

AHEPA's Family Reunion Draws Thousands!

The AHEPA drew over 2,500 family members and friends to its 84th Annual Supreme Convention in Hollywood, Fla., from 25 - 30 July 2006, at The Westin Diplomat Resort & Spa.

The various programs held were a great success and Vice Admiral James G. Stavridis was the highlight of our banquet by receiving the AHEPA Medal of Freedom.

The delegates of AHEPA re-elected Gus J. James, II, to a second consecutive term as AHEPA's Supreme President.

"I am honored to be given the unique opportunity to serve as supreme president for a second consecutive term," said James. " I will continue to work hard promoting AHEPA and its mission domestically and abroad. This effort, I strongly believe, will help AHEPA grow."

The balance of the Supreme Lodge is a fine blend of veteran leadership combined with energetic newcomers. They are: Canadian President Foti Antoniou; Supreme Vice President Gus Stefanadis; Supreme Secretary Nick Karacostas; Supreme Treasurer Dr. John Grossomanides, Jr.; Supreme Counselor Chris Rockas and Supreme Athletic Director Dr. Monthe N. Kofos.

The remaining organizations that comprise the AHEPA family also held elections. Georgia Psychogios was elected Grand President of the Daughters of Penelope; Elias Papadopoulos was elected Supreme President of the Sons of Pericles and Maria Panayotou was elected Grand President of the Maids of Athena.