



July
2025



Zulekia Court News



Ladies Oriental Shrine of
North America
Zulekia Court No. 35
Instituted December 14, 1940

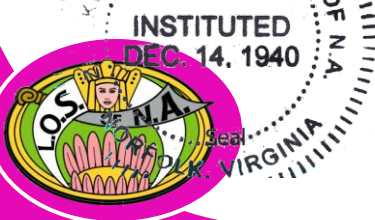
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Lady Luann Smith, PHP, Recorder

Message from the High Priestess

Happy Summer Ladies,

It's hard to believe we are 3 months into the Zulekia Court's new year. We have truly been busy. We started off having 6 ladies, one gentleman (AKA- Mr. High Priestess, Noble Wayne Kelly) and one youth volunteer serving pizza for the MCHQWA (Master Counselor, Honor Queen and Worthy Advisor) in the state of Virginia event hosted at Khedive Shrine Center. We had so much fun. No one told us we were serving pizza until the event almost ended.

Then it was off to Grand Council in Kansas City, Missouri! Grand Council seemed busier than usual. We had a wonderful representation of our Court. I was truly humbled and very honored to sit in the East while watching the other Courts performing. Then standing on the floor to watch our Ladies perform. Such a wonderful treasure and memories of a lifetime. I felt very honored by being able to escort Lady Kim Cook to her new position and fez her as Grand First Ceremonial Lady. In addition, I was honored to deliver our class response for our newly installed Grand High Priestess Lady Cynthia Rudd.

We are starting to get involved with Portlock Primary School. We started towards the end of the year by helping out with Field Day. Our goal is to support them in the fall and the rest of the school year. Please make sure to look for emails from Lady K. Ashley about needs before teachers go back to school.

Our goal to grow our membership is off to a good start. We obligated 4 new members so far this year. Please mark your calendar, our Ceremonial will be February 7, 2026.

Looking forward to fulfilling our Philanthropy of fun, fellowship and philanthropic endeavors by reaching out to the community. Please remember most importantly we are here for Shriners Childrens' and each other.

Thank you for your continued support. I hope you and your families enjoy the summer, and I look forward to seeing you back in September.

Fraternally,
Lady Cheryl Valeriano
High Priestess Zulekia Court #35
Flamingo Hugs & Mermaid Kisses



Message from the Princess

Ladies,
We had a wonderful Zoom planning meeting on June 2 and are excited about the events ahead, including preparations for our upcoming Grand Visitation and Christmas Party. These gatherings promise to be special, and we welcome anyone who would like to lend a hand in the planning process. In celebration of our Court's 85th Birthday/Anniversary, we are now taking shirt orders! Please see Lady Jennie Vogl or me for order forms, sizing, and color options.

We are also offering "trailer shirts" for the men who graciously support and accompany us. In addition, we are kicking off our new Jingle of Opportunity Fundraiser, with tickets available for \$10 each. The drawing will be held at our Court meeting on December 3rd, with four exciting cash prizes: two for \$500, one for \$300, and one for \$200. Proceeds will go toward the construction of a handicap ramp for our building, and any remaining funds will help replenish what was spent on our beautiful new flower boxes.

Lastly, I want to share what a truly wonderful time I had at Grand Council. It was such a joy to gather with so many of our Ladies, and I'm already looking forward to next year's event. Thank you all for your continued support, dedication, and sisterhood as we work together to make our Court stronger than ever.



Lady Christina Martin
Princess
With Phoenix Love and Wookie Hugs!

Message from the Associate Princess

Hello Ladies,
In April we had our 3rd annual Jungle Golf Hospital fundraiser. Together we raised \$4,600! The day was filled with fun, fellowship, and beautiful weather!

We are continuing to collect drink can tabs to recycle for our Shriners Children's'. I would like to challenge our Court to collect as many tabs as we receive from Manteo Middle School. So, everyone please continue collecting tab and remember to turn them in. I will have a basket at the Associate Princess' station to collect these.



And lastly, I want to thank you, ladies, once again for having continued faith in me and electing me to be your Associate Princess. I hope you have a wonderfully blessed summer with friends and family. And Thank you for everything you do for me, our Court, and Shriners Children's.



With Cheshire Cat Smiles & Monkey Hugs,
Lady Deb Lawrence
Associate Princess



IMPORTANT DATES

All meetings at Zulekia Court #35
Unless Otherwise Noted

Please look for upcoming
IMPORTANT DATES
In your email

Zulekia Court #35 is DARK for the months of July & August. There will be no Unit or Club Meetings.

Here are Some Upcoming dates for September

Wednesday, 9/3 @ 5:30 PM -
Pageantry meeting

Wednesday, 9/3 @ 7:00 pm -
COURT STATED MEETING,
Refreshments (Patrol Unit)
at 6:00 pm

Monday, 9/8 @ 6:30 pm - VB
Ladies Shrine Club @ Outback
Steakhouse, Kemps River, VB

Tuesday, 9/9- Grand Council
Basket Bingo Planning Meeting @
6 PM

Tuesday, 9/9 @ 7:00 pm -
Patrol meeting

Wednesday 9/10 @ 6 pm -
Norfolk Ladies Shrine Club @
Mom & Pops, Norfolk

Monday, 9/15 @ 6:30 pm -
Clowns Meeting

Thursday, 9/18 @ 6:30 pm -
Zukies meeting

Tuesday, 9/23 @ 6:30 pm -
Peninsula Ladies Shrine Club @
Joe and Mimma's Italian
Restaurant, Yorktown

Thursday, 9/25 @ 6 PM -
Ways & Means

Thursday, 9/25 @ 7 PM -
Building Operations meeting

Monday, 9/29 @ 6:30 PM -
Lady Shrine University
Topic: Responsibilities

Grand High Priestess Visit will be
November 7 - 11, 2025

UNITS

Patrol Unit

2nd Tuesday | 7 PM
Zulekia Court #35 Building
Captain Lady Jennie Vogl

Clown Unit

Quarterly
Zulekia Court #35 Building
Directress Lady Lynn Hollandsworth, PHP

Pageantry Unit

1st Wednesday | 5:30 PM
Zulekia Court #35 Building
Directress Lady Carol Wicks

Zukie Line Dancer Unit

3rd Thursday | 6:30 PM
Zulekia Court #35 Building
Captain Lady Bobbie Greybeck, PHP

CLUBS

Norfolk Shrine Club

Mom & Pop's Restaurant
Bayview Avenue
2nd Wednesday | 6 PM

Past High Priestess Club

Meets in
April, June, October & February
4th Monday | 7 PM
Zulekia Court #35 Building

Peninsula Shrine Club

Joe and Mimma's Italian
Restaurant
4th Tuesday | 6:30 PM

Suffolk Shrine Club

Plaza Azteca Restaurant
Main Street Suffolk
2nd Saturday | 11:30 AM
President Lady Veronica Cianetti

Virginia Beach Shrine Club

2nd Monday | 6:30 PM
Outback Steak House
President Lady Joanne Norton-Kolinsky

Message from the First Ceremonial Lady

Hello Ladies of Zulekia Court,
I want to thank each and every one of you plus your Nobles for your support with the Family Feud fundraiser. We may not have won the trophy this year, but we had a great time playing and we were so close. Special thanks to our newer ladies, Leah G., Dottie S., Maureen S. and Wendy K., for helping with the decorating, food serving and 50/50. You guys rocked!! To those who donated food and/or money, thank you very much from the bottom of my heart. We can't forget Colleen and the kitchen crew for all their hard work. We raised roughly \$1,200.00 (will have final totals soon) and we will give a donation of \$100 to the Hospital Fund in honor of the Khedive Divan winning.

Now time to work on the Tree FEZtival and hopefully do some relaxing during the summer months.



With Salty Anchor Love & Dolphin Kisses,
Lady Kathy Gardner
1st Ceremonial Lady



Membership

If you know of any ladies that may be interested in joining our great organization, give them a petition. Petition fees are \$40 and must be paid with the petition and before the candidate can be interviewed. If you need petitions, they are available at the Recorder's desk, or if you are sitting in the building, they are also located in the office desk drawer.

Lady Christina Martin | Lady Deb Lawrence
Membership Chair

Philanthropic

Ladies,
This year we are partnering again with Courthouse Community United Methodist Church to help those in our community less fortunate this Thanksgiving.

How can you HELP... easy: Units & Clubs

1. See Lady Lynn Hollandsworth, PHP to get a Grand Food Pounding Day Box
2. Fill the box with non-perishable food items listed on the box



Members here is a list of items needed: \$20 Food Store gift card, Box of Instant Potatoes, Pkg of Cornbread Mix Box of Stuffing Mix, Jar of Jelly, Jar of Peanut Butter, Box of Macaroni & Cheese, Pie Crust (dry mix only) Can of each: Corn, Sweet Potatoes, Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Gravy, Soup, Pumpkin Pie Mix, Apple Sauce or fruit, Evaporated Milk

CLOWN UNIT CHALLENGE: The Clowns are sponsoring a box, and challenge all other clubs and units to meet or exceed that!

Lady K. Ashley
Philanthropic Committee Chairman

Building Operations | Building Rentals

The LOSNA ZULEKIA Court #35 building is a rare beauty. We are the only Court in LOSNA to own our own building, and we are honored to have it and proud of our building. I am honored to represent the building committee and look forward to continuing my efforts to improve the building and operations.

Improvements to the building continue. HVAC unit #3 had some much-needed parts replaced and repaired, the roof had some minor maintenance to keep it in great shape, 5 trees were removed in the parking lot, and special planter boxes have been built around the remaining stumps. Plans continue on beautification efforts. Help and ideas are always welcome.

Like our own homes, things break, fall apart, wear out and need attention. No one likes to replace the things that aren't exciting, but those items are what keeps the home running. Here are some of the projects the committee will plan to present a little at a time. Please look over the list and consider ideas on how to bring funds in to help keep our building beautiful.

- Replacing all carpeting with laminate or other sturdy flooring estimated at \$4500.00 +
- Painting entire building Estimated cost \$3000.00 +
- Replace all bathroom faucets Estimated cost \$600 free labor
- Repair Ventilation System in the bathrooms and hallways Estimated cost \$4500.00
- Repair backdoors Estimated cost \$500.00
- Investigate cracks in the main hall and repair/replace flooring as needed. Cost to be determined
- Parking Lot will need to be an ongoing project for repairs. New signs need to be purchased, safety poles need to be painted, weeds need to be pulled, lines need repainted, and eventually the entire lot will need to be repaved.
- Tables and Chairs will need to be replaced.

To the ladies who make up the building committee and continue to come to the monthly meetings, THANK YOU! The committee needs all members to attend. That sounds dramatic, but it is our building, be informed/be involved! Right now, we need a secretary. The responsibility requires you to attend the monthly meeting and roughly one more hour to write up the minutes. We meet monthly on the last Thursday of the month at 7:00PM.

Our house is our Fortress, and Our Court is our Shrine.
Janet Barringer, Building Operations Committee Chairperson

BUILDING RENTALS

Ladies, Please remember that the building events are the main way the Court makes money. Without the building rentals, most of our repairs would be even harder to fund. That's why it's so important to sign up to sit the building. It's easy, you get to meet some great people, promote the building, chat with some great Chesapeake Deputies! Sometimes the renters even feed you! Bring a hobby you like to work on, and a snack and a drink. Sit back and watch the events unfold on the video camera! People watching is the most fun!

Please look at your schedule, Please call, 757-621-7114, or email, lhollandbooks@gmail.com volunteer to sit the building.

JULY DATES:

July 19 th	2 Shifts:	4P - 8P	8P - Midnight
July 23 rd	2 Shifts:	5P - 7:30P	7:30P - 10P

AUGUST DATES:

August 2 nd	2 Shifts:	Noon - 3:30P	3:30P - 7p
August 7th		NAPA Dinner -- Please contact Colleen Pearson, PHP to volunteer	
August 8 th	2 Shifts -	Awaiting Rental Information	
August 9 th	3 Shifts:	Set-Up 11A - Noon	6P - 9P 9P - Midnight

Lynn Hollandsworth, PHP, Building Rental Manager



Shriners
Children's™

Recorder's Desk

Ladies, have you paid your 2025 DUES?

Check your card, it should show **2025** to be current.

Dues are now **\$35.00** per year

PHPs (Lifetime Membership) **\$30.00** per year

50 Year Members **\$15.00** per year

Your dues support the Court, Grand Council, and the Shriners Hospitals. Dues must be current to request a demit.

I don't have any more bylaws or rituals, and it is likely there will be another updated version printed for both. Proceedings haven't come in yet.

Thanks to the ladies who send their reports electronically before the meeting. They can also be hand carried, as long as they make it to my desk before the meeting ends.

Thanks,
On Soaring wings of Eagles
Lady Luann Smith, PHP
Recorder - Zulekia Court #35





Coordinator of Units

Ladies,

Stay tuned for upcoming parade opportunities, as well as MEUM in October sponsored by Jobel Court.

Join the fun!

Lady Lynn Hollandsworth, PHP
Coordinator of Units

Patrol

Happy Spring Ladies!

Patrol Unit meets the second Tuesday of every month at 7 pm (except July & August) at the Court building, please come out and join us. Hope you stay well and stay blessed and enjoy your summer with friends and family, and we will see you in September!

Respectfully,
Lady Jennie Vogl
Patrol Captain

Clowns

Ladies,
We invite you to join us at our next meeting in September at the Court building. Come find out about the behind-the-scenes life of a clown!

With peace, love and joy!
Lady Lynn Hollandsworth, PHP
Directress

Pageantry

Ladies,
The Pageantry Unit will be dark for July and August. Our next meeting will be at 5:30 PM on Wednesday, September 3rd. We would love to have you join us!

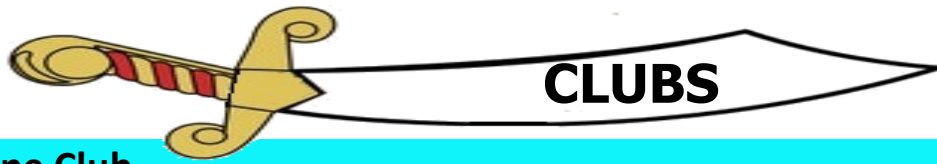
Be on the lookout for flyers for our annual Poinsettia sale in October and November...delivered in time for the Christmas season!

Lady Carol Wicks
Directress

Zukie Line Dancers

Hi ladies,
Hope everyone is enjoying their summer . It is starting off as a hot one. The ZUKIES are enjoying our break. We will be dancing at Mid-East hope everyone can join us this year it looks like it will be a fun weekend. We will be starting to work on our chili bash when we return in September.

Fishy Kisses & Octopus Hugs,
Lady Bobbie Greybeck, PHP
Captain



Norfolk Ladies Shrine Club

Dear Ladies,

The Norfolk Ladies Shrine Club is in the process of updating our Rules and Regs. Included in this update is the change of meeting schedule. Although the update is not yet finalized, we plan to adhere to this new schedule starting in September when we will meet at 6:00 p.m. (instead of 6:30) at Mom and Pops restaurant in Bayview Shopping Center in Norfolk. All ladies of Zulekia Court are invited to attend. During our last meeting we took a short vacay. Too bad it wasn't very far and it was very short, but we all had fun anyway.



Lady Maria Priester
President, Norfolk Ladies Shrine Club

Virginia Beach Ladies Shrine Club

Greetings-

The Virginia Beach Ladies Shrine Club meets the 2nd Monday of each month at Outback Steakhouse | Kemps River Crossing at 6:30 PM. Please come out for a fun evening with great food and fellowship. We look forward to seeing you in September.

Lady Joanne Norton-Kolinsky
President

Suffolk Ladies Shrine Club

Greetings from Suffolk,

The Suffolk Ladies Shrine Club meets the 2nd Saturday of each month at 11:30 at Plaza Azteca on Main Street in Suffolk. All of our court ladies are welcome to join us, and we would love for you to come join us for lunch.

Lady Veronica Cianetti
President of the Ladies Suffolk Shrine Club

Peninsula Ladies Shrine Club

The Ladies of Peninsula Ladies Shrine Club extend an open invitation to all Zulekia Court members to join us at any one of the Club's upcoming meetings. We meet the fourth Tuesday at 6:30pm at Joe and Mimma's Italian Restaurant in York County. Please join us for a great meal filled with plenty of laughter and good times. Please mark your calendars for the following meetings: September 23rd, October 28th, November 25th, December TDB. **2026** January 27, 2026, February 24th, 2026

Looking forward to seeing you all there!

Sandy F., Sherri, Caren, Margaret, Sandy N., Gina, Colleen, Cheryl B, Cheryl V., Hailee, Helen, and Dawn

Jan's Gals

Hello Ladies,

We are having to move Wicked to Thursday, August 14. Since it is a Thursday and thus a work night we will start at 6. Same information! Bring chair and non-alcoholic drink along with a snack to share. Popcorn provided! We have door prizes and also "party favors"! Looking forward to seeing everyone! Bring a friend if you would like!!!

Lady Lynn

Good of the Order



Good of the Order (Cont'd)



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How to Donate

Is there someone
you would like to Honour?

Or a Birthday or Anniversary
you would like to celebrate?

Or a family member or friend that
you have lost that you want to
recognize & remember?

Consider making a
Court Donation in their name.
You can designate where you
want your donation to go.

- Shrine Hospital
- LOSNA Special Project
- Shrine Temple
- General/Hospital Fund

It's easy to do....

- Complete a form
- All Check Should be made payable to:
Zulekia Court #35
EXCEPT:
Donations to Shriners
Children's or Khedive
Transportation Fund
These should be made payable
to **Zulekia Court #35**
Hospital Fund
- Return Form with Check
To Lady Luann Smith, PHP
Court Recorder

DONATIONS

If you want to make a donation to the Shriner's Hospitals or Khedive Transportation Fund through Zulekia Court, you will need to make out your check to "**ZULEKIA COURT #35 HOSPITAL FUND**" And mail it to the Recorder, with the donation form below.

COURT DONATION FORM

TO: _____
Shrine Hospital, LOSNA Special Project, Shrine Temple, General/ Hospital Fund, etc. (**Circle one**)

FOR: _____
In Honor of, Memorial, Celebration of Birthday/Anniversary, etc. (**Circle one**)

GIVEN BY: _____
Your Name as 'given by'
NAME: Of person who should receive the acknowledgement (**ALSO THEIR ADDRESS**)

ADDRESS: _____

The Recorder will fill in portion below for court records:

DATE: _____ **CHECK #:** _____

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT SENT: _____ Date

NOTE: Form to be used by Members, Units, Clubs, Classes, Associations, Family and Friends and submitted with the check for the donation to the Court Recorder.



We honour the following Ladies who are celebrating their “5 Year + Anniversaries in the calendar year 2025 as members of Zulekia Court #35

45 Years

Shirley Jones (March)
Judith Norton (October)

40 Years

Iris Flanders (November)
Carol Wicks (February)

35 Years

Leah Casper (February)
Dawn Hamblen (June)
Shirley Nissen (February)

30 Years

Margaret Stocks (June)
Linda Tuttle (March)

25 Years

Marilyn Cromartie (March)
Jean Ervin (June)
Joanne Kolinsky (June)
Linda Rudiger (June)

20 Years

Lisa Adams (January)
Jeanette Bray (September)
Jerimae Canterbury (January)
Susan Coffman (January)
Sylvia Curran (September)
Patricia Davis (September)
Nina Eaton (January)
Veda Stone Goff (January)

20 Years (Cont'd)

Barbara Moseler (January)
Michelle Pope (September)
Mary Ramsey (January)
Virginia Teller (September)
Roberta Trawick (January)
Lynda Williams (January)

15 Years

Penney Ann Dalton (June)
Susan Jones (January)
Pamela Keeter (January)
Kristina Zahn (June)

10 Years

Inez Brittingham (February)

5 Years

Julia Casto (October)
Amanda Dell (January)
Amy Dirks (January)
Sherri Gretka (October)
Deb Lawrence (July)
Christina Martin (January)
Kathy Martin (July)
Linda Martin (July)
Lori Peoples (October)
Jennie Vogl (October)
Michele Williams (January)
Debra Wilson (October)

115th Grand Council Planning Committee

Hi Ladies,

Grand Council 2029 is fast approaching. We have signed the contract and paid our deposit. Basket bingo is in full swing. Please come out in join us . If you are interested in being on a committee please let me know. Our next meeting for Grand Council will be in October. Remember we are still selling garment bags .

Fishy Kisses & Octopus Hugs,
Lady Bobbie Greybeck, PHP
115th Grand Council Committee Chairman
(757) 504-5066

Khedive Shriners



2025 Elected Divan

Walter "Dink" Pope, Jr., Potentate
 Randy Murphy, P.P., Chief Rabban
 Dave Wilson, Assistant Rabban
 Terry Riley, High Priest & Prophet
 Bill Bickel, Oriental Guide
 J. Leon Stocks, P.P., Treasurer
 Wayne Kelly, Recorder

Greetings

I would like to thank the ladies of Zulekia Court and all the ladies of LOSNA for their continuing support of Shriners Children's, Khedive Temple and Shrinedom in general. If I can be of any assistance to you, please feel free to call me at 757-420-4510.

Wayne Kelly
 Khedive Recorder

Upcoming Events

October

LOSNA Zulekia Court #35 Presents

BASKET



Saturday, October 25, 2025

Doors open at 12:30 PM | Bingo starts at 1:30 PM

Admission Includes:

Lunch & Regular Bingo Games

Special Bingo Games Available for Purchase

FOR MORE INFORMATION

& TICKETS CONTACT:

Lady Kim Cook, G¹stCL
 kcsaltyanchors@gmail.com
 757-899-0985

Lady Luann Smith, PHP
 luannsmith5@gmail.com
 757-676-7460

Khedive Shrine Center | 645 Woodlake Dr., Chesapeake 23320

Payment is not deductible as charitable contribution.

All Proceeds are for the benefit of 115th Grand Council Session. OCRP#72413

November

Grand Visitation Banquet



In Honor of
Grand High Priestess Lady Cindy Rudd
Grand High Priestess Visitation Banquet
Sunday, November 9, 2025

Come Out for a Night Of Merriment & FUN!

Social 6:30 – 7 PM

Dinner 7 PM

Tickets \$ 10 per person

For Information & Tickets Contact:

Lady Christina Martin
 (757) 448-5186
 mrcsmartin2017@gmail.com

Lady Jennie Vogl
 (757) 339-8687
 jenniebrown@hotmail.com

MENU

Dinner
 Fried Chicken
 Pasta Salad
 Seafood Salad
 Green Beans
 Macaroni & Cheese
 Rolls

Dessert
 Cupcakes

Beverages
 Tea, Lemonade &
 Water

**Grand Visitation
 Court Meeting
 Monday, November 10th**

Upcoming Events (Cont'd)

November

Mark Your Calendars



**More Details
Coming Soon!**

ON-GOING THRU December

JINGLE OF OPPORTUNITY



**1 OPPORTUNITY
FOR \$10 DONATION**

ONLY 500 Opportunities available

Winners to be drawn on December 3, 2025, at the Zulekia Court meeting or When All Opportunities Have Been Sold

Opportunity Prizes

- 1st Opportunity Drawn \$500
- 2nd Opportunity Drawn \$500
- 3rd Opportunity Drawn \$300
- 4th Opportunity Drawn \$200

For the Benefit of Zulekia Court #35 Special Projects
and not deductible as a charitable contribution.

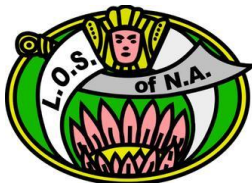
ON-GOING

115th Grand Council Fundraiser
Dress Length Black Garment Bag
(24" width x72" length non-woven)

\$40.00 payable to Zulekia Court &
add 115th GC fundraiser in the memo line

The embroidery will include the
LOSNA emblem, your name, title
(if applicable) & your Court Name & No.

A shorter version is available.
All order forms must be turned
into Lady Bobbie Greybeck, PHP.



ON-GOING

Zulekia Court #35
85th BIRTHDAY POLO
\$45 per shirt
For More Information & To Place Order
Contact Lady Christina Martin, Princess
(757) 448-5186
mrcsmartin2017@gmail.com

SEVERAL COLORS TO
CHOOSE FROM

Order Your 85th Birthday
Polo Shirt TODAY

\$5 from each shirt will go towards the High Priestess Lady Cheryl Valeriano's
Zulekia Court HP Special Project

**Order Your 85th Birthday Polo
& Men's Trailer Shirts
TODAY!!**
Contact Lady Christina Martin
(757) 448-5186