



JULY 2020

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**Sunday, July 19, 2020**

**12:00pm to 4:00pm**  
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**Saturday, July 11, 2020 ~ 11AM-4PM**

presented by WNY Hot Rods Customs & Classics

**\$10.00 pre-registration, by July 3**

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dash plaque for 1st 50 registered cars,  
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for more info  
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During the car show we will be having a food drive to benefit  
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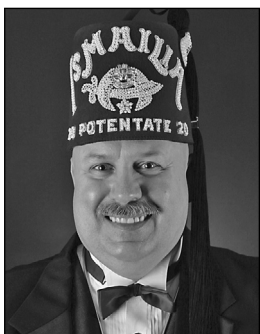
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## THE POTENTATE'S MESSAGE



William D. Adam, Jr.  
Potentate 2020

Brother Nobles,

I pray that this finds you and your loved ones safe and healthy. I know that it has been four (4) months since we last had an opportunity to see each other. We are finally starting to see some light at the end of this tunnel. We are currently doing what we can to ensure that when we do reopen, we do it as safely as possible, and within the guidelines and restrictions placed upon all businesses by the state and county.

While we have been shut down due to the Covid-19 pandemic, several of our Brother Nobles and their Ladies have come to the Shrine Center in small groups of two (2) or three (3) to do some work that was needed such as replace light bulbs and ballasts, strip and wax the floor, repair the Zamboni, replace the thermostats, etc. I wish to thank all of those involved.

Our Oriental Guide Mike Ferraro has scheduled a Custom Car Show for July 11th at which we will be collecting non-perishable items for the homeless veterans in our area in conjunction with WNY VALOR.

We have scheduled a Chicken Barbeque for July 19th. We are going to need all hands on deck as Western New York has been chomping at the bit to get out of their houses and enjoy some great food.

Our first Corn Hole Tournament will be held on August 1st. This is sure to be a great time for the experts, as well as those of us who have never played.

On August 5th, we will have Babcia's Pierogies at the Shrine Center. Another tasty fundraiser organized by our Oriental Guide.

The second annual Cigar-B-Que will be held on August 22nd. A wonderful spread with great spirits and cigars is on tap.

Our Sportman's Raffle is quickly approaching. If you haven't gotten your tickets, call the office to purchase.

Once again, I wish to thank the ladies for sending out the fundraising letter. The response has been wonderful as quite a bit of money has been raised.

Lady Bernie and I are looking forward to seeing everyone soon. Stay safe.

Fraternally,  
William D. Adam, Jr.  
Potentate 2020

# SHRINE SMILE

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- ∞ Communion ∞
- ∞ Birthday Parties ∞
- ∞ Fund Raisers ∞
- ∞ Meetings ∞
- ∞ Reunions ∞
- ∞ Shows ∞

Contact  
 the Shrine Office

**716-674-8666**

### PLEASE NOTE:

All articles for the *Smile* due by  
 the 10th of the month preceding  
 and nothing after the 15th or any  
 changes after the 20th.

## NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS ISMAILIA SHRINERS!

The Shrine Office is now able to  
 accept Credit Card payments.  
 Any Shrine activity can now be  
 charged to a credit card.  
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 or DINERS CLUB cards  
 will be accepted.**

## LOCKPORT SHRINE CLUB

Luke Kantor

Lockport Shrine Club members stopped by the United States Postal Service Lockport Office on 5/13/20 to donate to the 80 hardworking men and women that have been consistent during this unprecedented time of the Covid-19 virus. "Each day we take it for granted that the mail is delivered. Many families are now ordering daily necessities online and that increased load of deliveries often falls on the shoulders of these local post office staff. As a club it was a unanimous vote, we wanted to thank them for their hard work and dedication." said Mike Ferraro, Club member.

The Lockport Shrine Club, a local club of the Ismailia Shrine and Shriners International, has been around for over 90 years and supports the Niagara County community with benevolence. Luke Kantor who is the Secretary for the Lockport Shrine Club said "Many people are familiar with the great works of the Shriners Children's Hospitals. Our job as a local club is to help raise funds for the hospitals and Ismailia Shrine and throw family friendly events. We have members that volunteer to drive families for treatments, members that help at community events, and members that assist in fundraising efforts to name a few. Above all, Shriners is the fun, family centered offshoot of the Masons fraternal organization, to which we are also all proud members of. All of our events promote family, benevolence, and brotherhood."

Members of the Lockport Shrine Club met to assemble the Thank-You cards including gift cards from Steamworks, a local Coffee shop and roaster. Jonathan and Ashley Brose, owners Steamworks, helped provided the cards at a fantastic rate allowing the Club to be able to donate more per employee.

During these times please continue to support benevolence and community service in any way you can, the smallest thank you can help more than you know. If any local men are interested in obtaining more information about joining the Masonic brotherhood and/or Shriners please feel free to reach out to our local club Secretary at 716-868-2144.



Lockport Shrine Club members presenting gift cards to the postal service employees at Lockport Post Office on Wednesday, May 13th. From Left to Right: Noble Bro. Michael Ferraro (Ismailia Shrine Oriental Guide), Noble Bro. (Lockport Shrine Club Secretary) Luke Kantor, USPS Employee Brian Alt, USPS Lockport Post Master Bob Costa, and Noble Bro. (Lockport Shrine Club President) Richard Lugo.

**Just a quick reminder**, do not leave any valuables in your vehicles. There have been more than a few vehicles broken into at the YMCA, and at one of our recent events, one of our Nobles and his wife had theirs broken into in our parking lot. Criminals know that people do a lot of shopping and leave their purchases in the vehicle while running more errands. Most people ignore car alarms as there always seems to be one going off in a large parking lot, or down the street at 3 AM as we are trying to sleep. Stay vigilant.

## \$100 Million Dollar Club

PLEASE ENROLL ME AS A MEMBER OF THE  
**100 Million Dollar Club**

- I have previously made a will leaving a bequest to the Shriners Hospitals For Children.
- I have added a provision in my will leaving a bequest to the Hospitals.
- I prefer to make a cash contribution at this time of at least \$100.00, **which is tax deductible.**

Make your check payable to: **SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CHILDREN**

I am a member of \_\_\_\_\_ Shriners.

Sign \_\_\_\_\_ Shrine No. \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Please have the certificate read: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return to **Joseph A. Hoerner**, Recorder, Ismailia Shriners,  
 1600 Southwestern Blvd., West Seneca, NY 14224

## SHRINERS ON BIKES

Mark Twain was once quoted as saying, "Humor is mankind's greatest gift."



Maybe that's why the Shriners On Bikes understands that the most dangerous part of a motorcycle is the nut that connects the seat to the handlebar.

During this pandemic, an important way of coping is to keep a spirit of good humor. Things seem to be lightening up as we move through the phases, but this is no time to let down our guard.

The SOB's have been pretty much inactive during Covid 19, but our hope is to organize activities as the season continues.

In the meantime, keep safe both on the road and with your health.

## AILIAMSI COURT #12

Lady Cathie Turton,  
High Priestess-Elect

Hello Ladies and friends, I miss you all and wish we could be together. At this time we have no idea when we will be able to meet. I was looking forward to traveling to Grand Council with several of our members but as you know Grand Council 2020 was canceled and will not be rescheduled. Also all Grand High Priestess Visits have been canceled for 2020-2021.

We do have some events scheduled on the calendar. Sunday October 11th we will host a Murder Mystery Dinner at the Shrine and on Saturday November 14th we will be hosting our Lucky Numbers Luncheon. Remember these events are open to friends and family so please put them on your calendar. I will have more information and tickets when final details are worked out.

Please continue to be careful as our State reopens. Wear your masks and avoid large gatherings and crowded areas. Stay safe and healthy and I Pray we can all be together soon.



During the Pandemic maintenance and repairs have continued at our Shrine. Many thanks to Gregg Wolf and Richard Mix for repairing all the lights in the barn. Also for cleaning and organizing items in the barn. Your efforts are greatly appreciated. The barn looks much, much better.

Chief Rabban John F. Walkden

Nobles:  
We are having a  
**Drive Thru  
Pierogi Fundraiser**  
at the temple.



Ismailia will get 20% of total sales from this event.  
If you are interested in purchasing pierogis follow the link below

<https://babciaspierogi.myncrsilver.com/>

click on the picture that says "drive-thru sale here", then click on the picture of the temple. This will bring up a list of available products, pick out what you want and then call Babcia's to order it.

**On August 5 Babcia's will setup at the temple** for you to pick up your order (4pm to 7pm).

### Deb's Delights Jams and Jellies

will also be participating – there is a link to her page at the bottom of the list of available items on the Babcia's page.

*If for some reason you want to order and can't make it to the temple for pick up, I can get it and deliver it to you.*

**There will also be a Polka band playing there that night.**

*Thanks for your time – Mike Ferraro*

## ISMAILIA LEGION OF HONOR

*Ill Sir Edward Worden P.P., Commander LOH 2020*

Welcome back to our new norm: The governor is easing the rules. The Shrine is getting ready to open and has some great plans everyone should be happy with. There will be a Car Show at the Shrine on July 11th. It is being put on under the direction of the Oriental Guide Noble Mike Ferraro. It will be a great event with food, refreshments, laughter and prizes. There will also be a request to bring a non-perishable food item for a food drive to benefit Valor. A win, win situation.

This is where the Legion comes in to play. The food drive is for Valor, an organization headed by Noble Paul Rudnicki. All food items collected will be given to Valor and 100% goes to help needy veterans. We can help by showing up, walking down memory lane looking at the cars, helping with food pickups and selling food and beverages. I offered our help along with everybody else to make this event a success.

The Legion has a few things coming up that need your attention and are as follows:

1. The summer picnic on July 18th at the Walther IV Resort.
2. The drawing for the Basket of Cheer at the picnic. Please bring in your donations to the Shrine office or to the picnic that day.
3. The Stated Session in September.
4. Past Commanders and Widows Dinner.

There will be more but you will be given due notice.

For now stay healthy, watch over one another, and if able, attend any or all of these functions. Please try to do so.

Show up bright and early on the 18th of July and give to the Shrine and our Community what we can. Don't forget to bring your Fez. ***It's Great To Be A Shriner.***

## Legion of Honor Annual Basket of Cheer



## Raffle

8 tickets \$10.00

3 tickets \$5.00

1 ticket \$2.00

## DRAWING

**July 26, 2020**

## COMING EVENTS JULY 2020

### JULY 4

Holiday  
Shrine Closed

### JULY 11

WNY Hot Rods Customs  
& Classics Car Show  
11 am - 4 pm  
\$10 pre-registration  
by July 3  
\$15 day-of-show  
registration  
Shrine Center

### JULY 14

Oasis/Divan Meeting  
6:30 pm  
Shrine Center

### JULY 18

Legion of Honor Picnic  
Noon - ?  
Walther IV Homestead  
Delevan, NY

### JULY 19

Shrine Chicken BBQ  
Noon - 4 pm or Sold Out  
\$12 per dinner  
Shrine Center



## To All 2020 Circus Workers

If you have in your possession one of the **Blue Circus Aprons** please return them to the Shrine Office as soon as possible. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

[www.IsmailiaShriners.com](http://www.IsmailiaShriners.com)



[www.IsmailiaShriners.com](http://www.IsmailiaShriners.com) is in the process of being updated. Some of the info and pages are current, other pages are in process. The Clubs and Units page of the website will be updated once we get the 2020 officers and contact info; if you have that info please email it to Joe Hoerner at Ismailia37@Verizon.net.

We also ask that if you want anything posted on the event calendar for your club or unit or on the Facebook page you please email Noble Michael Ferraro @ NobleFerraro@gmail.com at least 3 weeks prior to your event.

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We can only do that thanks to you. Your support helps make everything we do (every dream and every journey) possible. That's why I want to thank you so much for your generosity.

Let's keep the love rolling all year long! You can show how much you care in so many ways:

- **Ask for donations** instead of gifts for your birthday or the holidays.
- Connect with us on our social pages like **Facebook**, **Instagram**, and **Twitter**.
- **Learn about other ways to support** Shriners Hospitals for Children.

You have the ability to let people know about the young patients at Shriners Hospitals for Children and the pediatric doctors and physicians who provide life-changing care year-round.

Every child has dreams. Every child has potential to do great things. But children facing orthopaedic conditions, burns, spinal cord injuries, and cleft lip and palate often need a little extra help.

When you help a child receive specialized care, an adaptive device, or a prosthesis, you are helping them experience all life has to offer.

Thank you for all you do!

Sincerely,  
Jeff Sowder

ShrinersHospitalsForChildren.org  
2900 N. Rocky Point Dr.  
Tampa, FL 33607 United States

## MERIDIAN SUN DEMOLAY

*Ed Draves, Chapter Dad*

Hello all my fellow Nobles and your families – here is where I usually tell you about all the things our Chapter has done this month and what we have planned. I almost typed "Same as you – STAYED HOME" and gave the easiest report ever, but that would be a lie.

We had a zoom meeting and started planning the annual EPICnic - it's August 24th (Monday) at Ismailia. All Shriners are invited to bring their kids and introduce them to Masonic Youth. It will start at 5:30 pm and go until dark.

But wait there's more. Aside from all working hard at school:

Dean passed his Eagle Board and will be an Eagle Scout! A huge accomplishment and we are all very proud of him. Chapter will honor him properly when we get back to meeting!

Pearl made masks for a local hospital and dinner for nursing home workers! She is also taken on the role of teacher and caregiver for her Kindergarten Cousin whose mom is helping Covid patients recover!

Brother Ed Bluff was featured as a first responder in the DeMolay Bridge for being on the front lines of the fight in the pandemic! Grand Master Sardone personally sent word to the Chapter making sure we knew he was featured!

Joe has been writing music, also taking advantage of the lack of traffic and learning to drive. He bought an antique accordion and is learning that. Besides that, according to his dad, he may be learning how to install sound-proof insulation! :)

Aedan built a photography presentation for a class of the wild birds he saw around his home. In addition, Aedan has maintained his fitness for his upcoming senior varsity cross-country team by working out everyday. His workouts include work on a mountain bike mounted to a stationary trainer daily for 1.5 to 2 hrs., a run any where from 4 to 8 miles depending on his scheduled plan, interval training during a 4 mile run, ab workouts as well. He captures these all on a daily log he submits to his fitness teacher. Aedan's biggest accomplishment is mental toughness. Of his own accord he has sought out YouTube video of those athletes and warriors who post motivational videos that speak to the iron will and toughness of mind and kindness of spirit necessary in being a man. Aedan also spent many hours baking cookies and sending them out to his DeMolay Brothers, including our Grand Master, MW Sardone, who posted a thank you on his own Facebook page!!

MJ has been busy in his role as Deputy State Master Councilor, planning next year's term, helping Chapters and growing DeMolay. MJ was also installed (via zoom) as Master Councilor of our Sister Chapter, Ridge Council – the first such installation in the State!! Grand Master Sardone took the time to join in and show his unparalleled support of DeMolay!!

Sound like the kind of young people you want in your kids' social circle? Come and check us out!

Ed Draves (with a lot of help from some very proud Master Masons and fathers!) – Chapter Dad

## Recorder's Desk

Joe Hoerner, P.P.

I think we finally received some good news in that we have moved into phase three of the reopening process and soon may be looking at entering phase four which we think may include the Shrine Center but who knows what may come down the pike. If that happens now we must put in a process of reopening guidelines which must be adhered to without fail or we will be shut down again. That means when you enter our building you must have a facial covering and maintain safe distance, six feet separation, from other people and as of now we can only have 50 percent capacity. For our building to open we must have these guidelines in place and posted and prove to the county and state that we are in compliance and agree to their guidelines. I know it can be a burden but we have fought long and hard to get this far and now we want to keep it that way. It will be nice to have some social gathering to get to see friends and fellow Nobles and in some cases loved ones. Believe me I know how that is. Zoom meetings and virtual video sessions are still the norm but to get together in person would be the cat's meow.

The Shrine is in the process of scheduling some events that we hope will be to your liking and enhance you to come out and enjoy them with fellow Nobles and friends, but again we must adhere to the guidelines in place. There is in the works to have a car show at the Shrine on July 11th put on by the WNY Hot Rods & Custom Classics Car Club. If you desire to enter a vehicle you must call the Shrine Office before the 11th to register for an early registration fee of \$10.00 otherwise registration day-of is \$15.00. Following the car show on July 19th we'll be having our famous Shrine Chicken BBQ from noon until 4:00 pm or sold out. This will be take out only and the price will be \$12.00 per dinner. You can buy presale tickets at the Shrine Office until July 16th. On August 5th we will be having a drive thru Pierogi fund raiser with Babcia's Food Truck from the Broadway Market. All purchases must be made online on their website and picked up at the Shrine from 4-7 pm on the 5th. There will also be a few other vendors there for your pleasure. They will have some extras on the truck just in case you drive by and see them in the parking lot but to be sure to get your order I would do it on line. August will also bring us the Lockport S.C. Cigar-B-Que on August 22nd. If you attended last year you know how well this went over and we hope to see you and a number of your friends and Nobles out again this year. Then following that on August 29th will be the Shrine Family Picnic. We hope by this time things will be a little back to some kind of normality. But we must wait and see how things progress and hope these events can be held. In the meantime stay safe, healthy and continue on with your pandemic practices.



**Should You Move!!!** The Recorder careth little how often you changeth your shirt, collar and socks, but woe unto him who changeth his address so that neither the Recorder nor Uncle Sam can tell where he tieth up his camel. If you move, please advise the Recorder's office.  
Don't get lost in the desert.



**Shriners Hospitals  
for Children®**

Dear Nobles,

Our great Fraternity has seen many changes in our nearly 150-year history, from world wars to the rise of industry and technology. Our great Philanthropy, Shriners Hospitals for Children® finds itself in today's ever-changing landscape of health care. True to our aim of serving more kids in more places, last year we saw more children than ever before, but the majority did not receive in-patient care. As a result of the changing care patterns in pediatric health care, five of our facilities no longer offer inpatient services, although the care they provide is still transformative in the lives of these children and their families. We anticipate even more joining that number in the near future. As a result, many states' regulatory bodies will no longer allow us to use our corporate name, Shriners Hospitals for Children, to describe the care we provide in an outpatient setting.

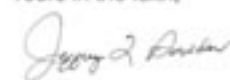
Shriners Hospitals for Children has traditionally had a very strong "master brand" strategy with all of our facilities holding the same name. Recent evolutions in health care have changed that. Our five outpatient facilities each have different names such as Shriners for Children Medical Center™ — Pasadena, or The Erie Shriners Medical Center. The goal of any brand is to create consistency to increase brand equity. The recent announcement of our new brand, Shriners Children's™, is a step toward unifying all of our locations, regardless of the means of providing care, under one brand. This is not a name change, but a change in our brand strategy to meet the constantly evolving world of health care.

From a fraternal perspective, the branding is going from four words to two words, and the branding simply focuses on who is providing care and who is being served. For nearly 100 years, our mission has been to work consistently to build a health care brand synonymous with outstanding medial expertise and the most amazing care anywhere. Due to this reputation, we are able to shorten our brand, something consumers prefer in today's digital age.

There has also been some concern raised over how the name will function with its possessive ending. The brand will be used as a master brand with a more specific label following. For example one of our research initiatives in Genomics, could become Shriners Children's Genomic Institute. This branding convention is heavily utilized within pediatric healthcare, and well known to consumers as it is currently used by the majority of top pediatric brands.

We all take a great deal of pride in the world's greatest philanthropy that bears our name, and that, will never change. Shriners have helped provide life changing medical treatment to more than 1.4 million children, regardless of the family's ability to pay. We all want to see even more children served than ever before. We believe this new brand will help guide us into a future that promises more opportunities to change even more lives.

Yours in the faith,



Jeffrey L. Sowder  
Imperial Potentate, Shriners International  
Chairman, Board of Directors, Shriners Hospitals for Children



Jerry G. Gant  
Chairman, Board of Trustees  
Shriners Hospitals for Children



## Remember Our Sick and Shut-in Brothers with a Visit, a Card or a Call

### CONFINED AT HOME

**Joseph Raubar**  
51 Lennox Ave.  
Amherst, NY 14226

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### IN NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING

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## IN MEMORIAM

Deaths through June 26, 2020

The deepest sympathy of the Illustrious Potentate, Divan and Nobles of Ismailia Shriners is extended to the family and friends of:

NUMBER	NAME	DATE JOINED	DATE DIED
2049	Harry G. Howald	March 12, 1986	March 26, 2020
5256	Howard E. Smith	December 14, 1985	March 31, 2020
5832	Warren H. Riles	April 19, 1977	March 30, 2020
2251	Stanley Kaluzka	October 28, 1978	April 4, 2020
6039	Edward E. Kuster	March 30, 2003	March 29, 2020
2401	H. Albert Koerner	May 22, 1950	May 13, 2019
6282	Dale R. Howe, Jr.	October 29, 2005	May 19, 2020
6345	Walter J. Stoj Jr.	June 16, 2007	May 26, 2020
4197	Robert H. Snell	December 17, 1968	May 26, 2020

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**Promoting Shrinedom during COVID-19**

Reported in last week's Membership Update, Shriners were quick to respond when the COVID-19 pandemic impacted organizations across the globe. Operations quickly had to adjust to accommodate vast changes so that the organizational mission could still be accomplished.

Throughout the pandemic and quarantine, temples, clubs and units took great measures to continue their fellowship, service and pertinent business. Nobles across the world proved their ability to adapt, supporting their fraternal endeavors through the course of the pandemic.

Here are some of their stories:

**El Zagal Shriners (Fargo, ND)**

The El Zagal "Misfits" maintained communication with their nobility throughout the quarantine, providing BBQ to families in distress and to health care workers. Additionally, they offered meals to the community for a nominal fee. The profits collected from their efforts were donated to Temple and Club administration to help them through the pandemic, and to Nobles, Clubs and Units in distress.



**Gizeh Shriners (Burnaby, BC, Canada)**

On Saturday June 13th, the Shriners of British Columbia and Yukon took the opportunity to host an evening of magic and comedy, live-streamed on YouTube and other social media channels.



**Hadi Shriners (Evansville, Indiana)**

In Evansville, Indiana, the local Shriners took to the streets to participate in a social-distancing automobile parade in honor of a local citizen's 90th birthday celebration.



"It wasn't just people in cars waving. The lineup includes Shriners..."

**Even Imperial Sir Sowder...**

In May, Imperial Potentate Jeff Sowder made a special call to Irene, the oldest known former patient of Shriners Hospitals (Twin Cities). Irene was referred to SHC in 1923, for polio. Imperial Sir Jeff and many of the staff members throughout the Hospital system, greeted Irene and brought congratulations on her milestone birthday!



**Expand your Legacy!**

As we return from the prolonged quarantine, contact your eligible family members about becoming a Freemason and a Shriner. Direct them to the online resources provided at [www.bea Freemason.org](http://www.bea Freemason.org) and [www.bea shrinemow.com](http://www.bea shrinemow.com) to start the process, encouraging them every step of the way.

**Share your Legacy!**

During the month of June, we encourage ALL NOBLES to increase their social media presence, participating in many of the planned social media celebrations, always remembering to promote their pride in our fraternity!

Submit your Legacy stories and photos to [marketing@shrinenet.org](mailto:marketing@shrinenet.org).

**ATTENTION!** **NEW DATES!**

# SHRINE CIRCUS CARNIVAL

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JULY 2020						
Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4 Shrine Closed Independence Day
5	6	7	8	9	10	11 WNY Hot Rods Customs & Classics Car Show 11 am - 4 pm
12 Russ Perez Baby Shower	13	14 Oasis/Divan Meeting 6:30 pm	15	16	17	18 Legion of Honor Summer Picnic
19 Shrine Chicken BBQ Noon - 4 pm or Sold Out	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

AUGUST 2020						
Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
						1 Shrine Corn Hole Tournament 12:30 pm - ??
2	3	4	5 Babcia's Pierogi Fund Raiser - on line orders only	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13 Cabiri Picnic Scheetz's Grove 2:30 pm	14	15 Red Cross of Constantine Mtg. 2 - 6 pm
16	17	18	19	20	21	22 Lockport S.C. & Ismailia Shriners Cigar-B-Que 1 - 5 pm
23 Meridian Sun Chapter DeMolay Summer Picnic 5:30 pm - ??	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					Shrine Family Picnic Noon - 5 pm

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