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Fellow Nobles,

Wow! March has been an extremely eventful month! We have several activities that the whole family can participate in, having fun and creating memories that will last a life time. I am always amazed at the gratitude that I hear from the general public. I encourage everyone to support our public events, these public events are the best PR that we have. I know that you will find a renewed desire to be active and a sense of fulfillment and pride that you are a Shriner after interacting with the public at theses events. Remember as a Shriner you are a member of an elite group of men that are having a real impact for good in the world. Today only 470 men in Utah have answered the call. Our hospitals bring a great light to the children. We need all hands on deck at our events.

The St.Patricks day parade was a phenomenal success check out theses pictures! By the way did you know that A Shriner's spouse and children may ride in the parades with us (based on availability of space, first come first served). Our Yellowstone bus is now going to be our family bus.

Another great event was our fraternal activity with El Korah Shrine in Boise Idaho. Every year El Korah does a Melodrama as a hospital fundraiser. El Kalah charters a bus and we attend the production. If you have not ever been you are missing out on an opportunity. While it was indeed an off broadway production (very far off broadway) the fellowship and fun was priceless. I would like to extend special thanks to Margret Bond for coordinating the event, your efforts are greatly appreciated. I would like to encourage you and your family to get involved with the activities that we have. There is something fun for the whole family every single month. If you are not having fun in the shrine you are not participating.

Joel E. Meza, Potentate

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The difficult I can do.

The Impossible... Takes one more day

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My dear brother nobles;

To brighten your day a bit, here are some things to consider:

Can you cry under water?

How important does a person have to be before they are considered assassinated

Instead of just murdered?

Why do you have to "put your two cents in"...But it's only a "penny for your thoughts"? Where's that extra penny going?

Once you're in heaven, do you get stuck wearing the clothes you were buried in for eternity?

Why does a round pizza come in a square box?

What disease did cured ham actually have?

How is it that we put man on the moon before we figured out it would be a good idea to put wheels on luggage?

Why is it that people say they "slept like a baby" when babies wake up like every two hours?

If a deaf person has to go to court, is it still called a hearing?

Why are you in a movie, but you're on tv?

Why do people pay to go up tall buildings and then put money in binoculars to look at things on the ground?

Why do doctors leave the room while you change? They're going to see you naked anyway.

Why is "bra" singular and "panties" plural?

Why do toasters always have a setting that burns the toast to a horrible crisp, which no decent human being would eat?

If jimmy cracks corn and no one cares, why is there a stupid song about him?

Can a hearse carrying a corpse drive in the carpool lane ?

If the professor on gilligan's island can make a radio out of a coconut, why can't he fix a hole in a boat?

Why does goofy stand erect while pluto remains on all fours? They're both dogs!

If Wile E. Coyote had enough money to buy all that acme crap, why didn't he just buy dinner?

If electricity comes from electrons, does morality come from morons?

Why do the alphabet song and twinkle, twinkle little star have the same tune?

Why did you just try singing the two songs above?

Chuck

Chuck Warren
Your Chaplain
El Kalah Shrine

Klown Korner

Now that the St. Patrick's Day Parade is history, we can look forward to the remaining "called" parades, namely, The Days of '47 in Ogden, Price Parade and the Peach Days Parade. As soon as additional information is available, I'll share it with you clowns and other "parade lovers".

Our next Klown Potluck is scheduled for April 10th at the Harris home.

Let a smile be your umbrella!

Richard (Rhineheart) Johnson
Klown Prez

We had a great time at the annual El Korah Melodrama in Boise ID

~ Petition for Initiation and Membership ~

El Kalah Shrine

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El Kalah Shriners

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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 the 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 to be the world's greatest philanthropy, and we covenant with each other to support its "temples of mercy" with spirit, time, talent and means.

From the Recorders desk

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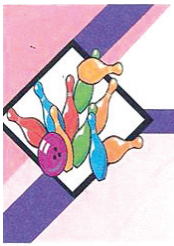

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