



CAMEL Tales

POTENTATE'S MESSAGE

We "R" For The Kids!

Hello all! Well, it's been a fun and very full February and March. Since last time, we all enjoyed a very well attended and successful Wild Game Feed. My Lady Kim and I enjoyed our minnow shots, compliments of the Misfits. Yep, Lady Kim got her first Minnow Shot tee shirt and there's video evidence to prove it!



Amazing showmanship by all!

I was unable to attend this year's St. Patty's Day parade but thank you to all the Shriners who were involved and were able to parade. This next weekend will be a busy one as well. Back to Jamestown for the Mystic Fish Fry and the same evening we will head back to attend Arab Patrol Wine Tasting Event.

Many fun silent auctions to check out then of course the quilt auction. Lady Laurie Rott makes world class quilts and donates a new quilt each year for this event. This year's quilt is said to be a real stunner – we can't wait! Thank you, Laurie!

Next up let's talk about a new event. The El Zagal Director's Staff has partnered up with 701 Poker Tour and is hosting a Texas Hold 'Em Tournament at El Zagal on March 21st. New events are always welcome and refreshing. Sunday the 22nd we're playing sled hockey for Hope Inc. The word "playing" should probably be "surviving" as we haven't scored a goal in 5 years! We're hopeful, though. And by the way, on this year's team we have a veteran goalie, our own Chief of Staff Mark Grothe! If you stop out, I'll be one stuck sideways in the corner like a flipped over turtle. I'll tell you all about it next month!

Looking forward to being at all the Circuses again this coming April and hope to see many of you there. It's a ton of work by a ton of people and we appreciate all the effort that goes into pulling off these huge events! Be sure to check out Suds & Spuds on April 25th – fun for all! Topping off that weekend, we have a record number of attendees headed to the Ladies Auxiliary Annual Meeting in Woodbury on April 26 – 27th. From there, right into our Ladies Appreciation Luncheon and the Pote's Ball Casino Night all on May 2nd – a fabulous time to be had by all. Be sure you get signed up for both!! A day and evening not to be missed...

My Lady Kim and I wish you all a very Happy Easter! Oh, and I forgot – Yes, we have an upcoming Easter Egg Hunt Party on Saturday, March 28th and I again will be the Bruceter Bunny. There will be pics for sure!

**Yours in faith,
Bruce H Ridgway
El Zagal 2026 Potentate**



Mark Your Calendar!

- Suds N Spuds _____ April 25
- Shriner 5K _____ April 25
- Potes Ball _____ May 2
- Ladies Luncheon _____ May 2



TUESDAY BURGERS
5:30PM TO 7PM

EXCEPT ON STATED MEETING NIGHTS

Then it was off to Jamestown. I, like many others from El Zagal, attended the Jamestown Stag. What a great night! Food and raffles as well as live auctions. If you've never been, I strongly suggest heading out that way next year. The James Valley Shrine Club really does a great job out there! Not to be outdone, the ladies host a Stagette at the same time that was a total blast! A lot of ladies are involved with this event. To Kristin and Jandi and the rest of the ladies involved, a huge Thank You and Job Well Done!

We were able to escape the grip of Jamestown right away the next morning - not as easy as it sounds, by the way... Once you're out there, they just want to keep having more fun! Uff... Anyway, we were able to escape to head back to Fargo so we could attend The Escort Motor Patrol's Spaghetti Feed. I tell you what – we couldn't finish! The helpings were so generous and really good. I'm told the sauce was made by Tim Amble, an old family recipe. Everything was excellent and the service was top notch! Can't wait for next year's event.

The following weekend I was able to attend The Dusters Car Show in Bismarck. Another great event that was well attended. I had the opportunity to meet a Shrine patient from Fargo who spoke on behalf of care with Shriners. What a nice young lady! Our Membership chair was present as well. Nathan Hopper had a table set up and was enthusiastically talking up the Shrine. He may have talked about the weather as well - it was in the 70's that weekend! As Potentate, I had the honor of picking a winner for the Pote's Trophy. I picked a beautiful red with white top 57 Ford Thunderbird. It was a hard decision as there were so many beautiful choices.

Official Call

The regular stated meeting of El Zagal Temple will be held on
Tuesday, May 12, 2026 at 7pm
at El Zagal Shrine Center.

The purpose of this meeting is as follows:
To conduct any business properly brought before the chair.
Please wear your fez.

Attest William R Wedberg Jr. PP, Recorder

Yours in faith, Bruce Ridgway, Potentate.

TUESDAY BURGER UNIT SCHEDULE

5:30PM - 7PM

APRIL 7	ARAB PATROL
APRIL 14	MISFITS
APRIL 21	EMP
APRIL 28	DIRECTORS STAFF
MAY 5	PROVOST
MAY 12	NO BURGERS STATED MEETING
MAY 19	ARAB PATROL
MAY 26	MISFITS

El Zagal Camel Tales

Published monthly for
El Zagal Temple,
Shriners International
1429 North 3rd Street
Fargo, North Dakota 58102
email: info@elzagal.org
www.ElZagal.org

Office Manager

Andrea Kallstrom
Office Hours: 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Temple Office / 701-235-7521
Temple Fax / 701-235-7522

DIVAN OFFICERS Elective

Bruce H Ridgway.....Potentate
Mark Kennard..... Chief Rabban
Shane Heiberg.....Asst Rabban
Casey Schoer.....High Priest & Prophet
Tim DawsonOriental Guide
Bob Wedberg Jr. PP, PGM.....Recorder
Jason "Rocky" Rockswold PP.....Treasurer

Appointive

Colin Wegenast.....1st Ceremonial Master
Joel Swanson.....2nd Ceremonial Master
Blake "Ringo" Wrigley PP.....Director
Mark Grothe.....Chief of Staff
Nathan Hopper.....Membership Chair
David Rott, PP.....Parliamentarian

Membership

Nathan Hopper 720-938-8198
nathan.a.hopper@gmail.com

HOSPITAL REPRESENTATIVES

Ken Leggate.....Dickinson	701-483-1681
Garret Njos.....Bismarck	701-426-3557
Paul Witthauer..Jamestown	701-320-5433
Lonn Stippich....Hettinger	701-567-2664
Dean Anderson.....Gwinner	701-678-2695
Gary Grindall.....Detroit Lakes	218-234-0821
Jim Hildebrant...Valley City	701-840-1056

CAMEL TALES DEADLINE 18TH OF EACH MONTH

CamelTales Email
cameltales@elzagal.org

Editor

Jon Juelich

Publisher/Creative Editor
J&M Companies

LADIES AUXILIARY

Our second meeting of the auxiliary was held on Saturday, March 14th at the Shrine at 10 am. We continue to discuss our upcoming fashion show, set for Sunday, October 4 at 2 pm. Dessert and coffee will be served. The various committees have been appointed, and we will be meeting this summer to finalize all plans. Watch for details in an upcoming fall issue.

The date has been set for the Ladies' appreciation luncheon. It is May 2nd, Saturday, at 11 am. With a social hour and lunch and Bingo to follow. Please RSVP to Andria by April 15th if you plan to attend. The Ladies luncheon is pure appreciation, so no cost, but bring \$20 if you would like to partake in the Yeti Bingo.

While neck pain is incredibly common, the good news is that it is often something you can treat at home using simple remedies.

1. Apply an ice pack or heating pad to your neck for 15-20 minutes at a time.

2. Stretch it out. Neck stretches alleviate tightness and discomfort. Sit tall, then bring your left ear toward your left shoulder; while keeping the opposite shoulder from rising. Once you feel the stretch, hold for 30 seconds then switch sides and repeat. That's one set. Repeat for a total of 3 sets.

Our next Auxiliary meeting is Saturday, April 4 at 10 am at the Shrine. See you there.

"The longer I live, the more I realize the impact of attitude on life" Charles R. Swindoll.

Auxiliary Reporter

Barb



El Zagal Ladies Auxiliary

2026 Meetings

WGA 4 Kids

- February 14 @ 10 AM - Meeting & Blanket Day
- March 14 @ 10 AM - Meeting
- April 4 @ 10 AM - Meeting
- May 2 @ 11 AM - Potentate's Ladies Luncheon

DIRECTOR'S STAFF

When I wrote this last month, we were on the edge of the Game Feed. I cannot believe what a well-oiled machine that has been created. Raffles went amazingly well; table games were a hit, and Wishek sausage and meat bundles were flying out the door! I haven't even mentioned the food. Well, it was excellent! What a great night. Everything came together. Again, I am proud of the engagement from the Director's Staff and others, but I want to give kudos to a couple of guys that were kind of thrown into a critical role for the first time. Charlie and Jeff took over the kitchen and did an amazing job. Also, thank you to Mike Hennebry for herding all the cats. Very well done!

The exciting news that I announced last month is coming up this weekend. We partnered with 701 Poker and are holding the first of many Triple Stack Poker Tournaments. 701 Poker has an incredible reputation for great tournaments to the extent that people travel regionally to attend their events. Next month I will report the results of which I am sure will be excellent.

On April 25th we will have Suds N Spuds again. We have nine vendors committed to the event. As of now, the regular attendees on board are Brockopp, Prairie Homebrew Companions, Swing Barrel, Laughing Sun, Drekker and Bucks Mill Brewing. We are excited to welcome back Castle Danger and Proof Artisan Distillery and really excited to welcome our new vendor God Bless Vodka! God Bless Vodka, Proof and Laughing Sun will help to diversify the offering to more than beer to hopefully attract a wider demographic of attendees that prefer other beverages than beer. Laughing Sun will have beer, but they always throw a seltzer option in there, and other breweries tend to do that as well. One other exciting addition to Suds N Spuds this year is a brewery collaboration party the night before Suds N Spuds at Swing Barrel Brewing in Moorhead. This will allow the brewers some time to socialize with each other prior to the event. This will be open to the public, so I encourage you to stop out to have a pint or two to prime yourself for the event the next day. There will be two different bands that play at the event. It will be really fun. We will be selling tickets there as well. The date is April 24th and the time is 6:30-9:30. Hope to see familiar faces

In the spirit of Suds N Spuds, I will leave you with this. You can't buy happiness, but you can buy beer-and that's pretty close!

Cheers,
Cal Braun

JAMESTOWN CLOWNS

Hello to all Nobles and Ladies,

Our March meeting was fantastic, those not in attendance missed out. We are so proud of Rory to accept the secretary job, not position, because he has just finished that chair. Dave Phillips cannot do it, so our beloved Rory just stepped up and said he would. At least that is what I thought I heard him say. Everyone should be thanking him for getting us out of a bind.

April 7 Tuesday is the Circus in Jamestown at the Civic Center; workers be there by 4pm

April 18 Saturday morning is the VIP Breakfast at the Lodge, be there!!!!!!

Our Stag night was the best ever!!!! Thanks to all who helped!!!!

April 11 and 12 is our Clown School, each day is a school and it's all day, watch for e-mails.

June 26 is for fun at the Jamestown Rodeo. Jack needs a few clowns to walk around and smart off adults and interact with the kids.

We have 47 Parades lined up, so everyone should be able to attend 6 or 7 of them. Watch for e-mails!!!!!!

The PATCH will be starting in September, and Clown for a Night will be of course the 1st Saturday in December. Mark it on the calendar now. IN FACT, write all this on your calendar now

Thanks for Reading This.....

Weezer

BRYCE ANDERSON & ASSOCIATES
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

- Tax Preparation & Planning
- Monthly Accounting Services
- Accounting
- Small Business Services
- Corporations - Partnerships
- Individuals - Non-Profits

293-7727
1461 Broadway Ste. 103 • Fargo, ND 58102

BLAKE MELAND CONCRETE & SKIDSTEER WORK



- Cement Work
- Driveways
- Sidewalks
- Retaining Walls
- Landscaping
- Beach Restoration
- Patios
- Rip-Rap
- Steps

Blake Meland
Home: 218.863.6482
Cell: 218.770.8926



Advertise with El Zagal!

Showcase your business to a loyal and engaged Shriner community with our cost-effective advertising opportunities:

- **Business Card Ad:** \$240 per year
- **Banner Ad:** \$180 per year
- **Large Ad:** \$350 per year

Your message appears in **11 issues annually**, keeping your business in front of readers all year long.

2026 rates will be prorated!

Like hard copies?

Enjoy Camel Tales delivered right to your mailbox! Get 11 monthly printed editions all year long for just \$15 — simply covering postage.

Contact info@elzagal.org today for more information and to reserve your spot.

COLOR GUARD CROONINGS

Hello from Color Guard Land!

It has been a minute since this reporter has had the opportunity to update you on everything cool in the lakes area.

Our new President has taken the gavel and is ruling with an iron fist! We have learned that he not only can run a meeting, but this dude can COOK! He has treated us to a couple very good meals, and is raising the bar high enough, that the cooks following him are gonna struggle a bit! Thank you, JJ, for the fine work you do!

Our regular crew is a bit smaller at the moment, due mostly to the yearly migration of the snowbirds. We look forward to getting them back in action starting in April (hopefully). Of course, last summer, we still didn't see Jerome Tappe much. Word is that he is raising a highbred species of Sasquatch up at this cabin on Elbow Lake. It's only weird because they look just like him!

I did hear from Father Jerry, who has been busy spreading the good word on the golf courses around Mesa. I understand he is teaching a whole new line of language that can be learned right after he swings his golf club. The locals call it "Father Phonics". As a treat, it can be also learned at the Spring Ceremonial this coming summer. Stay tuned.

Of course, the President of the NO SWEAT club, Brad Richards has also been busy locally in the south, giving lessons on how to conserve money and live on a dime. We all know that Brad is quite a miser with his cash, and his classes are well attended at Stone and Barrel in Phoenix. Way to go

Brad!

Roger Forsgren cannot be outdone either – he has been giving Country Line Dance lessons at a Legion Club in Phoenix. This reporter had the chance to see his style on a recent visit in February. He had the whole place stepping in style. It was the best 5 minutes of my whole visit! He even stays afterwards to help everyone get on the bus back to the nursing home! What a guy. Of course, the musical talent was exceptional as well, as Lowell Thompson provided the tunes on his accordion! He bangs out the tunes Scandinavian style, all while singing the songs in German! Something for everyone!

Recently, we had the opportunity to watch a sled hockey game with our little buddy Keegan. It was an awesome Saturday! We presented our little friend with his very own Color Guard jacket. He had watery eyes, as did most of us! He is quite an inspiration!

Just off probation for swimming in the nude at the Holiday Inn, Brikker Ware has been doing a fair job as Liquorian at the club. He makes sure that he buys all the dated beverages he can get – cause it is cheaper! Here is hoping that Brikker can keep his body out of the swimming pool this spring!

You are always welcome to join us for a meeting and a meal. Our meetings are on the 3rd Monday of each month, with Potentates Ponderings at 5:30, meal and meeting to follow.

Keep the ice off your tools!

Lars



MISFITS

Well, what are the Misfits up to? We're getting ready for the Ok Tire tournament at the Hawley golf course, serving up some hot vittles for that. If you're interested in putting a team out there contact Mike Dow. The date is Wednesday, May 13, with the rain out day of Wednesday, May 20, definitely fun. This is the second annual with all proceeds going to the Shriners Children in Woodbury.

We're also playing fun hockey on the 22nd of March. Hopefully we will have brought home the Strainley cup again. We beat the Provost last year and there are 4 B teams this year with Nick chicks. the EL Zagal Misfits. the El Zagal Provost. and El Zagal Divan all participating. It's a lot of fun even if you come watch it's still fun.

Don Roos



COLDWELL BANKER
AT THE LAKES

Steven Larson
BROKER - OWNER
Cell: 218-841-8533
E-Mail: slarson@arvig.net
www.atthelakes.com

We FIX Parking Lots

www.jbsurfacesfargo.com

- Parking lot striping
- Asphalt patching / pot hole repair
- Crack sealing and repair
- Line and cure removal
- Handicap ADA signage
- Sealcoating and more

Jeff Brusseau, President
jeffb@jbsurfacesfargo.com
Office: (701) 282-0175



thrivent

Here for your full financial journey.



Nathan Hopper
Financial Advisor
720-938-8198

Advice | Investments | Insurance | Banking | Generosity

28304A R4-23



**Get-On-Board
with Fargo Shriners and host Shaun Engelsrud!**



2026 WALLEYE CONNECTION: Thursday JULY 16 to Sunday JULY 19



Per Person Package Includes:

Round trip motorcoach transportation...Three nights lodging...Two days guided walleye fishing...Eight meals...Rods...Reels...Bait...Tackle...Ice...Fish processing...All taxes...

Special Rate = \$775 per person

\$300 Deposit Saves Your Space

Registration Deadline MARCH 31



#218.634.1849



BallardsResort.com

EZ in a Minute

Everything you need, right at your fingertips every Monday. Tell your friends. This is open to anyone interested in the happenings of El Zagal. Subscribe/unsubscribe here: <https://www.elzagal.org/ez-in-a-minute/>

The path to a better world begins with
**THOSE BRAVE ENOUGH
TO LIGHT THE WAY**

Real impact. Lifelong bonds.
And purpose you can feel.
In a world that craves meaningful
and memorable experiences,
**DISCOVER BROTHERHOOD
FOR A NEW GENERATION.**



**SHRINERS
INTERNATIONAL**

BeaShrinerNow.com



FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT GOLF@ELZAGAL.ORG

— **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS** —

Registration:	10:00 AM - 11:30 AM
Lunch:	11:00 AM
Shotgun Start:	12:00 PM
Dinner:	6:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Awards Presentation:	7:00 PM

28th ANNUAL
EL ZAGAL / CYBERADVISORS
CHARITY PRO-AM GOLF TOURNAMENT

OXBOW COUNTRY CLUB • AUGUST 19TH, 2026

BENEFITING
SHRINERS CHILDREN'S



Team Registration: \$1,100.00

Hole Sponsorship: \$150.00

JOIN US FOR A GREAT DAY of GOLF FOR A GREAT CAUSE!



El Zagal Camel Tales Submissions:

- To help insure accurate information, please include all names and locations of photos submitted.
- Submission deadline for Camel Tales is the 18th of each month prior.
- Submissions for EZ in a Minute can be made any time. Please allow 1 to 2 weeks for publication. .jpg or .gif preferred.
- To subscribe & unsubscribe, go to www.elzagal.org//ez-in-a-minute
- Please continue to send all submissions to cameltales@elzagal.org

REDNECKS

Last month was a busy one—but a fun one! We put on a few miles between the Game Feed, Stag & Stagette, Car Show, and circus meetings. Along the way, we met some amazing new people and caught up with a lot of old friends. That's really what the Shrine is all about fellowship, friendship, and good times.

Now that most of the traveling and festivities are wrapping up, it's time to get down to the final stretch as we prepare for the circus. There's always a lot of work happening behind the scenes, but it's all worth it when you see the smiles and excitement it brings to the kids in our communities.

Waylon

Your future is limitless.

Our offerings include Business Insurance, Employee Health & Benefits, Private Client Services and Retirement & Wealth.



MarshMMA.com



Todd Reamann
 Financial Representative
 Principal Securities Registered Representative
 Financial Advisor
 Member-Principal® Financial Network

200 E Main Ave Suite 204 | Bismarck, ND 58501
 D (701) 751-2389 | F (866) 893-3844 | C (701) 425-1095
reamann.todd@principal.com
www.principal.com/dakotas

Shriner Friendly
 Since 2005



Labby's
 Grill & Bar

1100 19th Ave. N. Fargo ND 58102
 701-478-LABS (5227) | dlab5@yahoo.com

WWW.LABBYS.COM

NERESON
 AUTOMOTIVE

Detroit Lakes
 800.422.3317 • nereson.com

Brad Richards
 cell 218.234.6358
brad@nereson.com

WILD GAME FEED 2026 SETS ANOTHER RECORD

Ladies and Gentlemen,

What a night! Once again, we pulled off an incredibly successful Wild Game Feed, and **Wild Game Feed 2026 set yet another record**. With outstanding ticket sales, strong VIP table support, generous unit and club donations, exciting raffles, and the unmatched **Pride of El Zagal**, we surpassed last year's success in a big way.

Attendance was exactly where we wanted it, and the Temple was absolutely hopping all night long. The excitement never slowed down — we had to refill the ATMs twice, and the bar even had to send for additional beer. By all accounts, it was one of the busiest and most energetic evenings we've ever had, and I believe it set a brand-new record for sales in a single night.

This was my third year serving as Chairman of the Wild Game Feed, and I can honestly say I truly enjoy working with the amazing people who make this event happen. I could not be prouder of the El Zagal Units, Clubs, Ladies, families, and friends who come together each year to make this event such a tremendous success.

I would like to recognize the outstanding efforts of our co-chairs and key volunteers: **Rocky, Andrea, and Jandi** for the money room; **Joel Swanson** as MC; **Shaun Engelsrud** for the meat raffles; **Shane Heiberg** for IT and sound; **Travis Leach** for tickets; **Cal Braun, D. Hennebry, and Chris Tuders** for the live raffles; **Casey Schoer** for gaming; **Shana** for the Arabian Room and bartenders in what truly became an "all hands on deck" effort; **Jeff Brusseau, Charlie Poynter, and Keith Lingle** for the kitchen and day-of food preparation; and **Ringo** for the "Pride of El Zagal."

The amount of preparation that goes into this event during the week leading up to it is truly remarkable. Everyone plays an important role in bringing together an incredible variety of wild game dishes for all to enjoy. Year after year, we continue to raise the bar with outstanding recipes, exceptional food, and an atmosphere that keeps people coming back.

Once again, **thank you** to everyone who participated, attended, donated, and helped make this year's Wild Game Feed another huge success. If your lady, family members, or friends helped out this year, please pass along my sincere thanks to them as well. We simply could not do this without their support. There are far too many people to thank individually, and I would hate to leave anyone out, but please know that your hard work, dedication, and pride in this event are deeply appreciated.

Together, we made Wild Game Feed 2026 a night to remember.

Mike Hennebry, WGF Chaiman.



2026 SPRING CEREMONIAL



Honorees: Arlie Lind / Howard Weispfenning
“Hillbilly Temple” Jamestown Lodge June 5th – June 6th, 2026

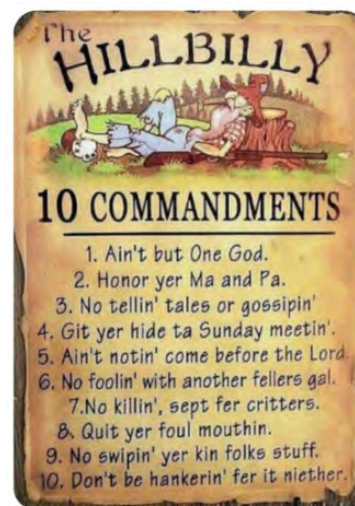
Friday, June 5th – Dress Theme – Hillbilly

- 9:00-9:45 Registration 4-person Scramble at Hillcrest Golf Course
(Call for sign-up 701-252-4320, Golf is on your own Cost \$62 includes green fees, cart & lunch)
- 10:00 Shotgun Start
- 4:30-6:00 Registration at the Lodge
- 5:00-7:00 Meal for all/Pote’s Reception
- 6:30-8:00 Hillbilly Games
- 7:00-8:30 El Banjo (Hillbilly Bingo)
- 9:00 Candidate vs Divan Contest
- 6:30-10:30 Social at the Lodge, Entertainment and Games

4:00-12:00 AM OR UNTIL DONE SHUTTLE BUS TO & FROM HOTEL ROGER HARRINGTON 701-251-8381

Saturday, June 6th – Day Attire unit attire/all nobles wear fez, evening attire causal/all nobles wear fez

- 8:30-9:00 Registration at the Lodge with Fez fitting for new candidates
- 9:00-10:00 1st and 3rd section, ladies welcome @ Lodge
- 10:00 Parade assembles downtown, lineup in front of City Hall (102 3rd Ave SE)
- 10:30 Parade Step off
- 11:15 New Ladies Orientation, Drift Prairie (121 3rd St NW)
- 11:30-2:00 Ladies Social and Lunch, Drift Prairie
- 12:00-12:45 Men’s Moslem Feast @ Lodge
- 1:00-2:00 2nd Session – Nobles and candidate only @ Lodge
- 5:30 Social at The Baymont – Casual Dress
- 6:30 Dinner at The Baymont
- 7:30 Fez Presentation, unit announcements, speakers & Honoree Program



Hotel Information: (Contact the Hotel directly)

- Rooms reserved at: **Baymont by Wyndham** – 701-252-3611 (Room rates for the weekend are \$135 per night (Double Rooms only). Block reserved until **FRIDAY, MAY 1st, 2026**, under Shriners Ceremonial. Contact person: Dave Phillips.
- Camping also available at the Lodge Park!

Mail Registration and Payment of \$150/person by **MONDAY, MAY 11th, 2026**, to:

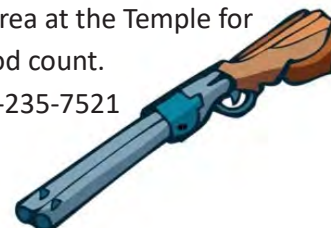
El Zagal Shrine
1429 3rd St N
Fargo, ND 58102

Questions: Email ken.grenz@outlook.com or call Ken Grenz @ 701-320-7425



Ladies attending the **Ladies Luncheon** please call Andrea at the Temple for food count.

701-235-7521





EL ZAGAL SHRINE PRESENTS

NASHVILLE

★ GETAWAY 2026 ★

November 12–15, 2026

Join Bruce and Kim to explore the sights and sounds of Music City! Stroll the world-famous Broadway strip, enjoy incredible food, live music everywhere, and even spend an evening at the legendary Grand Ole Opry if you choose. Come experience Nashville your way — with great people and unforgettable memories.



YOUR 4-DAY JOURNEY INCLUDES:

- ✓ 3 nights accommodations (with WI-Fi)
- ✓ Hotel just 5-minute walk to Broadway
- ✓ Hosted “Welcome” Cocktail Reception
- ✓ Breakfast daily
- ✓ Hop-On Hop-Off Trolley Ticket

Experiences

- Speakeasy secrets tour OR dive bar tour (choose ONE)
- Grand ole Opry show - optional add on

\$895 per person

Based on double occupancy

• Single occupancy: \$1,435

★ RESERVE YOUR SPOT

- ✓ \$200 deposit per person guarantees your place on this fabulous trip.

Spots are expected to sell out — don't wait!



- Airfare not included
- Air can be arranged through Star & Compass or on your own



CONTACT STAR & COMPASS:
micki@starandcompass.com
☎ 408-482-9023



STAR & COMPASS TRAVEL

Group Travel for the Masonic Family



IN MEMORIAM

Richard "Dick" J. Hall

August 8, 1942 — March 26, 2026
Moorhead, MN

Robert Richard "Bob" Walton, Sr

October 15, 1932 — March 16, 2026
Moorhead, MN

(Families may send submissions to cameltales@elzagal.org to list loved ones.)

Shiloh Lodge #1 Presents

Sportsman Raffle 2026

April 25th, 2026, at 6 PM
El Zagal Shrine, 1429 3rd St N, Fargo

\$10.00/Ticket

- Golden Boy .22LR
- Smith & Wesson Shield 9mm
- Yeti Roadie 32 Wheeled Cooler
- 28" Blackstone Griddle
- Vexilar FLX 28

- Prizes awarded as a Scheels gift card for the full value of the prize won.
- Not a charitable donation.
- Must be 21 years or older to enter.
- Need not be present to win.

Point of Contact:
Jeff Avelsgaard
Phone: 1-701-799-3888
For questions or ticket purchase.

Permit Number: City of Fargo Permit# FAR25-136



BROTHERHOOD for a new generation

SHRINERS INTERNATIONAL

You're Invited to a
Ladies Appreciation Luncheon

Join us for a fun, feel-good gathering filled with great food, bingo, and sunshine vibes!

WHEN:
 Saturday, May 2nd 2026
 11:00 AM - Social Hour & Lunch
 Bingo to follow

Theme: Walkin' on Sunshine meets Floral Garden
 Garden-inspired attire is encouraged
 Yeti-Bingo \$20 (optional)

RSVP by April 15th
 rsvp to info@elzagal.org / 701-235-7521

We can't wait to celebrate and have fun in the sun with our amazing ladies!

OPEN TO EVERYONE! FAMILY FRIENDLY!
BEYOND RUNNING
 PRESENTS THE
SHRINER 5K

SATURDAY
APRIL 25TH
 8:30 AM
EL ZAGAL SHRINE
 1429 3rd St N, Fargo, ND

scan to register!

Proceeds to the El Zagal Shiner Children's Transportation Fund
gobeyondrunning.com

April 25th **Tickets \$30** **4pm - 7pm**

EL ZAGAL PRESENTS
SUDS n' SPUDS
2026
 CRAFT BEER & POTATO FESTIVAL

LOCAL BREWS • TASTY TATERS • GAMES • FUNDRAISER
El Zagal Shrine • April 25th
 21 and over event

All proceeds are fraternal and not a charitable contribution.

You're Invited

El Zagal's 2026
RAT PACK
VEGAS
CASINO NIGHT

El Zagal's 2026 Pote's Ball
 Honors Past Potentate Drew Likness
 & Lady Pam (Pote 2006)
MAY 2ND

Casino Night Experience
 Enjoy classic Vegas vibes, gaming tables, and a lively social atmosphere.

Food & Social
 Heavy appetizers will be served as we mix, mingle, and celebrate together.

Attire
 Cocktail dress, tux, or suit is suggested—but like Vegas, you'll see it all! Most important is that you come and have a great time.

RSVP DEADLINE: APRIL 15
 Please RSVP to info@elzagal.org **777**
701-235-7521
 Pricing: \$60/person

5:30 PM
 - Registration
 - 6:00 PM - Social Hour
 - 7:00-9:00 PM - Casino Gaming

UPCOMING EVENTS:

May 2026

- May 2 – Ladies Luncheon
- May 2 – Pote's Ball
- May 5 – Tuesday Burgers
- May 12 – Stated Meeting
- May 19 – Tuesday Burgers
- May 26 – Tuesday Burgers



Rich Maras
Regional VP of Sales

rmaras@jmprint.net
O: 701.476.0311
C: 701.730.1623

4666 S. Amber Valley Pkwy
Fargo, ND 58104
jmprint.net

Printing | Variable Data
Creative | Direct Mail
Promotional | Large Displays

Call or visit our website for a **FREE QUOTE**

EL ZAGAL TEMPLE
1429 No. 3rd Street
Fargo, ND 58102

Return Service Requested

Presorted Standard
U.S. Postage
PAID
Fargo, ND 58102
Permit No. 122

APRIL 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
5	6	Tuesday Burgers Jamestown Circus	8	9	Bismark Circus	Bismark Circus
Dickinson Circus	Dickinson Circus	Tuesday Burgers	Detroit Lakes Circus	16	Fargo Circus	Fargo Circus
Fargo Circus	20	Tuesday Burgers	22	23	24	Shriners 5K Suds N Spuds
26	27	Tuesday Burgers	29	30		




Mike Hennebry
Executive Mortgage Officer
NMLS#: 1584104

1501 32nd Avenue South
Fargo, ND 58103

Phone: 701-356-1722
Fax: 701-356-1719
Toll Free: 800-872-6358

mike.hennebry@townandcountry.org
www.townandcountry.org



Certified for:
ASME "S" "U" "pp"
National Board "R"

BLAKE H. WRIGLEY
KEITH D. LINGLE

4102 15TH AVE. NO., BOX 1516
FARGO, NORTH DAKOTA 58107-1516
bwrigley@wrigleymechanical.com

(701) 277-8570
Fax (701) 277-8573
www.wrigleymechanical.com




HANSON RUNSVOLD
Cremation • Burial

ALEX RYDELL
OWNER AND
LICENSED FUNERAL DIRECTOR

701.232.3222 215 7TH ST. S., FARGO, ND 58102

- Eastern Star website - www.northdakotaoes.org
- Scottish Rite Language Center - www.ritecarefargo.org
- Fargo Masonic Website - <https://www.fargomasoniccenter.org/>
- North Dakota Grand Lodge - <http://ndmasons.com/>
- Minnesota Grand Lodge - <https://mnfreemasons.org/grand-lodge/>



701-298-9898
www.sirspeedyfargo.com

SIGNS • PRINT • MARKETING

Premier Charter Service
2139 100th Ave. N
Moorhead, Minnesota 56560

RICHARDS
TRANSPORTATION SERVICE

Phone: (218) 233-3404 Fax: (218) 233-5769

