

# THE *Oriental*

NEWS

ORIENTAL SHRINERS #7 - 1877 — TROY, NY



2016 ELECTED AND APPOINTED OFFICERS

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 To be announced . . . . . Transportation Chairman

*A Bio of our New Potentate*

**ROBERT E. HARRIS**



I cannot begin to tell you how very proud I am to have been elected as the Potentate for Oriental Shriners No. 7. This is the year, Jacque (Jacqueline) and I are heading into a most interesting adventure to share in the work of our great cause, the Shriners Hospitals for Children and for the good of the Order.

Your new Potentate is a military man from a military family. I served our country enlisting in the United States Air Force from April 1972 until the end of December 1992 and retired from the Air Force with almost 21 years active federal service. Plus, had another 20 years in active Reserves, in which I was called up once for Bosnia in 1996.

I met my wife Jacque in England in 1975. While I was working with 3rd Air Force, with Detachment 1, 98th Strategic Wing, with the SR-71U-2 program, at Royal Air Force Base, Mildenhall, in Suffolk England UK. My Air Force career was interesting with lots of travel to Europe mostly and then the Middle East.

While in the Air Force I worked on the flight line as an Aircraft Electrical Technician, maintaining cargo, tankers, helicopters, executive jets, B-52, FB-111 SAC Bombers to SR-71s and U-2s, and, everything in between. All types of aircraft, even the old birds like the C-47 and B-36.

In 1976 I cross-trained out of working on aircraft to codes and encryption systems known as Cryptography. I employed my training into maintaining communication security systems for voice and data. These Telecommunications Security systems I worked on were varied and I watched them evolve over the next 16 years. I was trained in off-line as well as on-line cipher methods. At that time we had some Cryptoanalysis and manual authentications methods and one time pads and codes learning the old hard ways of doing things.

I was employed multi-agency assigned to Military District Washington and White House Communications Agency, Secretary of Defense and Joint Chiefs of Staff at my last assignment at the Pentagon, which was from 1986 to the very end of December 1992.

This chronicles my military career through the Vietnam War to the end of the first Gulf War. My wife and I moved around the mid-eastern and southwestern U.S. to England and Germany. Other countries we visited were Iceland, the Azores, Denmark and other European countries. I was deployed for temporary duty to Italy and then Middle East a few times to support our allies in the region.

I have several Educational Degrees: Digital Equipment Technology, Computer Systems Management and Computer Networking with Strayer University. I graduated Magna Cum Laude and was nominated for entry into the scholarly Alpha Chi society honors society.

Jacque and I moved back to Schenectady, NY in 2004 and worked in various roles as a Systems Analyst and Domain Administrator for several companies. I also served for the past eight years as the President of: TREA: The Enlisted Association (The Retired Enlisted Association).

As for my Masonic career, I was raised in Apollo-King Solomon's (AKS) Lodge No.13. I was then Master of AKS No.13 in 2011-12. I have completed the MDC course, the Road to

*It's Winter, so it Must be . . .*

**Time to March!**

Ahh, it's winter in the North Country. The snow is flying, the temperature is freezing and the cold north wind is blowing. Some people ice fish, some folks go south to escape the cold. But not Shriners . . . we put on our heavy coats, put on a fez, and march in parades!



**We have three parades coming up for February and March:**

**FEBRUARY 6th:**

**Lake George Winter Carnival Parade**

Line up: 3 p.m.

Lake George Bowling Alley

2211 Canada Street

Step off: 4 p.m.

*Word is ~ it's a short parade*

**FEBRUARY 13th:**

**Saranac Lake Winter Carnival Parade**

Bus transportation provided

Pickup locations and times:

- Dick's Sporting Goods, Wilton Mall, 7:30 a.m.
- Queensbury Masonic Lodge, 8 a.m.
- McDonald's, Warrensburg, 8:30 a.m.

Line up: Noon; Step off: 1 p.m.

**MARCH 20th:**

**Lake George St. Patrick's Day Parade**

Line up: 10:30 a.m.; Step off: 11 a.m.

*Let's have a good showing at these three events.*

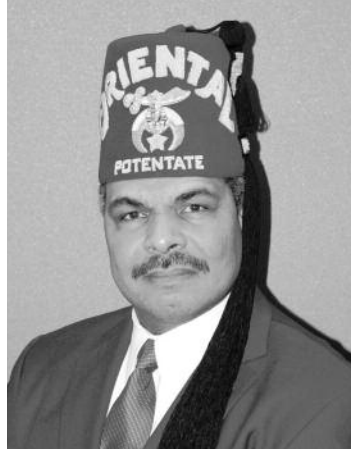
*Mark your calendars and come dressed to be warm!*

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the East and the 24-inch Gauge.

Besides my Blue Lodge membership, I also belong to the Valley of Schenectady Ancient and Accepted Scottish Right, and served as the Primary Officer as the Sovereign Prince, Council Princes of Jerusalem. I am currently in the AASR Sigma Bodies Consistory. I am a past president of the Troy and Schenectady Shrine Club. My wife and I also served as Matron and Patron of Palestine Star Chapter 167, Eastern Star of the Star of the State of New York, for 2015.

# THE POTENTATE'S MESSAGE



To all my Brother Nobles and their Ladies,

What an honor and privilege it is to be elected your Potentate for 2016!

"The time is NOW to be involved in your Temple and be a part of our fraternity in 2016".

There is no better name than "Brother" and our main concentration this year is "Brothers helping Brothers" to energize the Nobility. Please let your fellow Lodge brothers know of our simple message as well.

That being said, it's now time to get back to doing what we do best, and that is to have fun and work to make this a successful year for the Hospitals and our Shrine Temple. We are all Shriners, proud (and sometimes loud). We hold our heads high, knowing our mission as good and faithful workmen for the Shrine cause.

Dust off your shoes and strut out with your Fez on – get it out of your closet! Let's all make Oriental Shriners show its numbers in the parades, parties and Circus activities.

We are Oriental Shriners #7 and we have a great Temple that has been around since 1877. Please come out to events and make this year a year to remember as one of the best.

Lady Jacque (Jacqueline) and I want to thank you again for all your support and help.

If there is anything you need, or if you have any questions, please give us a call or drop us an email. We also have a Facebook page to see what is happening. Check it out at; [www.facebook.com/Oriental-Shriners-139464177169](http://www.facebook.com/Oriental-Shriners-139464177169)

To the Fraternity: Peace and Goodwill!

Yours in the Faith,  
**ROBERT E. HARRIS**  
Potentate 2016, Oriental Shriners

## Oriental Shriners No. 7 Main Events for 2016

### Temple Events and Parades

- Jan. 20 – E-Board
- Feb. 06 – Lake George Winter Carnival  
Lineup 3:30 at bowling alley next to Holiday Inn, 4 pm step off
- Feb 07 – Super Bowl 50  
Troy Temple – 5 pm till the end  
Food ? Snacks ? Beverages
- Feb 13 – Saranac Lake  
arrive at 11:30 am – step off 1pm  
\* Winter Carnival: Super Heroes and Villains  
\* Saratoga – Dicks Sporting Goods (Wilton Mall) 7:30 am  
\* Queensbury Lodge – 8 am  
\* Warrensburg MacDonald parking lot, 8:30 am  
\* Refreshments, Snacks and Sack Lunch provided
- Feb 17 – E-Board  
Committees  
\* Onions - TBD  
\* Circus – Barry Traşacco  
\* Parade – Jeffrey Lindstrand
- March 19 – Lake George St. Patrick's Day Parade  
\* Meet at 3:00 pm, Prospect Mt Diner parking lot  
\* Parade steps off at 4:00
- April 9 – Oriental Potentates Ball  
\* 8-9 April Hospitality Room  
\* Saratoga Springs Holiday Inn  
\* Quilt Auction for Imperial Lady
- Stated Meeting – Troy (TBD)  
\* NYOSA Spring Session April 28 - May 1st; Alexander Bay, NY
- May 1 – Malta Armed Forces Parade – Shrine \* Times to be announced
- May 28 – Hague Memorial Day Parade - Kops  
\* Vehicles - Meet at Rt. 8 Firehouse, 1:15 pm  
\* Marchers – Meet at the Community Center, 1:15 pm  
\* Parade at 2:00 pm
- May 30 – Crown Point Memorial Day Parade - Shrine and Kops  
\* Meet at Church, lineup spot assigned later 1:00 pm  
\* Parade starts at 2:00 pm
- Ladies Basket Raffle (To be decided)  
\* Elks in Ballston Spa
- June 11 – Saratoga Flag Day Parade  
\* Saratoga Springs Masonic Lodge, 687 North Broadway, Saratoga Springs  
\* Line up at 11:30 am  
\* Lineup spot to be assigned later.  
Parade at 12:00 pm
- June 25 – Ft. Edward Days Parade - Kops  
\* Meet at GE parking lot Rt. 4 at 10 am  
\* Parade starts at 11:00 am
- July 1-6 – Imperial Session, Tampa, FL  
\* Dinner in the Starship II
- July 4 – Argyle Holiday Parade - Kops  
\* Meet at Transmission Center on Rt. 197 at 10:15 am,  
\* Parade starts at 11:00 am
- July 4 – Ticonderoga Holiday Parade - Kops and Clowns

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### Uncle Sam's Clowns

PAUL "Fuddi-Duddy" KLEINBERGER

The Northeast Clown Institute was conducted January 15-17 in Plymouth, MA. Two hundred plus clowns from around the Northeast participated. Representing Oriental Shriners were Noble Paul "Fuddi-Duddy" Kleinberger and Lady Miriam, both of Uncle Sam Clowns. Noble Dave Harris and Lady Adel of Cyprus Shriners also attended.

During the course of the institute, Paul was honored by the International Shrine Clown Association. He received the Clown Alley Editor's Award for his many articles submitted to the ISCA publication called Clown Alley. The presentation to Paul was made by the publication's editor, David Mitchell.



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## Main Events for 2016

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(note that Clowns have not been there last 2 years and Kops did not march last year, but hope to march this year)

- \* Meet at Town shed on Racetrack Rd. at 1:00 pm
- \* Parade starts at 2:00 pm
- August 2 – Schuylerville Turning Point Parade - Shrine and Kops
  - \* Meet at school parking lot 12:00 pm
  - \* Parade starts at 1:00 pm.
- Schuylerville Parade (TBA)
- Uncle Sam Parade Troy (TBA)
- Oriental Shriners Circus (TBA)
- Fall NYOSA (TBA)
- Oct 2016 (TBA)
- Stated Meetings Troy (TBA)
- Raffle (TBA)
- Fall Harvest Festival, Ceremonial
  - \* Holiday Inn Lake George
  - \* Oct 28-29
- Holiday Party (TBA)

More updates to events schedule will be announced as soon as known.

**Thanks to everyone for making this possible!**

## Recorder's Corner

III. WILLIAM B. FINK, JR., PP  
Recorder, Oriental Shriners  
wfinkjr@nycap.rr.com  
518-423-1745 (c)

A while ago, it was asked by a Noble why we do not involve the young Nobles in the activities of the Temple and the Units. Well, this aroused my curiosity, so I dug into the Temple records and was able to print out a list of Nobles who are 40 years old or less. I got quite a surprise! There are only FOURTEEN (14) out of our 324 members who fit that category!

That is only 4.38% of our members!

Houston, we have a problem!

I know that our Lodges are raising a lot of younger men these days. The average age of one of my own Lodge's has dropped from the mid 60's to the mid 40's over the last few years, with no decline in total membership. Many of these newer, younger Brothers would enjoy membership in the Shrine. It is up to us to introduce them to our great organization.

We cannot pressure them, but we can invite them to one of our Shrine Center events or a Club or Unit event. Show them what the Shrine is and does. Then they will make the decision on their own to ask for a petition.

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

The December meeting of Saratoga Shrine Club was held at the Saratoga Holiday Inn on Monday, December 14th, 2015. P.P. Byron Moak gave the Invocation, followed by the Shriners Pledge to the Flag. The meeting came to order with President Russ Lehr presiding. He introduced his Lady Annalore, the Club officers and their ladies.

Sickness and Distress and Happiness: Chief Rabban Robert Harris and Lady Jacque were celebrating their 40th Anniversary

Secretary's report: was received by all. A motion was made by Chief Rabban Robert Harris to accept the report; seconded by P.P. Howard Waller, all were in favor.


Treasurer's report: was given by P.P. Dan Murray, which found a balance of \$1,372.77, after expenses. A motion was made P.P. Byron Moak and seconded by Ill. Tom Abraham to accept, all were in favor. Both reports will be placed on file.

Old Business: P.P. Howard and his nominating committee presented the slate of officers for the ensuing year. The nominees were: for President, Noble Russ Lehr; for Vice President, Noble Frank Finch; for Secretary, Noble Harold Goodsell and for Treasurer, P.P. Dan Murray. P.P. Bill Fink made a motion to cast one unanimous ballot for the slate, seconded by P.P. Howard Waller. Installation will be at our January meeting. A note of acknowledgement was read from Oriental Shriner's Hospital Fund, for the \$500 gift from the club. P.P. Dick Gibbons made a "Hard Worker" comical presentation to Noble Harold Goodsell. Noble Barry Trasacco thanked Lady Annalore for the Lady's gifts that were at each table.

New Business: The winners of the nightly drawing were: Ladies Gerry Goodsell, Madeline Waller, Linda Trasacco, Patty Harrison, Julie Vooy's, and Andrea Garhartt. The Holiday Inn wait staff was presented to show our appreciation for a lovely dinner. Our dinner entrée choices for our January 11th meeting will be a 6 oz. chicken breast francaise in a lemon butter wine sauce, baked ham with pineapple glaze OR farfalle (bow tie) pasta with mediterranean vegetables in pesto and olive oil. Chicken and ham dinners will be served with dutch less potatoes. All served with chef vegetable, rolls & butter, desert and beverage. Reservations are due by Wednesday, January 6th, 2016. Advance reservations are MOST important!

Ill. Tom Abraham was presented, who introduced Lady Leslie, and the Divan present: Chief Rabban, Robert Harris/Lady Jacque, Assistant Rabban, James Vooy's/Lady Julie, High Priest and Prophet, Gaylord Hawley/Lady Patty, 2nd Ceremonial Master and Circus Chairman, Noble Barry Trasacco/Lady Linda, Chief Aide, Noble Harold Goodsell/Lady Gerry. Past Potentates present were: John Garhartt/Lady Andrea/ Bill Fink/Lady Kathy, Howard Waller/Lady Madeline, Bryon Moak, Dan Murray, Dick Gibbons/Lady Margaret and Joe Mack. Also present were Ladies Carol Slocum and Sally Lebowich.

Being the last meeting of the year, the Ill. Sir wanted to extend a special "Thank You" for all the support and all of the participation in the fund raisers for the year. He mentioned the upcoming Christmas Party and Election of Oriental Shrine Officers on December 12th.

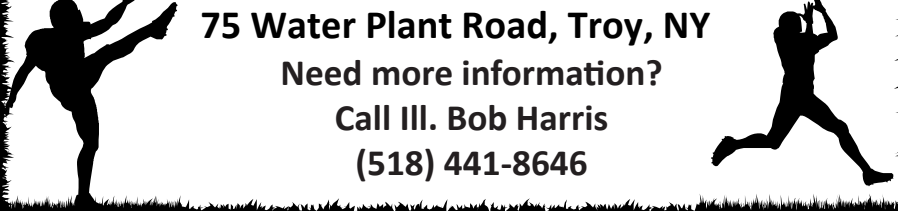


# Oriental Shriners Super Bowl 50 Party

**Game Day—February 7, 2016  
5 PM—End of game  
Food, beverages, door prizes,  
and good company!**

**Join us at the Shrine Center  
75 Water Plant Road, Troy, NY**

**Need more information?  
Call Ill. Bob Harris  
(518) 441-8646**

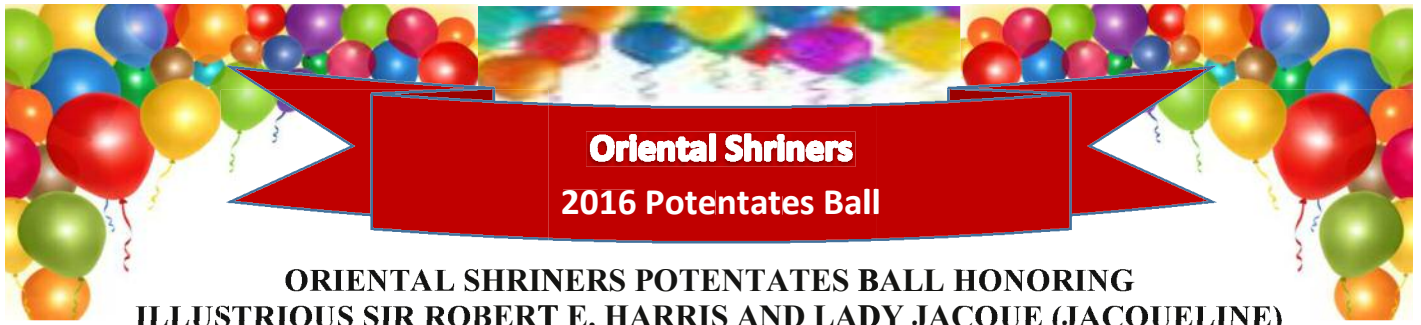


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# Annual Meeting & Installation of Officers Held January 9th at Shrine Center







**ORIENTAL SHRINERS POTENTATES BALL HONORING  
ILLUSTRIOUS SIR ROBERT E. HARRIS AND LADY JACQUE (JACQUELINE)**

**III. Sir Robert Harris and Lady Jacque, with distinct pleasure,  
extend an invitation to all Nobles and their quests to attend at the  
Holiday Inn\_Saratoga Springs, 232 Broadway, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866**

**Please make your Room Reservations  
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- Remember to Mention **"Oriental Shriners"**

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Open Friday, 8 April 2016

- 4pm till 11pm

Open Saturday, 9 April 2016

- 11am till 4pm
- Reopens at 11pm till Whenever (2am)

Food, Snacks and Beverages Available

**Holiday Inn Potentates Ball Entry 9 April 2016**

Black Tie and Tux or Dark Suit for Gentlemen  
Ladies in Evening or Cocktail Dress

Socializing and Mingling

- 6pm Cocktail Hour with H'orderves

Order of Events

- 7pm • Entry of Nobles and Ladies
- Introductions
- Followed by Dinner
- Music by Raphel
- Enjoy the Evening

Sunday Morning, 10 April 2016

- 9am, Breakfast with the Potentate:  
\$12.95

**2016 ORIENTAL SHRINERS POTENTATES'S BALL RESERVATION FORM**

<b>Meal Reservations</b> RSVP – Dan Saville, 28 Lupine Lane Queensbury, NY 12804 518-361-2875	Noble's Name		Title
	Address		
	Phone		Lady's Name
<b>18<sup>th</sup> of March 2016</b> <b>Deadline</b>	Temple and Temple Number		
<b>Indicate Arrival Date</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> April 2016 <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup> April 2016	Prime Rib of Beef Amount	Number of Meals	<b><u>Dinner Includes</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Salad</li> <li>Roasted Fingerling Potatoes</li> <li>Steamed Julienne Vegetables Medley</li> <li>Dessert-Cheese Cake</li> </ul>
	Sliced Pork \w Demi-Glaze Amount	Number of Meals	
<b>To the Fraternity:</b> <b>Peace and Goodwill</b>	Baked Salmon Filet Amount	Number of Meals	
	<b>Cost Per Meal (\$55.00)</b>		

# Happy Anniversary!

Oriental Shriners would like to congratulate these Nobles who reached five-year anniversaries of their creation in 2015:



- 5 Years ---
- TROY DEROUIN
- PAUL KAHIAN
- RUSSELL LEHR
- EDWARD MOSSO
- WILLIAM ALMER
- STEPHEN SCHLAMOWITZ
- WAYNE SMITH
- JEFFREY VARMETTE
- 10 Years ---
- ROLAND NORTMAN
- 15 Years ---
- HENRY ALLEN
- DAVID MARTINOVICH
- 20 Years ---
- WALTER GINGELEWSKI
- 25 Years ---
- MERREL ALLEN
- MICHAEL ANGIOLILLO
- FREDERICK BAKER
- JOHN FISK
- PETER MARTIN
- JOHN PATTERSON
- CHARLES WILSON
- 30 Years ---
- ALFRED CANOVA
- JAMES CHANT
- STEPHEN FLATT
- CHARLES TUREK
- RICHARD WILSON

- 35 Years ---
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## Do You Know?

BYRON MOAK, PP, Historian

— Answers to December Questions —

- 1a.) The Imperial First Lady for 2015-16 is Lady Lisa Gantt.
- b.) The Imperial First Lady's theme for 2015-16 is "In Dreams I Walk," supporting treatment and research of osteogenesis imperfecta.
- c.) Osteogenesis Imperfecta (OI) is also known as brittle bone disease and is a lack of collagen or abnormal collagen in the bones that prevents them from absorbing appropriate minerals and developing correctly. There are many types of OI – each with several symptoms and ranges of complexity and severity. In addition to the possibility of having fractures, OI may cause below average height, early hearing loss, dental issues and orthopedic difficulties including bowed arms and legs, flat feet and scoliosis. Many children with OI have difficulty walking.
- 2a.) The 142nd Imperial Session in 2016, will be held in Tampa, Florida, from July 3rd-7th.
- b.) Only one Imperial Session has been held in Tampa before – from July 2-6, 2006.
- c.) Tampa, Florida, is the nation's 54th largest city.
- d.) To Shriners, Tampa is the home to the headquarters of Shriners International and Shriners Hospitals for Children, and the Tampa Shriners Hospital
- e.) Egypt Shrine Center is located in Tampa.
- 3a.) On December 8, 1990, the new Potentate-elect of Oriental Shriners was Ill. Robert Rabe.
- b.) The First Lady of Oriental Shriners from 1991-92 was Lady Audrey Rabe.
- c.) The Oriental Temple Holiday Party, on December 8, 1990, was held at the Sunset Banquet House in Troy.
- d.) The 117th Imperial Session was held in San Francisco, California, from July 1-6, 1991.
- e.) Oriental Shriners and ladies stayed at the Rafael Hotel, which was only a couple of blocks from the Hilton, where the Imperial action took place.

January Questions

— Answers in next Issue —

- 1a.) The Tournament of Roses Parade in Pasadena, CA, on New Year's Day, saw Shriners International with its 2016 float. What was the float's name or title?
- b.) What award did the float win in this parade?
- c.) What sport's figure and Shriner rode on the float along with the Imperial Potentate?
- 2.) What new sport's group chose the Shriners Hospitals for Children as their official charity for the year just ended, 2015?
- 3a.) What is the Shriners Legacy Program?
- b.) What should Shrine Centers do during February, 2016, Shriners International Legacy Month?
- c.) Where can more information be obtained about the Legacy Program?

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