

KAABA GRAM



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Kaaba Elected Officers for 2022

Potentate — Michael Reschly

Chief Rabban — Monte Harris

Assistant Rabban — Brian Huff

High Priest & Prophet — Nathan Stone

Oriental Guide—David Downs

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Director — Todd Gullickson PP
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Captain of the Guard — Allan L. Kluever
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If you want your name and lady's name on individual lines \$20.00 Enclosed is my check for

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POTENTATEMichael Reschly



CHIEF RABBAN Monte L. Harris



ASSISSTANT RABBAN

Greeting Noble and Ladies.

I hope you all have been well and safe from Covid, we are still dealing with that and may for quite some time. I'm looking forward to a great year of activities and seeing all of you nobles and ladies. March we are starting up fish fries again which I'm excited about, let's start getting the word out now to your family and friends so we can make this a very suc-

cessful year. I'm also looking forward to Assistant Rabban School, Imperial, Shrine bowl and CSSA this year. Let's welcome our new Potentate, brother and friend Mike Reschly and support him the best we can to make his year very successful too.

Thank You.

Assistant Rabban Brian Huff/Bjhuff62@gmail.com/563-271-2537



HIGH PRIEST & PROPHET

Greetings Nobles and Ladies,

I would like to sincerely thank the nobility of Kaaba shrine for putting their trust and faith in me by electing me to the position of High Priest and Profit for 2022. I am looking forward to serving all of you and representing Kaaba. I feel we have a strong Divan full of men and ladies that want the best for our Temple. By working together, our leadership will be strong, but we still need you to help make our temple even stronger. Your

club attendance and participation are very important. Over the last year as Oriental Guide I saw how active clubs and units are a huge part of keeping KAABA strong. I plan on making as many club meetings as I possibly can to both get to know more of you as friends and brothers as well as support your club. Another important factor in strengthening our Temple is bringing in new members from your Blue Lodges or any other appendant body that you are involved in. Together we can strengthen and grow our Temple, clubs and units. If you have any questions, comments or concerns feel free to contact me. My number is 309-714-0169.

Nathan Stone High Priest & Profit



ORIENTAL GUIDE

I am honored to be elected by you as your Oriental Guide for 2022. I was a member of Zenobia shrine in Perrysburg, Ohio and have paraded with the hillbilly's, Corvair's, Mystic's. I am looking forward to our upcoming parade season. I am a Past Master of Bryan #215 in Bryan Ohio. I am current JW of Silvis #898, SS of Doric #319 & SD of Snow Lodge #44. I am also Chaplin for Widows sons Craftsman Chapter. I've enjoyed attending a couple of clubs so far and I look forward to attending many more.

David Downs

Greetings Nobles and Ladies!

I trust you all are doing as well as can be expected during these trying times. Life just seems to keep throwing us curve balls. I hope that we can all experience life "post pandemic "soon. I want to apologize to my fellow brothers for basically having "disappeared". As a few of you know, owning a business is very hard nowadays considering the current hiring difficulties. However, I think that I have finally hired the right individual, which should allow me to get away to begin attending meetings once again. I remember saying at the end of 2019 that I wouldn't disappear. However I seem to have done just that. But, fortunately, it was a temporary situation.

I want to congratulate Illustrious Sir Mike Reschly and the entire elected and appointed Divan for this year! May your efforts improve all of?

Kaaba and have a positive impact on all you do.

I'll see you on down the road everyone. Fraternally yours, Vern Rode, P.P. '15 & '19

YES....there is ONE!

"BLACKHAWK SHRINE CLUB of the QC"

There is only ONE Shrine Club in the Quad Cities?

WHEN do they meet?.....the second Thursday evening of each month, about 5:30pm.

WHERE do they meet.....the Welcome Inn Restaurant, 118 West 10th Ave., Milan, IL., (across the avenue from Hy Vee, on Illinois Route 67). Order off the menu (they have a Senior Menu and a bar).

WHAT do they do....our door is open to all of the Nobles and their Ladies in the QC, who want to meet socially, fellowship with others and enjoy a program.

IS THERE A "HOOK"?.....Sure, annual dues of \$15.00 and usually a 50/50 drawing after the meal. Currently, there is no set fund raising activity.

HOW DO I MAKE CONTACT?.....Reservations are made one week ahead of the meeting date. Email: kaaba2009@yahoo.com or call: 309-738-3296, with your name and number attending (so seating can be confirmed) or any questions you may have for your decision process.

TRY US, YOU MAY FIND YOU LIKE THE GROUP!

Thomas F. Hodges, Board of Governors of Shriners Chicago

Nobles, with the new year under way, I would like to update you on what is taking place within our Shrine hospital system. As most everyone has heard, the hospital is undertaking a new branding name change. In the past it has been Shriners Hospital for Children. The new name change is Shriners Children Chicago, St. Louis will be Shriners Children St. Louis, etc. Your Chicago hospital board is still meeting via Zoom. When we meet in person again depends on the time the Hospital deems it safe to do so. Hospital management is very concerned for the patients' and staff's safety during this Covid pandemic.

As the hospital system changes, there will be Centers of Excellence with many clinics. We just have to look at Twin Cities to get an idea of how the Shriners Hospitals may all be in a few years. Twin Cities is attached to a major hospital, with several clinics throughout the Mid-West areas. Shriners Chicago in in negotiations with a major hospital in Chicago to partner with and share space and equipment needed to become a center of excellence. Although we will have many clinics, our Shriner doctors will be the medical professionals that sees and treats our children in those clinics and hospitals.

Where are we going: I was able to attended a Mid-West meeting and the project named is:

2035 Mission:

Mission statement: How to take care of more Kids, in more places, at a lower overall cost.

<u>Highest Quality</u>: Exceed the bar on quality (safety, clinical outcomes, and experience) set by professional standards organizations, supported by teaching, research, and education

<u>Regulatory Compliance:</u> Ensure all sites fully meet all applicable regulations (federal, state, local, international)

<u>Care for Children in Need:</u> Ensure financial access options are explored for all Shriners children, focusing expansion on areas with highest unmet need for SHC care

<u>Shriners Brand and Experience:</u> Protect and enhance the Shrine brand; promote the Shrine mission, values, and culture; and give Shriner's children the best experience

Economic Stewardship: Ensure sustainable spend and endowment fund stewardship

This is just the tip of the changes coming. As time passes, I will keep you informed as much as possible.

Fraternally,

Thomas Hodges, PP

Chicago Board of Governors.



Jack Stamm Memorial Tab Program

Since 1990, the "Jack Stamm Memorial Tab"
program of Kaaba Shrine has sold
425,333 pounds of
aluminum to raised \$224,381.93
for SHC - Chicago
We are grateful to everyone who has donated tabs,
and we hope all will continue sending tabs to us!

The Legion of Honor continued to represent Kaaba during the last part of 2021. In November the Legion of Honor presented the Potentate a Memorial Plaque representing members of the Legion of Honor who has passed away during the stated meeting.



Later in November, some of the members participated in the Davenport Veteran's Day Parade. It was a typical windy chilly Veteran's Day for us veterans and there was a coward of people that came out. By chance we were positioned right behind Santa Claus (our very one Sgt Pepper) and his Santamobile.





During December, the Legion of Honor presented checks to Bettendorf and Moline Police Department for the Shop with a Cop program. Prior to the Stated Meeting Officer Christina Thomas gave the Nobles and Ladies a brief explanation of the program.

Afterwards a check was presented by the 2021 Commander of the Kaaba Legion of Honor Jose Lao and a collection was made amongst the attendees.



Kaaba's Legion of Honor meets on the third Saturday of the month with social time at 5:30pm with meal and meeting starting at 6:00pm. If you are a veteran who has been separated from the military honorably and express interest in joining the unit for fellowship and camaraderie, simply asking one of the Legion of Honor members or contact the Kaaba office and they will direct you to one of us.



KAABA SHRINE LEGION of HONOR UNIT

Requirements to be a member of the Kaaba Legion of Honor Unit

- (1) Need to be a Noble in good standing
- (2) Be a Military Veteran

Interested Nobles/Veterans are welcome. We honor ourselves as Veterans supporting our hospitals and helping the Kids.

Responsibilities: Present Colors at Kaaba meetings, Iowa Shrine Bowl, Masonic functions and other events.

Participate in parades and compete with other Shrine Legion of Honor Unit drill Teams at CSSA (Central States Shrine Association).

2022 OFFICERS

Commander Erik Ratzbirg

1st Lieutenant Commander James Williams

2nd Lieutenant Commander Ken Winfield

Adjutant Sam Burnett

Finance Officer Monte Harris

2022 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

 $\begin{array}{llll} February \ 19^{th.,} \ Luli's \ Restaurant, \ Milan \ IL & Monthly \ Meeting \ *** \\ March \ 19^{th.} Muscatine \ Family \ Restaurant, \ Muscatine \ IA & Monthly \ Meeting \ *** \\ April \ 16^{th}, \ Luli's \ Restaurant, \ Milan \ IL & Monthly \ Meeting \ *** \\ May \ 21^{st}, \ Luli's \ Restaurant, \ Milan \ IL & Monthly \ Meeting \ *** \\ \end{array}$

Monthly Meeting

*** Social: 5:30 pm Dinner/Meeting: 6:00 pm ***



The Black Camel

Honoring those who have gone before us "In Memory of Our Departed Brother Nobles"

When Allah calls, then our friends obey and fold their tents and steal away. To the land where the crystal waters flow, where the Beautiful Palms of Allah grow. Life is a story in volumes three, the past, the present, the yet to be. The first we've written and laid away, the second we're reading day by day, The third and last of the volumes three, is locked from sight - God keepeth the key.



Thomas Hicklin April 22, 2021

Thomas Hicklin of Perry passed from his earthly labors to his heavenly home peacefully on Thursday, April 22, 2021 at the Perry Lutheran Homes King's Garden Campus in Perry, IA. He was a member of the Waveland Park Masonic Lodge #654, Scottish Rite Valley of Davenport, Kaaba Shrine &El Jebel Shrine In death he rejoins his wife Marilyn Hicklin



Dale A. Sheets September 21, 2021

Dale A. Sheets, 2314Belmont Drive, Coralville, died at his home, Tuesday, September 21, 2021. Dale was a member of the Iowa City Masonic Lodge serving as Worshipful Master in 1969, Iowa City York Rite Bodies, serving as Junior Grand Steward of the Grand Lodge of Iowa 1985-1985, Kaaba Shrine, Past Worthy Patron - Order of Eastern Star, Past Watchman of Shepherds - White Shrine of Jerusalem, and the Scottish Rite. Dale is survived by his wife Helen.



M. Jay Steen October 26, 2021

M. Jay Steen, 1002N. Miller St Apt 107, Health Manor, West Liberty, IA, passed away Tuesday, October 26, 2021 at the Simpson Memorial Home in West Liberty. He was also a member of the Masonic Lodge and Kaaba Shriner.



James Grunder October 26, 2021

James Grunder, P.O. Box 1182, Wilton, Iowa James "Jim" Grunder passed away on Tuesday, October 26, 2021 at his home Jim was a member of Wilton Masonic Lodge #167 AF & AM and the Kaaba Shriners of Davenport. Jim is survived his wife of 61 years, Sharon.



Dan Kalbach November 10, 2021

Dan Kalbach of Oskaloosa, passed away at the Pella Regional Health Center on November 10, 2021. Dan was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Oskaloosa. He enjoyed rebuilding fire trucks for the Oskaloosa Shrine Club to be used in local parades. Dan is survived by his wife Jean.



Richard M. "Dick" Villhauer November 15, 2021

Richard M. "Dick" Villhauer, 3562 South Jamie Lane, Iowa City died suddenly at his home Monday, November 15, 2021 He was a member of the, Kaaba Shrine served as Potentate in 2000, Iowa City Masonic Lodge, Clarkville Lodge 668, Scottish and Yorkrite Lodges. Richard is survived by his wife Kathy.

Black Camel Continued



Carl W. Van Keuren December 7, 2021

Carl W. Van Keuren, 2926 Linden Lane, Bettendorf, IA, passed away peacefully December 7, 2021. Carl belonged to the Legion of Honor, The Shriners, and The Masons. He looked forward to his Wednesday Luncheons with his friends, the Noon Masons. He was honored to have served on numerous boards including the Board of Governors for the St. Louis and Chicago Shriner's Children's Hospitals. The Children of the Shriners touched his heart and he took this responsibility sincerely. Carl is survived by his wife, Shirley.



GeorgeL. Vermillion, Jr. December 9, 2021

George L. Vermillion, Jr. of 729 Hickory Terrace, Keokuk, IA, died Thursday, December 9, 2021 at the Iowa Methodist Medical Center in Des Moines, IA. He was a very active member of the Masonic Lodge #29, the Kaaba Shrine and the York Rite. George's wife Lil preceded him in death on August 12, 2021.



Tom Powell December 10, 2021

Thomas J. Powell of 1417 2nd Avenue, Camanche, IA passed away, Friday, December 10, 2021 at his home after a courageous battle with cancer. Tom was also a 50 year member of Camanche Masonic Lodge and Clinton Scottish Rite Bodies as well as a member of KAABA Shrine and a drummer with the KAABA marching band. Tom is survived by his wife: Sharon.



Donald "Don" Charles Shewry December 10, 2021

Donald "Don" Shewry,4575 Trails End Road, Bettendorf, Iowa; passed away on Friday, December 10, 2021 at the Clarissa C Cook Hospice House. He was a member of the Fraternal Lodge 221, he was a member for 50 years. Don was also with the Mohassan Grotto for 50 years and a past Monarch in 1967, member of the Scottish Rite and a 32° Mason. Member of the Kaaba Shrine, past member of the Royal Order of Jesters, past president of the Jesters, Those left to honor his memory are his wife, Phyllis



Herbert Blaker 'Blake' McKahin III December 20, 2021

Herbert Blake' McKahin III, of 615 Woodland Ridge, Dubuque, Iowa peacefully passed away surrounded by family at Finley Hospital in Dubuque on December 20, 2021 Blake was a 32 degree Mason. He was a past Master of the Metropolitan Lodge. He was a Shriner at Kaaba Temple in Davenport, Iowa. Blake was survived by his wife, Jude McKahin

THANK YOU !!!!!!

Noble Richard Larson

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1/23	Larry W Beck	Danville IA 52623	2/14	Peter A Bell	Keota IA 52248
1/23	Christopher M Hampton	Geneseo IL 61254	2/14	Warren T Kelly	Cordova IL 61242
1/23	Karl A Lowe	Iowa City IA 52245	2/14	James W Crawford	Columbus Jct IA 52738
1/24	Micheal T Peppers	Davenport IA 52801	2/14	Ralph P Owen	Bloomfield IA 52537
1/25	Alvin Wehr	Ankeny IA 50023	2/14	Roger A Norris	Ainsworth IA 52201
1/25	Robert M Overturf	Malcom IA 50157	2/16	Stephen K Kemmer	Canadian OK 74425
1/25	Keith A Haan	Davenport IA 52804	2/17	Richard Morrow	Unionville MO 63565
1/25	Robert M Johnson	Venice FL 34293	2/17	Gary N Mallonee	Monmouth IL 61462
1/25	Matthew W Durbin	Milan IL 61264	2/17	William B Endres	Milan IL 61264
1/25	Michael L Mc Ginity Jr.	Kirkwood IL 61447	2/18	Ronald Mills	Ottumwa IA 52501
1/25	Brennan R Lorack	Nichols IA 52766	2/18	Michael K Gerischer	Davenport IA 52802
1/26	Richard L Ralfs	Davenport IA 52806	2/19	Ralph B Wentzien	Fort Madison IA 52627
1/26	Gary L Hahn	WEST LIBERTY IA 52776	2/19	Douglas Yegge	De Witt IA 52742
1/27	Jack D Smit P.P.	Davenport IA 52803	2/20	Robert L Crawford	Reynolds IL 61279
1/28	David L Goble	Deming NM 88030	2/20	Charles R Dohrn Jr.	Phoenix AZ 85070
1/28	Thomas W Marts	Punta Gorda FL 33982	2/21	Keith R Loyd	Winfield IA 52659
1/28	Richard L Chisholm Jr.	Moline IL 61265	2/22	Lester J Gardner	Guin AL 35563
1/28	John A Juhl	Marion IA 52302	2/22	Christopher R Conant	Humble TX 77346
1/29	Richard E Rossmann	Preston IA 52069	2/23	Raymond D Johnson	Moravia IA 52571
1/29	Theodore M Scully II	Port Byron IL 61275	2/23	Finley E Seibel	Louisburg NC 27549
1/30	Evan C Matthews	Iowa City IA 52245	2/25	Leonard T Lewis	Fulton IL 61252
1/30	Michael D Moore	Washington IA 52353	2/25	Ronald L DeVoll Jr., P.P.	DELANO MN 55328
1/31	Leon C Ewart	Keokuk IA 52632-9518	2/27	Robert Underwood	Centerville IA 52544
1/31	Phillip R Stine	Birmingham IA 52535	2/27	Martin A Freshwater	Bettendorf IA 52722
2/1	Dwight R Brock	Bellview IL 61604-2128	2/27	Jeffrey G Phillips	Columbus Jct. IA 52738
2/1	Brad W Bodoh	Painted Post NY 14870	2/27	Russell L Hoeper	Rock Island IL 61201
2/2	Jason T Shepherd	Washington IA 52353	2/29	Michael A Stotlar	Bettendorf IA 52722
2/3	Gordon L Hinz	Iowa City IA 52246	3/1	Danny L Sweezer	Burlington IA 52601
2/3	Bruce L Bennett	Moline IL 61265	3/1	Willis E Wellington	Washington IA 52353
2/3	James E Moffit	LeClaire IA 52753	3/2	Merlin L Osborn Jr.	Blue Grass IA 52726
2/4	Davis E Burgher	Mystic IA 36535	3/3	Jim Wonderlich	Ollie IA 52576
2/4	Michael L Chapman P.P.	Bettendorf IA 52722	3/3	James J Wood	Washington IA 52353
2/4	James D Wellington	Brighton IA 52540	3/3	Joseph B Traul	Ottumwa IA 52501
2/4	David Brombaugh	Burlington IA 52601	3/4	Gerald E Lancaster	Burlington IA 52601
2/5	Carl A Storms	Keokuk IA 52632	3/4	William D Good	Burlington IA 52601
2/5	Michael C Patterson	Keota IA 52248	3/4	Russell P Moore Jr.	Fort Madison IA 52627
2/7	Reginald M Meyer III	Portland OR 97230	3/4	Harlan D Watson	Ottumwa IA 52501
2/7	Jeffrey K Loyd	Columbus Jct. IA 52738	3/4	Loren C Stein	Burlington IA 52601
2/10	Frank J Snider Jr.	Iowa City IA 52246	3/4	Jerry A Axmear	Malcom IA 50157
2/10	Virgil E Dillon	Eldridge IA 52748	3/7	George A Blackwood	Muscatine IA 52761
2/10	Robert A Kennedy	Washington IA 52353	3/7	Terry L Nelson	Keokuk IA 52632-9518
2/10	John L Burman	Tucson AZ 85756	3/8	William D Peters	Wapello IA 52653-1445
2/11	Larry Whitlock	Muscatine IA 52761	3/8	Terry L Bean	Columbus Jct. IA 52738
2/11	Donald F Brock	Andalusia IL 61232	3/8	Brandon L Harris	Columbus Jct. IA 52738

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3/9	Jim E Valentine	Hampton IL 61256	4.15	5 11184711	W
3/9	Wavern L Briggs Jr.	Des Moines IA 50317	4/6	Donald J Miller	Keokuk IA 52632
3/10	Jerald A Lawson	Moulton IA 52572	4/6	William H Payne	Conesville IA 52739
3/12	William D Homrighausen	De Witt IA 52742	4/6	Martin E Swanson	Davenport IA 52807
3/12	Richard R Rogers	Montezuma IA 50171	4/7	Edward R Garrett	Milan IL 61264
3/13	John L Peters	Mount Ayr IA 50854	4/7	Richard L Brown	Windom MN 56101
3/13	Drew Reams	Stockton IA 52769	4/7	Benjamin J Kaalberg	Bettendorf IA 52722
3/15	Richard J Hemm	Eldon IA 52554	4/10	Calvin L Peters	East Moline IL 61244
3/15	Robert E Papenhausen	East Moline IL 61244	4/10	Charles L Roenfeldt	Blue Grass IA 52726
3/15	Keith A Crist	Agency IA 52530	4/12	Dennis E Kelley	Ottumwa IA 52501
3/15	William L Finke	Columbus Jct. IA 52738	4/12	Jerry L Potts	Eldon IA 52554-0257
3/16	Charles C Franklin	Palm Desert CA 92211	4/12	Denny J Liebus	Oskaloosa IA 52577
3/16	Jerry S Paulos Sr.	Eddyville IA 52553	4/13	Sheldon W Williams	Columbus Jct IA 52738
3/17	David H Holdorf	Donahue IA 52746	4/14	Grant H Wilke	Clinton IA 52732
3/18	Bruce A Kinrade	Maquoketa IA 52060	4/14	Donald R Warkins	PROPHETSTOWN IL 61277
3/18	Michael D Boyler	MONMOUTH IL 61462	4/14	Greg J Fleming	Ottumwa IA 52501
3/18	Marcus L Vigen	Keokuk IA 52632	4/16	Arlin L Neumann	Moline IL 61265
3/20	Greg D Buster	Grandview IA 52752	4/16	Tom H Oliver	Scottsdale AZ 85259
3/22	Wallace L Miller	Davenport IA 52807	4/18	Ellis O Barber	Eldridge IA 52748
3/22	Michael R Steele	Mount Pleasant IA 52641	4/19	Philip Olt IV	Lyndon IL 61261
3/22	Leland Fowler	Davenport IA 52806	4/20	Derwood G Keith	West Liberty IA 52776
3/23	Tim M Elliott	Washington IA 52353	4/20	Wesley A Struebing	Dubuque IA 52001
3/23	Samuel D Meeker	Winfield IA 52659	4/21	Donald E Watson	Muscatine IA 52761
3/24	Dale R Turner	Grandview IA 52752	4/21	Kurt R Rossiter	Crawfordsville IA 52621
3/24	Duncan A Bell	Washington IA 52353	4/21 4/22	Matthew A Buckley	Davenport IA 52809 Sherrill IA 52073
3/26	Henry A Emerson Jr.	Morrison IL 61270	4/22	Herbert C Koppen Harvey P Tegeler	Morrison IL 61270
3/27	Kenneth A Winfield	Davenport IA 52804	4/23	Gary L Sissel	Naples FL 34113
3/29	Robert L Fisher	Iowa City IA 52240	4/23	Ronald G Bovard	Fairfield IA 52556
3/29	Walter K Moore	Sigourney IA 52591	4/23	Bruce A Johnson	Chester VA 23831
3/29	Harold R Mc Cormac	Columbus Jct IA 52738	4/24	Dustin A Juhl	Conesville IA 52739
3/29	Kurt J Stewart	Ainsworth IA 52201	4/25	Richard E Glover	Punta Gorda FL 33982
3/29	Merle A McClain	Davenport IA 52806	4/25	Randall E Coleman	Washington IA 52353
3/30	Fred A Brown	Moline IL 61265	4/26	Jack L Murphy	Lockridge IA 52635
3/30	Homer E Hurst	East Moline IL 61244	4/26	Roger C Stutsman	Riverside IA 52327
3/31	Jay Hass	Grapevine TX 76051	4/26	Joshua D Sands	Columbus Jct. IA 52738
3/31	Kevin R Gerot	Conesville IA 52739	4/27	John D Dahl	Fairfield IA 52556
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4/4	James E Johnson	Oskaloosa IA 52577	4/30	Larry M Kistler	North Fort Myers FL 33917
4/5	Charles A Williams	Keokuk IA 52632	-	•	
4/5	James M Kent	Fort Madison IA 52627		Hanny R	irthday

Columbus Jct. IA 52738

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Robert D Coil

Happy Birthday

Dear Nobles:

The Kaaba Shrine Bowl Committee is hosting a luncheon honoring the 2022 Iowa Shrine All-Star Football Game Players, Coaches and Cheerleaders from our Temple area.

The luncheon will be at the Masonic Center at 511 Veterans Memorial Parkway, Davenport IA on March 29th - Noon - 2:00. We would like you to be in attendance to honor your local **lowa Shrine Bowl** players & cheerleaders, their parents, coaches and managers. **We need to see Fezzes at this important Public Relations event!**

Please give your support to the Iowa Shrine Bowl participants from your area; come get to know them, and support them as they support our philanthropy!

KAABA SHRINERS Mark your calendars to Come and meet

THE 2022 PLAYERS, COACHES, and CHEERLEADERS

Strong Legs Run, so Weak Legs may Walk and Burned Bodies may Heal.

50th Anniversary Game





OFFICE OF WILLIAM S. BAILEY IMPERIAL POTENTATE 153 SHORE DRIVE OGDEN DUNES, IN 46368-7749 (CELL)219-929-7399 WBAILEY@SHRINENET.ORG

MEMBER ORAK SHRINERS MICHIGAN CITY, INDIANA

TO: Temple Divan Officers

FROM: William S. "Bill" Bailey, Imperial Potentate

DATE: October 1, 2021

SUBJECT: Positive Uplifting Ceremonials

The Shrine Directors Association's role is probably more important today than it has been at any time over the last 25 years, as there are more challenges today in attracting new members than ever before.

We recently met with the leaders of the Shrine Directors Association regarding concerns about hazing. It is vital for all Nobles to understand that <u>ANY</u> type of hazing; <u>physical hazing</u>, <u>mental hazing or any activity causing any member public embarrassment violates both state and Shrine law</u>.

The Shrine Directors Association will continue their ongoing efforts to exclude improper hazing activities and/or stunts. They will also promote the Arch Degree, the Knickerbocker Degree, team building, and new and unique activities to all of the events surrounding the creation of a new Noble, including the participation of his family. As we bring new and younger members into the Shrine with the hope and expectation that they will involve their families in our activities, it becomes even more important that the ceremonial experience is positive, uplifting, and memorable.

We encourage all temples to embrace the Association's efforts for encouraging the newly created Nobles to immediately become enthusiastic and engaged. We also believe that by providing a new and positive ceremonial experience, temples will abandon "hazing practices and/or stunts" that are actually prohibited by law in the vast majority of states.

While the Shrine Directors Association continues to work to strongly discourage the practice of hazing, they do not have the power or authority to impose discipline or to otherwise prohibit the practice at each temple. Therefore, the Imperial Divan will stand shoulder to shoulder with the Shrine Directors Association's efforts to properly enforce the prohibition upon such practices.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

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Click on the link below to view memo in Shriners Village Boardroom Site.

A new file is available for you to download from the Fraternal Communications boardroom at Shriners Village.

Memo from Bill Bailey-Positive Uplifting Ceremonials

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Yours in the faith,

WILLIAM S. BAILEY Imperial Potentate

RECORDER'S CORNER

Welcome 2022!! Kaaba had a good year in 2021, so let's make 2022 even better.

With the creations and the Black Camel Kaaba only lost 32 Nobles. This is down from 2020 which is great but I know we can do better.

I CHALLENGE every Noble out there to bring in 1 new Shriner in 2022.

Take them under your wing and show them how much fun and fellowship we have.

As parade season is coming up just remember to wear your fez and be safe.

Until next time....

Yours in the Faith,

Roger Kadel PP

Some Chuck Norris Facts

Chuck Norris uses pepper spray to season his meat.

If Chuck Norris were to travel to an alternate dimension in which there was another Chuck Norris and they both fought, they would both win.

Chuck Norris destroyed the periodic table, because Chuck Norris only recognizes the element of surprise.

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