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OFFICAL CALL

Dated this 27th day of November 2018

MIDWEST SHRINE ASSOCIATION
Eighty Eighth Annual Winter Business Session
Hosted by
YELDUZ SHRINERS, ABERDEEN SD
February 15 & 16, 2019

The business session will be held at
DAKOTA ENTERTAINMENT CENTER
 720 Lamount Street
 ABERDEEN SD 57401
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Our Association Purpose; To engender greater fellowship and knowledge among the Midwest Shrine Centers and their members; and to secure greater recognition of the institution of Shriner's International throughout the territory of this association

REGISTRATION: The Chief Rabban of each Shrine Center is responsible to ensure all delegates from his Temple have registered with the MSA Secretary/Treasurer using the forms provided and available on line, indicating rooms and nights required. **All housing reservations must be made through the MSA Secretary/Treasurer.** The Hampton Inn & Suites and Holiday Inn are the host hotels and will provide MSA with a total of 134 guestrooms, Standard rooms \$137.16 (single or double), and suites \$158.96. There are 15 Queen Double Overflow rooms available at the American Inn (\$116.34).

MSA has reserved 6 Rooms as Hospitality Rooms (\$137.16 per night plus a set-up fee of \$75.63), which are located by the pool area in the Holiday Inn. MSA suggests that Shrine Centers may want to share Hospitality rooms. There are 60 Queen Double rooms, 7 Queen Double with that have a pullout couch which can be used to sleep 3, 12 King Single rooms, 16 King with pull out and 35 King Suites. We hope to house all delegates in the main hotel by utilizing the rooms as indicated.

All rooms will be reserved and assigned to Shrine Centers in order of registration received. Checkout is 12:00 pm (**extended checkout with fee may be available, check at front desk**) there will be luggage storage.

The deadline for registration and housing requests is January 11, 2019.

Bus Parking is Available

PAST M.S.A. OFFICERS: All Past M.S.A. officers **must register and make room reservations through their own Shrine Centers.**

IMPERIAL OFFICERS: At this time we have not been advised which Imperial officers will be attending

LADIES: **The MSA Winter business session is a stag event.** There are **no** activities planned or arranged for the ladies or families during MSA Winter Business Sessions.

ROOMS: Room rates (US Funds) are indicated above and also on the Housing registration form. The M.S.A. Sec/Treas. will attempt to honor all special room type requests based on receipt date of housing form provided by the Shrine Center.

Registration; Registration for the 2019 MSA Winter session is \$93.25/person (US Funds) which includes Breakfast, Lunch, and the Banquet on Friday as well as Breakfast on Saturday. Nobles not registered will not be provided with meals. All meals will be in the Dakota Entertainment Center with the exception of some of the counterparts Breakfasts which will be held in Mavericks. Both facilities are attached to the Hotel.

Room and meal reservations are due to the Secretary Treasurer by 5:00 PM, Friday January 11, 2019. Shrine Centers will be billed based upon registrations as of that date. Rooms requested after this date may not be available in this hotel or at the MSA Rate.

The Dakota Event Center complex is connected to the Holiday Inn, The Hampton Inn and Suites and Mavericks Restaurant.

General Information

Meals – Meals are provided to all registered delegates. If the noble is not registered he will not receive a delegate's badge allowing access for meals. The Potentates, Chief and Assistant Rabbans, High Priests & Prophets, Oriental Guides and Treasurers/Recorders will have their counterpart's breakfast on Friday Feb 15, 2019. This time can be used by those groups to discuss activities for their year or any matters they wish to present at the General Business session.

The M.S.A. Executive Committee; will meet for breakfast at 7:00 AM on Saturday morning February 16, 2019. *Executive Committee Members are; M.S.A. elected officers, Past M.S.A. Officers, Imperial Officers and member Temple Potentates.* (Chief Rabbans are invited to attend as guests).

Communications & Marketing /Donor Relations Seminar; This year MSA is providing a Communications & Marketing/Donor Relations Seminar as part of the Winter Session. This Seminar will be facilitated by Tammy Robbins, This Seminar will be held on Friday February 15, 2019 in the main meeting room upon immediately following the morning business session with adjournment by noon. It is strongly recommended that the elected officers from each Temple make every attempt to attend this seminar; however every Temple should endeavor to appoint at least a couple of representatives to attend this seminar. This seminar is open to all delegates.

Leadership/Membership Seminar; As part of the ongoing planning for the future of the MSA, its associated Temples and Shriners International there will be a Leadership/Membership Seminar on Friday February 15, 2019. This seminar will be held in the main meeting room immediately following Lunch with adjournment at 4:30 PM. This seminar will be facilitated by Imperial Officers and the Regional Representatives. This seminar is open to all delegates and it is strongly recommend that the elected officers from each Temple make every attempt to attend this seminar..

The Chairman of the Nominating Committee will be the Potentate of the Osman Shriners who are scheduled to host the Midwest Shrine Association Session in 2023. He will nominate a 4th Vice President (Past Potentate from Osman) in addition to the other M.S.A. Officers including the President, the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Vice Presidents the Secretary Treasurer.

The Midwest Shrine Motor Corp Association will hold their winter business meeting on Friday, February 15, 2019 beginning at 10:30, break for lunch at 12:00 Noon and may resume after lunch as necessary.

The Midwest Chanters Association will hold their winter business meeting on Friday, February 15, 2019 beginning at 10:30, break for lunch at 12:00 noon and may resume after lunch as necessary.

The Midwest Clown Association will hold their winter business meeting and workshop on Friday, February 15, 2019 beginning at 10:30, break for lunch at 12:00 noon and resume after lunch with wrap up at 4:30 PM.

The Midwest Oriental Band Association will hold their winter business meeting on Friday, February 15, 2019 beginning at 10:30 to adjourn by 12:00 noon.

The Midwest Provost Association will hold their winter business meeting on Friday February 15, 2019 from 2:30 to 4:30.

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Friday Feb 15, 2019

**7:00 to 8:15 General Delegates Buffet Breakfast
Counterparts Breakfast** – Potentates, Chief Rabbans, Asst. Rabbans, High Priests & Prophets, Oriental Guides and Treasurer & Recorders.
(Locations to be announced on official program)

8:30 to 10:00 General Business Session
Call to Order
Place the Colors
Shrine Pledge of Allegiance
Invocation,
Installation of Sergeant-at-Arms
Welcome to Winter Session
Representative(s) City of Aberdeen
Nomination, election and installation of M.S.A Officers
Report of Nominating Committee – Potentate Osman Shriners
Installation & Presentation of Jewels to Elected MSA Officers
Remarks by; Outgoing President Jackson and the newly elected 4th Vice President.
Memorial Service - Chaplin Yelduz Shriners
Reports from Counterparts Breakfast requiring action
Recess General Business Session Until Saturday Morning at 8:30 AM

10:00 to 4:30 Standing Committees and Association meetings

10:00 to 12:00 Communications and Marketing/Donor Relations Seminar

1:30 to 4:30 Leadership/Membership Seminar

Reports for all Standing Committee, Association Group and Counterpart Meetings:
A secretary or note taker shall be assigned by the meeting Chairman/facilitator for purpose of taking minutes or notes at the meeting. To be part of the proceedings they must submit a legible hand written report to the M.S.A. Secretary. **Friday reports due by 6:00 PM Friday, Saturday reports due by 11:00 AM Saturday. Any Standing Committee that has an item/issue that require approval of the voting delegates must be given in writing to the Secretary/Treasurer by 6:00 PM Friday.**

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2019 continued

The following are the Standing Committees identified to be held during this session

Audit & Per Capita
Chief of Staff, Competitions & Director Generals
Stop Burns Injury
SCAFRA

The following are the Association Meetings which will be held during this session

Midwest Chanters Association; 10:30 – 12:00
Midwest Shrine Association Motor Corps; 10:30 – 12:00 & 1:30 – 4:30
Midwest Shrine Clown Association; 10:30 – 12:00 & 1:30 – 4:30
Midwest Shrine Association Oriental Bands; 10:30 – 12:00
Midwest Provost Association; 1:30 – 4:30

Luncheon

Invocation Chaplain
Introduction and presentation – candidates for Imperial Outer Guard

Seminars, Standing Committees & Association Meetings Reconvene (As Required)

All Seminars, Standing Committees and Association Meetings to Adjourn no later than 4:30 PM.

- 6:00 to 7:00 Social Time Foyer outside banquet room**
Cash Bar with Hors d'oeuvres hosted by Osman Shriners and newly installed 4th Vice President
- 7:10 Friday Evening Banquet**
Seating of head table & toasts
The Shrine Pledge of Allegiance
Invocation
Dinner
Introductions
Presentations of awards and trophies
Keynote Speaker – Imperial Potentate/Delegate
- 9:30 Boat Races – Poolside at the Holiday Inn Hosted by Khartum**

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Saturday February 3, 2018

**7:00 to 8:15 General Delegates Breakfast Buffet
Executive Committee Breakfast Meeting - Imperial Officers, M.S.A.
Officers, Past M.S.A. Officers, Potentates, (Chief Rabbans as guests).**

Business Session Reconvenes:

8:30 Call to Order

**Announcements – Secretary Treasurer
Boat Race Report – Khartum Shriners
Shrine Fundraising Association report**

Final report 2018 Summer Session Naja Shriners

**Update & Invitation to Summer Session 2019
Yelduz Shriners Aberdeen South Dakota**

**Hospital Report – Board of Directors and Staff Twin Cities
Healthcare for Children**

Status and update of the Shrine - Imperial Officers

General Business

Business from floor or executive meeting requiring action

Tripoli Shriners Joining MSA

Report of Audit & Per Capita Committee

Report of Time and Place Committee

2020 WaWa

2021 Abu Bekr

2022 Beja

President's Closing Remarks

Invocation

12:00 Adjournment

As in the past few years, Saturday lunch is not included in the registration allowing each Temple/Noble to start their journey for home upon adjournment.

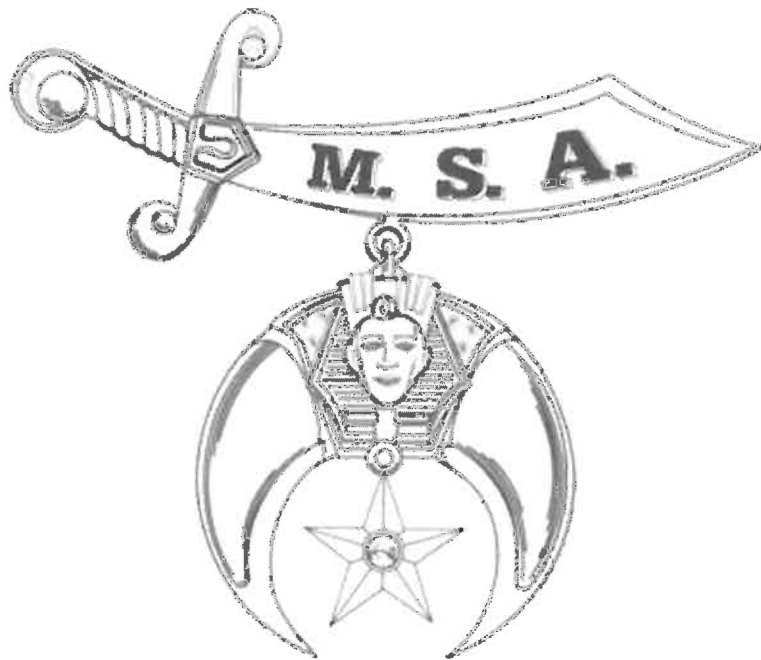
Past MSA Officers

Presidents

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| *1930 H H Ellsworth, El Zagal | *1932 Lee R Girton, El Riad | *1933 A G Brainbridge, Zuhrah |
| *1934 W A Johnson, Khartum | *1935 J H McNicol, Kem | *1936 W G Seeger, Osman |
| *1937 W W Innis, WaWa | *1938 W T Clark, Yelde | *1939 Jay B Allen, El Riad |
| *1940 T G Houston, Naja | *1941 Lee A Porter, Zuhrah | *1942 W W Wilson, Abu Bekr |
| *1943 W W Wilson, Abu Bekr | *1944 Clarence Harley, Aad | *1945 Charles Foster, Osman |
| *1946 James Peterson, Zor | *1947, Wm J Kowler, Khartum | *1948 Henry Galvertson, El Zagal |
| *1949 Charles Draeger, Yelduz | *1950 Tom Harkinson, El Riad | *1951 C W Cottingham, Abu Bekr |
| *1952 Paul Lundgren, Kem | *1953 William J Klein, Zuhrah | *1954 Glenn S Locker, Aad |
| *1955 Arthur J Lush, Khartum | *1956 Glenn Stehens, Zor | *1957 George R Hunter |
| *1958 Stanley Atkinson, WaWa | *1960 Art C Johnson, El Zagal | *1961 Art B James, Yelduz |
| *1962 Milo Bergeson, Abu Bekr | *1963 Ernest J Kahler, El Riad | *1964 Dave Robertson, Kem |
| *1965 Geo Van Wagenenn, Zuhrah | *1966 Plamer Hegvold, Aad | *1967 Archie McMillian, Khartum |
| *1968 G G Neugebauer, Naja | *1969 Lester Lee, Zor | *1970 Harry Duckett, WaWa |
| *1971 John Hanna, Osman | *1972 Howard B Myhre, El Zagal | *1973 John Batten, Yelduz |
| * 1974 Bob Whiteside, Abu Bekr | *1975 Albert Eggers, El Riad | *1976 John Murie, Kem |
| *1977 John Norton, Zuhrah | *1978 Catl Erickson, Aad | *1979 R R Spear, Khartum |
| *1980 Glen Best, El Riad | *1981 Kenneth L Svee, Zor | *1982 Ken McMillian, WaWa |
| *1983 Win Mitchell, Osman | *1984 Ed Anderson, El Zagal | *1985 Robert Johnson, Yelduz |
| *1986 Rex E Pearson, Abu Bekr | * 1987 Art Kriens, El Riad | *1988 C L Bud Linfoot, Kem |
| *1989 Donald A Nelson, Zuhrah | 1990 C Roger Emerson, Aad | *1991 Alan D Boulton, Khartum |
| *1992 Howard Wrigley, El Zagal | * 1993 Wesley D Sorensen, Naja | *1994 L R Les Tendler, WaWa |
| 1995 Roy C Eisemann, Zor | 1996 Forest Preston, Yelduz | *1997 Allen I Koenig, Osman |
| 1998 Harold Higham, Abu Bekr | 1999 Clayton Edmondson, Khartum | 2000 Dale Stauss, Kem |
| 2001 Donald Brandt, Aad | * 2002 Kent Morstad, El Riad | 2003 Henry H Gykenblad, Zuhrah |
| 2004 Monte Rutledge, El Zagal | *2005 David Valandry, Naja | *2006 R Garth Sanders, WaWa |
| 2007 Dayton Dick Jones, Zor | * 2008 DeWayne Storley, Yelduz | 2009 John Perkins, Osman |
| 2010 Roger Schultz, Abu Bekr | 2011 Fraser Woodward, Khartum | 2012 Al Niepsted, Kem |
| 2013 Steve Kovacic, Aad | 2014 David Neiman, El Riad | 2015 Lowell Thompson El Zagal |
| 2016 Roger Juntunen, Ahmed | 2017 Ted Martz, Zuhrah | |

Secretary/Treasurers

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| *1930 Charles A Dawson, El Zagal | *1932 Jay B Allen, El Riad |
| *1945 Moe, (Last Name Only) | *1966 Wallace A Tenquist, Aad |
| *1969-1970 William A Dodge, Osman | *1971-1973 Ervin L Haase, Zuhrah |
| *1974-1979 Emil Koehn, El Riad | *1980-1984 R B Jones, Aad |
| *1985-1989 Wallace G Dunker, Yelduz | *1990-1994 M Ettinger, Aad |
| 1995-1998 E T Tom Fjld, Zuhrah | 1999-2003 Dayton Dick Jones, Zor |
| 2004-2013 Del Kroon, El Riad | 2013 - Don Thomson, Khartum |



Midwest Shrine Association

Shriners International

Yelduz Shriners, Aberdeen SD – 2019

WaWa Shriners, Regina SK - 2020

Abu Bekr Shriners, Sioux City IA – 2021

Baja Shriners, Green Bay WI – 2022

145th Imperial Session June 28th – July 4th 2019

Music City Center – Nashville TN