



VALLEY OF KNOXVILLE — ORIENT OF TENNESSEE

Official Voice of the Knoxville Bodies – Robert B. Beam, 33°, Secretary

**9TH ANNUAL CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT A SUCCESS**

On June 6, 2018, Knoxville Scottish Rite Foundation held their 9th Annual Charity Golf Tournament at Three Ridges Golf Course. This Tournament helps fund the Foundation Charity Programs, which are the shoe program, speech and hearing program (our three clinics in East Tennessee) and the twelve \$1,000.00 scholarships, given to rising College Juniors each year.

Brother Glenn Day has chaired this Tournament all nine years. In those nine years, there has been over \$130,000.00 raised for the Foundation Charities.

There is a tremendous lot of work that goes into organizing these tournaments. If you have missed out on participating in this worthy cause and the fellowship extended at these tournaments you might want to check this out next year. The work usually starts in January with a Tournament meeting. Check the January- February 2019 Scottish Rite News for information. Hope to see everyone.



**FIRST PLACE WINNER**  
Knoxville Blue Print & Supply Team



**SECOND PLACE WINNER**  
George Ellison Team



**THIRD PLACE WINNER**  
Stanley Fox, Jr. Team



**Don't forget the Reunion Saturday, August 4, 11, & 18<sup>th</sup>. Come join in the fellowship at the 160<sup>th</sup> Knoxville Scottish Rite Reunion. Check out the Schedule on Page 3, and also the Knoxville Scottish Rite Website: [knoxvillescottishrite.org](http://knoxvillescottishrite.org)**

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**ALLEGIANCE**

The several bodies of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry sitting in the Valley of Knoxville, Orient of Tennessee acknowledge and yield Allegiance to the Supreme Council of the Thirty-Third Degree, the Mother Supreme Council of the World whose see is at Charleston in the State of South Carolina of which

- RONALD A. SEALE, 33°**  
*Sovereign Grand Commander*
- JOE C. HARRISON, 33°**  
*S.G.I.G. in Tennessee*
- BILL G. SIZEMORE II, 33°**  
*Grand Executive Director*
- ROBERT T. REED, 33°**  
*Personal Representative*
- BILL R. CUTLIP, 33°**  
*Assistant Personal Representative*

**Stated Meeting 4th Tuesday, 7:30 P.M.**  
**Knoxville Lodge of Perfection**

Venerable Master..Richard M. LeBeau, 33°  
Senior Warden  
.....Harvey H. LaFollette, 32° KCCH  
Jr. Warden.....J. Wesley Edens, 33°  
Orator.....J. Ronald Worthington, 32° KCCH

**Knoxville Chapter Rose Croix**

Wise Master.....Rick D. Runion, 32° KCCH  
Senior Warden..Joseph C. Tucker, 32° KCCH  
Junior Warden.....A. Bryce Harris, 32°  
Orator.....John Walter Sayne, 32°

**Knoxville Council of Kadosh**

Commander.....Derek K. Adamson, 33°  
1st Lt. Com.....Michael R. Byrd, 32° KCCH  
2nd Lt. Com...Tron D. Valentine, 32° KCCH  
Chancellor.....Earl L. Ammon, 33°  
Orator.....Timothy P. Terry, 32°

**Knoxville Consistory**

Master of Kadosh..Kenneth P. Roberts, 33°  
Prior.....David A. Webb, 32° KCCH  
Preceptor.....Shane B. Ratliff, 32° KCCH  
Chancellor.....W. Charles Williams, 33°

**All Bodies**

Secretary.....Robert B. Beam, 33°  
Treasurer.....Michael G. Weems, 32° KCCH  
Almoner.....Charles R. Rhines, 33°  
Tiler.....Bobby G. Pollard, 33°

**Scottish Rite Executive Committee**

Robert T. Reed, 33° .....Chairman  
Richard M. LeBeau, 33°..Venerable Master  
Bill R. Cutlip, 33°.....Vice Chairman,  
.....Past Ven. Master  
Rick D. Runion, 32° KCCH.....Wise Master  
Dan G. Lovely, 32° KCCH...Past Wise Master  
Derek K. Adamson, 33° .....Commander  
Billy R. Miller, 33° .....Past Commander  
Kenneth P. Roberts, 33° Master of Kadosh  
James B. Clark, 33° .....Past Master Kadosh  
Phillip G. Barrett, 32° .....At-Large  
Leon F. Shields, 32° .....At-Large  
Erick H. Tuck, 32° KCCH .....At-Large

**CONSISTORIANS**

Meets Fourth Tuesdays, 6:30 P.M.  
William "Bill" M. Price, 33° .....President  
Shane B. Ratliff, 32° KCCH...Vice President  
Erick H. Tuck, 32° KCCH.....Sec.-Treas.  
Samuel M. Powers, 32° KCCH.....Chaplain



Pictured above presenting the Scottish Rite ROTC Award to Cadet Dakota Brock at Lincoln Memorial University, is Brother William E. Whitworth, 32°.



Pictured, Brother Bill Ausmus, 33° presenting the Scottish Rite ROTC award to Cadet Brandon Trent of East Tennessee State University. Brother Ausmus also presented Cadet Patrick Brooks the Sojourner ROTC award. (not pictured)



Brother Robert Beam, 33°, Secretary, Knoxville Scottish Rite, presented to Brother Gary Russell and Brother Nic Tidler their 32° patents at Foundation City Lodge #757.

**2018 COUNTY CLUB OFFICERS**

**ANDERSON COUNTY**

Mtg. 3rd Thursday, 7:00 P.M.,  
Crystal Lodge, Briceville  
Pres.: Lonnie N. Dison, 32° KCCH  
V- Pres.: Bobby J. Braden, 32°  
Sec.: Tracy R. Daugherty, 32°

**BLOUNT COUNTY**

Mtg. 3rd Thursday, 6:30 P.M.  
Prudential Lodge  
Pres.: Arnold Pesterfield, Jr., 32°  
V-Pres.: Bobby G. Pollard, 33°  
Sec.: Joseph Tucker, 32° KCCH

**CAMPBELL COUNTY**

Mtg. 2nd Tuesday, 7:00 P.M.,  
Campbell County Lodge  
Except June, July & August  
Pres.: James Miller, 32° KCCH  
V.-Pres.: Luther J. Gafford, 33°  
Sec.: Clyde E. Green, 32° KCCH

**CARTER COUNTY**

**CLAIBORNE COUNTY**  
Mtg. 4th Saturday, 7:00 P.M.,  
Powell Valley Lodge  
Pres.: Clifford Hunter, 32°  
V-Pres.: Kevin S. Fortner, 32°  
Sec.: C. Thomas Hunter, 32°

**COCKE COUNTY**

Mtg. 1st Monday, 6:30 P.M., Masonic Hall  
Pres.: Paul W. Shaver, 32° KCCH  
V.-Pres.: Richard M. LeBeau, 33°  
Sec.: Roger Stokely, 33°

**GRAINGER COUNTY**

**GREENE COUNTY**  
Mtg. 3rd Thursday, 6:30 P.M.,  
Greeneville Lodge  
Pres.: Kevin J. Wilder, 32°  
V.-Pres.: Charles Simmons, 32°  
Sec.: Willis Scott, 33°

**HAMBLEN COUNTY-LAKEWAY AREA**

Mtg. 4th Saturday, 9:00 A.M.,  
Davy Crockett Restaurant  
Pres.: Don E. Ellison, 32°  
V.-Pres: Shane B. Ratliff, 32° KCCH  
Sec.: W. Charles Williams, 33°

**HANCOCK COUNTY**

**HAWKINS COUNTY**  
Mtg. 1st Tuesday, 6:00 P.M.,  
Randall's Restaurant  
Pres.: Harvey H. LaFollette, 32° KCCH  
V-Pres.: Henry LaFollette, 32°  
Sec.: Kevin V. Skelton, 32°

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**

Mtg. 1st Monday, Perkins Restaurant  
Except July, August, and September  
Eat at 6:30 P.M.  
Pres.: Mathew Sanders, 32°  
V-Pres.: William E. Whitworth, 32°  
Sec.: W. James Dunn, Jr., 32° KCCH

**JOHNSON COUNTY**

**LOUDON COUNTY**

Mtg. 3rd Thursday, 6:30 P.M., Avery Ldg.  
Quarterly, March, June, Sept. & Dec.  
Pres.: Earl Ammon, 33°  
V-Pres.: Ralph Crass, 33°  
Sec.: Kenneth P. Roberts, 33°

**MONROE COUNTY**

**MORGAN COUNTY**

Pres.: Arnold "Jay" Phillips, 32°  
V-Pres.: David M. Harris, 32°  
Sec.: Gregory A. Griffith, 32°

**OAK RIDGE CLUB**

Mtg. 2nd Tuesday Odd Month, 7:00 P.M.,  
Faith Lodge in Oak Ridge  
Pres.: Jeffrey R. Holt, 32°  
V-Pres.: James L. Ping, 32°  
Sec.: Michael Calfee, 32° KCCH

**ROANE COUNTY**

Mtg. 2nd Thursday, 7:00 P.M.  
Pres.: A. Bryce Harris, 32°  
V-Pres.: James H. Tucker, 32° KCCH  
Sec.: Louis J. Devillon, 32° KCCH

**SCOTT COUNTY**

Mtg. 1st Thursday, 6:30 P.M., Oneida Ldg.  
Pres.: Michael R. Byrd, 32° KCCH  
V-Pres.: Charles A. Condie, 32°  
Sec.: J. Larry Goodman, 32°

**SEVIER COUNTY**

Mtg. 3rd Monday, 6:00 P.M., Mt. Star Ldg.  
Except June, July & August  
Pres.: Charles "Ben" Gibson, 32°  
V-Pres.: Anthony H. Compton, 32°  
Sec.: Marvin Johns, 32° KCCH

**SULLIVAN COUNTY**

Mtg. 1st Monday, 6:30 P.M., Kingsport Ldg.  
Dinner by Reservation  
Pres.: O. Nathan Mathews, 32°  
V-Pres.: Darryl B. McPheron, 32°  
Sec.: John R. Johnson, 32°

**UNAKA**

**UPPER SULLIVAN**

Mtg. 3rd Tuesday Each Month, 6:30 P.M.  
Pres.: J. Wesley Edens, 33°  
V-Pres.: Walter T. Collins, 32°  
Sec.:

**UNION COUNTY**

Mtg. Hardee's, Maynardville, 6:00 P.M.  
Pres.: Joseph P. McDonald, 32°  
V-Pres.: Drew M. Cope, 32°  
Sec.:

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**

Mtg. 1st Monday, Rhea Lodge,  
Jonesborough, 6:00 P.M.  
Pres.: Jonathan D. Dugger, 32°  
V-Pres.: Linnie A. Rhudy, 32°  
Sec.: John H. Harris, 32° KCCH



**KNOXVILLE SCOTTISH RITE REUNION**

**August 4th, August 11th, & August 18th, 2018**  
**Deadline for Petitions: Thursday, August 2nd, 2018**  
**FREE BREAKFAST FOR CANDIDATES AND MEMBERS**

**Saturday, August 4, 2018**

Breakfast.....	6:00 A.M. – 7:15 A.M.
Registration of Candidates .....	7:00 A.M.-7:30 A.M.
Class Assembly .....	7:30 A.M.
Class Picture .....	7:45 A.M.
Open of Lodge .....	8:00 A.M.
4° Secret Master.....	8:15 A.M.
6° Confidential Secretary.....	9:15 A.M.
7° Provost Judge.....	10:15 A.M.
9° Elu of the Nine .....	11:15 A.M.
Lunch.....	12:15 P.M.
10° Elu of the Fifteen.....	1:00 P.M.
14° Perfect Elu.....	2:00 P.M.
Class Assembly .....	4:30 P.M.

**Saturday, August 11, 2018**

Breakfast .....	6:00 A.M. – 7:15 A.M.
Class Assembly .....	8:00 A.M.
18° Knight of Rose Croix.....	8:30 A.M.
19° .....	11:00 A.M.
Lunch.....	12:15 P.M.
21° Noachite of Prussian Knight.....	1:00 P.M.
27° Knight Commander of the Temple .....	2:00 P.M.
29° .....	3:30 P.M.
Class Assembly .....	5:00 P.M.

**Saturday, August 18, 2018**

Breakfast .....	6:00 A.M. – 7:15 A.M.
Class Assembly .....	8:00 A.M.
30° .....	8:15 A.M.
Administrative.....	10:45 A.M.
Lunch.....	11:30 A.M.
31° .....	12:15 P.M.
32° .....	3:30 P.M.
Class Assembly .....	4:45 P.M.



**KNOXVILLE SCOTTISH RITE POCKET PETITION**  
(PLEASE PRINT)

**FULL NAME:**

FIRST: \_\_\_\_\_  
MIDDLE: \_\_\_\_\_  
LAST: \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:**

STREET: \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY / STATE / ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE AND EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

**PERSONAL:**

DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_  
PLACE: \_\_\_\_\_

**EMPLOYMENT:**

BUS./ OCCUPATION (IF RETIRED PLEASE INDICATE): \_\_\_\_\_

**MASONIC INFORMATION:**

LODGE: \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_ (A)F&AM  
CITY / STATE: \_\_\_\_\_  
GRAND LODGE: \_\_\_\_\_

**HAVE YOU EVER PETITIONED A SCOTTISH RITE VALLEY BEFORE? IF YES, INDICATE VALLEY AND DISPOSITION:**

YES:  NO:

VALLEY: \_\_\_\_\_

DISPOSITION: \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**RECOMMENDERS (MUST HAVE TWO):**

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

IF MAILING, PLEASE RETURN TO:

KNOXVILLE SCOTTISH RITE  
P.O. Box 708  
KNOXVILLE, TN 37901  
865-524-3459

ALONG WITH THE FEE OF \$300.00 – AT LEAST \$150.00  
MUST ACCOMPANY PETITION, THIS INCLUDES ANNUAL DUES  
OF \$100.00 AND RING

\*\*CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED\*\*

**TAMIKA CATCHINGS HOSTS BASKETBALL CAMP TO BENEFIT AREA YOUNG PEOPLE**

On Saturday, April 7, 2018, WNBA star and former Lady Vol Tamika Catchings hosted a basketball camp at the Boys and Girls Club of Tennessee Valley to benefit children whose lives have been impacted by speech and hearing loss. The camp was sponsored by the University of Tennessee Department of Audiology and Speech Pathology; volunteers from the community including Robbie Beam, General Secretary of Knoxville Scottish Rite, helped staff the camp.

Tamika shared her story of overcoming the adversity of hearing loss with the young people at the camp and encouraged them to “Dream BIG”—BIG meaning: Believe in yourself, Inspire others, and achieve Greatness. Approximately 60 children participated from all areas of the Knoxville area.

Tamika expressed her desire to make this an annual event. The Knoxville Scottish Rite Foundation supports the work of the University of Tennessee Speech and Hearing Center which operates through this department.

Through the generosity of Knoxville Scottish Rite Masons, you are helping those same children lead productive lives with the ability to communicate effectively. For more information about the Speech and Hearing Center, visit <https://www.uthsc.edu/asp/clinical/index.php>.

**JULY - AUGUST, 2018**

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**OFFICE HOURS**  
MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY  
8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

**FALL REUNION**

**AUGUST 4, 2018**

**AUGUST 11, 2018**

**AUGUST 18, 2018**

**DEADLINE FOR PETITIONS**

**AUGUST 2, 2018**

**TIME DATED MATERIAL**

NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION  
U.S. Postage  
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KNOXVILLE, TENN.  
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**In Memoriam**

*In the Celestial Lodge*



<i>Kenneth Ellis Coulter</i>	<i>Maryville, TN</i>	<i>May 23, 2018</i>
<i>George Houston Evans</i>	<i>Knoxville, TN</i>	<i>May 24, 2018</i>
<i>Calvin William Housewright</i>	<i>Knoxville, TN</i>	<i>June 16, 2018</i>
<i>James Leroy Huff</i>	<i>Maryville, TN</i>	<i>April 29, 2018</i>
<i>Marvin Archie Platz</i>	<i>Kingsport, TN</i>	<i>May 27, 2018</i>
<i>Robert Sidney Powell</i>	<i>Oak Ridge, TN</i>	<i>May 26, 2018</i>
<i>David Lynn Thomas</i>	<i>Jacksboro, TN</i>	<i>May 9, 2018</i>
<i>Willard Lee Walker</i>	<i>Maryville, TN</i>	<i>April 4, 2018</i>
<i>Howard Bryan Wright</i>	<i>Knoxville, TN</i>	<i>June 11, 2018</i>

**SICK IN THE HOSPITALS**

**NURSING HOMES**

**Asbury of Kingsport:**  
Robert M. Dickens

**Ben Atchley Veterans Home:**  
Franklin E. Hatfield  
James L. Johnson

**Beverly Park Place North:**  
Marion Brock

**Church Hill Health Care:**  
Doyle K. Derrick

**Elmcroft of Halls:**  
Esco L. Owens

**Erwin Healthcare Center:**  
Martin H. Clarke

**Heritage Nursing Home:**  
John H. Cress

**Holston Rehab:**  
James R. Mynatt

**Jefferson City Health & Rehab:**

Arlin Russell

**Lifecare - Wartburg:**

Steven Spitzer

**Morning Point - Powell:**

Paul L. Summers

**Preston Place II:**

Billy Gilreath

**Shannondale Retire. Home:**

Thomas A. Nicholson

Hal T. Randles

**The Waters of Clinton:**

Thomas N. Muncy

**Windsor Gardens Asst. Living:**

William J. Campbell, Jr.

Jack F. Ensor

Clarence Grey

**SICK AT HOME**

J.B. Allen, W.F. Ball, S.R. Barger, E.H. Barton, Wayne Bell, Bobby Blakley, Bill Bowers, Ivan Brody, George Burgess, Alfred Byrd, B.D. Cole, J.B. Crowson, Danny Crum, Roger Dinsmore, H.H. Dolen, Mike Dougherty, C.C. Ensor, Jr., R.E. Eslinger, G.E. Ferguson, Earl Fortner, Charles Gheen, Jesse Gibson, J.P. Graham, Clyde Green, Bill Grigsby, Alvin Hammer, Jeff Heaberlin, Charles Hedgecock, G.R. Holland, Joe Hommell, David Horton, Tommy Hulse, Carl Johnson, JC Jones, Voyd Keck, Steven Kuhn, William McCamy, G.E. McClure, Edward McCoy, R.P.

McDaniel, R.C. McElroy, A.L. McGill, J.E. Moore, J.B. Moses, William Neubert, Ralph Newcomb, E.A. Ollis, Carlton Outhouse, H.L. Patterson, Dennis Phillips, Jerry Phillips, J.L. Pointer, Paul Qualls, C.E. Ragle, L.H. Ridings, S.D. Rose, Floyd Rutherford, Herschal Sharp, Fred Shaver, M.D. Singleton, C.A. Smith, Leonard Smith, Wayne Smith, William Smith, Brian Sousa, J.P. Stalcup, Ron Stevens, R.E. Stone, Donald Taylor, James Teffeteller, J.D. Vicars, James Warner, T.N. Watson, K.R. Webb, William Weeks, Jerry Wolfenbarger, R.B. Woodard, J.W. Wright, Donald Young.

**GREENE COUNTY  
SCOTTISH RITE CLUB  
12TH ANNUAL CAR SHOW  
Saturday, July 14, 2018**

**Open to All Cars, Trucks,  
Bikes, and Tractors**

**FOOD CITY**

**2755 E. Andrew Johnson Hwy.  
Greeneville, TN 37743**

**For Information Contact:  
Bill Moncier: 423-470-1391  
or  
Willis Scott: 423-552-3212**

**TRESTLE BOARD**

**JULY**

**4 Independence Day  
Office Closed**

**24 Consistorians .....6:30  
Stated Meeting .....7:30**

**AUGUST**

**2 Deadline for Petitions  
4 Reunion .....7:00  
11 Reunion .....7:00  
18 Reunion .....7:00  
28 Consistorians .....6:30  
Stated Meeting .....7:30**

*Meals Will Be Served*