



Chios Societies of the Americas and Canada, Inc.

54th NATIONAL CONVENTION



OCTOBER 10-11-12, 2008

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Αγαπητοί Συμπατριώτες Χιώτες και Φίλοι,

Ο Χιακός Σύλλογος του Warren, Ohio «Αγία Μαρκέλλα» είναι στην ευχάριστη θέση να σας ανακοινώσει ότι θα είναι ο οικοδεσπότης και διοργανωτής του 54^{ου} Ετήσιου Συνεδρίου των Ηνωμένων Χιακών Σωματείων Αμερικής και Καναδά το οποίο θα λάβει χώρα στις 10,11 και 12 Οκτωβρίου 2008. Για μια ακόμη φορά προετοιμάζουμε ένα αξέχαστο και διασκεδαστικό Σαββατοκύριακο με μουσικούς από την Ελλάδα, γκόλφ σε παγκοσμίου φήμης τοποθεσία, ημερήσια εκδρομή στο Stations Square και Mount Washington του Pittsburgh, την οποία διοργανώνει ο τοπικός Χιακός Σύλλογος «Πρόοδος», και πολλές άλλες δραστηριότητες. Θα είναι τιμή μας να σας έχουμε εσάς, την οικογένεια και τους φίλους σας στο 54^ο Συνέδριό μας.

Την Παρασκευή θα έχουμε μια αξέχαστη βραδιά με τον Λευτέρη Μπουρνιά στο κλαρίνο και τον Βασίλη Πατρική στο βιολί. Η τιμή των εισιτηρίων είναι \$20 για τους ενήλικες και \$15 για τα παιδιά κάτω των 18 ετών.

Το Σάββατο για την διασκέδασή μας θα είναι κοντά μας διάσημη ορχήστρα από την Ελλάδα. Ετοιμαστείτε να υποδεχθείτε τους:

Μάκη Χριστοδουλόπουλο

Ευδοκία Πουλάκη

Μάκη Μπέκο – Κλαρίνο

Θεοδωράκη Καμπουρίδη – Μπουζούκι

και την ορχήστρα του Μάκη Χριστοδουλόπουλου

Η τιμή των εισιτηρίων είναι \$90 για τους ενήλικες και \$50 για τα παιδιά κάτω των 12 ετών για το δείπνο και τον χορό. Εισιτήρια μόνο για το χορό διατίθενται στην τιμή των \$60 για τους ενήλικες και \$40 για τα παιδιά κάτω των 18 ετών. Τα εισιτήρια για το δείπνο σας εξασφαλίζουν προνομιακές θέσεις στον χορό. Σας παρακαλούμε να διατηρήσετε τα εισιτήρια σας μέχρι τις 3 Οκτωβρίου.

Για την εξυπηρέτησή σας μια σειρά από δωμάτια έχουν κρατηθεί για το συνέδριο στο Avalon Inn Resort and Conference Center (330) 856-1900. Η τιμή του δωματίου είναι \$89.00 την βραδιά, μέχρι τις 26 Σεπτεμβρίου.

Ανυπομονούμε να σας δούμε όλους τον Οκτώβριο και αναμένουμε την συμμετοχή και υποστήριξή σας. Σας ευχαριστούμε εκ των προτέρων που βοηθάτε το Σύλλογο του Warren να διοργανώσει ένα αξέχαστο Συνέδριο.

Με πατριωτικούς χαιρετισμούς,

Άννα Χαλκιά, Υπεύθυνη Δημόσιων Σχέσεων

Ευάγγελος Ζουμάς, Πρόεδρος του
Χιακού Συλλόγου του Warren, Ohio

Παρασκευή Ζουμά, Πρόεδρος Επιτροπής Συνεδρίου (330) 372-3547



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Dear Fellow Chians and Friends,

The Chios Society "Agia Markella" of Warren, Ohio is happy to announce that they will be hosting the 54th National Chian Convention on October 10, 11, 12, 2008. We are once again planning a memorable and fun-filled weekend featuring music from Greece, golfing at a world class location, a day trip to Stations Square and Mount Washington in Pittsburgh organized by the Chios Society "Proodos" of Greater Pittsburgh, and many more social activities. We will be honored to have you, your family and friends attend this 54th National Chian Convention.

Friday night will be a great time with Lefteris Bournias from New York on the clarinet and Vasilis Patrikis on the violin. Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$15 for 18 years and under.

Saturday night will be fabulous with a world-renowned band straight from Greece. Get ready to welcome:

Makis Christodoulopoulos

Evdokia Poulakis

Makis Bekos – Soloist Clarino

**Theodorakis Kambouridis – Soloist Bouzouki
and the Christodoulopoulos band**

Tickets for the dinner and dance will be \$90 for adults and \$50 for 12 years and under. Tickets for the dance only will be \$60 for adults and \$40 for 18 years and under. The dinner ticket will guarantee preferred seating at the dance. Please reserve your tickets by Friday, October 3rd.

A block of rooms have been reserved for the convention at the Avalon Inn Resort and Conference Center (330) 856-1900. The deadline for the preferred room rate of \$89.00 is Friday, September 26th.

We look forward to seeing you all in October. Thank you for helping Warren make this a memorable affair.

Sincerely,

Anna Halkias, Publicity Committee

Angelo Zoumas, President
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Vivian Zoumas, Convention Chairperson
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Host Hotel: The Avalon Inn & Conference Center, Tel: 330-856-1900

9519 East Market St (Howland Area), Warren, Ohio 44484

136 Well-Appointed Guest Rooms, State-of-the-Art Meeting and Banquet Facilities

Indoor Junior Olympic-Sized Pool, Indoor/Outdoor Tennis, Fitness Center,

Old Avalon Golf Course (home course of Avalon Inn) and much more

Please mention: Chios Convention to receive the \$89.00 rate (Deadline Fri, September 26).

For more info: www.avaloninn.com

Dances & Grand Banquet: St. Demetrios Youth Center, 3223 Atlantic Street NE, Warren, Ohio 44483

Sunday Morning Services: St. Demetrios Greek Orthodox Church, 429 High Street NE, Warren, Ohio 44481

For Visitors and Travelers info: www.warren.org/visitors.htm

Friday, October 10, 2008

6:00 PM – 9:00 PM Registration and Welcome Avalon Inn
 9:00 PM Chiotiko Glendi St. Demetrios Youth Center
 Music with Lefteris Bournias, Clarinet & Vasilis Patrikis, Violin

Saturday, October 11, 2008

9:30AM Delegate Registration & Breakfast for the Delegates Avalon Inn
 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM CSA&C Delegate Meetings Avalon Inn
 Luncheon for the Delegates Avalon Inn
 8:45 AM – 3:30 PM Optional tour to Pittsburgh, PA for **non-delegates**
Bus departs Avalon Inn at 9:00AM Organized by the members of the Chios Society "Proodos" of Greater Pittsburgh who will accompany the guests on a guided tour of **Stations Square** and **Mount Washington**

Grand Banquet

6:00-7:00 PM Cocktail Hour..... Avalon Inn
 7:00 PM – 9:30 PM Official Program, Presentations..... Avalon Inn
 9:30 PM Dance St. Demetrios Youth Center

Directly from Greece: Makis Christodoulopoulos and his band

with Evdokia Poulakis, Makis Bekos – Soloist Clarino
 Theodorakis Kambouridis – Soloist Bouzouki

Sunday, October 12, 2008

10:00AM – 12:00 PM Divine Liturgy..... St. Demetrios Church
 Doxology/Swearing in of new CSA&C officers
 Coffee/Farewell Reception..... St. Demetrios Church Hall

For advanced dinner/dance reservations, please send and make checks payable by FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3rd, 2008 to: Chios Society "Agia Markella," P.O. Box 883, Warren, OH 44482

Name of Family: _____
 Last Name First Name Telephone

Address: _____
 Street City State Zip Code

E-Mail: _____

	Quantity	Total
* Friday, October 10, Chiotiko Glendi	adult \$20 x _____	= _____
	Under 18yr old \$15 x _____	= _____
* Saturday, October 11, Grand Banquet (Dinner/Dance)	adult \$90 x _____	= _____
	Under 12yr old \$50 x _____	= _____
* Saturday, October 11, Grand Banquet (Dance Only)	adult \$60 x _____	= _____
	Under 18yr old \$40 x _____	= _____



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Directions from: Cleveland Airport Distance: 71.5 miles; Time: 1 hour 21 mins (approx.)

Take **I-71 S** toward **COLUMBUS** - go **4.3** mi
Take exit **#233/OHIO TPKE/YOUNGSTOWN/TOLEDO** onto **I-80 E** (Toll applies) - go **47.8** mi
Take exit **#209/OH-5** onto **OHIO TPKE** (Toll applies) - go **0.5** mi
Take ramp **LEFT** onto **STATE ROUTE 5(OH-5 E)** toward **WARREN** (Toll applies) - go **2.2** mi
Continue on **OH-5** - go **9.3** mi
Continue on **OH-82 E** - go **4.6** mi
Bear **LEFT** on a local road
Bear **LEFT** on **HOWLAND WILSON RD SE** - go **0.5** mi
Turn **RIGHT** on **E MARKET ST** - go **0.6** mi
Arrive at **9519 E MARKET ST, WARREN (Left Side)**



For Visitors and Travelers info:

www.warren.org/visitors.htm
www.exploretrumbullcounty.com
www.positivelycleveland.com
www.visitpittsburgh.com
www.stationsquare.com
www.tinangelpittsburgh.com

Directions from: Pittsburgh Airport Distance: 70.8 miles; Time: 1 hour 16 mins (approx.)

Start going toward the **AIRPORT EXIT** on **AIRPORT BLVD** - go **1.5** mi
Take ramp onto **PA-60 N** toward **MOON/BEAVER/PENN TURNPIKE WEST/CARGO** - go **21.6** mi
Continue on **PA-60-TOLL N** toward **NEW CASTLE** (Toll applies) - go **5.7** mi
Take exit **#33/I-76 W** toward **PENN TURNPIKE/OHIO** (Toll applies) - go **17.3** mi
Take exit **#234/I-680 N** onto **I-680 N** (Toll applies) - go **13.7** mi
Take exit **#3A/GIRARD (I-80)/NEW YORK** onto **OH-711 N** - go **2.8** mi
Take the **ASHTABULA (OH-11)/WARREN** exit **LEFT** onto **OH-11 N** - go **5.8** mi
Take the **WARREN** exit **LEFT** onto **OH-82 W** - go **1.3** mi
Turn **RIGHT** on **HOWLAND WILSON RD SE** - go **0.5** mi
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DAY TRIP TO PITTSBURGH

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2008

The Chios Society "Proodos" of Greater Pittsburgh has organized a guided tour of Station Square and the incline to Mount Washington for all participants of the convention who are available during the day on Saturday.

Shopping will be available at Station Square Shops and lunch is being offered at the "Tin Angel" Restaurant on Mount Washington overlooking Downtown Pittsburgh.

The bus will depart the Avalon Inn at 9:00 a.m. Everyone interested in going should be in front of the hotel at 8:45 a.m. The bus will leave Pittsburgh for the return trip at 3:30 p.m.

Please make your reservations at least one week in advance of the convention. If you would like more information, please contact Sophia Funtulis at 330.718.1949 or Effie Kilantonis at 412.831.3291.

The cost of the bus will be \$20 per person. This does not include lunch or the incline fee of \$1.75.

Name _____

Cell Phone Number _____

Number of People _____ X \$20.00 _____

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