



**59<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL 'VAN NOMIKOS' NATIONAL AHEPA INVITATIONAL BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD IN NEW YORK, MAY 2 - 4, 2008 WEEKEND**

The 59<sup>th</sup> Annual 'Van Nomikos' National AHEPA Invitational Basketball Tournament will be held May 2 - 4, 2008 in New Rochelle, New York. New Rochelle is strategically located 40 minutes north of Manhattan and Astoria, in Westchester County. The sites of the tournament will be the Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church and Tuckahoe High School gymnasiums, both state of the art facilities.

Teams that will be participating in the tournament so far, include Denver CO (2 teams), Toronto, Alpha Bank (Greece), Lynn MA, Brooklyn NY, New Jersey, Manhattan, New Rochelle NY, Bridgeport, CT, Washington DC, Whitestone, NY, Marlboro, MA.

Games will begin with local teams playing on Friday evening and will run through Sunday afternoon. The tournament will be a double-elimination format. Entrance fee is \$300 per team.

Hotel arrangements have been made at the Marriott Courtyard Hotel, located in Rye, NY, just 15 minutes from the gym sites. The special room rate is \$119 per night for up to four in a room. Please ask for the "AHEPA Basketball Tournament" to receive this discounted rate. See hotel details at: <http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/hpnry-courtyard-rye/>

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