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Official Philanthropy of Shriners International

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

SUN CITY CENTER Shrine Club

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

Shriners Hospitals provide medical care at 19 orthopedic units and 4 burn centers located throughout North America. One of the newest Hospital Units is located in Tampa at the University of South Florida Campus. If you know of a child under the age of 18 who the Shriners could help, please call one of our toll-free referral lines:

In the US: 1-800-237-5055

Boston Burn Center 1-800-255-1916

In Florida: 1-888-665-5437



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NOVEMBER 2016

OUR 53RD YEAR

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(Chartered 1/9/1963)

Luncheon and Stated Meeting

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 9TH, 2016

AT THE Community Hall

12:00 am—Lunch Served at 12:30

Banquet Masters Will Be Hosting

ROAST TURKEY WITH DRESSING CRAB-STUFFED FILET OF SOLE PEAS AND CRANBERRY SAUCE WONDERFUL DESSERTS COFFEE & ICED TEA COST—\$14.00 PER PERSON

Please make your check payable to: SCC SHRINE CLUB

You MUST make a reservation. If you have not, then Do It Now! If you have Not been called or if it is necessary to cancel a reservation, please advise your caller or Noble Barry Myers (260-3136) before noon of the Monday prior to the meeting. Thank you.

Elected and Appointed Officers - Red Jacket, long trousers, white shirt, tie & Fez - October through May "Red Club Shirt & Fez" June-September. Others wishing to dress in this manner may certainly do so, if they so desire.

Members (non-officers) - No Shriner is to be denied admission to our meetings as long as he meets the following minimum dress code requirements: Any shirt is acceptable as long as it has a collar (no Tee-shirts) and does not contain advertising for products or services. Short trousers for men are acceptable during June through September only; all other times, long trousers are required. All Shriners should wear their Fez to meetings.

Please note: persons who reserve and do not show up or do not cancel before noon of the Monday before the luncheon must be invoiced for the cost of the meals. Reason: the Club commits to the caterer and we have to pay for those meals regardless of your reason for cancellation. If the Club has to pay, that is money not given to our charity.

Note: Those little narrow parking spaces at the Community Hall are reserved for golf carts during daylight hours—automobiles must not use them for parking.

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Notable Dates				
1st Mondays—SCC Board Meeting (1:00 PM, Armstrong Room)				
11-03-16	Hi Neighbor, CA Hall, South Pebble Beach			
11-5-16	Fund Raiser at Mann's Auto			
11-06-16	Daylight Savings			
11-09-16	Lunch Meeting			
11-09-16	Election of Officers and Directors			
11-12-16	Ruskin VFW Veterans Day Parade			
12-13-16	Children's Christmas Party			

Slate of Officers and Directors from the **Nominating Committee:**

President: **Noble David Rubin** 1st Vice President **Noble Dallas Warrum** 2nd Vice President Noble James D. Porrett 3rd Vice President Open **Secretary Noble John Glynn Treasurer Noble George Banes Directors Noble Dale Province Noble Barry Myers Noble Glenn Vance Noble James Saunders**

Note: GUYS NIGHT OUT for November will be announced at November Luncheon.

Program for November Lunch Meeting:

Shriners Hospitals for Children'

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Alicia Lyons from the Development Office of Tampa Shrine Hospital will present an update on hospital activities. Alicia was scheduled to give this program but because of a scheduling mix-up was not able to do so. October's program was led by our Noble P. J. Hough who gave an overview presentation of the "Seniors Against Crime" initiative. It was very informative and we learned that Noble Chet Ferguson also is an active volunteer working to help those who have been victims of fraudulent practices.



Noble Clay Craft

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		SCC SHRINE CLUB PAST PRESIDEN	
Elected Officers	Name	Phone	SCC SHRINE CLUB PAST PRESIDEN
President	Francis (Gene) Welper	633-3717	* 1963 Noble George W. Behner
1st VP	David E. "Dave" Rubin	633-3705	* 1964 Noble George W. Behner* 1965 Noble Stanley E. Wardell
2nd VP	Dallas Warrum	634-8499	* 1966 Noble Carl A. Sweet* 1967 Noble Elgan Stark
3rd VP	John Glynn	260-3910	* 1968 Noble Merle G. Dahl
	•		* 1969 Noble James C. Wise* 1970 Noble Henry R. Peters
Secretary (acting)	John Glynn	260-2910	* 1971 Noble Stanley A. Temple
Treasurer	George C. Banes	634-8499	* 1972 Noble J. Hadsell Baum * 1973 Noble J. Harvey Gallant
Board of Directors	Barry Myers (& Data Mgr)	260-3136	* 1974 Noble Walter F. Metzger
	Clay Craft	812-6188	* 1975 Noble Vernon E. Rothermel * 1976 Noble Harold D. Kelsey
	Glenn Vance	784-3271	* 1977 Noble Joseph H. Mitchell
	Richard H. Pierce	633-3666	* 1978 Noble Chester T. R. Yeates * 1979 Noble Illus Tom F. Brown, 33rd
			* 1980 Noble Carl G. Shaffer
	Dale Province	642-0807	# 1981 Noble John B. Wilson
Appointed Officers			* 1982 Noble Leo Himmelsbach * 1983 Noble Floyd Gustafson
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\$100 Million Dollar Club	Ed (Dutch) James	642-8322	* 1985 Noble Charles Splan
Community Relations	John Glynn	260-3910	* 1986 Noble Jacob G. Smith
Chaplain	Don Hawley	672-8899	# 1987 Noble Chas(Bud) Miller * 1988 Noble Roger W. Moser
-	•		* 1989 Noble William S. Cook
Circus Day Coordinator	Robert O'Roark	634-1031	* 1990 Noble Millard (Bud) Tanner
	Dale Province	642-0807	* 1991 Noble John B. Searle* 1992 Noble James E. Tatum
Club Director	Jon DeCaluwe	260-3890	* 1993 Noble Illus Walter W. Fishback, 33r
Contributing Editor - Sands	Don Churchill	642-0844	1995 Noble Dennis Nymark
Endowments, Wills & Gifts	Gene Welper	642-8322	* 1996 Noble Herbert L. Corwin* 1997 Noble James Thompson
Health and Welfare	Paul Davenport	633-8169	* 1998 Noble John Thompson
riodini dila 11 olidio	John Glynn	260-3910	* 1999 Noble William (Bill) Brady * 2000 Noble E.L.Swilley, Jr.
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Hospital Benefits Day	Clay Craft	812-6188	* 2002 Noble Elmer E. Angell 2003 Noble David Welsh
Membership Chairman	William (Bill) Love	634-2749	* 2004 Noble Illus Verl Shearer, 33rd 2005 Noble Ed (Dutch) James
Pancake Brunch Chairman	Don Churchill	642-0844	# 2006 Noble William (Bill) Buist
Parade Float Coordinator	Clifford Lang	326-4973	2007 Illus. Sir. Thomas E. Robinson, PP * 2008 Noble Walter L. Friedlein
Quartermaster	James Saunders	922-2449	2009 Noble KYCH Don Hawley, 33rd 2010 Noble Herbert J. Nash
Sergeant at Arms	Glenn Vance	784-3271	2011 Illus. Sir. Terry Parker, 33rd, PP
Steward & Data Manager	Barry Myers	260-3136	2012 Noble William (Bill) Love, OPC 2013 Noble Lawrence Clark
Telephone Coordinator	Barry Myers	260-3136	2014 Noble Robert Harris 2015 Noble Donald Churchill
Sun City Center	Appointment at Egypt		* Deceased # Unknown status
Temple Guard	Clifford Lang	260-3910	
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President's Message

Thanks to Noble Don Churchill, Ladies, Nobles and all who worked to make the October pancake brunch a success. We appreciate the DeMolay boys, their mothers, dads and advisors for all of their work. Without them we could not have staffed the dining room and provided such good service.

At the November meeting we will elect our officers and directors for 2017. Their work is essential to our club's success. However, of equal importance is the participation of our Nobles. Some of our Nobles are not able to participate in some of our activities for reasons of health and age; and, we understand. To the extent we are capable we need to participate.

Last year we divided our work for Hospital Benefit Days into two parts and we will do the same this year. Donations are solicited from businesses friends and Nobles in October and November. Store front solicitations will again be in February. Letters soliciting donations from businesses and from individuals have been mailed. Once again, I will use email to solicit donations from our Club Nobles. Using emails saves the cost of printing and postage, which means more available to go to the Shrine Hospitals for Children.

Last year fewer than 10 Nobles of our club made a donation for Hospital Benefit Days. That is an extremely small number. Please make an effort to donate when you get the email.

The Community Association's "Hi Neighbor" event is November 3rd at the CA Hall. We will have a table there. If you can help with set up or manning the site, please give me a call.

Remember: Keep smiling and never give up!

YITF,

Gene Welper





Illustrious Sir Dwight Brown Potentate 2016



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Health and Welfare -

Please Contact:

Noble Paul Davenport 813-633-8169

or

Noble John Glynn 813-260-3910

: Noble William Bierce and Lady Peggy were recently hospitalized but are now at home convalescing.

Help raise money for the Shriners Hospital Transportation Fund. Simply refer your friends and family who are buying or selling a home to Noble Rich or Lady Sherill Shelley. They will donate 10% of their commission to the Transportation Fund in your name.

Noble Rich 813-857-7793 Lady Sherill 813-753-5891

Ruskin VFW Parade

Once again we have been invited to be in the Ruskin VFW Veterans Parade. It is November 12, 2016. Thanks to Noble Cliff Lang, he has obtained the use of a pickup truck to pull the float. We have obtained insurance coverage to use the truck and have received the Potentate's permission to be in the parade. Now all we need are nobles to participate by riding the float. It is always a good parade and enjoyed by all. If there is enough interest, we can have an afterglow at Beanies. Noble Cliff will give the time to meet, where and details at the November meeting.

As members of the Sun City Center Shrine Club you are advised that the Board of Directors has given their approval for a one-time complimentary lunch to any Shriner residing in Sun City Center or the surrounding area, who could be interested in joining our Club. This invitation is also extended to any known Mason who may be encouraged to become a Shriner after attending the lunch and meeting many of the Sun City Center Club members.

With the foregoing in mind, please give some thought to contacting your known Masonic and Shrine friends in your social club, Church groups, etc. making them aware of this opportunity.

Those Nobles wishing to take advantage of this ongoing offer may make the necessary reservations by notifying their Caller, giving him their guest's name and the lunch they will attend.

Please remember:

"MEMBERSHIP IS EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY"



SUN CITY CENTER SHRINE CLUB

NOBLES' BIRTHDAYS				
Name	Birthday	Age		
ILLUS SIR James H (Jim) Blevins PP	2	73		
Noble Robert L (Bob) O'Roak	7	66		
Noble Louis W (Lou) Braun	8	54		
Noble John A. Lilley	12	69		
Noble Robert D. Opperman	12	90		
Noble James M (Duke) Earle	17	66		
Noble Raymond E. (Ray) Marten	17	81		
Noble James L. Peterson	24	81		
Noble Barry Myers	26	85		
Noble Sidney Duncan	30	78		
Noble Robert N (Bob) Hurwitz	30	75		



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We appreciate the businesses & professionals who supported our 2015 Hospital Benefit Days. If you have the opportunity, please thank them:

Chris Mann Automotive, Inc*
Steven J. Fox, DVM
Granny Nannies
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Air Time Appliances, Inc.
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At Home Auto Care, Inc.
Boggs Jewelry
Cypress Creek Insurance Agency, LLC
Howie's Plumbing, Inc.
Jacobs & Thatcher Dentistry, PLLC*
Southeast Window & Glass

* Note both a Circus & Hospital Benefit Days

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SHRINE LADIES' BIRTHDAYS				
Lady	Shelley Welper	1		
Lady	Olive Hopkins	4		
Lady	Dorothy Myers	5		
Lady	Mae Porrett	7		
Lady	Patricia (Pat) Jones	8		
Lady	Trish Robinson	12		
Lady	Eugenia Kane	13		
Lady	Dorothy S. Paquette	19		
Lady	Clarissa Crissman	23		
Lady	Leila Harper	23		
Lady	Genny Dyer	24		
Lady	Jeannette Olesen	26		
Lady	Lucille Childers Hadley	27		
Lady	Shirley Harris	30		



Plaque awarded to SCC Shrine Club at October Luncheon for Donations toward EOS machine.

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Mr & Mrs Harry A. Koehler

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

For our new members, please see the Quartermaster to purchase a club shirt, name tag and cap; and, learn where you may get a red sport coat. You do not have to purchase any of these items but you are urged to do so.



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OCTOBER 2016 PANCAKE BREAKFAST





































Our Hospitals

Chicago, IL

Erie, PA

Greenville, SC

Honolulu, HI

Houston, TX

Lexington, KY

Los Angeles, CA

Philadelphia, PA

Portland, OR

Sacramento, CA

Salt Lake City, UT

Shreveport, LA

Spokane, WA

Springfield, MA

St. Louis, MO

Tampa, FL

Twin Cities (Minneapolis), MN

Montreal, Quebec, Canada

Mexico City, Mexico

Our Burn Centers

Boston, MA Cincinnati, OH Galveston, TX Sacramento, CA

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Send photos or articles to "FEWelper@hotmail.com"

MASONIC BODIES MEETING SCHEDULE

EGYPT SHRINE 7:30 PM 2ND WED. MONTHLY 4050 DANA SHORES DRIVE TAMPA, FLORIDA

SUN CITY CENTER SHRINE CLUB COMMUNITY HALL SECOND WEDNESDAY 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM (LUNCH SERVED AT 12:30) CALL 813- 634-2749

> DESOTO LODGE #105 F&AM 1ST & 3RD TUES. 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 MON—NOV-JUNE THE FREEDOM PLAZA CLUB EDMUND JAMES CALL 813-642-8322

TAMPA SCOTTISH RITE BODIES 5500 MEMORIAL HWY, TAMPA CONSISTORY MEETS 2ND MON. EACH MO. 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

SHOWMENS SHRINE CLUB SHOWMANS ASSOCIATION GIBSONTON ROGER DUNN, SECTY 813-654-1589

ENJOY YOUR MASONIC FRATERNITY
Participate in these Activities

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MISSION STATEMENT

Shriners International is committed to:

- Being the premier fraternal organization for men of good character.
- Providing attractive, quality programs 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.

























The following merchants placed an ad in the Egypt Shrine Circus Program. If you have the opportunity, please thank them:

A&M Furniture Barn

Apollo Bistro

Champion Self Storage

Chris Mann Automotive, Inc*

Coastal Auto Spa

Garner Physical Therapy

Jacobs & Thatcher Dental*

John Moore's Flooring

Rachel's Country Kitchen

Solar X of Florida

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