

# TEHRAN SHRINERS BULLETIN

January 2020



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Potentate

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# JANUARY MESSAGE FROM THE **POTENTATE**



I want to thank you all for showing your confidence in me by electing me Potentate for the 2020 Shrine Year. The installation is planned for Saturday, January 4. This will also be an installation for all club and unit officers so plan to attend. Our first Stated Meeting for Monday January 6. With everything going on we will not be serving dinner at the January Stated Meeting. It is often referred to as the “Potentate’s year” but it is actually Tehran’s year. You have elected a great line of officers who want to see Tehran prosper and grow, but it takes everyone’s help.

I am sure many of you know that no one is paid for their work or expenses. The Secretary and Treasurer spend many hours each month working for Tehran, but they also have families and other commitments, so it is not possible for them to be there at all times and sometimes your calls might be slow to be answered. This year if you have trouble getting through to the Shrine office please call my office at (559) 292-6192. If I am not available talk to Linda or Pam or leave a message and I will get back to you as soon as possible.

Our theme this year is **2020 A NEW DECADE OF HELPING KIDS** but as always, our motto is **FUN WITH A PURPOSE**. Although our numbers have decreased, our spirit is still strong so there is no limit to what we can achieve. For 2020 it is my goal to re-establish the screening clinics to let people know if their child has a condition which we treat at the Shriner’s hospital and to help them apply. It is important for the children, but also import for Tehran and Masonry to

let people know who we are and what we do. **We will be counting on our Clubs and Units and volunteers to make it happen!**

Times have changed so we must reevaluate how we do things and who we are and change if the fraternity is to survive. Our values will remain the same, but we need to change our methods to conform to the times. We will be looking for your help and suggestions.

### **Think Membership!**

The children are our future so helping the children that need our help is a very important purpose. Please help Tehran thrive so we can continue to help the Kids.

***Have a safe and very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!***

Fraternally,

Randy Forrester, Potentate Elect



My 2020 Resolution is to help make Tehran Shrine Strong Again, And also I going to more Shrine events. You should join me!!!

# Tehran Temple



# Mass Installation of Officers



# Saturday, January 4, 2020



## Tehran Shrine Center



Come join the party as  
Tehran Temple installs the new  
**Potentate Randy Forrester,**  
the new Divan and all Officers of the Units and Clubs.

Social, Dinner, and Dancing with live music throughout the  
Evening, and all for only \$45 per person

Social 6:00 pm

Dinner 7:00 pm

Reservations a must by Jan 2<sup>nd</sup>. Please Call the  
Recorder for reservations today 559-251-1991

Dress is Suit and Tie for Nobles, Evening Wear for Ladies



You know we are  
going. I want to  
dance





20/20 A NEW  
VISION



FOR HELPNG  
OUR KIDS



Notice is hereby given that the scheduled Stated Meeting of Tehran Shrine Temple will be held at the time and place shown below for approval of Tehran's 2020 budget and the transaction of such business as may come before the Temple. No dinner will be served.

**MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 2019**

Shrine Center, 5407 E Olive Avenue, Fresno, CA

Social 6:00 pm  
Meeting 6:30 pm

**Fez and Dues Card Required**

Please RSVP to Randy's Office at 559-292-6192  
or to the Recorder's Office at 559-251-1991





## More than just a game

Mark your calendars for Saturday, January 18 and join us at 11am for a “Shrine” style Tailgate Party (inside) at the Shrine Center. Game starts at noon, so come on down and watch the games on the really, BIG Screen. The Bar will be open. Everything is FREE, but we do ask you to bring an appetizer... please. Enjoy the Game with your friends and fellow Shriners!!

## Important Notice

### Unit & Club Heads

A Protocol meeting will be held on January 18<sup>th</sup> right before the East West Game at 10 AM at the Shrine Center

Even if you are not planning to stay for the game, you are **strongly encourage** to attend this meeting.

And hey, why not stay for the game??? You are already there, and it is going to be a great time!!



# Super Bowl Party!



Come on over to the Shrine Center and enjoy the Super Bowl and the Commercials on the **BIG BIG** screen with your Friends!!

Saturday, February 2.

Game starts at 3:30 pm, but come early and get a excellent seat at 2:30 pm when refreshments will start!! Be sure to bring your favorite appetizer, and for only \$10.00, you can enjoy and support the Job Daughters with a delicious full Chicken Dinner. Call Randy's office for reservations and the Job's Chicken Dinner 559.292.6191 or mail check for \$10 per dinner to Tehran Shrine 5407 E Olive Fresno, CA 93727

# San Joaquin Valley Shrine

# Clowns

Present

The 387<sup>th</sup> Annual

# Installation of Officers

Saturday, January 25, 2020

Ken Crasher Director Again & Again

Medical Attention  
will be available

Come join the fun as we install a new set of  
Dummies, (oops,) I mean officers,  
For the 2020 year.

The evening starts at the Shrine Center

With a reception and dancing from 5:30 to

7:00 p.m. Then enjoy a delicious Short Rib Dinner,

And then dance the night away to DJ Kelly Smith

Of course, we have some special entertainment  
as we initiate the new Director

Cost is only  
\$35.00  
per person

Now that's a  
Refreshments Included  
GREAT Deal

RESERVATIONS A MUST BY  
TUESDAY, JANUARY 17, 2020

DRESS:  
The 60's  
or whatever

Please call Wayne Schwartz  
559- 229-2458, or  
Mail Check to Wayne  
2851 E San Gabriel.  
Fresno, CA 93726.

All attendees will  
receive a  
Special gift valued  
at 73 cents

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ for normal people  
or \_\_\_\_\_ for Clowns  
Total Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Let the Good Times Roll

# HAPPY ★ NEW ★ YEAR

**TO ALL, A VERY HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS 2020  
FROM MERCED-MARIPOSA SHRINE CLUB!**

**NEXT MEETING:  
JANUARY, 23, 2020 Social 6 PM (Order Dinner  
from Menu) Meeting 6:45 P.M.**

**PLACE: Bella Nita, 2684 Shaffer Rd., Atwater**

**DRESS: CASUAL- NOBLES FEZ**



M-M Shrine Club members were honored to have Potentate Tom Bailey & 1<sup>st</sup> Lady Evette at the Shrine Club Christmas Party 12/9.

We hope all had a good time!

Noble Rudy Perez trying to figure out if his gift of the lacy pink thong would fit!





**FRESNO SHRINE CLUB**  
**“Have Lunch With Your Friends”**



**Come Join us to celebrate the New Year!**

**DATE:** Wednesday, January 8th

**TIME:** 12 Noon Social (No Host) 12:30 Lunch

**DRESS:** Casual

**PLACE:** Yosemite Falls Cafe in Granite Park  
4020 N. Cedar Ave halfway between Dakota and  
Ashlan - Behind Me and Ed's Pizza Restaurant

**PRICE:** \$17.00 per person

**Please call Judy Hershey at 559-255-2672 to make your  
reservation or respond via email to  
[jhershey01@comcast.net](mailto:jhershey01@comcast.net)**

We will have 4 or 5 lunch choices set up by Yosemite Falls.  
**PLUS:** Choice of soup or salad, choice of potato or rice, beverage  
and dessert included.

We hope to see you there! We know you will have a great time!

Shrine Club Officers  
President: John Techman  
Vice President: Orron Dougherty  
Treasurer: Ralph Takakjian  
Secretary: Richard Hershey

# 2020 CALENDER



## JANUARY

4 **Saturday**  
6 **Monday**  
9 Thursday  
14 Tuesday  
14 **Tuesday**  
15 Wednesday  
16 Thursday  
17 Friday  
18 **Saturday**  
21 Tuesday  
  
23 Thursday  
25 Saturday  
27 Monday  
28 **Tuesday**

**Installation of officers**  
**Stated Meeting, No Dinner**  
Flying Shriners/Legion of Honor  
Patrol/Temple Guard  
**Financial Management Advisory Board**  
Nile Sewing  
Roustabouts  
Novkeys  
**Shrine Bowl Party and Protocol Meeting**  
Clowns  
**Property Management Advisory Board**  
Merced Mariposa Shrine Club  
Clown Installation  
Temple Bells  
**Board of Directors Meeting**

\* Denotes a Temple Activity



## February

2 **Sunday**  
3 Monday  
9 Sunday  
11 Tuesday  
13 Thursday  
15 Saturday  
18 **Tuesday**  
  
19 Wednesday  
20 Thursday  
21 **Friday**  
24 Monday  
25 **Tuesday**  
27 Thursday  
29 **Saturday**

**Super Bowl Party and Shrine Club/Unit Day**  
Nile Pagentry  
Hillbillies  
Patrol/Temple Guard  
Flying Shriners/Legion of Honor  
Clown Sweetheart Brunch and Cake Bake  
Clowns  
**Financial Management Advisory Board-TBA**  
**Property Management Advisory Board-TBA**  
Nile Sewing  
Roustabouts  
**Novkeys-Official Visit**  
Temple Belles  
**Board of Directors Meeting**  
Merced/Mariposa Shrine Club  
**Nile Supreme Queen's Reception**

\* Denotes a Temple Activity



