

ISIS SHRINE NEWS



Situated In The Oasis of Salina, Desert of Kansas

March 2024

POTENTATES MESSAGE:



Nobles and Ladies,

All I can say from Lady Karen and myself is thank you, thank you, thank you!!! You all have worked to make the circus a huge success. From bring classrooms, selling advertisements, banners, purchasing tickets, helping to work, and many other things, it would not have been a success without you. This weekend showed Lady Karen and I that just how big our Shrine family is, and how well we all work together.

I would love to see you at the Stated Meeting and Potentate Ball on March 2 in Scott City. It should be a great evening of fun and fellowship. Keep an eye on our Friday Feedback for more events that will coming up. We are working to have them throughout our jurisdiction so that everyone has a chance to participate.

If you need anything from me please let me know. I will do what I can to help you out. Again, thank you all for your hard work and dedication to the circus. As always, I remain

Fraternally Yours,

Neal Gamble
Potentate



MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF RABBAN

My Lady Juanita, and I would like to thank everyone who helped to make this year's circus a success! Even though our numbers are not yet in, the smiles were priceless! Thanks be to all who were able to help with the Shrine Bowl player presentations also! All of those involved in making the Kansas Shrine Bowl great are important, and we need to know how much we appreciate them! Everyone keep up the good work, so we can continue to help the children and families we serve!

Respectfully Yours!

Carey Wilken



MESSAGE FROM THE HIGH PRIEST AND PROPHET

What a great team of Nobles and Ladies! It was amazing to see how well everyone stepped up to volunteer at the circus while others were able to represent Isis at the multiple-player presentations! All of you showed just what we can accomplish as a well-oiled machine.

Lady Jennel and I look forward to the upcoming meeting and Potentate's Ball.

Fraternally Yours,

Philip Rowe



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RECORDER'S CORNER

Nobles and Ladies,

Thank you to everyone who helped make the circus a success. It is greatly appreciated. The circus weekend is always a long one, but this year our attendance numbers were up from 2023. Final reports will not be ready for awhile, but should be ready for presentation at the June Stated Meeting.

There are still 131 Nobles who have not paid their dues for 2024. If they would, it would generate \$18,825 in revenue for the Temple. If you know someone who has not paid yet, please encourage them to do so at their earliest convenience. A Noble can contact the office at anytime if they have questions about their dues.

There will be many events taking place throughout the next couple of months. Please visit our website www.isisshriners.com or any of our social media sites to keep up-to-date with these events. For the first time that I can remember, outside the Shrine Bowl, the Isis Shrine is holding a fundraiser for Shriners Children's. The Texas Tenors will be at Tony's Pizza Events Center (TPEC) on April 20, 2024. Tickets can be purchased on line at www.tonypizzaeventscenter.com or by visiting the ticket window at TPEC. If you purchase tickets at the window, there is not a processing fee.

All Unit and Club President's and Treasurers have received the forms that need to be prepared for the end-of-year financials. This is due to the office by March 15, 2024. Please do your due diligence to have these completed and turned into the office on time.

If you have any needs from the office, please do not hesitate to reach out, and I will do my best to assist. Along with my Lady Megan, thank you for all you do for the Isis Shrine, Shriners International, and Shriners Children's.

Fraternally Yours,

Casey Flinn
Recorder

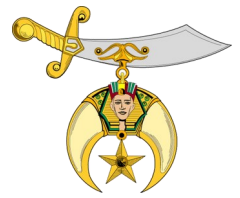
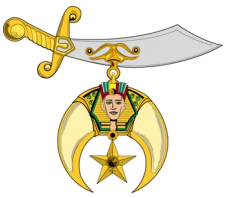


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Shriners Creed

- We believe that care for the less fortunate, especially children who suffer from burns and crippling diseases, is our institutional calling.
- We are patriots, each willing to serve his country with fidelity and courage. We cherish independence under law and freedom with responsibility.
- We honor family. We respect our parents, wives and children. We should instill in our children the tenets of this creed, and the heritage from which it emanates.
- As individuals we pledge ourselves to integrity, virtue and nobility of character. Our intentions will be honorable, our relations will be trustworthy and our spirits forgiving of each other.
- As brothers we offer each other fraternal affection and respect. Together we will support each other in adherence to this creed, so that we and our communities will be the better because of our fraternity and its principles.
- As Shriners we look beyond ourselves to serve the needs of others, especially children who cannot help themselves. We believe Shriners Hospitals to be the world's greatest philanthropy, and we covenant with each other to support its "temples of mercy" with spirit, time, talent and means.



CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

THE WISDOM OF SOLOMON

When God approached Solomon in a dream and offered to grant him anything he wished, the response from Solomon was remarkable.

Then God said to him: Because you have asked this thing, and have not asked long life for yourself, nor have asked riches for yourself, nor have asked the life of your enemies, but have asked for yourself understanding to discern justice. 1 Kings 3:11

In the Bible verse above, we find an example of the wisdom of Solomon and his deep connection with God, which speaks to the core of our desires and priorities as Believers.

Solomon did not ask for riches, power, or fame; instead, he requested discernment and wisdom to administer justice.

For the LORD gives wisdom; From His mouth come knowledge and understanding; Proverbs 2:6

This choice for Solomon is a testament to the understanding of the responsibilities that came with his role as king. It revealed a heart that sought not personal gain but the well-being of his people. Solomon recognized that with wisdom, he could effectively lead, govern, and make fair judgments.

Happy is the man who finds wisdom, And the man who gains understanding; Proverbs 3:13

Solomon knew that divine wisdom was the key to justice, peace, and prosperity for his nation.

The choice Solomon made reminds us to prioritize spiritual wisdom over material wealth or personal ambitions.

In our pursuit of success, we should seek the guidance and understanding of God to make decisions that honor Him and benefit others. The request Solomon made aligned with the desire to fulfill the plan God had for his life. When we ask for wisdom and discernment from God, we make choices that align with the plan He has for our lives instead of only thinking about ourselves.

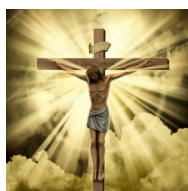
Get wisdom! Get understanding! Do not forget, nor turn away from the words of my mouth. Proverbs 4:5

The humble request Solomon made shows us a real-life example of servant leadership. Whether in our families, workplaces, or communities, we should strive to lead with a heart that seeks the well-being and justice of those under our care. The story of Solomon teaches us that when we seek the wisdom of God first, He will provide for our needs and even bless us beyond our expectations. Trusting in the provision of God is a sign of faith in His goodness. Encouraging us to approach God with sincerity and humility in our prayers.

In a world filled with distractions, learn from the wisdom of Solomon and seek first the wisdom that comes from God.

He who gets wisdom loves his own soul; He who keeps understanding will find good. Proverbs 19:8

As we do so, we can trust that God will guide our steps, illuminate our paths, and lead us toward a life that reflects His love and justice.



CAMERON DAVIS
Chaplain

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)



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Isis Shrine Temple 2024 Upcoming Events

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.



March 2024

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

					1 LOH 6:00 PM	2 Stated Meeting Scott City-1 PM Potentate Ball Scott City-5 PM
3	4	5	6 Sunflower SC 6:30 PM	7	8	9 NCKS SC 5:30 PM
10	11 Ottawa SC 6:00 PM	12	13 Russell SC 6:30 PM	14 KMF Annual Meeting Manhattan	15 CSSA Business Session-Topeka	16 CSSA Business Session-Topeka
				OG Seminar-Tampa, FL		
				Grand Lodge-Manhattan		
17 NWKS SC 2:00 PM MST Kansas Shrine Duals-Newman College-Wichita	18 JC/FR SC 6:00 PM	19 Scott Co SC 6:30 PM	20 Hi-Plains SC 6:30 PM	21	22	23
AR Seminar-Tampa, FL						
24	25	26	27 Logan Co SC 5:30 PM	28	29	30
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