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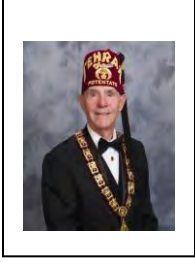


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FEBRUARY
2013

TRAVIS CANTRELL
POTENTATE

2013 Elective Divan



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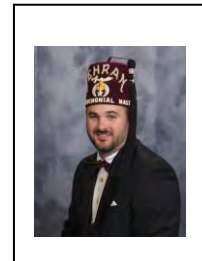


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POTENTATE'S MESSAGE FOR FEBRUARY

January is a busy month, and we're just getting started! I would first like to thank everyone who came out to our Mass Installation on January 5th. With 140 in attendance, we installed our Divan, and a large number of our club and unit heads, during an evening of fellowship and great food. Adrienne and I would like to thank those that made such a memorable evening possible: Chairmen, Larry Goeringer & David Coleman, Installing Officer, Ed Kerber, PP, Master of Ceremonies, Roger Wethey, Director General, Ron Obernolte, PP, and Theme Design & Decorations, Gay Mehelic.

Several Divan members and their ladies traveled to visit Aahmes and Asiya for their presentation and installation events. We were inspired by the commitment and energy of our neighboring Temples, and we look forward to working with them throughout the year. Five of my counterparts are cooperatively working on a Joint Ceremonial to take place in Reno on June 1st. We hope to initiate a large group of new Nobles, which moves me to encourage you all to look for opportunities to invite potential candidates to an event and into our fraternity.

Coming up this month, we have several fun events you'll find advertised in this bulletin. Put your dancing shoes on and get ready to Fox Trot or Cha Cha your way through the year with Ballroom Dance Classes, starting February 6th. **And, don't delay in purchasing your tickets for the Bach Children's Choir Concert, which will support First Lady Adrienne's project to bring music and art programs to the children in our Northern California Hospital. These tickets are limited, so order them before they sell out.**

We're getting ready to attend several Official Visits. (I'm writing this in advance of our January OVs, and I will be reporting on those, next month). I'll look forward to visiting with our members and their ladies at these and other events in the weeks to come. Have a great month!

Yours in Faith,

Travis Cantrell
Potentate



RECORDER'S MESSAGE FOR FEBRUARY

Greetings from the Recorder's Office. The beginning of this year has been very interesting. The transition has not gone without some irregularities. As some of you know, some of the systems in the office have failed and needed to be rebuilt. From the beginning of the year, I have not been able to perform the Recorder job as I should be. We have had to call in a computer network specialist to determine how to fix the network. After replacing some of the missing and damaged equipment, it took him several days of work to repair the damage to the software. He also found extensive damage to several of the computers in the office, including the computer in the Recorder's office.

After the Recorder's computer was fixed, I discovered that some of the software on the computer had been compromised. I have been in contact with Imperial trying to resolve the issues. It was necessary to reinstall the Imperial Membership Program and that is the reason that some of the Nobles have not received their 2013 Dues cards. I hope to be able to get the 2013 Dues cards out within the next week or two. Not having access to the Membership program has also caused problems with communicating to Nobles as I could not get the mailing lists necessary to mail out flyers. Hopefully, this problem will be resolved very shortly.

As we were working on the computer problems, I also had to repair the CCTV camera system in the office. I had to replace some of the CCTV system and reconnect the power supply to the cameras. I also repainted the Recorder's office and cleaned up the Office and storeroom.

Now that things in the office have settled down, we can get back to doing what we need to do to support the Nobles and the Shriner Center.

James C. Stahl PP

Recorder



DIRECTOR GENERAL'S MESSAGE

Our Potentate and First Lady have been very busy putting a Shrine Year together that we all will enjoy and appreciate! Please refer to the “**Highlights for 2013**” on page 19 in this bulletin to preview this year’s events. For February, our **Super Bowl Party** is on Sunday, Feb 3rd. Come see if the 49ers can beat the Baltimore Ravens (see flyer)!

Do you sometimes feel you have two left feet? Don’t let that bother you as we embark on eight sessions of **dance lessons** beginning on Wednesday, Feb 6th (see flyer).

All Divan officers and spouses are encouraged to attend **Official Visits** of our clubs and units. Aides and their spouses are invited to attend as well, as they desire. In February, we have two Official Visits: Thursday, February 14th, Routabouts, and Friday, January 15^h, Novkeps (see flyer).

Just a reminder: Clubs and units wishing to use the Shrine facility for their dinner meetings or socials need to post a \$175 **cleaning deposit** before the date of the event. This was enacted at our November 28, 2012 Board of Directors’ Meeting.

Friday, February 15th, is the last day to submit flyers, articles and event details for inclusion in the **March Director’s Bulletin**. Acceptable documents include PDF files and Microsoft Word documents only. Please submit them to: thesummitgroup@sbcglobal.net.

Lastly, all Nobles should consider attending the “Bach Children’s Choir” concert on Saturday, March 9th (see flyer) and/or the Potentate and First Lady’s cruise, “Seven Days of Sailing Serenity”, beginning Saturday, May 11th (see flyer). Tickets are going fast!

Enjoy the New Shrine Year!

Ron Obernolte, PP, Director General



Super Bowl Party



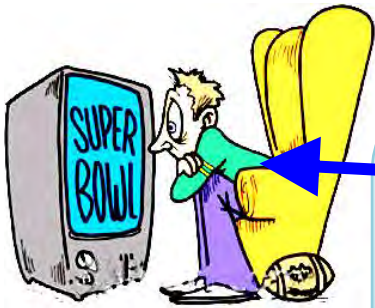
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SHRINE



SUPER SUNDAY, FEB 3, 2013

SHRINE CENTER, 2 PM



Why watch the biggest game of the year like this chump, when you can come on down to the Shrine Center and have a great time with your friends! View the game on **MULTIPLE** Big screen TV's. We will have Excellent Chili Dogs, and you can munch on too many appetizers. Your favorite libations will be available so drink till you just don't care who wins the game!



Please bring your favorite appetizer

Only **\$5.00** Per person. My Gosh, I can drink more than that!!



Come see the 49'er cheerleaders. Yup, either in person or on TV. But probably on TV



Please call the Shrine office for Reservations today!! Or pretty soon!!

Cheerleaders, multiple big screen TVs, food libations, and friends. This is gonna be a Hoot!



FEBRUARY EVENTS

- Sunday, February 3 **Super Bowl Party – 49ers vs. Ravens**
2:00 PM @ Shrine Center; \$5 pp
Please RSVP to Recorder, 559-251-1991
- Monday, February 4 **Flying Shriners**
6:30 PM @ Yosemite Falls, Ashlan & Hwy 99
Contact Mike Bowman, Jr. @ 559-438-8850 \$15 pp
- Wednesday, February 6 **Dance Class!**
6:30 PM @ Shrine Center; \$10 per couple
Please RSVP to Recorder, 559-251-1991
- Monday, February 11 **Merced-Mariposa Shrine Club**
6:00 PM @ La Nita's Restaurant; \$: off menu
Dress: casual with Fez; Ladies Welcome!
RSVP Ray Baker 209-358-2769 or 769-7917 ©
- Tuesday, February 12 **Board of Trustees**
3:00 PM @ Shrine Center
- Tuesday, February 12 **Temple Guard**
Call Jim Meeks @ 559-916-9803 ©
- Wednesday, February 13 **Fresno Shrine Club**
11:30 AM @ Richard's Restaurant, 1607 E. Belmont
Menu: Pork, Chops or Fish or Prime Rib Sandwich
RSVP: Walter Kasabian 559-325-0107, \$17 pp
Dress: Men, casual no fez; Ladies, casual
Vote on Restaurant for rest of the year!

FEBRUARY EVENTS (CONTINUED)

- Thursday, February 14 **Mounted Patrol**
Call George Ward 559-327-7743
RSVP Ray Baker 209-358-2769 or 769-7917 ©
- Thursday, February 14 **Routabouts OV**
6:00 PM @ Sunnyside Country Club
RSVP Rob Crossland, PP 559-281-0673 ©
- Friday, February 15 **Novkeys OV**
6:00 PM No Host Bar; 7:00 PM Dinner, \$20 pp
Yosemite Falls Café, 5123 N. Blackstone Ave.
RSVP Dan Richardson 559-292-2202 by Feb 13
Dress: Suit & tie or unit uniform, no fez (see flyer)
- Tuesday, February 19 **Clowns**
6:00 PM @ Shrine Center; \$10 pp
- Monday, February 25 **Tehran Temple Belles**
11:30 AM @ Carrow's on Blackstone Ave.
RSVP Betty Veffredo 559-431-6260 or
Kerri Gans 559-449-1950
- Monday, February 25 **Past Masters/Knights of Mecca**
Contact Mike Nella, PP 559-871-0382 ©
- Tuesday, February 26 **San Joaquin Valley Tin Lizzies**
6:30 PM @ Vineyard Restaurant
We have room for 6 more drivers/car owners!
Call Jim Sperlich 559-410-5121©, 559-924-5138 h

FEBRUARY EVENTS (CONTINUED)

Wednesday, February 27 **Board of Directors Meeting**

12:00 PM @ Shrine Center

*****REDBRICK CLUB*****

2013 Potentate shirts (brick red!) are now available at the Shrine Center. Only 30 shirts are available in both men and women sizes Medium, Large, Extra Large and 2X. Cost is \$40.00 each.

*****THE RSVP*****

This is a very important thing!

Planning a group event is a hard thing to do without knowing how many people will attend. So many details have to be considered: seating and table arrangements, type of venue needed, amount of food to buy or catering costs to control.

Help make 2013 a good year by doing your part: RSVP in a timely manner so you will save your club or unit a lot of time, money and last minute problems.

If you find yourself at the door with no reservations, please be courteous to your fellow Nobles with reservations and allow them to be seated and/or served first. Let us make it a good year!

SOME THOUGHTS TO PONDER

Am I getting older or has the supermarket begun playing great music?

The first forty years of childhood are always the hardest!

February 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2 PNA Ben Ali Installation
3 Super Bowl Party	4 Flying Shriners	5	6 Dance Class!	7 *	8	9
10	11 Merced/ Mariposa Shrine Club	12 Temple Guard Trustees	13 Fresno Shrine Club Nile	14 Mounted Patrol Roustabouts OV	15 Novkeps OV	16
17	18	19 Clowns	20 **	21	22	23 PNA Zelzah Ripon Parade
24	25 Temple Belles Knights of Mecca	26 Tin Lizzies	27 B.O.D.	28		

NOTES

Temple Events: Super Bowl Party & Dance Class!

PNA = Potentate Not Available

March 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2 PNA: Al Malaikah Shrine
3	4 Flying Shriners	5	6	7 *	8	9 Bach Children's Choir
10	11 Merced/ Mariposa Shrine Club	12 Temple Guard	13 Fresno Shrine Club Nile	14 Mounted Patrol	15 Novkeys	16 Nile Queen's Farewell
17	18	19 Clowns St. Patty's Party	20 **	21 Roustabouts	22	23 Nile Installation
24	25 Temple Belles Knights of Mecca	26 Chief Rabban Calendar Meeting	27 B.O.D.	28	29	30 Screening Clinic South Valley
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NOTES

Temple Event: Bach Children's Choir

***IT'S TIME FOR THE NOVKEPS
TO CELEBRATE THE
OFFICIAL VISIT OF OUR
POTENTATE TRAVIS CANTRELL
AND HIS LADY ADRIENNE***

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Saturday, March 9th

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6:30 p.m. ~ Sparkling Beverages & Heavy Hors d'oeuvres

7:30 p.m. ~ Program & Concert

Tickets ~ \$35.00

Black Tie Optional



Net proceeds to benefit First Lady Adrienne Cantrell's project for 2013
Providing music and art programs & education to our patients at



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**Tickets are available in advance only, by sending your check to:
Tehran Shriners, 5407 E. Olive Ave., Fresno, CA, 93721**

Number of Tickets _____ @ \$35 each

Total enclosed \$ _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: (____) _____

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Parade Dates 2013

Ripon - February 23

Visalia - March 17

Clovis - April 27

Hanford - May 17

Atwater - July 4

Cambria - September 1

Corcoran - October 5

Paso Robles – October 12

Reedley - October 12

Porterville - November 11

Fresno - November 11

Visalia Christmas - November 30

Lemoore Christmas - December 7

Fresno Christmas- December 14



Highlights for 2013



February:

- 3rd - Super Bowl Party
- 6th - Begin Weekly Dance Lessons (8 weeks)

March:

- 9th - Bach Children's Choir Concert (First Lady's Project)

May:

- 11th - Potentate's Cruise

June:

- 1st - Joint Ceremonial (Reno)
- 8th - Annual Crab Feed

July:

- 15th - Golf Tournament
- 20th - First Lady's Luncheon

August:

- 3rd - Monte Carlo Night
- 17th - Motorcycle Run

September:

- 14th - Car Show
- 28th - End of Summer BBQ

October:

- 7th - Trip to *The Price is Right* (Los Angeles)
- 11th - Day at the Races
- 26th - Nobility Ball

November:

- 16th - 19th - Shrine Circus
- 20th - Christmas Shopping in San Francisco (Ladies' Trip)
- 23rd - Past Potentates' Dinner

December:

- 8th - Thank You Brunch

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