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ZAMORA NEWS

From Your Potentate...

Tom Gaskins

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At the Stated & Budget Meeting on February 22nd presented the new 2017 Budget and it was passed by the membership in attendance.

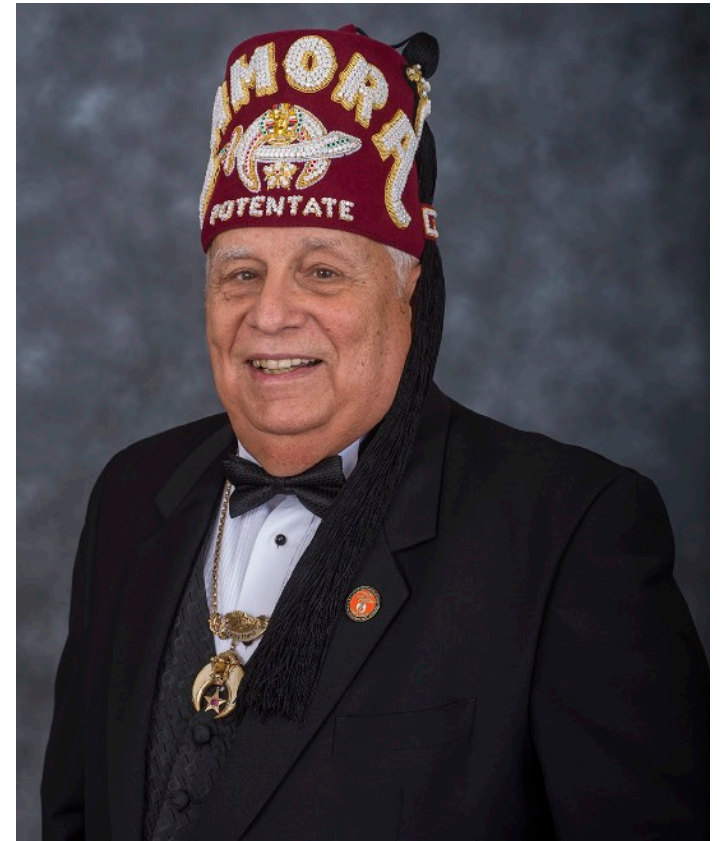
Then on February the 25th came the Talladega Mardi Gras Parade and Zamora was well represented. Your Divan was complete except for just a couple of members. Then we had the Zamora Convertibles, Motor Corps, Dune Buggies, Riders, Our Hillbilly's, Our Signature Leapin Leena, Golf Carts and our Skat Kats.

Dale Roberson took pictures along the parade route and the entire time he seemed to dodged miniature moon pies and beads. After the parade Talladega had a spread of Barbecue at the Dega Brew house.

The First of March your New Recorder John Akers went to the Recorders Seminar and when he returned he said he felt like he had learned a lot. John is doing a great job and so be sure and give him a big pat on the back now and then. Thanks John for all you are doing and learning. Welcome back from all of us.

When John returned we sent off Tim Vaughan and his Lady Denise to attend Oriental Guide Seminar. They both really came back ripping and ready to go said they had also learned a lot.

March 10th – 11th was a wonderful Shriners Day weekend at the Greenville Hospital. We didn't go on the bus but Zamora showed up in full force. We had over 35 nobles, Ladies and guests stand up for Zamora when we were introduced. Winston presented a check to the hospital from the Clay County Car Show for \$30,000.00 and that was really impressive. Nobles Dr. Bob Steele, Travis Price, Tommy Hicks, Dan Suggs and his Lady Mildred from the Car Show came to represent the event and their accomplishment. The car show is always held the first weekend in November and Zamora goes to Lineville, Al to help support them in this endeavor.



I want to thank them for attending Shriner's Day and for all the work and effort they put into this. Winston also had a young lady Jossie Rigsby who happens to be a patient. She was kind enough to come the night of the Paper Sale kickoff. Be sure and say hello the next time you see her and thank her mother for allowing her to share with us.

Upon our returning from Greenville we sent off Jerry Wayne Thomas to Tampa, FL, for his Assistant Rabban School. I'm sure he had the same feeling upon returning. The seminars that International puts on are really educational and get you motivated to handle your new position and hopefully prepare you for what is ahead.

My Lady and I visited the Coosa Valley Shrine Club Friday night the 17th of March. We were welcomed by the Club Director Dave "Soke" Shelton and his lovely Lady Lyn. We enjoyed a meal with them at the Batter Up Restaurant in Childersburg, AL. plus enjoyed the time we got to spend with them.

It happened that night to be St. Patrick's Day and almost everyone there was sporting the green except a hand full of patrons and two of them happened to be my Lady and I. We still had a great time and want to extend thanks to the Coosa Valley Shrine Club.

Several of the units at Zamora have started Drill practice for the Dixie. If you see some cones in the parking lot by the pavilion please don't aim for them and be sure to watch out for any units practicing. We want Zamora to bring home some trophies this year from the Dixie.

The Motor Corps Drill team leaders approached me and ask me to drill again this year so they could participate in the competition. They really didn't have to twist my arm too hard as I missed being out there with them. So when you come to the Dixie you will see your Potentate out there on his spit shined Shriners Ultra Classic Harley. Sure hope all of you come and help cheer us on. Come out to the drill field, cheer and support all the motorized units participating in drill competition.

The Units at Zamora that go to the conventions to participate in competition whether it be the Clowns which stand some pretty vigorous competition and their equipment is their face paint, outfits and a lot of patience; the Hillbilly's, the Skat Kats, the Riders, the Dune Buggy's and the Motor Corps and if any I missed mentioning all take their own equipment down, clean them up and detail them for hours to point of white glove inspection if motorized equipment, spend the time and energy to stand personal inspection for YOUR Shrine Center and for of course bragging rights. (P.S. I would like to add that the Hillbilly's equipment is a tad beyond white glove inspection).

The Dixie Convention is just around the corner. It is May 18th thru May the 20th. I would like to see a big participation from Zamora this year. We have a good time as a group from Zamora. We get to spend time together in a relaxed atmosphere and enjoy each other's company. We are staying at the Days Inn, 12818 Front Beach Road, 1-850-233-3333. Billy has made arrangements for us to bring our pets as in the past. Call them to make your room reservation but on our website, at the end of my message or go by the office and pick up the registration form so you can register that you are going. This registration form along with your payment needs to be mailed to Noble Mike Odom and his address is on the bottom of the form. Please tend to getting this done as soon as you can.

Schedule of Events for the Dixie Shrine Convention:

May 17th start at 6:00 PM Welcome Dixie Party, around Pool-Days Inn. This is one of the highlights of Dixie each year.
May 18th 7:00 to 9:00 AM Breakfast May 18th 11:00 AM Golf Tournament
May 18th 6:00 President's Banquet Social Hour (cash Bar), Banquet 6:30 (Casual Dress) Harpoon Harry's
May 18th Block Party 8:30 PM Pool Deck at Days Inn
May 19th DSMC Competition 6:30 AM (set up) Frank Brown Park
May 19th Breakfast 7:00 to 9:00 May 19th DSMC Competition 8:00 AM Frank Brown Park
May 19th Hillbilly Competition 9:00 am Frank Brown Park May 19th 11:00am to 4:00pm Registration Days Inn
May 19th Ladies Luncheon (Social) 11:00 AM Harpoon Harry's
May 19th Ladies Luncheon (Lunch) 11:30 AM Harpoon Harry's
May 19th Dixie Shrine Ass'n Meeting 1:00 PM Seahaven Beach Hotel 15238 Front Beach Road, Panama City Beach, FL.
May 19th Dixie Shrine Hospitality 3:00 to 5:00 PM Dixie Hospitality Room Days Inn
May 19th Hillbilly Banquet 6:00 pm at All American Diner
May 20th Breakfast 7:00 to 9:00
May 20th Clowns Competition 7:45 to 10:30 Seahaven Beach Hotel 15238 Front Beach Road, Panama City Beach, FL. Dixie Shrine
Parade Line up at 10:30 Steps Off 11:30 Edgewater Shopping Center
Meet and Greet our Incoming 2017/2018 President "Dorsey Holt" 12:30 to 4:00 Days Inn Pool Deck
May 20th DSMC Hospitality 6:00 PM Harpoon Harry's
DSMC Dinner & Awards 6:45pm Harpoon Harry's
Clown Banquet & Awards 6:00pm All American Diner

As your Potentate I will be looking forward to seeing you at the competitions and banquets at the Dixie in Panama City, Fl, the SESA in Warner Robins, Ga and in Daytona for the 143rd Imperial 2017 Convention July 9th – 13th. Make your plans now to attend the 2017 conventions.

The dates are in your Zamora Calendar / Directory. You can go the websites to get the forms needed or go by the office. Get your registration forms in and make your reservations to attend. Our Recorder, John Akers is trying his best to get the paperwork to us for the Zamora hotel at the Imperial Convention in Daytona so you can continue to make those plans.

If you have looked at the back of your new directory you will notice that the Corporate Office of Express Oil Change and Tire Engineers have supported us this year and purchased the back page of your Calendar / Directory. It's the first time I think Zamora has ever sold our back page to help pay for the printing and set up costs so be sure and support them and show your thanks.



When you go to the Imperial2017.com website you will find all kind of great information about things to do while in Daytona. Motorized Competition is on Sunday and it falls on the 8th this year. Also the Parade is going to be a night parade. That's going to be a treat in itself. Make your plans now as best as you can and hope to see you there.

Your Divan has been very busy this month between seminars and Mid-Winters. The SESA was in Warner Robins, Georgia and Al went down with me.

Sunday between 2-4 pm on April the 9th is our Kids Easter Party. Please be sure to come, bring your kids and your grandkids to the party. There is a lot of good things in the works so that they will have a great time. Noble James Vaughn and his Lady Mary have been busy for over a month getting things ready so the kids will have a wonderful time. It's just the first of the four parties we hold for the kids each year.

April 13th is scheduled Bike Night at Zamora. Stop by and look at the bikes these bikers bring to be judged.

Don't forget the 22nd of next month is our COUNTRY CASH and we need to have it totally sold out. I hear we are having a wonderful dinner and I know we are going to have a lot of cash to give away. Look to see you there.

The month of April is going to be a busy one for Zamora. As you go forward always I ask you to keep in mind that "There's A Little Volunteer In Every Shriner". Thanks also go to all those that have Volunteered during the month of March to help in the ways we know how to help. Without you we couldn't get it done.



Dixie Shrine Association

2017 Convention Registration Form

May 18th - 20th 2017

Panama City Beach Florida

(Please fill out 1 per registrant. Make as many copies as needed)

Representative _____ Shrine Temple _____ \$90.00 + Lady

E-Mail Address _____

Office Held or Title _____ Lady _____ \$20.00

*(The price of the **Dixie President's Banquet Ticket** and the **Ladies Luncheon Ticket** are included in the \$90.00 Registration fee for Representatives **plus Lady \$20 - Total \$110.00**)*

Non Representative _____ Shrine Temple _____ \$20.00

E-Mail Address _____

Office Held or Title _____ Lady _____ \$20.00

Dixie President's Banquet # _____ Tickets @ 35.00 Each = \$ _____

Ladies Luncheon # _____ Tickets @ 25.00 Each = \$ _____

Total \$ _____

Please mail your Convention Registration Forms and Payment, including the President Banquet and Ladies Luncheon to:

Noble Mike Odom, President
Dixie Shrine Association 2017
7938 Westwood Ave.
Panama City, FL 32404

Any Questions Contact; Mike Odom mbodom@bellsouth.net or 850 769-7303



SHRINE LICENSE PLATE REPORT		
The following is an accounting of the funds received from the sale of Shrine auto license plates, how the money is divided and which Temple receives donations to its transportation fund.		
February 1 -- February 28, 2017		
County	Temple	Amount
BALDWIN.....	ABBA.....	\$ 247.50
CHOCTAW.....	ABBA.....	\$ 41.25
CLARKE.....	ABBA.....	\$ 82.50
CONECUH.....	ABBA.....	\$ 82.50
MOBILE.....	ABBA.....	\$ 206.25
MONROE.....	ABBA.....	\$ 41.25
LEE.....	ALCAZAR...	\$ 41.25
MONTGOMERY.....	ALCAZAR...	\$ 121.59
COLBERT.....	CAHABA....	\$ 41.25
DEKALB.....	CAHABA....	\$ 123.75
FRANKLIN.....	CAHABA....	\$ 41.25
JACKSON.....	CAHABA....	\$ 41.25
LAUDERDALE.....	CAHABA....	\$ 123.75
MADISON.....	CAHABA....	\$ 41.25
MORGAN.....	CAHABA....	\$ 41.25
BLOUNT.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 82.50
CHEROKEE.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 41.25
ETOWAH.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 41.25
JEFFERSON.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 412.50
SHELBY.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 163.21
ST CLAIR.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 82.50
TALLADEGA.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 123.75
WALKER.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 41.25
Paid to Abba Shrine Transportation Fund.....		\$ 126.23
Paid to Alcazar Shrine Transportation Fund.....		\$ 29.31
Paid to Cahaba Shrine Transportation Fund.....		\$ 81.68
Paid to Zamora Shrine Transportation Fund.....		\$ 177.88
Paid to Shrine Hospitals.....		\$ 1,890.96
Pd. To Hospital Program Since Nov. 1, 1994.....		\$ 848,499.44
Pd. To Transportation Program Since Oct. 1, 1994.....		\$ 186,162.02
Beginning Balance February 1, 2017.....		\$ 29.31
Ending Balance February 31, 2017.....		\$ 29.31

\$ 1,034,661.46

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The following is an accounting of the funds received from the sale of Shrine auto license plates, how the money is divided and which Temple receives donations to its transportation fund.		
March 1 -- March 31, 2017		
County	Temple	Amount
BALDWIN.....	ABBA.....	\$ 536.25
BIBB.....	ABBA.....	\$ 41.25
ESCAMBIA.....	ABBA.....	\$ 41.25
HALE.....	ABBA.....	\$ 41.25
MARENGO.....	ABBA.....	\$ 82.50
MOBILE.....	ABBA.....	\$ 165.00
CHILTON.....	ALCAZAR...	\$ 41.25
CLEBURN.....	ALCAZAR...	\$ 82.50
COFFEE.....	ALCAZAR...	\$ 41.25
COVINGTON.....	ALCAZAR...	\$ 41.25
CRENSHAW.....	ALCAZAR...	\$ 82.50
HOUSTON.....	ALCAZAR...	\$ 82.50
MONTGOMERY.....	ALCAZAR...	\$ 123.06
DEKALB.....	CAHABA....	\$ 371.25
FRANKLIN.....	CAHABA....	\$ 82.50
JACKSON.....	CAHABA....	\$ 165.00
LAWRENCE.....	CAHABA....	\$ 41.25
LIMESTONE.....	CAHABA....	\$ 206.25
MADISON.....	CAHABA....	\$ 453.75
MORGAN.....	CAHABA....	\$ 206.25
MORGAN.....	CAHABA....	\$ 123.75
CALHOUN.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 165.00
CHEROKEE.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 41.25
ETOWAH.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 41.25
ETOWAH.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 41.25
JEFFERSON.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 288.75
MARION.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 41.25
PICKENS.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 41.25
SHELBY.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 81.90
ST CLAIR.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 371.25
TALLADEGA.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 41.25
TALLAPOOSA.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 41.25
TUSCALOOSA.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 41.25
WALKER.....	ZAMORA....	\$ 165.00
Paid to Abba Shrine Transportation Fund.....		\$ 163.35
Paid to Alcazar Shrine Transportation Fund.....		\$ 88.98
Paid to Cahaba Shrine Transportation Fund.....		\$ 297.00
Paid to Zamora Shrine Transportation Fund.....		\$ 252.34
Paid to Shrine Hospitals.....		\$ 1,890.96
Pd. To Hospital Program Since Nov. 1, 1994.....		\$ 852,151.48
Pd. To Transportation Program Since Oct. 1, 1994.....		\$ 186,963.69
Beginning Balance March 1, 2017.....		\$ 29.31
Ending Balance March 31, 2017.....		\$ 29.31

\$ 1,039,115.17

Notice to all the Nobles of Zamora we are starting a new phone calling system

This system will allow us to contact you and keep you informed of any events coming up and of any information that pertains to the nobility be it good or bad news. It will be best if the number it goes to is capable of receiving a voice mail or text in case you are not available at that time. It is also capable of just sending an email if you provide us with that information.

I have sent a trial run out to you and if you haven't received a call from One Call please contact Tom Gaskins so we can update your information.

Please call me at 205-527-4356 and leave me a voice mail with your name and phone number you prefer or if your Preference is to opt out from the system. If you prefer you can also text me at the above phone number.

Tom Gaskins
Potentate "2017"
Zamora Shrine Center
3521 Ratliff Rd.
Irondale Al. 35210
Cell 205-527-4356
tennvols2@charter.net



APRIL

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
						1 Cahaba Ball - Huntsville, AL Gadsden Shrine Club Cash Giveaway Private Rental
2	3	4	5 Unit Meetings Unit Director/Club President Meeting	6 Unit Meetings	7 Al Menah Ball - Nashville, TN Unit Meetings	8 Private Rental
9 Kids Easter Party 2 - 4 P.M.	10 Unit Meetings N.W. Alabama and Shrine Club meets	11	12	13 Zamora Bike Night Gadsden Shrine Club meets	14 Good Friday Office Closed Walker County Shrine Club meets	15
16	17 Coosa Valley Shrine Club meets	18	19 Dixie Shrine Club meets	20	21	22 Country Cash
23	24	25	26 Divan Meeting	27 East Alabama and Gadsden Shrine Club Meet	28 Private Rental	29
30 Ladies Self Defense Class	31					

NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS



CREDIT CARDS – SURCHARGES

EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 1, 2017 ZAMORA WILL START CHARGING A THREE (3) PERCENT SURCHARGE ON ALL CREDIT CARDS USES AT THE TEMPLE.

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your personal
information, payments
and Shrine activity**

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- Click the register button on the Login page: **Register**
- From the Registration page, choose your Temple from the drop-down list and then type in your Member Number and your First and Last names.

- Click on the Register button. You will be directed to the Create a New Account page. On this page enter an E-mail address that you will use to log in with, confirm the E-mail address, and then enter and confirm your Password.

Email

Confirm Email

Password

(Passwords must be between 8 and 12 characters with at least one upper case and one lower case letter and at least one number.)

Confirm password

- Scroll down to read the WebFez User Agreement and Privacy policy. Agree by clicking the checkbox.
- After the checkbox is selected, click on Register. This will Register you for WebFez and log you into the system.



Ladies Self-Defense and Survival Class

Sunday April 30, 2017

2:00 PM – 3:30 PM

Zamora Shrine Temple

Free Class
to be given
by Soke

Ladies Ages 12 and Up

The Instructor, Soke Dave Shelton, is a 10th Degree Black Belt, Supreme Grandmaster, and is founder of the style of Shorin Ryu Matsumara Soken Do. He has a PhD, Doctor of Philosophy in Asian Martial Arts. He is a member of the "World Head of Family Sokeship Grandmaster's Council" and 15 International Halls of Fame. He has 52 years of experience.

Please visit our website: www.theimss.org

For any questions or directions please contact one of the
following numbers:

Pat Gaskins: 205-715-9743
Soke Dave Shelton: 205-999-6668

Road Runners Report

March 2017 we had 10 Van trips

9 Trips to Greenville transported
1 Trip to Philadelphia transported

Furnished 8 Rooms Greenville for

The Zamora Shriners changed 18
lives

9 Children
1 Child

8 Children

The Transportation Fund Received Donations in March 2017

Greg & Marcy Gregerson

Ron Patrick

Duke Lodge

Larry Fox

Chelsea Lodge

John & Catherine Galbreath

Sherpower

Bill Ringer

United Steel Workers Local 121

Benny Hood

Kenneth & Judith Sexton

Sandra Patterson

Mr & Mrs E C Kennedy

Charles & Jean Casey

John & Carolyn Godfrey

Oeida Roper

Mr & Mrs James Bobo

Thomas & Leanne Dowling



First Lady's Message...

Pat Gaskins



Nuttin Finer Than A Shriner.....

Here it comes..... Ready or not.....

Ladies please print off the flyer I have attached of the Survival and Self Defense class that I've gotten lined up for us at Zamora. We have a lot of folks that say they are coming and bringing a daughter, friend etc to the class. I'm getting excited about it. Talked to Soke and he has some folks lined up to come and help him. They seem to be getting ready to teach us some techniques to help give us the opportunity to help ourselves. Below is what I put in the March article in case you missed it. This is for all the Ladies of a Noble and whoever that they want to bring with them.

I have arranged with "Soke" Dave Shelton to come and instruct a Survival and Self Defense class to the ladies of Zamora and our family and friends. The class is scheduled Sunday April 30th. He is a member of Zamora and President of the Coosa Valley Shrine Club. I like to consider myself a good friend of his and I appreciate his volunteering to do this for us. I don't know about the other ladies but I don't consider myself safe as I used too. I hope to learn how to feel a little safer and gain some confidence in handling situations that may arise. So look ahead. Put this date on your calendar and ask someone that you feel could benefit by attending. **This is a FREE class** but I think I'll put out a tip jar and Soke can use tips in what-ever manner he chooses.

These Divan ladies have Birthdays the month of April. Be sure when you see them to wish them a very Happy Birthday! They are: April 6th Patty Vaughn, 17th Tammy Wortham, 20th Tina Smith and the 24th Mindy Pearson. Happy Birthday Ladies.....

I ask that all the Divan ladies that can please come to help out at the Easter Party. Greet the visitors, introduce yourself and thank them for coming. Hopefully the weather will cooperate and we will have a lot of kids and families to attend this year. The party is Sunday April 9th and we need to be there approximately 1 pm and not later than 1:15 pm. Kids start coming in by 1:30. Please ask James or Mary Vaughn if you can do anything to help them out.

Ladies we are fast approaching the busiest time of the year for us. It's Shrine Convention's, Easter Party and the Kids Day at The Park, Talladega Race and on top of that summer is around the corner. Plan on bringing a child or grandchild to the Kids Day at The Park too. They really have a great time. It's a Saturday on June 24th this year. Please remember that your Noble and the other Shriners need our help in doing these things for the kids. I think we get a lot more out of it when we dig in and help. I know I always have.

Don't forget if you order something from Amazon go thru Amazon Smile (smile.amazon.com) to order. Put down your favorite charity and I hope it the Shriners. Every penny adds up.

Ladies after we have an event if you could just stay around a few more minutes as we jump in and help clear the tables, etc and get it all cleaned up in a hurry. We could use a few more hands to help us.

I have delivered all the shirts to almost everyone. If you haven't gotten the ones you ordered yet please contact me and make arrangements to meet and pick up.

If you need to get a hold of me contact me via cell phone, text, email or message me. Face book had become a monster to me and very time consuming. I did without it for a while and found I like it much better that way. So yep I've gone back to the grid or off the grid. ??

That's it for now ladies.... remember "Nuttin Finer Than A Shriner"..... Unless He's your Shriner!!

First Lady Pat





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Can I change my charity?

Yes, you can change your charity any time. Your AmazonSmile purchases after the change count towards your newly selected charity. To change your charity, sign in to smile.amazon.com on your desktop or mobile phone browser and simply select "Change your Charity" in "Your Account."

What charities can I choose from?

You can choose from almost one million eligible 501(c)(3) public charitable organizations.

What if my selected charity does not register to participate in the AmazonSmile program or becomes ineligible?

If your selected charity does not register to participate, becomes ineligible, or requests to be removed from the program, you will have a chance to select a different charity to receive the accrued donations that have not yet been disbursed to your charity. If you do not select a different charity, the accrued donations will be distributed to other organizations receiving donations.

If I represent a charitable organization, how can I learn more about registering my organization for AmazonSmile?

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How much of my purchase does Amazon donate?

The AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price from your eligible AmazonSmile purchases. The purchase price is the amount paid for the item minus any rebates and excluding shipping & handling, gift-wrapping fees, taxes, or service charges. From time to time, we may offer special, limited time promotions that increase the donation amount on one or more products or services or provide for additional donations to charitable organizations. Special terms and restrictions may apply. Please see the relevant promotion for complete details.

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10 EASY WAYS TO WRECK OUR TEMPLE

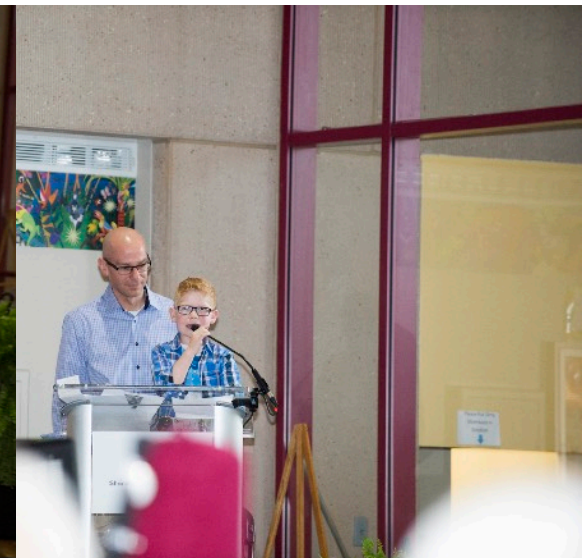
1. Don't attend stated meetings.
2. If you go be sure to be late.
3. If the weather is bad - don't even think about going.
4. When you do go to a meeting - be sure to find fault with the elected leaders.
5. Never accept an office, that way you will be able to criticize those in office.
6. If you are appointed to a committee - avoid attending it's meetings.
7. When asked to offer your opinion or constructive criticism - tell them that you have nothing to say.
8. Do nothing more than absolutely necessary - but when someone else tells you that only a few are doing the lion's share of the work - that is your opportunity to say - " The Temple is run by a clique".
9. Don't worry about paying your dues on time - let the other members worry about paying the bills.
10. Don't bother getting new members - again, let those "others" worry about membership.

DOES THIS SOUND LIKE ANYONE YOU KNOW? PERHAPS IT IS TIME TO WHISPER COUNCIL IN HIS EAR - OR LOOK IN A MIRROR.

2017 Greenville Hospital Shriners Day



On March 11th, 2017 at the Shriners Hospital in Greenville, SC representatives from the Clay County Car Show presented a check to the Hospital in the amount of \$30,000.00. They always hold the car show on the first weekend in November. In the picture with these Zamora Nobles is a beautiful young lady named Jossie Rigsby and she made the trip so she could be a part of this. From left to right are Nobles Lynn Emfinger, Dr. Bob Steel, Travis Price, Tommy Hicks, Sam Suggs, Winston "The Wizard" Each, Lady Mildred Suggs, Illustrious Sir Potentate Tom Gaskins and his Lady Pat.





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