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The Nydian



Nydia Temple No. 4, Portland, Oregon

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Al Kader Shrine Center, 25100 SW Parkway Ave, Wilsonville, OR 97070*

Queen Judy Smith

Change is the law of life. And those who look only to the past or present are certain to miss the future.

—John F. Kennedy



Dear Ladies of the Household,

What an amazing couple of months I have seen. I have visited 13 Nile clubs so far and had two delightful social meetings called unofficial visits with ladies that live in Eastern and Central Oregon. To date, I have turned over to the Temple \$945 for CRA, \$2125 for CEF, and \$500 for the General Fund from these hard working Nile Clubs. In addition, I have received around 150 quilts, many shorts, and hundreds of dollars worth of school supplies and money for the snack cart and toys for the Birthday Parties. Such generosity is to be commended and then on top of that I have received wonderful personal gifts and donations to help keep my gas tank full. But I cannot forget the Stepping Stones to Happiness...you all know the way to touch my heart and bring a tear to my eye. I am so grateful to be able to have this year with you.

Our Official Visit with Supreme Queen Marsha Sowers was an exciting success. We wowed her with our class of 17 new members and with the beautiful ceremonial that you ladies presented. She was very impressed and appreciated your enthusiasm and dedication to Daughters of the Nile.

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Queen Judy Continued...

112 attended our banquet that evening and the entertainment was our own very talented units. It was obvious that all three worked very hard to represent Nydia Temple well. I so appreciate all the time that it takes to perform so admirably.

So, Nydia Temple is changing every day. Change is good and represents what our founders wanted for this group of women...to be forward thinking. We have 18 new members (see another article for an explanation on this number) who can bring new ideas and enthusiasm to our temple. Our generosity is growing every day and will change the lives of those sweet children entrusted to the care of Shriners Hospitals for Children. Bless you all for working with this Queen who wants us to change in a positive way and grow so that we can continue to focus on our mission.

With Sincere Nile Love,

Queen Judy

Some changes look negative on the surface, but you will soon realize that space is being created in your life for something new to emerge."

— Eckhart Tolle



From Princess Royal

Happy fall to all the Ladies of the Household.

I have had a very busy and fun summer going to picnics and now Official Visits.

I want to thank everyone again for all the help and hospitality you have all shown me this year.

The fundraisers this year have been a great success.

Thanks to all for the help at the Speakeasy, the haunted house, the cookbook that will be out soon and the wreaths to be auctioned off at the December session.

Plans are well under way for next year. I know you all have hidden talents that you would like to share with others, so I would be happy to show them off. Just give me a call so you can help me.

Have a blessed holiday season

Nile hugs

Laurie Winchester, Pr. Royal





Tidbits from Princess Tirzah

Ladies of the Household, we are moving nicely through this year. The Ceremonial was Magnificent!



In planning for our December Session, remember it is the holiday session. Queen Judy will have her Pin-ons for those attending—always a fun day to see what she planned for us. AND, this year we are having a Wreath Auction—we had baskets the last few years—so this is something fun and NEW! I have heard about several of them: strictly holiday, some themed, some beautiful, and some funky. This is an auction, so come early and be prepared to 'stake-out' your favorite.



The funds go directly into our General Fund to keep the Temple 'in the black.' Clubs and Units are well into finishing their wreaths, and if YOU want to make one, we'd be delighted to include it on the display.

I know I'm looking forward to this fun day for all of us.



Sharon L. Kelley

Princess Tirzah

jurisdiction. The luncheons have been delicious, the donations to the Foundation have been generous, and the Ladies have been most welcoming. Thank you to all the clubs and units for the hospitality.

Remember...."All you need is Faith, Trust and Pixie Dust!"



Jennifer Moyer, Princess Badoura

From Princess Badoura

I would like to express my heartfelt thanks to all of the Ladies of the Household that have stepped up to help with the various fundraising projects over the last couple of months. We have had a few stressful moments, lots of laughs, and some great fellowship while earning a bit for the general fund and the Endowment. I'm extremely pleased to announce that the "Speakeasy" earned over \$1,300! Our Haunted House concessions earned another \$300, give or take, and we still have the cookbook in the works!

Also, thanks to all the encouragement, kind words and generous help from everyone; our Ceremonial was BEAUTIFUL! In my humble opinion, we were outstanding. I have photos available if anyone would like copies. We have started off with 18 (including one in Central Oregon) new Princesses, and I know we will have at least that many in February. What a great way to get our friends involved in the "Mission" and helping our kids. Not to mention all the fun we have together.

I was honored to receive a "White Rose" award from our Queen Judy at the November Session. It really means a lot to me to be so honored. I am enjoying being your Princess Badoura this year and want to do my very best. It's very humbling to be rewarded for doing something that I enjoy so much.

We've been having the best time seeing everyone at all of the Nile Club OV's across the





From the Desk of Pr. Recorder:

The holidays are rapidly approaching so I wanted to wish everyone a very happy and safe time as you enjoy the season with lots of family and friends! I would like to thank all of the ladies who have gotten their dues in so promptly this year and remind those ladies that still have not paid your 2014 dues; they need to be paid as soon as possible. We still have 44 of our valuable members that we have not collected 2014 dues from yet and it would be very sad for us to lose them come March 31, 2015 if they are not current at the time. If there is a concern that we need to know about, please let our Queen Judy or me know about it. Everything will be kept confidential and maybe we can help, especially our long time members! *Current Dues Cards are required to attend all Nile Temple Sessions and Club Meetings.*

As you have read or will read in PR. Banker's article, we now accept credit and debit cards for dues, supplies and even event tickets. We have added this feature to help make it easier for all to be able to do or purchase what you want when you want it! If you have any questions feel free to contact me at anytime. 😊

We were ecstatic to welcome 18 new princesses in October to our membership and pray that they will find us and our philanthropy an important and fulfilling part of their life. Congratulations to all of our officers as they did an amazing job at our Supreme Queen Ceremonial and we know SQ Marsha was impressed beyond belief.

Many proposals have been read lately and we thank each of you who turned one in, however your job is not done. Once those ladies have received their invitation with paperwork in the mail (*shortly after they have been elected to join*) please continue to contact and encourage them to send back in their paperwork and fees! We know you want them to experience the fun social times and the fulfillment of helping children to be all that they can be! Seeing the gratitude in the eyes of a child or a parent that you know you have helped in some way (*even if it is just by paying your dues*) cannot even be measured...

I hope to see each of you very soon,

PQ Beverly, your Pr. Recorder



Seshat, Goddess of Scribes

The next Nydian deadline is **Monday, February 9, 2015**

Please submit articles and photos via e-mail to: pdavis@aracnet.com

Please use "Nydian" in the subject line.

Or send via other means to **Pam Davis**

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Membership

Ladies what a wonderful ceremonial WOW 17 new members at the Supreme Queen's visit and one in Bend by the new rules. Great job ladies. Now we need to keep them interested and active.

New Members: I am sorry I did not get to talk to each of you one on one but I hope you have read some or all of the information in your packets. I can not take credit for all the history in it, but I found it to be very interesting. It was all researched and put together by last year's chairman, Jeanne Kroker. She spent many hours putting it together. Thank you Jeanne.

I would like to thank everyone who helped in any way: bringing food, setting up for the lunch before, for the snacks during break, setting tables, decorating and putting away after it was over. I am not going to try to name names 'cause I might miss someone and I don't want to do that; however, I would like everyone to know that JR Past Queen Barbara Strouth and 2 others that I know of from Iris Temple in Boise, Idaho helped set table, decorate, and whatever else was needed. Like the saying goes "Many hands make light work" or something like that. If it had not been for all the helping hands doing whatever was needed it would not have happened like it did.

Again, I want to say thank you to all the many hands that helped make our Supreme Queen Marsha's visit special. I love you all.

Hugs: Patti Baldwin, Membership/Mentor Chairman



From Pr. Banker

What's in your wallet? Is there a debit or credit card, and no cash? That's okay, you can still purchase your banquet ticket, pay your dues, buy a ritual, or whatever you need from Nydia Temple. Yes, we are accepting debit and credit payments.

Princess Recorder Past Queen Beverly has a card swipe reader, which she puts on her phone or tablet, and using her personal internet connection (also known as a hotspot), can easily run your card.

Yes, there are fees associated with accepting debit and credit cards, plus the extra security and the hotspot, so a small surcharge will be added to each transaction. A surcharge fee of \$1 will added to transactions \$100 or less, and a \$2 will be added to transactions above \$100.

But what if you want to use your card and you're not with PQ Beverly to hand it to her? Not to worry. The system has the capability of allowing her to type in your card number. So, if you want to pay your dues (or whatever), and you're not with her, she can take your card number over the phone and complete the transaction. We are so excited to offer this option to our members - it's fast, easy, and reliable for everyone.

Thank you ladies, for all the positive responses to this new way of taking care of business.

Princess Kathy Walliker, Princess Banker



Recent Happenings



Supreme Queen Marsha Sowers came for her official visit and a ceremonial on October 22. The ceremonial was beautifully done and 17 new princesses were initiated. (left)

Afterwards there was a banquet and all three of Nydia's units performed.



Right—Supreme Queen Marsha, Queen Judy and the officers from the ceremonial.



This picture is the brand new digital casting machine called the "CADCAM". SQ Marsha's Official Visit to the Portland Shriners Hospital on October 23 was the first tour to see it. Supreme Queen Marsha and Queen Judy are holding cast forms created by the 3-D printing system.



Birthday Parties

The Birthday Party Committee appreciates the support of the parties, the coin drills and the special donations.

Delores Dunn has been a great supporter with check donations. We have received many gift donations from Shirley Moore, Rosemary Farris, and Barbara Miner (non-member). Union Nile Club donated \$100.00. I purchased toys for a total of \$104.35 out of Birthday March Funds.

Beth Eden Nile Club gave two large bags of gifts which Queen Judy brought home from her official visit to the Club. My estimate of the total of the items — a guess — \$359.00. Included were a large amount of items that can be used in our gift bags that are given, which include misc. items, along with a toy gift or a gift certificate, if we do not have an appropriate item for a particular patient.

We are associated with Child Life Department, under their direction. Beth Eden's gifts of 3 T shirts, 2 sets of embroidered bath and hand towels, socks of ever size will be distributed by Child Life Department since we are at the hospital one day a month..

Our October Party was on a Thursday as Ceremonial was held on Wednesday. Supreme Queen Marsha Sowers was guest at the Hospital luncheon, and taken on a tour of the hospital.. She attended the Birthday Party. The cake was decorated in her colors of blue and silver, her name was on the cake: "Marsha Sowers, Supreme Queen". She cut the first pieces of the cake. She was a very gracious, lovely Supreme Queen. She visited with family and children at the party. She accompanied Queen Judy to distribute gifts to the children that were not able to come to the party.

Our clown participation has increased. We had 5 clowns at the party. Our clown Klutz has been volunteering at the hospital I believe over 25 years.

Birthday Party committee were Queen Judy Smith, Shirley Stanfill, Dorothy Lewis, Gerry Brown JPQ, Patty Baldwin, Rosemary Farris, Isabelle York, and Dottie Inman.

Pr. Dottie Inman, Chairman



"Keys" the clown

To the Ladies of Nile

I would like to thank all of you for the wonderful cards and phone calls I've received since I had my emergency surgery on October 2, 2014. The recovery has been slow but I hope to be up and around very soon... It is always so nice to discover that one has so very many friends to care for you. Thank you again and I hope to see you all soon...

Janis A Ferlisi





A NYDIA TEMPLE FIRST: INITIATION BY OBLIGATION ONLY

Last June the delegates at Supreme Session voted to allow initiation by obligation only in extenuating circumstances. Last month, during the official visits to Central Oregon, it was discovered that a lady had been elected to membership months ago but was not able to get to Wilsonville to be a part of a ceremonial. She was friends with Bend Nile Club members but had just given up on ever becoming a member of Nile. Queen Judy and those traveling with her, including a Past Queen and three other elected officers of the Temple, decided that she was a good candidate for this obligation only ceremony. The lady was contacted and it was arranged that she would attend the official visit the next day at the Redmond Masonic Lodge. There was some scurrying about and arrangements for white roses and a little vase that resembled a small amphora and a Bible. There were about 20 ladies in attendance that day for this historic event in Nydia history. Everyone in attendance took part in our ceremony which included the obligation, christening, and presenting her with a Daughters of the Nile Pin. Several of the ladies from Three Sisters and Bend Nile clubs, who had not been back to temple since their initiation, were so pleased that they could witness our abbreviated initiation ceremony. It was an event to remember for all of us and a good reminder of how important it is to do everything we can to keep our order healthy and growing. So, congratulations, Nydia...you now have **18** new members!



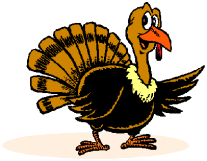
Chaplain's Report for October and November

Chaplain's Report from the October Stated Session include the following members: Pr. Doris Adams, Pr. E'laine Armstrong, Pr. Ellen Avery, Pr. Nan Baker, Pr. Kathie Blackburn, PQ Donnaclaire Blankenship, Pr. Barbara Brown, Pr. Dorothy Burdick, Pr. Blanche Davis, Pr. Connie Doherty, Pr. Betty Jones, Pr. Molly Dott Lippert, Pr. Joyce Richmond, and family of Noble Don Swan. Member lost this month: Pr. Kathryn Rowe.

Chaplain's Report from the November Stated Session includes remembrances sent to the following members: Pr. Kahmaal Khal Al-Saegh, Pr. Ellen Avery, Pr. Nadine Beck, Pr. Julie Birmingham, Pr. Kathie Blackburn, PQ Donnaclaire Blankenship, Pr. Betty Burdick, Pr. Barbara Burness, Pr. Dorothy Butterfield, Pr. Meghan Frazier Cole, Pr. Virginia Edwards, Pr. Arlene Farrell, Pr. Rosemary Farris, Pr. Jan Ferlisi, Pr. Gail Gamble, Pr. Lynne Hermanson, Pr. Penny MacKinnon, Pr. Mary Maxwell, Pr. Mary Lou Olson, Pr. Joan Sandeno, PSQ Suzie Schumacher, Pr. Moselle Veatch, Pr. Pamela Woolcock, and PSQ Virginia Wright.

Please contact the Pr. Chaplain if you hear of a member needing a card or a call. It is very important that we reach out to our members to let them know of our concern for them.

Princess Chaplain Penny MacKinnon, 503-829-8151, pennyb@molalla.net.



Session Notes

At the October 1 Session Beaver Nile served a lunch of pizza and salad to 50 princesses. There was a bit of alarm when they inadvertently set off the fire alarm in the kitchen and the hall had to be cleared. A lesson learned about using the ovens without the fans on!

This session was honoring the Units. Before session members of each of the three units gave a little talk about their unit. Patrol even brought uniforms, old and new, for some show & tell.

During session Pr. Royal discussed the recipe book they have been working on, and informed everyone that they could have it completely done by a fundraising company for just a few dollars each. It was voted to spend the money to have 400 of them made up. She also informed everyone of the opportunity to sell refreshments at the Shrine's haunted house this month. It was decided that we participate in that also. And PQ Paulette presented a check to Queen Judy for \$2500 - the amount coming from the cruise. A large group of names was balloted upon. The queen gave the schedule for the upcoming supreme visitation and ceremonial. She noted one change to her schedule being the OV to Vancouver Nile is postponed until January 20, 2015. By-law changes were read, to be discussed in November.

At the November 5 Session luncheon the Chorus served several of the Rada soup varieties that they sell, green salad, and rolls for lunch to about 45 princesses. It was Founders Day and there were pictures projected on a screen of the old hospital and the ladies who worked there in the 1920's and 30's. Queen Judy dressed up in an old fashioned black & white suit with a big bow in back very much in keeping with the theme. Stepping stones were also given to the presidents of each unit in honor of the units' dedication.

During session more proposals were read. Queen Judy told how Supreme Queen Marsha was impressed with our ceremonial, and that she had not seen so many new princesses initiated at once in her travels to date. She said that she would like to see at least 15 more new princesses initiated at the next ceremonial in February, and that if there were that many she would donate \$100 to the DON Foundation.

Queen Judy also talked about a new Supreme by-law that allows "initiation by obligation only", and how it had been used in her travels to Eastern Oregon. (See article on pg 8) She requested permission from the temple to allow her to perform this type of initiation when necessary without seeking prior approval from the temple. It was voted on and approved.

All the proposed by-law changes that had been read in October and mailed to all the members were voted on and approved with very little discussion.

Two White Rose awards were given—one to Pr. Patti Baldwin for stepping up as banquet chairman for the Supreme Queen's OV and the Christmas Luncheon, and one to Pr. Jennifer Moyer for her work organizing the haunted house concession stand fundraiser.



All are encouraged to attend Session as often as their schedules allow for the friendship, and the fun, and the ritual, and to attend to the necessary business that allows Nydia #4 to continue our mission of serving the children of the Shriners Hospitals.



Nile Units



Padir

In more ways than one, the PADIR dancers are a very colorful group! We were so excited to perform for Supreme Queen Marsha on her recent visit to Nydia Temple, and to strut our stuff for the Queen, new princesses, family, friends and distinguished guests at the banquet. Everyone in the room was whooping, hollering, and clapping to the classic Can-Can music while we moaned

and groaned thru that very energetic dance. But we made it work, using chairs and each other to hang onto. The best review we heard was from the Portland Shriners Hospital Administrator who said, "I thought I had seen everything until tonight." Thank you Patch for that compliment, we love you too. We are looking forward to our next performance - our Marco Polo dance at the Shriner's Ceremonial on November 22nd. Interested in becoming a PADIR dancer? Drop by a practice and see what it's all about. Do you have questions? Call Pr. Kathy Walliker or Past Queen Ruth Rewey, or any unit member.

Reported by: Princess Kathy Walliker

Chorus Notes

Nydia chorus has been "singing up a storm" for your enjoyment and our pleasure. In October "The Purple People Eater" came to visit for Halloween. We sang for Supreme Queen Marsha's official visit. One song was "Suddenly There's a Valley". After we sang it, we learned it was the song that Queen Marsha used when she was queen of her temple in Nebraska. We did not know this, but it was a pleasure for her and us. In November we sang "Yankee Doodle" and "God Bless America" The ladies stood, held hands, and sang with us. We are now working on Christmas Carols for the December session and the Holiday Luncheon.

As you can see we are busy, and we would love to have you join us at practices and business meetings on the 3rd Wednesday of the month.

For a fundraiser we are selling the Rada Knives. They make great Christmas gifts that are practical and inexpensive.

I would like to thank the princesses in Eastern Oregon for their purchases of Rada Knives at our official visits with Queen Judy.

Please visit us and see what fun singing can be!

Nile Love, Helen Swails, Ambassador





Patrol

The Patrol has developed a whole new face. This has become the season of change. As the group is going through a reorganizing process, it is a great time for new members to join. We are all learning new moves and adapting some old moves into a new look.

The members of the Patrol plan to perform at Supreme Nile in June. As we continue our attempts to raise funds to offset expenses, we are again planning a cookie and candy sale at the December session. In January we will again enjoy the “mystery” purse silent auction.

As we work on our changes, you will see a change in the line-up. You will see a change of style and character; see new moves and enthusiasm. Stand by to enjoy a new costume and a new look.

Patrol member, Holly Austin



Nile Clubs

Beaver Nile Club

We meet at the Beaverton Masonic Lodge in the downstairs area. As those of you who have been to our Mad Hatter's Tea know, the space is fairly large. This creates an acoustic problem when we have our meetings, and some of our ladies have a hard time hearing. The Masons have been working for quite some time on building a “conference room” at one end of this space. While it is not yet completed, we were able to hold our October business meeting in the new space. All agreed that it was easier to hear. When it is finally finished it will be a very nice place for our business meetings.

Our OV was scheduled for November 13, Oh! But the weather! We have rescheduled our OV for our meeting on December 11.

Pam Davis, President





Bend Nile Club

Bend Nile Club is happy to introduce our two new members. A member of Zuleima #13, Debra Gallino is now a dual member of Nydia #4. And I must say she is a very busy and dedicated Princess. Barbara Robinson is now a Princess as of our October 16th Official Visit. "Initiation by Obligation" was preformed for Barbara Robinson by Queen Judy Smith on this date. We welcome these lovely Princesses.

What a blessing this new "Initiation by Obligation Only" by-law is. I believe this is the first one in many, many years. Weather and travel has always been a problem for would-be members from this side of the cascades.

I thank you from Bend Nile Club.

Kay Nelson, Ambassador



Forest Hills Nile Club

We were pleased to host our Queen Judy at her OV to our Club on 11 November. We had a magnificent display of dolls for our visitors to peruse. And, because of our dolls, we were able to present a substantial check to Queen Judy for the Foundation endowment. Queen Judy also received our traditional 'Doll for the Queen', dressed in blues and shining stars. We met in our workroom since Jennings-McCall wanted the big room for a Veteran's Day affair. The quarters were close and friendly, but now more know how we work.

Sharon Kelley

Salem Nile Club



Salem Nile Club hosted a special guest at our meeting on November 3, 2014. Mrs. Pat Valente joined us for lunch and conducted a quilting class and demonstration. She taught us how to make a series of small quilted boxes of various shapes and sizes. It was surprising to see how quickly and easily the project went together. Queen Judy and Princess Penney MacKinnon were also able to join us and we were all inspired to go home and try out this project for ourselves, they will make very charming holiday gifts!

Thank you Pat!

Teri Rollman, President Salem Nile Club



Union County Nile Club

The Union County Nile Club is alive and well in the northeast corner of Oregon. Fifteen loyal members gathered for the fall luncheon with President Colleen Clark presiding. Plans were discussed for the annual donation of baby foods to the upcoming Shrine Hospital Food Caravan.

photo & submission of article by Pr. Donna Patterson

Vancouver Nile Club

We are alive and well. However, we have a small challenge looking ahead. We are losing our current club meeting place.

We enjoy working together to benefit Nydia Temple and the children at the Shrine Hospitals, and we invite you to visit our club anytime. But, right at the moment please call one of the club officers listed in the temple roster before coming to find out where we are meeting. Once we settle in — you will be the first to know.

Until then, keep a good thought that we might find a wonderful new home.

Have a Blessed Thanksgiving

PQ Paulette Schlee, President Vancouver Nile Club



Woodburn Nile Club

Hello from Woodburn Nile Club. At our November meeting, Princess Juanita Alf proudly turned in three sets of hand embroidered quilt blocks she just completed. She is pictured (seated) with Club President Pr. Virginia Edwards and admirer Pr. Evelyn White.

These blocks will be given to the Sewing Committee and used in the making of quilts for the kids at the Shriners Hospital. Pr. Juanita averages 40-50 hours per set of eight blocks, and completes a set every two-three weeks. She, and all the members of Woodburn Nile Club support the hospital by preparing sewing items at home, providing fabric and notions, or purchasing snacks and juice for the snack cart in the clinic. Way to go ladies.



Any lady wishing to join us, we meet at the Denney's Restaurant in Woodburn on the first Friday of each month (except during the summer) at 11:15 am. Reported by: Pr. Kathy Walliker, Ambassador



Coming Events



Aloha !!

Join Queen Judy
as she travels to Paradise
for fun a week in the sun

Everyone Welcome !

While in Honolulu attend the Supreme Queen's OV to Egyptian Temple and possibly the Honolulu Shrine Hospital. The balance of the time is free time to enjoy Paradise and Warm Sunshine. Lots and lots of great sights .. I am able to make suggestions.

Probable travel dates: Depart— February 17, 2015
Return— February 24, 2015

Hotel Ala Moana Hotel on Waikiki Beach. (Hotel of the SQ)
Airline Hawaiian Airlines

Approximate cost: \$2,000.00 per person

(Includes: Air & 7 Nights Hotel accommodations based on double occupancy)

If you are interested in Joining Queen Judy, please call:
Paulette Schlee 360-607-7801 or e-mail: ptschlee@comcast.net

Don't Delay

All rates are subject to change and depend
on travel dates and availability of air & hotel accommodations.



Wreath Auction

At the December Session there will be a silent auction but instead of baskets as in previous years, we will be auctioning wreaths. All are encouraged to bring a wreath for the auction—individuals, units, or clubs. The wreaths may be for any occasion or theme, not just Christmas.

Pictured here is the patriotic themed wreath done by the Nite Lites Club. (See also Pr. Tirzah's article on pg. 3)



Please join Queen Judy Smith
and
Nydia Temple No. 4
Daughters of the Nile
at her
"A Christmas Star" Holiday Luncheon
Saturday, December 13, 2014
Social time: 11:30 AMLunch: 12:00 Noon
at the
Tualatin Country Club
9145 SW Tualatin Road ~ Tualatin Oregon
\$24 per person
Choice of:
Northwest Harvest Salad
or
Roasted Chicken & Wild Mushroom Crepes
Luncheon includes Roll, Dessert and Beverage

*Tickets are available at the November and December Sessions
See Banquet Chairman: Patti Baldwin*

*We can now accept credit card payments!
Contact Princess Recorder, Beverly Eiden
503-752-9267*



Queen's Calendar



ALL SESSIONS happen on the 1st Wednesday of each month except June, July and August.

Lunch at 11:15 am, Session at 12:30 pm

November 25 — Tree Decorating at Hospital

December 13 — Holiday Luncheon at Tualatin Country Club

February 7, 2015 — Winter Ceremonial and Queens Appreciation Tea

February 9, 2015 — Nydian deadline for articles

February 17-24 — Tentative trip to Honolulu Shriners Hospital and visit to Egyptian Temple No 33.

March 8, 2015 — Nydia Temple Installation of 2015-2016 Officers

QUEEN'S OFFICIAL VISITS TO NILE CLUBS

All Ladies of the Household are welcome to attend the Official Visits. We will have carpooling information as the time of the visits nears. Past Queen Patti Compton has graciously agreed to assist us in making all members of the Order feel welcome to travel with us.

November 20th, Dallas Nile Club

December 11th, Beaver Nile Club

January 19th, Nite Lites Nile Club

December 1st, Zenobia Nile Club

December 16th, Eastmont Nile Club

January 20th, Vancouver Nile Club Location TBA

Yearbook Directory Updates



See your e-mailed or printed Nydian for this information

Crossed Over



Doris Adams

Deceased 11/8/14

A White Rose Ceremony was held on November 13, 2014 at the graveside in Forest View Cemetery, Forest Grove.



New Princesses

Initiated 10/22/14

See your e-mailed or printed Nydian for this information





HOW TO BECOME A MEMBER OF DAUGHTERS OF THE NILE

Recently I was informed by an elected candidate for Nydia Temple that she did not come to the ceremonial because her friend (a member of this temple) told her to wait because she had just turned in her petition. But, how could that be since she received a letter from the Pr. Recorder telling her to send or bring the petition and her fees and be initiated into the order? The problem lies in the word PETITION! Yes, she got the letter but went with the bad advice of the friend. Many of us belong to other orders where a PETITION is the first step in the membership process. In Nile it is the final step. Nothing happens except for initiation once we receive the petition. So, just in case you are confused about the membership process...here is a reminder.

STEP 1. The proposal is turned into the Pr. Recorder. This is with or without the ladies knowledge. It is read in the Temple stated session as soon as it is received.

STEP 2. The Temple votes on the proposed lady. If elected, a letter of congratulations is sent to her by Pr. Recorder with the date of the next ceremonial and notice of the fees and a PETITION to be filled out by her for our records. If she is elected and you proposed or know the lady, you are encouraged to talk to her about it and support her in becoming a member.

STEP 3. She sends in or brings in her PETITION and the fees and is initiated.

So, remember, Daughters of the Nile is unique in many ways including the membership process. Make sure that you understand the process and can continue to help us gain members.



Queen Judy

“Stepping onto a brand new path is difficult, but not more difficult than remaining in a situation, which is not nurturing to the whole woman.”

— Maya Angelou

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I keep getting comments about why ladies like getting the Nydian by e-mail.....

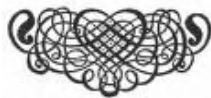
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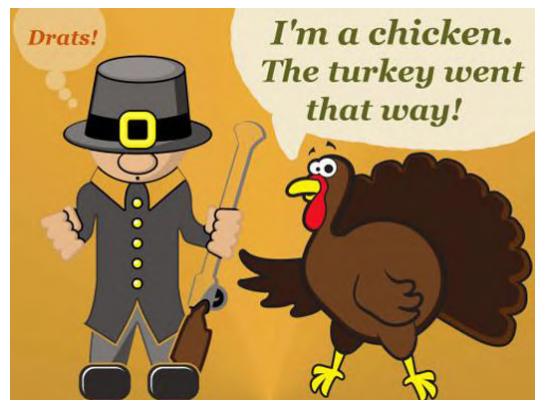
You always know where your Nydian is. (on your computer!)

I encourage you to get your e-mail address to Pr. Recorder so you too can enjoy the benefits of getting your Nydian by e-mail.

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The golden links that bind us, it seems, is something we all learned in Kindergarten. Treat others as you would like to be treated. This simple idea, if applied in our daily lives, could solve a lot of conflict. In other words, "Life; it's an ATTITUDE thing!"

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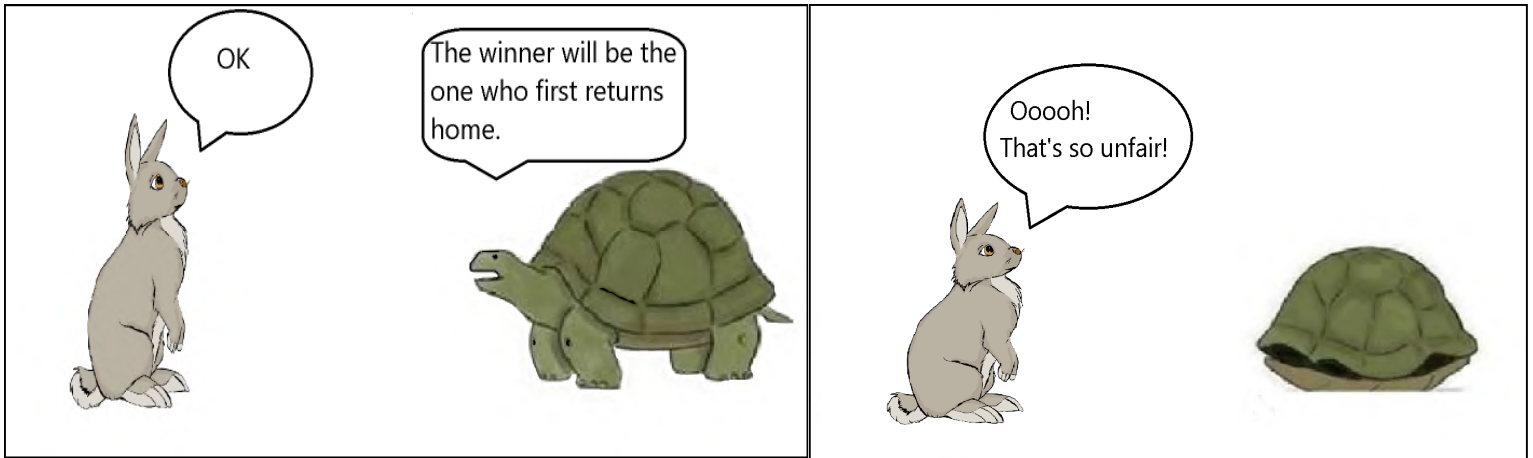
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