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SEVENTH DISTRICT MEETING | MARCH 26-29, 2020 | MS COAST

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On behalf of our Seventh District Representative Brother James Cistrunk and the Seventh District Council, the Iota Upsilon Chapter would like to personally welcome each of you to the 83 District Meeting of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc, The Mississippi Gulf Coast and the City of Biloxi are excited to have each of you visit us. It is our goal to host not only a productive meeting but to also provide you with fun and enjoyable events surrounding the district meeting. But most important is the opportunity to fraternize with the brotherhood of the Mighty Seventh District. With the assistance of other local chapters we hope to show how true hospitality is supposed to be.

I'd like to give you an idea of what you can expect and what we hope to achieve over the next few days. All of our business meetings will be held at the host hotel The IP Casino and Resort Hotel. In addition, to the IP, our Talent Hunt, Marchdown Competition, White Out Party at the Mississippi Coast Convention Center. We have also planned social events at local venues, We also invite you to enjoy our beaches and local restaurants to get a taste of the hospitality that we have to offer.

As part of our social action the Seventh District along with the Iota Upsilon Chapter will host a STEM Expo on Thursday, a Career Fair for students and a Community Health Fair. These events will take place at the convention center.

Let us also welcome the Quettes to the meeting as we have an agenda that is packed with activities from shopping excursions to Mardi Gras Umbrella making. There will also be a special jazz luncheon held especially for you.

The Brothers of Iota Upsilon Chapter are excited and look forward to greeting you with hospitality upon your arrival! Again, please do not hesitate to register and to reserve your hotel room. Let's make the 2020 Seventh District Meeting one to remember for all the right reasons!

Brother Brian Barkley, PhD  
District Marshal

83<sup>rd</sup> Seventh District Meeting, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc If you have any questions email, [IYChapter@gmail.com](mailto:IYChapter@gmail.com)



## REGISTRATION:

The registration site for the 83<sup>rd</sup> Seventh District Meeting is now open and can be accessed by going to <http://www.omegappsi7d.org/> and clicking the District Meeting link located under “Programs and Events”. On-line registration closes **March 8, 2020 at midnight**. There will be **NO ON-SITE REGISTRATION. Brothers that register after March 1, 2020 at midnight are not guaranteed a Seventh District Meeting souvenir. Brothers must be registered, checked-in, and present to receive their Seventh District Meeting souvenir.** All brothers are required to register for the 2020 District Meeting and pay the appropriate fees in order to participate in any aspect of the meeting.

**NOTE:** Chapter Form 36D must be submitted by midnight March 1, 2020. ONLINE SUBMITTALS ONLY (IHQ Member Manager). DO NOT SEND TO THE DKRS.

**MSP NOTE:** MSP fee categories only apply to brothers who were initiated after the 2019 District Meeting in Birmingham, Alabama and on and before February 23, 2020.

**Forms and documents related to the District Meeting can be downloaded by clicking on the name of the form listed below.**

### District Meeting Registration Package

#### Registration Fee Summary

#### NO ON- SITE Registration

Registration Category	Early Bird Nov 10, 2019 - February 23, 2020	Late February 24, 2020 - March 8, 2020 Registration Close 12:01 am March 8, 2020
All Brothers (undergrad & grad ) *	\$180.00	\$260.00
Grad MSP Delegates (includes 135 prepaid credit) **	\$45.00	\$125.00
Undergrad MSP Delegates (includes 110 prepaid credit)**	\$70.00	\$150.00
<sup>7</sup> th District Council must registrar	No Fee	\$260.00
MSP Brothers (Graduate)	No Fee	\$125.00
MSP Brothers (Undergraduate)	No Fee	\$125.00
Host Brothers Graduate/Undergrad	\$100.00	\$150.00
Visiting Brothers (Graduate)	\$135.00	\$160.00
Visiting Brothers (Undergraduate)	\$125.00	\$150.00
<b>Banquet Ticket Only</b>	<b>\$40.00</b>	<b>\$40.00</b>

7th District website: [www.oppf7D.com](http://www.oppf7D.com)



Host chapter Iota Upsilon website: [www.welcometotheQoast.com](http://www.welcometotheQoast.com)

If you register as a **visiting** brother and need to upgrade to delegate, the difference between the two **MUST** be paid. **NO REFUNDS** will be processed until 30 days after the district meeting, which must be indicated via email with original receipt. **Delegate Form 36D submission dead line is March 12, 2020 and ALL forms should be submitted via the IHQ website FORM-36D.** \* 7th District Bylaws state "All Delegates shall be assessed the same fee" {Article VI, Section 3 (pg. 14)} \*\*MSP Brothers registering as a delegate pay the difference between delegate registration and the amount paid in MSP: **Graduate: \$135 prepaid**  
**Undergraduate: \$110 prepaid.**



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If you think air travel is synonymous with airport chaos, think again. When you fly with Gulfport-Biloxi International Airport (GPT), there's no major traffic, no endless queues for parking and check-in and no stress. Our location and modern facility is designed to make flying a breeze. So, whether it's a romantic getaway, family fun or a major business trip, you don't have to go far to get where you're going. It's our priority to make your journey as hassle free as possible.

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Five major airlines provide commercial air service at Gulfport-Biloxi International Airport (GPT). Passengers have the ability to #FLYGPT and connect to almost any destination in the world. In addition to being a hassle-free choice, our airport offers a wide variety of competitive amenities:

- 160,000 square foot terminal & parking garage
- One of the longest runways in the U.S. able to accommodate all sizes of aircraft
- 3 restaurants & full service bar / tap room
- Gift shop
- Free business center
- Free WIFI
- Rental car reservation services onsite
- Only airport in MS with Global Entry program offering expedited clearance through customs & TSA

A scheduled shuttle will be provided from the airport in Gulfport to the hotel Wednesday, and Thursday of the District Meeting. Shuttle will also be provided from the hotel to the airport on Sunday. Schedule will be released as we get closer to the meeting.



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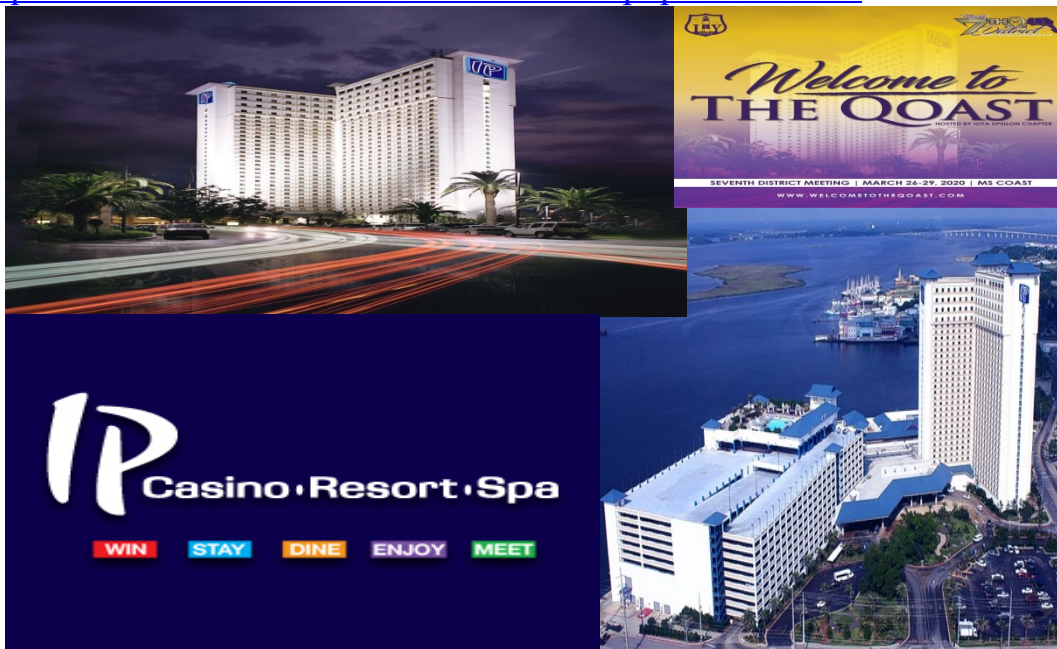
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## Hotel Information

This year's host hotel is the winner of the elite AAA Four Diamond award, The IP Casino Resort Spa, is the Gulf Coast's premier entertainment resort destination. Towering 32 stories over the scenic Back Bay of Biloxi, the IP is home to more than 1,000 elegantly appointed hotel rooms and suites with full amenities. IP Casino Resort Spa features a vast array of live entertainment options, great restaurants, and a first-class spa to indulge your senses. We also offer specialized golf packages to the Coast

Click the link below to book your hotel room:

<https://www.bconnectedonline.com/resnetf.php?IPS200306>



Room rates are as follow:

Wednesday, March 25, 2020 - \$69.99  
Thursday, March 26, 2020 - \$69.99  
Friday, March 27, 2020 - \$145.99  
Saturday, March 28, 2020 - \$145.99  
Sunday, March 29, 2020 - \$69.99

To contact the hotel by phone please call: **888-946-2847**



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**MARCHDOWN COMPETITION**

Please type or print only – use black ink!

Chapter Name \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter /Contact Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

All March down participants must be financial members of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. and a financial member of the participating chapter. Any team that exhibits any vulgar language and/or canine references will be automatically disqualified. All shows should be limited to fifteen (15) minutes. A cash prize will be given to the first-place winner.

BROTHER'S NAME(S)	CONTROL#	CHAPTER

Send completed form to: Bro. Harry Davis Jr. ATTN: MARCHDOWN REGISTRATION Email: [harrydavis8@yahoo.com](mailto:harrydavis8@yahoo.com) Phone: 786-375-1926 Note: This form must be received by the Second Vice DR by March 1, 2020. Additional team members can be listed on a separate sheet.



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Souvenir Ad Booklet

<b>Advertisement</b>	<b>2020 District Only Amount</b>
Full Page	\$150.00
Half Page	\$100.00
Quarter Page	\$75.00
1/8 Page	\$50.00
Patrons List	\$25.00

All ad money and ads for District Meeting must be received by Friday March 6, 2020. Send camera-ready copy of ad as you wish it displayed in the book. Pictures must be good quality (prefer digital copy). Pictures may be color or black and white. Note you may email your ad to [iotaupsilonchapter@gmail.com](mailto:iotaupsilonchapter@gmail.com).

Please return the souvenir ad book form with the bottom coupon and a cashier's check, certified check or money order made payable to: Omega Psi Phi IY Chapter at:

**Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., Seventh District Meeting 2020**  
**Attn: Souvenir Booklet Committee**  
**P.O. Box 6483**  
**D'Iberville, MS 39540**





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You are authorized to publish our

- Full Page
- Half Page
- Quarter Page
- Eighth Page
- Patrons List

Advertisement in the 2020 Souvenir Booklet for Seventh District Meeting of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., to be held 28-29 March 2020.

Enclosed find payment to: Omega Psi Phi IY Chapter, in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for the advertisement and a copy/layout of my/our ad.

Name & Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Business or Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Contact Name of Person (Print): \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



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QUETTE REGISTRATION FORM

Quette's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Name and Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephones: \_\_\_\_\_ (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (C)

Registration Category	Jan. 6 - Mar. 10, 2019 Midnight
<b>Quette Registration</b>	\$125.00
<b>Extra Banquet Tickets</b>	\$40 each

- There will be NO ON-SITE REGISTRATION
- Hotel reservations and admission to all District activities are the responsibility of the Quette and/or her spouse.
- Quette registration payment can be made online at [www.welcometotheQoast.com](http://www.welcometotheQoast.com)
- or by check payable to
- Iota Upsilon Chapter – Quette Registration
- Post Office Box 6843
- Diberville, MS 39540

The Quette agenda is posted online at [www.welcometotheqoast.com/quette](http://www.welcometotheqoast.com/quette)

If you have any questions or need assistance, please contact:

Bro. Marvin Chapman

Iota Upsilon Chapter

7th District Meeting Quette Committee Chairman

IYChapter@gmail.com



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## **VENDOR REGISTRATION**

Vending booth space is to be a standard 10ft by 10ft space. One table will be provided with each booth purchase. Booths and tables will be assigned by Vendor coordinator. Payment may be made by cashier's check or money order. Any vendor selling Omega paraphernalia that depicts the canine image or likeness will be closed and prohibited from further sales at the function. Additionally, the vendor will not be refunded any of the fees paid to the Seventh District of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.. All vendors must be official Vendor of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.. All vendor must register and pay for space and extra tables on the 7th District website at <http://www.omegapsiphi7d.org>



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## OMEGA PSI PHI 7<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT GOLF TOURNAMENT

DATE: MARCH 26, 2020 (THURSDAY)  
 TIME: 9:00 AM SHOTGUN START - 2 MAN SCRAMBLE  
 PLACE: SUNSET GOLF COURSE 2381 SUNSET COUNTRY CLUB RD.  
 BILOXI, MS 39512  
 ENTRY FEE: \$100 INDIVIDUAL / \$200 PER PAIR  
 PAYMENT DUE: MARCH 23, 2020  
 MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: IOTA Upsilon CHAPTER SEVENTH DISTRICT MEETING

Mail Checks to:  
 Omega Psi Phi Iota Upsilon Chapter  
 P.O. Box 6483  
 Diberville, MS 39540

[To pay on line click here](#)

(Registration information provided to communicate tournament updates.)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**For Team Registration, please list Team Members:**

Player 1 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Player 2 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Player 3 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Player 4 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_