

# Feetprints

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Za-Ga-Zig Shrine



# Za-Ga-Zig Footprints

## ELECTIVE DIVAN

Potentate	E. Jay Coon
Chief Rabban	Doug Miller
Assistant Rabban	Craig Matzke
High Priest & Prophet	Dean Schoppe
Oriental Guide	Keith White
Treasurer	Dan Willson, P.P.
Recorder	John Miller, Jr., P.P.

## APPOINTED DIVAN

Ceremonial Coordinator	Guy Freeman
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2 <sup>nd</sup> Ceremonial Master	Eldon Walton
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Inner Guard	John Rickabaugh
Chaplain	Danny Middleton
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Deputy Marshal	Mark Konrad
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Asst Marshal	Randy Williams
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Assistant Samsar	James Lane, Jr.
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Personal Aide	Joe Vincent
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Co-Director of Golf Carts	Danny Middleton
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Circus Co-Chairman	John Miller, Jr., P.P.
Circus Co-Chairman	Jack Lane, P.P.
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Co-Chairperson	Carleen Freeman

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# Potentate's Comments

Dear Nobles,

Thank you to all of you who assisted in making our 2018 Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Circus a great success. A lot of team work goes into making a project like this a huge success, and all of you helped in that regard! In case you may have forgotten to pay for your circus tickets, please do so since this helps assure our operating capital for the upcoming year, and every little bit helps!

They say time flies when you are having fun, and we have a lot going on in the month of February. Here's just a few of the things coming your way:

- **Feb 6<sup>th</sup>** - Onion Kick-off - Start thinking of who might want to purchase onions.
- **Feb 10<sup>th</sup>** - Sweetheart Dinner at the Shrine. Surf & Turf \$30 per person - NO TICKETS SOLD AT THE DOOR - payment in advance and tickets will be mailed to you, call the Shrine Office at 515-967-3000 by February 6<sup>th</sup>
- **Feb 13<sup>th</sup>** - Cold Sands at the Temple. If you have a candidate this might be the time.
- **Feb 16<sup>th</sup>** – Mandarin Tong069 Fried Rice Dinner
- **Feb 17<sup>th</sup>** - Potentate's Hunt at Bensink Farms in Pleasantville. Please RSVP ahead of time to Paul Freeman @ 515-975-1753 or [burtionsbuddy@yahoo.com](mailto:burtionsbuddy@yahoo.com)
- **Feb 24<sup>th</sup>-25<sup>th</sup>** - Nobility Ball at the Airport Holiday Inn. Make sure you get your reservations made!
- **March 2<sup>nd</sup>** - Shrine Bowl Media Day at Za-Ga-Zig!

I also wanted to remind everyone we would like to hear about what your Clubs and Units are doing or have upcoming, since many Nobles and their ladies like to know in advance! Be sure to get your articles in the *Footprints* by the 10<sup>th</sup> of each month so that we can keep current on what your Clubs and Units have on the agenda! Another great reason is we can then publicize your event to help promote it to the public and they can see how much fun it is at a Za-Ga-Zig Shrine event! If you have a desire to join a Club or Unit, now is the time to start looking, and begin to find out what your interests are. Maybe you have a group of two or more, and want to start a new Club. If so, please write me a letter outlining what type of a Club or Unit you would like to initiate.

In ending, let us all work together to create an atmosphere of harmony at our Shrine Temple to have some fun and great fellowship with each other.

Fraternally yours,  
E. Jay Coon, Potentate



# 2018 Za-Ga-Zig Elected Divan



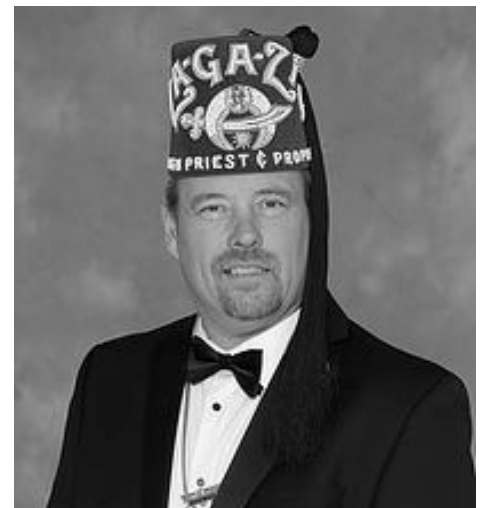
E. Jay Coon, 2018 Potentate & Lady Sue



Doug Miller, 2018 Chief Rabban  
& Lady Dixie



Craig Matzke, 2018 Assistant Rabban  
& Lady Janice



Dean Schoppe  
2018 High Priest & Prophet



Keith White, 2018 Oriental Guide  
& Lady Dana



Treasurer  
Ill. Sir Dan Willson & Lady Cindy



Recorder  
Ill. Sir John Miller & Lady Sheri

**Za-Ga-Zig Shriners  
Hospital Patients  
SCHEDULING  
TRANSPORTATION  
NEEDS**

Please note that all patient's scheduling and transportation needs should go through the Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Office.

Nobles should refer all inquiries to Carolyn Shannon, Office Manager at the Shrine Office – (515) 967-3000 or 1-800-974-7463.

Thank you for your help!  
Fraternally,  
E. Jay Coon, 2018 Potentate

**Valentine's Day  
is  
Wednesday, February 14th  
Don't forget your Lady**

**LOST IN THE DESERT . . . . .**  
The U.S. Postal Service has returned mail marked as "undeliverable as addressed" for the following Nobles. Please Call John Miller, Recorder at the Shrine Office at 967-3000 if you know anything about these Nobles. NOTE: Bulk Mail is not forwarded to winter addresses.

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Kriss W. Phillips - P. O. Box 4942, Rio Rico, AZ 85648  
William E. Shook - 11269 Wine Palm Rd, Fort Myers, FL 33966  
David S. Wilson, 4509 - 88th, Urbandale, IA 50322  
J.Kent Zickefoose, 7005 Reite Ave, Windsor Heights, IA 50324-1405

**Thank You...**

I would like to thank everyone for all their support over the last five years. It has truly been an amazing journey. Rick and I both feel it was an honor to serve as Potentate and First Lady of the ZaGaZig shrine. Our goal was to bring back the fun to ZaGaZig. That is what this Fraternity was built on Having Fun Helping Kids!

Talking with Past Potentates, their ladies and the long time Nobles. That is what they talk about. All the great party's and how much fun they USED to have. This is what brings people to the Shrine. This is what gets people involved. We did our best to bring this back. I hope everyone enjoyed all the events that we hosted this year. We had a lot of great help that worked very hard to put these events together.

All the dinners that are put on by the Clubs and Units are always wonderful. Where can you go out for dinner and know 90% of the people in the restaurant. It's more than just dinner. To all the new Nobles this is the best way to get to meet new friends and get in the loop of what's going on. You can learn a lot from the round table!

I would like to thank everyone who helped raise money for Camp Achieve. A special thank you to Colleen Vonk for the beautiful quilt. We raised over \$6,000.00 and still counting!! We have more T-shirts if anyone would still like one. This is why we do what we do to make a difference in these kids' lives.

It was a pleasure serving as your First Lady.  
*Sincerely, Lady Di 2017*

**Shriners Hospitals for Children  
Twin Cities Unit  
2018 Rainbow of Hope Nominations**

Do you know a current and/or former patient of at least 12 years of age who you believe is a role model for others? If so, please nominate them to-day!

The Rainbow of Hope Award is an annual recognition of three Shriners Hospitals for Children – Twin Cities patients who best meet the criteria of a role model, which is defined as:

- Someone who has overcome physical limitations while maintaining a positive attitude;
- Someone who serves as a mentor;
- Someone who is a good example to their peers;or
- Someone who has provided service to their community.

A committee will review all nominations and select three award recipients. Due to the nature of the celebration, we request that nominations be limited to persons who are able to attend Hospital Day on Saturday, May 19, 2018. We also request that you notify the patient/family of your intent to nominate them prior to submission.

All nominations must be received by April 6, 2018, send them to Lauren Elm, Shriners Hospitals for Children, 2025 East River Pkwy, Minneapolis, MN 55414. To request a form call the Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Office.

## Fez B Club Comments

By Dan Baker

Food for thought for all nobles: Even a small light in a dark room is extremely powerful, for the room is no longer dark. Even a little bit of light can change everything. We should each be a light of goodness and hope for our hospital children. Our light can and does make a difference. We should all endeavor to let our light shine bright that others may see it and see us and hopefully, come to know us better.

All Nobles should be thinking about who they can petition – and do it! Don't stop there – Mentor your new member and encourage him to be active and follow your lead by BEING ACTIVE. It is the only way we will survive.

The January 17<sup>th</sup> Ladies Nite Dinner was hosted by Noble Scott Hall and Lady Michelle. The meal consisted of hand-breaded pork tenderloins with all the extras. If you missed it, shame on you!

The Feb 21<sup>st</sup> Ladies Nite Dinner will be hosted by Noble Larry Orey and his Lady Amanda. This will be their world famous chili and should be well attended.

The March 21<sup>st</sup> Ladies Nite Dinner will be hosted by Dean House and Lady Ruth as well as Dan Brogden and Lady Cyndi. Corner beef and cabbage is on the menu. Please plan to attend as this is always a great feed and well attended.

The April 18<sup>th</sup> Ladies Nite Dinner will be hosted by Noble Cory Stoneburner and Lady Jennie. This meal will consist of ham cubes and all the trimmings. Please plan to attend.

The May 16<sup>th</sup> Ladies Nite Dinner will once again be hosted by the Stecker family and will consist of prime rib and all the extras. (RSVP REQUIRED)

We are all looking forward to the Nobility Ball on Feb. 23, 24, 25. Hope to see you there! Please note that Mirza Lodge #609 will once again be hosting a Biscuit and Sausage Gravy benefit for the Pilot Mound Fire Department on Saturday, March 24<sup>th</sup>. The Lodge will be serving from 8:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m..

If you have missed out, mark your calendar for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of every month in 2018! You will not go away hungry or dissatisfied.

There are a lot of great activities coming up in the near future. Please take a close look at your Footprints magazine every month and pick out at least one function that you will attend that month. You will be glad you did!

Please remember that the regular Fez-B Club meetings are always held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month at 8:00 p.m. following the Mirza Lodge meeting.

## BIRTHDAY DINNER

for

**January & February**

will be held on

**Sunday, February 18**

Social Hour 5:00 pm • Dinner 6:00 pm  
Nobles with January or February Birthdays eat FREE - Guest \$10.00 each

Call the Shrine Office at 967-3000  
with your Reservation By

**Noon, Wednesday, February 14**

(NO RESERVATIONS WILL BE TAKEN AFTER THIS DATE)

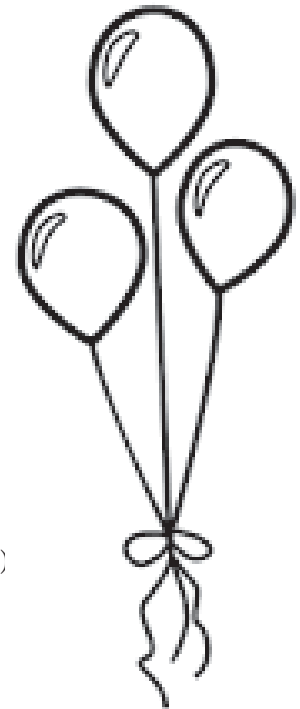
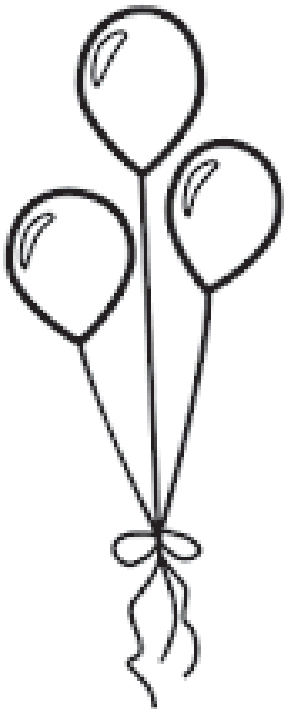
*Choice of*

Steak or Chop

Mashed Potatoes &  
Gravy, Green Beans

Salad, Roll & Butter,

Cake & Ice Cream



## Legion of Honor

By Merrill Harrington,  
Commander

First of all, the Legion of Honor members would like to congratulate Ill. Sir E. Jay Coon and his Divan on being elected and installed as Potentate and elected divan for 2018. If there is anything we can do for you, let us know.

Since our last update the Legion of Honor has lost a very dedicated Noble for the Za Ga Zig Shrine and the Legion of Honor. Noble/Past Commander Marvin Morford passed away on Dec. 5, 2017. He enlisted in the US Army in 1942, and served as parachutist in the US Army 11th Airborne and stationed in Japan for a year. He was a Past Commander and a Life member of the Legion of Honor. He was always a big supporter of the Shrine Onion sales with selling over 100 bags of onions each year. Marv, you are dearly missed by the members of the Legion of Honor.

Since our last update, the Legion of Honor presented the Colors at the December Stated meeting.

Our upcoming presentations include the Shrine Circus on January 26-28, 2018 and at the Nobility Ball on Feb. 23-25, 2018. Mark your calendars and plan on attending. We look forward to seeing everyone at these events.

As always we are looking for any members who have served in the military as new members for the Legion of Honor. In recent years the Legion of Honor has recruited only 2 new members. We are dangerously low on members, so any Nobles that are Veterans and would like to join our unit contact any member or attend one of our meetings. Our meetings are the first Thursday of each month at 7 pm at the Shrine Temple.

*It can't be said often enough,  
to all the nobles that have  
served our great country,*

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR  
SERVICE**

## Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Chanters News . . .

2017 was a very active year for one of the more public units of the Shrine, The Za Ga Zig Chanters. Our membership continues to grow as we support many events in our community.

Shrine Performances in 2017 included the Nobility Ball, Shrine Ceremonials, and the Shrine Memorial Service.

Public Performances included all Circus shows, an Iowa Wild Hockey Game, Shrine Bowl Media Day, Masonic Cemetery Memorial Service, Iowa Cubs Game, Scottish Rite Park Christmas Program, 3801 Grand Christmas Program, and the Acanthus Lodge Christmas Party.

**R. Bradley Skinner - Geri Skinner Huser  
Ed Skinner PC & Skinner Law Office PC  
Mitchellville, IA • 515-967-4264 • Altoona, IA  
P.O. Box 367 - Altoona, IA 50009**

The ZA-GA-ZIG Shrine  
Cordially invites you and your friends to:  
**A Sweetheart Dinner**



on Saturday, February 10, 2018  
at the Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Temple



**Social hour begins at 5:00 p.m.**

special music provided by Nobles Darin Davis and Roger Hon

**Dinner at 6:00 pm  
Live entertainment with Chris Ranallo  
from 7:00 to 9:00 pm**

**Menu: Filet Mignon with Shrimp Scampi, Baked Potato, Asparagus,  
Tossed Salad and special wine prices for your table.**

**Tickets: \$30.00 per person in advance  
NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR.  
Payment in advance and tickets will be mailed to you.**

**Please Call the Shrine Office at 515-967-3000  
by Tuesday, February 6, 2018.**





## High Twelve Club Wants YOU!!

*High Twelve Club International  
Is Masonry in Action*

We want you to join our members for good food, fun and fellowship. Each week features a different speaker on a variety of interesting topics.

We meet every Wednesday at 11:30am for a buffet lunch at the Downtown Holiday Inn.

Dues \$75.00 per year

First lunch Free

Please call Ron Hicks at 515-953-8270. Please leave a message...I will return your call.

## ZA-GA-ZIG MASS EMAIL...

If you would like to receive the mass emails that are sent out to Za-Ga-Zig members you need to notify the Shrine Office to add your email address to the list. Call the office at 515-967-3000.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- Feb 6 Nobility Meeting & Onion  
Kick-off
- Feb 10 Sweetheart Dinner
- Feb 13 Cold Sands
- Feb 16 Mandarin Tong069 Fried Rice  
Dinner
- Feb 17 Pote's Hunt Bensink Farms  
(must RSVP)
- Feb 18 Jan/Feb Birthday Dinner
- Feb 24-25 Nobility Ball  
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- Mar 2 Shrine Bowl Media Day
- Mar 4 Circus Appreciation Dinner
- Mar 6 Nobility Meeting
- Mar 16 Ambassadors St Patty's Day  
Dinner
- Mar 24 Cold Sands at Scottish Rite
- Mar 30 Sportsman Fish Fry
- Mar 31 Easter Egg Hunt

## Samsar Report

*By: Kevin L. Trevillyan*

As we start the new year at Za-Ga-Zig, we have a major task ahead of us. In an effort to increase the membership in the Shrine our Imperial Potentate, Gary Bergenske, gave us a goal of 93 new members during his term. His term started in July 2017 at the Imperial Session and ends in July 2018. In the first 6 months of his term we brought in 27 new members. That means that we have to bring in 66 new members before July 1<sup>st</sup>. We need everyone to get to work and bring in your sons, nephews, grandsons and friends so that we can meet this goal.

We must change the way in which we have been doing things. This year we have 6 Cold Sands scheduled. They are February 13<sup>th</sup>, June 12<sup>th</sup>, September 11<sup>th</sup> and November 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm at the Shrine Center. We also have 2 Cold Sands in conjunction with the Scottish Rite Reunions on March 24<sup>th</sup> and June 30<sup>th</sup>. The Spring Ceremonial will be held on April 28<sup>th</sup> and the Fall Ceremonial will be held on October 13<sup>th</sup>. Not only do we need to bring in new members, but we must do everything in our power to retain our members. I encourage all of the top line signers to mentor their new

members and bring them out to the meetings and activities at the Shrine. If these new members and their ladies do not feel comfortable coming out to the Shrine they will stop coming and will eventually drop out. The Units and Clubs need to contact our new nobles and invite them to join their Unit or Club.

Shriners International has created a new web site called WebFez. You can either Google WebFez or enter [webfez.shrinenet.org](http://webfez.shrinenet.org) in the web browser. I ask that all of you go to this web site and enter your own information on the site. This will help keep all of your information up to date. You can also enter the information for any prospective Shriners or Masons on this site.

We have 12 nobles on our membership committee this year that will be coming up with ideas on how to gain new members, reinstate former members and retain our members. We will also be working on ways to encourage all of you to help with this.

If anyone has any ideas or suggestions, you can contact me at [kltrv@hotmail.com](mailto:kltrv@hotmail.com) or by phone at 515-240-8786.

### WINTER ADDRESSES.....

For those Nobles who winter South or West our Membership System is now set-up so that we can put in Temporary Addresses again. This Allows us to put your permanent and temporary address into your Membership record and then we have a list so that we can change your address back and forth. If you would like to call the office and give them your temporary address and the dates that you will be at that address we can do that for you again.

### DEADLINE FOR THE MARCH ISSUE IS FEBRUARY 10<sup>th</sup>

**Please send all information  
to Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Temple**

## 2018 Shrine Circus



The 2018 Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Circus was held January 26 – 28<sup>th</sup> in the Jacobsen Center at the Iowa State Fairgrounds in Des Moines. One of the stars of the Circus last year was Allison Espana, a female acrobat whose picture appears above with Illustrious Sir, E. Jay Coon.

What was interesting about meeting her was that she shared her personal relationship with the Shrine organization and our Shriners Hospitals for Children. Her son, who is a “wheel walker” with his father in the Circus is a

“Shriner Kid” and was treated at a Shriners Hospitals for Children in Florida! Allison said that the only hope for him was with the Shriners Hospitals when he needed a solution to his leg issues.

Allison shared her relationship and the respect that she has for the Shriners and the Shriners Hospitals for Children with Illustrious Sir, E. Jay Coon. All in all, a successful Circus, and a touching inside story about the work of our organization and what we can do to help kids in need.

Shrine Masons do indeed “Make a Difference”!

### Za-Ga-Zig Email Addresses

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John Miller, Jr., P.P., Recorder  
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Dan Willson, P.P., Treasurer  
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**Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Web Site**  
[zagazigshrine.org](http://zagazigshrine.org)

## Oriental Band News

by Charles Clayton, V. P.



Lots of changes going on at the OB! John Anneberg, for his many, many years of service to the OB, received an award and the title of President Emeritus of the Oriental Band. His lady was in attendance at the presentation before the Za-Ga-Zig Nobility meeting. At the January unit meeting, new officers were installed, including Tanner Des Planque, new president, and Brad Cosner, new secretary, Charles Clayton is still the vice president and John Anneberg, P.E., has taken over as treasurer.

Coming up on February 16th, which happens to be the Chinese New Year, the OB will be hosting the unit's first ever “Mandarin's Dinner”. The dinner will be partially catered by Pho All Seasons, so you know the food will be delicious! Come out and join us at the Temple for social at 5pm, dinner at 6pm. Tickets are \$10 each and will be available from any band member or at the door.

## Ambassadors

# St Patrick's Day

## DINNER

March 16, 2018

5:00 pm to 7:00 pm

AT THE

### Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Temple

1 Free Keg

50-50  
Drawing

**All for Only**  
**\$10.00 per person**  
**Kids under 10 - \$5.00**

**Come Out & Enjoy the Dinner**  
**Bring your little Leprechauns**

**Sponsored by the Ambassadors**





Ball Admission - \$20.00 per person  
**No advance-Pay at the Door**

**# 1** \$35 per person \$70 per couple

*includes*

**Saturday** 8:00pm Ceremonies/ Dance

**Sunday** 8:00am Eye Openers

9:00am Breakfast

**# 2** \$45 per person \$90 per couple

*includes*

**Saturday** 6:00pm Banquet

Ceremonies 8:00pm

8:00pm Ceremonies/ Dance

**# 3** \$65 per person \$130 per couple

*includes*

**Saturday** 6:00pm Banquet

8:00pm Ceremonies/ Dance

**Sunday** 8:00am Eye Opener

9:00am Breakfast

**BAND WILL BE  
"ABBY NORMAL"**

# ***Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Temple***

*Requests the Honor of  
Your Presence at the 2018  
Pote's & Nobility Ball*

***Honoring Illustrious Sir Jay Coon  
& His Lady Sue***

**February 24 - 25, 2018**

Holiday Inn - 6111 Fleur Drive

Des Moines, Iowa

515-287-2400

***Wear Your Fex***

**February 24** - Hospitality 2:00 to 4:00pm

Banquet 6:00pm

Ceremonies 8:00pm

Dance following Ceremonies

**February 25** - Eye Openers 8:00am

Breakfast 9:00am

**Make plans now to attend this formal ball**

*All room reservations and payment must be made directly  
through Holiday Inn by calling them directly at 515-287-2400.  
Rooms will be reserved on a first come, first serve basis.*

**Deadline for Ball Package  
Reservations is February 16, 2018**

## **RESERVATION FORM FOR BALL PACKAGES**

Return this form with payment, please indicate Ball Package and Banquet Menu Choice, if going

Mail to: Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Temple, 1100 Shriners Parkway, Altoona, IA 50009

I request package #1 \_\_\_\_\_ #2 \_\_\_\_\_ #3 \_\_\_\_\_ Banquet Choice: Roast Beef \_\_\_\_\_ Asiago Chicken \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Bill Credit Card # \_\_\_\_\_

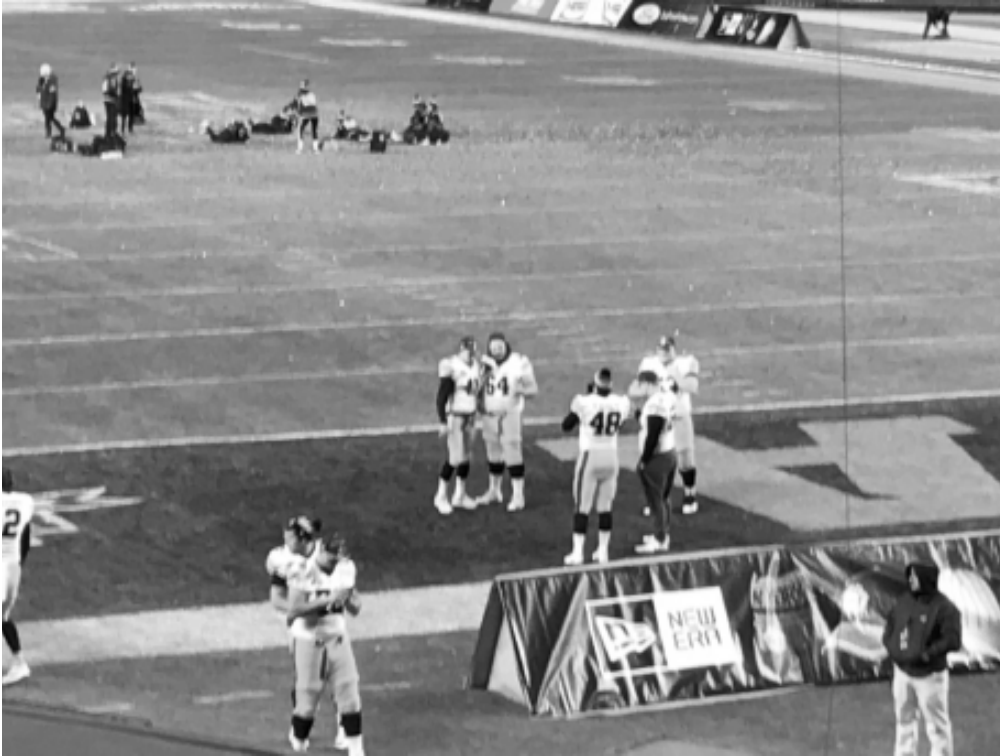
Expiration Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ 3 digit code on back of card \_\_\_\_\_

Noble's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Lady \_\_\_\_\_ Member # \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

## Iowa Shrine Bowl ....

By Jerry Hoffman, General Manager



“It’s not over when the game is done”

The bonding and friendship that is a life changing experience was shown at the Iowa Pin Stripe Bowl in New York this year.

Drew Thomas number 41 from Humboldt and Kyler Schott from North Linn number 54 became very good friends from our 2016 Shrine Bowl Game and were able to enjoy the Pin Stripe Bowl game in New York representing the University Of Iowa.

This is an example of what the Cheerleaders and players obtain from their experience at our game.

Be ready to show your support for the Iowa Shrine football game on Saturday July 21, 2018 at the UNI Dome.

**Bussey Lodge** will be holding a  
**Wages Paid Degree**

at the Shrine Center on Saturday, April 7<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am.

We will also have a

**Beaver Degree**

beginning after lunch. We will have lunch for all the new candidates. Reservations are needed so we can plan accordingly. The cost for each degree will be \$25.00.

For more information contact P.P. Mike Des Planque at 641-201-0021 or Les Beaver at 641-218-4545.

There are no annual dues.

From the  
**Za-Ga-Zig Oriental Band**  
**CONGRATULATIONS**  
**& WELCOME**  
**NEW NOBLES!!**



**FOR THE ORIENTAL BAND**

Having fun, fellowship and  
Making noise is what we do.

No musical talent?

**NO PROBLEM!!**

Come see for yourself what  
We have to offer. We meet at  
7:00pm on the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of  
The month at your Shrine  
Temple. Contact Paul Freeman  
@burtonsbuddy@yahoo.com  
Or 515-975-1753

**DEADLINE FOR  
THE MARCH  
ISSUE IS  
FEBRUARY 10<sup>th</sup>**



**Please send all  
information  
to Za-Ga-Zig  
Shrine Temple**

# ZA-GA-ZIG SHRINE TEMPLE

Presents the



## Annual Onion Kick-Off

Tuesday, February 6, 2018  
Along with the Nobility Meeting  
Dinner at 6:00pm -- Meeting at 7:00pm

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### THEY ARE COMING!!

Vidalia Sweet Onions...just a little bit sweeter!!  
Call the Shrine Office at 967-3000 to order  
Hand Harvested \* Hand Selected  
They are only grown in a select area of Georgia



*They will make you cry...  
When they are all gone*

**\$11.00** per 10 pound bag

**ORDER NOW!! THE SWEETEST DEAL IN TOWN!**

Chairman, Craig Matzke

Vidalia Onion sale proceeds are for the benefit of Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Temple activities  
Payments are not deductible as charitable contributions



## Bowlers Christmas Basket Operation

*by Dave Wurster, Za-Ga-Zig Public Relations Unit*

The 2017 Christmas Basket Operation was successful due to the efforts of many of our Nobles and their Ladies, who unloaded groceries and packed boxes for several days. Special thanks go to the following vendors who either donated products or provided products at reduced prices.

Hy-Vee Chariton, US Marines Toys 4 Tots,



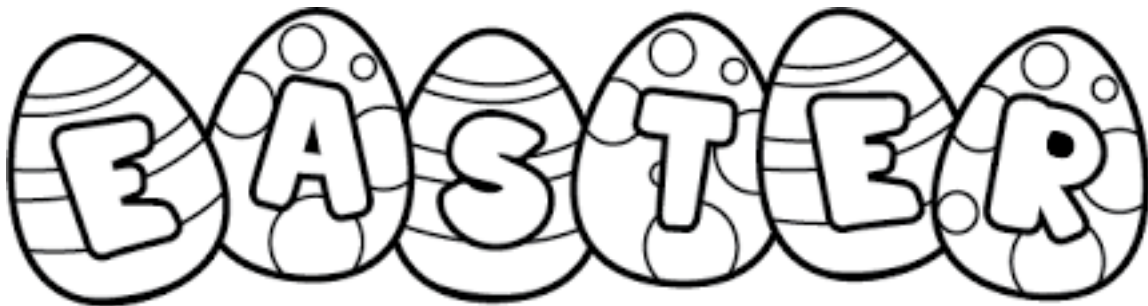
Capital City Fruit Norwalk, Summertime Potato Co., Sara Lee Brad, Crystal Clear Water, Fareway Altoona, Hy-Vee Meat Depart-

ment E. Euclid Store, Hy-Vee Produce & Meat Departments Altoona Store, Great Escape Bowlers, Menards Altoona, Yaw Auto Parts.

Units & Clubs who donated to the project were: Ambassadors, Bowlers, Clowns, Diplomats, Greeter-Tux, Hospital Dads, Oriental Band, Public Relations, Roadrunners, Shrine Bowl, Sportsman, Warren

County and the Westgate Masonic Lodge.

Special thanks to Rose Osterquist for the delicious soup and support to Jim, also thanks to Betty Marline for handling the toys. A big thank you to Illustrious Sir Jim Osterquist, P.P. and the Bowlers Unit. We helped 104 families with 89 children have a Merry Christmas due to this operation.



## EGG HUNT

SATURDAY, MARCH 31, 2018

9:30AM TO 11:30AM

Lots of games, prizes & contests!

This event is FREE for all Nobles and their families  
And our Shriners Hospital Kids. AGES 1-10 YEARS OLD.

The hunt will be divided into different groups based on  
their age and ability.

There will be lots of fun inside and out weather permitting!

If you have any questions, call the Shrine Office at 967-3000.

**COME JOIN THE FUN!**

# Potentate's Upland Game Bird Hunt

Saturday, February 17, 2018

9:00am – 1:00pm

Bensink Farms, 798 Highway G-40, Pleasantville



*Experience some of the best hunting available anywhere!!!*

Bensink offers upland game bird hunting in one of the most natural settings that Iowa has to offer. Open to all Shriners, Masons, Friends or Family. Bring your shotgun and hunting dog if you have one for a hunt with the Pote.

## CHOOSE YOUR BIRDS

Pheasants \$20 each

Chukars \$15 each

Quail \$10 each

You may use your own dogs, but if you need a dog and a guide it is available for the half day (plus gratuity).

Late lunch at "Back Alley Smokehouse" in Carlisle after the hunt.

No more than 6 hunters per guide.

You will need to call Bensink Farms @ 641-891-3026 for rates.

**You will need a valid Iowa Hunting License, which can be purchased on site.**

You can clean your own birds or have them cleaned by Bensink Farms for a nominal fee. Bring your own freezer bags and cooler.

**SPACE IS LIMITED TO 30 HUNTERS - You must RSVP to Paul Freeman @ 515-975-1753 or email @ [burtonsbuddy@yahoo.com](mailto:burtonsbuddy@yahoo.com) by February 13, 2018.**



Check out Bensink Farms by going to their website  
[www.bensinkfarms.com](http://www.bensinkfarms.com) or call them at 641-891-3026.



# February 2018

## Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Temple

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1  Dir Staff/Hole in One/ LOH, Provost Guard	2	3 <b>RENTAL</b> DUCKS UNLIMITED  Oriental Band
4  Zag Trax	5	6 <b>Elected Div. Mtg. 5pm</b> <b>Nobility Mtg.</b> <b>Dinner 6pm/Mtg 7pm</b> <b>ONION KICK-OFF</b> Royal Order of Beavers	7  Arab Patrol, Mini Bikes, N. Valley Club, YOSHI	8  Bowlers	9 <b>RENTAL</b> HY-VEE ALTOONA	10 <b>Sweetheart</b> <b>Dinner</b>  Mobile Nobles
11  Tin Lizies	12	13 <b>COLD SANDS</b> <b>7PM at Temple</b>  Diplomats, Hibblys, Sandrunners, Story Co., Zig Ziggers	14  Adams Co/Karousel Kups	15  Ambassadors/P/Dodge/ HDads/Hot Rods/R. Runner	16 <b>Mandarin Tong –</b> <b>069 Stir Fry Dinner</b> <b>5:00—</b> <b>7:00pm</b>	17 <b>Pote's Hunt—</b> <b>Bensink Farms</b> <b>(must RSVP)</b>
18 <b>Jan/Feb BD</b> <b>Dinner</b>	19  Nishna Valley Pacers	20  5280, Isettas, Lucas & Marion Co.	21 <b>BALL COMM.</b> <b>MEETING</b>  Antique Tractors/FF, Fee-2	22  Clowns, Trikes Shrine Bowl	23	24  <b>NOBILITY BALL</b>
25  <b>NOBILITY BALL</b>	26  Warren County	27 <b>Elected Divan</b> <b>Mtg . 6:00pm</b>	28  Sportsman			

# March 2018

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1  Dir Staff/Hole in One/ Klasy Chassis/LOH, Provost Guard	2 <b>SHRINE BOWL</b> <b>MEDIA DAY</b>	3  Oriental Band
4 <b>CIRCUS APPRE-</b> <b>CIATION DIN-</b> <b>NER 6PM</b>  Zag Trax	5	6 <b>Elected Divan Mtg.</b> <b>5:00pm</b> <b>Nobility Mtg.</b> <b>Dinner 6:00pm</b> <b>Mtg. 7:00pm</b> ROB/Drifters/P.R.	7  Arab Patrol, Mini Bikes, N. Valley Club, YOSHI	8  Bowlers	9	10  Mobile Nobles
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18	19  Nishna Valley Pacers	20  5280, Isettas, Lucas & Marion Co.	21  Antique Tractors/FF, Fee-2	22  Clowns, Trikes Shrine Bowl	23 <b>RENTAL</b> SE Polk Honors Breakfast	24 <b>RENTAL-Cole</b>  <b>Cold Sands @</b> <b>Scottish Rite</b>
25	26  Warren County	27 <b>Elected Divan Mtg.</b> <b>6:00pm</b>  Cabiri	28  Sportsman	29	30 <b>Sportsman</b> <b>Fish Fry</b>	31 <b>Easter Egg Hunt</b>



# Za-Ga-Zig Business and Professional Directory

## AUTO BODY SERVICE

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[lance@infotoolsinc.com](mailto:lance@infotoolsinc.com)

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Johnston, IA • 50131-2230  
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2. More than 2 lines - \$25.00 or each additional line per year.
3. Listing in color only \$25.00 per year.

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To place an Ad  
Contact the Shrine Center Office  
(515)967-3000

**Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Web Site  
[zagazigshrine.org](http://zagazigshrine.org)**

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