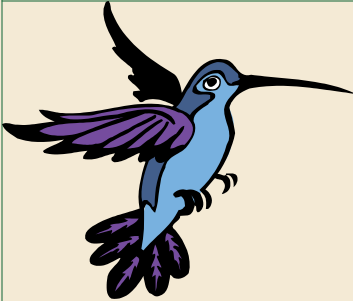


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QUEEN'S CORNER

By: Carol Hefley, Queen

Ladies of the Household, what an honor it is to be your Queen for the ensuing year! Many thanks to everyone who helped make the day special for Shalman's 2015 Officers. In addition, please extend my appreciation to your husbands, friends and family who came to share the day with us. It was a beautiful ceremony. Past Queens, Joey Minahan, Susan McCarley, Priscilla Mantle, Carol Warner, Lee Stark, Carol Houston, Martha Young, Charlotte Bailey, Carole Smith, Diane Wilson, Carol Mattix all participated in a wonderful ceremony. Junior Past Queen Debra Strom was gracious and elegant as the Crown, Bylaws, Temple Banner and Gavel were passed over to me. Thanks also to Princess Marshall Jennifer Lites who with Shalman's Pageantry oversaw the setup and then the dismantling of the Temple for the ceremony. Jennifer was truly my executive aide before, during and after the Installation, a mother cannot ask for a better daughter! Shalman's Pageantry always sets the stage for a beautiful ceremony.

Thanks go to Past Potentate Ed Kirkpatrick (Noble of Amy), for his assistance with the music. Ed has helped us from the "eagles next" for many years and the ceremony would not be the same without his cheerful assistance.

Then came presentations! Thanks to PQ Debra Strom, Shalman Dancers, Shalman Clownettes, the Installing Officers and my 2 Grandsons, Brandon and Ethan Avery for the Stepping Stones AND to Bob and Diane Moore and Shalman's Line Officers for the 21st Century Awards. Donations to the Daughters of the Nile Foundation are always much appreciated! It's always fun to see the Clownettes perform a skit and the Dancers performed their Temple Dance in their beautiful costumes. We wrapped up the day with light refreshments and fellowship. What a great day!

I look forward to seeing you at Session on Wednesday, May 8! Please let me know how I can best serve you. My phone number and email address are listed to the left. As many of you know, I do have a full time job, so if you call and I can't answer, I'll call you back as soon as I can!



Pictured left: Queen Carol Hefley & Noble Darrell Hefley and Illustrious Sir, Potentate Bobby Caldwell & his Lady Princess Janie Caldwell

Pictured right Shalman Temple 2015 Line Officers: Princess Badoura Carol Barrera, Princess Royal Anna Garey, Queen Carol Hefley, Princess Tirzah Dawn Sanders



Pictured left: Queen Carol Hefley and 2015 Shalman Temple Officers

Pictured right: Hella Shrine Divan– Past Potentate and Treasurer, Roger Carney and his Lady Princess Julia Carney; Oriental Guide Bob Mantle and his Lady Past Queen Priscilla Mantle; Assistant Rabban, Bob Moore and his Lady Princess Diane Moore; Chief Rabban Wayne Osborne and his Lady Princess Carol Osborne; High Priest and Profit Chuck Hudson, Right Worshipful Wendell Miller & his Lady Princess Billie Miller; Illustrious Sir Bobby Caldwell & his Lady Princess Janie Caldwell; Queen Carol Hefley & her Noble Darrell Hefley.



Pictured right: Shalman Temple Queen Carol Hefley and Past Queens

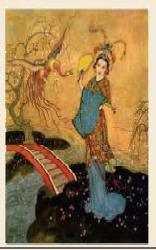


Pictured left: Queen Carol Hefley and Shalman Clownettes

Pictured right: Queen Carol Hefley and Shalman Dancers



Pictured left: Queen Carol Hefley and Shalman Pageantry

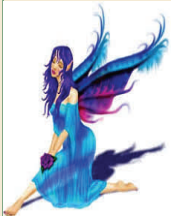


Royal Report

By: Anna Garey, Princess Royal

What a beautiful Installation! I would like to thank those of you who helped to create a beautiful ceremony– I am proud to know each and every one of you. Your participation contributed in making Queen Carol's day a wonderful event to remember.

A reminder to all members and friends that we will be honoring Queen Carol at the Spring Luncheon on May 2, 2014 at Brookhaven Country Club. Tickets are \$30.00 each and can be purchased through myself or Princess Amy Kirkpatrick. Please come and enjoy a wonderful lunch and a great opportunity to show our appreciation to our new Queen.



Tirzah's Treasures

By: Dawn Sanders, Princess Tirzah

Calling all volunteers!! Summer is quickly approaching and we are going to have a very busy one! My most important duty as Princess Tirzah is to organize the Daughters of the Nile Foundation Convalescent Relief Account fundraiser. This year's event will honor Queen Carol Hefley and is scheduled for November 14, 2015. I am in the process of forming the committees that will work together to make this a successful and fun event. I need lots of volunteers!! Please let me know if you would be willing to help. Also, we are already collecting donations for the silent auction and store. If you or your business would be able to donate an item, please contact me as well. All funds raised for this event will go directly to the Daughters of the Nile Foundation CRA.

"Volunteers don't necessarily have the time; they just have the heart." – Elizabeth Andrew



Badoura's Breakout

By: Carol Barrera, Princess Badoura

Well ladies, now that I have one Session under my belt I feel better. I would like to thank all of you for allowing me to serve as your Princess Badoura. It is truly my honor to serve our Temple.

My bin had lots of goodies in it at our last session, so keep them coming and I will make sure they get to our hospital!

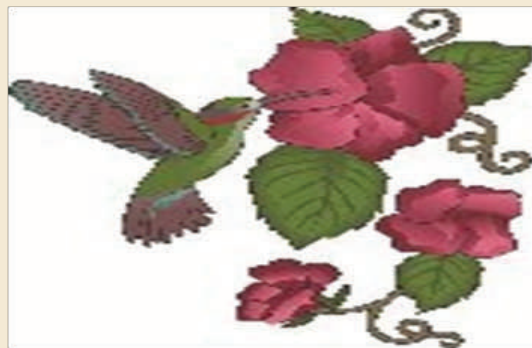
I am so looking forward to a great year and hope to see all of you at Session!

Please join us as we honor Queen Carol Hefley at the Shalman Temple No. 90 Spring Luncheon.

When: May 2, 2015

Where: Brookhaven Country Club

Time: 11:00 am Social followed by lunch



Most of you have heard that we now have a Shalman Temple website! It is wonderful and has lots of information about our Temple, Units, past newsletters as well as links to Supreme Temple information. Please stay tuned as the calendar is updated along with other areas of the site. If you have a photo you would like on the site, or you see a change that needs to be made, please contact webmaster@shalmantemple90.com so that can be taken care of.

<http://shalmantemple90.com>

Upcoming Dates to Remember

May 2, 2015	Spring Luncheon
May 4, 2015	Dancers Unit Practice/Meeting
May 6, 2015	Nile Session
May 11, 2015	Dancers Unit Practice/Meeting
May 12, 2015	Clownettes Unit Meeting
May 18, 2015	Dancers Unit Practice/Meeting
May 19, 2015	Pageantry Unit Meeting
May 23, 2015	Ennis Parade (see Clownettes Corner article for info)



Recorder Report

By: Past Queen Joey Minahan

Ladies dues are now past due. If you have not paid your dues, you may send them to me at 4000 Clipper Court, Plano, TX 75023-5609. The current dues card is gold for 2015-16.

I have compiled a new roster list. You should have received this either via e-mail or snail mail. Please check your information for any errors. You may notify me by phone at 972-979-9780 or e-mail at minahanjoey@gmail.com. This will be your roster until after Supreme in June when we find out who our new Supreme Appointees are. You should have a new printed roster by August. Also if you have requested your e-mail not to be published it will be deleted in the printed version. Thank you for your cooperation.

I am looking forward to serving Shalman Temple again as Pr. Recorder.



Pageantry's Palace

By: Princess Elizabeth Massey

Wow – have we hit the ground running or what!!! Since the last newsletter, I'm happy to report that we held our annual election of officers at our February meeting. Your new officers for the ensuing year are:

- Pr. Elizabeth Massey, President
- Pr. Kris Hargrove, Vice President
- Pr. Julia Carney Carney, Secretary
- Pr. Rayleene Morris, Treasurer
- Pr. Amy Kirkpatrick, Director of Pageantry
- P.Q. Carole Smith, Pageantry Sponsor
- Pr. D'Ann Foster, Sunshine Chairman

Please join me in congratulating them and supporting them however we can. At our March meeting we voted to fund select items being requested by the Galveston Hospital. Due to your generosity and the generosity of one of our special ladies, funds were donated on behalf of the Pageantry unit for the purchase of 4 wheelchairs, CPDI Software and a much needed Laundry Wrapper totaling \$6,265 in value. Ladies, your love and support remind me every day why I'm involved with this group. Don't forget that even though we have sent the funds, we are planning a visit to the hospital for a formal presentation. We would love as many of our unit members who can attend to be there. We'll keep you posted on a date and information as it becomes available. On March 22nd we participated in the Officer Installation. As our new Queen-elect Carol Hefley mentioned "the Pageantry Unit set the tone for the ceremony and it was beautiful". Thank you for being there for our new officers and for representing our Unit. In April we held our annual Fundraiser "parking lot" sale which coincided with Hella's Easter Egg Hunt. It was a huge success and I'd like to thank all of you who participated and/or donated. We were able to raise \$1,671 – great day ladies! I must say I picked up a few great deals myself. It's always such fun shopping in everyone's closet!

We were saddened to have lost Pr. Dolores Blackmore. She was involved with our unit up until the last moment of her life. God bless you Dolores, you will be missed.

Upcoming dates: Pageantry Unit meeting – May 19th.
 Summer Social – date and information to be announced.
 Pageantry Unit meeting – September 15th

If you are interested in becoming a Pageantry member, please talk to any of our Officers. We meet monthly on the 2nd Tuesday after Stated Session.



Chaplain's Alter

By : Princess Chaplain Beverley Conley

Thank you for the opportunity to be your Chaplain again. Please continue to keep me informed of any sickness and distress, also we would love to hear happy news to report. You can send any news of sickness, distress, or happy news to Shalman.Communications@gmail.com, and in the subject line, indicate "For Princess Chaplain".



Clownette Corner

By: Princess Badoura Carol Barrera

The Clownettes had a great time helping with the Hella Easter Egg Hunt. Thank you Hella for inviting us to participate. We are all thinking hard on what skit we would like to perform at Texas Days this year and will be getting ideas on this at our next meeting. If you have an idea for a skit, please come to our meeting and let us know about it! The Clownettes will be hosting a get together with Sharuhan Temple No. 127's Clownettes to help support each other with welcoming in new Clownettes, this should be a fun day for both temple units. Our next parade is May 23, 2015 in Ennis, TX. The next Clownette meeting is May 12, 2015 upstairs at Hella— we will have snacks at 6:30 p.m. and meeting at 7:00 p.m. If you are interested in becoming a Clownette, please join us at this time!



Dancer's Den

By: Princess Cheri Fisher

The Shalman Temple Dancers continue to practice every Monday night - if you enjoy good exercise, lots of laughing and starting the week off with the best friends you can have, come on out!

In March we had a beautiful installation of our Queen and Dance Member Carol Hefley along with her officers for the ensuing year. If you look around you will see a quite a few dancers among the officers.

As in the previous newsletter, Queen Carol Hefley has asked the Dancers to perform at Supreme in Albuquerque upcoming in June. We are selling raffle tickets to help offset the travel for the dancers who will be going. The tickets are \$1.00 for 1 or \$5.00 for 6. The drawing will be at the spring luncheon in honor of our Queen.

The Dancers are all busy with rehearsal and in their personal lives. Pr. Margie Montgomery is recovering from hip replacement surgery and is doing well. We will have her doing the routine in no time. PQ Lee Stark is nursing a broken finger after taking a fall. OUCH! Others will be traveling, seeing new places and family graduations that are coming up. We are always looking for new dancers. If you are interested in becoming a Shalman dancer, ask a dancer or come by on any given Monday at 7 pm in the Hella Shrine Ballroom or upstairs if you don't see us in the ballroom.

Shalman No. 90 2015 Calendar

March 2015	22	Installation of Officers	Ballroom	2:00 PM
March	24	Officer Practice	Parlor A	7:00 PM
April	1	Nile Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
May	2	Spring Luncheon	Brookhaven Country Club	11:00 AM
May	6	Nile Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
TBD	TBD	Supreme Apointee Luncheon	TBD	TBD
July	15	Practice for Nile Ceremonial	Parlor A	7:00 PM
August	15	Set up for Nile Ceremonial	Parlor A	9:00 AM
August	16	Nile Ceremonial	Parlor A	2:00 PM
September	2	Nile Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
September	23	Practice for Supreme Queen Visit	Parlor A	7:00 PM
October	1-4	Daughters of the Nile Texas Days	Fort Worth, TX	All Day
October	7	Nile Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
October	12	Practice for Supreme Queen Visit	Parlor A	7:00 PM
October	17	Daughters of the Nile Supreme Queen Visit & Banquet	Ballroom	All Day
November	4	Nile Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
November	14	Shalman CRA Queen's Ball Fundraiser	Parlor A & B	TBD
December	2	Nile Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
January 2016	6	Nile Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
February	3	Nile Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
March	2	Nile Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM