



## AMERICAN HELLENIC EDUCATIONAL PROGRESSIVE ASSOCIATION

Hope that all is well with you and your chapter. Just a few words of information concerning the district

**DISTRICT CONVENTION**—The convention will be held in San Antonio as previously mentioned, on Thursday June 30<sup>th</sup> and will continue on to Sunday morning July 3<sup>rd</sup>. The beautiful Hyatt Regency Riverwalk is the convention hotel and the rate of \$109 plus tax is very reasonable. The San Antonio Ahepa Family is hard at work with the intent of producing one of the districts finest conventions. All information will be forthcoming by mail and will be included in the SKEPSOU. The hotel number for reservations is 210-222-1234. Make reservations early because the rooms are limited. Also remember that all chapters are entitled to 6 delegates. Please send or e-mail the names as soon as possible to me.

**SKEPSOU**—All articles are to be sent to DOP District Governor Tina Batmanis by March 20<sup>th</sup>.

**DISTRICT LODGE MEETING**—A District Lodge meeting was held in New Orleans, La. And was graciously hosted by that chapter. One of the new ideas that came out of the meeting was the formation of a separate scholarship for those students attending trade schools or two year colleges. This will be separate from the existing scholarship program and also will have to be funded separately, of course, this will be presented to the convention for their approval or disapproval

**MEMBERSHIP**—Brothers as you well know by now there are several members that have not renewed their 2004 dues, if they are in your chapter please urge them to do so.

**AHEPA DAY**—Archbishop Demitrios has designated the 3<sup>rd</sup> weekend in May as **AHEPA SUNDAY**. You are urged to hold your memorials, dinners, etc., on this weekend in order to commemorate and honor the Order of Ahepa in your communities.

**NATIONAL CONVENTION**—Dates July 19<sup>th</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> Boston, Mass. Sheraton Boston Hotel. National will be sending out more information.

**NATIONAL BONE MARROW**—This is a very worthwhile national project and containers will be coming your way soon. The address is on the container for their return.

**MAY THEIR MEMORY BE ETERNAL**—Most of you know by now that Past District Governors Steve Elenniss and Fred Iconos have passed away. They were fine gentlemen and great Ahepans. May their memory be eternal.

Fraternally—John Gerorgiandis-District Governor

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