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FROM YOUR POTE

2013 is quickly drawing to a close, and what a wonderful year it has been. We have had a number of great new members and overall, our clubs and units have had an enjoyable and profitable year.

My thanks to all Nobles, Ladies and members of the Units and Clubs who supported the Nile throughout 2013. Keeping our fraternal organization active and advertising the great philanthropic work we do is hugely important. Every activity or event in which we participate helps us spread the word about our great organization.

We have several special events coming up in the next two months, and we hope you will mark your calendars and plan to attend. On December 7th we will hold our annual Holiday Ball. Lady Marilyn and I look forward to this event each year. A Nile tradition, the ball is a festive way to start the holiday season in style. Nile will be decorated for the holidays, thanks to the ladies of the Holiday Ball Decorating Committee and Draggin' Ladies. Chief Aide John de Carteret and Executive Aide Larry Bronner, Chairperson, and Lady Annie are working on creating decorations, a tasty menu and hiring a musical group for an evening of dining and dancing. The cost for this evening out is just $45.00 per person. Tickets are available at the Shrine office, or if you would prefer to pick up your tickets at the Will Call Table on the night of the dance, just call the office to reserve your seats. In addition, a special rate Shrine hotel package at the Lynnwood Embassy Suites has been arranged, so we don't have to drive home late or a rut. Health and income is something that has not been felt for years at Nile. Getting our new Nobles involved right away looks like the way to do it in the future.

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RABBAN’S CORNER

by Craig Jacobson

As time passes we all, it is a wonder that we have any time at all to explore, seek, venture and do the things that matter the most to one’s personal life and accomplishments. As each of us advance through life, we tend to fall into comfort zones or a rut. Health and income is a driving factor in what we are able to do.

I challenge each of you to set achievable goals, a Bucket List if you wish. Let’s set out by developing a NILE SHRINE BUCKET LIST. Yes, you read this right, a Nile Shrine Bucket list. This list must have a meaning to you personally. What would the list look like? Here are a few ideas:

• Visit a Shrine Hospital (in state or out)
• Join a club or unit
• Volunteer for a fundraiser
• Bring a friend to Nile
• Attend a Pacific Northwest Shrine Association event
• Attend a Shrine International event

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Now, let’s not wait another second. Get going! Good Health and Good luck!

THE ASSISTANT

RABBAN

by Dave Brady Sr.

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On January 11th, Nile will hold its annual installation of Officers. All elected and appointed officers of Nile and its Clubs and Units should plan to attend. A Noble must be elected (or appointed) in order to be eligible to hold an office, and installation is required before a Noble can exercise the duties of his office.

You have greatly honored me this year with the opportunity to be your 2013 Potentate. Nobles and Ladies have been most kind and supportive of both Lady Marilyn and me. During this past year, my goal has been to work for the best interest of the Nile. It is, and has been, my earnest desire “meet on the level and part upon the square” with peace and harmony prevailing. Lady Marilyn and I love you, our fellow Nobles and Ladies, the Nile and our Shrine’s hospital and kids.

In 2014, I will no longer be a member of your Divan, but I will not disappear from view. Noble Jim Hart, the outstanding Director of our world famous Nile, will continue to fill his shoes. In 2014 I also plan to continue my membership in our Nile Greeters, Zem Zen, Golf Club, Temple Guard and Past Masters units. These memberships should keep my sufficiently busy to stay out of trouble, and I look forward to spending the year as a member of the Nile and the rolls of the Nile. Thank you for all of your support during 2013. Remember, we are “United for a Noble Cause.”

DO YOU KNOW ANY OF THESE NOBLES?
The below listed Nobles are in danger of being dropped from our rolls on December 31st for non-payment of dues. If you know any of these Nobles, please contact your Assistant Recorder. We hope to pay our 2012 dues as soon as possible. If there are any Nobles who are unable to pay, ask them to contact the Recorder for assistance in this matter.

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For Your Information...
ANNUAL ELECTION OF OFFICERS

December 11, 2013, 7:00 pm

PNSA dues card required for admittance

The Annual Election of Officers of the Nile Shriners and of the Nile Shriners Representatives to the Imperial Council for the year 2014, will be held at the Stated Meeting, 7:00 pm, Wednesday, December 11, 2013 at the Nile Shrine Center.

The by-laws of Shriners International, an Iowa Corporation, under section 325.11 provides:

325.11 ELECTION REGULATIONS

a.) Electioneering: A candidate for an elected office in a Shrine Temple may prang, publish and circulate during the year. He is seeking the elected office, a resume consisting of his educational background, his vocational history and his Masonic and Shrine record.

The printing, publication, circulating or distribution of resolutions, letters, telegrams, tickets, e-mail or other devices by a unit, club, Noble, or group of Nobles, suggesting, opposing, or containing the names of candidates for office in the Temple is prohibited.

REVISED REGULATION 2011

b.) Violation: For any violation of a.) the Imperial Potentate may suspend any offending Noble, and he may declare the election of the Officers void and order a new election.

c.) Notice: At least one week prior to the annual meeting or any election of the Temple, the Recorder shall mail to each member a notice thereof containing this section.

Richard D. Syson, Recorder.

SMILE with Nile

Submit your articles, ads, announcements, editorials and pictures for the JANUARY issue of Smile with Nile by: DECEMBER 8th

RED SKELTON AWARD

Dear Fellow Nobles:

On behalf of Shriners International, I am pleased to announce the creation of the Red Skelton Shriners Community Awareness Award. With membership as our primary focus, this initiative recognizes temples that demonstrate exemplary work in creating a positive Shriners’ identity within their local communities. Inspired by the Masonic Service Association of North America’s (MSANA) Mark Twain Award, the Red Skelton Shriners Community Awareness Award is designed to raise awareness of the Shriners fraternity in an effort to increase both temple membership and patient volumes at Shriners Hospitals for Children®.

Named after one of our own great communicators, Red Skelton, I encourage each temple to develop imaginative and creative ways of engaging and informing the public on both our great organizations. In short, the award’s goal is to promote positive communication among our temples, shrine clubs and the hundreds of thousands of men, whom I have the honor of calling “brother.”

Starting now, every temple must register on Shriners Village (Click Here to Register) by January 31, 2014 to be eligible for the first award which will be presented at the 2014 Imperial Session held in Minneapolis, July 6-10. Once all materials are submitted, the Imperial Public Relations Committee (IPRC) will then evaluate each registered temple’s community awareness initiatives, activities and resourcefulness. To recognize the winning temples, Potentates and PR Chairmen will be invited to attend the Imperial Potentate’s reception at Session and will receive reserved VIP seating at the 89th East-West Shrine Game® on January 18, 2014. While all details and submission requirements can be found on Shriners Village, please contact the corporate Public Relations Department (shrinemp@shrinernet.org) for additional information, if needed.

Best of luck to all participating temples and I look forward to the great success of this initiative.

Yours in the faith,

John A. Cinotto, Imperial Potentate

Setting the Pace for a Strong Future

It’s the Nile Clowns Annual Kids Christmas Party

December 15th, 1 pm

spotlighting

“Jeff Evans’ Strolling Magic”

Bring the Kids, the Grandkids and the Neighbor Kids.

Enjoy the afternoon, sing some Carols, visit with Santa and Rudolf.

Free Candy and Balloons

PNSA (Pacific NW Shrine Association)

August 6-10, 2014, Boise, Idaho

For those Nile Shriners planning to attend PNSA in Boise, ID, August 6-10, 2014, we are holding a block of rooms at the Headquarters hotel, The Riverside.

SPECIAL CONVENTION RATES

$109 plus tax per room per night for either one King Bed or two Queen Beds

In order to hold this block (within the PNSA block) we need to submit our names and individual credit cards all together on one list. Do “not” phone the hotel directly since the reservation agents will not know to book them out of our block.

Please contact W. Scott Wells, Assistant Chief Aide, with the names and credit card information to use for holding the room(s).

This will “hold” your room and it can be cancelled up to 24 hours prior to arrival with no penalty.

W. Scott Wells

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SUBMISSIONS

1. Submit articles, editorials, pictures and advertisements by the 8th of the preceding publication.

2. Submit in electronic form.

3. Good submissions promote Shrinedom, Nile and your organization.

4. Write for everyone, not just your members.

5. Each unit and club gets a free ad in each issue.

6. We do not print meeting minutes.

7. Don’t hesitate to contact the editor for assistance at 206-999-2808 or donmoore@seanet.com
November 2nd. Welcome, and the Calliope unit would play the piano so much the better.

Three outings are already being set up for 2014. Congratulations and may you have a successful year.

Fun On Wheels officers for 2014 are:

- **by Glenn Bailey, Wagonmaster**
- Fun on Wheels officers for 2014 are: Jay Sardeson, Wagonmaster; Glenn Bailey, Ass't, Wagonmaster; Dick Sellewold, Secretary; Russ Davis, Treasurer.

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The November business meeting was well attended with over 25 members present and several Nobles from the Divan. Everyone was treated to a great dinner of Polish sausages, Polish Dressing, Polish Bread, Polish Rolls, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraut, Polish Sauerkraa
**Eastside Shrine Club**

by Jim Hart

At the Eastside Shrine Club meeting of October 23 there were 28 attending. A very good crowd. All Nobles in attendance were wearing their fezzees, that is except the Potentate. He forgot his. But that was ok, he paid the fine.

With their two daughters now gone from the nest, Molly and John Booze found their house was far larger than they needed so they moved to West Seattle to a condo with a great view. They plan to keep the membership in their Eastside SC.

Dick Eakin said that Bill and Ellen Kowalik sold their penthouse in Florida and moved into a care facility. Bill is 93, sharp of mind but vision gone. He still does his stocks and bonds by telephone. No computer for him.

The meeting of November 20th was at the Big Fish. John DeCarteret, president, offered to again handle their phone for him. All plans to get with the other officers and see about some sort of fund raiser and how to improve the meetings. We could play Bingo as we do have the equipment.

President John announced that annual dues of $20 are now payable. All Shriners and their ladies are welcome to attend our luncheons especially those residing on the Eastside. Just call Henrietta at 425 836-1278.

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**Northwest Shrine Club**

by Al Dilan, Secretary

Ah, the end of another fine year. Awards, recognitions, and kudos will be aplenty at our final meeting of the year scheduled for Saturday, December 14th with Zem-Zem at 4:00 pm followed by business at 5:00 pm and dinner at 6:00 pm. The location is THE AMERICAN LEGION POST, 4930 Kitsap Way, Bremerton. The dinner will be a Surf & Turf menu prepared and served by Nobles Doug McKay and Scott Sageser.

This should be a real treat and a great way to have a Christmas Party. Come one and all! Reservations are always desired but none will be turned away.

As of our November meeting, the Traveling Fez now belongs to Olympic Peninsula Shrine Club, those rascals. We’ll see how long that lasts.

Officers and Delegates for 2014 elected and to be installed in January are:
- **President:** Bob Lindkvist
- **1st Vice President:** Orville Stoner
- **2nd Vice President:** Doug McKay
- **Secretary:** Harry Boyd
- **Treasurer:** Scott Sageser
- **Delegate-North:** Scott Coykendall
- **Delegate-Central:** Roberto DellaPena
- **Delegate-South:** Marv Carter

We wish all who were elected and very successful year.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR**

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**West Seattle Shrine Club**

by Bill Fowler, 1st Vice President

It’s winter and this December we at the West Seattle Shrine Club want to recognize Pearl Harbor Day and wish everyone a Happy Hanukkah, Christmas, and Kwanzaa. Happy December everyone.

It’s dues time again. Please pay your dues for 2014. The treasurer is willing and able to receive your payment of $10. Also, I’d like to recognize Lady Anne Wells for doing a wonderful job at sending out birthday and well wishes cards to our members. If you know a member who is ill please let Lady Anne Wells know.

Our next meeting is on Tuesday, December 17th at Angelo’s Restaurant, 601 SW 153rd St., Burien. You can choose your meal from a menu consisting of a fine selection of pasta dishes and very nice salads. Join us in an evening of fun and friendship. Zem-Zem starts at 6:00 pm with dinner at 7:00 pm. Following the dinner we will have a short business meeting. A raffle follows the meeting.

Visitors are always welcome at WSSC. Guests do not have to be a Mason or Shriner to attend. We’re always looking for new and great turnouts so be sure to join us if you’re attending. Call Bob Rice at 206-932-0510 or Bill Fowler at 206-457-7133. Hope to see you there!
The membership seminar was both productive and effective, and I thank and congratulate everyone involved in providing such an informative, successful event. This program is available to all temples that have a strong commitment to our membership goals. I encourage all temples to take advantage of this invaluable resource.

One of the highlights during the membership seminar was the focus on the importance of mentorship. Deputy Imperial Potentate Dale Stauss made a key distinction between traditional mentorship and Shrine mentorship: Mentorship A personal developmental relationship in which a more experienced or more knowledgeable person helps to guide a less experienced or less knowledgeable person. Shrine Mentorship: Providing immediate brotherly love to our newest members. Given this definition, every one of us can be a mentor. I urge every Potentate and Divan member to use the information provided to maximize their efforts at the temple level.

Shrine Mentorship: Providing immediate brotherly love to our newest members.

Shrine Mentorship: Providing immediate brotherly love to our newest members. A great example for both our new and existing noble fellowship is by participating in our national events. The Shriners Hospitals for Children Open kicked off earlier this month in Las Vegas in an effort to promote the mission behind our philanthropy, Shriners Hospitals for Children®. While many of us are not able to attend our national events, I encourage all temples and shrine clubs to host “watch” parties to cheer on and support our awareness efforts. Also, in just three months’ time the best collegiate football athletes will travel to St. Petersburg, Fla., to display their remarkable talents at the East-West Shrine Game® on January 18, 2014. The game will be broadcast live on NFL Network as well on both 620 KIBA (in the Tampa Bay area) and the East-West Shrine Game channel via the “Tuneln” mobile application for smart phones. The game operations office has made special reserved seating available to members of the fraternity and their guests. For more information, please call 813-281-8642.

We also traveled to Washington, D.C. this month along with leaders and members of the International Association Legions of Honor for the annual laying of the Shrine wreath at the Tomb of the Unknowns at Arlington National Cemetery. The monument stands in recognition of the services of an unidentified soldier and to the common memories of all soldiers killed in any war. Since 1872, thousands of our own brothers have served in the armed forces and we pay tribute to each of their sacrifices. As a veteran of the U.S. Army, I salute the many men, including our brother veterans and current brother soldiers who have risked their lives for peace.

As we move into the holiday season, First Lady Margaret and I wish you and yours a blessed and memorable Thanksgiving. I am certainly thankful to be part of such a wonderful organization of men whom I have the honor of calling “brother” and to have the ability to contribute to making a difference in the lives of countless children. We are incredibly blessed to have each other as a collective brotherhood and I know, together, we will ensure its strong and successful future.

 Yours in the faith,

John A. Cinotto, Imperial Potentate
Sunday, February 16th, 2014, 3:30 pm to 7:30 pm at Nile

NEW DATE
HATASU TEMPLE #1 presents

The PHANTOM of the OPERA

Sunday, February 16th, 2014, 3:30 pm to 7:30 pm at Nile

Please donate any lightly used handbags, purses, totes, clutches, evening bags, men’s wallets, computer cases or golf bags for the auction.

Bags can be donated at the Nile Office or by emailing Liz Day at phantompurseauction2013@aol.com

GREETER’S CRAB FEED
The Ahmes All-Court Christmas Party will be held on Monday, December 2nd at the 125th St. Grill. This is on the corner of 125th St. N. and Aurora Avenue. Social hour will begin at 6:00 and the dinner will be served at 7:00. The menu choices are prime rib or salmon for a cost of $25.00. Bring a gift costing $10.00 or less if you would like to participate in the gift exchange. This is always a fun and festive evening.

There will be no regular stated meeting in December. In January, the dinner will be served by the Dancers. Merry Christmas and Happy Holiday’s from the Ladies of the House from Hata 1 Hata 1’s New offed with a great social put on by Chairman Pr. Sandra with the help from the Kent Rainbow Girls putting on a Pasta bar, desert Auction and team trivia competition. The Queen’s Team the Bling team and another Hata 1 team was called the six pack. Pasta was great and we’re able to have the winning bid for some delicious cake pops. Hata 1’s Nilettes performed the Macarena at the Nile Shrine Ceremony and they had the new Nobles, their wife’s, the clowns and crowd dancing with them. Great Job Ladies.

In December Hata 1 continues with the festive holiday season with the Christmas Party/ Queen Birthday party on December 1 at 1:30pm at Lombardi’s on the Water front in Everett Contact Pr. Durla for a reserva- tion. No walk ins.

December 7th many of the Ladies of the Household will be attending the Potentates Christmas Ball. December 9th Session we will be honoring our Su- tive savings to a Medicare Advantage Plan (Part C) or to another Medicare Advantage Plan (Part C) that offers drug coverage.

• Join a Medicare Prescription Drug Plan.

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• Change from one Medicare Prescription Drug Plan to Original Medicare.

• Switch from one Medicare Advantage Plan to Original Medicare.

In December Hata 1 will be attending the Nile Kids Christmas Party on December 15th. The Queen and the Ladies of the Household will be at- tending the Nile Kids Christmas Party on December 15th. FYI in January we will be having a Chocolate Extrava- ganza and our Winter Ceremonial is on January 30th. Don’t forget the Phantom of the Opera Purchase Auction Sunday, February 16th.

May you and your families have a blessed and joyous holiday season.
Be sure your Divan members have marked their calendars. The hospital continues to be grateful for your donations. Thanks to everyone involved in this successful event, we raised a total of $151,553.49 in cash and material donations.

**Strategic Plan Update**

The Strategic Planning team continues work on the Hospital’s plan, taking into account the information received in September from the Home Office. The goals set for the Hospital are ambitious, and the staff is working hard to determine a path to make them attainable.

**Clinical Services Update**

The regional director of Orthotics and Prosthetics, JoAnne Kanas, visited the Portland orthotics and prosthetics shop and was impressed with the way the department runs. The department will soon be working with the Honolulu hospital to do the fabrication of Prosthetics and Orthotics for its patients.

The annual donation of durable medical equipment from ABATE took place on October 12, with four children receiving equipment. Three of the children received power wheelchairs, and one young man received a hand bike. The day was capped off with a wonderful opportunity for them to help influence future applications that will make Glass technology early and provide feedback, in hopes to help influence future applications that will make Glass simple and useful for persons with disabilities.

**Community Relations Update**

The Community Affairs department reported a visit by the new marketing company 1st Degree, which replaces Leo Burnett for its advertising and nationwide public relations efforts.

The annual food caravan was held on October 19th with a total of 515.535.49 in cash and material donations. Thanks to everyone involved in this successful event, the hospital continues to be the grateful recipient of this long-standing tradition. Be sure your Divan members have marked their calendars for April 27th and 28th for the Hospital’s Divan Days. Next year’s conference is shaping up to be a wonderful educational opportunity, celebrating the past and planning for the future.

The Hospital is also gearing up to celebrate the year 2014 as its 90th Anniversary. Kick-off for the year will be held on the Hospital’s actual birthday, January 15th. More details on anniversary activities will be published shortly. If you haven’t “liked” the Hospital on Facebook, please do and look for more fun updates on its calendar. For more information, please contact Dave Brady at bbbnichii@aol.com or 425-481-0159.

In the near future we will plan to meet at the Nile for all who are interested in this club. We may even plan a ride on a Saturday starting with breakfast at the 19th Hole. One idea is to have our monthly Breakfast or Lunch meetings on Saturdays and after the meeting go on rides or activities. Keep checking the SWN for more information.

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