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*2013 Alcazar  
Valentine's Party*

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*Sissy Moore  
Valentine's Day  
Sweetheart*

**Elected Divan**

Paul B. Mann, *Potentate*  
Ernie Lollar, *Chief Rabban*  
Rick Boyett, *Assistant Rabban*  
Jeremy C. Ogletree, *High Priest & Prophet*  
Larry Hall, *Oriental Guide*  
Allen Daniels, *Treasurer*  
Flayvous Ray, P.P., *Recorder*

**Appointed Divan**

Andy Compton, *1st Ceremonial Master*  
Spence Stewart, *2nd Ceremonial Master*  
Marvin Johnson, *Temple Director*  
Bill Forshey, Sr., *Parade Marshal*  
David Huff, *Marshal*  
Barry Barnett, *Captain of the Guard*  
Jim Bryant, *Outer Guard*  
Tom Harris, *Chaplain*

**Imperial Representatives**

Ernie Lollar, *Chief Rabban*  
Rick Boyett, *Assistant Rabban*  
Jeremy Chad Ogletree, *High Priest & Prophet*

**Dixie Shrine Association Representatives**

Ernie Lollar, *Chief Rabban*  
Allen Daniels, *Treasurer*

**Southeastern Shrine Association**

Lee Sims, P.P.

**Potentate's Staff**

Walter Champion, *Chief of Staff*

**Hospital Transportation**

Jimmy Wiggins, *Executive Director*  
Leon Brown, *Valley*  
Ray Matheson, *Wiregrass*  
Sanford Suggs, *Clay County*  
Robert Daughtry, *Geneva County*  
Bob Torreyson, *Phenix City*

**Finance Committee**

Andy Compton, *Chairman*  
Lee Sims, P.P.  
Clyde Jones, P.P.  
Marvin Johnson  
Dave Russell  
Charlie Higgins, *Emeritus*

**Buildings and Grounds Committee**

Lee R. Sims P.P., *Chairman*  
Barry Barnett  
David Huff  
David Royal  
Dave Russell

Danny Lockwood  
Jim Randolph, P.P., *Emeritus*  
Charlie Higgins, *Emeritus*

**Insurance Committee**

Gene Moseley, *Chairman*  
Paul B. Mann, *Potentate*  
Flayvous Ray, P.P., *Recorder*  
Allen Daniels, *Treasurer*  
Clyde Jones, P.P.  
Hall Walker, P.P.  
Don Cook  
Larry Hall, *Temple Attorney*

**Public Relations Committee**

Andy Compton, *Chairman*

**Donor Relations Committee**

Endowments, Wills, Gifts  
and \$100 Million Dollar Club  
Jim Randolph, P.P., *Co-Chair*  
John Van Valkenburg, *Co-Chair*

**Membership Committee**

Larry Stinson, MWPGM, *Chairman*

**Alcazar Shrine Clubs**

**Autauga County SC**

Dave Russell, *Pres.*  
334-365-9907  
Dave Russell  
drruss47@aol.com  
Meeting: 4th Tues. Monthly  
Time: 6:30 pm  
Prattville Masonic Lodge

**Covington County SC**

Billy Hughes, *Pres.*  
334-388-4352  
padams@oppcatv.com  
Meeting: 4th Thurs. Monthly  
Time: 6 pm  
Call for Location

**Crenshaw County SC**

Andy Compton, *Sec.*  
334-527-3544 hm.  
334-382-8590 wk.  
334-342-0036 cell  
andy.compton@alabpp.gov  
Meeting: 3rd Mon. Monthly  
Time: 7 pm

**DOER SC (Enterprise)**

Kevin Jackson, *Pres.*  
334-470-8958  
kevinjackson70@mac.com

Meeting: Social, 2nd Thurs. Monthly  
Business Meeting: 4th Thurs. Monthly  
Time: 6:30 pm  
Call for Location

**Geneva SC**

Allen Mote, *Pres.*  
334-684-9393  
motebodyworks@centurytel.net  
700 E Magnolia Ave  
Geneva, AL  
Meeting: 1st Tues. Monthly  
Time: 6 pm  
Geneva Shrine Club Building

**Phenix City SC**

Greg Moore, *Pres.*  
334-468-0054  
Meeting: 1st & 3rd Wed. Monthly  
Time: 7 pm (Eastern time)  
Phenix City Shrine Club

**Troy SC**

Homer Homann, P.P., *Pres.*  
334-735-9791 hm.  
334-372-3246 cell  
troyshrineclub@troycable.net  
Meeting: 2nd Thurs. Monthly  
Time: 7 pm

**Valley SC**

Willard Eason, *Pres.*  
334-576-8377  
Meeting: 1st Thurs. Monthly  
Lanett Masonic Lodge

**Wiregrass SC**

William C. Moon, *Pres*  
334-790-9337  
Meeting: 1st Mon Monthly  
(If Holiday, 2nd Monday)  
Wiregrass Shrine Club



# MESSAGE FROM THE POTENTATE

Greetings Nobles,

*Membership is the #1 Priority of Shriners International  
and the Alcazar Shrine Temple.*

*We are seeking the help of all Nobles to make this a good year!*

Wow, what a great start to 2013. Everywhere we (your divan) travels, we have seen great enthusiasm for what is happening this year. We have lots of great functions and events for your pleasure. Please dust off your shoes and come be with us. The Potentate's Ball is March 16, 2013. Cocktails start at 6:00 pm. Please call the Recorder at 334-279-9174 to make your reservation NLT March 5, 2013. We need a good head count to coordinate the meal. On a personal note, Debbie Lollar and the Shrine ladies are working very hard to make this year's ball a great success. The ladies are a blessing to the Alcazar Shrine Temple and I love them all.



Special thanks go out to Noble Ernie and Debbie Lollar and all the folks who attended this year's Valentine's Day Party – it was a great success – Thank you all very much. Also, want to recognize Noble Dave Russell (our Grill Master) and his lovely lady Becky. The pork chops and chicken were excellent.

Membership is still our #1 priority, but not our only priority. Our business priorities are to remain financially solvent, increase our support to both the patient hospital transportation fund and Shriners hospitals for children, and repair the leaking roof on the temple. Additionally, we are following through on the memberships vote to purchase two new vans for the patient hospital transportation program, due to the age of the vehicle fleet. We plan to purchase one van early this year and a second van towards the end of year. We have already request permission from Shriners International and expect approval within a couple weeks for the first van. Other goals are family fun, fellowship and harmony throughout the Shrine.

Members of the divan have visited, the Phenix City SC, Wiregrass SC, Geneva SC, Troy SC and Autauga County SC during the first two months. We plan many more trips to clubs and units. We thank each of these clubs for the courtesies extend to us during our visits. We have received some donations for the general fund and the patient hospital transportation fund, which have been very helpful. Thanks to each club for their hard work, dedication and support. Hope to see each of you often during the 2013 year.

Please review the calendar of events for the months of March, April & May 2013. Come on out and be with us as we continue to come together for the kids (unity).

Yours in the Faith,  
Paul B. Mann, Potentate

***Family Fun, Fellowship & Harmony***

# FROM THE DIVAN

ERNIE LOLLAR, CHIEF RABBAN



Greetings Nobles & Ladies,

Your Divan has been off to a fast and busy start as we promised you at our January meeting. We have visited many of the clubs and units, installing officers and enjoying fellowship with one and all. Thank you for inviting us. Some or all of have participated in several Mardi Gras parades here in the River Region. Some of us were able to participate in the “Pancake

Event” in Prattville.

We were invited to several Valentine Parties and had a great time at each. We thank the officer and members of the Troy Shrine Club and Geneva Shrine Club for the great food and a wonderful time. At the Geneva party it was nice to see four Past Potentates. The dinner at all was wonderful. Pictures were made and some are included in the Noble.

On Saturday night February 9, Debbie and I hosted the Valentine Party at the Red Fez on behalf of the Shrine Center and your Divan. A good time was had by all who attended. We had approximately 60 to have “fun, fellowship and harmony.” Congratulations to Lady Sissy Moore from Phenix City Shrine Club for being selected “Alcazar Sweetheart for 2013.” I also would like to recognize the other Sweethearts who represented their club or unit: Ladies Ceil Champion “Hillbillies”, Donna Smith “Doers Shrine Club”, Joyce Matheson “Wiregrass Shrine Club”, and Sheila Pilson “Autauga Co. Shrine Club.” I want to thank all the workers who planned, decorated, and cooked for our event. I also want to say a special thank you to Grill Master, Dave Russell and his assistant, his lovely wife Becky, for the delicious grilled pork chops and chicken. I must thank Rick Boyett for the music we enjoyed during the evening.

Please allow me to take a moment to give a hearty welcome to Noble Chuck Kelly. He is our new Rental Manager for this year, assuming the job that Noble Danny Lockwood has previously handled so successfully for many years.. He has hit the ground running, doing very well renting and promoting our facilities. Keep up the good work

In closing let me say, I am thrilled to work with and for Potentate Paul Mann and his office staff. We will continue to maintain our goal of transparency in all of our activities. We as your Divan are

committed and dedicated to serving you the Nobility.

Yours in the Faith,  
Ernie Lollar, Chief Rabban

JEREMY C. OGLETREE, HIGH PRIEST & PROPHET



Greetings Nobles,

I had the honor of a friendly dinner and swapping dialogue in January with a Past Grand Master of the State of Alabama. He wanted to applaud me on being elected to my current office in the Shriner's. He also gazed back and dreamed of the times when the Masonic appendant bodies were strong. He reference to nobles attending in suits and ladies in dresses. The functions were successful and

had standing room only nearly every turnout. He so yearns for the past to revisit I could see from this old timer as he continued.

About two hours into our reunion a question was asked to me. The question “Whose footsteps will you most likely follow and where do you see yourself in five years”. I was quick to answer with no thought “I’ll just ride the shirt tail of my predecessor and hope to be a Past Potentate in five years”. I wish there was a depiction taken of his expression when my reply was heard for you to view. He looked me dead in the eyes and said my friend “I hope you are not serious” The fraternity is in a dilemma and we need strong educated, self-determined, sincere leaders with new ideas to rebuild our membership.

As I drove that night from his residence I was reminded of his question. Over and over it played in my mind. I felt there had been a letdown due to the love of the craft that he has for the order. The next day it still played on my mind and I had my own questions. Is this for me? Am I the right person elected? I thought back to my post education years where the same question was asked to us soon to graduate, and venture into the real world. Just only in a different format. I telephoned the Past Grand Master and explained “You along with the world will have my true answer in the next publication of the Noble News”.

I shall start my answer with a question to you all. Have you ever been in a state of psych? Are had difficulties in making a decision? Well you can pronounce you have come to the “Fork in the Road”. This idiom can be defined as a time in life when you need to formulate a difficult decision on a matter. While attending Columbia Southern University and working on my Master's Degree I had to formulate a thesis for one professor on life decisions. My thesis was based on the “Fork in the Road”.

During my research there were abundant of commentaries devoted to the "Fork in the Road". An assortment of authors illustrates the road that was traveled and its blueprints. Some made orientation to the fork and its composition. But by far the most discussed topic was the authors relishing their yester years. Writers all came back to the same subject of thought and summed it all up in one word. That word was "Life". Have you contemplated what a powerful utterance from our thoughts the word life means?

Life is a noun and defined as existence, the opposite of dead. Now you ask yourself where he is going with this piece of writing. My answer is straight ahead just keep your eyes on the print. Now there is no position for the authors on the road to the left but others footprints. The road to the right is the same footprints that have come prior to them. It seems as if they chose either or the latter they will question themselves. Can I fill these footsteps? When they question their action based on another, once again they are at another "Fork in the Road" or as the old timers say "Life's Highway". There's that word again "Life".

As you sit and gaze upon this article think about your life and accomplishments. I heard a joke years ago to this accord. You are at the "Fork in the Road" what do you do? The answer given was "I live in a cul-de-sac". Humorous at the time and place but not a way I desire to be remembered by my friends in record. As you know a cul-de-sac only produces two options. One option to continue to go in a circle or second return the way you came. Is this you? It's not me.

Another was you are at the "Fork in the Road" what do you do? The answer was "take it". Well as you see the question was answered with derision. I have mixed feelings of this answer. I received it as the one questioned was either a thief or may have not wanted to hurt ones feelings in life. This person would make a great politician. Is this you? It's not me.

To a Chef, the same question was administered once again you are at the "Fork in the Road" what do you do? Yes, you guessed it his answer was "let's eat". This I call the "live and let live" syndrome. This person has a mentality of let it go or as some say no back bone to stand on the issues needed to be addressed. Is this you? It's not me.

So you ask what path I seek in life. Ayn Rand a Russian Philosopher was quoted as saying the following. "Throughout the centuries there were men who took first steps, down new roads, armed with nothing but their own vision". Before I give you my answer let's revisit that quote once more. Be sober and opened minded to the quote. Mull over in your brain what is interpreted. "Throughout the centuries there were men who took first steps, down new roads, armed with nothing but their own vision". This is my adopted aphorism.

Therefore my answer in "Life" when I am faced with a "Fork in the Road" I take neither left nor right. I want the road never traveled. I construct my own road. I'm in command of my own density. I am the inventor that invents. I am the explore that explores. I am

not an individual of the norm, but an entity of my own vision. I am what I am and nothing more.

Yours in the Faith,  
Jeremy C. Ogletree, High Priest & Prophet

### FLAYVOUS RAY, P.P., RECORDER



Greetings Nobles,

Need your help! If you move, have a new telephone number or email address, would you please call me to update your contact information. Sometimes people move and we lose track of them. Please help me keep the Shrine records up to date. Also, just a reminder, check your dues card and if you do not already have your 2013 dues card, please pay your dues so we can rush

you a current dues card.

Yours in the Faith,  
Flayvous Ray, P.P., Recorder

### ALLEN DANIELS, TREASURER



Donations to Alcazar  
(January 2013)

**Shriners Hospital for  
Children - Greenville**  
Troy SC  
Phenix City SC

**Transportation**  
Mary Godwin  
Clara Findley

**General Fund**  
Wiregrass

**Roof Replacement Fund**  
Troy SC  
East Alabama SC  
Phenix City SC  
Crenshaw County SC  
Wiregrass SC  
Geneva SC

*Many thanks for your generous donations!*

Yours in the Faith,  
Allen Daniels, Treasurer

## CHUCK KELLY, RENTAL MANAGER

Greetings Nobles,

In way of introduction, I am Charles Kelly (AKA- Chuck). I have been honored by the Potentate by being selected to serve as the rental agent for the Shrine properties. The rentals are really beginning to pick up and the buildings are getting very busy. If you are interested in renting any of the temple properties please give me a call early. Although I am new to Shriners, I am extremely happy to serve the Temple and the Potentate any way that I can.

I would also like to inform the Nobles that a complete audit was performed on the 2012 rentals and all rentals and monies were completely accounted for. Noble Danny Lockwood who had been the rental agent for the last two years had done a wonderful job and has set the bar extremely high. Noble Lockwood was forced to resign as rental agent due to his work schedule. If you see Noble Lockwood around congratulate him for his outstanding service.

Yours in the Faith,  
Chuck Kelly, Rental Manager

## LADIES' CORNER

Dear Alcazar Ladies,

As we knew it would be the start of this New Year has been a very fast pace eight weeks. Our present Divan was installed in January and Illustrious Sir Paul and the Divan officers have been traveling, meeting and planning for a successful year. They have many fun activities and opportunities for working for our Shrine Kids. The Divan Ladies have been traveling and participating as much as our time has allowed us. Thanks for all the invites. While the men held their meeting the ladies met and the following officers were elected:

*Debbie Lollar - President*  
*Cheryl Colquitt - Vice President*  
*Stephanie Ogletree - Secretary*  
*Thea Hall - Treasurer*

Our January bake sale was very successful. We had a profit of \$706.00. Thank you for sharing your baking skills and your time working the two days of the sale. Many of you came and worked and that too was appreciated. Our next Bake Sale will be March 9-10, 2013. Please come help us again. Our bridal show has been cancelled due to a scheduling conflict.

We also had a fifth Tuesday concession stand at bingo at Alcazar and made \$125.00 that evening. Thank you to Dottie

Lou Sims, PP Lee Sims, Cheryl Colquitt, Kay Ray, Jason and Lucy Given.

Our next big event will be the Potentate's Ball honoring Ill. Sir Paul. The theme of the ball is "The Luck of the Irish." So please plan to come and share this fun event. Many of you have been asked to help with different parts of the planning and decorations for this exciting weekend. Deadline for reservations is March 11. Please call the Shrine Center office and make your reservation.

Let me share how exciting it was to have such a good group at the Valentines Party on February 9. We had a fun time. Congratulations to Lady Sissy Moore for being selected Alcazar Sweetheart for 2013.

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

**MARCH 9-10 GUNSHOW /BAKE SALE**  
**POTENTATE'S BALL 3/15/13 & 3/16/13**

Debbie Lollar, First Lady

## Alcazar Ladies Bake Sale

@ the CASC Gun Show  
March 9th & 10th

Alcazar Ladies will be selling cakes and baked goods at the CASC Gun Show on March 9th & 10th.



All Ladies are invited to participate by bringing baked goods, making donations, or volunteering to help with the sale!

## PRIORITY #1 FOR ALCAZAR - MEMBERSHIP

Membership is a priority of Shriners International and Shrine Temples all over the world. In support of this effort, we are asking each and every noble to help in recruiting new candidates. Our first ceremonial this year will be March 30, 2013, at 10:00 am, at the Crenshaw County Shrine Club. If you need a petition please contact the temple recorder. Additionally to help with this year's membership drive, we have implemented the **Alcazar Shrine 2013 Amnesty Program**, this year. It will run from now until

December 31, 2013. Each reinstated Shriner will be permitted to obtain their 2013 dues card and be reinstated for \$77.00. This is a onetime good deal, so if you know a good Shriner, who has gone suspended, for non-payment of dues please let him know about the Alcazar Shrine 2013 Amnesty Program. For more information about this program, please contact Illustrious Sir Flayvous Ray, P.P., Recorder at 334-279-9174.

#### RED BADGE PROGRAM ALIVE AND WELL

Each new Shriner created in 2013, will be issued a "Red Badge" with the date of his creation. This "Red Badge" will get the newly created noble and his wife, into each of our events/functions this year free of charge (except) the Potentate's Ball). Please help me get the word out to all the Masons and potential Shriners.

#### QUARTERLY BUSINESS MEETING NOTICE

##### Official Call of the Potentate

Notice is hereby given that a Quarterly Business Meeting of Alcazar Shrine will be held at the time and place shown below for the purpose of conducting any business as may come before the temple:

##### 2013 Dues Card required for admission

Friday, April 12, 2013  
7:30 pm (Central Time)  
The Red Fez  
Alcazar Shrine Center  
555 East Blvd  
Montgomery, Alabama  
Office 334-279-9174

Refreshments following the meeting.

Potentate  
Paul B. Mann

Attested:  
Recorder  
Ill Sir Flayvous Ray, P.P.



## 2013 Alcazar Valentine's Sweetheart Crowned

Sissy Moore of the Phenix City Shrine Club was crowned the 2013 Alcazar Valentine's Sweetheart – we love you Sissy and congratulations!



*From left to right Paul Mann, Potentate; Sissy Moore, 2013 Sweetheart; Leigh Jackson, 2012 Sweetheart & Ernie Lollar, Chief Rabban*

The 2013 Valentine's Party was a great success due to the hard work of Debbie Lollar, Noble Ernie Lollar, Noble Dave Russell our Grill Master and the entire group of ladies who, helped Debbie decorate, serve and clean up afterwards. I salute you all for a job well done!



#### DISTRIBUTION OF THE ALCAZAR NOBLE

Several Nobles of Alcazar have asked the question, "Why don't we distribute the Alcazar Shrine Noble electronically, via email and/or web page?"

While many Shriners have computer access there remain many who do not. Our *goal* is to ensure all members receive a copy of the Noble, keeping them informed about Temple, Club and Unit events. Implementation of electronic distribution, either email and/or web page, would require us to continue mailing the Noble, to a great many of our members, via snail mail, because many do not have access to a computer.

**EMAIL:** We currently do not have an up-to-date email listing for all members. Many members have email capability and we  
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do not have their email addresses. We can work to update this listing but it will take some time.

**ALCAZAR WEB PAGE:** The easiest electronic method for us to implement is placing the Noble on an Alcazar Web Page, and idea we are currently exploring with the assistance of *Noble Brian Smith*. This has many positive advantages. For instance Shiners, with a computer, wherever disburse (world-wide) could access the Alcazar Web Page and the Noble Newsletter. This would represent a win-win for Shriners everywhere.

While we are now evaluating our ability to make distribute of the Noble in multiple forms (email, web page and snail mail), we assure you – your voices have been heard.

You ask for it and your Divan is working to make it a reality. Stay tuned we will keep you updated on this issue.



March 29 & April 26  
6:30 pm - 8:30 pm  
Alcazar Red Fez

Come out and enjoy a steak/chicken dinner for just \$12.50 per person. Cash Bar available.

Bring your friends and family for a great meal and good time. No Reservations Needed

### TOUR OF THE GREENVILLE HOSPITAL

The tour of the Greenville, SC Shriners Hospital has been coordinated for April 6-7, 2013. The bus will depart from the Alcazar Shrine Temple at 9:00 am on April 6, 2013 and return on the evening of April 7, 2013. This tour of the hospital is open to Shriners and Masons and their wives, who would like to know more about Shriners Hospitals and what we do within the Shrine. Please invite any potential Shriners to go with you on this tour. We are asking each person/couple that goes to pay for their own meals and one night stay in the hotel. We will obtain the best rate we can. Hope to see each of you on the bus – I will be going with you. To book your reservations please contact our Recorder at 334-279-9174.

### BOSTON BUTT 500 SALE

Nobles and their Ladies I necessitate your aid to the point of coming to you on bended knee. The 2013 Boston Butt 500 sale will raise imperative means for our Alcazar Shrine Temple. I have an outsized fundraising aspiration for Alcazar in Boston Butt sales that can be accomplished and is within rationale means. The expected cost of the Boston Butts for Alcazar to procure and

have smoked plus delivered in May is \$10,000.00 this will show a clear yield of \$15,000.00.

Again this is my individual fundraising objective of \$15,000.00. I would greatly appreciate your aid in reaching this mark. I have a personal pledge and “put my money where my mouth is” in this event. I have launched this fundraising event off with a personal purchase of 16 Boston Butts that’s \$480.00. I will make a contribution to the elderly or less fortunate within my neighborhood. If you do not like Boston Butt you may want to do the equivalent.

Remember your **\$30.00** purchase will bring me closer to my goal and help the Alcazar Temple. As part of this fundraising occasion, we are also receiving cash donations for those who do not desire to purchase a Boston Butt and still would like to show their love and support. I solicit that you make your check payable to Alcazar Shrine Temple and make reference to the 2013 Boston Butt fundraiser so credit can be given to this event.

Again, thank you for your support of this special fundraising occasion. You can contact me at 256-618-1221 or e-mail [jeremy.ogletree@alacop.gov](mailto:jeremy.ogletree@alacop.gov). Leave a voice mail and allow me 24hrs to reply.

### ONE PLUS ONE PROGRAM

We are renewing the *One Plus One Program* within the Alcazar Shrine. This program would respectfully request each and every member of Alcazar to actively recruit two new members [**one** for replacement + **one** for growth]. We are asking each member to make an effort, to be a “top line” signer on two or more petitions. The overall purpose of the program is to increase Alcazar membership. By attending Blue Lodge frequently, we can attract and recruit quality candidates by informing them what Shriners do to help children at the Shrine Hospitals. This sounds fairly simple, but to make it work, we must all work together. We “can do it” but more importantly “will do” it!

A green chalkboard with a wooden frame. The text is written in white chalk. It reads: "ALCAZAR BINGO", "6 P.M. Each Tuesday", "Come Play or Come Help", "Volunteers Needed!", "Call the Recorder's Office", and "(334) 279-9174".

ALCAZAR BINGO  
6 P.M. Each Tuesday  
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Volunteers Needed!  
Call the Recorder's Office  
(334) 279-9174



# DIXIE SHRINE ASSOCIATION

The Dixie Shrine Association Convention will be held in Panama City, Florida, May 15-18, 2013.

Make sure you have submitted your reservation information and monies. All housing will be handled by our Housing Chairman, Ill Sir Lee Sims, P.P., or our Recorder Ill Sir Flayvous Ray, P.P. at 334-279-9174.

We look forward to seeing everyone in Panama City.



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**Jerry Fulford, P.P.**  
**2013 Dixie Shrine Association President**



# DIXIE SHRINE CONVENTION

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## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

MAY 15-19, 2013 | PANAMA CITY BEACH, FLORIDA



TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
<b><u>Wednesday, May 15, 2013</u></b>		
6:00PM	Welcome Dixie Shrine, TDC SPONSORED EVENT	Paradise Palms Sago Center
11:00AM	Vendor Setup	Paradise Palms Resort
<b><u>Thursday, May 16, 2013</u></b>		
7:00AM - 9:00AM	Breakfast <i>(Bring DSA ID)</i>	Paradise Palms Resort
12:00 Noon - 4:00PM	Dixie Shrine Registration	Paradise Palms Resort
12:00 Noon - 5:00PM	Vendor Display	Paradise Palms Resort
12:00 Noon - 5:00PM	Clown Registration	Paradise Palms Resort
12:00 Noon - 5:00PM	Hillbilly Registration	TBA
12:00 Noon	Golf Tournament Joe McAdam, Chairman	Holiday Golf Club
3:00 PM	DASMC Competition Drawing	Paradise Palms Resort
6:30 PM	President's Banquet	Paradise Palms Sago Center
6:30 PM	Social Hour <i>(Cash Bar)</i>	Paradise Palms Sago Center
7:00 PM	Dinner <i>(Dressy Casual)</i>	Paradise Palms Sago Center
8:30 PM	Block Party/Entertainment <i>(weather permitting)</i>	Paradise Palms Parking Lot
<b><u>Friday, May 17, 2013</u></b>		
6:30AM	DASMC Competition <i>(Set up)</i>	Frank Brown Park
7:00AM - 9:00AM	Breakfast	Paradise Palms Resort
8:00AM - 5:00PM	Vendor Display	Paradise Palms Resort
8:00AM - 4:00PM	Dixie Shrine Registration	Paradise Palms Resort
8:00AM	DASMC Competition	Frank Brown Park
8:00AM - 10:00AM	Hillbilly Registration	TBA
9:00 AM	Clown Competition	Paradise Palms Resort
10:00AM	Hillbilly Competition	TBA
11:00AM	Ladies Luncheon <i>(Social Hour)</i>	Breakers Restaurant
11:30AM	Ladies Luncheon <i>(Lunch)</i>	Breakers Restaurant

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TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
<b><u>Friday, May 17, 2013</u></b>		
1:00PM	Dixie Shrine Association Meeting	Paradise Palms Resort
1:00PM	Parade Marshalls Meeting <i>(following DSA meeting)</i>	Paradise Palms Resort
2:00PM	DASMC Meeting/Elections	Paradise Palms Resort
3:00PM - 5:00PM	Dixie Shrine Hospitality	Paradise Palms Resort (Quarterdeck)
6:00PM	Clowns Dinner & Award Banquet	Paradise Palms Sago Center
<b><u>Saturday, May 18, 2013</u></b>		
7:00AM - 9:00AM	Breakfast	Paradise Palms Resort
8:00AM - 12:00PM (noon)	Vendor Display	Paradise Palms Resort
10:00AM	Parade Line-Up	Edgewater Shopping Center
11:00AM	Parade Steps Off	Front Beach Road
12:30PM - 4:00PM	Meet/Greet Incoming President	Paradise Palms Resort
6:00PM	DASMC Hospitality	Paradise Palms Parking Lot
6:45PM	DASMC Dinner & Awards	Paradise Palms Parking Lot

### PLEASE NOTE

EVERYONE WILL NEED A D.S.A. REGISTRATION TO GAIN ADMISSION TO **ANY EVENT** ASSOCIATED WITH THE DIXIE SHRINE ASSOCIATION.

#### REGISTRATION:

- A. Representatives: \$90.00
- B. All Others: \$20.00 per person

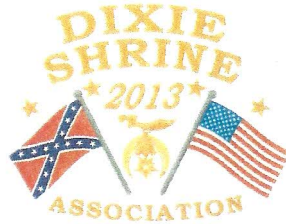


Tickets to the Dixie President's Banquet and Ladies Luncheon will be included in the Representatives registration packet. Other Divan members and general nobility may purchase President's Banquet tickets at \$35.00 per person and Ladies Luncheon tickets at \$25.00 per person.



# DIXIE SHRINE CONVENTION

## REGISTRATION FORM



May 15-19, 2013  
PANAMA CITY BEACH, FLORIDA

*Please fill out 1 per registrant. Make as many copies as needed*

Representative \_\_\_\_\_ Shrine Center \_\_\_\_\_ \$90.00

Office Held or Title \_\_\_\_\_ Lady \_\_\_\_\_ \$20.00

Non Representative \_\_\_\_\_ Shrine Center \_\_\_\_\_ \$20.00

Office Held or Title \_\_\_\_\_ Lady \_\_\_\_\_ \$20.00

Dixie President's Banquet # \_\_\_\_\_ Tickets @35.00 each = \_\_\_\_\_

Ladies Luncheon # \_\_\_\_\_ Tickets @25.00 each = \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL: \_\_\_\_\_

The price of the **Dixie President's Banquet Ticket** and the **Ladies Luncheon Ticket** is included in the \$90.00 registration fee for the Representatives.

Please turn in your forms and checks to  
Ill Sir Lee Sims, P.P., or Ill Sir Flayvous Ray, P.P.  
Deadline for registration is April 23, 2013  
Make checks payable to "Alcazar Shrine"

**Any question?** Contact; Jerry Fulford, PP, President  
Email: fulf9937@bellsouth.net • Phone: 251-666-3991  
or Steve Smith • Email: ss1scooby1@att.net • Phone: 251-602-0853

Wednesday, May 15, 2013 the Tourist Development Council of Panama City Beach will sponsor a **Welcome Party** for convention attendees.  
Special room rates for Wednesday, May 15th only **\$49.00<sup>+Tax</sup>**



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Jerry Fulford, P.P. (ABBA) President 2013

### Hotel & Registration Information

#### Host Hotels:



[www.daysinnbeach.com](http://www.daysinnbeach.com)



PARADISE PALMS

[www.paradisepalmsinn.com](http://www.paradisepalmsinn.com)

Days Inn Beach: 850.233.3333 | 888.463.0534 | 12818 Front Beach Rd, Panama City Beach, FL 32407

Paradise Palms: 850.234.1700 | 866.821.9433 | 12907 Front Beach Rd, Panama City Beach, FL 32407

#### Room Rates: \$109.00 +tax = \$122.71 TOTAL

First night deposit required at time of registration. Deadline for room reservations is May 1, 2013. All rooms are waterfront. **NO PETS ALLOWED.** The Paradise Palms Sago Center is located directly across from both Days Inn Beach and Paradise Palms.

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#### Convention Registration Fee:

\$20.00 per person

\$90.00 per representative

*Welcome to Paradise  
Dixie Shrine Convention!*



**Geneva Shrine Club**

*From left to right, Paul B. Mann, Potentate; Allen Mote, President; ; Danny Dady, 1st Vice; Ray Owens 2nd Vice; Paul Royals, Secretary; David Royals Treasurer; and Ernie Lollar, Chief Rabban*



**Troy Shrine Club**

*From left to right, Paul B. Mann, Potentate; Ill Sir Homer Homann, P.P., President; Curtis Blair, Vice President; Michael Lawler; Jody Arrington, Treasurer; Frank Sadler Jr. Secretary; and Ernie Lollar, Chief Rabban*



MARCH

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Masonic Relations Day	2 Wahabi P-Ball
3	4 Brass Band 7 pm Wiregrass SC 7 pm	5 Geneva SC 6 pm Bingo	6 Keystone Kops Phenix City SC 7 pm EDT	7 Camel Riders 7 pm Valley SC 7 pm EDT	8	9 CASC Gun Show
10 CASC Gun Show	11 Brass Band 7 pm	12 Fire Chiefs 6:30 pm Bingo	13 Hillbilly's 7 pm	14 Directors Staff DOER SC 6:30 pm Troy SC 7 pm	15 <b>Potentate's Luncheon &amp; Reception</b>	16 <b>Potentate's Ball</b>
17	18 Brass Band 7 pm Wiregrass SC 7 pm Crenshaw Co SC 7 pm	19 Bingo	20 Phenix City SC 7 pm EDT	21	22	23 Hasan P-Ball
24	25 Brass Band 7 pm	26 Autauga Co SC 6:30 pm	27	28 Covington SC 6 pm DOER SC 6:30 pm DON	29 Date Night 6:30 pm	30 Ceremonial Crenshaw Co
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# APRIL

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Brass Band 7 pm Wiregrass SC 7 pm	2 Geneva SC 6 pm Bingo	3 Keystone Kops Phenix City SC 7 pm EDT	4 Camel Riders 7 pm Valley SC 7 pm EDT	5	6 Tour to Greenville Bus departs at 9:00
7 Tour Bus Returns from Greenville	8 Brass Band 7 pm	9 Fire Chiefs 6:30 pm Bingo	10 Hillbilly's 7 pm <b>Divan Meeting 6:00 pm</b>	11 Directors Staff DOER SC 6:30 pm Troy SC 7 pm	12 <b>Temple Meeting 7:30 pm</b>	13 Hadji P-Ball Yaarab P-Ball
14 DON Installation of Officers (Red Fez)	15 Brass Band 7 pm Wiregrass SC 7 pm Crenshaw Co SC 7 pm	16 Bingo	17 Phenix City SC 7 pm EDT	18	19	20
21	22 Brass Band 7 pm	23 Autauga Co SC 6:30 pm Bingo	24	25 Covington SC 6 pm DOER SC 6:30 pm DON	26 Date Night 6:30 pm	27 Marzuq P-Ball
28	29 Brass Band 7 pm	30 Bingo				

# MAY

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5	6 Brass Band 7 pm Wiregrass SC 7 pm	7 Geneva SC 6 pm Bingo	8 Hillbilly's 7 pm	9 Directors Staff DOER SC 6:30 pm Troy SC 7 pm	10	11
12 Ziyara P-Ball Utica, NY	13	14 Fire Chiefs 6:30 pm Bingo	15 Phenix City SC 7 pm EDT	16 <b>Dixie Shrine Association</b>	17 <b>Dixie Shrine Association</b>	18 <b>Dixie Shrine Association</b>
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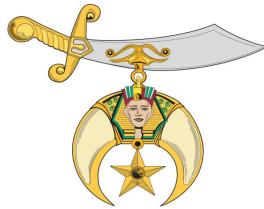
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# ALCAZAR SHRINE

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## SPRING CEREMONIAL FOR NEW SHRINERS BY ORDER OF THE POTENTATE AND DIVAN

The Alcazar Shrine will be hosting its Spring Ceremony for new and aspiring Shriners on March 30, 2013. The initiation ceremonial will be held at the Crenshaw Shrine Club at 1840 Montgomery Highway, Luverne, AL 36049 (State Hwy 10 & US 331 South), and will begin at 10:30 A.M. Central.

All candidates are requested to be at the Shrine Club at 9:00 A.M. The 1<sup>st</sup> section of the ceremony is open, so wives are invited to attend. Dress is casual (no shorts); all Nobles should wear their Fez.

Applicants must be in good standing with their Blue Lodge and be current. The application fee will be \$135 and will include the candidates' 2013 dues, and will not include the applicants' Fez.

Entering the Shrine is a just and honorable step in life whereby everyone benefits, especially the children. Please contact Flayvours Ray, P.P., Alcazar Recorder, at 334-279-9174 or your local Shrine Club for more information.

Family Fun, Fellowship, & Harmony