



YELDUZ NEWS

Yelduz Shrine Newsletter

January, 2024

Pancake Breakfast



Roadrunner Pancake Breakfast

Fourth Sunday of each month

8:30 AM to 12:30 PM

Adults—\$8.00

Kids (12 & under) - \$4.00



Greetings Nobles –

Thank you for all who attended installation during January meeting. Congratulations to all other installed officers as well. Special thanks to Lady Melanie, my mother Colleen, my sister and brother in-law Heidi and Ben Johnson and their wonderful kids Nathan and Jenna. Without them this journey would not have been possible. Most importantly a certain Circus Chairman and very outspoken noble many of you knew as Kenny Erickson but I got to call DAD! He brought me on this journey of becoming a mason and a Shriner. He was able to see me be nominated as Oriental Guide and then had some other work to attend to and hopefully he is looking down and smiling, as much as he did, at the work we continue to accomplish for the treatment of children with needs.

Which bring me to my pin and theme for the year – Find Your Why! On my pin you will see an image of my dad's circus fez, the silent messenger, a roadrunner, and my daughter Kinsley. Those are my why's. Kinsley may have lost her grandpa, but growing up with the shrine she has inherited all of you as honorary grandpas and friends. All of us joined the organization for a multitude of reasons. Don't every forget why you became a mason and Shriner. Get involved, find a club or unit to participate. Get back to that WHY!

Wednesday Nights Chase the Fez/Bar Bingo @ Shrine Center returned on Wednesday 1/3/2024. There will be an addition of a progressive blackout pot.

Thank you to everyone that helped at the Kids Christmas party in December and Ben and Heidi Johnson for leading the charge. It was the largest one yet!

I look forward to a great trip to MSA in Lacrosse, WI at the end of February.

The next Roadrunner Pancake Breakfast will be January 28th from 8:30-12:30am. All help is always appreciated.

As always if you have questions, comments, concerns or just want to chat my number is (605) 380-2995.

Kory Erickson

Potentate

Greetings Nobles

I would like to thank you for the opportunity to be your new Oriental Guide. I'm personally excited for this year having Kory as our Potentate, I know he has some great ideas for our fraternity.

Fraternally,

Chris Arment,

Oriental Guide

2024 Divan

Kory Erickson, Potentate 605-380-2995

Mark Nelson, Chief Rabban 605-448-8294

Rich Krokkel, Assistant Rabban 605-228-7680

Jerry Rekow, High Priest & Prophet 701-535-0982

Chris Arment, Oriental Guide 605-380-7625

Tanner Myers, Treasurer 605-228-8230

Doug Wanttie, Recorder 605-216-1067

DONATIONS & MEMORIALS

MEMORIAL DONATIONS

Tim Kessler

By: Doug & Anita Eilers

Sharon Huber

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By: David & Rubye Siemon

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By: David & Rubye Siemon

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By: Sara Healy

Jan Johnson

By: George & Gayle Parmeter

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Ruth Ann Olinger
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OFFICIAL CALL OF THE POTENTATE: NOBILITY OF YELDUZ

NEXT MONTHLY STATED MEETING

February 1, 2024

Attest: Doug Wanttie, Recorder

Yours in Faith, Kory Erickson, Potentate

The following people have donated \$10 or more to help with the cost of the Yelduz News for this coming year.

Blair & Yvonne Healy
H Douglas Miller
Gail & Mary O'Donnell
Larry Rowen
Dennis & Arly Schnabel
Dayle Winter
Steven Winter



Greetings Nobles,

We are moving forward with plans for the circus in Aberdeen and Huron, we will need people to help collect the circus packets.

We will be looking at the bar tender certifications, some may need to be updated, I know mine does.

We will be sending out the 2023 financial reports soon, please get them filled out and returned so we can get them to the accountants. If you have any questions or concerns, please let us know.

Stated meetings are the first Thursday of the month, meal at 6PM and meeting to begin at 7PM. If you haven't been to one in a while, please come and check it out.

We will have a camel Herder in 2024. That is the title for the Noble who brings in the most members as an individual. We will recognize the club or unit who brings in the most members as well. Currently the scoreboard is zero. Let's see where we end up for the year. I am looking forward to a great year, lets start it out strong.

Fraternally,

Doug Wanttie

Recorder.

Just a quick reminder: If you have moved, or changed your phone number or email, we would like to know the new information.

We do send out a weekly update by email, so if you haven't been receiving it or if your email has changed please let us know so we can keep you up to date weekly about events.

There are new clothing items for sale

At our Store at Geffdog

<https://www.geffdog.com/stores/yelduzshriners>



Yelduz Shrine Circus

We are excited for the 2024 circus! The dates for Aberdeen March 28,29,30 at the civic arena. James Valley Shrine Club will host the Yelduz Shrine circus as usual on April 1 at the Huron Arena.

We will need help from all Nobels circulating circus packets through out the towns. Any and all help is appreciated. Many hands will be needed, if you can help out, even for just one performance will be of great benefit.

There will be much more information in the following weeks, stay tuned!

Kevin Harr

Circus Chairman

Yelduz Membership Dues

You can pay your 2024 dues online at Webfez or at Yelduz.com

You can also mail them in with your check, or credit or debit card information. You can download your membership card right to your phone.

If you have any questions call the office and we will help you out. Your membership director is Matt Nelson, he can answer questions for you as well.

Business & Professional Directory

Advertising rate \$50.00 annually for a business or professional listing which will be published monthly with the Yelduz News. Contact the Shrine Office

Auctioneer-Real Estate Broker-Appraiser

Charles J Fischer Agency
Long Lake, SD
John C Fischer, Broker
605-216-3474
"Licensed in South Dakota & North Dakota"

Building Materials/Home Improvement

Campbell's Town & Country Bldg Supply
1523 6th Ave SW
Aberdeen, SD 57402-0147
605-225-1575

Feed/Seed

Jonathon Healy
Millborn Seeds
2132 32nd Ave
Brookings, SD 57006
605-697-6306

Groceries/Meat Market/Bakery

Ken's SuperFair & Shell Express
2105 SE 6th Ave
Aberdeen, SD 57401
605-225-3572

Health

Quarve Drug
710 Main St
Britton, SD 57430
605-448-2471

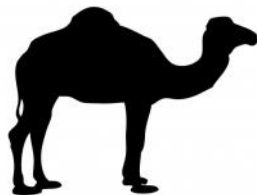
Winkler Chiropractic Clinic
Dr Barry J Winkler
803 S Main
Aberdeen, SD 57401
605-225-8288

Insurance

Kory Erickson- American National Ins
11 S Dakota St Ste 1
Aberdeen, SD 57401
605-262-0612

Photography

Hardin's Photography
717 S Main St
Aberdeen, SD 57401
605-225-5344



Black Camels

Name	Date of passing
Lester Weinbar	11/22/23

These we do not forget

In Memoriam

Our Beloved Brethren live on in new and more glorious life and service.

We carry their influence in our lives and their memories in our hearts.

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Chase the Fez and Bar Bingo

Wednesdays Doors open at 5:30 PM Drawing at 7:00 PM