

**INTERNATIONAL ORDER OF THE RAINBOW FOR GIRLS
NEVADA GRAND ASSEMBLY 2012**



“Winter Wonderland”

SESSIONS

June 16, 17, 18, and 19, 2012

Reno, Nevada

Dear Out of State Visitors and Guests:

Nevada's 78th Session of Grand Assembly, International Order of the Rainbow for Girls, will be held in Reno beginning with FUN Night on Saturday, June 16th through Tuesday, June 19th, 2012. We hope you will join us for our “Winter Wonderland” sessions.

The Registration, Housing and Meal information from the Grand Assembly Committee is also posted to this website. **Feel free to review the “Nevada” Welcome Letter for other specifics that may be helpful to you as you prepare to enjoy our Sessions.** Please assist the Committee by meeting the deadlines the Committee has established.

We want to encourage our guest to stay at the convention property – we all have room quotas we need to meet and we would appreciate your support in that endeavor.

TRANSPORTATION

If you are flying, RENO is your flight destination. The airport is approximately two miles from the Peppermill Hotel/Casino where housing and all events are scheduled. For adults, renting a car may be a wise decision as there are many exciting and fun things to do and see in the Reno area during your “free” time (Tuesday afternoon). The Hotel DOES run a hotel shuttle from the airport to the Hotel.

As guests of Nevada Grand Assembly, please note our first session on Sunday is scheduled from 3 pm until approximately 8 pm; you will want to be sure to have a substantial late lunch before this session starts! A light BOXED dinner will be available this year through our registration packet meant to be taken to your hotel rooms for a casual, satisfying and healthy late dinner. On Tuesday, you will have free time from approximately noon until 5 pm when Installation begins. There are many nearby options for this free time; maps and websites will be on our website as we get closer to our date.

Because we are always exploring scheduling changes, please check our website in May to confirm session content.

REGISTRATION

Please note that registration packages and hotel keys will be available in our Registration area, in the Convention Center area, next to the Grand Assembly room. Your assistance in meeting our posted Registration dates will make the work of our committee easier – and ensure you are able to participate in all Grand Assembly events and meals. **Before your arrival, please check our website for specific directions to this area, to avoid walking through gaming areas.**

DRESS CODE

Out-of-state guests are asked to follow the same dress code that Nevada follows so it has been included here. Our Grand Worthy Advisor wears her crown during all sessions; please be respectful of the one-crown per assembly room and don't wear yours.

Saturday evening - FUN & GAMES!

Casual wear, including appropriate length shorts, sandals, tennis shoes. **EVERY person attending Fun Night will need to bring a pair of socks!**

Sunday - Grand Cross of Color Lunch and Degree

Guests - street length dresses for females; business or formal attire for men.

Sunday - Vespers

Rainbow Girls and female adults: short dress.

Gentlemen: business attire.

(Please note: Those attending Vespers and Grand Cross move immediately from one venue to the next; the same attire is appropriate at both.)

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday

Rainbow Girls and female Advisory Board Members: formal attire.

Gentlemen: business or formal attire.

Women may wear street length dresses if they are not to be escorted.

HOTEL

All sessions of Grand Assembly will be held at the Peppermill. Staying at our Convention property will make your visit with us easy, affordable and the best possible experience! Additionally, like all jurisdictions, we, too, have room and meal quotas to meet with our venue – so your participation in that with us is appreciated.

MEALS

Saturday FUN Night

FUN Night is a casual event which includes dinner, games and lots of surprises. Visitors are welcome to join us. Please review the schedule of events on this website in early May for specifics.

Sunday Grand Cross of Color LUNCH

All Masters of the Grand Cross of Color (and Nevada designees) are invited to attend lunch,

followed immediately by the Grand Cross of Color Degree. Lunch will begin at 11:30 am in the designated dining room. Each Master of the Grand Cross MUST present her/his Grand Cross identification card. Dress for lunch and the Degree for guests is short dress for females and jacket/tie for gentlemen.

Monday General Luncheon

The Grand Assembly Committee has planned a group luncheon on Monday, designed to provide a reasonable lunch at a reasonable cost without leaving the facility. Out-of-state guests are welcome to participate in this luncheon by making this selection on your registration form.

Monday Grand Banquet

All our visitors are welcome and encouraged to attend our Grand Banquet. Seating **IS** limited, so early reservations are necessary.

SEATING AT GRAND ASSEMBLY

Members of the Supreme Family, Grand Worthy Advisors and Grand Representatives of Nevada will have special seating arrangements in the East. Please check with Registration upon your arrival regarding these details.

Guests of Nevada Grand Assembly

Supreme Officers and ONE escort will be hosted by Nevada Grand Assembly for her/his Registration and Housing (Saturday through Tuesday). Please mark "guest" in those areas of your Registration and Housing Forms.

All visiting Grand Worthy Advisors and Grand Representatives of Nevada will also be the guests of Nevada Grand Assembly for registration and housing (based on four girls to one room for four nights: Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday). Please mark "guest" in those areas of your Registration and Housing Forms.

Please contact the GAC 2012 Chairperson, Mrs. Bonnie Bunch, if you have additional questions or need any further assistance.

We hope your visit with us will be a great one!

In Rainbow Love & Continuing Service,
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