April 1, 2024



President's Message

My how time flies! Seems like we just started a new year and here it is April already. Sometimes it's hard to slow down and enjoy the moment when you are planning the whole year and always have something going on. However, I love every minute of what I am doing.

The golf cart was turned in for some maintenance. Whenever you turned the steering wheel, the horn honked. So, that is being fixed with a new turn-signal relay. That is why we did not do the New Port Richie Parade. We had no golf cart. There will be other parades.

Please remember those on our Health and Welfare list and say a small prayer each and everyday for them. Prayer is a very powerful tool. We have had so many people on the Health and Welfare list recently so please keep them in mind.

Masonic Youth Park Work Party

We have been busy. Several of us had a workday at our building at the Masonic Youth Park. To say that we had purging of a few things is an understatement. We did a major cleaning and threw away a lot of stuff. You can now walk around with the golf cart inside. It's been needed for a long time. So, a big **THANK YOU** to those that helped.











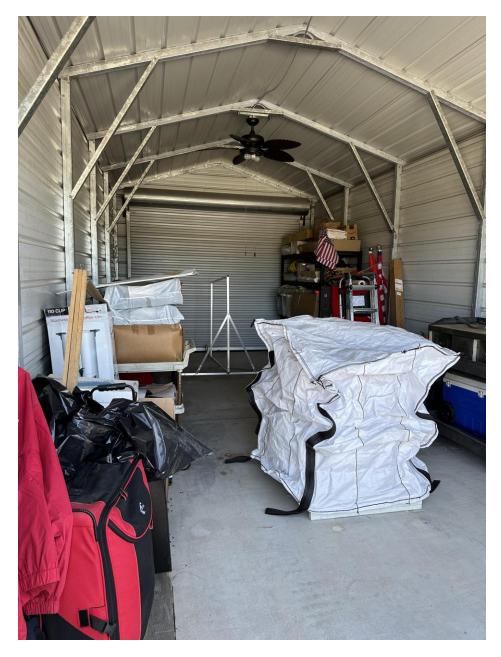












Red Skelton Tribute

The Red Skelton Tribute is coming along very well. We are down to only 15 reserved table seats, and we have sold 4 bleacher seats.

Please continue to pass along the word about it so we can have a complete sell out! The success of this will solidify the club for the years to come.

Next year we are planning another Tribute, however, we are looking at two shows. Next year, we are going through the box office at the Kings Point Veteran's Theater for our ticket sales.





featuring Brian Hoffman

the only authorized impersonator by the Red Skelton Estate

Scan QR Code to Purchase Your Tickets:



October 19th, 2024 \$36.40* Reserved Seating

Doors open at 4:30 PM Show starts at 6:30 PM

\$26.00* Bleacher Seating

* 4% convenience fee added All seats are per person

Kings Point Veterans Theater 1900 Clubhouse Dr, Sun City Center, FI



Door prizes consisting of Red Skelton's memorabilia will be given away!



Proceeds are for the benefit of the Sun City Center Shrine Club activities. Payments are not deductible as charitable contributions.

Membership



We had seven members from last year that have not paid their current dues.

Pete, our Secretary, has contacted them multiple times through various methods trying to get them back in the fold. However, for whatever reason, they have decided not to do so. At this point, we have no other option but to drop them from our rolls.

We will continue to work our membership, gathering new members and never forgetting our past members. They are always welcome to come home whenever they wish!

My only request from you is please have fun in everything you do! It was why the Shriners were created in the first place. Fun and laughter is very contagious... it attracts others!

Do it Because You Can!

Thank you and God Bless each one of you and your families.



FunFest







Chaplain's Corner

God's Grace in the Fall

Genesis 3:1-24



The Creation and the fall of man. In that fall, the entire human race was plunged into darkness, sin and death. In that terrible instant when man sinned against God, man died and became spiritually separated from Almighty God. Man also became helpless in his ability to get back in a right relationship with a God.

From the moment mankind fell into sin and ruin, God has made it His business to seek fallen man and attempt to establish a relationship with him. This truth is clearly presented in the story of the fall of Adam and the immediate aftermath. As God gives liberty today, I would like to think on that thought, **God's Grace In The Fall.**



Our March Luncheon Meeting



































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- Hillsborough County residents must interact with our office if they:
 - Drive a vehicle
 - Own a business
 - Own a home or any property







Our April Luncheon Meeting



April 10th at Noon

Reserve Your Seat: Click Here



Our Chat and Chew will continue this year and hopefully we will see you at them. This is just a time for friendship and camaraderie, no business or anything like that. Just meeting up with friends and enjoying one another's company.



May all who enter as guests, leave as friends

1507 Sun City Center Plaza Sun City Center

April 25th @ 2 pm

Reserve Your Seat: Click Here

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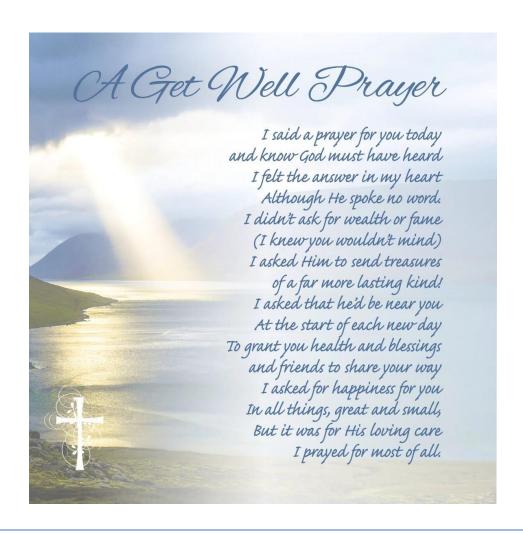




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Thoughts and Prayers



Bill Bierce

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Janice DeCaluwe

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Parades

Strawberry Festival



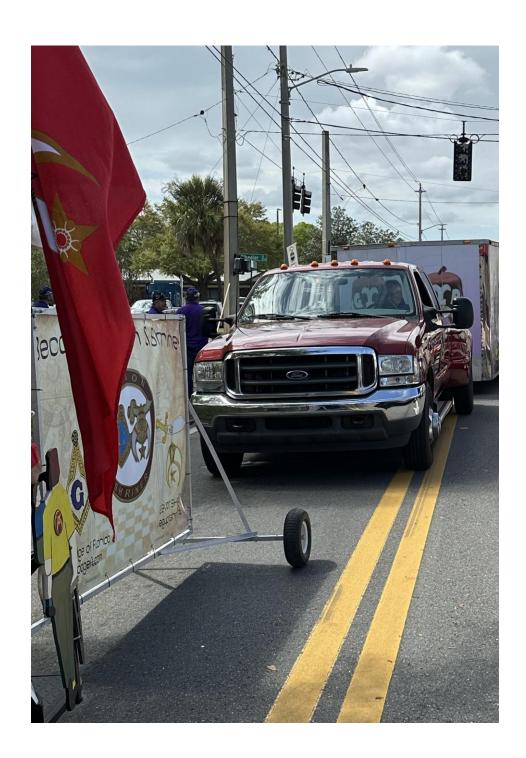
















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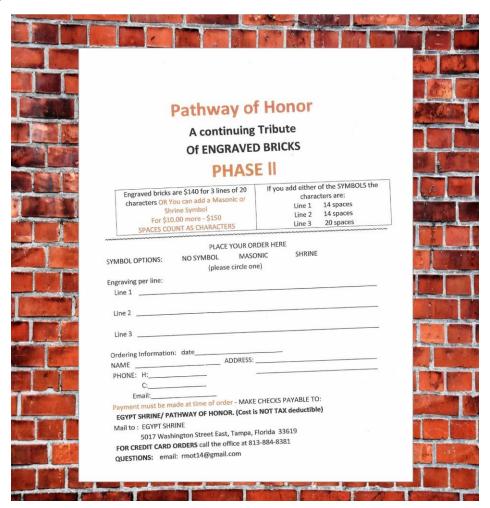
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Brick of Honor

Nobles, it has been 4 long years since we dismantled our brick PATHWAY of HONOR and put our engraved bricks in storage. GOOD NEWS - we are recreating our brick pathway in front of our new building. It will be in the area with the walking tall and the sphinx.

The bricks are now on sale for engraving and a flyer with all the information for ordering follows. It is such a pleasure to see another one of our projects take form and I hope you will take advantage of this opportunity.



Egypt Shrine Cruise

July 28 - Aug 4th 2024

Egypt Shriners invite all Egypt Shrine members, their families & friends to join them for our cruise, on the Royal Caribbean's Wonder of the Seas.

Click <u>here</u> for more information about the cruise.



The Pull Tab Program

What is the Pull-Tab Program?

The pull-tab program at Egypt Shriners in Tampa Florida was founded Several years ago, and as a way for the public to help raise funds for the humanitarian and lifesaving services provided by Shriners Children's.

In Tampa, tabs are collected at Egypt Shrine Center. The tabs are redeemed at a recycling center and the proceeds benefit the Shriners Children's Pediatric Orthotics and Prosthetic Services, LLC (POPS). Donations range from small baggies and containers to hold them.

What is the Shriners Children's Pediatric Orthotics and Prosthetic Services?

Funds generated in the pull-tab program designs, fits, and manufactures orthotics and prosthetics for children, from infants to teenagers to young adults. These devices – including shoe inserts, braces, and artificial limbs (both arms and legs) – provide the support children need to meet their full potential and pursue their dreams, whether that's swimming in a race, throwing a baseball, playing an instrument, or just keeping up with their friends.

How Can I Help?

You can help by saving aluminum can pull-tabs and bringing them to the Egypt Shrine Center in Tampa with the proceeds going to the POP's Fund. You can also encourage community awareness of the tab program by getting groups such as schools, church groups, boy and girl scouts, family members, and businesses in your area to participate.





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