



45th ANNUAL SUNSHINE UNIT MEET SAR-I COURT NO. 79, SARASOTA, FL “PICNIC ON THE BEACH”

NOVEMBER 2ND ~ NOVEMBER 4TH, 2017

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Grand High Priestess
Past Grand High Priestesses
Grand Officers
High Priestesses
Officers and Members of the Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America

Dear Ladies,

The Officers, Past High Priestesses and Members of Sar-I Court No. 79 Look forward to welcoming you to Venice, Florida, for the 45th Annual Sunshine Unit Meet, “Picnic on the Beach”.

The 45th Annual Sunshine Unit Meet will be held at the Hotel Venezia 425 US 41 By-Pass N, Venice FL 34285.

The Venezia room rate is \$89.00 per night for king or double queen, and \$119.00 per night for a suite. There is complimentary parking. Reservations can be made by calling the hotel at 941-308-7700. Please identify yourself as being with the 2017 Sunshine Unit Meet, (SUM), Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America.

PRE-REGISTRATION INFORMATION

As stated in the Red Book Article 111, Section 9(A), it is mandatory to preregister. The Registration fee prior to October 1, 2017, is \$20.00 (US) and will be \$30.00 (US) after October 2, 2017. Refunds will **NOT** be made on the Registration fee.

CANCELLATIONS must be made in writing and received by October 10, 2017. Refunds on meals or activities will not be made after October 10, 2017. Please use the enclosed refund request form if needed.

LADIES' REGISTRATION

The ladies' registration fee for the Sunshine Unit Meet is \$20.00 if paid prior to October 1, 2017, \$30.00 thereafter. The registration form is included in this packet and may be copied as needed.

MEN'S REGISTRATION

The men's registration fee for the Sunshine Unit Meet is \$25.00 if paid prior to October 1, 2017, thereafter \$35.00. The registration form is included in this packet and may be copied as needed. Registration is necessary for admittance to the hospitality room. The Nobles and men of Sar-I Court will host the hospitality room. It will be opened for all registered men. The REGISTRATION BADGE is required.

REFUNDS

Request for refunds will not be processed until after the 45th SUM and must be postmarked no later than October 10th, 2017. Please use the enclosed Refund Request Form, if needed.

BANQUET

"Dinner Under the Stars" BANQUET will be on Friday, November 3rd, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. with social time at 6:00 p.m. in the Banquet Room.

Tables of 8 will be assigned. If you are part of a group and want to sit together, please complete the enclosed form and mail it separately to the name and address located at the bottom of the form. There will be entertainment during the dinner. Semi-formal dress and NO FEZ.

SHARK'S TOOTH MEET & GREET

SHARK'S TOOTH MEET & GREET ~ TAKE A BITE OUT OF MEMBERSHIP, will be held Friday, November 3rd, 2017, at 2:00 p.m. at the Wave Grill. This meeting is open to all.

MARKET PLACE

The Market Place will be open for your shopping pleasure in the Magnolia Room, beginning on Thursday, November 2nd, 2017. Please check the program for hours of operation.

BREAKFAST

Breakfast is available in the Wave Grill from 7:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. daily. The cost will be \$8.00 plus tax. The Wave Grill is also open daily for lunch and dinner.

THE 45TH SUNSHINE UNIT MEET ANNUAL MEETING

The 45th Sunshine Unit Meet Annual Business Meeting will be held on Saturday, November 4th, 2017 from 9:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. in the Banquet Room.

The drawing for the Exhibition Drill performances will be held immediately following the Business Meeting. Rehearsal time will be available immediately following the drawings. The rehearsal will coordinate with the number drawn for the performances.

The Exhibition Drills will begin promptly at 2:00 p.m. Line up at 1:30 p.m. The Grand Family and High Priestess' pictures will be taken at 1:00 p.m. Unit pictures will be taken immediately following their performance.

FUN NIGHT

The "Sand & Sandals" event will be a fun filled evening beginning with social time at 6:00 p.m. followed by dinner at 7:00 p.m. Tables will be rounds of 8 and seating will be assigned. Come dressed casually and show off your pretty or funky sandals!

SUNSHINE TRIBUTES

The Sunshine Tributes are a way to honor ladies. The Sunshine Tributes are available for \$2.00 each. You may order them in advance using the enclosed form. Those tributes ordered in advance will be in your Honoree's registration packet. Tributes will also be available at the registration desk for \$2.00 each.

FLOWERS

Flowers must be ordered in advance. Flowers will be delivered to the hotel on Friday, November 3rd, 2017 and Saturday, November 4th, at 12:00 p.m. and may be picked up at the registration table. Information is contained in this packet.

TOURS

There are no planned tours available. Historic Downtown Venice shopping is nearby as well as the beautiful Venice Beach. Many local restaurants feature good food and locally caught fish.

Please make your Sunshine Unit Meet registration early and note the deadlines on the forms. Should you need assistance during the Unit Meet, the Ladies of Sar-I Court No. 79 will be happy to assist you. Just look for the ladies in the green shirts!

We are looking forward to having you join us for **fun and fellowship** at the 45th Annual Sunshine Unit Meet in Venice, Florida.

See you in November!

**Mary Jane Hamilton, President, PHP
45th Sunshine Unit Meet**



Picnic On the Beach
45th Sunshine Unit Meet

Tentative Schedule

EVENT	TIME	LOCATION
Thursday, November 2nd, 2017		
Registration	2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Cassia Room
Market Place	2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Magnolia Room
Social	7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.	Pool Area
Friday, November 3rd, 2017		
Breakfast	7:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	Wave Grill
Registration	9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Cassia Room
Men's Hospitality Room (Badge Required)	9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	TBD
Market Place	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Magnolia Room
Shark's Tooth Meet & Greet	2:00 p.m.	Wave Grill
"Dinner Under the Stars" Social	6:00 p.m.	Banquet Room
"Dinner Under the Stars" Banquet NO FEZ	7:00 p.m.	Banquet Room
Saturday, November 4th, 2017		
Breakfast	7:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	Wave Grill
45 th SUM Annual Meeting Fez & Dues card required	9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Banquet Room
Men's Hospitality Room (Badge required)	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	TBD
Market Place	8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Magnolia Room
Practice for Drills	Following Meeting	Banquet Room
Pictures for Grand Officers, HP's	1:00 p.m.	Outside Banquet Rm.
Unit Drills	2:00 p.m.	Banquet Room
Sand & Sandals Social Time	6:00 p.m.	Banquet Room
Sand & Sandals Dinner NO FEZ	7:00 p.m.	Banquet Room

We hope you enjoyed the "Picnic on the Beach" 45th Annual Sunshine Unit Meet. The members of Sar-I Court No. 79 wish you a safe trip home. It's fun to see old friends and hopefully you acquired a few new ones! See you next year.

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SUNSHINE TRIBUTES

Here is your opportunity to pay tribute to anyone who you feel deserves the special honor. This is a tradition at Sunshine Unit Meets. For only \$2.00, you can honor anyone and let them know how special they are. Each honoree will receive a card informing them of your tribute along with a special *Ladybug* to place on their registration badge.

Your name _____ Title _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____
Phone _____ Cell _____
E-mail _____
Your Court & Number _____

Honoree _____ Court _____

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PLEASE RETURN THE COMPLETED FORM AND YOUR CHECK TO:

Mrs. Diane Albinson
8512 Eagle Preserve Way
Sarasota, FL 34241
(941-922-9311)

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LADIES PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

(Please Print or Type)

NAME _____ TITLE _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/STATE _____ ZIP _____ E-MAIL _____

COURT NAME AND NUMBER _____

NOBLE/GENTLEMAN'S NAME _____

(If a Noble) TITLE, SHRINE TEMPLE _____

	PRICE	NUMBER	TOTAL
LADIES REGISTRATION	\$20.00	_____	_____
Registration AFTER October 1, 2017 (PER PERSON)	\$30.00	_____	_____
BANQUET ENTRÉE CHOICE:			
ROAST PRIME RIB	_____ \$40.00	_____	_____
CHICKEN MARSALA	_____ \$40.00	_____	_____
FUN NIGHT ENTRÉE			
PICNIC FOOD STATIONS "SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE"!	_____ \$35.00	_____	_____

PLEASE NOTE ANY FOOD CONCERNS TOTAL ENCLOSED IN US FUNDS _____

DEADLINE – OCTOBER 1, 2017

PLEASE MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO 45th ANNUAL SUNSHINE UNIT MEET

YOUR REGISTRATION BADGE WILL BE ENCLOSED IN THE REGISTRATION PACKET THAT YOU RECEIVE UPON PRESENTATION OF YOUR 2017 SIGNED DUES CARD. **LAMINATED DUES CARDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

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Refund Request
To be used for Men & Women

Name: _____ Title _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

LOSNA Court Name and Number: _____

Men's Shrine Center: _____

Reason for Refund Request: _____

Signature & Date: _____

Cancellation requests must be submitted in writing and postmarked no later than 10-10-2017, to the 45th Annual Sunshine Unit Meet. All cancellations are subject to a \$5.00 service charge. In the event of a death or serious illness, cancellations will be accepted up to 10 days prior to the 45th SUM. Any requests received after the deadline will be subject to the discretion of the SUM host Court units.

Please mail the completed form to:

Mrs. Diane Albinson
8512 Eagle Preserve Way
Sarasota, Florida, 34241-8504

Call: 941-922-9311
E-Mail: fsdja@msn.com
Date Received: _____

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**"Picnic on the Beach"
Exhibition Drills**

(Please print or type)

Deadline for Submission: October 1, 2017

This form must be completed by the Unit Leader of each participating unit, including "Walk Ons". Walk Ons are considered participating units. If more than one participating unit is walking on together, submit only one form.

Court Name: _____ Court Number _____

City: _____ State: _____

Unit Leader's Name: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Type of Performance: _____

Audio Requirements: _____ CD _____ Microphone: _____

Please indicate when the music is to start:

As leader steps over the line: _____

When leader is in the center of the floor: _____

Other explanation: _____

Introductions: High Priestess as of May, 2017: _____

Her Escort: _____ Title: _____

Past Grand High Priestess or Grand Officer from your Court: _____

Her Escort: _____ Title: _____

Please return the completed form to:

Mrs. Elaine Ortt
1104 Riviera Street
Venice, Florida 34285-3723
Call: 941-485-5313 E-mail: LHOtt@verizon.net



ADVERTISING FORM FOR UNIT MEET PROGRAM BOOK

ALL ADS DUE BY OCTOBER 1, 2017

ADVERTISING RATES

Full Page	\$65.00
Half Page	\$45.00
Third Page	\$30.00
Business Card (only)	\$25.00

ALL ADS MUST BE CAMERA READY! They will appear as sent. Freehand art is acceptable if clear and done in black ink. Please use the enclosed form to help with ad sizes. **PICTURES:** Make sure the name of person and court number is on the back. All pictures need to be 5 x 7 or smaller and in **BLACK & WHITE**. If you use digital, it must be 300dpi.

You may e-mail to sarinews@gmail.com or mail CD

If you use PDF or XPS please convert in photo quality; standard does not reprint well.

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE FORM:

CONTACT NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

TELEPHONE: () _____ COURT NAME _____ NO. _____

AD SIZE: _____ \$ _____

NUMBER OF PHOTOS: _____

AMOUNT DUE: _____

MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO: 45TH SUNSHINE UNIT MEET ADS DUE BY OCTOBER 1, 2017

MAIL TO:
Mrs. Pamela Trudel
PO Box 1704
Tallevast, FL 34270-1704

Call: 941-232-0705

E-mail: sarinews@gmail.com

FULL PAGE \$65.00
4 1/2" W X 7 1/2" H

BUSINESS CARD \$25.00
3 1/2" W X 2" H

HALF PAGE \$ 45.00
4 1/2" W X 3 1/2" H

ONE THIRD PAGE \$30.00
4 1/2" W X 2 1/2" H

Be sure to take advantage of all the area inside the ad size boxes. Ads will be reduced if you go over your size allotted.

Boxes are actual size.

**The Songbirds, Oriental Dancers & Klassy Kickers
Invite You to Enjoy Our Banquet**

*Dinner
under the
Stars*

**Friday, November 3rd, 2017
Social at 6:00 p.m. Dinner at 7:00 p.m.**

**Entertainment and Fellowship
Semi-formal Dress ~ No Fez**



**Join us Saturday, November 4, 2017
for the
Sand and Sandals Fun Night
Great Entertainment!**

Social at 6:00 p.m. followed by Dinner at 7:00 p.m.

Casual Dress ~ No Fez ~ Show off your pretty or funky sandals

**Your Hosts for the evening will be:
The Clowns & the Merrie Makers Units**

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FLOWER ORDER FORM

CALL THE FLORIST DIRECTLY TO PLACE AN ORDER:

**"ALWAYS AN OCCASION FLORIST"
941-488-5080**

WRIST CORSAGE 2-3 ROSES	\$25.00
MIXED ARM BOUQUET	\$30.00 /\$40.00
BOUTONNIERE	\$7.50 FOR CARNATION \$12.50 ROSE

Note: Prices and flower selection cannot be guaranteed after 10-23-17.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, YOU CAN CALL THE FLORIST OR LADY MARLIES
GLUCK AT 941-371-5522 or jrgranny@aol.com

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Directions to the Venezia Hotel :

From the North: I-75 to Exit 200 for FL681 S toward Venice/Osprey. Continue south onto US-41/Tamiami Trail. Continue to Venice Bypass. Hotel is on the right.

From the South: I-75 North toward Tampa, Exit 193 for Jacaranda Blvd. Turn left at Jacaranda Blvd. Turn right at Venice Avenue. Turn right at Venice Bypass. Hotel is on the left.

From the East: From E. Venice Avenue, turn right at Venice Bypass. Hotel is on the left.

From the West: From W. Venice Avenue, turn left at Venice Bypass. Hotel is on the left.

