



Akdar Shrine News

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Grand Master Fall Ceremonial

Friday & Saturday - October 16th & 17th, 2026

Special Guest – Most Worshipful Grand Master

Don Stanton

We will host Bedouin and India Shriners on this special day.

Potentate's Message

Nobles and Ladies,

As we approach the last quarter of 2026, we still have several activities left this



year. Please check the calender,our Facebook and website for the latest events. I just got back from Quad cities Iowa C.S.S.A. It was a good time. Parade season is upon us so lets gear up a make a good showing.

October is Grand Master Fall Ceromanial so we will have all three Temples visiting Akdar. We are hosting Beduin and India along with the Grand Master. So lets make a good showing!

I want to give a big thank you to everyone who has supported Melissa and I this year. We wouldn't have been as successful

without all of your help.

Yours in Hope and Faith,

Harold Boggs, Potentate



Deceased Nobles

*Michael Beesley – Created
6/10/06*

*H. Blaine Davis – Created
6/24/1924*

*David Hydock – Created
5/11/01*

*Richard C. Johndrow –
Created 5/9/1987*



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NOTICE SEPTEMBER STATED BUSINESS MEETING

*The Akdar Shrine Stated Meeting will be held
7pm – Thursday, September 10TH, 2026
2808 South Sheridan Road, Tulsa, OK*

*For the purpose of old and new business as may
be regularly presented.*

*Harold Boggs, Potentate
Attest: Ralph Klumpp, P.P., Recorder*

NOTICE OCTOBER STATED BUSINESS MEETING

*The Akdar Shrine Stated Meeting will be held
7pm - Thursday, OCTOBER 8th, 2026
2808 South Sheridan Road, Tulsa, OK*

*For the purpose of old and new business as may
be regularly presented.*

*Harold Boggs, Potentate
Attest: Ralph Klumpp, P.P., Recorder*

NOTICE NOVEMBER STATED BUSINESS MEETING

*The Akdar Shrine Stated Meeting will be held
7pm - Thursday, NOVEMBER 12th, 2026
2808 South Sheridan Road, Tulsa, OK
“CHIEF RABBAN NIGHT”*

*For the purpose of old and new business as may
be regularly presented.*

*Harold Boggs, Potentate
Attest: Ralph Klumpp, P.P., Recorder*

Shrine Newsletter Deadline 2026
November/December issue October 10th
Send your information to
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SEPTEMBER



Mon/7th Labor Day-Divan/Units/Clubs meeting 6pm
Thu/10th Business Meeting Dinner 6pm- Nobles & Ladies Meetings 7pm
Mon/14th D.O.N. Meeting 6pm
Tues/22nd L.O.S. meeting 7pm
Sun/27th Circus KICK OFF Party-Ladies Without Nobles Luncheon 1pm
Mon/28th Membership meeting 7:30pm

OCTOBER

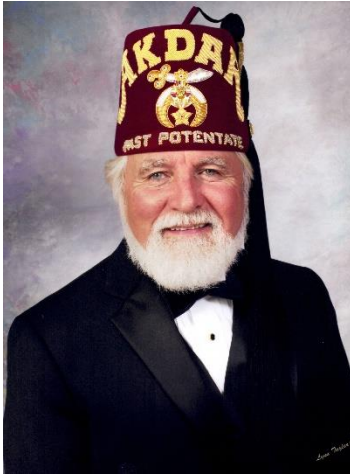


Mon/5th Divan/Units/Clubs meeting 6pm
Thu/8th Business Meeting dinner 6pm-Nobles & Ladies meetings 7pm
Mon/12th D.O.N. meeting 6pm
Fri/16th Grand Master Fall Ceremonial
Sat/17th Grand Master Fall Ceremonial
Mon/19th Circus Planning meeting 6:30pm
Sat/24th Camper Crawl at Akdar Park
Sun/25th Ladies Without Nobles Luncheon 1pm
Mon/26th Membership meeting 7:30pm
Tues/27th L.O.S. meeting 7pm
Sat/31st HALLOWEEN

NOTE: Business Office closed Fridays

Recorder's Message

We have had a busy summer as 2026 is winding down. Imperial Session was held in July in Tampa, Florida. The Sportsman Raffle was a fun success! Illustrious Sir Kyle Hess did his usual great job being our M.C. He always makes it a fun time. Thank you Illustrious Sir!



The 2026 Potentate' Ball was held at the Doubletree Hotel, a great venue and well attended. Congrats to Illustrious Sir Harold and Lady Melissa for a great party!

C.S.S.A. was held in Davenport, Iowa and we had sixteen members representing Akdar Shrine. Davenport was a fairly long drive for most of our Nobles. The Keystone Kops had a pretty cool awards banquet, they booked a river dinner cruise on a Mississippi river boat!

October brings Assistant Rabban and Oriental Guide school in Tampa. We also have the Grand Master Fall Ceremonial hosted by Akdar. India and Bedouin Shrines will attend plus special guest Most Worshipful Grand Master Don Stanton. It would be extremely nice to have a good representation of Akdar Nobles to show the other temples and the Grand Master how we support our new Shriners.

Please mark your calendars for the upcoming events and please plan to attend a few as your presence makes a difference.

Don't forget the monthly dinner and business meeting on the second Thursday of the month. Join us for food and fellowship! See your there!

Yours in the Faith,
Ralph Klumpp, Past Potentate, Recorder

Happy Birthday to our
Nobles and Ladies with
September and October
Birthdays!



Popcorn Wagon

13 Shrine Hospitals for Children + 2 Ambulatory Surgery Centers & 5 Clinics R Us

Free sacks of popcorn were passed out for:

Ponca City Parade 774

Grandview Apartments, Glenpool 258

Collinsville Parade 344

Gatesway Foundation Party, Broken Arrow 430

Pawhuska Parade 731

Broken Arrow Police Backpacks For Children 1,290

Vinita Parade 774

O.S.U. Back To School Event 1,075

Two Months Total Events 8 Total Sacks 5,676



Noble Chris Haist is refurbishing our Shrine Hospital public relations parade trailer. You will like it!

Thank you to our helpers! If you need popcorn let us know.

Yours in the Faith,
Pete Goltra
Past Potentate

P.S. We need all of the public relations we can get. Frequently I find people that do not know about Shrine Hospitals for Children. If you want to donate or want to help call 918.254.0722 home or 918.814.8254 cell.

Scooter Unit

The members and guests of the Scooter Unit met the Silver Skillet restaurant at 61st and Memorial on the 4th Wednesday of the month. All are welcome. Our meeting starts at 7pm and everyone orders as they arrive.

For Nobles attending, we wear our Fezzes from the car to the meeting and back, to show how proud we are to do the work that we do as Shriners, helping kids and supporting their families with encouragement and hope. We have no dues or uniforms and you don't actually have to own a Scooter to join the club.

Our members are eager to help in any they can. We're already working on next year's fireworks stand and car show and organizing another concert....parades attended, popcorn handed out.

Questions call Robert 918-202-3569 Adrian 702 525 5540 Pete residence: 918 254 8722 cell 918 814 8254

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Happy 250th America!

