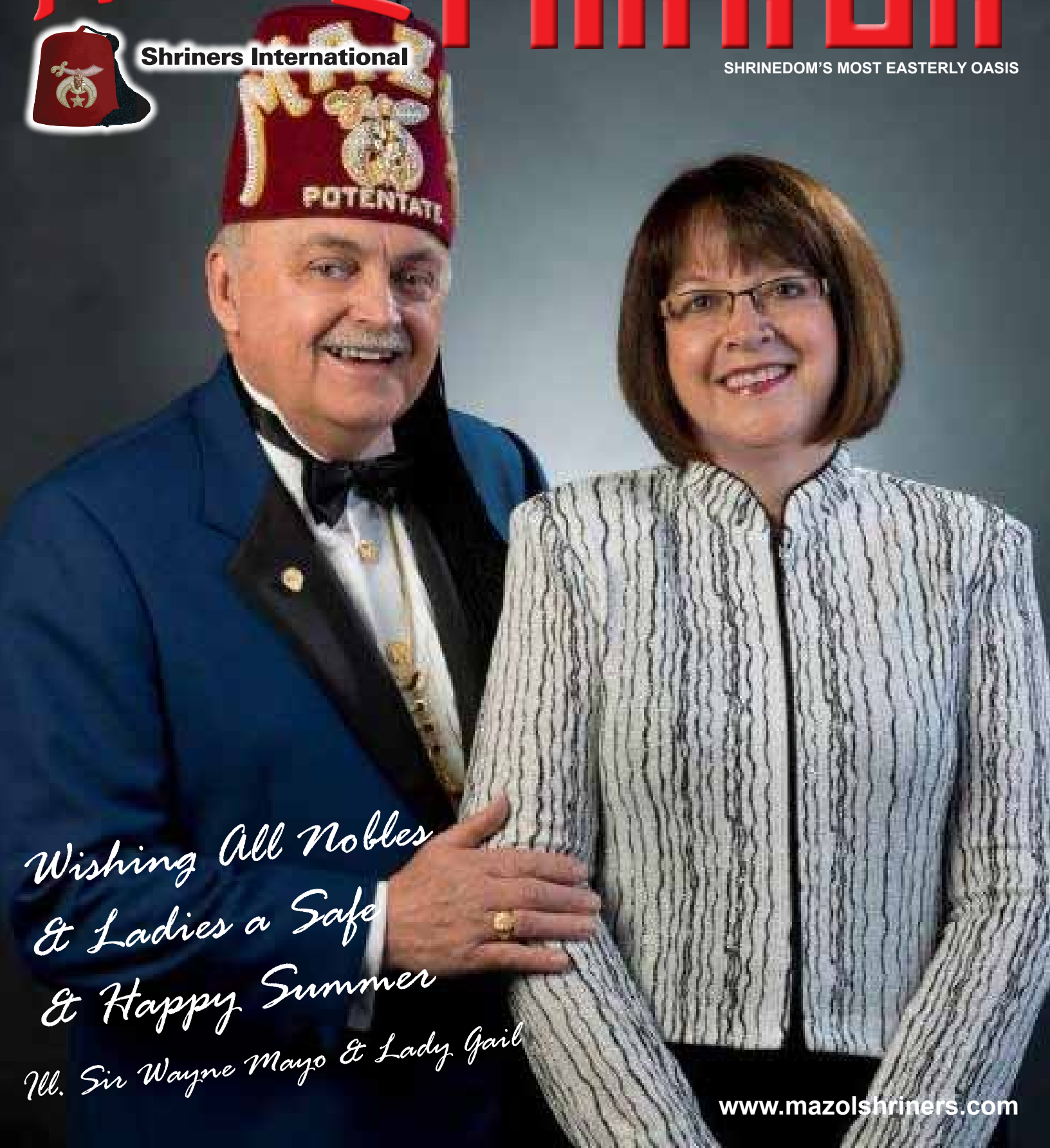


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SHRINERS INTERNATIONAL

Name Reflects International Importance

Back in 1872, when the Shriners fraternity was established, it made perfect sense to emphasize the middle-Eastern motif of the organization by naming it the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

While the Fraternity is still based on fun, fellowship and the Masonic principles of Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth, neither that tongue-twisting formal name, nor even the more commonly used name of Shriners of North America, fit the organization today.

Today, there are active members of the Fraternity located around the world and an increasing effort to reach and recruit new members on an International scale. It is important that they be acknowledged in the name of the organization.

Consequently, at the 2010 Imperial Session in Toronto, Canada, a resolution was passed to officially replace the corporate name, The Imperial Council of the AAONMS of North America. The resolution also stated that Shriners International should replace the name or any abbreviated versions of it (such as Shriners of North America). Nobles are encouraged to use Shriners International when referring to the Fraternity, both in speech and in Temple publications they produce.

Also, just as a reminder, at the 2002 Imperial Session, a proposal to replace the word 'temple' with the word 'Shriners', when the term is used as a proper name for a group of Nobles was passed. For example, Mazol Temple is now Mazol Shriners. The word 'temple' can still be used to designate general groups of Shriners or the building where Shriners often gather. For example, a correct use of the word 'temple' would be: 'There are now nearly 200 temples located in the USA, Canada, Mexico, the Republic of Panama, the Philippines and Germany'. Another example would be "the temples provide many activities for their members.

Whether we are attracting interest and members globally or locally, we want to be sure that we make it as easy as possible for potential Shriners to understand "who we are and what we do". Therefore, it was also decided that when speaking to or providing materials for non-Shriners, it is ok to refer to a temple with a secondary references of 'chapter', which is also a clear indication that we are a Fraternity.

All of these changes are part of an overreaching effort to increase membership by using terms people everywhere can understand, accept and respond to in a positive way. Additional efforts to increase membership include the website, **beashrinernow.com**, which is specifically for potential new members.

The future of the Shrine Fraternity depends on increasing membership. While these efforts are important, it is also imperative that every Shriner be willing to share his interest in and commitment to the Fraternity and its philanthropy with those around him.



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POTENTATE'S message



Ill. Sir Wayne R. Mayo

Es Selamu Aleikum!

What a humbling experience I felt in January when I was installed as Potentate of Mazol Temple. Nobles, thank you for allowing me to SERVE you as your Potentate for 2014. Thanks go out to, but not exclusive to, the following for their participation in the Installation Ceremony, Noble Dave Cooper [COOP] and the Ceremonial Divan, the Oriental Band, the Mazol Patrol and a very special thank you to the Nobles of the "BOOT" for doing the Color Party. I thank all of you who may have helped in any way for making the Installation Weekend the Special weekend that it was for Lady Gail and I.

At this time, I am very happy to report that St. John's Shrine Club has "come out of dimness" and is once again reactivated under the capable leadership of Noble Gerald (Gerry) Boyles and a very competent team of Nobles. I have appointed Ill. Sir Lorne

Warren to head up a team of Nobles to look after the business end of the Mazol Shrine Centre as this building and assets were passed over to Mazol by the St. John's Shrine Club. This Committee is very busy making the necessary repairs and general maintenance of our Banquet Room to make it more attractive for us and the general public so that it will be easier to market. Nobles this building, Mazol Shrine Centre, is now owned by all of the Nobles of Mazol Temple. So, if you are in the area, please drop in and see the wonderful improvements made to your Shrine Centre.

Lady Gail and I, along with Chief Rabban Noble Doug Beattie and Lady Olive, represented you at the Official Visitation to Melha Shrine Temple in Springfield, Massachusetts early in March. We had a wonderful time!

In April the four of us visited Lake Melville Shrine Club in Goose Bay. We enjoyed that visitation immensely. Thank you to Noble Reg Bowers for chauffeuring us around the area during our stay in Goose Bay. It is always a pleasure to visit Lake Melville. During this visit three (3) new Nobles were created. Thank you to all of the Nobles who helped me in this creation as well as Ill. Sir John Cameron, Potentate of Philae Temple.

During the Stated meeting at Hiram Lodge in Burin in April, I had the pleasure of putting the meeting at ease and admitting Lady Helen Card, President of the Ladies of the Sabre and the accompanying entourage of ladies to our meeting. I was presented with a cheque for \$10,000.00 to go towards the Research Chair at our new Canadian

Hospital in Montreal. Thank you Ladies for this very generous gift!

The weekend of May 9th and 10th were Official Visitations to the Clarendville Shrine Club and the Boot Shrine Club. Both Clubs went "all out" to make sure it was an enjoyable experience for all who attended. Thank you to both Clubs for your gifts but especially your warm hospitality. At this time, I also thank the members of the Divan who accompanied Lady Gail and I during these visitations. We both enjoyed your company very much.

As I am preparing my address to you, I am also making plans for the Odyssey Run which will commence in Newfoundland & Labrador on May 16th, starting from St. John's Mile One and going across Canada. Thank you to Noble Kevin Butt for presenting me with a support vehicle for this run while it is in our province and thank you to Hickman Motors for supplying the vehicle. I also thank the Nobles of Clarendville for the designs on the vehicle, and the Shrine Clubs and Units that responded to my request for funding for this project

In closing, I am looking forward to seeing all of you at the Summer Ceremonial in Marystown in July. Please have a safe summer, thank you for all of your support because without it Mazol will not be the Temple you and I want it to be. Remember our motto.

**Having Fun helping Kids.
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Yours in the Faith
ILL. SIR WAYNE R. MAYO



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LADY GAIL'S message



Lady Gail Mayo

They say "time flies when you are having fun" and I guess that is certainly true at this point in time because it is incredible that we are almost halfway through the year! Wayne and I are truly proud and honored to be ambassadors for Mazol.

This wonderful year began in January with the Installation. It was well attended and I feel it was a very successful and enjoyable weekend. I certainly would like to thank everyone who helped in any way! Dylan Stringer and his family from Clarendville were very inspirational and certainly brought home to us the real reason we do what we do. Thank you for that and every good wish to Dylan in the future. Our family and friends were very impressed with the events during the weekend. We thank our Aides who took such good care of them. They are still talking about the amazing people they met at that time and now have faces to go with the names of the people they heard so much about for the past four years.

Special thanks go to the Ladies

of the Sabre for their assistance with the Ladies Luncheon. Lady Pat, thank you for doing the beautiful programs and for your guidance. Lady Helen, thank you for doing such a great job as emcee and thank you to the Divan ladies and my sisters for helping with the preparations. You were all wonderfully supportive! I feel certain everyone enjoyed our entertainer, Damien Follett ~ he was amazing!

Our first official visit was to Melha Temple in Springfield, Massachusetts in March. Noble Doug & Lady Olive accompanied us and we had a very memorable weekend. The hospitality was very warm and our Aides were amazingly attentive. A great place to start our visitations!

In April, we were off to our first local visitation when we visited Lake Melville Shrine Club in Goose Bay. I have to say, while the weather was cool, the welcome was very warm! This club may be small in number but it is very big in heart. Thank you for your generous donation to the Patient Travel Fund and also for the beautiful gift. We will treasure it always!

In early May we, along with the Divan, had the pleasure of visiting the Clarendville Shrine Club where we were treated to a lovely evening of great food and fun. Thank you for your generous donation to the Patient Travel Fund and also for the beautiful print which we have hung proudly in our home.

The next day it was back to our home base, the Boot Shrine Club. As is traditional, we were all treated to a delicious lobster/steak dinner. To visit our own club with Wayne as Potentate was truly a special time for us. Thank you for your continued support, your generous donation to the Montreal Hospital and for welcoming us home so warmly. That evening is surely

one for the memory bank! We also attended a divine service at Holy Trinity Church on Mother's Day with Rev. Terry Caines officiating ~ thank you Rev. Terry and your congregation for such a lovely service.

In early July, we along with several Divan members, will be attending the Imperial Session in Minneapolis, Minnesota. It is always enlightening and motivating to attend these sessions as there you get to see the wider scope of this great organization.

At the present time, we are busily preparing to welcome members of Mazol, as well as our counterparts, to the Summer Ceremonial in July in Marystown/Burin with a planned "side trip" to St. Pierre. We look forward to seeing you there!

We will be busy during the next few months visiting various clubs both in and out of province and look forward to seeing many of you along the way.

In closing, thank you to our wonderful Divan who travel with us and represent you, working tirelessly on your behalf. Thank you to our Director General, Ill. Sir Doug Rowe and Lady Eunice for all your help and guidance. A special note of appreciation to Noble Paul Pike and Lady Yvonne and to Noble Gordon Abbott and Lady Maxine who help make our job so much easier by attending to every detail behind the scenes. Ill. Sir Den and Lady Carol, we miss having you with us. Cecilia, your work and attention to detail is invaluable!

Finally, Nobles & Ladies, thank you for all you do to help our children have better lives. Have a safe & happy summer!

Yours in the Shrine Family
LADY GAIL MAYO



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CHIEF RABBAN'S report



Noble Doug Beattie

A young man who expected a shiny new sports car, a gift he felt his father could well-afford, was terribly disappointed on the day of his university graduation when he was given a neatly wrapped, but small rectangular box containing a leather-bound and zippered Bible. Disappointed, he left the house never to return or speak to his father again. Years later, he received news that brought him home. His father had passed away. Thinking then of his graduation day, he picked up the Bible and as he opened it, something fell to the floor. It was a shiny silver key to fit the red sports car still parked in the garage behind the house, shiny and new.

This has been a fantastic year of 'Shriner' - so far! It didn't start out so good, when we were all concerned about St. John's Shrine Club - the 'backbone' of Mazol - but, the good news is - that's all behind us now, and finest jewel in the crown is up and running again with a new executive and hopes and dreams of success by putting one of the key words of the Shrine motto "fun" back into their Club - as in "Having fun and helping kids." Way to go, Nobles! Show us all

the way!

Lady Olive and I have been very fortunate this year as we have traveled, with Illustrious Sir Wayne and Lady Gail, to Potentate's visits at Melha Shriners, Springfield, Mass., USA, and more locally, to Lake Melville Shrine Club in Happy Valley - Goose Bay, and our Potentate's home, the Boot Shrine Club. At Melha, we were lined up waiting to be piped in to the banquet room of the Sheraton Hotel, when, a Shrine Lady came over to us, and, noting the name of our small Temple on Illustrious Sir Wayne's fez - "Mazol" - she let out a scream of delight. What she was so thrilled and excited about was simply that "Mazol" was in attendance and, believe you me, everyone within ear-shot soon became aware of just how excited Imperial Sir Ralph Semb's Lady really was.

Soon after, we were all inside the ball-room and standing up clapping for the grand entrance of the new Potentate of Melha Shriners, followed only by the grand entrance of Imperial Sir Ralph Semb and his Lady - whose opening remarks soon turned to the fact that "Mazol" was, indeed, in the house! Then he spent several minutes telling all of the wonderful work done by Mazol Shriners and how we, although a very small Temple, do so much within Shrine International, and of our successes in being very generous donors to our hospital. He reminisced about being in St. John's for the Northeast Field Days just a few years back and how it was so successful and how enjoyable it was for him and his Lady - and then he told about his visit to Lake Melville Shrine Club and the Summer Ceremonial he attended there.

But the underlying theme of all of his remarks about Mazol and Lake Melville Shrine Club and The Boot Shrine

Club were about such small numbers being able to be so successful and how generous Mazol Shriners and the people of Newfoundland and Labrador were, and still are, toward our philanthropy and the work that we do as Shriners.

In April, Lady Olive and I accompanied our Illustrious Potentate and Lady Gail to Happy Valley - Goose Bay for the Potentate's visit to Lake Melville Shrine Club. It was my first ever visit to that Club, and it didn't take long for me to remember Imperial Sir Ralph's remarks. The Lake Melville Shrine Club may be small in number, but their work is second to none. The patient that had agreed to attend the banquet had to cancel out because of a family emergency, but we were treated to a wonderful dinner and a talk by Noble Reg Bowers who told of two of the many success stories regarding patients that he along with the Nobles of Lake Melville fondly recall simply as "our Shrine Kids."

Those three visits, to Melha Shriners, and to Lake Melville Shrine Club and the Boot Shrine Club, have reminded me that, like the story of the tiny key that fell from the graduate's new Bible - good things come in small packages; in two ways in that story. As Nobles of Mazol - we have something to be very proud of. We may be one of the smallest Temples in Shrine International and our clubs may be few in number - but our work and our generosity is well-known throughout the Order of the Mystic Shrine and we can hold our head high wherever we go! Be proud, Mazol Nobles and Ladies! We are well known! We count! And we are very-well-respected wherever we go!

Yours in the Faith
NOBLE DOUG BEATTIE
Chief Rabban



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ASSISTANT RABBAN'S report



Noble Elmer Ryzuk

The year was off to a quick start beginning with the installation of Ill. Sir Wayne Mayo January 18th at which time I was elected as your Assistant Rabban (for which I thank you). At that time, I was also appointed as Membership Chairman for Mazol and agreed to carry on the three year program developed and put in place by Noble Beattie. This is an excellent program and some Nobles have already availed of the benefits outlined in it. Noble Wilbur Patey has just earned his second dues free year for bring forth five membership applications under the program! The second year membership pin is in the making and is expected any day now. If you're sketchy on the program you can check it out on the Mazol website (www.mazolshriners.com) under "About Mazol Shrine", where there is even a downloadable "Petition for Membership". At our recent Stated Meeting in Marystown, we approved five (5) new applicants. During the visitation to Goose Bay, three (3) Nobles were initiated! It's not a difficult program to get involved in and I'm confident that we will all do our share.

March month saw Lady Margaret and I attending the Assistant Rabban's Seminar in Tampa. On the way home, we stopped over in Springfield, MA. to attend the North East meetings. The main purpose of this was to obtain and arrange accommodations for your visit in to the North East Fall Field Days in August. While in Springfield, we also had the opportunity to participate in annual event known as a Leprechaun Plunge. This is an event where you get pledges to jump into the Connecticut River in support of the Shriners Hospital and other charities. The date was March 16th with an extremely bitter wind! The week prior they had to bring in heavy equipment to break up the ice in order to accommodate the event. No, I didn't plunge, but I did march in the parade along with frozen pipers! I received a photo to prove I was there and Melha Shiners realized just over \$77,000.00 for the hospital.

It started out as a hectic spring with visitations in Clarendville and Burin May 9th & 10th respectively. On the 12th of May, Lady Margaret and I were off to Montreal for the Hospital Seminar and Board Meetings. While there we where

able to attend the launch of the Odyssey project which is designed to promote Shriners and Shriners Hospitals. It consists of a vehicle designed to look like a fez complete with a tassle. It will travel from St. John's, NL to Victoria, BC. It was planned to leave St. John's on 16th May and will be stopping in Burin, the Harold W. Duffett Shriners RV Park in Eastport, the Gander outreach clinic and Corner Brook and handed over to Philae Temple in Port au Basques on May 22. It will have traveled our highways on the May long weekend and be seen by thousands. Returning from Montreal on the 16th May, we were in Gander on the 19th-21st for the Outreach Clinic. Following Gander, the first weekend in June will see us in Botwood & Lewisporte for their visitations.

Lady Margaret I would like to wish you a safe, happy summer and hope you saw the Odyssey on its tour.

Yours in the Faith
NOBLE ELMER RYZUK
Assistant Rabban



Noble Elmer Ryzuk at the Odyssey Launch in Montreal



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HIGH PRIEST AND PROPHET'S report



Noble Rolly Card

Wow, time flies when you're busy and having fun. Since the January installation we have been working on projects that, while challenging, have also been very rewarding. The property at 530 Topsail Road is now under the ownership of Mazol Temple and we are working hard to make necessary changes and upgrades to the centre that will benefit all Mazol shriners. A marketing plan has been completed and renovations, which began in April, will be complete by midyear. As a result we are already experiencing increased interest and

booking inquiries.

Ill Sir Wayne asked me to help with fundraising again this year. Last year we conducted a very successful Fezeroo campaign. Our net return from ticket sales was in excess of \$85000.00 from a near sell-out, thanks entirely to the efforts of our membership, sponsors and commercial sellers. This year our goal is to sell all 100000 tickets. To achieve this we will need the support of all of the clubs and units. The Fezeroo is our only major Temple fundraising campaign for the year and we **need** and **ask** for your support. **Lets give it our best shot.** Tickets were mailed out to nobles in May with the public campaign running from July to the 27th of September when a public draw will be held on the evening of the 27th, at the Avalon Mall in St. John's. Also please ensure that you return any unsold tickets in your possession, back to the Temple office by the end of August so that we can attempt to sell them by other means.

In August lady Helen and I plan to attend the NESA fall field days in Springfield Mass. This will be our second trip to a NESA event and we are very much looking forward to this one.

We will be attending the Tampa Management Seminar in October where we hope to gain some new ideas on how to bring more members into our

organization. This is a huge challenge for Shrine Temples everywhere. It's no secret where they have to come from and it's incumbent on all of us to recruit as many as possible of our fellow Lodge members into the Shrine. Their lives will be enriched as a result and our Shrine fraternity will grow and benefit from their participation in our activities on behalf of children with orthopaedic problems, spinal cord injuries, severe burn injuries and cleft lip & palate.

The St. John's shrine club is up and running again with a full slate of very capable officers and directors including three past potentates. So, nobles... the glass is more than half full and we are making progress. Our mission, and the philanthropy we support is far too important for it to be otherwise.

Finally, lady Helen and I plan to attend as many, of the Potentates club visitations during the year as possible. We hope to see you there. In the meantime its SUMMERTIME and following this past winter and spring let's hope it will be a fun, warm, safe and very enjoyable one for everyone.

Thank you again for your continued support.

Yours in the Faith
NOBLE ROLAND CARD
High Priest & Prophet

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ORIENTAL GUIDE'S report



Noble Paul Rose

It was indeed a great honour to be nominated and elected to the position of Oriental Guide, during Mazol's Annual Installation this past January. Both Lady Sharon and I are thrilled to be joining the Mazol Divan and look forward to a very active engagement with Shriners and Clubs across Newfoundland and Labrador. As a relative newcomer to Mazol, having joined in 2011, assuming the Oriental Guide's position undoubtedly will create many new challenges and opportunities which I look forward to tackling.

The main highlight during my first few month's on the Divan was to attend the Oriental Guide Leadership Conference in Tampa, March 6-8, 2014. This event brought together Nobles and their Ladies from Temples across Canada and the United States, along with members of the Imperial Divan.. As I have told numerous people since returning, this was probably the most energized and motivational event in which I have participated. The invigorating spirit of friendship, good will and enthusiasm was like nothing I had ever experienced. Sharon and I

started many new friendships which I look forward to building further as I progress within the Divan. Of special note was our first meeting with the fifteen fellow members from the Northeast Shrine Association (NESA). This group is comprised of Temples from Eastern Canada and New England.

The Conference was themed "Creating Effective Shrine Leaders to Ensure Our Future", and the agenda featured many presentations and workshops which reinforced this theme. There were two separate Programs, one for the Nobles and the other for their Ladies. The calibre of presenters was outstanding, and what struck me most, was that they were all Shriners, or their Ladies. The major presentations generally focused on the development of effective personal leadership. Other topics included "So You're Going to be a Potentate"; "How to bring Unprecedented Leadership from the top Down"; "Working with Volunteers";, etc.. The concurrent Ladies Program featured some sessions with the Nobles, as well as separate presentations entitled

"Protocol"; "Welcome to the Divan"; "Social Media"; "The Ladies Mentoring Program"; etc.. For the interest of Ladies, I would like to highlight a new video on the Shriner's Village Webpage. It's entitled "Lady of a Shriner", and can be found by clicking on Fraternity, then clicking Ladies Home Page twice.

The social highlight of the Conference was the Margaritaville Party. With over 200 attendees, this event was a fitting conclusion to the overall Program. Nobles and their Ladies, attired in colorful beach party outfits, engaged in a night which featured endless karaoke, dancing and great food. The competitive spirit was strong, as the many Regional Associations tried to out dance and out sing one another.

In the months ahead, Lady Sharon and I look forward to getting out across the Province to visit and participate in a variety Shrine activities. and to meet the Nobles and their Ladies of our great Fraternity.

NOBLE PAUL ROSE
Oriental Guide



Ladies of the Northeast group photo with Fezzy during the Ladies session at the Oriental Guide Seminar, Tampa Florida.

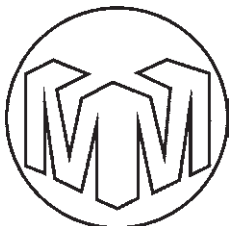
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Ill. Sir John H. Brake, P.P.

Nobles and Ladies, once again I want to thank the Nobility for their confidence and support in electing me for another year as your Recorder. It is a position I enjoy and it continues to be a learning experience.

Things are going well for Mazol under the leadership of Ill. Sir Wayne Mayo. Once again this year it was decided to concentrate our efforts on the Fezeroo project as our main source of revenue for the Temple, and rely on the Clubs to help make this

project the success it was in 2013. It is therefore critical that each Club make a concentrated effort. If the Nobility doesn't get behind this project and do everything possible to make sure it's successful, it's impossible for us to operate.

I am very pleased to be able to report that Westjet has once again come through with a donation of 120 free one way flights, which can be used for our Patients and Guardians. This will have a huge impact on our efforts to fund travel costs. We are deeply grateful for this tremendous gift from Westjet, and all Shriners are again encouraged to use Westjet as the airline of choice for all personal travel.

With 3 black camel visitations, and 3 new creations in April, our membership remains at 527 as it was at the end of 2013. We presently have a number of applications on file, and we expect at least some of those applicants to be initiated at the Summer Ceremonial. We are also optimistic that several more candidates will be initiated before the end of the year.

Increasing membership must continue to be a primary focus, and I once again urge every member to make

an effort to recruit new candidates. Club executives are encouraged to call your Membership Chairman, Noble Elmer Ryzuk, at any time you feel a presentation in your area may be of some benefit. Your Membership Committee will respond promptly.

The Harold W. Duffett Shriners R.V. Park in Eastport continues to be a success. Water, sewer and electrical services for 12 new sites are presently being installed. Those 12 sites will have been completed by the time this Mirror is released. We will then have 154 sites, 110 of which are seasonal and fully booked for 2014.

Bookings for all sites have been going well with a big demand for this year.

No further major expansions are planned at this time. Our Shriners R.V. Park truly is a tremendous asset, which will become more and more valuable as time goes by.

Nobles, Lady Thelma and I extend our best wishes to you and your families for a safe and enjoyable summer

Sincerely,
ILL. SIR JOHN H. BRAKE, P.P.
Recorder

from the **TREASURER'S** desk



Nobles,

I would like to take this opportunity to bring you up to date with our financial results for the first four months of 2014

To date the Patient Transportation Fund had revenues of \$63,000 (Budget-\$65,000) and incurred expenses of \$68,000 (Budget-\$65,000) for a four month deficit of \$5,000 (Budget - break even).

The temple revenues were \$50,000 (budget -\$60,000) for the four months and expenses for the period were \$76,000 (budget-\$81,000) for a deficit

\$26,000 (budget-\$21,000 deficit).

Our operating expenses are within budget.

As I write we have \$6,145 outstanding for annual dues. For those who haven't paid please forward your payment by cheque or Visa to Cecilia as soon as possible.

Lady Vyvienne and I wish you and your families a safe and enjoyable summer and look forward to seeing many of you at the Potentate's visitations

NOBLE MICHAEL BRUCE
Treasurer

greetings from the **GRAND MASTER**



Noble GW Budden

In January I had the occasion to be invited to attend the annual meeting and the election and investiture of the new Potentate of Mazol Shriners for 2014.

The meeting was held at the Holiday Inn in St. John's and was very well attended. I was welcomed by the Ill. Potentate Ill. Sir Den Billard, extended a seat in the East, and was given the opportunity to address the nobility and bring fraternal greeting at the banquet later during the evening.

I would at this time thank Ill. Den Billard for the warm welcome that I received and the many acts of kindness extended to lady Christine and myself as Grand Master.

To Ill. Sir Wayne Mayo and his Divan I offer the congratulations of the officers and members of the Grand Lodge of AF & AM of Newfoundland and Labrador

and trust that his year and that of the Divan will be enjoyable and rewarding.

I also extend to you the support of the our Grand Lodge on those activities that further the advancement of Freemasonry in our province, and trust that the co-operation, between Mazol and the Grand Lodge will be evident for all to see, as we work together as brothers and nobles for the craft, for the shrine and for the children of our province.

May 2014 be a banner year for Freemasonry and for Mazol Shriners, let's make it happen.

Fraternally,

NOBLE GERALD W. BUDDEN

Grand Master

Grand Lodge of Newfoundland and

Labrador

greetings from the **DISTRICT GRAND MASTER**



Noble Owen T. Devereaux

It is my distinct honour and pleasure to bring you warm fraternal greetings from the District Grand Lodge of Newfoundland and Labrador, Grand

Lodge of Scotland. We applaud the great work that the Shriners continue to do for the sick children of Newfoundland and Labrador, not only to aid them in attaining the much needed medical help for their many illnesses, but also to put a smile on a child's face with kindness, funny words and your actions of love.

A new and amazing event is happening in freemasonry in our province...the Grand Lodge of NL and the DGL, Grand Lodge of Scotland have opened their Masonic Headquarters at Freemasons Hall to host this year's Janeway Hospital Telethon. Isn't it great Brethren that we, as a Fraternity, continue to find ways to reach out to the community at large to help and in this case in aid of our children's hospital? This all goes hand in hand with the wonderful work that Mazol Shriners do.

Our history as islanders and northern people has always taught us to respect our environment and aid our neighbours. We live in a harsh climate, and especially after

experiencing this past winter, we learn to appreciate the many gifts of friendship and love. When there is a need, Masons have always answered the call. Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth again will be exemplified by the work of Masons and Shrine Masons.

Remember brethren, it's all about the children and the absolute pleasure of seeing their smiling faces, even when they are stricken with illness. In closing on behalf of Lady Rosalind and myself, we wish you all a very warm, safe and happy summer.

As Walt Disney once said;

"If you can dream it, you can do it"

Fraternally Yours,

NOBLE OWEN T. DEVEREAUX

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PATIENT CHAIRMAN'S Report



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Activities

My year started as usual with my attendance at the Mazol Installation and stated meeting in St. John's on Jan. 19th 2014.

Odyssey

The Odyssey Fez-mobile visited Gander on May 18th on the across continent voyage of awareness and fundraising for the new Montreal Shriners Children's Hospital being built in Montreal. On Monday May 19th, the Odyssey team traveled to Twillingate to do a photo shoot with some Icebergs as a back-drop. They were successful and got to see some ice bergs up close. On Monday night a Meet & Greet event was held at the Gander Masonic Hall which was well attended by the Odyssey team, Town officials, Nobles of the Gander Shrine Club and their Ladies.

On Tuesday May 20th at 8:00 am Ill. Sir Wayne Mayo and Emmanuelle Rondeau were interviewed by Leanne Power host of the Morning Show, live at the CBC studios in Gander. At 10:30 a Press conference/media blitz was held at the James Paton Memorial Health Center

which was well attended by Health Care Centre hospital officials, local news media, invited guest and area Shrine patients and families. Ill. Sir Roger Tinkham was Emcee with the key-note speaker, Orthopaedic surgeon & Outreach Clinic specialist, Dr. Francois Fassier. A report on the progress of the new hospital construction and the reason for the Odyssey campaign was delivered by Emmanuel Rondeau, Canadian Shriners Hospital's PR. Other speakers were Rosemary Goodyear, President and CEO, James Paton Memorial Regional Health Centre of NL, and Tracy Norris, mother of Shrine patient Sheldon Norris, who related Sheldon's story of his long standing connection & successful treatments with Shriners Hospital in Montreal. (Sheldon just turned 16 and has been a Shrine patient for 14 yrs.). The last speaker was Ill. Sir. Wayne Mayo, Potentate of Mazol Shriners who spoke of the desire Shriners have to provide whatever help is possible to children.

Spring Outreach Clinic

Dr. Fassier and his Clinical Assistant, Jade Goyette from The Montreal

Shriners Children's Hospital conducted the spring Outreach Clinic at Gander Hospital on May 21, 2014 with 19 patients seen. 14 were returning patients & 5 were new initial visits.

Patient Stats

To date this year there have been total of 41 children with 48 appointments:

Philadelphia

- 1 child has completed 2 appointments

Boston

- no visits

Montreal / Gander

- 40 children have completed 42 appointments with 4 appointments pending.

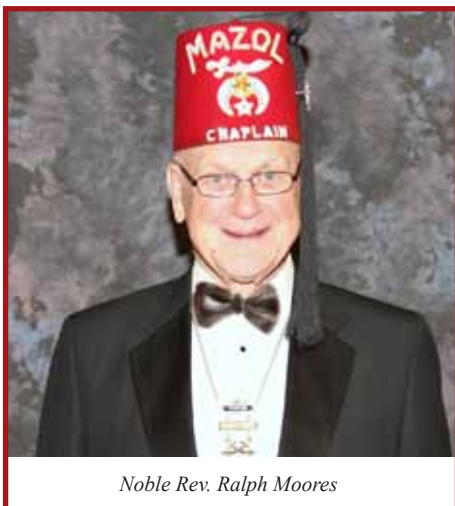
Total cost to date this year **\$52,098.25**

Nobles and Ladies:

*"There are clocks to tell the time of day,
And scales to tell the weight of hay. But
what rule would you employ – To tell the
worth of a girl or boy!"*

Respectfully Submitted
NOBLE RALPH MILLER
Mazol Patient Chairman

CHAPLAIN'S corner



Noble Rev. Ralph Moores

Ill. Sir Sheridan Yetman has "waxed eloquently" and has been poetical on many occasions as we have welcomed

new Shriners through our "Fezzing" ceremony. He has elaborated on when and where to wear the Fez and conversely when and where not to wear the Fez. Some of this has been done mimicking as if the Fez were speaking for itself. It sets forth a high, noble lifestyle to live by. The wearing of the Fez is a symbol that we are declaring to all who see it that we are part of the fraternity that is dedicated to helping children with certain health problems.

Although the Shrine is the most visible and better known branch of Freemasonry, the same high ideals of belief and practice are inculcated when you were initiated into Freemasonry. These should be evident in your conduct, not only as a Shriner but in every branch of Freemasonry. Indeed

the basics of Freemasonry that are given to you as you become a Master Mason and other degrees or branches of Freemasonry only elaborate or are more specific in some of these aspects.

As Shriners then, let us dedicate ourselves to the care of children with orthopedic problems, cleft lip and palate, spinal cord injuries and severe burns and research into these areas.

As we make ourselves visible and at all times, upholding the highest principles of our Shrine, then we will never find ourselves at a time or place where we will not proudly wear the Fez.

Yours in the Faith,
NOBLE REV. RALPH MOORES
Chaplain

SUMMER CEREMONIAL AND STATED MEETING

July 18-20, 2014

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

-----FRIDAY JULY 18, 2014-----

Registration (\$10.00 per Noble)	9:30am to 5:30pm	Board Room – Hotel Marystown
Mazol Hospitality Suite	3:00pm to 6:00pm	Hotel Marystown (<i>Room TBD</i>)
Stated Meeting	7:30pm to 8:30pm	Hotel Marystown (Club Dress & Fez)
Newfie Night / Meet & Greet (Cash Bar)	8:30pm	Hotel Marystown (Casual)
Screech In Ceremony (<i>Tentative</i>)	9:15pm	Hotel Marystown
Mazol Hospitality Suite	11:30pm to 12:30am	Hotel Marystown (<i>Room TBD</i>)

-----SATURDAY, JULY 19, 2014-----

Candidates Report to Candidates' Aide	8:45am	Salon C / Hotel Marystown
First Section & Second Section	9:15am	Salon A / Hotel Marystown
Ladies' Luncheon (\$25.00)	11:30am	Salon B / Hotel Marystown
Shuttle leaves Hotel for Street Parade	1:15pm	
Parade Line Up / Preparation	1:30pm	Salt Pond, Burin
Shriners Street Parade	2:00pm	Salt Pond, Burin
Potentate's Hospitality Suite	3:30pm	Hotel Marystown (<i>Room TBD</i>)
Cocktails (Cash Bar)	6:30pm	Spanish Room - Hotel Marystown
Potentate's Formal Ceremonial	7:30pm	Salons A & B Hotel Marystown
Banquet & Dance (\$100 dbl)		
Mazol Hospitality Suite	11:00pm to 12:30am	Hotel Marystown (<i>Room TBD</i>)

-----SUNDAY, JULY 20, 2014-----

Breakfast (\$15.00 per person)	9:00am	Salon A - Hotel Marystown
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Farewells To Old and New Friends

Those Departing for Fortune Ferry for trip to St. Pierre	11:00am
Those Departing For St. John's	12:00pm

We wish to Thank You for sharing in the 2014 Summer Ceremonial; and we trust that everyone had pleasant and enjoyable stay here on the Scenic Burin Peninsula, (Best known as The Boot), and we wish you a safe return home.

Nobles & Ladies of the Boot Shrine Club

DECEASED NOBLES

Deepest sympathy from the Illustrious Potentate, the Divan and all Nobles of Mazol is extended to the families of these deceased Nobles.

Noble Victor J. Simms
Noble R. Calvin Smith
Noble William E. Saunders
Noble Jerry R. Appleby
Noble Donald Scurlock

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FRIENDS ^{OF} THE MIRROR

Mazol Shrine Centre, through the Editor, wishes to thank the Nobles and Ladies listed below for helping make this edition of the Mirror possible

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Noble Roland J. Card and Lady Helen

Noble Paul R. Rose and Lady Sharon

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Shriners Hospitals for Children: A History of Innovation and Excellence in Burn Care

Shriners Hospitals for Children® is noted worldwide as a leader in pediatric burn care. Since opening our three pediatric burn hospitals in the 1960s, our health care system has been at the forefront of innovative programs and treatment techniques that have both dramatically improved the survival rate for children with severe burns and enhanced their quality of life.

Here is a brief timeline of the development of our burn care program:

1960s: In response to the growing awareness of a need for pediatric burn care, research and education, the governing body of the Shriners organization passed a resolution at the Imperial Session in 1962 to build and operate hospitals specializing in pediatric burn care. The first one opened in 1966 in Galveston, Texas, followed by those in Cincinnati and Boston two years later. The establishment of these hospitals helped raise awareness of burn injuries and appropriate care throughout the medical community.

1970s: Tremendous improvements in survival rates were made, particularly because of innovative research in excision, grafting, and intravenous feeding. In addition, pressure garments that helped lessen scarring were developed. Shriners Hospitals for Children — Cincinnati pioneered skin banking — a precursor to future methods of tissue, bone and skin procurement. In addition Shriners Hospitals for Children worked with the United States Fire Administration and Consumer Product Safety Commission to identify burn prevention programs for schools and fire departments. And finally, our Boston hospital began the first school re-entry program for patients.

1980s: Outpatient clinics were added at the three burn hospitals to provide continued care after patients are discharged. Also, researchers at Shriners Hospitals for Children discovered that early surgical excision and grafting reduces infections, shortens hospital stays and improves cosmetic outcomes for patients. Finally, Burn Awareness Week, a national education campaign, was

created in an effort to raise public awareness and reduce the number of burn injuries in children.

1990s: Services were expanded at our burn hospitals. Care was made available for non-burn conditions such as port wine stains, congenital ear deformities and other complex wound and skin conditions. In addition, new programs were set up to help burn patients with psychological and social issues, including transitioning back to school and community. And, in 1997, Shriners Hospitals for Children — Northern California opened in Sacramento to serve children with orthopaedic conditions, burns and spinal cord injuries. The hospital has become the busiest pediatric burn center in the western U.S.

2000 - 2010s: Shriners Hospitals for Children continues to demonstrate and be recognized for their leadership in burn care. The hospitals in Boston and Cincinnati received the Press Ganey Summit Award for extraordinary patient satisfaction. All four burn hospitals have leaders who have served as president of the American Burn Association and three of the hospitals have hosted or co-hosted the World Burn Congress, an annual event of the Phoenix Society for Burn Survivors that brings together approximately 800 burn survivors and their families, caregivers, burn care professionals and firefighters to share experiences and support one another.

In the years and decades to come, Shriners Hospitals for Children expects to continue its leadership in pediatric burn care, and its long-standing legacy of improving the lives of children.



Top left: Shriners Hospitals for Children — Boston

Top right: Shriners Hospitals for Children — Cincinnati

Bottom left: Shriners Hospitals for Children — Galveston

Bottom right: Shriners Hospitals for Children — Northern California



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Mazol Shriners Patient Participates in the Special Olympics and Wins Gold

Special Olympics sit-skier Kiana Winsor from Clarenville, took part in her first games less than a year after a undergoing an 18-hour surgery at the Shriners Hospital in Montreal to fuse a metal rod to her spine.

Here Kiana beams with pride as she crosses the finish line, with attendant Stacy Power, Sunday morning at the White Hills Ski Resort as part of the Newfoundland and Labrador Winter Games in Clarenville, NL

Kiana won gold in her 50m classic event.

"A year ago, we never would have thought this would ever have been possible, so this was big for us today," her mother, Janice Harnum, said after her 15-year-old daughter completed her first race of these games, a 50-metre classic style gold medal-winning jaunt on an a course which allowed her to travel downhill.

"Being unable to walk and with very little strength in her arms, by the committee adapting the track, she was able to do it herself," says Harnum.

Congratulations Kiana from all your Shriner friends!



Kiana and her mother Janice



Michael E. Bruce

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The Exceptional Care Odyssey



The **Exceptional Care Odyssey** started its "roll across the continent" on 13th May when a red Ford Explorer, decorated like a Shriner's Fez including a tassel, left the Shriners Hospital for Children in Montreal and travelled east to St. John's, NL where, on Friday, 16th May 2014, the Mazol Shriners of Newfoundland & Labrador hosted a "send-off" social at the Mazol Shrine Centre. Following short addresses by Ill. Sir Roger Tinkham and Lady Emmanelle Rondeau, light refreshments were served. Earlier in the day, NTV made a video with Potentate, Ill. Sir Wayne Mayo that was featured on the evening NTV news.

The Odyssey will travel west into Atlantic Canada, the North Eastern United States, Eastern Canada and all the way to British Columbia culminating in Victoria. It will have travelled 17-thousand kilometers, passed by hundreds of Shriners, visited 55 cities and towns, saw 40 patients and their families, visited 17 Shrine Temples, participated in 8 parades, visited 2 countries during its 66-day whirlwind tour. During its 55 stops there will be parades, press conferences, BBQs and many local patients and Shriners to meet.

The Exceptional Care Odyssey is an opportunity to inform patients from coast to coast about the specialized

orthopaedic care provided by an extraordinary team of health professionals to infants, children and teens for such conditions as club feet, brittle bone disease, hip dysplasia, scoliosis, leg length discrepancies and cerebral palsy. It also allows us to talk about the close ties we have with local children's hospitals with whom we partner to ensure patients receive the highest quality care available in their own community and when needed at our hospital – the Shriners Hospital for Children in Montreal.

The Odyssey is also a chance to unveil our NEW hospital and the variety of ways it will improve patient care thanks mainly to larger clinic areas, double the number of operating rooms, a significantly larger research facility and more space for physiotherapy and occupational therapy.

Another goal of the Exceptional Care Odyssey is to give a "tip of the

Fez" to the hardworking members of the Shriners fraternity who founded the Canada Shriners Hospital in Montreal in 1925. It gives us a chance to acknowledge their assistance with transportation for patients and families and their volunteer efforts on the hospital Board. It also gives us a chance to thank them for their contributions to the ongoing **Exceptional Care for Exceptional Kids Capital Campaign** by publically recognizing each Temple's contribution and the contribution of other local donors.



Headrest covers
made by Lady
Wanda Tucker



Odyssey photographer Catherine, patient Maya & PR chairlady Emmanell in cold Twillingate, NL water



Ill. Sir Roger with
Shrine patient Maya
on a hill in Burin



Shriners on ice. Left to right: Noble Gord Abbott, Ill. Sir Wayne Mayo and Ill. Sir Roger Tinkham



The Fez mobile
with patient Jack
Hart & family

Over the next 66 days you can follow the Odyssey by following our daily updates and video clips at:

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MAZOL

Shrine Centre -The Home for All Shriners in Newfoundland & Labrador



The Mazol Shrine Centre (MSC) management board, appointed by the Divan, has been very busy over the last several months developing a Marketing Plan for the centre, planning for and making major renovations to the banquet area as well as planning for the future renovations to the "Members Area".

These changes will benefit all Mazol Shriners in that we will have a better home for Mazol Temple, for the St. John's Shrine Club and the units or groups that use the centre. The Board has also made the Centre much more attractive for other functions such as weddings, training sessions, meetings and social events. Already we have seen a significant increase in bookings and enquires being received daily... This is a wonderful thing!!!

Initially we had ambitions that outstripped available funds so we scaled the work back to do only the essential pieces that fit the budget. Our budget for capital improvements is \$82,000.00 and at the time of writing we are projecting to be on or slightly below that amount upon completion. Noble Max

Downey and Lady Sylvia have managed this project and put in countless hours and have done a wonderful job. The next time you see them please thank them for their efforts.

Included in the budget are the following items:

- New ceiling tiles
- Replacement of old lighting with energy efficient system
- New flooring
- Painting throughout
- Renovated washrooms – male, female and Accessible
- Building of new enlarged coat room
- Installation of roof access window
- WIFI and internet
- Smart TV system
- Stone look back wall and electric fireplace and smart TV
- Improved security system.

The Bingo team, under the leadership of Nobles Ches Lambert and Albert Piercey, continue to work tirelessly. They should be recognized for their efforts. This work is vital to the continued operations of the Mazol

Shrine Centre and is always in need of extra support from the Nobility. If you find yourself free on a Wednesday evening, why not lend a helping hand.

Mr. Terry Walsh, Facilities Manager, has been hired to work half-time for the Mazol Shrine Centre. He can be contacted by calling 368-5459 or e-mail at shrinecentre@nf.aibn.com. His duties are to market the Centre, manage on-going contracts such as cleaning, snow removal, exterior and interior maintenance, etc. We have developed a computerized reservation system that became fully functional on April 1st and this system will prove to be a very valuable tool in managing. Please give Terry your cooperation so that we can achieve our common goal.

Noble Roger MacDonald, who was invaluable during the transition, has agreed to manage bar operations completely. This will enable us to achieve our goals of reducing the overall salary expenses.

Our objective when finished is to have a very functional centre that will serve the needs of ALL MAZOL SHRINERS into the foreseeable future. It will provide a revenue stream that will completely offset operating costs as well as provide for a Capital Improvement Fund. It will also ensure that the Centre is maintained to a professional quality that we all can be proud to call HOME.





SHRINER OF THE YEAR

Noble Hubert Hibbs *St. John's Shrine Club*



Ill. Sir Herman Walters presents Noble Hubert Hibbs with his Shriner of the Year Plaque

PERSONAL:

Hubert Hibbs was born on Bell Island in May of 1943 and currently resides in Mount Pearl, NL. Following his graduation from Jackson Memorial High School, he joined what was then called the Newfoundland Constabulary in 1964. In 1965, he married Marie Picco, also of Bell Island, with whom he had two children Joanne and Bonnie. He has four grandchildren Jessica, Cassie, Benjamin and Jenna. During his career, with the Newfoundland Constabulary, later to become the Royal Newfoundland Constabulary, he was Staff Sergeant in charge of police personnel in Provincial Court and a Prosecutor in Traffic Court. While with the Constabulary, he was instrumental in forming the first Royal Newfoundland Constabulary curling team and because of that was made an Honorary Life Member of the Canadian Police Curling Association in 1988. Hubert retired as a police officer in 1988

and succeeded in procuring a position with the Newfoundland and Labrador Liquor Corporation as Regional Field Supervisor, a position in held for 12 years.

MASONIC:

In 1988, Hubert became Brother Hubert following his initiation into St. George's Lodge, #6739 AF & AM of the Grand Lodge of England, later to become #15 on the role of the Grand Lodge of Newfoundland. Even though, he did not seek to become an Officer in St. Georges Lodge, he was one of its best supporters, regularly attending meetings and displaying his talents as a "cook" at many of their social functions and fundraisers.

Because of his cooking skills, and the fact that he was instrumental in preparing the "jigs dinner" meal at their annual Dinner & Auction, in 2010, Bro. Hibbs was made an Honorary Member of Lodge Tasker #454, S.C., District Grand Lodge of Newfoundland, Grand Lodge of Scotland.

SHRINE:

In 1997, Bro. Hubert became Noble Hubert when he joined Mazol Shriners of Newfoundland and Labrador. He is currently an active member of the St. John's Shrine Club where he contributes a significant amount of time and energy organizing and cooking most of the pre-meeting meals, Friday lunches as well as most fundraising "jigs dinners" and other requested meals both at the Club level and at the Temple level.

He has been a member of Mazol's Oriental Band since 1997 and continues to be one of its best drummers and supporters.

He has been a Potentate's Aide for Mazol for many years and was the Potentate's Chief Aide on three occasions, in 2006 with Ill. Sir John Brake, in 2008 with Ill. Sir John Hiscock and in 2010 with Ill. Sir Lorne Warren. He has always been available to assist whenever he can at Club meetings, Installations and Ceremonials

In 2011, Noble Hubert became a member of Mazol's Golf Tournament Committee. Besides attending the Committee meetings, Noble Hubert became predominately involved in the procurement of prizes for our annual tournament. He was also instrumental in securing several new hole sponsors and getting the corporate support of Labatt's Breweries of Newfoundland. On Tournament day, he was one of Mazol's Tournament administrators making sure that the Tournament ran smoothly. He will continue in that capacity in 2014.

COMMUNITY:

He is a member of the First United Church in Mount Pearl. He is currently Vice President of the Royal Newfoundland Constabulary Veterans Association, a position he has held for many years. He is the proud owner and driver of a Honda Touring 1500 Special Edition motor cycle that he is currently converting to a "three wheeler" to accommodate the wishes of his wife, Marie.

Noble Hubert Hibbs exemplifies what any Shrine Center or Club would want in a Shriner --- a tireless, dedicated worker who does not need to be asked for help but freely gives it

Why?

From time to time, we've all been told a story or experienced something during a special time in our Shrine journey that brought a tear (or several) to our eyes. It's not an uncommon thing. My Lady Olive and I even saw tears in the eyes of our Imperial Potentate III, Sir John Cinatto during a tour of our Canadian Hospital last year, and as our top Shriner, I know he won't mind me sharing that. As Shriners, why do we do the things that we do? "It's for the kids!" we answer, without missing a beat. And – it is.

But now and then, out of the blue, something happens that reminds us of why we do those things – and that's what we'd like to tell you about in this little corner to be published twice yearly in our Mazol magazine, "The Mirror." Just a short little story of your latest, or even your earliest, experience – the one that reminded you of why you are a Noble of the Mystic Shrine.

A little story just came into your head – I know it did. Jot it down and send it to me. You can email it to me or give me phone call and I will jot it down for you. It will then be put together in a format similar to Noble Bob Barrett's experience in this first edition of, "Why?."

Nobles and Ladies, I'd love to hear your story and write it up for you or with you for "Why?." So, please contact me, tell me why you do it and let's share those stories with the Nobility of Mazol and beyond.

Why Not?

Noble Doug Beattie
Long Range Shrine Club.



Why?

By Noble
Robert Barrett



One morning while in Florida, my Lady Jeannee and I, having been involved for many years with this ticket-selling group, decided to do something we had

never done before! We would visit a Shriner's children's hospital, more specifically the Tampa hospital, to see just what our philanthropy is all about.

We enjoyed a touching guided tour of the Hospital, and afterward, Jeanne went outside while I stayed back with our guides and chatted while making a donation to the cause.

When I finally left the building, I found that Jeanne was talking to a young lady who had a small boy in her arms. I walked over to where they were when another older lady came over to me and asked if I was a Shriner. I said that I was.....and she hugged me.....just for being a Shriner!

Then she told me of her grandson's journey as a Shrine Kid. She said he had problems with his legs....I can't remember the medical term – but she said that his legs had not been straight and turned severely outward so severely that his feet point at almost 90 degrees. We can only imagine the problems that caused for this little guy in his efforts to walk.

He had many surgeries and was fitted with a special leg brace which, combined with the surgeries straightened his legs

to what we laymen would describe as normal alignment.

The picture to the left is the mother with her son who had been talking to Jeanne outside the Hospital.

Nobles, when we spend countless hours sitting at tables selling tickets and sometimes wonder why we do these things – please remember my little story. It is true that what we do really does mean something to many, many children and those who love them all around the world. We are all touched by children – children that we may never know personally, but believe me, on that day, I learned that those children and their families certainly know what we do and they certainly appreciate the men who wear those funny red hats.

This was my toughest yet most satisfying moment as a Shrine-Mason.... and it showed!

My lovely lady looked at me and said, "Are you crying?"

"Nah!" I replied, "It's just sand in my eye!"

Yah.....right!

That's Why!

The Long Range Shrine Club

(Formerly the Corner Brook Shrine Club)

*Would like to take this opportunity to wish every
Noble, Lady and their families a
Safe and Happy Summer*



“GETTING A LEG UP” THE JACK HART STORY

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A few weeks ago I ran into a running buddy at the Ice Caps FanFest at Mile One Stadium. Joy Hart was there with her two sons, Matthew, 11, and Jack, eight. I had only met her boys a couple of times so I didn't notice anything different about either of them. A week later when I saw Joy again she told me that FanFest day was the first time Jack had walked without a walker or a wheelchair since last October. She recounted the journey her family has taken since June 2012 to get Jack back on his feet. Here's the story of a family who went to great lengths to ensure one member bounced back from a scary illness.

Just before school got out in 2012, Jack, who was then six years old, was noticeably limping. "His left foot was turning in... He said he didn't fall or anything... we brushed it off for a few days," says Joy. Then after spending a few days away from his mother, he came home on June 10, 2012 and the limp was much more pronounced. "We noticed a big difference in him," says Joy. "We took him to his family doctor (Jeff White) who sent us to the Janeway right away for an x-ray. We got a call to come see Dr. White on Tuesday afternoon and he told us that Jack had a rare condition called Perthes disease. We had never heard of it. It was all new and overwhelming."

Perthes is a form of juvenile arthritis characterized by interrupted blood flow to the hip causing the head of the femur to break down and intense inflammation of the hip joint. It's

not surprising that Joy or Jack's father, Chad Hart, had never heard of it. It is a rare disease affecting approximately one in 1,200 children, the overwhelming majority of whom are boys. After Jack's diagnosis things were a bit of a blur for Jack and his family. The following week Jack saw orthopaedic surgeon, Dr. Robert Deane at the Janeway. "Jack went from playing hockey, soccer, baseball, riding his bike to zero activity except for swimming and physio at the Janeway three times a week," Joy says. "This went on for the summer and we were told that basically there was nothing the Janeway could do for Jack... except physio."

Disheartened Jack's parents asked for a second opinion and Dr. Deane suggested the **Shriners**, who operate hospitals for children, might be able to help. He wrote a letter to the **Shriners** explaining Jack's condition on Aug 20, 2012. Joy also got in touch with a friend of her parents whose son is a Janeway and Shriners' patient and they gave her a contact name to call. "Within a week, I had a meeting with Shriner **Noble Sid Dyke** and he sent off an application for Jack to be seen to the **Shriners Hospital in**

Montreal. I got a copy of Jack's letter from Dr. Deane and his x-rays and sent those off as well."

In early November 2012 the **Shriners** notified the family that Jack could be seen at the **Shriners' Hospital in Montreal** and on **January 9, 2013** for his first visit. Joy and Chad decided Joy would go to the initial appointment and then they would take turns. That way one of them could stay home and take care of Matthew and also work. After the initial appointment, a three-hour assessment, Jack came home to St. John's with a traction kit to use every night when he went to bed.

"We'd wrap his legs in bandages, and then attached them to a bar with a weight that would hold the legs and bar in place to keep them apart," says Joy. "He used this for ten months from January until his surgery in October, 2013."

During this period Jack would have weeks of non-stop pain, followed by minimal pain and then no pain at all. Then the cycle would repeat itself. Jack had two more visits to the Shriners' Hospital in Montreal in April 2013 and then July 2013. "At the July appointment we were told that Jack needed hip surgery to give him a better range



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of motion and that we really had to crack down on his exercises and get his range better so they could perform the surgery...there were many tears getting ready for surgery. Janeway physiotherapists Susan Baird and Melanie Newman have been with Jack since day one, and really helped us get ready for his surgery."

Then came the big day in October.

"Jack and his dad went to Montreal a few days before the surgery to just chill. They got to see the Montreal Canadiens play against the Nashville Predators (and) Jack got to ride the Zamboni at the Bell Centre...he was so excited over that." On October 21, the day before the surgery, Joy joined Chad to settle Jack in his hospital room and get him ready for the next morning. Jack's surgery involved a bone graft. Dr. Reggie Hamdy, the specialist at the Shriners Hospital, added extra bone to the top of Jack's hip joint. Jack had to stay in a hip spica cast for eight weeks. On one leg the spica cast went to the ankle; on the other to the knee. A bar between the legs kept his hips apart. During that time Jack could hardly move. He stayed at the Shriners hospital 10 days before heading home. "The nurses and doctors at the Shriners are unbelievable people," says Joy. "They were so patient and kind and helpful. I can't give them enough credit."

Chad also arranged a special visit with Montreal Canadiens right winger, George Parros, who drew a picture of his trademark mustache on Jack's cast and wrote: "To my man, Jack. Heal up. Be tough." That meant a lot to Jack who was an avid hockey player before Perthes entered his life.

After ten days Chad, Joy and Jack were flown home by medevac. Their journey was far from over however. Because Jack was immobile, he had to stay in a hospital bed in the living room for six weeks. "The hardest thing," says Jack, "was trying to get through the house on the bed." Every evening the family would push Jack in his large hospital bed from the living room to the hall so he could be close to his brother's room. Evidence of these bed trips is visible on the furniture. "Matthew was very supportive and wanted to stay close to Jack," says Joy, adding that he pushed his own bed close to the door of his room so they could be next to each other at night. The boys seemed to have become even closer as a result of Jack's illness. Their favourite pastime according to Matthew was playing NHL 2014 on Xbox.

Matthew and his parents weren't the only ones who showed support during the difficult months of October, November and December.



While in hospital Jack had visits from his uncle and aunt and their families who live in Toronto. "That was a huge distraction for Jack for the first few days after surgery," says Joy.

Here in St. John's Joy's partner Anthony opened his home to a constant stream of visitors. For this the family is particularly grateful. Both grandmothers, Nanny Georgina and Nanny B (Bernadette), took turns keeping Jack entertained and making sure he didn't fall behind in school. Jack's teacher, Cindy Sharpe, also came to see him weekly to keep him up to speed on his school work. And then on November 20, 2013 Jack's entire Grade 3 class at Paradise Elementary rented a school bus and came to visit him. They were thrilled to see their classmate and even made a book each filling out a page about why they think Jack is a star. "We couldn't have gotten through all of this without the help of our families, employers, and friends," says Joy. "We made the best of the situation, and tried our best to have fun in the process."

Things weren't all fun and games however. "We went back to Shriners on December 1, 2013 for Jack to get the cast off, and intensive physio," says Joy. No one in the family had realized that Jack wouldn't be able to bear any weight on his legs for another six weeks after the cast came off. That, of course, meant a wheelchair. The family hadn't been expecting that Jack would be in a wheelchair when he came home. Like everything else however, they made the best of it by renting a reclining wheelchair so they could get Jack outside for walks in the fresh, not to mention, bitterly cold winter air. In January x-rays at the Janeway showed the hip was healing well enough

that Jack could put some weight on his legs. That meant he would not have to use the wheelchair exclusively. He could use a walker too. He could finally go back to school. "On Feb 14, Jack was told he could flick away that walker, and start walking," says Joy. "He was sooooo proud." "I didn't have to be stuck in a cast; I could move my legs; I could actually walk around without a walker stuck to my side," Jack tells me, sitting on his kitchen counter wiggling his toes like a leprechaun. Jack is still not allowed to run and uses a stationary exercise bike, swims and does his daily strengthening exercises. "I can't play hockey or baseball until I'm allowed to jump and run," says Jack, who is stockier than he was a year ago due to the decrease in activity. Hopefully in April when he goes to the Janeway for another x-ray he'll get good news. Then in June once school is out he will fly to Montreal to see Dr. Hamdy.

"This whole experience has been a wakeup call to appreciate what we have," says Joy. "There are so many other kids out there who are going through much worse. To the Shriners I'd like to say thank you for giving Jack a chance for a better quality of life. We are so grateful." Whatever (challenges lie ahead) we'll all get through them," she adds. "Jack is a brave little trooper." And what would Jack say to another boy like him who discovers he has Perthes.

**"Go to the Shriners," he says.
"They'll fix it."**



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MONTREAL HOSPITAL Report

The first quarter of 2014 has been extremely productive on the construction site for the new Shriners Hospitals for Children-Canada. While extreme cold weather slowed down the concrete pours in December and January, the team began the mechanical, electrical and plumbing work inside the structure in the two basement levels and the ground floor which were heated.

The concrete structure of the building was completed on February 28th, including the ``penthouse`` which is a utilities room on the roof of the sixth floor. As



the structure rose and the concrete cured, formwork from the lower levels was removed; workers began enclosing the lower level floors as well as installing the window frames.

In mid-March, the concrete structure for the tunnel linking our hospital entrance within the McGill University Health Centre patient and family parking to our hospital was also poured. As soon as the ground thaws, the entire perimeter of the hospital will be backfilled.

April 8, 2014 marks the one year anniversary of the beginning of



construction. At that time 30% of the construction project will be completed. We continue to be on budget and cold, ice and snow considered, on time. We have begun planning for an August 2015 dedication and patient move in the fall of 2015.



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MacLeod has big plans after honour, that Shriners helped realize



Alyssa MacLeod, right, of Boularderie, poses for a photo with friend Megan Howatson of Sydney Mines after MacLeod was crowned Miss Canada International 2014, by the Shriners Hospitals for Children, in Sydney on Thursday. (STEVE WADDEN)

Alyssa MacLeod has been around doctors so often, she wants to be one. Thanks to the Shriners, she says, that dream is possible. The 23-year-old from Boularderie, Victoria County, was crowned Miss Canada International on Thursday after being nominated by the Shriners, who paid for her and a parent to travel to the Shriners Hospital for Children in Montreal for surgeries to help her walk. MacLeod was diagnosed with what she called a mild case of cerebral palsy when she was six months old. She couldn't crawl and, as she grew, had difficulty walking. "The Shriners are incredible," MacLeod said shortly after being surprised with the national crown. "I wouldn't be here today if it wasn't for them. Without the Shriners, I wouldn't be walking."

The Miss Canada International competition used to be a pageant, but organizer Richard Schell said he has turned it into a scholarship competition that encourages young women to develop a platform on a public issue and work with their community. Last year's winner chose anti-bullying as her platform, said Schell. MacLeod's is The Power of Perseverance: Encouraging Children with Disabilities to Reach Their Dreams.

As Miss Canada International, she'll travel across the country and tell her story, providing

encouragement for others. "She'll attend events like the Grey Cup, she'll visit a lot of nursing homes," said Schell. "She'll probably meet the premier of every province. She may meet the prime minister."

MacLeod went to Montreal for surgeries in 1994, 2000, 2006 and 2007. During one of the surgeries, doctors opened up her spine and worked on the nerves. The other surgeries were on her feet. She still has some problems with balance but does not use a walking aid and, she said, simply has to be careful when she's stepping off a curb or walking through crowds.

MacLeod, who just graduated from Cape Breton University with a bachelor of science in biology and a bachelor of arts in French, said she intends to fulfil her duties as Miss Canada International and then resume her studies with the intention of going to medical school.

Once she becomes a doctor, MacLeod said she would love to work with patients at the Shriners hospital in Montreal, "because I've been there and I know what it's like and where they can be." "You have to see past the wheelchairs and the walkers to see who they are. The wheelchairs and walkers don't define them," MacLeod said while she has had some days when her spirits were low, she has always tried to maintain a positive

attitude. "I don't see myself as having a disability," she said. "My parents had a big influence on me. They didn't treat me as if I had CP. They just treated me like anybody else." MacLeod's mother, Darlene, said it was sometimes difficult having a child who needed so much medical care and having another daughter as well, but she and her husband Richard did what they had to do. And she said Alyssa's positive attitude helped. "I knew she was special ... and she's very determined, so if she wants something, I knew she'd go get it." Shane MacFarlane of Baddeck, past potentate of the Philae Shriners, said when a child becomes a Shriner child, all their medical costs are paid. Darlene said she couldn't say enough good things about the Shriners. "If it wasn't for the Shriners, that lady wouldn't be the person she is today. As soon as you know you're a Shriner child, you're in good hands."

Shriners are now on a cross-Canada tour called the Exceptional Care Odyssey to raise awareness of a new \$130-million hospital being built in Montreal. It's slated to open in the fall of 2015. They'll also be visiting patients who have benefited from the Montreal hospital. Halifax Mayor Mike Savage will greet the tour Friday at noon at Grand Parade to celebrate Shriners International Day.

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Officers & Directors for 2014

Greetings from the Phillips Central Shrine Club. As I write this I am looking out my window and seeing snow flurries. Snow flurries in May!! Will this winter ever end? I guess sooner or later spring and/or summer will show up.

Our TV Bingo, which operates in conjunction with the Kinsmen Club of Bridgeport and Area is continuing to do well. The first picture is of Noble Kevin Manuel presenting a check for \$2,909.00 to Mr. Fred Decker, who won the Jackpot on November 21, 2013.

Our next big occasion was our Christmas dinner. It was held at the Brittany Inns and was well attended by our Nobles and their Ladies and

was enjoyed by all.

During our January meeting the Officers and Directors of Phillips Central Shrine Club were Installed by Ill. Sir Robert Woolfrey, PP. At this meeting it was decided that a check for \$5,000.00 be presented at



Noble Kevin Manuel presenting Jackpot cheque to Mr. Fred Decker Nov. 21, 2013

the Annual meeting of Mazol Shriners.

February saw our Nobles and their Ladies celebrating St. Valentines Day by enjoying a delicious meal at the lodge rooms.

That's all for now.

NOBLE PETER SCEVIOUR



President, Noble Jeff Manuel presenting roses to our Ladies present at our February meeting



Noble & Ladies at our 2013 Christmas dinner



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ORIENTAL BAND

Report

The Oriental Band made a number of changes over this past season. Our Director, Noble David Bartlett was elected to the Council in Portugal Cove-St. Phillips. Our Band practices were rescheduled a few times, but we have found a way to accommodate his meetings with his Council. Rather than meet for practice every Tuesday we now practice every second Tuesday. This is working well.

In the photograph below, taken by Noble Sidney Dyke you will see your Band at practice. Not only does

Noble David encourage us to play better he also makes the practice a lot of fun. That is the key, having fun while working for our great Cause, Shriners Hospital for Children and our Patient Transportation Fund.

The Band's greatest Fundraiser is our Flipper Dinner. Noble Hubert and his cooking team received many compliments from our many guests and friends. You can see from the photograph (right) some of the very large number who attended. Speaking of our Chef, Noble Hubert, he was presented

with the Shriner of the Year plaque at the May meeting of the St. John's Shrine Club. The Band is very proud that one of our members was chosen to receive this high accolade from our Fraternity.



Band practicing



Our Band is in rehearsal mode for the upcoming Summer Ceremonial. We look forward to seeing many of our Shrine friends as we support our great Cause and our Ill. Potentate III. Sir Wayne Mayo.

The Band is welcoming new members. Can you play a drum? Can you play a recorded? Welcome to the Band. Having fun together, that is what we are about.

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A Safe and Happy Summer*

TRINITY CONCEPTION

Shrine Club



2014 executive being installed by Potentate, Ill. Sir Den Billard & Past Potentates, Ill. Sir Bery Avery and Fred Snow



Ladies on the phones at the TV Auction



Nobles Boyd Vivian and Eli Bryant getting the carts ready for the Santa Claus parade

Greetings and best wishes once again from the Nobles and Ladies of the Trinity-Conception Shrine Club, taking in all of Conception and Trinity Bays. For over 30 years our club has functioned efficiently and effectively, with all kinds of credit to the nobles, officers and directors who nurtured it along. Although the Black Camel has claimed many of our devoted members over recent years, we are still a very busy and vibrant club. In December past, we were saddened to lose a long-time club member, Noble Vic Simms. Noble Vic served the club as President in 1995, as well as holding other offices after joining the Shrine. Noble Vic was

also a member of the Mazol Patrol unit. He will be missed.

Monthly club meetings have been held during the past year at Lodge Carbonear. We have also held dinner meetings at Heart's Content and Bay Roberts with our ladies in attendance. These meetings were followed by entertainment, card games, etc. and have proved very effective in increasing attendance at monthly meetings.

At our February meeting, several members of the Mazol Patrol Unit joined us for a meal, and in the process, picked up three new members for the unit. Congratulations to the three new patrol members - Nobles Laurence Pike, Fred

Baldwin and George Warford.

Fund-raising this past year again has been very successful, enabling us to pay our commitment to the Patient Transportation fund, as we have in past years. From June to December we ran our weekly TV Bingo fund-raiser on Eastlink Cable. This past year we broadcasted the event each week from the Bay Arena in Bay Roberts. During the remainder of the year (January to May), the local Minor Hockey Association takes over, and we find it to be a great arrangement for all concerned. Our involvement in weekly bingo actually started at Bryant's Club in Islington in 1990, and when local cable became



Auction staff - Nobles Warford, Mercer, Jenkins, Stanford, Smith & Smith



Noble Randall Crane caught helping himself to the flippers



Nobles Graham & Lawrence in the St. Patrick's Day parade in Hr. Grace



Flipper Dinner meeting at Hearts Content meeting



Nobles & Ladies enjoy the meal at our 2014 Installation Ceremony



Nobles Laurence Pike & Wilson Peddle on the air at the TV Auction



Nobles Osbourne, Baldwin, Pike and Lang helping out at the McDonald's McHappy Days in aid of Ronald McDonald House



Nobles Warford, Mercer, Jenkins, Stanford, Smith & Smith helping at the TV Auction



Ronald McDonald

available, we switched to the TV show. Many thanks to all club members who take part in this event. Many of the Ladies in the club offer their assistance in this project each Wednesday night "on the phones", and we would not be able to have this fund-raiser without them.

Early in November, the club held its annual TV Auction, also on Eastlink Cable. This event combines the activities of collecting donations of merchandise, gift certificates or cash from local businesses and organizations all over the coverage area. The merchandise and gift certificates are then auctioned off over two evenings on TV, usually between 7:00 pm and 10:00 pm. Thanks to Noble Laurence Pike and Lady Helen who organized and ran the event this year very successfully. Financially and socially it was a great success.

Another event which is eagerly awaited by concert goers each year in September is our Gospel Concert. Tickets go on sale late in August and by concert time it's usually a sell-out! The event is held at the 400-seat Sheila Nageira Theatre in Carbonear, and

features gospel music by top quality entertainers from the Trinity-Conception area. Last year's event was chaired by Noble Rex Cotter, PDGM, who organized the event. The theatre is already booked this year for a date in September.

This year our nobles sold Fezeroo tickets individually, and some of our ladies and nobles sold tickets at the TC Square Mall. In October, several of our Nobles made an on-air presentation of \$500 to the Trinity-Conception-Placentia Health Foundation, as part of their annual telethon on Eastlink TV, and also manned the phones for an hour.

Last year, we purchased two golf carts from a local golf course. Several of our nobles fitted the carts for parades, and we managed to obtain sponsors who have advertisements displayed on the carts. This past Christmas, we participated in several Santa Claus parades in the Trinity-Conception area with the carts, and they were a great hit! We also used the carts in the annual St. Paddy's Day parade in Harbour Grace.

We still have a couple of patients on

our list who regularly visit the Montreal hospital, and well as the outreach centre. Our Patient Chairman this year is Noble George Warford.

In the latter part of November 2013, our Potentate, Ill. Sir Den Billard and Lady Carol, along with members of the Divan made their official visit to the club. During their visit, Ill. Sir Den and the Divan installed the 2014 Executive.

Members of the 2014 Club executive are as follows:

President

- Noble Howard Smith

Vice President

- Noble Rex Cotter

Secretary

- Noble Laurence Pike

Treasurer

- Noble George Warford

Directors

- Noble Harold Stanford
- Noble Graham Osbourne
- Noble Fred Baldwin
- Noble Vic Jenkins

Past President

- Noble Boyd Vivian



Nobles Vivian, Peddle, Cotter & Bryant helping out at McHappy Days



Nobles Vivian, Peddle, Cotter & Bryant helping out at McHappy Days

Many of our nobles remain active in other units, such as the RV Unit, Arab Patrol and Ceremonial Divan.

On behalf of the nobles and ladies of the Trinity-Conception Shrine Club, I wish a safe and happy spring and summer to one and all.

Yours in the Faith
NOBLE HAROLD LAING

CLARENVILLE BONA VISTA

Report



In December our club held a breakfast with Santa for our Shriner children and their parents prior to the annual Clarenville Santa Claus Parade. Everyone enjoyed the event especially when Santa arrived. After breakfast was completed everyone departed to take in the parade. This year as in past years, Nobles with their mini cars took

part in the parade. This year some of the Nobles joined our Brothers with the Masonic float.

A great time was had by all, and the mini cars were a big hit with spectators along the parade route.

On May 9, we had the pleasure of hosting our potentate Ill Sir Wayne and Lady Gail along with the divan at

their annual visit to our club. A great evening of fellowship was had by all in attendance.

On behalf of President Noble Avery and the members of our club, I would like to wish everyone a very safe and happy summer.

NOBLE GILFORD ELFORD



*Wishing Everyone a
Safe and Happy Summer*

Clarenville/Bonavista Shrine Club

LADIES OF THE SABRE

Report



Lady Helen presenting a \$10,000 cheque to Ill. Sir Wayne to support the Montreal Hospital



Lady Olice, Lady Wanda, Lady Helen, Lady Gail & Lady Sharon Rose with Ill Sir Wayne

2014 has indeed been a busy year to date for the **Ladies of the Sabre**. In February of this year I had the privilege of being elected president of the most wonderful group of hard working shrine ladies anyone would be proud to work with. Since that time we have held monthly meetings of our executive and membership. We have accomplished a lot. For example, we revised our bylaws, held our annual Easter Tea and Card & Dessert Party fundraisers. They were very successful. We donated \$10,000 to the Montreal Hospital Research Chair. We went to Burin and presented the cheque to our Potentate, Illustrious Sir Wayne Mayo at the Mazol Temple April stated meeting.... a very proud moment for me. **Way to go ladies!** We presented \$1000.00 to our newly elected President of St. John's Shrine Club, Noble Gerry Boyles, to help

with restarting the club. We have also just designed a new scarf for all of us to wear at the various Shrine events. Hats off to Lady Pat Tinkham for all her assistance in helping us accomplish this. We hope to be able to make this a fundraiser for our unit going forward, so all you ladies out there, watch for the details on these scarves, you will love them.

I would like to congratulate Noble Paul Rose and Lady Sharon on Paul's election as Oriental Guide. I'm sure they will be a great addition to the Divan.

Ill. Sir Roger Tinkham, Past Potentate, gave a presentation to the membership at our May meeting, highlighting our new Montreal hospital. He also presented a video of a young man's journey and treatment from his birth to today. It was a moving tribute to the dedication and capabilities of our hospital medical staff

and the efforts of our shrine organization. Everyone in attendance enjoyed the presentation.

We are very proud of Lady Wanda Butler who was responsible for making headrest covers of Newfoundland Tartan with Mazol written on them for the Odyssey car travelling across Canada.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the ladies for their patience, cooperation and kindness shown to me as their new president. It is gratefully accepted and appreciated.

In closing, I would like to wish all Ladies, Nobles and friends a very warm, safe, and happy summer, particularly our Ladies who cannot come to our meetings. We are thinking of you.

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A Safe and Happy Summer
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KEYSTONE KOPS Report



The first half of 2013 was an active and successful one for the Keystone Kops. We finished the year by participating in three parades; St. John's, Mount Pearl and Portugal Cove-St. Phillip's. As always we were a hit with the children. Many people say that the Kops are the main attraction of every parade we participate in. We certainly have the largest contingent.

Our parade equipment consists of 2 large cargo trailers, 1 jail trailer, 3 Austin mini cars (including the double-ender), 1 model-T (the "tin Lizzy"), 3 go-carts, 1 mini jeep, 4 mini motorcycles, 1 larger motorcycle and a "dune buggy".

Our vehicles are in a good state of repair. Noble Roger Hubley agreed to undertake the work of repairing and maintaining vehicles on a one by one basis by bringing them to his garage and working on them as time permits. Several vehicles are currently being worked on and we anticipate they will be in



Ill. Sir Lorne, Ill Sir Bill and Noble Brandon on Duckworth Street

participation at our May 12th meeting however we do expect to have a presence in the parade.

Our major annual fund raising event is the Christmas quilt raffle and the 2013 raffle resulted in a net profit of \$4,005.55 which was our second best year ever. All tickets were sold at the Canadian Tire store on Merchant Drive in Mount Pearl. We ended the year with \$9,842.84 in the bank.

A social event for all Kops and their partners was held at the home of Director Allan on Dec. 1 and was well attended.

We have been providing a Colour Party for the Potentate's installation over the past number of years. However with so many Kops travelling and down south at that time of the year there was not enough available to provide the necessary manpower so we have withdrawn from this activity.

The Kops committed in 2012 to staff bingo on the third Wednesday of the month however participation by members decreased to the point where we have not been able to fulfill our commitment. We decided to inform the bingo committee that we can't honour the commitment going forward however

we will encourage members to help if possible.

A unit uniform policy has been approved as follows:

- A 3 in 1 dark blue nylon jacket with shell and fleece liner as presented by Noble Dave Tucker. It shall be embroidered with logo on left breast, members name on right breast and shoulder flash on both shoulders.
- To supplement the jacket and to complete our uniform, each Kop will be responsible for purchasing his own blue pants, blue shirt and black tie.



Keystone Kops car trailer

We have decided against having monthly meetings in favour of quarterly scheduled meetings with special meetings called as required. The unit is very robust with 30 members on the rolls of which a core of 19 members participate in most meetings and events.

By the time you read this you will hopefully be enjoying warm weather and looking forward to a busy summer of fun activities. All Keystone Kops and their Ladies take this opportunity to wish everyone a safe, happy and "hot" summer.

NOBLE DWIGHT NOSEWORTHY
Secretary, Keystone Kops



Prisoner Noble Glen & guard Noble Mike

working order by summer. Our next meeting has been scheduled Monday May 12 and we will use the occasion to test our vehicles and do minor maintenance - weather permitting.

The summer ceremonial is scheduled for July 18 and 19 in Marystown. We will make a final decision on our



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GANDER Shrine Club



Just before Christmas Gander Shriners Club decided to be Santa Claus and make a few donations to various Organizations and Groups within the area. We visited James Paton Memorial Hospital and made a \$10,000.00 donation for equipment needed within the Hospital.



L-R Front row: Michelle Whiteway, Noble Ralph Miller; back row: Daphne Edwards, Wanda Shave, Noble Everett Green, Joelle Hewlett, Joanne Parsons, Dr. M Woolridge.

We then made a presentation of \$10,000 to H R Duffett Shriners Memorial Park in Eastport for special project on the Recreation Centre.



Noble Eric Murray, Noble Everett Green, Noble Ralph Miller.

Gander Shrine club also made a donation of \$1,000.00 to Gander Academy for the Kids Eat Smart Program.



Noble Eric Murray, Principal Duane Smith, Noble Everett Green.

Gander Shrine Club also made a donation of \$5000 to the new children's hospital being built in Montreal.



Noble Ev Green presenting cheque to Ill. Sir Den Billard

Gander Shrine Club also presented a cheque of \$10,000 towards the on going maintenance of the H.W. Duffett Shriners Park in Eastport.



Noble Ev Green presenting the cheque to Ill. Sir Den Billard

On February 12th the Shriners combined with the Gander Special Olympics to cook 400 moose burgers which they sold for a fundraiser for the athletes. The Shriners also made a \$500.00 donation to the Special Olympics to cover the cost of the supplies.

On February 14th we held our annual Valentines/Ladies Night dinner and dance at the Lodge. Noble Wilson Hoffe supplied

the music and a wonderful prime rib dinner with all the trimmings was served by Eugene Broderick. Everyone enjoyed the evening.

On February 26th we held a Flipper Dinner at the Lodge. 165 flippers were prepared and tickets sold. A large number of Shriners helped out with this function as well as a couple of our Ladies. Hats off to all who helped make this a great success for our Club.

On May 8th the Central North East Health Foundation held a Mothers Day Radiothon to raise funds to purchase a new Orthopaedic Operating Table for James Peyton Memorial Hospital. Five Nobles and Ladies manned the phones from 10:00 to 11:00 AM and took pledges as they came in. Following this a number of our Nobles and Ladies assembled in the concourse of the Hospital and presented a \$5000.00 cheque to Ms. Raylene White of JPMH.



On June 21st we will have our official visit from our Potentate, ILL Sir Wayne Mayo at the Lodge. A wonderful evening is anticipated for Gander Shrine Club.

I trust everyone will have a safe and happy summer.

Respectfully submitted,
NOBLE ERIC MURRAY
President, Gander Shrine Club

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BOOT Shrine Club



Once again, Fraternal Greetings from the southern most oasis in the Newfoundland and Labrador Shrine Family. It is always a pleasure to give you a small glimpse of the activity of our small caravan this past Fall and Winter, as we strive to carry out Shrinedom's great philanthropic mandate with vigor, enthusiasm, dedication and zeal.

Christmas Ticket Draw



(L-R) Wor. Brother Winston Grandy, Noble Frank Dolimount and Lady Georgie win Christmas Draw

Prior to the Christmas Season, a local Burin resident (Myrtle Kelly) presented our Club with a beautiful Homemade Quilt, for us to sell on tickets, as her way to assist us in our fundraising. In addition to the quilt, Lady Heather Higgins, wife of Noble Gary Higgins, donated a set of floor model Christmas Ornaments to make the prize extra special. The draw was made on December 23rd on CHCM Radio, and the lucky winners were Worshipful Brother Winston Grandy and his good wife Georgie of Grand Bank. Noble Frank Dolimount agreed to present the prize to the lucky couple on behalf of the Club. At the end of the day, \$921.00 was realized from this ticket draw. It was then agreed that we would round this amount up to \$1000.00 and donated it to the Research Chair at our New Shriners Hospital being built in Montreal.

Passing of the Gavel

Just prior to the Installation of the new Potentate, Boot Nobles were called to the Ballot Box to select from amongst the rank, that Noble who would lead them through 2014. Once nominations ceased, there stood just one name for this most important office, and so, outgoing President Noble Harold Matthews (L) passed the gavel over to incoming President Noble Gary Higgins.

***BOOT SUMMER CEREMONIAL – THIS SEGMENT IS INCLUDED AS AN INSERT TO THIS PUBLICATION**

Chief Rabban's Night



Nobles Paul Pike (L) and Gord Abbott, at Costco, checking their list, and checking it twice

In keeping with tradition, this function is always held at the Temple Building on Topsail Road. As hosts for this year's Chief Rabban's Night, Boot Nobles wanted ev-

erything for this Meet & Greet function to be enjoyed by all, and in the usual fashion prepared a buffet table with countless finger foods both hot and cold, as well as desserts for those with a sweet tooth. This was also a time of fellowship, where old friends got reacquainted and chatted about old times, while other casually chatted around the room.



Phillips Central Shrine Club

Greetings from the Nobles and Ladies of Phillips Central Shrine Club. We wish members of the Newfoundland and Labrador Shrine Family a Safe and Happy Summer. Remember, if you are a visiting Shriner to the Lewisporte area please contact one of our nobles. Cecila at Temple Office will provide a listing of our membership.

This year, our Chief Rabban Noble Wayne Mayo and Lady Gail wanted to do something a little different from the norm, and so arranged to have a local stand-up entertainer provide some entertainment. Mr. Colin Hollett a former resident of Burin, and who Lady Gail taught in elementary school.



Colin Hollett with Ill Sir Wayne & Lady Gail

Potentate's Installation – Color Party / Honor Guard



(L-R) Nobles Paul Vokey, Merle Darby, Harold Matthews, Ralph Mayo, Wilson Piercey, Lloyd Mayo Ill Sir Wayne Mayo – Center

This year's Installation seen Boot Nobles once again forming the Color Party / Honor Guard for the Potentate's Installation Ceremonies, as they did for Ill Sir Gordon Hickman in 1999, and carried out their duties with great decorum.

Potentate's Installation – Mazol Patrol

As a member of the Mazol Patrol, Noble Gary Higgins was indeed very proud to be able to serve in this capacity and escort Ill Sir Wayne and members of his family into the Ceremonial Chamber, as well as having the privilege to present Ill Sir Wayne to the Ceremonial Potentate for installation.



Photo 13 (L-R) – Gillian Mayo, Ill Sir Wayne, Noble Gary and Lady Gail

Honorary Membership

As it states in the By-Laws of the Boot Shrine Club, the club is made up of both regular and "honorary" membership. Over the years, we haven't had a great number of Honorary Members, with most of them having laid down their working tools. At present we only have two who share this rank. The first of these is Ill Sir Douglas Waterfield PP, who was Potentate of the Day, when our Club was chartered. The second has only been such but for a short while. Over the past twenty-five plus years of our being a Shrine Club we have had the support of many of our Potentates, but none as loyal as Ill Sir Robert Stead, and so in January of 2014 Ill Sir Bob was presented with his Honorary Membership Certificate and Dues Card.



Ill Sir Wayne Mayo, Ill Sir Robert Stead PP and Noble Gary Higgins, Boot President

Donor Relations

This year during the Potentate's Installation the Boot stood behind the Donor Relations Program by donating \$2200.00 to the \$100 Million Club, with money going directly to our Montreal Hospital to be used for patient care and treatment. Certificates have been presented to various people within our community who have

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assisted us in our endeavors. In saying this, we want to note that over the past few years, Keyin College has been very supportive, and by doing so, have earned a number of our certificates.



Noble Gary Higgins seen here with a number of proud students at Keyin College in Fortune

Shave For the Brave

This past winter Noble Gary Higgins was helping support the efforts of a number of his students in the "shave for the brave" campaign, and thus agreed to have his head shaved. The challenge was taken a step further when the members of Hiram Lodge in Burin paid him to shave his beard as well, and in the name of charity, Noble Higgins shed his grey locks.



Noble Edgar Fancey presents Noble Gary Higgins with his new yellow toque.

Supporting Community

During the fall of 2013 the Town of Grand Bank formed a committee to undertake the project to develop a Community Park for residents of the town, especially for children. A request was received by all local groups, individuals and organizations to offer support by donating funds or various items needed such as planting of trees, park benches, recycling containers etc. After some thought and investigation, our Club agreed that we would donate a new park bench to the Grand Bank Community Park, in memory of our Deceased Nobles.



Nobles Woody Hickman (L) and Frank Dolimount present \$1500.00 to Mr. Tom Burton of the Grand Bank Community Park Committee.

In Memoriam

Sadly our small caravan was visited this past spring by the Black Camel, and Noble Jerry Appleby laid down his working tools. Noble Jerry was one of those first seventeen Masons who joined the Shrine in 1986, and became a Founding Member of what is often referred to as "the best little Shrine Club in Canada", and no one was more proud of that statement than Noble Jerry. Noble Jerry served in various capacities down through the years, and twice as Club President in 1995 and again in 2009, and from 2010 through March

2014 he served as Treasurer.

Noble Jerry thoroughly enjoyed the work he did as a Shriner, he was committed to the task, and he will be sadly missed. **"Rest eternal grant unto him O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon him". – So Mote It Be.**



Quarterly Stated Meeting

In efforts to keep the quarterly Stated Meeting rotating as opposed to it being dormant inside the St. John's overpass, Ill Sir Wayne decided to hold his spring Quarterly Stated Meeting at his Mother Lodge, Hiram Lodge No. 3 in Burin. As far as quarterly meetings go, there were a number of regular faces absent due to the "down south virus, which caused a rash of vacation schedules. But there was more than enough present to conduct the business of Mazol, and so Ill Sir Wayne pressed on, and was delighted to have an application for membership read from a local Burin Peninsula resident from Marystown. All in all, it was indeed a meeting of both profit and pleasure.



**WISHING NOBLES & LADIES A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE SUMMER
AND LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AT THE
SUMMER CEREMONIAL**

**FROM THE MEMBERS OF THE
BOOT SHRINE RIDERS MINI CAR UNIT**



On Wednesday May 7th, Boot Nobles donned their fezzes and rolled up their sleeves, to participate in the annual McHappy Day at the Marystown McDonalds store, owned and operated by Mr. Keith Roberts and Ms. Jenny McCarthy. The Nobles worked both drove-thru windows, fries station and also (burned) toasted the burger buns. The benefits of this event were two-fold, in that it allowed us to lend a helping hand to another great charity – namely Ronald McDonald House, and it afforded us an opportunity for our Red Fez to be a little more visible in the local community. For the Nobles who participated, it gave us a better appreciation for the workers who do this job on a daily basis.



Ill Sir Wayne conducts business from the east of his Mother Lodge

McHappy Day



(L-R) Nobles Merle Darby, Wilson Piercey, Paul Pike and store owner Ms. Jenny McCarthy

Potentate's Official Visit



(L) Odyssey Support Vehicle and Odyssey Vehicle

On Saturday, May 10th, 2014, Ill Sir Wayne Mayo and Lady Gail made their Official Visitation to their Mother Club, on the Burin Peninsula – better known as The Boot. As Ill Sir Wayne likes to “make an entrance” so to speak, he did exactly that when he rolled up in the Odyssey Support Vehicle, which will accompany our Montreal Hospital's Exceptional Care Odyssey across the Province on May 16 – 22, 2014. This support vehicle was provided to us courtesy of Hickman Motors, and we thank Noble Kevin Butt for making this possible.



Ill Sir Wayne Mayo, Noble Gary Higgins, and Lady Gail

As is the custom since Noble Gary Higgins became a member of the Mazol Patrol, he always wears his full dress for functions such as this, to add an extra flare of color to the festivities; and for that we thank him.

As we began our traditional Surf & Turf Buffet Banquet, our Illustrious Potentate and Mazol's First Lady, Lady Gail, were escorted into the banquet room by Noble Gary Higgins, and they were seated at the Head Table as per protocol. The Divan Members who traveled with them this weekend were – Chief Rabban Noble Doug Beattie and Lady Olive, Assistant Rabban Noble Elmer Ryzuk and Lady



**WISHING ONE AND ALL A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE SUMMER
FROM THE NOBLES & LADIES
OF THE
BOOT SHRINE CLUB**



Margaret and Mazol's Treasurer Noble Michael Bruce and Lady Vyvyenne.

As we do prior to any meal on the Boot, we give God thanks for the many blessings bestowed unto us, and this function was no different. Once the Head Table were seated, Club Chaplain Noble Wilson Piercey came forward and offered a blessing over the meal which was prepared for us, and asked God's blessing on all the many children who enter the doors of our 22 Shriners Hospitals.



(L-R) Noble Gary Higgins and Noble Wilson Piercey

Following the invocation, Nobles and Ladies were asked to remain standing, and a moment of silence was observed in honor of the late Noble Jerry Appleby, and also Lady Olive Fancey, wife of Noble Edgar Fancey.



The Buffet Line was then opened, and led by the Ill Sir, Nobles and Ladies enjoyed a delectable meal of BBQ Prime Rib Steak and Lobster, complete with a variety of salads, baked potato, mushrooms & onions, Dinner Roll, and finished it off with Dessert, Tea and coffee.

Once everyone had their fill, it was time for "Activity Time with Mr. Higgins". Now this did absolutely nothing to shed the pounds just put on by the meal, but challenged them to engage both their hands and their minds, as Noble Gary talked them through various steps to the end result of a "paper frog" from a sheet of plain paper. Now anyone who knows Noble Gary, he does nothing without there being a reason or meaning. The moral lesson of this activity was quite simplistic – Like the paper frog, "**No act is too small or not worth doing, if it can bring a smile to a child's face**", and after all, that's why we wear the Red Fez and do what we do!



Next came time for the presentations. Ill Sir Wayne and Lady Gail were called forward for the presentations of which there were two. The first was presented to Ill Sir Wayne and Lady Gail by Lady Roberta Mayo, and knowing how Lady Gail loves winter pictures, it was a beautiful framed winter print entitled "O Holy Night". The second presentation was made by Lady Glynda Mayo and was made on behalf of Boot Ladies, in the form of a \$1000.00 donation to our Montreal Hospital.



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Following the banquet festivities, Nobles and Ladies were invited back to Marys-town Hotel, to the Potentate's Hospitality Suite, where everyone shared in a time of fellowship, and some even watched or at least followed the score of the hockey game (which, unfortunately, Montreal lost – boo hoo).



Divine Church Service



Holding true to Boot tradition and custom, on the morning of May 11th, Nobles and Ladies gathered at Holy Trinity Anglican Church in Burin for our annual Divine Church Service, officiated by Rev. Terry Caines, Rector for the Anglican Parish of Burin.

At the beginning of every service, Rev Terry takes time for a "children's focus" with the kids, and during his focus, Rev Terry spoke of how Jesus was the Good Shepherd and that the shepherd always looks after his sheep. He then told them who the Shriners were and how the Shriners are like the shepherd, in that they look after children in their special hospitals. He also told them that Ill Sir Wayne as Potentate is like the shepherd who looks after his flock, which are the Shriners in the Province of Newfoundland & Labrador.

Towards the end of the service, Ill Sir Wayne was afforded an opportunity to address the congregation, and in doing so he gave a brief overview of who we are as Shriners and the care and treatment given to children at Shriners Hospitals For Children.

It is also the usual custom during our Divine Services, that we make a donation to that particular church, and so on behalf of the Boot Shrine Club, Ill Sir Wayne presented Rev Terry with a donation in the amount of \$200.00.



All our Divine Services are special, but the children's focus made this service extra special, as it was for and about the children, but touched on us as Shriners. But of course, this was a special day unto itself, as it was Mother's Day – and what makes Mother's Day so special?

.....Why it's the children of course!

Without the children there would be no need for mothers – and children is certainly the key isn't it – for like mothers, without the children there would be no need for Shriners either.

It is, and always will be, about the children!

In closing, as we all look forward to the summer months, we pray that you will all have safe journey and return in the fall with a renewed vigor and fresh ideas. Remember Nobles, we look forward to seeing you at the Summer Ceremonial on July 18, 19 and 20 and also the St. Pierre Trip – and we always guarantee a great time.

Until next time, may God bless you in all your endeavors, and let us never forget that we are all in this for the same reason – **our children!** So keep on smiling, because they always do! – **Aleikum Es Selam**

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NOBLE GORDON J. ABBOTT

COMPASS

Shrine Club



The Compass Shrine Club has jurisdiction in the Mount Pearl / Paradise, CBS area but Shriners from other areas of the province are free to join. It presently has 24 members. It is an active and friendly club with many fund raising and social activities.

The officers of the club are:

President, Noble Len Bugden
Vice President, Noble Larry Bradley
Secretary, Noble Bill Radford
Treasurer, Noble Sheridan Yetman,
Directors, Noble Dave Cooper and
Noble Larry Moss

In December of 2013 the Compass Shrine Club committed \$25,000.00 over five years to the Montreal Shriners Hospital. Here President Len Bugden



presents a symbolic cheque to Illustrious Sir Den Billard.

A major commitment of the club is to provide the Ceremonial Divan which inducts new members into Mazol Shriners as well as inducting the Illustrious Potentate and his divan. The Ceremonial Potentate is Noble Dave Cooper.

One of the fun activities of the Compass Shrine Club is the antique car show sponsored in conjunction with the Newfoundland Antique Car Club held each year in Bowering Park. The show and a share-the-wealth raffle is a great financial boost to the club.

The club also participates in Christmas at the Glacier a spectacular display of Christmas and other crafts in Mount Pearl's Glacier Arena. At this four day event the club holds its major raffle



raising over \$4000.00 each year. This is also an excellent opportunity to show the fez to some thousands of people who attend the event.

The Compass Shriners also hold one or more flipper dinners each year, usually at Freemasons Hall. This major fundraiser for the club as well as a great time of fellowship.

One of the club's "give back" activities is to provide a bowl of hot soup and a hot toddy to the participants in the Mount Pearl Santa Claus parade each December. Here President Noble Len Bugden stirs the pot in preparation for the influx of chilly parade participants.

NOBLE LARRY MOSS



*Wishing all Shriners & Ladies
A Safe and Happy Summer*

Compass Shrine Club

LONG RANGE Shrine Club



Ill. Sir Wayne, the Long Range Shrine Club continues its dedication to serving the children of our province. You and your Divan continue to provide exemplary leadership. We are confident that Mazol's future, and that of our great philanthropy is in capable hands.

The Nobility and Ladies of the Long Range Shrine Club have succeeded in living up to the spirit of our Shrine motto "having fun and helping kids". This report will give the Nobles and Ladies of Mazol an overview of our activities, our interactions with the community, and how we strive to promote the care and special needs of deserving children.

Patient Coordination

Our patient coordinator, Noble Mike Parsons, advises that to date this year, eleven (11) children from our area have completed a total of fifteen (15) appointments. Nine (9) of these have been to our hospital in Montreal, and six (6) at our outreach clinic in Gander.

As well, one new application has been received and that patient will be attending the Gander clinic in May.

Community Support

The Long Range Shrine Club is the beneficiary of the generosity of many community groups. It is impractical to mention all the generous groups in this report however the club held it's first annual President's Dinner during the spring and several of the groups were represented at that dinner and were recognized for their contributions.

Fund Raising

The Nobles and Ladies of the Long Range Shrine Club run a variety of fundraisers. These include;

TV Bingo

Bingo normally runs from September to June with a minor break at Christmas. It involves most of our membership and ladies. Their dedication has ensured its success. We are fortunate to have a group of store owners that support us by making cards available to the public. The many hands that are involved with the Bingo make for light work and tremendous gains for the philanthropy.

Spring Draw

We conduct this project jointly with the Knights of Columbus. Tickets are easy to sell with the cooperation of local retailers and the Nobility. This year's draw saw the prize payouts increased from \$1000 to \$3500 and the cost of tickets were increased to \$2 which significantly increased our proceeds. The tickets were easily sold again this year with the support of local retailers and the draw resulted in a return of \$6000 to advance out philanthropy.

Flipper Dinners

We normally do three(3) dinners annually, which consist of take-out and eat-in meals. These are always well attended by the public. During this reporting period there were two very successful dinners held, one during Corner Brook Winter Carnival and another more recently on April 29, 2014. The continued support of Barry's fisheries and the committed work of our Nobles continue to make our flipper dinners a success.

Calendar Draw

This is our premier local fund raiser. Our \$10 tickets entitles a person to be entered into 31 draws in December for various cash prizes ranging from \$100 to \$1000. Again this year the draw was a huge success bringing in over \$21,000 for our philanthropy.

Penny Sneaker Fund

This has been the pet Project of Lady Bessie Reid for the past 19 years. As pennies have been withdrawn from circulation, the drive is cooming to an end however Lady Bessie informs that she is still collecting pennies left in circulation and has raised a total of \$35,000. Bessie has been sponsored by local businesses and groups, including the Town of Gallants, the Curling Ranger Club, The Press Club Dart League, the Red Rock Lounge, and Alteens; and by friends, family, Nobles and Ladies throughout the Province, with donations coming from as far away as St. John's and Trinity Bay.

Club Donations

The Long Range Shrine Club has exceeded Mazol's donations expectation this year. Here is a brief summary of our donations.

Canadian Hospital

We have committed \$50,000 to the Canadian hospital. construction fund. We will be making our fourth installment of \$10,000 to the Potentate at the Summer Ceremonial.

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Again this year we have recognized the valuable assistance of a number of individuals and organizations who have assisted the Club. These funds go directly to the Canadian Hospital operations.



Noble President Tom Goulding presenting a Hundred Million Dollar Club Certificate to Lady Geraldine Wall of the Bennett Ladies Auxiliary.

First Annual President's Dinner

On May 10, 2014 the Long Range Shrine Club held the first, annual President's Dinner. All Shriners and their Ladies were invited as well as supporters of the club and some prospective members. It was a great opportunity to recognize some of our supporters and provided some education about the Shriners and what we do.

During the evening we also had the privilege of hearing from a long time Shriners patient, Paul Laing, who shared the story of his eighteen years as a patient and the benefits he has gained from the experience.



Ill Sir Doug Rowe providing some education to the Nobles and invited guests.



Long time patient Paul Laing with the attending Shriners.

It was both touching and motivating. Overall the evening was a tremendous success.



Lady Muriel Goulding presents Paul Laing with a gift.

Membership

Noble Doug Beattie with the help of his committee continues to do presentations about the Shrine and the Masonic Fraternity at various social and fraternal clubs throughout our area. We continue to identify prospective members throughout the community. We invite these persons and their spouses to our functions to get to know us and learn about our Philanthropy.

Parade Unit

This has been another great year for our Parade Unit. Our equipment is in excellent condition and we have been able to purchase a new (to us) mini-chopper for the Unit. This gives us two (2) mini-tractor trailer units, two(2) cycles and one (1) Honda tri-cycle.

The Parade unit was very active throughout the Christmas season participating in Christmas Parades in Corner Brook, Pasadena, Meadows and Benoit's Cove.

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The parade unit falling into position in Benoit's Cove.



Noble Mike Parsons presenting teddy bears after the parade.

The Parade unit handed out more than 180 teddy bears this Christmas season.

Clown Unit

The Clown Unit under the direction of Noble Stan Brake was very active throughout the year and is growing in numbers. The clown unit meets regularly once per month and practice their skills while enjoying some fellowship and a bowl of soup. The clowns attended several birthday parties this year and made a special appearance at Marble



Noble Allan Skanes "Squinky" entertaining the children at Marble Mountain.



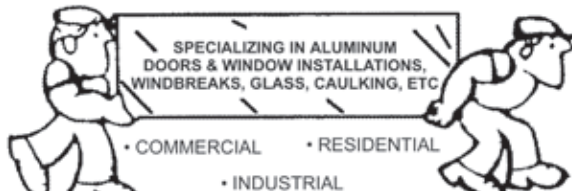
"Squinky"

Mountain this year. The Clown Unit is currently preparing for their annual appearance at a Special Olympics event in Corner Brook on May 15, 2014. We will be sure to include some pics from that event in the next report.

Yours in the Faith.
NOBLE JEFF MITCHELL
Secretary
Long Range Shrine Club

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HAROLD W. DUFFETT SHRINERS RV PARK

Report



Part of our RV Park

Greetings to all our friends and patrons from the Shriners RV Park in beautiful Eastport, Newfoundland. I am writing this report on the 27th. of April, and as I look out my living room window, there is plenty of "RDF" and a balmy temperature reading of 1 degree celcius. After a winter unlike any other we've seen for many years on the Eastport Peninsula, our park is busy preparing for the 2014 tourist season. In mid April I was not very optimistic that the park would be able to open by May 15th, 2014. There was two feet of snow in the park and the temperatures were still far below normal. On April 5th. my wife and I decided that we would go to St. John's for a couple of weeks, (maybe it should have been Florida), and when we returned to the peninsula on April 22nd, I discovered that Mother Nature had done us a wonderful favor. All the snow in the park was gone, the roads were dried up and preparation to get our park up and ready for the official May 15th. opening was ready to begin.

Once again our park is anticipating a very busy and productive season. On the afternoon of May 18th., we will be hosting "Odyssey" a cross continent

tour which was formed to, quote-" Raise awareness of the Shriners Hospital and the services it offers to patients from across Canada." Unquote. The group will be with us for the afternoon and we are looking forward to their visit and video presentation. As well, our

Board President, Ill Noble Bert Avery will be very proud to show off our beautiful park and what it is doing in support of the Patient Travel Fund and our new hospital in Montreal. We hope weather conditions will cooperate for this holiday weekend, unlike what we experienced last year--8 cms. snow and cold temperatures.

Last year we began an addition of 12 new sites for the park. I am pleased to report that the finishing touches to these sites will begin on May 1st. Materials are now on site and excavation will begin to install water, sewerage and electrical services to these new sites. It is anticipated by the contractor that the project show take about two weeks to complete. Once completed your park will have 153 sites of which all but 11 will be fully serviced.

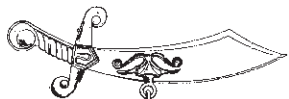
I am also pleased to report that our new pumphouse is completed with all



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new water tanks and related equipment installed and ready to be powered up in time for the 2014 park season.

New Banquet Tables and Chairs have been ordered for our recreation centre. These are to be delivered during the first week of May. Thank you for donations from Arab Patrol, Ladies of the Sabre and Trinity Conception Shrine Club which helped to reduce the cost of this new addition to the centre.

During the Fall we were successful in felling a number of the larger and overmature trees in the park. A friend of the park, Lindsey Browne offered to take down the trees and remove the wood from the park at no cost to us. Thank you Lindsey for this kind gesture on your part.

My brother nobles, your park continues to be busy with upgrading and infrastructure improvements. None of this can be accomplished without your support, and of course the continued use of our park by its seasonal patrons and transient visitors. We are gratefully thankful for your "coming back" season

after season. Your board continually strives to make the Shriners Park the best RV park in the province. With your continued support we will be achieve this in the very near future.

I am pleased and thankful for the unanimous support given to me to hire a new outside supervisor for our park. Beginning on May 1st, Mr. Wayne Cross, a resident of Eastport will be coming to us in this position and will be employed seasonally to look after the daily responsibilities and activities assigned to him in the day to day functions within the park. Wayne, a retired employee of Aliant comes to us with many of the skills required for the successful running of our park, eg. carpentry, electrical, mechanical, and good customer relations. Welcome Wayne!

Reservations at our park for 2014 are once again very high, meaning that we are heading for another successful season. There are lots of activities planned and others still in the planning stages. One of the areas identified during a recent board meeting, was that



A winter view of the Park

we look at some ways and means to become more visible in the communities surrounding the Eastport Peninsula, and to make the communities more visible to the park. In this connection, I have begun discussions with the Community of Sandringham who will be having a "Come Home Year" in 2015. I have offered our support in any way we can to help make for a successful year of activities and celebration in the community of Sandringham. More on this later. Also we are hoping to have a Peninsula Appreciation Day with open house to be held sometime in July/Aug. This is just a couple of new areas where we hope we can improve what is already a good relationship with our friends surrounding the Eastport Peninsula.

Nobles and Friends, as I have stated in my previous reports to the Mirror, take time to come and visit us this summer and bring some friends with you. We love to see our friends from the nobility. Visit our website or call the park, and don't forget to book early to ensure a spot in this home away from home.

Respectfully submitted
NOBLE DAVE COOK
Park Administrator



The Board at work



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MAZOL PATROL Report

The Patrol Unit of Mazol Shriners had another successful year. We assisted in the Ceremonial and installation of our Divan in January. We will be assisting with our Summer Ceremonial in Burin and our Fall Ceremonial.

One of our fund raisers is our June Lobster takeout, which has now become an annual event. This event was well attended. Our second fundraiser is securing the advertising for our Mazol Mirror Publication. This also has proven to be a reliable fund raising event. Thank you one and all for your support.

We are happy to report we have three new members from The Trinity/Conception Shrine Club: Nobles George Warford, Lawrence Pike and Fred Baldwin recently

became members. Welcome aboard Nobles.

We contributed donations to our Montreal Hospital and also to our Shrine Park to help with the purchase of new tables and chairs.

The executive for the year 2014 are the following Nobles:

President: Noble George Fiander

V. President: Ill Sir. Bert Avery, PP

Secretary: Noble Paul Benger

Treasurer: Noble Harold Laing

Quarter Master: Noble Gerald Crookshanks

Social Convener: Noble Maxwell Downey

Upcoming events for November 2014

Annual Meeting and election of officers
Santa Clause Parade in St. John's
Santa Clause Parade in Mt. Pearl

Upcoming events for 2015

Annual Ceremonial in January
Lobster takeout in June
Summer and Fall Ceremonials

Our goals for 2014 are to increase our numbers, support our Divan, support our new Hospital in Montreal, support our St. John's Shrine Club and improve our interaction with all Clubs and Units of Mazol Shriners.

Respectively Submitted
NOBLE PAUL BENDER
Secretary



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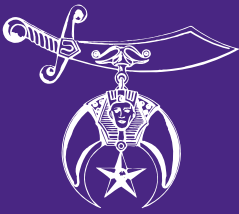
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