

## January 2012 Regional Gathering Information

### **The date for the Central States Regional Black Men's Gathering:**

Jan 13 - 15 ~ at LouHelen Bahá'í School Davison MI

Cost for the weekend, which includes room and great food, is \$77 for those visiting Louhelen for the first time and \$154 for all others.

It would be a big help to our planning efforts if you would confirm your attendance as soon as possible.

Make your check payable to: "Louhelen Bahá'í School".  
In the memo section of your check write "BMG 2012".  
Mail your checks to: Louhelen Bahá'í School,  
3208 S. State Road, Davison, MI 48423

The phone number at Louhelen is 1-810-653-5033 ext 7202  
Elma Strom, Registrar,

Here are the links for information and to register on line for the BMG gathering at Louhelen: ><http://www.cvent.com/d/3cq8hp><  
and registration: ><http://www.cvent.com/d/3cq8hp/4W><

Using this link, you can proceed through the whole registration process right on line. Each registrant will need to pay a 25% deposit to confirm his registration. There is an option to choose the discount for first time attendees in the registration process.

Getting Here by Air - easier than you may think  
Direct flights to Flint's Bishop International Airport  
Flint is served by several major airlines, including Delta, American, and Continental, as well as regional carriers Airtran and Frontier/Midwest. Flights arrive directly from Atlanta, Chicago, Detroit, Milwaukee, Minneapolis/St. Paul, and Cleveland. In winter, there are also flights from Orlando, Tampa, and Fort Myers. Ground transportation from Bishop Airport to Louhelen may be arranged with your Louhelen Registration for a charge of \$25 each way (\$35 per family).

We strongly suggest you book your travel to the Flint airport. Public ground transportation from the Detroit airport is complex, difficult, and very expensive. If you must fly to Detroit, renting a car and driving to Louhelen may be a better option. You can arrange a taxi by contacting a Flint-based service such as International Cab (810)691-6396, or Hey, Taxi! (810) 629-7080.

For information, contact the following persons:  
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