

GENERAL INFORMATION

Hotel Reservations

Make room reservations directly with the Crowne Plaza Columbus North-Worthington, 6500 Doubletree Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43229 by phone at 614-885-1885 select option #2. When making reservations reference the code **"AH5"** or **Amaranth Grand Court** to obtain the special group rate of \$99.00 plus tax per night. Deadline for reservations 4/29/2020

Air Travel

The nearest airport is John Glenn International Airport. Hotel shuttle only runs to this airport.

Grand Officers

Memorize charges for opening of Grand Court (pages 236-249) and memorial service. Please notify the Grand Royal Matron in writing no later than May 1, 2020, if you cannot attend rehearsals or the session.

Dress Code:

Honored Ladies: Please wear your Grand Court dress and long gloves. For Necrology and Memorial wear white floor length formal and white gloves.

Sir Knights: Wear black tuxedos with white shirts.

Royal Matrons: Bring your crown

Royal Patrons: Bring your sword & white gloves.

Junior Past Royal Matrons: Bring floor length white gown for Necrology.

Junior Past Royal Patrons: Bring your sword & white gloves for Necrology.

Dinner Tickets

A separate form is enclosed for all formal meals.

Reservation deadline 04/29/2020.

REGISTRATION

H.L. Diana Coleman, Chairman

Wednesday - May 20 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

Thursday - May 21 9:00 A.M. to 11:30 A.M.

2:00 P.M. to 3:00 P.M.

Friday - May 22 8:00 A.M. to 9:30 A.M.

1:00 P.M. to 2:00 P.M.

Saturday - May 23 8:00 A.M. to 9:00 A.M.

CREDENTIALS

H.L. Jill Smurthwaite, Chairman

Wednesday - May 20 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

Thursday - May 21 9:00 A.M. to 11:30 A.M.

2:00 P.M. to 3:00 P.M.

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Credential Card, properly signed, must be presented with current dues card to Credential Committee only by person whose name appears on Credential Card.

Admission to Grand Court by 2020 Dues Card. Sir Knight's must show their current Blue Lodge membership card.

Donation of \$10.00 will be accepted by Registration Committee.

We invite all visiting Grand Royal Matrons, Grand Royal Patrons, Past Supreme Royal Matrons, Past Supreme Royal Patrons, Supreme Floor Officers, Grand Representatives to Ohio and "High Flyers" to share the Throne.

REPORTS

All reports, welcomes, responses and addresses are to be typewritten, 4 copies, minimum 10 point font, on 8.5"x11" paper and presented to the Addresses and Distributions Committee Chairman, HL Lana Carnes by May 20, 2020. Please have a copy of your report in hand and ready to give when called upon.

BADGES

Please turn in all badges to S.K. Henry Madinger Chairman of Grand Trustees by noon Saturday May 23, 2020.

GRAND COURT OF OHIO ORDER OF THE AMARANTH



Extends Fraternal Greetings and
Cordially Invites You to attend the

Ninety-Eighth Annual Session

"Believe in Amaranth" Session

May 21, 22, & 23, 2020

**Crowne Plaza Columbus North-
Worthington**

6500 Doubletree Avenue
Columbus, Ohio 43229
Phone: 614-885-1885

*H.L. Michelle Rognon
Grand Royal Matron*

*S.K. Allen French
Grand Royal Patron*

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HL Sheila Turner, DSRM
Session Chairman
HL Sharon Ross, DSRM, & HL Vicki Miller,
DSRM Session Co-Chairmen

**“Believe in Amaranth ”
Session Rehearsals**

(No pant suits, slacks, split skirts or shorts in Court Room)

PLEASE BE PROMPT

Rehearsals are under the direction of H.L. Janet Teschler, Grand Lecturer Only those practicing will be allowed in the room during the rehearsals except for the decorating committee.

Wednesday, May 20, 2020

- 6:15 P.M. Bible Ceremony
Honor Guard
Grand Conductresses
- 6:30 P.M. Grand Conductresses,
Grand Marshals, and
Grand Standard Bearer
- 7:15 P.M. Coronation
Gr. Conductresses,
Gr. Marshals,
Gr. Sword Bearer,
Gr. Crown Bearer,
Gr. Page,
Gr. Standard Bearer,
Grand Royal Matron,
Grand Royal Patron

8-10 P.M. Meet and Greet **Cardinal Room**

Thursday, May 21, 2020

- 8:00 A.M. All Grand Floor Officers
- 9:30 A.M. Memorial Service
Grand Ladies of the Square,
Grand Prelate, Grand Marshals,
Grand Conductresses & Eulogist
- 10:00 A.M. Necrology
- 11:00 A.M. Pages and Assistant Sentinels Drill directed by H.L. Sheila Turner, Gr Page; S.K. Gary Ronshausen, Sr., Gr Sentinel; Jr. Past Royal Matrons and Jr. Past Royal Patrons
- 12:30 P.M. Luncheon honoring the Past Grand Royal Matrons and Past Grand Royal Patrons and travel companions. Closed to the above only.

**Tentative Schedule
Thursday, May 21, 2020**

- 3:45 P.M. Musical Prelude & Bible Ceremony
- 4:00 P.M. Informal & Formal — Ritualistic Opening of the 98th Grand Court Session
Escort
Call to Recreation
- 6:00-7:00 P.M. **Dignitaries Reception
Foyer 2**
- 7:15 P.M. **Informal Masonic Family Session
Escort of Distinguished Guests**
Welcomes
Remarks - Distinguished Guests
Presentation of Scholarships
Presentation of Diabetes project

Friday, May 22, 2020

- 8:15 A.M. Musical Prelude
- 8:30 A.M. Call to Order
Reports
- 10:00 A.M. Election of Officers
Call to Recreation
- 11:30 A.M. Chuckwagon Luncheon—Cardinal Room
- 12:45 P.M. Musical Prelude
- 1:00 P.M. Call to Order
Business & Reports
Necrology and Memorial
Call to Recreation
- 6:30 P.M. “The Butterfly Connection” **Banquet**
Honoring Grand Royal Matron, Grand Royal Patron, Supreme Associate
Conductress, Entertainment, **Pavilion**

**Tentative Schedule Con’t
Saturday, May 23, 2020**

- 7:00 A.M. “O-H-I-O” Breakfast,
Buckeye Room
- 8:15 A.M. Musical Prelude
- 8:30 A.M. Call to Order
Escort
General Business
Remarks
Call to Recreation
- 1:00 P.M. “United We Stand” Luncheon
- 2:00 P.M. Afternoon session only if necessary.
Otherwise,
Rehearsals for Uncrowning and
Installation of Officers
Times to be announced before luncheon.
- 7:00 P.M. Musical Prelude
Call to Order
Uncrowning
2019-2020 Officers Retiring March
Installation of 2020-2021 Grand Officers
Coronation
Closing of 98th Grand Court Session

Reception, Foyer 2

Sunday, May 24, 2020

- 9:00 A.M. Church Service,
CARDINAL ROOM
- 10:00 A.M. Grand Trustees Meeting
Cardinal Room