

Oriental

NEWS

ORIENTAL SHRINERS #7 - 1877 — TROY, NY



Welcome New Nobles and their Ladies

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Shriners Hospitals for Children™

Dear Noble:

At the Imperial Session held in Denver, Colorado, July 4-8, 2011, voting members of the organization adopted legislation to allow acceptance of insurance co-pays and deductibles from commercially insured patients, families or guardians for services at the 20 U.S. hospitals. The legislation allows Shriners Hospitals for Children to advise these families of their insurance plan's requirements for payment of private, commercial insurance co-pays and deductibles. However, this in no way changes the health care system's mission of providing the highest quality of care regardless of the patient's or family's ability to pay.

Families have received statements about these changes to our hospital system. After a patient's visit the insurance claim will be processed and the insurance company will then let Shriners Hospitals for Children know what the co-pay, co-insurance, or deductible amount is. Once that information is received Shriners Hospitals for Children will be sending a statement to the family explaining the amount due. It will contain instructions on where they are to send payment. Shriners Hospitals for Children is not able to accept or process payments directly at the hospitals.

If a family cannot pay their co-pay, co-insurance or deductible, it will not affect their access to care at Shriners Hospitals for Children.

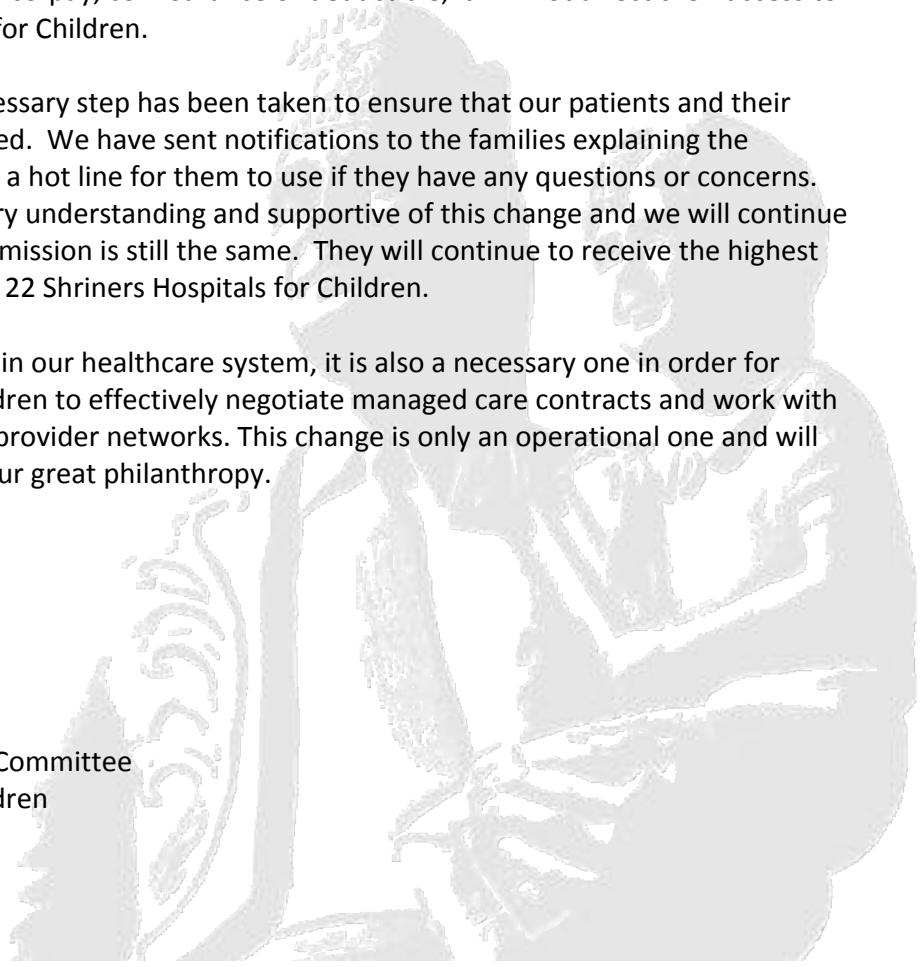
Be assured that every necessary step has been taken to ensure that our patients and their families have been informed. We have sent notifications to the families explaining the legislation and established a hot line for them to use if they have any questions or concerns. Our families have been very understanding and supportive of this change and we will continue to reassure them that our mission is still the same. They will continue to receive the highest quality of care at all of our 22 Shriners Hospitals for Children.

While this is a change within our healthcare system, it is also a necessary one in order for Shriners Hospitals for Children to effectively negotiate managed care contracts and work with insurance companies and provider networks. This change is only an operational one and will not affect the mission of our great philanthropy.

Yours in faith,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Alan W. Madsen".

Alan W. Madsen
Chairman, Revenue Cycle Committee
Shriners Hospitals for Children





The Potentate's Message



The Past Potentates of Oriental Temple

*JESSE B. ANTHONY	1877-87
*HENRY STOWELL	1888, 93-95
*WILLIAM A. LENT	1891
*WILLIAM FINDER, JR.	1892
*HENRY SCHNEIDER	1896-97
*ELWIN H. MILLER	1898-1903
*H. LEWIS WATERBURY	1904
*MARCUS C. ALLEN	1905-06
*H. S. VAN VOAST	1907
*GEORGE C. SWINK	1908-09
*M. F. HEMINGWAY	1910-11
*WILLIAM H. PAASCHEN	1912-13
*DANIEL JONES	1914-15
*ERNEST L. SIMPSON	1916-17
*WILLIAM F. SEBER	1918-19
*FREDERICK W. POWERS	1920-21
*ALEXANDER LLOYD	1922-23
*JAMES A. SMITH	1924-25
*ZINA C. LEWIS	1926
*ENSIGN S. HOMER	1927
*RALPH W. RENNIE	1928
*FRANK M. AMES	1929
*CHARLES C. FREIHOFER	1930
*HENRY C. FAGEL	1931
*WILLIAM G. KOERNER	1932
*QUINCY H. BALL	1933
*BERNARD G. TANG	1934
*OTIS M. HAWLEY	1935
*C. FRANK STEVENS	1936
*NATHAN M. VEINO	1937
*FRED VARLEY	1938
*HARRY M. BROOKS	1939
*FREDERICK B. HANCOX	1940
*CLARENCE A. WHITMYRE	1941
*EDWIN BROWN ALLEN	1942
*JOHN P. WEATHERWAX	1943
*LEROY C. PURDY	1944
*GILBERT C. BINDEWALD	1945
*DAVID STOETZEL, JR.	1946
*FRED S. ROGERS	1947
*A. R. TREGO	1948
*WILLIAM H. JONES	1949
*ALTON R. HOLMES	1950
*RAYMOND E. CLARK	1951
*AVERY L. BULLEN	1952
*LOWELL H. BRUCE	1953
*LOUIS H. DE LONG	1954
*HERBERT HASBROUCK, JR.	1955
*EVERETT E. WINDSOR	1956
*HERBERT A. BELDEN	1957
*CHARLES GROSBURG	1958
*JOHN H. PETERSON	1959
*EVERETT J. DECKER	1960
*ELI A. ROBINSON	1961
*CLIFFORD E. IRVING	1962
*MELVIN D. TUTTLE	1963
*ORVILLE C. GOWIE	1964
*FREDERICK G. GEIGER	1965
*GARNER C. TRIPP, JR.	1966
*SAMUEL S. BORD	1967
*REGINALD D. COLE	1968
*ROBERT F. SHERMAN	1969
*HERBERT D. ELLIOTT	1970
*BYRON J. HOWE	1971
*LEONARD E. DROOZ	1972
*RUDOLPH C. SAUERBREY	1973
*OSWALD K. GRAYSON	1974
*HAMILTON K. HOFFMAN	1975
*FREDERICK R. JOOS	1976
*JAMES C. MELVIN	1977
W. HARRY PROUT	1978
*ALVIN S. ROSENBERG	1979
CHARLES S. PEDERSEN	1980
*LEROY A. WINCHELL	1981
ALLAN A. RYYSYLAINEN	1982
*GARTH R. NEWTON	1983
*PAUL A. ROSS	1984
*HARRY W. CLEMENTS	1985
*RAYMOND E. BAILEY	1986
ROBERT H. MAC MARTIN	1987
*PERCY E. THOMPSON	1988
LEWIS O. SLOCUM	1989
*KENNETH STANNARD	1990
ROBERT A. RABE	1991
*RICHARD H. PELHAM	1992
*ALEXANDER H. RICHARD	1993
*WILLIAM H. FAGG	1994
*CHARLES W. FAKE	1995
*TERRY A. MORGAN	1996
CRAIG H. CASHMAN	1997
RICHARD L. WILSON	1998
JAMES D. FLATT	1999
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WILLIAM A. REED	2001
PAUL D. MARINELLO	2002
L. JOHN GARHART	2003
STEPHEN R. FLATT	2004
*RICHARD M. LEBOWICH	2005
STEPHEN F. MINER	2006
BYRON D. MOAK	2007
HOWARD L. WALLER	2008
WILLIAM B. FINK, JR.	2009
JERRY MCGARVEY	2010
THOMAS K. NICHOLSON	2011

* Deceased

Nobles, Ladies, & Families,

As you know, we just got back from the Spring Ceremonial where we brought in nine new nobles. What an amazing group of men and women! It was an honor to see history in the making, with our very own Noble Winnie Norcross, not only welcoming in his son, Paul, but also his grandson, Eric Norcross. A heartfelt welcome to our new Nobles! At the Ceremonial, we had two speakers from the Springfield Hospital, Jeffrey J. LaValley, M. Ed. Associate Director, Donor Relations and Karen Motyka, Development Officer. They gave a very nice presentation. Lady April had a great ladies program on Saturday morning, which was to make up gift bags for the children at the Springfield Hospital which Jeff and Karen took back with them.

The weather is getting warmer, so that means it's parade time. We have several parades coming up. The first one is the Memorial Day Parade in Crown Point. Stepoff is at 2 PM, and as always, we will have a tailgate party immediately after. The next two parades are the Saratoga Flag Day Parade on June 9th and the Troy Flag Day Parade on June 10th. I'm hoping we can have a great turnout for Oriental Shriners at each of these parades.

Also, time is running short for reservations to the 138th Imperial Session which will be held in Charlotte, North Carolina this year, from July 1st to July 5th. You still have time to get your reservations in if you would like to join us. Just see Jeremy Cunniff and he will take care of you.

We are still working on the Quilt Raffle and the Gun Raffle, so if you haven't got your tickets yet, just let us know. Please remember that these raffles are Oriental fundraisers, so your support in these efforts is crucial to our success!

We are taking orders for the new Temple Shirt. These new shirts will be worn for the parades, Imperial Session and other functions, so if you would like to order one, please let Lady April or myself know and we will set you up. They are \$38 each. You can also see PP Jerry McGarvey for shirt orders.

Shrine Families Helping Kids in Need.
Fraternally Yours,
George R. Mudd, Sr., Illustrious Potentate

III. Bill Fink Elected Junior Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge

Past Potentate Ill. Bill Fink was recently elected at Grand Lodge as the new Junior Grand Warden. For the next two years he will assist the Grand Master in administering the affairs of all Masons throughout the entire State of New York. The Junior Grand Warden is the fourth ranking member of Grand Lodge. His election also makes him a permanent member of Grand Lodge with voting rights in all proceedings, even after his term ends.

Noble Bill has served as Master of two symbolic Lodges, St. George's #6 and Beukendaal #915. He has also been District Deputy Grand

Master of the R-S District. In addition he has been active in Scottish Rite and received the 33° in 2005.

He was Potentate of Oriental Temple in 2009.

As Junior Grand Warden he will assist the other Grand Line Officers in the affairs of Grand Lodge. It has been many years since this area has had a brother elevated to such a high position. He looks forward to serving the Masons and the Nobles during the next two years.

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ALL PAST POTENTATES

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Saratoga County Shrine Club

HAROLD GOODSSELL, Chairman

The April meeting of Saratoga Shrine Club was held at the Saratoga Eagles Club on Monday, April 9th. Noble Tim Grogan gave the Invocation, followed by the Shriner's Pledge to the Flag. The meeting came to order by President Gaylord Hawley presiding; he introduced the club officers and their ladies.

Sickness and Distress: It was good to have Lady Andrea Garhartt out and about after her recent knee surgery. P.P. Dick Wilson had hip replacement surgery, a get well card was passed for all to sign. Noble Jake Lederman and Lady Tony were in a motorcycle accident, they are recovering nicely, a card will be sent.

Secretary's Report: Was received by all, motions were made by P.P. Howard Waller and P.P. Byron Moak to accept the report, all were in favor, motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Given by P.P. Dan Murray, found a balance of \$2,273.30 after disbursements. Motions were made by P.P. Howard Waller and P.P. Jim Flatt to accept the report, all were in favor, both reports will be placed on file.

Old Business: Onions: Noble Harold Goodsell will be taking orders for Saratoga Shrine Club. Orders are due by April 20th, with a delivery date by April 23 or shortly after. Noble Tim Grogan reminded everyone about the bus trip to Springfield Shriner's Hospital on May 19th. All information and reservations are to be directed to Noble Tim.

New Business: President Gaylord announced that Vice President Craig Devoe has resigned from his office. Noble Harold Goodsell made a motion to present a \$500 check to the Hospital Fund at the upcoming Spring Ceremonial, motion was seconded by P.P. Bryon Moak, all were in favor, the motion was carried. Noble Harold also made a motion that \$500 be presented at the Ceremonial to our Oriental Temple, motion was also seconded by P.P. Bryon Moak, all were in favor, the motion was carried. P.P. Byron spoke of the Feast of the Paschal Lamb, that had over 60 in attendance. There was a 50/50 raffle this evening. Winner was P.P. Dick Gibbons. President Gaylord reminded everyone to try to remember to bring a prize to the next meeting for the raffle. The Ambit Energy Project is an ongoing project for Oriental Shrine, if anyone needs assistance with their electric or gas bill to contact him.

The kitchen staff was thanked for a wonderful Chicken Parmesan dinner. Chef Bob announced that the next dinner will be Baked Ham and Scalloped Potatoes. The president introduced Ill. George Mudd who in turn introduced Lady April, and Assistant Rabban Tim Grogan, and Past Potentates present; Tom Nicholson/Lady SueAnn, John Garhartt/Lady Andrea, Dan Murray, Bryon Moak, Howard Waller/Lady Madeline, Jim Flatt/Lady Doris, Bob MacMartin/Lady Joan, Dick Gibbons, Joe Mack and Lady Kathy Fink. He introduced his Personal Aide, P.P. John Garhartt and Lady Andrea. The Aides present were; Harold Goodsell/Lady Gerry, Dan Rhodes, Keith Crounce/Lady Jean and Red Peek. The Circus Chairman Barry Trasacco and Lady Linda were also present.

SPECIAL MEETING

of Oriental Shriners

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Wednesday, June 13, 2012

Oriental Shrine Center

7:30 pm

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You are hereby requested to attend a **Special Meeting** of Oriental Shriners on Wednesday, June 13, 2012, at 7:30 p.m. in the Oriental Shrine Center, 75 Water Plant Road, North Troy, for the purpose of election of officers and other business that may occur for membership.

Your attendance will be appreciated by Illustrious George R. Mudd, Sr. and his Divan officers.

The regular monthly meeting will follow the Special meeting.

Ill. George R. Mudd, Sr., Potentate
Attest: Thomas K. Nicholson, PP,
Recorder



In Memoriam

*When Allah calls, then our friends obey,
And fold their tents and steal away
To the land where the crystal waters flow,
Where the beautiful Palms of Allah grow.*

Robert Thatcher — 5-6-12

The Ill. Sir thanked everyone that could attend the Potentate's Ball and said that it was a great evening. He spoke of the guest speaker that they had, Jennifer Getty who was a Shriner's Hospital Patient. She was born without a right arm and has gone on to be a stock car driver. Coming up next is The Spring Ceremonial at the Queensbury Hotel which will be held the weekend of May 4-6th. He also spoke of the ongoing fundraisers, the gun raffle is going strong, Walt Cunniff has tickets for \$20.00 each.

Noble Tim Grogan gave the Benediction.

**Thank You –
Norco Clown Unit**

I would like to offer a much be-
lated and sincere thank you to the
Norco Clown Unit for presenting
me with my Potentate's Fez at the
Annual Installation meeting. I
wear it with immense pride!

GEORGE R. MUDD, SR.
Illustrious Potentate

Do You Know?

BYRON MOAK, PP, Historian

— Answers to April 2012 Questions —

1a.) Lady Kathy Fink made her first quilt for Oriental in 2003. The proceeds go to the benefit of the Shrine Hospitals.

b.) In 2003, our Potentate was Ill. L. John Garhartt and Lady Andrea.

c.) The pattern of the first quilt was old style downs.

d.) The 129th Imperial Session in 2003 was in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

e.) The first quilt was won at the Fall Ceremonial by Lady Eileen McGarvey at the Ft. William Henry Resort in Lake George.

f.) The quilt for 2012 has a dual theme: Clowns and NASCAR.

g.) In 2007 Lady Kathy Fink did a quilt about a Shriner and Western star – Roy Rogers – who would have been 100 years old last November.

2. Imperial Sir Alan Madson, PP and Lady Jan who were present at the Potentate's Ball of Ill. George Mudd and Lady April, at the Holiday Inn in Plattsburgh, were at the Potentate's Ball of Ill. Richard Lebowich and Lady Sally at Longfellows in Saratoga Springs on April 2, 2005.

May 2012 Questions

— Answers in next Issue —

1. The recent Potentate's Ball of Ill. George Mudd and Lady April was held at the Holiday Inn in Plattsburgh on March 30-April 1st.

a.) When was the last time a Ceremonial or Potentate's Ball was held in Plattsburgh?

b.) Who were the Potentate and Lady of Oriental at the time?

c.) Where was the event held in Plattsburgh?

2. Imperial Sir Alan Madson, who was in attendance at the Potentate's Ball on March 30-April 1st:

a.) What Shrine Center is Imperial Sir Alan Madson a member?

b.) What city is the headquarters for Imperial Sir Alan Madson's Shrine Center?

c.) When was Imperial Sir Alan Madson's Shrine Center chartered and what is its charter number?

d.) With what Shrine Association is Imperial Sir Alan Madson's Shrine Center associated?

**Former Springfield Patient
Jennifer Getty, Guest Speaker
at Potentate's Ball**

Good evening. I am truly honored to be here with you all tonight for this very special occasion. It isn't often in life that you get an opportunity to say "thank you". Tonight, I am lucky enough to get to do just that.



My name is Jennifer FitzGerald Getty and I was a Shriners kid. Let me take a moment and tell you my story. I began my life full of surprises. I came into the world six weeks early and I was born missing my right hand. As you can imagine, this was a bit of a scary time for my mom and dad. I was so very tiny and was born with a limb deficiency that was undetected before I was born. Luckily for me, God gave me very courageous and supportive parents.

My mom and I were at a garage sale one day when I was not yet two years old, when a woman approached us and told us that her husband was a Shriner and that she would like to talk with us about the Shriner's Hospital. It wasn't long after that, my parents and I were on the road and headed to Springfield, Massachusetts.

The Shriner's Hospital for Children in Springfield was just amazing. The care and support we received from the staff and doctors

was more than we ever would have thought possible. Throughout the years, I was fitted for more than one prosthetic arm. As I grew up and my activities changed, so did my artificial arms.

High school can be hard enough without having a hand, but being able to do the things that I wanted to do really made it that much easier. I wanted nothing more than to be a cheerleader. Because I had my prosthesis, I was able to make that dream a reality. In fact, my second season on the ice hockey cheer squad, I was team Captain! Whoever would have thought that possible? I taped my pom pom onto the hook of my prosthesis for pom pom cheers and then, took the hook off and put on a stuffed mitten for the other cheers. It was really perfect!

Right before I turned 21, I received my final prosthesis from the Shriners. The doctors really listened to what I wanted and what my concerns were. They went through the attachments that were available and helped come up with the perfect prosthesis for me. It was amazing! It had a hand that matched my left hand exactly, a hook, a sports hand, an attachment for holding a ski pole and one for holding a pool stick.

The Shriner's did all of this for me and it didn't cost my parents anything. Even as I got older and we had good health insurance, the Shriner's wouldn't let us pay. These are all the reasons why I am here tonight... to say thank you to each and every one of you for the time you give of yourselves and for the work that you do that keeps these hospitals running so that other children and their families get the help that they need. You made my dreams come true and for that I couldn't be more thankful. To my mom and dad, thank you both for your support and encouragement and for making those long trips to the hospital with me. And, to you, the Illustrious Potentate George Mudd, I want to say both thank you and congratulations as you embark on this next step that you so perfectly deserve.

STATEMENT

L. JOHN GARHARTT, Chairman

◆ **ORIENTAL SHRINE HOSPITAL FUND** ◆

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Spring Ceremonial – Queensbury Hotel, Glens Falls

Some Photos of the Days Activities



Preparing Gifts for Springfield Hospital



New Nobles & Ladies Enjoying Lunch



Lady April & Ill. George Mudd



New Nobles Receive their Fez



New Nobles and their Ladies



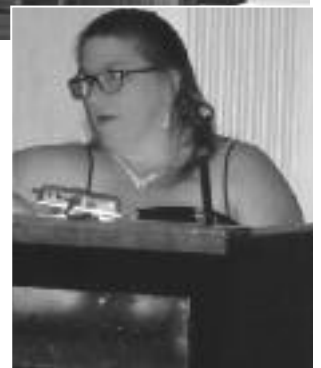
Winnie Norcross with Son & Grandson and their Ladies



Robert Harris,
2nd Ceremonial Master



Noble Bob
with
Sal Cannavo



Lady April honoring the
Past Potentate's Ladies





Our Ambassador at Large Edward Pavlic presents an Honorary Membership to Illustrious Charles Levan of Sahib Temple in Florida. Photo on the right shows Noble Ed meeting with Imperial Potentate Michael Sever in Florida.

**ORIENTAL SHRINERS
TROY, NEW YORK
PETITION FOR MEMBERSHIP**

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When? _____

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(Printed name in FULL - initials are not sufficient)
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(Signature) _____ (Date)

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(Noble's PRINTED Name) _____ (Member #)

(Noble's PRINTED Name) _____ (Member #)

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**Welcome
New
Nobles**

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- ◆ JOSEPH C. MILLER & Lady Sally
sponsored by Daniel Lambert
- ◆ DANIEL S. BARDIN & Lady Kelly
sponsored by Ill. George Mudd

- ◆ PAUL E. NORCROSS & Lady Sheila
sponsored by Winston Norcross
- ◆ JEFFREY N. LINDSTRAND
sponsored by Daniel Lambert
- ◆ ERIC P. NORCROSS & Lady Sara
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- ◆ BLAKE C. TORRES
sponsored by Paul Kleinberger
- ◆ KEITH BECKER & Lady Jamie
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Troy Area Shrine Club

L. JOHN GARHARTT, PP, Secretary

President Byron Moak opened the April 30th meeting and welcomed everyone. The invocation was given by Noble Robert Roseberger which was followed by the Shrine Pledge to the Flag. Everyone enjoyed the ham dinner prepared by Lady Dorothy Allen.

Birthdays celebrated at the meeting for Tom Abraham, Cathy Pagano, Blake Torres, Elaine Stanley and Jake Lederman. The monthly raffle was held and the winners were Miriam Kleinberger, John Pagano, Robert Harris, Paul Kleinberger, Tim Grogan, Leslie Abraham, Elaine Stanley and George Mudd.

Under sickness and distress it was good to see Toni Ciberti and Roger Minch. President Byron Moak presented all of the ladies with a red rose in celebration of Mothers Day. Everyone retired to the lodge room where President Byron introduced the "Sound Waves" from the Lansingburgh High School. They were led by Mrs. Shepard. The students sang many old and popular songs. They also did all of their own choreography. The students received a standing ovation from all present.

Vice President Robert Harris took over the meeting while Byron went out to thank the students. Noble Robert introduced the officers of the club after introducing Lady Jacque. Secretary – Ill. John Garhartt & Lady Andrea, Treasurer – Noble John Pagano & Lady Cathy and Chaplain Robert Roseberger.

Old business was the upcoming steak roast on May 20th at the Shrine Center. The cost will be \$15 per person and everyone was encouraged to sign up what they would like to bring. The steaks will be ready at 4:30 to 5:00 p.m. but everyone was encouraged to arrive early; relaxation and a good time any time after 2:00 p.m.

The new business was the onions and they were shipped on Tuesday. Lodge events coming were Apollo-King Solomon Lodge meeting is Thursday and all members of Phoenix-Jerusalem Lodge were encouraged to attend. Evening Star Lodge will be having on May 12th a dogs & burgers fundraiser for a school.

Scholarship at Shaker High School, Victor Lodge has a breakfast on the 3rd and 5th Sunday each month at a cost of \$6.00 per person. Mount Mariah has a meeting on the second Saturday of the month at 7:30 and all Masons are welcome. It was reported that William Fink is running for Junior Warden of the Grand Lodge of NY.

Ill. George Mudd was introduced and he reported that Lady April was planning on attending but truck problems prevented him from getting back north to pick her up.

Upcoming events: Imperial Session in Charlotte and the Fall Ceremonial in Ticonderoga. Fundraising going on are the Gun Raffle for the Shrine Center and the Quilt by Lady Kathy Fink for the Hospital Fund. Upcoming parades are the Crown Point Parade on Memorial Day, Flag Day parades in Saratoga and Troy.

Benediction was given by Noble Roseberger.

Oriental Patrol

BILL PROUT, Secretary

The May Patrol meeting was held on Wednesday, the 16th in the Shrine Center and was called to order at 7:00 PM. Members present were Frank Burek, Dave Stanley, Bob Roseberger, P.P. Harry Prout. and Bill Prout. The invocation was given by Bob Roseberger.

Secretaries report: Minutes were accepted as printed in the Oriental News.

Treasurer report: Was read and accepted showing a balance of all accounts of \$1893.93.

Sickness and distress: Harry Prout reported that he visited P.P. Lew Slocum. He very much appreciates having visitors. Bob Roseberger made a motion that we make a donation of \$100 to the Hospital Fund in memory of Marion Hacker. The motion passed.

Old business: Reviewed the car wash ticket sales as well as the returned unsold tickets.

New business: The next pancake breakfast will be held on September 30, 2012 and the Troy Masonic Community Center. President Burek reviewed our list of supplies and we are in pretty good shape. He said he will approach Stewart's about getting orange juice and half & half donated for the breakfast. President Burek reviewed the parade schedule for the upcoming months. The next Patrol meeting will be on September 19 at the Shrine Center.

Having no further business the meeting was turned over to Bob Roseberger for the benediction. The meeting adjourned at 7:45.

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