

February 14, 2019

Hello Rainbow –

That's right, we are going to the Philippines for their 19th Grand Assembly sessions at the Bayview Park Hotel Manila and the Grand Lodge from May 31, 2019 to June 2, 2019 plus a few days before and after to tour the area.

The costs for Philippines Grand Assembly include:

- Grand Assembly Registration
- Hotel Housekeeping Gratuity
- Transportation and Tour /Fun expenses
- All meals while in Manila and at Grand Assembly
- Accommodations for 7 nights based on 3 per room at the Bayview Park Hotel Manila 1118 Roxas Boulevard (corner United Nations Avenue) Manila, 1000, Philippines

The items listed above total \$600.00 per person. The only other money you will need to bring is your own spending money for souvenirs, etc. A full accounting of the trip will be done and any money left over at the end of the trip will go back to the travelers.

AIRLINE TRANSPORTATION – via Asiana Airlines

To Manila (MNL), we will arrive at 11:00pm on Wednesday May 29, 2019

From Manila (MNL) we will depart at 12:15pm on Wednesday June 5, 2019

If traveling from another city, please get to one of these locations and then travel to Manila –

- From Las Vegas (LAS) – depart Tuesday May 28th at 9:00am – round trip approx. cost \$1,400.00
- From Seattle (SEA) – depart Tuesday May 28th at 1:55pm – round trip approx. cost \$1,250.00
- From Los Angeles (LAX) – depart Tues May 28th at 12:10pm – round trip approx. cost \$1,100.00

SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

May 28, 2019 (Tuesday)

Depart from LAX / SEA /LAS

May 29, 2019 (Wednesday)

Arrive in Manila at 11:00pm

May 30, 2019 (Thursday)

Morning – breakfast at hotel / unpack

2:00pm to 4:00pm - community Service Project for Street Children near Museo Pambata

Evening – dinner and relax

May 31, 2019 (Friday)

Morning – breakfast, get registration packets and tour the city

Noon – Lunch

2:00pm to 3:00pm - Bus Transfer to the Grand Lodge

3:00pm to 5:00pm - Team Building of Active Members at the GLP grounds, GCC Investiture and Banquet at Jose Abad Santos Hall

5:00pm to 7:00pm - Formal Opening of the 19th Grand Session at Jose Abad Santos Hall

7:00pm to 9:00pm - Grand Worthy Advisor's Night at Emilio Aguinaldo Hall

9:00pm onwards - Bus Transfer to Bayview Park Hotel

June 1, 2019 (Saturday)

6:00am to 7:30am - Breakfast and Bus Transfer to the Grand Lodge

7:30am to 9:30am - Ritualistic Competitions at Jose Abad Santos Hall & Quiz Bee at the Emilio Aguinaldo Hall

9:00am to 10:00am - Snacks

10:00am to 12:30pm - Ritualistic Exemplification & GA Announcements at Jose Abad Santos Hall



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ONWARD AND UPWARD IN LOVE AND SERVICE
GRAND TERM 2017-2019

19TH GRAND SESSION

GRAND ASSEMBLY OF THE PHILIPPINES
INTERNATIONAL ORDER OF THE RAINBOW FOR GIRLS
MAY 31 TO JUNE 2, 2019 | CITY OF MANILA, PHILIPPINES

12:30pm to 1:30pm - Lunch at Emilio Aguinaldo Hall
1:30pm to 2:30pm - Practice for the Grand Installation
2:30pm to 3:00pm Snacks and Reception of Guests for the Grand Installation
3:00pm to 6:00pm- Grand Installation at Jose Abad Santos Hall
6:00pm to 9:00pm- Majority's Night at Emilio Aguinaldo Hall
9:00pm onwards Bus Transfer to Jose Abad Santos Hall

June 2, 2019 (Sunday)

6:00am to 8:00am - Breakfast
8:00am to 9:00am - Devotional Service at Bayview Park Hotel
9:00am to 11:00am - Mixer with the Grand Officers of the 20th Grand Assembly, Rainbow Swappies and Merchandise Booths
Noon – lunch
Afternoon / evening – tour the city

June 3, 2019 (Monday) and June 4, 2019 (Tuesday)

Tour the City

June 5, 2019 (Wednesday)

Morning – check out of hotel
12:15pm – depart Manila Airport for home

Below are a few things to remember and a few hints for travel:

- No visa is required for stays < 30 days
- Passport is required. Make sure it is up to date. Sometimes it can be a problem if it is about to expire within a month or two so plan accordingly.
- Attire is your jurisdiction's dress (Grand Officers wear their hoops, hairpieces/wiglets, etc.). Men can wear a suit but it is often very hot. A long sleeve barong (with a t-shirt underneath) is customary. Women need white dresses for initiation and Grand Cross. Plan for the heat even with air conditioning.
- Bring a roll of toilet paper. They have it, but their standard use must be much less than we are used to
- Hope you enjoy rice. It will be served with all meals (breakfast, lunch and dinner)
- Bring a bath towel. Sometimes they are provided, sometimes not.
- Power is 220v. Most phone chargers/computer chargers can deal with this without a problem. Their electrical plugs are usually similar to US – particularly in Manila.
- Don't plan on the schedule of events being firm, just go with the flow and be accommodating.
- All travel outside of our hotel will be with an escort so that we are safe in our travels.

If you are attending, please complete the Registration page and return to me no later than **Friday March 22, 2019**. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at (775) 233-4204 or email at k.r.butler@sbcglobal.net.

Thank you,
Mrs. Kim Butler
Director of Grand Officers in Nevada

2019 PHILIPPINES GRAND ASSEMBLY REGISTRATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

Contact Numbers: _____

Email Address: _____

State and Assembly: _____

Current Position (Grand and Local): _____

Positions Held (Local): _____

Positions Held (Grand): _____

Do you have your Grand Cross? _____

_____ \$600.00 = Registration/Transportation expenses/Hotel Housekeeping Gratuity/Housing for 7 nights/ALL Meals

Asiana Airline Information:

Arrival information:

Date of Arrival _____

Time of Arrival _____

Flight Number _____

Departure information:

Date of Departure _____

Time of Departure _____

Fight Number _____

Housing at the Bayview Park Hotel Manila:

_____ 3 people in 1 room for 7 nights

_____ 2 people in 1 room for 7 nights – extra cost will be incurred

_____ 1 person in 1 room for 7 nights – extra cost will be incurred

PLEASE indicate who you would like to room with. **If there are not enough attending to fill the rooms there may be an additional cost.** Please remember girls and adults are housed in different rooms.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Total amount due - \$ _____ by Friday March 22, 2019.
(Make checks payable to Nevada Grand Assembly)

Send payment and this Registration Form to:
Mrs. Kim Butler – Director of Grand Officers
3247 Barbara Circle
Reno, NV 89503