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325-450-3928

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325-829-6719

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210-718-3209

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432-967-1032

Oriental Guide - OPEN

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325-370-1119

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Potentates Message

Dear Nobles and Ladies

What a great summer we are having so far! We are halfway through the year, and things are going to be getting busy at Suez. The Divan traveled to Tyler for TSA and Suez was well represented. The Provost unit had a great shoot bringing home second place. Congratulations!

Then it was off to Atlanta GA. for the Imperial session. We had a large group of Past Potentates in attendance with our Divan. High Priest & Prophet Carl Shanks team won second in Bullseye. Then he received High Divan in Bullseye, High Open Sight and High Overall Skill Builder, while Lady Tammy Shanks won first in Ladies Bullseye and First in Skill Builder. WOW, Congratulations! The Provost Unit has always made Suez proud.

I want to send out a challenge to ask what's your WHY? Why are you a Shriner? Why do more nobles NOT participate and where are they? We need to reach out to that Shriner friend and start the conversation as to why? We need to get back to all the fun that we used to have and start participating in more of what the Temple is doing. Let me or a Divan member know of any ideas you might have to bring back the Nobility or to get new people. The time is now. Reach out and see what YOU can do.

We have been doing some remodeling on the temple to better utilize the space for events. We removed all the seat in the mosque earlier this year and made an entry way to utilize both spaces better. The Gun and Knife show August 23 and 24, will be twice the size as before. We are asking for volunteers. If you can help set up tables, help serve food, or just being here please give me or Carl Shanks a call.

Then Shriners Night out is right around the corner on September 20 at The Blue Agave in Blackwell. We have silent and live auction items for this fundraiser. We will need as many volunteers as possible for this event. Let me know if you can help, my number is 325-450-3928

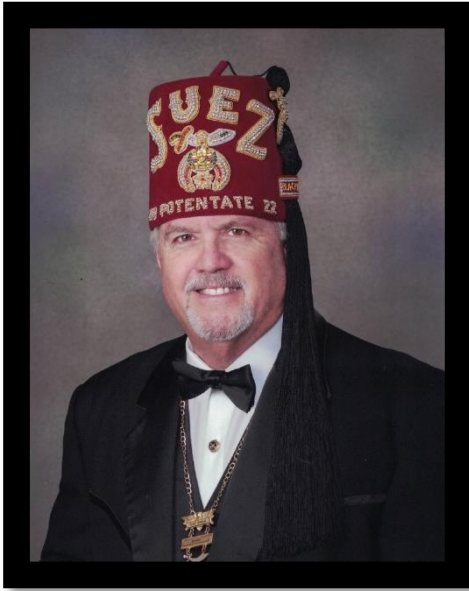
Fez-Tival trees is November 22-29 at Suez Temple. If you know of someone who would like to be a Tree sponsor or just like to donate or would like to volunteer please give Shelly Bunnell a call at the Temple, 325-949-0551.

The Divan will start making their club visits starting at the Heart of Texas on August 19th. We still have a lot to do to get ready for the fall. I hope to see you at the next stated meeting, and I hope everyone is having a great summer.

Yours in the Faith,

Josh Scott

Josh Scott
Potentate



Recorder

Since becoming your Recorder in January 2024 this will be my first communication with you in the “Scribblings”. The opportunity to serve the Suez Shriners again after being Potentate in 2022 is truly an Honor and a Privilege. While the job has interesting twists and turns it also has its rewards and hopefully successes. Getting to work with our Temple Staff and Board of Directors is only compared to working with a family. This family dedicates itself to serving this Temple’s organizational, financial, and structural needs that hopefully will allow it to flourish into the future.

I would like to take this opportunity to answer some questions that I have received from Nobility. As we all know, dues are an annual membership commitment made by all Shriners. The question that is often asked *“Does Shriners International Offer Endowment*

Memberships like Blue Lodges do” The answer is no. Shriners International does not offer an Endowment Membership, however Suez Shriners does offer a Lifetime Membership to our Temple. A Lifetime Suez Membership, like the Endowment, is an investment into the future. When a Noble invests in a Lifetime Membership (**LM**) those funds are directly deposited into our Lifetime Membership Fund, which is an investment account handled by our Investment Brokers at Woodruff Wealth Management. As stated in our Policies and Procedures manual, a purchase may be granted upon receipt of 20 times the Temple dues if over the age of 55, or 30 times the Temple dues if under the age of 55. This purchase does not include the Hospital Assessment, or the Per Capita Assessment required by Shriners International. Please note a Lifetime Membership is not transferable to another Temple. You can also purchase a Permanent Contributing Membership (**PCM**), which is for the Hospital Assessment and a Permanent Contributing Life Membership (**PCLM**), which is for the Per Capita assessment, which goes to Shriners International. If you purchase all three of these memberships, you would be considered a Total Life Member (**TLM**).

Here is another question I received. *“When a new member joins Suez Shriners are the Temple dues amount the same all year or are they prorated”*. As per our policies and procedures manual the Proportionate amount is as follows:

January 1- March 31, 100%

April 1-June 31, 75%

July 1-September 30, 50%

October 1-December 31, 25%

(Please note that the prorated amounts do not include Per Capita or Hospital Assessments)

One last question I have received is an important one. *“What does it mean when you see the term Prerequisite Body”*. You, as a Shriner, are required to be a Master Mason in good standing with your Blue Lodge. Failure to be in good standing can be grounds for suspension to the Shrine.

These and other questions can be discussed by contacting me anytime. Thanks again for allowing me to serve as your Temple Recorder.

Yours in the Faith,
Joel Lemley P.P.



Suez Shrine

2915 Loop 306 / San Angelo Texas 76904

Gun & Knife Show

August 23 , 2025 9am - 5pm

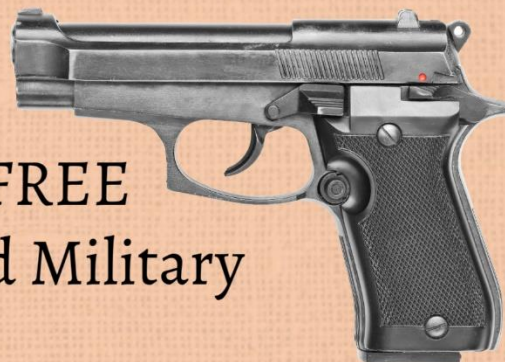
August 24 , 2025 10am - 4pm



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- * Beretta APX A-1 9mm
- * Kimber Mirco-9 9mm



All proceeds
benefit Suez
Shrine

\$20 per Ticket / 6 for \$100




Drawing will be at the Gun & Knife Show - August 24, 2025

(Gift Card Academy Sports for amount of Gun ONLY)

For Tickets: Josh Scott 325-450-3928 / Suez Shrine 325-949-0551

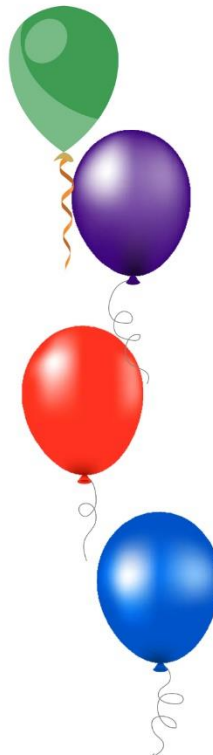
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August 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
 					Aug 1	2 Masonic Training
3	4 Abilene Shrine Club	5 Lodge 570 Meeting Nolan County Shrine Club	6	7	8 Lodge 570 Fundraiser	9
10	11 6:30pm HBAT (Suez Temple)	12	13	14	15 Concho Shrine Club	16
17	18 Suez Shrine-Statad Meeting	19 Heart of Texas Shrine Club (Divan Visit)	20	21 Midland Shrine Club Shrine Clinic day	22	23 Gun & Knife Show
24 Gun & Knife Show	25	26	27	28	29	30
31 DON	Cheers to the first day of school year and the beginning of the Thanksgiving countdown brake! 					

R.L. Dennis 3
 Wesley Hays Jr. 4
 Edward Yantis
 Adam Walker
 Billy Wood 5
 Keith Quinn
 Robert Penny 7
 Donald Saunders
 Bernard Melton 9
 George Starbuck 11
 Terence Moran
 Geof Richardson 14
 Gerald Kubicki 16
 Eric Straach
 Bluford Holland
 Donald Reynolds 17

August Birthdays



Billy Thompson 18
 James Smith
 Gaylin Kinsey P.P. 20
 Donald Tharp 21
 Ray Walls
 Carl Kothmann 23
 Jimmy Wilson
 Rees Boler 24
 Patrick Bruton
 David Roden 25
 Michael Tyrrell 26
 Landon Jones
 Clyde Baker 29
 Edward Wilson 30
 Wesley Benson 31
 Edgar Balridge

Fredrick Jones 1
 David Shroads 2
 David Watson
 Courtney McCutchen 3
 Michael Buckner 5
 David Tomlin
 Milton Chorn Jr. 6
 Tommy Moyer
 Cleve West Jack Gothard 8
 James Pearce 9
 Ronald Williams 10
 James Courtade
 Brain Steinke
 Joel Brazzel 14
 M N Howard 15
 Jimmy Simmons
 Don Bennett
 Bernard Johnson P.P. 16


September Birthdays

Paul Thompson 17
 Basil Scott 18
 Thomas Myers
 A L Mitchell 19
 Marvin Witcher Jr. 20
 Tommy White P.P.
 Courtney Gothard
 Bob Filpot 21
 Lesley Clawson
 David Carroll 22
 Daniel Howard 23
 Carlos Ramirez 24
 Michael Ault Sr. 26
 Ray Purvis 27
 Brad Whitley
 Rafael Nieves Gerena 30
 Maxwell Hirrill

September 2025



Today I will do what others won't so tomorrow I can accomplish what other's can't. - Jerry Rice

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7	8 6:30pm HBAT (Suez Temple)	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 Suez Shrine-Stated Meeting	16 Heart of Texas Shrine Club	17	18 Midland Shrine Club (Divan Visit)	19 Concho Shrine Club (Divan Visit)	20 Shriners Night Out (Blue Agave)
21	22	23	24	25	26 Bullseye Pistol Shot (San Angelo)	27
28	29	30				

Are you ready for some football





The Girl Who Chose Art

Anna Finds Joy in Art and Dance

Surrounded by love and doing what she enjoys, Anna is finding hope one colorful moment at a time.



It was January of 2023, and 6-year-old Anna and her father were walking through the cold, foggy morning in Brovary, Ukraine, just steps away from her kindergarten building.

What was supposed to be a normal school day turned tragic in an instant. A helicopter carrying Ukraine's Ministry of Internal Affairs crashed directly into the building, sending debris flying across the playground. Several children were killed and many more injured, including Anna.

"It all happened very fast," Anna's father said.

Anna sustained severe burns from the helicopter's fiery fuel. She was first treated in Kyiv, then spent two months in Austria, five of those weeks in intensive care. Meanwhile, her father was in another town receiving treatment for his own burn injuries. After returning home to Ukraine, Anna's family struggled to find adequate medical care for her. Although there were plastic surgeons in the country, none specialized in treating children.

"I didn't realize that her burns could leave such scars," Anna's mother, Kateryna, said. After half a year, Anna's scars started to become larger and larger. She had received 10 reconstructive surgeries while in Austria, and later learned that her scars were not healing properly because of bacteria that was building up inside her skin.

The family heard of U.S. doctors offering help in a town near Poland. They registered online, sent photos, and made the seven-hour drive. The doctors were ready to help, and plans to transfer Anna to Shriners Children's were soon underway. It took 10 months to organize the trip due to paperwork, visas and medical documentation, but in early 2025, Anna and her parents arrived in Galveston, Texas.

Since then, Anna has undergone surgery with Ludwik Branski, M.D., MMS, who informed the family that her scars are healing well. Dr. Branski has expertise in reconstructive surgery for injuries caused by severe burns. For Anna, he recommended ongoing laser treatments and physical therapy in the months ahead. Anna and her family will return for another operation later in the year.

"We are so grateful for the work he has done," said Kateryna. (Anna's mother) "These doctors are working from their heart." They do their work and don't expect anything in return. For me, it's very unbelievable that there are people like this."

Though Anna is homesick and misses her 16-year-old brother and her beloved cat, she is staying strong. She keeps herself busy painting and drawing. Her favorite things to draw are cats, butterflies, unicorns and her family members. Some of her artwork even hangs on the walls of her home in Ukraine.

Anna's love for art has always fueled her excitement at school. "She loved to go to kindergarten," Kateryna said. "A lot of kids cry when their parents drop them off, but Anna loved it." On the morning of the accident, Kateryna, who is a teacher and happened to be on vacation, suggested Anna stay home with her. But Anna insisted on going. "I have to go today," she said. "There's going to be an art lesson."

Anna's other interests include dancing and playing games on her phone. When she grows up, Anna dreams of becoming a doctor to help children. She's inspired by the physicians who are helping her now. Despite the pain, trauma and homesickness, Anna and her family said they've felt love and kindness from those around them.

It's challenging, interesting and exciting being here," Kateryna said. "But I also have a lot of pain inside that I can't treat. I have scared feelings, worried feelings. But on the other hand, I have a lot of love and feel a lot of love from these people. Despite everything, I know there are lots of people who are praying and helping us."

Anna and her parents will return to Ukraine soon but plan to travel back to Texas for follow-up care. Until then, they remain thankful for the staff at Shriners Children's Texas who are helping Anna heal, both inside and out.

"We appreciate all the doctors, nurses and staff here," said Kateryna. "The people here change lives."

Imperial Potentate

Brad T. Koehn



Brad T. Koehn of Topeka, Kansas, is serving his ninth year as a member of the Boards of Directors for Shriners International and Shriners Children's, Koehn was elected Imperial Potentate, part of the 12-member body that helps govern the Shriners fraternity, during the Shriners 2025 Imperial Session held June

29-July 3 in Atlanta, Georgia.

Fraternalities and Philanthropy

Master Mason, Topeka Lodge #17, Topeka, 1981

Member, Orient Topeka Lodge #17, Topeka

Arab Shriners, Topeka, 1981

Potentate, Arab Shriners, 2015

Member, Membership and Finance Committees, Arab Shriners

Imperial Auditor and Chairman, Finance and Audit Committee,

Shriners International and Shriners Children's, 2012-2013,

2015-2017

Emeritus member, Finance and Audit Committee, Shriners

International and Shriners Children's

Member, Building & Equipment, Budget, Capital Evaluation,

Corporate Compliance, Investment, Oversight and Strategic

Planning

Lifetime member, Cabiri International

Emeritus member, Iowa and Colorado corporations

Imperial Treasurer, 2017-2025

Education

Bachelor's degrees, Accounting and Business Administration,

University of Kansas

Professional and Personal

Koehn is retired from the accounting firm of Berberich Trahan &

Co., P.A., where he was employed for more than 37 years, the

last 23 serving as a director/owner. He continues to practice

part-time for a CPA firm in Topeka. He is a member of the

Kansas Society of CPAs. Koehn's work experience includes

providing audit, tax and accounting assistance for many

Shriners International temples for over 40 years.

Over the past years, he has worked with many temples and their leadership, providing guidance and advice in the areas of accounting policies and procedures, internal controls, cash flow, income taxes and other business-related topics.

Koehn and his wife, Cheryl, have two sons, Tyler and Brett, who are also Shriners, and a daughter, Courtney, who is married to Alex, also a Shriner. Together, they have six grandchildren.

Koehn is a third-generation Shrine-Mason and followed in his father's footsteps as Potentate of Arab Shriners.

Women
IMPACTING CARE
SUPPORTING SHRINERS CHILDREN'S™



This year, Women Impacting Care proudly supports a program that embodies the very heart of Shriners Children's, compassion, innovation, and empowerment seen through the eyes of a child. This initiative shines a light on the emotional healing of our young patients, those who face not only physical trauma, but the complex journey of reintegrating into their families, schools, and communities. Each child's journey is navigated by a full circle of support, physically and emotionally, bringing new hope to children throughout the world. At Shriners Children's, healing isn't left to chance or handled in isolation. Our care teams represent every discipline. Together with caregivers and families, they create a powerful multidisciplinary approach. Our focus is not only the child's medical recovery, but also their confidence and comfort in returning to the outside world.

Burn surgery, in general, really established the transdisciplinary approach to medicine, so when you see rounds at Shriners Hospital for Children on the burn service, you have representation from every service. So, you have the surgeons, the MDs, the providers, you have the nursing staff, you have physical therapy, occupational therapy, pharmacy, psychology. Our ortho colleagues come around, our plastics team comes around with us, respiratory therapists, child life, and the caregivers as well. So, the parents of the families join us on rounds, and that's really a testament to the outcomes that you get here. It's that approach. Everybody's involved. It's not just one person or one group or one specialty. It's everybody working together.

Our focus is really to help them with their emotional recovery during their hospital stay until the time that they go home, so there are different areas that we focus on during their course of stay.

And when they're closer to being discharged home or going back into the community or school, we focus very heavily on helping prepare the children to feel comfortable going home and returning to school. So, we work on some social skills with the children and the parents or the caretaker so that they can be prepared for those different social situations they may encounter.

As the school services coordinator, my job entails making sure that while the children are here, as patients in the hospital, that they're exposed to educational opportunities, and that we look at the child past the care that they're receiving here and into what they will be going home to, and how they will be functioning at home. So, we work to prepare them to re-enter into school so they can be as successful as possible. And then right before they go home, we will complete a school re-entry video where we film the patient and the part of the team that's worked with them, and we provide the opportunity for their classmates and for the teachers to be able to see that child before they walk back into the classroom.

This program plants a mindset of strength and self-worth in these children at a young age. Two best friends who face limb loss stood tall, beaming with pride and shirts that read, "Dude, where's my arm?" and "Dude, where's my leg?" Their joy, their humor, it's a reflection of the strength Shriners Children's helps build. It's not just about recovery. It's about transforming trauma into resilience, and challenges into a powerful, confident life. For some former patients, the care they received didn't just help them heal. It gave them the confidence to live boldly.

Shriners has really helped me establish this growth mindset at an early age that many of my peers still haven't discovered, and being able to take control of my life with my values and dreams has really helped me pivot to where I want to be in life. And so, because of the way the nurses, the programs, the summer camps, the way they push the patients so much to tell them that you can do it, that you can achieve and persevere, has really shaped my future, that sometimes people kind of find it odd that I am to where I am.

And some people attribute it to them feeling bad for me, so they let me in, but it's quite the opposite. I've earned and merited all of my achievements through grace. I have high academic standings, and now I'm very excited to be in the number one entrepreneurship program in the nation. And so, all of that just came from this mentality of, you can do it, you can figure it out, and not listening to other people's opinions and their limitations.

The beauty of Shriners Children's is that we really try to take the perspective through the eyes of the patients that we're working with. This idea that we take an individualistic approach to that patient, their needs based off not just their wound care and their scar, but the emotional aspects of what they're going through, re-entry into their school system, exposure to their friends, getting back to what their new normal is going to be. And through that, we mitigate scar, we reduce pain, and we strive for full function.

I think that this program will be able to help kids navigate the outside world. I don't think people really think about how brutal kids could be, because simply of the unknown to kids can come off as them being mean. And I think that with this process and this program, it's going to benefit the child to know how to navigate those situations, and to come out with more of a clear way of explaining to kids, "Hey, this is what happened to me," and then easily friendships can be made, instead of just a wall built up.

Women Impacting Care will help more children return to their lives stronger, more confident, and more seen. Together, let's see the world through the eyes of a child, and help shape a future that's full of possibility.



Imperial Parade



Texas Breakfast

Potentate Josh Scott & Lady Marilyn
Presented a Gift to Imperial Divan
Lady Debbie Binder

Suez Divan & Past Potentate:
Chief Rabban Steven Shepard & Lady Susan,
Assistant Rabban Edward Garcia, HP&P Carl
Shanks & Lady Tammy, Past Potentate Dave
Smelser & Lady Mary with Vice Chairman of
Shriners Children's Texas Bob Rogers





Living Life right at Imperial

Potentate Josh Scott & Lady Marilyn with daughters Elli & Emmie, CR Steven Shepard & Lady Susan, HP&P Carl Shanks, Treasurer Tommy White P.P. & Lady Carol, Recorder Joel Lemley P.P. & Lady Shirley, Dave Smelser P.P. & Lady Mary, Tim Dillon P.P. & Lady Nancy, Danny Crowder P.P., Sheldon Claborn P.P., Kim Williamson P.P. & Lady Julie, Rick & Diane Jones.



THANK YOU

FOR YOUR

Support

and dedication

Suez Received a letter from a long time
Noble that now lives in North Bay
Ontario Canada



Dear Noble Secretary,

As my 90th birthday approaches and I am no longer active in my local Shrine Club (not to mention the U.S. dollar exchange) it is with a touch of sadness that I respectfully request a demit from Suez Shrine.

Although my Suez Temple membership spans over 35 years, only about 3 1/2 of those years were spent actively involved with Suez Temple (during my post at the Radar Base in Eldorado, Texas, while serving in the Canadian Military). Despite the short time, those years remain among the most memorable and enjoyable of my Shrine experience. The friendships I formed and the events I participated in are still fondly etched in my memory. I particularly recall the fish fries and introduction to catfish! Once or twice a month our local supermarket will receive a small shipment of catfish, in which I will quickly purchase all of it.

It was a true Honor and Privilege to be named an Ambassador and an Honorary Life Member of the Concho Shrine Club. Whenever someone asked where the Suez Temple was, I would proudly respond, "San Angelo, Texas" and always with a smile and a great sense of pride.

Enclosed is a photo of me with a young patient taken during a bus trip organized by our local Shrine Club to the Montreal Shriner's Hospital for Children. The little girl underwent a successful operation. Though our local Shrine Club is small, our units are active and dedicated. We were proud to donate over \$25,000 and 100 blankets to the hospital. That visit opened my eyes to the incredible work we Shriner's do. I would strongly encourage every Shriner to visit one of the Shriner's Children's Hospital if they have the chance.

Please extend my warmest regards to the Potentate, Divan and all the members of Suez Shrine Temple.

Fraternally Yours,
Gary Gilchrist



BURN AWARENESS

Be Safe in the Bathroom



- When filling the bathtub, run cold water first, and mix in warmer water.
- Check the water temperature by rapidly moving your hand through the water. If the water feels hot to an adult, it is too hot for a child.

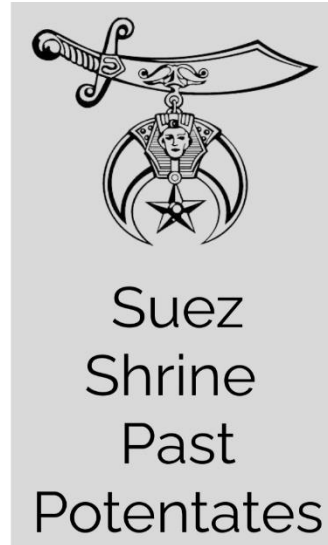
THE PLACE TO TURN FOR ANY BURN



**Shriners
Children's**

Suez Shrine would like to
Acknowledge these
Outstanding Nobles that have
Dedicated 50 years
(some more) to being a Shriner.
Thank you for Making a
Difference in a Child's Life

Name	Year Created
Gerald Huffman	1959
Herman Bouchard	1962
Ray Robison P.P.	1965
M N Howard	1965
Ernest McDonald	1967
Donald Talbot	1968
Ronald Ingle	1968
Chester Bobo	1969
Randall O.Harrow	1969
Carl Kothmann	1969
Bob Fillpot	1969
Billy V. Stewart	1970
Jimmy Simmons	1970
George Crews	1970
Basil Scott	1971
James Neeley	1971
Bob Winkler	1972
S.F. Turner	1972
Tommy McCoy	1972
Thomas Eaves	1972
William Worley	1973
Darrell W. Rains	1972
David Martin P.P.	1970
Bernard Johnson P.P.	1973
James Campbell P.P.	1973
William Baldwin Jr.	1973
Dalton Walton	1974
George Starbuck	1974
David Shroads	1974
Edward Kotrla	1974
David Holt	1974
Frederick Carter	1974



1950 - 1951
*Ray Thompson, Sr.
1952 - *J.N. Clark
1953 - *Howard E. Harlowe
1954 - *M.L. Leddy .
1955 - *Henry M. Roger
1956 - *Cecil D. McDonald
1957 - *Herbert Northcutt
1958 - *Virgil L. Musick
1959 - *B.W. Smith
1960 - *M.L. Andress
1961 - *Dr. Perry Byars
1962 - *Ted O.Groebl
1963 - *Felix H. Rosser
1964 - *Martin G. Browne
1965 - *John D. Bright
1966 - *Goedan Griffin Jr.
1967 - *Robert H. Augustinus
1968 - *Edgar E. Watts
1969 - *Robert Z. Landrum
1970 - *Thomas C. Yantis
1971 - *Joseph W. Burrell
1972 - *Jay Morgan
1973 - *George W. Bair
1974 - *Robert M. Yancy
1975 - *Sam Harris
1976 - *A.C. Peeler
1977 - *H.L. Cravens Jr.
1978 - *Charles M. Godwin
1979 - Ray O. Robison
1980 - *Delton Marcum
1981 - *Dr. Joe P. Alexander
1982 - *Dan Hutchinson
1983 - David R. Martin
1984 - *Wendell P. Morris
1985 - *Kerry L. Linley
1986 - *Verlin Knous
1987 - *Bill Tomlinson

1988 - Dave Smelser Sr.
1989 - James R. Campbell
1990 - *Wayne E. Ulrich
1991 - Ron Yeager
1992 - *O.L. Clark
1993 - *J.W. Begnaud
1994 - *Charlie Pfeiffer
1995 - *James E. Yeley
1996 - *Ralph O. Parker
1997 - Barney Johnson
1998 - *Larry Jewell
1999 - *Sam Worthington
2000 - *Bobby J. Clark
2001 - *Robert Gaines
2002 - *Edwin F. Watson
2003 - *J. Fred Simpson
2004 - *Richard Baumbach
2005 - Dave Smelser Sr.
2006 - *John Keller Jr.
2007 - *Gary Anderson
2008 - James A. Hughes
2009 - *Ben Brewer
2010 - *Jimmey Sharp
2011 - Manuel Olivas
2012 - *Charles Miller
2013 - Patrick Fenner
2014 - Jim McKenzie Jr.
2015 - Bill Dormady
2016 - Tim Dillon
2017 - Tommy White
2018 - Danny Crowder
2019 - *Don W. Bunnell
2020 - Gaylin E. Kinsey
2021 - Jimmy Haines
2022 - Joel Lemley
2023 - Sheldon Claborn
2024 - Kim Williamson
*DECEASED

NOBELS

**HAVE YOU
PAID YOUR
DUES?**

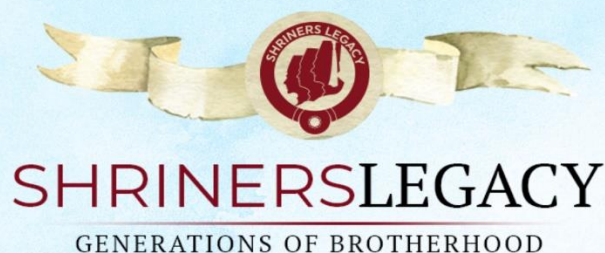
**If not please DIG down
today. Please do not wait
until tomorrow to pay
your dues . Do it TODAY.**

Suez Shrine Temple
2915 Loop 306
San Angelo, TX 76904-6599
or call
325-949-0551

2025 Members Statistics

Membership As of 7/1/25 Regular Members: 381

<u>June - July /</u>	<u>Current</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Creations	0	6
Affiliations	0	1
Restorations	0	1
Associations	1	7
Demits	0	3
Suspensions	0	1
Deaths	2	8
Reversal	0	0
Restored	0	1



Suez would like to Honor and Celebrate our Legacy Shriners

Dr. Rodney Lynn Davis Sr. Uncle / Kerney Pugh
 Uncle / Ory Davis
 James Hawkins Father / Billy Hawkins
 Grandfather / Robert Miller
 Jim McKenzie Jr. P.P. Father / William Mckenzie Sr.
 Son-in-Law / Jason Brooks
 Andrew Way Grandfather / Andrew Way
 Tommy White P.P. Son / Travis White
 Father-in-Law / David Howard
 Kim Williamson P.P. Father / Robert Williamson
 Paul Wood Father / Leonard Wood Jr.
 Grandfather / Leonard Wood Sr.
 Grandfather / R L Bridgeman
 Great Uncle / Willie Bridgeman
 Jeff Smith Father / Karl "Corky" Smith
 Grandfather / Bobby Joe Smith
 Uncle / Larry Smith
 Jay Vaden Father / Ray Vaden
 Robert Rogers Jr. Father / Robert Rogers Sr.
 Jason Hull Grandfather / Charles Jestis
 Michael Ault Sr. Grandfather / Roy McGough
 Wayne McCrane Son / Steven McCrane
 Grandson / Matthew McCrane

Thank you for Carrying on the Shrine Legacy in Caring for Kids

If there is a Noble that has been over looked,
 and you have a legacy in the family, please call
 the Suez Shrine office @ 325-949-0551 or
 email @ suez@suezshriners.com



Blue Lodge Monthly Meetings

*First Monday
 Ft. San Saba Lodge #784

*First Tuesday
 Coleman Lodge #496
 San Angelo Lodge #570
 Mullin Lodge #806
 Scurry County Lodge #706

*First Thursday
 Abilene Lodge #559
 Brady Lodge #628
 Brownwood Lodge #279
 Paint Rock Lodge #613

*First Saturday
 Midland Centennial Lodge #1448

*Second Monday
 Bangs Lodge #926
 Christoval Lodge #901

*Second Tuesday
 Ft. McKavett Lodge #750
 Hobah Lodge #1394

*Second Thursday
 Eldorado Lodge #890
 Hope Lodge #481
 John Sayles Lodge #1408
 Midland Lodge #623
 Staked Plains Lodge #598

*Third Tuesday
 Carlsbad Lodge #1415
 Miles Lodge #898
 Santa Anna Lodge #661

*Third Thursday
 Cisco Lodge #556
 Goldthwait Lodge #694
 Dee Ora Lodge #715

*Third Saturday
 Midland Cennial Lodge #1448

*Forth Monday
 Wingate Lodge #1042

*Fourth Tuesday
 Cross Plains Lodge #627

*Fourth Thursday
 Midland Lodge #623
 Staked Plains Lodge #598

*MOON LODGE
 (Wednesday Before Full Moon)
 Hylton Lodge #884
 (Saturday on or before Full Moon)
 Camp San Saba Lodge # 555

Suez Shrine
side of
BEEF
Raffle

TICKETS AT \$20 / 6 for \$100

2 WINNERS

Each winner receives a
side of Beef & a Freezer



INFO: Suez Shrine 325-949-0551 / Josh Scott 325-450-3928
All proceeds benefit Suez Shrine

Drawing
October 18, 2025
Need not be present to Win



Beef Pick up:
B & K Processing
Bronte, TX

Payments are not deductible as a Charitable Contributions

Beef Raffle

Tickets \$20 each / 6 for \$100
2 Winners

Drawing October 18, 2025
Need not be present to WIN

Need Tickets Call Suez @ 325-949-0551 OR
Potentate Josh Scott @ 325-450-3928

SUEZ ROADKILL COOKERS CRAZY GUN GIVEAWAY



5 CHANCES TO WIN ONLY 250 TICKETS \$100 EACH
DRAWING AT THE SUEZ GUN SHOW AUG 23, 2025

PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT THE ROADKILL COOKERS IN THE COMPLETION OF
THE SUEZ SHRINE TEMPLE KITCHEN

Payments are not deductible as a Charitable Contributions

Crazy Gun Give Away

Sponsored by Roadkill Unit

Tickets \$100 each
Drawing Aug 23, 2025
@ Gun Show

Need Tickets: Tommy White P.P.
@ 325-370-1119

Abilene Shrine Club

Golf & Cornhole Tournament
August 30, 2025 @ Mulligan

\$50 Hole Sponsors Needed

Prizes Awarded Top 3
2 Man Teams / \$100 per Team
Par 3 / 9 Hole

Contact: Mike Sherman @ 325-260-6749

Abilene Shrine Club
& Mulligans Presents



1166 Ben Richey Dr, Abilene,

Abilene Shriners Mulligan Madness

August 30, 2025

Tee Time: 10:00 AM



Par 3 9 Hole Golf Tournament

2 Man Teams

\$100 Per Team

Prizes awarded to top 3 teams.

Contact Michael Sherman

(325) 260 - 6849

\$50 Hole sponsors needed.



How
Well
Can
You
Hit
The
Hole?



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Clinic Day will be
August 21, 2025

If you would
like to be a
volunteer,
please contact
Bob Rogers @
832-741-1567

We would love
for everyone to
be a volunteer
but space is
very limited to
volunteers.
Please call to
get scheduled



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- Metabolic Bone Disease
- Fractures
- Sports Injuries



Janay E. McKie, M.D.
Chief of Orthopedics
Pediatric Orthopedic Surgeon



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an Appointment

OUR NEXT CLINIC IS:

August 21, 2025

Referral Phone: 409-770-6687 | Referral Fax: 409-770-6518

Referral Email: gal-patientintake@shrinenet.org | Learn more at ShrinersTexas.org

Shannon Health Clinic | 3555 Knickerbocker Road, San Angelo, TX 76904

Congratulations

Suez Shrine High Priest & Prophet
Carl Shanks who's team got 2nd place in Bullseye at
the Imperial Shoot in Atlanta GA. He also received
High Divan in Bullseye, High Open Sight and High
Overall in Skill Builder. He was also Promoted to
the office of Lt. Colonel.

Lady Tammy Shanks won 1st place Ladies Bullseye
& 1st Place Ladies Skill Builder.





Shirley Lemley (Joel Lemley P.P.), Mary Smelser (Dave Smelser P.P.), Julie Williamson (Kim Williamson P.P.) Caludia Smelser(JD Smelaser), Carol White(Tommy White P.P.) Nancy Dillon(Tim Dillon P.P.), Susan Shepard(AR Steven Shepard) Tammy Shanks(HP&P Carl Shanks) Marilyn Scott with daughter's Ellie & Emmie (Potentate Josh Scott)

Ladies Luncheon at Imperial Session in Atlanta GA



Traveling to Imperial Session, Potentate Josh Scott & Family stopped by to see the first Shriners Hospital for Children in Louisiana.



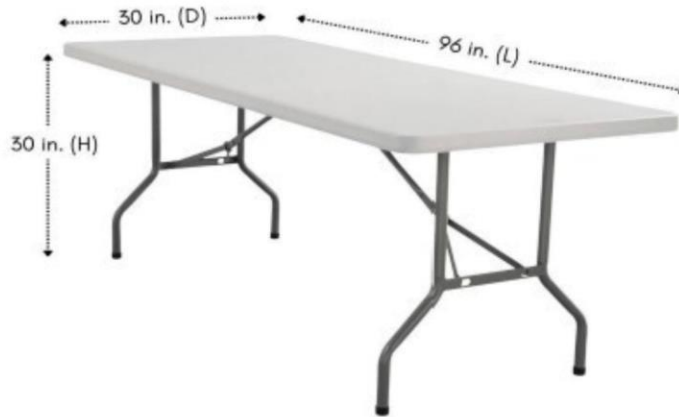
Assistant Rabban Steven Shepard & Lady Susan got to see Bucee's at a quick stop on the way to Atlanta.

Here's to the Crazy Ones!
The misfits, the troublemakers, the round pegs in a square hole....
The ones who SEES things DIFFERENTLY
They're not fond of rules....
You can Quote them, disagree with them, GLORIFY or vilify them, but the only thing you can't do is ignore them BECAUSE they change things,,,They push the human race FORWARD, and while some may see them as the crazy ones, we see GENIUS, because the ones who are CRAZY enough to think that they can CHANGE the WORLD, are the ones WHO DO.

How would the crazy's increase our membership?
Get Members to attend Meetings?
Are you crazy enough to try it?
Let us know your Ideas.....
It's time to get involved with your TEMPLE

Suez Shrine Temple Need Tables

The Suez Shrine Temple in San Angelo, TX is in dire need of 8' folding tables like seen in the picture below. The Board of Directors are asking for donations to assist in having these tables available for future events and fundraisers. Any individual Noble, Shrine Club, or Shrine Unit that would like to contribute to adding tables to the Temple would be appreciated. Contact the Temple at 325-949-0551.



Designed for standard 8 ft. rectangular tables measuring:
(96 in. Long x 30 in. Wide x 30 in. High)

Ziphron Temple 100 Daughters of the Nile

Greetings from Ziphron Temple No. 100, Daughters of the Nile. We continue to focus on our 2025 E-F-G goals, plus we need to ask for help for Princess Terri Tedford.

Princess Terri's house near Miles was a casualty of the July 4th flooding. Her house had water up to the eaves of the house, plus she lost all her cars. She did not have flood insurance. Thankfully, she was rescued by the sheriff's department unharmed. Ziphron has started a GoFundMe website to help her monetarily with her cleanup and rebuild. We encourage our masonic family to go to this site and donate.

<https://www.gofundme.com/f/help-terri-rebuild-after-flooding-loss>

E is for ENJOY!

In June, twelve of our ladies attended the 109th Supreme Session in Las Vegas, NV. We enjoyed each other's company plus reconnected with friends from across the US, Canada, Brazil, and Bolivia. Our twelve ladies plus the Vanadore family had a memorable Queen's Party at Benihana's.

F is for FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY!

Our first quarter report of planned versus actual expenses shows that we are under-spending our budget. We are also ahead of schedule on Charitable Giving to Shriners Children's. At Supreme, Ziphron Temple received a plaque for making our 2024 donation target, and a certificate recognizing our December 2024 Holiday Giving donation. This is the fourth consecutive year that we have received recognition for our Shriners Children's contributions.

G is for GROWTH!

During Supreme Session, one of the key pieces of legislation that passed allows ladies of non-Masonic affiliation to join Daughters of the Nile. This should help spur new members as we move through the remainder of 2025.

With respect,
Queen Suzanne





SUEZ SHRINE

2025

UPCOMING EVENTS

**AUG
23
24**

**SUEZ SHRINE
GUN & KNIFE SHOW**
Suez Shrine Center

**SEPT
20**

SHRINERS NIGHT OUT
Blue Agave Cattle Company
Blackwell TX

**SEPT
26
27**

Bullseye Pistol Shoot
San Angelo TX

**OCT
17
18**

Fall Ceremonial
Suez Shrine Center
More Info to Come out per Email

**NOV
8**

Suez Shrine Golf Tournament
More Info to Come out per Email

**NOV
22-29**

Fez-Tival of Trees
Suez Shrine Center



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