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POTENTATES MESSAGE

Doug Dulac, Potentate

Well, it was another fantastic month at Anah Shrine. We started out with the Rainbow girl's installation in Lewiston on May 19 and 20. It is amazing to see these young ladies do degree work. It was a very informative weekend. On the 21st I played in the Annual Keystone Kops Golf Tournament. My playing was bad as usual, but they put on a great event! It was good weather and a fun time.

On Saturday the 27th Lady Robyn and I hosted a Hillbilly Degree at our house. The Hillbilly Shrine club degree team initiated seven new Hillbillies. If you are not a Hillbilly yet you should consider joining when the next degree happens. I think they plan to do another one later this year.

Then on June 2,3 and 4 it was off to Ottawa Canada for the Tunis Shrine visitation. It is always a pleasure to visit the Canadian Temples. They are very welcoming. As usual, we heard a lot of positive comments about Anah. We have a lot of respect out there.

Several of us attended the Kora ceremonial on June 9,10 and 11 at Baileys campground in

Scarborough. They did a very nice job putting on their Ceremonial. They brought in 27 new nobles. I was lucky enough to go through the Second Section with Illustrious Sir Jim Bennet, Kora's Potentate. You all would have been very proud to see all the nobles and ladies from Anah perform in the Karaoke Saturday night. We won the best Karaoke group award!!

Of course, the highlight of the month was our Ceremonial on June 16,17,18 and 19. What a great time!

It started out with a cribbage tournament on Thursday night, put on by the facts and figures unit. I understand some of the kids were involved and it was a fun time. On Friday, we had our Golf Tournament put together by Bruce and Cindy Walls with a lot of help from many others. That was also a big success!

Friday night was a meet and greet hosted by our outstanding Aides. There were over 200 people in attendance. Saturday started out with our parade in Carmel. It was a little bit wet, but it was till a great parade. During the afternoon the Second Section helped initiate our 31 new nobles. As usual they did a super job. Saturday night was a big party with over 350 in attendance. The Keystone Kops and the Mini Car Unit served us steak and lobster.

One of the highlights of the evening was the drawing of the winner of the Potentate's trip raffle. Earl and Linda Tracy were the lucky winners. Congratulations to them! We still have some rooms available for that trip to Englewood Florida Oct. 7-14. We are having an informational meeting about the trip on August 1 at the temple at 6:00 PM.

Several of us are heading to Charlotte, NC for the 2023 Imperial session the week of July 1-7. This is where a lot of the very important business decisions are made. We are very excited to have the Anah Lobster Boats coming

to participate in the giant parade!!

Don't forget the first annual Anah Family Carnival on August 6th from 10-2 at the temple. There will be a mini parade and many other fun things going on that day. All friends and family are invited.

Thank you all again for all your help and support to make Anah the best Shrine Temple anywhere.

Doug Dulac

Potentate 2023

"FROM THE RECORDER'S DESK"

Charlie Pray

Greetings From the Recorders Desk...

Let me first take a moment to welcome in the 31 newest members of the Anah Shrine family. Although the weather was a bit iffy, it wasn't enough to dampen the spirit of the parade. Carmel was gracious enough to come out and greet their local boy "Doug Dulac" as well as the complete lineup of units for the annual Summer Ceremonial.

Much thank to the Mini-Cars and the Keystone Kops for their fine dinner Saturday evening. Having served some 340+ meals, it was great to gather in a large mass again, break bread and enjoy the comradery of the fraternity. Isn't it great to be back in full swing?

On a totally different note: Those of you who attended the Saturday night dinner witnessed one of the most amazing feats of Shrine Philanthropy that evening. In less than 7 minutes, \$3,000.00 was raised from the audience in an effort to bolster the materials for the child life section of Shriners Children's New England (Formerly know as Shriners Hospital for Children, Springfield). I took the opportunity to acknowledge the efforts of a young lady, (Anne Gorman) who strives to



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Now, speaking of parades: PLEASE PLEASE PLEASE don't forget to send in the parade requests for your unit's schedule. Remember, we need a minimum of 2 weeks to secure the insurance endorsement, so get us the information as soon as possible.

Congratulations once again to the 31 new noble and their families who choose to join the "World's Greatest Philanthropy" last month. Welcome aboard, and get involved, it's the most wonderful thing that you can do for yourself and your chosen organization.

Fraternally,
Charlie

P.S. "Go Red Sox!"

Tri-County

Tri-County Shrine Club held their monthly meeting on the 17th of May at the American Legion Hall in Corinna. We had 16 Nobles and 7 Ladies present. After a rousing Libation Hour under the direction of Libation Master Corey Roberts, the meeting was called to order by President Lorne Noiles. Invocation was given by "Bobo, who is recovering nicely from his scare in Florida. Hard to keep a good Clown down. The Shrine Pledge to the Flag was led by President "Gizmo". We were treated to a very delicious pork dinner. The kitchen crew was invited out and given a rousing applause for their efforts. Nobles that were introduced were, Ron Green Director, PP Lee Kaufman "2013", Assistant Circus Director Corey Roberts. Officers of Tri-County, Vice President Colby Johnson, Secretary Dave Mosley and President Gizmo. Representing the Divan was 1st Ceremonial Master Dan Costain. The President had Nobles introduce the lovely Ladies that were in attendance. The 50-50 was won by Dan Costain. Dan graciously donated his share back to the Club. A tip of the Old Red Fez to Dan. There is a little story about Dan tonight. He forgot his Fez, and Coota thought that the Fez fine should double. But Dan's darling and loving wife Lanci thought the fine should be higher. Further details can be taken up with Lanci. Dan brought us up to date on the progress on the building projects at Anah Shrine. Work on the roof projects is expected to start in July, with the second paving to begin after that. There is to be a raffle by Anah Shrine

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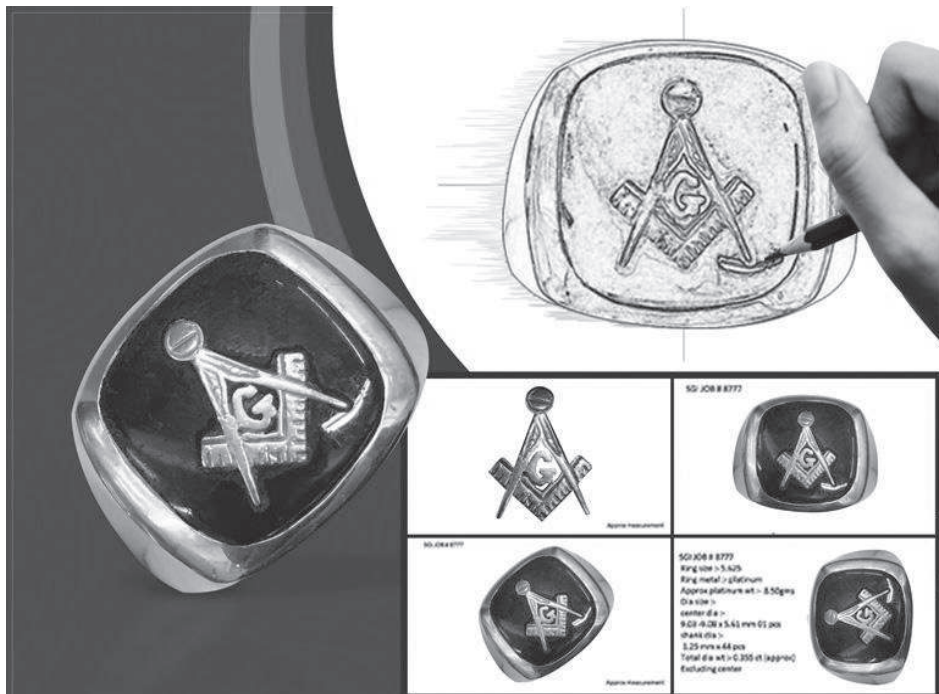
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involving a \$36,000 Camper. More details with be coming out. No further business, meeting was closed by the President.

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Schoodic Shrine Club

Greetings from Schoodic Shrine Club:

Mat 17th was the date of the Shrine Club meeting held at the Dennysville Congregational Church. There were 18 Nobles and Ladies in attendance. The church crew put on a great meal. \$210.00 was collected and given to the church and they turned around and donated the money back to the Shrine.

Our Noble president, Mark Cook, was not able to be in attendance, so our Noble VP, Dick Ramsey, stepped in and handled things. We discussed the need to paint the 20 new "bird houses", which are used to collect the tickets for the trees at the Festival of Trees. Percy the Painter will organize the work party.

Our Divan Representative, Noble Frank Theriault, Anah Marshal, discussed several topics, including the June Ceremonial and parade, North East Shrine Association Field Days in Concord, NH in August, the Hillbilly degree, as well as the success of the Circus. A big thank you goes out to all the Nobles and Ladies who helped make the Circus such a success. He also discussed the idea of Life Membership in the Shrine.

As we look ahead, our meeting in July will be on Wednesday, the 26th, the fourth Wednesday of the month, at Eastern Lodge No. 7, Eastport, with social hour at 5:30 pm and dinner at 6:00 pm. The third Wednesday is the annual Past Masters' Night at St. Croix Lodge No. 46, Calais. This is a steak feed at 6:00 pm for all present and past masters. The Degree of Past Master is conferred on anyone who has not taken this degree and wants to become a member. It is always a very enjoyable evening. In August we will meet at Fitzgerald's in Calais and on Saturday, September 23rd, at NOON, will be the Divan Visitation at the Meddybemps Community Center. This will be the World Famous Fish Fry. All of these meetings are Ladies' times as well.

Hope to see you at these fun functions.

'Til next time!

Anah Academicians

Noble Ron Bilancia, Reporter

Hello Fellow Academicians and Ladies,

This is gonna be a pretty short one.

As of this writing we have not yet had the June Ceremonial or the drawing for our latest Mega Meat Raffle, so more on those next time. But of course we do want to say many

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thanks to everyone who helped with both of these major events.

The potluck picnic will be August 19th at noon at Parks Pond Campground.

From The Wonderful World of Donnie (Copeland, not Disney, though just as surreal) aka News From Hungry Hollow: "Today, June 3rd, Gin'n Freddy and I attended the Luxor Ceremonial parade in Woodstock, NB. Anah was well represented. When we left "The Hollow" to attend the parade it was 10 degrees above freezing. Hope it's a bit warmer for ours!! Had to miss our ritual practice due to our granddaughter's graduation. Our meat raffle is going well. Most of this will be history by the time you read it, so we had fun. Later, Me :)"

Well, that's all for now folks. Have a good July and a FUN SUMMER!

May The Force Be With You! And remember, don't hesitate to contact me with any news, questions, concerns, gossip, or just plain outright lies you would like to generously share with our members, Ladies, and Shrinedom in general. :-) I can be contacted via email at rbilancia@roadrunner.com, by phone at 207-989-2617, or by snail mail at Ron Bilancia 59 Allison Park, Brewer, ME 04412.!

Widows

I hope you are all enjoying the summer.

We certainly have had plenty of rain at the beginning of June.

Speaking of June we would have gone to Hero's for lunch.

In May we went to Pepper's Landing. We had a very good group. There were 16 of us even with a few of our regulars missing.

Now that Ellen Kenney is at Brewer rehab, many of us can go visit regularly. She is looking wonderful for 96 years young. I'm sure she would love to see any of you.

The July outing will be at the Illustrious Potentate's home for a cook out and pot luck. The date is July 26, at noon. Same location at Fiddlehead Lane in Carmel. Car pool if you can. I will be at the turn off on Rt. 69 just off the interstate at 11:30.

Bring something to share.

If you are a new widow and would like to join our great fun group call me at 745-8819 or 989-3664.

See you all soon.

Lorena

SCNE REPORT

A soggy greetings from Levant. I was just scanning the internet for a set of plans to build an Ark. What a rainy stretch of weather!! As always there is always a bright side. The smoke from the Canadian wildfires was kept

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at bay by the rain so we lucked out in that respect.

The Anah ceremonial is only a week away. I know the town of Carmel will welcome us with open arms. I hope we have all the units well represented. Parade participation is a critical part of our unit's ability to raise money and support the hospitals and clinics.

I am looking into some delays in responses from Shriners to potential patients. We are going through some major computer program changes to EPIC. There are still some bugs to be worked out and I'm going to talk to the administration and see how to expedite this line of correspondence. We have some fantastic people to work with and I'm sure we can resolve these issues. I was fortunate enough to remedy, with significant assistance, such a delay for one of our Northern families and they were very understanding and pleased once the snag was removed and the child is on their way to being helped. Victories like these are so rewarding. I have been fortunate to have been involved several times during my tenure in such pleasant outcomes. It has been finding the right person and connecting them with the families.

ANAH has a very strong delegation at Springfield and I couldn't be more proud to work with such a group. You all should be aware we take each and every case very serious and work for a resolve with due diligence. This is a rewarding task considering the terrific Shrine center we represent. I will close for now. Until next month May God Bless you all. Bob

BBSC

Hello everyone,

The BBSC is dark for the summer so we can all enjoy some nice weather (hopefully, as it's been awfully wet lately). Since our last article we have held our May meeting of Bangor Brewer Shrine Club at Anah.

We met for some fun and fellowship and enjoyed a grill night. The burger, dogs and sausages were piled high with some great salads and refreshments to join them. If you missed it, you missed a heck of a feed. A gig thanks goes to Gumpy and his grill crew for making the meal. We held the drawing for our gun raffle and the lucky winner was Dale Cloutier of Newburgh Congratulations!

Announcements were made at the end of the meeting including Cheie Rabban Adam Beals who has a summer/fall raffle for a 21ft camper, \$5.00 each or 5 for \$20.00 get yours today and grab some to help sell! Drawing will take place in November at the Festival of Trees.

Grew Lawson was the lucky winner of the

May 2023

50/50. The meeting closed at 8:01pm
Congratulations to all the new Nobles of Anah Shrine June Ceremonial reading this article. The Bangor Brewer Shrine Club is a club of Nobles from the (mostly) Bangor Brewer area (but all are welcomed!) that meet on the 3rd Thursday of the month from September - May (except November due to the Festival of Trees) for fun and fellowship over dinner. We meet right at Anah in Bangor and look to have fun. More details for you new Nobles will be coming via email/mail to you in the coming weeks from me. If your not a new Noble but want more info on the club feel free to email me bangorbrewershrineclub@gmail.com that's all i have for this month

Sincerely,
Aaron Mower
BBSC Secretary

KAMPERS CORNER

Would someone turn off the water spigot. I think we've all had enough rain to last awhile.

We kampers were lucky and did not get but a misting at our spring meeting in Palmyra. In fact we were able to spend Saturday afternoon outside for hot dogs and a Yankee Swap. We had one of the better weekends I can remember, partly because we were visited by Ronnie Watson and his son from Cambridge. We also were joined for our nightly meal on Saturday by Nancy Bunker, also of Cambridge. And that meal was one of the best pot lucks I have ever had, for sure!

Now on to the future. We are planning to attend the Machias Blueberry Festival again this year. Anyone interested NEEDS TO CONTACT ME AT 991-8996 ASAP.

Hope you have a good season until then, and drive like your life depends on it.

Washington County Shrine Club

Washington County Shrine Club would like to welcome all the new nobility that joined at the June Ceremonial. We would like to invite you to all of our meetings, usually the 1st Thursday of each month unless otherwise noted on our schedule. We meet all over Washington County so keep an eye out for a schedule, if you would like one please send me a message: Frank Theriault on FB or email me at fntjr@myfairpoint.net. The article for the June article of the Anahgram was completed and sent in, but the shrine email was messed up and many articles never got in that printing. The July meeting will be held on July 13 at the Bluebird Ranch facility in Jonesboro, This is "Cut the Can Shoot" So bring your 22cal. and see who can cut the can in the least amount of

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rounds. A cookout will be served for supper. The 3rd Annual Melrose Beal Memorial Golf Tournament will be July 22nd at the Barren View Golf Course in Jonesboro. This is a 3-man scramble and lunch will be included. Prizes will be awarded. We need golfers and nobles, who are willing to help with the tournament. The June meeting was the kickoff for the International Festival of Trees in December 9, 10, & 11. Please get your tree sponsors forms made out and back to Frank or Brad. Please remember to follow up with your tree sponsors. Remember the Bob Smith Picnic will be a week later this year on August 27th at Kelly Point Jonesport. The planning meeting will be August 3rd. Remember we all part of something very special and larger than ourselves, Take care of one another and if you need anything please ask.

Sunshine Club

It is only July, but the Sunshine Club is already preparing for its craft fair and holiday marketplace, which will be held this year on November 4, 9:00 to 4:00. We all welcome Duffy Woods as the Chairperson of the 2023 fair, and anticipate a successful event. If you are a crafter and want to participate in the event, or if you want to help by volunteering, contact Duffy at Ssclubcrafts@gmail.com.

We are fortunate to once again have a quilt for raffle from award winning quilter Allie Brown. Members of the club got to see it at our April meeting. It is a beauty! We hope you will be generous in buying raffle tickets.

All the monies raised, goes to the transportation needs of children being treated at Shriner's hospitals. We are grateful to Concord and Cyr buslines and PALS who are our partners in this mission.

Waldo County Shrine Club

We hope you can join us at the club for this months meeting!

Our family picnic will be July 13th. Social at 6pm with a picnic style meal featuring burgers, chicken breast, and hot dogs, potato salad, pasta salad, chips, and assorted cookies for dessert.

On July 8th we will hosting a drive thru Chicken BBQ at the club. Dinners will be ready at 11am and we'll sell till there gone!

Don't forget to get your teams in for the Dryden Dutch Memorial Golf Tournament on August 17th. We start with a lunch at the club and will end the day with Waldo County's Divan visitation. Looking forward to seeing lots of nobles!

Hopefully the sun is shining wherever you are, enjoy your summer.

May 2023

Waldo County Shrine Club

Assistant Rabban Ramblings

Nobles and Ladies of Anah Shrine,
Happy July! Summer is here. I hope the sun is
shining wherever you are.

With July comes the Imperial Session, your
elected representatives, emeritus rep, and a
few other nobles and Ladies will have travelled
to Charlotte, NC to conduct the business of
both the Iowa and Colorado corporation. The
Imperial Session is a great opportunity to
reconnect with nobles and there ladies from
across our fraternity. Interested in going?
Make plans for Reno in 2024 and Atlanta in
2025.

Have you saved the date for the annual
Potentate's Reception? Join your Divan and
our ladies as we recognize Illustrious Sir Doug
and his Lady Robyn for there years of service
to Anah on October 28, 2023! Be on the look
out for ticket and hotel information.

In preparation for 2024 and beyond make
plans for your unit and clubs top 3 officers
and a membership liaison to attend a unit and
club seminar on December 16, 2023! More
information will be coming soon!

Enjoy your summer, see you in Anahland,

Ryan Otis

Assistant Rabban

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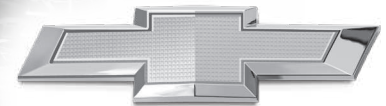
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Summer Feztival of Trees - Mini Cars- Jonesport @ Jonesport, Maine						
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Imperial Session @ Charlotte N.C.						Timberland Acres @
Summer Feztival of Recorder's Banquet 8:30am - Aroostook 1pm - Highlanders	Temple Dinner @	Hancock County	6pm - Northern			
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1pm - Highlanders	6pm - Sunshine Club	6pm - Building 6pm - Nascars @	6pm - Apple Hills Stables Rodeo	6pm - Waldo County 6pm - Washington	East West Shrine	East West Shrine
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Daughters of the Drifter meeting 1pm - Highlanders	6pm - Smart Team	6pm - Anah Divan	5:30pm - Tri-County 6pm - Facts & 6pm - Schoodic	Springfield Hospital	Pyramid / Sphynx Visitation Rok Morin - Maine 6:30pm - Clown	Joint Anah / Kora Melrose Beal Golf Timberland Acres - 5pm - Maine
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Pyramid / Sphynx 1pm - Highlanders		6pm - Keystone		Boston Hospital		Guilford Field Days
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Convertibles

Happy July 4th! Another birthday for this great country of ours!

Writing here in late June, I feel somewhat detached from the convertible unit. For some unknown reason, last months news was not printed. Nothing in it that needed censorship, but who knows these days. Since losing the argument I had last month with my extension ladder and getting stuck in this back brace, I've been on very limited physical activity. No driving either and tied pretty close to home. I'm hoping by the time this note gets around that I'll be free of this contraption and somewhat on the road back to normalcy.

Reports are that the Carmel parade went well as did the June ceremonial. Thanks to all who participated in those events and others, having fun for the kids!

July is a big month for birthday celebrations! Happy birthday to Donald Piper, Carolyn Miller, Lorraine Sundt, and Charlie Pray. Lots of candles, but no wisecracks as you can see my lady is among that group. I don't need more time in this cast. Happy birthday to all of you!

Three couples celebrating marital bliss in July as well. Scott and Kelly Hawthorne, Terry and Roberta Wessel and Leon and Marlee Spaulding all are to be congratulated on their anniversaries! Well Done!

Remember to keep all of our Shrine family and friends in your thoughts and prayers!

Reporting for the convertibles, Gaylord E. Sundt

Mini Bike Unit

The Mini Bikes ride again! We had 4 bikes that paraded in Carmel for the June Ceremonial GREAT to see all the units together kicking off parade season. There was a lot of people happy to see us back up and running. While at the lineup we were asked to do the Bangor/Brewer 4th of July parade so it looks like this unit is back! We have more work to do some of the bikes still wont run we have parts ordered and will have them running soon. Welcome aboard to new Noble and newest member of the Mini Bikes Tim McKay! There are still a couple of seats to fill as well as some feelers out looking for some of the bikes that are sitting in a garage somewhere. If you know of any or have interest in riding with us our next meeting is June 28 6pm at the Temple or reach out to either Capt. Tim Dutch or Greg Lawson. Thanks to everyone on the Divan for helping us make this happen on short notice. Thanks to Jen at WS Emerson for getting our polo shirts done on short short notice.

To quote an old Anahgram reporter and good

There is an opening for an associate member on the Boston Hospital board. If you are interested in running for this please send me a letter of intent.

After many years of outstanding service, Scott Hoyle has decided to stop playing our Calliope. We are looking for someone to play it and also a place to store it. The building would need to be 9 feet high, 10 feet wide and 22 feet deep. Let me know if you can help in either area.

I am going to be installing 2 or 3 Candidates at the August stated meeting. If you have someone who couldn't make the June Ceremonial and would like to be a Shriner let me know and we will take care of it that night.



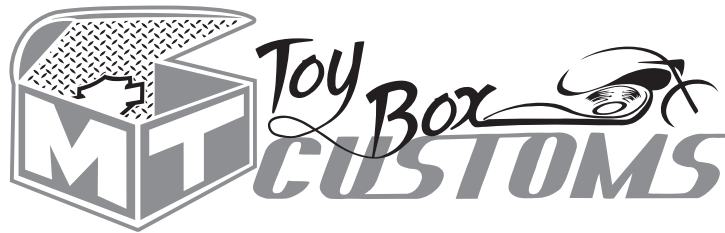
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Ta Ta for now!

Greg Lawson

LOBSTER BOAT UNIT

William Geel, Reporter

Thanks to the guys that made the unit look good again at the ceremonial parade in Carmel. Those attending were Capt. Joe Sargent, Lt. John Johnson, Secretary Troy Hanna, Treasurer Guy Coombs, and your famous reporter. Members Jamie Roberts, Jared Daries, Scott Harriman, Royce McAlpine, and our newest member who got his first ride in a boat, Chris Byers. I think he enjoyed his first time out and he's looking forward to participating with a bunch of great guys. Special thanks to the ladies who attended and stood out in the rainy weather to cheer us on. All the boats looked great, especially Troy Hanna's. Got to find out who his cleaning specialist is.

As of this writing, the unit is preparing for a busy season. Jonesport, Eastport, Pembroke, Dennysville, and Machias are all on the docket for the 4th of July weekend. I just hope the Coast Guard cutter can handle the patrol duties for the weekend. I wonder if I ask my wife very nicely if she'll wax the cutter.

Since we didn't get our report in for June, we wish belated birthday wishes to Runtz Farnsworth, Starr Corcoran, Jared Daries, Cheryle Monson, Billy Houck, and Susan Chandler.

Birthdays in July are Troy Hanna, Dennis Sargent, and Matt Corcoran.

Belated anniversary wishes to Scott and Kristy Edgerly and Guy and Lisa Coombs.

Honeymooners in July are Brad and Shannon Prout, Billy Houck II and Amy, Scott and Veronica Harriman, and Doug and Cheryle Monson.

Whoops! Time to go! I guess I have to clean the cutter.

HANCOCK COUNTY SHRINE CLUB

William Geel, Reporter

Hope everyone is safe and well. The club is in recess for the next three months. No news on the lobster feed at Blue Hill fairgrounds, so I presume everything went well. Hope everyone had a safe and a good time on the 4th of July. Hope to see everyone in the fall.

Since we didn't get our report submitted in May, we send belated birthday wishes to Dave Thomas, Allen Sawyer, Jason Snowdeal, Kathy Prouty, Cynthia Lambert, Grace Albee, Mary Jordan, Nancy Madore, Stephen Fernald, David Ballard, Holly Girard, and Scott Picard.

Current birthdays in July are Janet Fuller, Noyes Albee, Clyde Reynolds, Bruce Walls, Troy Hanna, Chuckles, Judith Driscoll, Brian Savage, James Lambert, Perley Merrick, Angie Grindal, Richard Leighton, and Brian Lane II.

Belated anniversary wishes to Tony and Wendy McKim, David and Brenda Keep, Alden and Pam Tracy, Jesse and Brenda Thomas, Danny and Bonnie Taylor, John and Janet Fuller, Larry and Libby Hersom, Scott and Kristy Edgerly, Bud Jr. and Kathy Prouty, Richard and Cindy Johnson, Roger and Julie Grindle, Bruce and Cindy Walls, James and Cynthia Lambert, David and Brenda Ballard, Larry and Joyce Wasson, and Guy and Lisa Coombs.

July honeymooners are Brad and Shannon Prout, Terrance and Debbie DuFour, and Ronald and Mary Fowle.

Time to go. Looks like good fishing weather.

Anah Aides

Thank You! from Chief Lee to all that was able to be here for the June Ceremonial. It was a very busy 3 days starting with the cribbage tournament on Thursday night and ending at the hospitality room late Saturday night. GREAT job guys! Looks like nothing to do until the Northeast in August. Enjoy the summer send up a prayer to sun gods we can certainly use some sunshine.

From behind the bar

Asst. Chief Greg Lawson

NPSC

Hello everyone in Anahland! Here it is the end of June and we have had so many rainy days my toes are webbed! Lol! I'm just back from the June Ceremonial and what a great weekend for Anah. Great food, great people, always love seeing old friends and making new ones.

It was an honor to watch all the new candidates become full fledged SHRINERS! Thank you also to their sponsors. Doug the divan and ALL the units did a great job!

As a PP I was amazed at how many other temples were represented. It shows how much they respect us and want to see how it's done! Anah rocks! Well it always has!

NPSC has been trudging along haven great turn outs and fantastic meals! Our attendance has been fantastic!! Thank you all for attending!

The parade season is in full swing if you're in a unit have Phun doing what you're doing and BE SAFE! Remember why we do and for who !!

Have a great summa! And attend your blue lodges as well!

Sincerely, PPTT

Please join us for Anah Friends and Family Carnival day on Sunday August 6 from 10-2 at the temple. There will be a mini parade and all kinds of fun games and food for the whole family!

Calling all units! Mark your calendars for Saturday July 29. We are having a Field days in Guilford. There will be a parade and a cookout after. This is an official Shrine event so all units are expected to attend. I look forward to seeing you there.

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Anah Highlanders

Greetings Nobles and Ladies. Your Highlanders are on the march. We are joining other Anah units and hitting the streets to increase awareness and money for Shriners Children's Hospitals. We participated in the Ceremonial in Carmel and got wet, but we had a good time. I was surprised at the number of people watching and getting wet. My son bragged on the number of clown cards that he got.

I have been eyeballing children's "Highlander" uniforms. I can get a kilt and fixings, for my son, and was thinking of having him march behind Drum Major Tom Sawyer and do what he does, but with a mini mace. He is not very keen on kilts. I was in uniform the other day, and asked him if the uniform made me look foolish, he replied, "no, but the phone sticking out of your front pocket kind of does." I always appreciate his honesty.

Our next event is scheduled for July 4th in Bar Harbor, then we move onto the Lincoln Loon Festival. After the Northeast Shrine in August, we have events at the Rockland Masonic Lodge on August 30th, Carmel on October 7th, and Damrascotta on October 7th. Our schedule is normally a little tighter than that, but we need enough members to participate. We need the right number of pipers and drummers to make a good showing.

That said, if you have interest in learning the Pipes and Drums, please contact me at pipelineprechaun@hotmail.com. Until next time, be blessed.



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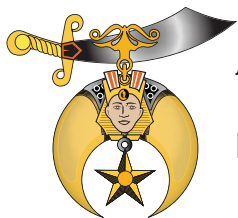
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