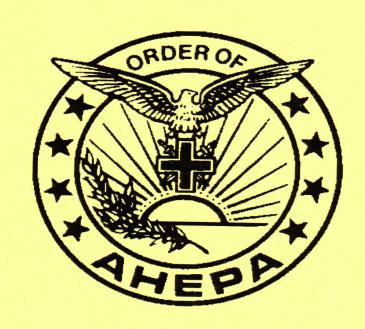
The American Hellenic Educational Progressive Association

Golden Gate District No. 21



## **Convention Minutes**

76th Annual District Convention Fresno, California May 30, 31 – June 1, 2008

## ORDER OF AHEPA

### **GOLDEN GATE DISTRICT NO. 21**

76th ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION May 30-31, June 1, 2008 RAMADA INN, FRESNO, CA.

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## Order of AHEPA 76<sup>th</sup> Annual District No. 21 Convention May 29-31, JUNE 1, 2008 Ramada Inn - Fresno, California

### **CONVENTION MINUTES**

#### **BUSINESS SESSION - FRIDAY MORNING - May 30, 2008**

The 76th Annual District Convention hosted by the Fresno Chapter #151 of the AHEPA and the LETO Chapter #71 of the Daughters of Penelope was called to order at 9:45 A.M. by the Convention Chairman Bill Booras. Bro. Bill Booras introduced Co-chairman of the convention and President of the Fresno Chapter Michael Makredes. Bro. Makredes welcomed the Delegates to Fresno and wished them successful deliberations and to have an enjoyable time at the convention and the planed affairs. Bro. Makredes then introduced District Governor of District 21, Steve Miller. District Governor Steve Miller thanked the Fresno AHEPA for hosting the 76th District Convention, he also informed the Delegates that missed the diner show "Annie Get Your Gun" last night missed out on a good time. Bro. Miller called upon James Dariotes, PDG and District Chaplain to give the opening prayer. Bro. Miller called for nominations for Convention Business Chairman. Bro. Andy Banis, PSP nominated Brother Michael Makredes. Brother Makredes declines the nomination and in turn nominated Bro. Mike Pappas, PDG. A unanimous ballot was cast for Bro. Mike Pappas for Convention Business Chairman. Bro. Miller opened the nominations for Vice Chr. of the Business session. Bro. Bill Rotas, PDG nominated Bro. Alex Bazos for Vice Chairman. Nominations were closed and a unanimous ballot was cast for Bro. Alex Bazos. Bro. Bill Rotas nominated Bro. Bill Booras, PDG for Convention Secretary. Bill Rotas moved that we elect Robert Sexton as Assistant Convention Secretary to take over while Bro. Bill Booras is away doing convention business. A unanimous ballot was cast for Brothers Bill Booras and Robert Sexton. Past Supreme President Andy Banis gave the oath of office to the newly elected Convention Business Officers. The Secretary read roll call of the Delegates. There were 3 Delegates from the District Lodge, 10 Chapter Delegates, and 9 Past District Governors. 22 Delegates present. Mike Pappas appointed Chris Rockas, PDG, PSC as Parliamentarian for this Convention. Stamus Cocoles was appointed as Marshall. Chairman Mike Pappas appointed the following Brothers as tellers: Andy Mastoras, Bill Anton, Alex Bazos, and Nick Korakas.

The following Chapters gave their <u>Chapter Reports</u>. For full Chapter reports see pages <u>12-20</u>. Paul Eliopoulos reported for the Chapter #150. They had 4 Chapter members that passed away this last year. They donated \$2000.00 to various causes; they hosted the 75<sup>th</sup> District Convention last year and will be hosting the National Convention for 2009. The subject of having AHEPA Day in the local Churches was discussed. It varies from Church to Church if it's allowed. The Chapters should notify their priest early enough to get on to the Church schedule. This topic is to be brought up under new business as suggested by James Dariotes. Bill Booras and Michael Makredes reported for the Fresno Chapter. Fresno has a waffle/brunch to celebrate AHEPA and the founding of the United States in early July in place of AHEPA Day. Michael Makredes reported on our contributions to the Diabetic Youth Foundation and Child Obesity Program. Bill Rotas reported for the Sacramento Chapter. The Chapter rotates the AHEPA Day celebration between the three Churches in the area. The flag raising ceremony attracted over 100 people. Bro. Bill Rotas suggested that we should still stay with our late June District Conventions. Bro. Bill Anton of the Oakland Chapter gave the report. Oakland Chapter donated \$50,000 to help the church build the parking garage. He also reported on some of their affairs. No written report was turned in.

Bro. Arnold Dorer gave the Solano Report. To build up their membership and existence they must raise their profile in the community. To do this they are sponsoring things at the church and doing things together with the local Daughters of Penelope. They put together a VIP club, which is formed by senior male and female members and are disseminating information about AHEPA and Daughters in the community. No one was in attendance from the Marysville Chapter. They are still in the process in raising money to update their AHEPA Home. Stamus Cocoles gave the Modesto Report. They are having a lot of dinner meetings and raising funds to donate to various charities. See report for full details on their donations. Alex Bazos suggested that we become a business club and advertise our businesses. Lou Janakos, PDG reported for the San Mateo Chapter. They have some new officers that are raising interest in the club and doing good things for the Chapter. There were no written reports submitted from the following Chapters: Oakland, Stockton, San Jose, and Reno. There were no Delegates except some PDG's from the following Chapters: San Francisco, Stockton, Marysville, San Jose, San Mateo, and Contra Costa.

Standing Committees: Scholarship Foundation: Lou Janakos reported that we have 7 scholarship recipients this year. See page 30-32 for full report. Alex Bazos read a letter from his son in-law, which did not receive one of the scholarships; he was misinformed by Byron Gavrilis that he could apply for a scholarship. Bro. Alex also reported that these applications should be accepted as postmarked and not certified mail. This subject should be brought up to the Grievance Committee. Charitable Raffle. George Booras reported that last year we sold 723 tickets, to date he has 599 Charitable Raffle tickets sold. The Contra Costa Chapter has been very active in selling Charitable Raffle tickets. The Daughters Chapters are doing better in ticket sales than the AHEPA Chapters. See pages 33-39 for full report. Bro. Chris Rockas reported on the Hellenic Project: To date they have donations of \$36,020.19 and donated time and material of \$15,135.00. The fires in Greece restricted the committee from getting more donations. Bro. Rockas emphasized the purchase of the Hellenic Project lapel pins. See page 29 for full report. "AHEPA Traveler": Gus Hazifotis, PDG gave the AHEPA Traveler report. See page 28 for full report. Each Chapter needs to inform the Traveler on what is happening in their Chapters. Chapter Secretaries should update addresses of its membership and send corrections to the Traveler Editor. Executive Secretary: Bro. Bill Booras reported that he only received two Chapter Reports by the May 10 deadline. He could not understand why the Chapters could not send in their reports on time. Bro. Booras also thanked the Chapters that bought ads for the Traveler and urged the Chapters to purchase additional ads. He also did not receive E-mail addresses from all the Chapters. See page 23-24 for full report. Web site: There was no one in attendance to report on the Web site. The Traveler can be found on the Web site and in color. District Auditors Report: Bill Rotas, PDG reported on the Auditors Report. The fact that the Chapters do not send in their per capita tax at the right time and all monies aren't transferred properly, he will have the audit and budget completed by October of 2008. We have a deadline for all deposits, but nobody follows the rules to allow the Audit Committee to complete the report at the proper time. He also reported that we should consider to raise the per capita tax for the District, the \$5.00 per member does not go very far today. We should also consider having some District functions to raise additional monies. His committee will work on the Budget later today and tomorrow. See page 43 for Treasurers Report from Chris Frangos.

<u>District Lodge Reports</u>: There were no reports from the Chaplain, Athletic Director, Warden, Treasurer, and Lt. Governor. Report from District Marshall, Agamemnon Zafiratos, PDG is on page <u>22</u>. District Secretary Robert Sexton gave the following report: Monies collected to date totaled \$4,445.00, which includes \$2,235 for per capita tax and \$2,190 for Traveler ads. He has not received any per capita tax from Reno or Stockton. District Governors report will be given during the afternoon session. The Chairman appointed delegates to the various convention committees. The morning session was adjourned for lunch at 11:25 AM. Afternoon session to begin at 1:45 PM.

The afternoon business session was reconvened at 1:50 P.M. and called to order by the Chairman Mike Pappas. Convention Secretary read the roll call of Delegates. 3 District Lodge Officers, 12 Chapter Delegates, and 7 Past District Governors with a total of 22 Delegates. John Lagios, President of the Reno Chapter gave the following report: They had a crab feed dinner that enabled them to give 5 scholarships to deserving students. The \$20,000 that they won from the Charitable Raffle uses the interest to help their Church. District Governors Report: District Governor Steve Miller gave his report. He felt that District 21 is in good shape. Every Chapter is doing something worthwhile. There are a couple of Chapters that are having problems. We must increase our membership by having outside activities and personally approach potential men to become members. See page 21 for written report. District Governor Steve Miller introduced Supreme Governor Nick Perdaris. Bro. James Dariotes moved to accept the District Governors Report. Motion passed. A moment of silence was had in remembrance of our departed Brothers. See pages 9-11 for the listings of our departed Brothers.

Special Announcements: Andy Banis, PSP reported on his visitation to Sacramento representing the Supreme Lodge for the 25th of March Flag raising. There was no recognition or presentations to the Sacramento AHEPA Family for their preparations for this day. Keep in mind that we must promote ourselves. Chairman Mike Pappas introduced Supreme Governor of Region 8 Nick Perdaris to speak to the delegates. He talked about the new HUD housing project in San Bernardino. He passed out brochures on the new Housing Project. He also reminded us to make our presence known in our communities. He showed a DVD on the up coming New Years Day Float. The question to the Supreme Governor was why doesn't the Supreme Lodge require the various National Projects to provide yearly financial reports? Funds for the fires in Greece have not yet been distributed. Money will be going to specific needs, yet to be determined. Friday afternoon business session adjourned at 3:25 PM.

<u>BUSINESS SESSION</u> – <u>SATURDAY</u>, May 31, 2008 - Reconvened at 9:30 A.M. by the Chairman Mike Pappas. Convention Secretary read the roll call of Delegates. 3 District Lodge Officers, 13 Chapter Delegates, and 8 Past District Lodge officers. 24 Delegates in attendance.

Convention Committee Reports: Stamus Cocoles reported on the Sons of Pericles and Athletic Committees. He gave an outline on how to make a good Sons Chapter. He also suggested that we make the Sons and Maids a joint Chapter. We must get good District and Chapter Advisors to get both the Sons and Maids going. Each Chapter must be willing to provide some funding to help the Sons Chapters. Start membership in the same age group, 14 to 17 years of age. Get the National Headquarters to agree on co-ed Chapters. Have joint city Sons and Maids Chapters. When Sons become 21 years of age they must have dual membership with the AHEPA and the Sons. National rules are too strict, they must change the rules. When a Son or Maid becomes 26 they should leave the Sons and Maids and become Ahepans and Daughters. We must be willing to allow them to be the future. See pages 40-41 for written report. By Laws and Rules Committee: Bro. Chris Rockas reported that no business was brought to the committee. Grievance Report: Grievance report was given by Bro. James Dariotes. There were no grievances, but they do have some recommendations to the Scholarship Foundation. Applications should be revised to be easier to read and understand. There were no suggestions on how the committee should revise the application. Bro. Andy Banis, PSP had grievance on last nights Banquet. Spouses of District Lodge Officers should also be at the head table. The last speaker at the Banquet should be a member of AHEPA. The convention we should consider mini convention. Maybe we should start with a joint opening luncheon on Friday of the Convention and Scholarship presentations should be held at the Saturday Convention Luncheon and eliminate any Thursday activities. See page 42 for additions to Guide Lines.

Bro. Harry Metaxas moved that the <u>Scholarship Foundation</u> at the Saturday's meeting provide a written or verbal report on its recommendations or suggestions for the coming year. Alex Bazos 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Motion to be discussed after the luncheon. The meeting was adjourned at 10:45 AM. The afternoon session will start at 1:30 PM sharp.

### **BUSINESS SESSION - SATURDAY AFTERNOON - MAY 31, 2008**

Chairman Mike Pappas reconvened the afternoon business session at 1:35 PM. On the above motion by Harry Metaxas; Bro. Chris Rockas reported that the Scholarship Foundation would report from now on at all District Conventions. Secretary Bill Booras read the roll call of Delegates. 3 District Lodge Officers, 16 Chapter Delegates, and 9 Past District Governors with a total of 28 Delegates. Convention Cities Report: Bro. Andy Banis, PSP reported that the San Jose AHEPA Family would be hosting the 2009 District Convention. The Oakland AHEPA Family will be hosting the Fall District Conference and the Modesto AHEPA Family will be hosting the Spring District Conference. There were no volunteers for the 2010 District Convention. Dates for the above meetings will be announced at a later date. Bro. James Dariotes reminded the Delegates that the 2009 National Convention would be held in San Francisco in early July 2009. District Governor Steve Miller gave the Liaison Report: The Daughters of Penelope approved that the Charitable Raffle be continued. Add a line or lines to the Registration Form on Dietary Needs. Preliminary information should be presented at the Fall District Conference regarding the coming District Convention in regards to costs, hotel accommodation, etc. The Daughters recommend that the Friday night and Saturday night affairs be switched. The Ahepans already approved that the Scholarship presentations will be held at the Saturday Luncheon to allow more parents and recipients to attend. The parents should be charged the same price as the recipients instead of the posted charges for the banquet. This item should be up to the Host City to conceder. The Host City to provide an afternoon activity for the recipients and local youth to get acquainted, and possibly entice them to join the Sons and/or Maids. This item should be up to the Host City to conceder. After the morning sessions the host Chapters should be notified and a full refund of registration costs should be given to the Business Chairpersons. Resolutions Committee: Chris Rockas Resolution #1: Thanking the Ramada Inn and its facilities. Approved as presented. Resolution #2: Thanking the Co-chairpersons of the District Convention. Approved as presented. Resolution #3: Thanked the Fresno AHEPA family for a job well done. Approved as presented. Resolution #4: Thanked the Business Chairpersons for a job well done. Approved as presented. Resolution #5: Thanked outgoing District Lodge Officers for a job well done. Approved as presented. Resolution #6: Contact with Scholarship recipients should be maintained both here and were they are going to school. Be it Resolved that a committee be formed by the District governor to pursue and expand on this matter. Approved as presented. Resolution #7: Golden Gate District #21 disavows any current or future association with the Hellenic American Memorial Project. Be it Resolved that District #21 request that HAVM return all Veterans Registration monies collected back to the appropriate parties. District Executive Secretary is to notify HAVM of this motion and request the refund of the registration fees. Approved as presented. Committee included Brothers Ted Boosalis, Harry Metaxas, and Bill Anton. See page 42 for written report

Membership Committee Report: Chairman Gus Hazifotis reported that there are too many demands on family time and we are competing with Church programs, Golden Seniors, etc. For AHEPA to survive we must find ways to attract and maintain the younger potential member. The committee listed many recommendations, which can be found on pages 25-26. Besides increasing membership we must work on retention as well. The committee included Peter Scamagas, Alex Bazos, Stamus Cocoles, and Bill Anton. He moved for the adoption of the report. Report adopted.

Ahepa Traveler Report: Bro. Gus Hazifotis also reported on the "AHEPA Traveler". The Traveler is a great publication; it has won many National awards. It can be read or downloaded from the Web site. Some suggestions are to have an obituary and sunshine column. Bro. James Dariotes suggested that we should send Brother Bill Christie a letter of appreciation. We should also consider having a District calendar showing the activities from each chapter. It was suggested that we take the activities listed on the Chapter Reports to make a yearly calendar. See written report and other suggestions on page 28. He moved to adopt the report. Report approved as read. Budget Report: Bro. Bill Rotas reported that he couldn't give an accurate accounting, because some checks have not been received and until yesterday he was still receiving per capita tax checks. The dead lines that we give are not being followed. We have 450 paid members as of today. Cuts were made in the budget and a final report will be presented at the Fall District Conference. After much discussion, Bro. Chris Rockas moved that we tentatively accept the budget with those corrections made by Bro. Bill Rotas. Arnold Dorer seconds the motion. Passed as corrected. Gus Hazifotis was to introduce a Brother from the San Mateo Chapter to inform us about an American University he wishes to start in Athens. After some discussion the topic was tabled until the next convention. District Governor Steve Miller reported that when he met with the liaison committee of the Daughters there was agreement with our recommendations. Steve Miller introduced Bill Anton from Oakland to give us an update on "A Day at the Races" which is scheduled for September 20, 2008. Brother Bill explained all the details. Cost will be \$25.00 per person.

<u>District Awards</u>: District Governor Steve Miller made the following awards: There were no applicants for Ahepan of the Year. Chapter of the year went to Modesto Chapter #246. President of the Year went to Demos Papadopoulos from the Sacramento Chapter #153. These awards will be presented at the Fall Conference in Oakland. Alex Bazos reported on the Web site. Nobody sends information to the Web site. We have to participate wholeheartedly to make it a success. Steve Miller agreed to what Alex said. Harry Metaxas moved that the District Secretary be the source were all correspondence that goes to the Web site be funneled through him. Vlasis Fousekis 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Motion Passed.

### **ELECTION OF DISTRICT LODGE OFFICERS:**

The following Brothers were appointed as tellers for the election of District Lodge officers: Stamus Cocoles, Alex Bazos, Ted Boosalis, and Jim Nicolaou.

<u>Election of District Governor</u>: Andy Banis, PSP nominated <u>Steve Miller</u> for <u>District Governor</u>. A unanimous ballot was cast for Steve Miller District Governor.

<u>Election for Lt. District Governor</u>: Gus Hazifotis nominated <u>Nick Pries</u> for <u>Lt. Dist. Governor</u>. A unanimous ballot was cast for Nick Pries for Lt. District Governor.

<u>Election for District Secretary</u>: Steve Miller nominated <u>Demos Papadopoulos</u> for <u>District Secretary</u>. A unanimous ballot was cast for Demos Papadopoulos for District Secretary.

<u>Election for District Treasurer</u>: Bill Rotas nominated <u>Robert Sexton</u> for <u>District Treasurer</u>. A unanimous ballot was cast for Robert Sexton for District Treasurer.

<u>Election for District Athletic Director</u>: James Dariotes nominated <u>Stamus Cocoles</u> for <u>District Athletic Director</u>. A unanimous ballot was cast for Stamus Cocoles fro District Athletic Director.

<u>Election for District Marshall</u>: Steve Miller nominated <u>Agamemnon Zafiratos</u> for <u>District Marshall</u>. A unanimous Ballot was cast for Agamemnon Zafiratos for District Marshall.

<u>Election of District Warden</u>: Andy Banis nominated <u>Bill Anton</u> for <u>District Warden</u>. A unanimous ballot was cast for Bill Anton.

<u>Election for District Executive Secretary</u>: Mike Pappas nominated <u>Bill Booras</u> as <u>District Executive</u> Secretary. A unanimous ballot was cast for Bill Booras as District Executive Secretary.

<u>Election for District Scholarship Members</u>: The following Brothers were nominated for a 4-year term on the Scholarship Committee: Bill Rotas and Gus Hazifotis. James Dariotes seconds the motion. A unanimous ballot was cast.

Newly elected District Governor Steve Miller appointed James Dariotes as District Chaplain and Bill Rotas as District Auditor.

The Past Supreme President Andy Banis gave the oath of office to all the newly elected District Lodge Officers.

District Governor Steve Miller thanked the Delegates for their support. He asked for the support of the newly elected District Lodge Officers to further the progress of District 21.

Mike Pappas adjourned the 76<sup>th</sup> Annual District Convention of the Golden Gate District #21, Order of AHEPA, until June 2009, or at such time and place as will be announced by the District Lodge.

Meeting adjourned at 4:10 PM.

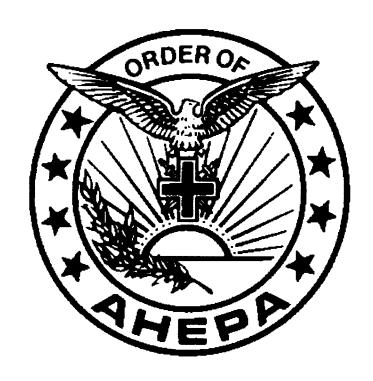
James Dariotes gave the closing prayer.

Respectfully Submitted,

Bill Booras, PDG, District Convention Secretary

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# Convention Agenda and Reports

76th Annual District Convention Fresno, California May 30-31, June 1, 2008



## ORDER OF AHEPA

#### **GOLDEN GATE DISTRICT 21**

## CERTIFIED LIST OF DISTRICT LODGE OFFICERS, DELEGATES, AND PAST DISTRICT GOVERNORS AUTHORIZED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SEVENTY SIXTH ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION, FRESNO, CA.

Dates:

May 30,31, June 1

**Host Chapter:** 

**FRESNO CHAPTER NO. 151** 

Headquarters:

RAMADA INN FRESNO, CA.

District Secretary:	: Robert Sexton	
Credentials Committee:	:	
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#### **Recapitulation of Roll Call Votes:**

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## In Memory of our Departed Brothers May their memory be eternal

## **Golden Gate-Pacific No.150**

Frank Agnost

Initiated July 23, 1946 Passed away February 2, 2008

Thomas Tjovenos

Initiated March 17, 1949 Passed away December 16, 2007

Aristedes G. Mantzoros

Initiated February 24, 1965 Passed away Aughust 6, 2007

EM Yannachas

Initiated July 23. 1946 Passed away July 31. 2007



## In Memory of our Departed Brothers May their memory be eternal

## Marysville Chapter No. 228

Gregory Scandalis

Initiated June 11, 1981 Passed away October 10, 2007

## **Modesto Chapter No. 246**

Gus Pallios

Initiated May 25, 1965 Passed away October 29, 2007



## In Memory of our Departed Brothers

May their Memory be Eternal

## Contra Costa Chapter No. 259

Anthony Cagiss

Initiated July 17.1950 Passed away September 28.2007

## San Mateo Chapter No. 359

Tom Carlos

Initiated July 19. 1945 Passed away December 18. 2007



## CHAPTER REPORTING FORM 2008 DISTRICT CONVENTION Fresno, Ca.

CHAPTER NAME Golden Gate-Pacific	NUMBER 150 CITY San Francisco
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A. Members paid as of:	12-31-08 97 4-31-08 65 LM 12
B. Members reinstated as of:	<b>4-31-08</b> _0_
C. Members transferred as of:	4-31-08
D. Members initiated as of:	4-31-08
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A. Commercial account as of:	4-31-08 \$ 5.363.00
B. Savings account as of:	<b>4-31-08 \$</b>
C. Building Fund account as of:	4-31-08 \$ 19.935.00
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<b>ACTIVITIES HELD SINCE LAST CONVENTION:</b>	<b>FUTURE ACTIVITIES PLANNED:</b>
1. District Visitation Light Dinner	1. <u>District Visitation Light</u> Dinner
2. Past President & Ser. Awards Lunch	2. Past President & Ser. Awards
3. Sweetheart Dessert Evening	3. <u>Sweetheart Dessert Evenings</u>
4. Presentation-Disater Awarness	4. Reno Fund Trip
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Secretary's Signature Paul & Eliopour	Date 4-22-08
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## CHAPTER REPORTING FORM 2008 DISTRICT CONVENTION Fresno, Ca.

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## **CHAPTER REPORTING FORM 2008 DISTRICT CONVENTION**

Fresno, Ca.

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District No. 21

#### **CHAPTER REPORTING FORM**

74TH ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION -May 29.30.31.June 01.2008 HEADQUARTERS: Ramada Inn. Fresno. California

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<b>FUTURE ACTIVITIES PLANNED</b>
1. HOST DISTRICT VISITATION
2. HOST SANTA VISIT FOR CHURCH
3. GREEK FLAG DAY CITY HALL
4. AHEPA/DAUGHTERS LUNCHEON
YES/NO
NO 9 YES 011 NO youth activities
t Scholarship Fund <u>\$ 0</u>
Date 5-01-08 Date 5-01-08



## CHAPTER REPORTING FORM 2008 DISTRICT CONVENTION

Fresno, Ca.

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CHAPTER NAME MARYSVILLE	_number <u>228</u> city <u>Marysvill</u> e, CA
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B. Members reinstated as of:	4-31-08 <u>D</u>
C. Members transferred as of:	4-31-08
D. Members initiated as of:	4-31-08 <i>O</i>
E. Per capita tax paid to District as of:	4-31-08 4
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A. Commercial account as of:	4-31-08 \$_1925.41
B. Savings account as of:	4-31-08 \$ O
C. Building Fund account as of:	4-31-08 \$ 7600 ±
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Secretary's Signature Midlen Ku	Date 13 MARCH 08



### THE MARYSVILLE LODGE OF THE ORDER OF AHEPA

CHARTER #228 DISTRICT 21

BUILDING LOCATION: 929 11th Street Marysville, CA 95901

REPLY ADDRESS: Valerie (Long) Sutton

714 Johnson Ave., Marysville, CA 95901

## PRESERVING OUR GREEK HERITAGE

## AHEPA HALL

Building Project – Fund Raiser



## Let's Honor our Greek Heritage by restoring the AHEPA HALL

We need approximately \$53,000 for the following repairs: Roof – Air Conditioning – Electrical – Awning

Name					
Address				Phone	
Pledge: □ \$100	□ \$250	□ \$500	□ \$1,000	☐ Surprise Me \$	

Make Check Payable to: Order of Ahepa — Chapter #228 — Building Project
This Chapter is Tax Exempt under Section 501(c)(10)
Send tax-deductible donations to: Valerie Sutton, 714 Johnson Ave., Marysville, CA 95901
Contact: Valerie Sutton 530-218-6294 Need by October1, 2007



## **CHAPTER REPORTING FORM 2008 DISTRICT CONVENTION**

Fresno, Ca.

	CHAPTER NAME MODES TO	_NUMBER <u>246</u> CIT	y Modesto
	A. Members paid as of:	12-31-08 <u>50</u>	4-31-08 <u>53</u>
	B. Members reinstated as of:	4-31-08 <u>+</u>	
	C. Members transferred as of:	4-31-08	<del></del>
	D. Members initiated as of:	4-31-08 2	
	E. Per capita tax paid to District as of:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	<del>1</del> 5
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	FINANCES:		
	A. Commercial account as of:	4-31-08 \$ <u>9</u> ,	150
	B. Savings account as of:	4-31-08 \$ <u>//</u>	065
	C. Building Fund account as of:	4-31-08 \$	
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	Will your Chapter host the Fall Conference in O Will your Chapter host the Spring Conference in		YES/NO 2008 No 2009 maybe
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	Chapter Rebate from 2007 Charitable Raffle giv		
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	How much money has your Chapter donated to	the District Scholarsh	ip Fund: \$ 2,500
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	active member in Byron Gaurilis. I	difficult to find	members to hold
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	Secretary's Signature	<del>p</del>	Date 5-3-18
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B. Members reinstated as of:	4-31-08
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D. Members initiated as of:	4-31-08 /
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Presidents Signature Secretary's Signature	Date 4/10/08



### CHAPTER REPORTING FORM 2008 DISTRICT CONVENTION Fresno, Ca.

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A.	Members paid as of:	12-31-	<b>08</b> 17	<b>4-31-08</b> 17
	Members reinstated as of:	4-31-		
C.	Members transferred as of:		08	•
D.	Members initiated as of:		08	•
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C.	Building Fund account as of:	4-31-08	\$	0
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2	Spring Dance Fundraiser	2. Fall	Dance	
	Greek School Scholarship	3. Gree	k School	Scholarship
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District Governor's Report 76<sup>th</sup> Annual District Convention May 29<sup>th</sup> to June1st. Fresno, Ca.

To all District #21 Lodge Officers and District Delegates.

I was honored to be elected as your District Governor at last years District Convention, hosted by the San Francisco Chapter. Other than a few logistic problems the San Francisco Chapter Golden Gate Pacific #150 did a great job.

As your District Governor I attended every Chapter Visitation with at least one other District Lodge Officer, also our Executive Secretary Brother Bill Booras was in attendance. I was able to attend the morning session of the Fall Conference, hosted by the San Jose Chapter. I would like to thank our Lt. Governor Nick Pries for chairing the afternoon session. As with most events the host Chapters do a great job. The Fall Conference, hosted by the Sacramento Chapter #153 also did a great job. The attendance at both Conferences was quite good. As always attendance could be better. I would urge every Chapter Officer and member to make every attempt to attend these events

A very positive aspect for our District is that our membership has increased this past year. For that I want to thank everyone who sponsored a new member. We all realize that without new members, and ideas, our beloved Order cannot survive.

Many Chapters send me their monthly bulletins, which I am great full. The projects that many Chapters participate in are very commendable. The March 25<sup>th</sup> parades, the flag raising at many City Halls, and the State Capital which showcase our Hellenic heritage. Many Chapters perform worthy projects for our Churches, from rebuilding a kitchen area by Oakland Chapter #171 at Ascension Cathedral to support for students at Holy Cross Seminary by the Modesto Chapter. The rebates from the Charitable Raffle have to be used for outside charitable purpose, and I am glad to see that edit is being followed.

In closing, I would once again thank all of your hospitably, and great food at all of the visitations. Let all of us put our best foot forward to make District #21 one of the best in the AHEPA world.

Fraternally

Steve Miller District Governor #21 To The District Lodge,

I would like to thank the District Governor for appointing me to the District Lodge as a District Marshall for the year 2007-2008.

I visit every chapter in the District traveling with the District Governor, with the exception of the San Jose District Conference.

I met old friends and made new friends too.

I would like to serve again on the District Lodge if I am appointed by the new District Governor.

Fraternally Yours,

Agamenon Zafiratos District Marshall

P.S. I did not include any expenses because I was traveling with the District Governor.



Founded July 26, 1922 Atlanta, Ga. Order of AHEPA
Golden Gate District No. 21
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Steve Miller
Distr. Governor
Nick Pries
Lt. Distr. Governor
Robert Sexton
District Secretary
Chris Frangos

District Warden
Agamemnon Zafiratos
District Marshall

District Treasurer

May 28, 2008

#### **EXECUTIVE SECRETARIES REPORT**

Dear Brothers,

It has been very gratifying to serve District No. 21 as Executive Secretary. I visited all but 2 Chapters during the District Lodge visitation schedule as well as both District Conferences. As you well know it takes a lot of effort to keep a Chapter going. The cooperation from the Chapters has been very slow. At this writing I still have not received many Chapter Reporting Forms. The May 10, 2008 deadline for me to receive these reports was a joke, there were two (2) Chapters that responded and one of them was incomplete until a later date. I cannot understand why you could not send these forms in on time? Other than the election of Chapter Officers all other forms could have been sent in on time.

So many times I have requested E-mail address' from the Chapter Officers, but have received only a few. It is so much easier to make contact via the Internet than by mail. If the officers do not have computers, please have one of your members be the liaison between the Executive Secretary and the Chapter Officers.

As the Traveler Ads coordinator, I wish to thank all the Chapters and Brothers that have placed ads in the Traveler. Again I urge you to ask the Brothers in your Chapters that have business' to place an ad in the Traveler. You must also send in information about up coming events and past events so that all chapters can be informed and may even come to your functions. Do not forget to update your Chapters activities with the District Web page.

Fraternally,

Bill Booras, Exec. Sect.

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## **CHAPTER REPORTING FORMS**

CHAPTER NO.	REPORT	ELECTIONS	MEMORIAL PAGE	DELEGATES DISTR.	DELEGATES NATIONAL
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SACRAMENTO 153					
OAKLAND 171		V			-
STOCKTON 212					
SOLANO 217	1/		-		
MARYSVILLE 228	V	<i></i>		i/	
MODESTO 246	1			V	
SAN JOSE 251					
CONTRA COSTA 259	2	2		V	
RENO 281					
SAN MATEO 359	<b>√</b>		V.		V
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LT. DISTR. GOVERNOR DISTRICT SECRETARY					
DISTRICT TREASURER		<u> </u>			
DISTRICT MARSHALL			,		
DISTRICT WARDEN					
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HELLENIC PROJECT					
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30 May, 2008

District 21 Convention Fresno, CA

#### **Membership Committee Report**

Kostas Gus Hazifotis, Chairman Peter Scamangas, fresno Alex Bazos, Modesto Stamos Cocolas, Modesto William Anton, Oakland

Membership is a problem for all Organizations like AHEPA. There are too many demands on family time today and we are also competing with Church Programs such as GOYA, Folk Dancing, Golden Seniors, etc. For AHEPA to survive, we must find ways to attract and retain the younger potential member. AHEPA must also make changes so that belonging to AHEPA is of benefit to the Member.

#### Recommendations:

- 1. Every Chapter should appoint a Membership Chairman. His responsibility shall be to develope Membership Program for the Chapter. The Membership Chirman must raise awareness of AHEPA in the Community by AHEPA particiating in many community and Church events.
  - a. Sponsor the Coffee Hour after Church
  - b. Participate as a unit at booth at the Church Festival
  - c. Sponsor a Speaker on Hellenism or other subject of interest and invite the community
  - d. Gave a BBQ and invite potential members to learn more about AHEPA.
  - e. Sponsor AHEPA Day with Articlasia and/or a luncheon
    - i. Honor Graduating Seniors and give those who attend a certificate and a token gift.
  - f. Sponsor a Day at the Races and invite friends
- 2. If ther is noo SOP Chapter, recruit young members (14-18 years) as SOP at Large.
  - a. Initiate them with AHEPA Initiation
  - b. Dues for SOP are \$20 per year
  - c. At age of 18, they become full AHEPA Members

#### Membership Committee Report (Cont.)

- 3. Attract the Youth with programs of interest for them
  - a. <u>Sports</u>. Sponsor a Basketball Team by renting a Basketball Court from the YMCA for the youth to practice. Make members of the Team and sponsor them for the Basketball Tournament.
  - b. Sponsor a Bowling Tournament for the youth at your Convention
  - c. Sponsor a Computer Game Contest.
- 4. The District should develop a Membership Drive and reward Chapters that are successful in attracting new members.
  - a. Most new Members
  - b. Greatest percentage increase in membership
- 5. Update Chapter commiunications to include the Internet and its potential
- 6. Improve meetings by minimize the time for business meetings and include speakers of interest.
  - a. Hellenism
  - b. Wills & Trusts
  - c. Health Topics
  - d. Local History Lectures
  - e. Luncheon or dinner meetings

Membership is the life blood of the organization. Attracting new members is only the beginning. Retention is even more important.

**Retention**. Develop a follow-up Program to maintain the members you attract.

- 1. Make the top signer a Mentor to make sure that the new mwmber comes to the meeting
- 2. Assign the new member to an upcoming Chapter project.

Thank you for the opportunity to work on this important project.

### **DISTRICT NO. 21 ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION**

#### **RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT**

- No. 1 Whereas, the accommodations for the 76th Annual District Convention of Golden Gate-Pacific #21 were of excellent quality, whereas the Hotel Representatives have been very helpful to our Delegates and guests. Be it Resolved that an "Enthusiastic Thank You" for a job well done be forwarded to Sandra Granda, catering manager.
- No. 2 Whereas, the Co-chairs of the Convention Committee Brother Bill Booras and Sister Madelyn Jones have organized an excellent Convention for our District. Be it Resolved that a great big "Thank You" be forwarded to each of them for a job well done.
- No. 3 Whereas, the Fresno AHEPA Chapter No. 151 and the Daughters of Penelope Chapter Leto #71 have done a Yeoman's job in putting on a fine Convention. <u>Be it Resolved</u> that they be Thanked and Complimented for their efforts and results.
- No. 4 Whereas, our District convention Business was handled well and expeditiously, Whereas, Business Convention Chairman, Mike Pappas, PDG, Vice Chairman, Alex Bazos, District Secretary Robert Sexton, and District Executive Secretary, Bill Booras, PDG, carved out the duties of their office in a proper manor. Be it Resolved, that their services be recognized and a hearty "Thank You" for a job well done be given to them.
- No. 5 Whereas, our outgoing District Lodge has done a very good job leading our District for fiscal year 2007-2008 and, Whereas, District Governor Steve Miller has worked hard under some trying situations and devoted countless hours to our District, Be it Resolved, that they be individually recognized and "Thanked" for their time and effort on our behalf.
- No. 6 Whereas, District No. 21 provides yearly scholarships to qualified and worthy young people, and Whereas, these young people are our future and we should maintain contact with them and should be encouraged to maintain this contact with Chapters close to their homes. Be it Resolved, that a committee be formed by the District Governor to pursue and expand on this matter and recommend that members of the Scholarship Foundation be included.
- No. 7 Whereas, Golden Gate District No. 21 hereby disavows any current or future association with the Hellenic American Memorial Project, known as HAVM, due to lack of significant progress of this project, and, Whereas, District #21 asks that the AHEPA National Projects Committee in its deliberations at the 2008 National Convention in Athens, Greece make this same finding in its report to the Convention body and recommends an inactive status or its elimination. Be it Resolved, that District #21 affirm the request of Oakland Chapter #171 that HAVM returns all Veteran Registration monies collected to the appropriate parties during the period that HAVM was an AHEPA National Project and the Executive Secretary of District #21 is to notify HAVM of this motion and request the refund of registrations. All Resolutions were approved by the Convention Delegates as presented by the committee.

Chris Rockas, Chairman, Ted Boosalis, Harry Metaxas, Bill Anton, Committee members

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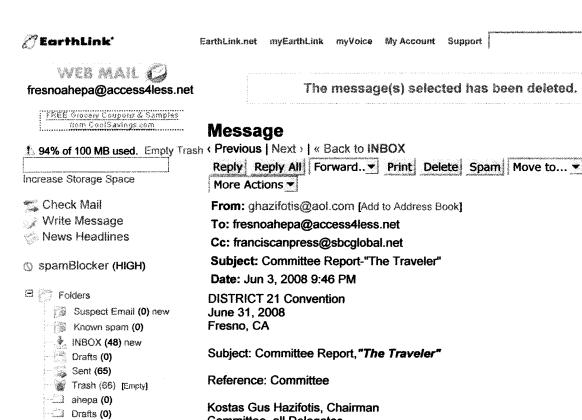
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published several times a year and is posted on the District 21 website and mailed to all members. On the website and the photos are in color. The printed version is black and white.

- 3. We should develop an Annual Calendar (National, District & Chapter Events, visitations, etc.) and keep it current.

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- 6. The Traveler is published 3-4 times a year. We should post District activities on
- 7. We need to inform the Members on "what's happening" in your Chapter and other

Thank you,

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More Actions ▼

Committee, all Delegates The Traveler is a great District publication that has won several national awards. It is Recommendations: 1. We should have an "Obituary" column for our members that have fallen asleep. 2. We should have a "sunshine column" for our ill members. 5. We should develop an email list of the District for communications. the Website at least once a month. AHEPA News on both "The Traveler" and the D21 These were the recommendations of the AHEPA Delegates. Kostas Gus Hazifotis, PDG Stay informed, get connected and more with AOL on your phone.

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## Order of Ahepa

Hellenic Project: Ahepa Chapter 151 P.O. Box 2098, Clovis, CA 93613-2098 •



www.hellenicproject.com

#### **Oversight Committee**

Chris E. Rockas Chairman

Robert Sexton Vice Chairman

**Bill Booras** Secretary

Michael Makredes Treasurer

George Papangellin

**Ted Boosalis** 

**Project Advisors** 

**Dr. Victor Polizos** 

James A. Denney

Lou N. Janakos

**Manuel Katotakis** 

**Paul Peters** 

# REPORT OF THE AHEPA NATIONAL HELLENIC PROJECT OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

DATED: 6-1-08

Our AHEPA National Hellenic Project is moving ahead with increasing success.

The following is an accounting to date:

1. Cash collections to date

2. Pledge commitments
3. Donated time, equipment use and other covered expenses

TOTAL

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TOTAL

Solution

5,000.00

5,135.00

TOTAL

TOTAL

Solution

15,135.00

22,673.98

As of this date we have

Cash on hand.

Over 325 letters, articles and/or news releases have been mailed out. Several hundred DVD trailers have been circulated throughout the AHEPA domain showing the approach our film documentary will take. Information and/or news releases have been sent throughout the U.S.A., Canada, Greece, Australia and New Zealand.

Contacts with potential sponsors in the U.S., Canada and Greece have been made and we are awaiting responses and/or feedback.

Our Hellenism Lapel Pin (which is copywrited) fundraiser is showing good success and we are urging everyone to participate in this fundraiser so as to display our "Hellenism."

Fraternally,

Chris E. Rockas

Chairman of the AHEPA NATIONAL HELLENIC PROJECT OVERSIGHT COMMTTEE



## Order of AHEPA

District No. 21 **Educational Foundation** 

Louis N. Janakos, Chairman 945 So. Fremont St. San Mateo, Ca. 94402 650-342-5888

May 7, 2008

Lou Janakos

Re: Scholarship Recipients 2008

Dear Brother Lou,

The following is a list of Permanent Scholarship that we have along with the name of the recipients. The names are as per Burt Green recommendations:

Byron Gavrilis	\$2,500.00	Monica Skordilis
Alex Spanos	1,500.00	Stelios Papadopoulos
Bezaitis/Berdalis	1,500.00	Alexandra M. Stavropoulos
Gus Aretos	1,000.00	Angelique Banis
Nick Kapetan	1,000.00	Maria Bakouras
National Headquarters	1,000.00	Anna Maria Desipris
Modesto Chapter	1,000.00	Andrea Econome

Fraternally,

Bill Booras, Sect.



# American Hellenic Educational Progressive Association Modesto Chapter 246 Founded 1929

"79 years of service to Hellenic & Educational ideals"

President
Alexander Bazos

Vice President
Bob Rosso

Secretary / Rec. Secretary
Jeffrey Brown

<u>Treasurer</u> Alexander Bazos

May 30, 2008

Brothers, Governor, Board members and Delegates, many of you may remember at last years Convention, I had a grievance, that District Scholarships should not be by Certified mail only but by post mark, which was investigated by Brother Dariotes. At that time we discussed my grievance for approximately a total of 30 to 45 minutes.

During that time The District Scholarship Chairman and his Committee never claimed my son in law was not eligible for our District Scholarship, they could have told me. You embarrassed me my son in law and wasted both of our time.

• The statement at the bottom of the District Scholarship form should be change to read must be post marked by (date). No matter how it is mailed.

Respectfully, Brother Alexander Bazos May 21, 2008

Louis N. Janakos District No. 21 Educational Foundation Chairman 945 So. Fremont St.

San Mateo, CA 94402

Dear Mr. Janakos,

Christos Anesti! I want to extend my appreciation for your letter indicating my ineligibility for the District 21 academic scholarship. Please know I was encouraged to apply in 2007 by the late Byron Gavrilis of the Modesto chapter and only did so at his suggestion. Therefore, I was under the impression that my father-in-law's standing was sufficient in fulfilling the membership requirement.

Again, I thank you for your time and wish your district success in its noble endeavors.

Sincerely,

George M. Tsongranis





#### **STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS 2007-2008**

### **DISTRICT 21**

#### **ORDER OF AHEPA**

**AND** 

#### **DAUGHTERS OF PENELOPE**

### **AHEPA FAMILY CHARITIES RAFFLE**

AS OF SEPTEMBER 1, 2008

George Booras, PDG Chairman/Manager Order of Ahepa Co-Chairperson
Daughters of Penelope

Steve Miller District Governor Order of Ahepa Sylvia Golfes
District Governor
Daughters of Penelope

## 2007-2008 AHEPA FAMILY CHARITIES RAFFLE

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT AS OF SEPTEMBER 1, 2008

	<u>Number</u>	<u>Amount</u>
TICKETS SOLD:		
Daughters of Penelope	240	\$24,000.00
Order of Ahepa	408	\$40,800.00
Totals	648	\$64,800.00
Interest Income, Current Yea	г	\$136.34
Total Income Ticket Sales and Interest Received		\$64,936.34

#### **OPERATING EXPENSES**

**Total Expenses** 

Envelopes	\$112.00
Printing 1,000 Tickets Plus Signs	\$216.00
Sales Tax (on Envelopes & Printing)	\$27.06
U.S. Postal Service (Postage)	\$637.35
Rental of Drum-Conv. & Spring Conf.	\$0.00
Computer Labels	\$0.00
Printing Letters & Raffle Package	\$0.00
Receipt Book	\$15.78
Bank Fees	\$112.00
Misc. Expenses	\$72.15
Reimbursed Expense	\$0.00

GROSS PROFIT \$63,744.00

\$1,192.34

LESS PRIZES AWARDED (\$44,500.00)

NET PROFIT TO BE DISTRIBUTED \$19,244.00

#### **COMPUTATION OF PROFIT PER TICKET SOLD**

\$19,244 Divided by 648 tickets sold is \$29.70

#### **NET PROFIT DISTRIBUTION**

 Daughters of Penelope
 240 Tickets @ \$29.70
 \$7,127.00

 Order of Ahepa
 408 Tickets @ \$29.70
 \$12,117.00

TOTAL NET PROFIT DISTRIBUTION \$19,244.00

## 2007-2008 AHEPA FAMILY CHARITIES RAFFLE

### SALES AND DISTRIBUTION BY CHAPTER ORDER OF AHEPA

	Per Ticket if all Tickets were sold	Percentage	Per Ticket as Actually sold	AHEPANS based on 408 Tickets Sold
Share to Chapters	\$35.00	70%	\$20.79	\$8,482.00
Share to District Lodge	\$10.00	20%	\$5.94	\$2,423.00
Share to Scholarship Fund	\$5.00	10%	\$2.97	\$1,212.00
Totals	\$50.00	100%	\$29.70	\$12,117.00

## FINAL DISTRIBUTION TO EACH CHAPTER BASED UPON NUMBER OF TICKETS EACH CHAPTER SOLD TIMES \$20.79:

	TOTAL	TOTAL	CHAPTER
CHAPTER	ISSUED	SOLD	REBATE
Golden Gate Pacific #150	90	63	\$1,310.00
Fresno #151	100	52	\$1,081.00
Sacramento #153	40	4	\$83.00
Oakland #171	60	42	\$873.00
Stockton #212	20	14	\$291.00
Solano #217 (Vallejo)	5	7	\$146.00
Marysville #228	15	6	\$125.00
Modesto #246	130	70	\$1,455.00
San Jose #251	60	23	\$478.00
Contra Costa #259	80	75	\$1,559.00
Reno #281	40	41	\$852.00
San Mateo County #392	20	11	\$229.00
TOTALS TO CHAPTERS @ \$20.79	660	408	\$8,482.00
TOTAL TO AHEPA DISTRICT LODGE			\$2,423.00
TOTAL TO SCHOLARSHIP FUND			\$1,212.00
TOTAL DISTRIBUTION FOR AHEPA			\$12,117.00

## 2007-2008 AHEPA FAMILY CHARITIES RAFFLE

### SALES AND DISTRIBUTION BY CHAPTER DAUGHTERS OF PENELOPE

#### PERCENTAGE SHARING RATIOS FOR DISTRIBUTION

PERCENTAGE SHARE (SEE PAGE 1)

\$7,127.00

#### **DISTRIBUTION FOR DAUGHTERS OF PENELOPE**

		Per Ticket	DOP
	Percentage	as Actually	based on 240
		sold	Tickets Sold
CHAPTER REBATE	50%	\$14.85	\$3,564.00
DISTRICT LODGE	30%	\$8.91	\$2,138.00
SCHOLARSHIP	20%	\$5.94	\$1,425.00
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TOTAL DAUGHTERS OF PENELOPE DIST	RIBUTION	\$29.70	\$7,127.00

### FINAL DISTRIBUTION TO EACH DAUGHTERS CHAPTER BASED UPON NUMBER OF TICKETS EACH CHAPTER SOLD

\$3,564 Divided by 240 tickets sold is \$14.85

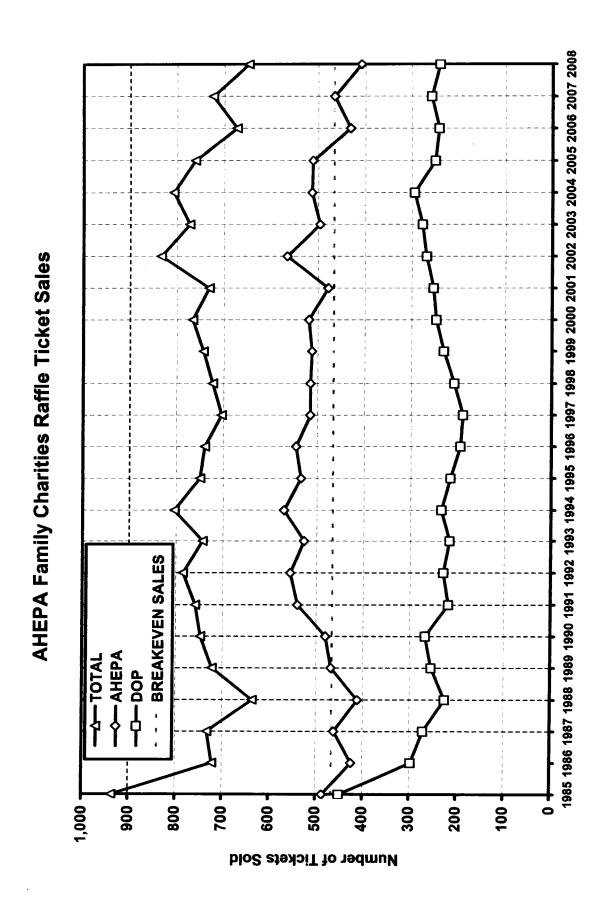
	TOTAL	TOTAL	CHAPTER
CHAPTER	ISSUED	SOLD	REBATE
Eos #1 San Francisco	40	40	\$594.00
Echo #4 Oakland	35	41	\$609.00
Artemis #5 Sacramento	20	5	\$74.00
Sparta #18 Stockton	20	9	\$133.00
Daphne #29 San Jose	30	22	\$327.00
Phaedra #64 Modesto	50	51	\$757.00
Leto #71 Fresno	20	14	\$208.00
Elis #89 Reno	10	10	\$149.00
Zephrus #147 Marysville	10	1	\$15.00
Meonia #273 Vallejo	10	10	\$149.00
Urania #290 San Mateo	25	25	\$371.00
Harmonia #367 Walnut Creek	10	12	\$178.00
TOTAL CHAPTER DISTRIBUTION	280	240	\$3,564.00





## District 21 AHEPA Family Charities Raffle Overall Financial Summary

Beginning Year Ending Year <b>Number of Years</b>	1984-85 2007-08 <b>24</b>
Number of Tickets Sold Order of AHEPA Daughters of Penelope Total Tickets Sold	11,445 5,577 <b>17,022</b>
Net Profit	<b>\$</b> 638,410
Distribution of Net Profit	<b>*</b> 04.044
Saint Nicholas Ranch	\$61,941
Gus Aretos Mem. Scholarship	\$1,180
Order of AHEPA	
Chapter Rebates	\$268,613
District Lodge	\$74,034
Scholarship	\$37,686
AHEPA Total	\$380,333
Daughters of Penelope	
Chapter Rebates	\$104,654
District Lodge	\$65,715
Scholarship	\$17,926
Charities	\$6,661
DOP Total	\$194,956
Total Distribution	\$638,410



Sons of Pericles / Athletic Report District 21 Convention Fresno May 30, 2008

Commillee Chair: Stamus Cocoles

members: Dr Peter Scamagas

Bill Anton

Alex Bazos

Gus Hazifotis

To survive Ahepa needs new young people to be active.

What Leadership is needed to start sons/Maids

· District Advisor · National Assistance · Chapter Assistance

(carret of promises · Internet Communication · Chapter Advisor

Recommend for new chapter

Entire group ages To be 14 To 17

[Coed] (Coed) include sons and Maids (optional)

Duel membership include sons and Maids (optional)

as a single chapter.

Form Chapters an area which may include more than One AHERA Chapter as there sponsor.

As members grow older they must have duel membership with Ahepa and DaughTers at age 21 on.

A token amount of Dues should be allowed for

Duel membershipuntil Age 25.

Urge ages 26 and above to be active as advisors and Ahepa members only.

Daughters

National should put more effort in revising and simplyfing sons and maids/to exist, and allowing the option of coed or duel membership it requested.

Benefits for having Sons/Maids

- · Easier to quality for National Scholarship
- · Future leaders of Ahepa and Daughters
- · Our young people to be educated on their roots
- and culture. (Hellenism)

  A (Some day) for sons, daughter, grandsons, granddaughters to exchange vows as Orthodox Christians

The goal is to have future active and productive

Aherans and Daughters to bring fresh ideas, AHERA shoulder and retaining our goals and images of what we are also was some of you must be willing to allow them to be the future.

Time expired before Athletics To be included.

- M. Sunday: Church services, then a coffee hour or brunch or whatever the district convention chapters can host. It is up to the chapters to be inventive and create a desire to be there.
- N. Protocol: The Protocol Manual and this guide are to be referred to and carried out at all time. Common courtesy suggests simple sincere explanations will suffice for exceptions due to space limitations, last minute changes in programs due to illness, unavoidable delays and or postponements.
- O. Dietary Needs: Add a line or lines to the Registration Form: Dietary Needs e.g. Diabetic, Salt Free, Meatless
- P. Preliminary information should be made available at the Fall Conference prior to the next Convention date in an abbreviated written format. i.e. Safe the Date Date of Convention Location, name of hotel and room rates.

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Revised & Passed Fresno Convention June 1, 2008 AHEPA and Daughters of Penelope

