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2015 Illustrious Potentate Wm. Raymond Bosley Jr. with Lady Anita and their family



Business Sessions of Boumi Shrine

April 1, 2015 – 7:30 p.m. – Business Meeting
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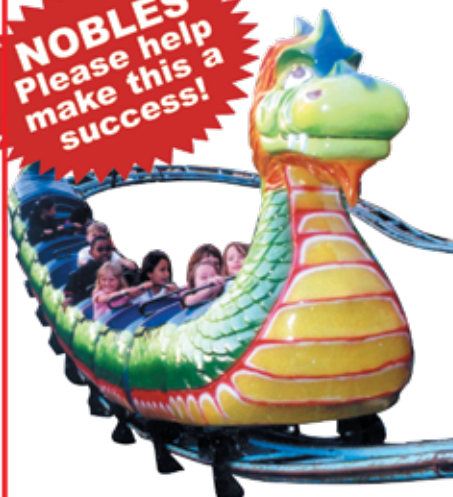
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GREETINGS TO ALL NOBLES AND LADIES OF BOUMI TEMPLE,

Here we are trying to write a few lines for the Spring issue in freezing weather with snow covering most everything, just like it has been for the past two months.

Several activities had to be canceled due to the weather, but all in all, things went well. We combined the presentations for the Imperial Convention and the 2015 trips in order to save everyone from being there on more than one day to hear about the activities planned for the rest of the year—nearly 100 folks attended.

The Unit Head/Clubs Night was well attended, as were most of the various club and unit installations that we attended at the Temple or elsewhere. The Inaugural Ball was a great success even though we almost had to cancel due to the snow. It was close, but with the band already in town, guests from New York and Pennsylvania already here or on their way, and the food being prepared, we had to keep it going and we hoped for the best. More than 160 nobles and

guests attended.

Chairman Ron Carlson, P.P., and his Lady Arlene and their Inaugural Committee did a great job with everything—decorations, programs, tickets, food, etc. We want to thank them all for a job well done. Everyone who attended had a great time, and it was a night that we will always remember. The band was fabulous, as was the fellow who looked like Kurt Frelve doing the chicken dance along with the Divan.

The year has begun with a lot of promise, and we can only hope it continues throughout the rest of 2015. Keep in mind there are still plenty of events planned that you and your family and friends can attend—trips, dances, dinners, roasts, feasts, our carnival, conventions, and more. Call the chairperson for each event, and be there if you can to support Boumi.

Remember, the future belongs to each and every one of us. There is a potential new Shriner in everything we do and everywhere we go—lodge,



Illustrious Sir Ray and Lady Anita at the Inaugural Ball

work, church, vacation, or just having fun somewhere. Find them, and...

Help Keep the Faith

Yours in faith,

Wm. Raymond Bosley Jr.
Illustrious Potentate

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Fellowship: 11 a.m. • Lunch: 12 p.m.

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Lost in the Desert

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ATTEST:



P. Edward Triplett Sr.
Recorder

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BY ORDER OF

WM. Raymond Bosley Jr.
Illustrious Potentate

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From the Desk of the RECORDER

We have started this year with a bang. Look at what has already taken place and we are only through the first three months on the year. We had a fantastic Masters and Wardens Night, at which we had 25 different Blue Lodges represented. We have been taking new members in every month. We had a great Potentate's Inaugural Ball, which was followed by a nearly sold out Oyster Roast for both the men and the ladies.

You can feel the enthusiasm in the nobles of Boumi Shrine. I hope that

“The Shrine is alive
and well in Maryland.”

carries over to the sportsman raffle that we are holding this year. With 53 prizes to be given away we need your help selling the tickets. They are only \$10 and you get a chance to win one of 53 prizes. I hope every one of us get out and do all we can to make this a success.

Remember to attend your Blue Lodge and let your brothers know

that the Shrine is alive and well in Maryland. If no one wants to speak about the Shrine at your lodge meeting, it's up to you to let your brothers know what is going on. You don't need to speak about joining the Shrine, just let your brother masons know what is going on that they might enjoy.

I hope all of our nobles who can attend will take part in the two conventions coming up, both the Imperial and the MASA Conventions.

ED

Welcome New Members

Dennis William Leland

Verlyn Barnes

Gregory Thomas Smith

Timothy M. Martin Jr.

William Morales-Diaz

You are now a member of this very Illustrious Shrine, and we urge that you take advantage of its many privileges. Activities are diversified and continuous at Boumi Shrine. Designed mainly to stimulate fun, joy and good fellowship, it is ever the aim of our offices and committees to plan for every Noble's interest and pleasure. That you will join active participation in Boumi Shrine's functions is our sincere hope. Your interest and inclusion are certain to bring you the full share of dividends to which every Boumi Noble is entitled.

Resolution for Imperial Convention



ATTEST:

P. Edward Trickett Sr.

Recorder

BY ORDER OF

William Raymond P. ...

Illustrious Potentate

WHEREAS, the 2017 Imperial Convention will be held in Daytona, Florida, July 9 through July 13; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Assistant Rabban, Mark E. Hartz, to make arrangements to house the members of Boumi Temple in Daytona, Florida, during the aforesaid Convention; and to make said arrangements at the time of the 2015 Convention in Houston, Texas, and

WHEREAS, in order to subsidize the expenses of the members of Boumi Temple who attend the 2017 Convention and to offset other expenses associated with official Temple functions and activities in connection with said Convention, it is directed to make available the sum of \$50,000.00 as needed, to the 2017 Operating Budget Account #23805 of Boumi Temple; any unused funds to be returned to the Financial Advisors of Boumi Temple.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Assistant Rabban, Mark E. Hartz, be and he is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with the 2017 Imperial Council Housing Committee in order to provide housing for the members of Boumi Temple who desire to attend the said Imperial Council Convention and to make such monetary deposits as required and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Financial Advisors of Boumi Temple be, and they are hereby authorized to make available funds to meet the expenses outlined in this Resolution in the amount not to exceed \$50,000.00 and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Potentate then in office shall cause a detailed accounting of the monies spent according to the foregoing resolution to be rendered to the Temple at a stated meeting, in writing, within 90 (ninety) days after the close of the 2017 Imperial Session.

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A Dance Night in Blue

May 9, 2015



From 7:30 PM to 10:30 PM in the Boumi Temple Ballroom

(We celebrate the accomplishments of our Navy and the efforts of Admiral Richard Byrd and Chief Machinist Mate Floyd Bennett in their flight over the North Pole on this date in 1926.)



Commander Byrd (left), President Calvin Coolidge (center), Warrant Officer Bennett (right)

ONLY \$15.00 Per Person

Guests are encouraged and welcome

BYOB and BYO eatables

Setups will be available

Attire is Business Casual

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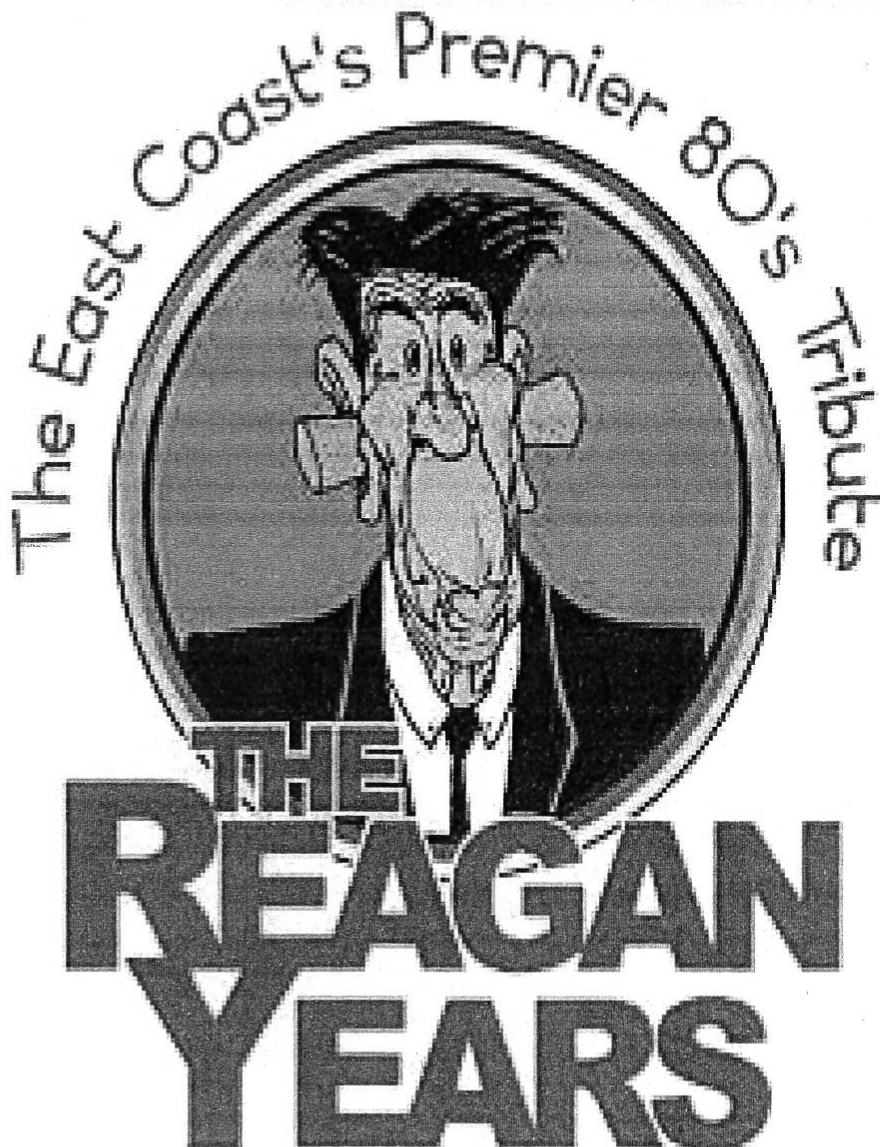
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Ambassadors

NOBLE EDWARD A. DEWATERS III
CHIEF

Thanks to all current Ambassadors who attended our Annual Reappointment Meeting in February. Chief Ambassador Edward DeWaters was well pleased with the attendance and hopes everyone enjoyed the meeting and will make an extra effort to attend as many future meetings as possible!

Our March meeting was our visit to Bridgeville, Del., for the Annual Joint DelMarVa Shrine Clubs event. This is always a wonderful event with the opportunity to meet nobles from three or four states and to receive words of wisdom from our Grand Masters and Potentates of Maryland and Delaware.

At our April 2 meeting, our speaker will be MWPGM Stephen Ponzillo, who will discuss the musicians, composers, and performers. Ladies are invited to this meeting at Boumi Shrine. On May 7, our meeting will be at Jack Comer's Museum—we don't know the speaker yet, but the museum is a treat within itself. The ladies are invited to this meeting as well.

Chief Eddie wants all Shriners to become involved in helping our Shrine by bringing in NEW Shriners. Our Potentate and Divan have initiated a new program whereby a Mason can join our Boumi Shrine fraternity for only \$125, which includes initiation fee and a previously owned fez. What a great idea! So come on, nobles, now is the time to be asking our brothers who aren't currently Shriners to join us!

Chief Eddie also wants each Shrine noble to be actively selling our newly announced Gun Raffle tickets that are available at the Boumi Shrine office or from any of our officers or Divan. These should be an easy sale as the tickets are only \$10 each with a chance at over 50 prizes, including cash and merchandise, and a great drawing party will be held at our Shrine Center.

Also, brother Shrine nobles, it is time to begin volunteering for our upcoming—and always fantastic—annual Boumi Carnival. Just go to www.boumishriners.com or call the office at 410-391-6400. All help will be greatly appreciated! Best of everything throughout this coming year to all.

RICHARD G. "DICK" FEESER, CHIEF AMBASSADOR 2011

Hamilton Shrine Club

NOBLE WILLARD WYMER
PRESIDENT

I would like to extend my thanks to each of you for your help and support extended to me making my job much easier and surely more enjoyable.

In March, there was a presentation by three people from the Shriners Hospitals for Children in Philadelphia. In April, Noble Ted Barkley will give us a presentation on the "Grasshopper," and May will bring out our talented members as it will be "amateur night." Sing, tell a joke, or just lie about it. When arriving, register with our Vice President Noble Brent Francis. He will announce you at the given time.

Colonel's Staff

NOBLE DONALD C. LEWIS
COLONEL

First and foremost I want to thank Noble John Friskey for doing an outstanding job as Colonel of the Units for the past two years. That's right, John has been the Colonel with little or no help since 2013. Great job, John!

With a full slate of officers on board, the future looks great for the current Colonel's Staff. The Colonel has assigned members of his staff to each unit to disseminate all pertinent information during Club and Unit Head meetings. Speaking of Unit Head meetings, don't forget all clubs and units are invited to attend the monthly meetings that are held at the Shrine Center the first Tuesday of each month. The next scheduled meetings are April 7 and May 5.

As I sit at my desk and write this article and look out the window, no one would be thinking of any parades or for that matter any outside activities. Several inches of snow and bone-chilling temperatures are upon us. However, spring will be here before we know it (thank goodness). It's time to start thinking about preparing, checking and repairing equipment that will be needed for parades, events and the upcoming conventions. Don't wait until the last minute—check it now.

There are several important activities planned by the Divan, so please check the web site for updated and important information.

The Colonel and his Staff are here to assist the Divan and all units and clubs. Should you need assistance and/or help, please don't hesitate in reaching out for our support.

YOURS IN FAITH,
LIEUTENANT KARL BALLWANZ

Photo Staff

NOBLE JOHN FRISKEY
DIRECTOR

Back home again! After spending three years on the Colonel's Staff, I am once again director of the Photo Staff. There are still unit heads and club presidents who have not had their 2015 pictures taken. Anyone who wishes to have his picture taken should schedule an appointment with me. The best time to meet is before the Business Meetings. Contact me at 410-744-8230 or friskeyjohn@gmail.com.

The Photo Staff is still looking for nobles who would like to take pictures for the unit. If you are interested, please contact me. Also, there are many things the Photo Staff can do for your unit or club. We can do prints, books, albums, photo mugs, and DVDs, just to name a few. If interested, please stop in during our unit meeting on the second Wednesday of the month.



ANNUAL STAG OUTING



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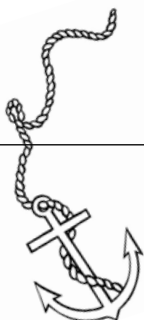
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SCIMETER CLUB ANNUAL STAG OUTING JUNE 10, 2015

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IN ORDER TO COMPLETE CATERING ARRANGEMENTS*

Shepherds

NOBLE ANTONIO MENDOZA
DIRECTOR

Greetings Nobles,

We give our thanks to Illustrious Sir Paul Reinke Jr. for his leadership during the year 2014. The word "soar" will always be remembered. Congratulations to the incoming Potentate for 2015, Noble Wm. Ray Bosley Jr., and best of luck to the Divan. You will have our support.

In 2014 Boumi clubs escorted 32 patients to the Shriners Hospitals for Children in Philadelphia—the Shepherds escorted 27 patients and the Pa-Po-Peake Shrine Club escorted 5 patients. There were a total of 69 trips to Philadelphia. In every trip there is a driver and a co-driver, and there are a lot of hours and miles driven. Thank you to all the Shepherds who made those trips. Job well done and great team work! I am looking forward to year 2015.

Twice a year the doctors and staff from the Shriners Hospitals for Children in Philadelphia hold clinics in San Juan, Puerto Rico. I will continue to represent the Boumi Shriners at these clinics along with the Al Rai'e Saleh Shriners from San Juan, PR, where I am a PCM associate. They plan and organize these clinics as well as the clinics held in San Juan by the Shriners Hospitals for Children in Boston. Al Rai'e Saleh means "The Good Shepherd."

If you would like to participate or join the Shepherds, please contact Noble Bob Wilkinson at 410-665-6113 or Director Tony Mendoza at 443-370-8441.

Provost Guard

NOBLE JOHN S. ENGLISH
COMMANDER

Congratulations to our new Commander John English. He has gotten us off to a good start for this year. The Provost Guard MASA spring meeting will be April 17-19 at Rajah Temple in Reading, Pa.

Our Commander has planned a bus trip to visit the battleship New Jersey on June 10 and he has arranged for all to receive the veteran's discount. The cost and complete details will be announced as soon as the bus contract is finalized. This is a great opportunity to experience a great part of our military history.

The Provost will be manning the beer stands at the Timonium Fairgrounds on the morning of Aug. 29. This is always a fun time to see the sights and help Boumi.

If you can participate in any or all of the above, contact Commander John English at 410-665-4980. Better yet, attend our next meeting and tell him in person. I guarantee you will have a great time and enjoy the camaraderie of the best unit in Boumi.

If you are one of the few who haven't yet paid your dues, please do so now and be sure to update your roster information. Thank you.

We continue to meet on the second Thursday of the month in our unit room starting at 7:30 p.m. We have refreshments after every meeting. Attend a meeting and enjoy the friendship of the great nobles who are members of the Provost. This is truly an excellent unit. Hope to see you there. Support Boumi and Your Blue Lodge.

ELC

Daughters of the Nile

ZITTA TEMPLE #27

LADY LEAH WILHELMSSEN, QUEEN

Hopefully Spring has arrived and we are all looking forward to warmer weather after the bitter cold of winter. We had our installation of officers and it was a beautiful event. The officers are: Queen Leah Wilhelmsen, Princess Royal Kathleen Palmer, and Princess Tirzah Margo Hampton. My heartfelt thanks to all who participated and attended.

On April 1, we will host the Shriners Ladies while our Boumi guys are at their business meeting. We hope to make new friends and bring everyone up to date of new happenings at the Shriners Hospitals for Children in Philadelphia. If time permits, we hope to make tray favors for the children at the hospital. Come join us if you can and help us support the children and have a good evening of fellowship.

On May 31, we are planning a Garden Party and Tasting, which is Zitta's first fundraiser for the year. It will be at my home: 304 Chapelwood Lane. \$30 donation, good beverage pairings, good food, and a silent auction. For more information, contact Joan Mezoff at 410-661-4367. (Space is limited.)

Looking forward to fall, we will be celebrating the 90th birthday of Zitta Temple No. 27. We are so proud of our Temple and would like to recognize all long-standing members. Look for more Information on this.

Ladies, remember, we meet on the third Tuesday of the month at the Boumi Shrine Center. Hope to see you there. If you are not a member and would like to join us, please contact me at 410-252-3379.

Auto Club

It seems as though one might think that the Auto Club is dead—such is not the case. Right now we just have a slightly dead battery that needs to be recharged to get the old cars started again. If you have an interest in old cars, antique vehicles, or the new sporty cars and trucks, then this is the club for you. Let's not let the battery die forever. For more information, including meeting and event dates, please contact Karl Ballwanz at 443-324-5507 or kfballwanz@gmail.com. Let's get those engines revving again.



Boumi Shrine

Please Join us as we attend the
141st Shrine of North America Imperial Convention in Houston, Texas
Saturday, July 4, 2015 thru Thursday, July 9, 2015

We will be stay at the Embassy Suites

Only one block from the convention center and catercornered the Imperial Headquarters Hotel
A \$20.00 Non-refundable fee is needed in advance which is not deducted from your package price.



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CHECK# _____

Please make all checks payable to: BOUMI SHRINE - 2015 CONVENTION
IMPORTANT: the FINAL CUT OFF DATE FOR RESERVATIONS IS MAY 15, 2015

NOBLE'S NAME _____ LADY'S NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

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366 CINNABAR LANE, BEL AIR, MD 21015

Eastern Shore S.C.

NOBLE PETE A. EVANS
PRESIDENT

In March we had our joint DelMarVa meeting at Bridgeville Vol. Fire Co. with nobles Richard "Dick" Feeser and Preston Rogers heading or hosting this event and, as usual, everyone had a grand time. Here are our upcoming meetings:

- April 15 at Federalsburg VFW, 2630 Veterans Drive, Federalsburg, MD 21632
- May 20th at Federalsburg VFW: This is our joint Ladies Night Meeting with Chester River, and I hope to see more nobles and ladies at this meeting than we had last year. The menu is crab cakes and steaks to order.
- Our next Board of Governors Meeting will be at Adams Grille, 219 Route 13 North, Fruitland, MD. In case you get lost, call the Adams Grille at 410-749-6961.

Gun Club

NOBLE CHARLES LEIGHT
PRESIDENT

We were fortunate to have our Illustrious Sir Ray Bosley and Lady Anita attend our Valentine Day shoot. The Potentate installed two officers. After a fine breakfast and an awards ceremony, we had some 10-bird competition for bacon/sausage and coffee mugs. Even with the chilly weather, we had a good showing of shooters and we enjoyed seeing who would win. There were a number of ladies present as well as guests. As always, the fellowship was and is stimulating.

We are planning some major events in the ensuing months with more prizes and activities for our ladies. With spring approaching, along with warmer weather, the shooting will be more comfortable and enjoyable.

Club members, break out those shooting irons and join in. Guests are always welcome.



Ocean City S.C.

NOBLE ROBERT A. KING SR.
PRESIDENT

The monthly meetings of the Ocean City Shrine Club will be held at Peaky's Restaurant in the Fenwick Inn on the following dates: April 24; May 29; June 27, Picnic at 6 p.m.; July 31; Aug. 28; Sept. 26, Crab Feast at 1 p.m.; Oct. 30; Nov. 20; Dec. 4, Christmas Party at 6 p.m. For information, contact President Robert (Bob) King at 301-945-5866.

Legion of Honor

NOBLE JOHN CORDANI
COMMANDER

Your Legion of Honor is on the way to an exciting 2015. As the new Commander, I welcome the ability to stand and work with each of you, inside the Legion and out, to have a great year for our ladies, our children, and ourselves.

On May 9, the Legion will host an open dance evening for all Shriners and their guests. The goals of this dance night are to provide a fun event, with our ladies in mind, that is entertaining and inexpensive. The cost is \$15 per person for an evening of dancing and fellowship.

On July 18, the Legion will host its annual BBQ. The charge is \$30 per adult, \$15 for teens, children free. As in the past, the main meals will be catered with music and great fun.

In September, we will invite everyone to a bring-your-own picnic at a pavilion on the grounds of the Naval Academy in Annapolis. We hope for great September weather and a fun day. On Nov. 7, we will host a formal ball. Details are under development.

Please watch for the Boumi Highlander's Queen's Ball. The Highlanders intend to support our events; let us support them.

I am trying to hold our events near days with military significance and divided among the services. Please come to business meetings with your suggestions. We need members to staff our events, chair our events, and work on new events.

Mounted Patrol

NOBLE PAIGE EDWARDS
CAPTAIN

Last year was the 75th anniversary of the Boumi Mounted Patrol Horse Show held in May. Our show is the longest continuous horse show in Maryland and is held each year at the McDonough School Equine Facility. This equine event brings together some of the top competing horses in the hunter/jumper classes from around the area.

In the past, our Mounted Patrol has held breakfast events and dances and has participated in local parades; however, our horse show and its proceeds are now the main focal point of our activities.

This year, the Mounted Patrol Horse Show is May 29-31 and will be held in the same location. Admission is free. Each year your MP tries to enhance the show by requesting sponsors for competition events or some aspect of the show that will generate greater proceeds for the Shriners Hospitals for Children in Philadelphia and the Boumi Transportation Fund.

Last year, our show was honored with members from Boumi's Divan. We thank Noble Bill Needer for making those arrangements. The Divan made presentations of ribbons and awards to event class winners, and our fezzes were a big hit with spectators and participants.

This year our Divan representative is Noble Ron Burdyski who has a list of potential sponsorship opportunities for our show. We hope that more of the Boumi membership may find some time to come visit this wonderful event. Who knows, your Mounted Patrol may even find a few new members to join and help carry on this great Shrine tradition.

DR. JOHN BROOKS



Honoring Illustrious Potentate Wm. Raymond Bosley Jr.

2015 Boumi Charity Golf Classic



Monday, July 13, 2015

Hunt Valley Golf Club

Announcing The 29th Annual Boumi Charity Golf Classic To Benefit The SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CHILDREN

Classic Committee:

Bill Mattlin, Chairman
443-463-8668
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Edward DeWaters III,
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Reserve your spot NOW!
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Continental Breakfast @ 7:00 a.m.
Shotgun Start @ 8:30 a.m.

Complimentary Beverages on the Course
Lunch following Golf

Hole-In-One Prizes Sponsored By Norris Auto Group

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443-463-8668
Tom Mattlin
443-677-0261

Tee Signs \$150.00 each:
Edward A. DeWaters III
443-421-2622

GOLFER REGISTRATION FORM

Make Check payable to: **Boumi Charity Golf Classic**

\$150.00/person

Mail Check with this form to: **Bill Mattlin PO Box 353 Delta, PA 17314**

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

If you wish to be in a specific foursome, list names OR if check includes other Golfers, list names

TEE SIGN CONTRIBUTION

Make Check payable to: **Boumi Charity Golf Classic**

\$150.00/Tee Sign

Mail check with this form to: **Edward A. DeWaters, III 7012 Heathcoate Dr Kingsville, MD 21087**

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Name as it should appear on Tee Sign _____ (Print)

Proceeds Benefit the Shriners Hospitals for Children and are Tax Deductible as a Tax Donation.

Boumi Ladies

LADY GARNETH BROWN
PRESIDENT

Happy, Happy Spring, Ladies! Disney really knew what he was doing with the movie Frozen! Hopefully we have thawed out and are enjoying Spring flowers and green grass and are looking forward to vacations.

We had good turnouts at our meetings in 2014. Let's keep it up in 2015. Please bring a friend or family member. We have a new member: her name is Audrey Stoll. We look forward to seeing you at our next meeting, Audrey!

There are a few members that we would like to acknowledge. These women are in their 90s and deserve special recognition: Peggy Keller, Ruth Needer, and Gladys Plowden. Congratulations, ladies! See everyone soon!



Catonsville S.C.

NOBLE JOHN FRISKEY
PRESIDENT

The start of a new year brings new leaders for your units and clubs. I wish to thank Noble Bo Barranger for his years of service to the C.S.C. Bo did a great job as president—he set the bar high. Thank you, Bo!

The Catonsville Shrine Club, like all clubs and units, is looking for new members. You do not have to live in Catonsville to be a member. We meet at Chef Paolino Café at 726 Frederick Road. Directions: Exit 13 off of I-695, go west to Ingleside Avenue, go about 1/2 mile, then turn right on Ingleside; the restaurant is on the left. We meet on the third Thursday at 6 p.m. for dinner and a short meeting. Love to see you there.

Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America

YAK-REM-PEH COURT #32
LADY THERESA NEEDER
HIGH PRIESTESS

The Ladies' Oriental Shrine had a wonderful installation! Thank you to all who attended and even more thanks to those who helped with various tasks. Congratulations to Past High Priestess Dorothy Needer and her officers for a wonderful year. I hope everyone enjoys her return to the post of musician.

Our Grand High Priestess will visit on July 10 and 11. I hope all members can make the meeting and dinner on July 11.



HOSPITAL DAY PICNIC

Hosted by Boumi's Legion of Honor

July 24, 2015

1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

\$30 Per Adult
\$15 Per Teenager
10 & Under Free

Boumi Pavilion
5050 King Avenue
White Marsh

Additional Donations
Encouraged On Site

Music * Door Prizes * Pit Beef
Plenty of Food & Refreshments



Net proceeds to be donated to the Shriners Hospitals for Children and donations ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE.
For tickets or cash donations, tear off and return. **Cut off date for reservations is July 19, 2015.**

HOSPITAL DAY PICNIC

Make Check Payable to: **Boumi Legion of Honor**

Mail Checks to: Commander John Cordani, 301 Norman Ave., Glen Burnie, MD 21060, 410-582-8483

Enclosed is a TAX DEDUCTIBLE check in the amount of \$_____ for ____ adults, ____ teens, ____ children 10 years or younger for the Legion of Honor Hospital Day Picnic on Saturday, July 24, 2015.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Chief Rabban Ray Bosley and Lady Anita Announce an exciting TransAtlantic Cruise for 2015!

**15 Night Transoceanic cruise aboard the beautiful
*Celebrity Silhouette***

**Sailing from Rome (Civitavecchia) with stops in Florence, Toulon,
Barcelona, Palma de Mallorca, Tenerife, Fort Lauderdale
beginning October 31, 2015**



**Prices starting at \$1,200 based on double occupancy
on select sale date. Government taxes and port fees
are ALL INCLUDED. Air fare \$750 per person.**

**For additional information, call
Fred Reitz, P.P., Trip Chairman
Home: 410-997-6282
Cell: 443-745-1349
email: fredreitzsr@comcast.net**

**Voted Best Spa at Sea!
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Fabulous Mini Mall!**

Proceeds from this activity are not for the benefit of the Shriners Hospitals for Children and are not deductible as charitable contributions for federal income tax purposes.



Arab Patrol

NOBLE MIKE NELSON
CAPTAIN

Patrolmen, Nobles and Ladies,

I am honored to be the Boumi Arab Patrol Captain for 2015. I am looking forward to working with our officers: 1st Lt. Robert O'Connell Jr., Treasurer Sammie Turner and Secretary Richard Meyers. I am also looking forward to working with Lt. Col. Karl F. Ballwanz III, Assistant Rabban Mark Hartz, and Illustrious Sir Wm. Raymond Bosley Jr.



Captain Mike Nelson and Lady Monica
at the Unit Heads Installation

Our goal for now and into the future is to grow Boumi and the Arab Patrol. We would like to invite our NEW nobles to Boumi to come by on the second Monday night of the month at 7 p.m. for fellowship and food. We would be honored to have you as our guests. This invite extends to fellow nobles who have not joined a unit in Boumi. I realized a few years ago, you really do not get what the Shrine has to offer until you become part of a unit like the Arab Patrol. We have a true brotherhood and bond.

We are bringing back our ladies group called the "Owls." Our ladies and families are a big part of a Shriner's life and we would like to grow together. Our ladies will also be building their own bonds and joining their Patrolmen throughout the year in events and activities.

We are having a Car, Truck and Motorcycle Show at Boumi on May 23 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. If you would like to vend, sell parts or set up a stand, please contact 1st Lt. Bob O'Connell or myself. For more information and pre-registration forms, visit our Facebook page.

For more information, please call me at 410-627-9990, e-mail arabpatrol@boumishriners.com, or hit us up on Facebook (search "Boumi Arab-Patrol"). We are the oldest unit in Boumi, and we are growing, so come by and see what it is all about!

Harem

NOBLE WILLIAM E. LAUTENSCHLAGER
DIRECTOR

Hello Nobles, I am honored on being elected your new director for 2015. I will do what I can (with your help) to restore our unit as it had been in the past. Let us all get together to add new interest and increase our membership. This could be possible if we all work at it.

You are all invited to go to lunch with us on the second Wednesday of each month at 12 p.m. After lunch, we plan to have a short meeting to decide how we should proceed in moving ahead. Thank you, in advance, for joining us.

Brass Band

NOBLE A. HARRISON CAUGHEY
BANDMASTER

The 2015 Boumi Brass Band officers have been installed. Noble Harry Caughey was appointed and installed as bandmaster on Jan. 24. At the Touch of Class Installation Dinner on Feb. 10, the elected band officers were installed: President Maurice LeBrun, Vice President Steve Miller, Secretary Ben Proctor, and Treasurer John White. Noble Einar Skretting assumed the responsibility for the operation of the coat check room.

MARVIN OED, SCRIBE

Bou-Tem-Sci

LADY NANCY RITTER
OUTGOING PRESIDENT

I can't believe I am writing the last of my *Boumi News* articles for my tenure as president of the Bou-Tem-Sci club. In January, we celebrated our 76th year. In February, we held Nobles' Day and it was a pleasure to have the nobles, the Illustrious Potentate, and First Lady Anita with us.

In April, we will install our new officers and, at the May meeting, we will celebrate Mothers' Day and distribute the Salvation Army Christmas stockings.

Congratulations to President Linda Barnes, 1st Vice President Sandi Phillips, Secretary Carol Schultz, and Treasurer Gerry Kalar. The 2nd vice president slot is vacant. I wish the new officers and the board members a most successful year as they continue our work of providing shoes for our children.

Under the chairmanship of Judy Freyer, Bou-Tem-Sci has provided our children with 11 pairs of shoes. Our donations to the Boston and Philadelphia Shriners' Hospitals for Children, including the shoes we provided, will amount to a minimum of \$6,000 for the year.

Sandi Phillips has planned a delightful trip for June. We will spend a day at Hooper's Island, with a tour of Phillips Seafood Factory, a narrated cruise on the Hongo River, lunch at Old Salty's Restaurant, and a ride through the Blackwater Wildlife Refuge, arriving back at Boumi Temple at 6 p.m. The trip is only \$85 per person. If you would like to go, please contact Sandi at 410-557-8281.

I would like to thank my board and the officers whom I have had the privilege of working with this year. You have been my support, as has my sister, Linda Barnes, who has filled in for me when necessary, and I heartily thank you. If you are asked to serve on the board or take an office, please do not hesitate to say "yes." You will have the support of all your Bou-Tem-Sci sisters and find it is a rewarding experience. I am so thankful that I am a Bou-Tem-Sci sister and that you gave me the chance to serve as your president. May you each have a delightful spring!

Noble Wildberger Recognized For 20 Years of Service



The Boumi Brass Band commissioned this watercolor painting for Noble Bert Wildberger in recognition of his 20 years of service as Busmaster (as depicted above). In addition, the Brass Band presented Bert with a certificate which, in part, said:

"Neither snow nor rain nor gloom of night stayed this Busmaster from the completion of his appointed rounds—despite no roof, no power steering, no automatic transmission and no gas gauge. The wipers gave a whole new meaning to the term 'intermittent' windshield wipers."

A copy of the painting can be seen in the Boumi Band Room.

Hillbilly Clan # 67

NOBLE VERNON YOUNG
RABAN OF THE CLAN

Howdy Cuzzins,

Our next meeting will be on May 12. Please attend and support your officers. All meetings start at 7:30 PM and are held in the Legion of Honor unit room downstairs. Our meetings for the rest of the year are: July 14, Sept. 8, and Nov. 10. Mark your calendars and be part of the fun of being a Hillbilly.

Our Clan won the first place prize for the best table decoration at the Unit Heads/Club Presidents Night. This was the second time we won. Thanks to Vernon and Ginny for another fine job.

Please continue to place your empty cans in one of our 11 collection barrels placed throughout the Temple. We have received a "Gold Book" page for our contributions to date. Thanks to nobles Vernon Young and Jim Frederick who collect, crush, and deliver the cans to the recycler at their own expense. All proceeds go to the hospitals. Please continue to support the Hillbillies in this fundraising effort.

Support Boumi and your Blue Lodge.

ELC



The Hillbilly Clan won first place for their table display at the Club/Unit Installation. L to R: Raban Vernon Young, Hillbilly Mike Wallace, Colonel Donald Lewis, Hillbilly Lou Carlett



Potentate Bosley obligating and welcoming two new Boumi members



The Boumi Blues Band at the February Business Meeting

FEBRUARY 21, 2015

The Potentate's



Past Potentate Ron Carlson, chairman of the Potentate's Inaugural Dinner and Dance, and Lady Arlene



Illustrious Sir Wm. Raymond Bosley Jr. and Lady Anita with their daughters: (L to R) Sandra Betsill, Laurie Farkas, and Cheryl Brown



Marshal Tony Fusco and Lady Deneice



Inner Guard John Friskey and Lady Ellen



Past Potentate Ernie Carter and Lady Peggy



Ill. Sir Ray and Lady Anita with their grandchildren



Chief Rabban Kurt Frevel and Lady Beth

Inaugural Ball

BOUMI SHRINE



Assistant Rabban Mark Hartz and Lady Kathy (left) with Jaffa Shrine's Assistant Rabban Gerald Lower and his lady (center) and Zembo Shrine's Assistant Rabban Robert Cook and his lady



Recorder Ed Triplett Sr., P.P., Lady Ginny, and Potentate Bosley participate in one of the high-lights of the evening: the chicken dance.



Oriental Guide Ernie Palmer and Lady Kathleen



Treasurer Chuck Needer and Lady Dorothy



Camel Wheels Secretary Ollie Sjoberg and Lady Toula



Past Potentate Charles Johnston Jr. and Lady Sharon do the chicken dance.



Colonel of the Units Donald Lewis and Lady Eunice



Secretary of MASA and Kismet Shrine Past Potentate Lou Barazotti and Lady Virginia

The Potentate's Inaugural Ball



Noble Thomas Elliott and Lady Kristy



Captain of the Guard Joseph Baird and Lady Eileen



Noble Ray Lewis and Lady Walleen



MASA Past President Terry Fabian of Zembo and Lady Sandra



Motor Corps Captain Don Hurcombe and Lady Helen



Big Rigs Captain Maynard Thurfield and Lady Heather



Annapolis S.C. President Glen Clary and Lady Carol



Noble JR Robertson and Lady Nancy



Jaffa Shrine Potentate Paul Zell and Lady Judy



BOUMI BEER BRIGADE

Boumi Brigade will be working at the Maryland State Fair from **Thursday, August 27, 2015, through Labor Day, Monday, September 7, 2015**. We need your help. This is a great fundraiser for the Shriners.

CAN WE COUNT ON YOU?

You can volunteer for either the day shift 11:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. or the evening shift 4:30 to 10:30 p.m. Fill out the form below and mail it in no later than **August 1, 2015**. Ladies are welcome.

*There will be a meeting in the Vista Room at Timonium Fairgrounds on **Wednesday, August 19, 2015, at 6 p.m.** for all volunteers to receive instructions, work schedules, and parking and fairground entrance tickets.*

BOUMI BEER BRIGADE

I would like to volunteer for the Boumi Beer Brigade at the Maryland State Fair to be held from August 27, 2015, to September 7, 2015.

NAME (please print) _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____ UNIT/CLUB _____

E-MAIL _____ CELL PHONE _____

I will work _____ days on the DAY shift (11:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.)

I will work _____ days on the EVENING shift (4:30 – 10:30 p.m.)

Please circle the days and dates

DATE	Aug 27	28	29	30	31	Sept 1	2	3	4	5	6	7
AM		FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON
PM	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON

My Lady _____ will also work _____ days on _____ shift

We understand all tips will be donated to Boumi Shrine.

Signature _____

Return by August 1, 2015, to:

Noble Ray F. Link, 111 West Maple Road, Linthicum Heights, MD 21090, 410-859-1111

PLEASE NOTE:

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO WORK THE HOURS YOU VOLUNTEERED FOR, YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE TO FIND YOUR REPLACEMENT. IT WOULD BE NICE IF YOU COULD GET YOUR CLUB OR UNIT TO VOLUNTEER FOR THE SAME SHIFT. PLEASE APPLY EARLY WHILE SHIFTS ARE AVAILABLE.

*** WE WILL ONLY CALL YOU IF THE DATE YOU REQUESTED IS NOT AVAILABLE.**

April 2015

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p><i>To those who celebrate their Natal Day in February or March, All of your Brother Nobles and Temple Officers wish you a "Happy Birthday!"</i></p> 			<p>1 Aslaks Eastern Shore S.C. Lunch Club Magic Carpets Radio Stewards Boumi Bus. Mtg.</p>	<p>2 Ambassadors Mtg. <i>Private Party UR</i></p>	<p>3 <i>Good Friday</i> Office Closed</p>	4
<p>5 <i>Easter</i></p> 	6	<p>7 Brass Band</p>	<p>8 Color Guard Drill Lunch Club Photo Staff Steel Drum Band Tasting MBR <i>Private Party UR</i></p>	<p>9 Provost Guard <i>Private Party UR</i></p>	<p>10</p>	<p>11 Gun Club Job's Daughters</p>
RHINE RIVER CRUISE						
12	<p>13 Arab Patrol Blues Band Camel Wheels Clowns</p>	<p>14 Brass Band DoN - FH Drum Corps <i>Private Party MBR</i></p>	<p>15 Big Rigs Eastern Shore S.C. Lunch Club</p>	<p>16 Ambassadors Board Catonsville S.C. Pa-Po-Peake S.C. Western MD S.C. <i>Private Party UR</i></p>	<p>17 LoH Mtg. LOS Mtg. FH</p> 	<p>18 Highlanders MBR/B</p>
RHINE RIVER CRUISE						
19	<p>20 Scimeter Club <i>Boumi News Deadline</i></p>	<p>21 Brass Band Chester River S.C. DoN - FH Motor Corps</p>	<p>22 Color Guard Drill/Mtg. Lunch Club Photo Staff Steel Drum Band</p>	<p>23 DoN FH Hamilton S.C. CR <i>Private Party UR</i></p>	<p>24 Ocean City S.C.</p>	<p>25 <i>Private Party FH</i> <i>Private Party MBR/L</i></p>
<p>26 Grand Lodge Bull Roast</p>	<p>27 Arab Patrol Boumi Ladies Camel Wheels Clowns Susquehanna S.C.</p>	<p>28 Brass Band DoN FH Dundalk S.C. Q CR</p>	<p>29 Knights of Mecca Lunch Club</p>	<p>30 <i>Private Party UR</i></p>		





IMPORTANT DATES

- Apr. 1: Boumi Business Mtg.
- Apr. 20: *Boumi News* Deadline
- May 4: Divan Meeting
- May 5: Unit Heads Meeting
- May 8: Boumi Business Mtg.
- May 11-13: Imperial Visit

2015 EVENTS

- April 17: Flashback to the 80s: The Reagan Years
- May 9: LoH Dance Night in Blue
- June 1-6: Boumi Carnival

May 2015

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
 Aslaks NOBLE RAY LUNN, <i>PRESIDENT</i> Come join your friends for a nice beverage and buffet dinner before every Boumi Business Meeting. Still only \$15 for all you can eat! Open at 5 p.m. and eat at 5:45 p.m. with of plenty time to attend the business meeting.					1 <i>Private Party MBR, CR, B, L</i>	2 Gun Club <i>Private Party MBR, CR, B, L</i>
3 <i>Private Party MBR, CR, B, L</i>	4 Divan Mtg.	5 Brass Band Unit Heads Mtg.	6 Lunch Club Magic Carpets	7 Ambassadors Mtg. <i>Private Party MBR</i> <i>Private Party UR</i>	8 Aslaks Radio Stewards Boumi Bus. Mtg.	9 <i>Private Party CR</i> LoH Dance Night in Blue 2MBR
10 	11 Arab Patrol Blues Band Camel Wheels Clowns Imperial Visit	12 Brass Band Drum Corps Hillbillies Imperial Visit	13 Color Guard Drill Lunch Club Photo Staff Steel Drum Band <i>Private Party UR</i> Imperial Visit	14 Provost Guard <i>Private Party UR</i>	15 LOS Stated Mtg. FH <i>Private Party MBR</i>	16 Grand Lodge Semi-Annual 
17	18 Scimeter Club	19 Brass Band Chester River S.C. DoN - FH Motor Corps	20 Big Rigs Eastern Shore S.C. Lunch Club	21 Ambassadors Board Boumi Ladies Catonsville S.C. Pa-Po-Peake S.C. Western MD S.C. <i>Private Party UR</i>	22 Italian Dinner	23 LOS Q FH/OS
24 	25 Arab Patrol Camel Wheels Clowns Susquehanna S.C. <i>Memorial Day</i> Office Closed	26 Brass Band Dundalk S.C.	27 Color Guard Drill/Mtg. Lunch Club Photo Staff Steel Drum Band	28 Hamilton S.C. <i>Private Party UR</i> <i>Private Party MBR</i>	29 Knights of Mecca Ocean City S.C. <i>Private Party MBR</i>	30

- **June 10:** Scimeter Club Annual Stag Outing
- **July 4–9:** Imperial Convention
- **July 13:** Boumi Charity Golf Classic
- **July 24:** Legion of Honor Hospital Day Picnic

- **Aug. 27–Sept. 7:** Maryland State Fair/Beer Brigade
- **Sept. 10–12:** Fall MASA in Virginia Beach
- **Sept. 30–Oct. 2:** Fall Bus Trip to West Point
- **Oct. 31:** Transatlantic Cruise departure

Motor Corps

NOBLE DON HURCOMBE
CAPTAIN

Greetings everyone, spring is here and our riders will be getting out and riding their motorcycles. That really rough weather is finally over. Our February meeting had to be postponed because the Temple was "snowed in."

Back in January, the Instantiation party went off as planned. Captain Don wasn't sure he could be there because of his work. He was working in California but managed to catch a six-and-a-half hour flight back to Baltimore in time for him to get to Boumi that night. That shows his dedication to our unit. It's too bad and there are no excuses that a lot more of our members didn't show up for a "free" party with food, open bar, and music for dancing.

In February, our Motor Corps sponsored an exhibit at the Timonium Motorcycle Show. The Clown Unit helped to entertain the crowd and our thanks go out to them. We have done this several years now, and it's a great way for the public to see and understand what Shriners are all about. We even had several people inquire about becoming a member. And speaking about members, Boumi needs them and our Motor Corps could use some. Also, we need to bring back those "active" members who no longer participate. Our meetings are not very well attended; let's change that.

Soon our riders will start practicing in the parking lot behind JCPenny's in White Marsh on Sundays. We welcome spectator support, so come out and watch. In closing, as always, we ask ALL nobles to show up at the Boumi Business Meetings. Support your Divan and also, after a short meeting, enjoy some refreshments. See you there!

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Boumi Blues Band

NOBLE ANDY ANDERS, *PRESIDENT*

Elections were held and officers were installed for the new year. The band played at the Unit Heads and Club Presidents Installation in January and was well received by all those attending. They also played at the February Business Meeting. If you are interested in having our club play at your affair, please contact Andy Anders at 410-296-1668.

Color Guard

NOBLE JAY F. PARSON, *CAPTAIN*

By the publishing of this issue of *Boumi News*, I hope we have begun to thaw a bit and witness the beginning of spring! After spring comes summer and that means that the Color Guard Breakfasts are right around the corner! Please mark your calendars for the following dates: June 14, July 19, and Aug. 23. The location is the home of Noble Skip and Lady Nadine Merkle (3106 Hernwood Road, Woodstock, MD 21163). The cost is \$12 for adults, \$7 for children 6-11, and free for children 5 and under. The breakfasts are from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., and we feature an assortment of breakfast foods from eggs and pancakes to creamed chipped beef and sausage. These are our only Color Guard fundraisers, so please come out and support us while you enjoy some food, fun and fellowship!

On a sad note, we want to extend our sympathy to Past Potentate A. Kenneth Hutcherson who lost his beloved wife Ginny. Ken "created" the Color Guard as an official unit 40 years ago. His wife Ginny supported many of our events and we will miss her smiling face and warm personality. On another sad note, we want to extend our sympathies to Color Guard member John W. Fink Jr. on the passing of his beloved wife and Color Guard Lady, Edith. Edith was a big part of our Color Guard events and we will surely miss her smiling face, encouraging words, and pickles wrapped in ham!

Hopefully Past Captain and Past Colonel Joe Royal will be up and moving much better after a knee replacement in February. Also keep in your prayers the members dealing with health issues, the Hewitts, the Curtains, and Past Potentate Skip Merkle.

The Memorial Parade in Glen Burnie is just around the corner. Come and support this small town parade and see your Boumi Color Guard march with other Boumi units.

Continue to remember in thought and prayer those serving our country and our children with disabilities and burns.



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4 John F. Baker	06-14-1946	38 Carl A. Nobile	06-12-1954	72 Thomas C. Talbot	12-20-1958
5 Charles H. Gill	09-25-1947	39 William D. Pullen	06-12-1954	73 C. Herbert Wineholt Jr.	12-20-1958
6 Harold W. Joiner	09-25-1947	40 George B. Stumpp	06-12-1954	74 Benjamin F. Woelper	12-20-1958
7 William C. Griffin	12-20-1947	41 Phillip Killen	12-11-1954	75 Kenneth L. Crispens	06-13-1959
8 H. Webster Hurst Jr.	12-20-1947	42 Andrew A. Papaminas	12-11-1954	76 Henry W. Hartlove	06-13-1959
9 Albert Beever Jr.	09-18-1948	43 Robert J. Deinish	06-11-1955	77 George J. Kougioulis	06-13-1959
10 Hugh P. McCormick	09-18-1948	44 Luther J. Bell	10-22-1955	78 Richard H. Pairo	06-13-1959
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26 Harry Wehr III	05-17-1952	60 Charles S. Cornell	06-14-1958	94 Thomas J. Cate	06-10-1961
27 Vincent W. Gutowski	12-13-1952	61 Harold W. Brimer Jr.	10-18-1958	95 Robert W. Kamps	06-10-1961
28 Albert G. Parrott	12-13-1952	62 Ronald R. Becker	10-18-1958	96 Carl F. Meinecke	06-10-1961
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