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POTENTATE'S MESSAGE



Larry Griffin, Potentate

Greetings Nobles,

Well we are passed the half way mark. We have Shrine imperial Session coming up this month from July 15- 19, and our 2nd Quarterly Stated Meeting, after that on July 23rd. Lady Cheryl and I had a great POV in Hemet with the Ramona Shrine Club. The turn out of Nobles and Divan was fantastic. And the food was very good. Thank you for the gifts for the Shrine Transportation fund, and to lady Cheryl and I. Thank you to Noble Jim Ridley and your friend Mr. Ridley's gift to the Shrine Transportation fund. The Garden Grove Strawberry Festival Parade was a lot of fun, and

the wonderful turnout of Chariots and Tin Lizzy's. I'm really excited about the Huntington Beach 4th of July parade coming up. I hope all the units will be there. It will be televise on channel 7, but it is better in person. Lady Cheryl had a wonderful Movie Night and she is planing another one, a 3:00pm Matinée on July, 29 at El Bekal, the show will be "The First Wives Club" with Goldie Hawn, Bette Midler, and Diane Keaton. It's a Comedy this time, so I'm sure you will all enjoy it. As we move into the 2nd half of the year, we have still more events for you all to come out and have fun at and to share the bond of Shrindom with each other. But, we need to get out there and find new Nobles to share this with also. Bring your friends out to our events and let them see what we are all about.

Thank you to all Nobles
Larry Griffin, El Bekal, Potentate

I am listing some important web links for all of you to look at and or sign up on that will give you lots of helpful information you can use. There is lots of information on Shriners Village for the Ladies too. We need members, so let's go out there and find a Master Mason that you want to see join our fun group of Nobles. Only with your help can we grow.

I AM COMMITTED TO MEMBERSHIP RU <https://webfez.shrinenet.org/referral>

We are all responsible for building our Shrine and making it grow.

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webfez.shrinenet.org/
<https://www.shrinershospitalsforchildren.org>
<http://www.imperial2018.com>
<http://www.westernshrine.org>

MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF RABBAN



Mike Selix, Chief Rabban

Greeting Nobel's and Ladies,

I would like to stress the fact that Shriners should be men and Masons of exceptional character and every once in a while we need to remind ourselves, me included, the entire Shriners Creed:

Shriners believe in God and that He created man to serve His purposes, among which is service to others in His name. We believe that care for the less fortunate, especially children who suffer from burns and crippling diseases, is our institutional calling.

We are patriots, each willing to serve his country with fidelity and courage. We cherish independence under law and freedom with responsibility. We honor family. We respect our parents, wives and children. We should instill in our children the tenets of this creed, and the heritage from which it emanates. As individuals we pledge ourselves to integrity, virtue and nobility of character. Our intentions will be honorable, our relations will be trustworthy and our spirits forgiving of each other.

As brothers we offer each other fraternal affection and respect. Together we will support each other in adherence to this creed, so that we and our communities will be the better because of our fraternity and its principles.

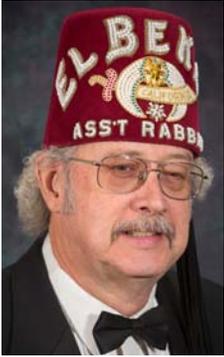
As Shriners we look beyond ourselves to serve the needs of others, especially children who cannot help themselves. We believe Shriners Hospitals to be the world's greatest philanthropy, and we covenant with each other to support its "temples of mercy" with spirit, time, talent and means.

Fraternally,

Mike Selix, Chief Rabban

To all Officers, Clubs, Units, and Nobles, we need you Articles, flyer's and adds by the 14th of each month so we can include them in the next months Elbekalan. If we do not have them, then we can not print them. Please e-mail them in to larrygriffin56@gmail.com.

MESSAGE FROM THE ASSISTANT RABBAN



*Merritt Read
Assistant Rabban*

Nobles, membership is the # 1 priority of all Temples, and especially of El Bekal. EVERY NOBLE is a member of the Membership Team. We have a Ceremonial planned for Saturday, September 8th at the Shriners for Children Medical Center in Pasadena. This will be a full costume Ceremonial and the first one we have done at the new Medical Center by El Bekal. We need every noble to attend your lodges in the next 3 months to talk about and promote El Bekal to your lodge members. Our Membership Chairman has a mailing going out to all the Master Masons in Orange County who are not Shriners. We need to work hard in the next few months to achieve the goals we need to boost our membership. Some of you are Lodge Ambassadors, but every noble needs to work on this. I personally would like to see each lodge in our area get 5 applications each. Our Membership Chairman is looking for even bigger numbers. If everyone works together, we can make this a very large and successful Ceremonial. If any of you need a member of the Divan to visit your lodge with you, just let us know and arrangements can be made. Flyers and information on the Ceremonial are in this issue of the El Bekalan. If you have any questions, or have a prospect with questions, contact any member of the Divan. We are eager to assist in any manner possible.

As we approach our country's Independence Day during these turbulent political times, we all need to remember that we still live in the greatest country on earth. And we need more civility amongst all of our citizens. Don't forget to proudly flag your American Flag on this most important day in our country's history. And don't forget to either attend or watch the 4th of July Parade from Huntington Beach on ABC. El Bekal always has a large contingent participating in that parade.

Merritt Read
Assistant Rabban



*Al Turek
1st Ceremonial Master*

Nobles,
It might seem that summer has barely started, but Monday Night Football will be upon us sooner than you realize. Let's start planning now for the upcoming football season. Let me know if you can help out with these events. Clubs and Units, think about what dates you want have for your turn at the Monday Night events. If anyone has any special requests, ideas or needs for our Monday Nights, please let me know.

Thanks...

-Al Turek-

1st Ceremonial Master

MESSAGE FROM THE ORIENTAL GUIDE



Michael Sekera
Oriental Guide

Hello Nobles!

There has been a trending statement that has been haunting me within Freemasonry, Shrine and even in my professional work space. That statement being, "We need to change our MINDSET". What does that really mean? It means, the way we have always done things has come to pass and we must now be innovative and creative to make new ways to attract and maintain members.

- * Are adept to technology and seek the most up to date tech as a means of competing professionally.
- * Are global minded due in part having the technology to access and communicate at a global scale.
- * Are willing to join community groups to seek professional development skills.

(They are heavy on the value of education and gaining skills.)

* Are the most educated generation in human history to date. (On a global scale, professional jobs have increased as automation technology increasingly takes unskilled jobs.)

* Seek group functions and activities and crave acceptance and reassurance.

In passing this information that was recently bestowed upon me, I am hoping it will get the gears turning to our Unit Directors, Club Presidents and our entire Membership body to think of ways to appeal and accept our prospects and current newer members. There is a need for mentorship within our Clubs and Units. It is often difficult to come to terms that the torch must be passed and our job is merely to keep it lit. It would be in our best interest to change our "Mindset" to not only pass the torch, but to be sure our new members want us to be there to help them keep it lit.

Please note and make the flowing the changes in the El Bekal Directory under my name:
Michael Sekera (Abeer)

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San Jacinto, CA 92582

E-Mail: mikesekera@gmail.com

Oriental Guide
Michael J. Sekera

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MESSAGE FROM THE HIGH PRIEST & PRPOHET



*Brandon Cook
High Prist & Prpohet*

Greetings Nobles,

It's summer time and the writin' e-z! My wife Nastasia and I wish ya'll a relaxing summer and pray your leisure time with friends and loved ones are as refreshing as a breezy cocktail on mid-day mid-week retreat. I hope it be a long one. For the rest of ya: git er done.

My wife and I are expecting (*gasp*) our second child in September. We had ideas about timelines and weren't completely caught 'en garde' (French substitution attempted) but are nonetheless thrilled. On the offensive front, my wife and I are doubling down on our 1700 sq. ft. condo in Orange by turning my office (aka ex-spare-rental-room / storage unit) into a big boy room with a big boy race car bed (see inserted picture assuming Larry includes it <- He can be picky) We are attempting to reuse the current nursery while segueing Quinn next door. Splitting pocket jacks (bi-monthly Monday night poker I mean Canasta I mean Texas Hold Em' has been an excellent way of getting to know a select group of shuffling Nobles) at the same time as all of this and we are potty training our two-and-a-half year old busy boy who loves batman. Whose to blame him as his daddy idolizes Bruce Wayne but that is the subject of an entirely different conversation. Where was I? Oh yeah, we need our little man ready for school so mommy can have some bonding time with the little one. Please keep us in your thoughts.

The next time we meet I sincerely hope the bar is open (first one on your?). :)

Fraternally & Sincerely,

Brandon Cook
High Priest & Prophet



POV'S DATES UNITS & CLUBS 2018

Victoria SC
 Royal Chariots
 Clowns
 Directors Staff
 Legion of Honor
 Steel Band
 Temple Guard
 Past Masters
 Bruins Club
Golf Club
 Long Beach SC
 Tin Lizzies
 Mounted Patrol
 Clay Busters

Saturday, July 28, 2018
Saturday, August 4, 2018
Saturday, August 4, 2018
Sunday, August 19, 2018
Monday, September 10, 2018
Sunday, August 26, 2018
Sunday, August 26, 2018
Sunday, August 26, 2018

COME JOIN ONE OF HAPPY UNITS OR CLUBS



HIGHLIGHTS FOR THE YEAR

2018 PARADE SCHEDULE

JULY 4TH HUNTINGTON BEACH

AUGUST 4TH LA HABRA CORN FESTIVAL

SEPTEMBER 8TH CERAMONIAL AT SCMC

OCTOBER 6TH TUSTIN TILLER DAYS

OCTOBER 13TH PLACENTIA HERITAGE

OCTOBER 27TH ANAHEIM HALLOWEEN

NOVEMBER 11TH RIVERSIDE VETERANS DAY



Eligibility

Children up to age 18 with orthopaedic conditions, skin and soft tissue disorders, hand disorders, burn scars, and cleft lip and palate are eligible for care and receive all services in a family-centered environment.

Payment

Shriners for Children Medical Center provides all care regardless of the families' ability to pay.

Patient Referrals

To refer a patient call 888-486-KIDS (5437).

Address

Shriners for Children Medical Center is located at 909 S. Fair Oaks Ave, Pasadena, CA 91105.

For more information, please call 626-389-9300 or visit our website www.shcla.org.



Shriners for Children
Medical Center™

HIGHLIGHTS FOR 2018

JULY

14-19 SHRINERS INTERNATIONAL SESSION
23 QTR. STATED MEETING
28 POV VICTORIA SHINE CLUB

AUGUST

4 POV ROYAL CHARIOTS
5 FAMILY PICNIC
19 POV DIR STAFF, O-BAND, GOLF, TEMPLE
GUARD, PAST MASTERS

SEPTEMBER

8 CERAMONIAL AT SCMC
9 FIRST LADY'S LUNCHEON
10 POV LONG BEACH SHRINE CLUB
16 POVE TIN LIZZIE/CLAY BUSTERS

OCTOBER

8 QTR. STATED MEETING
7 SCMC FUNDRAISER
28 CHILDREN'S HALLOWEEN PARTY

NOVEMBER

18 SHRINE PHOTOGRAPHY DAY

Shriners Hospitals for Children® provides specialty care for children up to age 18 with **orthopaedic conditions, burns, spinal cord injuries, and cleft lip and palate**, regardless of the families' ability to pay. All care and services are delivered in a family-centered environment.



For more information about our mission, or to refer a patient, visit shrinershospitalsforchildren.org to locate a hospital near you. Or call 800-237-5055 in the U.S., or 800-361-7256 in Canada.

MOVIE AND FUN AFTERNOON

WHEN July 29, 2018 (No Cost to you)

WHERE EL BEKAL SHRINE

WHAT MOVIE NIGHT AND CARDS FOR THE GUYS

TIME 3:00 PM MOVIE STARTS 3:30 PM

THERE WILL BE POPCORN, SNACKS, WINE, SODA, WATER, ETC. BRING CHAIRS, BLANKETS (IF YOU WANT), JUST BE COMFORTABLE.

THE MOVIE IS



LET'S HAVE A GREAT AFTERNOON TOGETHER.

If you have questions call Cheryl 714-273-0523



Shriners's... Having Fun Helping Kid's

**Join us for the Fall Ceremonial & Tour at
Shriners for Children Medical Center in
Pasadena on September 8, 2018**

We will be departing September 8th by BUS from El Bekal Shrine Center at 9:00 AM to the Shriners for Children Medical Center. We will have tour groups of ten each to get that Personal treatment as we go through the facility. We will be having a nice box lunch at the medical center and then return to El Bekal by 3:30 PM



*Times are at SCMC
10:00 am Robbing
10:30 am Indoctrinaton
11:00 am Ceremonial
12:00 pm Light lunch and Tours
1:00 pm Fezzing*



**The cost for the Bus trip, Tour, Lunch,
Good Times with Good Frinds is \$25.00 ea**

**Seats are limited, so get your name in now. Contact Coy Love at
El Bekal for more details or make payments to reserve you seat.**

714-563-9111 elbekal.com

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Name: _____ Phone: _____
Address: _____ Citv: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____



El Bekal Member # _____

Date: _____

PETITION FOR INITIATION AND MEMBERSHIP INTO EL BEKAL SHRINE
1320 S. Sanderson Ave. Anaheim, CA 92806 (714) 563-9111

To the Illustrious Potentate, Officers and Nobles of El Bekal Shrine, Shriners International, Situated in the Oasis of Anaheim, Desert of California. I the undersigned hereby declare that I am a Master Mason in good standing in

_____ Lodge No _____ located at _____

Furthermore, I do not now, and never will hold membership in or allegiance to anybody claiming to be Masonic that has been declared clandestine; that I have resided within the jurisdiction of your Shrine, or unoccupied territory, not less than 6 months, as required by the bylaws of The Imperial Council and that I am not under suspension or expulsion in the prerequisite body to this Order, and respectfully pray that I may be made a Noble of the Mystic Shrine, and become a member of your Shrine. If I be found worthy, and my request granted, I promise to conform to the Articles of Incorporation and bylaws of the Imperial Council and the bylaws and Ceremonies of your Shrine.

Birthplace: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Res. Phone () _____

Occupation: _____ Bus. Phone () _____
If retired, list former occupation

E-Mail: _____ Wife's Name: _____

Have you previously applied for admission to another Shrine Temple? _____ Is so which Shrine _____

When: _____

Residence: _____
Number & Street City State Zip

Business: _____
Number & Street City State Zip

Mail address: _____
Number & Street City State Zip

Hat size: _____

Print full name: _____ Signature: _____

If elected, the signing of this petition constitutes the signing of the bylaws of El Bekal Shrine, Shriners International Recommended and vouched for on the Honor of: (both must sign and be members of El Bekal Shrine)

Noble: _____
Print Name Address Zip Phone Blue Lodge Card #

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Print Name Address Zip Phone Blue Lodge Card #

Credit, Unit-Club: _____

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Five-Way POV

Mexican cuisine

August 19, 2018

1:00pm social

2:00pm dinner

El Bekal Center

1320 S. Sanderson Ave.

Anaheim, CA 92806

Any questions contact

Merritt at

714-875-6344



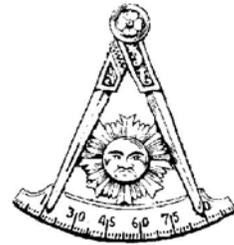
Director Staff



Golf Club



Legion of Honor Past Masters



Bruins Club

Reservation deadline August 12, 2018 for Five-Way POV

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Number of tickets [] at \$25 each Total amount enclose \$ _____

Mail to Merritt Read 405 N. Lee Ave., Fullerton, CA 92833

Make checks payable to Past Masters Shrine Club.

**El Bekal's
First Lady's Luncheon
Honoring the Past Potentates Ladies**

Sunday September 9th, 2018

Social - 11:00 am

Lunch - 12:00 pm

Entertainment - 1:30 pm

**Featuring
"4 Darden Sisters"
And Vendors with items for sale**

Cost: \$30.00 per person

**El Bekal Shrine
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Anaheim, CA 92806**

**Contact a Divan member for tickets or
Send a check to Pat Allen at
618 Wake Forest St.
Brea, CA 92821**

Payable to El Bekal Shrine

(Memo: First Lady's Luncheon) (714 397-0446)



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Come out and Join
the men that carry
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and Ceremony

We Need YOU...



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Who We Are

First we are all members of Shriners International and its network of Shriners Hospitals for Children Shriners International has 193 Shrine Temples throughout North America as well as Mexico, the Republic of Panama, the Philippines, and Puerto Rico. Its philanthropy supports 22 Shriners Hospitals for Children which are located throughout the United States of America and in Canada and Mexico.

Many of our Shrine Temples have a uniformed unit of Legion of Honor Legion of Honor members are Shriners who have served or are still serving in the Armed Forces of the U. S. They are honorably discharged or retired, volunteer or draftee, officer or enlisted We are all proud to be doing or having done whatever our countries needed to keep our countries safe. It includes service in our country's Army, Navy, Marines, Air Force, Coast Guard, and Merchant Marines, or in their reserve component.





Larry Griffin

PO Box 17638 Anaheim, CA 92817
310-614-5205

EL BEKAL SHRINE

—2018— DIVAN CASUAL SHIRT

The 2018 El Bekal Casual Shirt is an Havanera Hawaiian style.

Potentate Larry Griffin has designed this shirt to reflect the year and theme.

Make Checks payable to Larry Griffin

Sizes: S - 6XL

Details: Blue Polyester

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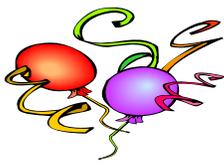
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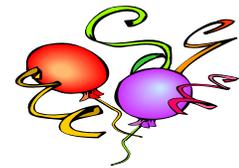
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Lake Elsinore-Sun City SC

Voice of the Valley

By Don Leger, P.P., Sec

Lake Elsinore-Sun City SC had its 2nd quarterly meeting on June 6th with 12 in attendance. We welcomed a special guest “Noble Ricky Villegas” from Mabuhay Shrine Temple from the Philippine Islands. He spoke to us about his involvement with the new Shriners for children Medical Center of Southern California. He was presented a Certificate of Appreciation from President Allan Bowman of Menefee Valley Lodge #289 for making a difference in the lives of our children.

Noble Ricky has provided the Pilipino patients transportation to and from his home to the Medical Center. Noble Ricky also houses the patients at his home thus saving them \$\$\$ from staying at a Hotel/Motel.

The members of Menefee Valley are commended for their recognition of this exceptional Shriner.



This month (June) we celebrate the Birthday of Honored Lady Lillia Klutts. Lady Lillian for years has knitted/crocheted Blankets for the children at our Shriners Hospital and Medical Center, she’s a most charitable Lady.

Happy Birthday Lillian.

We also celebrated the 90th Birthday for Noble Bert Burton, it’s the first time I have seen him smile



Tin Lizzies



Ted Segerstrom July 2018

With great weather for parading, the Tin Lizzies enjoyed 2 fun parades this month. The first parade was the very popular Garden Grove Strawberry Festival. Capt. Gene DeRaad led 9 Tin Lizzies through the crowded streets of spectators, trying to keep the members focused on our task, instead of stopping to sample all the strawberry goodies! Members attending the parade this year were John Edgmon, John Lake & Snoopy, Rick Schade, Rick Hardage, Coy Love, Mike Williams, Dale Edwards & Bill Hardy. With no major issues during the parade, there were two breakdowns just getting to our staging area. John Edgmon broke a front axle, but true to form, he fixed it with a new one there on the side of the road. Dale Edwards had a rear hub problem arise, but he was able to fix it, and make the whole parade that day. It's a wonderful parade each year.



Capt. Gene DeRaad at the helm



Rick Hardage headed for the strawberries!



John Lake & crowd pleasing Snoopy

Our second parade this month was at the Beaumont Cherry Festival. Another favorite festival for the Tin Lizzies. Due to scheduling issues, we only had three Tin Lizzies make it to the parade this year. After a Hugh breakfast at the Grandma's Restaurant, Capt. Gene, Bill Hardy & John Lake were the crowd pleasers of the parade! Our next parade will be the Hunting Beach July 4th parade. Everyone get ready! It's a long one!



Bill Hardy



Capt. Gene DeRaad



John Lake & Snoopy



**EL BEKAL
CEREMONIAL Saturday,
September 8th 11:00 AM
Shriners for Children
Medical Center
909 S Fair Oaks. Ave.
Pasadena, CA 91105**

A Ceremonial will be held at Shriners for Childern Medical Center. Please mark your calendars. Ladies are welcome. Light box lunch, Fezzing and A tour of the Center.
For moreinformation call Coy at 714-563-9111.

Robing:	10:00 am
Indoctrination:	10:30 am
Ceremonial:	11:00 am
Light lunch:	12:00 pm
Fezzing:	1:00 pm

For candidates who have not yet applied:

Please fill out the petition and include the application fee of \$200 no later than September 1, 2018 so we can vote you in as a candidate. Send to:

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1320 S. Sanderson Ave., Anaheim, CA 92806**

EL BEKAL SHRINE CENTER

SHRINERS INTERNATIONAL



Larry Griffin
Illustrious Potentate

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NOTICE to Membership

Subject: Stated Meeting

Monday July 23rd 2018

Time Social: 5:00 pm

Dinner: 6:00 pm

Temple Hosted Dinner / Includes Beverages

Stated Meeting Starts at 7:30 pm
Remember you need your 2018 DUES CARD & FEZ

Send your Reservation's into the Shrine Center or Fax or Call the Center
We will need a good Head Count to Order Dinners.

Name _____ # of Dinners _____

Mike Selix
Chief Rabban

Merritt Read
Assistant Rabban

Brandon Cook
High Priest & Prophet

Mike Sekera
Oriental Guide

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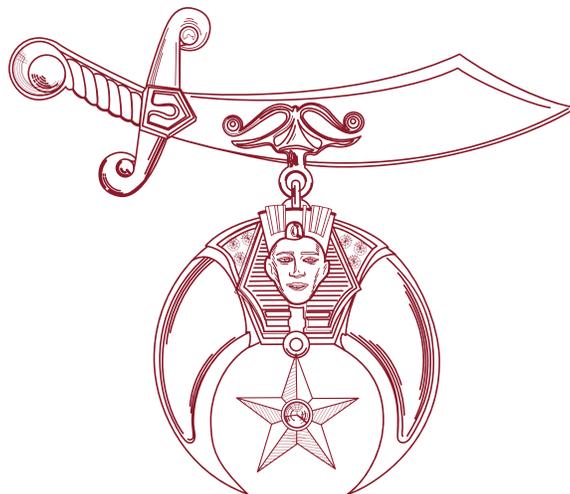
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GOLF TOURNAMENT

Greetings Nobles,

This is a late entry this month and we will have more details coming from our CR next month, but for now I thought you might want to see the photos and hear that we had a fantastic turn out at our annual golf tournament at Miller's golf course on January 24. We have 10 teams with four players in each. The winners are, 1st place team Low Net: Mike Selix-Dan Trout-Daren Gress-Shaun Merenda, 2nd place team Low Net: El Hiraki-Shelby Ericson-Henry Rodriguez-Tony Bautista, Low Gross Winner: Alex Scharwath-Ryan Scharwath-Mitch Allen-Nick Hogue,

Ladies 1st Place: Carol Albright-Margaret Estep-Shauna Nelson-Jamie Beidler, Longest Drive: Mitch Allen, Closest to the Pin: Shelby Ericson.

Thank you to each and every one of you that participated. I'd like to thank everybody that helped with the tournament this year, all our ladies that worked at the tables, Chief Rabban Mike and Lady Michelle Selix and 1st Ceremonial Master Al Turek for putting together a Great event this year. I also like to thank Director Russ Allen and Recorder Cory Love for all the behind-the-scenes work with the T signs and registrations, Assistant Chief Rabban Merritt and Lady Kim Read for running the putting competition, Oriental Guide Mike Sekera and Lady Abeer for taking the photos. As you can see it takes an entire village put on events here at El Bekal. As with everything else, when we all work together great things happen.

Lady Cheryl and I thank you

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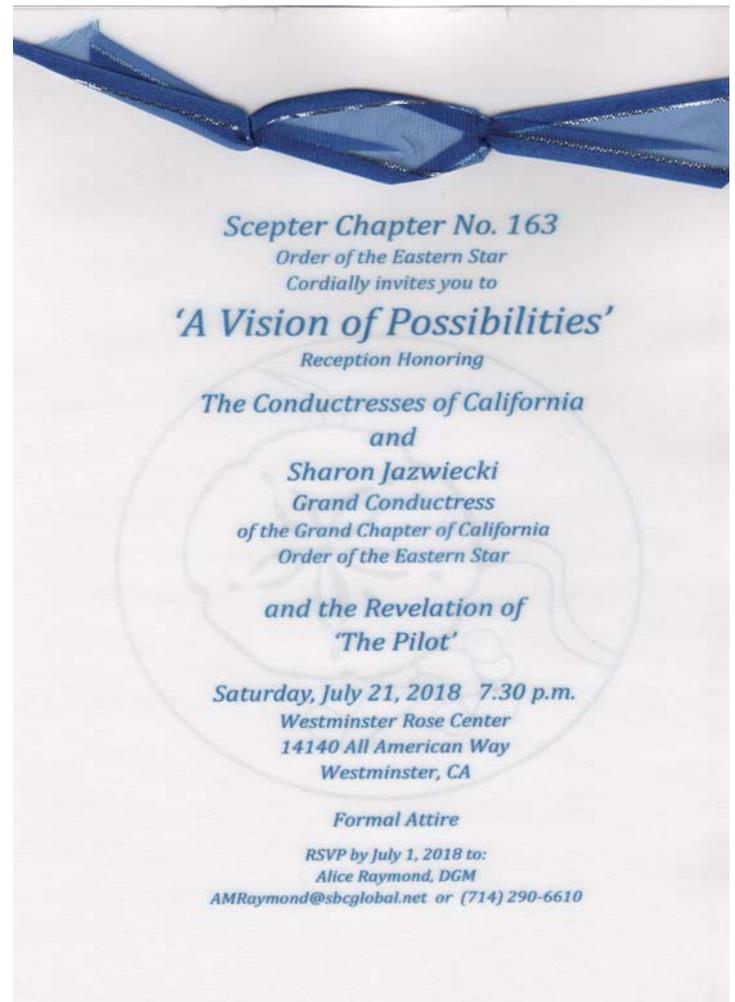
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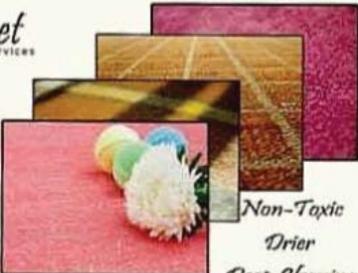
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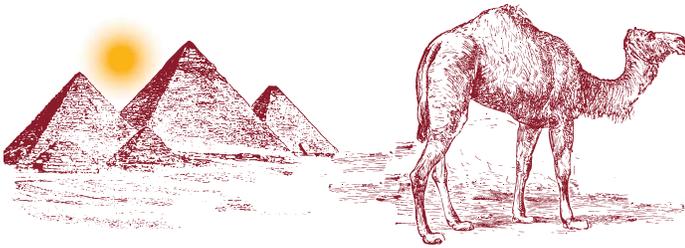
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Dinner 6:00 pm

Meeting 7:30 pm

Reservations by Friday July 20, 2018

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