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Potentate's Message

Friends,

Wow...whoever says that time flies made an understatement. I apologize for missing the article last month. I was at Grand Lodge and time got away from me. We have a quarterly meeting coming up. It will be at the Moscow Masonic Lodge on Saturday, November 9, 2019. The meeting will start at 11:00. Please bring your Lady, and we will go to lunch after the meeting. Unfortunately, we will have to each pay for our own lunch, because there just isn't money in the budget for the Shrine to pay. Divan members please get there no later than 10:30, so we can talk about some issues that need the Board to make decisions. You should have received a separate email concerning this meeting last week.

Lady Theresa and I attended the Jobs Daughters International Visitation in Coeur d'Alene during October. It was a very nice experience. We made a donation to their travel fund to help the girls go down to Idaho Falls for their annual meeting in the name of Calam. It was very interesting lunch to say the least. While there I met a Past Potentate and Past Grand Master from California. He and his Lady are very nice and desire to participate in Calam.

The last thing I will talk about is not so fun. It concerns the budget. The good news is that we are under budget on what we have forecast we would spend. The bad news is that we are also way under budget on the income side also. We are running a deficit, which we have done for many years, but now we don't have the membership to keep taking the deficit out of next year's dues. As I have said in the past, I do not want to pass this on to our next Potentate. He deserves to start off even. Fund raising is way behind what we predicted for this year. We have to make up the difference from somewhere.

Thank you all for all the support I have received this year. I am looking forward to more Fellowship in the future.

Yours In Faith,

John Johnson

2019 Calam Potentate



Greetings,

As we prepare our schedules for this most busy time.

Our membership numbers still need to increase before the end of the year.

Ask a former Noble if they would be willing to rejoin us?

Let them know they are wanted.

Ask a new Master Mason ... let's get them through the cold sands and active.

I reflect on some the enjoyment I've experienced this year as well as the speed these days and nights have passed.

Thanksgiving Day is approaching.

I would like to thank you for your help, hard work and fellowship given for our cause.

A place of fun for Freemasons and our communities.

A gift of hope from our Hospitals and Medical Staff for those children within our reach.

May these days find you well.

May this moment find you happy.

Sincerely,

Kirk Ross

Chief Rabban

Circus Chair



Calam's 2019 Schedule		
Date	Event	Location
November		
November 9th	Quarterly Meeting	Moscow, ID
December		
All Month	Club & Unit Holiday Parties	Everywhere
January 2020		
January 11th	Annual Meeting	Lewiston, ID

A Note From Your Legionnaire Commander

On October 30th the LOH executive officers met at Jerry Johnson's home to draw the winning tickets on our meat raffle. The three tickets were drawn, and the winners were: Pamelia Adams, Ekness Catering, and Dean Mulch. We wish to thank everyone who participated in this raffle. We did pretty well for the first time with this type of raffle. Our profit after paying the costs was \$266.00. We felt that this provided excellent advertising and support for the LOH and Calam Shrine.

We will be sending donations to the hospital travel fund, the honor flight for veterans, the incoming potentate and various veteran organizations. If you have any suggestions for an organization, please let us know. We will be planning for forth coming activities for the winter months and 2020 spring and summer parades.

At our next meeting, we hope in November before the Shrine meeting, will be a discussion on what to do with the gokarts. Bonners Ferry Shrine Club made a request to buy four of the eleven gokarts. We have a problem getting riders, so therefore we have to do something with the go-karts. Wallace Shrine Club would like to buy two go-karts. I believe we should sell two go-karts to each club. We will keep seven go-karts. At least each club will have a couple of go-karts in their parade. We can still travel with ours to participate in their parade. Please send me feedback on your feelings of the sale. Then we will get an OK from our Potentate to do the sale.

Election of officers is this month. It was decided to keep all officers in their same office for 2020, but is not concrete. If you would like any of the positions, please contact me or Jerry Johnson. The Commander's position is open to anyone that would like it. We have until the end of the year and can make changes.

We have talked about setting up the cookie wagon a day before and a day or two at the rest area just before Thanksgiving. We would not have it open on Thanksgiving Day. It is cold and a lot of people are traveling for the holiday and would like a hot cup of coffee. I would like feedback on this. We are also contacting the Hayden Parks and Recreation of selling soft drinks and hot dogs during sporting events at the ballpark next to CDA Shrine Club building. Want feedback on this too.

Robert L. Green, Commander 208-773-3274, leave message or Jerry Johnson, 208-661-3586

Robert Green, Commander



Photos by MANDI BATEMAN James Boraski, Jeff Hamley, Matt Morgan and Richard Hollenbeck at Super 1 Foods.

The Moyie Shrine Club was featured in the Bonners Ferry Herald for their fundraising efforts for the Spokane Children's hospital!

Attention Clubs and Units:

If you'd like to have your Holiday Party posted in the December Clarion, please email me the details and I'll get it in the next edition!

Also, please contact me with your Club and Unit Elections results as soon as you can. I need to submit them to Imperial immediately.

Michelle O.

RESERVE THE DATE FOR YOUR HOLIDAY PARTIES NOW - GET 10% OFF BOOKING RATES

AT THE CDA SHRINE EVENT CENTER

There are 72 days till Christmas!!! Are you starting to think about your upcoming holiday celebrations? Act NOW to receive 10% your booking rates when you reserve before November 1!!!

DATES FILLING IN NOW:

December 2019 Rate Specials: 10% off regular rates when reserved by November 1, 2019. Thanksgiving family day is still open, reserve **NOW**.

WEB SITE: Shrine Event Center For more information contact: Dan McDaniel, President CDA Shrine Club

208 457-7001 Office, 208 597-7516 Home,208 597-1015 Cell<u>www.cda-shriners-event-center.com</u> We have Shriner bracelets for sale! These 12 wooden tile bracelets are on a stretchy band and can fit just about anyone!

\$5 each plus shipping



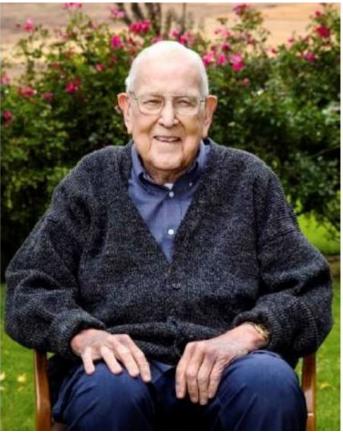
Contact Michelle at 208–743–6916 or at calammichelle@gmail.com for more information.

BLACK CAMEL REPORT:

Dwain Herbert McIntosh, P.P.

Dwain Herbert McIntosh, 88, passed away Friday, Oct. 25, 2019, at his home surrounded by family, after a five-year battle with idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis.

He was born Dec. 25, 1930, to Ira and June McIntosh, at St. Joseph Hospital in Lewiston. He attended Tammany Grade School, and Lewiston Junior and Senior High School. He then attended Menlo College in Menlo Park, Calif., and Washington State College, where he graduated in1954 with a B.S. in agricultural economics. While attending schools in Lewiston, he was active in 4-H work for eight years. He was very active in athletics in high school, and at Menlo Col-

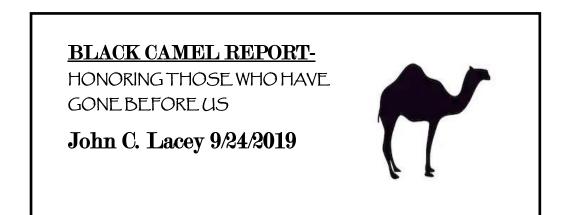


lege he lettered in football, basketball, track and golf. He also served eight years in the Air Force, with two years of active duty.

His interests included farming, sports, friends, his coffee group after retiring, swimming, working in his yard and reading.

Dwain is survived by his wife of 66 years, Marianne Troy McIntosh; daughters Katherine McIntosh, Judy (Mark) Newbold, Nancy McIntosh and Mary McIntosh; grandchildren Andrea (David) Knaggs, Amy (Joel) Cathey, Jacob (Sarah Culora) Newbold and Annie (Shelby Taggart) Caron; greatgrandchildren Joshua, Isabel, Bobby and Quinn Knaggs, and Izaak Newbold. Dwain was preceded in death by granddaughter Jennifer Christine Newbold; and great-grandson Ezra James Newbold. Dwain loved his faith, family and friends. One of our favorite memories will always be "Papa Mac wants to."

Cremation has taken place and ashes will be interred at Normal Hill Cemetery. There will be a memorial service at 2 p.m. Friday, Nov. 1, at Malcom's Brower-Wann Funeral Home. Memorials may be sent to Congregational Presbyterian Church, 709 Sixth St., Lewiston; or Calam Travel Fund, 1122 18th Ave., Lewiston.



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CLUB MEETINGS, DATES, TIMES and LOCATIONS

CDA Shrine Club meets the third WEDNESDAY of each month; 5:00 PM CDASC Building, 1250 W Lancaster Rd,

Hayden, ID

Latah Shrine Club meets the third TUESDAY of each month.

Lewis/Clark Shrine Club meets the third WEDNESDAY of each month.

Moyie Shrine Club meets the first WEDNESDAY of each month.

Panhandle Shrine Club

November 16th Breakfast 9:30 @ Trinity Rest.

Shoshone Shrine Club meets the first WEDNESDAY of each month. At 5:30 PM at the Cataldo Lodge Building.

St. Maries Shrine Club meets in the first **THURSDAY** of each month at 6:30 at the St. Maries Masonic Lodge building prior to the Blue Lodge monthly meeting.



<u>NOTE</u>: Clarion submissions should be submitted NLT the 20th of the month prior to desired month of publication.