

# THE *Oriental*

NEWS

ORIENTAL SHRINERS #7 - 1877 — TROY, NY



Illustrious Jim Vooy (left) welcomes four New Nobles inducted on April 8th.  
*(See page 5 for details)*

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**Saratoga County Shrine Club**  
**HAROLD GOODSSELL, Secretary**

The March meeting of Saratoga Shrine Club was held at the Saratoga Embassy Suites on Monday, March 13th. P.P. Byron Moak gave the invocation, followed by the Shriners Pledge to the Flag. The meeting came to order with President Howard Waller presiding. He introduced Lady Madeline and the club officers and their ladies.

Secretary's Report: was received by all; a motion was made by P.P. Tom Abraham, to accept the report, seconded by Noble Frank Finch; all were in favor.

Treasurer's Report: was given by P.P. Dan Murray, which found a balance of \$5,601.66. A motion was made P.P. Tom Abraham and seconded by P.P. Byron Moak to accept; all were in favor. Both reports will be placed on file.

Sickness, Distress and Happiness: Everyone was glad to see Russ Lehr back with us. Noble Harold Goodsell gave the update on Lady Gerry's recent back surgery and is recovering from a recent bout with a flu bug.

New Business: Chief Rabban Gaylord Hawley reported that new drivers are needed for the go-carts for the upcoming parades. He also reported that the go-carts are in need of new motors, which are approximately \$200 each. Ill. Jim Vooyo noted that the needed amount can come from the budget with the added \$5,000 that was donated to the Shrine Temple by the Saratoga Shrine Club.

President Howard Waller told a story of days past as compared to today which brought a chuckle from everyone. P.P. Byron Moak gave information of Troy Shrine Club's up and coming meeting at the Shrine Center. The nightly drawing realized \$75. The winners were: Lady Claudia Cunniff, Nobles Harold Goodsell, Gaylord Hawley, Paul Kahian and P.P. Dan Murray. Thank you were extended to the wait staff for the delicious meals.

The next meeting will be on April 10th with

reservations due to Dan Murray with meal selection by Wednesday, April 5th. He can be reached at dmurray13@nycap.rr.com or 885-4358. Meal choices will be as follows; a choice of New England clam chowder or ranch garden salad followed by four dinner choices: grilled honey chipotle chicken, citrus poached salmon, cider braised pork shanks with caramelized apples and onions or pesto tortellini w/grilled vegetables. The desert will be bread pudding.

Ill. Sir Jim Vooyo was then introduced, who in turned introduced Lady Juli. The Divan present were; Chief Rabban Gaylord Hawley/Lady Patti, Recorder P.P. Bill Fink, Past Recorder Emeritus P.P. Dan Murray, 1st Ceremonial Master Paul Kahian, Trustee Frank Finch and Chief Aide Harold Goodsell. Past Potentates present were; Dan Murray, Howard Waller/Lady Madeline, Bill Fink, Tom Abraham/Lady Leslie, Dick Gibbons/Lady Margaret and Joe Mack. P.P. ladies present were Carol Slocum and Sally Lebowich.

Jim spoke of the onion sales and asked those interested to check with club secretaries for ordering and delivery dates. He spoke of the Lake George St. Patrick's Parade on March 12th with step-off at 1:00 p.m., ending up at Duffy's. The Armed Forces Parade in Malta will be on May 21st. The Basket Party will be on June 4th from noon until 3:00 p.m. Lady Juli's niece will be in charge of the food that day with setup on the Saturday before. Baskets are needed to make this event a success. He also spoke of the Shrine Hospital finances with 48 million dollars received in donations. He spoke of NYOSA, to be held at Bonnie Castle, with more information being in the Oriental News. The Potentate's Ball will be held here at the Embassy Suites Hotel on April 8th.

Raffle tickets are being sold for "Love to the Rescue" lights at \$5.00 a ticket or 3 for \$10.00. A motion was made by P.P. Bill Fink and seconded by P.P. Byron Moak for Saratoga Shrine Club to purchase 3 tickets, all were in favor.

With no other business on hand, the benediction was given by P.P. Byron Moak.

**STATEMENT**

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# THE POTENTATE'S MESSAGE



## *Thank you all and welcome to new Shriners.*

First, Lady Juli and I want to thank the nobles and ladies that attended and worked so hard to make the Potentate's Ball a great success. Kudos to Paul Kahian and Lady Cindy on their coordination and work on the whole event from the initial reservation process, to manning the hospitality room, welcome and announcement of the visiting dignitaries at the Ball and again at the Sunday morning breakfast. As the new hotel in town, Embassy Suites went all out to exceed our expectations and I think they succeeded to do just that. As usual the Oriental hospitality room set the standard and the Skidmore room with its windows on Saratoga was a great venue to renew acquaintances or make new friends from throughout NYOSA and within our own realm. Everyone contributed but I want to especially mention Chief Rabban and chief bar tender Gaylord Hawley, the ever-learned Walt Cuniff, the omniscient one in all things fraternal, Illustrious Recorder William B. Fink and Personal Aide Illustrious Tom Abraham and Lady Leslie for getting this neophyte Potentate through the weekend.

On the morning of the Ball we participated in the event far more important than the dinner that night, the welcoming of new members. With the guidance of and usual adept performance of Protocol Officer Ron Williams and instruction from Chief Rabban Gaylord Hawley we inducted four new members. Let's all welcome new Nobles Todd Condon, Stephan Hoover, Paul Hulseapple and Paul Manning to our Oasis.

By now you should have placed your order for Vidalia onions with your Club or Unit Representation/Secretary – \$12 for a 10 lb. bag or \$6 for a 12 lb. bag. If you forgot or missed out at the first deadline, please call me at 374-8770. We usually have some extra bags when the order first arrives and I'm sure that I will be able to fill your order. Delivery is tentatively scheduled for on or after May 2nd.

Parade season is starting up on May 20th with the Malta Armed Forces Day Parade. The sponsors are trying for their biggest parade yet, so let's not disappoint them and make sure we come out in full force. Parade dress is the same as last year: white parade shirt, khaki pants and white casual shoes. If you need a parade shirt, call parade chairman, Jeff Lindstrand at 793-1884. The Crown Point parade on Memorial Day will be here before we know it.

Elsewhere in this issue, you will see the ads for the Basket Auction at the Ballston Spa Elks on Sunday, June 4th. Setup will be on Saturday, June 5th and we will need volunteers to help with both the setup and the actual auction.

Make your plans to attend the Imperial Session in Daytona Beach from July 8th to the July 13th. Housing Chairman Gaylord Hawley has put together packages for attendance that are listed in this issue.

Please support your clubs and units by attending their meetings, a list of which always appears on the back of your latest issue of the Oriental News. Just because you are member of Glens Falls or Saratoga it doesn't mean that you can't attend Cambridge Shrine Club and enjoy the social hour and great food provided at the Cambridge American Legion Post. Saratoga Shrine Club is centrally located to all of us and holds their meetings at the same Embassy Suites hotel as the Potentates Ball. Visit that Club and enjoy the food at a facility that is determined to keep our business for a long-term relationship. I look forward to seeing all of you at the meetings this April and May.

Yours in the faith,  
JAMES D. VOOYS, Illustrious Potentate

## Do You Know?

BYRON MOAK, PP, Historian

### — Answers to Feb.-March Questions —

1.) The Shrine Burn Awareness Campaign was held the first full week of February, 2017. The then Shrine of North America held its first two National Burn Awareness weeks in 1988 and 1989.

2.) In 1997, the corporation Coca Cola, USA, agreed to make its products available exclusively in the Shriners Hospitals for Children and help promote public awareness of the free medical services offered.

3a.) The 120th Anniversary of Oriental Shriners was highlighted at the Fall Ceremonial.

b.) The Fall Ceremonial was held at the Howard Johnson Lodge in Plattsburgh from October 24-26, 1997.

c.) Future Potentate in 2003 and 2013, Ill. John Garhartt, then the Marshal of Oriental Shriners, was the chairman for the event.

4.) The East-West Shrine game was held on January 21, 2017, in St. Petersburg, Florida. The East-West Shrine All-Star game was held in Stanford Stadium in Palo Alto, California, in the 1990s.

### Questions for April

#### — Answers in next Issue —

1.) The Imperial Shrine Session was held in Washington, D.C. in 1923.

a.) How many times have Imperial Sessions been held in Washington, D.C.?

b.) In what year was the last Imperial Session held in Washington, D.C.?

c.) Who was the host Shrine Center at the Imperial Session in 1923?

d.) What noble was the President of the United States when this Imperial Session was held in Washington, D.C., in 1923?

e.) Who was the Imperial Potentate at the time of the Imperial Session in 1923?

f.) Who became the Imperial Potentate at the end of the Imperial Session in 1923?

g.) How many Shrine bands participated in the 1923 Imperial Session?

h.) What high honor was accorded to Oriental's Shrine band?

i.) What two baseball teams were playing a game in Washington, D.C., during the Imperial Session in 1923?

j.) What famous noble managed one of the two teams in this baseball game?

k.) How did the newspaper, the Washington Evening Star, describe Oriental's Shrine band?

l.) Who was Potentate of Oriental Shriners in 1923?

m.) What well-known musician and band leader of the time, and a Shriner, had words of praise for Oriental's Shrine band?

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with others.**

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**NEW ADDRESS INFORMATION**

**Glens Falls Shrine Club**  
 WALT CUNNIFF, Secretary

The Glens Falls Shrine Club met on Feb. 23rd at the Holiday Inn in Lake George. The meeting was opened by President Jeff Lindstrand with the Shriner Pledge followed by an invocation by Ill. Past Potentate Bob Rabe. Jeff introduced his Lady Kate, Treasurer Al West, V.P. Dan Lambert and Lady Ginnie, Secretary Walt Cuniff and Lady Claudia, and Chaplain Robert Rabe and Lady Audrey.

Under sickness and distress it was reported that Jim Conklin had had a stroke and was still in the Glens Falls Hospital. He is very sharp mentally but they think he will require quite a bit of rehab. Gerry Goodsell has had her back surgery. Dick Wilson is doing good.

The nightly raffle netted the club \$90.00. The winners were: Gaylord Hawley, Al West, Ginnie Lambert, Leslie Abraham, our guest speaker, and Ken Hughes.

A motion was made to accept the Secretary's report as it was sent out by Tom Abraham and seconded by Dan Lambert and carried. Al West gave his Treasurer's report and a motion to accept was made by Ron Williams and seconded by Tom Abraham and carried.

We will be doing another fund raiser dinner at Cooper's Cave. The dates available that we chose were May 3, 10, and 17 based upon availability.

"Insider information" (MAY 17 IS GOING TO BE THE DATE). How this works is that you go to dinner at Coopers Cave on May 17 and mention "THE SHRINERS" and a percentage of the cost of your meal will be donated to the Club by Coopers Cave. So, plan and gather there with friends for dinner on May 17. Be sure to mention "Shriners."

Warrensburg Chapter 325 held a table lodge dinner on Feb. 18. At that dinner, Jeff Lindstrand gave a presentation about "Shriners." He got someone to turn in a petition from that presentation.

Oriental Shriners are raffling two pretty lights. The tickets are 1 for \$5 or 3 for \$10. Walt made a motion for our club to purchase the "3 for \$10" package. This was seconded

**Upcoming Imperial Council Sessions**

**2017** Daytona Beach, FL  
**2018** Daytona Beach, FL  
**2019** Nashville, TN  
**2020** Kansas City, MO

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by Tom Abraham and carried. The drawing will be April 8th.

Jeff mentioned that Dan Lambert would be filling in for the March 23rd meeting as Jeff and Kate would be cruising.

The program of the evening was an interesting presentation from the son of a holocaust survivor. He told about the effects that were felt by the family members after being subjected to the necessity of having to work with the Germans just to remain alive.

The meeting was turned over to Chief Rabban Gaylord Hawley who was standing in for Potentate Jim Vooyo. Gaylord introduced Lady Patty and Dan Saville and Lady Lisa, and Past Potentate Bob Rabe and Lady Audrey. He had several announcements and comments.

First, he thanked all who had made it to the parades as participants. Oriental and Media Temples marched together in the Saranac Parade. The St. Patty's Day parade is 3/19 with lineup at noon and stepoff at 1 p.m.

NYOSA Spring meetings will be held in Alexandria Bay May 5-7 at the Bonnie Castle Resort.

The Shriners will be selling CDs once again at SPAC on July 18. Anyone available to help please come. Contact Chuck Sommers for details. Imperial Session dates are July 8-14. See elsewhere in this issue for details and reservation forms.

The dates for the Circus are July 19, 20, 21, 22. Stay tuned for further details on this.

The meeting was closed with a benediction from Bob Rabe.

### Recorder's Corner

III. WILLIAM B. FINK, JR., PP  
Recorder, Oriental Shriners  
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#### Membership! Membership! Membership!

On the membership front, I actually have some good news! At our recent Potentate's Ball we also conducted a Cold Sands at which time four new nobles were created! A total of six were voted into membership but two could not make it due to illness. We also had one restoration and two members converted from Associate status to Affiliated status which means that their primary membership is now with Oriental, rather than their original Shrine Center.

Of course, the black camel continues to visit our more senior members, but for the first time in a long while we have a significant net gain in membership. Let's keep it up! Get those petitions in for the Fall Ceremonial.

Also, in this issue you will note the arrangements for the upcoming Imperial Session. Our Potentate has done an excellent job planning for this event. Our hotel is right on the beach and has fine facilities. It is also close to the convention center where the sessions and market place etc. will occur. Please plan on attending! It will be a great time for all.

Finally, the parade season is upon us! Please plan to participate. They are always a great deal of fun – both by participating in the parade as well as the social time before and after. Let's get out and wave the Shrine Flag!

#### Transportation Chairman and Drivers Needed!

This is an urgent request for a new Transportation Chairman and more Shriners Hospital patient drivers. Drivers are needed to transport patients to and from the hospitals. Contact the Potentate, III. James Vooyo (518-374-8770), or Gaylord Hawley (518-744-0581). Or you can email them at: jimvooyo@hotmail.com or ghawley1@nycap.rr.com.

All drivers need to get their yearly recertification paperwork done. All current drivers need to insure that they have their driver's license number and are registered with our insurance agent. Current drivers: if you are not sure about any of this, please contact the office for more information.

Email: office@orientalshriners.org









## ~~Mark Your Calendars~~ for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Party

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*Last time, we had over 90 baskets  
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*How can you help this year?*

-  Create completed baskets~~
-  Donate a door prize (minimum value of \$20)~~
-  Offer to help at the event~~
-  Attend & participate in the fundraising event~~
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Byron Moak Thomas Nicholson

**Paul D. Hulseapple, Ballston Lake, NY**

Jim Vooyo William B. Fink, Jr.

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2017 Oriental Shriners Potentate's Ball ~ Saratoga Springs





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 JULY 8 – 14<sup>TH</sup>, 2017  
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*Sunday*

*June 4*

*12 ~ 3 p.m.*

*Doors open at 11*



*Location*

*Elks*

*Lodge*

*10 Hamilton Street*

*Reserved Seating*

*Encouraged ~ \$10*

*At the Door ~ \$12*

*based on available seating*

*You get:*

*~ 1 Door prize*

*ticket*

*~ 25 Basket tickets*

*~ Light lunch*

*Additional Basket*

*Tickets Available*

*~\$4 for 1 sheet of 25*

*~\$10 for 3 sheets*

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*~50/50*

*Special raffle items will be available*

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