

## **PROGRAM**

### **Wednesday, February 29, 2012**

Noon **Pages & Escorts Luncheon**  
3:00 pm **Past Grand's meeting/dinner**  
6:30 pm Musical Prelude  
Escort of Distinguished Guests  
7:00 pm **Informal Opening**  
Coronation of Grand Royal Matron  
Welcomes and Addresses  
*Reception*

### **Thursday, March 1, 2012**

8:30 am **Welcome, Call to Order**  
Ritualistic Opening  
Escort  
Annual Reports  
Noon **Grand Reps. Luncheon**  
1:30 pm Call to Order  
Annual Reports (continued)  
Necrology  
Memorial  
6:30 pm **"State Banquet"**

### **Friday, March 2, 2012**

7:00 am **2004 & 2007 Assns. Breakfast**  
8:30 am Call to Order  
Election of Officers  
Annual Reports (continued)  
Noon **Secetaries/Treasurers Lunch**  
1:30 pm Call to Order  
Legislation  
6:30 pm **Association Dinners**

### **Saturday, March 3, 2012**

9:00 am Call to Order  
Unfinished Business  
New Business  
Farewell  
Noon **"Hello – Good Bye" Luncheon**  
1:30 pm Call to Order (if necessary)  
7:00 pm **Musical Prelude**  
Call to Order and Welcome  
Uncrowning  
**Installation and Coronation**  
Closing the 115<sup>th</sup> Annual Session  
*Reception*

## **REHEARSALS**

All rehearsals will be in the Session Room under the direction of S.K. Eugene Olson, Grand Lecturer.

### **Wednesday, February 29, 2012**

**7:00 am Setting up Session Room**  
**9:00 am** Grand Marshals, Grand Std. Bearer, Gr. Conductresses and Gr. Musician.  
**11:00 am** Pages/Escorts – (Drill Instructor)  
**1:00 pm** Informal and Formal Opening.

### **ALL Grand Floor Officers.**

*As notified:* AGLs, DGRMs, DGRPs, Gr. Reps, and Presidents and Vice Presidents of current Line Associations – North and South.

**2:00 pm Memorial Service:** Grand Royal Matron, Grand Royal Patron, Grand Marshal, Grand Prelate, Grand Ladies of the Square, Grand Conductresses.

**2:30 pm Necrology** – Royal Matrons and Royal Patrons of those Courts who have had a death of a Grand Court Member. Report to: H.L. Carol Burns, Necrology Chairman.

### **Friday, March 2, 2012 – 8:30 pm**

**Uncrowning** – Directed by S.K Eugene Olson, outgoing Grand Lecturer

**Installation Rehearsal** – Under the direction of the incoming Grand Lecturer

## **MEAL FUNCTIONS**

Use the forms included in this package when making all Reservations for Breakfasts, Luncheons and Dinners.

If you have a question, please contact H.L. Lynn Olson, Banquet Chairman, at her E-mail address or phone shown on the other side. **DO NOT** contact the hotel; all meal function arrangements must go through H.L. Lynn.

Room assignments for meal functions will be announced during Grand Court Sessions. Deadline for reservations is **February 15, 2012.**

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

**Official Dress:** Grand Officers, Royal Matrons and Royal Patrons. **Honored Ladies:** Please wear official formal, gloves and corsages to all Sessions; white formals for Memorial. **Sir Knights:** Please wear black tuxedo, white shirt, official vest, and tie or black cummerbund and tie. **Royal Matrons:** Please wear your Crown to all Sessions. **Royal Patrons:** Please bring a sword and white gloves for Necrology.

**All Honored Ladies:** No pant suits or formal pants are permitted during the Sessions.

**Grand Officers:** Please bring the jewel of your office and plan to return it to H.L. Lynda Wing, Chairman, Grand Trustees. Date and time will be announced. Please memorize charges for Formal Opening (Ritual pages 235-250) and Memorial (Ritual pages 255-259).

## **REPORTS, WELCOMES, ADDRESSES**

A copy of your report may be submitted digitally on computer disc, or flash drive at Grand Court or through E-Mail (**preferred method**), to the Grand Secretary **BEFORE** Grand Court. It must be typewritten, double-spaced, on 8½-"x11" paper, in duplicate, using one inch margins (top and bottom). Staple or paper clip the two copies together. All reports, addresses and welcomes not submitted digitally, or by E-mail **MUST** be on the Grand Secretary's desk by 8:30 am, **March 1, 2012**

**Committee Chairmen:** Please keep a copy of your report with you at all times. It is suggested the oral reports be summarized to two minutes or less. The entire report, if submitted to the Grand Secretary, will be printed in the Proceedings.

## **ADDRESSES AND DISTRIBUTION**

S.K. Richard Wing, PGRP, SP  
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ONE copy of all reports must be forwarded to S.K. Richard Wing by **February 15, 2012** (GCBL Sect. 33(b)). This requirement applies to all members presenting reports per the Supreme Council Constitution, Part III, Section 17, paragraph (B)(1).

We invite all visiting Grand Royal Matrons, Grand Royal Patrons, Supreme Floor Officers, Past Supreme Royal Matrons, Past Supreme Royal Patrons and Grand Representatives to California to share the Throne with us throughout the Session.

#### **HOTEL RESERVATIONS**

Please make your room reservation directly with the Sacramento Marriott Rancho Cordova Hotel, 11211 Point East Dr., Rancho Cordova 95742. Phone: (916) 638-1100

**The final date** to make reservations at the Amaranth Group Rate of \$109.00 for a Deluxe King or 2 Queens is February 8, 2012

Additional Information: The Sacramento Marriott Hotel is located in Rancho Cordova off of Highway 50, exit at Sunrise Boulevard and go South. Turn left on Folsom Boulevard and left again on Point East Drive.

We are anticipating a great Session and look forward to welcoming you at the "**California Smiling**" Session in Rancho Cordova, California.

#### **PRE-REGISTRATION**

Pre-Register by sending the enclosed form with check to:

H.L. Marilyn Gilbert, Chairman  
888 West Marshall Blvd.,  
San Bernardino, CA 92405-2846  
Phone: (909) 882-2641

The donation is \$15.00. Please make your check payable to **GRAND COURT**. Deadline for pre-registration is **February 1, 2012**.

#### **REGISTRATION AND CREDENTIALS**

Wednesday, Feb. 29, 2012.... 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm  
Thurs., March 1, 2012 ..... 8:00 am – 12:00 pm  
2:00 pm – 5:00 pm  
Friday, March 2, 2012 ..... 8:00 am – 8:30 am  
**CLOSED** during Elections

Saturday, March 3, 2012..... 8:00 am – 9:00 am

Please present a 2012 signed Amaranth dues card to the Registration Committee. Sir Knights must also show a 2012 Blue Lodge dues card to the Sir Knight on the Registration Committee.

**Delegates:** Present Credential Cards to the Credential Committee. All ballots **must** be picked up prior to Thursday, March 2, 2012.

#### **2012 ANNUAL SESSION ACTIVITIES**

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#### **115<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL SESSION**

**"California Smiling"**

**February 29 – March 3, 2012  
at the**

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Grand Royal Matron**

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Grand Royal Patron**

**H.L. Barbara Anne Ridgway  
Deputy Supreme Royal Matron  
Grand Secretary**