

The Anahgram

"Changing Lives Together" Newsletter



**CLASS OF 2021 IN MEMORY OF
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PAST POTENTATE OF ANAH
SHRINE 2007**



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From the day he was born, the Shrine and Masonry have been in his life having many family members involved including his father and uncle who were both very actively involved. At the age of twenty-one, he was raised a Master Mason in St. Andrews Lodge #83 and then joined the Scottish Rite and Anah Shriners in Bangor, Maine. He is a member of the Order of Quetzalcoatl, serving as founding Camaxtli of Teocalli 869. He is also an Associate member of Egypt Shriners in Tampa, Florida where he is employed as a Realtor at Florida Pro Realty and lives with his son, Jayden. Randy proudly served on the divan of Anah Shriners from 2007-2010 after being initially being appointed by Illustrious Sir Tyler Dunning. He is also a Past President and Past Secretary of the BangorBrewer Shrine Club and was a member of several clubs/units and served on numerous committees for Anah Shriners and the Grand Lodge of Maine. For him, the most significant role was being asked to work in membership. That is when he realized his strengths and skills could best be utilized to assist our beloved fraternity. After serving as membership chairman for a couple of years, his efforts were recognized by Imperial Sir Jack Jones who recommended to the Imperial Potentate that he be appointed

to the Imperial Membership Committee to serve as a Regional Director. While balancing his responsibilities within his own temple, he also served Shriners International as a member of the TRAC Team, Futures Committee and Pilot Implementation Team. His talents have also been utilized as a presenter at the Membership, Oriental Guide and Assistant Rabban Seminars for many years. He was honored to also serve on the Conference of Grand Masters' Masonic Renewal Committee of North America for several years.

In 2011, he was hired as Shriners International's Director of Membership Development, working with the Nobility, temples and Imperial Membership team. He was truly fortunate to work under the mentor ship and leadership of Imperial Sir Jack Jones both as a volunteer and an employee of Shriners International. Randy's extensive knowledge of our fraternity and its bylaws enabled him to provide guidance and support to many temples throughout the world. After the sudden passing of Imperial Sir Jack, Randy was elected to serve as Imperial Recorder, a position which he humbly served until 2019.



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He attended public schools in Bangor, Maine Central Institute in Pittsfield and Husson College now Husson University. He resided in Veazie for 25 years and lived in Corinth and in Mount Desert. Tyler passed away in 2016. He is survived by his fiancée Penny J. Fernald of Mount Desert and children Michael and wife Renee of Oklahoma, Sue and fiancée Dan of Hampden and Jim and wife Michelle of Orono. He is also survived by his grandchildren. Tyler's son Jim became a member of Anah Shriners in 2005.

Tyler spent most of his working career with the family business, R.B. Dunning & Company until 1983 when he went into property management, then into the restaurant business, managing and owning restaurants in Northeast Harbor, Bar Harbor and Orono. He also worked for the Maine Tourism Association as a Travel Consultation. He was active in the Town of Veazie where he served as a Selectman for a few terms. He was on the budget committee, president of elderly housing and a member of the Police Department as well as other committees in the town. He was also a member of the Greater Bangor Chamber of Commerce, the Maine Restaurant Association and a trustee of Eastern Maine Healthcare (now Northern Lights).

His Masonic affiliations include membership in St. Andrew's Lodge No.83 AF&AM of Bangor, The Maine Consistory of Portland, Bangor Council #5, Mt. Moriah Royal Arch Chapter #6 and St. John's Commandery #3 of Bangor. He became a member of Anah Shrine at a joint Ceremonial with Kora

Shrine in 1981. Tyler along with Frank Jordan formed the Keystone Kops Unit in 1982. He was appointed an Aide in 1987 by the late Past Potentate Jim Wentworth and appointed Chief Aide in 1992 by the late Past Potentate John Fernald. The late Past Potentate Ernie Park appointed him to the Directors Staff in 1994. He had been active in the Keystone Kops as Chief of the Unit. He was past president of the Old Town-Orono Shrine Club working in various capacities. He was housing chairman for the Northeast Shrine Association in 1997. He was a member of many of the Shrine Clubs of Anah Shriners and as housing director. He was active with the East-West Hockey program becoming Treasurer of this event.

Past Potentate Rodney Pinkham in 1997 appointed Tyler as his Outer Guard. The late Tyler Dunning became Potentate of Anah Shrine in 2007.

Past Potentate Tyler Dunning is not the only member of his family to be Potentate, as his grandfather James A. Dunning was Potentate of Kora Shrine in 1912 and was later instrumental in forming Anah temple and became the first Potentate of Anah Shrine from 1921 to 1923.

POTENTATES MESSAGE

Don Gordon, Potentate



Anah is on the move again! As of May 24th, the shrine building is open to the public. Boy that feels great to announce.

A full ceremonial will occur in June, complete with a parade and second

section. Team 21 has been working tirelessly to put this event together. Currently we are on Plan C for some events. We have definitely learned how to be flexible and think outside the box.

Another Aroostook County Shrine Club trip was made. Some of us, including some County Klowns, had an opportunity to play a "cold" game of golf. All in all it was a fun weekend. Thanks for the County hospitality.

My Personal Aide, Greg Lawson and I were able to travel to Northern Penobscot Shrine Club for it's first meeting of the year. We enjoyed a nice meal and had the opportunity to reconnect with the nobles and ladies that were in attendance. It felt good to do that. We definitely are moving forward as we now have all shrine clubs active again!

The Bangor -Brewer Shrine Club held it's Ladies Night on May 20th, Lady Gail and I attended along with about 50 or 60 other nobles and their ladies. A fine meal and fellowship were enjoyed by all.

The 2021 Imperial Session in Houston is fast approaching. It is planned for July 4-8 and they too are working to make the Session as close to normal as possible, while putting in place changes that they believe are necessary to protect the health and safety of nobles and guests. An ever changing world for sure.

It's time for some fun and fellowship, so mark your calendars so you don't miss out. Anah Shrine June Ceremonial: June 18 - 19, 2021.

Don

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"FROM THE RECORDER'S DESK" Charlie Pray



As we finally can see a light at the end of the tunnel, your Divan is pleased to announce the re-opening of our beautiful building.

While the Governor has waived the Mask mandate, we feel it necessary to require any non-vaccinated persons to still wear a mask while within the confines of our building. This requirement is for all other non-vaccinated guests as well as that person itself. Now, for an unsolicited endorsement, Roll Up Your Sleeve!

As most are already aware, and you'll certainly read more about it in this issue, we're having a June Ceremonial. Details can be found in this issue. Let's all celebrate the fact that we can once again gather, break bread and toast in a renewed sense of family.

The June Class of candidates had been dedicated to two very worthy gentlemen, Tyler Dunning, Potentate in 2007, as well as Imperial Sir, Randy Rudge, Past Imperial Recorder. Please get your candidate's names into us as soon as possible so that we can get information packets out so they can make plans for this joyous occasion.

As has been mentioned several times, it's now more important than ever to get your permission slips into the office for any pending activity, especially if it involves the usage of the building. With life getting back some semblance of normalcy, the building rental activity has exploded, and we are very busy with outside requests for space.

We hope to see everyone in a couple weeks at the Ceremonial.

Remember: Stay Safe, Be Positive & Test Negative!

Fraternally,

Charlie

P.S. "How About Those Red Sox"?

WALDO COUNTY SHRINE CLUB

Spring has sprung, and summer is on its way. The vaccination count is up, and we're coming out of our cocoons and beginning to spread our wings again. Hope you all are letting the sun shine in, and we will be seeing more of each other as the year brightens and the covid fades away. We can make this happen together.

Thanks to all the nobles who participated in the spring clean-up at the club. The grounds are looking great and the building is ready for celebrating better days.

On April 28th we held our last monthly social hour for Shriners and Masons until September. Those in attendance not only enjoyed an evening of humor and fellowship, but some excellent appetizers. We feasted on steamed clams and mussels, provided by Noble Ray Young, hard salami,

cheese, and crackers, provided by Noble Scott Hawthorne, hot Italian meatballs, provided by yours truly, and of course a well-equipped beverage center. Thanks to all, and hope to see this grow when we restart in September.

The drive-thru chicken barbeque is getting ready to go on June 12th, starting at 11am to 2pm or until all meals are gone. Meal will include; chicken, coleslaw, baked beans, and rolls for \$15.00 per plate. Hope to see you there.

Gun raffle tickets are being printed for the two Henry rifles and we will have more information when Noble Steve Trimm attends the May 13th meeting and dinner. Speaking on the dinner/meeting, we would love to see you, so please give us a call if you like to attend as we are still limited to 50 inside the club.

That's about all for this edition. Hope to see you all soon. We have a good shot at all being normal again, so let's all take our shot and look forward to a great summer.

Reporting for WCSC: Peter Sanderson, ps.builder@hotmail.com.

HIGHLANDERS

Greetings Nobles and Ladies. May is here and the Band is practicing. On May 8th, the band is scheduled to play at a significantly modified Husson graduation. Husson has grown so much in the last 20 years, the Graduation had to be broken into 2 separate services. I've been tied up with other things, so I haven't been able to practice with the band. I got the Anahgram today and saw all the stuff for the June Ceremonial, I didn't even notice if they were having a parade. If they have one, I hope it is short, because after not parading since the fall of 2019, it is fair to say that some of us may be a little out of shape. Other than the Rockport Masonic Lodge concerts, I'm thinking most of the rest of the summer is empty. Until next time, be Blessed.

THE BLACK CAMEL

HONORING THOSE WHO HAVE GONE BEFORE US!

Milton E. Smith Presque Isle, Me.

Jan. 7, 1945 – April 17, 2021

Trinity Lodge #111 Raised 6/6/1967

Created Anah 6/3/1972

Eugene B. Palmer Belmont, Maine

March 27, 1941 – May 19, 2021

Liberty Lodge #111 Raised 2/8/1969

Created Anah 6/23/1990

Ernie Abdelour • Jul-22
 Richard D. Adams Sr. • Oct-22
 LTC Richard N.Anderson,USAF Ret. • Dec-20
 Bobby Averill • Oct-22
 Dick & Sandra Averill • May-25
 IMO Richard F.Averill, Sr. • May-25
 IMO Marilyn Baggett • Dec-22
 IMO C.Alton Bagley • May-23
 IMO Richard H. Bagley,PP.1978 • May-23
 Dennis Ballard & Joyce Pratt • Apr-22
 Danny Bird, P.P. Luxor • Mar-24
 IMO Albert "Bucky" Bishop • Jul-21
 Irene Blood -IMO Allen Hayward • Apr-23
 Blinn & Joan Boone • Jul-21
 Fred & Meghan Brown • Apr-24
 Dennis H. Brugman • May-22
 Richard "Dick" Carlisle • Feb-21
 Bruce & Nancy Cameron • Mar-22
 Galen Call • Feb-23
 Kim & Dick Carlow • Jan-22
 Roger Chesley & Carol Jean • Nov-21
 IMO Kenneth "Kenny" Cirone • Feb-22
 IMO Fredrick E. Clarke Jr. • Mar-22
 Bruce & Trudy Clarke • May-23
 IMO Tom Clukey • Jan-22
 IMO Galen Cole, PP • Dec-20
 Dan & Lanci Costain • Jun-21
 John L.Cousins, Sr. • Feb-22
 IMO Sonny Crocker • Oct-21
 George & Carolyn Crocker • Oct-21
 Crump's Stove & Chimney Supply Co. • Sep-23
 Ken & Janice Crump • Sep-23
 Wayne & Tanya Darling • Mar-22
 Maurice & Bonita Day • Oct-21
 Larry T.Doughty • Oct-21
 Mark Doughty • Oct-21
 Bryant R.Dutch • Apr-23
 Jean & Tim Dutch, P.P. 2020 • Apr-24
 IMO Thomas E. England • May-22
 John & Donna Farrington • May-21
 IMO Robert Farrington- N.P.S.C. • Feb-22
 IMO Ted,Paul & Dick Farrington • May-21
 IMO Wally Fenlason • Jul-25
 Thomas & Carroll Fernald • Mar-24
 Ronald & Carol Jean Forrest • Apr-21
 IMO Hugo Frati • Apr-22
 Orlando Frati • Apr-22
 Peter Frati • Mar-22
 Joseph F. Friedman • Jun-23
 Clinton & Sandra Fulton • Feb-26
 IMO George D. Gaddis • May-23
 Paul & Diana Giles • Jul-21
 Goody & Roz Gilman • Oct-33
 IMO Carroll I. & Gerry Goodwin, Jr. • Jun-25
 IMO Richard A.Goodwin • Feb-22
 IMO Robert R. Gould • Jul-21
 Dana & Dorthy Graves • Apr-23

Ronnie & Carole Green • Jun-21
 Charles C.W. Hackney • Oct-23
 Carolyn & Richard Hallett PP. • Sept.-22
 IMO Elbridge M. Hamm, Sr. • Nov.-21
 Gene & Pamela Hamm • Aug.-21
 Donna & Kenneth Hanscom Jr. • Sept.-21
 IMO C,Harold Harding- N.P.S.C. • Nov.-22
 Wallace & Jeanette Harvey • Dec-21
 Theresa Hatch IMO Dale "Slapshot" Hatch • Nov-21
 IMO Norman "Hoopy Scoopy" Hatch • Sep-21
 IMO-Ralph Hill • Jul-24
 Skip & Jane House • Feb-22
 Jerry & Lois Hutchinson • Sep-21
 IMO David L. Ireland • Aug-25
 Rich & Cindy Johnson • Jul-26
 Steven and Jaclyn Averill Jones • Nov.-21
 Walter & Claire Kennedy • Dec-23
 Ellen Kenney-IMO- Alton Kenney • Jul-21
 Brian & Diane Ketchum • Nov.21
 Robert & Rae Jean Knowles • Oct-24
 P.P. Lee Kaufman & Lady Peggy • Feb-23
 John & Joan Killinger • May-22
 Mary Knox IMO Stanley E. Knox • Mar-23
 IMO Charles Larson • Apr-23
 IMO Ernest "Bud" Larson • Feb-22
 Larry & Gail Larson • Aug-21
 IMO Floyd Lenfest, Sr. • Dec-22
 Floyd R.Lenfest, Jr. • Dec-22
 Robert & Sandi Look • Feb-24
 JohnH. Lynch-IMO M. Jean Lynch • Mar-24
 IMO Donald (DeeDee) Lyons, Sr. • Jul-22
 Francis & Winston Mackay P.P.Luxor 1997 • Oct-21
 IMO Robert Macleod • Jan-23
 Roy Martin • Oct-25
 IMO Frank B. Maxwell • Apr-24
 Welman & Natalie McFarland • Aug.-21
 Lorraine McGown-IMO Alan McGown • Jun-21
 IMO Tom (Pig Farmer) Mckinney • Feb-22
 Bob & Mary McReavy • Dec-20
 Don & Deanne Merrill • Apr-22
 Jerry & Cindi Merrithew • Oct-21
 Jim & Mae Merrithew • Oct-21
 IMO Gordon C.Moreside • Aug-21
 IMO Wesley Nash - N.P.S.C. • Feb-22
 Richard & Betty Nevers • Dec-25
 Richard & Mary Ruth Nichols • May-25
 David O'Donnell • Dec-22
 Warren & Velma Orcutt • Oct-21
 Robert "Boomer" Palmer, Jr. & Julianna • Nov.22
 Diana & Jethro Pease • Apr-23
 Ed Pellon, P.P.1998-IMO Esther Pellon • Jul-23
 Martin "Fou" & Dara Perfit • Oct.-25
 Joyce & Rod Pinkham P.P. 1997 • Oct-22
 Don & Linda Potter • Oct.21
 Cliff & Nancy Pottle • Jan-23
 Charlie Pray, Recorder Anah Shrine • Apr-21
 IMO Frank O. Pray, Sr. • Apr-21

Bud & Kathy Prouty • Jan-21
 Trey & Kim Prouty • Apr-23
 IMO Bob Pushard, Sr. • Aug-21
 Martin E. Ray • May-22
 IMO Stanley L. Reed, Sr. • Feb-22
 P.P. Clyde V.Reynolds & Linda • May-21
 IMO Keith B.Roberts • Sep-24
 Tim & Diane Robinson • Oct.21
 IMO Sumner Rogers • Apr-22
 Nick & Kathyrn Rossignol • Dec-21
 Larry & Donna Rowell • Nov-23
 Spike Savage • Jul-22
 IMO Clifton R.Scoville • Jun-22
 Todd C. Scoville • Jun-22
 IMO Douglas Segee- N.P.S.C. • Feb-22
 Bob & Janice Shaw • May-22
 Derward & Betty Shedd • Oct.22
 IMO William Sinford Sr. • Jun-22
 IMO Ken Smith • Apr-22
 Roger Smith - IMO Pat Smith • Dec-21
 IMO Thomas M.Smith • Jan-22
 IMO Vernon Smith • Jun-21
 Edward & Lisa Snow • Feb-22
 IMO Ed Sprague, PP • Apr-22
 Kerry "Spiffy" & Pam Spofford • Jul-21
 IMO Robert "Bob" Strout & Elaine • Jun-22
 Mr.& Mrs.Gary Sudsbury-IMO "Our Scooby" • Sept.-25
 Elliott & Joyce Tarbell • Jun-22
 IMO Betty Tarr • Jun-22
 Dale & Karen Tarr • Jan-24
 Daniel L.Tarr • Jun-22
 Wilbert & Joan Terry • Jul-21
 IMO Bill Thibodeau • Mar-22
 IMO Alexander R. Theodore • Sept.-21
 Brenda & Jesse Thomas, PP.2015 • Sep-21
 Ronald Thornton • Oct-21
 Tim & Ann Thornton • Feb-22
 Al & Pat Trask • Jun-21
 Esther & Bourke Trask • Apr-25
 Lance Trundy • Feb-22
 Alan Tweedie & Heidi • Oct-21
 Arthur "Coota" & Phyllis Watson • Jun-22
 Burt & Jackie Weed • Nov-21
 IMO Wayne & Marilyn Wheeler • Dec-24
 Buddy & Caryll Wheeler • Sep-24
 Roger & Laurene Windsor • Oct-23
 Donald & Felicia Wiswell • Feb-23
 Will & Maren Whitlock • Sept.-22
 Bob & Norma Winglass • Aug-23
 IMO Donald K.Wright Sr. • Sep-22
 IMO Douglas Yost • Dec-21
 Donald "Bo-Bo" & Janice Young • Jun-22
 Duane "Div-it" Young, IMO Karen Young • Aug-23

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ANAH SHRINE POTENTATE DONALD "DON" GORDON AND THE 2021 DIVAN

WELCOME YOU TO THE 2021 JUNE CEREMONIAL

JUNE 18-19, 2021 DONALD "DON" GORDON

BY ORDER OF THE POTENTATE OF ANAH SHRINERS ALL THE NOBLES ARE INSTRUCTED TO ASSEMBLE ON JUNE 19, 2021 AT ANAH SHRINE 1404 BROADWAY BANGOR, MAINE TO CONVENE THE SUMMER CEREMONIAL MEETING OF ANAH SHRINERS FOR THE PURPOSE OF HEARING REPORTS ON THE YEAR 2021 AND THE INITIATION OF CANDIDATES.

ANAH CEREMONIAL SCHEDULE

Thursday JUNE 17, 2021

6:00 PM Cribbage Tournament at Anah Shrine

FRIDAY JUNE 18, 2021

7:45-8:45 AM Golf Registration at Hermon Meadows

9:00 AM Golf Shotgun Start

5:00-7:00 PM Dinner on your own

7:00-9:00 PM Parking lot party w/DJ

9:00- 11:00 PM Hospitality at Hilton Garden Inn

SATURDAY JUNE 19, 2021

7:00-9:00 AM Breakfast Sandwiches by Kanteen's

7:30 AM Directors Staff, Membership Committee, Provost Guard, Second Section report to Anah

8:30 AM Divan, Candidates & Ladies report to Anah

9:00 AM Temple Opens and A MASON

10:00 AM Parade line up on Liberty Drive (BREWER)

11:00 AM Parade steps off!

12:00 PM Lunch (men) at Shrine Center by Kanteen's,

Ladies Luncheon at Jeff's Catering \$20

1:00 PM Academicians

2:00 PM Second Section

3:15 PM Fezzing Ceremony

3:30-4:30 PM Camels Milk

6:00-6:30 Hospitality

6:30-9:00 BBQ Meal (Brisket, Pulled Pork, Pulled Chicken, Cole slaw, Italian green beans, Baked beans, Cornbread) Tickets \$35 pp and DJ

9:00-11:00 Hospitality at Hilton Garden Inn

SUNDAY JUNE 20, 2021

Happy Father's Day!

Have a safe trip home!



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CLUB NEWS

TRI-COUNTY SHRINE CLUB

Tri-County Shrine Club held their monthly meeting on the 21st of April. 34 Nobles were present at the now famous Ralph's Barn in Corinna. After the Libation Hour under the direction of Libation Master Corey Roberts, the meeting was called to order by President Ralph McNaughton. Invocation was given by Noble "BOBO" Young. Flag Salute was led by the President. Nobles introduced were as follows. Unit Heads were Corey Roberts of the Wheelers. Aide Rich Nadeau. Personal Aides Piggy, Todd Foster and Greg Lawson. Assistant Chief Director Chad Otis. Director of Housing Sped Seymour. Assistant Director of Units Dan Taylor. Past Potentate "2013" Lee Kaufman. Representing the Divan was Outer Guard Rich Johnson, Marshal Dan Costain and Oriental Guide Ryan Otis. Also in attendance was Illustrious Sir Potentate Don Gordon of Anah Shrine. The Nobles enjoyed a Steak BBQ under the direction of Nobles Mike Blake and Ron Green. Noble Steve Hartley was going to assist, but he had a better offer, he was in Florida. Flushed Noble Chad Otis spoke about the Dryden Dutch Golf Tournament on August 12th. Ladies welcome to play. Lunch, golf and steak supper. Noble Rich Johnson spoke about Tri-County helping with food service at a Corn Hole tournament at Anah Shrine. He is working out the details and more info will be forthcoming. Ryan Otis spoke about the Dueling Pianos on the 14th and 15 of May. Yoshi and Hillbillies will be the sponsors for the 2 nights. A Hillbilly Degree will be held in the afternoon. Rollie's Open Golf Tournament will be in June. Proceeds will go to the Shriners Hospital in Boston. There will be a virtual Haunted Walk to raise funds for the Hospitals. YOSHI, which stands for Young Shriners, will be having a fund raiser for Christmas Ornaments, more in to follow. Potentate Don Gordon was glad to be back in Tri-County. There is a return trip to ACSC coming up. The Nobles up North know how to treat visiting Nobles. There will be a full Ceremonial in June. Parade to be determined. Saturday Night Meal will be an Alabama BBQ, Brisket, Pork and Chicken. No further business meeting was closed by the President. **START WORKING ON CANDIDATES FOR YOUR LOCAL BLUE LODGE AND THE JUNE CEREMONIAL.**

WIDOWS CLUB

Hope all are doing well. Has everyone been vaccinated?

I think it is time for us to plan a lunch out somewhere.

We will plan to go to lunch on Wednesday June 23rd. I will contact you all to see if you will be joining us and then will plan on Anglers so we can have the porch. Feel free to call me to let me know if you will join us. 989-3664 or 745-8819. Hope some of you will make it to some of the June ceremonial activities.

Take care,
Lorena

BANGOR BREWER SHRINE CLUB

Hello everyone,

Since our last article we hosted our April meeting at the Shrine. We enjoyed an amazing Lasagna dinner made by our own Dan Taylor with the help of some of our members ladies. Everyone had a great time at the meeting and enjoyed some fellowship. We had a Circus theme set up by the Circus guys to

honor our own Ill Sir Don Gordon since there was no circus this year.

Our May meeting has not happened yet so more on that next month.

Even though we just started meeting again, we will go dark for our normal months of June, July and August so everyone can enjoy some family time and hopefully take a parade or two.

If you come to BBSC and want to help out more we are always looking for some new Directors to help assist in the running of the club, set up/clean up at meetings and help run any other events we may be hosting.

If you are interested email us at bangorbrewershrineclub@gmail.com

if you are a lifetime member of the club and not getting my emails or are interested in becoming a member, email me at the address above

Until next month
Aaron Mower
BBSC Secretary

SPRINGFIELD HOSPITAL REPORT

I'd like to wish a belated Happy Mother's Day and an early Happy Father's day to you all. The one wish all parents have is to have healthy children. As we know that wish isn't always realized. We as Shriners and Ladies are able to do a huge part in making that come as close as possible to fruition through our Shriners Hospitals for Children regardless to the family's ability to pay. We do skeletal, neuromusculoskeletal, urological, cleft lip and palate, and burns procedures and the list goes on. I'm half way through my seventh year of serving Anah on the Board of Governors in Springfield, Massachusetts and what an experience.

I've met doctors who hold medical patents for procedures, doctors and nurses that can repair a child's body and turn a formally nonfunctional body into a mobile body. They do complex spinal surgeries only dreamed of at the beginning of my tenure, through no skill of mine obviously, and administrative staffing that keeps us current with medical equipment, legislative mandates, and most of all the needs of our kids. I can only imagine the joy in a parent's heart when they see a child take their first steps on previously nonworking legs, or a baby's face have a full smile where only parts of a mouth had been. From all of us at Shriners we want to thank you all for allowing all us crazy guys who wear clown make up, drive funny cars, and dress as cops and robbers as well as several other groups such as the Festival of Trees, and the Circus workers the opportunity to make some of these wishes come true. I am truly elated hearing some of our preCovid numbers of patients are once again being either met or just about met. When I first started at Springfield I met our Chief Of Staff, and after seeing some of his work I told him he had hands on loan from God. I now realize God is an equal opportunity giver because our entire staff at Shriners all have been gifted this blessing. Millions of children lead a much more "normal" life due to these professionals as well as you all. Without that warm spot in your hearts and that hand that seems to make frequent trips to your wallet these dreams would have been only that, unrealized dreams. From our team at Anah, and all the Shrine Centers around the world good things keep coming. I'll close for now and hope that some day there will be a day when no child needs our services and enjoy perfect lives from day one. For now let's keep the good work our Hospitals do keep getting better. God Bless, Bob

ACADEMICIANS

Hello Fellow Academicians and Ladies

As of this writing we have not yet had our May meeting, so more on that next time. Although I can say that as you read this we should be into our next fundraiser of two simultaneous raffles, another meat raffle and a cash raffle. So if you want raffle tickets to buy and/or sell, please let me know.

We can really use some new members in all unit sections, so if you know of anyone who would be interested let's please get them an application. What could be more fun or worthwhile than this? I can send you an application if you need one.

From The Wonderful World Of Donnie (Copeland, not Disney): "The latest from Hungry Hollow is that we recently attended another drive-through dinner at the Shrine Center which was very well presented. We need to obtain some more candidates for the June Ceremonial if we can. Us old fellers need help.

Speaking of the The Wonderful World of Disney, the family and I had a great time at Disney World and Universal Studios over the April school break. We brought Lauren's best friend along, and the kids (and adults) had a real good time. It was nice to have some fun in the sun.

I also recently took a ride up to Donnie's at Hungry Hollow in Island Falls. He showed me around Hungry Hollow and various points of interest in the area. Go to Flatlanders Restaurant in Patten! Great BBQ and GIANT whoopie pies! It was fun to visit the world famous Jerry's Store where we get the raffle meat packages. Thanks Donnie and Gin for a good time! I look forward to returning.

We of course are all looking forward to this month's ceremonial. The plan right now is to have a talk-through of the ritual via Zoom (seeing that we just did it three times over two weekends in March), and then brush up on anything we need to brush up on in an abbreviated way the day of the ceremonial. Stay tuned for more on the ceremonial via email.

Well that's all folks, for now. May the Force Be With You! And remember, never hesitate to contact me with any news, questions, concerns, gossip, nonsense, or just plain outright lies you would like to generously share with the rest of our Academicians family and Shrinedom in general. I can be contacted via email at rbilancia@roadrunner.com or by phone at 207-989-2617.

CONVERTIBLES

The May flowers are going by and the leaves are beginning to fill in the blank spaces in nature's canvas. Hooray! I think that Spring has arrived. Although as I write now in May, the woodstove is chugging away in the front room!

Our last convertible unit meeting was a live one held at our Shrine center in Bangor. Unit members were treated to a cook out there, hosted and organized by Scott. Thankyou Scott. We even had most of the winter deserters there and it was good to see everyone and their ladies in person again. I think some of the southern contingent had doubts about arriving home too early!

Normally I'd be reporting this month about another successful Super Supper. Due to changing pandemic cautions, this years supper, like last years, was cancelled. In its place, the unit will hold a 'Cash for Christmas' drawing. Tickets are only \$100 each and the prizes will be the same as for the normal Super Supper. \$5,000 first prize and so on. Get your tickets now from any convertible unit member.

Summer parade schedules are in the planing stages now and barring any new COVID restrictions, it looks to be a busy summer having fun for the kids. That's what it's all about! Alden Tracy, Dave Thomas and John Shea all celebrate birthdays in June so it will be warming

up after all. All those candles! Just imagine! Happy day guys! Alden and Pam as well as Larry and Libby celebrate their wedding anniversaries as well in June. That should generate some heat. From the candles people! I know what you're thinking. Happy anniversary to you all! That's it for June. Watch for upcoming events and changes on your email. And remember to keep all of our Shrine family and friends in your thoughts and prayers! Reporting for the convertibles, hopefully now topless, Gaylord E. Sundt

ANAH INDYS

Nobles and Ladies, the Anah Indys are back on schedule! In 2020 the "Rona" prevented our unit from participating in the usual hectic parade circuit but that is coming to an end. Many public events have been scheduled for this summer and we are pleased to be able to rev up the Indy cars. Best of all, we will be at the June 19th Ceremonial Parade. On May 1st, the Indy pit crew had a maintenance day at the Aroostook County Shrine with most members participating. More work will need to be done before the first parade.

The Anah Indys are also moving forward with plans for the annual Super Supper to be held on September 11, 2021 at the Aroostook County Shrine. This is a great time to get out and have a lobster dinner, dance to the Wally and the Virginians Band, and enjoy some great company. Tickets will be available soon!

On a last note, keep in touch with your fellow Nobels and their families. As we open up, encourage them to get out and participate in Anah Shrine events, and don't neglect your Blue Lodge.

It has been a long stretch and its time to dust ourselves off and raise some money for those children.

Bill Greaves
Secretary, Anah Indys

KAMPERS KORNER

Hope you ladies had a great mother's day.

Time to mow lawns - soon planting gardens etc. By the time you read this, we will have had our first outing at Palmyra Campground. Looking forward to the June Ceremonial 18th & 19th.

Birthdays for June:

Bonnie Bates, David Bowen, Runtz Farnsworth, David Keezer, Dawn McKay, Monica Patterson, Ken Whitney, Don Wiswell,

Anniversaries for June:

Butch & Jean Costain, Edwin & Ellen DeWitt, Kenneth & Charlene Hall, Richard & Cindy Johnson, Kenneth & Patty Gilbert,

Herbert & Judy Libby, Jesse & Brenda Thomas, Don & Janice Young

Please pay your dues to David Keezer, Treasurer, 391 Lincoln St., Bangor, Maine 04401 Tel. #949-4145

Irene Blood, Secretary

WHEELERS

Greetings fellow Nobles !! As we are reading this article most of us will be getting ready for June Ceremonial, a gathering of Anah that is long overdue. The past year was a challenge for the

Temple and all its units, one that without a doubt made us stronger. Born from the COVID restrictions were new and inventive ways to fundraise, I tip my Fez to all you pioneers of the drive through dinners. As for the Anah Wheelers, we are excited to be parading again! Enjoying the fellowship and doing our part to help the Temple and the Shriners Hospitals. We are meeting once again every month on the second Friday, 7pm @ Lygonia Lodge in Ellsworth. Last month we voted on several parades, we will be headed to Jonesport, Bangor, Bar Harbor, and Lincoln. Drivers... dust off your rigs, give them a shake down and shine up your helmet. If you need any parts, be sure to contact Kevin Crowe @ 356-9006.

Nobles old and new, we have several rigs in need of drivers, if you are interested and want to check us out, join us in Ellsworth for a meeting or call our Captain Corey Roberts @ 485-2777. "Keep the shiny side up, and the rubber side down!" - Noble Matt Mower reporting.

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