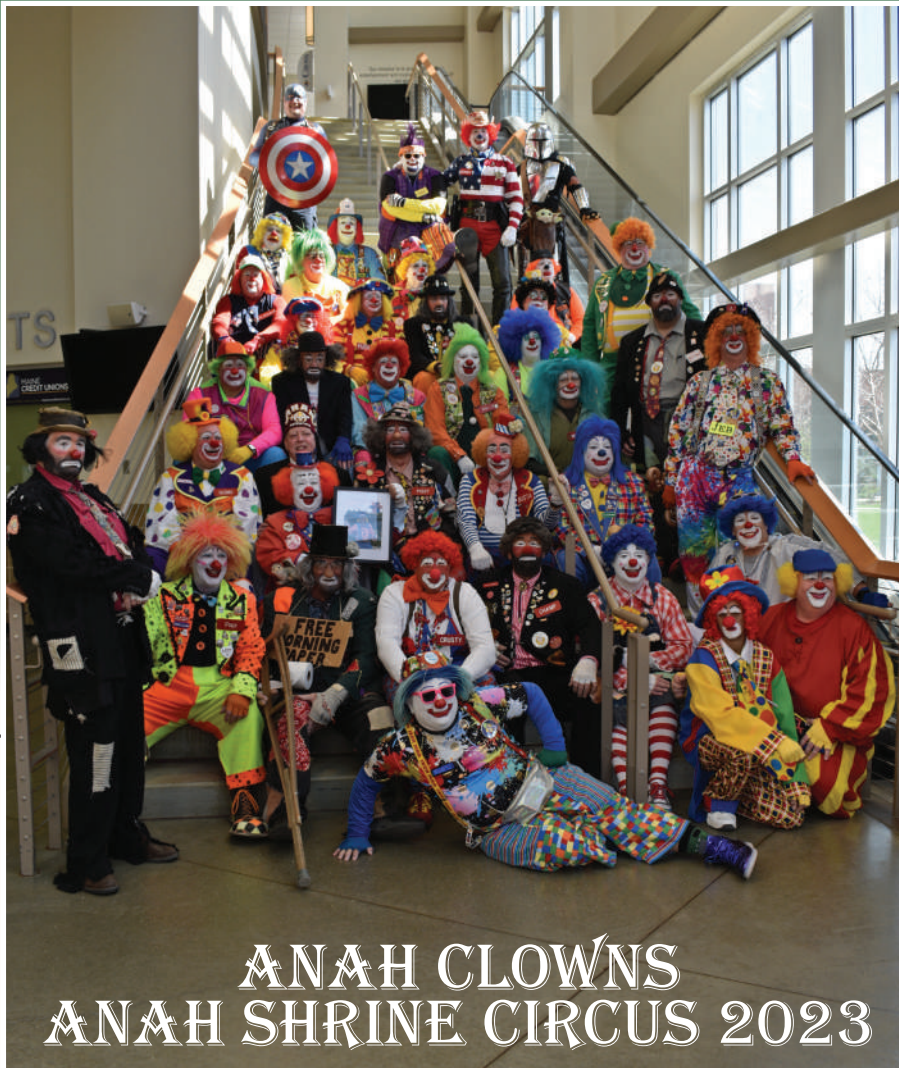


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POTENTATES MESSAGE

Doug Dulac, Potentate

Hello, Nobles and Ladies of Anah,
It appears that spring is finally here.

We had another very good but busy month in April. I was honored to be involved in the East-West Shrine Bowl meeting in Lewiston. What a great group of players and cheerleaders that have been chosen to play in this very special event and to raise money for our hospitals! If you would like to attend this game, it is on July 15 in Lewiston.

I was also very proud and pleased to attend the installation of Agnes Smith, the new queen of the Daughters of the Nile ANKH temple #160 that same day in the afternoon. It was a really good turnout for Agnes and the Daughters, including several Nobles and their ladies and Stacy Perlmutter, Director of Development at Shriners' Hospital New England. Congratulations!

We had a fantastic time at the Hancock County Shrine Club ladies night at Big Cats in Ellsworth. Great job president Joe

Sargent and Lady Victoria. Lady Robyn and I, Rich and Cindy Johnson travelled to the Melha Temple visitation in Springfield, MA April 14-17 to represent Anah. They treated us to a very fun weekend and we had a chance to meet some new friends and reconnect with friends we had met in the past.

By the time you receive this, we will have had two very successful circuses in Bangor and Presque Isle. Thanks to all of you who participated and helped.

Don't forget to find a good candidate for the June Ceremonial June 16,17 &18. Everyone who is a topline signer for one candidate gets a Frankie polo shirt. If you get 3 or more, we will pay your 2024 dues. I really want to hit our goal of 55 candidates in June. Please remember to keep your new candidate and lady informed of all the activities at the ceremonial, including dates, times and information about hotel reservations. You are their best, if not only, source of information.

Just a reminder that you are cordially invited to attend the Northeast Shrine Association visitation on August 10,11,12 and 13 in Concord, NH.

We still have a few rooms available for the Englewood Adventure in Englewood, FL October 7-14. If you are interested in coming to this fun trip, please contact me or you can check it out on Facebook at Anah Shriners(members & family).

As always, thank you very much for allowing me to represent Anah as your Potentate. It is truly a privilege and an honor!

"FROM THE RECORDER'S DESK"

Charlie Pray

Greetings from the Recorder's desk, I'd like to start this month's article with a heart felt "Thank You" to all the nobles, wives and family members who turned out to once again, make our annual Circus Celebration such a success. As has been mentioned many times before, the volunteer efforts involved to put on our numerous fund raisers, is what separates Anah Shriners from many of the areas non-profit organizations. From the Circus to the numerous Festival of Trees, to the annual Apple Hill Stables Rodeo as well as a multitude of regional fund raisers, the extended family of "Anah Strong" rolls up their sleeves and makes it all happen. Seeing the smiles on the faces of the children enjoying the Circus makes every minute of volunteering all worthwhile. Thank you everyone!

Now for some much-needed bookkeeping: Permission Slips! As you all know, we need as much lead time as possible when it comes to securing liability coverage for our outside events. Please, at a minimum of two weeks, get us the information for your parades and civic appearances. Our insurance coverage depends upon notification and the notifications need to be submitted as soon as they come to your attention.

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of your intentions when it comes to use of the facility. It's certain that this Temple belongs to us, Anah Shriners and its clubs and units. And we as Shriners have first dibs. However, we have enormous, fixed expenditures including +/- \$4,000.00 a month light bill and a \$20,000.00 annual heating and air-conditioning expense. With that said, outside rentals are a big part of our income and a much-needed evil when it comes to keeping our dues as one of the least expensive in all of Shrinedom. Unfortunately, juggling events and squeezing in all the various activities that we as Shriners need to conduct becomes somewhat cumbersome at times, (Keep in mind we currently have some 23 units and 13 clubs, all vying for time and space within our structure)

As I mentioned last month: PLEASE keep in mind the possibility of a "Per-Capita" increase as proposed by Shriners International. The "Call" of the 149th Imperial Session to be held the first week in July once again carries with it a piece of legislation to increase the individual per-capita dues from \$30.00 per noble to \$50.00 per noble. This alone would raise your annual dues from our current \$70.00 per year to \$90.00 (With no increase to your beloved Anah Shrine Temple). While there's no guarantee this will happen, this is the 3rd year in a row with it being one of the major topics of discussion. Again, thank you all for your efforts in making these last couple weeks of our two fine Shrine Circuses such a success. Anah Strong is more than just a slogan, it's what we are and what we do. Thank You!

Fraternally,
Charlie

P.S. Isn't it grand to be a New England sports fanatic with the Bruins and Celtics in heated championship races... Go Red Sox!

Schoodic Shrine Club

Greetings from Schoodic Shrine Club:

Schoodic Shrine Club would like to send our congratulations to our new Potentate, Illustrious Sir Doug Dulac. We wish you all the best for 2023. We are behind you 100%.

Our first meeting for 2023 was held at the Horn Run in Eastport. We had fifteen Nobles and Ladies in attendance. The food was great. Our Noble President, Mark Cook, conducted the business meeting. We discussed a meeting schedule for

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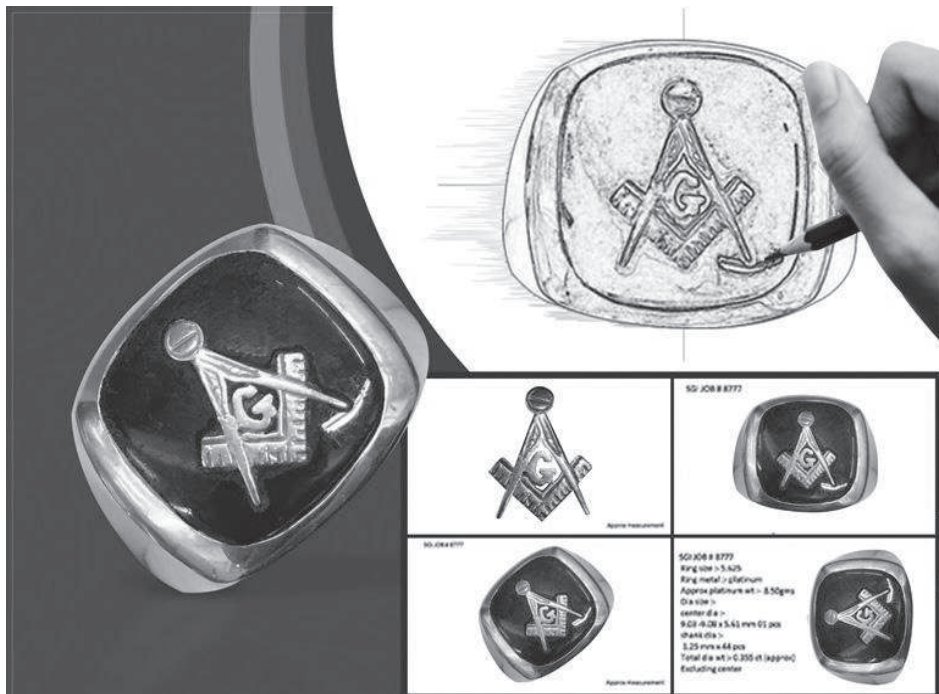
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2023, ideas for raffles, the Festival of Trees, and a parade in Calais.

Our Divan Rep, newly installed Marshall, Noble Frank Theriault, spoke about the January Ceremonial and the need to register our events with the Shrine Center in order that we are covered on Anah's insurance.

The meeting schedule for 2023 for Schoodic Shrine Club is as follows:

January 18th – Horn Run, Eastport

February 15th – Nook and Cranny, Baileyville (Route 9)

March 15th – Fitzgerald's – Calais

April 19th – New Friendly Restaurant, Perry

May 17th – Congregational Church, Dennysville

June 21st – Washington Lodge, Lubec

July 26th – Eastern Lodge, Eastport

August 16th – Fitzgerald's, Calais

September (TBA) – Community Center, Meddybemps (Divan Visitation?)

October 18th – St. Croix Lodge, Calais (Annual)

November 15th – St. Croix Lodge, Calais

December 13th – Community Center, Meddybemps (Christmas Party/Yankee Swap)

All meetings begin with a social hour at 5:30 pm and dinner at 6:00 pm, unless otherwise stated in advance.

Plan to join us this year.

'Til next time!

Tri-County

Tri-County Shrine Club held their monthly meeting on the 15th of March at the Countryside Restaurant in Corinth. Countryside has made many changes and improvements since our last meeting there. We had 40 Nobles and Ladies present. After the Libation Hour, the meeting was called to order by the President Lorne "GIZMO" Noiles. First order of business was to wish the First Lady of Anah Shrine, Robyn Dulac a very Happy Birthday. Later in the evening Robyn was presented a cake and serenaded by two members of the staff, who did a great job. President Gizmo welcomed all in attendance. The President was a jack of all trades tonight, he gave the Invocation and led us in the Shrine Flag Salute. We had a moment of silence and remembrance for PP "2000" Don Maxim and Noble Darwin "Bud" Morrison. The following were introduced from Tri-County: Vice President Colby Johnson, Treasurer Tom Boone, Secretary Dave Mosley, Libations Master Corey Roberts and of course our beloved President Gizmo. Representing Anah Shrine were

"In the spring, at the end of the day, you should smell like dirt." – Margaret Atwood

May 2023

Assistant Director of Circus Corey Roberts, Ambassador Roger Chesley, Personal Aide Dan Wilson, Assistant Chief Aide and Anahgram Ad Manager Greg Lawson, Director Emeritus Keith Dewitt, PP "2013" Lee Kaufman, First Ceremonial Master Dan Costain, and of course our Illustrious Potentate Doug Dulac. We received thank you letters from both Shrine Hospitals for our recent donations. Kitchen and servers were brought out and given a rousing applause for the fine work they did that evening. Winner of the 50/50 Raffle was Dan Costain, who donated his share back to the Club. A tip of the Old Fez to Dan. Tickets for Potentate Doug's trip in October will be mailed out to all Nobles in Anah. In hopes they can help with this major event. The Potentate thanked everyone involved with the nice Birthday surprise for his wife. Doug is pushing and hoping for 55 New Nobles in June. This was the # when he joined Anah Shrine. Circus is coming up and all hands are needed to make this event a success. No further business, meeting was closed by the President.

55 Candidates for June, let's surpass this #. Make this a year to remember for Anah Shrine. JUST REMEMBER MEMBERSHIP STARTS WITH YOUR BLUE LODGE. START SIGNING UP GREAT CANDIDATES FOR THE BLUE LODGE AND THE SHRINE.

Widows

Happy May to everyone.

Easter and mud season is over .

Trees are beginning to look nice and green and the lawns are dried up and some ready for mowing .

How I love this season when it's so nice to see all the beautiful budding of the trees. Let's not forget the daffodils and tulips. All gives us a warm feeling.

I hope you all had a nice Easter with family and friends. I was happy to share time with my very busy family.

Speaking of busy , we had a great lunch at Ruby Tuesday last month. This month we will be going to Pepper Mill in Old Town on the 24th. Sat noon. Let me know if you can make it or not. 989-3664 or 745-8819. I want to wish all you mothers a Happy Mother's Day. Enjoy your day , you deserve it.

Should there be a widow who hasn't heard from me, please call me if you would like to join this fine group of ladies and enjoy the time with us . Always a great group with good conversation.

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It is really great to see the signs of Spring finally coming. Our last communication was prior to our Christmas get-together at Olive Garden in Bangor. As usual we had a great meal and much fun enjoying each other's company.

The spring camping will be on May 19th and 20th. The location is the former Palmyra Campground, now Fogg Brook Resort. Make your own reservations at 207-355-5515 extension 2. Tell them you are with Anah Kampers.

New campers are always welcome. Friday nite is hors d'oeuvre and socializing. Saturday night is pot luck. Saturday afternoon is the ever popular swapping of gifts costing \$5 per person.

If you have any questions, please give me a call at 991-8996. Hope to see you there.

Bangor Brewer Shrine Club

Hello everyone,

here we are moving right along into May, the days are flying right by now. Since our last article we had our March meeting, we had a great boiled dinner and lots of fellowship.

We had a guest speaker for the evening, RW Scott Walton, Grand Secretary for the Grand Lodge of Maine came to speak about the Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation, Matching Grants and how Shrine Clubs and Units can work with their lodges on these items. It was a really great presentation and we hope all who came enjoyed it. If you did miss it, I'll say you missed a great meeting.

As of writing this our April ladies night has not happened yet so more on that next time. Our Spring gun raffle will be drawn at our May meeting and if you have not bought a ticket yet you might be out of luck.

Our May meeting will be on Thursday May 18th, then we go dark from June till August and meet again in September. If you have not been to the BBSC in a while or ever before, come on over we would love to see you.

Until next month,

Sincerely,

Aarron Mower

BBSC Secretary

ACADEMICIANS

Hello Fellow Academicians and Ladies,
 RAFFLE RAFFLE RAFFLE. As of this writing we have 97 more tickets to sell for

our current Mega-Meat raffle. If you would like tickets to buy and/or sell, please let me know. My contact information is at the end of the letter. Please remember that checks for raffle funds must be made out to ANAH ACADEMICIANS.

DUES DUES DUES. We are trying to finish up 2023 dues collections. Dues bills went out in February. For anyone who has not yet paid dues it is \$10. Checks are made out to Anah Academicians and sent to me at: Ron Bilancia 59 Allison Park, Brewer, ME 04412.

This month's meeting will be Wed. May 10th at 6:30 at Happy China Buffet in Bangor. Let's please have a good turnout. Everyone is welcome including ladies, friends, prospective members, and kids.

From The Wonderful World of Donnie (Copeland, not Disney, though just as surreal) aka News from Hungry Hollow: "Just ordered five tons of pellets. Hope the snow goes so I can get them in."

Our Mega Meat Raffle is progressing quite well. Get your tickets while they last.

This raffle consists of three first prize drawings (with one including a bonus charcoal grill) all kindofgoodstuffmeats donated by G&M FAMILY MARKET in HOLDEN. Shawn also got W.A. BEAN to donate six 5lb packages of RED HOT DOGS. Tickets are \$10.00 each. That's a total of nine chances. Bring a friend to a Shrine club meeting or Unit meeting."

Finally, yours truly, Sally, Lauren, and Lauren's friend Brielle will have had a great trip to Disney World again by the time you read this.

Well, that's all for now folks. Have a good May. 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.

HANCOCK COUNTY SHRINE CLUB

William Geel, Reporter

The monthly meeting was held at Big Cat's in Trenton and was a ladies night. Thanks to President Joe Sargent and First Lady Vicky for organizing the event. The theme was Mexican and Lady Vicky made the decorations, baskets to be raffled off,

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1 Melanie McGowan	\$ 25.00
2 Jody Noiles	\$ 25.00
3 Dean Lufkin	\$ 25.00
4 Tracy Reynolds	\$300.00
5 Heather Jones	\$ 25.00
6 Brian Strout	\$ 25.00
7 John Glenn	\$ 25.00
8 Sherri A. Kimball	\$ 25.00
9 David Wolanin	\$ 25.00
10 Rich Rebidue	\$ 25.00
11 Mitchell James	\$100.00
12 Mark & Hilary Carvell	\$ 25.00
13 Rhonda Aubin-Smith	\$ 25.00
14 Harold Nason	\$ 25.00
15 Donald Wiswell	\$ 25.00
16 Ken & Donna Phillips	\$ 25.00
17 Elizabeth Gomm	\$ 25.00
18 Tanya Dunton	\$100.00
19 Buddy Mills	\$ 25.00
20 Chuck Boynton	\$ 25.00
21 David Nevers	\$ 25.00
22 Jeff Seymour	\$ 25.00
23 Angela Walsh	\$ 25.00
24 Chris Soper	\$100.00
25 Michael Call	\$ 25.00
26 Jo-Ellen Cote	\$ 25.00
27 Autumn Perry	\$ 25.00
28 Travis Alley	\$ 25.00
29 Nancy Whitney	\$ 25.00
30 Diana Emery	\$ 25.00
31 Heather Cline	\$ 25.00

and gift bags for the ladies. Introduction of guests by Matt Corcoran. No business was discussed. There were 57 guests present. Raymond Young won the fuel raffle. I'd like to thank all the losers for purchasing tickets on the gun raffle and special thanks to all the lucky winners. A good time was had by all.

We extend our sympathy to the family of Noble Bud Morrison who recently passed away.

The next meeting will be at Pat's Pizza on May 1st. Hope to see you all there. Don't forget your fez. When is next ladies night? We all had such a good time.

May birthday wishes to Larry Hersom, Mae Landesman, Charles Kennedy, Irving Smith, Richard Hardison, Chery Heath, Cindy Blyther, Lyman Blyther, Ron Allen, and Mary Abbott.

Honeymooners are Fred and Virginia Rich, Donald and Minnie Bowden, Troy and Mary Hanna, George and Louise Sealy, Brian and Holly Savage, Jason Snowdeal and Jessica Bickford, Steve and Wanda Fernald, Leland and Frances Lowell, Earl and Linda Tracy, and John and Judith Driscoll.

Time to go. Gotta get ready for the circus.

LOBSTER BOAT UNIT

William Geel, Reporter

The monthly meeting will happen on the 13th at Bluebird Ranch in Machias. More news to come next month. I'm sure we will be discussing a list of parades for the season.

I heard that Troy bought a new enclosed trailer so that Lady Mary won't need to clean the boat so much. Just trying to help you out, Troy.

Birthday wishes in May to Doug Monson and Carroll Chandler.

May honeymooners are Troy and Mary Hanna. Hope you too are behaving yourselves.

Time to go! Gotta get my fishing rod ready!

SCNE REPORT

As I sit here writing the May report for SCNE I want to send my most heartfelt GET WELL wishes to Donny "BOBO" Young. As you may or may not know Donny suffered a heart attack while in Florida. The last Facebook update from Dawn was that his triple bypass was a success. Come home safely and totally recover before you get back into the thick of things. Janice keep a tight leash on him and make him behave.

The Anahgram

By the time this article is read we will have had 7 successful screening clinics. To me getting one child the help they need is a success. Thank you to all that made these clinics the greatest ever. It's truly humbling to have such a group of people giving up a Saturday forenoon to advance our mission.

There are still some interviews for surgeons going on in Springfield. Our administrators are working hard to recruit the best of the best. We have been assisted by a complex spine surgeon from our sister hospital in Philly as well as our counterparts from Boston. Remember we are a system of hospitals and clinics and that has been working well. We are doing what we do best. Making kids as near physically perfect as possible. Hope all your summer plans are coming to fruition. Stay safe and keep the faith. Bob

WCSC

The WCSC April meeting was held on April 6th at Pleiades Lodge in Milbridge. Attendance was great! Those dignitaries in attendance were: PP Edward Pellon 1998, PP Brad Prout 2018, Divan: Thomas Seymour Director, Frank Theriault, Marshal. Hospital Board member, Brian Strout, Personal Aide Rondo Dunphy, Aide Brian Smith, Asst. Chief Director Sheldon Alley, Director staff Alan Hamblen, Greeter Troy Huffman, Capt. Mini Cars, Dean Crowley, Funsters Peter Joyce, Keeper of the Camel Joe MacDonald. We welcomed new nobles Harry Jordan and Bob Young to the club. These nobles will have a honorary membership for 2023. This was our first ever WING NIGHT. A great variety of wing were prepared by nobles or their ladies for all to sample 19 different varieties were present to taste, along with salads and toppings. Bragging right go to Noble Joyce's better half Mary for her wings were voted to be the tastiest. Several Nobles from WCSC traveled to Hancock County Shrine Club's meeting the Tuesday April 4th and brought back the traveling Silent Messenger. This was the first time WCSC has had the messenger. We welcomed nobles Dean Crowley, Harry Jordan, Alvin Wasson, Wayne Mallock into WCSC for their lifetime membership. May birthday wishes go out to: Cindy Blyther, Lyman Blyther, Kim Carlow, Lanci Costain, Carroll Chandler, Ricky Foss, Arnold Francis, Sr., Kevin Gardner, PP Larry Hersom, Sally Joy, Chuck Kennedy, Letitia Look, Anita McCurdy, Nancy Merritt, William Milliken, Rosemarie Mondville, Debra Murphy, Harold Prescott

Sr., Marvin Sawtelle, Debra Sternbergh, Sunshine Strout, Elliot Tarbell, Emory West, Patrick Whitney. May Anniversaries: Dean & Elizabeth Alley, Sheldon & Michele Alley, Thomas & Wanda Fernald, Stephen & Wanda Fernald, David & Bonnie Bates Keezer, Dick & Caron Kilton, Walter & Nancy Merritt, Stanley & Sheila Mitchell, Ryan & Brooke Otis, Earl & Linda Tracy.

WCSC June's meeting will be a joint meeting with Schoodic Shrine Club at Washington Lodge in Lubec, this is a Ladies night. And kick off for the International Festival Of Trees.

Remember to take care of yourselves and others and if you need anything let someone know.

Membership Committee

Happy Spring from the beautiful, bold coast of Anahland! Spring is not only the season for ballgames at the park, and beautiful blossoms in your garden. Spring is the time of year for our THRILLING, Anah Shrine Circus! This year we hosted 13 thrilling shows between Bangor and Presque Isle. We would like to give a huge shout out to those who participated this year. The smiles and laughter from kids young and old was priceless.



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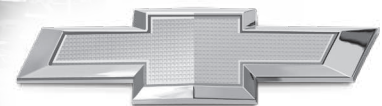
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OFFICIAL CALL OF THE POTENTATE

By order of the Potentate of ANAH Shrine ALL Nobles are instructed to assemble on June 17th, 2023 AD at 1404 Broadway Bangor, ME at the ANAH Shrine to Convene to the Annual June Ceremonial of the ANAH Shriners for the purpose of initiation of Candidates, and June Ceremonial Parade


Charles Pray
Recorder ANAH Shrine

Douglas Dulac
Potentate ANAH Shrine 2023

Class Of Don Moulton

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS SUBJECT TO ADJUSTMENT

Friday, June 16th 2023

10:00 AM Golf Hermon Meadow. Open to all Nobles and Canadates.
6:00 to 9:00p Meet and Greet, ANAH Shrine Center, Candidate Registration

Saturday June 17th 2023

7:30 – Parade Lineup & new candidate registration at Parade Line up
9:00 – 10:30 Parade
10:30 – Buses for ladies to luncheon
11:00 – 12:00 – Noble Orientation
11:00 – 1:00 – Ladies luncheon
12:00-1:00 Lunch for candidates and nobles, etc.
1:00 – 2:00 First Section / with non-Shriners until 3rd section
2:00 – 3:15 Second Section
2:00 – 3:15 Ladies Orientation
3:15 – 4:15 Camels Milk
5:00 – 5:15 Fezzing ceremony
5:00 – 6:30 – Social Hour
6:30 – 7:30 – Dinner
7:30 – 8:30 – Speakers
8:30 – 11:00 – Dance by Crossroads
Bar closed from 6:30 – 7:30

Sunday June 18th 2023

9:00 – 10:30 – Sunday Morning New Nobles & Ladies Breakfast, Unit and Club presentations.
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ANAH'S STATED MEETING IS SCHEDULED FOR
TUESDAY, MAY 16 TH, 2023**

6 PM - Invocation & Dinner (by donation)

ladies are invited to dinner with us before the meeting and will then meet in the Bangor Brewer room

7 PM - For the purpose of conducting the business of Anah Shriners and disseminating information to the membership on matters relating to current shrine events and activities.

ALL NOBLES ARE INVITED TO ATTEND. ALL UNIT LEADERS ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND ALONG WITH ONE OTHER MEMBER OF YOUR UNIT. FEZ IS REQUIRED FOR THIS MEETING.

DOUG DULAC

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CHARLES PRAY

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AGENDA

7 PM - PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND WELCOME
STATED MEETING
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TEMPLE UPDATES
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"Any Shriner, current with his dues payments" can attend these Stated Meetings. Non-Unit members are asked to call Anah Office at 207-942-2254 to let them know you will be attending for the dinner count.

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7	8	9	10	11	12	13
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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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As a Membership Committee we have been working extremely hard on new ideas and ways to promote and retain Anah Nobles and their families. Meetings are held monthly to continue our success as a committee. If you know a Noble who has drifted away for any reason please reach out to them and let them know about upcoming unit and club meetings. Many hands make light work, by all of us working towards the same goal we can

achieve a high rate of attendance and membership.

Stay tuned for more information regarding the Lady Robyn Dulac, Anah Family Carnival Day scheduled for August 6th at the Anah Temple in Bangor. We will need the support from numerous clubs, units, Nobles and families to accomplish this epic, fun filled event for Lady Robyn.

In closing we would like to encourage you to keep up the great work! Because of each and everyone of you, ANAH is one of the top temples in Shrineland!

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Pete and Mary,

Mr. and Mrs. Minion

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Finally, thinking positively, I put my snowblower away for the season and feel that I can also take the snow shovel off the back porch. With the 75 degree temperature we had one day last week, I thought I'd be done lugging fuel for the

woodstove. Wishful thinking! The last few nights into the 30's have forced me to light the thing back up.

We installed heat pumps last August, but with the ever rising costs of electricity, I'm wondering if operating them will soon become unaffordable?

Our last monthly meeting was held at Pat's Pizza in East Holden on March 28th with 15 current members, 2 retirees and Divan rep Ed in attendance. Only a few members still hiding out in the warm south, but I'm sure we'll see them back home soon.

We welcome our newest member Noble Walter Ash and his Lady Joan into our unit. Now we are up to our full complement of 20. Glad to have you with us!

Only 3 weeks, as I write, until the Super Supper arrives May 13th. The original, the best! It will be good to see everyone again for what will be a great evening. Having fun for the kids! That's what it's all about! Be sure to remember all of our Shrine family and friends in your thoughts and prayers!

Reporting for the convertibles Gaylord E. Sundt

Waldo County Shrine Club

Hello Nobles and Ladies of ANAH!

The Waldo County Shrine Club hosted a great meeting last month, if you weren't there you missed all the fun!

Our next meeting will be Thursday May 11, 2023.

A seafood chowder will be on the menu for our May meeting. Don't like seafood, another option will be available. Remember our meetings start with a social at 6pm followed by dinner at 7pm and our open to Master Masons and Shriners unless otherwise specified.

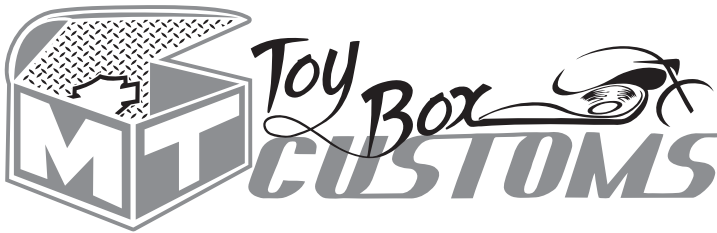
A club clean up day is scheduled for May 7th. We usually get started around 8am and get done when we get done. If we have lots of help we get done early!

Just a reminder the next ANAH Shrine Stated meeting is May 16th. Never been to a stated meeting before? Now's the time to get an update on what's happening at the Shrine Center.

Do you have your candidate? Remember Illustrious Sir Doug is hoping for 55 candidates for the June ceremonial! Book your room before it's too late.

What are you doing June 6th? We're looking for help in celebrating Shriners International Day! Got any ideas how we can celebrate such a great day?

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The Anahgram

Hope to see you at our May meeting on the 11th!

See you in ANAH Land,

Ryan

Assistant Rabban Ramblings

Hello Nobles and Ladies,

May, how the year is flying by. May is a great month: new flowers are springing up, the air is warmer, hopefully you've been to camp or visited somewhere in your camper, the rivers and lakes are full of fish waiting to be caught, and lastly it's a stated meeting Month!

Are you a unit or club leader? Interested in learning about what's happening at our Shrine Center? Just want to get out and socialize with other Shriners? Join other club and unit leaders and interested Shriners on

May 16th at 1404 Broadway.

June will be here soon. Have you reserved a room for your candidate? Got your ladies lunch and Ceremonial feast tickets? Don't delay get those tickets today! Make sure you do your part to help Illustrious Sir Doug get to his goal of 55 candidates at the 2023 Summer Ceremonial!

There is still time to join your temple elected representatives in Charlotte at the 2023 Imperial Session. More information can be found at www.imperialsession.com.

I'll leave you with a question, what are your plans for celebrating Shriners International Day on June 6th?

See you at the stated meeting, Tuesday May 16th at 1404 Broadway.

Ryan

Anah Highlanders

Greetings Nobles and Ladies. As I write this, the circus is underway in Bangor. This will be the first year that I'll be able to take my son. From what I see online, it looks like they have camels. I wonder what the camels think of Maine?

A number of years ago, I knew a guy that went to the circus. I warned him that there were apt to be protesters there, and to be careful. Sure enough, several of them confronted his group about elephant rights. He said he agreed with them and that they were better used as BBQ. Certainly not a politically correct answer, but they left him alone. Another person that I know was accosted by these radicals two years ago. They had an even better answer. They told the radicals, "The Shrine Circus is a major fund raiser for the Shrine and Children's Hospitals,

perhaps if you people spent your time and money supporting the Shriner's Hospitals, they wouldn't need the circus." In both instances, there is no reasoning with these people, nothing will make them happy. End the circus and they'll protest the 4X4s or NASCARs, because they pollute. End those and they'll protest the Highlanders. We're the worst of them all. Forget noise pollution. Our pipes are made with African Blackwood, our kilts are made out of wool (think of the cold sheep), we carry sgian dubhs (the small knife in our hose), and wickedest of all is we don't shave our legs.

So, we better hold the line and not give an inch. The Nobles and Ladies that support the Anah Shrine provide much needed wholesome entertainment to thousands of kids all over the People's Republic of Maine. Anah units and members contribute thousands of dollars each year to the Shriner's Hospitals. There are not very many organizations that provide as measurable an improvement to society as the Shrine and Masonic charities. Shriners and Masons are great examples of what made America awesome.

Your Highlanders are starting a busy parade season. We are scheduled to do graduations at Husson, Thomas College, and the College of the Atlantic. The Special Olympics, and the June Ceremonial should round out June. Then on to the 4th of July.

We are always looking for new pipers and drummers, we have a great instruction team. If your interested contact me at pipingleprechaun@hotmail.com. Until next time, be blessed.

Anah Band

The only LIVE Circus Band in Maine did a fantastic job at the Circus on April 29th between the noon and two show break. We had great Friends including a former Cole Brother Circus band director playing in the trumpet section. Thanks to the quick rehearsal at the Shrine Center before the event. We got all the 22 players from all over Maine to play the same tempos and balance together.

We are looking for players to get the Shrine band going- from guitar to piano to electronic control mixer and general helper to create a more modern band sound. If you are a former musician or want to learn, we have all the equipment and just need willing bodies to help make it happen.



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Anah Aides

Greetings Aides! Hope all is well with everyone.

It's been pretty quiet for us lately I guess we'll call this the calm before the storm. Chief Lee would like thank all that showed up to work the Beach Party. Only a couple things coming up for us in May. The first being the Stated Meeting on May 16 the other important date to remember is the Aide meeting Sunday May 21 from 12pm-2pm wives are invited to join us we will be serving refreshments. Chief Lee would like to remind everyone to stop down to Henry's Bridal and pick up your new vest and bow tie. Won't be long we'll be needing those. Congratulations to Chaplain Darin and his new bride Stephanie on their recent nuptials still not sure if he's Darin Ingersol or Darin Farrar now. Please remember nice weather brings out the motorcycle enthusiasts keep an eye out for them.

From Behind The Bar

Asst. Chief Aide- Greg Lawson

Anah Flag Unit

Greetings fellow nobles,

The Flag unit has another parade added to the roster which is Bar Harbor. Line up will be by the hospital as usual at approximately 8:30am on 4 July. I will confirm the time as it gets closer. Jones port and Dover Foxcroft will be calling me back to confirm date and time. I will update everybody as I get the information. As always if the Provost Guard would like to march with us it would be greatly appreciated.

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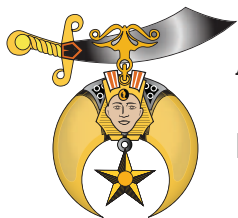
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