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## Congratulations New Nobles!

The **Chester H. Pribble Class** was initiated November 8th at the Jaffa Shrine.



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JAFFA SHRINE



**Paul Zell  
Potentate**

## ***Potentate's Message***

ES SELAMU ALEIKUM

To All Nobles, Ladies and the Friends of Jaffa,

Most of the trips that I had planned just didn't work out this year. All from a lack of people interested in each, for that I apologize. The one trip to West Virginia was well liked and everyone enjoyed it thoroughly. I was really looking forward to seeing Baltimore Live and leaving some of my money there. Oh well, I'll spend it somewhere, maybe Lady Judy and I will test it out and there is always Rocky Gap.

The Gun Raffle was a real record breaker and I have to praise Scott Buchanan and Jordan Settle, the chairmen, who work ceaselessly throughout the year to make this fundraiser the biggest and best! I can't forget all of the other Nobles and their Ladies that pitch in and do whatever needs to be done. I THANK YOU, one and all, YOU DO MAKE A DIFFERENCE, for helping to pay the bills of the Jaffa. I hope you enjoyed whatever chore you took upon yourself and each of you deserve a pat on the back. Thank You!

Thanksgiving and the Christmas season are approaching and there is much to do; Shrine Club and Unit Christmas Dinners, wrapping gifts for the Children's Christmas Party and the party itself, Trim a Tree and the Jaffa Church Service. I better not forget the Potentates Appreciation/Roast. I hear some people are loading their guns for this one. I really thought that since I live so far away from the Jaffa there would be little to say about me. It is my wish that all Nobles, their Ladies and families enjoy a safe and happy Holiday Season.

Throughout this year we have faced many trying and serious difficulties! With the support and encouragement of all the Nobles, we have faced them all and Jaffa has come out on top. I thank each and every one for being there for me and the Divan. It made making tough decisions a little easier! It has been my profound pleasure to serve as the Potentate of Jaffa Shrine. THANK YOU for your faith in me and your support for me. I hope you do the same for each of the Divan members as they come up through the line. If you do, Jaffa will always be NUMBER ONE! Remember YOU DO MAKE A DIFFERENCE.

As I close out 2015, Lady Judy and I want to thank you for all the kindnesses and considerations that have been extended to us this past year.

God bless.

Yours in the Faith,

Paul J. Zell, Jr.  
Potentate



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# FROM JAFFA'S UNITS & CLUBS



## LEGION OF HONOR

Our Annual Past Commanders and Ladies Night was a big hit. Thanks to 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant Tom Noland and his committee. It was a job well done. We were fortunate to have the M.A.S.A. Commander Barry Weisser from Rajah Shrine as our guest, along with George Fields, Past M.A.S.A. Commander, Dennis Hagen, Past M.A.S.A. Commander, and Joseph Hagen, Commander and Recorder from Rajah Shrine.

Also, 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant M.A.S.A. Commander Robert McCormick, P.P. and 3<sup>rd</sup> Lieutenant M.A.S.A. Commander Dave Lee from Nur Shrine and M.A.S.A. Legion of Honor Bob Shriner, Past M.A.S.A. Commander and current Adjutant, as well as Past Commanders Gene Zook and Tom Kalinoski from Zem Zem Shrine.

Those of you that did not attend missed out on a great night. There were 10 past Commanders, including John Snyder, Commander in 1968. Commander Earl Aurandt and his officers for 2015 attended with Chief Rabban Ken Costello, who was sitting in for our Potentate, Paul Zell. Assistant Jerry Lower assisted as the emcee for the evening.

Our Chef Walt Kissell and his staff did a very good job serving up a delicious array of hors d'oeuvres topped off with a dinner of Stuffed Fish or Chicken Cordon Bleu with a salad and dessert. After dinner we were entertained by the band "Albatross" with dance music.

At this time I don't have any notice of the Black Camel making a visit to our oasis.

Dues – Dues – Dues –There are several Legion nobles

who have not paid their 2015 Legion dues, including 2 nobles still owing for 2014 and 2015. They will be given a notice of being dropped. Card notices will be mailed out by the first of December for 2016 dues, still \$12.00.

"The happiest people don't necessarily have the best of everything. They just make the best of everything." .....

Unknown

Remember our troops in your daily prayers. Remember nobles, "It's an honor to belong to the Legion of Honor".

Leon Collins, P.C., Reporter



## BAND

happy to see so many lining the streets of Hollidaysburg for this event!

Reporter: Todd Wilkins Sr

A big thank you to all Band and Patrol members that helped make our first annual Oktoberfest a huge success. We are already making plans for next year. Mark your calendars...October 8, 2016!

We had a beautiful day for the Hollidaysburg Halloween parade. We were

Following the parade, the band held a family night in the band room. We had a great turnout with great food and great friends!

Our next family get together will be our Band Family Christmas Party on Saturday, December 5, held at the home of Todd and Diana Wilkins.

Thank you to all band members who participated in the Fall Ceremonial and Kiddies Christmas Party!

Wishing everyone a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from all of us in the Jaffa Shrine Band!



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Well, it has been a busy season for the Lil' Vettes .... about ran the wheels off those cars but they are ow garaged and resting for a while.

We finished up the season with the Halloween parades in Johnstown and Hollidaysburg. There were lots of Jaffa units at Hollidaysburg and it was a wonderful way to wrap up the season. The Johnstown parade is televised and if you check our the Lil' Vettes Facebook page there is a U-tube video of our performance in Johnstown.

Our unit did a raffle at MASA .... a picnic basket with some liquid refreshment inside was a great success. \$500 was made on the raffle and donated to the Philadelphia Shriners Hospital. Thanks to those who did such a fine job selling the tickets....and to winner Alex Muchesko ... who donated the basket back to use again next year (minus the contents)! To be fair he did share the bottles with some members of the unit.

Elections were held and officers for 2016 are President - Charlie Cox, Vice-President - Jim "Spanky" Edwards and Secretary-Treasurer - Fred Goodman.

A new member was acquired at the Fall Ceremonial. We now have a father/son team .... Steve Shuey's dad has joined the ranks of the unit. Always glad to welcome a new member.

Here is hoping that everyone has Merry Christmas and a Happy and Healthy New Year. It has been great working with Potentate Paul Zell and Lady Judy this year. Looking forward to next year with Lil' Vette Ken Costello as Potentate and Lady Delores working by his side.

Hoping to see you down the road,  
Jim "Spanky" Edwards

### HOLLIDAYSBURG PARADE—OCTOBER 31



Left to right: Charlie Cox, Ralph Campbell and Alex Muchesko



Beekeeper "Spanky"



*Happy Hanukkah  
and  
Merry Christmas!!  
from the Divan  
Wishing you a joyous  
holiday season!*





## MOUNTED PATROL

Beck and his family who were there after watching the parade. They joined us for dinner, as did Tyler Burchfield and Matt Miller.

I have mentioned it before and I will probably do it again, but it's just great to see the families with all the children at our events, like dinner after the parade. All the "kids" seemed to have a good time playing together, even the big ones.

Our next social event will be the Christmas Party on Dec. 11 at the U.S. Hotel in Hollidaysburg. If you haven't received your information about the party, please contact secretary Dave Burchfield at 814-329-6458.

The mounties had another successful trail ride, our first at the Shady Trail Riding Club, October 9-11, thanks to our chairman Bob Wagner. Bob had activities for the younger riders on Saturday. We had mounties from Syria Shrine Horse Patrol, as well as friends and relatives and possible future mounties attending.

Bob and Clyde Monahan barbequed some of Fred Imler's chicken halves and everyone enjoyed a great lunch. Hopefully, next year more of our members will be able to participate.

Jaffa Ladies Night was October 17, and the Mounted Patrol made up a lot of the party, and we were the last to leave. Ben Ritchey and Mike Luther were not part of the advertised entertainment, but they danced the night away and helped entertain the guests. Some of us older dudes danced with our own wives enough that Ben Ritchey got to dance with Megan more than once or twice. Yes Ben, you're welcome.

Congratulations to one of our newer Mounted Patrol members, Vince Finocchio, who is the president of the JYN, Jaffa's Young Nobles, which is Jaffa's newest club. The purpose of the JYN Club is to assist new nobles of Jaffa in activities, masonic and shrine education, networking and fellowship. If you missed it, there was a very informative article in October-November issue of the Jaffa Journal. If you missed it, go back and look it up, and if you're a newer shriner, you may want to investigate and join with Vince and the JYN Club.

On October 23 the Mounted Patrol and the Antique Car Club had their annual 300 Club fund raiser at Jaffa. It was well attended and everyone had a good time. We could have had a few more Mounties and ladies in attendance. The 300 Club proceeds help toward the stabling and travel expenses involved with attending the Mid Atlantic Shrine Convention at Virginia Beach in September.

In addition to our meetings and parades and other unit activities, it is also our responsibility to attend the Jaffa business meetings, like the annual election of Jaffa Temple officers on January 9. It is up to all the nobility, especially the unit members, to be there to elect nobles to the divan that will lead us successfully and keep our Temple solvent and viable so it will be there for our children.

I do know that in the past the Mounted Patrol has supplied at least three potentates for Jaffa. Our last Potentate was Fred Imler, and before Fred and I were nobles and mounties, there was Dr. Charles Hendricks of Altoona and Dr. Don Wolford of Johnstown who served Jaffa as Potentate. ( Since Dr. Wolford was no longer riding, I inherited his uniform in 1969. )

Unfortunately, we did not fare well in the parade competition at Virginia Beach. However, we did well otherwise. On Friday, our drill team of Dave Burchfield, Bernie Edmundson, Brad Germaux and Mike Luther placed third. In the Western Pleasure Class individual competition, Brad placed first, Dave took third, Dominic Spinazzola placed fifth and Mike Luther placed seventh. Congratulations, Mounties !!!

For next year we need to evaluate our riding and try to do better. When we put more horses on the street than almost any other two temples together, something is off kilter. Possibly we could get Mountie Bob Taylor, who formerly rode with the Pennsylvania State Police rodeo team and was an active Mounted State Police Officer, to see if he can help us improve our parade skills.

I wish you and your families a Merry Christmas and a Happy, Healthy and Safe New Year. Don't forget to sign up for Jaffa's Christmas Party and the New Year's Eve Party.

Until the next time, sit tall in the saddle and keep a steady hand on the reins.

Ray Nycum, Jr., Reporter







## DRUM & BUGLE CORPS

The Drum & bugle Corp meets Wednesdays at 7:30pm.

The members of the Jaffa Drum & bugle Corp gathered at Marzoni's on Nov 4 for it's annual meeting and election of officers. Officers taking on their new positions for 2016 will be Sam Shimer, Presi-

dent; Ken Conrad, PP, 1st Vice President; Ron Estep, Secretary; John Campbell, Treasurer.

Beginning in 2016, the Corp (for the first part of the year) will meet the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month. Hopefully, our members will make an extra effort to attend these meetings. As we are only coming together two times a month now.

By the time this article arrives at your door, we may be looking at snow and Christmas is just around the corner. Hope everyone had a Happy Thanksgiving and a lot of pumpkin pie. Remember our Road Runner Club has Christmas trees for sale. Monies from these sales help children one way or another when in 2010 the club bought a van for transportation of kids.

Speaking of kids, December 13 is Jaffa's Annual Kiddies Christmas Party. When this party was first started Shriners would buy tickets for underprivileged children in their area. The child was

treated to a nice day at Jaffa which would include a lunch and gift plus a visit with Santa. The old sleigh Santa arrived in was refurbished this year. Many donations of material, money and time from dedicated Shriners made this all possible. There is much work to be done as of this writing. Helpers can check at the office of with the Kiddies Christmas Party Committee. With that I wish everyone a blessed Christmas and Happy New (2016) Year.

Check your Journal for dates and events coming in December and January at Jaffa. Do not forget Jaffa elections on January 9th. Jaffa needs all members to participate and help move our temple in a positive direction.

Today is Veteran's Day, we have the Legion of Honor unit in Jaffa. Thank the men who served our country as well as our own Jaffa members who served. God Bless all those who served this United States during times of war and peace.

Remember: Obstacles are things a person sees when he takes his eyes off his goal.....E Joseph Crossman  
Until next time,

John Campbell, Reporter



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## SOMERSET COUNTY SHRINE CLUB

Reporter: Stan Landis

The Somerset County Shrine Club met Sept. 25th at the Gourmet Buffet in Somerset for the 6:00 P.M. meeting. Pres. Don Gardner and his Lady Joy greeted the members and their Ladies. Pres. Don led with the salute to the flag. Chaplain Tom Brown offered the Invocation. Sec. Stan Landis provides the Sec/Treas. reports.

Our guests were Chief Rabban Ken Costello and his Lady Delores. Chief Rabban Ken said things are starting to work out at Jaffa. Oct. 1st, 2nd and 3rd Chief Rabban Ken and his Lady Delores will go to Tampa, Florida where Ken will attend membership school for a few days. The 50/50 drawing went to Stan Landis which he donated back to the club. Our Christmas Party which will

also be our Ladies Night will be held on Dec. 10th, 2015 at the Berlin Community Building. The cost will be \$10.50 a person. The entertainment will be Don and Galla which are a musical duo at a cost of \$400.00. Paul Keyser made a motion to have them for the entertainment. Bill Hoffman seconded the motion. Oct. 22nd the club will meet at Laurel Mountain Inn Restaurant. Oct. 17th will be Ladies Night at Jaffa. Oct. 24th will be Legion of Honor Ladies Night at Jaffa. Tom Brown told a joke. The Somerset Shrine will not attend the kids Christmas Party this year. Paul made a motion and Ken seconded it to adjourn the meeting. There will be no meeting in November. Chaplain Tom offered the Benediction. Happy Thanksgiving!



## JAFFA BOWLING

This years bowling season took on a new format of head to head competition with a 100% handicap between bowlers.

Denny Etteters is all smiles as his Cycle Corp team has gone from last place to first place in the league. Sounds like an advantage for low average bowlers ?

Well with Doug Hoffman at 208 average and Randy Colyer at 105. In head to head games, Randy gets 104 pins a game giving him a 216- 221-229 on the same night Doug Bowls a 289-257-266 to get him Altoona Bowler of the week honors (Nice Bowling Doug) so as this is only one look at what happens in one on one, does it really matter much?

The key is to bowl your average and the bowler against you not bowl his. Whatever, some bowlers like it, others do

not. We will have a meeting of the board at our Christmas party to get feed back.

Good luck President Leo Matuszewski!

On a sad note we lost one of our bowlers this year with the passing of Cycle Corp bowler Barrie Wyland. Condolences to his family.

As always anyone interested in joining our league, see me or one of our fellow bowlers any Monday evening at Holiday Bowl at 6 PM .

Well the Steelers are coming on, it's time to go. Good luck on the lanes!

Sec/Treasurer Steve Slogik

The first annual Jaffa Shrine Oktoberfest that was held on Saturday, October 10 was a huge success! We had about 300 people in attendance for an evening filled with German festivities with proceeds benefiting Jaffa Shrine Operations, Band and Patrol/Directors Staff.

We opened with a German prayer of thanks followed by some



great German food. The Rhinelanders of Johnstown played from 7PM-10PM. We also had the Almrausch Schuhplattlers perform throughout the evening.

Be sure to mark your calendar for next year's Oktoberfest, scheduled for Saturday, October 8, 2016. We're planning for an even better event that you won't want to miss!







## Dorcas Temple No. 129, Daughters of the Nile

What a privilege to belong to Daughters of the Nile! We are grateful to Shrine International for allowing us to assist with the care of children in the 22 Shrine Hospitals. Our philanthropic purpose is deeply im-

bedded in our history. Lifelong friendships develop within our membership while we work together on our fund raising projects.

This year we've worked together on three major fund raising projects. During the summer, many of our members helped serve food during the 24 Curve Baseball Games we worked. Yes, we worked hard but had fun being together. This has been our project since the first Curve game in Altoona. Next, our members and friends made and sold Hard Candy in many flavors. After making candy for 25 years our fingers still ache and burn after making 480 pounds. Now we prepare to make and sell our delicious chocolate candy for Christmas delivery. These projects provide funds for our donations to help improve the quality of life for the children.

While we take our work very seriously, we still create activities for fun and fellowship. Members belong to a Pageantry Unit within the Temple. These ladies create and perform varied types of entertainment for our sessions. Some performances bring laughs while others are serious. Recently, the Unit performed a beautiful and touching scarf routine to the musical selection, "Raise Me Up". Participation strengthens the bond between members.

Another project, "OPERATION BEAR", provides us an opportunity to demonstrate our love and devotion to the Shrine children going into surgery. Last week we packed a variety of soft cuddly animals to be sent to distract the children while wait-

ing to go into surgery at both Erie Ambulatory Center and Philadelphia Shrine Hospital. Nurses expressed their thanks for our project because the children remain calm and the parents can relax.

Our hard working and enthusiastic ladies pledge to assist in the world's greatest philanthropy: Shriners Hospital for Children. We join with all who care about the future - our children. *It is a privilege to belong to Daughters of the Nile.*

### Daughters of the Nile Operation Bear Update

#### September Donations

Dorcas Temple #129 (20)

#### October Donations

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**FEB 25-28, 2016**

**Upcoming Committee Meetings:  
December 2, January 6, February 3**

**7:00pm in the 22nd Street Lounge  
Plan on attending!!**

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The Jaffa Shrine proposed budget for 2016 is available in the Recorder's Office for membership review. Budget approval will be at the business meeting on January 9, 2016.



# Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America Jobel Court #11

Submitted by Lady Diana Wilkins, Princess



The fall of 2015 was no different than other years for the ladies of Jobel Court. It's our busiest time of year with basket bingo and peanut brittle. In September, we also welcomed Grand High Priestess, Lady Joy Moore to our court. We held a soup and salad dinner followed by a great meeting. Grand Lady Joy had a lot of great things to say about the ladies of Jobel Court and all that we have accomplished. She encouraged us to keep doing

what we're doing and not be afraid of change. Our Court presented Grand Lady Joy with an honorary membership to Jobel Court, a contribution toward her special project and one of our hand made Raggedy Ann Dolls.

On October 11, we held our annual Longaberger and 31 Basket Bingo. This is our largest fundraiser of the year and thanks to so many people, it was a huge success! We have to thank our sponsors and members that contributed money and items for our baskets. In addition to 15 games of bingo, we had 5 special games, raffle baskets, 50/50, tear off games and other raffles. Our total raised this year was **\$14,349.63!!** Definitely a successful event... and all for the kids at Shriners Hospitals for Children!! **It's All About the Kids!!**

Be sure to check our website for more photo of this event.  
[www.losnajibobeltcourt.com](http://www.losnajibobeltcourt.com)



Congratulations to Angela Haigh. Angela was the winner of the Canada and New England Cruise that was drawn on Sunday at our basket bingo! Enjoy your trip Angela!!



While last minute preparations were happening for the basket bingo, the ladies of Jobel Court also started making peanut brittle. On Mondays and Tuesdays (and one Saturday) throughout October, the ladies cooked and stirred and produced some very tasty peanut brittle.



We are looking forward to seeing our Court continue to grow. We have several new members joining Jobel Court #11 soon. It's so exciting to see so many great additions to our Court!

**Membership is our future!** Not a member of Jobel Court?

We'd love for you to join us. We will be happy to answer your questions and get you a petition for membership. We hope you'll join us and helps us



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1 Benelli Super Vinci 3 1/2" B/Syn 12ga or \$1,200	11597	Cortez L Peters	Ervin Henschez
2 Henry LA 30-30 or \$450	12391	Steve Hoover	Steven Hoover
3 Remington Versa Max Sport B/Syn 12ga or \$650	08682	WP Ferry	Same
4 Thompson Center Pro Hunter FX .50 cal or \$450	02023	Heather Hunt	Lawrence Acker
5 Henry LA Golden Boy 22LR or \$350	18368	Ricky Coval	Shawn Moyer
6 Remington Model 7 B/Syn. Std. Cal. Or \$450	29022	James W Ferguson	Stan Lands
7 Ruger M-77 Std. Cal. Or \$500	25150	Bob Fantaske	John Tarbay
8 Stevens 555 O/U 12ga or \$400	01112	Edward Peterson	Bonus
9 Remington 7600 Syn. Std. Cal. Or \$425	08437	Orville Beck	Denny Etters
10 Henry Big Boy .357 or .44 or \$525	07334	Paul B Miller Jr	David Deist
11 Benelli Nova 12ga 3 1/2 B/Syn or \$350	17795	Mike Howsare	Steven Miller
12 Weatherby Vanguard Syn, Series II Any Cal. or \$400	02454	Roger Cole	Stuart Auber
13 Remington 700 SPS B/Syn. Any Cal. Or \$450	26260	Tina Washabaugh	David Washabaugh
14 Mossberg Silver Reserve II O/U Any Gauge or \$475	08553	Dan Grum	P Frederick
15 Remington 11-87 Sport 3" Syn 12ga or \$475	22576	Rob Walk	Scott Buchanan
16 Stevens 555 O/U 12ga or \$400	25496	C. Brad Sell	Joel Treese
17 Henry LA 30-30 or \$450	29386	Justin Rydbom	Ron Lysinger
18 Remington Versa Max Sport B/Syn 12ga or \$650	21717	Roger Howell	John Ruffaner
19 Thompson Center Pro Hunter FX .50 cal or \$450	22065	Josh Strible	Scott Sayers
20 Benelli Nova 12ga 3 1/2 B/Syn or \$350	18574	Allen W. Butterbaugh	Martin Garrett
21 Remington 11-87 Sport 3" Syn 12ga or \$475	25042	Alfred "Bud" Swatsworth	same
22 Ruger M-77 Std. Cal. Or \$500	12435	Randy Shields	Lorn Horner
23 Henry LA Golden Boy 22LR or \$350	20144	Charles Porter, JR	Chuck Porter
24 Remington Model 7 B/Syn. Std. Cal. Or \$450	10962	Pete Lynch	Donn Hann
25 Henry Big Boy .357 or .44 or \$525	22173	Rich Gambler	Henry Schnarrs III
26 Weatherby Vanguard Syn, Series II Any Cal. Or \$400	07506	William R Hoffman	Wiliam Hoffman
27 Remington 7600 Syn. Std. Cal. Or \$425	07914	Raymond McGonigal	William Dudish
28 Remington 700 SPS B/Syn. Any Cal. Or \$450	00216	Chris Colebaugh	Jerry Graham
29 Mossberg Silver Reserve II O/U Any Gauge or \$475	02882	Robert Brinker	John Barron
30 Henry LA Golden Boy 22LR or \$350	27108	Ron Cramer	William Williams
31 Benelli Nova 12ga 3 1/2 B/Syn or \$350	14255	Gordon Stuby	George Kriner
32 Benelli Super Vinci 3 1/2" Blue/Syn 12ga or \$1,200	11418	Brad Robbins	BONUS
33 Henry LA 30-30 or \$450	11101	Bob Harrity	Stan Landis
34 Stevens 555 O/U 12ga or \$400	05753	tom Smith	Tom Smith
35 Thompson Center Pro Hunter FX .50 cal or \$450	28388	Kara Ickes	Allen Keith
36 Remington Versa Max Sport B/Syn 12ga or \$650	07026	Tobiah Schilling	M. David
37 Remington Model 7 B/Syn. Std. Cal. Or \$450	28213	Allen Rhine	Dave Zeek
38 Henry Big Boy .357 or .44 or \$525	17286	Allen Brant	William Michaels Jr.
39 Ruger M-77 Std. Cal. Or \$500	21828	John Russell	JH Russell
40 Remington 7600 Syn. Std. Cal. Or \$425	24001	Todd Sissby	Todd Sissby
41 Weatherby Vanguard Syn, Series II Any Cal. Or \$400	02586	Richard Cooper R	BONUS
42 Mossberg Silver Reserve II O/U Any Gauge or \$475	23020	Sally A. Shingler	F. Thomas Shingler
43 Benelli Nova 12ga 3 1/2 B/Syn or \$350	11249	Robert W Walter	BONUS
44 Remington 11-87 Sport 3" Syn 12ga or \$475	03060	BJ Hench	J Beauchamp
45 Remington 700 SPS B/Syn. Any Cal. Or \$450	03917	Megan Albright	Zach Albright
46 Ruger M-77 Std. Cal. Or \$500	04656	Brian Bulger	Brian Bulger
47 Henry LA Golden Boy 22LR or \$350	20730	Kathleen Paul	Carl Reese
48 Mossberg Silver Reserve II O/U Any Gauge or \$475	03550	Paula Binus	Dave Binus
49 Remington 11-87 Sport 3" Syn 12ga or \$475	15030	Dan Decker	Denny Lezzer
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63 Remington 700 SPS B/Syn. Any Cal. Or \$450	29324	Ralph Dahler	Dustin Leach
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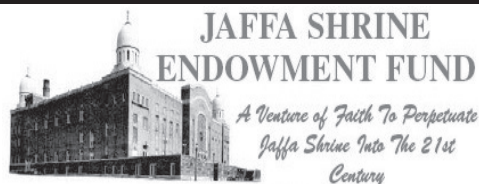
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"Death is a black camel that kneels unbidden at every gate."

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See page 35 for a Contribution form*



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### IMPORTANT PLANNING DATES:

#### January 9

Circus Advertising Packets for Units & Clubs  
available at Jaffa Election (see Leon Collins)

#### January 10

School/Group Reservation forms mailed

#### January 19 (includes light dinner)

Circus meeting at the Banquet Hall

#### Early March

Circus ticket mailing to Nobles

#### March 14 (PM session) & 17 (AM session)

Training sessions for all ticket sellers

#### March 25 & 26

Ticket office open to Nobles

#### March 28

Circus tickets go on sale ONLINE only

#### April 4

Ticket office open to General Public

Please contact Circus Administrator, George Wagner  
at 943-8880, for more information.

*All dates subject to change*

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## November 8, 2015



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See ticket details on the back page.



Celebrate Valentine's Day at Jaffa  
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featuring 2 magicians performing throughout the evening at individual tables and on stage.

***SAVE THE DATE - Make plans NOW to attend!***  
**ONLY \$30 per person**

Tickets will be available beginning January 4 with Nobles receiving a \$5 discount per person for Noble & his guest **ONLY** through January 29.  
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## What's New in Erie!

### Erie Ambulatory Surgery Center and Outpatient Specialty Care Center

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An Update for our Temple Affiliates

### Thank You from Emily Mellish

Emily Mellish wrote a beautiful thank you note to the employees and board members of Shriners Hospitals for Children-Erie. Emily read her letter out loud at a Board of Governors meeting. The emotions generated by her reading were felt throughout the meeting room. Each member in attendance was truly touched by her words.

"Thank you Shriners for all your help. All the other doctors said 'no I can't fix your leg.' They wanted to take my leg away. But not Shriners. They took my leg seriously. You made my leg so I can run and play with the other kids. Thanks to Shriners. It is going to take a year for my leg to get longer but it is worth it. Do you know I will have this longer leg for the rest of my life. So really a year is not really that long. You have inspired me to never give up on myself. When I grow up I want to work just as hard as you do to make people smile. I learned it takes rain to make a rainbow thanks for giving me my rainbow.

Love, Emily Mellish"

### Aladdin Shriners Make Large Donation to Erie

At the October 21 Board of Governors meeting at Shriners Hospitals for Children-Erie, the Aladdin Shriners of Columbus, OH, presented the Erie medical center with two donation checks totaling \$138,054.35.

The presentation was made by Tom



McNeil, Associate Member of the Board of Governors at Shriners Hospitals for Children-Erie, and Bob Stevenson, Secretary of the Board of Governors, both members of Aladdin Shriners.

On behalf of Shriners Hospitals for Children-Erie, thank you Aladdin Shriners!

### Bikers Bring Bank

The Lake Erie Freedom Chapter of the Victory Motorcycle Club presented a check, on Wednesday, October 21, in the amount of \$12,629.49 to Shriners Hospitals for Children-Erie.

The club raised the money at two wonderful events, the Ride for the Kids poker run and Concert for the Kids after party. Thank you Victory Motorcycle Club and Off Road Express Erie!



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## JAFFA ROADRUNNERS LOG MILES OF LOVE

Every week our two Jaffa hospital vans and the Indiana County Shrine Club van log hundreds of miles traveling to Erie, Philadelphia and Cincinnati Shriners

hospitals. Each trip requires two roadrunners to make the trip. Many miles and a lot of "noble" man hours go into our labor of love.

Some trips begin and end at Jaffa. Many start at the home of the patient. Usually just one parent makes the trip with the child. Several roadrunners have been known to make a trial run to the home of a patient a few days before if they are not familiar with the location. Finding a rural home in the hills of Central Pennsylvania isn't always the easiest thing to do in the pre-dawn hours. And arriving back home in time for dinner with your family may not always happen. But it's all worth while when you see how much the patients are progressing from visit to visit.

I have made trips with numerous nobles, all of them great volunteers. But recently we have lost two hard working roadrunners. I didn't start my road running career until my retirement a couple years ago. One of the first nobles I traveled with was Paul Hoover, who recently passed away. One of the trips in the not too distant past was with Barrie Wyland who died recently as the result of a farming accident. Two great nobles gone from our group.

Some of our group have been at it for a long time and logged thousands of miles, and now find the need to slow down. We are looking for some new recruits. We do meet as a group several times a year to discuss the "business" of our organization. We meet at Jaffa usually on a Saturday morning and after the informational meeting and discussions, we have lunch. And to show our ladies how much we appreciate their support of our efforts, we have a ladies night.

Up through the middle of September we have made 44 trips to Philadelphia, 46 trips to Erie and 4 trips to Cincinnati, logging approximately 33,000 miles. We do need some help.

If you are in good health and enjoy driving and seeing the beauty of our commonwealth, you may want to consider becoming a roadrunner. Contact Terri in the Jaffa office at 814-944-4043 or our Roadrunner coordinator, Past Potentate Vernon Carey at [vacarey@verizon.net](mailto:vacarey@verizon.net) and get on the road to helping our patients get better to live a more fulfilling life.

Your lunch is provided by the hospital, and if necessary the Roadrunners will pay for your dinner if the trip is longer than expected. And if you go to Philadelphia with "Bud", you may walk a block or two to find a Philadelphia cheese steak sandwich for lunch.

One last minute plug - we do have an annual fund raiser. We sell Christmas trees at the Jaffa garage, beginning right after Thanksgiving. Stop by and select your favorite evergreen, grown locally, and we get several deliveries so they are always fresh cut. And the prices are right. Open daily, usually from noon until 8 pm. Stop by and see for yourself and support a great cause - transporting our patients to our Shriners Hospitals.

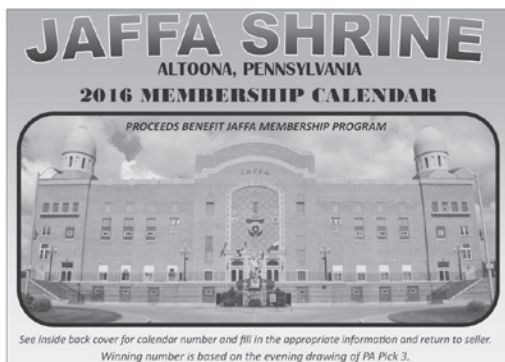
Submitted by Ray Nycum, Jr.  
*Proud to be a Roadrunner*

***Thank you, Roadrunners, for all you do!***

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# OFFICIAL NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING SATURDAY, JANUARY 9, 2016 at 1:00 PM

## ELECTION OF SHRINE OFFICERS INSTALLATION OF SHRINE, UNIT, & SHRINE CLUB OFFICERS JAFFA SHRINE

The Annual Session of Jaffa Shrine will be held Saturday, January 9, 2016 in the Jaffa Shrine, Altoona, PA for the annual election and installation of officers and representatives to the Imperial Council and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Temple.

ATTEST:

  
*Danne Kindle, Recorder*

***Present your 2016 Dues Card!!***

### **PROGRAM**

Business Meeting.....1:00PM

Election.....2:00PM

Temple, Unit, and Shrine Club Officers

***Installation with Traditional Feast to follow***



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**Imperial Council Bylaws require that the following extract from Article 25 be published in the notice sent to the membership.**

The first seven officers of the temple are the Potentate, Chief Rabban, Assistant Rabban, High Priest and Prophet, Oriental Guide, Treasurer and Recorder.

325.2 (a) The first seven officers shall be elected annually by ballot and constitute the Official Divan.

325.4 Each Temple must elect its Officers and Representatives at its annual meeting in January.

325.5 Election of officers shall be by separate written ballot and by a majority vote of those present and voting. A blanket ballot is prohibited.

325.6 Balloting must commence no later than 9:00 PM and when that hour arrives all other business must cease and none may be transacted until the election is concluded.

325.8 Candidates for Officers and Representatives must be placed in nomination from the floor. Nominating committees are prohibited.

325.10 (a) When a temple elects more than one Representative, all candidates must be balloted for on one written ballot.

(b) Each member voting must vote only for the total number of Representatives to be elected, otherwise his ballot cannot be counted as a vote.

(c) A majority vote of those present and voting is necessary to elect each Representative.

(d) Only those candidates who receive a majority vote shall be declared elected.

(e) Successive written ballots must then be taken in the same manner on other candidates until all Representatives are elected.

(f) If more candidates receive a majority vote than the number of Representatives to be elected, then those receiving the greatest number of votes shall be declared elected.

(g) Blank ballots are not counted.

325.11 (a) The printing, publication, circulation or distribution of resolutions, letters, telegrams, tickets or other devices, by a Noble, suggesting, recommending, opposing or containing the names of proposed candidates for office in the Temple is prohibited.

(b) For any violation of (a), the Imperial Potentate may suspend any offending Noble, and he may declare the election of the officers void and order a new election.

(c) At least one week prior to the annual meeting or any election the Temple Recorder shall mail to each member a notice thereof containing this section.

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May 15	Seattle		4:00 PM
May 16		at Sea	
May 17	Ketchikan	6:30 AM	3:00 PM
May 18	Cruising Tracy Arm Fjord		
May 18	Juneau	12:30 PM	10:00 PM
May 19	Skagway	6:00 AM	5:00 PM
May 20		at Sea	
May 21	Victoria, B.C.	7:00 PM	11:59 PM
May 22	Seattle	7:00 AM	

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Shriners Hospitals for Children® joined a collaborative team of 40 medical experts from Philadelphia, PA to perform the world's first bilateral hand transplant on a child. Earlier this month, surgeons successfully transplanted donor hands and forearms onto 8-year-old Zion Harvey, who at the age of 2 underwent amputation of his hands and feet following a serious infection.

Chief of Staff, Scott Kozin, M.D. and Dan Zlotolow, M.D from Shriners Hospitals for Children — Philadelphia initially evaluated Zion as a possible recipient of the first pediatric hand transplant. Zion, who had previously received a kidney transplant from his mother, was already taking anti-rejection drugs, which made him a strong candidate for this procedure.

"This historic case demonstrates our commitment to innovative pediatric care that truly transforms the life of a child," said Jerry Gantt, Chairman of the Board of Directors for Shriners Hospitals for Children. "Our mission is to help children achieve their dreams. Giving Zion the opportunity to one day climb monkey bars and throw a football is just another way we send Love to the rescue®."

To perform this complex procedure, Shriners Hospitals for Children partnered with Children's Hospital of Pennsylvania, Penn Medicine and Gift of Life. Drs. Kozin and Zlotolow formed part of a 40-person team during the nearly 11-hour procedure to attach donor hands and forearms to Zion. Four teams of doctors worked to secure first the bones, then the arteries and veins, muscles, tendons and nerves.

"The collaboration between these institutions was necessary to assemble the team and organize the players to orchestrate such a complex and demanding procedure that had never been performed on a child," stated Scott H. Kozin, M.D., chief of staff for Shriners Hospitals for Children — Philadelphia.

Doctors expect Zion to gain full use of his new hands and achieve his dream to throw a football and climb on monkey bars.

To watch Zion's amazing story, go to: search "First Bilateral Hand Transplant in a Child: Zion's Story" on YouTube ([https://www.youtube.com/watch?feature=player\\_embedded&v=pFyP\\_R6wPr8](https://www.youtube.com/watch?feature=player_embedded&v=pFyP_R6wPr8))

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JAFFA SHRINE'S

# NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY!



**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31st**

**DOORS OPEN AT 8:30 PM**

**Countdown Ball Drops at Midnight  
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## Jaffa Shrine

### Petition for Initiation and Membership

**\$100 Fee includes Fez**

#### Candidate Information:

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Profession or Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

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Birthplace: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Were you ever a DeMolay?: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you previously applied for admission to any  
Shrine of the Order? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, what Shrine center and when? \_\_\_\_\_

To the Potentate, Officers and Nobles of Jaffa Shrine situated in the Oasis of Altoona, Desert of Pennsylvania, I have resided at my current address for not less than 6 months, as required by the Bylaws of The Imperial Council. I also hereby declare that I am a member in good standing as a Master Mason as follows:

#### MASTER MASON:

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Valley of: \_\_\_\_\_ Located at: \_\_\_\_\_

If I be found worthy, am my request granted, I promise to conform to the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of The Imperial Council and the Bylaws and Ceremonies of your Shrine center.

Candidate's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Recommended and Vouched for on the honor of:

1st Line Signer: \_\_\_\_\_

Shrine #: \_\_\_\_\_

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# JAFFA SHRINE Calendar of Events



**Calendar Codes for Events & Rentals** Please note: all dates/events are subject to change

A—Auditorium S—Star Room BH—Banquet Hall C—Consistory Room W—Whole Building E—East Lounge  
F—Fez Room P—Parking Lot BR—Blair Room M—Meeting L—22nd Street Lounge

DECEMBER 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 Chanters Christ- mas Party—BR	3 DOTN—SR	4 Antique Car Club—BR BTWrestling—A	5 Nittany Cheer— A
6 Nittany Cheer— A	7	8 UNIT HEAD REORG MTG— BH	9	10 Jobel—SR	11	12 Motor Corps Christmas—BR Winter Warmth—A
13 Jaffa Kiddies Christmas Party	14	15 BANJOS—SR	16	17	18	19 
20	21	22 RC Blood Drive—A	23	24 Recorder's Office closed at Noon <i>Merry Christmas</i>	25  Office CLOSED	26 Wedding Recp— BH
27	28 Blair Health Choice—BH	29 	30	NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY Recorder's Office closed at noon	See page 34 for New Year's Eve info	
AASD-Jaffa Shrine Holiday Girls & Boys Basketball Tournament—AAHS Fieldhouse						

JANUARY 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	Don't Miss RIVER CITY BRASS on Dec 19th! Tickets ONLY \$19.95 Online at <a href="http://www.jaffashrine.org">www.jaffashrine.org</a> or at the Recorder's Office or call 814-944-5351					2
3	4 FEB/MAR Journal deadline	5	6 DOTN rehears- al—SR	7 DOTN—SR	8	9 Jaffa Election Ladies Lunch- eon at THE DREAM
10	11	12 Unit Head meet- ing—L	13	14 Jobel—SR	15	16
17	18	19 BANJOS—SR CIRCUS MEETING	20	21	22	23
24 / 31	25	26 RC Blood Drive—BH	27	28	29	30 The Q 350 Club—BH



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4 DOTN—SR	5	6 Aides Planning meeting—BH
7	8	9	10	11 Jobel—SR	12	13 MAGIC OF LOVE—BH See p. 23 for info
14	15 BANJOS—SR	16	17	18	19	20 TASTE OF THE ALLEGHENIES
21 The Q Chicken BBQ (garage)	22	23	24	25	26	27
SPORTS SHOW SETUP				SPORTS SHOW		
28	29					
HOME SHOW SETUP				PEPI classes are every Monday, Wednesday & Friday mornings in the Banquet Hall from 8:30am to 9:30am. Join us!!		

**DEADLINE FOR NEXT  
ISSUE: JAN 4, 2016**

### 2015 IMPORTANT DATES

December 13—Kiddies Christmas Party  
December 31—New Year's Eve Party

### 2016 IMPORTANT DATES

January 9—Jaffa Election / Ladies Luncheon  
January 19—Circus Meeting  
February 6—Aides Meeting  
February 13—Magic of Love Dinner & Show  
February 25-28—Jaffa Sports Show  
March 19—Stage Fundraiser  
March 25/26—Ticket office open to Nobles  
April 2—Potentate's Reception  
April 14-20—77th Annual Jaffa Shrine Circus  
April 29/30—Jaffa Business Meeting/Ceremonial  
May 2-6—**LAKE TAHOE TRIP** see page 19 for details

### **PLEASE NOTE DATE CHANGE:**

A SPECIAL INVITATION TO ALL LADIES OF  
THE JAFFA SHRINE:

*Please join Lady Delores Costello and the Ladies of  
the Divan for an*

### ELECTION DAY LUNCHEON

at THE DREAM  
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Name \_\_\_\_\_ # \_\_\_\_\_



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