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Shalman Temple No. 90
Daughters of the Nile

Hella Shrine Center
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First Wednesday each month
(except Jun; Jul; Aug)
7:30 p.m. Parlor Room A

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Wow have we been busy!

In May we had our Spring Luncheon. Thank you Sue Troutte for the fun day. Also thank you everyone for the wonderful gifts, they were greatly appreciated! Memorial Day weekend the Clownettes attended the Ennis Parade. It was so much fun to ride on the trailer with them.

In June eleven of us went to Boise, Idaho for Supreme Session. The weather was wonderful and the company was even better. While at Supreme, Shalman was presented with a plaque from the Foundation for donating over \$10,000 for the prior year. We also received a plaque from the Foundation for the Rose Garden. What an honor for Shalman.

In July we had our official visit from Supreme Queen, Jackie Holloway. At the ceremonial we initiated seven new Princesses! It was an honor to have SQ Jackie and PSQ Vickie Tabor Hill assist me in christening them. Everyone did a Fantastic job!

At Supreme Session the Strategic Planning Committee introduced a "Beta" version of the Opening and Closing. The current plan is for Shalman to use it for the September 4th Session so please plan on attending and voicing your opinion. There is an evaluation form to be completed by everyone in attendance, so every voice matters.

Please feel free to reach out to me if need be. I love hearing from everyone!

Nile Love,
Queen Sheila





We welcomed SEVEN
new Princesses at our
Supreme Queen Official Visit
on July 27!

Tiffany Cookenour

Amy Patterson

Jessica Rogers

Kelsey Salsbury

Marlene Scholari

Laurie Skinner

Melissa Stout

**Congratulations to our
2024/2025
Supreme Appointments**

PQ Carol Hefley—Supr. Pr. Zuleika; Subordinate
Temple Financial Review Committee; Strategic Planning
Subordinate Temple Assistance Committee

PQ Dawn Sanders—Subordinate Temple Financial
Review Committee

PQ Stacy Armstrong—Hospital Requests Committee

PQ Jennifer Lites—Public Relations Committee

PQ DeAnna Lang—Strategic Planning Committee

PQ Carol Barrera— Goodwill Ambassador Central Area

PQ Misty Cooper—American Flag Escort

PQ Anna Garey—Canadian Flag Escort

PQ Debra Strom—Supreme Temple Banner Escort

Pr. Amy Kirkpatrick—Giving Heart



Royal's Report
By: Sue Troutte
Princess Royal

The Summer has been moving along too quickly with so many things happening. I now have suite raffle tickets for Supreme 2025, which will be held in Las Vegas! Let me know if you want to purchase one—\$25 each for a 5-night stay, one-bedroom suite, at the Westgate Las Vegas Resort. Only 1500 tickets will be sold!

Also, we will continue our pre-session dinners, starting again in September, as part of our Temple fundraiser, but mark your calendars for September 22, when we will host another Bowl-A-Rama tournament fundraiser! The cost is \$100 per team (4 bowlers) and includes 3 games and shoes. Lanes are limited so email me at sue@troutte.net to reserve your space. Part of the fun includes your team name—so be thinking about that as well!



Tirzah's Treasures
By: Carla Fuller
Princess Tirzah



Wow! This summer has been a whirlwind. Starting off with Supreme in beautiful Boise, ID. So much information will be coming our way soon and we are excited to share it.

In July we took a train ride—8 of us rode the vintage train from Grapevine to the Ft. Worth Stockyards for an afternoon of shopping and watching the Longhorn Cattle Drive. It was such a fun day—you missed out if you didn't go!

Our SQ visit and ceremonial took place July 27—the officers did a wonder job and the banquet was delicious! It was so early in the year, but I know for myself, I am glad it is over! I was so nervous!

I have fundraisers! I have \$35 Cash Calendars—ask me for more details. I am also selling tickets for a beautiful Michael Kors purse—\$5 ea or 5 for \$20. The drawing will be at Texas Days. Our annual Ladies Sale will be September 19 during Hella's stated meeting—donations of gently used formals are welcome and appreciated!

And finally, the Hearts of Gold Queen's Ball will be Saturday, November 9. If you have donations for the silent auction or booze wagon, please contact me. We will, of course, have the casino as well. Tickets will be \$40 and I will have them with me any time you see me.

Badoura's Breakout

By: Kelly Cantwell, Princess Badoura

Happy Summer tidings to one and all! What an incredible journey this has been so far. Supreme in Boise, Idaho was amazing! What a blessing to be serving as your Princess Badoura! My Supreme counterpart is Donna Huff Isbell from Dynasty Amenna Temple No. 164 in Nashville, TN. We are Donna's Dreamcatchers, and a dreamcatcher is the emblem. Our colors are navy, silver and white. Our uniforms will be navy dresses, skirts and tops, or trousers and tops with a white denim vest with a beautiful dreamcatcher on the back. She wanted to make it fairly simple, and she certainly has.

Summer has been going by quickly with all the travels. In my travels this summer, I was so fortunate to run into one of my counterparts from Nebraska! Isn't it funny how Nile is around where we might not expect it to be.

The Supreme Queen visit was a success and we welcomed SEVEN new Princesses! I hope you all enjoyed the visit as much as I did.

Shalman Temple No. 90 Fundraiser

BOWLING

Tournament



Sunday September 22nd @ 11 am

Rowlett Bowl-a-Rama

\$100 per team - 3 games, shoes included

Reserve your team today!

sue@troutte.net

Lane Sponsorship also available

You are cordially invited to join
Shalman Temple No. 90
as we honor

Queen Sheila Allen
at our
2024 Hearts of Gold Queen's Ball

Saturday, November 9, 2024

Social—5:30 pm

Introductions & Raffles—6:00 pm

Dinner—7:00 pm

Casino—Silent Auction—Kisses for Kids—Raffles
Attire: Formal

Hella Shrine Center Parlor A & B

Tickets: \$40 each

Contact Pr. Tirzah Carla Fuller to purchase
Cell: 972-741-8468 / Email: mscarlarn@gmail.com

Net proceeds benefit Daughters of the Nile
Foundation CRA/CEF

Shalman Temple #90
Daughters of the Nile

**SHRINERS CHILDREN'S
TEXAS HOSPITAL**

**WISH LIST &
CURRENT NEEDS**

- | | |
|---|---|
| Cotton Tee Shirts
for Boys and Girls | Athletic shoes - all sizes
boys and girls |
| Cotton Sundresses | Deodorant, toothpaste,
toothbrush, face wash, feminine
hygiene products |
| Gift Cards - 25.00
Amazon or Visa only | Twin size blankets in fun colors
or solids |
| Sports bras | Basketball shorts – silky or
cotton teenager sizes |
| Underwear: all sizes
toddler-adults | Games: Monopoly, UNO,
Phase 10, Connect 4,
Life, Dominos, Sorry, etc |
| baby diapers in all sizes | Workbooks that go in
classroom for classwork –
English, Math, Spanish, etc. |
| Bucket hats or caps
all sizes | NEW Items Only, please |

Please bring to Session or arrange with Princess
Badoura, Kelly Cantwell at 214-680-2133



Recorder's Report

By: Pr. Janie Caldwell

There is still time to pay your 2024 dues!
Dues are \$41 and can be paid several ways:

Check, payable to Shalman Temple and
remit to:

Janie Caldwell
5026 Huffines Blvd.
Royse City, TX 75189

Zelle: shalmanrecorder@outlook.com
Cash

Square for a credit card—contact me—there
is an additional fee.

Please call if you have any questions at
469-231-9089 or send an email.

Clownette's Corner

By: Princess Diane Moore



Our ladies are in the middle of summer vacations,
visiting family, the beach, camping and cruises.
We will soon be getting back to the business of
learning a routine for Texas Days, and selling raffle
tickets for our fundraiser. This year we are raffling
a Shriners Children's Bear with a \$100 bill attached
to each hand. A great prize for anyone to take home!
Our next meeting will be Tuesday, September 10th,
in parlor B of Hella Temple. Our meal starts at
6:30, so bring a dish to share. The meeting starts at
7:00 and I invite our new members to join us and
see if Clownettes may be for you!
I have a special gift for each Clownette at the
September meeting.

"Make Them Smile"
Diane "Blossom" Moore



Chaplain's Altar

By: Princess Rene Woods

Hello dear sisters!

What a sweet break in the heat the last few weeks have brought. The glorious rain many of us
experienced is as rare as a Supreme Queen visit at Shalman in July—well 2024 brought us both!

Having Her Supreme Majesty Jackie Holloway and Past Supreme Queen Vicki Hill join us on July
27th was an honor and we enjoyed a wonderful day celebrating SEVEN new princesses.

Please send me the information of any sickness or distress you would like me to send out to everyone;
OR better yet, send me some good news to report! If you would like to reach out to me, please email me
at shalman90chaplain@yahoo.com or call/text at (214) 543-3264.

It is my honor serving as Princess Chaplain. If there is anything you need, please let me know. If you
just need an extra prayer, I am here for you. Please keep our sisters in need in your prayers.

Romans 12:2

Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by
testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect.





Shalman Temple No. 90's 2024 Annual Ladies Sale

*Benefitting the Daughters of the Nile
CEF/CRA

Thursday, September 19
before and during the Ladies Program
of Hella's Stated Meeting
- Terrace Room

Gently-used

- FORMALS -
- HAND BAGS -
- SHOES -
- JEWELRY -



All at great prices!

Contact Pr. Tirzah Carla Fuller with donations:
Email: mscarlam@gmail.com
Phone: 972-741-8468

Shalman Temple No. 90 Handbag Raffle

*Benefitting the Daughters of the Nile
CEF/CRA

NEW Michael Kors Bedford Tote Bag
Value: \$200

Tickets: \$5 each / 6 for \$20
Drawing will take place at
Texas Days—October 5, 2024

Contact: Pr. Tirzah Carla Fuller
For tickets and questions:
Phone: 469-741-8468





Pageantry's Place

By: Stacy Armstrong, PQ

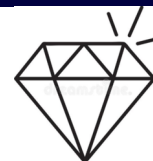
Texas Days is around the corner and we are in charge of the fun times this year! If you are planning to attend Texas Days, please help with a donation of \$10. This helps with the refreshments and snacks in the room. We do not provide alcohol—BYOB! But, if you bring it and leave it in the room—it becomes fair game! Please pay Janie Caldwell.

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, August 13—dinner @ 6:30, meeting @ 7:00—in Parlor B at Hella Shrine.

New Princesses—come check us out and see if Pageantry is for you!

Patrol's Point

By: DeAnna Lang, PQ



We have begun working on our Texas Days performance—I can't wait to see it come together! We will have a great fundraiser at Texas Days—make your plans to buy some tickets and help our unit.

We had a great meeting on August 13 and are really looking forward to performing at Texas Days! Our next regular meeting will be in November—make plans to attend.

If you aren't currently a member of Patrol—you don't know what you are missing! If you want to find out more, you are welcome to visit one of our practices—Wednesday evenings at Hella Shrine—we would love to have you!



Dancer's Den

By: Princess Judy Lee

The Dancers are ahead of schedule learning our dance for Texas Days! We previewed our new dance at the official visit of our Supreme Queen, Jackie Holloway, on July 27.

PQ Carol Hefley attended Supreme Session and was honored with appointments as Supreme Princess Zuleika, Subordinate Temple Financial Review Committee and Supreme Temple Assistance Committee—as well as being awarded the McHenry Award.

PQ Priscilla Mantle had a wonderful and safe trip to Akron, OH for a niece's wedding, and spent quality time with her sister Judy for Priscilla's birthday.

Pr. Margie Montgomery celebrated her 98th birthday with her great granddaughter's first birthday in Abilene, Texas. Congratulations to you both!

Pr. Judy Lee had DBSD surgery on July 25th and unfortunately had to miss performing with the Dancers for the Supreme Queen visit.

If you would like to see what we do and how much fun we have doing it, come to Hella any Wednesday at 11am.

Membership Matters

By: Elizabeth Massey, Membership Chair



We had a few ladies join us at our latest Membership event on July 13th. Eight of us met in downtown Grapevine to take the Cotton Belt Vintage Railroad excursion. Before we boarded, we had a lovely lunch at Tolberts Restaurant in Grapevine. Then it was “all aboard” a beautiful vintage railcar (air-conditioned and padded seats of course). The car we road in was built in 1928 and had been fully restored to its finest glory. We traveled to the Ft. Worth Stockyards and had a great time exploring and shopping. While we were there, we watched the longhorn cattle drive through the stockyards—magnificent animals!

We want to make sure that we have the most up-to-date contact information for all of our members. If your contact info has changed, please reach out to Pr. Recorder, Janie Caldwell, and give her the updated information. Her email address is JCaldwell0653@gmail.com or shalmanrecorder@gmail.com. We will keep you posted of any upcoming events via email and Facebook.

If you have an idea for a future event, please contact me.

Elizabeth Massey

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A Tribute to the Founders of Daughters of the Nile

By Mabel R. Krows

Founder & Past Supreme Queen



Let us pause for a brief moment
And look backward o're the road
Daughters of the Nile has traveled.
And give a thought to those who led.

Those to whom we owe existence
Author and Founders worked and served
Planting carefully in the garden
Hoping they'd grow everlasting seed.

Planting Hope and Faith and Friendship,
Charity, Trust and Harmony too
This you see was the kind of heritage
They were giving me and you.

And they built for us a Temple
Building Character ideal
So in future they'd bring honor
To the Daughters of the Nile.

Giving Time, and Thought and Service
And much care in preparation
Of all details, hoping we might
Ever keep our Obligation.

They worked for years, thought not of honors
Nor praise, but worked with honest zeal
To perpetuate the Order
Of the Daughters of the Nile.

And so today as we go onward
Mounting each step of life's stair
May we do our share of service
Whether skies be dark or fair.

The Founders look to us to carry
Forward the work that they began,
So let us bend our every effort
To bring them what success we can.

So we trust today brings to them
Those who are in our midst still
Memories that will bring them pleasure
Our wish, that in future, their hopes fulfill.

And may the memory of their service
Be remembered and revered.
By we whop are reaping the harvest
To us the Founders are endeared.

Then let us give them a tribute
And remember them with a smile,
Author and Founders who made possible
The Order of Daughters of the Nile.

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PHOTOS



2024/25 Line Officers - Installation night—Supreme Session—Boise, ID

Pr. Tirzah—Carla Fuller

Queen—Sheila Allen

Pr. Royal—Sue Troutte

Pr. Badoura—Kelly Cantwell

2024/25 Texas Queens—Texas Luncheon—Supreme Session—Boise, ID





PHOTOS





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Queen Sheila with Supreme Queen Jackie Holloway—
Imperial Session in Reno, NV

Queen Sheila—Imperial Session—Reno, NV





PHOTOS



2024 Supreme Queen Official Visit
New Princesses!

Bottom:

Melissa Stout—Marlene Scolari—PSQ
Vickie Hill—SQ Jackie Holloway—Queen
Sheila Allen—Kelsey Salsbury—Jessica
Rogers—Amy Patterson

Top: Tiffany Cookenour—Laurie Skinner

2024 Supreme Queen Official Visit—Shalman Temple Dancers

PQ Priscilla Mantle, PQ Martha Stewart, PSQ Vickie Hill, SQ Jackie Holloway, Queen Sheila, PQ Carol Hefley,
Pr. Marie Knowles, PQ Joey Minahan





Supreme Session Legislation



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July 28, 2024

Her Supreme Majesty, Past Supreme Queens, Supreme Elective Officers, Supreme Appointive Officers, Supreme Appointees, Past Queens, and Ladies of the Household:

Included with this cover letter are documents produced by the Supreme Jurisprudence Committee for the:

- Supreme Temple and Subordinate Temple Legislation adopted at the 2024 Supreme Temple Annual Session held in Boise, Idaho
- Changes to the Protocol, Manual of Procedures, and Floor Charts

Please retain these documents in the Temple's permanent files. These amendments and changes became effective at Supreme Session 2024.

In addition:

- Please copy the documents and distribute them to the Queen, Elective Line Officers, and anyone else in the Temple who owns a Supreme Temple Daughters of the Nile Bylaws, Subordinate Temple Bylaws, Protocol, and Manual of Procedures (version 2013.3).
- This Official Copy of the Legislation adopted at the 2024 Supreme Temple Annual Session should be copied and included for distribution to your membership through your next Temple Newsletter.

Note: This does not apply to the approved 2024 and 2024 BETA Testing changes which are allowed only for Temples that signed up. The BETA Testing form is allowed at three (3) Sessions and, if desired, at the Supreme Queen's Official Visit.

Prepared by the 2023 Jurisprudence Committee:

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Ex Officio: Patricia J. Larimore, Supreme Queen 2023
Jackie Holloway, Supreme Princess Royal 2023
Kathy Walliker, Supreme Princess Tirzah 2023
Kathy Rafter, Supreme Princess Badoura 2023



Supreme Session Legislation



**SUPREME TEMPLE DAUGHTERS OF THE NILE
SUPREME TEMPLE ANNUAL SESSION 2024 – BOISE, IDAHO
LEGISLATION RESULTS FOR THE SUPREME TEMPLE BYLAWS, SUBORDINATE TEMPLE BYLAWS,
PROTOCOL, MANUAL OF PROCEDURES, AND FLOOR CHART**

Please be aware of the changes made to the Supreme Temple Daughters of the Nile Supreme Temple and Subordinate Temple Bylaws (2013.3 version plus published updates) by the voting Delegates and changes to Protocol, the Manual of Procedures, and the Floor Chart at the Supreme Temple Annual Board Meeting by the Board of Directors in Boise, Idaho. These changes were effective as of the day adopted. They are all in effect now.

Please keep a copy of the legislative updates in all Temple-owned and personal Green Binders until receipt of published printed replacement Sections or pages from the office of the Supreme Princess Recorder.

**LEGISLATION
PART I SUPREME TEMPLE BYLAWS**

Amendment B-1 to PART I, ARTICLE II, SUPREME BOARD OF DIRECTORS, SECTION I. Authority and Duties, C. As adopted, C. now reads:

- C. Convene for Special Meetings called by or at the request of the Chairman or any five (5) Board Members.
 - 1. Each member shall be notified in writing.
 - 2. The order of business to be considered shall be plainly stated in the notice.

Amendment B-2 to PART I, ARTICLE II, SUPREME BOARD OF DIRECTORS, SECTION I. Authority and Duties, D. As adopted, D. now reads:

- D. Convene via electronic means so long as all the members can simultaneously hear each other and participate during the meeting.

AMENDMENT B-3 to PART I, ARTICLE III, Supreme Princess Recorder, A. Supreme Temple Duties SECTION 7. As adopted, 7. now reads:

- 7. Close the books *annually* on **April 30** and submit them for financial review by a Certified Public Accountant.

Amendment B-4 to PART I, ARTICLE III, SECTION 5. Supreme Princess Recorder E. Supreme Princess Recorder's Allocation, Assistants, and Term Limit, 2. Executive Assistant. As adopted, 2. now reads:

- 2. **Executive Assistant**
The Supreme Princess Recorder shall retain:
 - 1. An Office Assistant who shall receive a stipend of fourteen dollars (US \$14) per hour not to exceed seven hundred and fifty dollars (US \$750) per month.
 - 2. One (1) Assistant at the Annual Session to be assigned detailed duties and be responsible for maintaining the Office of the Supreme Princess Recorder. The Assistant shall be reimbursed for air coach transportation round trip by the most direct route and lodging from the night before registration opens through the night of Formal Installation.



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Amendment B-5 to PART I, ARTICLE IV, SUPREME TEMPLE COMMITTEES, D. As adopted, D. now reads:

- D. Supreme Temple Committees shall be authorized to meet through electronic means as long as all the members can simultaneously hear each other and participate during the meeting.

Amendment B-6 SUPREME TEMPLE BYLAWS. PART I, ARTICLE IV, SECTION 2., Standing Committees, D. Compliance Committee. As adopted, D. shall now read:

- D. **Compliance Committee** shall be composed of one (1) Chairman and at least five (5) additional members of Daughters of the Nile, appointed by the Supreme Queen.

The Chairman shall:

1. Review all objectives and communicate with the committee as needed.
2. Assign the committee members tasks with matching skills and assist and educate the Subordinate Temples with the requirements and deadlines as outlined in the *Supreme Temple Bylaws and Manual of Procedures* and the IRS.
3. Promote cross-training of tasks with all committee members.
4. Work closely with the Supreme Princess Recorder, Chairman of the Insurance Committee, and Chairman of the Subordinate Temple Financial Review Committee.
5. Submit a report at the Semi-Annual and Annual meetings of the Supreme Temple Board of Directors as well as when requested by the Supreme Queen.
6. Submit an annual budget to the Supreme Temple Finance Chairman.

The Committee shall:

1. Be knowledgeable and understanding of the Supreme Temple Bylaws and Subordinate Temple Bylaws as they relate to annual reporting to the Supreme Temple and the IRS.
2. Be a kind and helpful resource by assisting and educating members regarding:
 - a. Annual filing of the appropriate IRS 990 series.
 - b. Prevention of Auto Revocations of the 501(c)(10) status.
 - c. Restoration of the 501(c)(10) status if revocation has already occurred.
 - d. Completion of the appropriate IRS forms for any annual revenue paid as required by the United States IRS or any other foreign government.
 - e. Annual filing of forms for the Subordinate Temple Insurance Inventories.
 - f. Closure of a Subordinate Temple.

Amendment B-7 to PART I, ARTICLE IV, SUPREME TEMPLE COMMITTEES, SECTION 2. Standing Committees, E. Convention Committee. As adopted, E. now reads:

- E. **Convention Committee** shall be composed of one (1) Chairman and a minimum of eight (8) members.

Members shall be proficient in working with computers, audio-visual concepts, and the online Convention Registration System.

1. The General Chairmen and General Vice-Chairmen of the Supreme Sessions Committees of the Supreme Princess Royal, Supreme Princess Tirezah, and Supreme Princess Badoura shall be members of the Convention Committee.



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The Chairman shall:

1. Negotiate contracts for the Voting Devices and the Online Registration Program.
2. Submit a report at each meeting of the Board of Directors and the Annual Session.

The Committee shall:

1. Provide guidelines to Candidates running for the office of Supreme Princess Badoura.
2. Become an information center for all Supreme Session materials and the Supreme Elective Officers.
3. Assist with competitive negotiation of contracts with the Supreme Session hostess city chosen by the Supreme Princess Badoura.
4. Assist with details in planning and coordinating the convention, including:
 - a. Managing the online Requirements for the Convention Management System.
 - b. Training on the Online Convention Registration Program.
 - c. Communicating the requirements for the audio-visual needs.
 - d. Listing the Supreme Session Committees and their duties.
 - e. Creating templates for Supreme Session publications.
 - f. Providing on-site support during Supreme Sessions.
 - g. Coordinating recurring functions for each Supreme Session.
 - h. Maintaining and updating the Supreme Temple Appointment Database including all other special recognitions.
 - i. Maintaining an updated Supreme Session Logistics Book.

Amendment B-8 to PART I, ARTICLE IV, SUPREME TEMPLE COMMITTEES, G. Finance Committee and H. Financial Review Committee was withdrawn by the makers of the motion.

Amendment B-9 to PART I, ARTICLE VI, SUPREME TEMPLE FUNDS, SECTION 1. Income. As adopted, C. now reads:

- C. Annual Per Capita shall be paid for each Temple member in good standing, including Life Members and excluding Plural members as follows:
1. United States, fifteen dollars (US \$15).
 2. Canada, fifteen Canadian dollars (\$15).
 3. Other International Countries, nine US dollars (US \$9) in the country's currency.

Amendment B-10 to PART I, ARTICLE VI, SUPREME TEMPLE FUNDS, SECTION 1. Income. G. As adopted, it now reads:

- G. Net proceeds from the Supreme Temple Ways and Means Committee's fundraising activities for the Supreme Temple.

Amendment B-11 to PART I, ARTICLE VII, SUPREME TEMPLE ANNUAL SESSION, SECTION 4. Financial Responsibility. As amended and adopted, 4. now reads:

SECTION 4. Financial Responsibility

- A. Supreme Temple shall be financially responsible for the expenses incurred from hosting the Annual Supreme Session. Proceeds from the Annual Supreme Session shall be shared between the Supreme Temple and the Host Temple.
- B. A Supreme Session Treasurer and the hosting Supreme Elective Officer shall be co-signers on a Supreme Session bank account.



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- C. In the name of the Supreme Temple Board of Directors, the Supreme Princess Recorder shall sign all relevant contracts for the Annual Supreme Session.
- D. At the conclusion of the Annual Supreme Session, after loans and expenses are paid and the books are closed, a disbursement shall be made to the host Temple of the proceeds raised by the Subordinate Temples Supreme Session Ways and Means Committee and the Supreme Officer. The Supreme Temple shall retain seventy percent (70%) of the proceeds, and the Host Temple shall retain thirty percent (30%) of the proceeds.
- E. Funds held in the Annual Supreme Session bank account shall be in the currency of the Host Temple.

Amendment B-12 to PART I, ARTICLE VII, SUPREME TEMPLE ANNUAL SESSION, SECTION 5. Registration A. 1. and 2. was withdrawn by the makers of the motion.

Amendment B-13 TO PART I, ARTICLE VII, SUPREME TEMPLE ANNUAL SESSION, SECTION 5. Registration C. As adopted, C. now reads:

- C. Members shall register, sign up for all optional events, and submit payment through the website portal.
 - 1. An option for members to pay the cost of credit card fees shall be added at the time of payment.

Amendment B-14 TO PART I, ARTICLE VII, SUPREME TEMPLE ANNUAL SESSION, SECTION 9. Legislation. As adopted, 9. now reads:

- A. Members may submit Amendments with Previous Notice (AWPN) to add, delete, or revise a Supreme Temple Article of Incorporation, Supreme Temple Bylaw, or Subordinate Temple Bylaw.
- B. An Amendment with Previous Notice shall be submitted by email in the proper format as provided on the Supreme Temple Daughters of the Nile website.
 - 1. Two (2) voting members may submit an Amendment with Previous Notice with their names, titles, Temple names and numbers, contact email addresses, and phone numbers.
 - 2. Proposed Amendment(s) shall be submitted to the Chairman of the Jurisprudence Committee, **prior to the annual deadline of March 1.**
 - 3. The Chairman, the Committee, and the Supreme Temple Registered Parliamentarian shall review amendments with the proposers, if required, and shall ensure that the format, substance, and wording of the Amendment with Previous Notice is correct.

PART II SUBORDINATE TEMPLE BYLAWS

Amendment B-15, SUBORDINATE TEMPLE BYLAWS, PART II, ARTICLE II. MEMBERSHIP, SECTION 1. Eligibility A. was defeated.

Amendment B-16, PART II, SUBORDINATE TEMPLE BYLAWS, ARTICLE II. Membership, SECTION 9. Initiation Fee, Annual Dues, and Membership Card, A. and B. was defeated.

Amendment B-17 PART II, SUBORDINATE TEMPLE BYLAWS, ARTICLE II, MEMBERSHIP, ITALICIZED PRINT IN SECTION 1. Eligibility, SECTION 2, Proposal for Membership, SECTION 3. Petition for Initiation. As adopted, 1., 2., and 3. now read:

SECTION 1. Eligibility

[The Queen reads A. and B. following the reading of Proposals.]

[The Past Queen reads A. and B. to the Candidate(s) prior to the Ceremonial.]



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SECTION 2. Proposal for Membership

[The Queen reads A. following reading of Proposal(s) for Membership.]

[The Queen reads B. and C. following Balloting on Proposals for Initiation.]

[The Past Queen reads A. to the Candidate(s) prior to the Ceremonial.]

SECTION 3. Petition for Initiation

[The Queen reads following Balloting.]

Amendment B-18 SUBORDINATE TEMPLE BYLAWS PART II, ARTICLE VII, SUBORDINATE TEMPLE SESSIONS, SECTION 4. Dispensations, A. 3. f. As adopted, f. now reads:

- f. During periods of hazardous travel conditions or natural disaster, with prior approval of the Supreme Queen or in her absence the Supreme Princess Recorder, Subordinate Temples may conduct Stated Sessions through electronic means as long as all the members can simultaneously hear each other and participate.

Amendment B-19 SUBORDINATE TEMPLE BYLAWS, PART II, ARTICLE VIII, UNIFORMED UNITS, C. As adopted, C. now reads:

- C. Only Unit members, the Queen, and/or her representative and Temple Elective Officers shall be permitted to attend the business meetings of a Unit.

Amendment B-20 SUBORDINATE TEMPLE BYLAWS, PART II, ARTICLE VIII, UNIFORMED UNITS, C.1.

As adopted, C.1. now reads:

1. With prior approval from the Queen, or in her absence, the Princess Royal, Units may convene and shall be authorized to meet via electronically held meetings whenever necessity demands as long as all members can simultaneously hear each other and participate during the meeting.

Amendment B-21 SUBORDINATE TEMPLE BYLAWS PART II ARTICLE IX, CLUBS, SECTION 1. Electronically Held Meetings. As adopted, 1. now reads:

With prior approval of the Queen, or in her absence, the Princess Royal, Clubs shall be authorized to meet through electronic means as long as all members can simultaneously hear each other and participate during the meeting.

PROTOCOL

I. PERSONAL APPEARANCE

A. ATTIRE

1. Appropriate attire is suggested for all Ladies of the Household at any Session, Ceremonial, Installation, or social function held concurrently with such activities; slacks are acceptable.
 - a. Queens should ensure their attire while wearing the Crown reflects their honored position.
 - b. Ceremonials: all 19 Officers conducting a Ceremonial should wear attire appropriate for these special events.
 - c. Installations: all Installing Officers and members being installed should wear attire appropriate for these special events.



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- d. Participants in the Supreme Temple Annual Session Memorial Service shall wear **WHITE**, ankle-length or longer dresses/skirts.
2. Ritualistic robes, costumes, and accessories, which are **provided by the Temple**, are appropriate as requested by the Queen.
3. To minimize financial burden for members and to encourage more members to participate as Officers, requiring Subordinate Temple Officers to purchase specific dress is discouraged.
4. **The following are not acceptable for any official event: shorts, ripped jeans, and extremely low-cut tops.**

B. PROTOCOL

1. A member's attire is not to be made an issue of contention at any Subordinate or Supreme Session.
2. Addressing any questionable attire at Subordinate Temples or at Supreme Temple activities shall be the responsibility of the Supreme Queen, Queen, and Line Officers.
3. **Any counsel regarding dress should be given privately and tactfully without disrupting ongoing activities.**
4. Out of consideration for others with sensitivities or allergies, fragrant products, including but not limited to perfumes, colognes, and scented body lotions or hair products, should be used in moderation.
5. **The following are not acceptable for any official event: shorts, ripped jeans, and extremely low-cut tops.**

C. SUPREME APPOINTMENTS

The only member who has the privilege of making Supreme Temple Appointments is the Supreme Princess Royal in preparation for her year as Supreme Queen. Since she is the Supreme Queen for only one year, her appointments are one (1)-year appointments. When a Supreme Queen's term of office ends, all appointments made by her during her reign terminate. There should never be an expectation that once a member has been appointed to a Supreme Temple Committee that she automatically remains for more than one-year. Appointments are a gift, and no one should ever have an expectation of a continuing appointment.

MANUAL OF PROCEDURES

X. STATED SESSIONS

B. ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. At the Queen's discretion, portions of the business meeting may be addressed in a different order.
2. Ritualistic Opening
 - a. Amplified Opening
 - 1) The Short Form Opening should be used only in **emergencies** (i.e., many protem Officers OR when a Session is expected to be **exceptionally long**).



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- b. National Flags may be placed on the Throne at the **same height** or may be presented. The Temple may honor only the flag of the country in which the Session takes place or may choose to honor other National Flag(s).
3. Introductions (formal or informal) at a Stated Session shall be at the discretion of the Queen.
4. Reading (or prior electronic distribution) and approval of the Minutes of the previous Stated Session/Special Session/Ceremonial/Installation.
[Refer to Article VI. Duties of Officers, G. Princess Recorder, 20. Minutes – Reading for specific instructions.]
5. Bills and Receipts – Combine requests from the Queen to the Princess Recorder so she needs to rise and salute only once.
6. Princess Banker’s Report (Princess Banker).
7. Communications and Requests for Demits
 - a. Correspondence, including communications from Supreme Temple and the Foundation, may be sent electronically to the membership prior to the Stated Session; if correspondence is sent electronically, it need not be read in Session. The Minutes shall reflect the items of correspondence distributed directly to the membership.
 - b. If correspondence is not sent electronically, the Princess Recorder should first state the name from whom it was received before reading the communication:
 - 1) Supreme Queen/Supreme Temple Elective Line Officer (**read in full**).
 - 2) Supreme Princesses Recorder/Banker (read in full or summarized by Princess Recorder).
 - 3) Supreme Temple Committees (if not received through the Supreme Princess Recorder), Daughters of the Nile Foundation/Canadian Member Trustee (read in full or summarized by Princess Recorder).
 - 4) Other Subordinate Temples (read in full or summarized by Princess Recorder).
 - 5) List of Minutes and Financial report(s) received from Temple Units and Clubs (optional).
 - 6) Shrine/Masonic Family (read in full or summarized by Princess Recorder).
 - 7) Correspondence.
8. The Queen may ask for “Documents regarding membership received since the last Stated Session” in one directive and the Princess Recorder shall respond appropriately, saluting only once, reading the appropriate items, and pausing for balloting. These include the following:
 - a. Proposals for Membership, followed by Balloting
 - b. Petitions for Initiation/Petitions for Affiliation/Petitions for Change of Membership/Petitions for Reinstatement/Correspondence regarding demits received since the last Stated Session and read in this order. The Princess Recorder gives the Queen a list of all names in each category.
9. Reports of Special and Standing Committees: Reports should be brief, highlighting the key points. Include the ‘Who, What, Where, When, Why, and without any minor details.’ Full or final reports may be printed in a newsletter or distributed electronically to the membership. It is helpful for the Queen to ask for reports ahead of time and to emphasize with Line Officers and others who give reports the need to be efficient and concise in their reports



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- a. The Queen should call on all committees, Units, and Clubs, except those she knows have no report.
- b. During the April Stated Session, the Temple, Units, and Clubs should present plans for fundraisers for the fiscal year and ask Temple approval of the plans. The Temple may approve additional fundraisers at future Stated Sessions.

10. Business

- a. Unfinished Business is taken in the order of its previous presentation as is relevant to Temple events/activities.
- b. New Business
 - 1) The first order of New Business in March is the Election of Officers.
 - 2) The first order of New Business in April is the list of Members dropped for non-payment of Annual Dues on March 31. The Queen shall read the list.
 - 3) An irreparable Crown shall be replaced without any ceremony by majority vote at any Stated Session.
 - 4) Temple paraphernalia shall only be donated, disposed of, or sold following a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Members present and voting.
 - 5) Other new business.

11. Cheer and Care

- a. The Princess Chaplain's report **MAY** include:
 - 1) The number of telephone calls made during the month.
 - 2) The number of visits made.
 - 3) The number of Temple gifts sent or taken, if applicable.
 - 4) List of deaths of Members or Members' family members.
 - 5) Ill Members or Members' family members.
 - 6) Names of Members in distress of some kind.
 - 7) Members with special events or family members with cheerful news.

NOTE: Members should be made aware as soon as possible of the death of a member, a member who is ill, or a member in need of prayer. Email communication, Constant Contact, and OASIS allow for quick and efficient sharing of information. Changing the name of 'Sickness and Distress' to 'Cheer and Care' will allow the Princess Chaplain (or designee) to report, not only on illness and death, but on celebrations and joyful events.

12. Good of the Order

Reports should be concise and informative. Utilize the newsletter or email correspondence to expound on lengthy reports.

- a. Annual report of the Queen.
- b. Queen's report of Legislation adopted at the Supreme Temple Annual Session, after receipt of the Supreme Temple Legislation letter.
- c. Reports of the Supreme Temple Annual Session given by others in attendance.
- d. Founders Day observance (October or November Stated Session **closest** to the October 30 Founding).



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- e. Report by the Lady of the Gates of the number in attendance as gleaned from the Membership Register (optional).
- f. Remarks by the Member (Temple Member, visiting Member, or Honored Guest).
- g. Queen thanks protem Officers and makes necessary announcements.
- h. A Tribute or Memorial Service may be given in memory of deceased Members.
- i. Supreme Queen's address at her Official Visit.

13. Ritualistic Closing

XVI. C. REQUIRED PRACTICES OF THE ORDER

1. Publication of Any and All Correspondence or Announcements or General Information

Letters such as correspondence from all Supreme Elective Officers, announcements of Regional Events and Supreme Session, information published by Supreme Temple Committees, and anything else created for distribution to the membership of Daughters of the Nile that will be:

- a. Sent to Subordinate Temples, **or**
- b. Published on the Daughters of the Nile website, **or**
- c. Posted on the Daughters of the Nile Facebook page and any other future Daughters of the Nile Social Media platform.

Procedure for the distribution of a document:

STEPS:

1. The writer sends the document as a Word file to the Chairman of the Supreme Temple Publications Committee. murielknapp@msn.com
2. The Publications Committee approves the Word document and returns it to the writer.
3. The writer sends the edited Word document to the Supreme Gatekeeper. gatekeeper@daughtersofthenile.org
4. The Gatekeeper returns the approved Word document to the writer of the document.
5. The writer completes the online form, "Add Content to Website."
 - a. The writer verifies the document has been approved by the Publications Committee and the Gatekeeper.
 - b. The writer designates the distribution of the document:
 - Upload to the website: Where and When
 - Send by OASIS email to a specified group
 - Post on Social Media
 - c. The writer uploads the document and submits the form.



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PROTOCOL AND FLOOR CHARTS

The following are changes to FORMAL INTRODUCTIONS, pages in the protocol and Floor Charts (2024 version) will be updated.

- Princess Marshal conducts only and **presents** the Supreme Queen West of the Altar.
- Past Supreme Queens and all other honorees are **conducted** to the foot of the Throne. No one is presented behind Princess Zenobia's station.
- Formal Introduction of Past Queens is **OPTIONAL**.
- Optional introductions from their seats on the sidelines:
 - Queens-elect.
 - Supreme Queen Special Princess Recognition.
 - Princess Foundation Directors.
 - Princess Canadian Member Trustees.

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March 9, 2024	Installation of Officers	Parlor A	2:00 PM
March 30, 2024	Pageantry Garage Sale	Hella Parking Lot	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
April 3, 2024	Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
April 28, 2024	BINGO Hospital Fundraiser	Parlor A & B	1:30 - 3:30 PM
May 1, 2024	Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
May 19, 2024	Spring Luncheon	Manny's Tex Mex	11:00 AM
June 9 - 13, 2024	Supreme Session	Boise, Idaho	Multiple Days
July 27, 2024	Supreme Queen Official Visit	Parlor A	2:00 PM
	Supreme Queen Banquet	Terrace Room	5:00 PM
September 4, 2024	Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
October 2, 2024	Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
October 3 - 5, 2024	Texas Days	Grapevine	Multiple Days
November 6, 2024	Session (Founder's Day)	Parlor A	7:30 PM
November 9, 2024	Queen's Ball	Parlor A & B	
December 4, 2024	Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
January 1, 2025	Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
February 5, 2025	Session (Memorial Service)	Parlor A	7:30 PM
March 5, 2025	Session (Election of Officers)	Parlor A	7:30 PM