

2024 TEXAS SHRINE ASSOCIATION SUMMER CEREMONIAL JUNE 5-8, 2024 SAN ANGELO, TEXAS

TSA President: Kim Williamson Suez Shrine Potentate Phone: 325-668-8238 Director General: Joel Lemley Suez Shrine P.P. 2022 Phone: 325-668-3552

To: All Texas Shrine Centers Attn: Recorders

The Suez Shrine is excited about hosting this year's 90th Annual Ceremonial of The Texas Shrine Association. This year's session is scheduled for June 5-8, 2024, in San Angelo, TX. The information attached includes Registration, Schedules, Information and Directions to all events. Included in this packet is a questionnaire that will assist in making this Ceremonial a more memorable experience for you and your Lady. We are asking each Temple to invite your Nobles, Club and Units for a great time, competition, and catching up with old and new friends. Most events will be held at the McNease Convention Center located 501 Rio Concho Dr. in San Angelo.

Registration:

All Nobles must pre-register to participate in scheduled TSA events. The Registration Fee is \$100 per Noble or \$125 if accompanied by his Lady. Badges will be issued at registration and must be worn at all events. Any competitor without a registration badge will be ineligible for competition or TSA meals. A non-refundable advance registration fee of \$1500 from each Temple is due by May 1, 2024, and will be applied to the total amount of registration fees received. Temples will be invoiced for the balance (if any). Nobles not pre-registered may register at the Suez Shrine Temple located at 2915 Loop 306 in San Angelo. All registrations fees are not refundable. Photos of your Elected Divan are due by May 1, 2024.

Unit Competitions:

All units from your Temple that will be competing need to be included in your questionnaire. Planning for competitions cannot be completed until this information is submitted. A schedule will be sent to each Shrine Temple prior to TSA 2024. All State Associations and Units planning to compete must register their competition and time requirements no later than May 1, 2024.

Counterparts/Cabiri Dinner:

There will be a Counterparts Dinner for Divan, Past Potentates, and Imperial Dignitaries on Wednesday June 5, from 6-10PM at the Suez Shrine Temple. The cost is \$50 per person or \$100 per couple. Dress is Counterparts Casual. **This is a ticketed event.**

Headquarters and Contact:

TSA Headquarters will be at the Suez Shrine Temple located at 2915 Loop 306. Phone number is 325-949-0551. Contact Director General Joel Lemley at 325-668-3552.

State Unit Breakfast:

State Units may hold breakfast either Friday or Saturday. If you want this information included in the Official Program, send the time and place by May 1st. to Director General Joel Lemley: <u>sueztemple@outlook.com</u>

Trophies:

TSA does not pay for competition trophies. Trophies will be provided by TSA only if requested by the individual State Unit Associations. The deadline for requesting trophies is May 1, 2024. Email your request to:

Joel Lemley Director General Email: sueztemple@outlook.com

Texas VIP Brunch:

The VIP Brunch will be held at the McNease Convention Center from 9:30am-11am on Thursday 6, 2024. The VIP Brunch will be for Imperial Officers, Past Imperial Officers, Potentates, Past Potentates, Shrine Divans Distinguished guests and their Ladies. **Name badge needed for entry.**

Nobility Luau:

The Nobility Luau will be Thursday evening at the Suez Shrine Temple in San Angelo, TX. 6:00pm-7:00pm Social Hour and Cash Bar

6:45pm Potentate, their Ladies, Past TSA Officers, Imperial Officers, their Ladies are requested to line up for introductions to the Nobility at 7:00pm.

Dress for the Luau will be Hawaiian Shirts, shorts, and flip flops.

The cost per person is \$35 or \$70 per couple. This is a Ticketed event.

TSA Opening Ceremonies/Business Meeting

TSA Opening Ceremonies will be held Thursday June 6, 2024, at the McNease Convention Center 501 Rio Concho Dr. in San Angelo, TX. Opening ceremonies begin at 11:00am-3pm. The dress is Coat Tie Fez and Jewel.

Parade Marshal's Meeting:

A Parade Marshal's meeting will be held following the completion of the Business Meeting at the McNease Convention Center in a room to be announced. Please have your Parade requirements or special request presented to the TSA Parade Marshall. Parade Marshall will inform you of time lineup format and route.

TSA Parade Marshall: Josh Scott 325-450-3928

Golf Tournament: (TSGA)Practice, Round 1, and Round 2 will be held at Quicksand Golf Course 2305 Pulliam Street in San Angleo, TX

TSA Golf Chairman: Sheldon Claborn 830-370-0507

Shotgun Tournament: (TSSSA)

Practice and competition will be held at the San Angelo Claybird Association Range located at 13525 Duncan Rd. San Angelo, TX.

TSA Shotgun Tournament Chairman: Carl Shanks 432-967-1032

Provost Guard Competition: (TSPGA)

Practice and competition will be held at the San Angleo Gun Club range located at 2827 Winger Rd. San Angelo, TX

Provost Guard Chairman: Carl Shanks 432-967-1032

Clown Competition: (TSCA)

Meetings and competitions will be held at the McNease Convention Center 501 Rio Concho Drive San Angelo, TX.

TSA Clown Competition Chairman: Steve Shepard 325-829-6719

Motor Patol Units: (TSMPA)

Practice and Competitions will be held at the San Angleo Athletic Complex located at 2920 Johnson Rd. Storage if needed will be at this location also. Check with Chairman on lock up and opening times.

Motorized Unit Chairman: Donnie Vanadore 325-280-9442

Oriental Band and Shrine Band Competition: (TSOBA) (TSBA)

Practice and Competition will be held at the McNease Convention Center 501 Rio Concho Dr. San Angleo, TX.

Oriental Band Chairman: Harvey Kaase 325-647-7671/Carl Smith 325-200-5125

Home Brewers: (TSHBA)

Turn in, meeting, election of officers and Competition will be held at the Suez Shrine Temple 2915 Loop 306 San Angelo, TX

Home Brewers Chairman: Michael Sherman 325-260-6849

Director Staff: (TSDA)

Meetings and competition of the Texas Director Staff will be held at the McNease Convention Center 501 Rio Concho Drive San Angelo, TX.

Directors Staff Chairman: C Dale Sullins 432-553-5661

Foot Patrol: (TSPA)

Practice and competition will be held at the McNease Convention Center 501 Rio Concho Dr. San Angleo, TX.

Foot Patrol Chairman: Rick Twombly 682-301-2242

Legion of Honor: (TALOH)

Meetings and competitions will be held at the McNease Convention Center 501 Rio Concho Dr San Angelo, TX.

Legion of Honor Chairman: Ken Prescott 325-212-9899

Awards Luncheon:

Following the parade on Saturday, Nobles and Ladies can gather at the McNease Convention Center for a brief luncheon and be a part of the closing ceremonies of the Summer Ceremonial. Winners of competitions will be announced, and awards presented. New 2024-2025 TSA Officers will be installed. This is a ticket event. Only one ticket will be issued per Noble. Extra tickets will be \$15 each.



TSA SUMMER CEREMONIAL HOTEL INFORMATION JUNE 5-8, 2024

SPRINGHILL SUITES BY MARRIOTT

2544 Southwest Blvd San Angelo, TX 76901 325-949-6900 Room Rate: \$119 Link: TXSA Summer Ceremonial

Fairfield Inn and Suites by Marriott

1459 Knickerbocker San Angelo, TX 76094 325-482-8400 Room Rate: \$114 Link: TSA Ceremonial Session June 2024

Holiday Inn Express

4613 West Houston Harte San Angleo, TX 76904 325-223-2200 Room Rate: \$114 Name:

AmericInn

2580 Southwest Drive San Angleo, TX 325-718-2306 Room Rate: \$109 Link: Suez Shriners TSA

Additional Hotel in the Area

Courtyard by Marriott

2572 Southwest Blvd San Angelo, TX 76901 325-703-6400

Staybridge Suites

1355 Knickerbocker Rd San Angelo, TX 325-653-1500