

Communicator

Sun City Center Shrine Club

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SCC Shrine Club Second Vice President Jerry Pherson presents Wayne Howery a Certificate of Appreciation for an outstanding performance at our April luncheon

MAY 2019



The President's Message



Now that we have had time to "lick our wounds" the time has come to look forward to the future and devise a strategy for improving the efficiency of our pancake brunches. After what everyone will agree was an underperformance at our Spring Pancake Brunch, I appointed a Blue Ribbon Committee to study the situation and present a report at a near future Board of Directors meeting. The committee is chaired by Past President Gene Welper and includes Past President and current Secretary Don Churchill as well as First Vice President Jim Porrett. All three of these Nobles have ample experience in planning and producing the brunches. They are also men of vision and intelligence to present realistic strategies on how to proceed. I thank Nobles Welper, Churchill and Porrett for readily accepting my request and stepping up to the plate.

They will examine the project from top to bottom, including street sales, promotion, coordination at the event, recruitment of workers and even portions served. As soon as their work is completed, I will share their findings with the Nobility.

Our Nobles made us proud by volunteering to usher at the recent Egypt Shrine Circus. We provided a larger number of volunteers than what was requested. All agree that participating in the circus is fun, while also giving us the satisfaction of seeing our beloved Egypt Shrine Center at work. As with our pancake brunches, some analysis is probably in order on how to go forward, but that is up to the Circus Committee and the Divan at the Shrine. Whatever direction they choose to go, they will have our total cooperation and support.

May is the month that we honor the Nobles visited by the Black Camel in the previous twelve months. The ladies Mimosa Mixer, as usual, will be from 11:15 to 12:15. After lunch, there will be no musical entertainment. Instead, we will offer a solemn ceremony of remembrance honoring our departed Nobles, honoring each by name. A special invitation is extended to the ladies of the departed Nobles, as we would be honored to have them present at this special, loving tribute. Past President Noble Bob Harris graciously accepted my invitation to lead the ceremony, and other Nobles will have supporting roles.

We look forward to seeing all Nobles and Ladies at the May luncheon. For the "Snowbird" Nobles and Ladies, we wish you safe travels, happy trails, and a quick return.

Yours In The Faith — Tex

SCCSC Past Presidents

1963 Noble George W. Behner	1982 Noble Leo Himmelsbach	2001 Noble Donald C. Anderson
1964 Noble George W. Behner	1983 Noble Floyd Gustafson	2002 Noble Elmer E. Angell
1965 Noble Stanley E. Wardell	1984 Noble Charles Splan	2003 Noble David Welsh
1966 Noble Carl A. Sweet	1985 Noble Charles Splan	2004 Noble Illus Verl Shearer, 33rd
1967 Noble Elgan Stark	1986 Noble Jacob G. Smith	2005 Noble Ed (Dutch) James
1968 Noble Merle G. Dahl	1987 Noble Chas(Bud) Miller	2006 Noble William (Bill) Buist
1969 Noble James C. Wise	1988 Noble Roger W. Moser	2007 Noble Illus. Sir. Thomas E. Robinson, PP
1970 Noble Henry R. Peters	1989 Noble William S. Cook	2008 Noble Walter L. Friedlein
1971 Noble Stanley A. Temple	1990 Noble Millard (Bud) Tanner	2009 Noble KYCH Don Hawley, 33rd
1972 Noble J. Hadsell Baum	1991 Noble John B. Searle	2010 Noble Herbert J. Nash
1973 Noble J. Harvey Gallant	1992 Noble James E. Tatum	2011 Noble Illus. Sir. Terry Parker, 33rd, PP
1974 Noble Walter F. Metzger	1993 Noble Illus Walter W. Fishback, 33rd	2012 Noble William (Bill) Love, OPC
1975 Noble Vernon E. Rothermel	1994 Noble Herbert C. Lewis	2013 Noble Lawrence Clark
1976 Noble Harold D. Kelsey	1995 Noble Dennis Nymark	2014 Noble Robert Harris
1977 Noble Joseph H. Mitchell	1996 Noble Herbert L. Corwin	2015 Noble Donald Churchill
1978 Noble Chester T. R. Yeates	1997 Noble James Thompson	2016 Noble Francis (Gene) Welper
1979 Noble Illus Tom F. Brown, 33rd	1998 Noble John Thompson	2017 Noble Dallas Warrum
1980 Noble Carl G. Shaffer	1999 Noble William (Bill) Brady	2018 Noble Dallas Warrum
1981 Noble John B. Wilson	2000 Noble E.L.Swiley, Jr.	

2019 SCCSC Elected and Appointed Officers



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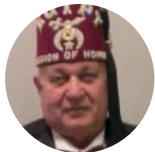
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"No man stands so tall as when he stoops to help a child."

Shrinedom has one objective and that is to support our Childrens Hospitals that provide quality medical treatment for any child to age 18 regardless of the patient's ability to pay.



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Under The Jurisdiction of Egypt Shrine Center



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Mission Statement

Shriners International is committed to:

- Being the premier fraternal organization for men of good character.
- Providing attractive, quality pro- grams and services for its members, their families and their friends in a spirit of fun, fellowship and social camaraderie.
- Fostering self-improvement through leadership, education, the perpetuation of moral values and community involvement.
- Serving mankind through the resources of its philanthropy, Shriners Hospitals for Children.

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Locations of Hospitals and Burn Centers

HOSPITALS

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| • Chicago, IL | • Salt Lake City, UT | • Mexico City, Mexico |
| • Erie, PA | • Shreveport, LA | • |
| • Greenville, SC | • Spokane, WA | • BURN CENTERS |
| • Honolulu, HI | • Springfield, MA | • Boston, MA |
| • Houston, TX | • St. Louis, MO | • Cincinnati, OH |
| • Lexington, KY | • Tampa, FL | • Galveston, TX |
| • Los Angeles, CA | • Twin Cities | • Sacramento, CA |
| • Philadelphia, PA | • (Minneapolis), MN | |
| • Portland, OR | • Montreal, Quebec, | |
| • Sacramento, CA | Canada | |



**Shriners Hospitals
for Children®**
Love to the rescue.



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Schedule of Masonic Meetings

Your Participation Makes a Difference

Egypt Shrine

7:30 Pm 2nd Wednesday Monthly

1913 N. Nebraska, Tampa FL 33602

Sun City Center Shrine Club Community Hall

2nd Wednesday 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM (Lunch served at 12:30)

Call 813- 634-2749

Desoto Lodge #105 F&AM

1st & 3rd Tuesday Monthly in Riverview

Valley of Tampa Scottish Rite Bodies

2nd Monday Monthly 7:30 PM Masonic Center

5500 Memorial Highway, Tampa

S.C.C. Scottish Rite Club

3rd Monday of the month October through May.

Call David Chase 813-938-3620

Tampa Scottish Rite Bodies

5500 Memorial Hwy, Tampa Consistory Meets 2nd Monday each Month

Dinner at 6:00, Meeting at 7:30 PM. Call 813-886-0578

Tampa York Rite Bodies

Meet at 4210 W. Oklahoma Ave.

For schedule of meetings call 813-831-5406

OES Chapter #201

8:00 PM 2nd & 4th Monday Monthly, Desoto Lodge, Riverview

Ladies Oriental Shrine Sonit Court #103

1st Monday, Nov thru June. Luncheon at noon Desoto Lodge, Riverview

Showmen's Shrine Club

Showmen's Association, Gibsonton

Roger Dunn, Secty 813-654-1589



UPCOMING EVENTS

Luncheon and Stated Meeting



Wednesday May 8, 2019

Location and Time:

SCC Community Hall 12:00 noon — Lunch served at 12:30 (Sit-Down Luncheon)
If you did not receive a phone call inquiring about your attendance at the luncheon, please RSVP with Larry Sturniolo at 813-454-5945

Ladies Mimosa Get-Together

As usual, will be from 11:15 to 12:15. All ladies of the club, and any guests they bring, are welcome. If possible, all ladies are encouraged to bring a bottle of champagne, as CA rules prohibit the club from providing alcoholic drinks. If you cannot bring a bottle, it is no problem, come anyway and have fun.

Cost:

\$14.00 PER PLATE RESERVATIONS REQUIRED. Banquet Masters Will Be Hosting. Please make your check payable to: SCC SHRINE CLUB

Menu:

Salad Bar, Carved Roast Pork With Stuffing and Gravy, Onion Crusted Salmon, Mashed Potatoes and Gravy, Kernel Corn, Rolls and Butter, Assortment of Delicious Desserts, Coffee, Tea and Soft Drinks,

Dress Code:

Officers and Directors — November through February, Red Blazer, Black Dress Pants, White Shirt, Black Tie and Fez

March through October, Red Club Shirt, Black Shorts or Dress Pants and Fez

Nobles and Guests — Encouraged to dress in the same manner but are free to dress as they would like

Men's Night Out



4th Thursday of the Month

Dallas Warrum 269-665-8858

May Men's Night Out will be at The Wing House in Ellenton. Car pool from the library at 5:15 p.m. During dinner, the Prize of a Lifetime will be awarded.

Birthdays / Anniversaries

The month of May

Nobles Birthdays:

Noble Olen E. Jones	May 5
Noble David A. Gee	May 8
Noble C. Lee Hopkins	May 11
Noble Bradford (Brad) Bell	May 12
Noble Carl D. Conner	May 12
Noble Lloyd D. Lowell	May 13
Noble Harry W. Perkins	May 13
Noble Robert L. (Rob) King	May 18
Honorary Phillip (Roy) Boggs	May 25
ILLUSTRIOUS SIR Kenneth (Ken) Buckland PP	May 31
ILLUSTRIOUS SIR William (Bill) Cook PP	May 31

Ladies Birthdays:

Lady Dorothy Love, OPC	May 3
Lady Kathryn Schmidt	May 4
Lady Aurelia Huffman	May 5
Lady Donna Kustron	May 7
Lady Pat Stillson	May 11
Lady Betty Carlson	May 12
Lady Merri King	May 13
Lady Dolly Banes	May 17
Lady Patricia (Pat) Banfield	May 17
Lady Marilyn Pherson	May 17
Lady Kathryn Glynn	May 26
Lady Rhonda Gee	May 28

Anniversaries:

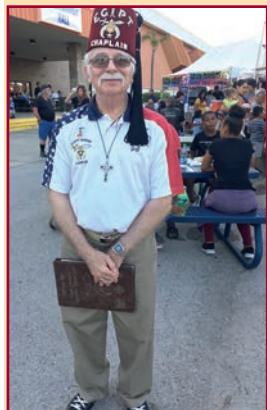
Mr & Mrs Tex Perez	May 2
Mr & Mrs James A. Cloore	May 15
Mr & Mrs James H. Blevins	May 22
Mr & Mrs Frank M. Dyer	May 25

SUN RADIO FOUNDER HONORED

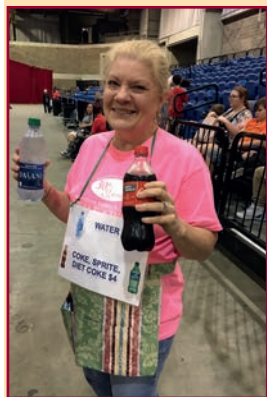
At its spring pancake brunch, the SCC Shrine Club presented Sun Radio 96.3 FM founder Peter Swartz a certificate of appreciation in recognition of his support for Shrine activities. Mr. Swartz is an accomplished broadcast engineer who worked diligently until receiving permission from the Federal Communications Commission to launch a community radio station serving Sun City Center, Kings Point, and surrounding areas. Sun Radio 96.3 went on the air in 2014 and broadcasts 24-7. Staffed by volunteers, the radio station serves the community with timely public interest information and entertains with music from the 50's to the 80's.

SCC Shrine Club President Tex Perez said "we are very appreciative of Mr. Swartz and his radio station for their support and extraordinary promotion of our bi-annual pancake brunches and all other activities that we conduct. Sun Radio is a shining example of what a community radio station should be".



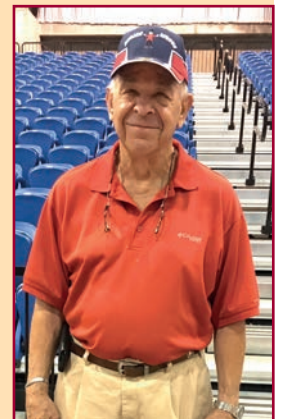


2019 EGYPT SHRINE CIRCUS **FACES IN THE CROWD**



NOBODY OUTWORKS THE POTENTATE







FROM THE PANCAKE BRUNCH COMMITTEE

Another Pancake Brunch has come and gone, thank you to our Nobles, Ladies and Families who volunteered in any way and/or purchased tickets

Thank you!

Pancake Brunch Volunteers

To our Nobles, their Ladies and Families, DeMolay and Families and Guests who so generously donated their time and efforts at the Brunch. Your performance provided for a great experience for our patrons and made the Brunch a success!

Francine Augello
Luther Baker
Lloyd Banfield
Pat Banfield
Renate Bartz
Vern Bartz
Robert Browning
Ken Buckland
Jeannie Cheek
Don Churchill
Tom Colestock
Cliff Cooper
Karen Cooper
Clay Craft
Brenda Curvin
Floyd Curvin
Martha Davenport
Paul Davenport
Ed Davis
Janice DeCaluwe
Jon DeCaluwe
Jim Donaldson
John Glynn
J. P. Green
Amy Hackney
Canys Hackney
William Hackney
Dewey Haeberlein
Amy Hamilton
Ron Hoedebeck
Lloyd Huffman
Christian Kelly
Elias Kelly
Aleese Knight
Cliff Lang
Ruth McKeefer
Morgan McKeefer
Barry Myers
Andy Neil
Carl Nunn
Lucia Perez
Tex Perez
Jerry Pherson

Gerald Pittman
Trudy Province
Dale Province
Dave Puzzo
Moise Rosade
Ralph Ruark
Cheryl Russell
Bob Russell
Jim Saunders
Jeannette Stutler
Denny Stutler
Bob Sullivan
Glenn Vance
Dallas Warrum
Shelley Welper
Gene Welper
Donna Wexler
Craig Wexler
Larry Wing

Please
forgive us if you
are not listed as
not everyone
signed the
log

Advanced Purchase Tickets

Thank you to our Nobles, Ladies and Families for purchasing tickets in advance. Your purchases were a key to the Brunch's success!

George Banes
Lloyd Banfield
Bradford Bell
James Blevens
George Bowen
Louis Braun
Ken Buckland
Don Churchill
James Cloore
William Cook
Paul Davenport
Steve Drobnis
Sidney Duncan
Mae Everhart
John Glynn
James Hiller
Ron Hoedebeck
Lloyd Huffman
Robert Hurwitz
Edmund James
Ann Kemmeling
Robert King
Lloyd Lowell
Ivan Lucas
Jim McGehee
Gerry Munger
Andy Neil
Carl Nunn
Tex Perez
James Petitto
James Peterson
Jim Porrett
Dale Province
Elmer Raper
Charles Reeve

Robert Russell JR
James Saunders
Phil Stiver
Don Stillson
Walt Swafford
Daniel Uffner JR
Glenn Vance
Dallas Warrum
Gene Welper

Ticket Street Sales

Thank you to our Nobles and Ladies for providing your time at Walmart, Winn Dixie and Publix for the March 2019 Pancake Brunch. Your time was key in making the Brunch a success and giving visibility for the Sun City Center Shrine Club and Egypt Shrine!

Lloyd Banfield
Don Churchill
Ed Davis
Jon DeCaluwe
Jim Hiller
Lloyd Huffman
Jim McGehee
Barry Myers (2)
Bob O'Roak (2)
Tex Perez
Pam
Dale Province (2)
Bob Russell
Jim Saunders (2)
Phil/Jackie/Sam Stiver (2)
Dallas Warrum (2)
George Weatherly

THANK YOU



The Club Thanks those Nobles, Ladies & Guests who contributed to the purchase of the cart & a Special Thank You to the Anonymous Benefactor who generously matched Club donations!

Platinum Level

Anonymous Benefactor

Silver Level

Bill & Peggy Bierce

James & Suzanne Cloore

Patricia Ginsley (Guest)

Jim & Jean Porrett

Dale & Trudy Province

Charles & Sharon Reeve

James & Diane Saunders

Don Stillson

Edmund James

Larry & Linda Sturniolo

Donation in Honor of Gene Welper

Bronze Level

Vern & Renate Bartz

Don & Jan Churchill

Jon & Janice DeCaluwe

Mae Everhart (Porrett)

Carl & Sandra Nunn

Sandra & Boyd Ghering

Walt & Jean Swafford

Dallas Warrum

Gene & Shelley Welper

Other Donations

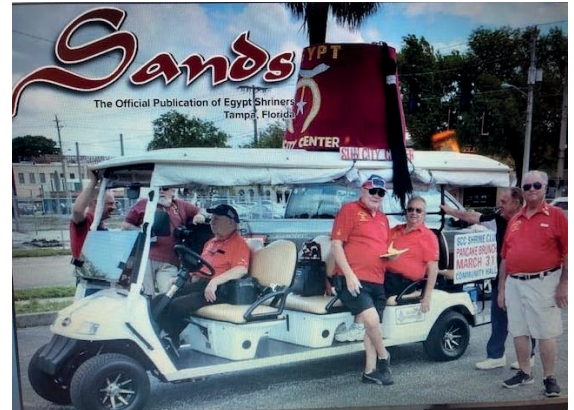
Jim McGehee

Paul Monnette

Daniel Uffner

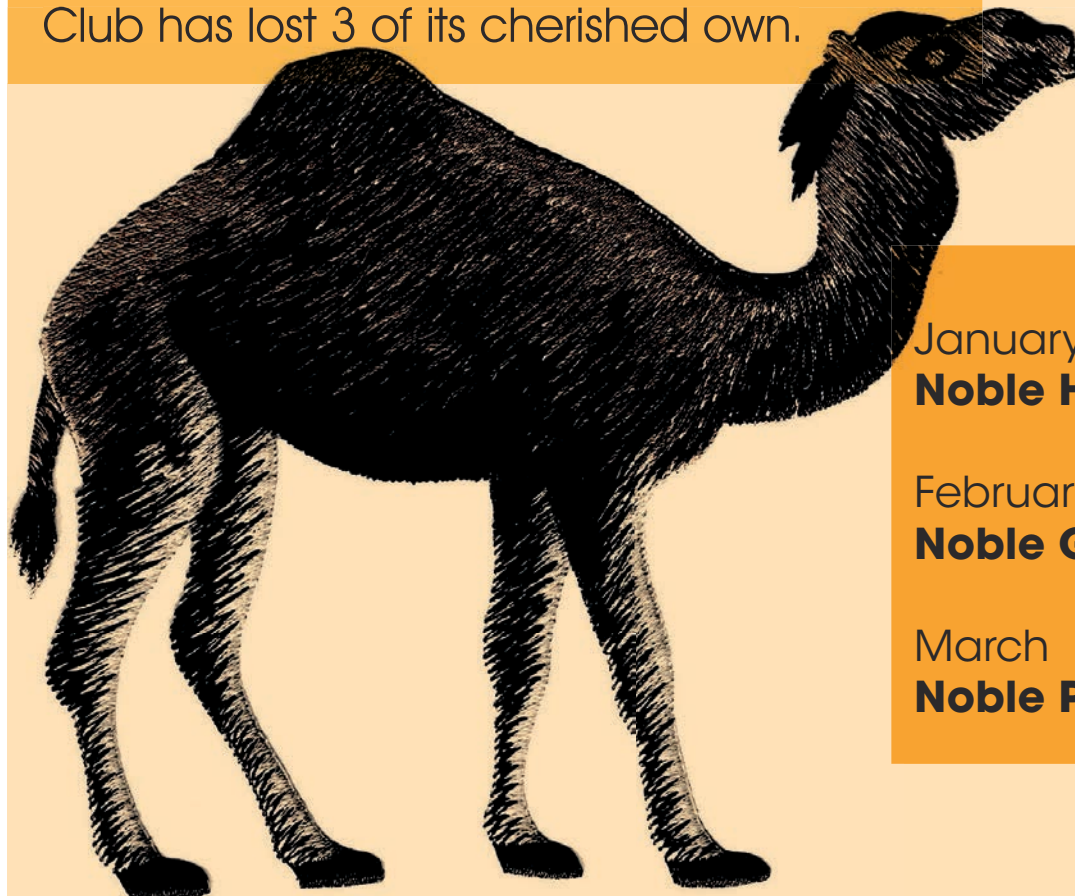
Donations are still welcome to help defray the cost of the Parade Vehicle!

Donations are payable to SCC Shrine Club, ATTN: Parade Vehicle and sent to: Noble Jim Porrett 1312 Via Toscana Way, Sun City Center, FL 33573



THE BLACK CAMEL

With a heavy heart, the SCC Shrine Club has lost 3 of its cherished own.



January

Noble Harry Kohler

February

Noble George Getman

March

Noble Paul Monnette



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