



Most Ancient Union Grand Court

Heroines of Jericho, Florida Jurisdiction, P.H.A.

Established in January 1882

Formerly Most Worshipful Union Grand Court, HOJ, PHA

Associated with the Most Excellent Union Grand Chapter, HRAM PHA

Companion Enoch Mobley, Most Excellent Grand High Priest

Working under the Protection of the Most Worshipful Union Grand Lodge F&AM, PHA & its Jurisdictions

The Honorable Jeffery G. Jones, Most Worshipful Grand Master

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Greetings; Honorable Jeffery G. Jones, 19th Most Worshipful Grand Master, Most Excellent Grand High Priest – Companion Enoch Mobley, Grand Court line Officers (Elected and appointed), Past Most Ancient Grand Matrons, Past Most Worthy Grand Joshua's, Honorary Past Most Ancient Grand Matrons, Honorary Past Most Worthy Grand Joshua's, Honorary Past Grand Chaplain Emeritus, Royal Grand Queen (Present and Past), Grand Youth Directress, Grand Court Queen, District Deputy Grand Ancient Matrons, Most Ancient Matrons, Senior Ancient Matrons, Junior Ancient Matrons, Joshua's 1st Court Directors and all subordinate members of this magnificent Heroine of Jericho P.H.A. organization of Florida Jurisdiction! By the power vested in me; I, Estella Wade-Edwards, the 18th Most Ancient Grand Matron and Hero Michael Bellamy, the 19th Most Worthy Grand Joshua, declare the opening of our Mid-Year Workshop in beautiful Melbourne, Florida on Friday September 10th thru 12th, 2021.

2021 MID – YEAR PROCLAMATION

June 24, 2021

(To be read in its entirety during three consecutive meetings)

For I know the plans I have for you “Declares the Lord. “Plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.

Jeremiah 29:11 (NIV)

LODGING ACCOMMODATIONS: Melbourne Hilton Rialto Place – 200 Rialto Place – Melbourne, FL 32901. Telephone Number 321-768-0200; Book your rooms under the group name of MAUGC Heroines of Jericho Mid-Year Conference. Room rate: \$112 per day and applicable taxes. The cut-off deadline is August 15th, 2021. Any reservation made after the cut-off day will be based on the hotel's regular day to day rate.

Please do not over book rooms. Reservations are made with a major credit card. The Grand Court will not be responsible for cancellation charges or over book rooms.

REGISTRATION: The following six (6) officers are requested to be in attendance: (Sitting) Most Ancient Matron, Senior Ancient and Junior Ancient Matron, Worthy Joshua, Secretary and Treasurer. Registration fee is \$75.00 which is paid whether in attendance or not. It is imperative that each officer is present at the Mid-Year Workshop. Registration deadline is August 20th. **THERE WILL BE NOON-SITE REGISTRATION!** A fee of \$25 will be strictly enforced for late registration. Please do not send personal checks. **Court Checks or Money Orders** are accepted only. Send your assessment to Grand Court Secretary,

Heroine Sharon Lucas, P.O.Box 061436 Palm Bay, Florida 32906 – 1436 no later than the due date. It is time that we do all things in a timely manner please.

ATTIRE: Uniformed in solidarity! Please wear your Court Tee Shirt or Polo Shirt (If you do not have a court shirt, please wear a red top) with a white skirt. Remember, the attire for Saturday's Workshop will be White Skirts (**No Pants**) and Red Tops (Court Tee Shirt, Polo Shirt or Red Top)

ANNUAL HONORS AND AWARDS: In each Court there is that individual who has gone beyond the call of duty. There is also that Court that has labored in their community that deserves to be recognized. This is the time to give honor where honor is due. The names of these fully committed members and dedicated Courts must be into the Junior Ancient Grand Matron by August 15th. Heroine Harriett Bush is waiting on you so please send the names to her! We are ecstatic to find out who the winners are! Hopefully you created a Scrapbook to share with all at the Workshop. Please do not send your scrapbook to the Junior Ancient Grand Matron. Bring them with you to display. **Please send your nominations to: Junior Ancient Grand Matron, Heroine Harriett Bush, P.O. Box 35, Midway, FL 32343. Your nomination for "Heroine/Hero" or "Court of The Year" must be sent in before the deadline. If you need to reach Heroine Bush, her email is hbush85@aol.com and her phone number is 850-519-5028**

QUEEN & KING CONTEST:

"ROYAL PHAMILY 2021 KING/QUEEN CONTEST": Get ready, get ready! Who shall wear the Grand Court 2021 Queen Crown? What District shall it be? Our Queen Contest Coordinator, Senior Ancient Grand Matron, Philomena Bodie, is eager to present this Royal Grand affair. The contest will be held on Friday evening at 7:30 p.m. (Hospitality will immediately follow the contest and coronation of our 2020-2021(King and Queen). **Each District Queen contestant is requested to report at least \$1000. Each Court is requested to report \$500 to support the Queen from their District.** The Theme for the 2021 King/Queen Contest is *"Mardi Gras In The Harbor City"*! The colors are green, purple and gold. Please wear your favorite Mardi Gras Attire.

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING: Friday evening starting promptly at 4:00 pm for all Elected and Appointed Officers. All Most Ancient Matrons, Senior and Junior Ancient Matrons, Joshua's and 1st Ct. Directors are welcome to attend.

"God bless you as He keeps us together by the Three-Fold Scarlet Cord that binds us together".

Estella Wade-Edwards

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18th Most Ancient Grand Matron

Michael Bellamy

Hero Michael Bellamy
19th Most Worthy Grand Joshua



Attest: *Sharon E. Lucas*
Grand Court Secretary

CC:

Most Worshipful Grand Master the Honorable Jeffery G. Jones
Most Excellent Grand High Priest, Companion Enoch Mobley
All Grand Department Heads
All Elected and Appointed Grand Officers of the Most Ancient Union Grand Court
All Past Most Ancient Grand Matrons and Past Most Worthy Grand Joshua's
All District Deputy Ancient Grand Matrons and the Royal Grand Queen and King
All Most Ancient Matrons and Royal Queens
All Foreign Dignitaries.
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2021 Midyear Workshop Registration Form

Court Registration Form

*Please print duplicates as necessary then send it to the Grand Court Secretary.
As a courtesy electronically transmit a copy for registration preparation purposes.*

Court Name & Number: _____

Court's Contact Person: _____

Phone (C): _____ **Email:** _____

Please print or type member's first and last name and indicate amount paid.	Officer Titles	Registration per member		Total For Registration
Member's Name:				
1.	Most Ancient Matron	\$75.00		
2.	Most Worthy Joshua	\$75.00		
3.	Senior Ancient Matron	\$75.00		
4.	Junior Ancient Matron	\$75.00		
5.	Secretary	\$75.00		
6.	Treasurer	\$75.00		
7.		\$75.00		
8.		\$75.00		
9.		\$75.00		
10.		\$75.00		
TOTAL →				

Total No. Members Attending: _____

**Please Make Checks or Money Orders payable to: MAUGC HOJ and mail to:
Heroine Sharon E. Lucas, GCS – P. O. Box 061436, Palm Bay, FL 32906
NOTE: There will be a \$50 fee for all returned checks.**



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HEROINE – HERO – COURT OF THE YEAR

Court Name & No.: _____ City _____

MAM Name: _____

Nominee’s name: _____ Position in Court _____

Nominated by: _____ Position in Court _____

Tell us about the nominee’s Court and Community Involvement or tell us why your Court is being nominated.*(Use additional sheet if necessary)*

**Attach two (2) Character Reference Letters (not needed for Court nomination)
Attach Pictures and/or Newspaper Articles.**

Only one nomination per form-NOMINATION DEADLINE: AUGUST 15, 2021

**Mail to:
Heroine Harriett Bush, Junior Ancient Grand Matron
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Midway, Florida 32343**



*From the Desk of
Senior Ancient Grand Matron, Zone 2 Coordinator:*

Philomena Bodi

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I am honored to be able to serve you this year as our Queen Contest Coordinator. I am looking forward to another blessed and prosperous year.

Subject: 2021 Queen Contest:

The time is here, the time is now to showcase HOJ Districts. As you know in existence for many years to support our Grand Court is the annual Queen Contest coming real soon. Have you ever wondered how the Grand Court meet the mission and achieve its goals? It is done by generosity of individuals like you! As our largest fund-raising project the Queen Contest committee is making plans for another wonderful affair.

As Chairperson of the Grand Court Fundraiser, I am asking each of you to support this King/Queen Contest at the Melbourne Hilton Rialto Place – 200 Rialto Place –Melbourne, FL 32901 on September 10, 2021 at 7:30 PM (see Proclamation). **Theme “Mardi Gras In The Harbor City”**. Every year The Most Ancient Union Grand Court Heroines of Jericho continues to advance the cause of ensuring that the Grand Court has all it needs for the success of the Grand Court. Keeping in the spirit that “we make a living by what we get...but we make a life by what we give. We need your help for continued progress. Many people have seen improvements in their lives through what the Grand Court is doing.

Each District is to have a queen for the contest, representing with a minimum of \$1,000.00. The queen who raises the most money over \$1,000.00 will be crowned Ms. Grand Court H. O. J. Queen for the year 2021-2022. Please be mindful that all courts in your district are asked to help raise the \$1,000.00 (minimum) for the queen representing your district. This is a group effort to ensure all courts participate. It takes money to run an organization of this magnitude. I am encouraging all to do their part for the success of the Grand Court. Remember your good actions gives strength to the love we share in this prodigious organization. **Your \$1,000.00 must be submitted by August 15, 2021 to Grand Secretary Sharon Lucas, P.O. Box 061436 Palm Bay, FL 32906-1436 and bring your additional funds to report at Mid-Year Workshop this will determine the winner of the contest.**

Deadline to submit the name of the queen representing your District is Friday July 17 2021. No exception. Please e-mail all information to SAGM Philomena Bodi at philomenabodie@yahoo.com (see attached form). **Please strictly adhere to all guidelines.**

Dress Code: All Queens are to wear *Mardi Gras* Theme Attire or Red, Green or Purple Dresses. Please follow the dress code.

If you have any questions or concerns, please, do not hesitate to contact me.

Zone Coordinators, District Deputies and Most Ancient Matrons please ensure that this information is available to all Heroines/Heroes. Thanking you in advance.

Yours In Bond Of The Scarlet Cord,
Heroine Philomena Bodie

2021 Queen Contestant Information:

Name _____ Years as a Heroine: _____

Court Name & Number: _____

Most Ancient Matron: _____

District Deputy: _____

Married (optional): _____ Husband Name: _____ No. years Married: _____

No. Children: _____ Grand Children: _____

Church Affiliation: _____ Pastor: _____

Favorite Bible Verse/Quote: _____

Organizations affiliated with: _____

Personal Accomplishments: _____



Court of the Year Criteria Sheet 2021

Court: _____

MAUGC recognition programs help in not only boosting members' morale but also motivates them to perform even better. This is a very necessary step that the members need to take for the development and growth of both the organization as well as the members.

Points Range from 0-10, with 10 being the best.

Deadline: submission of forms before the deadline Yes/No = 10 pts _____

1. Excellence in Contribution: _____

An overall contribution to the advancement of the organization. Court have made an important and recognizable contribution to the development of the MAUGC and/or the achievement of its strategic goals are awarded.

2. Presentation of Court (Scrapbook/Photos) _____

Originality and novelty of the court's year in review. Scrapbook/photos capturing the courts work by presenting photos to support known data and facts and pointing out the significance of the courts work.

3. Courts Health: _____

Have the court increased membership over the past year. Provided training for member's development or other HOJ courts. Courts leadership team creates an environment that encourages teamwork.

4. Attendance to Festive Days: _____

5. Community Service: _____

Court making significant contributions to their community through their time, actions, talents and dedication. A model court for compassion, and service and be striving to make the world a better place. The court should have a passion for helping others in their community and/or worldwide.

Total Points: _____



Heroine/Hero of the Year Criteria Sheet 2021

Name: _____

Court: _____

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Points Range from 0-10, with 10 being the best.

Deadline: submission of forms before the deadline Yes/No = 5 pts _____

1. Excellence in Performance: _____

The member should be a productive one who is committed and possess quality in carrying out her/his responsibilities in the organization. The member should be an asset to the organization as well as her/his court.

2. Peer-to-peer communication and association _____

Members should be an enthusiastic member who is willing to take up more initiatives and accepts more of tasks apart from their regular membership routine. Help other members accomplish tasks when not assigned the task.

3. Team accomplishments: _____

The member should have a positive eye on court responsibilities, leadership and members, and should be one who stands as a role model for others. Must be able to deliver exemplary service and also a notable contribution to the organization.

4. Attendance to Festive Days: _____

5. Community Service: _____

A person making significant contributions to their community through their time, actions, talents and dedication (outside any volunteer work done for their court). Serve as a role model for compassion, and service and be striving to make the world a better place. He/she should have a passion for helping others in his/her community.

Total Points: _____