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COMMODORE'S COMMENTARY

Greetings from the Commodore,

Lady Gail and I would like to thank everyone who attended our Imperial Session recently held in Minneapolis. Our accommodations were very clean, quite adequate, and close to everything Shrine related. The IASYC Hospitality Suite acted as a welcome respite for docking with an adult beverage of choice and a chance to grab some warm food offerings from our galley. There was plenty to see and do for those who were adventurous while in Minnesota. We were pleased to



see so many participate with us on our luncheon charter on beautiful Lake Minnetonka and enjoy the sites around us. Captain Gordon was very knowledgeable and informative about the area we were cruising.



The crew was courteous and attentive to our needs aboard. The weather cooperated, the food was great, and the company was outstanding. Lady Gail, of course, found the perfect jacket at one of the shops we stopped in, while our IASYC guests were visiting the old Minnesota town of Excelsior. That was fun! Thanks to Joel Johnson PP, Aad, his Lady Joyce, their guests, and Dr. Dan Maryland, Aad, and Lady Sharon for making the trip down to be with us.

I was honored to have Illustrious Sir Jim Guretzski, past Potentate of Amara Shrine Center, attend and install the IASYC Bridge officers for 2014-15 at the 'Change of Watch' Luncheon Banquet. My home Shrine, Amara, Potentate, Ill. Sr. Brian Price, was unable to officiate the proceedings due to an emergency trip to the hospital just prior to the start of Imperial. A Big "Thank you" to Ill. Sir Jim and his Lady Pat, for stepping in and doing a superb job. I also appreciated the support given me by Amara Shrine Asst. Rabban, Chris Brett, who attended our luncheon. My Chief Aide Norman Groh, Vice Commodore of the Amara Mariners, and his Lady Onley, were on hand to assist Lady Gail and I. Thank you Norm and Onley, for all your help. My Bridge officers, who were installed, included; Vice Commodore, William "Bill" Kennedy, Khedive, and Lady Betty; Rear Commodore, Raymond "Ray" Desrochers, Bektash, and Lady Betty; Fleet Captain, Gerald "Gerry" Deacon, Bahia, and Lady Dian; Secretary/Treasurer, David "Dave" Harris, Araba. Lady Sandy was unable to be with us.

I would like to thank 'Now', PIC, Don Gortowski and Lady Vera for a great year. Hope that you enjoy the remainder of this year and many years to come as an IASYC PIC.

Other PIC's present at the banquet to thank for your support include: Lonnie Ramos PP, PIC, Almas, and Lady Ann. Lonnie & Ann are also this publication's editor and publisher, as well as the Association's Web Meister, (Master). Thanks for all your hard work and the time you put into IASYC; to PIC Bob Omer, El Jebel, and Lady Sarah, for your support and friendly advice; to PIC Chet Dunn, Bektash, and Lady Hope, for

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Editor's Note: A tremendous amount of planning and work go into putting on our Imperial Meetings. These meetings are so terrific that once attended you will want to come back every year. It's this camaraderie that builds an organization that creates the fellowship that creates our true brotherhood. Plan now on attending Mid-Winter February 2015 & Houston in July 2015.



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See you all at Mid-Winter.

Lonnie

Life is only traveled once; today's moment becomes tomorrow's memory. Enjoy every moment, good or bad, because the GIFT of LIFE is LIFE itself.

How IASYC began...



It was organized in 1971 by representatives from the MAASYC representing a number of Shrine Yacht Clubs whose members were affiliated with the boating fraternity. It is a fraternal, self supporting Shrine boating association dedicated to the furtherance of the aims of Shrinedom. It has grown from its infancy on the East Coast to all 50 states and many foreign countries. Its expansion continues with no end in sight. It is considered by many to be the most family oriented premier organization in all Shrinedom!

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assisting and supporting our efforts; to PIC Charlie Downing, Khedive, and Lady Elisabeth, for your support and words of wisdom; to PIC Lou Metz III, Tripoli, and Lady Nancy, for support and your Association financial advice. Other IASYC members in attendance included, Don Vos PP, Sahib, and Lady Carol; Don Shearer, Bahia, and Lady Zoe;

An expression of thanks to Captain Mike Foye of the Zuhrah Shrine Mariners and his crew, who assisted me in arranging the necessary transportation we required for the Shrine Parade. Can you imagine it, IASYC had eleven members participate walking/riding proudly in the evening Shrine Parade. It was long but fun! Getting back to the hospitality Suite was even more interesting. Just ask VC Bill Kennedy, or RC Ray Desrochers, when you see them.

On Thursday, I took the opportunity to meet and speak with newly installed Imperial Potentate, Dale Straus. I presented him with an Honorary Lifetime Membership to IASYC, which he accepted. On behalf of our Association, I wished him well for the coming year and he likewise wished me a great year ahead.

The new IASYC Bridge has already held it's first meeting via SKYPE, to discuss the plans and goals we have for the ensuing year. I am fortunate to have very capable bridge officers. Good communication is important. We plan to meet often and act on good ideas that will benefit our membership and the Association.

Membership remains our number one priority. Our membership is growing due to the efforts of our front line Port Captains, District Commodores, and Regional Ambassadors, who I feel, have the dedication, ability, and enthusiasm to spread our message, to all the Shrine Yacht Clubs and Mariner Units across North America. I am sending a letter to all current Port Captains, District Commodores, and Regional Ambassadors thanking them for their hard work and challenging them to keep the momentum going under the direction of Ray Desrochers, former Fleet Captain and now Rear Commodore. Ray and I have spoken about having our new Fleet Captain, Gerry Deacon, spun up and informed as to the importance of his Bridge position. Gerry is eager to get started with his duties as it relates to membership. Membership retention and growth remain our number one priority.



One of my goals this year is to actively unify the East and West Coast of North America. My Rear Commodore, Ray Desrochers, is making contacts with West Coast Shrine Temples, Blue Lodges, and Yacht Clubs to tell our story and encourage them to join us and become actively involved. Together, we will become a stronger Association benefiting everyone who loves the water, boating and building fellowship. I want to see the next Fleet Captain to the IASYC Bridge come from the West Coast. Why not?

Don't be afraid to tell our story. We are the center for information, communication, and accommodating the needs of traveling mariners and yachtsmen everywhere. I am honored to be your Skipper this year. Let's collectively rollup our sleeves and grow this great Shrine Association.

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Deadline for the next
Yachtsman is November 10th



Reports from the Bridge



IASYC ViceCommodore Bill Kennedy

There's absolutely nothing as much fun as going to an IMPERIAL, especially this year's extravaganza held in Minneapolis. We attended all the required meetings at Imperial and IASYC; but we also ate like hogs at the underground restaurant from Hell; we marched in the incredible Shrine Parade (that took almost two hours) that displayed magnificent mounted horse patrols from four different Temples (incidentally, we learned to be humble by being the last club/unit in the Parade); and we saw how the rich and famous lived by taking a wonderful boat ride on Lake Minnetonka, which included the best weather we've had in months. We shopped 'til we dropped at the largest Mall in America and at the Market Place at Convention Center! But, truly, the best experiences came from meeting our Shriner friends who drove and flew in from all over the Americas. We spent hours at our hospitality suite trading stories, experiences and our hopes and dreams for the incredible future of IASYC.

Our thanks for this dream vacation go to Commodore Bob and his Lady Gail Feustel who had been planning all this past year to make this a trip to remember. It was perfectly and

Nothing quite beats the experience of meeting old friends and making new ones at the Hospitality Suite! Bob Feustel made sure there were plenty of chairs and lots of warm, enjoyable conversation.



(Top) Our newest Fleet Captain, Gerry Deacon gets advice from our newest PIC, Don Gortowski and (Bottom) Ray Desrochers our newest Rear Commodore gets a few tip from Dr. Daniel L. Maryland (Aad).



Lady Betty Kennedy

Minneapolis! Gorgeous weather, beautiful open city with splendid buildings surrounded by greenery and flowering gardens, clean fresh air, the incredible Mall of America, and a refreshing and delightful cruise on the beautiful Lake Minnetonka, permeated by the growing camaraderie among the IASYC ladies - all created a delightful

Bags she created and crafted for each of the ladies – each one beautifully designed and stitched over the past year. Not being a seamstress, I consider it an incredible feat!

I especially enjoyed the speaker for the ladies breakfast. I am still smiling. If I feel down or sad, I think of her smiling face and I remember what she said – smile and life will be grand no matter what happens.

Once again, thank you Vera for your leadership over the past year and to Gail for a great Imperial rendezvous. All of the ladies in charge since I experienced my first meeting in Scottsdale – Sarah, Ann, Vera and Gail – have done a fantastic job. I will have a lot to live up to.

I look forward to the Florida winter meeting in the Keys this coming February and please don't forget Houston next year and the 2016 winter rendezvous in New Orleans!

Keep Smiling,

Betty!

PS: Ever since our visit to Imperial Head Quarters, I have been saving the little aluminum Tabs. Several ladies in my neighborhood are also now contributing. It's a good money maker for the Shriners and, of course, recycling is always good for the country.





Reports from the Bridge

Chief Aide's Bio

IASYC REAR COMMODORE



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IASYC just had a great year. Due to your enthusiasm and your positive outlook, we increased our membership 30%. The newly Installed Fleet Captain Jerry Deacon of Florida is off to a great start in the appointment of new District Commodore Om Sukhani (Abou Sead) of Panama.

I will be assisting Commodore (IASYC) Bob Feustel in the appointments of Regional Ambassador, District Commodore and Port Captain Internationally. We need your help. If any member would like to consider one of the positions, contact either Commodore Bob Feustel or myself.

Lady Betty and I will continue to visit your area to assist in any way we can to make IASYC the best club in Shrinedom. We will be visiting District Commodore Doug Hipsley (Aahmes) in California in July to assist in the promoting of IASYC; Gary Brookins (Al Koran) on Lake Erie to promote manpower development and IASYC; and Past International Commodore Charlie Downing in the Mid- Atlantic Region to work in the development of new members for IASYC.

As Rear Commodore, I will continue to assist Fleet Captain Gerry Deacon in the development of additional membership on the International level. We will continue to obtain additional benefits for all IASYC Members and when I'm in your area, please tell us what you need to help your area grow. Remember, Attitude is a little thing that makes a big difference between Success and Failure. The best years for IASYC are yet to come.

Ray Desrochers
Attitude is a little thing that makes a big difference between success and failure.



IASYC Chief Aide



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Norman Groh Bio

I am proud to announce the appointment of Norman Groh as my Chief Aide for 2014-2015. Norman is a member of Garden Lodge #366, a 32 degree member of the Scottish Rite in the Valley of the Palm Beaches, and member of Amara Shrine. Last but not least, he is an Amara Mariner currently serving as Vice Commodore and is active in FSMY-CA and IASYC.

He is a sailor, Instrument rated Private pilot, and Entrepreneur. Norman's newest venture and a love of boating prompted him to invest in and participate as Senior Vice President in Hydrofoils, Inc., a marine hi-tec company, which has completed engineering and is now building jet powered vessels capable of speeds of 130 miles per hour on the water.

Welcome Norman.

- Every day's a perfect gift of time for us to use. Hours waiting to be filled in any way we choose. Each morning brings a quiet hope that rises with the sun. Each evening brings the sweet content that comes with work well done.



Hadi Annual Trap Shoot



Good morning all,
The second annual trap shoot held at the Evansville Gun 6/28 & 29 was put on by the Hadi Mariners

honoring Ken Wendt PP/ PIC. The photos below are of Phyllis Wendt (she is the cute one) Dave Horn, Port Captain and My self, I am the one in white IASYC District Commodore.

We had good weather again this year and had a lot of shooters, more than last year. We started the shoot with Roger Fuchs PP Hadi Temple playing colors on the horn. Harold Bowers --- manger of the club, set off the cannon and the shoot was on the way, by the way the cannon shook the earth. We had a good turn out both days, thanks to all the shooters.

Bill Davis



Bill Davis
&
Phyllis Wendt

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ATTENTION valued Nobel Members; we are approaching the end of year 2014. The dues notice for 2015 will be mailed out in November for year 2015

PLEASE check your dues card for the current year. Those with a 2013 dues card will NOT have their membership carried over into 2015

Thanking you in advance for your continued support.

Dave Harris Secretary



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Greetings....from Jerry Deacon, the newly elected Fleet Captain for IASYC.

My Lady Di and myself had a great time in Minneapolis, where I was installed for this position. I want to thank the Bridge for my appointment and want you to know I will do my best as Fleet Captain to further our mission in recruiting new members to IASYC.

Since this is a new appointment, I have not gotten my sea legs yet, but will shortly. I will be contacting the Port Captains and Regional Commodores soon to offer my help and work with you to keep the membership growing.

I'm looking forward to working with all of you. If you have any questions before I contact you, please do not hesitate to call or email me. We look forward to seeing you at our future meetings.



★ Major Events ★ Where We're Going!

- 2015 Winter Meeting- Marathon, FL,
(February TBA)
- 2015 Summer Meeting-Houston, TX,
(July 5-9)
- 2016 Winter Meeting-New Orleans, LA
(March TBA)
- 2016 Summer Meeting - Tampa
(July)
- 2017 Winter Meeting Cabo San Lucas
(February)

Places We Have Been!

FLORIDA	CALIFORNIA	OTHER	FOREIGN
Key West	San Diego	Scottsdale	San Juan
Ft Lauderdale	Martinez	Mobile	Cabo San Lucas
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Punta Gorda			
Sarasota			
Singer Islands			
Tampa			

Note: Summer Meetings are held in the home city of the newly installed Imperial Potentate; Winter Meetings are chosen by the newly installed International Commodore.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

**We cordially Welcome Aboard
the following new IASYC Members
and Yacht Clubs!**

James Kanzler & Pam (Hadi)

Randall Skowlund & Debbie (Aad)

Ken Taylor & Terry (Hadi)

Norris Vines & Sheila (Rameses)

Michael Blake (San Francisco Yacht Club}

Charles Remington (San Francisco Yacht Club)

Kirk West (Ben Ali)

Robert Pugh (Ben Ali)

Welcome New Yacht Clubs

Ben Ali Shrine Yacht Club (Ben Ali)

San Francisco Shrine Yacht Club (Asiya)

Aahmes Shrine Yacht Club (Aahmes)

Ben Ali Shrine Yacht Club (Ben Ali)

The Yachtsman



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And, now a word from the Ladies

Commodore's Lady

Gail Feustel



What can I say about Imperial, we had so much fun with our IASYC friends from around the Nation. The weather could not have been more perfect. If any of you have never driven to Imperial I would recommend you give that a try. We both enjoyed our trip across the USA ; it was like two vacations in one.

I want to thank all of you Mariners Yachtsmen who pitched in and helped Bob and I make this Imperial so successful. The key here is helping those who are hosting and together having a good time doing this. You all have contributed in some way or another to our success and for that I give you a big THANK YOU!

I will conclude by saying to all you readers out there, if you haven't been to Imperial, put that on your bucket list and try and get to Houston next year. Meanwhile, I look forward to seeing many of you at our Mid-winter event in the Keys.

Safe travels.

First Mate,
Gail

Rear Commodore's Lady

Betty Hovey Desrochers



Attending the most recent Imperial Session in Minneapolis, Minnesota has been the highlight of the summer for Ray and I.

We can't thank International Commodore Bob and Lady Gail Feustel

enough for the work they did in making all the arrangements for this wonderful gathering and also want to thank them for the beautiful hand -made tote bag sewn by Gail herself. We enjoyed everything -- our stay at the Holiday Inn, the Bridge Meeting, the Ladies Breakfast (I will never forget Betsy), the trip to the Mall of America, the cruise on Lake Minnetonka where we were treated to a lovely luncheon, and if that wasn't enough, we were bussed to the historic little town of Excelsior and strolled through the quaint little shops where some of us even stopped to sample the homemade ice cream. That very evening our Guy's got together for the two-and-one-half hour parade, while we Ladies looked on. Lady Gail and Commodore Bob managed to make us very comfortable in a Hospitality Suite at the Holiday Inn where we could visit old friends and make new friends. It was great to be together and share experiences since our mid-winter in Tampa, Florida. The 2014 Imperial Session came to a close on Wednesday with a lovely Banquet held at the Hilton Hotel where the Installation of Officers took place for 2014-2015. Finally, we said our good byes and headed back to our boat in St. Clair Shores, Michigan.

Best Wishes and Safe Boating.

First Mate, Betty Hovey-Desrochers

Secretary/Treasurers Lady

Sandy Harris



Hi To All My Friends at IASYC!

I heard I missed a wonderful time in Minneapolis. Bob and Gail get a big "Two Thumbs Up" for an outstanding job! It is exciting to hear of all the new West Coast members joining IASYC.

Thank you all for your dedication and enthusiasm in this effort. Looking forward to a mid-winter get together, someday in San Francisco. Might be a little cold but that's OK!

Ladies, thinking back to when Bob Omer asked us to write articles for the Yachtsman (some of you were not members yet) he wanted to hear from all of us not only ladies from the Bridge. Bob encouraged us to write about our personal experiences, travels and hobbies. The ladies of IASYC and the Shrine in general do so much good and I applaud you all.

I look forward to mid-winter and seeing all my dear IASYC friends.

Regards,
Sandy Harris





**28th Annual Nur Shriners Yacht Club Cruise
for Shiners' Hospitals for Children®**

Friday July 18th Vera and I attended the Nur Shriners 28th Annual Yacht Club Cruise for Shiners' Hospitals for Children® both in and out patience. Held at Pell Gardens Park Chesapeake City, Maryland. There were 24 children in attendance parents and guardians . They arrived at 10:00 - 10:00 am followed by a mini parade at 11:00 am then 11:30 a.m. - Board the boats for a cruise on the C & D canal. 12:30 p.m. - picnic lunch provided, after lunch 1:30 p.m. - Ice cream for everyone at a local vendor everyone enjoyed themselves, there were smiles everywhere. For many years is event has been lead by Nur Yacht club past commodore Georg Jefferson with help from club members and their ladies



George Jefferson

Nur shriners at Van left to right;

Tony Maxwell, Joe McAleese, Ed Burke, Tom Cole, Jay Brackin, Jerry Cook, and Bob Vickery.

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Mid-Winter, Marathon Key, FL.



International Association of Shrine Yacht Clubs
2015 Mid-Winter Meeting

First Mate Gail and I would like to have you join us for a relaxing, wonderful getaway in Marathon Key, Florida
January 29-February 1st
 More information to follow



Tentative Agenda

Thursday, January 29th

Bob & Gail will greet IASYC guests
 Lunch & Dinner on your own
 Hospitality suite 5:00 p.m. - ?



Friday, January 30th

Hospitality suite 8:00 a.m.-9:30 a.m.
 Bridge Meeting 9:30 a.m.
 Ladies Breakfast 9:30 a.m.
 General Meeting 10:00 a.m.
 Excursions 1:00 p.m.
 Boat/ Dolphins/ Key West
 Dinner on your own
 Hospitality opens 6:00 p.m. - ?

Saturday, January 31st

Hospitality Suite 8:00 a.m.
 Excursions
 Lunch on your own
 Hospitality 4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m
 IASYC Dinner and Presentations 6:30 p.m.
 Hospitality Suite 9:00-??

Sunday, February 1st

Farewells

Sign Up Form

Nobles Name: _____ Lady: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ E-mail: _____

Guest's Name: _____ Guest's Name: _____

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 Excursions TBD
 Dolphin Excursions TBD
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 Friday Jan 30th. Ladies Brkfst. TBD # persons = _____ .S
 Saturday Jan 31st Dinner/Banquet TBD # persons = _____



INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION of SHRINE YACHT CLUBS

July 15th. 2014

Maurice A. Herbert
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Ambassador Herbert,

I was recently informed of your decision to retire your post as IASYC Ambassador.

I would like to personally thank you for your service to this position. I wish you well in any future endeavors that you and 1st mate Sandy may choose to follow. I fully understand what selling the boat means to you. It's an old friend that gave you many good times. I bet you that a great deal of time money was well spent with family and friends.

I am happy to see that you still intend to be a member of the mid-Atlantic clubs; hopefully IASYC as well, to stay informed and connected.

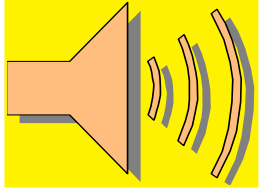
I am very proud of the direction that IASYC is headed. Our membership is growing as more and more Nobles and Yachtsmen are hearing our message. Many are seeing us as an important source of information in the boating community locally and around our country, as well as those in Canada, South America, Mexico, and Europe. We are excited to share our activities, tips and have our Port Captains be available to assist traveling Yachtsmen and Mariners from all over.

If you know of anyone who is interested in becoming an Ambassador for IASYC, give me a phone call or an e-mail that we can respond to.

My Rear Commodore, Ray Desrochers, and Fleet Captain, Jerry Deacon, are eager to fill the Ambassador position that will be vacant in your area.

YITE,

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“What’s Happening in your Region”

Sahib Mariners



Nobles, Mariners, and PIC’s

We have the following opportunities coming up at Sahib Mariners Unit.

September 12th - 14th, 2014, Week end of Levity at the Punta Gorda Riverfront Hotel. Special rates are available with the word “Sahib” to get the special rates.

November 15th, 2014, Our own special Commodores Ball At Sahibs Main Hall. If anyone needs rooms, please let me know.

December 10th, 2014, Sahib Mariners X-mas party at the Meadows Country Club.

I just want everyone to know, that Lady Carol and I had a grand time in Minneapolis.

Thanks for all of your hard work...

Don Vos, PP
Commodore Sahib Mariners 2014

Northern CA.

Has Joint Shrine Yacht Club Meeting



Ron Swanson (Asiya), IASYC Rear Commodore Ray Desrochers (Bektash), Charles Remington) Commodore San Francisco YC.(Asiya), Mike Dameran Commodore (Ashmes)

The following Shrine Yacht Clubs were in attendance at the Oakland Yacht Club on July 30, 2014; Ben Ali, San Francisco, and Aahmes. The meeting was conducted by Noble Doug Hipsley of Aahmes Shrine Yacht Club. There were representatives from all three Shrine Yacht Clubs, and guest from International Association of Shrine Yacht Club Rear Commodore Ray Desrochers

and his Lady Betty Ann, also in attendance from the US Coast Guard was Captain Greg Stump, Commander Sector San Francisco who spoke of the innovation and purpose of the Coast Guard..

There were discussions of recent Activities of each Club and mention of upcoming meetings to be held In the Northern CA. area. Rear Commodore of IASYC Ray Desrochers spoke about the future of all Shrine Clubs Internationally and the enthusiasm that the IASYC members have about the future of IASYC. In the last eighteen months IASYC has grown more than 30% in membership. He also spoke of the importance of obtaining benefits for all IASYC members. IASYC has obtained discounts at marinas for fuel, overnight docking, mooring privileges, restaurants, and Boat US memberships. We are working to obtain discounts for Hotel and Motel accommodations, Winery discounts and resort accommodations. Ray also mentioned of having Mason/Shrine affiliation day at local Masonic lodges, this would enhance new membership at the Masonic Level, therefore inducing future growth in the Shrine Temples. Ray spoke of the importance of recent IASYC appointed positions in the Northern California Region. They are as follows: Noble Doug Hipsley-IASYC District Commodore of Northern CA. Noble Reynold Porterfield – IASYC Port Captain for Benali Shrine Temple. Noble George Masson – IASYC Port Captain for Asiya Shrine Temple. Noble Ross Zuest – IASYC Port Captain for Aahmes Shrine Temple. Noble Ron Swanson – IASYC Representative, working with Temple Clubs affiliated with Asiya Temple. Ray feels that with the new appointees the future will be outstanding in the development of a stronger IASYC Club through the enthusiasm of the Northern California Shrine Yacht Clubs.

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Ray (Rear Commodore), Ron Kunce (Ambassadore), Don Reid (Port Captain), Brian Graham (District Commodore)



IASYC in Northern California

Front Row: Robert Cross – Port Captain (Asiya) Michael Blake (Asiya), Doug Hipsley – District Commodore (Aahmes), Ray Desrochers – IASYC Rear Commodore (Bektash),
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Noble Phillip D. Meiser
? (Tebala)

Noble Dale W. Mumper
April 1, 2013 (Zembo)

Noble Weldon "Wes" Seegers (El Bekal)
January 2014

Noble Robert Wasson (Nur)
?

- 1971-73 Karl Benning, Jr.
- 1974-75 Warren Benser
- 1975-75 Edward Penberthy
- 1976-77 Dr. T.A. Miller (Phillip 66 Marina Ft Lauderdale)
- 1977-78 Walter Faust LU LU (Phillip 66 Marina Ft Lauderdale)
- 1978-79 Clarence Cooper NUR (Phillip 66 Marina Ft Lauderdale)
- 1979-80 Harry W. Bendall KENA (Punta Gorda)
- 1980-81 Jerry Bigelow AMARA Was elected but term served by V.C. Saul "Bud" Steel (Ft Lauderdale Shrine Club)
- 1981-82 Saul "Bud" Steel LU LU (Phillip 66 Marina Ft Lauderdale)
- 1982-83 Philip Le. R. Loomis ALMAS (Ft Myers)
- 1983-84 Harold "Hal" Almquist AAHMES (Martinez CA)
- 1984-85 George A. Frohlick (Marathon, FL)
- 1985-86 Wlado C. Hersom, PP (Melbourne, FL)
- 1987-88 Martin Wiener (West Palm Beach, FL)
- 1990-91 Dennis Swarmer (Bradington, FL)
- 1991-92 Art Nystrom (Mobile, AL)
- 1994-95 Frank Wyble, Jr. (Ft Lauderdale, FL)
- 1995-96 James H Woods (Orlando)
- 1997-98 Ron Gilbert (Plantation Keys, FL)
- 1996-97 Dr. Robert S. Bodenstein, 33°, PP (Ft Lauderdale) AL KORAN
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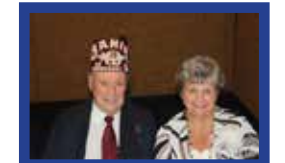
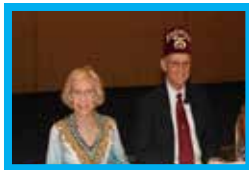
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