

# ISIS SHRINE NEWS



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January 2024

## *POTENTATES MESSAGE:*

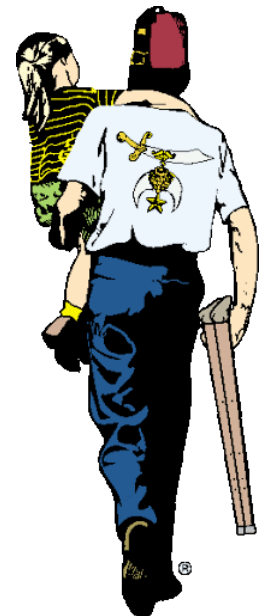
Lady Jody, Miss Joselyn and I hope everyone is doing well.

It's hard to believe that the end of 2023 is almost here. We were honored to serve, and couldn't be prouder of our Nobles and Ladies. Working together, we accomplished a lot in 2023. From bringing the circus back, to starting a new Potentates fundraiser, and moving meetings across the territory. We have some great things happening in the East with members of various clubs coming together to form a traveling Shrine Club, Carnac's Caravan. As well as keeping established events in place, such as the Ceremonial, a lot of parading, the Sportsmans Event and Feztival of Trees.

We had a great time with our Shriners Family at the Christmas party. As our time on the Divan comes to a close, we want to thank everyone for the kind words, love and support. Isis Shrine has an excellent leadership team assembled for 2024 and we are excited for the upcoming year. After January 6th, we will be focusing our time on Joselyn and the rest of her senior year. But we guarantee you will still see us at events when the schedule allows. We wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. May God Bless you all!

Together let's continue to make Shriners "The Greatest Philanthropy in the World."

Fraternally,  
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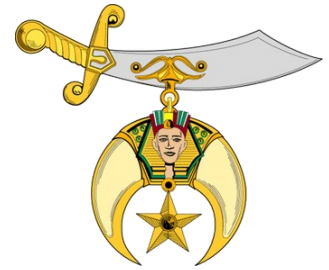
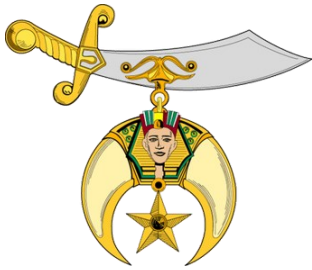
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# 2024 Isis Shrine Divan



## Illustrious Sir Neal Gamble and Lady Karen



Chief Rabban  
Carey Wilken (Juanita)



Assistant Rabban  
Greg King (Shannon)



High Priest & Prophet  
Philip Rowe (Jennel)



Oriental Guide  
Hunter McMillen (Loretta)



Treasurer  
Gary Kay



Recorder  
Casey Flinn

## MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF RABBAN

Greetings fellow Nobles and Ladies,

Once again it is that time of year when we give thanks and praise to our creator, celebrate the birth of our savior and spend much needed time with our family and friends. A time to bury the hatchet, that separates us and rekindles old friendships and creates new ones.

Remember that as Masons we should live by the Trowel:

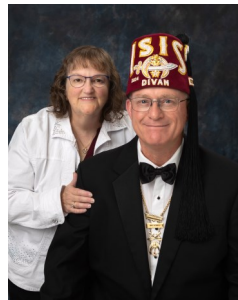
“We should spread the cement of Brotherly Love and Affection; that cement which unites us into one sacred band, or society of friends and Brothers, among whom no contention should ever exist, but that noble contention, or rather emulation, of who best can work, or best agree.”

Let us put our differences aside and stop living in the past. We should not forget our past but learn from it. We need to start the new year looking to the future with continued growth and having fun helping children.

The Isis Shrine circus is fast approaching, the excitement is growing with news of more schools being sponsored by their Masonic Lodges with matching funds and great support of the Shrine clubs. We still need help raising funds for classrooms. Colby Shriner Lou Hines has very generously donated money to send the 4<sup>th</sup> grade class at Fort Riley tickets to the circus. He has issued a challenge to others to help with our project to get circus tickets in the hands of the children of the men and women that serve and protect our great country. If you would like to help with this project please contact our recorder Casey Flinn or any Divan member.

It is a great honor to be elected to serve the nobility as Potentate for 2024. With Lady Karen by my side, we are looking forward to serving the nobility. Illustrious Sir Trent and Lady Jody have done a great job, as we say putting the train back on the tracks. It has not been an easy task at times, but well done. Now that we are back on track help us move forward by joining us on all the fun and fellowship we have planned for our year, we are excited to get the year started.

With best wishes for a Safe and Happy Holidays!  
Chief Rabban Neal Gamble and Lady Karen



## MESSAGE FROM THE HIGH PRIEST AND PROPHET

Greetings All,

I want to thank all of the Nobility who voted for me to serve next year as the Assistant Raban.. I have enjoyed these past two years on the line and have definitely learned a lot. I will continue my journey on the Divan by pushing for growth in membership and more Nobility participation. I view my position on the Divan as an honor and more importantly a responsibility. My fellow Divan members and I are committed to making Isis Shrine the best Temple we can so we can support as many kids as possible. Let's all enjoy the fun and fellowship this coming year!

Happy Holidays!!  
Greg & Shannon King



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## MESSAGE FROM THE ORIENTAL GUIDE

We are extremely honored to have been elected to serve as Oriental Guide for 2023. The year has gone by quickly as we look towards 2024 and continue to serve the needs of the Temple, patients, and our Nobles and families.

2024 has many opportunities to support our mission to help children and bring awareness to our communities of what we, as Masons and Shriners do for them.

I personally want to thank everyone who took the time to share their knowlegde and wisdom.

Thank you,  
Philip and Jennel



# RECORDER'S CORNER

Nobles and Lady's,

Another year has passed, and I have never been prouder to be a Shriner than I am today. The positive impact we have on children and their families is remarkable. Our Nobles and Ladies have become more active throughout our jurisdiction, ensuring that the communities know that the Isis Shrine is still here for them. I want to thank Ill Sir Trent McCain and his Lady Jody for their leadership through 2023, and I wish them the best of luck with all their endeavors in the future.

There are still over 200 Nobles who need to pay their dues for 2024. If you are one of them, please pay your dues at your earliest convenience. There will be many fantastic events taking place throughout 2024. All Nobles will receive a letter describing these events. Please come out and participate actively in these events and maybe even make some new friends.

Congratulations to the elected 2024 Divan members. This organization is in good hands not just for 2024 but for the next many years. Support your leadership as you can, and work to keep this superb fraternity a viable part of central and western Kansas.

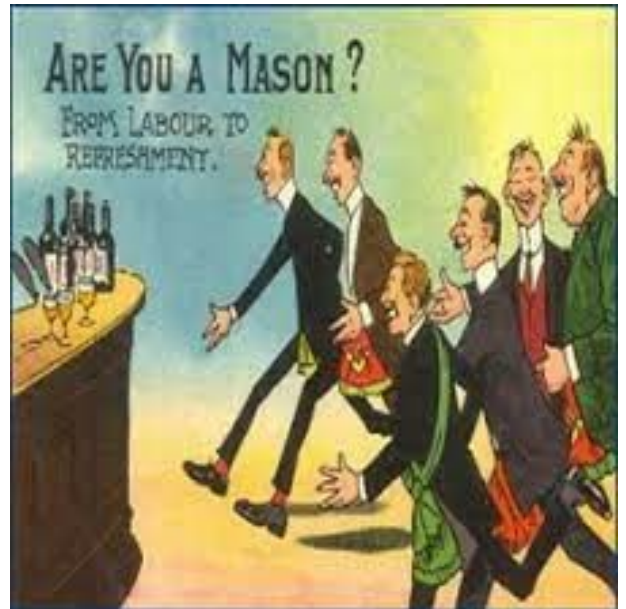
Again, thank you for all you do. If you need anything, do not hesitate to contact me, and I will do my best to help you. As always, I remain

Fraternally Yours,

Casey Flinn  
Recorder



"You know, the new line of officers isn't half bad."  
"Nope, they're ALL bad!"



## Happy New Year to all!! MAKING EACH DAY COUNT

In the hustle and bustle of life, it is crucial to pause and consider the choices we make each day.

***So teach us to number our days, That we may gain a heart of wisdom.*** Psalm 90:12

Life often moves so fast, and in the middle of our daily routines, it is easy to lose sight of how precious each moment actually is. Our days are limited, and we should use them wisely. We use our time wisely when we share the Gospel, pray for others, foster relationships, express love, and pursue meaningful goals.

**whereas you do not know what will happen tomorrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapor that appears for a little time and then vanishes away. James 4:14**

When we get caught up in things that do not contribute to our growth or the well-being of others, we are not spending our time wisely. Pursuing a heart of wisdom involves making choices that align our values with the principles found in the Word of God. It is about living purposefully and intentionally, recognizing the significance of our actions.

***But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you. Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about its own things. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble.*** Matthew 6:33-34

Take a moment to reflect on your priorities and make choices that honor God and contribute to the well-being of yourself and those around you. Live each day with purpose, gratitude, and a heart of wisdom, making the most of the time you have been given.

**Heavenly Father, I thank You for the gift of life. I ask Your Holy Spirit to give me the wisdom I need to live each day to the glory of You. Please make me aware of any actions that are not in line with You. Thank You, Father. I pray in the name of Jesus. Amen.**

Cameron Davis  
Chaplain



# **2024 Isis Shrine Annual Meeting and Installation of Divan**

**January 6, 2024**

**Courtyard by Marriott**

**3020 Riffel Drive**

**Salina, KS**

**Annual Meeting-4:00 PM**

**Dinner-6:00 PM**

**Chicken Fried Steak/Chicken Buffet**

**\$30 per person-RSVP by December 26, 2023**

**Installation-Following Dinner**



# **WESTERN KANSAS SHRINE CLUBS MEETING**

**January 27, 2024**

**Meadow Lake Golf Course  
1085 E Golf Clb Dr, Colby, KS**

**6:00 PM**

**RSVP by January 8, 2024**







# **Valentine's Day Dinner**

**February 9, 2024**

**Thirsty's**

**2704 Vine Street**

**Hays, KS**

**6:30 PM**



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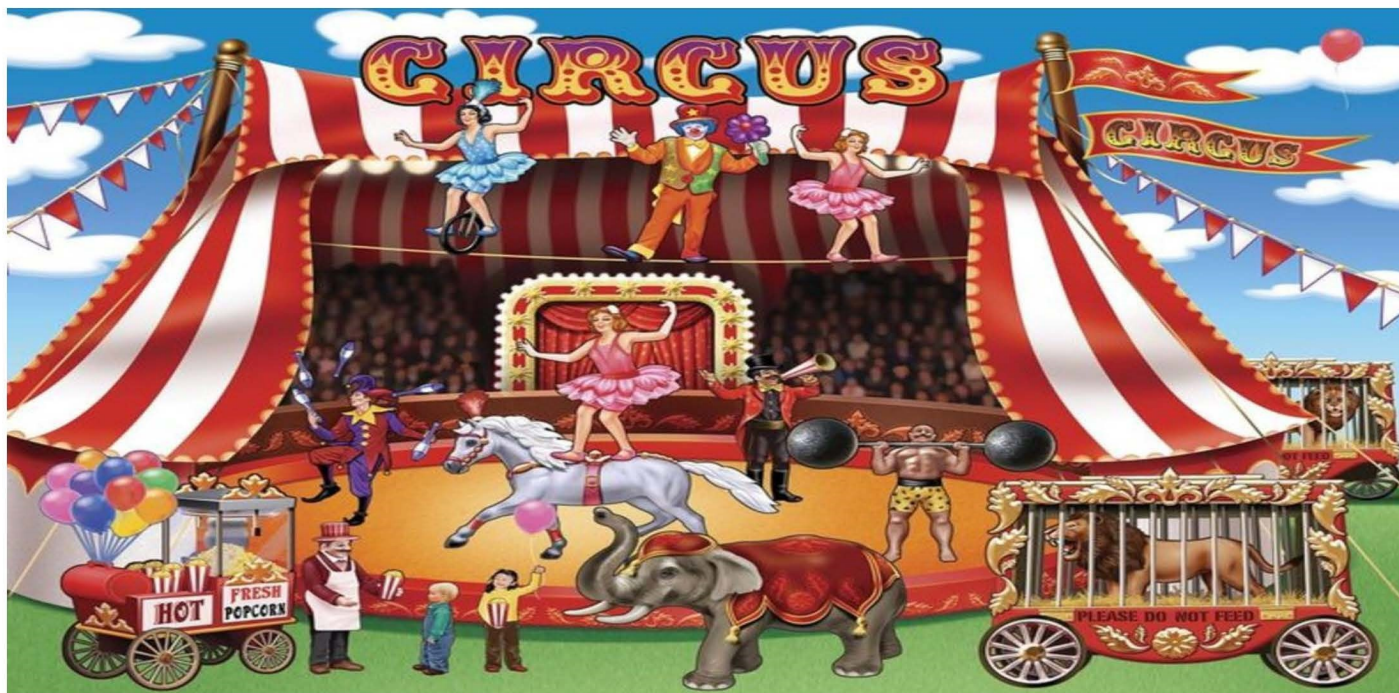
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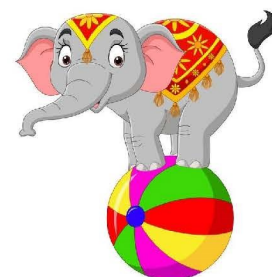
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# 2024 Isis Shrine Circus



**Tony's Pizza Events Center**

**Salina, KS**



**February 16-2:00 PM and 7:00 PM**

**February 17-10:00 AM, 2:00 PM, and 7:00 PM**

**February 18-2:00 PM**

Circus Letters and packets with all the information has been mailed to all Nobles. We hope that you are able to help support this wonderful event, and help to make fantastic memories for kids of all ages. A block of hotel rooms have been reserved at the Hilton Garden Inn, 3320 S 9th St, Salina, KS. The rate is \$129 per night. You can call the hotel at 785-309-0440, or if booking online us the code 90H for the special rate. The special rate expires 1/15/2024.

# 2024 Isis Shrine Circus Nobility Ticket Order Form

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

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

City, State and Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Club or Unit: \_\_\_\_\_



Nobility Ticket Package-\$95.00 per package x \_\_\_\_\_ Packages=

\*Each Package Consists of 6 Kid and 4 Adult Tickets (\$108 Value)

Classroom Package-\$155.00 per package x \_\_\_\_\_ Packages=

\*Each Package Consists of 20 Kid and 5 Adult Tickets (\$235 Value)

Additional Individual Kid Ticket-\$8.00 per ticket x \_\_\_\_\_ Tickets =

Additional Individual Adult Ticket-\$15.00 per ticket x \_\_\_\_\_ Tickets =

Hotdog Lunch For Kids-\$2.00 per person x \_\_\_\_\_ Kids =

Recognize The Above Listed People In The Circus Program (\$25.00)=



Please Accept This Donation Toward the Circus=

Total From All Above=

**MARK WHICH APPLIES:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ I will pick up my tickets at the Temple office
- \_\_\_\_\_ Please mail my tickets to the above address
- \_\_\_\_\_ Keep my tickets and donate at the Divan's discretion

**\*Make checks payable to Isis Shrine.**

**\*All payments are final, no refunds will be granted. Ticket sales through the office end 1/26/2024.**

**\*All proceeds benefit the Isis Shrine and are not tax deductible as a charitable donation.**



# Isis Shrine Circus Advertisement Form

P.O. Box 2778, Salina, KS 67402-2778

Office Phone: 785-825-0206

Show Dates-February 16-18, 2024



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

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

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle Advertisement Size:    Full Page    \$200  
   1/2 Page    \$150  
   1/4 Page    \$125  
   1/8 Page    \$75  
   Single Line \$35

Please accept this donation of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to help the Isis Shrine Circus be a success!!! Below are the donation levels and what is included with each level. All levels will be recognized in the coloring book.

\$0-\$100-Bronze Level Donor

\$100-\$250-Silver Level Donor (2 Adult Tickets and 4 Kid Tickets)

\*\$250-\$500-Gold Level Donor (Banner Hung Arena plus 2 Adult Tickets and 4 Kid Tickets)

\*\$500 and above-Platinum Level Donor (Banner Hung in Arena plus 6 Adult Tickets and 12 Kid Tickets)

\*If a banner needs to be produced for your company an additional fee of \$250 will be charged

Special Tickets Offer # Adult Tickets \_\_\_\_\_ x \$15.00 (\$5.00 per ticket savings) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# Children Tickets \_\_\_\_\_ x \$8.00 (\$2.00 per ticket savings) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# Family Packets (4 Kids/2 Adults) x \_\_\_\_\_ x \$60.00 (\$40.00 savings) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Due From All Above Options: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

You may pay by check or credit card (5% charge). Make checks payable to Isis Shrine, and mail this form and payment to Isis Shrine, PO Box 2778, Salina, KS, 67402. If you prefer credit card, please complete the below information. Please return this completed form to the Isis Shrine with your full payment at your earliest convenience, but no later than January 22, 2024. Our advertisement book designer will be in contact with you to request your artwork be emailed in a JPEG or PNG format.

Name on Credit Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Three-Digit Security Number On Back: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name of Seller and Club/Unit: \_\_\_\_\_



# **Shrine Bowl Player Steak Feed**

**The Gridiron Club will be feeding Shrine Bowl Players as a thank you to them and their families, as well as a chance for Nobles and Ladies to meet these wonderful young men and ladies. The date, time, and location for this event will be released in the near future. Once announced and if you plan to attend, please RSVP to Greg King, Ill Sir Ralph Streit, or Bob Short. Please remember that the players, coaches, and staff will need to be sponsored. If you, your Club/Unit, or a business you know is willing to sponsor a player, please contact Greg King, Ill Sir Ralph Streit, or Bob Short. Thank you in advance for taking care of these are hard-working young men and women.**

## **2024 Dues Notification**

2024 dues have been processed and sent out to all Nobles via email and regular mail. Please pay your dues at your earliest convenience. These funds are what allows this Temple to continue to stay open and to help the children of our 43-county jurisdiction.

# **March 2024 Stated Meeting**

March 2, 2024

Anthem Masonic Lodge #284

Scott City, KS

1:00 PM

RSVP Due by February 26, 2024

# Potentate Ball

**March 2, 2024**

5:00 PM-?

ACT II @ The Majestic

420 S Main

Scott City, KS

\$65.00 Per Person

Includes Dinner & Show

**RSVP Due By February 19, 2024**

Join Ill Sir Neal Gamble and 1st Lady Karen for a wonderful evening of fun and fellowship. Dress is minimal business, but formal is preferred. Hotel rooms are available for a special rate at the Bestwestern in Scott City.



# **2024 Called Parades**

**\*Indicates Shriner Only Parades (No Ladies)**

**\*\*Parade Times and Locations May Change Without  
Prior Warning**

**March 9-St. Patrick's Day Parade (Rush Center)**

**\*April 27-Ceremonial Parade (Goodland)\***

**May 10-All Schools Day Parade (McPherson)**

**\*June 29-Kansas Shrine Bowl Parade (Emporia)\***

**July 4-4th of July Parade (Junction City)**

**July 27-Czech Festival Parade (Wilson)**

**July 30-Central Kansas Free Fair Parade (Abilene)**

**August 6-Tri-River Fair Parade (Salina)**

**September 2-Labor Day Parade (Hoisington)**

**\*November 2-Ceremonial Parade (Salina)\***

**November 11-Veteran's Day Parade (Beloit)**

**November 23-Salina Parade of Lights (Salina)**

**November 30-Russell Christmas Parade (Russell)**





## Isis Shrine Temple 2024 Upcoming Events

January 27, 2024-Western Clubs Meeting-Country Club-1085 E Golf Club Dr, Colby, KS-6:00 PM-RSVP by January 20, 2024  
February 9, 2024-Valentine's Day Dinner-Thirsty's, 2704 Vine St #B, Hays, KS-6:30 PM RSVP by January 29, 2024  
February 15, 2024-Circus Block Party-The Temple-336 S Santa Fe Ave, Salina, KS-5:00-7:00 PM  
February 16-18, 2024-Circus-Tony's Pizza Events Center-800 The Midway, Salina, KS  
March 2, 2024-Stated Meeting-Anthem Masonic Lodge #284, 600 W Cedar Dr, Scott City, KS  
March 2-2024-Potentate Ball-Majestic Theater, 420 Main St, Scott City, KS-RSVP by February 19, 2024  
March 14-16, 2024-Grand Lodge-Manhattan, KS-For more information visit [www.kansasmason.org](http://www.kansasmason.org)  
March 15-16, 2024-Central State Shrine Association (CSSA) Business Meeting-Topeka, KS  
April 14, 2024-Vidalia Onion orders due to office  
April 20, 2024-Shriners Children's Fundraiser Concert-The Texas Tenors-Tony's Pizza Events Center-7:00 PM  
April 26-27, 2024-Preglow and Ceremonial-Goodland, KS  
June 1, 2024-Stated Meeting-Lafayette Masonic Lodge #16-2:00 PM-322 Houston St, Manhattan, KS  
June 29, 2024-50<sup>th</sup> Kansas Shrine Bowl-Welch Stadium, Emporia, KS-7:00 PM  
August 29-31, 2024-CSSA-Topeka, KS  
September 21, 2024-Stated Meeting-Salina Masonic Lodge #60-143 S 3rd St, Salina, KS-1:30 PM  
October 19, 2024-Sportsman Event-VFW-1108 W Crawford St, Salina, KS-12:00 PM  
November 1-2, 2024-Preglow and Ceremonial-Salina, KS  
November 22-24 & November 29-December 1, 2024-FEZtival of Trees-Central Mall-2259 S 9<sup>th</sup> St, Salina, KS  
December 7, 2024-Stated Meeting & Elections-Salina Masonic Lodge #60-143 S 3rd St, Salina, KS-10:00 AM  
December 7, 2024-Christmas Party-Hilton Garden Inn-3320 S 9th St, Salina, KS -5:00 PM-RSVP by November 22, 2024  
January 11, 2025-Annual Meeting and Installation-Salina Masonic Lodge #60-143 S 3rd St, Salina, KS-2:30 PM

*\*Dates/Times/Locations may change without prior notification*

## NEWSLETTER MAILER

**If you would like to receive the newsletter through the regular mail during the year of 2023, please mail a payment of \$25.00 to Isis Shrine, P.O. Box 2778, Salina, KS, 67402. Ensure to write "Newsletter" in the memo line of your check. Newsletters can be downloaded for free from our website, [www.isisshriners.com](http://www.isisshriners.com).**

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## SHRINER LEGACY PROGRAM

This program is headed by Shriners International and is used to recognize those Shriners who have a Shrine family link. If you would like to share your Shrine Legacy, you can update your family information in WebFez. The Potentate will present a Legacy certificate and pin to those new members and upcoming events. There is no cost for this program, just pride in family and Shrining.



# January 2024

**Sunday      Monday      Tuesday      Wednesday      Thursday      Friday      Saturday**

	1	2	3 Sunflower SC 6:30 PM	4	5 LOH 6:00 PM	6 Annual Meeting & Installation 4:00 PM Salina, KS
7	8 Ottawa Co SC 6:00 PM	9	10 Russell SC 6:30 PM	11	12	13 NCKS SC 5:30 PM
14 NWKS SC 2:00 PM MST	15 JC/FR SC 6:00 PM	16 Scott Co SC 6:30 PM	17 Hi-Plains SC 6:30 PM	18	19	20
21	22	23	24 Logan Co SC 5:30 PM	25	26	27 Western KS SC Meeting 6:00 PM Colby, KS
28	29	30	31			



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