

TURBAN TIMES

MT. SINAI SHRINERS NO. 3
MONTPELIER, VERMONT

Founded October 31, 1876

SHRINERS INTERNATIONAL
THIRD OLDEST SHRINE

September/October 2018

Check Remittance at Shiners Hospital for Children in Montreal



Alexius Johnson along with her mother Angelique Thomas, Past Potentate and Board Member Don Tessier and Ken Johnson Associate Board Member present a check to Bill Miller Chairman of the Board of the Montreal Hospital in the amount of \$705.00. Alexius raised this money on her own and wanted to donate it to Shriners Hospitals for Children in Montreal.



Northern Vermont Shrine Club Motorcorp donated \$500 to Shriners Hospital for Children Springfield MA. Pictured is Kristi Morris PP and Hospital Board Chairman Steve Behe PP.



Mt. Sinai was awarded the Highest Contributing Temple Award for the 2018 Shrine Maple Sugar Bowl. Pictured is J-B Djigounian PP and Illustrious Sir Donald Karlovich.

Upcoming Events

Shrine Bingo - September 9
October 7 • November 11

Upcoming Divan Meetings

2 Academy St., Barre, VT
November 6

Shriners International

<http://www.shrinersinternational.org>

Shriners Village

<https://www.shrinersvillage.com>

Shriners Hospitals for Children

<http://www.shrinershospitalsforchildren.org>

Upcoming Events

NSA Field Days - Rutland
September 13-16

Mt. Sinai #3 Visitation &
Ceremonial - October 12 & 13
Burlington

Mt. Sinai #3 Chief Rabban's Day
December 1

Elected Divan Officers

Potentate Donald J. Karlovich

PO Box 104, North Troy, VT 05859
802.324.4308

Chief Rabban Adam Johnson

81 Creek Road, Irasburg, VT 05845
802.754.8417

Assistant Rabban Dexter L. Rowe

P.O. Box 3, Northfield Falls, VT 05654
802.279.5153

High Priest & Prophet Gary Luman, Jr.

P.O. Box 1626, VT Rte. 10, Chester, VT 05143
802.875.3542

Oriental Guide Jim Smith

925 Texas Hill Rd., Huntington, VT 05462
802.355.2045

Treasurer Michael P. Luurtsema, PP

96 Chester Rd., Springfield, VT 05156
802.885.2787

Recorder Mike G. Gunn

83 Fairgrounds Rd., Springfield, VT 05156
802.885.4060

Appointed Officers

1st Ceremonial Omer Bousquet

5749 Rte 14, Irasburg, VT 05845
802.754.8862

2nd Ceremonial Robert Booth

6196 Rte. 14, Irasburg, VT 05845
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75 Laplante Rd, Cavendish, VT 05142
802.484.8969

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4714 Rte. 14 S, Irasburg, VT 05845
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Provost Marshal James G. Murphy

336 Union St., Newport, VT 05855
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Director, 1st Section Gerald A. Morong, PP

76 Prospect Hill Road, St. Albans, VT 05478
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Shrine Attorney M. Jerome Diamond

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Mt. Sinai Shriners #3

From the Potentate's Desk

Greetings Ladies and Fellow Nobles,

I hope you are all enjoying your summer as much as Lady Karen and I are. I was really happy this year that my family was able to join me this year at Imperial session and it was a lot of fun and we accomplished quite a bit of Shrine Business also. We were treated to a great concert this year in Daytona by the Oak Ridge Boys and I even was able to have my picture with one of the members who later that evening became a Shriner. See that, you never know who is a Mason. Is that not great or what! I would fust like to Congratulate Imperial Sir Jim Cain for being elected Imperial Potentate this year and Imperial Sir Randy Rudge for being re-elected as Imperial Recorder.

The NSA is coming up in Rutland this year and it will be a fun time. Our 2018 Mt. Sinai visitation will be October 12 and 13. 2018. Reg-



istration forms have gone out and I hope we have a good showing this year as we have had in the past years. Please review the agenda page in the Turban Times as I have made some changes that only effect the men at-

tending the business meeting. Now to the nitty gritty. Our black powder raffle did ok; we raised around \$750.00 and the walk-a-thon raised just over \$1,600.00. Our second biggest fund raiser for the year is now underway which our final gun raffle. Please, if you do not have tickets to sell contact Dexter Rowe to get some and sell them. Now something good. We have more candidates being created at the Fall Ceremonial. We also received an award at the Maple Sugar Bowl this year for Highest Contributing Temple for 2018. Please enjoy your summer.

Thank you all.

Donald J Karlovich, Potentate 2018
Mt. Sinai #3 Montpelier, VT

From the Assistant Rabban

Our **rifle raffle** is on! At a mere \$10 a ticket, you have two **SHOTS** (yeah, punny!) at two different guns. Tickets are available from me. Just email me with the number you'd like and you'll have them by mail. This is a major fund-raiser for our Temple. If you could spread a few among your friends, far and near, and perhaps get a few for yourself, we can be in really great shape. There are a limited number and, thanks to our Nobles/Brothers, some have already gone out for distribution. Time for

you to step up and be a part of our wonderful fraternity. A perfect time for you and your friends to get in on a good thing, just ahead of hunting season. But beware... I won the last raffle, donated the gun back and now I'm buying chances to get it again! The more tickets you scarf up, the better your chances!

YITF

Dex Rowe, Chief Rifleman
daddex@yahoo.com
279-5153

Recorder's Corner

#1—Candidates applications should be sent to the Temple office at least a couple weeks before a stated Ceremonial Meeting. Accompanying the applications should \$52.50. If this process is followed, the Recorder can call the Drama-darie group to perform the 1st degree ritual at the upcoming Fall Ceremonial. Please follow this process and make life easier for all.

#2—To all Nobles, if you have received your 2019 dues statement remember they're due, January 1st. If your statement says you owe for two years, then you still owe for 2018. Please forward your 2018 dues ASAP so that we don't have to drop you on

Dec. 31st. This is just a polite reminder from your Recorder.

#3—Some of our Lifemembers have received their 2019 membership card stickers for 2019. Reason is, when your Recorder entered you as a Lifemember in the computer, he failed to complete the exercise by posting what you owed for Per Capita and Hospital fees. Shortly you will be receiving your corrected dues statement for 2019. Please pay that amount and place the sticker you received on your card. Thank you, and I apologize for this blunder.

Fraternally yours,
Mike Gunn, Recorder

Elected Heads of Shrine Clubs

Northern Vermont Shrine Club

Gerald A. Morong, PP, President
76 Prospect Hill Rd.
St Albans, VT 05478
802.524.6637

Board of Directors

Donald Karlovich, Potentate
Adam Johnson, Chief Rabban
Dexter Rowe, Assistant Rabban
Gary Luman, High Priest & Prophet
James Smith, Oriental Guide
Michael P. Luurtsema, PP, Treasurer
Mike G. Gunn, Recorder

Representatives to 2018 Shriners International

Daytona Beach, FL, July 15-19, 2018
Donald Karlovich, Potentate
Adam Johnson, Chief Rabban

Shrine Maple Sugar Bowl Board of Governors

Michael Spackman, President
Kristi Morris, General Chairman
Tim Roberts

Turban Times Boosters 2018

David & Sharon Baker
Robert & Sharon Blow
Ken Canning, Jr.
Bob & Kathleen Coon
Bob & Diane duMaire
Bob & Audrey Frizzell
Mike & Gloria Gunn
Adam & Angelique Johnson
Ken & Bev Johnson
Donald & Karen Karlovich
Kinesis Project dance theatre
Leo & Linda Laflamme
Michael & Linda Luurtsema
Jean Malnati
Kristi & Sharon Morris
Harry & Mickey Richard
Sinai Joes' Clown Unit
Pat & Marie Sloan
Jim & Laura Smith
Jim & Dale Walsh
Anonymous

Shriners Hospitals Board of Governors

Springfield - Eileen Watson 413-787-2011

Michael P. Luurtsema, PP
Last Term 1/1/2018 to 12/31/2020
Associate Member - Kristi Morris, PP
1/1/2018 to 12/31/2018
Max is three - 3 year terms

Boston - Dolores Sansone 617-722-3000

William Tinney: 1/1/2018 to 12/31/2020
Associate Member: Open

Montreal - Tammy Johnson 518-842-4464

Donald Tessier PP 1/1/2017 to 12/31/2019
Associate Member: Ken Johnson
1/1/2018 to 12/31/2018

Mount Sinai Officers Maple Sugar Bowl

Robert G. Blow, Past President
Robert J. Donnelly, Jr. Past Secretary-Emeritus
Frank C. Maynard, PP, Past President
David Lovell, Past President

Elected Heads of Units

Mount Sinai Cabiri

President, Shawn Kincaid
PO Box 231, Lyndonville, VT 05851
802.535.1797

Mount Sinai Patrol

President, Norman C. Dix
102 Hollister Hill Rd., Plainfield, VT 05667
802.454.8436

Mount Sinai Provost Guard

Provost Marshall, James G. Murphy
336 Union Street, Newport, VT 05855
802.334.5326

Mount Sinai Joes

Boss Clown, Daniel Gauvreau
193 Park St., Springfield, VT
802.738.9349

Mount Sinai Motor Corps

Corpsmaster, David R. Baker
11 Sunset Terr., St. Albans, VT 05478
802.524.9315

Mount Sinai Clown Jewels

Boss Clown, Alan G. Clark, Sr.
PO Box 277, East Barre, VT 05649-0277
802.479.1938

Northeast Kingdom Fire Brigade

Chief, Ken B. Johnson
4714 Rt. 14, S. Irasburg VT 05845
802.754.8417

Mount Sinai Cycle Unit

President, Dean L. Goulet
PO Box 450, S. Royalton, VT 05068
802.291.0217

Mount Sinai Drama-daries

President, Gerald A. Morong P.P.
76 Prospect Hill Rd, St. Albans, VT 05478
802.524.6637

Mount Sinai Mini Choppers

President, Donald J. Karlovich
PO Box 104, North Troy, VT 05859
802.988.4089

Be a Booster

The *Turban Times* offers nobility the opportunity to participate in and support the Turban Times through purchase of Booster Page recognitions. Examples:

"Mr. & Mrs. Joe Noble"

"Unit Name"

"Noble's Name"

Single line Column Entry will appear throughout 2018 for \$20. A great gift idea for families and friends.

Unit Membership listings are \$8.00 per line.

Payment made to: Mt. Sinai #3

Forward your list and funds to:
Mt. Sinai #3
2 Academy St.
Barre, VT 05641

Mount Sinai Shriners Bingo Upcoming Schedule

September 9
October 7
November 11
December 2



Champlain Valley Exposition
Route 15
Essex Junction, VT

Doors Open: 10:30 AM
Early Birds: 12:30 PM,
Regular Bingo: 1:00 PM

Info: 802.434.2055
mtsinaibingo@gmavt.net

B Players & Workers Needed Mt Sinai Shriner's Bingo is Sunday September 9.

I We are in need of a lot more players. Attendance has been down.
N Please print off a couple flyers and put them up around town.
G Also - when it is your unit's turn to work we really need you to turn out. We have a core group of people there every month and the help is greatly appreciated.
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2018 Shrine Maple Sugar Bowl



Players from New Hampshire march in the Shrine Maple Sugar Bowl parade.



Players from Vermont march in the Shrine Maple Sugar Bowl parade.



Congratulations to all the players on a game well played.



Final score and Vermont wins.



The band at half time.



Discussion during the game.

UMV's 32nd Annual Toy Run & Tab Donations



Thank you to all who donated tabs and their time to make this a successful Toy Run.



Tab Donation

I live at Woodbury Lake in the summer months and in The Villages, Florida for the balance of the year. Same deal for my brother, Putt who is in the picture along with Julie.

My camp in Woodbury has a little home-made bar that sits over the water. It's call The Wake Zone (it's on our green tee shirts in the picture).

The Wake Zone is kind of a neighborhood gathering place and I have spread the word about the tabs. I am known jokingly as the "Tab Nazi" because it's an obsession to collect them....and friends both in Florida and here at the lake deliver them to me constantly. It has spread like wildfire.

More times than not people drop them off and I don't even know them personally.

High school kids, first graders and obviously adults love to see how many we collectively can gather, while not losing sight of their purpose- to help kids in need.

As a side note, we also donate our cans and bottles to the Special Olympics of Barre. The last few years, their teams have gone from wearing just tee shirts to full uniforms, with warm up tops and bottoms.

Hope this helps, Dave Cowens



Mt. Sinai #3
2018 Visitation Weekend
October 12 and 13 2018
Registration form



Name _____ Lady _____
 Telephone _____ E mail _____

Holiday Inn 1068 Williston Road, Burlington, Vt. 05403 (802)419-6204 Cost \$99.00 per night plus tax. Rooms must be revised by September 20, 2018

1. All hotel reservation and payments for hotel are too be made directly with the hotel.
2. Arriving _____ October 12, 2018 or _____ October 13, 2018

Afternoon Lunch in Banquet Room: No Charge 12:00PM

1. _____/I/we will be attending or _____/I/we will not be attending the Saturday Afternoon lunch
2. Total number attending _____

Luau Buffet dinner: \$47.00 per person Children under 12 \$25.00

1. _____/I/we will be attending the Luau dinner buffet.
2. _____ Children under 12 Years of age or under.
3. Total number attending _____

Total amount due. \$ _____

Checks made out to Mt. Sinai #3

Registration form must be returned by September 25, 2018

Please send payment for meals to:

Donald J Karlovich P.O. Box 104 North Troy, Vt. 05859

(802)324-4308 any time after 4:15PM M-F or anytime Saturday or Sunday

Mt. Sinai #3
2018 Visitation Weekend
 October 12 and 13, 2018
DAILY AGENDA

FRIDAY OCTOBER 12, 2018

1. 3:00PM: Hotel Check in
2. 3:30PM: 5:30PM; Hospitality open
3. 6:00PM: Counterparts Dinner
(Place to be decided)
4. 8:00PM-12:30AM Hospitality reopens

SATURDAY OCTOBER 13, 2018

1. 9:30AM: Mt Sinai #3 Fall Ceremonial
(Attire See Note below)
2. 12:00PM: Lunch with Ladies
3. 1:30PM: Mt Sinai Second section
4. 5:30PM: Officers and their Ladies line up for Introduction
(Attire See note below)
5. 6:30PM: Luau Dinner Buffet
6. 7:45PM: Dancing till 10:00PM
7. 9:30PM: Hospitality suite reopens until?

SUNDAY OCTOBER 14, 2018

1. Breakfast on your own
 2. Checkout 11:00AM
- Note (Attire for each event)
1. Mt Sinai Fall Ceremonial: Shrine Business
 - Business Suit for guests
 - Non Officers normal business attire
 - Officers Black Tux
 - Fez required
 - Ladies Dress or pants suit
 2. Luau Dinner: Hawaiian Attire. Fez required.

Mt. Sinai 2018 Family Picnic



Chow line lead by Mrs. Coon.



Oriental Guide Jim Smith presenting Past Potentate Gerry Morong with a 2nd place prize for raising funds for the 3rd Annual Walk-a-Thon held on August 25th.



Everybody chowing down at the older members table.



Young members chowing down.

Mt. Sinai Shriners 3rd Annual Walk-a-Thon Update



On August 25th we held the 3rd Annual Mt. Sinai Walk-a-Thon at North Beach in Burlington. This was a great opportunity to get out and enjoy a nice 2 mile walk along the Burlington bike path while supporting the Temple. **We raised \$1,710.00 for Temple activities.** 11 walkers participated and a BBQ was held after the walk was completed. We had great weather for this event and look forward to even more participation next year.

walk-a-thon

2018 Parade Season Continues



Motor Corp getting ready for the Heritage Parade in Barre.

2018 Shrine Maple Sugar Bowl Parade



Mt. Sinai 250 Cycles Unit saluting the crowd.



Northeast Kingdom Fire Brigade always entertaining the crowd.



Sinai Joes clown interacting with the crowd.



Motor Corp members zooming down the ramp.



General Chairman and PP Kristi Morris along with Board President Tom MacPhee walk in the parade.



Waiting for the parade to get started.



Illustrious Sir Donald Karlovich walking in the parade.

Living Past Potentates

1977 – Homer R. Fitts (Margaret)

1980 – Frank C. Maynard (Linda)

1988 – Jack C. Bacon (Carol)

1991 – Homer D. Selby (Janet)

1992 – Donald E. Tessier, Jr. (Pauline)

1994 – Roy C. Vance (Linda)

1995 – Frederic T.W. Wall (Leslie)

1998 – Gerald A. Morong (Frances)

1999 – Winston W. Harper (Rachel)

2000 – C. J. Murray (Deborah)

2002 – Gary G. Centabar

2004 – Michael A. Parent (Maureen)

2005 – Robert M. Beattie, Sr. (Joy)

2006 – Leo A. Laflamme (Linda)

2007 – Michael P. Luurtsema (Linda)

2008 – Harry E. Richard (Mickey)

2010 – Kristi C. Morris (Sharon)

2011 – J. Patrick Sloan (Marie)

2012 – Shawn E. Kincaid (Jaqi)

2013 – Alton Willard (Joan)

2014 – Bruce Pelletier (Monica)

2015 – Paul Mosher

2016 – Kenneth Canning, Jr.

2017 - Pierre Letourneau

In Memoriam 2018

DAVID V. VANDERSALL **St. Simons Island, GA.**

Born: 12/10/1934
Created: 5/12/1979
Died: 8/23/2015

JOHN H. RHODES **St. Albans, VT.**

Born: 4/13/1934
Created: 1/21/1966
Died: 7/7/2016

NICHOLAS L. SCANGAS **St. Albans, VT.**

Born: 12/24/1929
Created: 5/15/1964
Died: 12/1/2016

EDWARD E. STEELE **Palm City FL.**

Born: 3/13/1937
Created: 5/13/1961
Died: 4/1/2017

RICHARD T. ELWELL **Bellevue, FL.**

Born: 8/30/1934
Created: 8/11/1962
Died: 10/30/2017

DOUGLAS BIENIEK **Palm Beach Gardens, FL.**

Born: 6/22/1918
Created: 5/26/1956
Died: 11/9/2017

EDWARD P. LAFLAMME **Springfield, VT.**

Born: 7/4/1939
Created: 5/19/1984
Died: 1/5/2018

DAVID E. CUMMING **Barre, VT.**

Born: 10/6/1934
Created: 5/1/1982
Died: 1/20/2018

WILLIS A. SPAULDING **Little River, SC.**

Born: 6/8/1924
Created: 5/9/1984
Died: 3/9/2018

RICHARD MEARS **Barre, VT.**

Born: 12/2/1935
Created: 4/29/1972
Died: 4/28/2018

ROBERT J. DONNELLY, JR. **Corinth, VT.**

Born: 2/27/1945
Created: 5/15/1976
Died: 5/28/2018

FRANK COLLINGWOOD **Bloomfield, MI.**

Born: 1/31/1926
Created: 4/1/1968
Died: 7/2018