

Region 9 Assembly and Convention 2013, held in Israel

All costs of hotels stated below are correct to January 2013, but not expected to change:

1. 175 \$ (USD) per night, breakfast included. The costs are for one person in a double room, meaning 2 participants can share the same room if they wish to do so (as costumed in other international OA events).
2. The fee above does not include additional meals - the venue offers buffet lunch/dinner for additional cost of 20 \$ (USD) each. On the location you can find a small grocery store, so an alternative for the hotel's dining hall is available.
3. Travelling costs varies – private taxi service from Ben-Gurion international airport to Shfayim (where the A&C is held) costs about 200 NIS (a bit less than 50 \$). OA Israel NSB will try to arrange a shuttle or pre-ordered taxi service in order to allow reduced costs. We will inform you regarding transportation later this year.
4. Remember that hotel costs does not include registration fee for the R9 Assembly (I guess the cost will be a sum of 50 € paid directly to Region 9 treasurer, same as we did at the 2012 A&C) and registration fee for the Convention (about 6 €, this sum is not determined yet but this is a quite reasonable estimation).

Summary:

Nov 6 to Nov 8 (3 nights, leaving the venue on Saturday) will cost 262.5\$+56€ per person (sharing a room, not including the extra meals) - - **256€** (conversion rates accurate for today). Including 2 more meals per day - the total cost will rise to 382.5 \$ (1 extra meal on Wednesday evening, 4 meals for Thursday and Friday and 1 more for Saturday noon).

Important notes:

- For those of you who wish to stay for Saturday night as well - you have to remember that in Israel, Saturday is similar to European Sunday, meaning that Saturday afternoon the event will end and you will be on your own at the venue (and free to visit Israel on your own).
- If you wish to arrive before the A&C begins and travel, please let us know. If many of you will be interested in a tour, we will do our best to arrange something on your behalf (a day to Jerusalem/Sea such of Galilee/Dead Sea etc) - of course, this is something each participant will have to pay on his/her own (as this is not part of the convention and assembly).

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