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join them
for the

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POTENTATE'S
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**SATURDAY
APRIL 18, 2026**

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POTENTATE

Greetings for your Potentate,

The Installation and Reception were both awesome and truly impressive. I want to thank all of the Nobles, Past Potentates and of course the Ladies for all their hard work. The decorating team was led by Lady Nancy Weers, Lady Judy Phelps, Lady Vicki Tuxhorn, Noble Roger and Lady Becky Chamberlin and Noble Bob and Lady Bonnie Pratt. They all deserve a great big Thank You for decorating the Toasting Room and for the decorations at the Installation Reception. The Gourmet Club provided a great meal and the Bar Staff provided us with great service and beverages. There were so many positive comments for both the Nile Musical Notes and the Job's Daughters Living Cross presentation at the Installation. Thank you to all of you.

The events at Sesostris in January and February were all very well attended. I believe this is an indication that Sesostris will have a great year.

March and April will be very busy months. Please review the calendar to note all of the activity that is scheduled. Nobles and Ladies have worked hard and planned well to present these events. We hope you will attend as many of the events as you are able to in order to support Sesostris and the Club and Units.

My goal for Sesostris is to increase our membership, to have fun and fellowship and to be "United in Service" together.

Fraternally yours,

Ill Sir Roger L. Wells



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Get the WORD OUT.

Be a part of the FEZtivities!

Let us know what your club/unit is up to by submitting your info to this newsletter!

If you attend a Shrine event and take photos, feel free to send them in for inclusion.

Materials for the next issue are due by **March 31.**

Email items to: **feztivities@hotmail.com**



Greetings from the First Lady

Ill Sir Roger and I want to thank all of those who joined together to plan and work for the 2026 Installation Ceremony and Reception. There is not enough space in this letter to name them all. Many were given recognition at the ceremony. However, it takes a great many to make it happen. Thank you, Thank you to you all.

When Ill. Sir Roger and I walked into that great hall it was thrilling to see that it was completely full of family, friends and our Masonic family. It was a beginning to our goal of bringing unity with all of Masonry. It lifted our spirits.

Sesostris Installation isn't just about installing the newly elected Potentate and Divan. We find it to be a time to begin a new year for us all to join together to build membership, enthusiasm to work and serve our community and to have a fun time together.

Our Divan and their Ladies are a strong team and bring a great deal of creativity, skills and a desire to serve Sesostris. It is an honor and privilege to work with them. We respect the fact that this is their year as well and it will take the team to make 2026 successful.

We hope you all will join in the events we have planned for the coming year. While we work to help assure some financial stability, we want these events to bring members, friends and family to Sesostris to share good times together. We hope to see you all at the Center as much as you are able.

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Mona S. Wells

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First Lady of Sesostris Shrine



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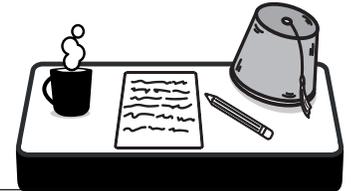


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From the Recorder's Desk



Nobles,

On **Friday, March 27, and Saturday, March 28**, we are pleased to welcome back **Dueling Pianos – The Colorado Keys** to the Shrine Center. If you have not yet experienced their show, you are in for a real treat. This high-energy, interactive performance features two talented pianists playing a wide variety of favorites—from classic rock and pop hits to well-loved sing-along songs.

During **Saturday's performance**, the **Loyal Order of Water Buffaloes, Quarry of Sesostris**, will be hosting a reunion. Invitations have been sent to all CSSA Shrine Centers, and we hope to see many Water Buffaloes from other chapters in attendance. **Caveman attire is encouraged**—think Flintstones! Both evenings are open to the public, so feel free to bring your family and friends. Tickets are available on the Sesostris Shrine website under **Quick Links** ☞ **Shrine Event Tickets**.

On **Saturday, April 11**, please join us for the **Pharaohs' Annual Beer, Wine, and Spirits Tasting**—one of our premier events of the year. This evening always offers a wonderful selection of beverages, great fellowship, and plenty of good cheer.

Please also **save the date for the Potentate's Ball on Saturday, April 18**. See the ad in this issue of FEZtivies for details.

A reminder that **2026 dues were due on December 31, 2025**. We still have Nobles who have not yet submitted their 2026 dues. If this applies to you, we respectfully ask that you complete your dues payment as soon as possible. **New for 2026:** Shriners International will issue a black plastic membership card that does not display a year.

Dues may be paid by mailing a check to the Sesostris Shrine Office or online at **www.sesostrisshrine.org** (click Quick Links) or **www.shrinetempledues.org**.

- **2026 Annual Dues:** \$110.00
- **Sesostris Shrine Lifetime Membership:** \$1,100.00 (\$55 × 20 years)
- **Shriners International Lifetime Membership:** \$1,500.00 (\$50 × 30 years)
- **Permanent Hospital Contribution:** \$150.00 (\$5 × 30 years)
- **Total Lifetime Membership (all three):** \$2,750.00

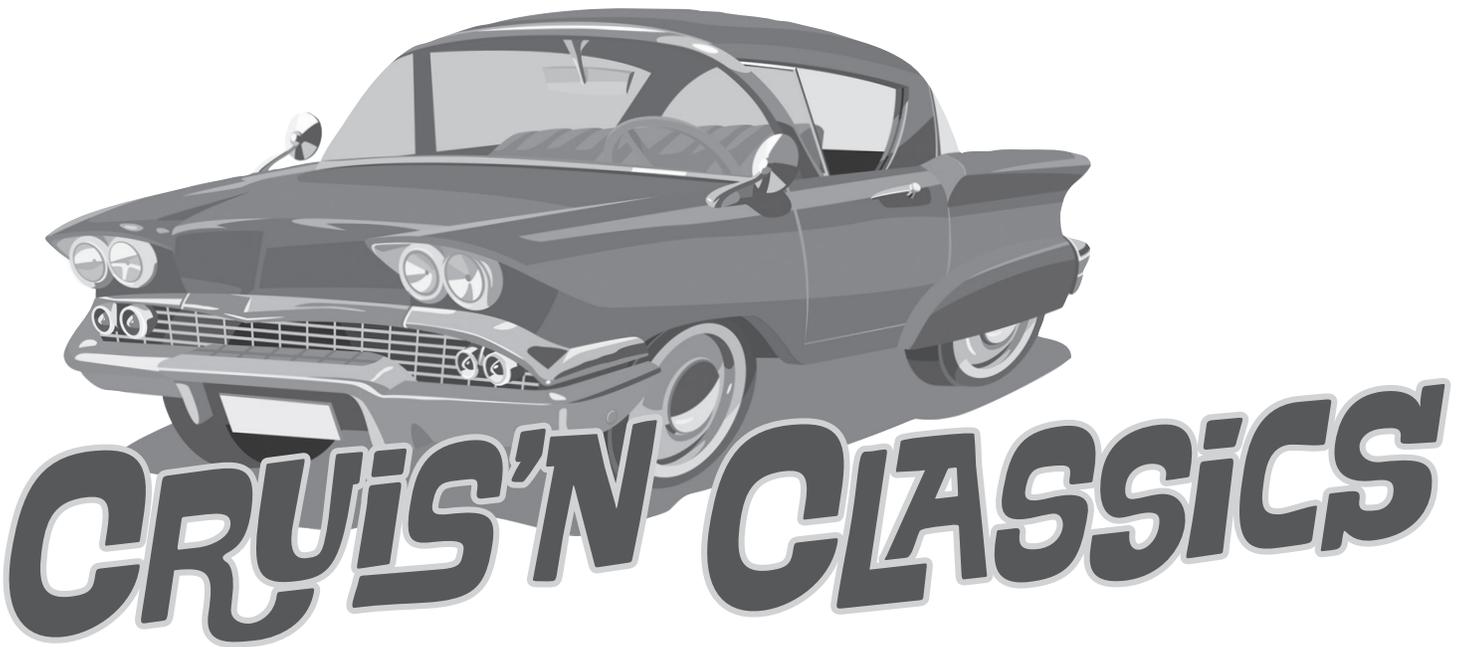
If a lifetime membership is not right for you, please consider it as a **Shriner legacy** for a younger family member.

Finally, **thank you** to all the Nobles, Clubs, Units, and Divan members who volunteer their time, plan events, donate, and support Sesostris Shrine and Shriners Children's. Your dedication is essential to our mission of helping children—while enjoying the fellowship that makes our fraternity so special.

Fraternally,

Ken Johnson

Recorder



Thank you for your continued support of the Cruis'n Classics over the past year. We began 2026 by celebrating the installation of Illustrious Sir Roger Wells and his Divan—Congratulations to all. On Saturday, January 17, we hosted our annual Christmas party at the Shrine Center. Approximately 45 guests enjoyed a meal by Hake Catering, a gift exchange, and recognized our unit officers' leadership for the past year. Cruis'n Classics awarded Noble Lyell Weyers the "Cruis'n Classic of the Year" to recognize his dedicated service to the unit.

Our focus now shifts to our annual fundraising efforts, beginning with the Don & Millie's Cruise Nights. Please join us at 5200 South 56th Street on the fourth Wednesday of each month (January through November) from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. When ordering, please inform the cashier that you are supporting Cruis'n Classics, as a portion of every sale is donated back to our unit. These events are open to the public, and drive-thru orders are encouraged.

Planning is also underway for the Cruis'n Classics Auto Show on Sunday, July 26, at the Shrine Center. The event will feature a diverse display of cars, trucks, and motorcycles. We are currently seeking business sponsors. If you know of a business interested in supporting the show, please contact a member for sponsorship details and forms.

We would like to thank those who continue to donate aluminum cans and metals to the Shrine. Please ensure bags are securely tied and placed in the corral on the west side of the Shrine Center near the loading dock. Additionally, please consider purchasing a bag of nuts from Illustrious Sir Keith Will and the Cruis'n Classics at upcoming events. All proceeds benefit the Shrine.

We are pleased to announce the Cruis'n Classics officers for 2026:

- Captain: Noble Ed Bliss
- Lieutenant: Noble Nile Dragoo
- Treasurer: Noble James Eggerling
- Secretary: Noble Jeff Eggerling

Our unit meets on the first Wednesday of every month at 7:00 p.m. at the Shrine Center. Membership is open to anyone with an interest in classic vehicles, and ownership is not required. We look forward to a successful year ahead.

Until next time...Happy Cruis'n!

Jeff Eggerling
2025 Cruis'n Classics Secretary

PANCAKE FEED

FEBRUARY 1, 2026



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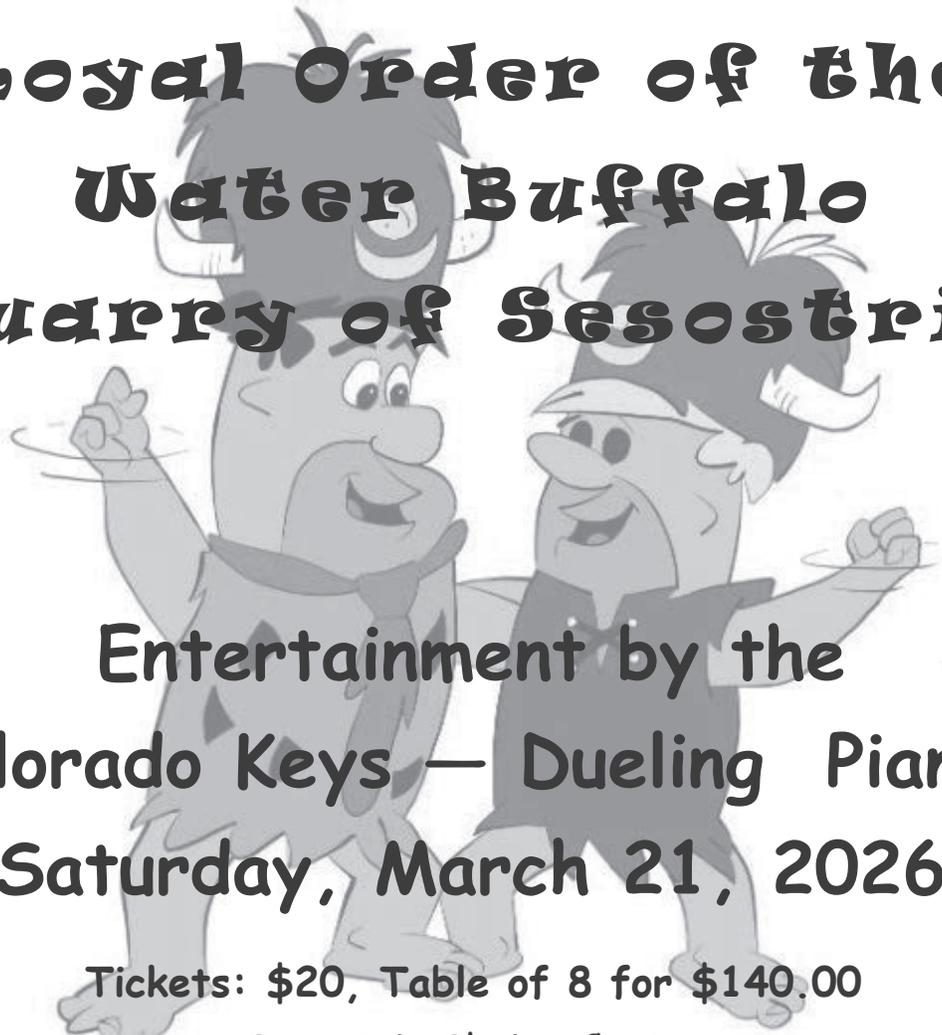
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Quarry of Sesostris**



**Entertainment by the
Colorado Keys — Dueling Pianos
Saturday, March 21, 2026**

Tickets: \$20, Table of 8 for \$140.00

Sesostris Shrine Center

Doors Open at 6:00 PM | Show Starts at 7:00 PM

Delicious food available. Cash bar to keep the good times rolling!

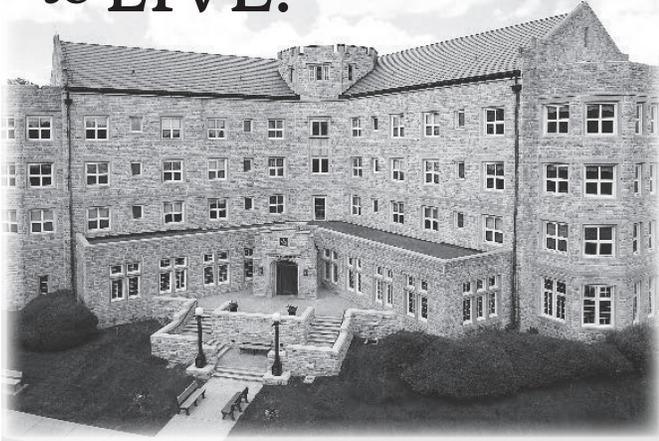
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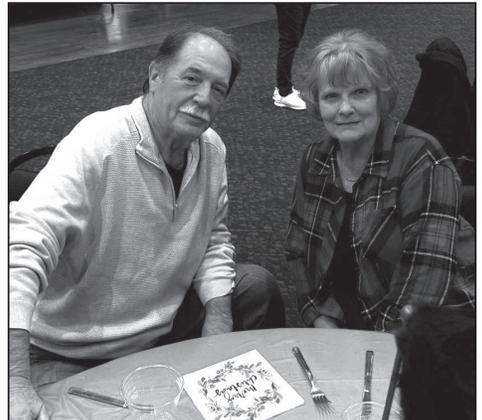


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CRUIS'N CLASSICS CHRISTMAS PARTY

JANUARY 17, 2026



Pizza, Puzzles, & Pitchers

Friday, March 27, 2026 – Doors open at 5:30, Contest starts at 6:00

\$60 per team of 4 - RSVP to Shrine Office 402-474-6890 with Team Name (and 4 member names), Pizza topping, drink choice by MARCH 20th

Cash Prizes for First (\$60), Second (\$40), and Third (\$20) place teams!

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ALPHAS MEETING

ATTENTION ALL NOBLES!

Alphas Unit Monthly Meeting Notice

— WHEN —

7:00 p.m., First Tuesday of Every Month

— WHERE —

Sesostris Shrine Center - Bar Area

This is a great opportunity to connect, discuss upcoming events, and strengthen our unit.

Ladies are welcome to attend. *We look forward to seeing you there!*

New Nobles are encouraged to attend and become part of the Alphas Unit.

POTENTATE, CLUB & UNIT INSTALLATION JANUARY 10, 2026



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CLUB & UNIT ORIENTATION

JANUARY 17, 2026



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All you need to do to sign up is call or email the Nobles below with the following information: Your name, phone number, email address, and Lodge name and number.

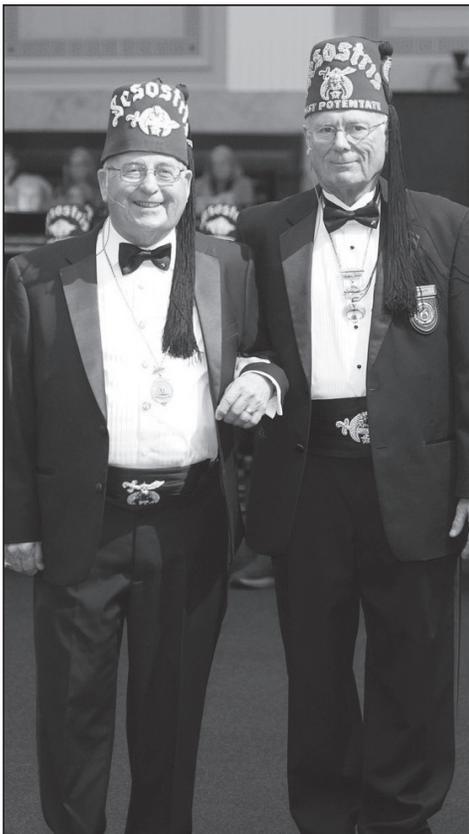


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POTENTATE, CLUB & UNIT INSTALLATION

JANUARY 10, 2026



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Jerry's 70th Birthday

SUNDAY
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FRIDAY

MARCH 27, 2026

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STATED MEETING

March 11, 2026

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: \$10.00

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▶ UPCOMING FEZTIVITIES DEADLINES

MAY/JUNE 2026 ▶ MARCH 31
JULY/AUGUST 2026 ▶ MAY 31
SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2026 ▶ JULY 31
NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2026 ▶ SEPT 30



MARCH

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 6:00 p.m. Pawnee Shrine Club Meeting - Columbus	3 6:00 p.m. Corvett Club Meeting 7:00 p.m. Alphas Meeting	4 7:00 a.m. Koffee Klatch 6:00 p.m. Cushmans 6:00 p.m. Shrine Bowl Meeting 7:00 p.m. Cruis'n/Mustangs 7:00 p.m. Iron Nobles	5 6:00 p.m. Ducks Unlimited Set up CSSA Business Meeting	6 5:30 p.m. Ducks Unlimited UNL CSSA Business Meeting	7 CSSA Business Meeting
8 1:00 p.m. Pigsley Birthday Party 2:00 p.m. Keystone Kops Meeting CSSA Business Meeting	9 5:30 p.m. Divan Meeting	10 10:30 a.m. Women's Welcome Club of Lincoln 6:30 p.m. Directors Staff Business Meeting	11 7:00 a.m. Koffee Klatch 5:30 p.m. Stated Meeting	12	13 9:00 a.m. Lincoln Coin Show Set Up	14 9:00 a.m. Lincoln Coin Show Event
15	16 4:00 p.m. Finance Meeting 6:00 p.m. Pharoahs Meeting 6:00 p.m. Platte Valley Shrine Club Meeting	17 5:30 p.m. Fesztival of Trees Meeting	18 7:00 a.m. Koffee Klatch	19	20 6:00 p.m. Dueling Pianos Colorado Keys	21 1:00 p.m. Ogorzolka Anniversary Party 6:00 p.m. Water Buffalo Reunion & Dueling Pianos Colorado Keys
22 2:00 p.m. Keystone Kops Work Night	23 6:00 p.m. Sportsman Gun Raffle Committee Meeting 7:00 p.m. Gun Club Meeting	24 6:30 p.m. Directors Staff Work Night	25 7:00 a.m. Koffee Klatc 4:00 p.m. Cruis'n Classics @ Don & Millie's South	26 6:30 p.m. Bar Committee Meeting 7:00 p.m. LOH/Provost Marshall Meeting 7:00 p.m. Clowns Meeting	27 6:00 p.m. Pizzas, Puzzles and Pitchers	28 9:00 a.m. Covered Wagons Meeting 4:00 p.m. Shrine Unplugged-Tentative
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APRIL

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			<p>7:00 a.m. Koffee Klatch</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Cushmans</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Shrine Bowl Meeting</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Cruis'n/Mustangs</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Iron Nobles</p>	<p>6:00 p.m. Pioneer Club Meeting</p>		<p>10:00 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt</p>
<p>5</p> <p>EASTER SUNDAY</p>	<p>6</p> <p>5:30 p.m. Divan Meeting</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Pawnee Shrine Club Meeting - Columbus</p>	<p>7</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Corvette Club Meeting</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Alphas Meeting</p>	<p>8</p> <p>7:00 a.m. Koffee Klatch</p> <p>5:30 p.m. Stated meeting</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Shrine Bowl Meeting</p>	<p>9</p>	<p>10</p> <p>4:00 p.m. BWS Set up</p>	<p>11</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Pharaohs BWS</p>
<p>12</p> <p>2:00 p.m. Keystone Kops Meeting</p> <p>Nile Installation</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14</p> <p>10:30 a.m. Women's Welcome Club of Lincoln</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Directors Staff Business Meeting</p>	<p>15</p> <p>7:00 a.m. Koffee Klatch</p>	<p>16</p>	<p>17</p> <p>1:00 p.m. Potentate's Ball Set Up</p>	<p>18</p> <p>2:00 p.m. Potentate's Ball</p>
<p>19</p> <p>4:30 p.m. Shrine Bowl Parent/Player Dinner</p>	<p>20</p> <p>4:00 p.m. Finance Meeting</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Platte Valley Shrine Club Meeting</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Pharaohs Meeting</p>	<p>21</p> <p>5:30 p.m. Feztival of Trees Meeting</p>	<p>22</p> <p>7:00 a.m. Koffee Klatch</p> <p>4:00 p.m. Cruis'n Classics @ Don & Millie's South</p>	<p>23</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Bar Committee Meeting</p> <p>7:00 p.m. LOH/Provost Marshall Meeting</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Clowns Meeting</p>	<p>24</p> <p>4:30 p.m. Oasis Bar Night</p> <p>BV Shrine Club Social Event with the Ladies</p>	<p>25</p> <p>1:00 p.m. Spring Ceremonial - Sesostri's Shrine Center</p> <p>5:00 p.m. Spring Ceremonial</p>
<p>26</p> <p>1:30 p.m. Wheel Tune Up Events</p> <p>2:00 p.m. Keystone Kops Work Night</p> <p>5:00 p.m. Bethel 63 Event</p>	<p>27</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Sportsman Gun Raffle Committee Meeting</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Gun Club Meeting</p>	<p>28</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Directors Staff Work Night</p>	<p>29</p> <p>7:00 a.m. Koffee Klatch</p>	<p>30</p>		

STATED MEETING

April 8, 2026

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: \$10.00

Wear your FEZ.
Must have 2026 dues card.

SESOSTRIS SHRINERS 2-WHEEL TUNE-UP EVENT



Sunday, April 26th @ Sesostris Shrine Center 1050 Saltillo Rd
1:30 p.m. – Registration
5:00 p.m. – Group Ride to Dinner
Net proceeds from this event are for the benefit of the Sesostris Shrine Iron Nobles. Pay-ments are not deductible as charitable contributions.

SAVE THE DATE Ladies of the Sesostris Nobility

Please join the
Sesostris Divan Ladies

For: Fun and Fellowship

When: April 8, 2026, Stated Session, 5:30 PM

Where: Sesostris Shrine Center

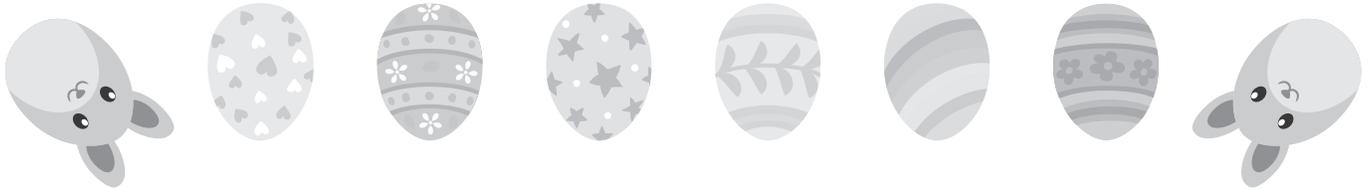
Hostess: Lady Joni Bennett

We will eat with the Nobility, Cost is **\$10**

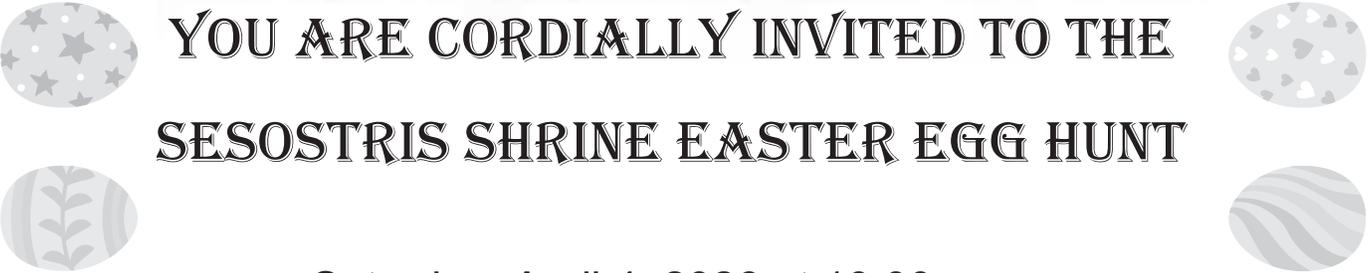
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Presentation by Lady Betty Kirby

RSVP by April 1, 2026
to Antonia, 402-474-6890



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SESOSTRIS SHRINE EASTER EGG HUNT**



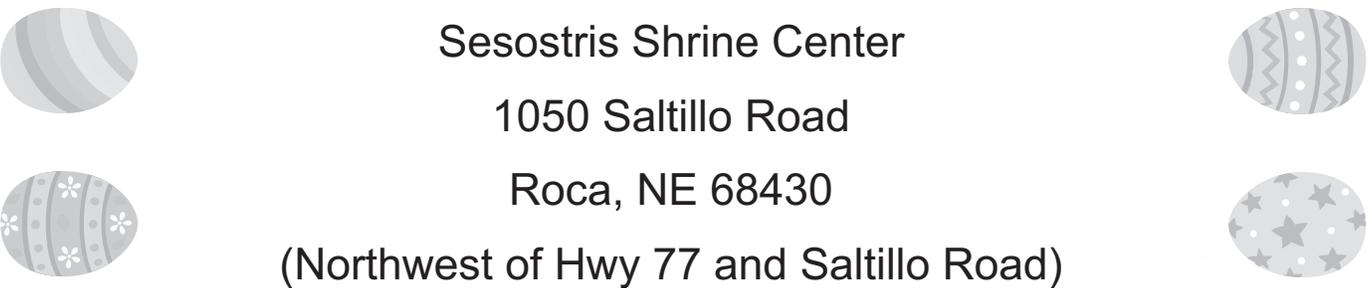
Saturday, April 4, 2026 at 10:00 a.m.

Sesostris Shrine Center

1050 Saltillo Road

Roca, NE 68430

(Northwest of Hwy 77 and Saltillo Road)



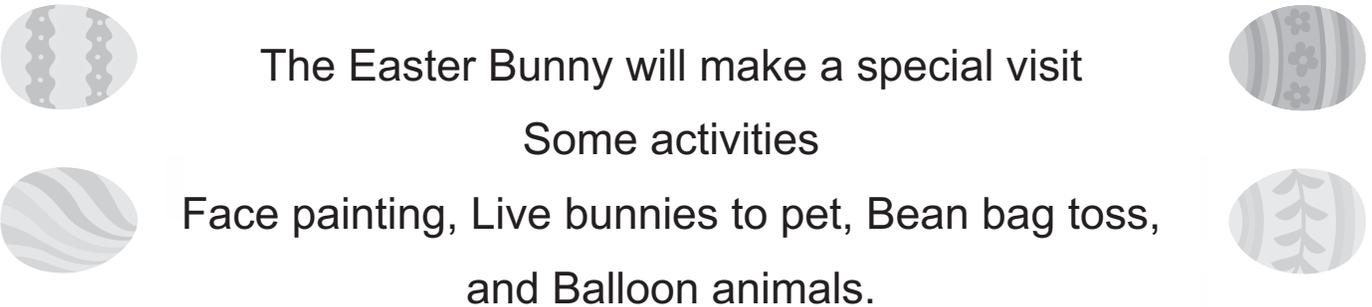
The Easter Bunny will make a special visit

Some activities

Face painting, Live bunnies to pet, Bean bag toss,
and Balloon animals.

Lunch will be served, Hot dogs & tator tots \$2.00

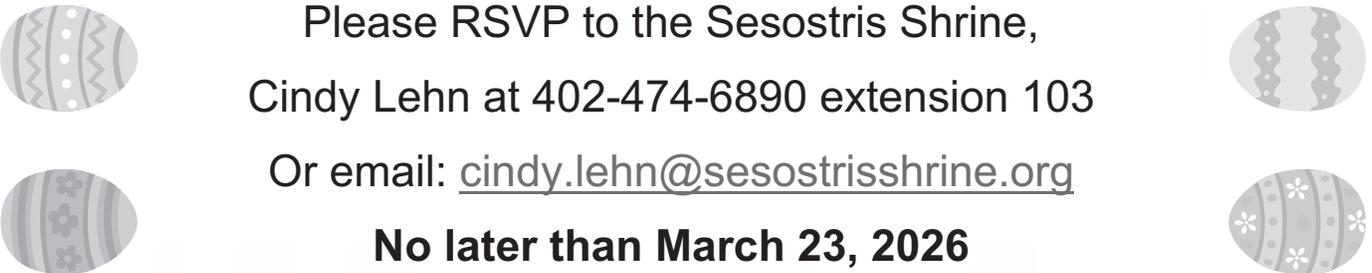
Siblings are welcome



Please RSVP to the Sesostris Shrine,
Cindy Lehn at 402-474-6890 extension 103

Or email: cindy.lehn@sesostrisshrine.org

No later than March 23, 2026



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**SATURDAY
APRIL 18, 2026**

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Hospitality 2 PM to 4 PM

FORMAL ATTIRE

**Social Hour - Toasting - Presentations - 5 PM
to 6 PM**

Dinner - 6 PM

Dance - 7 PM

DINNER BY B&J CATERING

Slow Roasted Prime Rib

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**2026
POTENTATE'S
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*Entertainment
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**PLEASE RSVP BY APRIL 10
TO SESOSTRIS SHRINE 402-474-6890**

For hotel accommodations contact Sesostris Shrine at above number

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MOONLIGHT AND ROSES
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Dinner – 6 PM

Dance – 7 PM

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Noble and Lady: _____

Meal Request: Prime Rib _____ Salmon _____

Shrine Name: _____ Position: _____

Club or Unit Name: _____

Number of Adults _____ Amount Enclosed _____

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RSVP to the Shrine Center by APRIL 10, 2026

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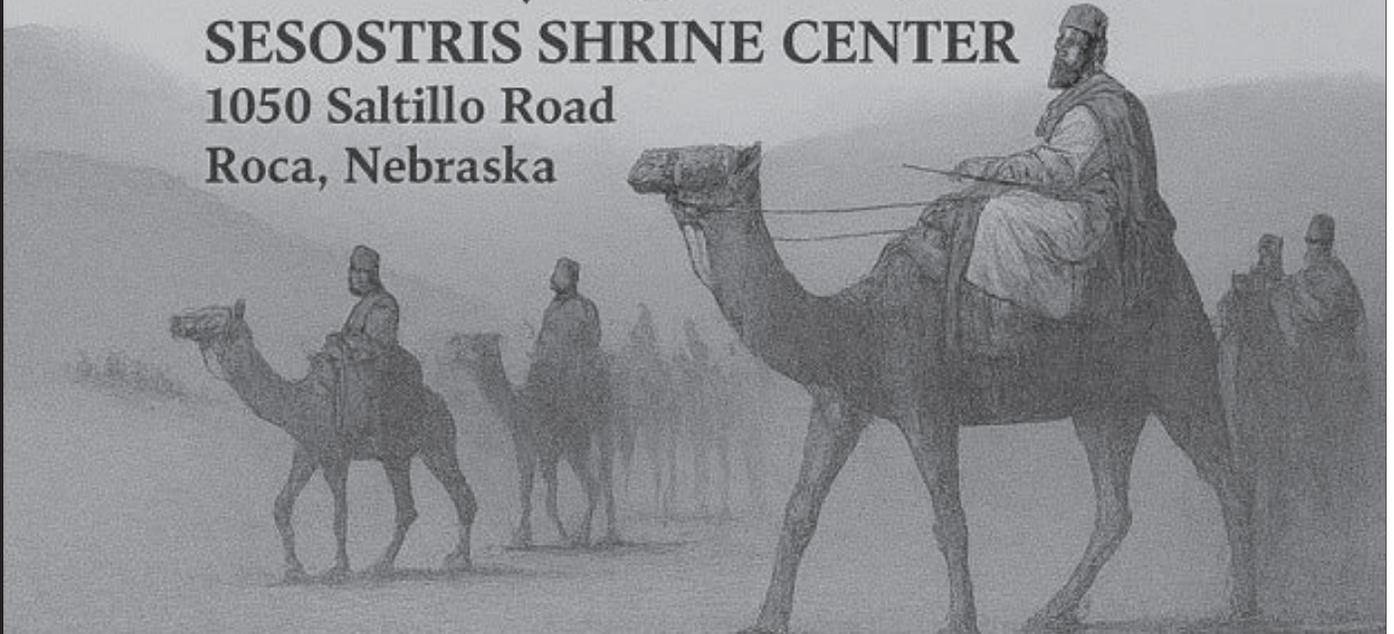
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SESOSTRIS SHRINE SPRING CEREMONIAL 2026

Saturday April 25, 2026

SESOSTRIS SHRINE CENTER
1050 Saltillo Road
Roca, Nebraska



ATTENTION: CLUB & UNIT NOBLES

Please join us for the Club & Unit Social

3:00 PM at the Sesostris Shrine Center

New Nobles will be asked to visit with all Club & Units

Introduce new Nobles to your Club or Unit

Petitions for Sesostris Shrine Membership must be filed with the Recorder by 10:00 AM

April 25, 2026.

Petition forms are available at the Shrine Center office

or www.sesostrisshrine.org > Resources

Brother Master Masons can use the internet to fill out a petition

www.beashrinemow.com

SESOSTRIS SHRINE SPRING CEREMONIAL SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 2026

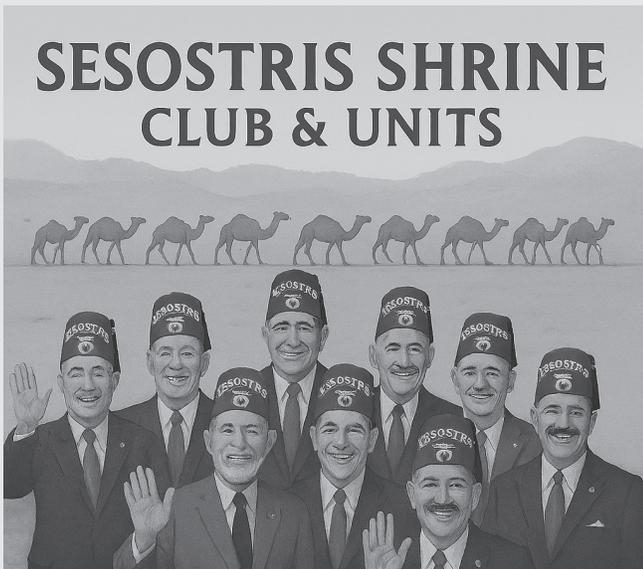


**2:00 PM:
SPRING CEREMONIAL AT
THE SCOTTISH RITE
CENTER**

**3:30 PM:
SPRING CEREMONIAL
DINNER AT THE SHRINE
CENTER**



SESOSTRIS SHRINE CLUB & UNITS



ATTENTION: CLUB & UNIT MEMBERS

Please join us for the
Ceremonial Social

3:00 p.m. at the Shrine Center

SATURDAY, APRIL 25

New Nobles will be asked to visit with all
Club & Units

Introduce new Nobles to your Club or Unit

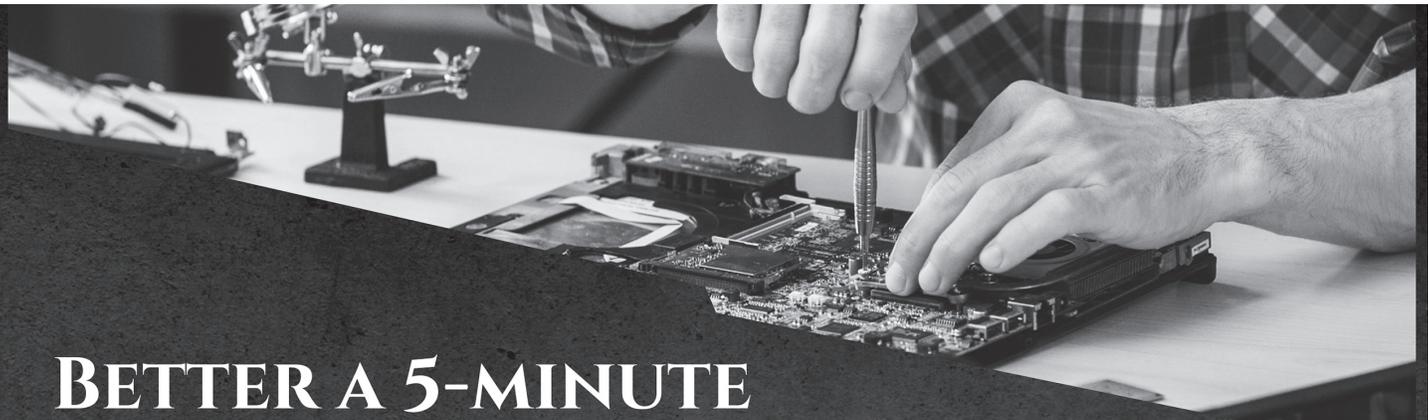
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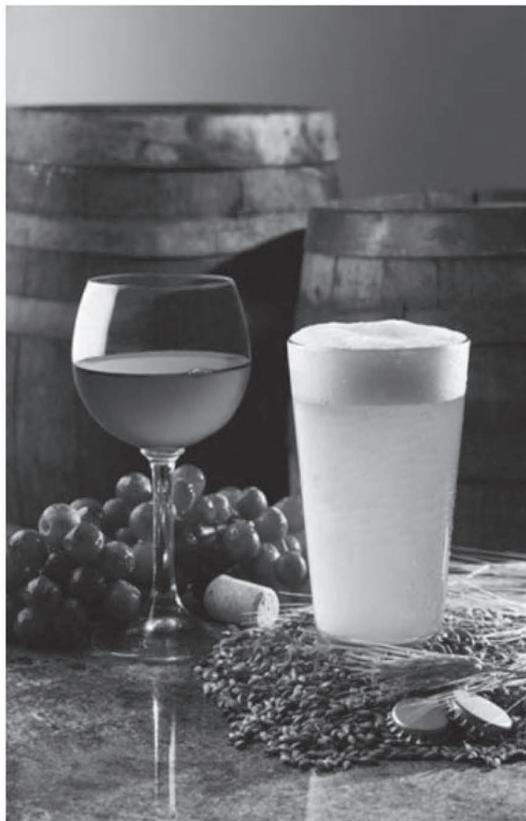
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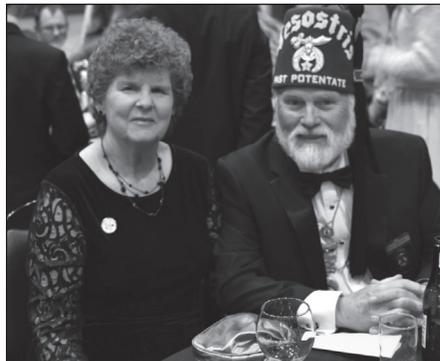
Scan Event QR Code for more Info!

Saturday April 11th, 2026, 6:00pm to 10:00pm
SesostriS Shrine 1050 Saltillo Road, Roca, NE 68430 South of Lincoln (Highway 77 & Saltillo Road)
FOR MORE INFORMATION • CONTACT MIKE FRAIN 402-730-6024 OR ANY PHARAOHS MEMBER

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POTENTATE INSTALLATION RECEPTION

JANUARY 10, 2026



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JANUARY 10, 2026





March Birthdays

02 Randall L Meier Wayne S Reinwald	Jerry L Pigsley PP Larry M Wiegert Sr	Donald J Schleining Jr	Michael P Munson	28 Richard R Otto
03 John J Duling Darrell Ihde Kenneth W Koop Jr Russell G Reno	07 T John Hinkel Nathaniel D Lueders Reuben D Rieke Kenneth D Tenhulzen	16 Steven R Murphy	22 Jeffery A Kubik Robert O Rhodes John R Westland	29 William H Dedick Walter S Dodge Jeffrey W Pierce
05 Jeffrey J Johnson	09 Thomas J Ortgies	17 Patrick J Barratt B Dean Marples Gregory S Weaver Mark A Whitehead	23 Steven D Cherep Bruce D Pegler	30 David M Fauss
06 George G Andrew John S Breeden II M DeWayne Kinney Russell O Langley Thomas L Nemeč	11 Scott L Haney Scott A Knispel	19 Kurt M Beckenhauer H John Kirby Terry E Norris	24 Thomas Trainor PP	31 Steven A Meyer Michael Ondrak Allan B Petersen
	13 Robert G Eklund	20 Wayne N Buehler	25 Ray G Boevink John J Hahn	
	14 Harry F Lipert Jr	21 Wayne L Garrison	27 Robert L Clark Robert H Short	

April Birthdays

01 Robert E Adams Troy L Hansen Carl Plants	Andy Elliott Douglas W Johnson Robert G Simard	15 Robert L Klein Jr Marc E Lebaron Allyn S Weyer	19 Kenneth R Kunze Louis Monson	25 Dale G Lueders Robert E Norris Robert J Schmucker
02 Nathanael S Gabel Peter B Kruse James H Pierce	06 Donald M Bashus	16 Thomas R Curry Mark W Roper Thomas H Roper William W Yokel	20 Edward D Raper	27 Ray Denton Mark A Hunzeker
03 Edward J Nelsen James D Surber Rick A Timmerman John B Waldrep	07 Hayes Ngotel Harry J Swenson	17 Clinton R Easton Stephen S Gealy Robert C Rediger Lyell E Weyers	21 Roger L Chrans William E Rogge	28 Taylor L Curry
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05 Brandon L Buehler	10 Stephen C Kennedy		23 Glen H Baker Jr Douglas A Jepsen Greg A Stutheit	
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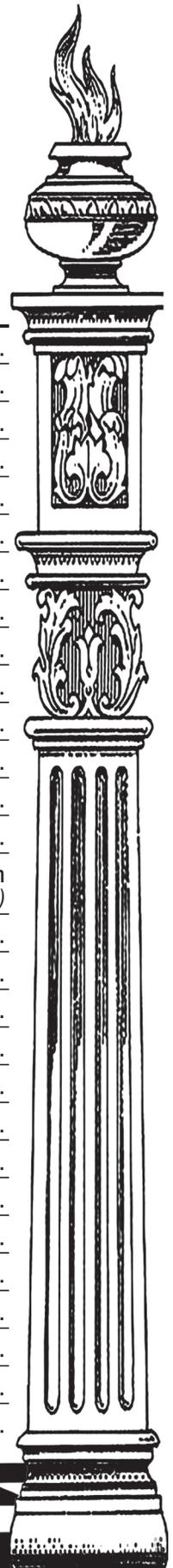
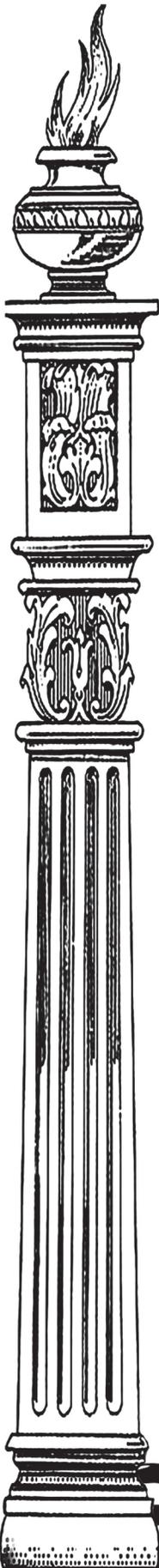
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Lodge Meeting Schedule

LODGE	#	ADDRESS	CITY	COUNTY	MEETING TIMES
Lincoln	19	1635 L St	Lincoln	Lancaster	1 st TUE @ 7:30 p.m.
Lancaster	54	1635 L St	Lincoln	Lancaster	1 st FRI @ 7:00 p.m.
East Lincoln	210	2700 S St	Lincoln	Lancaster	1 st THU @ 7:30 p.m.
North Star	227	2610 N 48th St	Lincoln	Lancaster	1 st WED @ 7:30 p.m.
Geo. Washington	250	4430 N 70th St	Lincoln	Lancaster	1 st TUE @ 7:30 p.m.
Hickman	256	4641 Cooper Ave	Lincoln	Lancaster	1 st THU @ 7:00 p.m.
Cotner	297	1635 L Street	Lincoln	Lancaster	1 st MON @ 7:30 p.m.
Liberty	300	1635 L St	Lincoln	Lancaster	1 st THU @ 7:00 p.m.
Craftsmen	314	2645 B St	Lincoln	Lancaster	1 st TUE @ 7:00 p.m.
College View	320	4641 Cooper Ave	Lincoln	Lancaster	1 st WED @ 7:30 p.m.
Tabula Rasa	332	1635 L St	Lincoln	Lancaster	3 rd TUE @ 6:30 p.m.
Beatrice	26	130 N 7th St	Beatrice	Gage	2 nd MON @ 7:00 p.m.
Highland	194	420 S Sheridan	Cortland	Gage	2 nd TUE @ 8:00 p.m.
Fairbury	35	515 1/2 E St	Fairbury	Jefferson	1 st MON @ 7:30 p.m.
Blue River	30	115 B St	Milford	Seward	TUE @ 7:30 p.m. <i>(after the 2nd Monday)</i>
Oliver	38	143 S 6th St	Seward	Seward	3 rd THU @ 7:00 p.m.
Utica	96	601 C St	Utica	Seward	1 st TUE @ 7:30 p.m.
York	56	1713 N Lincoln Ave	York	York	TUE @ 7:30 p.m.
Lebanon	323	4722 28th St	Columbus	Platte	2 nd WED @ 7:00 p.m.
Pawnee	23	1010 7th St	Pawnee City	Pawnee	3 rd TUE @ 7:30 p.m.
Geneva	79	1620 J St	Geneva	Fillmore	1 st TUE @ 7:30 p.m.
Mosaic	55	907 W Norfolk Ave	Norfolk	Madison	1 st TUE @ 7:30 p.m.
Newman Grove	305	416 Hale Ave	Newman Grove	Madison	1 st MON @ 7:30 p.m.
Fidelity	51	313 West E St	David City	Butler	1 st TUE @ 7:00 p.m.
Osceola	65	451 Hawkeye St	Osceola	Polk	2 nd THU @ 8:00 p.m.
Stromsburg	126	212 Commercial St	Stromsburg	Polk	2 nd TUE @ 7:30 p.m.
Western Star	2	1104 Central Ave	Neb. City	Otoe	3 rd THU @ 7:30 p.m.
Union	287	340 C St	Palmyra	Otoe	2 nd WED @ 7:00 p.m.
Plainview	204	211 N King St	Plainview	Pierce	1 st TUE @ 7:30 p.m.



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Non-Shriner & General Public Events:

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- South Conference Room: \$500
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Sesostris Clubs and Units & Masonic Appellate Groups:

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- If event is open to public:
 - Friday & Saturday \$500
 - Sunday \$250



For booking call the Sesostris Shrine Office (402)-474-6890
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DECEMBER 2025 - JANUARY 2026

GENERAL FUND

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Dale Brambila
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12/1 - 1/31, 2026

**HOSPITAL PATIENT
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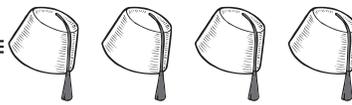
In Memoriam



December 2025 - January 2026

C Arlen Beam
Carroll Eberspacher
Craig R Colborn
John E Foster

Larry Shaw
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VOLUNTEER CORPS

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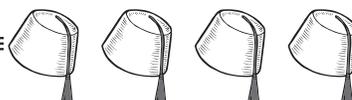
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12-1-25 - 1-31-26

11/30/2025 746

Affiliations	0
Associations	0
Creations	3
Restored	0
Association Dropped ...	0
Expired	8
Demit	2
Resigned	0
Pre-Req Suspension ...	0
Suspension	14

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Total 1/31/2026 .. 725

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Trips by Shrine Van.	3
Families Driving Themselves	12
Air.	2
TOTAL	17

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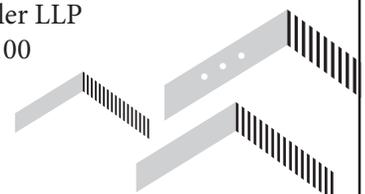
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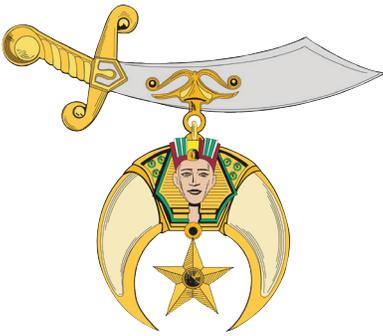
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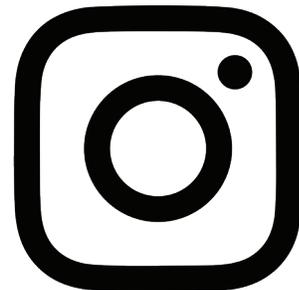
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