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Mizpah Shrine
Fort Wayne, Indiana



June/July 2016

Notice of Meeting to the Nobility
You are hereby notified of the following meeting at
Mizpah Shrine
to be held at
1015 Memorial Way., Fort Wayne, Indiana

Wednesday, June 1, 2016

Dinner 6:15pm

Meeting 7:00pm

No Stated Meeting in July

Fraternally: Jerry W. Freewalt, Potentate

Attest: Paul L. Barker Jr, Recorder

The purpose of these meetings is to act on any business as may come before it.

Your presence is requested

BUSINESS OFFICE HOURS: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

MIZPAH SHRINE DIVAN:

Jerry Freewalt, Potentate
Hal Harting, Chief Rabban
Dennis DeWitt, Assistant Rabban
William Leedy, High Priest & Prophet
Rudolph Mahara, 33°, Oriental Guide
Christopher Sanders, Treasurer
Paul L. Barker, Jr, Recorder

TRUSTEES:

William Auer (16)
Carl Brown (17)
Ed Leamon (18)

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Robert Boylan (16)
Duane Targgart, PP (17)
Owen Wade (18)
Kenneth Lundquist (19)
Rick Stirratt (20)

**REPRESENTATIVE TO THE
IMPERIAL COUNCIL:**

Jerry Freewalt, Potentate
Hal Harting, Chief Rabban
Dennis DeWitt, Assistant Rabban
William Leedy, High Priest & Prophet

LEGAL COUNSEL:

Philip H. Larmore

**SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CHILDREN:
ORTHOPAEDIC - CHICAGO**

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60635 Phone: 773-622-5400

Chief of Staff: Jeffrey Ackman, MD
Hospital Administrator: Mark Niederpruem

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Phone: 513-872-6000

Mark Shugarman, Administrator

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**PROCEDURE FOR ADMISSION
TO A SHRINERS BURN HOSPITAL**

Admission to a Shriners Burn Hospital is essentially the same as to a Shriners Hospital for Children. Here, however, it must be stressed that timing may be of utmost importance. The final outcome of a burn case may be greatly dependent upon the type of treatment and the speed with which it can be started. Therefore in emergency, the Chief Surgeon has the authority to admit the patient, having the application completed at a later date. If then you know of an emergency burn case, immediately call the Shine Ambassador in the area. Let's not miss a chance to put out a helping hand. Be a true Shriner!

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August 2016

- Aug 1 Divan Mtg / Ladies Mtg 6pm
- Aug 3 Shrine Stated Meeting 7pm
- Aug 5 Transportation Fundraiser / Screening Clinic, Monroe, IN
- Aug 6 Nile Fashion Show
- Aug 11 PP Ladies Dinner
- Aug 13 APC Tractor Drive
- Aug 20 Fly In Breakfast Set Up
- Aug 20 Wabash Parade 5pm
- Aug 21 Fly In Breakfast
- Aug 25 Shrine Stag
- Aug 26 Fish Fry 5 - 8pm

September 2016

- Sep 5 Labor Day - Office Closed
- Sep 6 Divan Mtg / Ladies Mtg 6pm
- Sep 7 Shrine Stated Meeting 7pm
- Sep 8-10 GLSA
- Sep 13 Circus Kick Off Party
- Sep 14 Nile Stated Session 7pm
- Sep 17 Sportsmans Raffle
- Sep 19 Van Scheduler Mtg
- Sep 22 Divan Ladies Party
- Sep 24 Chili Cookoff - Horse Grounds
- Sep 30 Fish Fry 5 - 8pm

Kid's Fishing Derby
Saturday June 4th
10:00 am



Joe Simon's Pond,
 2050 S Wolf Rd
 Columbia City

Lunch will be served

Prizes

October 2016

- Oct 1 Transportation Fundraiser
- Oct 3 Divan Mtg / Ladies Mtg 6pm
- Oct 5 Shrine Stated Meeting 7pm
- Oct 10 Trustee/Finance Mtg
- Oct 12 Nile Stated Session 7pm
- Oct 15 Nile Pancake Breakfast
- Oct 15 Mizpah Dance @ Auer Barn
- Oct 19 Van Driver Appreciation Dinner
- Oct 26 Angola Bus Trip
- Oct 28 Fish Fry 5-8pm



DNR will be putting on presentation

June & July Calendar on page 13



Potentate's Message

NOBLES:

As I write this article, I feel we have had enough rain. Feel sorry for our Farmer friends, but know that somehow they will plant their crops and have a successful harvest. The crops will be good this year, I'm sure.

Not only is the motto "Hats off for the Kids" for the Shrine children, but also to the Committee Chairman (Mike and June) and members for the Potentate's Ball. They did a spectacular job and I hope everyone enjoyed it as much as Sherri and I did. We hope you enjoy wearing your 2016 hats and visors. A big thank you to everyone who attended, it was greatly appreciated.

The Onions have come and gone. Thanks to Chairman Ron Harruff PP 33° and all who sold and purchased the onions this year. The cooperation between the different Clubs and Units in distributing the onions is what has always made it a wonderful Temple Fundraiser. It has been around for a long, long time. It doesn't really hurt that everyone seems to love eating the Vadalía Onions. I do!

Next up, we went fishing during the CoHo, Salmon Derby. Get ready for my big fish story, we probably all have one about the big fish that got away. Sam Winbrenner and the members of the fishing committee made the trip enjoyable for all. If you missed it this year, try to participate next year, you'll really enjoy the trip.

This Allah-Bi is for June and July, but we will try to keep you updated on future events. Don't want anyone to miss out on an opportunity to help the kids and to also enjoy themselves during this time.

We have several events coming up in June and July

- Golf Outings (3) in June and (2) in July
- A parades (1) in June (2) in July
- Horse Show is in June

You will notice the Parade Maps in the Allah-Bi and we need you there to show "Mizpah" to everybody that does not know who we are. I would like to see all our Clubs and Units participating in the parades. We're going to Columbia City, Wabash, Fremont, and Berne.

Deadline for rooms at GLSA in Indianapolis is June 1st. After that date there may not be rooms available, so call the Mizpah Office or Roger Weaver PP, with your plans for that event.

Don't forget the Chili Cook-Off at the Horse Grounds on September 24th. Does your Club or Unit have the best Chili ever? Sounds like a lot of fun and good food will be had for all who come and enjoy this event.

After all this activity, are you ready for some FOOTBALL? We have arranged a bus trip going to Bloomington, Indiana for an IU-PU game. The date is November 26th and the tickets will sell fast. Contact Chairmen Ron Buskirk and Rudy Mahara for further details for this exciting trip.

I hope I haven't seen your name on our list about something like not paying your dues. I feel sure it's an oversight and your name will be removed from this list as soon as you pay your dues. It won't be on this list next month.

Sportsman's Raffle Chairman Steve Cowan PP really appreciates you selling tickets for the event in September. Selling more tickets will make him even happier.

In Closing: In the May Allah-Bi there were two (2) deliberate mistakes, did you find them and not call the Mizpah Office? Try again for a free Lunch at Mildred's Lounge.

Next time you see Paul Barker or Karen Kippert, let them know they are appreciated and remember all the hard work they do for the Nobility. Like Paul and Karen, the Divan is happy to work for you. Have a wonderful summer.

Jerry W. Freewalt, Potentate

Recorder's Message

On June 6th, 1876, The Imperial Council, the governing body of the Shriners Fraternity, was founded. To celebrate and recognize this important milestone in our history, Shriners International declared June 6th as Shriners International Awareness Day. They encouraged Shriners everywhere to celebrate our great Fraternity and raise awareness of the importations of our organization in our community and the availability of service to our kids at our Hospitals. Display your pride in being a Shriner. Wear a Shrine shirt, or tie or a pin when ever you are out and about.



Our Spring Ceremonial went very well. Thanks all our Brothers who played a role in welcoming 10 new Shriners into MIZPAH membership. Our Fall Ceremonial is set for November 5th, and Potentate Freewalt is working on some things that hopefully will bring several new members into our Shrine. New membership must be the most important business of every Shriner and every Unit and Club.

Check out the Parade schedule and march with your Unit that day. Events such as these put the Shriners and our support of our KIDS and Hospital services out in the public eye.



Sunday, August 21 6:30am - 1:00pm

Fort Wayne International Airport

Aviation Hangar 1003

10501 10th St East of Terminal

PUBLIC INVITED

Bring your Friends and Family for a good breakfast and a great cause. Net proceeds donated to Shriners Hospitals for Children.

Unit News

Director Staff

They are grandparents and grandchildren, and roving teens.

They arrive early to claim their places along the parade route. They set up lawn chairs, or pull their wheelchairs close to the curb, or invite friends to join them on their porches.

They think they have the best seat in the house, but we might disagree. We are the Shriners who take our message to towns small and smaller. We drive our tractors or our floats. We see an entire community one block and one observer at a time. We wear our unit and club shirts as we return their smiles and hear their cheers. We think we have the best view in town.

As the Mizpah Shrine Directors Staff, we believe we have the best view of all. We see veterans salute. We watch as spectators rise from their comfy chairs as our unit marches past. We know that their respect is directed not toward us, but toward the huge symbol that we are honored to present.

Three distinct colors meet in perfect order on that symbol. It measures 20-feet by 30-feet. It boasts 13 stripes and 50 stars. Somehow those numbers add up to one distinct message.

And it takes 20 healthy Shriners to keep it from sagging toward the pavement or flapping in a brisk wind.

Though the Directors Staff enjoys that privilege, we know that others would enjoy that privilege, too. We invite other clubs and individuals to help us put 20 Shriners at 20 heavy handles. We will wear our brown, striped unit shirts. You may wear the colors of any club you choose to represent. The colors around the flag need not match. It's the flag itself that matters.

We not only welcome help, but most sincerely request your help. We're talking about just one parade: Columbia City, 6 p.m. Saturday, June 25. Would you be part of that project? If so, email Garth Snow at garthsnow231@gmail.com. I will get back to you with details.

If we have more than 20 Shriners, we can take turns with those 20 handles. We can march behind the flag. We will figure it out. It would be a wonderful problem to have.

We have more parades on the calendar. For the moment, though, we're talking about putting all our energy into this parade. We will prove that it can be done, show that it can be fun, and deal with one parade at a time. Families will be lining up at curbside before you know it. The dignity and camaraderie of the Shriners will shape those spectators' impressions of the Shrine and of its mission. Please help us to give the best possible impression.

And enjoy the view.

Khyber Gun Club

Greetings Nobles:

We wish to thank Jackie Dever for the wonderful Gumbo she prepared for the March meeting. Shrimp, sausage and pheasant make a wonderful combination, when prepared by a wonderful chef that understands our needs.

The first two trap shoots are history and we hope to have good weather for the remainder of the year. Come and shoot a round with us each third (3) Tuesday until cold weather sets in. All Nobles and friends are welcome, loaner guns along with ammo at reasonable prices are available. Fellowship and advice are also part of the enjoyment.

We wish to welcome new members Greg Colelli and Rudy Mahara to the group. We don't know if they can shoot, but do fit right in at eating and talking.

The June meeting will be Tuesday June 28 in the Lounge at 7:00. Eating and talking start at 6:00, followed by the business meeting.

Fraternally

Jim Crawford, Secretary

Pokagon SC

The Pokagon Shrine Club hosted a successful 5th Annual Meet & Greet this spring with nearly sixty Masons, Shriners and guests including nine prospective Masons in attendance. Some of the prospective Masons have submitted petitions to local lodges and are beginning their Masonic journey.

A big Thank You to the doctors, medical staff and Pokagon Club members who helped with the patient screening held at Cameron Hospital on April 9th.

We are working on plans for the SHRINE PARADE to be held on July 9 in FREMONT. It will be held on Saturday during the Music Fest event (in Fremont not in Angola as previously announced!) Coordinator contact info, unit staging and oasis details will be available soon.

The POKAGON GOLF OUTING will be held on Thursday, July 21 at Zollner Golf Course in Angola with dinner following at the Angola Moose Lodge. 12:30pm registration and 1:00pm tee time. Contact Mike Hagedwood (260) 316-1257 for information or to register your team. Shriners and non-Shriners are welcome.

Again, please keep our active and reserve military personnel at home and around the world in your thoughts and prayers!

Fraternally,

Ron Sullins, Pokagon President

Unit News

Horse Patrol

Our LNO to honor our Ladies and keep us together has been very well attended and April's, sponsored by Bob and Sue Dumford at Sleepy Owl, Syracuse was no different. May's and the last planned for the season was back to Brevins in Busco hosted by Bill and Margert Kintzel. No more are planned as Capt. John V will have us busy with Charity Horse Show, Parades and Drill practices.

Pres. Bill had us busy at May meeting, first he thanked Fisherman Trent Smith for some delicious Blue-gills for our meal and John V and Justin Smith for getting new lights to install with our soon to be installed new ceiling. He also welcomed Pote Jerry and guest Kevin Keister, from spring ceremonial class, who we elected as a riding member along with non rider member Bob Boylan and returning member Steve Schwenn who rode with us in the pass. Kevin and Lady Linda will join us with his Bay Horse "ARLO" and is looking to find a Palomino. Kevin works at Montech as a Repair Tech on electrical, pneumatic and mechanical items. He and Trent Smith will be FNG's this year. We also added some Honorary Members, Jack Dever and John Coleman for the outstanding work they do at the Charity Horse Show, Jack as Treasurer and John for help on grounds. Also Guilford Cline, Davy Durnell, and Bob Nichols all as past Riders, Bob was elected Post-mortem as the Black Camel made his visit to call him home. Our deepest sympathy and condolence to Lady Carroll (Nile) and his Lovely Family and many friends. Bob was very dedicated to the Patrol and Horse Show for many years. May he find the easy trails up above.

Horse Show Chairman's John VanVoorst and Bob Dumford wishes to thank all who helped with the Program Book adds and sponsorships and in advance to all who attended and helped on June 18 and 19 at the show. With all the work on the Arena and some good weather we have HIGH HOPES for a great show and a nice check for the Hospital. We have a very good show bill of classes and should have lots of horses. Bring your family, friends and kids to enjoy ~ see you there.

Happy Trails
~~ Ray Giant ~~

Antique Power Club

Dear Nobles:

The weather is finally breaking and the tractors have been hitting the fields. Parade season will soon be upon us, Parade Marshal John B. has been working hard to line up this year's parade schedule as follows.

2016 Parades Antique Power & Corvettes Club

June 18th– Huntington Parade

June 25th – Old Settlers Columbia City
(Temple Parade)

July 7, 8, 9th – Arcola Days & Parade

July 9th Fremont (Temple Parade)

August 1 St Pierceton

August 6th - North Manchester

August 20th Wabash (Temple Parade)

August 13th – Tractor Drive

August – APC Picnic

September 17th – Sportsman Raffle

September 8, 9, 10th – GLSA

September 20th – Bluffton Street Fair Corvette's

September 22th- Bluffton Antique Power

October 24th – Decatur

The APC has also been working on this year's fundraising efforts. The club will be raffling off a 1953 Super C and Yeti cooler, during this year's tractor drive. The tractor drive will take place on August 13th and will start at Gobbler's Retreat south of Columbia City, there will be a stop at Rupley Farm Equipment and finish up at Noble Steve S. farm near South Whitley.

For those interesting in getting involved in the APC, Get with any of the members or please come to our next meeting on May 23rd at Crossroads Restaurant near Columbia City on the corner of state route 9 and 14. Justin Klingler, VP

Mizmur Scooter Patrol

Nobles

I want to use this newsletter to thank all the members that keep our club going The Mizmur Scooter Patrol has been riding in parades since 1969 and we still have a few of the older riders with us. Gary Sherritze has been a line leader for over twenty five years and to keep this group in line is quite an accomplishment a big thank you goes out to Gary. We also need to thank noble Gene Heiny because with out him working on our scooters, Van, and trailer we could not keep all this running. Noble Gene is always there for us and works very hard on our equipment. Thanks Gene for all you do for us I know we do not thank you enough. And a special thank you to all our lady's for all the support at the parades. I have always felt that it take our ladies to keep us in line. I just can't thank this club enough for keeping the Shrine out in the public eye and entertaining all the kids at the parades.

7 Thank You
Bob



Unit News

Clowns

Dear Smile Buddies,

The Clowns have been busy since the last meeting and it looks like May and June will be more of the same!

Our thanks to Sambo and his son who have been diligent in their efforts to get the canon trailer ready for the clown circus skit next year. They have repainted, repaired and even changed a new tire.

Smiley supported the Angola mini-clinic. He said there were four patients.

Smiley, Patches, Inky and Klem attended the April 16, 2016 Ceremonial. Patches got a chance to talk to the candidates and encouraged them to be a clown.

My thanks to Patches for supporting the Earth Day Celebration, April 25, 2016 at Parkview Field on such short notice. He dressed out and made about 150 balloon sculptures.

It is with sadness that we say goodbye to our Vice-President, Fuzzy. Because of other obligations, he will no longer be able to perform these duties. This does leave us in a crunch to have enough officers present to open a meeting. With Sambo, our President working all sorts of crazy shifts on the railroad, this sometimes leaves us without the President or the Vice-President to be able to conduct business. For the interim (until an election can be held and since Sambo will not be able to attend the May meeting), Sambo has appointed Patches to acting VP. It was also decided at the last meeting that the by-laws need to be changed so that either the secretary or the treasurer can also open a regularly scheduled meeting to conduct business. Lucky Lewey sent out a proposed changes via email to start the by-laws change process.

As always, we are looking for a few good men to become a clown and make others smile.

Until next article, Smile and “bump a nose”.

Joe “Lucky Lewey” Jenckes



Flying Shriners

True Airspeed: Are You a Pilot?? Are You A Mizpah Shriner?? -“BOTH” - Then YOU are NEEDED in the Flying Shriners -Mizpah Wing!! Yes!! We are Active. Please contact us.

We Meet at The Shrine Center of Mizpah for Lunch at 12:00 Noon on the 2nd Wednesday of the month. Then retire to a private room for a short meeting, Hanger Flying and playing cards.

Shriners: Fred Diehl, Gregory J Colelli, John Studler, Don Dohner, Gary Laub and David L. Lane attended, worked and played Euchre in a Tournament Sponsored by The Flying Shriners – Mizpah Wing. The Tournament was hosted by The Butler, Indiana Eagles #2733, April 30th 2016. 12:30 pm -- Dinner was available with a free-will-donation. Euchre Started at 1:30 pm, with a \$10. Per Player Charge. Shriner John Studler must have played the hardest because He won the tournament with an unheard of score of 70 points!! Yes that was for 8 hands in 8 games!! I guess it was a good thing He was not keeping score!! Don Dohner displayed His 6 foot Fezzy Teddy Bear wearing a Flying Shriner Fez and a sign offering a Free Flying Shriner Baseball Cap for a donation of \$50. Or more. Fred Diehl and Don Dohner staffed the Entrance table to answer questions about The Shriners and Masonry. Petitions for Degrees of Masonry, Scottish Rite, York Rite and Mizpah Shrine were available and on display. Don and Fred were also selling Sportsman Raffle Tickets and Baseball Hats for The Class Directors. Gregory J Colelli will be presenting a check to the Mizpah Shrine Transportation Fund in the amount of Six Hundred Eighty Five Dollars (\$685.00)

Do you have Your Share of Sportsman Raffle Tickets Sold?? Pick More !! Easy to Sell !!

Summer Parades—Watch Your E-Mail for the Parades that Our Unit will be attending. PARADE BANNERS ARE HERE!!

Please attend the meetings and help with the projects. We Need You!!

Missing Members We have a few missing members and we need your contact information. Please contact us at lanerealty@hughes.net and/or (260) 908-4899 -- P.O. Box 367, Butler, IN 46721

David L. Lane, President

Unit News

Bagpipers

Dear Bagpipe Fans,

The lull should be over soon and we will be busy during the summer. It is always a little bit of a letdown after St Patrick's Day because we have been so "pumped up about playing, having people applaud our efforts and yes, even seeing our usual St Pat's groupies.

April has been spent getting ready for May and June. Dick has been trying to get us ready for the Potentate's Ball (we are to play for the entrance of the Divan), Greg is still driving us hard, Brad still amazes us with his snare drumming and Bobby continues to try to make sure we are all in tune.

Later in May, we have a gig performing for a friend's daughter's college graduation party. This is almost a return gig since we were honored to play at her high school graduation party! It's nice to have people who want to hear us more than once.

Mark and his wife are doing much better on the road to recovery, but now we will be missing Scott for a while. He had to go in to have his jaw broken so that the dentist could reset it. He will be sore for a while and it is doubtful that we will have him playing with us for at least part of the summer. He is an excellent piper and we will sorely miss him.

June has a Shrine parade and a wedding. Yes, Goose is getting married. We have met his fiance (Dawn) and she is quite a catch. We are happy for both of them and look forward to playing at the ceremonies.

Well, enough for now. Remember, if you want to join us and share in the camaraderie, we give lessons on the pipes and we are always looking for drummers. Just talk to any of the members or show up on Wednesday night around 7:00 pm.

Joe Jenckes
Bard

Class Directors

The Class Directors Meet in our private room at 7:00pm on The Second Tuesday of the month at Mizpah Temple. Many visit Mildred's Lounge for Dinner and Camels Milk before the meeting.

We are looking for new Class Directors. You will love the job!! Just ask one to be one again!!

The Class Directors were represented by Don Dohner, Fred Diehl and David L. Lane at a Euchre Tournament Hosted by The Butler Eagles #2733 and Sponsored By The Flying Shriners – Mizpah Wing. Masonic Hats were sold, Sportsman Raffle Tickets were sold. Petitions were available for The Shrine, Scottish Rite, York Rite and Blue Lodge. We also were there to answer questions about Our Craft.
Become a Class Director.

Fred Diehl, Director

Hillbilly Clan #95

The April Hillbilly meetin was a good time with a real good turnout. We had us a gift auction and raffle to raise a little fundsfer the kids. We was dark in May, cuz of the right fancy Potentate's ball.

The Mongolian Stir Fry, was goin to bedurin the June meetin, but the Kriders' have requested a postponement and will be hostin the big event at the August meetin. Dave and Becky Bockelman have been nice enuf to take on hostin the meetin at 6:00 PM on June 11 at their bodaciouslypurty home, back by the woods. It's real nice and might even make ya lonesome fer the hills.

Dave and Becky are plannin on havin a good ole 'carny night', which means we deep fry lots of different vittles just like at a carnival. You kinfolk may bring a dish to share or you may bring somethin to deep fry. What can you deep fry? Well, just about anythin will work: chicken, egg rolls, Crab Rangoon, onion rings, any shape tater, fish, shrimp, hotdogs, pork, beef, meat balls, mushrooms, vegetables, dill pickles, jalapeno poppers, cheese, snickers, Oreo cookies, Twinkies, Scottish eggs, and fruit. If you wanna try somethin deep fried, then bring it. Anything goes. Breadin and oil will be provided, but if your item requires special breadin, you might want to do it beforehand or bring that breadin along.

We will be holdin initiations that evenin too. So if you know of any one that would like to join up, please bring 'em with ya. It is a great time to show any newcomers what kind of fun we kinfolk have. Dave and Becky's address is 3745 N 550E Columbia City, IN. If you get lost in the hills of Whitley County, jist call Dave B. at 260-750-0374.

If you have any questions about hillbilly stuff in general, call Pa at 260-705-4973 or email johnnyappleseed95@hotmail.com.

Hope to see all of ya at the party!
Pa and Ma Smith.

Unit News

Legion of Honor

At our last meeting Wayne Ithier gave reports on the Color Guard and the VA

Ron Buskirk gave report on Indiana Masonic Home and the GLSA LOH

Also a discussion on the Sportsman's Raffle

Thanks to all the Clubs and Units for selling Onions this year

A big thank you goes out to Klopfenstein Furniture for donating 4 recliner chairs for the Drivers Lounge at the Shrine Hospital in Chicago, they will be greatly appreciated by all the Van Drivers

For those of you that read my Legion of Honor articles every month with military information. Some may find the articles from interesting to who cares, but here is some more anyway

32 of the 44 Presidents served in the Military

Military Branches Served (some served more than one Branch)

- (14) Served in US Army
- (2) Served in US Army Reserve
- (1) Served in US Army Air Corps
- (2) Served in US Navy
- (4) Served in US Naval Reserve
- (1) Served in Texas Air National Guard
- (1) Served in Connecticut Home Guard
- (2) Served in New York State Militia
- (1) Served in Illinois State Militia
- (1) Served in Pennsylvania State Militia
- (2) Served in Tennessee State Militia
- (4) Served in Virginia Militia
- (2) Served in Continental Army
- (1) Served in Virginia regiment

(Foot note for a LOH member, there was never a Marine that become president)

Presidents Ranks

- (1) General of the Armies
- (2) General of the Army
- (5) Major General
- (4) Brigadier General
- (5) Colonel
- (2) Commander
- (2) Major
- (1) Lieutenant Commander
- (1) Brevet Major
- (3) Captain
- (4) Lieutenant
- (1) Private
- (1) No Rank

2nd Lt. Commander
Roger Beck

Yoshi

Greetings. Although I was not able to attend the Easter party I was told that it was a big hit buy those who did. It sounded like we had just enough food and prizes to keep everyone happy. A big Thank You goes out to the Yoshi members and their wives who helped put this together. The Easter Party is a shrine and family event, I'm sure if we wanted to open it to the public like the Christmas party we would fill the shrine. There is always room to grow both with members and family.

Yoshi don't forget to be selling those bags of onions. 10lbs for \$10.95 contact Dave Bowman with your order. The onions should be here early May. Please keep Dave posted on your number of bags sold so that he can commit to an accurate number to Ron Harruff (aka Mr. Onion!). Our club receives \$1.25 per bag sold and we usually donate the \$500.00 we make from the sale right back to the transportation fund! Thanks in advance for your support!

Let's talk fish! Our kids fishing derby will be June 4th in Columbia City. Joe Simon will be our host for this event and it should be a lot of fun, everyone is invited. We will be serving lunch and giving prizes away for fishing. The DNR will be putting on a presentation for us as well. Come on out and enjoy the day with us.

Event date: June 4, 2016

Event time: 10:00am

Place: 2050 S. Wolf Rd. Columbia City. 46725

The Gentle Giants made an appearance at the Tin caps stadium for Arbor Day. Thanks to Fuzzy (Sean) for making that happen. The kids loved him.



Unit News

Hospital Unit

Mizpah Vettes

Warmer weather is finally here which signals that the Vettes parade season is about to start, with our first parade scheduled for Huntington on June 18th. The Vette Club has participated in this parade every year since we were organized. This is a good way to kick off our parade season as this is one of the larger parades we participate in and draws a large crowd of spectators. The Vettes at this point have scheduled ten parades and probably will add additional appearances as the season progresses. Our membership has grown to a level that will allow us to have members indicate some of the parades they can't make and still have sufficient unit numbers to make a good showing.

Special thanks go to Noble Bob Kisner for putting together our Ladies night dinner party in April at the Charley Creek Inn Wabash. Thirteen Nobles and their Ladies toured the restored hotel and enjoyed dinner at the Twenty Restaurant after.

It appears that we dropped the ball and failed to get the necessary changes in officers and members in the 2016 Mizpah Directory. I have listed the new members and their ladies in prior ALLAH BI articles, however the change in officers hasn't been noted, so here they are for 2016. President, Dee Byerly; Vice President, Larry Freeman; Secretary/Treasurer, Mike Craig; Parade Marshal, John Brandon; and Chaplain, Emory Bryan Jr., 33.

That's it for now, happy cruising.
Dee Byerly, Pres.

Mizpah Car Club

Fellow Noble's,
It has been a while since the Car Club has written to you. Since our last article, we have changed our name from 'Antique Car Club' to 'Car Club'. The thought behind the change was to encourage and invite more Nobels to find a group where they could get involved.

Without the restriction of 'Antique' in our by-laws we hope you will take another look at and consider joining the 'Car Club'. For those who aren't sure what we do, our main fund raiser is the annual Car Show, and we support as many Shrine functions as we can: Parades, Circus, Gun Raffle, Potentate's special activities etc. Our dues are \$20 annually. To be a 'voting member' you must have an approved car or truck.

Please consider this a personal invitation for all Nobels to attend the 2016 Lawton Park Car Show hosted by the Mizpah Shrine Car Club. The show will be held July 16th (rain or shine) in Lawton Park (1900 S Clinton St, Fort Wayne) from 9am to 2pm. The show is an open show, all cars and trucks are welcome.

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We've talked of taking our meetings on the road. Well, by the time you read this article, we will have met in Lagrange for our May meeting.

Would you like to be a member of the Hospital Unit?? We are always seeking more Hospital Unit members. Contact our secretary, Doug Brouwer. Phone: 260-672-3072. E-mail: brouwerdr@aol.com. Dues are \$10 a year.

Upcoming hospital screening clinics. Spread the word!!!!
June 11 – Marion, 1 pm to 3 pm
July 16 – Columbia City, 1- 3pm, Whitley Co Parkview
August 5 – Monroe
August 5 - Transportation Fundraiser – Monroe
October 1 – Fort Wayne, 1 – 3pm, Parkview, N Campus
Share with families know that our very own Shrine Clowns will be at the clinics to greet the children.

Fraternally,
Doug Brouwer, Hospital Unit Secretary

If you pre-register (by June 30th) it is only \$10, \$15 if after June 30th. We would love to see our Brothers with their Corvettes or Convertibles but all are welcome to participate and or help support the show. (There are plenty of activities for all to do)

To spice up the awards, this year we are offering \$100 to the best represented car club. If you have a car or truck or just enjoy remembering the cars and trucks of yesteryear, please consider supporting the show, or just stop by and show your support by enjoying those who are displaying their cars.

If you would like a flier for the show, please contact Tom Lehman (260) 403-6849 or Jim Coe (260 410-5345)

Unit News

Whitley Co - Giant Fez

The dough has been made. The Elephant Ear season is fast approaching and now all we will need is help. Turtle Days and Old Settlers Days are back to back this year. It makes things a little more stressing without a break in between the events. However, year after year Nobles and Ladies have stepped up to the plate when needed. I cannot stress it enough that it would be greatly appreciated if you would call President Bill Auer and have your name put on the list to work. The number to call is 260-740-1314. Thanking you in advance for your participation.

We will be in the Old Settlers Day parade on Saturday, June 25th. Immediately after the parade we will gather at the Shrine Horse Grounds for an Oasis in honor of our Illustrious Sir, Potentate Jerry Freewalt.

As a reminder, we will not have a meeting in June because of the two events we will be attending.

Upcoming Dates:

> No monthly meeting in June

Ken Lundquist

Secretary/Treasurer



Saturday, September 24th
Mizpah Horse Grounds

Start planning now to enter your BEST chili recipe!
More details to come in the next Allah Bi.



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<h1>June</h1>			1 Shrine Stated Session Dinner 6:15pm Little 500 serve Mtg 7pm Bagpipers	2 Horse Patrol	3	4 Class Director Golf Outing Kid's Fishing Derby
5	6 Chanters	7	8 Bagpipers Flying Shriners Kosciusko SC LaGrange SC Randolph SC	9 2017 Trip Meeting 6:30pm LOH	10	11 Screening Clinic - Marion 1-3pm Hillbillys
12	13 Chanters Directors Staff	14 Nile Supreme Class Directors Mizmur SC	15 Nile Supreme Bagpipers Hospital Unit Jay Co SC Pokagon SC Etna Acres Golf	16 Nile Supreme Elkhart SC Mizpah Golf Outing - Eagle Glen	17 Nile Supreme	18 Nile Supreme HORSE SHOW
19 Nile Supreme HORSE SHOW	20 Chanters Mizpah Vettes Yoshi	21	22 Bagpipers Eel River SC Hapzim Media Unit	23 Blackford SC	24	25 Columbia City Parade
26	27 APC Car Club Chanters	28 Calliopers Clowns Khyber Gun	29 Bagpipers Wabash SC	30		

<h1>July</h1>					1	2
3 Imperial	4 Imperial 4th of July Holiday - Office Closed	5 Imperial	6 Imperial Bagpipers	7 Imperial Horse Patrol	8	9 Fremont Parade Hillbillys
10 Nile Supreme Queen Visit / Banquet	11 Chanters Directors Staff	12 Class Directors Mizmur SC	13 Bagpipers Flying Shriners Kosciusko SC LaGrange SC Randolph SC	14 LOH Ladies Golf Outing - Eel River	15	16 Screening Clinic - Columbia City 1-3pm
17	18 Chanters Mizpah Vettes Yoshi Van Scheduler Mtg 6:30pm	19	20 Bagpipers Hospital Unit Jay Co SC Pokagon SC	21 Elkhart SC BINGO 6pm	22	23
24/31	25 APC Car Club Chanters	26 Calliopers Clowns Khyber Gun	27 Bagpipers Eel River SC Hapzim Media Unit Wabash SC	28 Blackford SC Whitley Co SC	29	30 Berne Parade

The Nobles and their Ladies listed for the various areas drove Mizpah Shrine Vans transporting patients and their parents to Chicago or Cincinnati

Fort Wayne

13 Trips to Chicago
1 Trips to Cincinnati
18 Patients

Drivers:

Doug Brouwer	Ed Howard
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Bob Evers	Chuck Notter
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Phil Hoopingartner	John VanVoorst
	Jerry Willman

Noble Co

7 Trips to Chicago
1 Trip to Lutheran
10 Patient

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Roger Allen	Lee Chrisman
Jim Boone	Tom & Karen Culler
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Richard Brunjes	Bob Evers
Bob Dumford	Hal Harting

LaGrange/Steuben

6 Trips to Chicago
7 Patient

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John Wilhelm
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2 Patient

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Roy Eib
Steve Kellogg
Gene Woolard

Elkhart Co

5 Trips to Chicago
5 Patient

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Jake & Terry Dermott
Wm & Wanda Roose

Mizpah Van Schedulers

Elkhart

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Bill Roose - 574-361-7922

Fort Wayne Area

Jerry Willman - 260-483-4226
Chuck Notter - 260-799-4168

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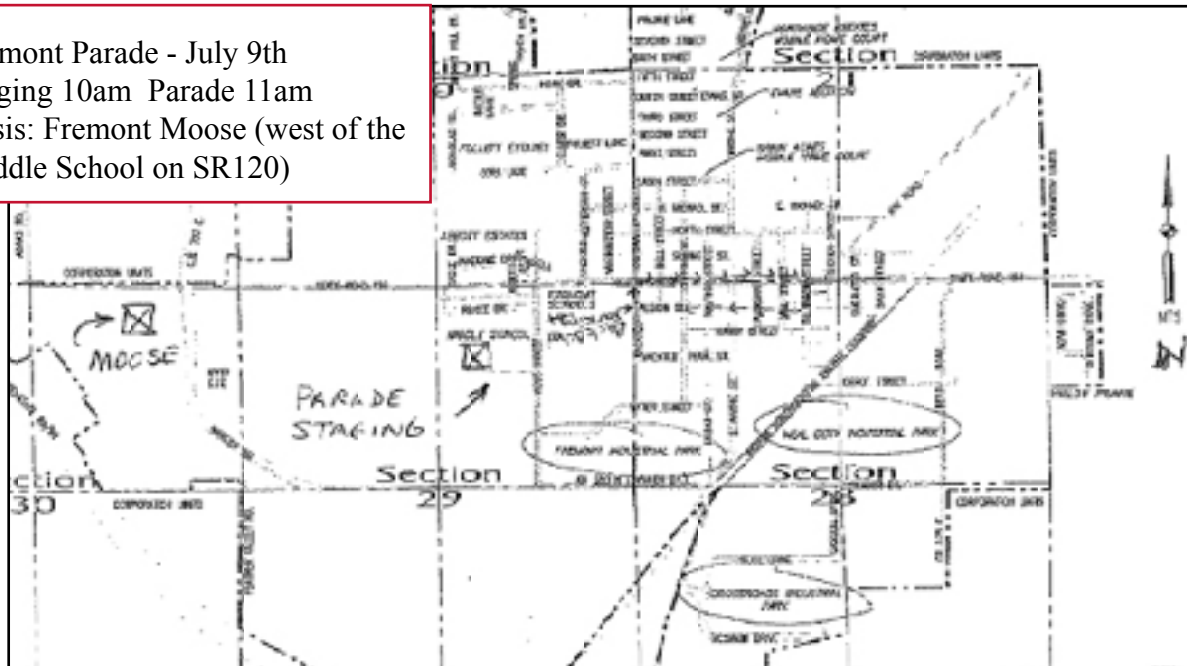
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Don Shively - 260-833-4884
Jim Boss - 260-350-8302
Chuck Miller - 260-854-2964

Noble Co

Terry Bradner - 574-457-6441

Fremont Parade - July 9th
Staging 10am Parade 11am
Oasis: Fremont Moose (west of the Middle School on SR120)



For a full size copy of the parade route map, please call the Mizpah Shrine office 260-426-4543



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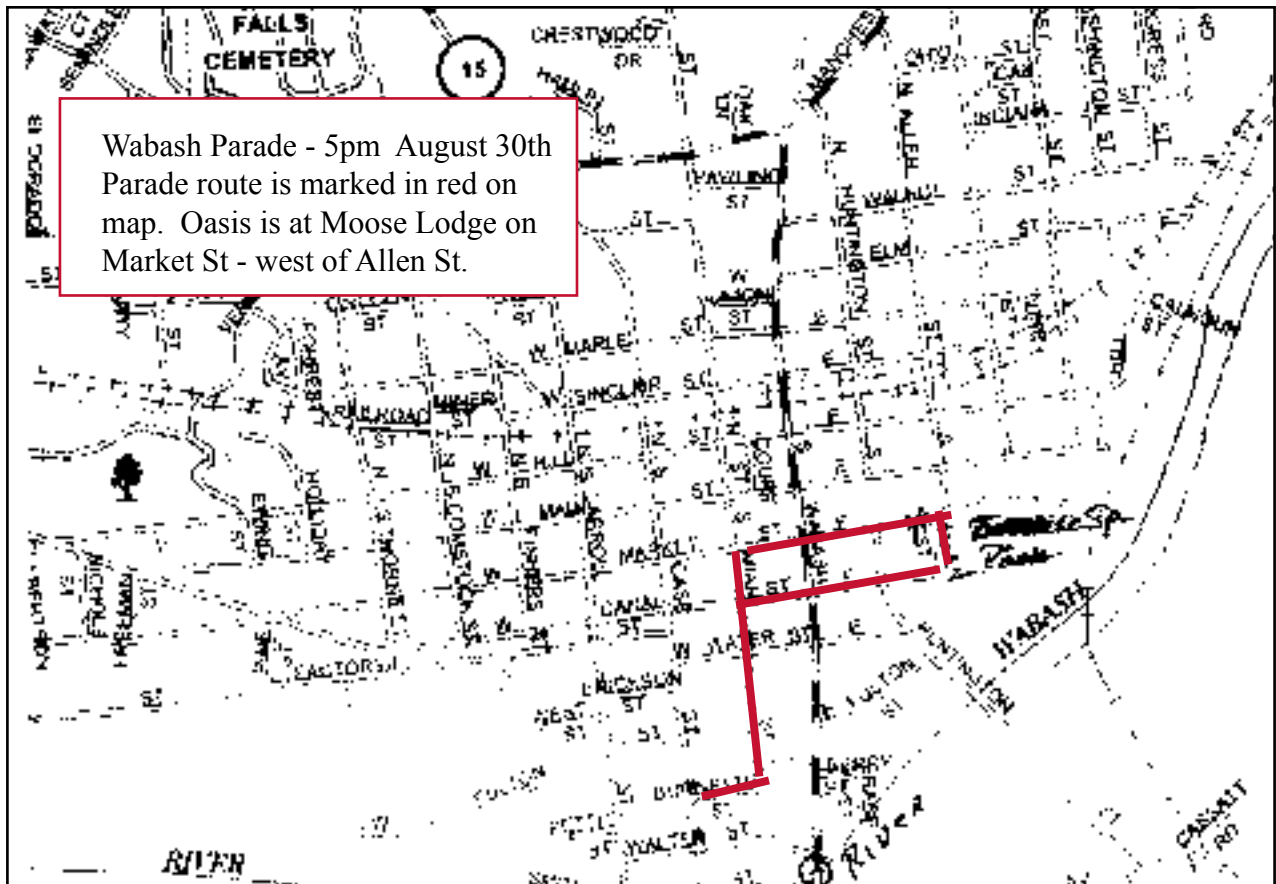
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Mizpah Shrine

Annual

Golf Outing

Thursday, June 16, 2016

Eagle Glen Golf Course

125 S. Eagle Glen Trail

Columbia City, IN 46725

Registration Starting — 12:00 Noon

Shotgun Start — 1:00 P.M.



Four Man Scramble—\$60.00 Per Man

*** Includes ***

**18 Holes of Golf & Cart*

**Free Gift*

**Three Beverage Tickets*

** Rib and Chicken Dinner*

Registration Form

(Please submit by June 10)

1st Golfer's Name _____

2nd Golfer's Name _____

3rd Golfer's Name _____

4th Golfer's Name _____

Send Registrations to: brooks.targgart@lfg.com or drtarggart@embarqmail.com

For more Information Contact

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July 16th 9:00 – 2:00

Rain or Shine

Awards at 2:00pm

\$100 Cash – Best of Show
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Email questions to: MizpahShrineCarClub@yahoo.com

Or contact: Tom Lehman 260 403-6849

Jim Coe 260 410-5345

Preregistration is \$10.00 and is due by July 1st. After July 1st, registration fee \$15.00

Mail Name, Cell #, Address, Email, Make, Year, Model and payment to:

Mizpah Shrine Car Club

1015 Memorial Way

Fort Wayne, IN 46805

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Columbia City Old Settler's Day Parade June 25th, 2016

Meet at Columbia City High School
600 N Whitley St.

Columbia City, IN 46725

Staging- 4:30 pm

Parade Start- 6:00 pm



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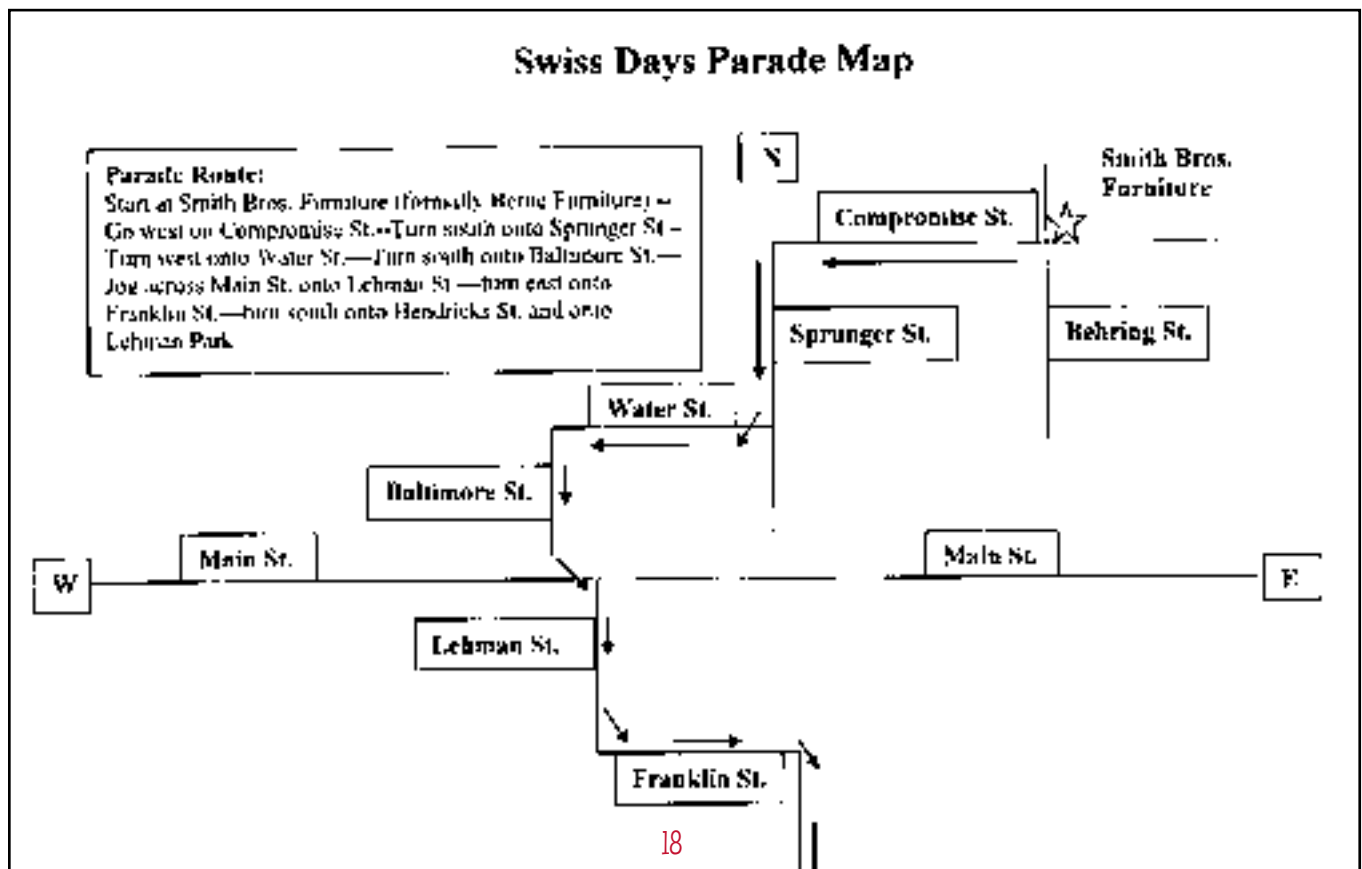
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Mizpah Shrine Golf Outing for Ladies



Eel River Golf Course
1265 North 950 East
Churubusco, IN 46723

(260) 693.3464

Thursday, July 14, 2016

Rain or Shine - Shotgun start at 8:30 am

Registration deadline: July 8, 2016

Cost \$50.00 per person

Entry fee includes green fees, cart, lunch and
lots of fun! Open to all Lady Golfers



List your team members below:

Name

Phone #

Name

Phone #

Name

Phone #

Name

Phone #

All proceeds benefit the Mizpah Transportation Fund

Please complete the registration form and mail with your check to:
Mizpah Shrine, 1015 Memorial Way, Fort Wayne IN 46805



POKAGON SHRINE GOLF OUTING



**1215 Park Avenue
Angola, IN 46703
260-665-4269**

WHEN: Thursday- July 21, 2016
12:30 P.M. Registration
1:00 Shot Gun Start

WHERE: Zollner Golf Course- Angola, IN

COST: \$70.00 Per Person (Includes golf, cart, dinner, & beverages)
\$18.00 Per Person (Non-golfer dinner)
Dinner following golf at the Angola Moose (108 N. Martha St.)

Format: Four Person Florida Scramble

Hole Sponsors: \$50.00 _____

#1 Name _____ **Phone** _____

#2 Name _____ **Phone** _____

#3 Name _____ **Phone** _____

#4 Name _____ **Phone** _____

Entries by July 18, 2016 to:

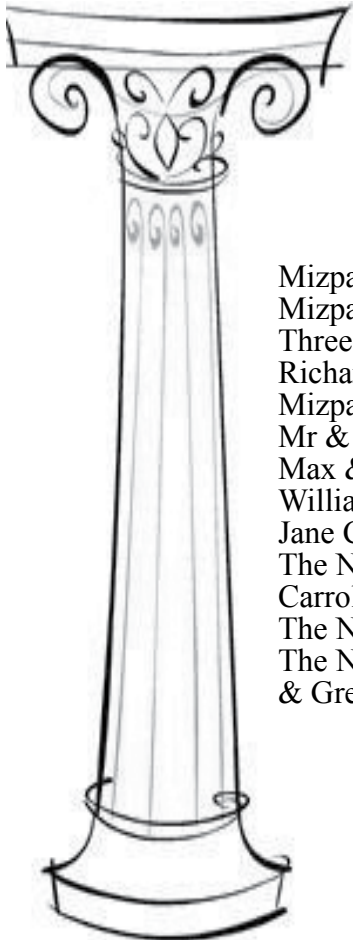
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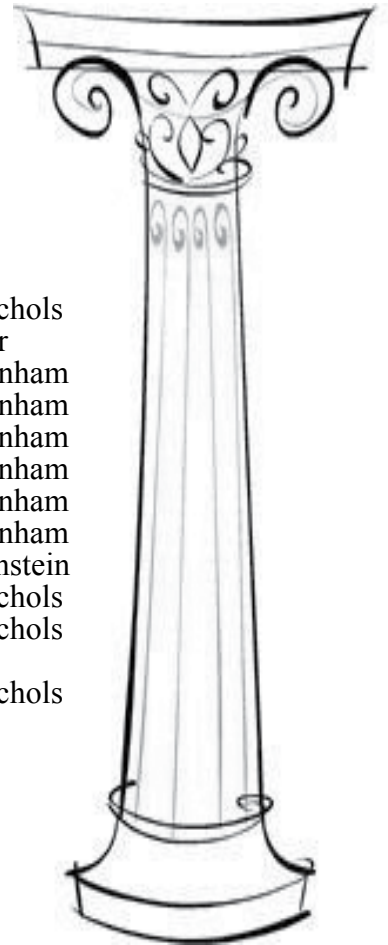


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Black Camel - April 2016

Not how did he die, but how did he live?
 Not what did he gain, but what did he give?
 These are the units to measure the worth
 Of a man as a man, regardless of birth.
 Not, what was his church, nor what was his creed?
 But had he befriended those really in need?
 Was he ever ready, with word of good cheer,
 To bring back a smile, to banish a tear?
 Not what did the sketch in the newspaper say,
 But how many were sorry when he passed away.

Noble	Age	Yrs of Svc
Walter W Bonham, Jr	79	32
Jeffrey D Kirk	62	15
Roger W McKinney	74	34
Robert L Nichols	86	47
Ralph E Schwind	90	65



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