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#### OFFICIAL CALL OF THE POTENTATE

Notice is hereby given the Annual Meeting of Alcazar Shrine will be held at the time and place shown below for the purpose of holding elections (Imperial Dispensation), Installation of Officers and conducting any business as may regularly come before the temple

2014 Dues Card & Current Blue Lodge Card Required

Friday, January 10, 2014 at 7:30 pm (Central Time) Shrine Temple

> Paul B. Mann Potentate

Attested: Lee R. Sims, P.P. Recorder

#### OFFICIAL CALL OF THE POTENTATE

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

2014 Dues Card & Current Blue Lodge Card Required

Friday, February 7, 2014 at 7:30 pm (Central Time) Shrine Temple or Red Fez

Paul B. Mann For Incoming Potentate Attested: Lee R. Sims, P.P. Recorder

#### LEE R. SIMS, P.P., RECORDER



RECORDERS MESSAGE

Nobles,

As the new year begins I hope that everyone and their family had a wonderful Christmas and a very happy and safe New Year.

With the start of a new year in life as well as a new year at Alcazar with new leadership elected, I sincerely hope that

every Noble will support the Potentate and every member of our Divan. If we are all pulling in the same direction we can make things happen and have a prosperous year.

When we pull against each other nothing gets done. Remember we are here for and working for our kids. Kids first.

Prior to the start of our December meeting I made available a listing of the Nobles that are delinquent in their dues and are in a posture to be suspended this year. With the suspension of these Nobles it will cause our total membership to fall into the 800's. I request that you review this list and if you know any of these Nobles, contact them and get them to pay their dues. I am sure that in many cases it is an oversight on the Nobles part. If you become aware of any hardship cases please contact me in the office and let us help a Brother. We do not need to lose members for any reason, much less for nonpayment of dues and particularly those we can help.

Remember, get behind your new Officers and let's make this a prosperous year for the kids.

Yours in the Faith

Lee R. Sims, P.P. Recorder



Alcazar Ladies Bake Sale @ the Alcazar Gun Show January 18th \$ 19th

Alcazar Ladies will be selling cakes and baked goods at the Alcazar Gun Show



January 18th \$ 19th. All Ladies are invited to participate by bringing baked goods, making donations, or volunteering to help with the sale!

ALCAZAR BINGO 6:30 P.M. Each Tuesday Come Play or Come Help Volunteers Needed! (all the Recorder's Office (334) 279-9174



Mark Your Calendars JANUARY 4, 2014 Potentate's Going-Out Party Red Fez – 6:30 pm JANUARY 10, 2014 Elections & Installation of Officers Shrine Temple – 7:30 pm JANUARY 18 & 19, 2014 Alcazar Gun Show (Shrine Temple)

#### SHRINERS INTERNATIONAL ALCAZAR SHRINERS TEMPLE ANNUAL BUDGET AND COMPARISON REPORTS

(Instructions for completion of reverse side)

#### ANNUAL OPERATING BUDGET

ANNOAL OPERATING BODGET			Year End 12/31/13		Year End 12/31/14
Account Number	REVENUES		Budget	Actual *	Estimated
4000	Initiation Fees		2,000.00	1,118.50	2,000.00
4010	Membership dues & PCT		60,500.00	58,118.62	55,500.00
4100 & 4110	Less: Dues writeoffs	(	-1,200.00 ) (	-150.00)(	-1,200.00)
4030	Rental income		75,000.00	87,507.00	75,000.00
4040-4050	Investment income			523.46	
4070	Realized gains/losses				
4060 & 4080	Miscellaneous income		1,250.00	1,143.12	750.00
4090	Donations		55,000.00	51,162.80	55,000.00
4400-4599	Charitable fundraising - net proceeds				
7970	Less: Distribution to S.H.C.	(	) (	) (	)
7980	Less: Retained for Hospital Patient				`
	Transportation Fund	(	)(	)(	)
4600-4799	Fraternal fundraising gross revenues		224,500.00	228,271.37	227,150.00
6400-6459	Less: Direct fundraising costs	(	-117,560.00 ) (	-114,980.70)(	-119,910.00)
	Fraternal fundraising revenues		106,940.00	113,290.67	107,240.00
4800-4999	Other revenues - net		-1,050.00	-6,849.36	-2,900.00
	TOTAL REVENUES		298,440.00	305,864.81	291,390.00
	EXPENSES				
6000-6099	Shriners Intl. (\$15 per capita & \$2.50 diploma fee)				
	(Do not include \$5/Noble Hosp. Assessment)		14,350.00	11,810.00	13,100.00
6100-6399	Administrative		69,060.00	59,864.99	72,180.00
6500-6699	Building operations		163,480.00	139,783.77	160,080.00
6700-6999	Business sessions/Ceremonials		1,000.00	40.44	1,000.00
7000-7199	Social activities/Entertainment		15,500.00	11,148.40	19,000.00
7200-7399	Visitations & Pilgrimages		7,350.00	8,551.89	5,350.00
7400-7599	Promotion & Publicity		9,900.00	7,424.97	10,900.00
7600-7899	Unit & Club expenses				
7900-7949	Donations to fraternal groups				
7950-7969	Members' relations				
7970-7999	Donations to charities				
	TOTAL EXPENSES		280,640.00	238,624.46	281,610.00
	NET SURPLUS (DEFICIT)		17,800.00	67,240.35	9,780.00
3750-3760	Transfer In/(To) Designated Funds				
	OPERATING SURPLUS (DEFICIT)		17,800.00	67,240.35	9,780.00
4079	Unrealized gain(losses) from investments - net				
	CHANGE IN EQUTY		17,800.00	67,240.35	9,780.00
CAPITAL BUDGET					
1500-1590	Fixed asset additions				

I hereby certify that the 2014 Temple Budgets were adopted on

\*\*AS OF DEC 9,2013-For Noble News Inpu

Potentate

Chief Rabban

Assistant Rabban

High Priest and Prophet

Treasurer

Recorder

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\*Pre-audited balances are acceptable for this comparison report. NOTE: Mail budget comparison reports to Director of Temple Accounting by March 3, 2014.

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# FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2014

DINNER AND MUSIC PROVIDED

COST IS \$15.00 PER PERSON 💙 RED BADGE MEMBERS GET IN FREE

BYOB -- SET UPS PROVIDED

TIME~ 6:30 PM - 10:30 PM IN THE RED FEZ MEN, COAT & TIE 💟 LADIES, CASUAL BUT NICE

Your Sweetheart! ing