

ISIS SHRINE NEWS



Situated In The Oasis of Salina, Desert of Kansas

February 2024

POTENTATES MESSAGE:

Greetings Fellow Nobles and Ladies,

The New Year is off to a wonderful start. We got to help do something I never dreamed I would get to do. We got to go to Pasadena to help decorate the Shriner's Rose Bowl parade float. We worked very hard for a week with fellow Shriner, but the effort was worth every moment. I encourage everyone, if given the opportunity, to go experience it for themselves; I know I would go back in a heartbeat.

I would like to thank the large crowd at the installation that was there to show their support for Lady Karen and me. We look forward to serving the nobility of Isis Shrine for 2024.

We are off to a busy and exciting start, with numerous club meetings, including the Western Club's meeting in Colby, Kansas, on January 27th. Followed by the Valentine's Dinner in Hays, Kansas, on February 9th. Past Potentate Trent and Lady Jody had such a successful event last year that we moved it to a larger venue. You do not want to miss out on this fun event.

The next big event is the Shrine Circus. February 15th is the circus block party followed by 3 days of circus fun and excitement. We still need people selling ads and banners to make the circus a success. We are gaining on another grade sponsorship for our military children at Fort Riley. Lou Hines from the High Plains Shrine Club sponsored the fourth-grade class and has issued the challenge to step up and support our military service people. If you can help by buying a classroom sponsorship it would help towards completing our project. We will also need as many people as possible to help work at the circus by selling novelties, cotton candy, snow cones, color books, and programs. Please come and help make this a success. The more people working makes work easier and more fun for all involved.

On March 2nd, we have our stated meeting in Scott City, followed by our Potentate Ball, which will be a mystery dinner theater that you do not want to miss. Join us for a fun evening.

Once again, it is time to sell Vidalia onions. The sales for these delicious onions have grown each year to the point that we believe we will sell an entire semi-load this year!

We have a new club that has started up in the eastern part of our area, called Carnac Caravan. They are stirring up interest and excitement, and they move their meetings around in their area to keep things new and different at each meeting. Congratulations on the new club. I look forward to attending.

POTENTATE MESSAGE CONTINUED

Please make plans to attend as many of these events, especially since they are being planned over the entire area to give the nobility an opportunity to have fun with your fellow Nobles and Ladies. If you know of a place that you would like to showcase, please let us know. We can plan fun events, but it requires the nobility to participate with a positive attitude to make it work.

Our calendar is filling up fast, and Lady Karen and I look forward to seeing you at these events and all the events that our schedule will allow.

Fraternally Yours,
Neal Gamble and Lady Karen



Thank you to the businesses and clubs who purchase advertising space within the newsletter. It is greatly appreciated.



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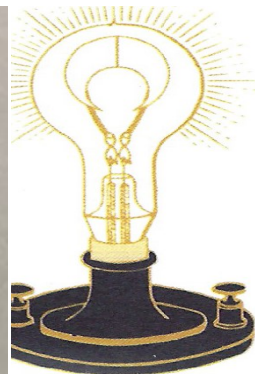
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MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF RABBAN

My lady Juanita and I are hoping that all the nobles and their families are doing well and surviving this cold winter weather! We have been doing our best to stay warm and looking forward to serving you as your Chief Rabban! We wish all Divan members well and look forward to working together as a team just as our Past Potentate Trent and his lady Jody taught us to do!

This year will be awesome under the leadership of Illustrious Sir Neal Gamble, and his lady Karen! I urge you all to please join the effort to make 2024 the best year ever. This year, the circus is looking to be a great fundraiser because of Neal's determination and the hard work of many other nobles.

Although we are working hard, we always need to make it all enjoyable and remember to have fun at the same time. Fun times always make this fraternity worthwhile, but it is important to feel proud of the real reason why we do what we do. The children that we help should be the most important reason!

Proud to be a Shriner always!
Chief Rabban Carey Wilken and Lady Juanita



MESSAGE FROM THE HIGH PRIEST AND PROPHET

I look forward to the coming year and the great things the Clubs, Nobles, and families will accomplish! All the hard work completed in 2023 has laid a solid foundation for 2024.

Lady Jennel and I look forward to the upcoming circus. It is contagious getting to see the gleam and joy in the kids eyes as some see the wonders of a Circus for the first time.

Please stay safe during the winter weather we received. I know the state desperately needed the moisture.

Fraternally,
Philip and Jennel Rowe



RECORDER'S CORNER

Nobles and Ladies,

2024 is going to be a great year, filled with amazing events. Please pay close attention to our social media accounts, our website, the Friday Feedback, and of course the newsletter. As I look over the calendar, there is something going on every month. Please find that something that will get you out and enjoy fun and fellowship with your fellow Nobles.

2024 dues have been sent out, and at this time we are doing OK on Nobles paying. If you are one of these Nobles, please pay at your earliest convenience. Shriners International is scheduled to send out a final notification on February 6, 2024. The dues are important so at that amazing organization can continue to work for the betterment of the children.

Over the past 10 years, only approximately 10-13% of the Nobility has participated in fundraising. I strongly encourage all 703 Nobles to participate. Participating does not mean you have to purchase everything being sold, but find a friend, a co-worker, or even a stranger and try to get them to purchase whatever it is you are trying to sell. If even 50% of our Nobility would participate in the fundraiser we have annually, we would be set for many, many years. If you have ideas about fundraisers you think would be successful, do not hesitate to reach out to any Divan member to discuss it.

If there is anything you need from me, please contact me at 785-825-0206 (office) or isishrinerecorder@gmail.com. Along with my Lady Megan, I want to thank you for your continued dedication to this superb organization, and the work that it does in our communities. As always, I remain

Fraternally Yours,

Casey Flinn
Recorder



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DISCOVER



EMBRACING THE NEW IN THE NEW YEAR

As we start the new year, we can anticipate the new things God has in store for us.

Behold, I will do a new thing, Now it shall spring forth; Shall you not know it? I will even make a road in the wilderness And rivers in the desert. [Isaiah 43:19](#)

The changing calendar is not just a flip of dates; it is an invitation to witness the continuous work of God in our lives.

The promise of a new thing is a source of hope and encouragement as we approach the unknown days ahead.

In His infinite wisdom and love, God is not bound by time. God declares that He will make a road in the wilderness, paving the way for us even in the uncharted territories of the coming year.

God promises to bring refreshing rivers to our spiritual deserts. As we enter the new year, The grace of God will flow abundantly, providing sustenance and life to the areas of our lives that may feel barren.

God invites us to recognize and acknowledge His hand at work in our lives. As we reflect on the past year with gratitude, let us also look forward with expectation, knowing that the faithfulness of God extends beyond a calendar.

The new year is an opportunity for spiritual renewal and growth. Just as a new plant sprouts from the ground, God brings new possibilities, opportunities, and blessings into our lives.

Let us approach the New Year with faith and trust, confident that the promises of God will always be there every step of the way.

As you start the new year, be attentive to the roads God is paving and the rivers He is bringing forth. Embrace the newness, for God is with you every step of the way.

CAMERON DAVIS
Chaplain





2024 Shrine Bowl Player Steak Feed

This years Shrine Bowl player steak feed will take place at the VFW in Russell, KS, on February 25, 2024, at 4:00 PM.

The cost is \$20.00 per person. This is great time to meet

the players and coaches playing for the best Kansas Shrine Bowl team, the WESTSIDE!!! As always, there is also a need for Units, Clubs, businesses, and individuals to sponsor players, coaches, and other staff members. If you plan to attend the steak feed, RSVP to the Isis Shrine

Bowl board members Assistant Rabban Greg King, PP Ralph Streit, or Noble Bob Short, by February 19, 2024.

Donations to sponsor a participant in the game can be mailed to the Kansas Shrine Bowl, P.O. Box 53, Spring Hill,

KS 66083.

WESTERN KANSAS SHRINE CLUBS MEETING

January 27, 2024

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

6:00 PM

**RSVP has been extended to
January 23, 2024. RSVP to the
office or MW Steve Molstad.**



Valentine's Day Dinner & Lady's Appreciation Table Lodge

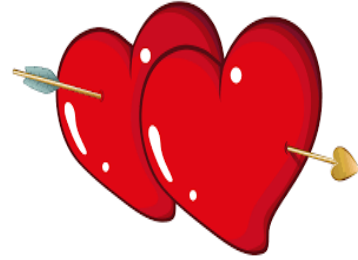
February 9, 2024

Thirsty's

2704 Vine Street

Hays, KS

6:30 PM



Dinner Will Be Buffet Style

**Bourbon Glazed Pork Chops, Balsamic
Bruschetta Chicken, Garlic Red-Skinned
Mashed Potatoes, Roasted Broccoli and
Carrots, Cheesecake, and Chocolate Cake.**

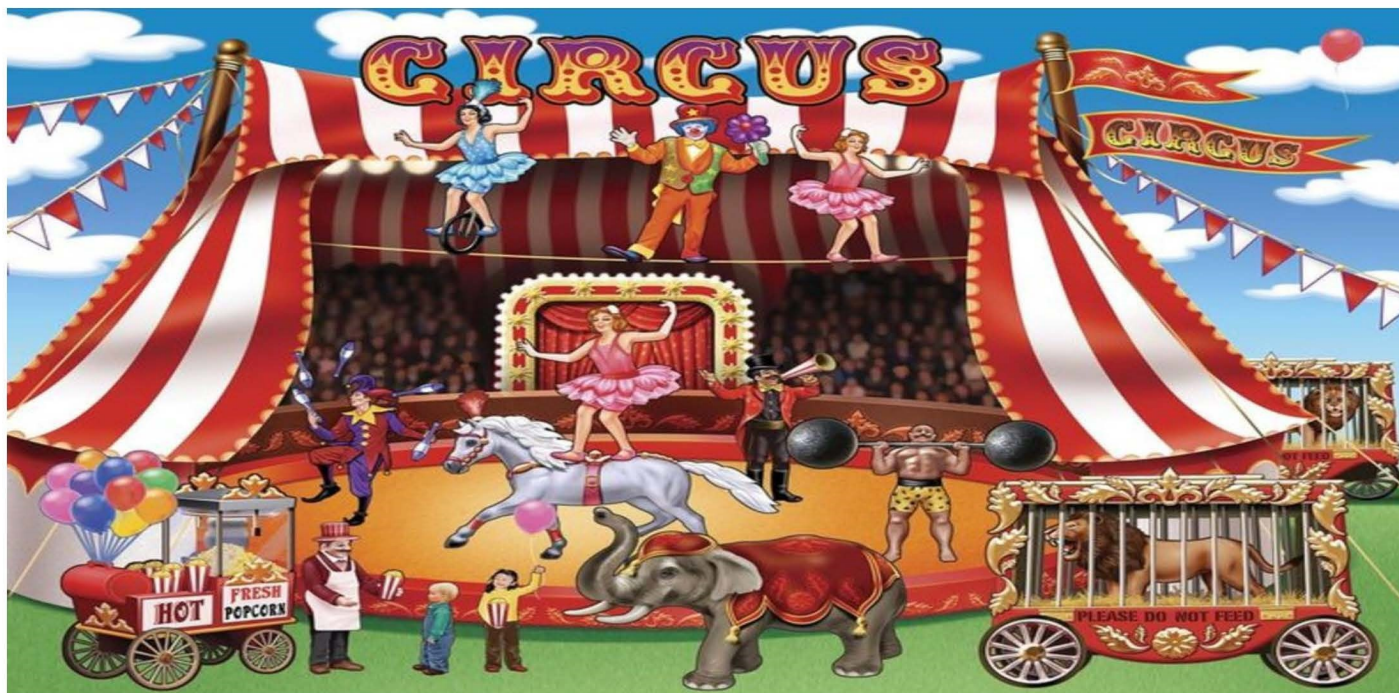
Cost is \$45.00 per Person

RSVP To Office By January 29, 2024

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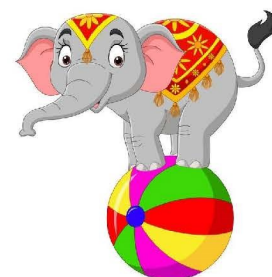
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2024 Isis Shrine Circus



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 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



Now You See It....

Now You Don't

Mystery Dinner

ISIS Potentate Ball

March 2, 2024

5:00 pm - ?

Act II @ The Majestic

420 S. Main

Scott City, KS

Dinner and Show included

\$65.00 Per Person

Please RSVP by February 19, 2024

Phone# 785-825-0206

Please 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 Best Western in Scott City

2024 Called Parades

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

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

March 16-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
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, 2024-50th 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 9th 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.

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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.



February 2024

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

				1	2 LOH 6:00 PM	3
4	5	5	7 Sunflower SC 6:30 PM	8	9 Valentine's Day Dinner Thirsty's Hays, KS 6:30 PM	10 NCKS SC 5:30 PM
11	12 Ottawa SC 6:00 PM	13	14 Russell SC 6:30 PM	15 Block Party The Temple 5PM-7PM	16	17
18 NWKS SC 2:00 PM MST	19 JC/FR SC 6:00 PM	20 Scott Co SC 6:30 PM	21 Hi-Plains SC 6:30 PM	22	Circus	
Circus		23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			
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