



Nur Shriners

Newsletter

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Nur Shrine Harvest Ball

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND
5:00 PM

\$40 PER PERSON

CASH BAR, BUFFET, SILENT AUCTION, DJ
CALL HELGA STERLING FOR RESERVATIONS
302-328-6100, EXTENSION 1

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OUR
VETERAN'S

NEVER FORGET THE HONOR

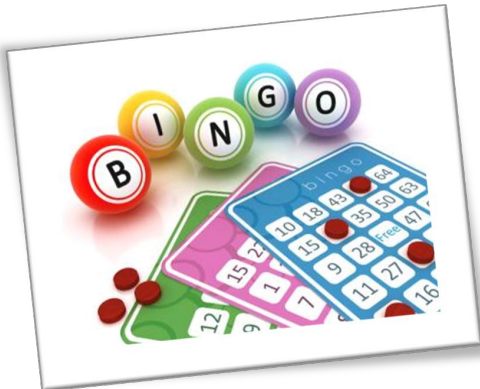


Known Calendar Events . . .



If you have anything you would like to be included in any future calendar or newsletter, please send it to Rick Swalm before the end of the month prior to the month you want it published.

- Nov 2nd, **Harvest Ball** @ 5:00 p.m., Main Hall (Cover),
- Nov 4th, **Divan & Holding Company Monthly Meetings** @ 6:00 p.m., DE Room,
- Nov 4th, **Ladies' Monthly Meeting** @ 6:30 p.m., Uniform Units Room,
- Nov 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th, **Weekly Cash BINGO** @ 6:55 p.m., Main Hall,
- Nov 9th, **Ladies' Holiday Craft Fair** @ 10:00 a.m. Main Hall (pg. 5),
- Nov 20th, **Hillbilly's Spaghetti Fund Raiser** @ 5:00 p.m., Delaware Room (pg. 6),
- Nov 21st, **Memorial Service** @ 7:00 p.m., Main Hall (pg. 7),
- Nov 22nd, **Fabulous Hubcaps Concert** @ 6:00 p.m., Main Hall (see pg. 8),
- Nov 24th, **Nur Clowns Meeting** @ 4:30 p.m., Clown Unit Room,
- Nov 27th, **Uniform Units Meeting** @ 7:00 p.m., Uniform Units Room,
- Nov 28th, **Happy Thanksgiving** @ 9:00 a.m., Main Hall,



BINGO EVERY TUESDAY EVENING

Bingo continues to engage our community with excellent attendance. Ruben has it running on all cylinders and community support is as high as ever. Play begins with our early bird special starting at 6:55 pm and we typically finish with our blue strip special around 9:30 pm. Our

ladies provide refreshments for our Bingo Players and raise money for their projects. Talk it up with your friends and come on out for an evening of Fun and the possibility of winning some extra spending money to help you get ready for summer. Help support our weekly Bingo games and help turn around our financial situation and putting us back in the black. Come on out and join in the fun. If you can help by working the games, make sure to call Ruben Kelly and let him know.

Potentate's Message



Welcome to November. Autumn is definitely here and temperatures are dropping so be sure to stay warm and safe.

October was another busy and great month for Nur. The Lights Out Beach Boys concert on the 12th was extremely well attended and the music was fantastic.

The Legion of Honor had another successful Pull Tab Bingo held here at Nur on the 13th. Congratulations to Commander Chuck Porter and all Legion members who assisted.

Sea Witch was another fantastic event from on the 25th and 26th. I deeply thank all Andrew and Tina Green and Bud Skinner for assisting taking the decorations and sundries to Rehoboth and back. I also deeply appreciate everyone who provided the food for the Hospitality Room as it was a fabulous spread. Congratulations to our Oriental Guide, Scott Christensen, for a well-planned and accomplished event.

The month of November will be another busy month at your Shrine. We will be having a Warm Sands the morning of the 2nd with Coffee and Donuts at 8 AM with the Ritual beginning at 9AM to be followed with a light lunch. Please be sure to be in attendance as this will show our support for your Shrine and the new candidates.

The evening of the 2nd will be the annual Harvest Ball which will be a tribute to Veterans and the planning that I have heard is definitely exciting. This will be the first time that we have honored our veterans and I am looking forward to it with enthusiasm.

The Ladies will be having their annual craft show on the 9th in the Main Hall so drop by and support our Ladies. This is one of their fundraisers and our support and attention truly needs to be shown for them.

The Hillbillys will be having their annual Spaghetti Dinner on the 20th and tickets are still available. I will definitely be there as I need to get my yearly dose of Pasta so get your tickets while you can so that you don't miss this.

Our Memorial Service will be held on November 21st in the Main Hall with the service beginning at 7PM. Please mark this on your calendar as this will be demonstrating the respect and regards for the Nobles who have been called to the house not made by hands.

The Fabulous Hubcaps are returning to Nur on the 22nd!! Tickets are still available for the event. Doors open at 6:30 PM and the entertainment begins at 7 PM. Reservation cutoff will be November 15th and you can call Helga to make a reservation or you can purchase them online.

Have an excellent month and I hope to see and talk to you all a little later.

Ruben



\$5
Donation
Ticket

Appreciation Drawing

Only 300 Tickets will be sold

Over \$200 Value!



Fez Humidor & 15 Cigars
The VeNURable Shiners will be having a
appreciation drawing

for a Fez Humidor that will include some
choice cigars for anyone who donates before
November 7, 2024.

See any member of the VeNURable Shiners for
tickets to win this unique item.

Tickets are only \$5.00 each or
5 for \$20.00

Tickets will also be available online at:
www.nurshrine.org



VeNURable Shiners
TAPROOM NO. 37

Proceeds benefit Venurable Shiners and are not tax deductible

NUR SHRINE
LADIES
PRESENTS

ENTRY
FEE \$2

6TH ANNUAL
Holiday
**CRAFT
FAIR**

- VENDORS
- CANDLES
- JEWELRY
- SOAPS
- HOMEMADE GIFTS
- UNIQUE GIFTS
- DOOR PRIZES
- & MORE!

10 am to 4 am

**9
NOV**

198 S. DUPONT HWY. NEW CASTLE, DE 19720
MORE INFORMATION:
PASWALMY@GMAIL.COM



SPAGHETTI DINNER NOVEMBER 20TH



ATTITUDE AJUSTMENT WITH CASH BAR AT 5PM

\$15 PER PERSON INCLUDES

PASTA, MEATS, SALADS & BREADS

DINNER AT 6pm Children Under 12 are FREE

CORNHOLE, 50/50 & DOOR PRIZES

We have physical tickets for this event. Nur Shriners can call Helga 302-328-6100 to reserve and Pay at the door

This fundraiser is open to the public. To purchase tickes use QR code on flyer or go

to Nurshrine.org

For Cash sales call or Text Bud Skinner 302-420-6912 or Danny B

Location: Nur Shrine Center 198 S Dupont Hyw. NewCastle DE 19720



**FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO MAKE
A RESERVATION CALL OR TEXT DANNY**

B @ 302-892-2818

**This fundraiser will Benefit NUR Shrine Hillbilly Clan 173 & the
NUR Shrine Transportation Fund. Ticket Sales are NOT Tax
Deductible**

Our Shriners
2024 Memorial Service

November 21, 2024
7:00 PM



*Please join us as we pay our solemn respects
to our departed brethren
Who have passed through the Unseen Portals.
We are proud to have known such Noble men,
Who are now eternally at rest*

So Mote It Be

COMING TO THE NUR SHRINE

198 S. Dupont Highway
New Castle, DE 19720

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22, FROM 7-10PM

**COST:**

General Admission: \$30

Prior to Sep 22nd Early Bird Promotional rate 2/\$40

Prior to Oct 31 Advance Promotional Rate: \$25 per ticket



DOORS OPEN at 6:30 P.M. Showtime at 7:00 P.M.

Event includes over two hours of entertainment, a Raffle, a Cash Bar and Food Concessions which are available for purchase!

Reservations are requested by November 15th, 2024

To make reservations and info, please contact:

- 1) Online: www.nurshrine.org (online processing fee may be incurred)
- 2) Nur Shrine Box Office: (302) 328-6100 X1 ... the best times to call are Monday - Thursday, 9 am - 12:30 pm.
- 3) Event Chair Jeff Lank @ mobile (302) 545-1650 or jeff@jefflank.com
- 4) Scan QR code

The proceeds are for the benefit of Nur Shriners. Payments are not deductible as charitable contributions.

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

Saturday, Dec 21, 2024
9 am to Noon

LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE

NUR Shrine Center
198 S Dupont Hwy New Castle, DE
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Children up to 12 yrs old will receive a goodie bag from Santa
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Pancakes, syrup, sausage, fruit, milk, juice,
coffee & hot tea
.....

Decorate a cookie
Mix a reindeer snack
Create an Ornament
Puppet Show
.....

Shriners/Masonic Masons:
Deadline for Guaranteed Registration is
November 15th

EVENT SPONSORED BY THE NUR Shrine Ladies
Contact Bea at 302-223-9613 to register or to volunteer
for this event

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WE WANT YOU!

To join the Shrine Club of
Delaware -the oldest shine
club in the world, circa 1907.

The annual dues are only \$10.00.

Support your Shrine by supporting
the Shrine Club.

Contact Jeff Lank to get involved. (302) 545-1650.

PLEASE JOIN US NUR SHRINE IS HEADING BACK

ALL UNITS ARE WELCOME TO JOIN IN
ON BEHALF OF NUR SHRINE CARAVAN

FRED BOWEN HAS BEEN WORKING HARD GATHERING INFORMATION
FOR THIS EVENT



Hampton Inn - 606-432-8811
831 Hambley Blvd.
Pikeville KY 41501

Rate: 2 Queen bed \$243/night, 1 king \$243/night, 1 king
studio \$262/night (Does not include Tax)

Will not block rooms for this event, Call ASAP too make resrvations

Holiday Inn Express & Suites - 606-433-1800
476 South Mayo Trail
Pikeville KY 41501

Rate: King Standard \$405/night, Standard room \$418/night, 2
Queen \$419/night, King Suite \$420 /night (does not include Tax)

Still trying for Group rate

Hatfield & McCoy Lodge- 606-432-2188
1066 South Mayo Trail
Pikeville KY 41501

Rates: Double \$110/night, King \$105/night, Queen \$100/night,
Single \$95/night (Does not include Tax)

Will not block rooms for this event, Call ASAP too make resrvations

City of Pikeville RV Park: SOLD OUT

Pikeville Farmers Market Area Rate: \$30/night, Gravel parking area, 30 amp electric
130 Adams Lane Pikeville KY 41501 & water only. Third party pump truck \$25/pumpout

**To book an RV Site contact FRED BOWEN 302-381-5131 or
email request to fmbowen58@gmail.com**

THE EVENT IS THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY. SOME OF US ARE MAKING A
WEEK OUT IT AND SPENDING SOME TIME CAMPING IN NATURAL BRIDGE
VIRGINA ON THE WAY

**QUESTIONS AND INFORMATION, CALL OR TEXT DANNY B
@ 302-892-2818 OR FRED BOWEN @302-381-5131**



Brethren,

I invite each and every member of NUR and his Lady to join me any my Lady May next August 2025, on a sea cruise. Or, I should say, a rip-roaring Shriners Cruise!

August 3, 2025, Royal Caribbean's Symphony of the Seas will set sail from Cape Liberty New Jersey and return August 10, 2025. It will be packed with Shriners.

Two years ago, at Imperial's Tampa Training, a group of Mid-Atlantic Assistant Rabbans met and being gregarious got to talking. And as I recall there may have been some libations.

But from the cacophony one good idea arose. It was suggested that the various Shrines' 2025 Potentates come together as a group and sponsor a joint Potentates' trip.

Now, much blood, sweat, and tears later, and with some additional libations, there are commitments from Lulu, Crescent, NUR, and around ten other Shrines to sail together.

Please register as soon as possible as space may be limited as more people sign up. Your registration can be cancelled, with full refund, up to the date the final amount is due.

The attached flyer gives further details.

Kevin Urick

Getaway Vacations

Chief Rabban Kevin Urlick and Lady May

INVITE THE NUR SHRINE
FAMILY AND FRIENDS ON A

7 NIGHT BAHAMAS CRUISE

AUGUST 3RD – 10TH, 2025

Cruise Round Trip from Cape Liberty NJ to
Port Canaveral, Nassau, and
Perfect Day at CocoCay

ABOARD ROYAL CARIBBEAN'S



SYMPHONY OF THE SEAS

Ships Registry Bahamas

\$500 DEPOSIT PER CABIN!

- Balcony - \$2115*
- Central Park Balcony
-\$1806*
- Interior - \$1323*

Price includes:

- Cruise, Food, &
Entertainment
- Gratuities
- Taxes & port fees**



*Price is per person based on double occupancy. Optional insurance available for additional cost
**Taxes and fees subject to change. Additional terms, conditions, and/or itinerary changes may apply.

CONTACT DEBBIE FOR DETAILS
267-288-5699



debbie@getawayvacations.net
getawayvacations.net

Brethren,

On behalf of Right Worshipful Richard M. McTheny, SGW – DGM elect, and his lady, Marianne, I am pleased to share with you information about the 2026 Grand Lodge of Delaware Masonic Cruise.

The cruise on the beautiful Carnival Magic will depart Miami, Florida on Saturday, March 7, 2026. The itinerary includes four relaxing days at sea and stops in the sunny ports of Aruba, Curacao and Amber Cove (Dominican Republic), before returning to Miami on Sunday, March 15, 2026.

Registration is now open. By booking this early, there is nearly a year and a half to make payments as final payment is not due until November 1, 2025. There are multiple cabin options to fit any need you would like.

If you heard about the many fun times on the Masonic Cruise in 2018, you will definitely not want to miss this one.

To make your reservations, please contact Aaron Jackson from Dreams Fulfilled Travel at (302) 858-7841 or by email at aaron.jackson@DreamsFulfilledTravel.com. If you have any other questions, please feel free to contact me at (302) 270-4391.

Fraternally,
Chad Robinson, PGMar.



Carnival®

CHOOSE FUN®

**Grand Lodge Cruise
Carnival Magic
March 7 - 15, 2026**



8 Day Southern Caribbean



Day	Port of Call	Arrival Time	Depart Time
Sat	Miami		03:30 PM
Sun	Fun Day At Sea		
Mon	Amber Cove	08:00 AM	05:00 PM
Tue	Fun Day At Sea		
Wed	Aruba	09:00 AM	10:00 PM
Thu	Curaçao	08:00 AM	05:00 PM
Fri	Fun Day At Sea		
Sat	Fun Day At Sea		
Sun	Miami	08:00 AM	



Rates are per person double occupancy

not included: insurance, tax, port fees, gratuities, airfare, transportation, hotel stays, excursions

Deposit of \$500 per cabin due at booking

Final Payment due November 1, 2025

Optional Travel Insurance is available, quote provided after booking

Third and fourth guest rates are available along with other cabin options.

Valid Passport recommended for cruise travel outside the US



**Interior @ \$724
Ocean View @ \$884
Balcony @ \$1,109**



Aaron Jackson

Elegantly Designed Vacations



302-858-7841

Aaron.Jackson@DreamsFulfilledTravel.com

Nur Shrine

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2025 Potentate Shirts Order Form



Name: _____

Phone: _____

Name to appear on shirt:

Circle One:

	Short Sleeve Includes: Shirt Logo (right chest) Name (left chest) NUR Logo (back collar) **LIMITED QUANTITIES**	Long Sleeve Includes: Shirt Logo (right chest) Name (left chest) NUR Logo (back collar)
X-Small	\$77.00	\$80.00
Small	\$77.00	\$80.00
Medium	\$77.00	\$80.00
Large	\$77.00	\$80.00
X-Large	\$77.00	\$80.00
2XL	\$81.00	\$84.00
3XL	\$83.00	\$86.00
4XL	\$85.00	\$88.00
5XL	Not Available	\$90.00
6XL	Not Available	\$94.00

Add: (Left Arm)
Masonic Symbol \$7.00
Past Master Symbol \$11.00
PA Past Master \$11.75
Ladies Heart \$7.00

Shirt Costs Includes: Logo (Right Chest) Name (Left Chest) NUR Logo (center back neck)	\$
Add ons: Left Sleeve	
Masonic Symbol	\$
DE Past Master Symbol	\$
PA Past Master Symbol	\$
Ladies Heart	\$
Total Shirt Costs:	\$



Kevin Urick - Potentate

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