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Alcazar Noble News



Phenix City Hillbilly Unit Established 2019



Nobles and Ladies wishing to join the Hillbilly Unit should contact Phenix City Shrine Club.

Alcazar Shrine Divan / Committees / Clubs / Units

Elected Divan

John Daniel, Potentate
 Bill Forshey, Jr., Chief Rabban
 David Royal, Asst. Rabban
 Randy McFarland, High Priest & Prophet
 Eddie Ellis, Oriental Guide
 Allen Daniels, Treasurer
 Lee R. Sims, P.P., Recorder

Appointed Divan

William Baker, 1st Ceremonial Master
 Andrew Webber, 2nd Ceremonial Master
 Jack Crysel, Temple Director
 Andy Compton, PP, Parade Marshal
 Ill. Sir Terry Wofford, Marshal
 Bill Graham, Asst. Marshal
 David Grant, Captain of the Guard
 Don Gates, Outer Guard
 Raymond Abercrombie, Chaplain

Imperial Representatives

John Daniel, Potentate
 Bill Forshey, Jr., Chief Rabban
 Lee Sims, P.P., Recorder

Dixie Representatives

Allen Daniels, Treasurer
 Al Smith, P.P.

Hospital Board of Governors – Greenville

James T. Wofford, P.P.
 Jeff Johnson, P.P.

Hospital Transportation

Ray Matheson, Director of Transportation
 Robert Daughtry, Geneva
 James Pearson – Valley
 Kenny Smith, Phenix City
 Ray Matheson, Wiregrass

Finance Committee

Andy Compton, P.P. (18-20)
 Jack Crysel (18-20)
 Ed Sapp (19-21)
 Ray Matheson (16-18)
 Gene Moseley (17-19)
 Zachary Holmes (17-19)

Building and Grounds Committee

Jack Crysel (18-20)
 Andy Compton, P.P. (18-20)
 David Headley (16-19)
 Don Cook (16-19)
 David Grant (17-19)
 Pete Anderson (17-19)

Insurance Committee

Gene Moseley, Chairman
 Ernie Lollar, P.P.
 Jack Crysel
 Bob Smith
 Steve Starr

Non – Voting members

John Dael, Potentate
 Lee Sims, P.P.
 Larry Hall, Temple Attorney

Membership Committee

Eddie Ellis

Public Relations Committee

Jeff Johnson, P. P.

Donor Relations Committee

Jeff Johnson, P.P.

Alcazar Shrine Clubs

Autauga County SC

Dave Russell, President
 Email: drruss47@aol.com
 Meeting: 2nd Thursday every other month (Jan, Mar, May, Jul, Sep, Nov)
 Location: Prattville Masonic Lodge

Covington County SC

Eddie Ellis, President
 334-618-4125
 Meeting: 4th Thurs. monthly 7:00 PM
 Call for location

Crenshaw County SC

Andy Compton, P.P. 334/342-0036
 Email: andycompton@alapp.gov
 Meeting: 3rd Mon monthly 7:00 PM

Geneva SC

Jerry Broadway, President
 850-951-4887
 Meeting: 1st Tues. monthly 6:00PM

Phenix City SC

Chris Hudson, President
 706-681-3463
 Meetings: 1st & 3rd Wed monthly 7:00PM
 (Eastern Time)

Troy SC

Neil Sneed., President
 334-344-0542
 Email: troyshrineclub@troy cable.net
 Meeting: 2nd Thurs. monthly 7:00 PM

Valley SC

James Pearson, President
 706-588-8379
 Meeting: 1st Thurs. monthly 7:00PM
 Lanett Masonic Lodge

Wiregrass SC

Sammy Hicks, President
 334-899-5612
 334-726-3894
 Email: nay.pops@gmail.com

River Region SC

Pete Anderson, President
 334-379-5066
 Meeting: 2nd & 4th Thurs. 7:00 PM

Alcazar Shrine Units

Brass Band

Meeting every Mon. - 7:00 PM

Camel Riders

Meeting 1st Tues monthly - 7:00 PM

Fire Chiefs

Meeting 2nd Tues monthly - 6:30 PM

Golf N Nobles

Meeting 3rd Thurs monthly – varies

Keystone Kops

Meeting 1st Mon monthly - 10:00 AM

Nomads

Meeting 2nd Thurs monthly - with RRSC

Provost Guard

Meeting: 1st Fri monthly – TBD

Trail Busters (Wiregrass)

Meeting 2nd Mon monthly - TBD

Directors Staff

Meeting: 1st Mon monthly - 7:00PM

Hillbilly's

Meeting 2nd Wed monthly – 7:00PM

Legion of Honor

Meetings

2nd Fri Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct, Dec – 6:00 PM

Fire Dogs (Phenix City)

Hornets (Floral)

Noble News Editor

Andrew Webber
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As of 2/5/2019



NECROLOGY REPORT

The following Nobles have been visited by the Black Camel since our last reporting. Please keep these Nobles and their families in your thoughts and prayers.

Schuyler Eubank III

Alvin Adams

Harley Ryan

Jerry McKissic

Message from the Potentate

Greetings Nobles,

I hope everyone and their families are doing great.

Lady Sharilynn and I just got back from the Dixie Shrine Association meeting in Panama City Beach where we had a great time. We enjoyed seeing all of our good friends, including Imperial Potentate Ill. Sir Jim Cain and his Lady, Patsy. I am very proud of the turnout and participation from all the Clubs and Units from Alcazar, especially the Hillbilly's.

I hope everyone enjoyed the Ball this year. Sharilynn and I certainly appreciate all the assistance in making it a success.

The Sportsman's Gun Giveaway tickets are here and you should receive them shortly. If you do not, please contact the Temple office at 334-279-9174 to let us know. This is the biggest and most important fundraiser we will have this year. Please help your Temple out with this, and all Fundraisers. Fundraisers help keep the doors of Alcazar Shrine open for the future.

Gentlemen, we are having a Quarterly Meeting on July 12th at 7:30 p.m. Nobles please bring your ladies and participate.

Nobles, remember our Fraternity and our Philanthropy depends on membership.

Yours in the Faith,

John

Ill. Sir John A. Daniel, Potentate 2019



Message from the First Lady



We are now about half way through the year, but there are many more activities to go! Please stay ENERGIZED with me and, remember, Girls Just Want To Have Fun!! Hope everyone had a great time at Dixie. We loved seeing everyone together and reuniting with friends nearby and afar, and of course always happy to see our Imperial Potentate Ill. Sir Jim Cain and his fantastic wife, Patsy, along with other members of the Imperial Divan.

The final competition for the Taste of Alcazar will take place on August 3rd at the Red Fez. Local Club level competition information is still pending, which will then be communicated to members. The competition will be prior to the arrival time of the Montgomery Biscuit Baseball game so plan on staying for a fun filled family day, if possible. I know we have great cooks in our Clubs, so show EVERYONE how great you are by competing.

Other activities that will be coming soon are: August 10th and 11th - Craft Show - "Temple Treasures", Camp stew ticket sales, Ladies Kitchen for Bingo night volunteers, and Bake Sale: Donations of work time, cakes, cookies, brownies, etc, homemade mom's recipes!

I'd also like to take this time to thank everyone involved in helping to get the Ball and activities together with the preparations, decorations, organizing, putting up with me, ironing, and I hope enjoying the Ball. I dare not say names, due to the possibility of leaving someone out, but this goes out to all of you. I love you all and thank you from the bottom of my heart.

Potentate's Lady

Sharilynn



Message from the Oriental Guide

Greetings to All!

First, to Ill. Sir John Daniel and First Lady Sharilynn, the Potentate's Ball was "Wonderful!" Thanks for a great evening!

Already, here we are at the halfway mark for 2019. The tickets for our one hundred gun giveaway will be out soon. Let's get these tickets sold! Get out those "old" golf clubs, get them cleaned and polished and ready for our golf tournament in October.

July 12th is our next quarterly meeting. Let's work on getting new members that can become SHRINERS at that meeting. Remember to tell new candidates to bring their ladies.

Imperial starts June 30 in Nashville, Tennessee, through July 4th. "C" "U" "N" Nashville.

Remember: "A gentle answer deflects anger, but harsh words stir up wrath."

Yours in the faith,

Eddie

O. G. Alcazar Shriners



Message from the Recorder

Greetings Nobles and Ladies

I would like to take a moment to thank everyone that called, sent cards, prayers and helped me during my recent medical issues. I am happy to report that I am on the road to recovery and feeling almost 100%.

By the time this issue reaches each of you the Dixie Shrine Association meeting in Panama City Beach Florida will be a thing of the past. As usual everyone that attended had a wonderful time enjoying friends, the beach, and the pool.

On May 2, 2019 Alcazar Shriners hosted a Health Expo. The Expo had approximately 100 vendors and drew a large crowd. It also showcased Alcazar as hosting the event at our Montgomery facility on several TV spots. As the result of the Expo, I have had one child needing our help getting referred to Greenville SHC for evaluation. We felt the Expo was a huge success. We had many compliments of how much they enjoyed the Expo and how friendly our Shrine workers were. Many of those attending really appreciated getting a golf cart ride from the parking lot to the front doors chauffeured by our "hot rod" cart driver David Royal. In addition to the vendors displays we operated the kitchen with hamburger plates and wonderfully cooked pulled pork plates with the pork cooked by Noble Dave Russell. This Expo is currently being planned for next year.

We still need to be "looking for good men" to become Shriners. I continue to remind those Nobles that have not paid their 2019 dues or dues that are behind from previous years to get caught up on their dues. If a Noble has a problem with paying his dues due to a hardship, call the Temple office, we can help.

I want to thank all of our "Road Runners" and co-drivers for all they do for our children and the hours they take out of their lives for these children.

The Imperial Session in Nashville, Tennessee will begin at the end of June through July 4th. We do not know what legislation will be presented at this time, but as in the past it will be beneficial to our organization. Your Representatives will be attending and will be reporting to you in the July Quarterly meeting.

Remember, "our children are our guiding light".

Yours in the Faith,

Lee R. Soms D.D.

Recorder, Alcazar Shriners



HOSPITAL TRANSPORTATION
January 2019 thru April 2019

The Nobles listed below have worked in providing transportation for our young patients and their parents to Shriners Hospitals for Children.

THANK EACH OF YOU FOR YOUR HELP AND SERVICE

Number of trips for this period

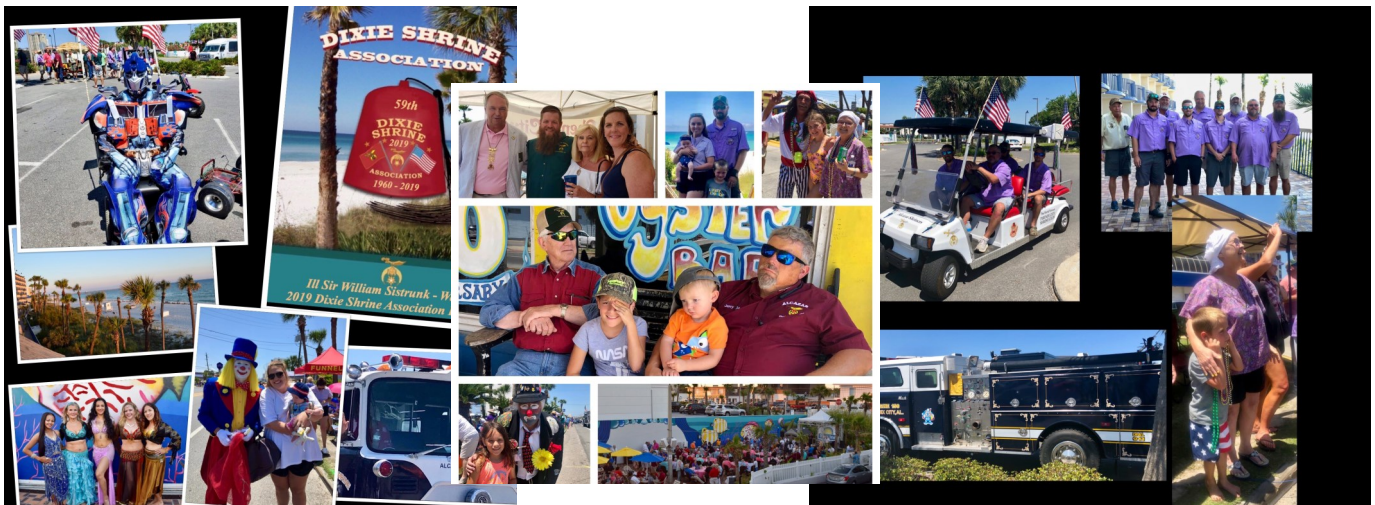
DRIVER	TRIPS	DRIVER	TRIPS
LaDon McAllister	1	Mike Porterfield	1
Mark Burkett	1	Ron Pynes	1
Jamie Pearson	1	Ronald Smith	1
James McDaniel	3	Joe Lewis	1
Ed Sapp	1	Willard Eason	3
Larry Walker	1	John Smith	1
Bill Graham	1	David Royal	1

POV Trips 15

AREA COORDINATORS

Ray Matheson	Wiregrass SC
Robert Daughtry	Geneva SC
Kenny Smith	Phenix City SC
James Pearson	Valley SC

Alcazar Shriners are always looking for Nobles and their ladies that would like to participate in our transportation program and become a driver and or co-driver. If you are interested please call Lee Sims, Recorder in the Temple office, (334) 279-9174.



2019 Dixie Shrine Convention



PRATTVILLE, AL

Wednesday, October 2, 2019

Shriners Hospitals for Children Charity Classic



**Robert Trent Jones
Capitol Hill Golf Club**
2600 Constitution Ave.
Prattville, AL 36066
Phone: 334-285-1114

**Wednesday
October 2, 2019
Cost: \$125 per player
Or \$500 per Team
Registration 11:00 AM**

Enjoy a complete program of special events, 18 holes of golf (including cart), lunch, door prizes, silent auction, and an exciting awards reception.



This year's event will be held Wednesday, October 2 at the well-manicured Robert Trent Jones Capitol Hill Golf Club in Prattville, Alabama. We will have FANTASTIC prizes for the 1st Place, 2nd Place, and 3rd Place Teams.

Registration begins at 11 am, with tee-off at 1 pm.

Includes, 18 holes of golf, riding cart, lunch, reception, one beverage coupon (good for one domestic beer, soda, or sports drink), and 6 raffle tickets (opportunity to purchase unlimited number of additional tickets 6 for \$5 or an arm's spread for \$20).

We will have lunch before tournament and there will be refreshments and awards presentation directly after golf at the Clubhouse.

To help us properly plan for this event, please pre-register by going to <http://alcazarshriners.com> or check us out on FaceBook.

Email your registration forms to Jack Crysel at jcrysel7235@gmail.com and Bill Forshey at billforshey@gmail.com

Golf attire is required. Collared shirts, slacks or golf shorts (no cut-offs). No steel spikes are allowed on the course. All participants must be at least 7 years of age.

Net proceeds are for the benefit of Shriners Hospitals for Children. Shriners Hospitals for Children is a 501(c)(3) Tax Deductible Charity.

- Longest drive contests
- Closest to the pin challenge
- Win a new Ford with a Hole-in One (Rules apply)
- 2 Mulligans and 1 Phil Niekro for \$20 (limit 1 per player)

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SHRINERS NIGHT

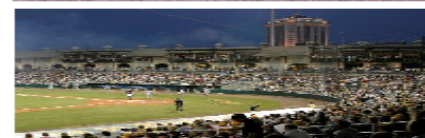
Bringing Shriners together to grow and showcase our community during Baseball and MAX Fireworks at the Montgomery Biscuits
Saturday August 3rd, 2019 @ 6:05 pm

Group Rate Tickets for Shriners and Guests!

\$3 of each ticket sold using the weblink below will be donated back to the Alcazar Shriners

Shriners will be recognized throughout the night!

- Videos promoting Shriners and Shrine activities throughout the game
- Pre-game Shriners parade on the field
- National Anthem performer
- Ceremonial First Pitch
- 7th inning stretch performers
- Shriners member on Biscuits Radio for ¼ inning
- In-game check presentation
- Special recognition for area clubs
- Shriners Promotional Area on concourse to share information with Biscuits fans about Shriners events and how to get involved
- & MORE!



SAVE THE DATE!
Saturday August 3rd at 6:05pm
Ticket Cost \$12 (with \$3 per ticket donated back to Shriners!)

Purchase your tickets ONLINE at
<https://groupmatics.events/event/ALShriners2019>



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SAVE THE DATES

June

1 st	Zamora Potentates Ball	Birmingham, AL
8 th	Hamasa Potentates Ball	Jackson, MS
15 th	Abba Potentates Ball	Mobile, AL
15 th -16 th	CASC Gun Show	Alcazar Temple
30 th	Imperial Session Begins	Nashville, TN

July

1 st -4 th	Imperial Session	Nashville, TN
12 th	Quarterly Meeting	Alcazar Temple
27 th -28 th	Alcazar Gun Show	Alcazar Temple

August

3 rd	Taste of Alcazar Final	Alcazar Temple
3 rd	Shriners Night	Biscuit Stadium - Montgomery, AL
10 th -11 th	Temple Treasures Craft Show	Alcazar Temple
29 th	Crenshaw County Shrine Club Peanut Boil Starts	Luverne, AL

**Official Call of the Potentate
 QUARTERLY MEETING**

OFFICIAL CALL OF THE POTENTATE

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of Alcazar Shriners will be held at the time and place shown below for the purpose of conducting any business as may come before the Temple,

2019 Dues Card required for admission

July 12, 2019

7:30 PM

Alcazar Shrine Center

555 Eastern Blvd.

Montgomery, Alabama 36117

Office: 334/279-9174

John A. Daniel, Potentate

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



Thank you for taking me to the race. I had a great time.

A.J. Knowles

