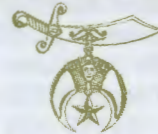


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Illustrious Sir Bob Walliker Proclaims Al Kader's June 10th, 2006 Ceremonial Honoring Noble Governor Victor G. Atiyeh

Schedule of Events - Morning

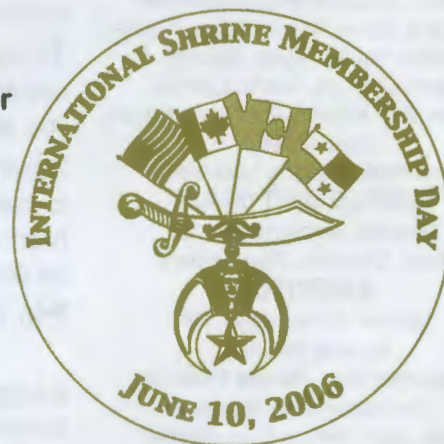
- 8:30 AM Stated meeting (if necessary)
- 9:00 AM Parade form-up at Wilsonville City Hall
- 10:00 AM Parade begins
- 11:30 AM Parade ends at the Shriners Center
- 11:30 AM Introductions, invocation and pledge
- 11:30 AM Brunch in Harrington Hall (catered by Hayden's - \$10. Champagne and Mimosas will be available for purchase.)

Afternoon

- 12:30 PM Rededication Ceremony by Grand Lodge of the Hospital "gate stone"
- 1:00 PM Ritualistic Section - Al Kader Ritualists, Music by the Oriental Band & Clarinetist, Clem Norton.
This section is open to Ladies and Guests. Where appropriate, they will be excused for a brief period during the ceremony.
- 2:15 PM Break (set up for second section)
- 2:15 PM Tours of facility for Nobles
- 2:15 PM Divan Ladies hosted reception
- 3:30 PM Arch Ceremony - Open to all
- 4:00 PM Fezzing Ceremony
- 5:00 PM Potentate's remarks



Noble Victor G. Atiyeh
Governor of Oregon
1979-1987



Please Note: We are expecting 80 or more new Shriners, their Ladies, top line signers, and Nobles who have participated in the parade. So...reservations are very important for the Brunch, and are required. If you plan to attend, please call your reservation into the Shrine Center Office (503-682-4420) no later than 4:30 PM - Tuesday, June 6th. Visa/MasterCard accepted.

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ELECTED DIVAN

Potentate...Bob Walliker
Chief Rabban...Mel Hervey
Asst. Rabban...Dana Tawney
High Priest & Prophet...Dan Moyer
Oriental Guide...Ard Pratt

Treasurer... Bob Keller

Recorder... Gene Stiles

APPOINTED DIVAN

1st Cerem. Master...Cecil Hammer
2nd Cerem. Master...Greg Jenkins
Director... Chris Lassen
Marshal...Warren Gray
Capt. of the Guard...John Horton
Temple Outer Guard... Ron Ellenson
Chaplain... Noel Keister
Asst. Chaplain...Jelmer Blum
Asst. Chaplain...Howard Haynes
Outer Guard...Dick Crist
Outer Guard... Dave Billings
Outer Guard...Randy Guyer, Jr.
Outer Guard...Gary Dentinger
Outer Guard... Bill Quier
Outer Guard...Des Howarth
Outer Guard...Carey Huckaba
Outer Guard...Darrel Clow

POTENTATE'S AIDES

Chief Aide...Chris Woolcock
Executive Aide...Hap Baldwin
Aides...Ed Bednarz, Bob Brown,
J. B. Dick, Steve Dunn, Wayne Felder,
John "Jack" Hipes, Ed Jud,
Keith Leamon, Marlin Lovelin,
William "Bill" Newhouse, Ed Peterson,
Dave Steele,

Sommelier...Harry Lockwood

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Al Kader Potentate's Bulletin

So what do we get for our dues?

This month we are welcoming a large class of new Nobles and their Ladies into Al Kader Shiners' family. Please go out of your way to welcome them into our Shrine family.



A new member may wonder: what is the real value of being a Shrine Mason or a Shiner's Lady?

Some obvious answers might be that many of our events are provided to Nobles, Ladies and family at no cost:

- the Kids' Carnival
- the Faces of Meth program
- the Temple-hosted oasis cocktail hours in The Dalles, Newport, Eugene, Baker City and Kah-nee-ta
- the free family picnic at Oaks Park in August
- the children's holiday party at our Center in December
- the free child care at stated meetings and socials.

Or one might consider the \$30,000 plus for insurance, which provides each Noble with liability coverage during Shrine activities.

Let us not forget our hard working Recorder and Al Kader office staff who serve all of us so well concerning matters of membership, hospital transportation, donations, making reservations for socials, keeping us on budget, paying our bills, handling requests for information, registering us for conventions, and many, many other tasks.

Or our excellent Oasis newspaper and its dedicated editor, our photographer, our webmaster - all of whom provide us with an ever-changing flow of information and provide us excellent means of communication.

Or our Portland hospital staff of doctors, nurses, public relations, food service, volunteers, hospital guides, drivers, is second to none in skill, knowledge and commitment to our patients.

But there are much more important advantages to being an Al Kader Shriner. You and your Lady belong to one of the most prestigious organizations in the world, which includes some of the greatest people in the world, who all work together for a common cause, our special children.

If you new Nobles and Ladies, just starting your journey into Shrinedom, become active members, you will meet people who will become life long friends, who will not hesitate to help you, and will be there when needed.

Shriners have given my Lady and me many fantastic experiences, opportunities - to travel, to meet new friends and to have just plain old good fun! We have met patients who melt your heart, whose concerned and caring parents have become long time friends. Knowing what we do to help children is, in itself, such a tremendously positive way to spend your time.

So, if you ask this Noble what is the true value of being a Shriner? My answer is -"priceless".

Judge Has Some Fun

A judge grew tired of seeing the same town drunk in front of his bench. One day the judge glared down at the man, who was still intoxicated, and thundered, "It is the sentence of this court that you be taken from here to a place of execution and there hanged by the neck until DEAD."

The drunk promptly fainted.

The court bailiff commenced to revive the man, and looked up at the judge, at which time the judge shrugged and responded, "I've always wanted to do that."



**Bob Walliker
Potentate 2006**

