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ABBAS GROTTTO

Monthly Newsletter



ABBAS GROTTTO M.O.V.P.E.R.
The Fraternity that Friendship Built



Meeting the 4th Wednesday at 7:00 P.M.

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LETTER FROM THE MONARCH

Prophets, Ladies, and friends of Abbas Grotto,

The year is almost over and winter is finally here (bah hum bug). I would first like to apologize for not getting out the newsletter the last two months. Prophets and ladies, we are holding the spring and fall convention if anyone would like to volunteer it would be greatly appreciated.

December 13th from 10:30 a.m. to noon is the annual kids Christmas party. I would also like to remind everyone that the fish fry is the third Friday each month, come out and have a great meal and fellowship. For those prophets who haven't been to the Grotto in a while, please come and check us out and support your Grotto.

It has been a great honor and an amazing experience to be the Monarch this past year. Shelly and I met a lot of people and made many new friends. I can't say enough how much I appreciate all the support I received from fellow members and ladies. Thank you.

Shelly and I want to wish everyone Happy Holidays!

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**More Sympathy and Good Fellowship,
Jim Cornwell - Monarch, Abbas Grotto**





Hello once again Daughters Prophets and Friends,

Once again I am the MCO of Abbas Caldron. Thanks to all the daughter for their confidence that maybe on my fourth try I'll get it right. I was very happy with how well we pulled off or installation of officers. Thanks to everyone for a job well done. Sam thanks for a the great year you had.

Just a few reminders to the daughters, the our next meeting is December 17th. We will be taking in two new members so please dress appropriately. We also need small Christmas gifts for our 2 shut ins. We are also taking cash donations to go along with the Caldrons donations for our two charities.

Also, if you are planning to have children at the Clowns Christmas party December 13, make sure your reservations are made.

Thanks again for your confidence in me I look forward to a great year!

**Yours in Friendship,
Donna Sickles MCO**



CLOWN NEWS

Hello everyone,

The Grotto Annual Christmas Party will be December 13th at 10:30am. Please call or email Nancy Reed (309 444 2770) or Martha Presley (309 231 8053) with how many children you will be bringing. We don't want Santa to forget anyone! Lunch will be served, along with crafts, games, cookie walk and a special visit from Santa.

We will decorate for the party on Friday December 12th. We need 2-3 dozen cookies donated for the cookie walk. Please drop them off at the Grotto on or before Friday night December 12th. We need as many Clowns as possible for this event. Please let me know if you will be a "dressing" clown that day. !f you will not be in costume we still need your help. We have the kitchen work, cookie plates, games to play, help with crafts, cookie walk and of course clean up. Thanks in advance for any and all help.

The clown meeting for December will be held immediately after the party so we don't have to come back the next day. The January meeting will be on January 11th. We will elect new officers for the year. I hope to see everyone at the Christmas Party and don't forget to RSVP. See you soon!

See you at the Grotto!
Flutterby (Martha)

From the Secretary

Dues notices for 2015 will be sent out soon. When returning your dues notice please mail back with your check the form with your phone number and email address so we can update our records Your email address is very important as this is how the Abbas newsletter is sent out. The newsletter is also posted on the Abbas Grotto Website. abbasgrotto.com

Gate & Front Door Codes

Make sure and keep your 2014 dues card with the current gate and front door codes because they will still be good until March 2015. After March 2015 the gate and door codes will change to the codes listed on the back of the 2015 dues card.

Thank you,
Yours in Good Fellowship,
Bob Wheeler Jr. PM, PP



The Abbas Grotto Clowns would like to invite you and your children to their

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY

The party will be held December 13, 2014 at Ault's Park,
1839 1/2 Highview Rd, East Peoria, Illinois
10:30 AM - 12:30 PM

There will be hot dogs, chips,
cookie walk, games,
And a visit from Santa Claus !!!



TO R.S.V.P., PLEASE CALL
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ASAP
NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 7

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Abbas Grotto – December 2014

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
	1	2	3 Trustee Meeting 7 pm	4	5	6 Past Monarch's Breakfast 9 am
7	8	9	10 Bunco Club 6:30 pm	11	12	13 Clowns Annual Christmas Party 10:30am
14 Unit Sunday 1 pm	15	16	17 Stated Meeting 7pm	18	19 Monarch's Fish Fry 5:30-7:30 pm	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31 :			

