

JUNE 2022



**Ismailia Shriners
 Potentate's Reception**

Honoring
**Ill Sir Dennis N. Caldwell
 and Lady Alberta**
Saturday, June 11, 2022

Ismailia Shrine Center

Cocktails begin at 5:30 pm

Dinner at 7:00 pm

1 Hour complimentary cocktails before dinner
 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm • Hors d'oeuvre table

Cost will be \$55.00 per person

*Please call the Shrine Office
 with your reservations no later than
 June 1, 2022 – 716-674-8666*



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Presents our 5th

BINGO Bonanza

June 4, 2022

Doors open 10:30 am - First Game 11:00 am

Lunch 12:00 noon - More games after lunch

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Cost of Extra Games to Purchase

Regular Games - \$1.00 each

Special Games - \$2.00 each

Bingo Dabbers - \$1.00 each

Prizes: Gift cards ** Baskets Raffle**

For tickets, call

Katherine – 634-0419 or Shrine office – 674-8666

Limited Seating! Call Early!



Ismailia Shriners

Golf Outing

and

Steak/Chicken Roast

Friday, June 17, 2022

Ironwood Golf Course

1964 Folsomdale Road, Cowesville, NY 14037

11:00 am Starting Time

Golf Cost - \$90.00/person

Incl: 18 Holes Golf/Lunch & Steak or Chicken Dinner

Dinner alone - \$15.00/person



Name _____

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Phone _____

Fill out form and mail. Make checks payable to : Ismailia Shriners,
 1600 Southwestern Blvd, West Seneca, NY 14224 (716) 674-8666

THE POTENTATE'S MESSAGE



Dennis N. Caldwell Sr.
 Potentate 2022

Spring has finally sprung! Hopefully everyone is enjoying the nicer weather after being cooped up all winter.

The Terry Buchwald dance that the Shrine put on was a big success with over 200 people attending. The Corn Hole tournament that goes on at the Shrine every Wednesday has been a real help to the Oasis as well as the Shrine; thanks to Ill. Sir Michael Hackford P.P. for organizing it and making the boards for the Shrine for a fraction of the cost of buying them.

June 11 will be the Potentate's Ball. If you didn't get tickets yet, give the office a call. Even with

inflation on the rise, we are doing our best to hold the price down to what previous balls cost so everyone can attend.

The Shrine golf tournament will be June 17. If you're not a golfer, you can come out to the Shrine for the steak dinner for only \$15.00.

I would like to see as many as possible to participate in the West Seneca Day Parade on June 25 @ 1:00 pm. If you can't walk the parade with your Fez on, there is a good chance you can hitch a ride on the Directors Fire engine.

The Oasis will be closed for the Friday night Happy Hour during July and August. Enjoy the summer.

Ill. Sir Dennis N. Caldwell Sr.
 Potentate 2022

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NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS ISMAILIA SHRINERS!

The Shrine Office is now able to
 accept Credit Card payments.
 Any Shrine activity can now be
 charged to a credit card.

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 will be accepted.

SHRINE OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday
 10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Just a Quick Reminder...



Do not leave any valuables in your
 vehicles. There have been more
 than a few vehicles broken into at
 the YMCA, and at one of our recent
 events, one of our Nobles and his
 wife had theirs broken into in our
 parking lot. Criminals know that
 people do a lot of shopping and
 leave their purchases in the vehicle
 while running more errands. Most
 people ignore car alarms as there
 always seems to be one going off
 in a large parking lot, or down the
 street at 3 AM as we are trying to
 sleep. Stay vigilant.

PLEASE NOTE:

All articles for the *Smile* due by
 the 10th of the month preceding
 and nothing after the 15th or any
 changes after the 20th.

AILIAMS COURT #12 LADIES ORIENTAL SHRINE OF NORTH AMERICA (LOSNA)

Lady Betsey M. Ball, High Priestess Elect

It's Time! It's Time!

Ailiamsi Court will have another great
BINGO BONANZA Saturday June 4th.

Have you attended one?

Doors open at 10:30 am

with 3 pre-lunch bingo games at 11:00 am.

Come for some fun playing bingo

Have a great lunch at noon

1:00 pm Bingo games resume – additional boards available

Take a chance on a basket or two

And Try your luck with a punch a cup

or

maybe a drawing for a buck or two

Tickets are \$20

and are available from Wende at Shrine office

Hope to see YOU there.



ISMAILIA SHRINERS DIRECTORS STAFF

Ill Sir George Herle P.P.

June 1, 2022 will be our next meeting at the Shrine Center same time
 as always. Hope to see you there. The last meeting again was done by
 Nobles Mark Herle and Greg Wolf. A great chicken dinner was had by
 all. We also took in a new member, Noble John Markuse – welcome
 Noble John. On June 17th, a Friday, the Directors Staff has sponsored a
 hole in the Shrine Golf Tournament and are looking for a few more
 golfers. Just dinner alone is \$15.00. If coming please call Director Noble
 Carl. We don't know all the details as of now for the West Seneca Com-
 munity Day Parade but will get details as soon as possible. The parade is
 June 25th. Don't forget about the Sportsman Raffle and hope Ill Sir Ed
 Worden P.P. is feeling better, and hope to see him soon.

\$100 Million Dollar Club

PLEASE ENROLL ME AS A MEMBER OF THE

100 Million Dollar Club

- I have previously made a will leaving a bequest to the Shriners Hospitals For Children.
- I have added a provision in my will leaving a bequest to the Hospitals.
- I prefer to make a cash contribution at this time of at least \$100.00, **which is tax deductible.**

Make your check payable to: **SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CHILDREN**

I am a member of _____ Shriners.

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Please have the certificate read: _____

Please return to **Joseph A. Hoerner**, Recorder, Ismailia Shriners,
 1600 Southwestern Blvd., West Seneca, NY 14224

A MESSAGE FROM LADY BERTIE

May has again been very busy. We hosted 2 events (on the same day) and both were successful because of all the help we had. On Friday night the 13th we went to the shrine to set up the hall for the Terry Buchwald dance and the small dining room for the Widow's luncheon. Thanks to Greg Wolf and Rich Mix, the tables and chairs were set up when we got there. I would like to thank my daughter Tammy for all her help and my Granddaughter Ashley for her beautiful balloon arches. Special thanks to Janet Lachut and Judy Murdoch for all the beautiful baskets they made. Justine Holben also helped with the baskets. Jan Walkden and Caroline Lawicki also helped. Dave and Patty Cammarano were there also doing anything we needed them to do. Thank you. Rita and I worked on the dining room for the Widow's luncheon. It looked really nice. On Saturday Rita, Ron, Den, me, Wende and Thomas arrived at 10:30 to get things ready for the luncheon. Rita, Ron, Den and Wende plated and served the food which we got from the Poppy Seed Restaurant. Everything was delicious and everyone enjoyed themselves. Hopefully more widows will come next year when they hear how good it was. The dance was a lot of fun and again we had about 200 people there. Wende helped with ticket sales and Suzanne Ferraro helped with the wrist bands. Linda Clark helped with the basket raffle sales. Tammy sold 50/50 tickets. We had a special drawing for a 2 chair w/table bistro set that was donated by Doug and Heather Foss, Larry Persinger and Valerie Demario. Thank you so much. Ron and Rita had a good night serving food with the help of their granddaughter Lily and her friend and as always everything was delicious thanks to the cooking of John Marcus. Thank you Kenny and Dave for tending bar. Again it wouldn't have happened without all your help. Thank you all so much.



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MEMORANDUM

TO: Temple Divans, Temple Membership
FROM: John C. Piland, Executive Vice President
DATE: May 6, 2022
SUBJECT: Recognition of Bryan Harrison as an FASAE (Fellow of the American Society of Association Executives)

Please be advised that Bryan Harrison, Chief Membership Development Officer, has recently been notified that he is to receive a tremendously high honor as an association professional. It also is a great honor for Shriners International in that the evaluation of a candidate's record and work history include professional accomplishments and demonstrated commitment to the highest principles of the association community.

Since 1986, only 307 industry leaders have received this designation within an industry composed of over 100,000 associations in the United States.

As Bryan is recognized as a member of the 2022 Class of Fellows, he is doing so as a representative of Shriners International. This recognition of his preeminent stature within the association community reflects most favorably upon Shriners International. Based upon my own experience and observations, others who have received this designation are considered to be the leading experts in the association profession. We are exceptionally proud of Bryan being recognized with this extremely rare and high honor that he is receiving as an association professional representing Shriners International.

He will officially be inducted as a Fellow of the American Society of Association Executives in Nashville, Tennessee, in August. Attached is the News Release from the American Society of Association Executives.

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Shriners International Headquarters, 2900 Rocky Point Drive, Tampa, Florida 33607
shrinersinternational.org



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CHICKEN BBQ

\$14 PER DINNER

DINNER INCLUDES 1/2 CHICKEN, 2 SIDES, ROLL W/ BUTTER, & DESSERT

NOON UNTIL SOLD OUT
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May Chicken BBQ

I would like to thank the many volunteers who came out and supported our chicken bbq on May 1st. There were over 30 who came out to help. It was a nice day with a little rain but a good time was had. We didn't sell out but not because of the dinner we provided. The chickens were very juicy and tasty, the corn was cooked to perfection, and the service was excellent. Kudos and thanks to the runners, money takers, kitchen crew, traffic control, pit crew, and clean up crew.

Special thanks to:
Jane Graham who once again made and provided dessert for the dinners at her expense.
Wende Applewhite for coordinating tickets and resale tickets and cash drawer.
Ted Clark for getting us a deal on the potato salad and chickens.
Mark Ackerman – Mark brings donuts for everyone at every chicken bbq at his own expense.



Thanks again, John

COMING EVENTS JUNE 2022

- JUNE 1**
Ailiamsi Meeting - Noon
PHD Luncheon - Noon
Directors Meeting - 6 pm
Shrine Center
- JUNE 2**
D.O.N. Sewing Mtg. 10:30 am
Shrine Center
- JUNE 3**
Friday Night Happy Hour
4-8 pm, Arabian Oasis Lounge
- JUNE 4**
Ailiamsi Bingo Bonanza
11 am - 4 pm, Shrine Center
- JUNE 5**
Erie Hospital Day 10 am - 5 pm
Shriners Hospitals for Children, Erie, PA
- JUNE 8**
PHD Luncheon - Noon
Oasis/Divan Board Meeting - 6:30 pm
Shrine Center
Ailiamsi Nite Court Mtg. 6 pm
- JUNE 9**
Ailiamsi Ways & Means Mtg. - 10:30 am
Meridian Sun Chapter
DeMolay Mtg. 7:30 pm
Shrine Center
- JUNE 11**
Lockport Shrine Club Mtg.
9 am, Lockport, NY
Ismailia Shrine Potentate Ball
5:30 pm, Shrine Center
- JUNE 12**
Potentate's Breakfast 9 am
Salvatore's Grand Hotel
- JUNE 15**
D.O.N. Meeting - Noon
PHD Luncheon - Noon
LOH Meeting - 6 pm
Shrine Center
- JUNE 16**
Ailiamsi Sunbeams Mtg.
- 11:30 am, Shrine Center
- JUNE 17**
Ismailia Shriners Golf Outing
11 am, Ironwood Golf Course
Coveseville, NY
Steak/Chicken Roast 5 pm
Shrine Center
Friday Night Happy Hour
4-8 pm, Arabian Oasis Lounge
- JUNE 22**
PHD Luncheon - Noon
Southtowns Nile Mtg. 11:30 am
Shrine Center
- JUNE 23**
Meridian Sun Chapter
DeMolay Mtg. 7:30 pm
Shrine Center
Northtown Nile Club Mtg. Noon
Allegany Shrine Club Mtg. 6pm
- JUNE 25**
West Seneca Community Days
Parade - Line Up 1 pm
West Seneca West High School
- JUNE 29**
PHD Luncheon - Noon
Shrine Center
D.O.N. 9-5 Club Meeting 6 pm
Danny's Restaurant



ATTEND YOUR
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Feztival of Beer, Wines and Spirits



Fellow Nobles!

We had a very successful return and rebrand of one of our Ismailia's Favorite events: the former Wines at the Shrine reborn as "Feztival of Beer, Wines and Spirits." Some people made incredibly valuable contributions and are responsible for the success.

Illustrious Kris Scheetz is the Noble who made the whole event come together; Joe and everyone who helped set the room; Janet Lachut and Judy Murdoch created some amazing gift baskets; and all those who donated, especially Black Button Distilling who donated a gift basket valued at \$400!!

The event could not happen without our tremendously generous vendors who came to pour Wine, Beer and Spirits! THANK YOU to Heron Hill Winery, Merritt Estate Winery, Glenora, 13 Monkeys, Jimmy Butera and the whole crew at Butera's Village Brew House, 21Brix Winery, Mazza Winery, Five and 20 Beer and Spirits, Keuka Spring Winery, War Horse Beer, Bombshell Cider, Three Brothers Winery, Lockhouse Distilling, Johnson Estate Winery and Niagara Landing!

Please, my fellow Nobles, these are quality Beer, Wine and Spirit producers (as good or better as any on the market). They donated their time, product and expertise to make our event wonderful (some of them drove from the Finger Lakes to pour at the event). When you choose adult libations for your events or enjoyment, please remember who supported us. – *Noble Ed Draves*

PS. Due to demand from some wineries, we are already planning next year's event!!!



Dear Nobles,

Your philanthropic and volunteer work to support Shriners Children's has once again made a major impact in this world. This week, a pediatric burn hospital in Lviv, Ukraine, reached out to us for our help with two children who need our specialized burn care. On Wednesday, these two children, each with a parent, arrived in Boston for the highly specialized care that only a Shriners Children's pediatric burn center can provide.

Shriners Children's has a long history of providing urgent and long-standing consistent care to the children of Ukraine, thanks to relationships with trusted humanitarian and government organizations. The Ministry of Health of Ukraine, Embassy of Ukraine in Washington, D.C. and the Consulate General of Ukraine in New York, along with the U.S. Departments of State and Homeland Security were integral in our efforts to help these children.

"Due to the current state of affairs in Ukraine, the country's medical infrastructure is understandably challenged," said John McCabe, executive vice president of the Shriners Children's healthcare system. "We are uniquely positioned to help these children from Ukraine, because our physicians, nurses and therapists have extensive experience in providing care for children who suffer life-threatening burn injuries, including in natural disaster or other urgent situations. Our team members are using the most current research-based treatments in pediatric burn care."

Shriners Children's stands ready to care for more children from the region who can benefit from our specialized care. In the last decade, we have established medical "go teams" from our hospitals to be available any time there is a disaster or need for emergency care for children.

Shriners Children's care is sought out throughout the world for complex pediatric burns cases, because our physicians and care teams have contributed to most of the significant advancements in acute and reconstructive pediatric burn care. We provide comprehensive multidisciplinary care to children with burn injuries and cutaneous conditions anywhere in the world.

The burn service team at Shriners Children's Boston, directed by **Robert L. Sheridan, M.D.**, provides multidisciplinary care in all aspects of burn care, which includes surgery, treatment, rehabilitation and psychological support.

The Shriners Children's healthcare system has provided medical help to Ukrainian children dating as far back as the 1990s for children affected by the Chernobyl disaster.

Understandably, because of patient privacy rights and laws, we are not able to share additional information regarding the children or their medical conditions at this time. As we learn more about the children and receive permission to share their information, Shriners Children's will provide updates.

Your continued support and commitment to your philanthropy, Shriners Children's, is deeply appreciated.

Yours in the faith,

William S. "Bill" Bailey
Imperial Potentate
Shriners International

Jerry G. Gantt
Chairman, Board of Trustees
Shriners Children's

Recorder's Desk

Joe Hoerner, P.P.

Well we have finally reached some spring time weather where we can enjoy the activities this warm weather brings us. We can now have our family get together with picnics and outdoor activities. This also means we will be cutting lawns and sprucing up the flower beds.

May was a busy month for Ismailia Shriners with a Stated Session, Spring Ceremonial, Wine and Spirits Feztival, Widows Luncheon, Terry Buchwald show with many normal activities that go on. We have increased our membership by five with our newest Nobles that joined our Shrine Center on May 25th. Let us not forget about them and make sure they and their Ladies are welcomed and invited to our Shrine Center activities. Shrine Clubs and Units: it is up to you to recruit them into your memberships.

Now that the month of June is upon us that means almost one half of the year 2022 has gone by. Where has the time gone! June will bring us many events, most importantly the Shriners Potentate Ball on June 11th. This is the time we honor our Illustrious Potentate Dennis Caldwell and his Lady Bertie. This is the Shrine's formal event of the year and should be attended by the Nobility and their Ladies. If you have not made your reservations yet please do so as soon as possible. The Spring and Summer time also brings out the parades and picnics. If your Club or Unit is going to participate in a parade please advise the office of your participation. We are not checking up on you – it is just for insurance purposes. We urge all Clubs and Units to participate in your community events – just be safe when doing so. The Shrine will be participating in a parade on June 25th, the West Seneca Community Day parade. All Units and Clubs are to join in and march or ride in this parade.

Our Membership is still of the utmost importance to keep Ismailia Shriners healthy and stable. We must try very hard to increase our membership and retain those that are on the verge of losing their membership by being in arrears of dues for two years or more. If you need help with your dues please call the Office and we can work with you. We need you and do not want to lose you.

That's about it for now. Stay safe and enjoy the summer weather and don't eat to many hotdogs, but have a cold one to enjoy.

Ill Sir Joe H., Recorder

ATHOR TEMPLE No. 19 DAUGHTERS OF THE NILE

Princess Jen Mazur, Publicity

While Athor Temple No. 19 is on a "summer break" to enjoy some summer-time beauty and to relax and refresh, there is "behind the scenes" work being done to get us ready for the Fall.

Shrine Hospital Days will be June 4th and 5th. Please contact Queen Barbara if you would like to go along.

Athor Temple No. 19 will be having a Summer Family Picnic at the home of PSQ Karen Keuther on Sunday, July 31st. More details will be sent through Phonevite. Birthday Party Luncheon preceding our Stated Session on Wednesday, May 18th. A tribute to Past Queens will be ready during the birthday party.

Northeast Days is coming to Western New York! Athor Temple No. 19 will be hosting Daughters of the Nile Northeast Days at the Millennium Hotel on September 22-24, 2022. Online registration is open! Northeast Days is a great opportunity to meet and enjoy fellowship with members from Temples across the Northeast Region. Contact Princess Suzanne Huddleston (716-557-2298) or Princess Doris Grabowski (716-694-0271) for more information.

We have some additional exciting events already being planned for the Fall. The Supreme Queen Official Visit on October 20, 2022. Bottle BINGO is back, hosted by Athor Temple No. 19 on Saturday, November 12th. Details for these and other special events will sent by robo calls and in a late summer newsletter.

Become a member of Daughters of the Nile and join us for our exciting events! If you are someone who enjoys projects that benefit others, especially projects that enhance our work for our very special children, and who enjoy fellowship and laughter, Athor Temple would be pleased to welcome you into our membership. We are a dedicated group of women, eager to share the philosophy and mission of Daughters of the Nile and answer questions about who we are and what we do. The Membership and Mentoring team look forward to hearing from interested ladies. Contact PQ Donna Donner, (716)839-4307, PQ Iris Reese, (716)839-9074, PQ Marilyn Mills (716)698-8041 or any member of Athor Temple and we will be delighted to talk with you!

Wishing everyone safe and sunny days summer days!

Annual Chautauqua District Masons & Friends Golf Tournament

This year the Annual Chautauqua District Masons and Friends Golf Tournament will be held on Sunday, June 26, beginning with a shotgun start at 9am, at the Maplehurst Country Club, 1508 Big Tree Rd, Lakewood NY 14750.

The tournament is a 4 person scramble, with an entry fee of \$65, which covers: Greens fees and carts; Refreshments on the course; Prizes; a Steak Dinner following golf at Mount Moriah Lodge No. 145, 3485 Baker St Ext, Jamestown NY 14701; Donation to the Shrine Hospital of Erie.

Fellowship is free!

RSVP by June 19 to Bro David Howard, 716-483-1803, or 716-489-7250, or dmiltonhoward@gmail.com



CHAUTAUQUA DISTRICT MASONS AND FRIENDS GOLF TOURNAMENT

JUNE 26, 2022 (SUNDAY)

MAPLEHURST COUNTRY CLUB
1508 BIG TREE ROAD; LAKEWOOD, NY

9 AM SHOT GUN START
4 PERSON SCRAMBLE

\$65 ENTRY FEE INCLUDES:
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FEZtival of Trees 2022

Everything seems to be in full bloom after what seemed like a very long winter. Picnics and outdoor events are on everyone's mind. Christmas is far from what you are thinking about but it is paramount in the minds of Ill Sir John Walkden PP and his Lady Jan. Our second (and hopefully annual) FEZtival of Trees is only seven quick months away. Ill Sir Dennis Caudwell and his Lady Bertie have asked the Walkdens to once again Chair this event for 2022. It is a good time to put on your "thinking Fezes" to start planning your entries. Does a Past Potentate's Tree sound like a good adventure? Clubs and Units are probably scheduling their last meetings before summer recess. Now is a good time to start thinking about donating a fully decorated Christmas tree and a theme so items can be gathered on the coming months. Right now fully decorated donated trees are our main focus but there are plenty of other talents that will be needed.

Other area of need include: Form Cookie Makers, Crafters, Children's activities and crafts, Kitchen Workers, Bartenders, Admission, advertising and Promotions, Outreach to Shrine Clubs and Committee, Elves just to name a few.

If you know of any businesses who may want to donate a decorated tree, it offers a great time for precious free advertising. Donation letters will be available in the Shrine Office.

Mark your calendars:

Sunday and Monday: 11/20/22 – 11:00am - 4:00pm and 11/21/22 10:00am - 4:00pm Set-up times.

FEZtival of Trees: Friday and Saturday 11/25 and 11/26/22 – 10am-7pm, Sunday 11/27/22 10am-3pm

Winner pick-up dates are: Sunday 11/27/22 – 4:30pm - 6:30pm and Monday 11/28/22 – 9:00am -1:00pm.

With the contributions and assistance we are looking forward to another successful event.

Ill. Sir John Walkden PP and Lady Jan

Editorial Without Words Statue and Memorial Wall

Ismailia Shriners is looking to add another Memorial Wall to the present Editorial Without Words Statue and Memorial Wall. Bricks will be available honoring Nobles, Family, and Friends who support our Shrine Philanthropy with their time, talents and treasures.

To create a memorial brick, please complete the form below and return it with your check of \$250.00 payable to The Silent Messenger Fund and mail to: Ismailia Shriners, 1600 Southwestern Blvd, West Seneca, New York 14224.

Some Options:

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Reported Phishing Attempt

Shriners International has been informed of a phishing email that targets Shrine Nobles with a false Membership Suspension Notice. This email appears to have been sent by Shriners International, but is a fraudulent email. Please do not click on any links or take any action outlined in the email, and please inform your nobility in the event that they have received this email as well. A copy of the email is pictured below, along with some tips to help spot fraudulent emails.

- Check the name of the sender. Does it look correct?
- Are there any typos or are there Shriners-specific terms that are incorrect?
- Be suspicious of any email that gives a sense of urgency and demands an immediate response.
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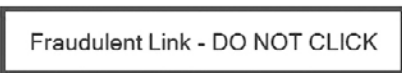
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| NUMBER | NAME | DATE JOINED | DATE DIED |
|--------|------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| 5091 | Frederick E. Zimmerman | June 16, 1979 | March 1, 2021 |
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| 749 | Keith W. Church | June 10, 1978 | May 15, 2022 |

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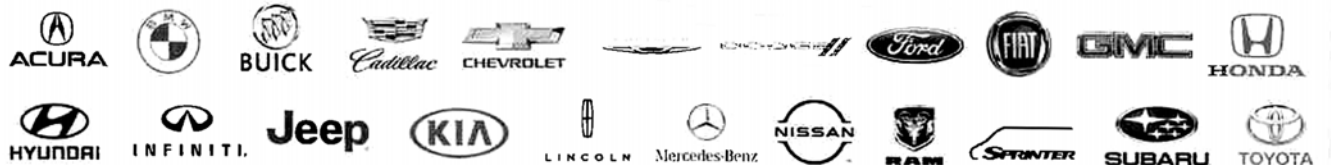
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| Sun | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thurs | Fri | Sat |
| | | | Ailiamsi Mtg. 1 Noon PHD Luncheon Noon Directors Mtg. 6 pm | 2 Nile Sewing 10:30 am | 3 Oasis Happy Hour 4 - 8 pm | 4 Ailiamsi Bingo 11 am - 4 pm |
| 5 Erie Hospital Day 10 am - 5 pm | 6 | 7 | 8 PHD Luncheon Noon Oasis/Divan Mtg. 6:30 pm | 9 Ailiamsi Sewing Mtg. & Ways & Means Mtg. 10:30 am DeMolay Mtg. 7:30 pm | 10 | 11 Lockport SC Mtg. 9 am Ismailia Shriners Potentate's Ball 5:30 - 11 pm |
| 12 Potentate's Breakfast 9 am Salvatore's Grand Hotel | 13 | 14 | 15 PHD Luncheon Noon Nile Meeting Noon LOH Mtg. 6 pm | 16 Ailiamsi Sunbeams Mtg 11 am | 17 Shrine Golf Tournament & Dinner Oasis Happy Hour 4 - 8 pm | 18 |
| 19 Father's Day | 20 | 21 | 22 PHD Luncheon Noon Southtown Nile Mtg. | 23 Northtown Nile Mtg. Allegany SC Mtg. DeMolay Mtg. 7 pm | 24 | 25 West Seneca Community Day Parade 1 pm |
| 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 PHD Luncheon Noon D.O.N. 9-5 Club Mtg. 6 pm | 30 | | |

| JULY ♦ 2022 | | | | | | |
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| Sun | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thurs | Fri | Sat |
| | | | | | 1 Imperial Session Minneapolis MN Shrine Closed | 2 Imperial Session Minneapolis MN Shrine Closed |
| 3 Imperial Session Minneapolis MN Shrine Closed | 4 Imperial Session Minneapolis MN Shrine Closed Independence Day | 5 Imperial Session Minneapolis MN Shrine Closed | 6 Imperial Session Minneapolis MN Shrine Closed | 7 Imperial Session Minneapolis MN Shrine Closed | 8 Imperial Session Minneapolis MN Shrine Closed | 9 Imperial Session Minneapolis MN Shrine Closed |
| 10 Shrine Car Show 12 - 5 pm | 11 | 12 Ailiamsi Grand High Priestess Visit | 13 Ailiamsi Grand High Priestess Visit PHD Luncheon Oasis/Divan Mtg. | 14 | 15 Gigante Party 5 pm | 16 Hackford Cornhole Tournament Noon - ?? |
| 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 PHD Luncheon Noon | 21 | 22 | 23 Legion of Honor Summer Picnic Noon - 6 pm |
| 24 Shrine Chkn BBQ Noon - 4 pm or sold out | 25 | 26 | 27 PHD Luncheon Noon | 28 | 29 | 30 |
| 31 | | | | | | |

ISMAILIA SHRINERS June 1, 2022

GENERAL ORDER I


- The Illustrious Potentate, Dennis Caldwell, orders Ismailia Temple Officers, Past Potentates, Units and Shrine Clubs to participate in the 2019 West Seneca Community Day Parade on Saturday June 25, 2022 at 1:00 pm
- ORDER OF FORMATION (In Regulation Uniform)**
 - Color Guard
 - Illustrious Potentate
 - Divan
 - Past Potentates
 - Aides
 - Directors Staff
 - Clowns
 - Band
 - Legion of Honor
 - Howdah Club
 - Shrine Clubs
 - Antique Cars
 - Chanters
 - Shriners on Bikes
 - Mini Corps
 - Mini Kars
 - Horse Patrol
 - Unit Staff
- Parade information: Assembly at 1:00 p.m.
Assembly point: The parade line-up is at West Seneca Senior High School at Main & Seneca Streets and move out promptly at 2:00 pm

The Units will move east on Main Street to Union Road and turn left toward Veterans Memorial Park, approximately one and one third mile. Units will be judged by the New York State Fireman's Judging, Western New York Division.

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