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STATED SESSION
MARCH 9, 2026



ALEE BALLROOM AT 7:30
FEZ AND DUES CARD
REQUIRED
BUSINESS ATTIRE



Dinner at 6:15-6:30. \$15 per meal (corned beef & cabbage)—
—Only RSVP meals can be paid at the door -
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Shriner's Pledge of Allegiance

"I pledge allegiance to my Flag and to the country for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for all"

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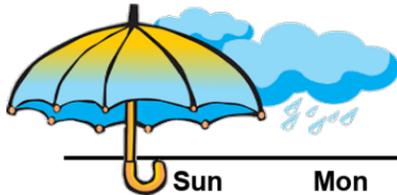


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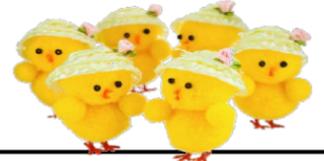
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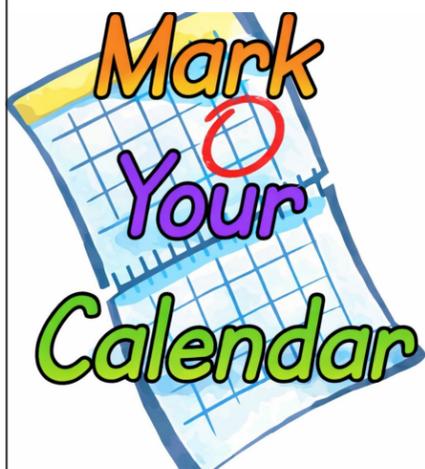
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15	16	17 <i>Savannah St. Pat Parade</i> 	18	19	20 <i>Temple Office Closed</i>	21 <i>Shellman Bluff St. Pat Parade—</i> 
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APRIL 2026



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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5 	6	7	8	9	10 <i>FEZ article due</i> <i>Temple Office Closed</i>	11 <i>Statesboro Pickle Ball</i>
12	13	14	15	16	17 <i>Temple Office Closed</i> <i>Iron Knights Iron Butt Ride</i>	18 <i>Blessing of the Fleet Parade—Darlen</i> <i>Iron Knights Iron Butt Ride</i> <i>Ladies Aux Poker</i>
19 <i>1st Lady Purse Party</i>	20	21	22	23	24 <i>Temple Office Closed</i>	25 <i>Stand Up for America Parade—Pt Wentworth</i>
26	27	28	29	30 <i>Knights of Mecca Potentate visit</i>		



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First Pitch: 6 PM
March 6, 2026
Alee Shriners, 100 Eisenberg Drive
Wear your Favorite Teams Baseball Outfit
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DINNER **TICKET PRICE** **DANCING**

7:00 PM **\$20.00** 8:00 PM

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See any **DIVAN** member or the Office To purchase tickets

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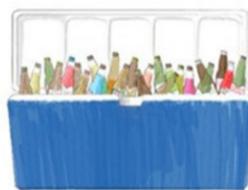
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Drawing to be held on April 10th, 2026
Sponsored by the Effingham Shrine Club

Winner does not need to be present to win.
Proceeds benefit Alee Shriners and may not be tax deductible.
Must be legally eligible to possess weapon.
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Contact: Noble Assistant Rabban Andrew Watt Sr. (912)655-5258 for TICKETS OR QUESTIONS.

You are Cordially Invited to
Alee Shriners
Potentate Ball Honoring

Illustrious Sir
David Armstrong II
and Lady Cheryl

Saturday, March 7, 2026
Six O'clock in the Evening

Alee Shriners Ballroom
100 Eisenberg Drive
Savannah, GA 31406

**Social * Grand March *
Dinner * Presentations * Dancing**

Presentations: 8 o'clock

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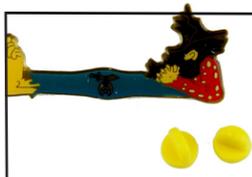
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OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!

5:30pm

Purchase tickets at aleeshriners.org

All Proceeds benefit Alee Shriners and are not tax deductible



Oriental Band

Happy St. Patrick's Day!

Have some fun shaking your shamrocks and let the shenanigans begin!

March is a busy month with lots going on, starting with **Potentate Ball Weekend, March 5-7:**

- **Thursday Night:** Savannah Smiles
- **Friday Night:** Baseball-themed picnic area
- **Saturday Night:** Formal Ball

Please come out and support our Illustrious Sir **David Armstrong II** and First Lady **Cheryl**.

And of course, March means parades!

- **March 14 (morning):** Claxton Wildlife Rattlesnake Roundup
- **March 14 (afternoon):** Tybee Island St. Patrick's Parade
- **March 17:** The BIG one — Savannah St. Patrick's Day Parade
- **March 21:** Grand Time at Shellman's Bluff

If you're traveling, **March 26-29** brings the **SASA Spring Meeting in Lexington, KY.**

A Special Thank You

Thank you to everyone who helped with the Madrin Degree, and welcome our Neophytes. The 2026 Orientation went very well, and the afternoon oyster roast and fellowship were great times.

Thank you to all the Clubs and Units that hosted degrees, including the Hillbilly Degree and our newest addition — the Water Buffalo Degree Yabba Dabba Doo!

Keep Those Cans Coming!

Help us fill the trailer located next to Skidaway Road. The more cans we collect, the more we can support the Oriental Band and contribute to our beloved Temple. Every can counts — thank you for your continued support.

Fez Cases and Shrine Items

Fez cases, ties, and other accessories are available. To place a special order, please contact: Cindy Hendricks – 912-663-2370 Annette Perry – 912-308-2980

Stay Connected

Want to know what the World-Famous Oriental Band is up to or need more information? Reach out to:

Garry Hendricks – 912-429-1626
Frank Wallace – 912-222-6195

Or speak with any of the Bandsmen — we're always happy to help.

In Gratitude

We offer our prayers and heartfelt thanks to our **Military, First Responders, Doctors, Nurses, Shrine Children**, and to one another.

Remember: **Many hands make light work.**

Let's continue to show our strength in unity, and we hope to see everyone out and about at the Temple

**Fraternally,
The Oriental Band**



Effingham County Shrine

Happy St. Patrick's Day, Nobles and Ladies!

What a month to be a Rat — an Effingham County River Rat!

March brings the luck of the Irish, and the River Ratz are ready to light up the streets once again. Known far and wide for their electrifying parade presence, the Ratz don't just participate — they perform.

This St. Patrick's season, you'll have multiple opportunities to catch the Ratz in action:

- 22nd Annual Tybee Island Heritage Parade March 14, 2026 | 3 p.m. – 5 p.m.
- Savannah St. Patrick's Day Parade Tuesday, March 17, 2026
- 25th Annual Shellman's Bluff St. Patrick's Parade March 21, 2026 | 11 a.m.

From Tybee Island to historic Savannah and down to Shellman's Bluff, the River Ratz are bringing their signature excitement and showmanship to every parade route. Expect fezzes, loud music, and a one-of-a-kind performance that only the River Ratz can deliver. So come line the streets, wear your green, and support your very own Effingham County River Ratz as they promise a St. Patrick's celebration you won't soon forget.

Until next time...
Ratz to the Front!

— President Glenn Edwards



Effingham Ladies Auxiliary

Hello Nobles and Ladies

It is so hard to believe we are almost through the first quarter of 2026. What a great year it has been so far!

We had the honor of helping host First Lady Cheryl Armstrong's First Lady's Tea in February. What an awesome First Lady she is! We are now into March and our favorite parades begin! I hope you all come out to support the wonderful Clubs and Units of Alee during these events! We will also celebrate our Illustrious Potentate David Armstrong II and First Lady Cheryl at the Potentate's Ball. Come on out and show your support for them!

Happy Birthday to our March Ladies! We wish for your day to be filled with all the things that make you happy!

Please remember our Shriner Children, Medical Personnel, Emergency Personnel, our Military, those who have lost loved ones and our Country in your prayers.

Until next time
Lady Tamie



Happy St. Patrick's Day!

"May you have a world of wishes at your command, God and His angels close to hand, friends and family their love impart, and Irish blessings in your heart." — Irish Blessing. Time passes so quickly—it is parade time again! Shriners love a parade, and St. Patrick's Day parades are always fun. I hope you have the chance to attend either Savannah's parade, Shellman Bluff's parade, or even both.

Our Auxiliary is planning our first fundraiser of the year, a Texas Hold'em Tournament, which will be held on April 18 in the Bill Porter Room. We will also host another tournament on July 18, so be sure to mark your calendar. More details will follow soon. We welcomed a new member at our February meeting, Lady Candice Sauls. We are so glad you have joined our group. Our Auxiliary is open to any Noble's Lady, no matter which unit or club he is a member of.

Our March birthdays include Lady Lori Smart, Lady Dianne Gaudry, Lady Melissa Neumans, Lady Sharon Bennett, Lady Tiffany Edwards, and Lady Cookie Moore. Happy Birthday to each of you—we hope your day is special! Our next meeting will be Tuesday, March 3, at 11:00 a.m. in the Bill Porter Room. Please come join us—you are always welcome. Until next time, CJ



Bryan County Shrine Club

Appreciation and Upcoming Activities

We extend our sincere appreciation to the **Potentate and First Lady**, as well as **Alee Temple**, for graciously allowing us the use of the arena to confer the recent degree. Their support and hospitality were instrumental in the success of the event.

We also offer a special thank you to all the **Brothers and their Ladies** who attended. Your strong participation and fellowship were greatly appreciated and served as encouragement for the hard work and preparation that went into this degree.

Any **clubs or units** interested in hosting the **Water Buffalo Degree** are encouraged to contact us at bcshrineclub@gmail.com for additional information.

We are currently engaged in several ongoing projects and are actively preparing for the upcoming **parade season**, which will be upon us soon.

Finally, this is a friendly reminder to all members that **club dues are now due**. Your continued support is essential to the success of our activities.

Fraternally,
D.J. Neumans
President
Bryan County Shrine Club

Bryan Ladies Auxiliary

Happy March! It's that time of year when everyone is suddenly Irish, there is green everywhere and the leprechauns are definitely responsible for that missing sock! Remember to wear green so you don't get pinched! We are excited about this month! We have many parades coming up! We hope to see you at our Potentate Ball as well. We look forward to all the laughs and fellowship with everyone. We have our monthly meetings on the 2nd Wednesday of each month, we would love to have you. We provide dinner for the men at 630pm and then we go into our meeting. We are a growing family and would love to have you come for a visit. We always have a good time and we are very family oriented. If you have any questions feel free to call Mellisa at 912-665-7934. Remember to pray for our Shrine children, Medical Personnel, our country, our military, Emergency personal, our leaders of Alee and each other in our daily prayers always.

Prayers & Hugs Always,
Mellisa

Claxton Shrine Club

Hello Nobles! Hopefully, 2026 is off to a great start for everyone. The Claxton Rattlesnake Roundup Wildlife Festival Parade is scheduled for Saturday, March 14th and we look forward to seeing Alee show up in style. We are also excited about the Shriners Pro Mud Shootout on Saturday, April 4th at the Southern Thunder Mud Track in Cobbtown and hope to see you there! Gates open at 10am and racing starts at 12pm. Please follow "Southern Thunder Mud Track" on Facebook for more updates. God bless you all and we will see you soon!

Fraternally,
Casey Yarbrough
2026 Secretary



Tiffany Edwards - Owner
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Augusta Ladies Auxiliary

The Augusta Ladies Auxiliary was honored to host the Official Potentate Visit on February 7th. Divan members, aides, nobles, and guests came together to enjoy a wonderful and memorable occasion filled with fellowship and unity. The strong support and participation from all in attendance truly contributed to the success of the event.

We extend heartfelt appreciation to the ladies and nobles whose hard work and dedication made the Divan Visit so special. From the beautiful decorations to the thoughtful planning, every detail reflected excellence and teamwork. Your efforts did not go unnoticed and are deeply appreciated.

Congratulations to the 2026 Officers of the Augusta Ladies Auxiliary:

President: Toni Thompson
Vice President: Faye Harris
Secretary: Bess Pelkey
Treasurer: Kathy Blackburn

As we look ahead to the coming months, exciting plans and new projects are underway. While we may be stepping into new territory, we are confident that together we will continue to foster fun, fellowship, and meaningful experiences. We look forward to sharing memorable moments—and a few entertaining photos—once everything is complete.

Lady Sharon Bennett
Augusta Ladies Auxiliary



If you listen closely, you can almost hear it... the rustle of denim making its way down the street, because parade season is just around the bend! That means it's time to dust off them overalls, shine up whatever contraption you'll be ridin', and get ready to wave like royalty as the Hillbilly Clan hits the road once again. There's nothin' quite like parade season to remind folks we're loud, proud, and always havin' a good time.

Speaking of good times, a mighty fine one was had by all at the recent degree ceremonies held at the Temple. The fellowship was strong, the laughs were plentiful, and the Shrine spirit was on full display. A special tip of the hat goes out to the Bryan County Shrine Club for puttin' on the Water Buffalo Degree. My wife and I had a great time. The Hillbillies would also like to thank all of their new cousins that participated in the Hillbilly Degree. I think Bobby made his best batch, yet!

We're also happy to report that the Hillbilly Clan has grown once again. Please help us welcome our newest members: Alfred Wallace, Chris Parker, and Jason Turner. We're tickled to have y'all join the clan, and we look forward to makin' memories, parades, and a little harmless mischief together.

And here's a big Hillbilly holler of congratulations to one of our own, Greg Spell, who will be servin' as the 2026 Oriental Guide with the Divan. Greg, we're proud of you and know you'll represent the Hillbillies with class, dedication, and just the right amount of backwoods charm.

Now, mark your calendars and set your alarms early. Temple Clean-Up Day is scheduled for February 28th. This is a great chance to roll up your sleeves, lend a hand, and show what Shrine teamwork is all about.

And don't forget, the Potentate's Ball Weekend is comin' up March 5-7, with plenty of fun, fellowship, and celebration planned. It's shaping up to be a highlight of the season, so don't miss out.

Until then, keep them overalls handy, your calendar marked, and your Hillbilly spirit fired up. We'll see y'all soon—same clan, same pride, same good times! Keepin' it country, Pops

MASONIC YOUTH

"A HUNDRED YEARS from now it will not matter what my bank account was, the sort of house I lived in, or the kind of Car I drove. But the world may be different because I was important in the life of a child"

The Grand Lodge of Georgia supports three traditional Masonic-affiliated Youth Character building Organizations, the Order of Rainbow for young ladies, the Order of DeMolay for the young men and the Job's Daughters. The Jobs Daughters are also an International Youth Organization for the young ladies. They went dark in Georgia many years ago but starting in 2024 they returned to Georgia. Presently there is not a Bethel of the Jobs Daughters in the Oasis of Alee.

In the Oasis of Alee there is a DeMolay and Rainbow presence. For Georgia DeMolay we have Augusta Chapter in Augusta, Cecil Cheves Chapter in Savannah and Don R Roberts Chapter in Brunswick. We use to have Toombs Chapter in Vidalia, but it has been inactive for several years now. For Georgia Rainbow, we have Savannah Assembly #1 in Savannah, Freedom Assembly #38 in Augusta, Effingham Assembly #87 and Martha H. Hardison #88 in Jesup. For your information both the Order of DeMolay and the Order of Rainbow have served the youth in the Oasis of Alee for over 100 years.

I have been informed that both Savannah Assembly No 1 and their Sister Assemblies that make up Georgia Rainbow will be celebrating 100 years in 2026. I hope that everyone will reach out and congratulate Savannah Assembly #1 and Georgia Rainbow in celebrating their 100th plus anniversary. I understand there will be activities planned in 2026 to celebrate this achievement. I encourage my Brother Shrine-Masons to support our young Ladies as they celebrate 100 years of service.

Please if you read your FEZ you can see one way that the Young ladies of Rainbow are helping Alee Shrine with various projects and events. This is just a sample for what Our Masonic Youth Organizations can do to help the various Masonic Organizations.

To be truthful, our DeMolay Chapters within the Oasis of Alee are in dire need to help and support from the Shrine-Masons of Alee. It is my understanding that Augusta Chapter, Order of DeMolay is the only Chapter with in the Oasis of Alee that is showing any activity as a DeMolay Chapter. Both Cecil Cheves Chapter (Savannah) and Don R Roberts Chapter (Brunswick) are struggling in all areas and need help from the Nobles of Alee, If you are serious and wish to help either of these DeMolay Chapters these traditional Masonic-affiliated Youth Character-building organizations, please contact MWB Donald Combs PGM, Chairman of the Advisory Council of Cecil Cheves Chapter and WB Edward (Ed) Roden, Chairman of the Advisory Council for Don R Roberts Chapter.

I challenge the Nobles of Alee to reach out the nearest DeMolay Chapter, Rainbow Assembly and/or Jobs Daughter's Bethel and Rainbow Assemblies nearest you and see how you and/or Shrine Club/Unit can help, assist and work together to make the next years for both our organizations prosper and be successful. This is just one way you and your Shrine Club/Unit can invest in the future of our Fraternity, our Craft and our nation.

Any questions contact WB Hugh S. D'Anna III 1st Masonic District Representative to the Youth Council of the Grand Lodge of Georgia at ysecretary@gmail.com.



Alee Knights of Mecca – A Past Masters Association

We encourage all Alee Shriners who are Past Masters or current Worshipful Masters to join the Knights of Mecca. The Nobles and Illustrious Sirs within our group have been where you are and sat where you sit—they are a tremendous source of support and fellowship!

Annual dues are only \$5 or become a **Lifetime Member for \$100.**

Our next meeting will be on **April 30 at 7:00 PM**, with a social beginning at **6:30 PM** at Carey Hilliard's on Hwy 21 in Garden City. This is a Dutch-treat event, and—as always—**ladies are welcome to attend.** This is a Potentate visit meeting!

We look forward to continuing a strong year of **fellowship and brotherhood** among Past Masters



We are already well into a new year. I hope your year has started well for you and your family and friends.

President Lenzy has started off well and is generating some organization and enthusiasm in the unit. Come and be part of the fun!

January brought the Installation of Officer's. For better, or worse, here they are: President-Lenzy Phillips, Vice President-Sтивен Lewis, Treasurer-Brock McCluskey, Secretary-LarKen. Good Luck, guys. We look forward to a great year under your leadership.

January also brought the Past Presidents Oyster Roast. Thanks to all the Past Presidents for making this a success and for everyone who came out and enjoyed the evening. Thank you to our new Potentate "D2" and the other Divan members who joined us. We appreciate your attendance.

February brings us to the Valentine's Day & Dance. Hopefully, you treated your Valentine well and have enjoyed the day. The Temple Work Day had to be postponed due to weather, but was rescheduled for a later date after this tome was published. We also have a Unit Social scheduled for Feb 22 at the home of Larry Corey. I'm sure that this was well attended. Maybe some others would step up and arrange some socials. They can be simple, quick to put together, but a chance for us and our Ladies to mix and mingle with each other.

Going into March we have the Potentate's Ball and associated events. Savannah Smiles, Trolley Tour, and other events. Please take part and support our Potentate and his Divan.

Stated Session comes on Monday, Feb 9. Take part and find out what is happening and why in our Temple. Following toward the end of the month is SASA.

Some unit events coming up: Unit gun raffle, working the gun show (Hospital fund raiser), Spring Ceremonial. You will hear more about these in the near future. Please support YOUR unit.

Come out on Mondays and be part of the gathering in the unit room. We would love to see some new faces!

Until then, Ol' (used to be) Sparky

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Dune Cat

Happy St. Patrick's Day!

We are preparing for **Work Day on February 28**, and the Dune Cats will once again be joining us for this fun and productive event, bringing great value to the Temple.

Be sure to get your tickets now for the Potentate's Ball, March 5-8 at aleeshriners.org. Reminder: Thursday is a Dutch treat at Savannah Smiles, kicking off the fun weekend. Friday is a baseball theme — Batters Up for fun and fellowship! Then we all get dressed up for the Ball. We look forward to celebrating Dune Cat Past President David "D2" Armstrong II and Lady Cheryl.

We have also been busy getting our buggies tuned up for the Claxton, Tybee, Savannah, and Shellman's Bluff parades.

As a reminder, our meetings are held on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 PM in the Dune Cat Room on the second floor of the J.C. Lewis Building. Your involvement truly matters, and we hope to see you at our next meeting.

Please continue to keep our Troops, Children, Doctors, Shrine Patients and their families, the Divan, and one another in your prayers. Speedy



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ALEE PIRATES

Happy **St. Patrick's Day** to all Ladies and Nobles! May your month be filled with good fortune, strong fellowship, and plenty of Pirate cheer as we sail into spring.

Looking Back

A big thank-you to the 19 Pirates who came out to support the **Harley-Davidson Chili Cook-Off Contest**. President Chuck and Lady Wendy did a fantastic job with their chili—we all knew it was a winner! While we didn't sail away with the trophy this time, we made some great connections and spoke with several motorcycle clubs about our upcoming Poker Run, which is shaping up to be HUGE this year.

The **Valentine's Day Dance** was nothing short of magnificence. From the elaborate decorations to the great music, fellowship, and laughter, it was a night to remember.

Thank you as well to all the Pirates who turned out for **Temple Work Day**. Your hard work and dedication helped make our Temple shine. Because of you, our home looks better than ever, and your efforts do not go unnoticed.

Looking Ahead

Who Loves a Parade? We Do!

The Alee Pirates will be out in full force and ready to rock parade season once again! We'll kick things off at the **Tybee Parade**, roll strong through the **Granddaddy Savannah Parade**, and then sail into the small fishing village of **Shellman**, where we fully expect to crush it. The crowds will love us, the Pirates will show up in style, and once again we'll prove that no one does parades like the Alee Pirates.

There's even more to look forward to as the calendar fills up with great events. Dueling Pianos will bring awesome music and high energy, we're looking forward to the baseball-themed Friday Night at the Temple, and we'll finish the weekend in grand style at the Potentate Ball on Saturday. It's shaping up to be an outstanding stretch of fellowship, fun, and Pirate pride.

Pirate Fundraisers on the Horizon

Pirate fundraising season is underway! Our first major event is the **Eagles Pointe Golf Tournament** in Bluffton on **May 16th**. To enter, call **843-757-5900**.

The Pirates are also selling **Golf Raffle Tickets**:

- **\$25 each or 5 for \$100**
- **1st Prize:** Srixon ZXiR Custom Fitted Irons & Woods
- **2nd Prize:** Four rounds of golf at Eagles Pointe
- **3rd Prize:** Dozen TaylorMade Limited Pirate Golf Balls

Be sure to look in **the Fez** for more details.

Surrender the Booty Partaie Returns!

The legendary Surrender the Booty Partaie is back, and **tickets are on sale now!** Don't miss out—secure your spot at **AleePirates.com** before they're gone.

To keep up with all Pirate adventures, events, and announcements, set your compass for **AleePirates.com**—your safe harbor for schedules, updates, and opportunities to support the mission of the Alee Shriners.

Pirate Words of Wisdom

A true Pirate doesn't just sail for fun—he sails for his crew, his cause, and the good of those who need us most.

Respectfully submitted,

Bill Whiteman

for the Pirate Unit

Yours in Service,

Chuck Dixon

Pirate President

Alee Shriners Pirate Unit

Tattnall Shrine Club

Now that we are coming into March, we are hopeful for some warmer weather, green grass, and sunny skies. It seems like it's been a long cold winter this year. Maybe it's because our older members have thin blood and all they do is fuss about the temps lately. We can't take anything away from our elders however, they have been involved in our clubs/units for years. They know what to do, and what not to do. They may be ornery or cantankerous, but they will help shed light on proper procedures in a meeting or give advice on many years of experience. We need to utilize these men to help guide us each month. While we don't have young men knocking down our door for entry, we need to refine our actions and thoughts to be attractive to those who are curious about what we do. This is where the veterans of your lodge or shrine group come into play. Use these men to share stories of successes and failures of the past. This will help all of us better prepare for the future!

We had another groundbreaking event this past month for our club. The TSC Pheasant Shoot went off without a hitch. We had plenty of participation from our members and our sponsors. This event will hopefully be another avenue to provide a service to our community as well as a fundraiser for our patients. Thank you to all of our members who helped get this together, but especially to Cousin and Nathan for making this possible! We will have another shoot in just a few days, so if you are interested give us a call.

Our annual white perch tournament was also held this month. This was another great event for our group. I say this every year, but getting to see kids enjoying the great outdoors makes most of us very happy! We again thank all of our participants this year.

Moving ahead, we will have a bass tournament coming up pretty soon. Get in touch with us if you are interested. This is another great event that involves our local kids.

We are blazing ahead in 2026 so far, and don't intend to let up anytime soon. Thank you to all who helped make 2025 a success and thank you to those who are getting involved with our events so far this year. It is not unnoticed! It takes all of us to make this thing happen each year.

JESUP SHRINE CLUB

Greetings from the Jesup Shrine Club! We hope everyone had a wonderful Valentine's Day and was able to spend some time with the people who matter most. As February comes to a close, we are rolling right into the month of pinching, wearing green, and celebrating all things Irish with St. Patrick's Day right around the corner.

March is shaping up to be a very busy month for our club, filled with parades and fellowship across the state. We will kick things off at the Claxton Wildlife Federation parade and then head straight to the coast the very same day to take part in the Tybee Island St. Patrick's Day parade. From there, we move on to the big celebrations on St. Patrick's Day itself, marching in both the Savannah and Augusta parades.

If you haven't been pinched enough by then, we will wrap up the St. Patrick's Day festivities at the Shellman Bluffs St. Patrick's Day parade. It's going to be a full schedule, but one we are excited to take on together.

March also marks the beginning of our fundraising season for the club. Please be on the lookout for upcoming information and opportunities to support these efforts. Your involvement and support make a difference and help us continue the work we are proud to do. Until next month, just remember — everyone is Irish on St. Patrick's Day.

Lady Debbie Kay



Miss Alee

Happy St. Patrick's Day



As a high school student, I'm still learning who I am and who

I want to become. One thing I know for sure is that volunteering and service work has played a big role in shaping my journey. When we choose to serve others—especially children and those with special needs—we are planting seeds of hope, compassion, and confidence that can grow for a lifetime.

That is why representing Miss Alee in the St. Patrick's Day Parade on March 17th means so much to me. Riding alongside the Shriners as they raise awareness and support for Shriners Hospitals for Children reminds me that service is not just something we talk about—it is something we live.

Through Miss Alee and the opportunity to participate in events like the St. Patrick's Day Parade, I am learning that true confidence comes not from crowns or titles, but from using your voice and your platform to make a difference in the lives of others.

Be sure to look for me in the St. Patrick's Day Parade on March 17th! I'm excited to share that Miss Georgia will also be riding with the Shriners as we celebrate and support such an incredible cause.

Delaney Lanham
Miss Alee 2026



Greeting Nobles and Ladies,
I would like to start off by saying congratulations to Illustrious Sir Dave "D2" Armstrong,

Jr. and the 2026 Divan. We are looking forward to your leadership and escorting you in numerous parades this year.

I hope all survived the "Blizzard of 2026" and the blustery cold weather. I am ready for Spring to arrive. We are looking forward to a fun month of parading! We will ride in the Claxton Parade (Rattlesnake Round-Up for you old-timers) and Tybee's St. Patrick's Day Parade. Those will be followed by Savannah's St. Patrick's Day Parade...always a fun time...and then Shellman's Bluff Parade. Hopefully the "Luck of the Irish" will be with us, and we all have a fantastic time! Remember...No throwing of beads!

We are making our plans for our annual "Iron Butt" ride, where we ride 1000 miles in 24 hours. This year we will end in New Orleans, having a 700 mile ride home. We will log 1800+ miles in a weekend, doing what we do best... Riding So They May Walk. Each rider must raise at least \$500 to participate and is responsible for his/her own gas, food and lodging. Anyone interested in riding or donating, please contact a member.

Fraternally Yours,
Scooter Trash



Shriners International

The Mission of Shriners International is to:

- Be the premier fraternal organization for men of good character.
- Provide attractive, quality programs and services for its members, their families and their friends in a spirit of fun, fellowship and social camaraderie.
- Foster self-improvement through leadership, education, the perpetuation of moral values and community involvement.
- Serve mankind through the resources of its philanthropy, Shriners Children's.

ALEE SHRINERS 2026 POTENTATES BALL

Thursday, March 5th
Savannah Smiles Dueling Pianos
314 Williamson Street, Savannah, Ga
7:30 PM—Dutch Treat

Friday, March 6th
Tour for Visit Temples
More details to follow

Friday, March 6th
Take Me Out to the Ballgame
Alee Shriners Arena/Patio
100 Eisenberg Dr, Savannah, GA
6:00pm
Wear your favorite baseball teams jersey
All you can eat stadium food
\$20 per person

Saturday, March 7th
Potentate's Ball
Alee Shriners Ballroom
Social—6:00 pm
Introductions: 6:45 pm
Dinner, Presentations and Dancing to follow
\$50 per person

Deadline: February 27, 2026
★ All proceeds benefit Alee Shriners and are not tax deductible

Host Hotel: Fairfield Inn: Savannah Midtown
"Shriners Convention" - Block name
5801 Abercorn Street
Savannah, Ga 31405 * 912-298-0800

LEGACY

MEMORIES THAT LIVE ON
The Many Faces of Shriners Legacies

We are looking to gather photos of you and Noble family members of Alee to celebrate our shared history and heritage.

Please send your photos to
Aleelegacy2026@gmail.com



Need by May 1, 2026

JOIN

Hinesville/Ft. Stewart Shrine Club, and the Effingham Shriners Club, and The Alee Ladies Auxiliary to

Host a Bed Build!
April 11, 2026—8 am—1pm
UNDER THE PATIO

Purpose

Helping Children in Need Sleep Better. All children deserve a safe, comfortable place to lay their heads. Across the US, too many boys and girls go without a bed—or even a pillow—to sleep on. These children end up sleeping on couches, blankets, and even floors. This can affect their happiness and health.

That's where Sleep in Heavenly Peace comes in. We're a group of volunteers dedicated to building, assembling, and delivering handbuilt bunk beds to children and families in need. SHP has grown steadily over time, and we're working on opening more chapters in new areas to serve more people.

What We Believe

So many great charities provide clothing, meals, and toys to families in need. But as wonderful as this aid is, few organizations offer suitable beds and bedding to the kids in these families.

At SHP, we believe that a bed is a basic need for the proper physical, emotional, and mental support that a child needs. When it was brought to our attention that the need for beds went far beyond our own neighborhoods, we stepped up and took initiative. We're a national organization answering the call to a national problem.

If a child needs a bed, we want to make sure they get one.

NO KID SLEEPS ON THE FLOOR IN OUR TOWN! *

Collecting Twin bed sheet/comforter sets too!



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NO KID SLEEPS ON THE FLOOR IN OUR TOWN!

We are inviting Units, Clubs, Auxiliaries, and Masonic Appendant Bodies to join us!

Chairs: Noble Roger Hutchinson and Noble Allen Taylor.

To help, please call the Office (912) 355-2422 ext 4 and let us know if attending and how many to expect!
Great fellowship and membership opportunity.

Get ready for a super fun Purse Auction featuring brand new and gently loved handbags—and here's the twist... EVERY purse has a prize inside! You won't know what you've won until you open it!

Prize in a Purse Party

Come hungry and thirsty—there will be food and drinks to enjoy while you bid, laugh, and play. We'll also have games for extra fun (cash only for games, please!). Grab your friends, bring your bidding spirit, and get ready for an afternoon full of surprises, smiles, and stylish wins.

April 19th
Alee Shriners
100 Eisenberg Dr
Fun Starts at 2pm
\$10 per person



All proceeds benefit the First Lady's Project and are tax deductible.

FLOWER ARRANGEMENT

Learn * Laugh

March 9th
Bill Porter
7:30pm



Bring your own Flower Vase

Class by Lady Marion Stokes—Farmers Market Florist
While the Nobles are in the Stated Session, you can learn to make a beautiful floral arrangement.

INVOICE INVOICE INVOICE



Dear Noble and Lady,
Due to the increased cost of postage stamps, please use this as your Invoice for the FEZ Patron. For 2026, The FEZ is our bi-monthly communication magazine that is mailed to your home or business every other month. A FEZ Patron, like yourself, donates \$20 to help offset the cost of the FEZ. Thank you for your continued support of Alee and the FEZ!

Payments can be made online by visiting aleeshriners.org.

Name to appear as FEZ Patron: _____ & Lady _____
Noble First Name _____ Last Name _____ Ladies First Name _____
Unit or Club to be listed under: \$20 Per Listing

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Illustrious Potentate's Message

It's been an amazing start to 2026! We've truly hit the ground running, and it's incredible to see how much we can accomplish together. Team Alee continues to impress and inspire. Thank you to everyone who has helped make our recent Club visits so special for Lady Cheryl and me.

Lady Cheryl was overjoyed with the First Lady's Tea held in her honor. Our heartfelt thanks go out to all who made this event possible and to everyone who came out to celebrate with her.

Our theme, "None of us are as strong as all of us," was on full display during the Temple Clean-Up Day. Thank you to everyone who came out to help make our Temple shine. A special thanks to Illustrious Sir Freddie Humphries Jr. for organizing the workday and to the Alee Dunecats for preparing a delicious lunch.



We hope to see everyone at our next Stated Session on March 9th! We'll be serving corned beef and cabbage as we prepare to celebrate the St. Patrick's season. The meal will be \$15 per person. Representatives from the Savannah St. Patrick's Parade Committee will be joining us to answer your questions about this year's festivities.

There's plenty more fun and fellowship ahead as we continue our Club visits and look forward to the Potentate's Ball later this month.

Fraternally,
David "D2" Armstrong II
Potentate, Alee Shriners



GET YOUR FIX IN 26

First Lady's Message



As First Lady of Alee, I am thrilled to say that we have truly hit the ground running this year!

There is something so energizing about the start of a new year in our Temple. The calendar fills quickly, the visits begin, and the fellowship that makes Alee so special is immediately on full display. Traveling alongside our Potentate as he visits clubs has already been such a joy. Each stop reminds me that the strength of Alee lies in the dedication, warmth, and spirit of our Nobles and Ladies. Your hospitality, enthusiasm, and commitment to our philanthropy make every mile worthwhile.

I would also like to extend my heartfelt thanks to every Lady who supported me at the First Lady's Tea. Your presence meant more to me than I can adequately express. Seeing so many of you gathered in friendship and fellowship was truly the highlight of my season so far. Your encouragement, kind words, and generous support remind me why I am so honored to serve in this role. The Tea was beautiful not just because of the décor or the program, but because of each of you.

Let's keep this momentum going. Let's continue to show up, support one another, and represent Alee with pride and grace. I am so grateful to walk this journey with each of you, and I cannot wait to see what the rest of the year holds.

With appreciation and excitement for all that's ahead,
Cheryl Armstrong
"It's kind of fun to do the impossible"



Chief Rabban



Hello fellow Nobles and Ladies. The year is off and running and your Divan has begun visiting the Clubs. We enjoyed a great weekend at Waynesboro, Augusta and Thomson and looking forward to the visits at the other clubs. Parade season is coming up so get those parade vehicles in good shape. I'm the Divan Rep for Augusts, Waynesboro, Thomson, Effingham and Knights of Mecca Clubs and Divan Rep for Legion of Honor, Keystone Kops, Clowns and Road Runners Units. If I can ever be of help, please call, text or email me. Temple clean up day will be January 28th and I look forward to seeing you there. Remember We need to retain good Nobles and we need good Master Masons to become new Nobles to ensure the future of our fraternity. If I can ever be of help to any Noble, Club or Unit, please give me a call, text, or email. Thanks and we'll see you soon.

Fraternal yours
G. Ray Christian
Chief Rabban 2026

Assistant Rabban



Hello Nobles and Ladies

Well, the year has started, and it's been busy. Thank You to all who came out and supported the temple at the Valentine Days Dance. Thank you to all who assisted with the set up and to Larry Pawlowski for the entertainment and photos.

The Temple has a Temple Fundraiser coming up in APRIL we need sponsors and teams for our second annual CLAY SHOOT. Also, if can't make the shoot come hangout and support the shooters, who supported us at the after party that night. Dinner and a bar are provided so bring some guests and have a good time.

We still have different color hats for the clay shoot 30 dollars each call or text (912)655-5258 to purchase your hat. The calendar for events is filling up around the temple. So, if your unit or club needs a particular area at the temple please book your area.

Remember to attend your Blue Lodge and make sure to get all dues paid for the year.

Thank You for the support and it's an Honor serving such a great group of Nobles and Ladies. Please call me or any member of Divan for questions and I will
Fraternal Yours,
Andrew Watt Sr.

High Priest & Profit



Hello fellow Nobles and Ladies,

The year is well under way and flying by. Your Divan has already visited several clubs and I would like to thank the aide team for their hard work and dedication and clubs for the hospitality and great fellowship.

By the time you read this, the annual Valentine's dance will have passed. Thank you to everyone who helped decorate and especially to those who attended. If you missed it, you certainly missed out on a great night of fun.

What do we love? A parade! It's that time of year. Parade season kicks off this month so get your rides polished up and your costumes dusted off. It's time to show up and show out for our communities that love us and support us.

With that being said, keep in mind that your dues must be paid up in order to participate in parades or attend any meetings. Please get this handled as soon as possible so you don't miss out on all the fun.

Nobles, if you know of a fellow Noble that you haven't seen in a while, reach out to them. Give them a call or text and check on them and offer some words of encouragement to get them involved back into our great fraternity. A little communication may have a big influence and draw a Noble back in.

If I can be of any assistance to any Noble, Club, or Unit, please reach out to me.
Fraternaly yours,
Matthew R. Butler
High Priest and Prophet 2026

Oriental Guide



Hello Nobles and Ladies

Thank you to everyone who attended the Valentine's Dance and helped make it such a wonderful evening. The fellowship, music, and shared laughter truly made the night special, and it was great to see so many members and guests come together in celebration. As we look ahead, parade season is right around the corner. We're excited for another busy and successful year representing Alee Temple in our community. Please remember that in order to participate in any parade, all members must be current on their dues and have a valid dues card. We are also looking forward to celebrating with our new Potentate and First Lady in this new year and seeing everyone at the upcoming Potentate's Ball weekend. It promises to be another fantastic opportunity for fellowship, tradition, and celebration within Alee Temple. Thank you for your continued support and participation. We look forward to seeing you at our upcoming events! And remember God bless the Children, our First Responders and our Military.

Fraternaly Yours
Greg Spell

Recorder



Hello Nobles and Ladies

Well, its March already and Alee is getting geared up for the upcoming parade season, with Claxton Rattlesnake Wildlife parade on March 4, 20226, along with the Tybee Island St. Patrick's Day Parade in the afternoon, March 17th Savannah's 202th St Patrick's Day Parade also on March 17 th is the Augusta St Patrick's Day parade. The Shellman's Bluff St Patrick's Day parade is on March 21 st , 2026.

Don't forget the first Stated Session is on March 9 th with dinner/supper at 6:30pm, menu will be corned beef and cabbage for St Patrick's day. Stated Session starts at 7:30pm and nobles bring your lady as there will be a lady's program in the Arena and remember each unit and club needs to be represented at each Stated Session.

All unit and club presidents get your fundraiser requests in at least 30 days in advance of the event and remember all fundraiser financial reports are due within 30 days of the completion of the event, if it is not turned in within those 30 days any future fundraisers may not be approved by the Illustrious Potentate. Please check the Potentates Newsletter (A Little Extra Effort), given out at the Presidents meetings and The Fez Magazine for your fundraiser to be listed if you do not see it after it was approved, please let me know so I can get it listed for you.

Don't forget about the June Ceremonial on June 26 th and 27 th get those petitions into the office as soon as possible and If you know of anyone, who have been lost in the Desert, tell them we miss them and would like them to come home, and join in the fun and fellowship we are having at Alee. The cost is only \$315.00 you don't have to make up any further back than 2025 and the current 2026 dues. If you need more information on how to reinstate just call my cell phone at (912) 695-7132 or email me at recorder.alee@gmail.com and I will help you get them reinstated. We sure would love to see them at Alee again.

Lady Marlene and I are excited about the year 2026, and will work to do our best to help Keep Alee Strong and moving in a positive direction by getting our fix in "26" and wish everyone a safe and Happy, St Patrick's Day. We all love parades.

Shriners are brothers, we share a common CREED, and common goals and values.

Remember to attend your Blue Lodge, Scottish Rite, and York Rite regularly.

As always remember our men and women in the armed forces, fighting to keep our country free, your Divan working hard for the success of Alee, and the children and doctors at our hospitals while on bended knee.

Let's All work hard to keep ALEE great and remember none of us are as strong as all of us, team Alee working together.

Dave Armstrong Sr P P

Recorders Report February 2026

January 2026		1156
Nobles Created		
Nobles Affiliated		
Nobles Restored		
Nobles Associated		
Total Gain	Total	1156
Nobles Demitted	- 1	
Nobles Suspended		
Nobles Deceased	- 6	
Nobles Resigned:		
Associate Drop		
Total	- 7	Total 1149



NPD – Nobles Not Paying Dues 2026 - 279

January 2025: 1181 - Total members
(NPD as of January 31, 2025 - 251)

Contact:
Will Morgan, Chair: 912-429-6049
Walt Pelton, Co-Chair: 912-572-4989

New Members That is our Lifblood Let Your Hands Reach Out! MEMBERSHIP



Prove to your Masonic friend that it's great to be a Shiner! Invite him to join the festivities.

It's a great thrill to see your candidate become a Shiner! Petition him now.

Shriners Children's News

Thomas, a 17-year-old boy from Hatfield, Pennsylvania, has had a tumultuous medical journey, experiencing tears to his anterior cruciate ligaments (ACL) in both his right and left legs.

The first time he tore his ACL, he was playing soccer and pivoted in a way that was unnatural, tearing the ligament in his left knee along with both the medial and lateral meniscus. He underwent ACL and meniscus repair at another local hospital in Philadelphia. Unfortunately, despite a challenging recovery, he still had problems fully extending his knee.

Nine months after that surgery, he was playing basketball when he landed awkwardly on his right leg while trying to keep the ball in bounds, resulting in a tear of the ACL in his right knee. His primary care physician referred Thomas to Sean Waldron, M.D. He visited Dr. Waldron at our outpatient clinic in Doylestown, and after his evaluation, it was determined that Thomas would need surgery to fix his torn right ACL. Thomas visited Shriners Children's Philadelphia for his surgery.

Thomas underwent the BEAR® Implant surgery, which stands for Bridge Enhanced ACL Repair. This innovative procedure uses an implant injected with the patient's own blood to heal and mend the two torn ends of the ACL. The procedure is less invasive than other ACL reconstructive surgeries.

Dr. Waldron said, "Thomas was a great candidate for a BEAR implant surgery. His MRI showed a significant amount of ACL remaining for repair. More importantly, he was motivated to get better and had already been through the rehab for his other knee, so he knew what to expect. He went through a lot over the two years from his first injury until when he was fully recovered, but he always kept a positive attitude and worked hard. He's a really tough guy."

As Thomas received both types of surgeries to fix his ACLs, it was an interesting comparison during the healing and recovery process. After the BEAR implant surgery, Thomas explained that recovery was much easier and faster than the ACL reconstruction surgery recovery on his other leg. After undergoing the BEAR Implant procedure, he was able to fully bend and straighten his leg.



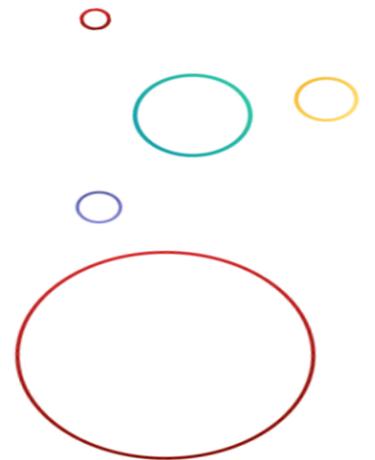
Dr. Waldron also gave us more clarity."

RANDA, THOMAS' MOTHER



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However, the same was not true of his left leg, which had ACL reconstructive surgery at a different hospital nine months previously. He was still not able to properly bend his knee, which is problematic when returning to sports, and could cause further injury to his healing knee. After examining his left knee, Dr. Waldron performed a scar tissue removal surgery to aid in flexion and extension for Thomas. Two weeks after this surgery, Thomas regained full extension of his left leg. Now, he is completely recovered from all his surgeries and said, "Today I feel amazing, both my knees." He wears a brace on his right knee, as that is a typical step during recovery from any ACL surgery, but he will soon no longer need it.

His mother, Randa, said, "What surprised me was when he did the BEAR surgery for his ACL, he was cleared to go up stairs very quickly. Dr. Waldron also gave us more clarity. He ensured that no extension after nine months is not normal, and gave proactive care. I'm really glad Thomas' family doctor showed us here. Dr. Waldron was really great, and he came after surgery and talked with us and before discharge he checked on him. That didn't happen at the other hospital we went to."

Sports medicine is a core specialty at Shriners Children's, led by physicians who treat injuries of this complexity every day. Our specialized care allows each child to be assessed for their specific injuries, and recognizes that all injuries do not look the same for each child. Our sports medicine clinics prioritize the patient's healing and ability to return to the sports they love, as we recognize return to play is a major personal goal of our patients.

In addition to sports, Thomas enjoys playing video and board games. Soon, he will be cleared to return to sports without wearing his brace, and we are excited to see him back on the court and field, playing at high levels.

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Thank you for supporting our fundraiser!

Alee Shriners Ladies Auxiliary

TEXAS HOLD'EM

* TOURNAMENT *

- ◆ Tournament open to Ladies & Men
- ◆ Registration starts at 11 am
- ◆ Play starts at 12 noon
- ◆ Food and drink provided

Pre-Register for chip-up and questions: 912-433-6091
or armsmka@gmail.com

April 18 2026	Alee Shriners Arena 100 Eisenberg Dr. <small>Look for the Maroon Awning</small>	\$50 Entry
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All proceeds benefit the Alee Shriners Ladies Auxiliary and are not tax deductible.



MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Patrick J All
 David W Armstrong II
 Stevie L Arnett
 Bill Arnold
 James H Ashdown
 Byron S Barnett
 Christopher S Bell
 Archie W Black
 Joseph W Black
 Donald J Blanton
 John R Blocker
 Earl V Brazell
 Bobby Brigdon
 William E Brown
 David O Brown
 Brantley N Burns
 Shawn M Buttigieg
 Ralph A Calhoun II, P.P.
 Philip O Cheek
 Laird O Cole
 Laurie T Cole
 Morgan J Collins
 Corey M Conaway
 James P Conner
 Lawrence P Corey
 Brian C Cribbs
 Jessie A Crooms
 Brian J Cullinan
 Carolus W Daniel Jr
 Hugh S Danna III
 Purvis J Deal
 Roy M Dees
 Luke T Demarest
 Mark T Derden
 Wesley A Deverger
 George W Dunham IV
 Johnny D Durden
 Robert L Durland
 Joe Ray Ellis
 Christopher Epps
 Gerard M Fedak
 Alexander J Fishman
 John A Fitzner Jr
 James C Fordham P.P.
 Justin D Foster

Cecil W Foster Jr.
 Jack B Fowler Jr.
 Clarence O Garmon
 Joe B Gregory
 Jacob D Harrison
 James D Hennessey
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 Thomas D Huff
 David Hulett
 Aubrey L Inglett II
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 John A Keel
 Richard J Knox
 John F Krueger
 Timothy M Lundell
 Warren R McBryde
 Walter D McCollum
 Billy W Miller
 Robert A Mills
 Samuel K Mock
 William W Newton
 William L Norse
 James L Paul
 Caleb S Poppell
 David J Ringheisen
 Phillip W Robinowich
 John P Shealy Jr
 Edwin T Shiver
 John W Simmons
 Michael L Smart
 Gary L Spence
 Charles M Spivey
 Ethan T Stanfield
 Joseph S Stanley
 Gregory D Strickland
 Ronald K Thompson
 Jimmy N Thompson
 Christopher A Tuten
 Gary T Vinson Sr.
 James W Waters

Happy Birthday

Shriners' Creed

Shriners believe in God and that He created man to serve His purposes, among which is service to others in His Name. We believe that care for the less fortunate, especially children who suffer from burns and crippling diseases, is our institutional calling.

We are patriots, each willing to serve his country with fidelity and courage. We cherish independence under law and freedom with responsibility.

We honor family. We respect our parents, wives, and children. We should instill in our children the tenets of this creed, and the heritage from which it emanates.

As individuals, we pledge ourselves to integrity, virtue and nobility of character. Our intentions will be honorable, our relations will be trustworthy and our spirits forgiving of each other.

As brothers, we offer each other fraternal affection and respect. Together we will support each other in adherence to this creed, so that we and our communities will be better because of our fraternity and its principles.

As Shriners, we look beyond ourselves to serve the needs of others, especially children who cannot help themselves. We believe Shriners Hospitals for Children to be the world's greatest philanthropy, and we covenant with each other to support its "temple of mercy" with spirit, time, talent, and means.



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 AND SOME PEOPLE ARE ALWAYS
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Save the Date

Shriners Days 2026

You're invited! Please join us at Shriners Children's Greenville for an enjoyable evening reception and informative morning program.

Registration information to follow.

Friday, March 6 | 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.
Saturday, March 7 | 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

950 West Faris Road | Greenville, SC | 29605
*Attire: Business Casual for both events



ATTEND YOUR BLUE LODGE



But what day is it today?
MEMBERSHIP DAY

BOARD RESOLUTION OF ALEE SHRINERS ADOPTED ON January 19th, 2026

The undersigned being Elected Divan and Directors of Alee Shriners an Iowa corporation, hereby sign the following resolution:

RESOLVED THAT:

Below is a list of authorized Financial Bank Accounts for ALEE Shriners:

1. Workmen's Circle Credit Union
 - a. 99 Share Master Account – Regular Savings
 - b. 89 Money Market Account – Reserve Fund
 - c. 88 Money Market Account – Building Fund
2. Queensborough National Bank & Trust
 - a. *1981 HPTF "Morris Slotin" – Transportation Checking
 - b. *1970 General Fund – Temple Checking
 - c. *0705 Next Years – Sequestered Account
 - d. *1992 Building Fund – Building Fund Checking
 - e. *2058 VENMO – VENMO Account
 - f. *2025 Levington Fund – Wheelchair Account
 - g. *2003 Life Membership – Life Membership Checking
 - h. *2003 Paper Sale – Paper Sale Account
3. LPL Financial:
 - a. HPTF "Morris Slotin" – *5546 (Sallie Mae Bank)
 - b. Levington Fund - *5755 (Morgan Stanley Bank)
 - c. Life Membership Fund - *5755 (JP Morgan Chase Bank)
 - d. Building Fund - *5755 (JP Morgan Chase Bank)
 - e. Reserve Fund 1 - *5755 (Goldman Sachs Bank)
 - f. Reserve Fund 2 - *5755 (JPMorgan Chase Bank)

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BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The below signatures of Alee Temple Divan and Alee Corporation Directors, an Iowa corporation do hereby and hereon declare these are the approved financial accounts for ALEE Temple to organize and operate.

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In Accordance with the By-Laws of Shriners International, Section 334.5 (b), ALLE Temple Board of Directors adopt this resolution to authorize member of said board to be authorized Signatories (one of which must be the Temple Treasurer) on all financial transactions for calendar year 2026.

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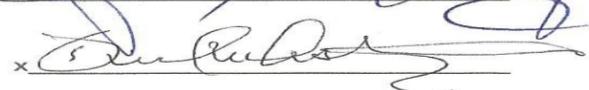
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MARCH Project Report

March		Report Due
3/7/2026	Tattnall Farm Pheasant Shoot *	4/7/2026
Now	Augusta Golden Boy Gun Raffle	
03/3-4/2026	Jesup Selling consession Peached Beaches	4/4/2026
3/27/2026	Jesup Raffle	4/27/2026

APRIL		
4/4/2026	Claxton Pro Mud Shootout - CHARITABLE	5/4/2026
4/17-18/2026	Iron Knights Butt Ride	5/18/2026
4/11/2026	Statesboro Pickle Ball	5/11/2026

MAY		
5/16/2026	Pirate Golf Tournament	6/16/2026
5/20/2026	Screven Raffle	6/20/2026

JUNE		
Now - 6/1/26	Clown Raffle	7/1/2026

SEPTEMBER		
9/26/2026	Pirate Poker run	10/26/2026
8/25-9/15/2026	Pirate Gun Raffle	10/15/2026

OCTOBER		
Now - 10/26/26	Effingham Big Money Raffle	

NOVEMBER		
11/7/2026	Pirate Surrender Booty 12/7/2026	

DECEMBER		
Now -12/31/26	Tybee Tuesday Night Supper Club	12/31/2026
12/13/2026	Mobile Unit Miss Alee	12/31/2026

58 th Annual Claxton Rattlesnake Parade

WHEN: Saturday, March 14, 2026
 WHERE: Claxton, Ga.
 LINE-UP: 8:30 am Evans County Board of Commissioners Administrative Building and the Evans County Public Library (Clark Street and James Street). All parade entries must be in place by 9:45 am.
 STEP-OFF: 10:00 am

Stand Up for America Parade

When: April 25, 2026
 Where: Port Wentworth, GA
 Line-Up: 8:30 am 201 Oxnard Drive US Sugar refinery Port Wentworth
 Step-off: 10:00am

Pine Tree Festival Parade

When: Saturday, May 2, 2026
 Where: Swainsboro, GA
 Line-Up: 9:30 am Goody's clothing store parking lot (look for Swainsboro Shrine Bus)
 Step-off: 10:30am

Shenanigans on Liberty Golf Cart ONLY Parade

WHEN: Saturday, March 14, 2026
 WHERE: Waynesboro, GA.
 LINE-UP: 11am First Methodist Church, 800 Liberty St
 STEP-OFF: Noon

Annual Sweet Onion Parade

When: Saturday, May 9, 2026
 Where: Glennville, GA
 Line-Up: 8:00- 9:15 am on Hwy 144 E (South Tattnall Middle School)
 Step-Off: 9:50 am
 Tattnall Shrine Club has graciously invited all Shrine parade participants back to their Shrine Club for fellowship and lunch! 14255 GA-23, Glennville, GA 30427

Annual Tybee Island Irish Heritage Parade

WHEN: Saturday, March 14, 2026
 WHERE: Tybee Island, Ga.
 LINE-UP: 12:30pm (Memorial Park at Butler Ave)
 STEP-OFF: 3:00pm

St. Patrick's Day Parade – Savannah -

WHEN: Monday, March 17, 2025
 WHERE: Savannah, GA
 LINE-UP: 8 am
 STEP-OFF: You enter at Henry and Lincoln and they will direct you to East Bolton and Abercorn. Between Drayton and Abercorn



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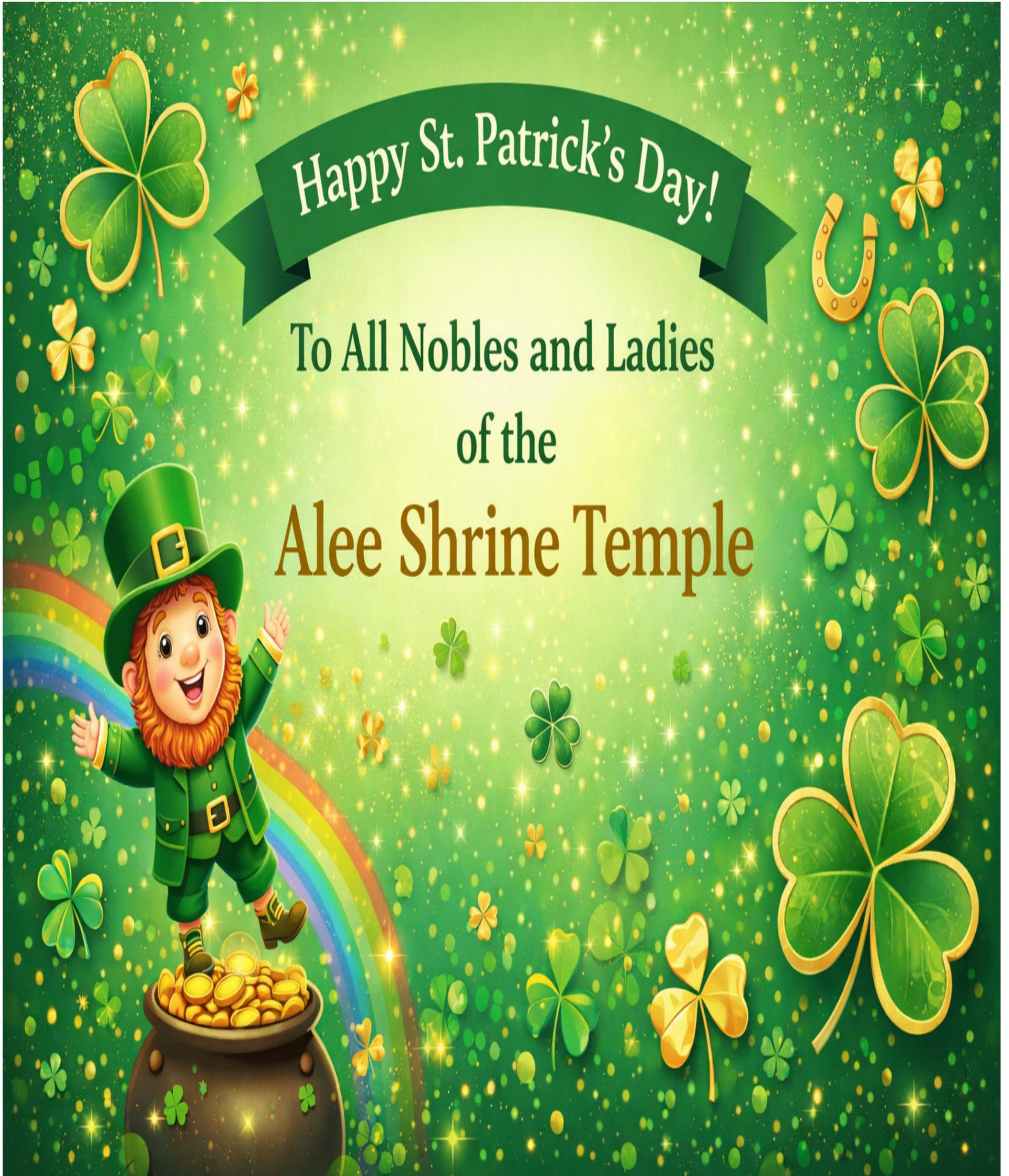
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