



**GRAND ASSEMBLY OF TEXAS
International Order of the Rainbow for Girls**

***"You Can Be Anything"*
Grand Assembly Session
Waco Convention Center, 100 Washington Avenue**

TENTATIVE 2026 SCHEDULE

Thursday, June 18th

3:00 PM Grand Floor Officer arrival
4:00-6:00 PM Grand Cross of Color Degree Team practice, **Grand Assembly Room**
5:00-6:30 PM Grand Floor Officer Dinner
6:30-10:00 PM Grand Floor Officer Practice, including Miss Service, **Grand Assembly Room**

Friday, June 19th

8:00-10:00 AM Grand Floor Officer Practice, **Grand Assembly Room**
8:00-12:00 PM Registration opens, **Event Office**
8:00-12:00 PM Ritualistic Competition, **Ranger Rooms 105-110**
8:00-12:00 PM Jewelry Room/Soft Goods Sales, **Texas 113**
8:00-12:00 PM Pathway to Gold, **Texas 116-117**
8:00-12:00 PM Achievement Room, **Lone Star 103-104**
8:00-12:00 PM Craft Sales, **Texas 114**
10:00-11:00 AM Grand Page introduction practice with Grand Floor Officers, Jr. Members of Grand Executive Committee, Grand Representatives, Grand Flag Bearers, **Grand Assembly Room**
10:00-12:00 PM Grand Choir check-in/rehearsal, **Bosque Theater**
11:00-12:00 PM Grand Representatives Flag Presentation Practice, **Grand Assembly Room**
11:30 AM New designees to sign Grand Cross of Color Vow Book/Service to Rainbow Honor Book, **hallway near McLennan 209**
12:00 PM Optional Luncheon for non-Grand Cross recipients, **McLennan 207**
12:00 PM Grand Cross Luncheon, **McLennan 208-209**
To follow Grand Cross Ceremony, **Grand Assembly Room**
To follow Pictures: Grand Cross Degree Team and Girls giving Toasts, **Grand Assembly Room**
2:15-3:00 PM Grand Choir Drill Practice, **Grand Assembly Room**
2:15-4:30 PM Registration, Ritualistic Competition, Jewelry Room/Soft Goods Sales, Pathway to Gold, Achievement Room, Craft Sales continue, **in rooms designated above**
3:00-4:30 PM Grand Choir Practice, **Bosque Theater**
3:00 PM Pledges and Pledge Mothers meet at Lower Level entrance to **Convention Center** for activity
3:00-3:30 PM Grand Flag Bearer Practice, **Grand Assembly Room**
3:30-4:00 PM Ceremony Winners (Rose, Masonic Ribbon, Gavel) Practice, **Grand Assembly Room**
4:00-5:00 PM Memorial Team Practice and pictures, **Grand Assembly Room**
5:00 PM Pictures: Grand Floor Officers, Grand Junior Committees, Grand Representatives, Grand Flag Bearers, Grand Choir, **Grand Assembly Room**
5:30 PM General Banquet, **Brazos Ballroom**
7:00 PM Formal Ceremonial Opening of Grand Assembly - **open to all, Grand Assembly Room**
To follow Memorial Team Practice, **Grand Assembly Room**

Saturday, June 20th

7:00- 8:00 AM Registration, **Event Office**
8:00-10:00 AM Business Session and Elections - **closed meeting, Grand Assembly Room**
9:00 AM Special Event for Pledges and Pledge Mothers meet at Lower Level entrance to **Convention Center**
10:00-12:00 PM Pathway to Gold, **Texas 116-117**
10:00-1:00 PM Registration, Ritualistic Competition, Jewelry Room/Soft Goods Sales, Achievement Room, Craft Sales, continue, **Convention Center**
10:00-11:00 AM Grand Representatives Flag Presentation practice, **Grand Assembly Room**
11:00-12:00 PM Dallas Area presentation practice, **Grand Assembly Room**
12:00 PM R.A.Y.S. Meeting, **Texas 116**
12:00-1:30 PM Optional Boxed Lunch, **McLennan 207**
1:30 PM Formal Session for Initiation - **closed meeting, Grand Assembly Room**
To follow-5:00 PM **Jewelry Room/Soft Goods sales will open at the conclusion of the Initiation.**
Note this is the final time that *all* jewelry/soft goods will be available.
4:00-5:00 PM Memorial Team practice and pictures, **Grand Assembly Room**
5:30 PM Memorial Service - **open to all, Grand Assembly Room**
to follow(6:15 PM) Evening Session – **closed meeting, Grand Assembly Room**
to follow Grand Representatives Flag Presentation - **open to all, Grand Assembly Room**
6:00 PM Pledges and Pledge Mothers meet in lower level of **Convention Center** for Blossom Ceremony practice and crafts
8:30-11:00 PM **“Awards/Fun Night”** (appropriate jeans/Rainbow t-shirts) **open to all, Brazos Ballroom**

Sunday, June 21st

8:00 AM Dallas Area presentation practice, **Grand Assembly Room**
9:00 AM Pledge Blossom Ceremony - **open to all, Grand Assembly Room**
To follow Business Session, Majority Service, Ritualistic Closing - **closed meeting, Grand Assembly Room**
Following closing All 2026-2027 Grand Floor Officers meet on stage, **Grand Assembly Room**
All other 2026-2027 Grand Officers meet with these Adult Leaders:
Jr. Members of Grand Executive Committee - Mrs. Martha Bettis – SE past sound table
Grand Representatives - Ms. Lauren Martin – in Grand Choir Section
Grand Flag Bearers - Ms. Lauren Martin – in Grand Choir Section
Grand Cross of Color Degree Team - Mrs. Laura Hicks – SW near Flags
12:00-1:30 PM Exclusive Pin sales, **outside Grand Assembly Room – Please note this is only for 2026-2027 GWA pins and all Grand Officer Pins (other than GFO’s)**
12:00-1:30 PM Optional Boxed Lunch, **Convention Center**
Approx. 12:30 PM Installation practice for all 2026-2027 Grand Floor Officers, **Grand Assembly Room**
2:30 PM Pictures for all 2026-2027 Grand Officers, Adult Grand Officers, Installing Officers, **Grand Assembly Room**
3:00 PM Formal Installation of 2026-2027 Grand Officers, **Grand Assembly Room**
To follow Grand Worthy Advisor’s Photo Booth, **Grand Assembly Room**