



# Shrine Fundraising Association

Helping Shrine Centers Since 1970



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**So you have given some thought about stepping into the progressive line for SFA. Here are some Questions and Answers that will hopefully help with your decision.**

*If you have other questions please reach out to the current SFA Officers.*

## ***What is all involved with being 3rd Vice President?***

- In order to run for 3rd Vice President each candidate must submit a nomination form. His Shrine Center and Divan must support his nomination for the position of 3rd Vice President as they will have the responsibility of supporting you during your year as President when you hold the Seminar at your location.

- As 3rd Vice President you are one of 5 Directors in charge of conducting the business affairs of membership meetings.

- The directors shall perform their duties and responsibilities without compensation. In other words you will not be paid for your position but will be reimbursed for expenses due to required travel as a representative of SFA.

- Each candidate at the time of his election to the Board of Directors must be the current or previous SFA voting member of his Shrine Center. If you choose to run you will be elected at the annual meeting of SFA by a majority vote of the members present and voting.

- The Executive Board meets the 4th Tuesday of each month at 7pm Central through web conferencing. The October meeting is held in conjunction with the Annual Seminar. At that time the Board will hold a meeting on Thursday before registration of the current years Seminar and directly after the elections of Officers on Saturday

- There are three standing committees. The chairman of each committee shall be a SFA officer.

1. Audit Committee. It consists of three members appointed by the President and confirmed by the directors. It shall audit the books and records of SFA and present a written report thereon at the annual meeting.

2. Budget Committee. It shall consist of the directors. It shall present a written proposed budget to the members at the annual meeting for their consideration and action. The Chairman of this committee shall be the First Vice-President.

3. By-laws Committee. It shall consist of three members appointed by the President. It shall consider all proposals to amend these by-laws and report to the members thereon.

- There are other committees that are assigned by the President each year. These are previous committee assignments that are re-designated for each officer.

- If possible each Director will travel to at least one Association meeting that they are assigned. Reimbursement for expenses such as travel, lodging and per-diem are paid out after a travel reimbursement form is filled out and sent to the Secretary/Treasurer. Repayment is made promptly.



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- Travel to Imperial Session is discussed with the Directors each year to determine who will travel to Imperial. As of today the President and Secretary/Treasurer will attend Imperial Session.
- You are required to travel to the yearly SFA Seminar which is held in a location designated by the current President near his home Shrine which is approved by the membership at a previous Membership Meeting. Rooms are paid for in advance through SFA and you will be reimbursed for travel and per-diem after filling out the travel reimbursement form and sending it to the Secretary/Treasurer.
- You are required to purchase a Fez for your office. In the past some Shrines Centers, Units or Clubs that the officer is a member of have helped with the purchase of your Fez. This is up to those organizations to participate and not a requirement. D-Turin has all information for the correct jewel style.
- You will be given Office Business cards and name tags paid for by SFA and also you will receive 2 short sleeve and 2 long sleeve SFA officer shirts.
- Your spouse is always welcomed to travel to the Annual Seminar or other travels you may partake in, but there is no reimbursement for her expenses. If your spouse travels to the yearly seminar she will need to pay for the Ladies program. When you are President of the Association your Ladies program is comp'd.
- Your spouse is part of the Association as you are both responsible for the Ladies program when you hold the Seminar your year as President.

This may seem like a lot of responsibilities, but the truth is that we work hard and have fun being part of this Association. Your dedication and sacrifice is truly appreciated from all our members.

Thank you for your interest in becoming a Director and if you have further questions please reach out to the current Directors of the Association.

## SHRINE FUNDRAISING ASSOCIATION 2021 Officers

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