



BEJA BUGLER

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Floyd L. Meyer*
John R. Martinez* 1987
Hobart De Caster *1988
Donald C. Wiggins *1989
Bruce J. Carlton *
Charles Awen
Donald P. Doherty *1992
Robert Squires *
William Asmus *
A. Wayne Paschke * 1995
Archie H. Mauk*
Peter R. Scheinert1997
John Ottum M.D.* 1998
Donald Badgley
Denis E. Bay*
G.W. "Jerry" Capelle2001
Fred Beyer

John M. Derenne *
Dennis Korth
William "Bill" Wenszell *2005
Jim Slezak
Kent Pauli
D. Eugene Badgley *2008
Bradley Ottum
Edward "Rusty" Mitchell2010
Gary Shriver
Dave Oshefsky
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Nick Brosig
Kent Pauli
Eugene Reece
Greg Habeck
Clint Compton
Mike Belanger
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The early months of 2020 have brought a serious medical and dangerous medical condition that is afflicting the whole world. The disease, Coronavirus, is being called a pandemic. I understand that means it cannot be any more of threat to human lives than it is. We know thousands of people have already died, killed by the disease.

The medical societies and the governments have decreed one meaningful way we can slow the spreading of the disease is to practice social isolation: stay out of any crowd of two or more persons., do not get closer that six feet to anyone. Obviously, this has its limits: Doctors, Nurses and other need to care for patients; we need a place to purchase groceries; and there are other essential activities.

For those of us who can practice social isolation, here is some serious whimsey for us to think about:

There was a preacher. He was a little preacher. His name was Little. He was the pastor of a little church that met in a little building. It could only pay him a little salary. He was married to a little woman with whom he lived in a little house, and to this union was born seven little Littles.

Brother Little was highly respected by his congregation for numerous reasons, not the least of which was the fact that he was a good manager of his family's finances. Despite having only a little salary, the Little's seemed to keep things going pretty well with the large family that Brother and Mrs. Little had to support.

One day a parishioner of the little church said, "Brother Little, your are just a little preacher, a pastor of such a little church that can only pay you a little salary and you and Mrs. Little live together in that little house with seven little Littles with only a little income. How is it you manage and get along so well?"

Brother Little replied, "The answer is very simple. Every Little helps."

In the challenge that 2020 has brought us, as the Ladies and the Nobles of Beja Shrine, desirous of providing the quality medical care that we can give to "our" children that opens up the quality of their lives, how big is our little that will help keep Beja strong and the medical program demonstrating why we are Love to the Rescue.

Yours in the faith, Rev. Myron E. Christensen



THE POTENTATE'S MESSAGE Es Selamu 🗞 Aleikum





Greetings everyone,

I hope everyone is staying safe and maintaining their sanity as we are in the second month of staying at home for some of us. For those of you who are out there working please continue to work safely and for those who are in the medical profession thank you for your tireless working hours and

dedication to helping those who need assistance.

With everything being cancelled this Spring the next time we will hopefully gather will be our June 3rd meeting for our Pie Auction. We will be cooking out so please see the menu in the Bugler.

Due to the cancellation of Summer MSA in Regina Saskatchewan, I was able to move the Potentate's Ball to August 15th at Beja. I lowered the price to \$40 per person which includes the meal and entertainment from Daddy D Productions. Reservations must be made by July 15th so please get them in as soon as possible.

Let's have some summertime fun and hopefully celebrate the end to the COVID-19 pandemic.

As of now the Potentate's Trip to Niagara Falls on September 24th-29th is still on. Please see the full page flyer for the trip with prices. Partial payment of \$250 per person is required by July 1st and remaining balance due by August 15th. For those who sign up for the Trip you will receive an email on August 1st with an invoice for the remaining balance due.

Watch your mailboxes, I will be mailing everyone a letter along with the Potentate's Ball and the Potentate's Trip flyers the first week of May. Please use the flyers to sign up for the Potentate's Ball and Trip.

Everyone please stay safe and continue to social distance vourselves and use the suggested hygiene practices.

Fraternally, Ill. Sír James F. Van De Hey Beja Potentate 2020

Happy Mother's Day Enjoy your day!!





Hello Beja Ladies,

I hope everyone is doing well during "our stay at home" orders! I'm praying all goes well the next few weeks so we can continue on and have our June meeting/ pie-cake auction! Keep your fingers crossed we miss everyone.

Síncerely, Lady Paulette



CONSIDER ADVERTISING!

Shriners! If you own a business your company should consider advertising in the Beja Bugler. It reaches all Beja Nobles in the state and we offer very attractive rates. If interested, contact Ann in the Beja office, (920) 498-1985, or email bejashrine@new.rr.com.

Beja Bugler Articles Your Submissions should be sent to: vickic93@centurytel.net Articles are due on the 10th of each month The Bugler is produced monthly electronically and placed on Beja's website. The Bugler is also printed and mailed to subscribed members the first month of each calendar quarter

(January, April, July and October).

Beja Connections

Beja eBugler – Beja Shriners Weekly Newsletter

The weekly newsletter, the eBugler, is emailed every Sunday containing information about events of the week, birthdays, sickness and distress reports, and a glimpse into the future for planning. You can sign up to receive the eBugler on Beja's website, BejaShriners.com.

The Marketing and Communications team has begun a project to include all Nobles with an email address in the Temple database in the eBugler mailing list as well. This project should be completed by the time you receive this Bugler.

This mailing list is also used by the Potentate and Recorder to send out important notices to the Nobility.

If you haven't received an email with the Subject: eBugler – Beja Shriners Weekly Newsletter, check your spam folder. To ensure you receive this and the other important notices from Beja, be sure to add bejashrine@new.rr.com to your trusted contacts.

Fraternally, Gary Fehl, Public Relations

Shriners Hospitals for Children Update

We know the COVID-19 pandemic has been especially hard on Nobles who generously give their time as board members, greeters, volunteers, drivers and tour guides at Shriners Hospitals for Children. It may feel like social distancing and prolonged periods of isolation deprive Shriners of the personal satisfaction of making a difference in the lives of children— the very reason they joined the fraternity in the first place.

Please be assured that the safety of Shriners Hospitals patients, employees, and of course our Shriners and their families remains a top priority. We are closely monitoring updates from local health departments and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in the United States, La Secretaría de Salud in Mexico, and Provincial governments in Canada, and are actively following their recommendations. These include: Limiting visitors, implementing minimal staffing, postponing tours and events, and rescheduling all elective surgeries, nonessential clinic visits and outreach clinics.

We look forward to the time when we can reopen our health care facilities and Shriners International Headquarters once the pandemic subsides. In the meantime, while they may not fulfill their typical volunteer duties, Shriners can always contact their local Shriners Hospitals for Children to ask if there is anything they or their Club, Unit or Temple can do to help while still following infection control and prevention guidelines.

Self-Care During Isolation

Taking care of your physical, mental and emotional wellbeing should always be a priority, and is especially important during these uncertain and stressful times. We have compiled a list of self-care resources for your reference.

Exercising: Exercise is essential for your physical and mental health during isolation. While walking, running and biking are great ways to get fresh air and exercise, please adhere to your local regulations and don't visit any area that is closed. Here are some links to free exercise guides that you can use at home.

Exercises You Can Do in Your Living Room 25 Fitness Studios and Gyms Offering Live-Stream Workouts Exercises Seniors Can Do at Home

Staying Productive: In times of isolation, it is important to maintain a sense of purpose and to keep your mind and body active. Here are some helpful links with ideas on how to productively spend your time.

<u>Compiled List of Free Online Courses, Language</u> <u>Tutorials, Audiobooks and Movies</u> <u>94 Fun and/or Productive Things You Can</u> <u>Do at Home</u> <u>Online Services You Can Get for Free</u> <u>During the Pandemic</u> Keeping Kids Active During Social Distancing

Managing Mental and Emotional Health: During times of crisis and uncertainty, staying optimistic can be extremely challenging. Here are some resources to help you cope during this difficult time.

> <u>9 Ways to Stay Positive During the Pandemic</u> <u>Building Resilience During the Pandemic</u> <u>Compiled List of Mental Health Resources</u>

Nutrition and Hygiene: Eating healthy, hydrating and practicing good personal hygiene are key factors in keeping your immune system healthy. Here are a few links that offer guidance on these important topics.

<u>Making Health and Nutrition a Priority</u> <u>WHO Basic Protective Measures Against Coronavirus</u> <u>CDC Recommendations for Households with</u> <u>Suspected/Confirmed Coronavirus</u>

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GREEN BAY AUXILIARY SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CHILDREN- Twin Cities

Dear Members and Friends,

Our next gathering in May will be CANCELLED due to current events.

Did you know when you give money for a memorial or honorarium to the Auxiliary, the money is used directly for the wheelchair fund, it is not part of hospitals budget.

Sincerely, Ann Mumm, Secretary Ann Mumm, Secretary, 920-788-5604 Judith Pauli, Chairman, 920-434-5999



Please note to all SuperCycle (SuperTryke) members. The Memorial Day parade at De Pere has been cancelled due to the Covid-19 Virus. Our next parade date (June 21st) is Father's Day Parade in Chilton and to our knowledge has not been cancelled. Everyone please stay well.

Fraternally,

Dennis M. Korth, P.P., President

GREEN BAY SHRINE CLUB JIM HERMAN – PRESIDENT

The Green Bay Shrine Club meets every Friday at the Stadium View Bar and Grill, 1963 Holmgren Way in Green Bay. Social time begins at 11:30am. All meetings in May have been cancelled due to Safer at Home order.

A short business meeting convenes at 12:00 noon, followed by lunch (order from the menu). Membership is open to any Shriner in good standing.

Fraternally, Greg Habeck P.P., Sec. greglhabeck@gmail.com or 920-371-9050



Annual Sportsman's Raffle

Nobles and Ladies, our annual Sportsman's Raffle tickets will be available for sale in April. Last year's raffle provided \$5000 to the Beja 2020 operations fund. Tickets for the raffle are \$20 with a chance to win one of the 20 available prizes. The top prize is worth \$1000 with all prizes being a gift card to Cabela's, which the winner can use on any item they choose. We need to sell 500 tickets to break even and be able to conduct the raffle. **Your help in selling tickets will make this goal easy to achieve**.

Over the last couple of years, the Beja Sportsman's Club has become involved with the raffle hosting the raffle night. The night includes the drawing of our 20 winners for the Sportsman's Raffle along with several bucket and special raffles for those in attendance. Our 2019 event was a huge success. Although attendance numbers were down, we raised more money to cover the cost of the night as well as adding an addition \$750.00 to our raffle total. Through the dedication of several Nobles and Ladies, we had 20 bucket raffle prizes and two guns donated for our event. I would like to thank all those who came out to help, donated items for our bucket raffles or showed up to have fun and fellowship.

This year's Sportsman's night will be held on Saturday, November 7th, 2020. The festivities will begin at 5:30pm with a cash bar and appetizers. Your ticket to enter is a purchased Sportsman's Raffle ticket. Bucket raffle drawing and a special gun raffle for those in attendance will begin at 6:00pm. Along with the bucket raffles we will begin drawing the 20 winners for our annual Sportsman's Raffle.

If you have an item you would like to donate to the bucket raffle, please contact me at beje-recorder@new.rr.com

Fraternally yours, The Sportsman's Club

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As of this morning (Monday) due to the coronavirus situation we have been forced to cancel the May circus. We have been in communication with the Resch Center regarding possible other dates later in the year that could possibly be an alternative date but unfortunately no other dates are available.

George Carden Circus has decided to shut down until July due to the unusual circumstances. Consequently the decision has been made to not have a 2020 circus. Fortunately, this all came just before we started our major advertising campaign so we did not lose any money on that part. The Resch Center is not holding us to any dollar commitment as outlined in our contract.

This brings tremendous hardship to Beja Shrine. As the number one fund raiser to support Beja's operations, many changes will be forthcoming as we move through the year. Contact must again be made to each of our program advertisers regarding refunding these dollars.

The Noble tickets each of you have purchased become very important and we thank you for that. I am going to ask you to consider donating that money to the operations of Beja Shrine's budget. Should this not meet with your approval please email me at dmkorth@tds.net or text me at 920-419-1977 and we will refund your \$60.

As the old saying goes this too shall pass. In the mean time everyone stay safe and healthy.

Fraternally, Dennís Korth P. P. Círcus Chaírman



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Staying Connected Using Technology

Social distancing does not have to mean being socially disconnected. There are many ways our Nobles, families and friends can keep in touch and support one another in these difficult and uncertain times. We have put together six ways to stay connected:

Check in with fellow Nobles by email, text and phone. This small gesture can make a huge difference.

Arrange a regular FaceTime call with a fellow Noble or close friend for a virtual coffee date.

Set up a Zoom or Skype meeting. An online conference call is a great way to continue your Club or Unit meetings, or for several friends to catch up.

Check in on friends on social media. In addition to the Shriners International social pages and your Temple social channels, Shriners Around the World is an active group of nobles, families and supporters. Find the group on Facebook <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/shriner/</u> and connect with nobles across the globe.

Gather friends for a watch party. Netflix is offering watch party options that allow friends to view movies together. See <u>https://www.netflixparty.com</u> (the option is only available on Chrome browsers on desktop or laptop computers).

Send a card or postcard to a friend or fellow Noble. Go old school and surprise someone with a handwritten note.





The Appleton Shrine Club meets every 2nd & 4th Friday of the month at Mark's Eastside starting at 11:30am (order off the menu). All meetings in May have been cancelled due to Safer at Home order.

Ladies are invited either Friday but generally attend on the 4th Friday. All Shrine Nobles and guests are invited to attend.

Mark your calendars to attend the Appleton Shrine Club Spanfarkel fundraiser held Wednesday August 5th, 2020 at:

> The Riverside Park Shelter 1029 Riverside Drive, Kaukauna WI. Camels Milk – 5:30pm ~ Dinner – 6:30pm Raffle – 7:30pm

Tickets: \$25.00 Each – which includes 1 (one) ticket to a special drawing. This year's event will include a bucket raffle of 25 prizes.

Fraternally, Tom Pflugardt, President tpflugardt@hotmail.com or 920-636-6707



I am sitting in front of the computer wondering where this article will end. There is a strange noise, I look up and see a shining Kop suit, glowing in the sunlight a beautiful sight. The guy on the radio is saying STAY HOME, keep your six foot distance between you and anyone else. These are the words of wisdom from our Governor to help curb the virus Covid19.

We have had two parades cancelled as of now, New Dublin & De Pere, and we expect there will be more. The Krazy Kops, being a very Patriotic group is following the guidelines presented by leaders. We would ask that you join us in spirit and stay safe until this virus stops spreading and a cure is found. STAY SAAAAAFE !!!!!!

Fraternally, Dick Andres, Chief Kop andresdt@att.net or 920-358-7195



PACKERLAND CLAN 181 SUMMER REUNION SATURDAY June 20 2:00PM - ???

The Hillbillies are coming... the Hillbillies are coming...not the Beverly Hillbillies, but the BEJA hillbillies. Packerland Clan #181 will be holding our SUMMER REUNION which will include the annual meeting, election and installation of officers and new members. If you are interested in joining this fantastic group of cuzzin's, having fun and helping children please plan on attending. The festivities will begin at 2:00pm at Gene and Dawn Reece's home at N4706 Kettner Rd. Shiocton. We will begin with some fellowship and some "shine", corn hole toss competition, then conduct our initiation of new members, installation of officers and then have a wonderful Hillbilly dinner consisting of Barbeque chicken, pulled pork, navy beans cooked over an open fire, corn on the cob...of course, and as a true cuzzin's party everyone is asked to bring their favorite salad or dessert dish to pass. If you are traveling from afar, and need a place to stay, please give Gene a call.

Cost of the meal is \$15 per person. For those planning on joining the clan, membership cost is \$20 individual or \$25 per couple. Yes Ladies, you are an integral part of our group and will be initiated as an important cuzzin. Membership cost includes your lifetime membership fee, Hillbilly hat and corn cob pipe. Dress for the day is of course is bib overalls or your most comfortable jeans. Please RSVP to Gene at greecejr@aol.com or 920-986-3145 by June14th.

Fraternally, Packerland Clan #181

OCONTO SHRINE CLUB

Nobles and Ladies,

Oconto Shrine Club will not be meeting in May due to Safer at Home. See you in June, the location will be determined.

Fraternally Yours, Ralph Papesh, President Vernon Vander Leest, Secy/Treas. Marcus Vander Leest, Vice President



5/1, Ketchum, Rodney 5/1, Klemz, Ralph 5/1. Wade, James 5/2, Hendrick, Wayne 5/2, Herman, James 5/2, Vander Leest, David 5/3, Berk, Avram 5/3, Cloutier, Craig 5/4, Gault, Bill 5/4, Pederson, Leonard 5/5, Andersen, Jeff 5/5, Clark, John 5/7, Schaefer, Steven 5/8, Gagan, Paul 5/8, Peterson, Richard 5/10, Gans, Arthur 5/14, Guenthner, Bob 5/18, Servia, Harold 5/19, Anderson, Garrett

5/19, Dreier, William 5/20, Angus, Michael 5/20, Hoffman, Ronald 5/20, Sherry, William 5/20, Smith, George 5/21, Christensen, Myron 5/21, Jahnke, John 5/21, Nicholas, Leland 5/23, Critser, Ronald 5/23, Dionne, Joseph 5/23, Swedberg, Lon 5/24, Kroening, Jason 5/29, Nelson, Brian 5/30, Collier, Elliot 5/30, Hassell, Nelson 5/30, Rabach, Stephen 5/31. Smith. Charles 5/31, Zanon, Richard

In Memoriam

Of our beloved Brethren who have carried on to a new and more glorious life. We carry their memory in our hearts and their influence in our lives. They are remembered. Ralph Chamberlain 3/17/2020 Appleton, WI Gerald Barlament 4/13/2020 Sturgeon Bay, WI Thomas Shoulders 4/13/2020 Titusville, FL Daniel Steinberger 4/24/2020 Suamico, WI



Upcoming meetings September 2, 2020 December 2nd, 2020 - Election of Officers

> James Van De Hey, Potentate Attest: Gene Reece, PP, Recorder



Cook Out!! Brats, Hamburgers, and Hot dogs, we ask you please bring a dish to pass

Cost \$5.00 per person - RSVP by May 24th Call Ann at Beja (920) 498-1985

Help Make A Difference In Style!!



My project for this year is for the Wheelchair Fund for Shriners Healthcare for Children, Twin Cities.

Each of us wants to make a real difference in the lives of the children who depend on Shriners Hospitals. Having a proper wheelchair can open up so many new experiences for a child.

As you may know wheelchairs are not covered by most insurance companies and the fund provides assistance to families in need of them for our Kids.

All the money from the sales of ILL Sir Jim's Challenge Coins and Ties and matching scarves will be donated to the Wheelchair Fund at our Parade to Glory during November's meeting. I will also have items to auction off at the closed meetings with the Ladies and likewise all monies made will be donated to the wheelchair fund.

Ties \$30 & Scarves \$25 Challenge Coin \$20

Thank you for your support for a great cause. Sincerely, Lady Paulette

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Nations Greatest Wonders! eptember 2

3 Nights in Niagara Falls, NY 2 nights stay in Toledo, OH, to and from Niagara Falls

The estimated cost for the Potntate's Trip to Niagra Falls will include transportation, hotel expenses, and hospitality room every night and dinner in Toledo both nights traveling to and from Niagara Falls. Remember that the more who attend the lower the transportation cost will be for the 55 Passenger Coach Bus. A deposit of \$500 per couple and \$250 per single will be required by July 1st and the deposit will be returned if the trip is cancelled.

Estimated Cost for Couples taking the trip to Niagara Falls.

- 1. 12 Couples attending the cost will be \$1530 per couple
- 2. 22 Couples attending the cost will be \$1170 per couple

Estimated Cost for a Single person taking the trip to Niagara Falls.

- 1. 12 Couples attending the trip, the cost for single will be \$1140
- 2. 22 Couples attending the trip, the cost for single will be \$960 (Cost for single is higher due to room fee)

Things to do while visiting

- Maid of the Mist
- Goat Islands Cave of the Winds
- Aquarium of Niagara
- Niagara Falls State Park
- The Lewiston Harvest & Hops Festival Sept 26 & 27th
- Old Falls Street Oktoberfest Sept 26th

Please cut, complete and return this portion along with your payment

Please send in Down Payment by July 1st, 2020 (We will know exact price by Aug 1st please see above)		
Name:		For Reservations call Beja Shrine 920-498-1985 Remaining balance must be paid by Aug 15th
Address:		Make Checks Payable to: Beja Shrine
City:	State:Zip:	Mail To: Beja Shrine
Email:		1950 Bond St Green Bay WI 54313





AJEB TEMPLE NO. 156 DAUGHTERS OF THE NILE

Susan Grosse, Queen sjgrosse@execpc.com

Ruthann Chrstensen, PQ Princess Recorder 715-787-3762

Sharon Livermore, PQ Princess Banker 920-468-097

Hello Everyone:

Welcome to Nile in the age of contagion! For some of you, this will be "old news". For others, who are reading the Bugler, but not on Ajeb Temple's Elist, this will be new.

First, a big thank you to Past Queen Carole Biddick, who has been keeping my emails going out to our membership. I can't send to large groups (due to restrictions of my internet provider). The next big "thank you" goes to Past Queen Bonnie Kohn. She has been doing a great job keeping up with following procedures from Supreme and getting us through our election, in spite of not being able to meet in person.

Queen Bonnie put out a call for nominations. We had directives from Supreme that she could direct the Pr. Recorder to cast an elective ballot for any and all positions for which there was only one nomination. To that end, we have elected the following for 20-21: Queen Sue Grosse, Pr. Royal Fran Bagley, Pr. Tirzah Mel Tappa Wingo, Pr. Badoura Terri Schneider, Pr. Recorder Ruthann Christensen, Pr. Banker Sharon Livermore.

The next "thank you" goes to Beja's Past Potentate Gene Reece. He most graciously set up a conference call for us to be able to install our officers. As I write this, that call hasn't happened as yet, but all is in place for that call to occur. I'll keep you posted!

Going with the flow means keeping up with email. Going with the flow means calling each other and sharing news, especially calling our members who do not have email. Going with the flow means abiding with the restrictions on personal contact and large gatherings. It is not only about individual health, but about the health of everyone around us.

While we do miss our family, friends, and neighbors – as well as miss the grocery store, the mall, and the many wonderful restaurants – we do want everyone to be able to resume these activities ASAP. That can't happen if the virus is allowed to take over.

So, stay SAFE, be SMART, be HEALTHY, we hope to see each other SOON

May Meeting Date: Consensus of the group was to not meet in May. Uncertainty about lifting of restrictions, age of members, and opening of Beja Shrine Center all were considered. Pending approval of the lifting of restrictions and the opening and availability of our Shrine center,

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Wednesday, June 10th was selected for our next inperson meeting (pending Beja approval for use of building). Our Pr. Recorder Ruthann was asked to request the special dispensation from Supreme, as we do not normally meet in June. Our Ceremonial Director Carole requested that on June 10th we start with a rehearsal at 10:00am and bring a bag lunch. As eight officers will be new in their stations, everyone agreed.

Ceremonials: Our first Ceremonial was supposed to be at our May meeting. Now, our first Ceremonial will be for the visit of the Supreme Queen. Our Pr. Recorder was asked to so inform the candidates who are waiting to be initiated.

Supreme Session: Several members expressed uncertainty about attending Supreme. Dates for registration and for cancellation were presented. Age of our participants, as well as the advisability of being in such large groups were primary issues. Queen Sue said that she would not fault anyone who decided not to attend Supreme. Each person has to make her own decision based on what is best for her circumstance.

Charitable Giving: Our Chair of Charitable Giving Mariellen had a great suggestion for us. We have missed three "out-to-eat" lunches AND an installation dinner. This has saved us quite a bit of money. Therefore, she suggested that each of us purchase a Stepping Stone – which could be used as a gift or memorial at ay time. This would support our fund raising as the coming year might prove less productive in this. For the Stepping Stones members are asked to send a check in the amount of \$25 for each Stepping Stone requested. Checks should be made out to Ajeb Temple No. 156 and sent to Ruthann Christensen, W12707 Cnty Rd. G, Leopolis, WI 54948. To provide time for ordering, please send checks no later than the end of April. We also had a brief discussion on what Stepping Stones are.

Style Show: The fate of our September Style Show was discussed. Willingness of stores to participate was in question. Attendance was also an issue. It was suggested that if stores would not want to participate, we could have a vintage clothing style show. That sounded like fun for many. At present we will keep the Style Show on our calendar, with possible change in format.

Reminder: Chaplain Marla reminded us to keep PQ Pat Barlament in our prayers as her husband Jerry passed away.

Níle Love, Susan Grosse





(Reservations and Payment must be received by July 15th)

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DADDY BOOK CONTRIBUTORS FOR BEJA SHRINE CIRCUS 2020

Listed below are the Nobles and Friends that have contributed to the Beja Circus 2020 by purchasing their Nobles tickets All of Beja thanks each of you for your support and effort in making the Circus a success. The list contains the contributors through April 13th, 2020. If you do not see your Brother Nobles name on this list of contributors, ask him to help Beja with a contribution by purchasing his tickets.

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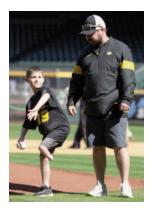


Dear Valued Supporter,

During this stressful and uncertain time, we want to provide you with a bright spot of positivity. In honor of Limb Loss Awareness Month, today's #SHCBrightSpot is Avery's remarkable story of overcoming a tragic accident to become an inspiring young athlete.

Two-and-a-half-year-old Avery was your average rambunctious toddler. He loved to run around outside, kicking his soccer ball and playing catch. Then, one day, Avery was involved in a terrifying lawn mower accident that resulted in the loss of his left leg.

After his amputation, Avery's parents knew they wanted the best care for their son. They had gone to several doctors searching for answers on what to do next, but just couldn't find the right fit. It wasn't until a close friend referred Avery and his family to Shriners Hospitals for Children® that they found their home.



Avery received revision surgery on his leg and became a patient in the Pediatric Orthotic and Prosthetic Services, or POPS, program. He formed a special bond with his prosthetist, Darren, who was also in a lawn mower accident as a child. Now eight years old, Avery is able to play the sports he loves including soccer, baseball, and basketball, all because of the care he received.

When you send your Love to the rescue®, you provide lifechanging care to children facing orthopaedic conditions, burns, spinal cord injuries, and cleft lip and palate. And,

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because of the kindness of amazing supporters like you, we're able to care for every child who needs us, regardless of the families' ability to pay.

Now more than ever, our goal is to continue to help even more kids like Avery receive the hope and healing they need to have happy, healthy childhoods.

We simply can't do it without you — and we're so grateful to you for sharing so generously with us!

Thank you for being part of our family.

Sincerely, Jeff Sowder Chairman of the Board Shriners Hospitals for Children

Submitted by, John Sage PP, SHC-C Rep. Gary Fehl, SHC-C Rep. Cliff Johnson Hospital Associate Rep

<u>Penin</u>sula Shrine Club

"The Club with Class" RICK ROGERS – PRESIDENT

Greetings Nobles and Ladies,

The Peninsula Shrine Club will be meeting in June, location to be announced. Social time is 5:30pm and dinner at 6:00pm. Everyone is invited.

Fraternally, Greg Habeck, PP Secretary 920-371-9050 or gregIhabeck@gmail.com



The May 25th De Pere Kiwanis parade has been cancelled. Watch for details on upcoming parades.

Thank you, Dennis Clark, Vice Commander dndckark99@gmail.com 920-619-6445

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:	1 11:30am Green Bay Shrine Club Meeting					
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August 2020

August 15th - Potentate's Ball - Beach Party - NEW DATE

July 18th - Winneconne Parade

May 29th-30th - Twin Cities Gala / Clinic Ribbon Cutting CANCELLED June 2020 June 3rd - Beja Open meeting - Pie Auction / Celebrate Clubs & Units

May 2nd-3rd - Beja Shrine Circus CANCELLED May 6th - Beja Open meeting - Kentucky Derby Day CANCELLED

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