



Leadership Conference

March 26-29, 2026

Greater Cleveland Chapter
Holiday Inn Cleveland South Independence

Cultivating Our Collective Power:

Strengthening Chapters, Elevating Teens, Impacting Communities

REGISTRATION BOOKLET

LADY VELDA A. HUNTER
NATIONAL AREA V DIRECTOR

LADY EDDIE LEE MARSH
NATIONAL PRESIDENT & CEO



Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc.

51st



Leadership

Conference

HOSTED BY THE

Greater Cleveland
Chapter

Cultivating Our Collective Power:

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6001 ROCKSIDE RD.

INDEPENDENCE, OH

Lady Joyce Walker, Greater Cleveland Chapter President

Lady Tennille Powers & Lady Shukrea Seay, Conference Coordinators

Teen Teen Jordin McKinney, Chapter TTA President

Teen Noah Guilford, National TTA President

Lady Crystal Pittman, National TTA Director

Lady Eddie Lee Marsh, National President & CEO

Teen Brandon Gary Jr., Area V TTA President

Lady Kemberley H. Jones, Area V TTA Advisor

Lady Velda A. Hunter, National Area V Director



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Welcome the 51st Area V Leadership Conference

Greetings Beautiful Ladies, Amazing Teens, and Distinguished Lords of Area V!

Welcome, welcome, WEL-COME to the 51st Area V Leadership Conference—a weekend designed to ignite your purpose, elevate your gifts, and celebrate the unstoppable power of US!

This year's theme,

“Cultivating Our Collective Power: Strengthening Chapters, Elevating Teens, Impacting Communities,”

invites us to embrace the beauty of growth, unity, and intentional leadership. Together, we are planting seeds of excellence, nurturing the roots of sisterhood, and harvesting impact across every community we touch.

As we gather in the vibrant city of Cleveland, Ohio, get ready for a conference experience filled with energy, innovation, empowerment, and pure Area V magic! You will learn, you will lead, you will laugh, and you will leave stronger than you arrived.

Ladies: Your leadership is the heartbeat of Area V. Thank you for showing up ready to grow, stretch, and cultivate excellence within your chapters.

Teens: You are our light, our future, and our joy! Your brilliance inspires us to work harder and dream bigger. This weekend is especially for YOU.

Lords: Your support strengthens our foundation. We are grateful for your presence, partnership, and commitment to our collective success.

This conference is not just a series of workshops—it's a movement.

A movement to build stronger chapters.

A movement to elevate our Teens to new heights.

A movement to make a lasting impact in every community across Area V.

So get ready to learn.

Get ready to connect.

Get ready to have fun.

Get ready to be inspired.

And most of all...

Thank you for being here, for saying “YES” to service, and for bringing your light to Area V.
Let's grow, shine, and elevate—together.

With love, excitement, and limitless gratitude,

Lady Velda A. Hunter
16th National Area V Director



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EARLY REGISTRATION

ENDS FEBRUARY 1, 2026

TOP LADIES

\$325

ALL Events and
TLOD Tote Bag

TOP TEENS

\$200 *

ALL Events,
TTA Tote Bag,
TTA Outing

TLOD INDUCTEES

\$250 *

ALL Events,
TLOD Tote Bag

LORDS

\$225

Public Events
Lords Suite,
Lords Outing

FINAL REGISTRATION

FEBRUARY 2 - 15, 2026

TOP LADIES

\$375

ALL Events and
TLOD Tote Bag

TOP TEENS

\$200 *

ALL Events,
TTA Tote Bag,
TTA Outing

TLOD INDUCTEES

\$250 *

ALL Events,
TLOD Tote Bag

LORDS

\$225

Public Events
Lords Suite,
Lords Outing

GUEST TICKETS: Prayer Breakfast \$50, Community Night \$60, Blue & Silver Ball \$75

FINAL REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 15, 2026

REGISTRATION IS AVAILABLE AT www.TLODinc.org

Top Ladies—Credit/Debit card payments only

*Chapter Checks accepted only for TTA Registration & TLOD Inductees

Refund Policy:

Full refund (minus fees) will be paid up to Feb 1st.
Half registration (minus fees) will be paid up to March 1st.
Send a written request to Lady Gina Harp-King at
gharpking@aol.com

*Make Chapter Checks Payable to:

Area V TLOD and Mail to:
Lady Gina Harp-King
PO Box 43154
Cleveland, OH 44143-9998



HOTEL RESERVATION

Holiday Inn Cleveland South
6001 ROCKSIDE RD.
INDEPENDENCE, OH 44131

DEADLINE TO BOOK HOTEL RESERVATIONS: MARCH 1, 2026

\$119.00/Night + Taxes and Fees (Double Queens, King)

"The hotel reservation link will be provided after your conference registration is completed."



FREE PARKING

SCOOTER SERVICES:

Clouds of Good

Reserve Scooter at 407-545-3103

Light Duty Scooter: \$169.57 Total

Heavy Duty: \$180.38 Total

Contact Kevin Beeler

at 216-318-6475 for any concerns

CLEVELAND HOPKINS INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

Ground Transportation will be provided by Greater Cleveland Chapter for National Officers



Lady Kemberley H. Jones Area V TTA Advisor



Greetings Area V Top Ladies, Top Teens, and Lords,

It is my honor and absolute pleasure, as your Area V TTA Advisor, to welcome you and encourage your full participation in the 51st Area V Leadership Conference, hosted in my city Cleveland Ohio, March 26–29, 2025, at the Holiday Inn Hotel and Event Center.

This conference invites us to embrace a powerful truth: our greatest strength is found in one another. When we gather with purpose, learn with intention, and lead with unity, we cultivate a collective power strong enough to elevate every chapter, develop every Teen, and enrich every community we serve. As you review this registration packet, I encourage you to not only register, but to make plans to be fully present, fully engaged, and fully inspired throughout the weekend. Area V is preparing an experience that will empower, motivate, and impact you deeply.

We proudly celebrate and acknowledge the extraordinary leaders whose stewardship and support make this conference possible: Lady Velda Hunter, our amazing National Area V Director, whose leadership continues to guide our Area with grace, and vision. Teen Brandon Gary Jr., Area V TTA President, whose energy and determination are truly 5 stars! Lady Joyce L. Walker, President of the Greater Cleveland Chapter of TLOD, whose commitment to service anchors our host chapter. Teen Jordin McKinney, President of the Greater Cleveland Chapter of TTA, who represents the excellence and enthusiasm of Cleveland's dynamic Teens. Conference Co-Chairs, Lady Tennille Power-Alexander and Lady Shukrea Seay, whose dedication and planning have crafted a conference experience that reflects the heart, history, and future of Area V.

Whether this is your first Area V Leadership Conference or your fifteenth, I encourage you to seize every moment. Build new connections. Strengthen chapter bonds. Engage in leadership opportunities. Support our Teens as they grow, speak, serve, and shine. And most importantly, allow this experience to renew your commitment to the mission of Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc. and Top Teens of America. The 51st Area V Leadership Conference is more than an event... It is a movement. A moment. A milestone, and we want YOU there. On behalf of all Area V Top Teens, I look forward to welcoming you to Cleveland where together, we will continue Cultivating Our Collective Power, safe travels.

With Appreciation and Anticipation,

Lady Kemberley H. Jones

Area V Top Teens of America Advisor
areavttaadvisor5@gmail.com

“Participation is our Foundation as Leaders of Tomorrow”



Teen Brandon Gary Jr., Area V TTA President

Greetings Top Teens, Top Ladies, and Lords.

My name is Teen Brandon Gary Jr., and I am proud to serve you as the Area V TTA President. We are welcoming you to the 51st Area V Leadership Conference. This Legendary Conference is taking place in Cleveland, Ohio.

Teen Jordin Mckinney, Lady Kemberley Jones, and Lady Joyce Walker along with The Greater Cleveland Chapter, are excited to welcome Area V to their home!

I am looking forward to meeting you all during the 51st Area V Leadership Conference. Top Teens of America, under the leadership of Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc., is not just an organization, but is a loving community that equips Top Teens with powerful leadership skills.

Our theme this conference is "Cultivating Our Collective Power: Strengthening Chapters, Elevating Teens, and Impacting Communities." Together, we are creating new opportunities for teens, building stronger chapters, and making a grand impact to our communities through service. I am looking forward to seeing you at in Cleveland Ohio, March 26 - March 29, 2026. See you soon!

Empowered and inspired,

Teen Brandon Gary Jr.,
Area V TTA President
ttapresident20252027@gmail.com



Lady Joyce L. Walker
Greater Cleveland Chapter President

Greetings National Officers, Area Officers, Ladies, Top Teens and Lords,

On behalf of the Greater Cleveland Chapter and the entire Host Committee, it is my absolute pleasure to welcome you to the beautiful city of Cleveland, Ohio, for the 50th Area V Leadership Conference!

We are delighted to have you join us for this event, which runs from Thursday, March 26, 2026 to Sunday, March 29, 2026 at the Holiday Inn Independence Conference Center.

Congratulations to National Area V Director, Lady Velda Hunter, for a well-planned Area V Conference.

This year's conference promises a dynamic program focused on the theme; "Cultivating Our Collective Power: Strengthening Chapter, Elevating Teens, Impacting Communities". We have an exciting lineup of presentations, speakers, and networking opportunities designed to help attendees connect, learn, and grow.

Cleveland is a city of "entrepreneurial grit" and a vibrant hub where world-changing breakthroughs meet hardworking people. While you are here, we encourage you to explore all that the city has to offer, from Rock and Roll history to the beautiful lakefront and Art and History Museums. Cleveland is known for hearty, diverse influenced foods like the iconic "Polish Boy", Massive Corned Beef sandwiches and "Soul Food" restaurants, plus vibrant entertainment in its theatre district, "Playhouse Square".

The Greater Cleveland Chapter members and I are looking forward to your arrival and will be available to each of you throughout the conference to answer any questions and ensure you have an amazing conference experience.

Your presence and participation are vital to making this event a success, and we are grateful for the investment in your time and effort.

Yours in Service to TLOD and TTA,

Lady Joyce L. Walker,

Greater Cleveland Chapter



Welcome to the 51st Annual Area V Leadership Conference!

Teen Jordin McKinney, TTA President Greater Cleveland Chapter

Greetings Area V Top Ladies, Top Teens, and Lords!

My name is Jordin McKinney, and I serve as the Greater Cleveland TTA Chapter President. I am delighted to welcome you to the 51st Area V Leadership Conference held in Cleveland, Ohio, at the Holiday Inn Event and Conference Center from March 26-29, 2026. Our conference theme is **“Cultivating Our Collective Power: Strengthening Chapters, Elevating Teens, Impacting Communities.”** Hosted by the Greater Cleveland Chapter, we are proud to host this year’s conference in the vibrant city of Cleveland, Ohio a place defined by strength, resilience, and an unwavering spirit of progress. From its thriving arts and cultural institutions, its engaging sports teams, and bold community initiatives that showcase the city’s historic commitment to innovation, Cleveland stands as a living example of what can happen when people unite with purpose and vision. It is a city that welcomes you with open arms and reminds every visitor of the impact that collective strength can create.

As Top Teens, we recognize that meaningful change happens when we work together nurturing strong chapters, empowering Top Teens, and expanding our impact throughout the communities we serve.

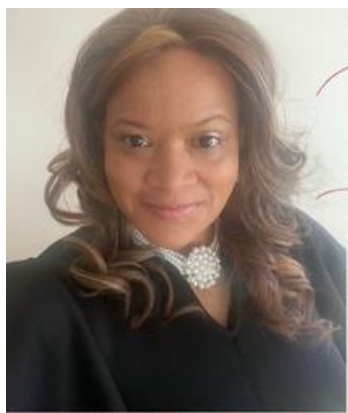
Throughout this four-day experience, Teens will explore leadership workshops, enrichment activities, competitive events, and service-focused sessions designed to strengthen confidence, build character, and enhance teamwork. Top Ladies will engage in opportunities for collaboration, mentorship, and strategic planning that support our mission and elevate the TTA program. Together, these shared experiences create a powerful legacy of growth and unity.

Whether you are attending for the first time or returning to celebrate another year of excellence, we encourage you to fully embrace the spirit of this conference. Connect with new friends, learn boldly, lead proudly, and celebrate the achievements of both our Teens and our Ladies. Each of you play a vital role in the continued success of Area V.

Thank you for your commitment to service, leadership, and community impact. We are honored to have you join us this year. **Welcome to the 51st Area V Leadership Conference let’s continue cultivating our collective power!**

In TTA spirit and service,

**Teen Jordin McKinney,
TTA President Greater Cleveland Chapter**



Welcome to Greater Cleveland

Dear Ladies, Lords and Top Teens



On behalf of the officers, members, and community partners of Top Ladies of Distinction, Incorporated, it is with great pride and heartfelt joy that we come you to the 51st Area V Conference.

This gathering represents more than a meeting. It is a celebration of leadership, legacy and lifelong service. As TLOD, we are bound together by share commitment to be TOPS in Service. Throughout this Conference, we will engage in meaningful dialogue, strategic learning and purposeful fellowship that equips us to return to our chapters empowered and inspired to meet the needs of our communities with excellence and compassion.

As your Conference Co-Chair, it has been an honor and privilege to work collaboratively with our Area V Leadership in curating a Conference in excellence! I am grateful for all our tireless efforts and our commitment reflects the very essence of what it means to be a Top Lady of Distinction: to be a visionary, servant-hearted and lead with grace.

May this Area V Conference be a time of renewed purpose, collective wisdom, and enduring impact. Welcome to Cleveland and may our time together be both meaningful and memorable!

Sincerely,

**Lady Tennille Power Alexander
Area V Conference Co Chair
Area V Status of Women Chair
Chapter Chaplain**





Welcome, Top Ladies, Top Teens, and Lords,

It is with great pleasure that we welcome you to Cleveland, Ohio, for the Area V 51st Annual Leadership Conference. This conference presents a wonderful opportunity for us to come together to celebrate our accomplishments, serve others, and conduct the vital business of TLOD Area V.

As we mark this milestone of 51 years of dedicated service, we reflect on the rich history and achievements that have shaped our Area. This conference is designed not only to honor our past but also to celebrate the present as we continue to grow and strengthen our community. Your participation in this joyous and impactful gathering is highly anticipated, and we are confident that your presence will greatly contribute to the success of this conference.

This conference is a time for us to unite in our shared commitment to service and to enhance the lives of all those we touch. It is an opportunity to connect with fellow Ladies, Teens, and Lords, exchange ideas, and build lasting relationships that will support our collective mission.

We encourage you to sit back, relax, and immerse yourself in what promises to be an unforgettable and enriching experience. Together, let's continue our quest to make a positive difference in the world. Thank you for being an essential part of this celebration.

We look forward to seeing you in Cleveland.

Yours in Service,

Lady Shukrea Seay – Area V Conference Co-Chair





TOP LADIES OF *Distinction*, INC.

NATIONAL FIRST VICE PRESIDENT
LADY JACKQUILINE WILCHER

Greetings to the Top Ladies and Top Teens of Area V!

It is with joy, honor, and a full heart that I extend greetings as you prepare to convene for your 51st Area V Leadership Conference. What a beautiful moment it is when committed women and teens gather with one shared intention—to cultivate, to elevate, and to lead with purpose.

Your theme, “Cultivating Our Collective Power: Strengthening Chapters, Elevating Teens, Impacting Communities,” resonates deeply with the spirit of Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc. It calls us to remember that true transformation does not happen in isolation. It happens when our gifts, our wisdom, and our voices intertwine—when we lift one another, honor one another, and pour into the next generation with unwavering love.

As National 1st Vice President, I am continuously inspired by your creativity, resilience, and devotion to “Service in Action.” You show us, time and time again, that leadership is not simply a title—it is a calling. And each of you answers that call with grace, courage, and compassion.

As you gather in Cleveland, may this conference renew your spirit, expand your vision, and remind you of the limitless power that blossoms when Top Ladies and Top Teens walk hand in hand. May you leave energized, connected, and ready to continue the sacred work of uplifting both our organization and the communities we love.

Wishing you an inspiring and unforgettable Area V “All the Way Live” 51st Leadership Conference.

Advancing excellence, together,

Lady Jackquiline Wilcher

National 1st Vice President

Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc.



Greetings Area V TLOD Family!

It is with much anticipation and expectations of great things to come as Lady Velda Hunter, National Area V Director, takes the helm for Area V and the upcoming 51st Area V Leadership Conference.

Yes, it's time to bring it "all the way live" to Cleveland, Ohio! As Cleveland is known for many "firsts" to include the first electric traffic light, and the first public square illuminated by electric light, we know that Cleveland will be feel the energy and excitement as the Area V Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc. and Top Teens of America make their presence known during the weekend of March 26-29, 2026.

National Area V Director Lady Velda Hunter, Area V TTA President Teen Brandon Gary, Jr., Area V TTA Advisor Lady Kemberley Jones, and the Greater Cleveland Chapter are working diligently to curate an experience for all to enjoy! With the theme "Cultivating Our Collective Power: Strengthening Chapters, Elevating Teens, Impacting Communities," now is the time to come together, especially for such a time as this. Cultivating our collective power is harnessed through education, engagement, and exchange of ideas. Register today!

I'll see you in Cleveland!

Yours in TLOD service and sisterhood,

Lady Kendra C. Gillespie



Greetings Ladies, Teens, Lords, and Guests,

It is with immense pleasure that we extend our greetings on behalf of the National TTA Executive Board and welcome you to the 51st Area V Leadership Conference on March 26-29, 2026, hosted by the Greater Cleveland Chapter.

In the spirit of the Area V Theme: Cultivating Our Collective Power Strengthening Chapters, Elevating Teens, Impacting Communities. We congratulate Lady Velda Hunter, National Area V Director, Lady Kemberley Jones, Area V TTA Advisor and Teen Brandon Gary, Jr., Area V TTA President and commend the Greater Cleveland Chapter on the planning of a successful conference designed to strengthen, develop leadership skills, while revisiting our purpose to the programs and projects of TLOD/TTA through action.

There are scheduled workshops, guest speakers and presenters who will provide insights on advancing and developing your chapters to the next level. We will continue to work hard, while pivoting the Top Teens of America, to new milestones. Top Teens will be in for a treat with activities, workshops, and the "Blue and Silver Ball". To the wonderful Top Ladies, Teens, and Lords who thought it not robbery to accept the call to participate and share your knowledge and experiences, we look forward to seeing each one of you.

As you disembark from your homes to travel to the Area V Conference, we pray all blessings to the chapters and God's traveling grace and mercy be upon you. In closing remember, "Participation is our Foundation as Leaders of Tomorrow." Wishing Area V an excellent conference!

Best Wishes,

Crystal C. Pittman

Lady Crystal C. Pittman
National TTA Director

Noah Guilford

Teen Noah Guilford
National TTA President



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TENTATIVE AGENDA

THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 2026

10:00 AM – 8:00 PM	Registration: Conference Check In
1:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Tri-C Service Project
6:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Joint Opening Session Parade of Chapters/Community Recognition Program – Rooted & Radiant: A Longevity Tribute
9:00 PM – 12:00 PM	Greater Cleveland Chapter Host Night
11:00 PM – 12:00 PM	New Member Rehearsal, TTA & TLOD Choir Rehearsal, Mr. & Miss Top Teen Rehearsal

FRIDAY, MARCH 27, 2026

8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Conference Check In
8:00 AM – 8:45 AM	Induction
8:45 AM – 9:00 AM	VIP Holding Room
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Prayer Breakfast / Memorial Service
11:15 AM – 11:30 AM	TLOD & TTA Credentialing
11:30 AM – 1:30 PM	TLOD & TTA Plenary Session I
1:30 PM – 2:30 PM	Lunch on Your Own
2:30 PM – 2:45 PM	TLOD & TTA Credentialing
2:45 PM – 4:45 PM	TLOD & TTA Plenary Session II
5:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Area V Night at the Movies
9:00 PM – 11:15 PM	Orchids & Kaftans – The Love Language of Sisterhood
9:15 PM – Midnight	TTA Game Night



"CULTIVATING OUR COLLECTIVE POWER: STRENGTHENING CHAPTERS, ELEVATING TEENS, IMPACTING COMMUNITIES"

TENTATIVE AGENDA

SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 2026

7:00 AM – 9:00 AM	Breakfast on your own
9:00 AM – 10:30 AM	Workshops
10:30 AM – 12:00 PM	TTA Competition and Literary Cafe
12:00 PM – 2:00 PM	Pink & Blue Experience Luncheon
2:00 PM – 5:00 PM	TLOD & TTA Credentialing
2:00 PM – 5:00 PM	TLOD & TTA Plenary Session III
7:30 PM – 9:30 PM	Blue & Silver Ball
10:00 PM – Midnight	TTA Meltdown / TLOD Afterglow

SUNDAY, MARCH 29, 2026

7:00 AM – 9:00 AM	Continental Breakfast
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	“Rooted in Faith, Rising in Power” A Collective Worship Experience



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ATTIRE

Thursday

March 26th

Tri C Service Project

TLOD Casual

JOINT OPENING & COMMUNITY RECOGNITION PROGRAM

GREATER CLEVELAND CHAPTER'S HOST NIGHT

Roaring 20's

Friday

March 27th

INDUCTION

PRAYER BREAKFAST / MEMORIAL SERVICE

Uninterrupted White

PLENARY SESSIONS

Business Attire

Area V Night at the Movies: TLOD/TTA Paraphernalia

Orchids & Kaftans: Fancy Pink Kaftan

Teens Game Night: TTA Paraphernalia

Saturday

March 28th

PLENARY SESSIONS

Business Attire

PINK & BLUE LUNCHEON

Dressy Pink and Royal Blue

BLUE & SILVER BALL

Formal Blue, Silver or Black Dresses and Suits

Sunday

March 29th

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP SESSION

TLOD Casual



AREA V SERVICE PROJECT

Cuyahoga Community College

Tri-C Pantry Donations

Area V is proud to support the TRI-C Campus Pantries with a powerful service initiative!

We will be assembling 100 Personal Care Packages for each TRI-C campus, for a total of 300 Care Packages to serve students in need.

Details regarding chapter participation, assigned items, and collection timelines will be shared soon.

Thank you in advance for your continued commitment to service, compassion, and community impact as we come together to meet real needs with love and purpose.

ALL THE WAY L.I.V.E. IN SERVICE!





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Prayer Breakfast

MARCH 27TH 8:30 AM

KEYNOTE SPEAKER:

REVEREND GLORIA CHANEY

Memorial Service

MARCH 27TH 10:30 AM



Holiday Inn Cleveland South

6001 Rockside Rd.

Independence, OH 44131

**LADY VELDA A. HUNTER
NATIONAL AREA V DIRECTOR**

**LADY EDDIE LEE MARSH
NATIONAL PRESIDENT & CEO**



COMMUNITY RECOGNITION PROGRAM

Honoring the Hands That Build Our Communities

Join us for a distinguished evening as we celebrate the leaders, servants, and visionaries whose dedication, compassion, and commitment continue to strengthen and uplift our communities.

This special program honors excellence, legacy, and service across Area V.
COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP HONORS

We proudly recognize outstanding community leaders for their impact and service in the following areas:

Top Teens of America

Status of Women

Senior Citizens

Community Beautification

Community Partnerships

These honorees exemplify leadership in action and service with purpose.

LADIES' LEGACY & LONGEVITY TRIBUTE

A heartfelt tribute honoring Ladies whose faithful service has helped build, sustain, and strengthen our organization.

Years of Service Recognized:

5 · 10 · 15 · 20 · 25 · 30 · 35 · 40+ Years

Celebrating the hands that served, the hearts that led, and the legacy that endures.

EVENING HIGHLIGHTS

- Community leadership recognition
- Ladies' longevity and legacy acknowledgments
- Moments of reflection and gratitude
- A celebration of service, distinction, and impact

ATTIRE:

Roaring 20's

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Diamonds & Pearls

ROARING 20'S

"A Roaring Affair Leading

with

Grace & Glamour"



HOSTED BY THE GREATER CLEVELAND CHAPTER

Thursday, March 26, 2026

8:00 PM

**Attire: Roaring 20's
Holiday Inn Ballroom**





Pink & Blue EXPERIENCE

Ladies & Teens

Shine Together in Elegance, Laughter, and Unforgettable Moments

Saturday, March 28, 2026
12:30 PM Holiday Inn Ball Room

THE PINK & BLUE EXPERIENCE

A Celebration of Legacy • Leadership • Love

Join us as we gather in Pink & Blue.

WE WILL CELEBRATE & HONOR:

TLOD & TTA Chapter Presidents

Leadership, service, and dedication across our chapters

Ladies' Achievements & Milestones

LADY LEGACY TRIBUTE

Generational bonds of mother, daughter, grandmother, aunt, niece, and sisters

Welcoming newly inducted Ladies as they begin their journey of distinction

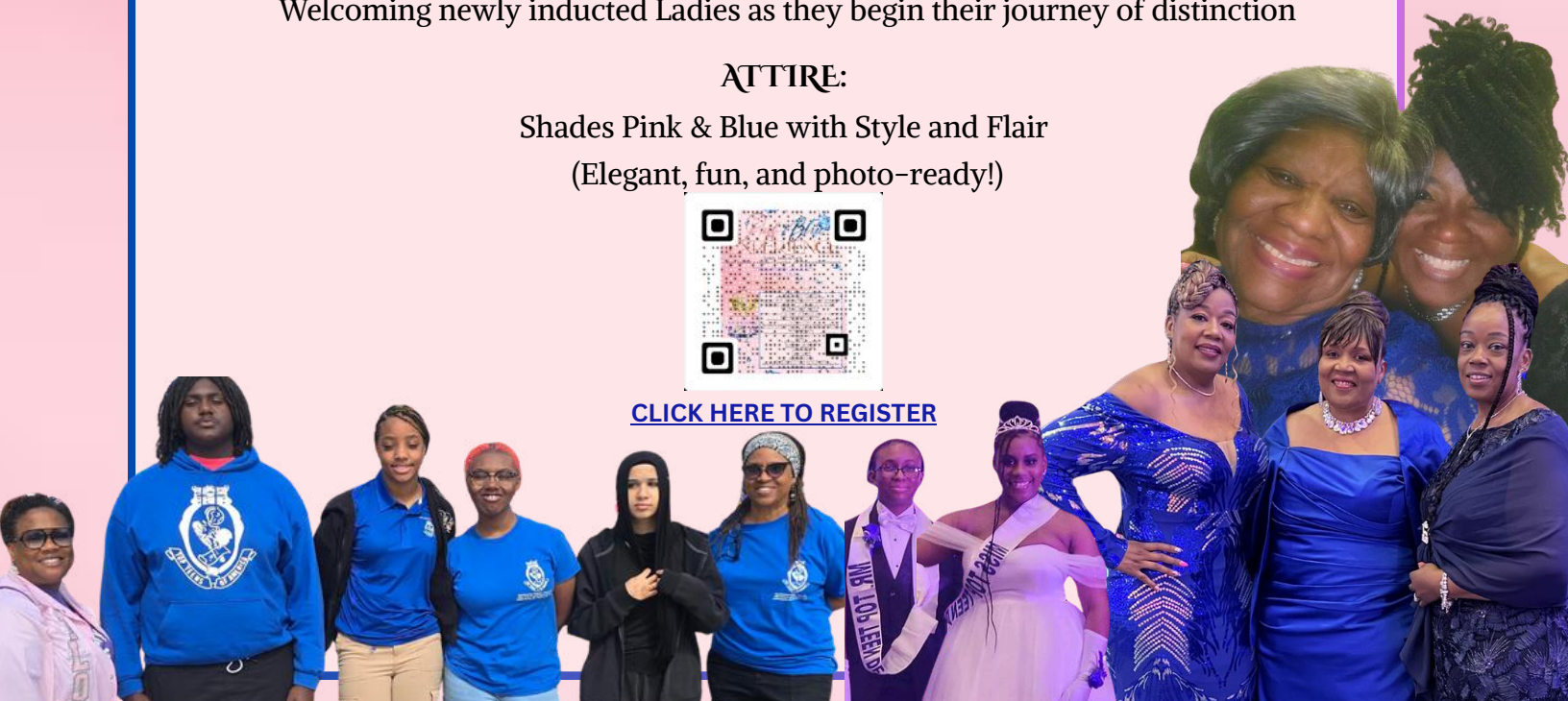
ATTIRE:

Shades Pink & Blue with Style and Flair

(Elegant, fun, and photo-ready!)



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ORCHID & KAFTANS

The Love Language of Sisterhood

Slip into your most pink fabulous kaftan and join us for an unforgettable experience of sisterhood, style, and shared joy. This gathering is all about connection, laughter, and making memories—wrapped in love and orchids!

WHAT TO EXPECT

Celebrating Sisterhood
Intentional Bonding Moments
Games, Fun & Laughter
Exciting Prizes
Memory-Making Moments

KAFTAN COUTURE CONTEST

Bring the drama, the elegance, and the flair!

Best Kaftan Contest

Creativity · Style · Confidence · Sisterly Swag
(Let your kaftan speak your love language!)

EXPERIENCE VIBE

Relaxed · Elegant · Fun · Sister-Centered · Photo-Ready

ATTIRE

Chic Kaftans & Orchids

“Comfort meets culture, beauty, and bold expression”

Come ready to connect, laugh, celebrate, and wrap yourself in the love language of sisterhood.

AREA V FAMILY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES



AREA V ALL THE WAY L.I.V.E.

Join us for an evening of fun, fellowship, and family as Area V comes together for a night at the movies during the 51st Area V Leadership Conference!

EVENT DETAILS

What: Area V Family Night at the Movies

When: Friday, March 27, 2026

Where: Cinemark Valley View
Valley View, Ohio

ATTIRE:

TLOD / TTA Paraphernalia
(Show your Area V pride!)

WHY YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS THIS

- Fellowship with Area V Ladies, Teens, Lords, and Families
- Relax, laugh, and make memories together
- A fun break during an unforgettable conference weekend

LIGHTS. CAMERA. FAMILY.

Come ready to connect, celebrate, and enjoy the Area V experience – TOGETHER!

\$15.00
LADIES,
LORDS
&
GUEST



Dear Vendors,

Top Ladies of Distinction Incorporated (TLOD) is proud to host the 50th Annual Area V Leadership Conference from Thursday, March 26, 2026 to Sunday, March 29, 2026 hosted by the Indianapolis Chapter in Indianapolis, Indiana. Our theme for the conference this year is, "51 Years of "Cultivating our Collective Power: Strengthening Chapters, Elevating Teens, Impacting Communities!"

Vendors are welcome to display their merchandise during the course of the event for the cost of two-hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00) plus one-hundred dollars (\$100.00) for an additional table. Only one additional table can be purchased. Vendors are also asked to donate an item to be given as a gift to registrants at the conference.

Conference Schedule for Vendors:

Thursday, March 26, 2026 10:00 AM—2:00 PM Set Up - Open for business at 4:00 PM

Friday, March 27, 2026 8:00 AM—10:00 PM

Saturday, March 28, 2026 8:00 AM—10:00 PM

Sunday, March 29, 2026 9:00 AM—12:00 PM

To participate, please return the enclosed form and a cashier's check or money order for \$250.00 made payable to TLOD Area V no later than February 15, 2026. Space is limited to the first 8 vendors. The vendors will be selected on a first come first served basis.

Thank you for your continued support. We look forward to greeting and working with you during this event.

Respectfully yours,

Lady Velda A. Hunter

Lady Velda A. Hunter

16th National Area V Director

Lady Tennille Power

Lady Tennille Power

Vendor Chairperson

Mail Check/Money Order and Vendor Contract by February 15, 2026:

Address: Area V Financial Secretary Email:

areavfinancialsecretary2@gmail.com

Lady Gina Harp-King

TLOD Area V

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Cleveland, OH 44143



51ST ANNUAL AREA V LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

Thursday, March 26, 2026—Sunday, March 29, 2026

VENDOR CONTRACT

Name of Vendor: _____

Name of Business: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Telephone: Home _____ Mobile: _____

Email: _____ Website: _____

On this date(s) _____, the above-listed vendor may utilize the assigned space at Holiday Inn Cleveland South to sell the following products/articles:

Brief description of product(s)/articles: _____

No items shall bear the trademarked logos/likeness of Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc. or Top Teens of America unless vendor is an authorized vendor licensed and approved by TLOD. Anyone selling unauthorized items will be asked to remove them.

The aforementioned vendor agrees to abide by all of the rules and regulations of Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc. Vendor agrees to be solely responsible for loss or damage to sale articles and any vendor property and to hold TLOD, Inc. harmless from any liability which may result from vendor's negligence or willful misconduct.

The vendor's fee is \$250.00 for one table. One additional table can be purchased at \$100.00. Payment is due no later than February 15, 2026. This fee includes one 6 foot skirted table and two chairs. The aforementioned vendor shall remit payment in full with this signed contract. Cancellations may be made in writing, via email, or by contacting Lady Tennille Powers at the address listed below. The last day to cancel is March 5, 2026. After this date, refund requests will not be accepted.

Fees in the form of a cashier's check or money order should be remitted by the due date to:

Lady Gina Harp-King

Area V Financial Secretary

areavfinancialsecretary2@gmail.com

TLOD Area V

PO Box 43154

Cleveland, OH 44143

Vendor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Office Use:

Received by: _____ Date: _____



Dear Supporters:

Top Ladies of Distinction Incorporated (TLOD) is proud to host the 51st Annual Area V Leadership Conference from Thursday, March 26, 2026 to Sunday, March 29, 2026 hosted by the Greater Cleveland Chapter in Cleveland, OH. Our theme for the conference this year is, "Cultivating our Collective Power: Strengthening Chapters, Elevating Teens, Impacting Communities"

Your tax-deductible support for our 501c3 organization enables us to continue to provide scholarships to our Top Teens and volunteer services to our Area V communities.

Founded in 1964 as a non-profit educational and humanitarian organization, Top Ladies of Distinction has as its mission to enhance and enrich the lives of youth and adults through national and community based programs and projects. We measure our success by the improved quality of life experienced by the people we serve.

As a sponsor, your support will help to provide and continue programs within the community specifically, opportunities for wholesome development of youth through activities that will enhance educational, social, moral, spiritual, cultural and economic development. Additionally, your contributions allow us to continuously supply meaningful information and assistance to help seniors have a more productive and wholesome life. We support a clean, green environment and partner with community organizations with like minded service projects and enhance the status of women through personal development, health, wellness, and enhancement workshops.

We ask that you consider becoming a sponsor of our 51st Annual Leadership Conference by placing an ad in our souvenir book. A variety of sponsorships are available and listed on the enclosed form. Please return the enclosed form with a cashier's check, money order or business checks will be accepted. Payments and additional donations made payable to: TLOD Area V .

The souvenir journal will be displayed online. A downloadable copy is accessible to all Conference registrants and souvenir journal sponsors. A hard copy will be provided to the sponsor upon request.

We thank you in advance for your generous sponsorship ad.

Yours in Service,
Lady Velda A. Hunter
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 16th National Area V Director
Lady Jerri Shepherd
 Lady Jerri Shepherd
 Souvenir Journal Coordinator



2026 AREA V CONFERENCE
MEMBERS / COMMUNITY PARTNERS
SOUVENIR JOURNAL AD ORDER FORM

DEADLINE February 15, 2026

FULL PAGE \$100.00 HALF PAGE \$75.00

INSIDE FRONT COVER \$200.00 QUARTER PAGE \$50.00

INSIDE BACK COVER \$200.00 Business Card \$25.00 PATRON Names (One Line) \$10.00

The undersigned agrees to pay the sum of \$ _____ for ____ Page Advertisement or Patron Listing.

Enclosed is the camera ready Ad to be placed in the Electronic Area V Leadership Conference Souvenir Journal being distributed during the 50th Annual Area V Leadership Conference scheduled for Thursday, March 26, 2026 to Sunday, March 29, 2026.

Advertiser's Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Authorized Signature: _____

Please make Chapter Check, Cashier's Check or Money Order payable to:

TLOD Area V

Mail Check/Money Order and Email a Camera-Ready Ad by February 15, 2026

Lady Jerri Shepherd
 1824 N. Warman Avenue
 Indianapolis, IN 46222
 (317) 306-5757
 ladyj.shepherd@gmail.com

(No personal checks accepted)

YOUR JOURNEY CONTINUES...

Area V Family, this experience was created with YOU in mind.

The 51st Area V Leadership Conference is more than a gathering, it is a moment to connect, grow, lead, and celebrate the power of our sisterhood and the promise of our Teens. Every session, every fellowship opportunity, and every shared moment has been intentionally designed to strengthen our chapters, elevate our leadership, and deepen our impact in the communities we serve.

- This is where legacy meets purpose.
- This is where sisterhood is renewed.
- This is where Area V shows up—All the Way L.I.V.E.!

We invite you to be fully present, fully engaged, and fully committed to this unforgettable experience. Come ready to learn, laugh, love, and leave empowered to return home inspired and equipped to serve at an even higher level.

- If you have not yet registered, now is the time.
- Secure your place. Invite your sisters. Bring your Teens and Lords.
- Let's cultivate our collective power—together.

We cannot wait to fellowship with you, celebrate you, and create memories that will last far beyond this conference.

With love, gratitude, and excitement,

Lady Velda A. Hunter

16th National Area V Director

AREA V... ALL THE WAY L.I.V.E.!

