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EL MAIDA SHRINE SPRING CEREMONIAL



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Message from the Potentate

Nickie Keene
Potentate

Greetings Nobles,

I hope this summer edition of the Shrine News finds all well and prosperous.

First, I would like to thank all the new nobles that participated in the

El Maida Spring Ceremonial, welcome to The Shrine. The Directors staff of both El Paso and Odessa really worked hard and it definitely showed at our degrees. Also a big hand for the Ceremonial teams which proved again that hard work and play is one of many missions for El Maida Shrine. Last but not least, a very well presented "Flower Talk" by the De Moley Chapter, was enjoyed by all in attendance. I want to thank all those that made the El Maida Spring Ceremonial in Odessa a big success.

I know our Temple is dark the next few months but don't forget our major event of the year is our El Maida Shrine Circus. All the info for our circus week can be found at circus meetings, the El Maida web site and in your shrine news. Of course you can always call the shrine office for any questions.

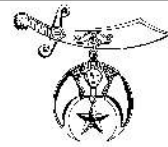
El Maida wishes "Best of Luck" to the Rosetta Ladies on their trip to Tampa, Florida for the 95th Nile Supreme Session, June 12th 16th.



Through the hard work of all the nobles, ladies and the staff at El Maida our Temple is in good order. Our Fundraisers are healthy. Our property management is in good shape. Our transportation of our children is rolling straight. Our clinics have all gone very good, both hospital and tele-medicine. I want to thank "Everyone" in making El Maida Shrine shine.

In reference to the above state of the union for our El Maida please stay tuned to next months edition of the Shrine News for a special event announcement in regards to celebrating all of our hard work and success.

Yours in faith,
Nickie Keene
Potentate El Maida Shrine



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- 2002..... Lloyd Easterling
- 2001..... Herb Austin
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- 1988..... John W. Doran
- 1987..... Ed Hughes
- 1986..... Harold Shoppach
- 1984..... John Nobles
- 1983..... Pat Goff

ATTENTION!
Shrine Newsletter (Temple News)
DEADLINE for submission of Articles
for the July Newsletter is the 20th of June
NO EXCEPTIONS
PLEASE SUBMIT ON TIME!



El Maida Shrine News

• Finance Advisory Committee •
Jack Thompson • Arnie Simms

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Matt Salgado..... Clowns
Dave Peck..... Golf
Ruben Lara..... Greeters
Sam Patino..... Clay Busters
Walt Mollier, P.P..... Motor Patrol
Mario Lopez..... Oriental Band
Chuck Geddes..... Provost Guard
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John Lutzen..... Legion of Honor

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Notes from the Chief Rabban

Greetings Nobles,

Just a couple of quick reminders, our next Circus Meeting will be June the 15th, starting at 6:00 pm. Our last meeting will be on July 20th, that's one week before the Circus will be here in El Paso. We need all the help that anyone can provide us with. All meetings will held be in the Lounge, with food and drink provided.

Also, don't forget about the Circus Dads tickets that each of you should have received as of now. Please do what you can to be a Circus Dad. It all helps in the end.

Telemarketing is going very well, and our Circus ad book should be loaded with ads from the El Paso area,

as well as that of Las Cruces, and the Permian Basin regions.

I hope that everyone that went to TSA in Amarillo had an enjoyable time. For those of you that don't know, TSA will be in Tyler, Texas next year, and Mid-Winter for the Divan will be held in Dallas. I do hope that all that can attend, will do so.

That's all for now,

Yours In The Faith,

Steve Miller

Chief Rabban

From your Oriental Guide

As you read this article the Shrine will be dark for the summer. T.S.A. in Amarillo was a BANG and a BLAST! Many of us took the opportunity to learn more about membership at a training workshop put on by Noble Ken Sapp. It was very informative and I will be sharing more of this with the Nobility when we return from the summer festivities. Congratulations to the units competing at T.S.A. Let's make it a larger caravan when we head to Denver in July.

support our local community activities.

Enjoy the Summer and most importantly, be SAFE.

I am sure many of you Nobles have some great ideas for our Oasis in the Desert. Come and share your thoughts and opinions when we return from our summer break. Now it's time to roll up our sleeves and get back to having fun, F-U-N, fun.

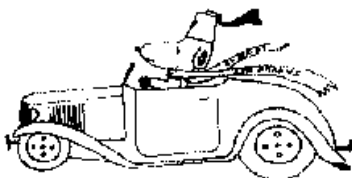
Come and see and you will be... rekindled...at our next stated meeting.

Es Salaem Eulekam,

Noble Steven H. Roberts

Oriental Guide

El Maida Shrine Red Barons



The Imperial Session is in July, as is our local Independence Day Parades. Those of you who decide to stay in HOT El Paso should consider participating and showing the community we are alive and well. As we

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Chaplain's Corner

The **23rd** Psalm

The Lord is my Shepherd: I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:
He leadeth me beside the still waters.
He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the path of righteousness for his name's sake.
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death. I will fear no evil:
for thou art with me: thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies:
thou anointest my head with oil:
my cup runneth over.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

Chaplain

Norm Miller

El Maida



CLAYBUSTERS

NEW MEMBERS WELCOME - WE PRACTICE EVERY SATURDAY MORNING AT THE FT. BLISS ROD & GUN CLUB - COME JOIN US - FREE 1ST YEAR DUES FOR NEW MEMBERS.

SUPPORTING THE SHRINERS



El Paso Assembly #4
International Order of Rainbow
Meetings at 7:00 PM
1st and 3rd Thursday
Jack H. Marshall Board Chairman

CIRCUS CORNER



Nobles and Ladies!!

The circus is so close! A month away to be exact. We promise that the show will be like no other. White tigers, elephants, bears, clowns, flying trapeze, and so much more are coming to town. We are asking for you to come out and support your shrine circus, by attending the circus meeting just to have fun and say hi to old pals and new friends! And then come out to help at the shows! It's going to be fun!!

CIRCUS DATES:

Odessa, TX.

Mon., July 25th 2011 - 4:30 pm and 7:45 pm

Ft. Stockton, TX.

Wed. July 27th 2011 - 4:30 pm and 7:45 pm

El Paso, TX.

July 29th - 12 noon and 8 pm

July 30th - 12 noon, 4 pm & 8 pm

July 31st - 12 noon, 4 pm & 7 pm

Come one come all!!! We'll see you at the circus

Yours in the Faith

Matt ("Butenz") Salgado
Circus Director



ATTENTION!!!

NEXT CIRCUS MEETING

JUNE 15, 2011 AT 6:00PM IN THE LOUNGE

FUN FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP

COME ONE!! COME ALL!!

Your Monthly Planners

| Sun | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thur | Fri | Sat |
|---|--|---|--|-------------------|--|--|
| June 2011 <i>Shrine Planner</i> | | | 1 | 2 TSA Amarillo | 3 Grown & Sexy Dance TSA Amarillo | 4 Camacho's Quinceneara TSA Amarillo |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 Red Baron's Meeting 6:00 p.m. | 9 | 10 | 11 Cisneros' Quinceneara |
| 12 Nile Supreme Session - Tampa, FL | 13 Line Dancing 6:00 p.m. Nile Supreme Session - Tampa, FL | 14 <i>Flag Day</i> Nile Supreme Session - Tampa, FL | 15 Circus Meeting Greeters Meeting Odessa Stated Meeting 12:00 p.m. Nile Supreme Session - Tampa, FL | 16 | 17 | 18 Perez's Quinceneara |
| 19 <i>Father's Day</i> | 20 | 21 Shrine Board Meeting | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 Esparza's Quinceneara |
| 26 | 27 Line Dancing 5:30 p.m. | 28 | 29 | 30 | Temple Dark  | |



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|  <h1>July 2011</h1> <p>Shrine Planner</p>  | | | | <p>Temple Dark</p> | <p>1 Patino's Ann. Party</p> | <p>2</p> |
| <p>3</p> | <p>4 <i>Independence Day</i></p> | <p>5</p> | <p>6</p> | <p>7</p> | <p>8 Galveston Burn Clinic</p> | <p>9 Salas's Quinceanera</p> |
| <p>10</p> | <p>11 Line Dancing 5:30 p.m.</p> | <p>12</p> | <p>13 Circus Meeting Red Baron's Meeting 6:00 p.m.</p> | <p>14</p> | <p>15 Provost Set Up</p> | <p>16 Provost Gun Show</p> |
| <p>17 Provost Gun Show</p> | <p>18</p> | <p>19 Shrine Board Meeting</p> | <p>20 Greeters Meeting Odessa Stated Meeting 12:00 p.m.</p> | <p>21</p> | <p>22 Address High Class of the 80's</p> | <p>23 L.O.S. Anniversary Leo's Golf Tournament</p> |
| <p>24/31 31 EL MAIDA CIRCUS</p> | <p>25 Line Dancing 6:00 p.m. ODESSA CIRCUS</p> | <p>26 ODESSA CIRCUS</p> | <p>27 FT STOCKTON CIRCUS</p> | <p>28</p> | <p>29 EL MAIDA CIRCUS</p> | <p>30 Hernandez Quinceanera EL MAIDA CIRCUS</p> |

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 ARE BORN!**



EL MAIDA SHRINE SPRING CEREMONIAL

ODESSA, TEXAS
MAY 6-7, 2011

On May 6 the El Maida Shrine Ceremonial Team and Directors Staff traveled to Odessa for our Spring Ceremonial. The Ceremonial included the First Section on May 6 and the Arch Degree and Second Section on May 7.

Congratulation to the ten new Shriners who participated in this Ceremonial. We are looking forward to your active involvement in El Maida Shrine.

My most sincere thanks to my fellow Nobles who assisted in our Ceremonial. You did a great job and it was most appreciated.

Last, but not least, a very special thanks to the Odessa Shrine Club for your continued cooperation and great hospitality.

Yours in the Faith,
Lloyd Muir, PP
Ceremonial Potentate



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Stated Meeting 2nd Monday - 7 pm

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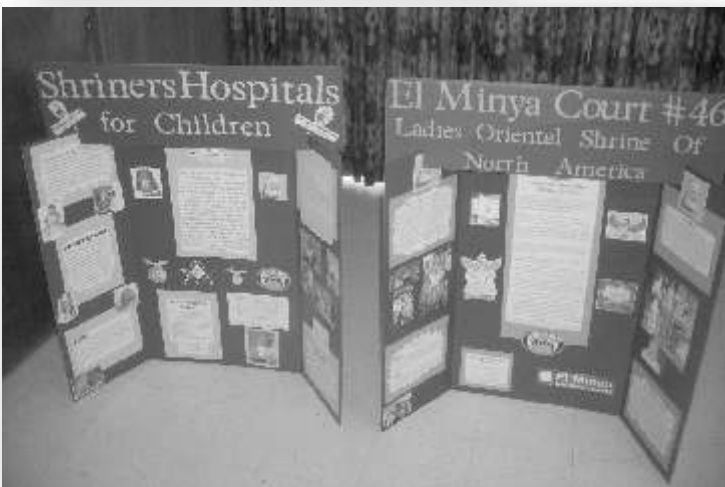


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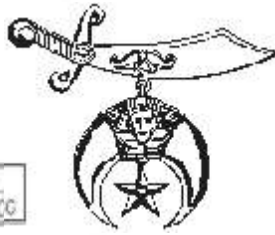


Sewing Day Activities





Shriners of North America



PETITION FOR MEMBERSHIP INITIATION

Fee: \$ _____ Paid: \$ _____
 Ceremonial Date(s): _____ Cash/Check/CG

To the Potentate, Officers and Nobles of _____
 Shriners, situated in the Oasis of _____, Desert
 of _____, I, the undersigned,
 hereby declare that I am a Master Mason in good standing
 in _____ Lodge # _____ located
 in _____, which is a Lodge
 recognized by or in amity with the Conference of Grand
 Masters of North America. Furthermore, I have resided at
 my current address for not less than six months, as required
 by the Bylaws of the Imperial Council. I respectfully pray
 that I may be made a Noble of the Mystic Shrine, and
 become a member of your temple. If I am found worthy
 and my request is granted, I promise to conform to the
 Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Imperial Council
 and the Bylaws and Ceremonies of your temple.



Birthplace _____

Date of Birth _____

Were you ever in DeMolay? Yes No

If so, name of chapter and location _____

Occupation _____

Have you previously applied for admission to any
 temple of the Order? Yes No

If so, what location? _____

When? _____

Residence _____
 (Street Address)

(City) _____ (Zip) _____ (County) _____

Lady's Name _____

E-mail _____

Home Phone () _____

Business Phone () _____

Mobile Phone () _____

(Printed name in FULL - initials are not sufficient)

(Signature) _____ (Date) _____

Recommended and vouched for on the Honor of:

(Noble's PRINTED Name) _____ (Member #) _____

(Noble's PRINTED Name) _____ (Member #) _____



**START YOUR ENGINES...
 RAFFLE TICKETS ON SALE NOW!**

What? The 8th annual *Classy Chassis™* Concours d'Elegance
 When? Saturday, June 11th and Sunday, June 12th, 2011
 Where? On the floor of Relia at Stadium in Houston, TX.

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 event with concessions, live music, entertainment and something for everyone.

The *Classy Chassis* Raffle is returning again this year, and we are looking forward to
 having everyone in the Shrine Family participate in buying and selling raffle tickets.

All net proceeds will benefit the *Houston and Galveston Hospitals!*

Raffle Prizes:

- 1st Place: 2011 Mercedes Benz GLK 350 SUV, donated courtesy of Mercedes-Benz of Sugar Land
- 2nd Place: \$2,500 Oil Certificate to Interstate, donated courtesy of Interstate
- 3rd Place: 1st and 2nd Swiss Made 275 Jewel Sports Watch, donated courtesy of Ressa Co., Madison, Italy.

Raffle Tickets will be sold for:
 1 ticket for \$25
 5 tickets for \$100
 30 tickets for \$500
 70 tickets for \$1000



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“Clowning Around”

Next parade July 4th
 More info to come

Hey Nobles if you are interested in joining the
 clowns please come to one of our meeting

The next meeting is June 8th, 2011 at
 6:30 pm in the temple lounge

or send any questions via e-mail to
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Yours in faith
 Matt (Butenz) Salgado
 2011 Clown President
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It is time for many of you to renew your membership as a Shrine News Booster. Any name that has an asterisk by it will be coming up for renewal in the next month or two. If your name has an asterisk by it by mistake, please call the Shrine office and let us know. Your support is greatly appreciated, and has helped tremendously. Please fill out the above form, enclose your check, and mail to El Maida Temple, 6331 Alabama, El Paso, TX 79904.