



# 46TH ANNUAL SUNSHINE UNIT MEET

## "IT STARTS WITH US"

SEPTEMBER 20 – 21, 2019

April 15, 2019

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Past Grand High Priestesses  
Grand Officers  
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Dear Ladies,

LADY SUE HARMON  
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7430 BAY DRIVE  
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[HARMONBAY@VERIZON.NET](mailto:HARMONBAY@VERIZON.NET)

It is with great pleasure and pride the High Priestess, Past High Priestesses, Officers and Members of Tahuti Court No. 44 look forward to welcoming you to Tampa, FL for the 46th Annual Sunshine Unit Meet, "It Starts With Us". It is time to work together so that these Unit Meets may continue. Most importantly, let us not forget our real purpose to assist 'our children' and their families that need the healing and caring provided by the Shriners Hospitals. It ALL STARTS WITH US!

LADY ELIZABETH FERNBACHER  
SECRETARY, PHP  
PO BOX 55129  
ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33732  
[EFERN2@AOL.COM](mailto:EFERN2@AOL.COM)

The 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Sunshine Unit Meet will be held at:  
Tampa Embassy Suites by Hilton USF  
3705 Spectrum Blvd,  
Tampa, Florida 33612

LADY PAT BARKER  
TREASURER, PHP  
206 W. SENECA AVENUE  
TAMPA, FL 33612  
[PBARKER6@TAMPABAY.RR.COM](mailto:PBARKER6@TAMPABAY.RR.COM)

Please identify yourself as being with the Sunshine Unit Meet, Tahuti Court No. 44, Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America. Room Rates are \$139 per room (up to 4 persons).

### PRE-REGISTRATION INFORMATION

As stated in the Red Book Article III, Section 9(A), it is mandatory to pre-register. The Registration fee prior to August 20, 2019 is \$20.00 (US) and will be \$30.00 (US) after August 21, 2019. Refunds will **NOT** be made on the Registration Fee.

**CANCELLATIONS** must be in writing and received by August 20, 2019. Refunds on meals or activities will not be made after August 20, 2019. Please use the enclosed refund request if needed.

### MEN'S REGISTRATION

The men's registration is located on the ladies' registration form. The nobles and men of Tahuti Court No. 44 will host the men's hospitality room. The hospitality room will be open for all registered men and a registration badge is required.

## **PROGRAM AD BOOK**

When placing your advertisement on the enclosed form, please remember to write your name, title (as of August 1, 2019), court name and no. on the back of all photos for identification. In order for your advertisement to be included in the 2019 Sunshine Unit Meet program book, we must have your advertisement, photo ready, no later than August 1, 2019.

## **MARKET PLACE**

The market will be open on Friday, 8:00 am – 5:00 pm and Saturday morning, 8:00 am – 1:00 pm, for shopping and opportunities to own.

## **CASUAL DINNER - NO FEZ**

A casual welcome dinner “ **Beach Party Bingo**” will be held on Friday evening, September 20th, at 7:00 pm, with a social hour at 6:00 pm. Special entertainment will follow.

## **46TH ANNUAL SUNSHINE UNIT BUSINESS MEETING**

“It Starts With Us” Business meeting will promptly begin at 1:00 pm on Friday, September 20<sup>th</sup>.

## **EXHIBITION DRILLS**

The Exhibition Drills will be on Saturday, September 21, 2019 beginning at 1:30 pm. Drawing for positions will take place immediately following the business meeting on Friday. Rehearsal for drills will take place between 9:00 am and Noon.

## **FUN NIGHT**

The “**Get Back in the Saddle**” celebration will begin at 7:00 pm on Saturday night, September 21st. Mix and mingle starting at 6:00 pm. Western attire recommended.

## **SUNSHINE TRIBUTES**

The Sunshine Tributes are a wonderful way to let someone know how much you care and that you would like to honor them. Sunshine stickers are available for a \$2.00 donation. Please order them in advance using the enclosed form. Advance orders will be in your honoree’s registration packet with a card from you. Advance orders must be received by August 20, 2019. Additional Sunshine tributes will be available for purchase at the unit meet for a \$5.00 donation.

We look forward to seeing you in September!

Lady Vivian C. Neumann  
President, PHP





# Exhibition Drill Form



**Deadline August 20, 2019**

This form is to be completed by the UNIT LEADER of each participating Unit.

This includes walk-ons, as it is a participating Unit.

The time limit is 5 minutes.

**PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE**

Court Name \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_ City, State \_\_\_\_\_

Unit Name \_\_\_\_\_

Unit Leader's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Audio requirements: CD or Thumb drive (circle one)                      Microphone: Yes / No (circle one)

**Please label all items with:** Court Name, No., Unit Name, Unit Leader's Name  
Name of song, Artist and length of song

**Please indicate any specific details...** when your music is to start (i.e. - are you walking in to the music or starting the music once you are assembled on the floor), where mic should be placed, etc.

**THE DRAWING FOR THE POSITIONS WILL TAKE PLACE AFTER THE BUSINESS MEETING.  
EACH COURT WILL HAVE ONE UNIT PERFORM IN EACH WAVE.**

All CD's or Thumbdrives for the drill are to be turned in at the time of the drawing  
and reclaimed immediately following the drills.

**Be PREPARED - HAVE DUPLICATES OF YOUR MUSIC (No cassettes tapes will be accepted)**

**HIGH PRIESTESS NAME (AS OF MAY 2019)** \_\_\_\_\_

**TO BE ESCORTED BY:** \_\_\_\_\_ **TITLE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**GRAND OFFICER'S NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TO BE ESCORTED BY:** \_\_\_\_\_ **TITLE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: IF TAHUTI COURT NEEDS TO PROVIDE AN ESCORT FOR ANY OF YOUR OFFICERS,  
PLEASE INDICATE "NEEDS AN ESCORT" IN THE "TO BE ESCORTED BY" SPACE ABOVE.**

Return Completed Form **(after June 1<sup>st</sup>)** to:

**Lady Lori Goede**

101 S Bayshore Dr. #79

Safety Harbor, FL. 34695

813-748-3704

[wergators@aol.com](mailto:wergators@aol.com)

# AD Order Form



Deadline August 1, 2019  
(Please use a separate form for each Ad)

Full Page	4.25 x 7.0	\$65.00
Half Page	4.25 x 3.6	\$45.00
Quarter Page	4.25 x 1.5	\$30.00
Business Card	3.5 x 2.0	\$25.00

Size of Ad _____	\$ _____
<b>TOTAL (US \$)</b>	<b>\$ _____</b>

**NOTE:**

All Ads **MUST** be camera ready.  
Please provide quality photographs for best results.  
If photo needs to be returned, please put your name on the back of the photograph  
along with your Court Name and No.

COURT NAME \_\_\_\_\_ NO. \_\_\_\_\_ CITY, STATE \_\_\_\_\_

AD FOR: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT NAME \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail Form & Check to:**

All checks should be made  
payable to SUM 2019

Lady Vivian Neumann  
7155 123<sup>rd</sup> Street  
Seminole, FL 33772  
727-392-7493  
davivan@aol.com

<b>OFFICIAL USE</b>
DATE REC'D _____
AMT. REC'D _____
CHECK # _____

# SUNSHINE TRIBUTES ORDER FORM

\$2.00 per name



Deadline August 10, 2019

(This form **MUST** accompany your registration form)

**PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE**

**HONOREE NAME**

**COURT NAME & NO.**

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**CONTACT NAME** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHONE** \_\_\_\_\_

**EMAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail Form & Check with Registration:**

All checks should be made  
payable to SUM 2019

Lady Lizz Fernbacher  
P.O. Box 55129  
St. Petersburg, FL 33732



**OFFICIAL USE**

DATE REC'D \_\_\_\_\_

AMT. REC'D \_\_\_\_\_

CHECK # \_\_\_\_\_  
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It Starts With Us  
**46<sup>th</sup> Annual Sunshine Unit Meet**  
September 20 –  
21, 2019 Tentative  
Program

**Friday, September 20, 2019**

Men's Hospitality Room	8:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Registration	8:00 AM – 5:00 PM
Marketplace	8:00 AM – 5:00 PM
Business Meeting	1:00PM
Activities	3:00 PM – 4:00 PM
Social Hour	6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
Dinner 'Beach Party Bingo' – NO Fez	7:00 PM

**Saturday, September 21, 2019**

Registration	7:00 AM – 8:00 AM
Marketplace	8:00 AM – 1:00 PM
Activities	10:00 AM – 11:00 AM
Rehearsals	9:00 AM – Noon
Drills	1:30 PM
Activities	3:00 PM– 4:00 PM
Social Hour	6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
Fun Night 'Back in the Saddle'	7:00 PM

**Sunday, September 22, 2019**

Tahiti Court thanks you for attending the 46th Annual Sunshine Unit Meet and wishes you safe travels home.

**LADIES ORIENTAL SHRINE OF NORTH AMERICA  
46TH ANNUAL SUNSHINE UNIT MEET  
"IT STARTS WITH US"**



**OFFICIAL REGISTRATION FORM**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Court Name \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_ City, State \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ (h) \_\_\_\_\_ (c) \_\_\_\_\_

Men's Hospitality Name \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Ladies Registration</b> (by August 20, 2019)	\$20.00	_____
Ladies Registration (after August 21, 2019)	\$30.00	_____
<b>Men's Registration</b> (by August 20, 2019)	\$25.00	_____
Men's Registration (after August 21, 2019)	\$30.00	_____
<b>Dinner - Friday, September 20 at 7:00pm</b> Dinner selection: (1 per person) _____ Beef \$45.00 _____ Chicken \$40.00	(per person)	_____
<b>Fun Night - Saturday, September 21 at 7:00pm</b> Buffet	\$45.00 (per person)	_____
Sunshine Tributes	_____ # purchased x \$2.00	_____
Please let us know if you have a special dietary need	<b>Total Due (US \$)</b>	_____

**Mail Forms & Checks to:**  
Lady Elizabeth Fernbacher  
P.O. Box 55129  
St. Petersburg, FL 33732

**All checks should be made**  
payable to SUM 2019

OFFICIAL USE	
DATE REC'D _____	_____
AMT. REC'D _____	_____
CHECK # _____	_____
DATE REFUND REQ. _____	_____
AMT. REFUNDED <u>7</u> _____	_____
CHECK # _____	_____

**LADIES ORIENTAL SHRINE OF NORTH AMERICA  
46TH ANNUAL SUNSHINE UNIT MEET  
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**PHOTOGRAPHS FOR DRILLS**

**Tahuti Court will not have an Official Photographer at this Unit Meet, However, we will have one of our members take photos before or after the drills and email the photo to one of the Unit's Members. For this service, we will collect a \$5.00 donation that will go directly to a Shriners' Hospital.**

**If you would like this service**

**Name of Court** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Unit** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Lady receiving Picture** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address** \_\_\_\_\_



**Sunshine Unit Meet**  
**Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America, Inc.**  
**Proposed Rules and Regulations**

**Article I Name**

Section 1. The Unit Meet shall be known as the Sunshine Unit Meet

**Article II Purpose**

Section 1 To promote fellowship, provide for exhibition drills, and aid in our work for the support of the Shriners Hospitals for Children

**Article III Jurisdiction**

Section 1 Organized Courts in the Southeastern States of the United States are eligible for membership. Southeastern States shall consist of Florida, Georgia, Alabama, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Tennessee.

**Article IV Meetings**

Section 1 The Sunshine Unit Meet shall be held annually in September, October or November. A change in date may be authorized by a majority vote of the members present at a regular business meeting of the Sunshine Unit Meet.

Section 2 Date of the Unit Meet must be approved by the Grand Officer who will be Grand High Priestess at the time of the Meet. After approval, a dispensation must be obtained from the Grand Recorder after May of the year the Meet is to be held by the Hostess Court with the Seal of the Court.

Section 3 Unit Meet Business Meeting to be held at the discretion of the Hostess Court, at which time all business will be transacted.

**Article V Membership**

Section 1 Only Members in good standing of the Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America, Inc. shall be eligible to participate

**Article VI Officers and Duties**

Section 1 Grand Directress: Must be a Past or Present Grand Officer and shall be elected by the Units of the Hostess Court. She shall be advised of all proceedings and receive a copy of all minutes.

Section 2 President: Shall be a member of and elected by the Units of the Hostess Court and elected at the Unit Meet. She will conduct all meetings, oversee all preparations and appoint committees as necessary.

Section 3 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President: Shall be a member of and elected by the Units of the Hostess Court and elected at the Unit Meet. She is to assist the President and in the absence of the President assume her duties.

Section 4 Secretary: Shall be a member of and elected by the units of the Hostess Court and elected at the Unit Meet, shall keep an accurate record of all Unit Meet Business Meetings and a true account of all transactions.

Section 5 Treasurer: Shall be a member of and elected by the Units of the Hostess Court and elected at the Unit Meet, shall keep an accurate record of all revenue received, issue all checks, and pay all bills. She must make a full and complete financial report to the Hostess Court within ninety days of the Meet, said report to become part of the minutes of the Hostess Court Meeting. A copy of the same to be sent to the Grand High Priestess for inspection within ninety days after the Meet.

**Article VII Selection of Site**

Section 1 The Selection of the Hostess Court for the next year(s) shall be determined by a majority vote of the members present at the Business Meeting of the Sunshine Unit Meet from the bids presented. Any court having units within the jurisdiction of the Sunshine Unit Meet may bid to hold a Unit Meet.

Section 2 The succeeding Court in numerical order shall submit a bid in writing prior to the date of the Unit Meet, signifying a majority vote of the court. This bid is to be presented at the Business Meeting. The bid must conform to the specifications of "BID-PROPER-BID" as detailed in Instructions and Formats for Secretaries and Treasurers of Units, Clubs, Classes, Associations, Unit Meets and/or Grand Council Sessions. Copies of the packet shall be sent to the Grand Directress and President six (6) months prior to the current Meet.

Section 3 Acceptance of the bid to be by majority of the members present at the Unit Meet Business Meeting.

**Article VIII Duties and Responsibilities of the Hostess Court**

Section 1 The Official Packet will be sent out no earlier than April 15<sup>th</sup> and no later than May 30<sup>th</sup> to all courts in the Sunshine Unit Meet.

Section 2 Expenses of the Grand Directress for Registration Fee, Housing for two (2) nights, Dinner, Breakfast and Fun Night to be paid by the Hostess Court.

Section 3 Should the Grand High Priestess attend the Unit Meet expenses for Registration Fee, Housing for two (2) nights, Dinner, Breakfast and Fun Night to be paid by the Hostess Court.

Section 4 The Secretary’s book of the Current Unit Meet, along with a copy of the current Rules and Regulations, will be sent to the President of the next scheduled Unit Meet within ninety (90) days of the Unit Meet, after final Inspection of the Grand High Priestess.

**Article IX Registration Fee**

Section 1 Registration fee for Ladies will be \$ 20.00 per member. There will be a \$10.00 late fee charged after the announced date of closing registration. \$2.00 of the Registration Fee is to be submitted to the Grand Recorder within thirty (30) days from the date of the Meet.

Section 2 Cancellation requests not received in writing and postmarked no later than fourteen (14) days prior to the start of the annual SSUM shall be forfeited. ALL cancellations shall be subject to a \$5.00 service fee. In the event of a death or serious illness, cancellations will be accepted during the fourteen (14) days prior to the SSUM. Any request received after the deadline will be subjected to the discretion of the SSUM host Court Units.

**Article X Rules**

Section 1 All members participating in the exhibition drills must register

Section 2 A copy of the current SSUM Rules and Regulations shall be included in the Registration Packet

Section 3 Candidates for Grand Outer Guard may place an ad in the Sunshine Unit Meet Packet at their expense.

Section 4 All Courts must be represented by one (1) Unit on the floor at the exhibition drills, excluding the Hostess Court, before Second, Third or Fourth Unit of any Court may perform. The Hostess Court shall allow practice time for the visiting units.

Section 5 The Sunshine Unit Meet must conform to the Rules and Regulations for Organized Unit Meets as stated in Article XXIII of the Bylaws and Code of Government of Subordinate Courts of the Grand Council of the Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America, Inc.

Section 6 No Subordinate Court, Units. Clubs, Class, or Association will be allowed to sell items at the SSUM, including from their hotel room, unless they become a vendor, and have met the same requirements as other Vendors of the Meet. Their items shall be displayed and sold only in assigned Vendor’s area.

**Article XI Amendments**

Section 1 Changes and/or additions to these Rules and Regulations must be submitted to the Hostess Court Prior to the announced date of the closing registration

Section 2 Any changes and/or additions may be made to the Sunshine Unit Meet Rules and Regulations by a majority vote of the members present at a regular Business Meeting

Rules and Regulations Committee  
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Approved by Tahuti Court No 44  
\_\_\_\_\_  
High Priestess  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Recorder

Please submit any proposed changes to Lady Carol Sue Roberts, Grand Directress, Past Grand High Priestess, before September 6, 2019  
Carol Sue Roberts  
2826 Tarragona Way  
Wesley Chapel, FL 33542