



*Daughters of Penelope
District 20
December 2023 Bulletin*



As we prepare to enjoy the Holiday Season this year, let us also be mindful of the freedoms we enjoy in our country; our ability to determine family traditions; and the relative safety of our homes and communities. As I did last month, pray for peace in our world among all people. I wish you the Happiest Christmas and Joy in the New Year. District Governor Carol S.

HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Requesting all chapter delegate/alternate reporting forms to be submitted earlier this time - by **March 1, 2024** to accommodate the 2024 Supreme Convention in Larnaca, Cyprus. Also, hotel reservations must be submitted soon for room assignments in Cyprus. All hotel accommodations are being handled by AHEPA Headquarters. Ahepa.org

As part of the Growth and Expansion program, there will NOT be a reinstatement fee of \$15 assessed for delinquent members. This applies for the entire 2023-2024 yr.

Earlier this year, Headquarters requested chapter information regarding 990N IRS reporting. Every chapter that has a checking or savings account must complete a brief questionnaire regarding their TIN or EIN number assigned by the IRS. The questionnaire also requires a signature to allow headquarters to file the annual reporting card for your chapter. Make sure the questionnaire for your chapter has been completed and sent to HQ.

NEWS FROM THE DISTRICT:

Mark your Calendars – Send in your Registration Forms:

Jan. 27, 2024 - Winter Conference, Long Beach, CA. Our Grand Governor Linda Belba will be joining us for an informative and wonderful conference. We will be working on agendas and minutes preparation. **(Registration and AD Book Form Attached below – single page form for both.)**

Annual District Raffle Ticket Distribution

Anyone need more raffle tickets? Prizes: \$250, \$150, and \$100. Tickets: \$5 for one, \$20 for a booklet of five. Winner will be drawn at the Winter Conference in Long Beach, January 27, 2024. Contact Lt. Governor Linda Kotsakis at tislife@cox.net for more info.

June 9-10-11, 2024 - WRDC Reno, Nevada. Western Regional Districts Convention is in all stages of planning for your enjoyment in Reno. All forms available at ahepadistrict20.org

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**El Camino Real District 20
Mid-Winter Conference
January 27, 2024**

**Assumption Cultural Center
5761 E. Colorado Street
Long Beach, CA 90814**

Registration Check in Begins at 8am and Conference at 9am

- _____ \$20.00/Conference Registration.
- _____ \$20.00/Luncheon, held at the church – 12 pm Saturday.
- _____ \$100.00/Include a Chapter or personal full-page ad in conference program.
- _____ \$60.00/Include a Chapter or personal half-page ad in conference program.

Electronic submission of camera-ready ads is accepted in jpeg or pdf.

E-mail to: wstorton@gmail.com

Conference registrations and ads requested by January 5th, 2024

Name _____ Alt (PDG...) _____ Chapter # _____

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AHEPA _____ DOP _____ SOP _____ MOA _____ GUEST _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____ Email Address _____

Make checks payable to Minos #159

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