



### Guidelines

## **M.Q.M USA 3rd Semi-Annual Convention 2005 Orlando, FL**

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### **WELCOME to Orlando, Florida:**

MQM Florida would like to invite you to participate in 3<sup>rd</sup> Semi-annual Convention at Orlando, Florida. It is indeed a great honor for Pakistani American community and especially all Haqparasts living in Florida, that they have been bestowed to host this historic event in Orlando, FL. We thank you all from the bottom of our hearts, for once in a lifetime opportunity!

If you, and your committee members and other workers & supporters have already made arrangements to participate in the 3rd Semi-Annual Convention this year or if you're thinking about making plans, here are few things we would like to share with you regarding this event details, location, direction, traveling arrangements etc. to make your stay pleasant and comfortable.

### Traveling

If you are traveling by air, please arrange as soon as possible. It is hard to find good deals on airfares at last minute. Sooner you make reservation, better it is. Once you have your flight confirmed, please send us the details as soon as possible.

Deadline to send us the required information is, March 24, 2005.

- a. Your name
- b. Unit and Name of unit incharge
- c. Contact number (cell # if available)
- d. Single or Number of family members traveling with you.
- e. Emergency Contact number (family or friend)

f. Email address

g. Air Line, Flight number, time and date of arrival/departure and airport

### By Air:

Orlando International Airport (MCO)

<http://www.orlandoairports.net/goaa/main.htm>

Check the Airlines who serve Orlando Int'l airport:

<http://www.orlandoairports.net/goaa/ops/airlines.htm>

### By Road:

If you are planning to travel by road, we still need information for above items 'a' through 'f' as soon as possible. Although we would strongly suggest carrying AAA maps with you or visit some map site online such as,

[www.mapquest.com](http://www.mapquest.com), <http://maps.yahoo.com/>, <http://www.maps.com/>

### Directions

**From I-4 east:** Take exit 90b turn right from middle lane, stay on left side of turning lane, turn left at Lake Destiny Drive, go straight hotel is on left next to Apple bees restaurant.

**From I-4 west:** Take exit 90 turns right on Maitland Blvd. Turn left at first light at lake Destiny Drive. Hotel is straight ahead on the left next to Apple bee's restaurant.

### Lodging & Other Facilities



### Hotel Address:

**Homewood Suites by Hilton® Orlando-Maitland**  
290 Southall Lane, Maitland, Florida, United States 32751  
Phone: (407) 875-8777

<http://homewoodsuites.hilton.com/en/hw/hotels/index.jhtml;jsessionid=5COWOR35XNTCGCSGBIU2VCQKIYFC3UUC?ctyhocn=MCOMLHW>

Lodging arrangements have been made at Homewood Suites By Hilton. Homewood Suites by Hilton® allows you to feel closer to home. Every spacious suite features enough space for work, study or entertaining, plus all the comforts of home, including a fully equipped kitchen with a full-size refrigerator, coffee-maker and microwave oven, a remote-controlled television, two telephones with data ports, voice-mail and an iron and ironing board. You can check in on Friday April 01, 2005. Suites have been reserved for 2 nights on behalf of convention committee. Host unit will be only responsible for room rent. All other services will have to be paid by individual him or herself. If you or your family members are planning to stay over for few more days, you can stay at the same hotel at discounted rates or any other hotel of your choice. A member of convention committee will be staying at the hotel for the duration of convention and will be your primary point of contact. More details will be provided to you at the time of check-in.

### **Business Center**

For all your business needs, copies, faxes, shipping, modems, printer, typewriter etc., you may contact Front Desk personnel who would be delighted to help you.

### **Cribs, High. Chairs & Roll-away**

Limited numbers are available for rental.

### **Fitness Room**

Fitness room is open for anyone 18 years of age and up. Shirt and shoes are required.

### **Gifts/Personal Items**

Resort store conveniently located in the clubhouse, offers a variety of last minute items, dairy products, frozen foods, freshly baked cookies, films, pharmacy products, postcards, and stamps.

### **Pool**

Resort features a swimming pool.

### **Weather**

These days, weather in Orlando, Florida is fairly warm and ranging from 68 to high 90. You do not have to bring any warm clothes on this trip. However, you might want to bring sunscreen lotion and mosquito replant if you are planning to be spending your time outdoors. These precautionary items will let you enjoy your trip.

#### **WeatherForecast For Convention Days:**

- April 01, 2005 Friday    Low 65F.....High 85F
- April 02, 2005 Saturday    Low 62F.....High 76F
- April 03, 2005 Sunday    Low 51F.....High 78F

## Local Attractions



The Orlando area is the number one vacation destination in the world. The city and environs continue to expand both the number and the scope of activities and amenities available to locals and visitors alike.

Of course, the big three local attractions, Walt Disney World®, Universal Studios Florida® and Sea World® lead the way.

**Walt Disney World®** recently opened **Epcot's Mission: Space**. The adventure will create an unforgettable launch sequence and interplanetary journey that rockets you into space. **Disney's Animal Kingdom Theme Park** also announced plans to build **Expedition EVEREST**, a high-speed train adventure that will rise nearly 200 feet in the air. Scheduled to open in 2006, the ride will take guests careening through the glaciers, canyons and caverns of the snowy Himalayas. Disney MGM Studios® and The Magic Kingdom® of course are perennial favorites.

**Universal Studios®** recently opened the motion-based attraction, **The Jimmy Neutron Adventure**. Inspired by the animated hit show and movie, the attraction takes guests on a ride in Jimmy's rocket ship and includes such popular children's characters as the **Rugrats** and **Sponge Bob Square Pants**. **Universal Studios** also recently added the attraction **Shrek 4-D** to its park. Based on the animated hit movie, the attraction immerses you in the world of Shrek, Donkey and friends.

**Sea World Orlando®** recently opened **The Waterfront**. This 5-acre dining, entertainment and shopping area resembles historic harbor towns of old and includes street entertainers as well as several restaurants and shops. Sea World Orlando will also be home to a new kids' reality series appearing on **NBC's Discovery Kids**. The 30-minute episodes will follow 13 to 15-year-old teenagers as they experience "**Adventure Camp**". The campers will go behind-the-scenes at **Sea World** and then into the wild to rescue and release sea turtles and manatees.

Travelers Recommend	Yahoo! User Rating	Category
1. <a href="#">Sea World Orlando</a>	★★★★☆	Attractions
2. <a href="#">Walt Disney World</a>	★★★★☆	Attractions
3. <a href="#">Universal Studios Florida</a>	★★★★★	Attractions
4. <a href="#">Gatorland</a>	★★★★☆	Attractions
5. <a href="#">Wet 'N Wild</a>	★★★★☆	Attractions
6. <a href="#">Sleuths Mystery Dinner Theatre</a>	★★★★☆	Attractions
7. <a href="#">Skycaps Balloon Tours</a>	★★★★★	Fun Days Out
8. <a href="#">Disney Cruise Line</a>	★★★★☆	Fun Days Out
9. <a href="#">Boggy Creek Airboat Rides</a>	★★★★☆	Guided Tours
10. <a href="#">Disney Quest</a>	★★★★★	Attractions

## Convention Committee Members

Here is the list of 3rd Semi-Annual Convention Committee Members. Please feel free to call anytime if you need more information.

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Once again, thank you very much for all your support. We are looking forward to greet you in person on this occasion. Please feel free to call or write us anytime.

Sincerely,

**3rd Semi-Annual Convention Committee**  
**Orlando, Florida**

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**Remember** the cost to participate is \$0. If you want to make a contribution please contact us. We will appreciate your participation for unity and teamwork.

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