.

(bottom from left) George Gabby Hayes – Shrine Circus headliner 1960, Montie Montana – Shrine Circus headliner 1961 and Ginny Tiu – Shrine Circus headliner 1962.



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

Tim Bernet

Historian

historian@tangiershrine.com



# Some Fun at the...



# ...Kruzin Kushions Christmas Party

# Happy Birthday

*to Everyone Celebrating a Birthday in February*



R Conrad Heinson .....2/1	Larry G Poffenbarger .....2/11	Ronald B Roeder .....2/22
W Bruce McCoy .....2/1	Charles C Clawson .....2/11	Harlan O Falk .....2/22
Dennis Blackman.....2/1	John C Witzel .....2/11	Leroy C Daniels .....2/22
Mark L Miller.....2/1	Patrick F Costello .....2/12	Ronald L Feerman .....2/22
Jason D Krohn .....2/1	Terry N Mathews .....2/12	Ronald L Craig .....2/22
Ryan A Moore.....2/1	Edward W Nolte .....2/12	Kim T Gardner.....2/22
Jack A Frost .....2/2	Gary Neimanis .....2/12	Adam J Reese .....2/22
Arthur C Highman.....2/2	Duane L Smith .....2/13	Alex J Fangman .....2/22
Dean F Skokan.....2/2	Eugene P Kriebs .....2/13	Albert M Sesemann Jr.....2/23
David L White.....2/2	John S Taff .....2/13	Gary W Krummel .....2/23
James W Perry.....2/2	Brett Younkin .....2/13	Larry D Gardner .....2/23
Robert S Hargis .....2/3	Donald A Leu.....2/14	Rob D Patterson .....2/23
Dale Hiers .....2/3	John J Gross.....2/14	William J Frank .....2/23
Tom Hemmer.....2/3	Dwight C Kullbom.....2/15	Travis Huneke .....2/23
Byron D O'Dowd .....2/3	Stanley L Hale .....2/15	Lowell E Coburn .....2/24
Gerald M Stephens .....2/4	Mark A Young .....2/15	Robert L Duff.....2/24
Mark C Wolf.....2/4	James M Sklenar .....2/15	Scott B Rabourn .....2/24
Travis C Drews.....2/4	Jeffrey L Ebersole .....2/15	John C Gammel .....2/25
Dale V Saling.....2/5	Arthur L Martin.....2/15	John A Ruwe .....2/25
Paul C McManis .....2/5	David E Macdonald.....2/15	James W Hicks .....2/25
Charles E Sohm .....2/6	Eugene R Loots .....2/16	Terry Nelson.....2/25
Steve A Elliott.....2/6	James D Gansemer .....2/16	Charles M Richey.....2/25
Robert T Kuhl.....2/6	James P Dolan .....2/16	Rex P Waller .....2/26
Donald R Goodnight.....2/7	David L Patten.....2/16	Floyd K Sheets.....2/26
Walter H Sperzel Sr .....2/7	Tyler A Marsh .....2/16	Brian K Kay .....2/26
Ted Trede.....2/7	David Ludwig .....2/17	Jason L Parrish.....2/26
Enno A Mueller.....2/7	James C Spielman.....2/17	Roger G Coufal .....2/27
Steven J Ronneau .....2/7	Roger L Olson.....2/17	Jack D Wagaman .....2/28
Tim R Eyman.....2/7	John C Kula.....2/17	Carl Brady .....2/28
Barry L Frerichs.....2/7	William P Cornell .....2/18	Daniel E Kneher .....2/28
Eric J Lockett.....2/7	Kevin D Potter.....2/18	Gerald W Kopiasz.....2/28
David M Jerabek .....2/7	Gerald W Allen III .....2/19	Dustin D Liska.....2/28
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# Blood Drive

**Wednesday**      **Tangier Lower Level**

**February 12<sup>th</sup>**      **9:00am - 3:00pm**

www.RedCrossDonateBlood.org or call 1-800-RedCross

Circus Special People Performance will be on  
 Friday, Feb 18th at 1:00 P.M. at the Mid America Center.

**We need a lot of volunteers.**

**If you can help, be at the Mid America Center by 12:00 Noon.**