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Kosair Shrine Circus 2017

Thanks to All
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Honoring the Past
Celebrating the Present
Preparing for the Future

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Kosair Kolumns
WINNER, WINNER, CHICKEN DINNER...

Join us April 16th
FOR OUR MONTHLY, 3RD SUNDAY

FRIED CHICKEN DINNER

Kosair Shrine Center
4120 Bardstown Road - Louisville, Kentucky

11:00 am - 3:00 pm

$12 DINNER INCLUDES

2 pieces of Fried Chicken and your choice of sides:
Chicken and dumplings
Green Beans
Mashed Potatoes / Gravy
Slaw
Hot Rolls
Water, Tea or Coffee

Soft Drinks, & Desserts available at an additional cost

Dress Appropriately and WEAR YOUR FEZ!

THE NEXT KOSAIR KOLUMS DEADLINE IS APRIL 1, 2017 FOR THE MAY 2017 ISSUE

Deadlines are subject to change. Notices will be sent as early as possible.
Nobles, Ladies, and all,

Here it is April. Spring has begun. There is a lot of fun planned for April. I want to think everyone for what has been a great year. Lady Teresa and I are so glad to serve you as the First Lady and Potentate for 2017. What an honor it is. Everyone has been so helpful and so supportive. Thanks to those who have attended the Friday night dinners and supported the many events which are occurring at the Shrine Center.

The Potentate’s Ball was such a huge event and a great success. Thanks so much to ILL. Sir. Bob Maxwell and Lady Marsha, the Potentate's Ball committee, entertainment committee, and the many individuals who helped. What a beautiful fun filled night and weekend, Lady Teresa and I can never express our thanks and how grateful we are to each and every one of you. The fried chicken dinners have been a great success, thanks to everyone involved.

Road Blocks have begun all ready for next year’s circus, please everyone come out help raise money for 2018 circus. It is also a good way to raise money for your units, and clubs. The 2017 Circus Appreciation Dinner was so nice with great food. Thanks to ILL. Sir. J. R. Riggs, Circus Chairman, and all who were a part of making this event so enjoyable.

With fun and success comes work, volunteers are needed to help with the Reach Out For Kosair Kids event which is under the direction of Glasgow Shrine Club. It will be Saturday, August 5, 2017 at Cave City Convention Center, Cave City, Kentucky. All proceeds benefit Kosair Charties. If you are interested in volunteering please call Ill. Sir Shawn Warren, Recorder and he will get you in touch with the right people. We also need volunteers to help with the Fried Chicken Dinners which is held on the 3rd Sunday of each month from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM. If interested please contact Ill. Sir. Joe Myers or Recorder Shawn Warren.

April 14th will be our stated meeting starting at 7:30 PM, with dinner at 6:30 PM, 2017 dues card, Fez, and proper attire are a must. April 14th and 15th will be Metro Road blocks help is always needed. April 21st is a theme night dinner “Margaretville” featuring KOSAIR’S own Hank Watson.

God Bless our troops who define our freedom, Shriners Hospital International, Kosair Shriners, and Kosair Charities. God Bless The United States of America and keep her safe.

Yours in Faith, Gary L. Morgan, Potentate
“The More the Merrier”
If you or any Shriner is interested, we meet on the first Monday @ 7pm. Feel free to drop in even to just see what were about – we might even offer you a taste!

We have our officers in place now.
President – Kenny Carrier, Vice president - Clinton Carrier, Secretary/ Treasurer Robert Hart.
Now we can enjoy what the world offers in Bourbon and/or Cigars.

We should have our bylaws signed off by our new Potentate, which will make us a real valuable addition to the center. Our course is to find, sample and enjoy different and fine bourbon’s while, either kicking back having a nice cigar or just to enjoy a tasty adult beverage with like-minded brothers. Some days may be too cool to have a cigar, (cigars on patio only please).

*Information to follow on Raffle items coming soon.*

We should have all our dates set for the coming year so keep posted to our face-book page for all upcoming events and changes.

If you have any questions that just can’t wait, feel free to call me!
Kenny Carrier @ 502-457-6611
For 90 years, Shriners Hospitals for Children — Lexington has brought hope and healing to children and teens at their iconic spot on Richmond Road. In April 2017, Shriners Hospitals for Children — Lexington will return to its downtown roots and open as Shriners Hospitals for Children Medical Center. The complex will be located on South Limestone across from the University of Kentucky Albert B. Chandler Hospital. The new facility will be a state-of-the-art ambulatory care center, owned and operated by Shriners Hospitals for Children and designed to better meet the orthopaedic needs of children and their families well into the future.

“The quality care children and families have experienced at our facility since 1926 will continue,” said Tony Lewgood, administrator of Shriners Hospitals for Children — Lexington. “Relocating to the UK HealthCare campus will bring together the pediatric orthopaedic expertise Shriners Hospitals for Children is known for, with the top-rated specialty and subspecialty pediatric care at Kentucky Children’s Hospital – a benefit to children with complex conditions. Close proximity to a first-rate medical center will also enhance the education and research aspects of our mission.”

Achievements and advances in orthopaedic care for children have changed since the current Lexington Shriners Hospital was built in 1988. Fewer children require inpatient care while the number of children receiving outpatient care has increased significantly. This year, 80 percent of the hospital’s surgical cases have been performed without the child requiring an overnight stay.

In 2016, approximately 11,000 children from Kentucky and the surrounding states will come to the Lexington Shriners Hospital to see their physician specialist and receive related services. The new facility will expand capacity to over 13,000 children.

The pediatric orthopaedic surgeons currently on staff at the Lexington Shriners Hospital are also on staff at Kentucky Children’s Hospital. Children who require inpatient hospital care will be admitted to Kentucky Children’s Hospital and cared for by the same physicians they are familiar with and trust.

The estimated cost of the new Shriners Hospitals for Children Medical Center — Lexington is $47 million. The top two floors of the five-story building will be leased to the University of Kentucky for ophthalmology services.

The new Lexington Shriners Hospital facility will include a motion analysis center (one of only three in the state), 20 patient exam rooms, two surgical suites, a rehabilitation gymnasium and therapy rooms, and interactive artwork.

Construction on the new medical center is scheduled to be complete in January. The Lexington Shriners Hospital will begin seeing patients at the new facility on April 17, 2017. The dedication ceremony will be held on May 21, 2017, at 1 p.m.
Kosair Charities
OPEN CAR AND MOTORCYCLE SHOW

Sam Swope Kosair Charities Center
982 Eastern Parkway • Louisville, Ky 40217

SATURDAY, MAY 20, 2017

REGISTRATION FEE: $20 PER VEHICLE
REGISTRATION 10 AM–1 PM  •  SHOW 1 PM–5 PM
FOOD TRUCKS, DJ, & AWARDS

PURCHASE A CHANCE TO WIN THIS
1971 CORVETTE STINGRAY
tickets $10
proceeds benefit Kosair Charities

DRAWING 11.10.17 AT 9:00PM
AT THE KOSAIR SHRINE CENTER
4120 BARDSTOWN ROAD
LOUISVILLE, KY 40218
GAMING LICENSE #0RG0345

Kosair Kolumns
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The April speaker will be Edward Adamson, from Dreams with Wings.

Ladies Oriental Club has many exciting events coming up, we have our annual Bring and Buy Auction, which will be held on Saturday, April 15th, make sure you have your taxes done so you can come and spend, spend, spend for the Kids of Kosair. Always remember; someone else’s trash can become your treasure.

We will be giving away a Blue Spring Purse, on Monday May 1st, get your tickets from any Ladies Oriental Club member.

The Ladies Oriental Club’s next Dessert Night will be Friday, June 16th, put that on your calendar, so you can be ready to make some goodies, to sell at the dinner that evening. We had a good selection of cakes for the Circus Appreciation Night at the Temple, and made money for the Kids.

Remember to invite a friend to join us at the Ladies Oriental Club meetings, as well as our Fund Raisers. Also remember your Dues are Due. Please try to remember to give them to Carol Grant or mail them as we are trying to save postage, by not mailing dues notices. (Dues were due February 1st, so if you haven’t paid them – get them in the mail.

I am WONDER WOMAN,
I WONDER; where I left my keys,
I WONDER; how I put on weight,
I WONDER; where my money went,
I WONDER; where I put my phone and sometimes,
I WONDER…… why I WONDER!

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Help more Kosair Kids like Molly

1000
KOSAIR CHARITIES CLUB

Join the 1000 Club or renew your membership today with your gift of $100 or more

The Boat Club has had a lot of activities in February and March, with meeting and attending the Shrine Dinners on Friday nights. Due to the Circus our “Out to Dinner” at Cunningham’s Creekside was changed from February 18th to March 4th (the fish sandwiches were just as good in March, as they would have been on February, better weather, too.). Thanks to everyone who came out to enjoy the food and fellowship with Club members. Gee, that’s a lot of navigating to these events!

COMING ATTRACTIONS

- Plan to drop anchor at the Boat Club meeting on Friday night April 7th, and attend the Fellowship dinner at Kosair Shrine. This will also be a dessert night so ladies put on your “white thumbs” and bring your cakes, pies, cookies and other goodies to sell at the dinner. *Note: The Club traded nights with the Oriental Band, since the Oriental Band will be attending their “Hoe-down”, in Florida that week.

- April - “Out to Dinner” at Macaroni Grill* - date to be announced.

- May 3rd – Steamboat Race Boat Club Party* – weather permitting, come out and cheer the “Belle of Louisville” to victory. More to follow.

- May - “Out to Dinner” at Kingfish on the River* - in Jeffersonville, Indiana, date to be announced.

Drop anchor at all the meetings and have a voice in where the Club goes for their “Out to Dinner” and other events the Boat Club will participate in. Do you have ideas, give Fred Duke, Boat Club Social Event Chairman, a shout on the Fog Horn. We need YOU!!!!!

*Please note all dates for “Out to Dinner” are subject to change. Make reservations with Fred Duke.

The Boat Club is a group of fun loving Shriners, who enjoy good times, as well as helping the KOSAIR KIDS. Come join the Boat Club, I know that YOU have seen a boat! We look forward to seeing you and having YOU join the Boat Club.

Happy Sailing!!!
Harold Herman, Commodore
Greetings Nobles,

We’re talking about GOLF THIS SUMMER. Nobles we are looking for Golfers, who enjoy the game. We have finalized our courses and times. So!

The Kosair Golf Club is offering Club Memberships for $25 through June. That’s membership in the Club for the annual dues payment. Also!! If you’re a past member and want to pick up where you left off, just pay your $25 dues for this year and your good to go.

Starting with the 9 hole league. We will play Penn Run GC, on Tuesdays every week, starting on May 9th and ending on September 19th, with the exception of the 4th of July. This will be an individual play league, no partner, just you and your handicap. Tee time is 5:30pm. This course should be more accommodating for our members.

The 18 hole league will play on Thursday mornings at 4 courses this year. Long Run, Vettner, Sun Valley, and Shawnee and repeat. This league will again be 2 man teams, scored by adjusted handicaps. We will shotgun start at 8:30am. Long Run is up first on May 11. We will play every Thursday morning for 20 weeks until September 21.

The Kosair Golf Club will have their opening scramble on May 1, 2017. Seneca GC, 8:30am shotgun start. ALL NOBLES ARE WELCOME. You do not have to belong to the Golf Club to play in this scramble.

Nobles any Shriner interested in playing Golf, in our leagues should call the numbers below. We welcome all Shriners! Please join us in what looks like a summer of fun!!

Mike Jenne  502-939-4880
Paul Pfeiffer 502-773-1727
Secretary

The Greeter Unit April Executive Committee Meeting will be on Friday, the 14th, beginning at 4:30 PM; the April Regular Business Meeting will be on Friday, the 14th, beginning at 5:15 PM.

Happy April Birthday to Greeters:
Dave Juergens on the 6th, John Wesley on the 7th ; Paul Moore on the 13th ; Travis Ferren on the 15th and Perry Strader on the 28th.
Happy April Birthday to Greeterettes:
Ann Turner on the 15th, and Martha Steller on the 23rd.

During the month of April, Greeters celebrating membership anniversaries are, Robert Schildknecht his 13th, Bob Frye, PP his 9th, George Younger his 8th and Paul Moore his 5th.

Greeter Door Duty – April
Friday – April 7 - Ron Craig
Friday – April 14 - Neal Gabehart
Friday – April 21 - Paul Garrison
Friday – April 28 - Paul Layman

With the Potentate’s approval a new “Kosair Corvette Club“ will be established. An organizational meeting will be held on Sunday, April 16th 1:00pm at the Kosair Shrine Center to finalize by-laws for a charter.

If you own a Street Legal Chevrolet Corvette, 1953 to current year, come enjoy a chicken dinner, drive your two seater weather permitting and get on the ground floor. Contact me with any questions:

Troy R.Royalty  599-9444
We have been preparing for our annual Spring Car Show that will be held at the Bullitt County Shrine Club on April 23, the Sunday after Thunder. We are looking for a large turn out for this event. The Bullitt County Shrine Club will have food and drinks available as well as some games for all. It is an open car show for cars, trucks, motorcycles, both modern and classic. The fee to enter a vehicle is $15.00 per space. There is no charge for visitors that wish to come and look at all the rolling pieces of art. The Shrine Club has ample parking for everyone.

In case you do not know, the Bullitt County Shrine Club is located just off of Highway 44 east of Interstate 65 at Shepherdsville, Ky about 3 miles to Sunview Drive.

Any Noble, Club or Unit who wish to sponsor a trophy for this show to help us make it a memorable event for our guests, just contact any member of the Street Machines for details.

The Kosair Charities Raffle car will be at this show. This year they are giving away a bright red 1971 Corvette. It would look good in anyone’s garage. Chances are $10.00 each. A ticket includes entrance to the drawing show on November 11, 2017 at the Kosair Shrine Center and will be featuring the Monarchs again this year. There will be fun, games and dancing.

Speaking on Kosair Charities, they will be sponsoring a car show on Saturday May 20, 2017 at the Sam Swope Kosair Charities Center on Eastern parkway. This can be another opportunity to show off our hot rods.

The parade season is now in full bloom with many special events to get the Kosair name out in view of the community. Upcoming parades include The Derby Pegasus Parade, Harvest Homecoming in New Albany and the Newburg Parade. Many members of the Street Machines will participate.

Have You Moved?

Your Temple does not care if you move, when you move, or how you move, but it certainly does care WHERE you move.

Your address is never changed without instructions from you.

Please Inotify the Recorder’s office each time you move.
PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS VERY CAREFULLY

Potentate Gary Morgan is looking forward to a great Fun Fest in Pigeon Forge, Tennessee for all members of Kosair Shrine. He has reserved 26 rooms at Quality Inn and Suites; Dollywood Lane; Pigeon Forge, Tennessee at $50.00 per night Wednesday - Thursday and $79.00 per night Friday - Saturday (tax of 5.25% is NOT included)

This application must be returned with payment no later than April 3, 2017. Kosair requires each noble to pay $79.00 lodging, $10.00 registration (after April 10th registration will be $15.00) and any activities in advance. Each individual will pay the hotel direct for the balance of nights staying upon departure. This will be your responsibility not Kosair Shrine’s.

Please review your application carefully and make sure everything is correct before turning it into the Office. If you have any questions, please feel free to call the Office 502-585-5412.

Reservation form must be turned into the Shrine Office on or before April 3rd, no cancellations after this date. Deposit will be forfeited unless there is a person on the waiting list to take your place.

http://www.kosair.com/forms/2017FunFestApplication.pdf
The Hillbillies invite “ALL FLATLANDER KOSAIR SHRINERS” to meet on the 2nd Friday of the month, after supper, in our Unit Room. We have a bunch of plans including: getting our “Hillbilly Cadillac” ready for Hillbilly Days in Pikeville and having a “Hillbilly Degree” at The Masonic Homes...the list never ends! You don’t need to be a Hillbilly to participate, but, we would sure like to make you one! You can’t put a price on what we do for kids, so we do it for FREE!

And now the event all Hillbillies wait for...“HILLBILLY CHRISTMAS IN JULY, Inc.”... where you can win your choice of a brand new “2017 STREET BOB” or a “$7,000.00 CASH OPTION” and, of course, your $10.00 ticket will benefit SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CHILDREN MEDICAL CENTER in Lexington. Last year, Kosair Hillbillies joined El Hasa, Clan No. 1, Outhouse No. 2 and the good people from all over Kentucky in supporting this event...to the tune of $72,000.00, including $1,000.00 from Kosair Nobles. [http://www.hillbillychristmasinjuly.org]

Don’t forget, HILLBILLY DAYS in Pikeville! Lady Betty Miller, Possum Queen – 2016, would like to see Kosair Hillbillies and “wanna-be-Hillbillies” in Pike County to celebrate Hillbilly Days! Imagine, three days of fun, food and music in Pikeville, Kentucky, April 20-22! We will join Shriners throughout the United States and Canada, as they raise funds for Shriners Hospitals for Children® Medical Center – Lexington (over $1,000,000.00 to date). Held in downtown Pikeville, this is one festival you’ve got to see to believe! Artists, craftspeople and Shriners showcase their talents with a huge parade including our Lady Sara Elmore, Possum Queen – 2017 and International Hillbilly Queen, Lady Maggie West, Clan No. 75 (Zenobia).

COME JOIN US while we help the kids at Shriners Hospital!

Love to the Rescue!

(http://www.tourpikecounty.com)
(http://www.tourpikecounty.com/event/hillbilly-days-2017)

This year, we hope to see everybody at the “BBQ, BLUES & BIKES” festival in Elizabethtown on May 27, 2017 where you can see the bike but, until then, you can buy a ticket from any Kosair Hillbilly.

(http://bbqbluesfest.com)
Gold Fidelity Chapter, Order of DeMolay

Nobles, Shrine Units and Shrine Clubs. I hope that most Shriners are aware that Kosair Shrine sponsors the Gold Fidelity Chapter Order of DeMolay; they meet the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month at the Shrine Center. The Order of DeMolay is for young men between the ages of 11 and 20 years of age.

In April 2017 the several DeMolay Chapters in Kentucky are planning a bus trip to Washington D.C. to visit the House of the Temple. During their visit these young men will confer the DeMolay degrees at the House of the Temple. Our DeMolay young men need help with their portion of the trip for food and lodging. We are asking that each noble, Shrine Unit and Shrine Club help defray the cost of the trip. Illustrious Sir, Gary Morgan has stated that he would match all donations up to $2,000.00.

We are asking for your help. If you want to write a check, please ear mark it for D.C. Bus Trip. You can deposit it in the office mail box. If you have any questions you can contact Chapter Dad Shawn Warren, Past Potentate, or Pete Boyce. We thank you in advance for your assistance, The members of Gold Fidelity Chapter Order of DeMolay

Kosair Webmaster - Darrell Waddell

Nobles, It’s a new year, and as such the Clubs and Units have elected new officers. I’m working on updating our Kosair Website and need your help.

Please send me your officers for 2017, as well any new or updated photos and/or information you wish to include on your Club/Unit web page.

This information is vital to maintaining a current website and must be kept up to date. If any Clubs or Units have decided to disband or have stopped meeting I need to know this as well.

Please send all information to at: webmaster@kosair.com or, if you have any questions you can contact me directly by phone at 502-448-5989

Thanks for your help, Darrell

Oriental Band - Chuck Strothman

Last month I thanked the Bandsmen and Ladies that worked setup and cleanup for the Mardi Gras dance. Now I would like to mention a few others who also helped: Sherry Gott, Joyce Donohue, Donna Etheridge, Lawanda Bladen, and Judy Henry. These ladies assisted our ladies Shirley, Phyllis, Newell, and Debbie and Becky with decorating the tables. Thanks so much, Ladies! As we usually do during the dance, we crowned a King and Queen of the Mardi Gras. This year we crowned our High Priest and Prophet George Younger as King, and his Lady Judy Henry as Queen.

Our music Director, Jack Diehl, arranged a program for our performance at the 2017 SESOBA Hoedown, and practice began in earnest following the dance. While our sessions were short, we progressed well, and made ready to travel to Pensacola, Fl. It was rumored that the Genie had a new outfit ready to debut there in Pensacola. Perhaps we will have a picture ready for the next Kolums.

When we return from Florida, the Band and our Ladies will be doing desserts for the Friday night dinner on April 14. Thanks to the boat Club for switching dessert dates for us.

Parade season has begun, and on May 4 we will be performing during the 2017 Pegasus Parade. We are looking forward to a great parade season, with a Band bus FULL of Bandsmen playing our special music to entertain all the Kids of all ages.

The Spring Ceremonial is scheduled for May 27. Get out, visit some lodges, and find a candidate for the ceremonial. Bring him to the Oriental Band, tell him about what we do, and introduce him to a fine musical instrument. Remember, 1-2-3-4-5-6-7.

The Fun Fest in Gatlinburg is scheduled May 10-13. If you haven’t been to this event before, try it. There’s the sights, of course, and there’s plenty of Fellowship time with fellow Nobles and the Ladies.

I am sure that I have forgotten to mention some events, and some Nobles that need to be remembered. It’s not intentional, it’s just me. One particular Noble that needs to be remembered by the Band is Earl Arnett. We haven’t heard from Earl for quite some time. Earl, Donna, let us know how you’re doing.

So I will stop now, and remind y’all once again that we meet every Monday at 8 PM. We’ll be looking for Ya’!!!
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Jimmie and Barbara Hobdy
NOLDE WILLIAM A. PIERCE
Jacob Burress
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Nobles
Billie Benningfield  11/30/1968  02/04/2017
William “Ben” Gray    11/04/1961  02/11/2017
Jerry Johnson       07/18/2009  02/03/2016
William “Andy” Pierce 12/07/1974  02/09/2017
Bobby Sexton        05/14/1977  02/01/2017
Glenn Taylor         05/08/1976  02/27/2017
I.M. Wabner          12/02/1967  02/06/2017
James Wiseman        12/03/1977  10/05/2016

Lost in the desert.
Derek Helm;
1871 Three Forks Flatrock Rd; Oakland KY 40218

Patricio Soliman Jr;
116 Kentucky Ave; Bardstown KY 40004
The Officers for 2017 are Ron Melton President, Bob Maxwell, 1st Vice, and Mike Grant Secretary/Treasurer. We are busy planning for a great year, all the while supporting Ill. Sir Gary Morgan and the Temple. As always, we meet the 2nd Monday of the month. Bug or no Bug, come out and join us. Our first meeting of the year was a huge success; we took in some new members; hope they don’t get their feet wet.

The first Sunday Chicken Dinner went well. Ill. Sir Joe Myers, PP did a super job, along with members of the Sand Bugs and the Director’s Staff. The dinners are the 3rd Sunday of every month. There was a lot of desserts offered by the Lady Bugs. If you didn’t show up, you missed a great time.

Our first Drive and Dine went well, (didn’t it Mike?). We met at El Nopal’s on Bardstown Rd.; had a great time watching 1st Lady of Kosair fall out of her chair, as we celebrated Noble Mike’s birthday. The March and April Drive and Dines are being planned, so watch the email so you can join the fun.

By now March has come and gone. Weather permitting, we participated in the St. Patrick’s Day Parade and the Easter Parade. We are looking forward to having a good turn out for the Derby Parade. If you need any information regarding parades, I am sure the Parade Marshall will assist you.

Bob Maxwell
1st VP, PP
Hello everyone out there in SHRINER land. We hope that everyone are doing fine at the time of this article. There have been many people throughout the Shrine that have been sick, in the hospital and we hope that all have recovered and on their way back to being healthy.

Now! Let’s talk about what’s going on throughout the Temple from the beginning of the New Year, till now. We’ve had the circus come to town which was a huge success by our leader PP JR RIGGS and his team. There was PP SHAWN WARREN who showed up in the mornings and (of course without breakfast for the early risers for the TV shows). Thank You SHAWN, this is a little hint to get your pennies, nickels, and dimes together for next year. And we can’t forget PP RANDY COE who was also an early riser.

Folks it takes a lot of work to get up early and stay at the circus all day make the families laugh and smile and then return to the same routine for four days straight and do all again. If you think that some of you can handle that, please come out and walk in our shoes and see what you feel like afterwards. I would like to say “Thank You” for those that took time off from their regular job and came out and entertained the kids. Congratulations to “TRICKY” be named circus clown for this past circus 2017.

This is just beginning of a New Year with many other activities coming up. Parades and other activities plus the Buck A Lines. So! I can say we have our plates full for the rest of the year.

Just for your general knowledge for those of you who don’t know, we are called Joeys throughout the world wide of Shriners. We all have learned something from each other as Funsters and Brothers. We help each other out when we need some assistance and we cover each other’s back. It is up to us to mentor each other with a trick here or there. It is our job to keep mentoring to one another and especially the new ones.

We hear all the time that the clowns are being shut down for one reason or another, either by Father Time, the Black Camel or just by losing interest in it all. We don’t do clowning because we have to, it’s because we want to bring smiles and giggles to one and all. The smiles that we bring is payment enough. If you see a family, you usually hear from the parents, “my child is afraid of clowns” and then when we prove them wrong by them taking pictures with us, it just goes to show you what we Funsters can do.

You know! The other day I was thinking, I know that’s dangerous, when I can make a child smile, who is suffering from an illness or injuries, they forget their pain and injury for at least a brief moment then its all worth it. I know there are other Funsters who think the same way.

Now we have at least two parades coming up during this article of the Kolums, your going to have to wait for the next Kolums to come out and hear how they all came out. Speaking of parades, the Derby Parade isn’t too far way. So! We need to check our mean machines to be sure they’re in tip top shape. Don’t forget, we have the float preview party to attend to if you can make it.

I think that’s all for now, if anyone is interested in becoming a Funster, we meet right after the Unit Directors meeting on the fourth Monday of the Month. Hope to see some new faces show up.

Well! It’s time to go and see what mischievous things I get into. And all remember “Keepemlaughing”.

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<td>Lincoln Heritage Council</td>
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<td><a href="mailto:Rick.Reeve@scouting.org">Rick.Reeve@scouting.org</a></td>
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Columbia, SC |
| 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   |
| Gospel Singing |     |     |     |     | 6:30 PM Friday Night Fellowship Dinner Desserts – Oriental Band | ALMENAH POTENTATE’S BALL  
SCOTTISH RITE REUNION DAY 2 of 3 |
| 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  | 15  |
|     |     |     | 12:00 FINANCE  
COMMITTEE MEETING | 6:30 PM AASR  
SCOTTISH RITE MEETING  
Maundy Thursday | 6:30 PM Theme Dinner  
“Easter”  
Desserts – Boat Club  
7:30 PM KOSAIR SHRINERS  
STATED MEETING  
METRO ROAD BLOCK | L.O.C. BRING & BUY  
METRO ROAD BLOCK  
THUNDER OVER LOUISVILLE |
| 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  |
| 3rd SUNDAY  
CHICKEN DINNER 11a – 2p  
2:00 PM L.O.S.N.A  
Installation of Officers  
@ Suburban Lodge  
EASTER SUNDAY | 6:00 PM DIVAN MEETING | 12:00 HOUSE  
COMMITTEE MEETING | 7:00 PM Membership  
Committee Meeting | 6:30 PM Theme Dinner  
“Margaretville”  
Rock Museum  
Desserts – LOH | RIZPAH POTENTATE’S BALL  
THUNDER OVER LOUISVILLE |
| 23  | 24  | 25  | 26  | 27  | 28  | 29  |
| Street Machines Car Show  
@ Bullitt Co. Shrine Club  
10 AM – 5 PM | 6:30 PM UNIFORM BODIES/  
CIRCUS MEETING |     |     | 6:30 PM AASR  
SCOTTISH RITE MEETING | 6:30 PM Friday Night  
Dinner Dessert – Greeters | SCOTTISH RITE REUNION  
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|     |    |    | 5:00 PM  
FLOAT PREVIEW | STEAM BOAT RACE  
BOAT CLUB PARTY | No Director’s Staff Meeting  
PEGASUS PARADE  
TEMPLE OPEN HOUSE  
AFTER PARADE | 6:30 PM Theme Dinner  
“Derby”  
Desserts – Sandbags | 10:00 AM DERBY PARTY  
DERBY DAY |
| 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  |
|     |     |     | 5:00 PM KOSAIR CHARITIES  
BOARD MEETING  
FUN FEST GATLINBURG, TN | 6:30 PM AASR  
SCOTTISH RITE MEETING  
FUN FEST GATLINBURG, TN | 6:30 PM Friday Night  
Dinner Dessert – Hillbillies  
FUN FEST GATLINBURG, TN | BULLITT COUNTY SHRINE  
ROAD RALLY  
FUN FEST GATLINBURG, TN |
| 14  | 15  | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  |
|     |     |     | 12:00 FINANCE  
COMMITTEE MEETING | 7:00 PM MEMBERSHIP  
COMMITTEE MEETING | 6:30 PM Friday Night  
Dinner Desserts – L.O.S.N.A | OLEIKA POTENTATE BALL |
| 21  | 22  | 23  | 24  | 25  | 26  | 27  |
| 3rd Friday  
CHICKEN FRY  
11:00 – 2:00  
LEXINGTON HOSPITAL DAYS | 7:00 PM CALLED MEETING  
TO VOTE ON PETITIONS |     | 12:00 HOUSE  
COMMITTEE MEETING | 6:30 PM AASR  
SCOTTISH RITE MEETING | 6:30 PM Theme Dinner  
“Memorial Day”  
Desserts – LOH | 9:00 AM CEREMONIAL |
| 28  | 29  | 30  | 31  | Notes: |
| DAY AT THE RACES | 6:30 PM UNIFORM BODIES/  
CIRCUS MEETING |     |     |     |     |     |

**Notes:**