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NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2022





Noble Daniel R. Scheetz, Chief Rabban, and Lady Debbie
invite you to join them and start the year by enjoying the

**Potentate's Reception
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Saturday, January 7, 2023—LuLu Shriners Ballroom**

- 6:00 PM Open Bar with Butlered Hors d'oeuvres
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- 7:15 PM Dinner Served
- 8:15 PM Installation of Officers
- 9:00 PM Entertainment

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From the Potentate



**Illustrious Sir
John H. Green, Jr.
Potentate 2022**

Well, here we are at my last article of the year. Where did the time go?

First and foremost, I would like to thank each one of my chairpersons and the people who helped them with our events. I would also like to thank my Divan for their support throughout this year. I couldn't have done it without

you! Thank you to those who attended the events we planned throughout the year. We appreciate your support.

A special thanks to Jack and Gay Richards for stepping up as our chief aides after the untimely death of our beloved Bill Adamson. A big thank you to Kate Adamson for all your help during this trying year.

I think it has been a productive year at LuLu. We have seen our rentals soar under the direction of Gary Davis and Jaime Green. The income generated from the rentals has enabled us to complete several much-needed improvements throughout the Temple. We hope to continue this well into the future.

We would like to wish Dan and Debbie Scheetz a successful 2023. We are always available if you need help or advice in the year to come.

Thank you, LuLu, for allowing me to lead you through 2022. As much as I have enjoyed being the Potentate, I am very much looking forward to being a Past Potentate!

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2022 DIVAN

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Recorder's Recordings

By: Ill. Sir Gary Davis, P.P.



My initial thoughts about the last article I would submit for 2022 was to write about the accomplishments at our Shrine center during my first year as Recorder. However, realizing that these are self-evident and the efforts put forth were done for the love of the fraternity, I decided to devote this article to

the memory of my father in Freemasonry. After all, it is our people and relationships that are really important in life. Without his guidance, I would probably not have become a Shriner.

Illustrious Sir and Brother Emanuel Iglesias was many things to many people. Of course, he was a Past Potentate of LuLu Temple having served in 1982. He was also the last surviving warrant member of Leonard Forman Lodge, No. 782 where he served as Worshipful Master in 1960. Forman Lodge was constituted in 1957 from Brotherhood Lodge, No. 773. Forman Lodge merged into Lodge 126 in 2002. Surprisingly, Lodge No. 126 was the result of a merger between Rising Star Lodge, No.126 and Brotherhood Lodge, No. 773, so effectively Forman Lodge returned from whence it came as it went back into Brotherhood.



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*We would like to thank everyone who has submitted
articles and photos.*

Manny was also extremely active in Scottish Rite. He spent countless hours with George Washington Scottish Rite Club, the Reading Valley, and the various degrees they performed. He was awarded the Masonic Service Award (MSA) and honored with the 33rd degree and title of Illustrious Brother.

At the Shrine level he was most active in the Mounted Guard which holds the distinction of being the first mounted unit in all of Shrinedom. It is also the only "guard" as the others are "patrols". Having owned horses himself, he was an experienced horseman and excellent rider. He would often say "there is nothing so good for the inside of a man as the outside of a horse." In 1972 he created and introduced the Musical Drill to all of the Shrine mounted units. Simply put, a fifteen-minute musical presentation where the horses are put through the three gaits. Namely, walk, jog, and gallop in Western lingo or walk, trot, and canter in English terms. This was the start of fifty years of good, spirited competition between the horse units both at Imperial and MASA. Our Mounted Guard brought home more than its share of trophies.

In 1988 he and the late Ill. Sir Charles R. (Buffalo) Young drove out to Wisconsin, purchased rodeo chutes and stands, loaded them on trailers, transported them back and installed them in what became our arena. They started 30 years of Rodeo in Plymouth Meeting.

In 2004, he and Lady Rachel produced a Minstrel Show using our members and their Ladies. It was one of the best times I can remember at LuLu and was highly attended. Together they also ran several western dance nights at the Shrine. Rachel was a most excellent dancer. We lost her in 2014.

He was the Temple's Parliamentarian and could always be counted on for a levelheaded, clear interpretation and solution to disagreements. He was at all times, a gentleman. His guidance, warmth, and sense of humor will be missed by all who had the privilege of knowing him. He was called to his maker in the morning of July 29, 2022, at the age of 92. Farewell Brother Manny.

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UPCOMING DEADLINES:

MAR/APR: FEB 1, 2023 • MAY/JUN: APR 1, 2023

OFFICIAL CALL OF THE POTENTATE

Notice is hereby given that LuLu Shriners will hold business meetings at the time and place shown below for the transaction of such business that may come before the temple. Please RSVP a week before so we have an accurate count for dinner. Remember to bring your dues card so you can be scanned in.

Wednesday, December 14, 2022

Election of Divan and Temple Officers

Wednesday, January 4, 2023

Installation of Divan, Noble of the Year and Club/Unit of the Year

6 PM Dinner – 7 PM Meeting

By: Ill. Sir John H. Green, Jr.
Potentate

Attest: Gary Davis, P.P.
Recorder



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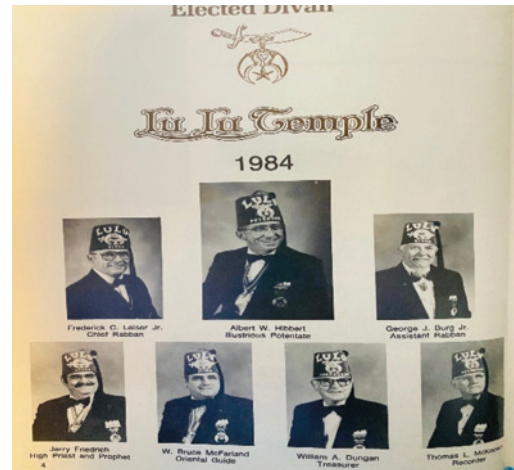


Manny Iglesias, P.P. July 29, 2022
Richard Heath September 2, 2022
Richard Bowman September 2, 2022
Philip Candelore October 3, 2022

"May your soul be bound up in the bond of eternal life".

THE HISTORY OF THE SHRINE & LULU TEMPLE – 16 CHAPTER C (100)

By: Noble Brandon Copeland, Historian



I sat down to compose this article and discovered that this will be Chapter C (Roman numeral for 100) and I changed my entire concept for this submission. We are going to take trip down memory lane and revisit the 100th anniversary of the LuLu Shrine (circa 1984).

The information mentioned below was quoted in the One Hundredth Anniversary History Book of LuLu Temple (A.A.O.N.M.S. Whitemarsh, Pennsylvania / Metro-Philadelphia Area.

The History Book Committee was composed of Walter R. West, Chairman, and John Paul Koitszch.

We'll start with the Elected Divan:

Illustrious Potentate – Albert W. Hibbert
Chief Rabban – Frederick C. Leiser, Jr.
Assistant Rabban – George J. Burg, Jr.
High Priest and Prophet – Jerry Friedrich
Oriental Guide – W. Bruce McFarland
Treasurer – William A. Dungan
Recorder – Thomas L. McKeown

There was a note sent from the Imperial Potentate, Gene Bracewell, that stated in part, *"It give me great pleasure, on behalf of the approximately 900,000 Shrines of North America, to congratulate you on the occasion of your 100th Anniversary."*

The 1984 Directory of the Imperial Council lists One

Hundred Eighty-five (185) Temples and a total of 900,000 Nobles of the Mystic Shrine affiliated in the A.A.O.N.M.S.

I would like to personally thank former Historian, Noble Harry Speth, for introducing me to the history of the Shrine and the LuLu Shrine, in particular.

Continuing, a bit, in that theme, it's worth mentioning that on September 16, 2022, the Shriner's Children's Hospital enlisted the storytelling prowess of Disney and ABC to air a 30-minute special titled "Miracles, Magic & Milestones" to help the Shriners Children's celebrate 100 years of premiere pediatric healthcare and changing the lives of over 1.5 million children. The special was hosted by Kristen Bell and was broadcast on ABC stations across the nation.

Furthermore, we're reminded that on September 26, 1872, the first official meeting was held to establish our beloved fraternity, Shriners International, 150 years ago. That small group initiated the bonds of brotherhood that remain intact today.

Many of the Nobles received calls encouraging us to participate, promote and support our events. Our unique ability to incorporate our significant others and families into our activities is an opportunity we should relish. Let's continue to engage our fellow Nobles and reinvigorate the brotherhood in the process!

LuLu Shrines Patrol Association Visits Shriners Childrens Philadelphia

By Dennis Gold

On Thursday, August 18th members of the LuLu Shriners Patrol visited Shriners Childrens Hospital of Philadelphia. Do not be wise in words – be wise in deeds is a proverb. That is what happened on this day. The members donated \$10,000 to the “Walk for Love” that was held on Saturday, October 1, 2022 at the Philadelphia Zoo. Other members in attendance at the hospital board meeting from LuLu were Zalig Stein, Harris Brooks, and Thomas Spoltore.

We want to thank Terry Diamond, Stephanie Byrwa and Patricia Super and the staff at the hospital. They make many activities and donations happen. They are

the front line workers making the “Walk For Love”, donations, and many other activities happen. Including the Patrol’s \$10,000 gift, collectively, LuLu Shriners units and clubs donated over \$26,000.00 to this year’s walk. Thanks to the Divan’s involvement, Team LuLu sponsored \$5,000, Northeast Shrine Club donated \$10,000, and the Legion of Honor gave \$1,000.

While it has been said, that the best way to give charity is for the donor not to know who gave the donation. We want to thank everyone involved in making this year a great success. Our members should be proud.



In the picture (left to right) are, Dennis Gold, Richard Lamontagne, Erv Kaucher, and Dan Freye. Unable to attend were Joel Brookstein and Alan Rupert.

LuLu Scouting Unit

By Emil JE Gombosi

Joy is a feeling that many may not often experience. Witho Please consider joining or donating to our Scouting Unit. We are open to anyone interested in Scouting. For information on our Breakfast Meetings dates and times please contact Len Brownstein at lenbrownstein@gmail.com or 215-677-4147.

This summer, LuLu Scouting Unit, donated the following specific items for the 2022 BSA Summer Camping Season. This includes Chester County Council, Cradle of Liberty Council, Washington Crossing Council who are all located in LuLu's Oasis.

All of these camps are now co-ed and supply the same programs to all Scouts. Please note Washington Crossing Council did not submit a request (bsawcc.org).

LuLu's Scouting Unit donated \$1,500 to Chester County Council – Camp Horseshoe Scout Camp, to purchase mountain bikes (cccbsa.org).

The Scouting Unit donated 5 kayaks to Cradle of Liberty Council - Resica Falls Scout Reservation at Lake Roger (resicafalls.org).



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& Shriners Children's



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A special program will be featured on Membership in Shrine and **Shriners Children's**

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Noble Paul J. Feigel, Sr., PM, C.R., Noble Michael S. Feldsher, PM, A.R.
Noble Hilary A. Kaufman, PM, H.P.&P., Noble Timothy N. Bossert, PM, Treasurer

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LODGE or CLUB or UNIT (SUPPLY NAMES) _____

Seating pre-reserved & assigned tables, capacity 500 people

All in the Minds Eye

By: Noble Hilary A. Kaufman, Oriental Guide, Membership Chairman

We have a beautiful LuLu Shriners Temple. It is the results of the hard work and expertise of our Recorder and his staff, our Mosque Operating Committee, finance and investment committees, our Divan and so many other LuLu Shriners involved. We are proud of what we have and based on the great many bookings of current and committed future rentals, others agree with the magnificence of our facility.

This is the body of LuLu Shriners, but not its soul. We have all attended many funerals. A common theme with most is that the deceased was a very worthwhile person with many great attributes. The deceased was loved by many. But, this person, in passing and even in life, is only a shell. The true essence of a person is his or her soul. A gift from God. As we hear in the funeral service, the body will disappear, but the soul is everlasting.

At LuLu, we have a beautiful and very functional temple, but it is not our soul. Some may say, and I agree, the soul of LuLu is within each of us as Masons and Shriners. Our philosophy of being a moral person, based on our Judo-Christian beliefs, and our sworn beliefs to help and serve our fellow human, certainly contributes to forming our soul. Making us who we are.

For us as Shriners, our sworn allegiance to helping, supporting, and serving our Shriner Children makes us unique. This is a part of our soul. The more we Shriners understand and accept this, the more we value being a Shriner.

We should aim to enjoy the Fun and Camaraderie we find in our Clubs, Units, Activities and Events at LuLu. It may sound mundane, but all that we experience shapes our souls. If we do not participate in what is available for all of us at LuLu, LuLu is just an empty shell; not contributing to who we are. You may say, "This is ridiculous!" It is ridiculous, only if you do not see what is available for you in life, including LuLu.

When asked of most new Shriners: "Why did you become a Shriners?" The answer most given is to be a part of and contribute to the great work at Shriners Hospitals and the miracles performed for our children in need of healing. They may see the ads on TV and feel they want to be a part of helping. They most likely do not realize that by becoming a Shriner, and helping those in need, this greatly contributes to shaping their soul.

You may think: "What is Noble Hilary's motive in bring up our soul and the Shriners?"

If you truly understand how being a Shriner contributes to your soul's joy and the general happiness that results, you will be able to relay this to your fellow Masons to join you. **As Masons, we have sworn to help our brothers in whatever way we can. You will be helping your fellow Masons find greater meaning in life through the Shrine.**

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LuLu Shriners Ladies' Luncheon

Never Miss a Chance to Dance!

Honoring First Lady Jaime Green



Sunday, November 13, 2022

12:00p.m.

LuLu Shrine Auditorium

5140 Butler Pike; Plymouth Meeting, PA 19462

Delicious Buffet Luncheon

Entertainment

Nobles Welcome!

Doors Open at 11:00a.m.

50 / 50 Drawing & Raffle Baskets

Chairperson

Debbie Scheetz (215) 880-2114

Co-Chair & Seating

Kathy Feigel (484) 678-4850

- **Cost: \$40 per person - Checks made payable to LuLu Shriners**
- **All Reservations & Checks MUST Be received by 10/28/2022**

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Debbie Scheetz * 354 Fox Hollow Drive * Langhorne, PA 19053

Note: Any proceeds are for the benefit of the LuLu Shriners First Lady's Beautification Project. Cost not tax deductible.

Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Amount enclosed: _____ **Number of Reservations:** _____





Legion of Honor

By: Gary M. Portnoy, PC

Legion of Honor Picnic

The Legion of Honor had its annual picnic on Monday night, 19 September 2022 at 6:00 PM / 1800 hours. The menu was provided by Mission Barbeque. The event was very successful with forty-one people present.



Photographs by Mike Feldsher

Hospital Donation

Your generous donations made along with your dues allowed the Legion to donate \$1000.00 directly to the "Walk for Love" which supports Shriners Hospital of Philadelphia. This also made possible the printing of our name on the shirts distributed at the event.



All participants, walkers and runners will receive a t-shirt. Thomas Spoltore Legion Past Commander and Hospital Board member presents our check.

Legion of Honor Officer Elections

Nominations for Officer Positions within the LuLu Shriners Legion of Honor are accomplished during the month of September to ballot on those officers in October. This is to comply with Shrine General Order Number 1. Those names are published a month in advance for members consideration. We could use a 2nd Lt Commander. Some other positions held by current officers could be spread out among the members. A list of officers to be voted on has been distributed.

Legion of Honor Upcoming Events

2023 LuLu Scheduling Mtg	4 Nov 2022
Arlington Tomb Trip	6 Nov 2022
Holiday Party	19 Dec 2022
Change of Command	08 Jan 2023

The Legion of Honor meets on the 4th Monday of the month in the LuLu Merrymac Room.

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2022

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2022 LuLu FEZtival Schedule

Thursday, November 17.....4PM—8PM

Friday, November 18.....4PM—8PM

Saturday, November 19....10AM—8PM

Sunday, November 20.....10AM—5PM

Trees will be raffled off at 5:00PM on November 20, 2022. Winners do not need to be present.
Proceeds benefit LuLu Shriners. Payments are not deductible as charitable contributions.

LuLu Shrine Center, 5140 Butler Pike, Plymouth Meeting, PA 19462
610-828-9050 • Visit www.lulufestival.org for tickets and more information.

Across the Sights and Along the Lines of the LuLu Rod and Gun Club



By: Gary Portnoy

Sporting Clays

Laird Bevitz, Bob Ochotny, Tom Spoltore, and Gary Portnoy drove to the Grand Masters Masonic Shoot at Lehigh Valley Sporting Clays. The weather was very poor with constant heavy rain. We decided not to subject ourselves and our shotguns to the weather and went to breakfast instead. We ran into Right Worshipful Grand Master Jeffrey M. Wonderling before leaving who promised to take care of us and supplied us with four gift cards for a shoot at Lehigh. A clay shooter himself he also stayed dry. We invited him to shoot with us in the future.

LuLu Rod and Gun Club members shoot Sporting Clays almost every two weeks at Lehigh Valley Sporting Clays in Copley, PA just North of Allentown. This is a fabulous sport that does not require great physical strength. Contact any shooter for info. We can supply an appropriate shotgun and instruction for beginners. We welcome back Laird Bevitz who shot very well on 21 September, after an unapproved medical leave.



Holiday Party

The Holiday Party is scheduled for 8 December 2022, 6:00 PM at a cost of \$35.00. Hors d'oeuvres will be served as well. The location is Charlotte's Restaurant, 3207 West Chester Pike, Newtown Square, PA 19073. This event includes several clubs including the Activities Club, Conestoga Shrine Club, Delaware County Shrine Club, Quaker City-Montco Shrine Club, Rod and Gun Club. A detailed flyer will be forthcoming.

Fall 2022 Cast and Blast

By the time you receive this the 2022 Cast & Blast event at Trophy Mountain Hunting Club, Huntingdon, PA will be history. This is a fabulous event including fishing, shooting clays, and shooting birds. Look for this event to be scheduled again in 2023.

SCHEDULE

- **May-Dec.: Sporting Clays & Trap and Pistol Range Events** (weather permitting) Look for notices
- **24 Nov., 7:00 PM: Monthly Meeting**
Date may change due to Thanksgiving Holiday
- **8 Dec., Sat. PM: Joint R & G and Shrine Club Holiday Dinner**, Charlotte's Restaurant, Newtown Square, PA

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Hospital Rounds

By: Noble Thomas A Spoltore, Board of Governors, Secretary

Well, I'm happy to report that at the time of this article being written, the hospital fundraiser "Walk for Love" has all of the indications of being a great success. The organization and the hard work and efforts of the hospital staff is a reflection of that success. I'm also happy to note that thanks to the generosity of our LuLu members, units and clubs, over \$27,000 was donated to the hospital. The stewardship of every penny of the money donated will be utilized directly in meeting the needs of our patients. Thank you, LuLu Temple!

The quest to locate a Hospital Administrator is still ongoing. Hopefully the process will be successful and result in the identification of a highly qualified candidate. At the present time, the Director of Care and Patient Services (DPCS), Krista Miller is doing a remarkable job in providing leadership and direction in assuming the responsibilities of both positions. As you know, we have been conducting a search for the Administrator position since 2019. Just like the interruption of the supply chain and our daily routines,

COVID has had an adverse effect on filling the position. It's imperative that we don't settle for anything less than a highly qualified candidate. Until then, our search continues.

This year is quickly coming to a close, but it is also an opportunity for a new beginning. At the hospital, Board of Governors preparations are already in progress to meet future hospital needs. Committee leadership and assignments are being prioritized so that we can ensure we stay abreast of the ever-changing needs related to health care. Board of Governors members come from a variety of backgrounds and levels of expertise; this is needed to provide quality hospital oversight. Soon, there will be measures taken to fill the Board Member positions whose terms will be expiring. We are looking forward to that challenge beginning in January 2023. In the next Hospital Rounds article, I will outline the desired qualities and how to apply for the positions on the board. If you are interested in applying and serving, I'm sure you will find it a great honor and life-enriching experience.

LuLu Shrine Model Train Club

By Thomas A Spoltore, President

Well All I can say is "wow," and "double wow" when it comes to train clubs. I have to admit that I had no idea about the hard work, time, and dedication to detail that was involved in setting up a train display. As you know, the LuLu Train Club known as the High Railers, is in its first year as a club. I was asked by our Potentate, John Green, to organize the club to get it going. I had experience in starting up a club but truly found out I was out of my wheelhouse.

From the very beginning, two of our officers led the way: 1st V.P. Bob Swan and 2nd V.P. Paul Knapp picked up the gauntlet and started to lay the groundwork. As you may be aware, there were a few impediments to ironing out some important details like where to find an appropriate meeting room and setting up a display in the Shrine auditorium. After several months, those details were ironed out. I'll spare you the details, but

thanks to the Arab Patrol and Ill. Sir Gary Davis, P.P., Recorder, we are rolling along.

I began this article by saying "wow" and I'll further explain my rationale. On a recent excursion to the Boumi Temple, we were given a tour of their facility and we walked into one of their Club rooms and I saw the possibilities of what could be. There was an enormous platform which was a perfect replica of a small town. The attention to every detail of the exhibit was remarkable. Numerous houses, businesses, cars, trucks and around 5 sets of trains. Words cannot describe it; you have to see it to believe it.

The next epiphany was on a visit to Ann's Choice, a senior living community where Bob and Lynn Swan reside. We were met there by Bob's train club members

(continued on page 20)

Northeast Shrine Club of LuLu Shrine



“Home of the Happy Shriner”

Chartered November 6, 1923

Joseph R. Long, President

Harry S. Frajerman
1st Vice President

Zalig H. Stein, P.P. (2017)
2nd Vice President

Joel H. Brookstein, P.P. (2008)
Secretary

Vincent Bocchinfuso
Treasurer

All Shriners are invited to join us on the 3rd Monday of each month at

Cannstatter Volksfest-Verein

9130 Academy Rd ~ Phila 19114

NESC Information & Dinner Reservation Hotline 215-742-7133

Social Hour 6:00 PM

Dinner 7:00 PM

Dinner \$15.00 Member, \$20.00 non-member

Nobles Interested in Joining NESC Contact any member or Secretary
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Sightings from the Crow's Nest

By The Old Salt, Ill. Sir Matt Hallowell, PP, Past Commodore

Ahoy Mates, Welcome Aboard



Well, we are sailing into Winter and are in dock or winterized on land, not sailing open waters now. I hope as a crew we will be safe during our winter docking.

Our crew docked at a new port called Andy's Diner last month and enjoyed Dutch treats, cocktails and dinner. We the crew/mates enjoyed socializing and dinner and being together in a new port/dock. So, we will be docking at Andy's together again with our ladies (First Mates) for December docking.

Our crew will be having upcoming events with our NFL football party/Reverse Raffle, Commodore's Ball and Holiday Party.

Please review our newsletter/chart issued by our

Navigator/Secretary to our crew for logging their charts for upcoming Winter months parties.

Call our Rear Commodore Harris Brody (215-675-1184) if you plan to anchor or/raft with us at Pier Andy's.

Note to Mates: our crew (board) meetings are held on the fourth Tuesday of October and December at LuLu in Club room #10 at 7pm.

If you are interested in being a crew member by boating, sailing, social activities, please contact Ill. Sir Matt Hallowell, PP, PC, at 215-682-0450.

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LuLu Shrine Model Train Club

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who gave us a tour of several layouts they have. It was apparent that their combined expertise and dedication resulted in 4 extraordinary displays. The weather cooperated and we were fortunate to see their outdoor display in action. We also had the opportunity to chat with numerous train club members and they were happy to share their knowledge and ideas with us. It was a very pleasant experience as well as being educational for all the High Railers who attended. Thank you, Bob, for helping us to see what could be possible for LuLu Shriners.

This will be the last article for me as President of the Train Club and I can tell you the LuLu High Railers will be in great hands with Bob Swan as president. I am absolutely positive he will keep the train on the tracks and will be instrumental in making our club a “big wow” for novices like myself.

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Thomas J Day Jr 11/2	Santo J Bocchinfuso 11/12	David L Moss 11/22
Dean C Soderberg 11/3	John P Casanover 11/12	Robert H Parkinson 11/22
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James A Rowdon 11/5	Eric A Rosen 11/13	Robert D Duffy 11/24
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Thomas G Shepherd 11/7	Rodney W Hackman 11/16	Scott F Rother 11/25
William F Stephenson 11/7	Kenneth L Brier 11/16	Jesse P Richardson 11/26
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David K Beaulieu 11/8	William R Whartenby Jr. . . . 11/16	Jeffrey G Myers 11/26
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Raymond F Deane 11/9	Russell K Gibson 11/17	Frederick N Koehler 11/27
Ernest N Perilli 11/9	Donald M Fink 11/18	Arthur S Kafrissen 11/27
Bruce T Sullivan 11/9	Douglas H Fink 11/18	Barry S Reidenberg 11/27
Francis A Norbeck 11/10	James D Bishop Sr. 11/18	Edward R Bell 11/28
Raymond J Sharp 11/10	William C Morwald 11/18	Richard J Kuzman 11/28
Charles V Roberts 11/10	William D Enright 11/19	Frank J McKee Jr. 11/28
D. Mike Smith P.P. 11/10	Robert J Burns 11/20	Leonard A Juliani Jr 11/28
Larry R Christenson 11/10	David Tansey 11/20	George B Scheerbaum 11/29
Dennis E Hawk 11/10	Rodney C Anderson Jr. 11/20	
John R Schumann Jr 11/10	Levi E Hosband 11/21	



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Albert S Barkov 12/1	Daniel R O'Leary Jr 12/11	Peter J Cistone 12/24
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Frank Viscomi 12/1	Bernard Samuels 12/14	Gerald R Farrell 12/25
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Raymond B Bloemker Jr 12/4	Kyle S Venit 12/15	Albert B Miller Sr. 12/29
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Howard L Rudnick. 12/8	George Jewsevskyj. 12/19	James R Suny. 12/30
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Albert C Smith 12/9	Frederick S Bernhardt. 12/20	William C Soloway 12/31
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