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Potentate: Donald Karlovich

Recorder: Mike Gunn

Treasurer: Alton Willard

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Noble Bob Coon member of the Motor Corp of St. Albans with Governor Phil Scott at the Maple Fest this past weekend





#### What's New

**Potentate Notes** 

**Community News** 

What's coming Up?

Sick Call Black Camel

## Why we do what we do 100 Years of Being Unstoppable



#### **Shriners Children's Boston**

#### Boston research

Shriners Children's Boston is looking forward to welcoming clinicians and researchers from across the Shriners Children's healthcare system this week. Our hospital is hosting a research conference highlighting innovations in burn care as well as craniofacial treatment. Stay tuned for news on the groundbreaking research being done in these two fields.



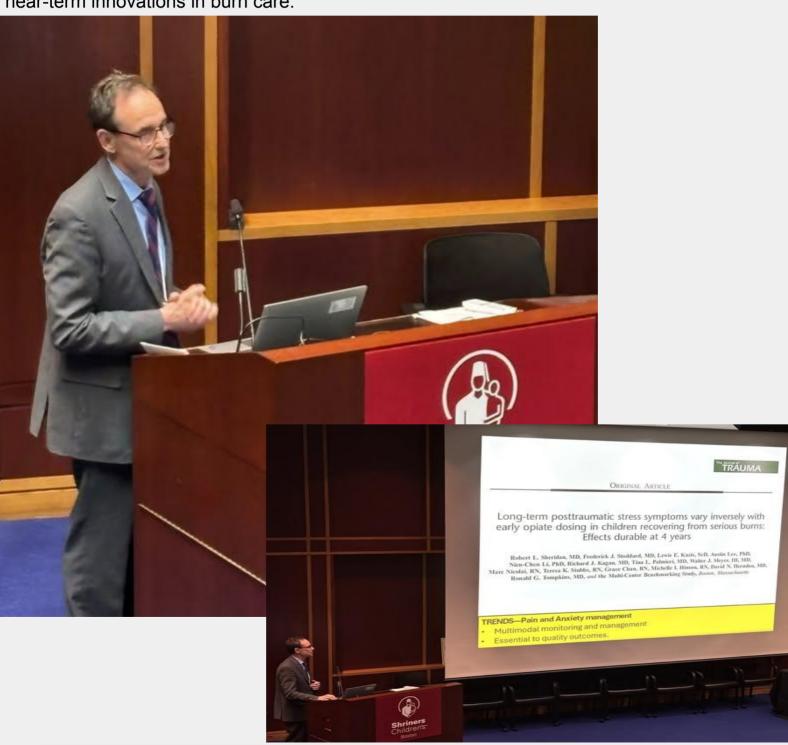


## Why we do what we do 100 Years of Being Unstoppable



Shriners Children's Boston's very own Robert L. Sheridan, MD., chief of staff and director of the burn service, was a featured speaker this morning at the State of Science research conference. Dr. Sheridan shared his perspective on trends in burn care for young children, highlighting what has changed over the years in the field.

Shriners Children's doctors from across the healthcare system joined forces this morning in Boston to share their knowledge and discuss the latest laser treatment and other near-term innovations in burn care.

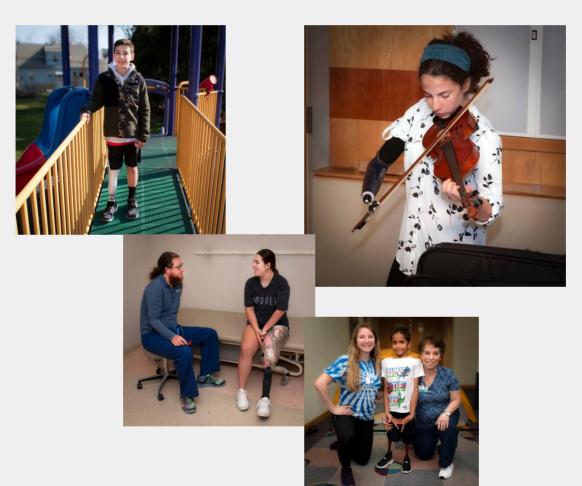




## Why we do what we do 100 Years of Being Unstoppable



April is Limb Loss and Limb Difference Awareness Month! Shriners Children's New England is committed to providing exceptional care to children from all over the world. Our care team works with each patient to make sure they feel heard, confident and ready to conquer anything they put their mind to!



Learn more at:

https://www.shrinerschildrens.org/en/pediatric-care/limb-deficiencies

## Hospital News Shriners Children's Boston Celebrates Occupational Therapy Month

Occupational Therapists do more than help people recover, they help them thrive! This OT month, we're introducing you to some colleagues who make all the difference. Read more about the important work they do



https://www.shrinerschildrens.org/en/news-and-media/news/20 25/04/occupational-therapy-month

#### Chief Rabban Message

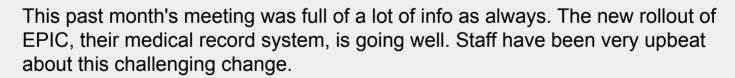
Greeting Nobles and Ladies,

I wanted to provide an update on what has been going on in terms of Membership. As we all know membership has been dropping at a faster rate that new members have been brought on. We are now working closely with Cairo to work on a solution for this trend. We are all in this together, the only way for us to continue to help the children is to continue to exist. We need all of your help to meet this goal. Please reach out to me if you have any questions or suggestions.

Fraternally Yours, Gary B. Luman PP 2020/CR 2025

#### **Hospital Board News**

Greetings from Shriners Children's Boston,



We need to get more Patients into SHC Boston, and how we do that is what we are working through now.

Patient Ambassador: Juan Diego spoke to the group to thank us for all the great care he has received at Shriners Boston. He turns 21 in June and will be moving care to an adult provider. He spoke many good words and the success he has had. Again, he said he loves us all for what we do and what we stand for. Petition this young lad.

My Pitch for assistance and sponsorship, the 6th Annual Haunted Walk is Sunday, October 19th, 10-12 pm in Boston. I would love to get support from the Temple to get a Team together so I can reach the goal of what I am "asked" to raise (\$2500) for this event. Start saving your pennies (or bigger bills) and let's go for a walk. Reach out to me and I will provide more details.

Jim, PP 2021





**Next Bingo: 4-May** 

Next scheduled unit: Sinai Joes and Cabari

Bingo is always looking for more volunteers and players

Units you don't have to wait for your assigned month to join in the fun

#### 2025 Divan

Potentate - Donald Karlovich Chief Rabban - Gary Luman Assistant Rabban -

High Priest and Profit - Michael Bergeron Oriental Guide - James Walsh Recorder - Mike Gunn Treasurer - Alton Willard





#### **Editorial**

Northeast Shrine Association Field Days will be held in Prince Edward Island Canada. September 25-28.

Check out the upcoming events listed - lots of fun opportunities to get involved with your Temple!

Do you know of someone who might be interested in becoming a member - strike up a conversation



#### **May**

4 - Bingo

16-17 - Karnak Visitation (see notice)

#### **June**

8- Bingo

14 - Golf Tournament - Enosburg VT

29-3rd - Imperial Session - Atlanta Ga.

#### **July**

6-Bingo

#### 2025 Bingo Schedule

Note: There will be no Bingo in April of October

Please watch the announcements for any changes that might be needed

4-May: Sinai Joes and Cabari

8-June: Fire Brigade

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## **Upcoming Visitation**



Use this link to make your reservations. Reminder all amounts are in Canadian on site

https://www.karnakshriners.org/events/125-visitation-ceremonial-weekend-2025/





#### 5th Annual Mt. Sinai Shriner's #3 Golf Tournament

Proceeds' go to Mt. Sinai Shriner's #3



Dear Business Owner/Manager:

Level	Donation	Includes
Gold	\$300.00	Hole Sponsor Sign     Team Sponsorship
Silver	\$100	Hole Sponsor

We would like to invite you to be a hole sponsor in the Mt. Sinai Shriner's Golf Tournament which will be held at Enosburg Falls Country Club on Saturday, June 14th, 2025.

The format for the tournament will be a 4-Person scramble.

Thanks again for your continued support. We look forward to seeing you at the Enosburg Falls Country Club on Saturday, June 14th, 2025.

Sincerely, Mt Sinai Shriner's

		HOLE SPONSORSHIP	
Hole Sponsor - My Business			would like to
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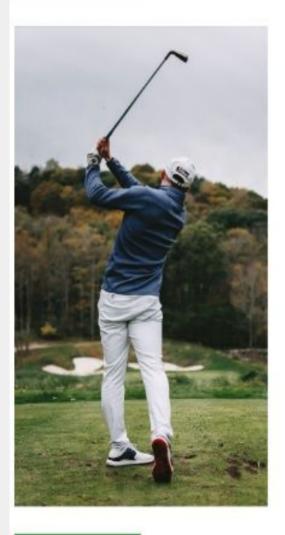
Please send logo/artwork for sign to donaldkarlovich@yahoo.com by May 23rd, 2025. Please return your hole sponsor information to Donald Karlovich, PO Box 104, North Troy, VT 05859. For questions, please email donaldkarlovich@yahoo.com.

#### **Upcoming Fundraiser**

ARROWHEAD GOLF COURSE- MILTON, VT

Hosted by Masons of Northern Vermont Open to the Public

## GLOW GOLF Charity Night Golf



Friday | Oct 3, 2025 7 PM

Rain date Sat. Oct. 4, 2025

9 Holes of Glow Golf Par 3 Executive course No experience needed to Join in the Fun! - Teams of 4

Price: \$240 - Team of 4
Singles Welcome
Glow Balls Provided
Push Carts Available
All proceeds will be donated to
Mt. Sinai Shriners

For more info or to sign-up Contact Jim Walsh at 802-309-8132 jwalsh331@gmail.com







NSA Field Days Sept. 25-28th

Summerside, Prince Edward Island

Hotel: The Microtel Inn and Suites

Rate: \$235 w/tax Canadian

Includes: Free Continental Breakfast, Parking,

Wifi

Questions please contact Bruce Pelletier bpellet@comcast.net

Contact information:

Microtel Inn and Suites Summerside 515 Notre Dame Street Summerside, PE C1N 1T2 Canada (902) 918-0410 Mention Mt. Sinai







When: October 19, 2025

Time: 10am-12pm

Where: The Garden at Elm Bank 900

Washington St Wellesley, MA 02482

Registration opens: April 1st

Learn More:

https://www.shrinerschildrens.org/en/news-and-media/events/2025/10/boston-haunted-walk-2025





#### Members wanted

#### **ATTENTION**

The Provost Guard of Mt Sinai is looking to increase its membership should those interested wish to learn more about the duties of the Provost Guard prior to becoming a member please contact:



Jim Murphy
Provost Marshal
Phone 802-279-3981
Email Jim@adavt.com

Are you wondering what the Provost Guard does? In general terms:

Within the Shriners International fraternity, the Provost Guard unit is responsible for the internal security of the Shrine Temple at all functions, escorting the Potentate and First Lady to events, and participating in parades and other public appearances.

#### **Unit News**

Motorcycle Unit - Michael Bergeron Meeting date meeting location

Fire Brigade - Ken Johnson (kenlocks@comcast.net)
Meeting date
meeting location:

Motor Corp - Dave Baker (drbaker81@comcast.net/moronggerald@comcast.net)

Meeting date
Meeting location:

Sinai Joes - Paul Laflamme (plaflamme@vermontel.net/davegulbrandsen@yahoo.com)

Meeting date

Meeting location:

Bunker Busters - Donald Karlovich PP (donaldkarlovich@yahoo.com)

Meeting date
Meeting location:

Camel - Mike Parent PP (myke57@hotmail.com)

Northern Shrine Club - Gerald Morong PP (moronggerald@comcast.net)

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1991 - Homer Selby (Janet)

1992 - Donald Tessier

1994 - Roy Vance (Linda)

1998 - Gerald Morong (Frances)

1999 - Winston Harper (Rachel)

2000 - C.J. Murray (Deborah)

2002 - Gary Centabar

2004- Micheal Parent (Maureen)

2006 - Leo Laflamme (Linda)

2008 - Harry Richard (Mickey)

2010 - Kristi Morris (Sharon)

2012- Shawn Kincaid (Jacqi)

2013 - Alton Willard (Joan)

2014 - Bruce Pelletier (Monica)

2015- Paul Mosher

2016 - Ken Canning (Liz)

## Past Potentates (Living)

2017 - Pierre Letourneau

2018 - Donald Karlovich (Karen)

2019 - Micheal Parent (Maureen)

2020 - Gary Luman Jr. (Angela)

2021 - James Smith (Laura)

2022 - Bruce Pelletier (Monica)

2023 - Scott Boyer (Jennifer)

2024 - David Coffey (Lynne)

### **Next edition**

June 1, 2025

Please have submissions entered by the 28th of the month to ensure time to add. All submissions should be sent to:

galuman2020@gmail.com

Pictures and funnies are also welcome

#### Sick Call

#### **Black Camel 2025**

RICHARD HALLSTROM, WATERBURY, VT.

BORN: 4/3/1947

CREATED 5/9/1998

DIED: 12/27/2024

JOHN T. COLBY, MONTPELIER, Vt

Born: 4/22/1930

Created: 5/9/1959

Died: 1/13/2025

### **Opportunities**

Fundraising Committee: Do you or your lady have an interest in fundraising? Have an idea on how to raise money for the Temple and the Hospitals? If so contact any member of the Divan and they will be happy to help.

**Divan Positions:** Have you ever wondered how one gets selected for the Divan. Contact the office at <a href="mailto:recorder@mountsinaishriners.org">recorder@mountsinaishriners.org</a> and Mike Gunn will help direct you.

Is there an activity that you enjoy and think others would like to join you. How about forming a club? Wonder how to do that you can contact Gary Luman CR'25 at galuman2020@gmail.com





