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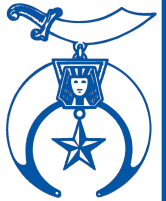
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OCTOBER 2016



## *Al Bahr Shrine Fall Ceremonial Honoring*

### *Charlie Webb*

San Diego Scottish Rite Center  
1895 Camino del Rio South, San Diego

### *Friday, October 21st*

6:00 PM Dinner

7:00 PM Scottish Rite Classroom Session

### *Saturday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>*

7:00 AM to 9:00 AM Breakfast Buffet

6:30 AM to 7:45 AM Shrine Novice Check in

7:45 AM Balloting on New Shrine Members

## **SHRINE CEREMONIAL**

8:00 AM to 9:30 AM

Golden Eagle Auditorium

### *Scottish Rite Degrees*

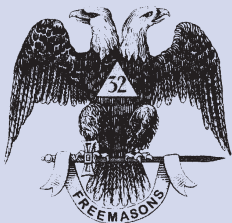
10:00 AM to 5:15 PM

5:30 PM Social Time

6:00 PM Banquet

Family & Friends Invited

(Reservations required for the banquet 858.292.0092)



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Outer Guard .....	Tom Maltman
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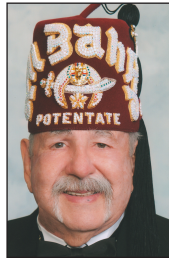
Monday - Friday 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM

OFFICE CLOSED - OCTOBER 10<sup>TH</sup>

COLUMBUS DAY

**Upcoming Shrine Center  
Public Events**

Oct 2 <sup>nd</sup> - 3 <sup>rd</sup> .....	Dor Hadash Holy Days
Oct 7 <sup>th</sup> - 8 <sup>th</sup> .....	Powpex Stamp show and sale
Oct 10 <sup>th</sup> .....	San Diego Creative Stitchery
Oct 11 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup> .....	Dor Hadash Holy Days
Oct 16 .....	Bedouin Bazaar
.....	Stamps4less Show & Sale
Oct 17 <sup>th</sup> .....	Canyon Quilters
Oct 19 <sup>th</sup> .....	Tierra Del Sol 4X4 Wheel Club

**Potentate's Message**

Nobles and Ladies,

Here it is October and fall is in the air. I cannot believe that this year is three fourths over. Your participation in our events since the beginning of the year has been tremendous. I hope you have had as much fun participating, as "Team 16" has had making things happen. I know the leaders of our

Shrine are diligently making plans to move Al Bahr forward and I would hope that they get the same great support that you have shown this year. I do not mean to make it sound like I am done, because we are not, in fact we are headed into a very busy part of the year both within and outside the Shrine.

On October 1<sup>st</sup> the Director's Staff and Yacht club will be holding their annual Oktoberfest with lots of good German food and drink. This fun event will be held at the Shrine Center and will start at 4:30PM. Tickets are available from any Director's Staff or Yacht Club member. On Saturday the 15<sup>th</sup> the Legion of Honor will hold their annual Chili Cookoff in the Red Fez room, it will start at 11:00AM, see your Legion members for tickets.

There will be a Masonic Information Night held at the Scottish Rite Center on Wednesday October 12<sup>th</sup>. This will be a great opportunity to introduce your friends, neighbors or co-workers to our fraternity. Al Bahr will be holding their fall Ceremonial at the Scottish Rite Center on Saturday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> at 8:00AM. Our Ritualistic Cast works very hard and does a great job, but remember the most important participants in our Ceremonials are the candidates. That's where we all come in. Attend your Lodge, share our story with your Brothers. Remember it's all about the Kids that need our help.

October 28<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> is the Annual Communication for the Grand Lodge of California. On Sunday the 30<sup>th</sup> I will have the pleasure of presenting the new Grand Master John Heisner with his Al Bahr Grand Masters fez. I hope to see lots of familiar faces there.

November 8<sup>th</sup> is an important date to our Nation. Please get out and vote. Vote for whomever you think can best govern our country, but vote. On November 11<sup>th</sup> we honor our Veterans, it is also the start of our Brawley Parade weekend. Come join us in El Centro, we will kick it off with a great Steak Fry put on by our Imperial Valley Shrine Club. Saturday morning we have the parade followed by a hosted lunch and ice cream social, then the moment everyone has been waiting for, the Al Bahr Annual Float Test for those that aspire to become Oriental Guide. There will be hospitality all weekend and even a rodeo on Saturday night. Come out and join us!

Last but not least, our new sound system project is done and it is great. A special thanks to our Director and Sound Guru Peter Krickhuhn for the many hours he spent making sure it was done right. Our new climate control system is following closely behind thanks to the diligence of Illustrious Sir Don Wierman.

Fraternally,

Lou Hahn

**2017 Dues Notice**

Noble, Please be aware that the 2017 dues notices will once again be mailed from the Shriners International headquarters in Tampa sometime within the next few weeks. Please look out for your statements. Your 2017 dues payment should be sent to Al Bahr Shrine in a timely manner. Following the receipt of your dues payment, that information will be collected by headquarters in Tampa and your 2017 dues card will be mailed to you from Tampa headquarters. We appreciate your cooperation and patience in this process of dues collection.

## Chaplain's Message

Nobles and Ladies,

As we enter the Holiday season here are some questions to ask yourself. What have your experiences brought you in your life? How have they enriched your life? How have you enriched the lives of those around you? What do the Holidays mean to you? I wish you a safe and enjoyable Holiday season.

Abe Ravitch  
Chaplain

## Al Bahr Honored Ladies

Our October meeting will be on Saturday, October 8th, 9:30 AM, at the Al Bahr Shrine Center. Join us for refreshments, the meeting and Mexican Train Dominoes. Our monthly game day is Thursday, October 27th, at 10:00 AM at the Al Bahr Shrine Center. Bring a sandwich or buy a Burger from the Directors' Staff.  
Carol Van Slyke (760) 726-2800



## Past Masters

I attended the Grand Master's Reception on Saturday, September 10th at the Scottish Rite Center. In his after dinner talk, Most Worshipful Perry reminded us of the bravery and tenacity of the first responders in New York who tried to save those unfortunate people in the World Trade Center buildings on September 11, 2001. Many of the first responders also lost their lives. I wonder how many of those at "ground zero" were fellow Freemasons and members of the Shrine, Scottish Rite or York Rite, Tall Cedars of Lebanon, Grotto. How many of the ladies who perished that day belonged to Eastern Star, Amaranth, or were ladies of the White Shrine. I do know that every man and woman who came to their aid that day were heroes... who embodied all that is great with America... the willingness to go above and beyond what is expected of them, to aid their fellow citizens. Being Freemasons, Al Bahr Shriners are like that. You don't have to be a trained professional Fireman, Policeman, Paramedic, or even a member of the Armed Services to be a first responder. When you see a fellow human being in dire need of support, particularly a child... go to him or her and offer assistance, as best you can. You will then wear the mantle of a first responder. God Bless.  
Fraternally, Mike Seiler, President.

## Motorcycle Club

By now many of you have positively responded to a ride and elections for 2017 being held during the Brawly Cattle Call Parade venue in El Centro- Brawley. So it looks like a ride down Friday the 11th of November, lunch and voting. Some of us have made reservations to stay overnight, enjoy the Steak Fry put on by Imperial Valley Shrine Club, go to the Parade and ride home after the lunch provided by the candidate for the Oriental Guide. I'm always open to suggestions to better the Club. For those of you who cannot make this run, we look forward to being and riding with you soon.

Ride Safe  
George Geanoulis



## Sunshine Committee Report

In consideration of recently enacted Federal regulations, we are unable to provide full information on our ill and indisposed members. Please keep these nobles in your prayers. Should you wish to contact one of these members, please call the office for further information.

Andaya, Charlie	Dudley, Kenneth	Markson, Richard	Schoen, Frank
Anderson, John F.	Evans, Jack	Maxwell, E. William	Seith, Rusty
Bechtel, Richard	Hadaway, Fred	McDonald, Jim	Smith, Sidney R.
Benson, James	Hampton, Robert	McGrath, Jim	Stovall, Allen
Berman, Sheldon	Hodge, Carmi	Plastik, Herb	Taylor, George
Boyd, Terry	Huszar, Skip	Rafferty, Alexander	Thorpe, Lewis
Childress, Clyde	Johnston, Doug	Ralph, Marshall	Trapp, Ronald
Condon, Howard	Kellner, Al	Ramos, Roy B.	Vennebush, James J.
Crawford, Jim	Latham, Ernest	Rash, Ronald	Young, Wayne
Crouse, Ray	Lipa, Joseph	Rosemier, Dennis	

## In Memoriam



NAME	BORN	CREATED A SHRINER	ENTERED INTO REST
Gilbert Alm	9/19/50	10/28/89	6/10/16
Christian Engstrom	3/11/89	11/16/13	8/17/16
E. William Maxwell	3/22/30	12/24/80	8/5/16

A memorial contribution to the Shrine Hospital Transportation fund has been made in memory of our members listed above

## Vote November 8th

As Rosh Hashana is celebrated, we wish our Jewish Brethren & their families a Happy & Healthy New Year

## Rancho Bernardo Shrine Club

The September dinner meeting was well attended and we look forward to the October 20th social and dinner at Athens Cafe. Remember to set aside Thursday November 17th for the Club's Anniversary Party at Carvers Steak House in Rancho Bernardo. Look for full details by mid-October.

Don Heath, President

## Donations and Remembrances from our Members and Friends

### Shrine Hospital Transportation Fund Donations

In Honor of Lou Hahn's 75th Birthday:  
Drum & Bugle Corps of Al Bahr

In Memory of Honorio "Chico the Bandido" Alvarez:  
Charlie & Beatriz Andaya

### Shriners Hospital for Children's Donations

William Magnum

### Pillar of the Temple Donations

Wilcox Estate

Fred Meinken Estate

Hello Ladies,

I would like to take one more moment and express my deepest appreciation to all who helped make our Mad Hatter Tea a ROYAL success. There are so many to thank! Our directors Staff did amazing bigger than life Mad Hatter, Card Guards, Cheshire Cat, Directional signs and even a beautiful rabbit hole to walk through to the tea party. Thank you ALL. This tea could not have been done without the direction and talent of our own Past First Lady Shirley Wierman, her amazing ability to imagine and put together things leaves me speechless! Thank you to Lady Angela Forney who's calmness in the kitchen and organizational skills are awesome! All our Divan Lady's and others who worked so hard to put this all together: donated the food, set the tables (with real china, everyone!!), sold our Mad Hatter hats and made sure everyone was having fun, thanks so much. Also, can't forget about our White Rabbit - Honored Lady Dee Brown, a newcomer to the Shrine, but who just jumped right in to help us all with such joy! A really big thank to our very own live Mad Hatter, none other than our Recorder John Harris who was all over the place! All the Ladies who let us borrow their dishes, china cups and plates, platters, and tea pots - thank you! The donations just kept coming in for our Silent Auction and Raffle prizes - to all who donated the most beautiful baskets and gifts - thank you. Also, I would like to thank the volunteers from the Culinary School who helped with the set up and plating of all the food - it was gorgeous (Thanks again to Lady Angela for arranging this), and last but not least our young men and lady who worked very hard to make sure everyone had hot tea and anything else they needed; Heath Forney Jr., Nate Forney, James Alexander and Krystal Yunker. Did I say last - not yet!! Thank you to our First Ceremonial Master Heath Forney Sr for his assistance during our social time. And the biggest thanks of all to everyone who came to our tea - the support was incredible!

God Bless.

Respectfully,

First Lady Barbara Hahn



## Recorder's Office

The new audio system has been installed and is functioning. I would like to send a big thank you to Peter Krickhuhn. Peter has been the lead on this project since it was identified as an issue and has driven us to success from laying out the original requirements to obtaining multiples of quotes to following up with the contractor to ensure we had the service we required. Peter did an amazing job and if you see him thank him for a job well done. If you would like to see the new audio system Peter or I would be happy to show it to you as time and tenants permit. You can email us at [office@albahrshrine.org](mailto:office@albahrshrine.org), call us at 858-292-0092, and even send us a fax at 858-292-5618. If you would like to send a private note to the recorder you can do that at [recorder@albahrshrine.org](mailto:recorder@albahrshrine.org).

## Assistant Rabban

It has been a few months since I last wrote an article for our Albahr-meter, and I apologize for this hiatus. Many of you have asked me about my health, and I want to say thank you to our Lord, and to you my friends for your prayers and good wishes for my speedy recovery. My Lady Sarah and I appreciate and value more and more the friendship of our Shrine family and dear friends. And speaking of family, Sarah and I became grandparents again on March 31, 2016 with the birth of our third grandchild, Maddox Lucas Stephens.

As your Assistant Rabban, I have had the opportunity to travel this year to Tampa, Florida for the Assistant Rabban Leadership Conference in March and the Imperial Session in July. It has been an honor for me to represent you, the Nobility of Al Bahr at these very important, informative events. In addition, I have been very active with our many Al Bahr Shrine activities and functions along with our Team 16 headed by our Potentate, Illustrious Sir Lou Hahn.

As a Shrine Mason, it is always an honor for me to know that I am supporting our Shriners Hospitals for Children. That is why we should make every effort to be in attendance at our Shrine Center for Stated Meetings, fundraisers, and Club and Unit functions. Take care and God Bless You All.

Oscar O. Cañedo, Ph.D.,

Hola mis QQHH. Nobles, Espero que ustedes y sus familias se encuentren en buena salud. Nuestra familia está bien. Sarita y yo somos abuelos por la tercera vez. Nuestro nieto Maddox Stephens nació el 31 de marzo y está en buena salud. Hablando de buena salud, yo, gracias al Gran Arquitecto del Universo y las oraciones de ustedes, sigo mejorando después del accidente que tuve el año pasado.

He tenido el gran honor de representar a todos mis Hermanos Nobles de Al Bahr como su Asistente Rabán en los eventos y actividades importantes que han tomado lugar como en Tampa, Florida (Sesión Imperial) y también los eventos en Tijuana, Baja California. Siempre me da mucho orgullo y honor saber que soy Shriner y en el servicio para nuestros niños de ambas fronteras. ¡Qué Dios los bendiga a todos!

## Daughters of the Nile Mecca Temple No. 34

The activities for the month of October will be:

- Oct 4 Patrol will have their meeting at 10:00 at the Unity Lodge.
- Oct 5 Dancers & Pageantry will meet at 10:00 at the Unity Lodge.
- Oct 10 San Diego Sewing & Cutting will meet at 10:00 at the Unity Lodge. Chorus will meet at that time also.
- Oct 12 North County Sewing will meet at 10:00 at the Oceanside Lodge.
- Oct 13 **TRIP TO VIEJAS CASINO!**

First bus will leave in Chula Vista at 8:15 am. Bus will be parked at the Grocery Store near the Chula Vista Masonic Lodge. Then onto San Diego. Bus will leave the Scottish Rite Center at 9:00 a.m. The return trip will be at 3:15 p.m. The tickets will be \$15.00 per person. Contact Carolyn Deuchars at (760) 753-2379 by October 1st or as soon as possible - very important.

Oct 17 Our Luncheon will be at 11:00 and our Session will begin 12:15. We will meet at the Scottish Rite Temple. We will have a Ceremonial & Installation at this time also.

Ruby Nyberg, (858)292-1885

## Antique & Classic Car Club

The Club's September dinner at Casa Machado Restaurant was a great evening. There will not be a business meeting in October and we are looking forward to the Club's Holiday Party at the Butcher Shop on Monday, December 12<sup>th</sup>

Richard Church, President



## Legion of Honor

During our September Stated Meeting, Illustrious Lou Hahn informed us there will be changes to the Scottish Rite Fall Ceremonial. I'm asking all LOH Members to please assist us at the Fall Ceremonial. This isn't just for recruiting new members to the Shrine but to the LOH too. We have two parades left this year. The mini bus is back up and running again. Pierre Abdou of JSV completed the repairs and contributed \$100.00 towards the repairs. I hope to see a great turn out especially with the weather getting cooler.

**Reminder:** The Legion of Honor Chili Cook Off October 15, 2016 and this year will be held at the Al Bahr Shrine. So far Noble Chris Gunn has sold the most tickets. Does this mean the Marines are in first place or just Chris?

Sincerely and Fraternally,

Cmdr. Tony Albright, Cell: (619) 994-5309, e-mail: [tony19@cox.net](mailto:tony19@cox.net)

## Tin Lizzie Parade Unit

Aooogah! I missed the deadline last month. Sometimes there is so much going on in life we miss things. What a month or two it has been! October 8<sup>th</sup> we have a stated meeting at the Shrine Center. Hopefully you have received letters for it by now. We will have a couple of important items to do at this meeting so if you're an active member, please plan on attending as we will need numbers for a quorum and to vote. We will be electing officers for 2017 and also we will be discussing the funds donated to the Lizzies in 2016. The Boo parade is on the 29<sup>th</sup> and that is always a great parade as the kids are out in full force in costumes. This is a great parade so let the captain know you will be there. Remember, it's all for the kids.

John Harris, [john@hamsalad.net](mailto:john@hamsalad.net) 858.245.9696

## Directors Staff

From all the reports that I've heard the 1<sup>st</sup> Ladies Mad Hatters event was a huge success. The handy work of Robert, Bob and Steve is greatly appreciated I hope the ladies had fun. In fact it was so successful that there's talk of doing it again next year.

I know it's a little bit early but please put on your calendar the 1<sup>st</sup> of October is the Director's Staff in conjunction with the Yacht Club is the only fund raiser for the year. It's the first OCTOBERFEST of the season so come out and join the festivities. It'll start at 4PM till whenever. If you haven't got your tickets they will be available at the door I'm still looking at other Units and Clubs for any construction projects that you might need accomplished for your next function.

**Best Shrine Hamburgers are still being served every Thursday, 11:00 to Noon by the dedicated Directors staff.**

Bruce Smith, President, (619)840-1943



**Yuma Silver Spur Parade & Rodeo**

**February 10-12, 2017**

**Details in November issue**

## Al Bahr Shrine Stated Meeting & Dinner

Honoring

**Chief Rabban Larry Parker & Lady Jayne**

Friday, November 18<sup>th</sup>  
at the Shrine Center.

Full Details in the November issue



## NEW MEMBERSHIP

IS SHRINEDOM'S  
MOST IMPORTANT  
BUSINESS!



## High Priest & Prophet

Hello, Nobles, and welcome to Fall. October is here, and September gave us a month of activities and of recognition. A number of our Nobles were recognized as Mason of the Year for their lodges. This recognition was well deserved and reflects the continuous hard work they give to our fraternity. At least two Nobles, Mike Seiler and Roberto Saucedo, are also Samaritan Drivers who volunteer and transport our Shrine Kids to the hospital in Los Angeles. Congratulations to Brothers Roberto, Mike, Raymond Madriaga, Alex Espiritu, Robert DeCuir, Christian Leon, Drew Middleton, Roberto Reyes, Frederick Becker III, Michael Runkle, Oscar Merto, Robert Gale, Charles Hannacher, D. Guy Harris, Salvador Verastegui, Terry Allison, Jeffrey Ewing, Lawrence Rodriguez Jr., Florencio Fiueroa, Richard Alfonso, John Kasten III, Rolando Punzalan, and Jahmal Neff on their receiving the Mason of the Year Award. Well deserved!

Luau, stated meetings, and fellowship galore were the hallmarks of September. More fellowship opportunities present themselves this month with our Shriners activities with our clubs and units' stated meetings, and the Legion of Honor's Chili Cookoff. Our concordant bodies, to which many Al Bahr Nobles belong, had York Rite Fall Reunions in September and will have the Knights Templar Commandery Orders of the Temple on November 5, Scottish Rite information night October 12 followed by the Fall Class on October 21 and 22 with our joint Shriners ceremonial on October 22, and Grand Lodge Annual Communications October 28 and 29. A full month; so I'll report again in November!

Gene Yee

## SPECIAL MEETING

A special meeting of Al Bahr Shrine will be held on  
Saturday, October 22, 2016 at 7:45 a.m.  
at the San Diego Scottish Rite Center,  
1895 Camino del Rio S., San Diego.

The purpose of this meeting is to ballot upon applications  
for membership in Al Bahr Shrine.

a 2016 dues card is required for admission

Lou Hahn, Potentate Attest: John Harris, Recorder

**CEREMONIAL OCTOBER 22 BEGINS AT 8:00 A.M.**

## Peace Officers Club

Items of Interest during the month of October is the Directors Staff and Yacht Club Octoberfest on the 1<sup>st</sup>, On the 12<sup>th</sup> is Scottish Rite Information Night at Scottish Rite Center, The LOH Chili cook off, on the 15<sup>th</sup> and on the 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> a Scottish Rite Ceremonial with the Shrine Ceremonial being on the 22<sup>nd</sup>, in conjunction with the S/R ceremonial at Scottish Rite. The Shrine ceremonial will start promptly at 8:00am. With Elections next month, it's time to start thinking about who your officers will be for next year! Your 2016 Officers continue to welcome and encourage all members to join us at the shed, behind the Temple, normally on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month, unless stated otherwise. What! You continue to say you are not a member - Membership in the Peace Officers is open to all Members of Shriners International. Regular membership consists of active, reserve, volunteers and retired Law Enforcement Officers, Firefighters, and other public service officers from the City, County, State, and Federal agencies. Associate membership are those Shriners who are interested in the field, but have no regular affiliation with public service. Ask any member for a Petition and join us on the 26<sup>th</sup> of October, with a social starting at 5:30pm and dinner, provided by a Mystery Chef, prior to the meeting! Remember, the dinners are still only \$5.00!

*Bob Powell, President*

## Greeters

The Greeter Officers hope that all had a nice Summer. Our next Greeter Meeting is October 12th so PLEASE attend your Greeter meetings and our meetings are open to anyone interested in checking out our Unit and or joining our unit.

If OUR Unit is to be a viable one, we need YOUR participation!!! Please attend your Greeter Shed meetings throughout the year. Remember, our meeting are on the second Wednesday of each month unless you get an email from me stating otherwise. (Usually due to a conflicting SR event) Please RSVP your attendance at our meetings, so the quartermaster can schedule enough food for everyone. You may RSVP me back at this email address..... [randallmi@aol.com](mailto:randallmi@aol.com) or by calling me at my cell 619-888-mike (6453).

The Officers would like to ask you that if you have any suggestion on how to increase participation, please let us know.

We also are trying to plan a Greeters Fundraiser Breakfast next year like we use to in the past. This is scheduled on January 15, 2017, so we will need your help in pulling this off. Please attend our next meeting to help plan these and other details. Again, we cannot be a viable Unit without your help.

*Mike Randall, Sec/Treasurer*

## RV Club

Nobles, fall is upon us. Our September 2016 outing was at the Pala Casino RV Resort and we were joined by 16 Rigs from Al Malaikah, El Bakal, and Al Bahr RV Clubs. Our October outing will be at the Golden Palms RV Resort in Hemet with Al Malaikah as the hosts, October 27-30. Please contact me, or Bob Weldon (Secty) (760) 807-2883, for Al Malaikah POC. I invite all who have a Motorhome or Trailer to join the RV Club. We have outings every month. Usually, our outings are Thursday-Sunday. However, for those still working, many arrive on Friday. For more info, call an RV Club Member or me. Happy Camping,

*Fraternally,*  
*Jerry Wohlfarth, President*

## Yacht Club

Hail to the Yachties crowd and wanna be's.

Well guys and gals, this is the October Fest month which happens on October 1st and opens at 4:30 until whenever. Cost, a measly \$12. And with my commodore's salary being what it is, even I can afford it. Our co-host leader from the Director's staff Peter Krickuhn and his merry mechanics and carpenters and our club of hearty sailors are all prepared to blow the foam off some German beer straight from the keg (none of that canned stuff will do) and dine on great brats, sauerkraut, and potato salad imported straight from the grocery store (German grocery store that is of course). And the games, you will want to saw logs, drive nails, a Sauerkraut eating contest, beer garden and a silent auction, maybe build a house, who knows what Peter will think up. And music (German I would assume on the newly installed sound system.)

Because we will be so tuckered out after the fun and also games at the October Fest, we will **not** be having our usual 3rd Thursday dinner meeting this month. We will see you at the Lakosil's in November for another Wine tasting and Thanksgiving Party. Come and join us at both events.

*Commodore Dale Martin, 619-886-6186*

## D.A.D. Program - Dime A Day

Your contribution, of at least \$35, to the **DAD Program (Dime A Day)** will help underwrite the cost of the monthly publication of the Temple's *Al Bahr O Meter*. Your name will appear in each issue of the publication. Please send your check to the Shrine office with the notation DAD. Thank you for your support!

Gonzalo	Bartolome "Bart"
Hernandez-Torres . . . 9/15	Briones . . . . . 2/16
Arlene Coady . . . . . 9/15	Dick & Linda Wolz . . . 2/16
Karen & Steve Schultz . 9/15	Nadeen Jones-Hanly . . 2/16
Madeline Giardina . . . 10/15	Mila C. Custodio . . . . 3/16
Nancy Merritt . . . . . 10/15	Larry & Rosemary Sagi . 3/16
Connie & Louis Charity . . 10/15	Stuart Morpeth Jr. . . . 3/16
James & Shirley	Robert E. Moffatt Jr . . 3/16
Crawford . . . . . 11/15	Ted Jarrad . . . . . 4/16
Anna Moore . . . . . 11/15	Naty Camerino . . . . . 4/16
Charles Webb . . . . . 10/15	Eddie Camerino . . . . . 4/16
Joan Webb . . . . . 10/15	Dan & ZsiZsi Potsdam . 4/16
Ray Webb . . . . . 10/15	Richard W. Jones . . . . 4/16
Jean Ann Webb . . . . . 10/15	Mary A. Jones . . . . . 4/16
Betty J. Love . . . . . 11/15	Momina Skill . . . . . 4/16
Jeanne Cohen . . . . . 11/15	Jack Hendee . . . . . 4/16
Bob Strangman . . . . . 12/15	Jeanne Cohen . . . . . 4/16
Juanita Petter . . . . . 12/15	Barbara Drummond . . . 5/16
Rocky De Laurentis . . 12/15	Joseph Henderson . . . 6/16
Momina Skill . . . . . 1/16	Ruby Nyberg . . . . . 7/16
Jack Hendee . . . . . 1/16	Herbert Green . . . . . 8/16
Carol Hendee . . . . . 1/16	Katherine Green . . . . 8/16
Phil & Terry Johnson . . 1/16	Winnie Randolph . . . . 8/16
John P. Harris . . . . . 2/16	Dorothy Bennett . . . . 8/16
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## October 2016

- 1 . . . . . Oktoberfest FR
- 3 . . . . . Past Potentate's LM
- 4 . . . . . RADOPS on air
- 6 . . . . . D Staff Burgers  
Antique Cars Shed  
RADOPS
- 8 . . . . . Tin Lizzies SM  
Honored Ladies Mtg
- 10 . . . . . Clowns SM/DM  
Columbus Day  
Office Closed
- 11 . . . . . Antique Cars SM  
RADOPS on air
- 12 . . . . . Golf Outing  
Scottish Right  
Information Night
- 13 . . . . . D Staff Burgers  
Antique Cars Shed  
RADOPS
- 15 . . . . . Islanders SM
- 18 . . . . . Radops on air
- 20 . . . . . D Staff Burgers  
Antique Cars Shed  
RADOPS
- Rancho Bernardo DM
- 22 . . . . . Shrine Ceremonial  
Legion of Honor SM
- 25 . . . . . Patrol SM  
RADOPS on air
- 26 . . . . . Peace Officers SM/DM
- 27 . . . . . D Staff Burgers  
Antique Cars Shed  
RADOPS
- Honored Ladies Game Day
- 29 Boo Parade - San Diego

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**DEADLINE FOR THE NOVEMBER ISSUE IS OCTOBER 11<sup>TH</sup>**  
**SUBMIT TO [office@albahrshrine.org](mailto:office@albahrshrine.org)**

**Legion of Honor Presents:**

Where: Al Bahr Shriners  
When: October 15, 2016  
Time: 11:00 am - 3:00 pm  
Admission: \$10.00  
Children 8 years and younger are FREE

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## Directors Staff & Yacht Club

# Oktoberfest

**Saturday, October 1, 2016**  
**4:30 PM to ???**  
**\$12.00 per person**

**Events:**

- Nail Driving
- Log Sawing
- "Best Dressed" contest
- Silent Auction

**Menu:**

- Bratwurst
- Bratkartoffeln (fried potatoes)
- Potato Salad
- Sauerkraut

(Dessert available for donation)

## Brawley Cattle Call Weekend

**EL CENTRO, CALIFORNIA • NOVEMBER 11 - NOVEMBER 13**

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