## AHEPA FAMILY GOLDEN GATE DISTRICT #21 85TH ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION JUNE 23 - 25, 2017 Order of Ahepa - Daughters of Penelope Sons of Pericles - Maids of Athena

Convention Headquarters: Biltmore Hotel and Suites • 2151 Laurelwood Road • Santa Clara, CA 95054 Office: 408 346 4718 Reservations: 1 800 255 9925

Host Chapters: Silicon Valley AHEPA Chapter #251 and Daughters of Penelope Daphne Chapter #29

## Dear Ahepans and Daughters,

The San Jose AHEPA family is delighted to host the 2017 District Convention. We are looking forward to seeing all our friends and meeting new friends within the fabulous Golden Gate District 21. Here are some of the convention highlights.

**CONVENTION HEADQUARTERS:** The Biltmore Hotel and Suites is easily accessed off of highway 101 in Santa Clara located close by Levi Stadium, home of the San Francisco Forty Niners, Great America Theme Park and several major Silicon Valley Companies. Room rates are very reasonable and include a hot buffet breakfast. The regular rooms, starting at \$99 + taxes per night, are located in a two story building. The suites, starting at \$109 + taxes per night, are in multi-floor tower. Facilities include a pool, restaurant, workout gym, free Wi-Fi and free parking. You can register by calling 1 800 255-9925 and referencing AHEPA or Booking #34145. You can also register on-line by copying and pasting this the link below in your browser and referencing Booking #34145: http://bookings.ihotelier.com/bookings.jsp?groupID=1742982&hoteIID=13370

**DELEGATE AND GUEST REGISTRATION PACKAGES:** Delegate/Alternate Registration Package \$180 after June 1, 2017 \$200. Guest Registration Package \$160 after June 1, 2017 \$180. Sons and Maids Registration Package \$100 after June 1 \$120. See registration form for additional information.

**SOCIAL EVENTS:** We are planning a **Golf Tournament** for Thursday, June 22 at Boulder Creek Golf Club in San Jose. Open to members, guests, men and women. **Welcome Night Festivities** will held at the hotel patio area on Friday, June 23rd. The **Scholarship Luncheon** will be held at the hotel on Saturday, June 24th. **The Governor's Reception, Grand Banquet and Glendi** will be held at the hotel Saturday Evening. Following dinner there will be dancing with **LIVE MUSIC** featuring the Plaka Band.

**CONVENTION ALBUM:** As with previous District Conventions we will publish a Convention Commemorative Album (In color). We invite and encourage the participation of your Chapter with the purchase of a full page ad in album. We hope you will consider including chapter group photos, events or special recognition. We welcome business advertisements, special events, memorials, special achievements, or a special message of support. See Album Contract for rates and details.

Thanking you in advance for supporting the 85th Annual Golden Gate District Convention.

## AHEPA Silicon Valley Chapter and DOP Daphne Chapter Convention Committee

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