



MEMORANDUM

Sudan Shriners

TO: Potentate, Divan, Past Potentates, Uniform Units, Directory Staff, Ceremonial Staff and Trustees

FROM: Frank Long, Director

DATE: May 6, 2022

SUBJECT: Spring Ceremonial, Parade and General Information – May 20-21, 2022

Dear Nobles:

Enclosed is the Schedule of Events for our Spring Ceremonial in New Bern, along with a parade line-up.

Friday night casual will be at New Bern Shrine Club from 4:00 – 11:00PM.

The **Candidates Committee** should report to New Bern Convention Center, Saturday, May 21, 7:00AM for novice registration.

The **Provost Guard** will furnish four (4) men to assist with handling of Candidates and will report to Nobles Marty Spears or Joseph Fuller, Candidates Co-Chairmen by 7:00AM at the New Bern Convention Center.

The **Provost Guard** will police the Business Meeting and First Section (2PM) held at the New Bern Convention Center. They are to be on hand to attend the doors at least 30 minutes prior to scheduled events to check **2022 Members** dues cards.

Uniform Units will not have any special duties to perform at the Business Meeting, except for Patrol's Color Guard to present colors and Provost Guard will provide security as outlined above. All nobles are urged to attend the important Stated Business Meeting on Saturday at 8:00AM.

Parade-----Uniform Units can start lining up at 11:00AM on George Street at Kafer Park. Parade steps off at **12:00 Noon**. **The actual route will follow along George Street onto Broad Street onto Middle Street and disbands on South Front Street near Truist Bank and the DoubleTree.**

Unit Heads, would you please review with your members ARTICLE IV – DISCIPLINE Section 5 #2 about drinking ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, before or during a PARADE.

In accordance with the Board of Directors of Sudan, the following guideline is in effect with regards to all Shrine Parades. **No Trailers Participate In Parades.**

Moslem Feast/Chef Crew---The Moslem Feast immediately follows the parade and is held at New Bern Convention Center. All nobles and ladies are invited to attend. Candidates, Divan, Past Potentates, Distinguished Guests, and Uniform Unit Members who have a part in the First Section may go to head of the serving line, to ensure that they have sufficient time to report for opening of First Section.

The **Camel Drivers** may set up their Jewelry / Merchandise in the New Bern Convention Center.

Each **Uniform Unit Head** is requested to check each member of his unit to be sure they have a **2022** dues card. If anyone has any questions, do not hesitate to call the office or me. As always, your help is greatly appreciated.

REMEMBER TO WEAR YOUR FEZ
2022 SHRINE DUES CARD REQUIRED FOR ADMISSION TO ALL ACTIVITIES

Spring Parade Line Up

New Bern, NC

May 21, 2022

1. Sudan Patrol
2. Drum & Bugle Corps
3. Flag Unit
4. Convertibles, Divan, Provost Guard
5. Children's Float
6. Mobile Fez
7. Cooligans
8. Drifters
9. Fire Brigade
10. Mourners
11. Mini Cars
12. Burnouts
13. Truckers
14. Pirates
15. Racers
16. Shriners Choo Choo
17. Motor Patrol
18. Cruisers
19. Thunderbolts
20. Carteret Co. Mariners
21. Van Patrol
22. Clowns
23. Daredevils
24. Tomcats
25. Prowlers
26. Mini Rigs
27. Wrecking Crew
28. Cart Caravan
29. Animated Animals
30. Desert Rats
31. Roadsters
32. Keystone Kops
33. Monster Trucks
34. Horse Patrol
35. Steel Drum Band
36. Hillbillies
37. Beach Bums



**SUDAN SHRINERS
SPRING CEREMONIAL**
New Bern, North Carolina
May 20 – 21, 2022
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS



Thursday – May 19, 2022

4:00 pm Board of Directors Meeting – *New Bern Shrine Club, 2102 S. Glenburnie Rd.*

Friday – May 20, 2022

11:00 am - 3:00 pm Open for shopping and sight-seeing
4:00 pm - 11:00 pm Casual Friday - Fun, Food, Fellowship & Dance w/ DJ Justin Rouse Location – *New Bern Shrine Club*
Hospitality will be 4:00 – 7:00 -- from 7:00 – 11:00 - BYOB

***Admission by 2022 Shrine or Blue Lodge Dues Card
(Dress – Casual)***

Saturday – May 21, 2022

7:30 am Registration of Candidates – Fez Sizing & New Candidate Orientation – *Riverfront Convention Center – 203 S. Front St.*
8:00 am Stated Business Meeting – *Riverfront Convention Center*
8:30 am Ladies' Breakfast & Entertainment – *Riverfront Convention Center*
(All Shrine Ladies & New Candidates Ladies are invited)
11:00 am Parade Formation at Kafer Park - George Street
12:00 Noon Parade Steps Off – George St. - Broad St. - Middle St. - Disbands on South Front St. at BB&T & DoubleTree
1:00 pm Moslem Feast - Chef Crew Unit - *Riverfront Convention Center*
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm First Section – Shrine Degree by Ritualistic Cast
3:00 pm - 5:00 pm Sudan Hospitality Room Upstairs - *Riverfront Convention Center*
7:30 pm - 9:00 pm Introduction of New Nobles, Memorial Service, Hospital Patients Introductions, Awards & Check Presentations & Potentate's Remarks
9:00 pm - 12:00 Potentate's Ball - "Pizazz Band" - *Riverfront Convention Center*

Nobles / Ladies & Invited Guests Only

Fezzes Requested All Weekend

**Nobles Coat / Tie & Fez Requested
Ladies ~ Dress or Pantsuit**

Map of New Bern

