

Breaking News From the Kitchen



Effective January 6, 2018

*Sabbar Shrine will begin serving lunch
Every Saturday from 11:00 am. to 2:00 pm.
in the Lounge*

*Choice of Bar-b-que Beef or Pork Ribs
with Pinto Beans, Potato Salad and a
Slice of Texas Toast*



*Lunch is
Open to the
Public*

\$10.00

Ponderings of the Potentate



Ill. Sir Joe Talvy
Sabbar Potentate 2018

Fellow Nobles,

**THANK YOU,
THANK YOU,
THANK YOU,**

for the confidence you have placed in me to be your potentate for 2018. I am so honored.

A little info of what has happened since the last Temple Topics, the New

Years Eve party on December 31st was a real success with about 60 people in attendance, and we had a great time with music, watching the ball drop in New York and everyone wishing all those at the party a Happy New Year and toasting the New Year. We were on our way home by 10:30 PM.

Now we start 2018 with a visit to El Zaribah Shrine Center with Ill. Sir Van Elrod, Chief Rabban Joe Talvy and Treasurer Gerry Innis, where we had dinner and watched how they installed their officers. It was different and interesting. The toy run by the Riders of the 3rd Degree was very successful and collected many toys for the kids. then we had the installation of Officers of Sabbar Shrine and it went very well. we also had some Tele-Med work to do. then on the 20th we had the annual Potentates Reception which turned out well attended and was successful, everyone seemed to have a good time being, ate heartily and enjoyed the entertainment.

Upcoming for February 3rd will be the Rib Lunch at Sabbar from 11AM 'til 2:00 PM. Come and enjoy a nice Ribs Lunch.

Our next Divan Meeting will be on 6 Feb., at 5:00 PM with the Unit Heads Meeting at 6:00 PM

The menu for the February Stated Meeting will be Chicken Parma Jon, String Beans, Mashed Potatoes and Iced Tea or water. The meal will be prepared by our First Lady Pina Talvy.

That's it for this time, I am looking forward to seeing you at the Stated Meeting on February 12th.

Sabbar Shriners, a healing hand for children.

Yours in Faith,

Joe Talvy

Potentate 2018



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For more information and how to volunteer contact:
Sam Stephenson, Chairman or
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~ Coming this Month ~
Meetings:

FEB 6—Director Staff
Divan
Unit Heads

FEB 12—Stated Meeting—2018 Dues Card
needed for admission!

Parades:

Official Visits:

Special Events:

FEB 3—Cross Border Degree
FEB 17—Rodeo Dance

NOTICE OF STATED MEETING

Sabbar Shriners International will have
its next Stated Meeting on

February 12, 2018 @ 7:00pm at

Sabbar Shrine Center
450 S Tucson Blvd.,
Tucson, AZ 85716.

Current Shrine Dues Card
(2018) is required for admission

Attest: Joe Talvy— Potentate

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Assertions of the Assistant Rabban



Noble Glenn Butler
Assistant Rabban 2018

Brother Nobles, The New Year is upon us and things are moving rapidly. The Stated Meeting for January 8, 2018 was opened promptly at 7:00 PM. The Stated Meeting after opening ceremonies moved right along with our new Officers being sworn in to their respective posts. The exception

was Nobel Richard Kessler whom was ill, and unable to attend. The meeting adjourned shortly thereafter.

The Illustrious Potentate swore Nobel Kessler into office as Oriental Guide few days later. The Bar-B-Que Ribs & Beans Lunch on Saturday 01/11 had a poor showing. However, this is a new idea and just trying to get it off the ground may take some time. There will be no Bar-B-Que lunch served the next two Saturdays, as those Saturdays will be filled by other pre scheduled events. The Potentate's Reception 01/20 had a full house and went very well.

Saturday, February 3rd, the Ribs & Beans lunch will resume and I hope to see more of you there, therefore I'm looking forward to seeing you Saturday, February 3rd for some Ribs Lunch and a cold one or two.

Yours in Faith,

Glen Butler, Assistant Rabban

Observations

The Benefit Of Attending To What Is Being Said

In our society, most folks want happy outcomes to rule their lives. Their dreams are to successfully delve into business and arrange social involvements so they end. In their favor. Ah, but why then are so many in our clan seldom capable of attaining these goals? The reason is basic. Few listen with the concern and intensity needed to grasp the communications that are being parked right in front of them. Ideas and opportunities abound...but often they sprout wings and fly past the listeners.

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When you speak you exhibit what you have read, seen or heard. At some of these times you have an audience you want to impress. The great challenge is, are you attentive with the same strength you use to tell? If so, the chances are you will learn what your next move should be in order to succeed in your aim at that moment. Listening comes before success...even in the dictionary.

During any type of business or persuasive drama you indulge in, you must convince your, "talking target" that what you are saying is important and beneficial to their goal. Then, listen to prosper. Discover their interests and direct your questions and comments To that end. As you do you may spot a gleam of intrigue showing you have captured their attention.. They begin to pay closer attention. They contribute and want to share.

When you are talking and you begin to sense your listener is with you, comprehending your message, a surge of assurance engulfs your being as you begin to ride the crest of the wave of confidence. You have broken through any mental barrier of resistance that might have existed. You know your listener an insight and interest in what you are delivering. At this time there comes that great

Jerry Lee Lewis moment, "Great Balls Of Fire! An emancipation has just liberated her or his comprehension and I am free to produce ideas that will be accepted!" You are blessed with the splendor of knowing they understand.

To arrive at such a moment in life is a wonderful accomplishment. When. you use your listening skills successfully, you will next be accredited with the ability of having others interpret your verbal presentation the way it is meant to be understood. You will posses an aptitude that will lead you to wonderful victories in business and the world of culture. You will get result by listening.

Roger Thomas, PP

Director Staff

Our next meeting will be February 6th with dinner at 5:30. Metting after dinner.

Join us if you can.

PARADES		OFFICIAL VISITS	
ST. PATRICK'S DAY	MAR 17	GREEN VALLEY	MAR 17
MEMORIAL DAY (Tucson Estates)	MAY 28	NORTHWEST	MAY 30
4TH OF JULY (Benson)	JUL 4	SOUTHEASTERN (Willcox)	MAR 2
REX ALLEN (Willcox)	OCT 6	HUACHUCA (Sierra Vista)	OCT 20
HELLDORADO (Tombstone)	OCT 21	SANTA CRUZ (Nogales)	TBD
GREEN VALLEY	OCT 27	COCHISE (Douglas)	NOV 24
VETERAN'S DAY	NOV 11	MT GRAHAM (Safford)	TBD
DOUGLAS (NIGHT PARADE)	NOV 24		
CHRISTMAS (Tucson)	DEC (TBD)		

New Year's Party and Pote's Reception





So. AZ Blue Lodge Stated Meetings

Organization	Address	Stated Meeting	Website
Tucson #4	3950 N Country Club, Tucson	1st Wed - 7p	http://tucsonlodge4.homestead.com/index.html
King Solomon #5	4th & Freemont, Tombstone	1st Mon - 7p	http://www.benson-arizona.com/kingsolomon5/
Willcox #10	114 W. Manley, Willcox	2nd Thu - 7p	http://www.benson-arizona.com/willcox10/
Nogales #11	1620 N Royal Rd, Nogales	2nd Wed - 7p	http://www.nogales11.com
Perfect Ashlar #12	89 W. Main St, Bisbee	1st Thu - 7p	http://www.benson-arizona.com/perfectashlar12/
Safford #16	1421 S. 2nd Ave, Safford	1st Tue - 7p	http://www.benson-arizona.com/safford16/
Mt Moriah #19	931 G Ave, Douglas	2nd Tue - 7p	http://www.benson-arizona.com/mountmoriah19/
Pinal #30	1140 E Florence Blvd, Casa Grande	1st Thu - 7p	N/A 
Epes Randolph #32	3959 E Mabel St, Tucson	2nd Wed - 7:30p	http://www.epesrandolphlodge32.org/
Adobe #41	160 S. Scott Ave, Tucson	1st Tue - 6:30p	http://www.adobelodge41.com/ 
Eloy #46	714 N Main St, Eloy	3rd Thu - 7p	N/A 
Aaron #49	160 S. Scott Ave, Tucson	1st Wed - 7p	http://aaronlodge.webjedi.org/ 
Oasis #52	450 N. Pantano Rd, Tucson	2nd Tue - 7:30p	http://www.oasis52.org
Huachuca #53	219 S. Garden Ave, Sierra Vista	1st Wed - 7p	http://www.huachuca53.org/
San Pedro #55	623 S. Foothills Dr, Benson	4th Mon - 7p	http://www.sanpedro55.com/ 
Marion McDaniel #56	3959 E Mabel St, Tucson	1st Mon - 7:30p	http://mm56.org 
Builders #60	450 N. Pantano Rd, Tucson	2nd Wed - 7p	http://www.builderslodge60.org 
Jerusalem Daylight #66	3959 E Mabel St, Tucson	2nd Sat - 10a	N/A
Green Valley #71	17990 S La Canada, Green Valley	3rd Tue - 7p	http://gv71.com 
Nelson C. Bledsoe #74	4830 S. 6th Ave, Tucson	2nd Tue - 7p	http://www.nelsonbledsoe74.com 
Camp Stone #77	219 S. Garden Ave, Sierra Vista	2nd Sat - 9:30a	http://www.benson-arizona.com/campstone77/
Anahuac #81	4830 S. 6th Ave, Tucson	3rd Mon - 7p	http://www.anahuac81.org/
Downtown #86	450 S. Tucson Blvd. Tucson	4th Mon - 7p	http://dt86.com

All Stated Meetings begin @ 7:00 pm unless otherwise indicated. Dinner, if served, will generally begin 1 hour earlier. Please check with the organization or on their website for other events and times.

If your Masonic organization is having an event, submit the information to the *Topics*. There is no charge for Masonic postings (**but a donation would be welcomed—Ed.**). Send information to editor@sabbarshriners.org, Note: space is limited, so inclusions will be on a first come first served basis. .



These lodges have an OV scheduled this month. If you're interested in joining the Divan on any OV, please contact Ill Sir Van.



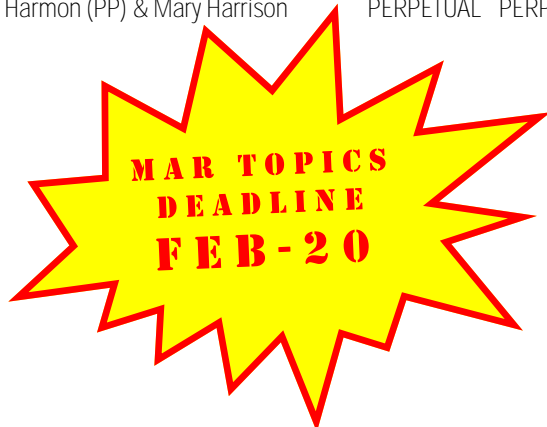
Black Camel

~SABBAR Calendar ~ FEB - 2018 ~

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 7p CLOWNS	2 5p FISH FRY 7p MOTORCYCLES	3 11a CROSS BORDER DE- GREE 11a LUNCH
4 12:45p BINGO	5 LOUNGE CLOSED	6 LOUNGE CLOSED 5:30p DIRECTOR STAFF 6p DIVAN 7p UNIT HEAD	7 4p CABIRI 6:45p BINGO	8 6:30p VAN DIVAN	9 5p FISH FRY	10 9a BLUE ANGELS 11a LUNCH
11 12:45p BINGO	12 LOUNGE CLOSED 3:30p TEMPLE GUARD 7p STATED MEETING	13 LOUNGE CLOSED	14 VALENTINE'S DAY 6:45p BINGO	15	16 5p FISH FRY	17 11a LUNCH
18 12:45p BINGO	19 LOUNGE CLOSED	20 LOUNGE CLOSED	21 11:30a AMBASSADORS 6:45p BINGO	22	23 5p FISH FRY 7p SAMWA	24 11a LUNCH
25 12:45p BINGO	26 LOUNGE CLOSED	27 LOUNGE CLOSED	28			

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Harmon (PP) & Mary Harrison	PERPETUAL	PERPETUAL



Burkel's Bits



Noble Bill Burkel
Chief Recorder's
Aide 2018

Here we are a New Year. Now all we have to do is all work together to make it a good one.

I am still working on some of the OV's. Some of the OV's are listed elsewhere is the TOPICS.

Having a joint Ceremonial with El Zaribah is in the works....Let's have a good turn out for the

Green Valley OV on March 17th...Great turnout for the Potentate's Reception in spite of bad weather . If you missed it, you missed a good time. What a band!!

—Bil

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