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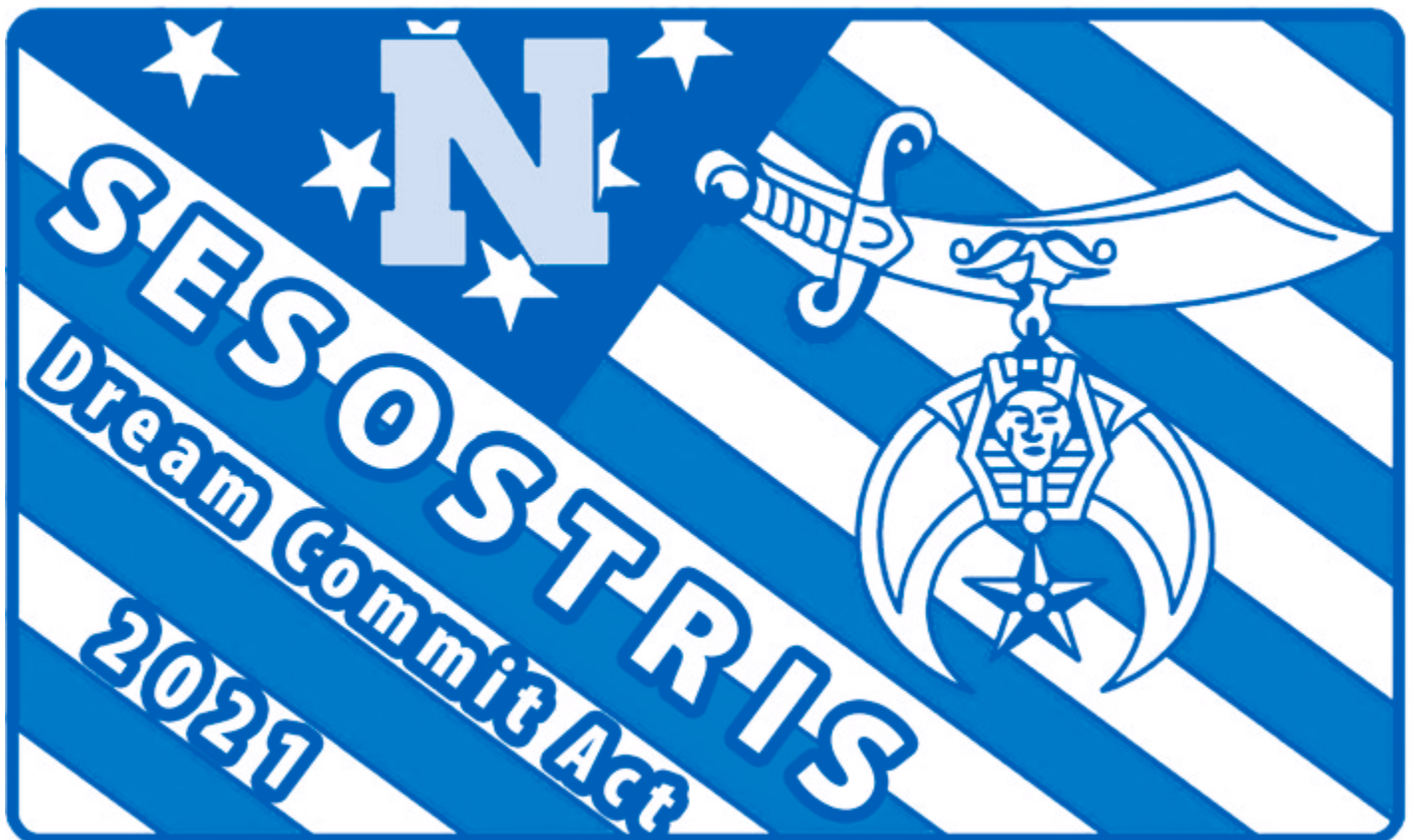
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January/February 2021

YOU'RE INVITED TO ATTEND THE INSTALLATION OF

*2021 Potentate-Elect*

JERRY E. PIGSLEY, ESQ.



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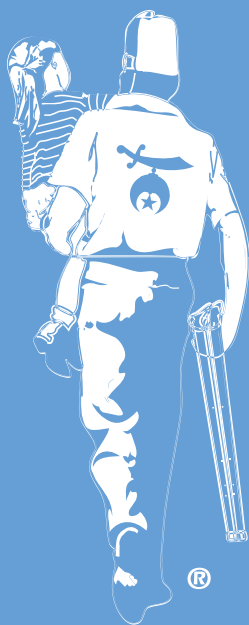
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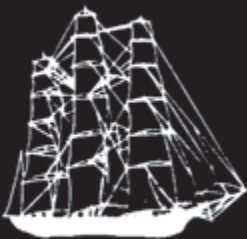


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# A Message From Your Potentate

Well, this is my last letter as the 2020 Pandemic Potentate. To say the least, it has been an interesting and trying year. It was not the year Lady Becky and I had planned or expected. We had so many plans and were hoping to try some new events and change some old ones. But, it was not to be this year.

We did have some fun events at the beginning of the year, that included the Installation and some of our patients giving us a “thank you” for what we do. The Mardi-Gras Party was a big success, as was our Indoor Fishing Tournament. We launched a new Circus for four shows and then the ugly virus showed us who was boss and shut us down. I have the longest record of canceling events and shutting the Shrine down. Sorry Ill. Sir Richard. I thought you would hold that record for a long time, but a new Potentate came into office, and I hope I hold that record for years.

The one event that was a big surprise was the Dine at the Shrine. It was great to see everyone. The two Drive-Thru Dinners were a big success. Thank you for all your help and support.

For the 2020 Divan, I will be forever grateful for your help and support. We didn’t get to do as much as I had hoped, but thank you.

We want to thank the Nobility and ladies, the past leadership of Sesostris and their ladies, our office staff, our aides, our decorators, our committees and our clubs and units for supporting us throughout the year. Your support and help was enormous and very encouraging.

We wish Ill. Sir. Elect Jerry Pigsley and Lady Gina and their Divan a successful year in 2021. Lady Becky and I have enjoyed being your Potentate and First Lady. We are very grateful to belong to Sesostris and to have the opportunity to lead Sesostris for 2020. Thank you, and please be safe.

Sincerely,

*Dan Johnson*

Pandemic Potentate 2020



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# *A Message From Your 2020 Potentate-Elect Jerry Pigsley*



This is the story of a grateful Shriner. In the summer of 1986, my Lady Gina, and I celebrated the birth of our son. Shortly after Scott was born, a team of doctors told us that Scott had spina bifida and he would need to have surgery the same day he was born in order to survive. The neurosurgeons and plastic surgeon performed the necessary surgery and with great care, Scott was able to come home from St. Elizabeth Hospital a few weeks later. Scott was then seen by many doctors in the local area and after a major surgery in Omaha, we were approached by a friend and Shriner, Ed Reinhardt, who recommended we see if Shriners Hospitals could help Scott. We took Scott to a screening clinic held at a hospital in Hebron. We were greeted and hosted that day by Shriners at the screening clinic like we were family. We were overjoyed when we learned that Scott was accepted to be a patient at Shriners Hospitals. We then begin taking Scott to the Shriners hospital in the Twin Cities for his medical care. Scott was fitted for braces and given, at first, walkers, then crutches, and eventually, wheelchairs to help him become mobile. The care Scott received at the hospital was the best care he has ever received. During this time, we were invited by the Shrine to annual Christmas parties for Shrine Hospital patients, where we were treated so well by all the Shriners and their ladies.

Based on the great care my son received at Shriners Hospitals, I decided it was time to pay back the Shriners for helping Scott. I joined the Shrine in 2002 when Ill. Sir Al Borchardt was Potentate. Ill. Sir Rob Kinsey and Noble Ed Reinhardt signed my petition to join the Shrine. My son was able to fez me at the Shrine Bowl Game held that year at Memorial Stadium in middle of the field during a half time celebration recognizing new Shriners.

As a new Shriner I was asked to join the Clown Unit. I joined the Clowns to help bring smiles to children. As a clown, I have had the privilege of working with many great

Shrine Clowns who are no longer with us. I went on to serve as Director of the Clowns, was recognized as Clown of the Year, and honored to be on the Circus Program cover.

In 2015, I was appointed by Ill. Sir Keith Plummer to serve as Outer Guard on the Divan. The following year, Ill. Sir Keith Will nominated me to serve as Oriental Guide and I was elected. Lady Gina and I have had the honor of serving on the Divan the last five years under great Potentates. We have enjoyed getting to know many hard-working Shriners and their ladies as Divan representatives to their units and clubs.

This past year, we have been privileged to work with Ill. Sir Dan Johnson and his Lady Becky. They are the hardest working couple I have met in the Shrine. They have done a wonderful job during this most difficult year, which caused them to cancel many of the events they had dreamed of doing this year.

I am humbled and honored now to be elected as the 133rd Potentate for Sesostris Shrine for calendar year 2021. Lady Gina and I hope you will be able to attend the Officer Installation scheduled for January 9 at the Scottish Rite Center. We plan to give our pins at the Installation. The First Lady's pin is a five-pointed silver star with the words, Shrine Lady, on it. The star is part of the Shriner's emblem and represents the thousands of children helped by Shriners each year. My pin has a U.S. flag design for my love of our country and all the freedoms we enjoy. On the pin is the red N which is the well-known symbol for the University of Nebraska of which Gina and I are proud alumni. On the pin is the word SESOSTRIS and the Shriners' emblem identifying the wearer as a Noble of the Sesostris Shrine. On the pin are the words DREAM COMMIT ACT. As your Potentate I want us to all DREAM of what we want the Shrine to do. I then want us to COMMIT to make those dreams come true. Finally, I want us to ACT to make those dreams come true.

**TIME TO SHINE AT THE SHRINE!**

Jerry Pigsley

Potentate-Elect

# Time to Shine at the Shrine!



## Sesostris Shrine 133rd Installation

You are cordially invited to the Ceremony of Installation for  
*Noble Jerry Lee Pigsley, Esq.*  
*Potentate-Elect*

*The 2021 Sesostris Divan and Club & Unit Officers*

**Scottish Rite Temple**  
**332 Centennial Mall South**  
**Lincoln, Nebraska**

**Saturday,**  
**January 9, 2021**  
**at 2 p.m.**



**COVID Guidelines:**  
**Masks required. Limited seating available.**  
**Social distancing rules will be followed.**

**Reservations Required by December 28, 2020**  
**Shrine Website: <https://www.sesostrisshrine.org>**  
**Just click on the "Attending Event"**  
**in the upper left corner,**  
**or call 402-474-6890**





**Gina Pigsley, 2021**

## I am the Wife of a Shriner

I am the wife of a Shriner  
 A man far more precious than gold;  
 His talents and virtues are finer  
 And more than can ever be told.  
 He is jolly and gay – kind and friendly,  
 He still loves to frolic and play;  
 He follows the law and the golden rule  
 From morning 'til night every day.  
 He is proud of the Shriners Fez he wears,  
 With the crescent and scimitar pin,  
 And I as the wife of a Shriner rejoice  
 That he is kindhearted within.  
 To help children get well again  
 Is his heartwarming labor of love;  
 It makes him feel buoyant and young again  
 With the blessings of heaven above.  
 Yes, I'm proud, as the wife of a Shriner,  
 That gem of a man is he;  
 And I'm grateful beyond all recounting  
 That God gave this Shriner to me.

*-Unknown*

## 2021 DIVAN LADIES FUNDRAISER!



The **Feed the Pig** project that the 2020 Divan Ladies started was so successful, the 2021 Divan Ladies said we should stuff that pig again in 2021! Keep your piggy bank stuffed with your change or dollars! If you need a piggy bank to feed, there are a few available, just let the Divan Ladies know.

When the pigs are stuffed, then bring them to the Shrine and dump them into this year's **Stuff the Star!** Shrine Ladies are Super Stars! You reached the goal of new silverware in 2020. We need a new goal and project for 2021! It has been suggested new dinnerware to go with the new silverware. If you have any thoughts, please let any of the Divan Ladies know. Watch the FEZtivities for more information.

Donations are not tax deductible as charitable contributions.  
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**FEED THE PIG!**



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**MONEY, MONEY, MONEY  
FOR YOUR CLUB OR UNIT!**

# THANK YOU!!

Sesostris Clubs & Units for your 2020 donations to the General Operation and Hospital Transportation Funds

Sincerely,

*Ill. Sir Dan Johnson*

## Material for FEZtivities

A reminder that materials for the March/April issue are due to Laura by January 31. Also, if you go to a Shrine event and you snap a few pictures, feel free to email them to: [feztivities@hotmail.com](mailto:feztivities@hotmail.com).

We don't always get photos of the club and unit events, which would be nice to include in future issues.

**Show us what you're up to!**



# Thank you. Thank you. Thank you!

To everyone who donated money and time to make the 2020 Divan Ladies Project a success. With you and some very generous anonymous donors, We have 504 place settings of new silverware and two new toolboxes to store it in. We could not have done it without your help. We hope that you are going to keep your piggy banks and keep stuffing them for 2021's new Divan Ladies Project! If you don't have one or haven't turned yours in there are a few more available. Or use a jar, cup bucket what ever your have! Thanks for all the help from the Divan ladies and all our very special donors!



*Becky Johnson*

2020 First Lady

## *Jottings By Jeanine*

2020, the year NOT to remember, but to forget! No one can wait to get back to some sort of a normal.

As for the Widows, nothing has happened since our February 2020 meeting. Some contact has been made with members, but we never felt it a good idea to try to get together. Our officers and committees will carry over for 2021. Like other organizations, there was no election, no installation, no business, no fellowship, no food, no fun.

We usually help out with the Patients' Christmas party, so we were glad to be able to help with the purchase of some gift cards to be sent to these kids. We assisted in pricing some items for the Shrine rummage sale.

Some of us have had the dreaded virus and all have had friends and or relatives who were stricken with it. We hope a fast recovery has been the norm for all.

Thanksgiving was different for everyone and Christmas will be a new scene as well. We are all tough so will hang in there and come out on top! We will hope for a good turn out at our February meeting.

God's blessings to each and everyone!

*Jeanine Bryceson*

Shrine Widows president.

# Shriner Town Hall Meeting

**February 10, 2021 - Sesostriis Shrine Center**

**Social 5:00 p.m.      Dinner 6:00 p.m.      Meeting 7:00 p.m.**

**Join your fellow Shriners and ladies for an update from Imperial Treasurer Brad Koehn and Lady Cheryl**



# Free Screening Clinic

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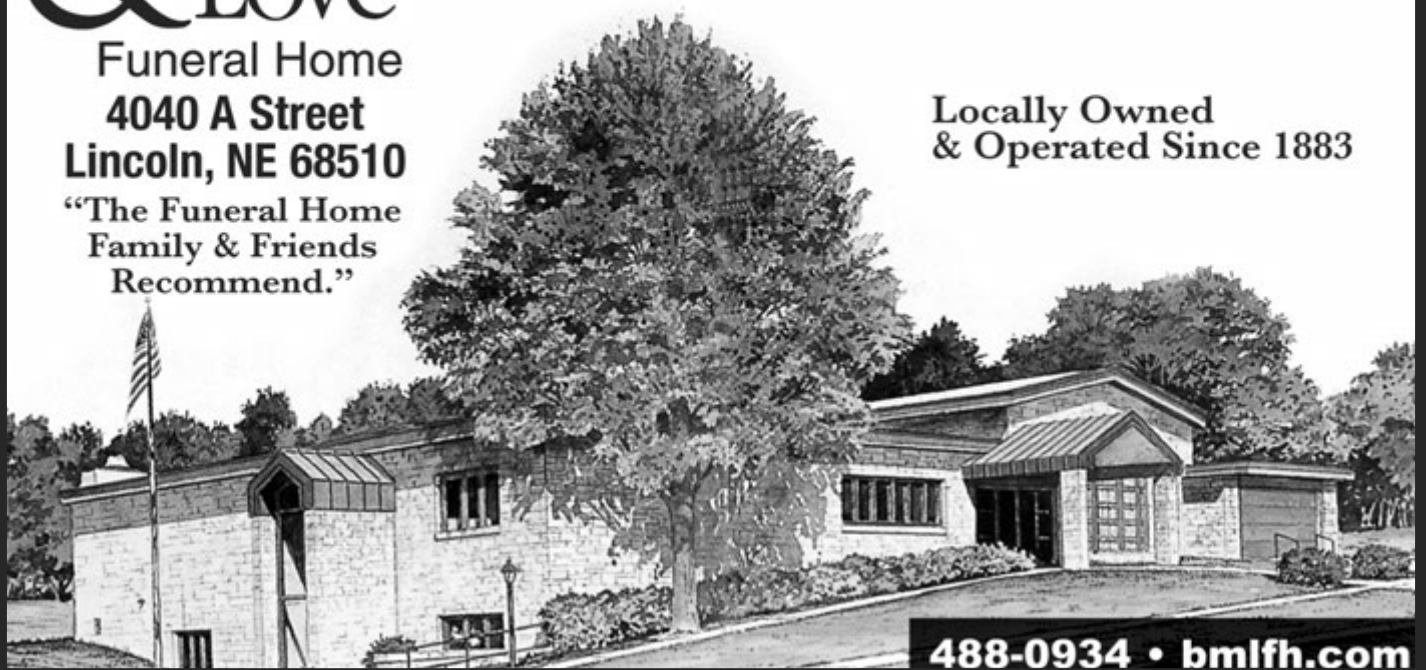
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# Tribesmen Donation to the Hospital Transportation Fund

On November 11, 2020, Chief Rabban Jerry Pigsley, Oriental Guide Bob Kruse, and Noble Doug Koozer presented a plaque to Mike "Zeke" Sieck of the Tribesmen Motorcycle Club recognizing their long-time support of the Sesostris Shrine Hospital Transportation Fund. This year the Tribesmen donated \$20,135.00 to the Hospital Transportation Fund.



## 2020 SESOSTRIS SHRINE AWARD WINNERS

**Unit of the Year: Alpha's \ Corvettes**

**Club of the Year : Northeast Shrine Club**

**Shriner of the Year: Noble Darrell Beaman**

**Parade Unit of the Year:  
All the units that attended our one and only  
parade in Fairbury NE.**

***Congratulations to all of the winners!!***

# SESOSTRIS CLOWNS

The Clowns are getting ready for what will prove to be the best results from an election in the history of our country! We are getting the balloons ready. Snowballs have been purchased. Make-up has been re-stocked. Plans are being put into motion for the changes that are about to occur that will change our lives forever! Of course, we are talking about the election of our 2021 Potentate, Husker (Ill. Sir Jerry Pigsley) to the office of Potentate of Sesostris Shrine! (What election did you think we were talking about!)

We are honored that one of own, Husker, has risen up through the Shrine ranks to take on this leadership role. (Most clowns sink!) Husker, don't worry about a thing, the Clowns have your back and are here to help and support you! I know you feel reassured and relieved now! We can't wait to experience all the fun in 2021! Just an FYI Nobles.....make sure to bring a towel and an extra shirt to activities next year..... it could be a little messy! As they used to say at SeaWorld, "You could be in the splash zone!"

Like most of you, the Clowns have been pretty much shut down due to the COVID-19 restrictions. I think we were even included in the health directives issued by the Governor. I still don't understand how being close to a Clown could be hazardous to your health. It just shows we need to do a better job of lobbying Scraps! Thank goodness the restrictions will soon be lifted (or was it a restraining order?). We had to turn down gigs last year at both national political conventions, the throwing of the first pitch at the College World Series and serving as the pace swimmer for the Olympic Trials that were to be held in Omaha. I know, disappointing wasn't it!

We look forward to a healthy and fun-filled 2021! Keep smiling!

## ***Become a Friend of FEZtivities***

The Sesostris FEZtivities is a top notch bi-monthly publication that keeps the Nobles of the Sesostris Shrine and their loved ones updated on coming events and celebrates, through pictures and articles, the successes and fun we have as a temple. This quality publication does not come without a cost. Roughly 50% of the cost to create, print, and mail this publication is covered by our advertisers. The rest comes out of our General Fund. To help us offset these expenses, we are asking Sesostris Nobles or ladies to become "Friends of the FEZtivities" by donating just \$18 a year.

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Please join us as we celebrate  
**2020 Potentate's Lady Becky Johnson**

and all our Sesostris Shrine Ladies  
with a Christmas Luncheon

**POSTPONED TO SATURDAY  
JANUARY 30, 2021**

Doors open at 10:30 a.m.

\*Entertainment at 11 a.m.

*Victorian Christmas by Sue McLain*

Lunch at Noon

Door Prizes after Lunch

Cost is \$10 per person (only 6 at a table)

We will have this all in the Great Hall this year so that we may have proper Social Distancing. Masks are required. Temperatures may be taken.

Reservations due to the Shrine Center by **JANUARY 22, 2021**.  
(Reservations are mandatory!)

This can be done on the Shrine Website:

<https://www.sesostrisshrine.org>

Just click on the "Attending Event" in the upper left corner  
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# YOU ARE INVITED...

To the Open Installation of



**Potentate-Elect  
Jerry Pigsley**



The Divan of Sesostris  
and Club and Unit Officers  
Saturday, January 9, 2021  
Installation at 2:00 p.m  
at the Scottish Rite Temple

*We will NOT have a Reception  
following the installation*

## • CLUB AND UNIT • OFFICER ORIENTATION

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 16, 2021**

Sesostris Shrine Center

9:00 a.m. – Noon

Coffee & Donuts Provided (no lunch)  
*During this meeting we'll discuss our goals for the  
Sesostris Shrine in 2021*

- Financial Status • Fundraising • Membership
- Fun, Fellowship, Club & Unit Events

- Building Use/Reservations • Meet your Divan Representatives

**Join your 2021 Potentate and Divan.**

Each club and unit should have a representative present.

Wear your Fez/Casual Dress.

## ANNUAL MEETING

**Wednesday, January 13, 2021**

Sesostris Shrine Center  
1050 Saltillo Road • Roca, Nebraska

5:30 p.m. Social

6:00 p.m. Dinner

7:00 p.m. Meeting

**COST OF DINNER: \$3.00**

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# January

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
					1 12:00am New Years Day Office Closed	2
3 12:00am India Installation Oklahoma City	4 7:00pm Chanters Meeting 7:00pm Pawnee Shrine Club Meeting	5 6:30pm Corvettes Meeting	6 6:00pm Cushmans 6:00pm Mustangs Meeting 6:00pm Shrine Bowl Club Meeting 7:00pm Iron Nobles Meeting	7 6:00pm Circus Head Kickoff Meeting	8 6:00pm Tangier Installation	9 9:00am Installation Practice - SR 1:00pm Installation - SR
10 2:00pm Tahama Installation	11 4:00pm Finance Meeting 5:30pm Divan Meeting	12 6:30pm Directors Staff Business Meeting 7:00pm Cruis'n Classics Meeting	13 6:00pm Stated Meeting 6:00pm Bugeaters Meeting 9:00pm Drifters Meeting	14	15	16 9:00am Club/Unit Orientation 5:30pm Cruisin Classics Christmas Party
17 2:00pm Keystone Kops Meeting	18 12:00am Martin Luther King Day 5:30pm Pharaoh's Meeting	19 6:00pm Blue Valley Fireman 6:30pm Fez Walk Committee Meeting	20	21 7:00pm Legion of Honor 7:30pm Band Meeting	22	23 5:00pm Hy-Vee Williamsburg Christmas Party- CANCELLED
24	25 7:00pm Gun Club Meeting	26 6:30pm Directors Staff Work Night	27 4:00pm Cruis'n Classics @ Don & Millies - South	28 7:00pm LOH/Provost Marshall 7:00pm Clowns Meeting	29 Ladies Luncheon Set up in Great Hall	30 11:00am Ladies Luncheon - Great Hall
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# February

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
	1 7:00pm Pawnee Shrine Club Meeting	2 6:30pm Corvettes Meeting	3 6:00pm Cushmans Meeting  6:00pm Mustangs Meeting  6:00pm Shrine Bowl Club Meeting  7:00pm Iron Nobles Meeting	4 6:00pm Blue Valley Shrine Club Social	5	6
7	8 4:00pm Finance Meeting  5:30pm Divan Meeting	9 6:30pm Directors Staff Business Meeting  7:00pm Cruis'n Classics Meeting	10 6:00pm Stated Meeting  6:00pm Bugeaters Meeting  9:00pm Drifters Meeting	11	12 Scottish Rite/Shrine Valentine Party	13
14 Abate Bake Show - LEC  Valentine's Day  2:00pm Keystone Kops Meeting	15 Presidents' Day  5:30pm Pharaoh's Meeting	16 Fez Walk Committee Meeting	17	18 6:00pm Blue Valley  7:00pm Legion of Honor  7:30pm Band Meeting	19	20 9:00am Covered Wagons meeting - Golden Corral  6:00pm Mardi Gras Party (SC)
21 5:30pm Blue Valley Fireman	22 7:00pm Gun Club Meeting	23 6:30pm Directors Staff Work Night	24 4:00pm Cruis'n Classics @ Don & Millies - South	25 7:00pm Clowns Meeting  7:00pm LOH/Provost Marshall	26 6:00pm Nile Quarter Auction	27 5:00pm Indoor Fishing Tournament/Dinner
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# STATED MEETING

Wednesday, February 10, 2021

Sesostris Shrine Center  
1050 Saltillo Road • Roca, Nebraska  
5:30 p.m. Social  
6:00 p.m. Dinner  
7:00 p.m. Meeting

**COST OF DINNER: \$3.00**

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# Shriner Town Hall Meeting

February 10, 2021

Sesostris Shrine Center

**Social 5:00 p.m.**

**Dinner 6:00 p.m.**

**Meeting 7:00 p.m.**

Join your fellow Shriners and ladies for an update from Imperial Treasurer Brad Koehn and Lady Cheryl

# MARDI GRAS PARTY!

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 20, 2021

SESOSTRIS SHRINE CENTER

DOORS OPEN AT 5:30 P.M.

DINNER AT 6:30 P.M.

A touch of New Orleans in Nebraska

(See page 19 for details)

# SAVE THE DATE

*1st FAC of 2021*

March 5, 2021

5:00 p.m.

Sesostris Shrine Center

This event will include a meal. Keep your eyes peeled for more details...

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**February 27, 2021**

at the Sesostris Shrine Center

**DOORS OPEN @ 5:00 p.m. • FISHING BEGINS @ 6:00 p.m.**

Public welcome

## **Official Rules:**

- Must buy a fishing license that has a specific identification number with 25 lures.
  - Licenses are \$20 each and are non-transferable
  - You may buy additional lures...30 lures for \$20.00  
(Kids under 12) Kid License...20 lures, \$10.00 Kids Prizes
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- When you arrive at the hole you'll draw a card which indicates the weight of the fish
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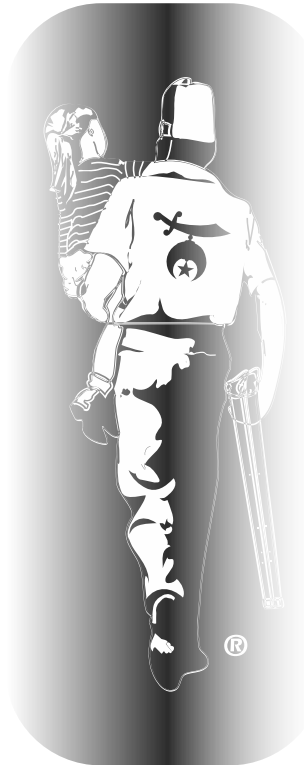


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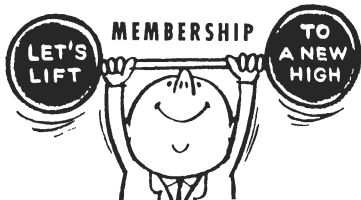
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9/30/2020	987
AFFILIATIONS	0
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RESTORED	1
ASSOCIATION DROPPED	1
EXPIRED	8
DEMIT	0
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TRIPS BY SHRINE VAN . . . . .	0
FAMILIES PROVIDING OWN TRANSPORTATION . . . . .	19
AIR . . . . .	1
TOTAL . . . . .	20

FROM FEBRUARY 2020 TO NOVEMBER 2020

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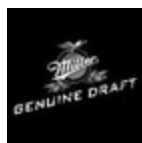
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