



2017 Texas State Midyear Convention
Registration Packet
Hosted by Squires Circle 3882
St Helena Catholic Church
14744 Edgemont San Antonio TX 78247



Circle 3882 and our sponsoring Council 7956 from St Helena Catholic Church in San Antonio Texas are honored to host the 2017 Midyear State Squires convention January 13 – 15 2017. We look forward to seeing you all again. We have some great guest speakers lined up and fun activities planned.

Contact Michael Chavez 210-717-8534 if you have any questions or issues filling out the registration form.

Please fill out the registration form and email it to MichealChavez411@gmail.com

Please make checks Payable to Squires Circle 3882 and mail checks for registration to:

Michael Chavez
5410 El Tejano St
San Antonio, TX 78233

- The Early Registration cost is 35.00 per squire and counselor.
- The deadline for registration forms is Dec 31 2017.
- Late registration after December 31st is 45\$ per squire and counselor.
- Additional Banquet tickets are 15.00 each.
- Please see the convention rules at the end of the packet.
- Saturday's meetings will be Business attire; the Mass and Banquet are formal.
- Sunday's Meeting Attire will be casual
- The activities will be outdoors bring Athletic Shoes and since its January sweat shirts and running pants would be a good idea.

Dress Code:

- **Formal:** Suit, Tie, and Dress Shoes (or Circle Shirt, Dress Pants, and Dress Shoes)
- **Business:** Circle Shirt, Dress Pants, and Dress Shoes
- **Casual:** Circle Shirt, Jeans, and Tennis Shoes for Travel (No Shorts, Sandals, or Flip Flops)
- **Activities:** T-Shirt, Shorts, and Tennis Shoes (it might be cold so seat shirts and jogging pants would be a great thing to bring)

Hotel Information:

Hampton Inn
14655 IH-35 North Access Road Selma, Texas 78154
T: 210.590.3388 F: 210.590.3377

Room Cost: 90.00 per night plus tax.

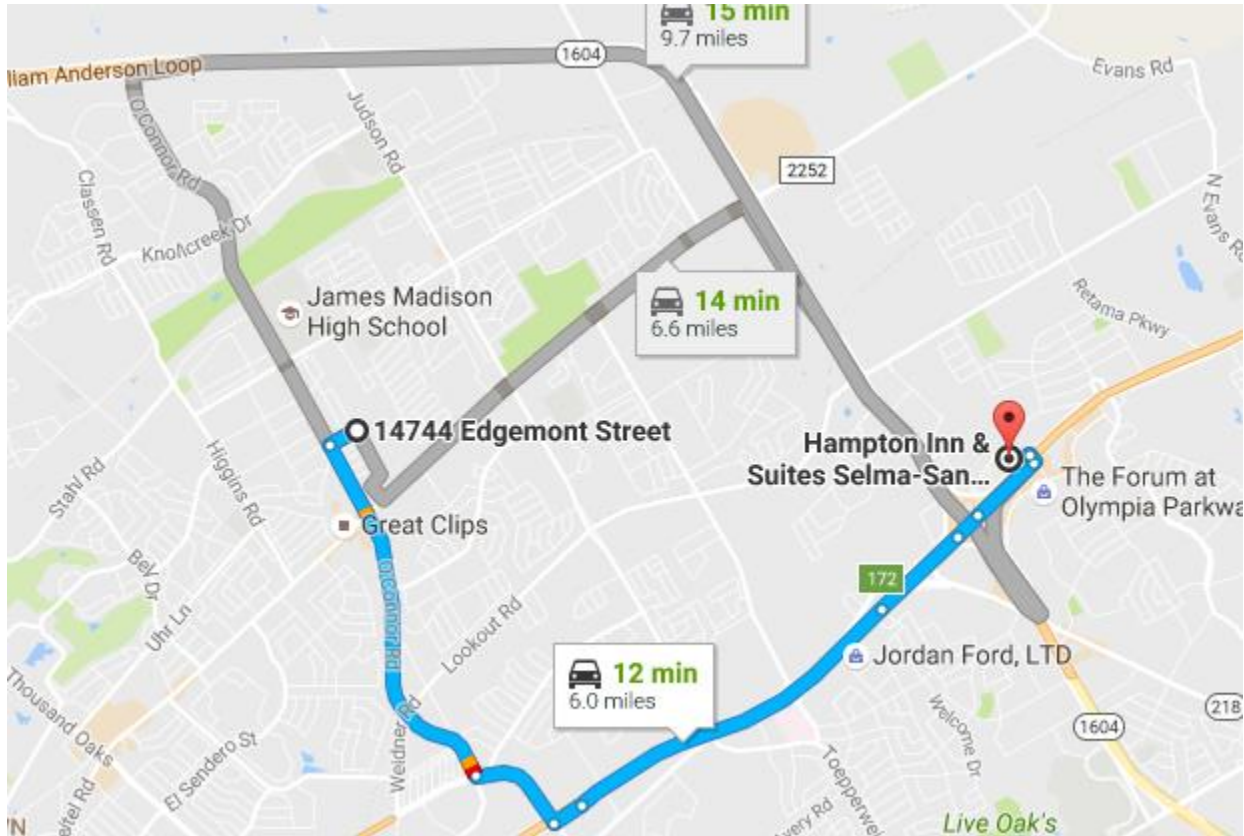
Free Hot Breakfast

Free Wifi

Reservations must be made by 5 PM CST 12/13/2016. When calling for the reservation reference the Knights of Columbus 7965 contract reserved Under Hector Maydon for the Squires Midyear convention.

The Hotel is only a few miles from the church.

Parish Address: St Helena Catholic Church 14744 Edgemont St San Antonio Texas



Texas State Columbian Squires 2017 Midyear Convention

Schedule:

Friday 1/13/2107

- 4:00 – 10:00 PM - Registration/Check in St Helena Catholic Church Dolan Center
 - Board Games and hospitality in the Dolan Activity center.
- 6:00 – 7:00 PM - State Officers Meeting (Dolan Center room 5)
- 8:00 – 9:00 PM – Counsellors meeting (Dolan Center room 5)
- 11:00 PM - Curfew and Lights out.

Saturday 1/14/2017 (Meeting activities will be in the Dolan Center at St Helena Catholic Church Rooms 6-9) **Business dress for meeting; church dress for mass and banquet**

- 7:00 – 8:00 AM – Late Registration/Check In
- 8:00 – 8:45 AM – Convention welcome and open the meeting
 - Roll Call of State Officers
 - Notary Report
 - Bursars Report
- 8:45 – 9:00 AM- Committee reports and meetings
- 9:00 – 9:30 AM - Committee Reports
- 9:45 – 10:00 AM – Break
- 10:00 -10:30 AM Guest Speaker (Pete Martinez)
- 10:30 – 12:00 PM – Old and New business
- 12:00 PM Lunch
- 1:00 – 3:15 PM Activities (Church grounds and ball fields).
- 4:30 PM Assemble for Mass
- 5:00 -6:15 PM Mass
- 6:30 – 9:00 PM Banquet, Guest Speaker and awards.
- 11:00 Curfew Lights out

Sunday 1/14/2017 (Meeting activities will be in the Dolan Center at St Helena Catholic Church Rooms 6-9) – **Casual Dress Code**

- 8:00 – 9:00 AM – Finish New Business
- 9:00 – 9:15 AM – State Pro Life chairman’s report
- 9:15 – 9:45 AM – Chief Squires reports
- 9:45 – 10:00 AM – Break
- 10:00 – 10:30 – Guest Speaker (Dr. John Chavez EED)
- 10:30 – 11:00 Final remarks and meeting close
- 11:00 Lunch and Send off.

CONVENTION RULES

These rules are probably not necessary as the Squires are composed of only practicing Catholic gentlemen. Just in case, though, they are listed.

1. Illegal drugs are strictly prohibited.
2. Possession or use of alcoholic beverages or tobacco products on convention premises is strictly prohibited.
3. Possession of fireworks, firearms, or weapons of any sort are forbidden.
4. Squires will not be allowed to drive their own cars to the convention or midyear meeting, unless accompanied by a Counselor or parent.
5. Squires will not be allowed to leave the convention premises without the permission of the State Chief Chairman.
6. Squires will not be allowed to switch room assignments without the permission of the State Chief Chairman.
7. All Squires, whether delegates or not, will attend all scheduled conference activities unless on special assignment of the State Squires Circle Officers.
8. Long pants, collared shirts or Squire Shirts, tucked in pants, must be worn in meetings and conferences. Collared shirts with ties and dress slacks are required attire at the banquet and Mass.
9. Females are not allowed in Squires room or vice-versa unless an adult chaperone is present.
10. No earring or clothing with offensive or suggestive slogans or presentations at any time.
11. Current membership cards are required for all meetings. This will be enforced.
12. Orientation meetings will be scheduled for shortly after arrival of the Counselors and Squires to brief them on chaperone duties and conference rules.
13. If training sessions are planned for Counselors, Circle Officers or committeemen, advance notice will be given.
14. All equipment necessary should be available. Special needs will be communicated in advance.
15. Parental permission slip should be in the possession of the Counselors. Medical history, medication and insurance information will be included on permission slips.
16. Parents, Squires and Counselors will be given a copy of conference rules and penalties indicated for violation.
17. Squires will be advised of clothes, sports equipment, money, and other items to bring in advance of the conference.
18. Schedules will include a full agenda of business and recreation activities to minimize free time.
19. Any damaged or missing property from rooms will be the responsibility of the Squires occupying the room.
20. Room service, pay-per-view TV and phone calls will be the responsibility of the Squires occupying the room.
21. Counselors will be scheduled for chaperone duties in the lodging area during all non-meeting hours.
22. Curfew hours and lights-out will be strictly enforced by room checks. Enforcement of these rules may subject the Squires to a baggage or room search. Violation of any of the above rules may result in immediate dismissal from the convention or mid-year meeting, with parents being notified to pick up their son regardless of the time of day or night.

2016-2017 Chief Squires Report

Please use this page to prepare your Chief Squires report for the Sunday morning meeting. Present this from to help the state notary document the reports.

Circle Name: _____

Circle Number: _____

Presented by: _____

Spiritual:

Service:

Membership:

Fun: