

ICCOBA NA GENERAL MEETING PROGRAM

Sunday April 23, 2023

CONVENTION! CONVENTION! CONVENTION!

July 14-16, 2023

Please make plans to attend
the 2023 ICCOBA NA Convention
Dallas, Texas.





Report Presented By:

**Sunday Vwumarogie
President**

**Morrison Osifo
Financial Secretary**

**Dr. Presley Omoruyi
Vice-President**

**Osagie Eweka
Treasurer**

**Kenny Giwa-Osagie
General Secretary**

**Adam Bello-Osagie
Protocols/Welfare**

**Fidel Castro Cole
Publicity/Social**

**Ise Osayimwen
Asst. Secretary General**

ICCOBA NA GENERAL MEETING

Date: Sunday, April 23, 2023,

Time: 5:00 p.m.
Central Time

Agenda

- I. Call to Order
- II. Opening Prayer
- III. Roll Call and Introduction
- IV. Reading, Corrections and Adoption of Minutes of Last Meeting
- V. President's Report
- VI. Treasurer's Report
- VII. Financial Secretary report
- VIII. Local Chapter reports
- IX. Old (Unfinished) Business
 - a. *Membership dues payment for FY 2019 - 2022*
 - b. *BOT Donations FY 2019 -2021 and FY 2022 - 2023*
 - c. *Scholarship Program*
 - d. *Deadline to register for hotel room accommodation at \$139.00 (June 23, 2023)*
- X. New Business
 - a. *2022 Convention Financial Reports and Updates*
 - b. *2023 Convention preparations updates (Host city – Dallas)*
 - c. *Advertising in the 2023 convention brochure*
 - d. *Election of a new executive team at the 2023 convention*
 - e. *The role of the local chapters and class sets in getting members to the convention*
- XI. General Discussions (Matter Arising)
- XII. Current Affairs/Joys and Concern
- XIII. Adjournment
 - a. Closing Remarks and Motion to Adjourn Meeting
 - b. Closing prayer

Minutes of ICCOBA North America General Meeting held on October 23, 2022

The President Mr. Sunday Uwumarogie called the meeting to order at 5.30 pm CST. He called on Mr. Morrison Osifo to give the opening prayer. In attendance at this meeting were the following members.

1. Mr. Sunday Uwumarogie
2. Barrister Ben Omoroegbe
3. Dr. Philip Osehobo
4. Mr. Benson Asemota
5. Mr. Lionel Osa Osaghae
6. Mr. Simon Ailele Lato
7. Mr. Morrison Osifo
8. Mr. John Owie.

The minute of the previous meeting was unavailable for this meeting. Consequently the president went on to give his report.

President's Report

The president Mr. Sunday Uwumarogie as usual thanked members for attending the general meeting as well as the convention in Atlanta. He provided the following highlights as the focus for today's meeting.

- a. Update of the financial report from the Atlanta convention
- b. Update on the scholarship program. Communication with the principal and the World Wide President has been on going on how they can assist with implementing the program.
- c. The redeemed and Unredeemed Pledges from the Atlanta convention.
- d. Filling existing vacancies on the Board of Trustee roster.
- e. Update on the upcoming 2023 national convention in Dallas

Financial Secretary's Report.

The financial secretary Mr. Morrison Osifo thanked all members present at this meeting. The treasurer Mr Osagie Eweka was unavoidable absent and as such his report will be presented by him he stated. As of September 18th, 2022 the balance in the association's account was \$48,704.41 (Forty eight thousand, seven hundred and four dollars, forty one cents). Having reviewed the statement he found no unusual activity and he confirmed the statement as presented is a true reflection of the account.

He thanked the treasurer for his diligent work in that department. With regards to the budget for the Atlanta convention, we have been able to reconcile most of our spending. However we are still at this point waiting for a detailed report from our representative in Atlanta to fill in some blanks. A letter to this effect was sent earlier and a second one is in the offing as we speak to solicit his co-operation to bring the convention financial report to a close.

Mr. Morrison then went on to revise some aspects of his tentative report with the house. The total expenses for the convention came to \$20,975.00. The total expenditure was reported as \$23,075.17. Receipts for a line item reported as miscellaneous in the amount of \$1,726.00 is still being awaited from the Atlanta local organizing member. In all he stated we are looking at a tentative profit of \$1210.00 from the convention. He thanked the BOT members for their generosity. You have been at the forefront of contribution to the survival of the association. The example you have demonstrated should be emulated by all members.

The president thanked Mr. Morrison for his report. He once again drew the attention of members to the initial capital of \$10,000 which was given to the Atlanta local organizing committee. A detailed report on how this funds was disbursed as well as the amount of \$1,726.00 itemized as miscellaneous is still being awaited he stated. He thanked the members of the BOT just as Mr. Morrison before him for their commitment.

Following the presentation of the report, the president opened the floor for discussion. Barrister Omorogbe opened up the discussion with his question on membership of the BOT. Knowing that the membership eligibility of the BOT is for a 3 year period, does a member who only paid for one year continue to remain

as a BOT member. The president's answered with a NO. Our constitution says you no longer qualify as an active member.

While on the issue of membership, Mr Lionel Osaghae was of the opinion that the financial secretary should consider listing all members on his roster on the report irrespective of financial standing as this might motivate them to meet their financial obligation to the association. Mr. Morrison in his response articulated the numerous initiatives he has implemented to make payment for members as seamless as possible. If these initiatives have not motivated these members up till this point he wondered how listing their names would do that.

Mr. Benson Asemota agreed with Mr. Morrison. With 150 listed names on our Whatsapp platform, 45 members listed as active financial members is credit to this executive he stated. Those who will give to the association will give. The culture of giving back is just not in some of us he stated. Regarding the financial report presented earlier by Mr. Osifo, he questioned the documentation of the initial sum of \$10,000 given to the Atlanta local organizing committee. For proper accounting purposes, that funds should be included as part of the total revenue as well as well part of the total expenditure. The funds has been accounted in the report. The president while agreeing with the standard accounting system articulated by Mr. Asemota reminded the house that the current format in which the tentative report was presented had previously being explained. This matter presented a bit of a debate, at the end it was agreed by all that the corrections will be addressed in the final report.

Dr. Peter Arasonwan lending his voice to the discussion thanked the financial department for the clarity and transparency. While echoing his disappointment on the number of participants at today's meeting he called on the house to wait for all the relevant parties to complete their report

Scholarship Program

The president updated the house on the state of the scholarship program approved at the Atlanta convention. According to him, the executive decided the criteria for awarding the scholarships. The principal of ICC and the World Wide President

were involved to facilitate the process. He present emails of communication between him and the principal to the house. Some questions were asked as to the involvement of the world wide president when this was solely a USA North America agenda. The president provided clarity on these questions as well as to the other concerns expressed by members dealing with the selection of possible recipients. The two major criteria, academic excellence and financial needs were strongly scrutinized, and suggestions on how best to achieve our goal were put forward by the members present.

Finally, the issue to increasing the membership of the BOT was tabled for discussion. After the president's passionate appeal for members to join this group Dr. Peter Arasonwan volunteered to be a member of this group. He was welcomed to the group by the members present.

Closing prayer

The president called on Mr. Lionel Osaghae to give the closing prayer. The meeting officially came to a close at 7.00pm cst

Business Adv Fundamentals - 6845: Account Activity

Balance Summary:\$53,420.95 (available as of today 04/23/2023)

View:today 04/23/2023

All Transactions

Date	Description	Status	Amount	Available Balance
04/19/2023	Zelle Transfer Conf# 999vj22p6; GREGSON O OGHAFAUA	C	960.00	53,420.95
04/14/2023	Zelle Transfer Conf# 999vbozzr; OROBOSA V OROBOR	C	240.00	52,460.95
04/14/2023	Zelle Transfer Conf# 999vayd9u; DALA F IGUODALA	C	240.00	52,220.95
04/14/2023	Zelle payment from EMMANUEL OSAGIEDE for "From Dr Osagiede"; Conf# j69z1o552	C	1,000.00	51,980.95
04/14/2023	BKOFAMERICA MOBILE 04/14 3724623990 DEPOSIT *MOBILE NY	C	2,000.00	50,980.95
04/13/2023	Zelle Transfer Conf# 0HTRIG9B1; ISAAC ISIWELE	C	260.00	48,980.95
04/12/2023	Zelle payment from EHIGIE OMORODION Conf# cnknv609x	C	500.00	48,720.95
04/12/2023	Zelle Transfer Conf# 0HTQI7467; SUNDAY UWUMAROGIE	C	1,500.00	48,220.95
04/10/2023	BKOFAMERICA MOBILE 04/10 3679673193 DEPOSIT *MOBILE NY <i>Mathew Odigie</i>	C	1,000.00	46,720.95
04/07/2023	Zelle Transfer Conf# 999v0neuo; MORRISON E OSIFO	C	240.00	45,720.95
04/07/2023	Zelle payment from ISE OSAYIMWEN for "Dues payment from Ise Osayimwen for..."	C	240.00	45,480.95
04/07/2023	Zelle Transfer Conf# 01UKFQD2Z; SUNDAY UWUMAROGIE <i>Frank Ogbahon</i>	C	750.00	45,240.95
04/05/2023	USPS PO 1 2065 04/05 PURCHASE MATTESON IL DEBIT CARD *1852	C	-63.00	44,490.95
04/03/2023	Zelle Transfer Conf# 999uw4rwf; MORRISON E OSIFO	C	240.00	44,553.95
04/03/2023	Zelle payment from PETER ARASOMWAN Conf# qv5kqia24	C	260.00	44,313.95
04/03/2023	Zelle Transfer Conf# 999utalz5; ANDREW AIDEYAN	C	500.00	44,053.95

Statement as of 04/01/2023

Conventions Financial Report

Convention Income			
Items	Atlanta 2022	Dallas 2023	
Ticket sales (Registration)	\$7,005.00		
Advert on Program (Brochure)	2,000.00		
Raffle ticket sales	0.00		
Donation	9,800.00		
Pledges	2,200.00		
Bus Tour Fees/Donation	1,000.00		
Merchandise Sales	180.00		
Local Chapter Contribution	0.00		
Total Income	\$22,185.00		
Convention Expenses			
Friday Event (Refreshments & Games)	1,376.00		
Hotel Charges	1,947.00	3,552.00	
Saturday Breakfast	0.00		
Saturday lunch	1,555.00		
Saturday Dinner	5,985.00		
Brochure/Program/Flyer Printing	1,684.00		
Photo/Videographer	1,300.00		
Convention Bags/Portfolio	1,110.00		
Registration Badges/holders	110.00		
Decorations/Awards	1,160.00		
Tour Bus (Field Trip & Refreshments)	880.00		
Raffle Tickets Printing	0.00		
Raffle Prizes Cost	0.00		
DJ for Dinner Night	700.00		
MC for Dinner Night	0.00		
Security Cost	400.00		
Banners & Backdrops	0.00		
Keynote Speaker Accommodation	0.00		
Merchandise for Sale (T-Shirt)	0.00		
Refund to ICCOBA NA	0.00		
Refunds to Local Chapter	0.00		
Refund to others	0.00		
Alcohol	929.00		
Water/Snacks	113.00		
Miscellaneous	*1,726.00		
Total Expenses	20,975.00	3,552.00	

* **NO** post-convention financial report by Fidel Castro Cole, Atlanta Chapter LOC Chairperson.

**ICCOBA NA
FINANCIAL STATEMENT
FY July 1, 2021 - Aug 30, 2022**

Beginning Balance National Account	\$ 33,370.08
Income:	
Dues	\$ 4,018.80
Registration	\$ 452.80
BOT contributions FY 2021	\$ 10,750.00
Convention	\$ 22,185.00
Revenue collected for Housing Project	\$ -
BOT Contributions towards FY 2022	\$ 3,240.00
Legacy Programs Payment	
Total Income	\$ 74,016.68
Expenses:	
Administrative	\$ 813.50
Stamp/Envelopes	
Website Renewal	\$ 631.35
Article of Incorp. Renewal	\$ 16.25
Filed Tax Returns up to date	\$ 110.00
Reversal	
Wire Fee	
Zoom Charges	\$ 149.99
Convention	\$ 20,975.00
Bereavement Payment	\$ -
Total	\$ 22,696.09
Ending Balance	\$ 51,320.59

GALA NIGHT DONNATIONS/PLEDGES REDEEMED
As of April 23, 2023

Names	Amount	Status
Mr Ben Omorogbe	\$2000 Chk	Redeemed
Dr Vincent Oganwu	\$1000 Chk	Redeemed
Mr & Mrs Kenny Giwa	\$500 Zelle	Redeemed
Mr Toju Nana	\$100 Chk	Redeemed
Mr Vincent Orobor	\$500 zelle	Redeemed
Mr Emma Akhile	\$500 Zelle	Redeemed
Engr. Andrew Aideyan	\$600 zelle	Redeemed
Class of 1990	\$1000 zelle	Redeemed
Maj Cletus Obahor	\$500 Chk	Redeemed
Mr & Mrs Sunday Uwumarogie	\$500 zelle	Redeemed
Edo College Old Boys	\$200 Cash	Redeemed
Class of 1986	\$500 zelle	Redeemed
Dr. Austin Agho	\$1000	Pending
Engr. Roman Akeh	\$1000	Pending
Mr. Victor Omogiate	\$200	Pending
Mr Godwin Arabamen	\$200 zelle	Redeemed
Dr Emma Osagiede	\$1000 zelle	Redeemed
Mr Simon Orobor	\$200 cash	Redeemed
Engr Chris Igbinedion	\$500 Chk	Redeemed
Total	12,000.00	
Pending	\$2,200.00	
Collected	\$9,800.00	

MEMBERS DUES PAYMENT

As of April 23, 2023

NAMES	2019 Dues	2020 Dues	2021 Dues	2022 Dues	2023 Dues
Agho, Austin	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	
Agbontaen Osazuwa	\$240.00				
Aideyan, Andrew	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	
Aifuwa, Solomon	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00		
Aigbe Michael	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00		
Ajayi, Clement	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	
Akeh Roman	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00
Akhile Emmanuel		NM	\$240.00	\$240.00	
Aimufua Osagie	NM	NM		\$240.00	
Anegbode, Mathew	\$240.00	\$240.00			
Arasomwan, Edwin	\$240.00	\$240.00			
Arasomwan, Peter Uyi	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	
Arebamen Ehi			NM	\$240.00	
Asemota, Benson	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	
Asemota, Obama Steve Dr.	\$240.00				
Asiwe Emma	\$120.00				
Bello Osagie, Adam	\$240.00	\$240.00			
Cole, Fidel Castro	\$240.00	\$240.00			
Eboigbe Felix				\$240.00	
Edokpa, Anthony	\$80.00				
Ekukpe, Augustine	\$240.00				
Ereyi Raphael		\$240.00	\$240.00		
Eweka, Osagie	\$240.00	\$240.00			
Enabulele Harris	\$240.00				
Giwa Osagie, Kenny	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00		
Idemudia Peter			NM	\$240.00	
Idubor Osasuyi	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	
Igbinedion, Christopher	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	
Iguodala, Dala	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	
Imafidon, Evans	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	
Iriabe, Fred	\$240.00	\$240.00			
Inneh C.O	NM	NM	NM	\$240.00	\$240.00
Isedeh, Dr. Anthony	\$240.00				
Lato, Simon Aghile	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00		
Obahor, Cletus (RTD)	\$240.00				
Obanor, Festus	\$240.00	\$240.00			
Odigie, Mathew	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00
Oganwu, Dr. Vincent	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00		
Ogbahon, Frank	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	
Ogbevoen Nicholas	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00		
Oghafua, Gregson Dr.	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00

Ogiemwanre, Julius	\$100.00					
Okhilua Daniel Dr.	NM	\$240.00				
Okogun Solomon	NM	\$240.00	11.05			
Okparu Umah	NM	NM	\$240.00			
Omoregie, David	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00			
Omorodion, Ehigie	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00		
Omorogbe, Ben	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00			
Omoruyi, Presley	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00		
Omoureh Ramsey	NM	\$240.00				
Omosefe, Kingsley	\$40.00					
Orobor, Vincent	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00		
Oronsaye, Dr. Osaretin	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00		
Osadiaye Austin	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00			
Osaghae Lionel	\$240.00	\$240.00				
Osagiede, Dr. Emmanuel	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00			
Osamwonyi, Ed Efonayi	\$240.00					
Osayimwen, ise	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00		
Osehobo Philip	NM	NM	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	
Osifo, Morrison	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00		
Otaigbe Raphael			\$240.00			
Owie, John	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00			
Usen Stanley Dr.	\$250.00	\$240.00	\$240.00			
Uwumarogie, Hope	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00		
Uwumarogie, Sunday	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00		
Woghiren Anthony	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00	
Woghiren, David	\$240.00					
Woghiren, Enabulele	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240.00			

 Paid in Full
 NM New Member

Board of Trustees Donations
Second Group of BOT Members 2022 -2024
Payments As of April 23, 2023,

#	Name & Address	Amount Paid 2022	Amount Paid 2023	Amount Paid 2024
1	Dr. Vincent Oganwu			
2	Engr. Chris Igbinadion	\$500.00		
3	Dr. Osaretin Oronsaye	\$500.00		
4	Dr. Evans Imafidon	\$2,000.00		
5	Mr. Solomon Aifuwa			
6	Mr. Clement Ajayi	\$500.00		
7	Mr. Frank Ogbahon	\$750.00		
8.	Dr. Ehigie Omorodion	\$500.00		
9.	Dr. Austin Agho	\$500.00		
10.	Mr. Benson Asemota	\$340.00		
11.	Mr. Andrew Aideyan	\$500.00		
12.	Dr. Presley Omoruyi	\$500.00		
13.	Sunday Uwumarogie	\$1,000.00		
14	Dr. Emmanuel Osagiede			
15.	Mathew Odigie	\$500.00	\$500.00	
16.	Anthony Woghiren	\$500.00	\$500.00	
17	Philip Osehobo	\$500.00	\$1,000.00	
18	Peter Uyi Arasomwan	\$500.00		
19	Chief Chris Omoregie Inneh	\$500.00		
	Total	\$10,090.00	\$2,000.00	

Board of Trustees Donations
First Group of BOT Members 2019 - 2021

#	Name & Address	Amount Paid 2019	Amount Paid 2020	Amount Paid 2021
1	Dr. Vincent Oganwu	\$500.00	\$600.00	\$500.00
2	Engr. Chris Igbinadion	\$880.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
3	Dr. Osaretin Oronsaye	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
4	Mr. Ben Omorogbe	\$1000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1000.00
5.	Mr. David Woghiren	\$500.00		
6	Dr. Evans Imafidon	\$1050.00	\$1,000.00	\$2,000.00
7	Mr. Solomon Aifuwa	\$600.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
8	Major Cletus Obahor	\$500.00		
9	Mr. Clement Ajayi	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
10	Mr. Frank Ogbahon	\$500.00	\$750.00	\$750.00
11	Mr. Simon Ailele Lato	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
12	Mr. Augustine Ekukpe	\$500.00		
13	Dr. Anthony Isedeh	\$500.00		
14.	Dr. Ehigie Omorodion	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
15.	Dr. Austin Agho	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
16	Mr. Benson Asemota	\$740.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
17.	Dr. Obama Asemota	\$680.00		
18.	Mr. Andrew Aideyan	\$600.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
19.	Dr. Presley Omoruyi	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
20.	Sunday Uwumarogie	\$1000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
21	Dr. Emmanuel Osagiede	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
22.	Mathew Odigie	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
23.	Anthony Woghiren	\$500.00*	\$500.00	\$500.00
24	Philip Osehobo	-	-	\$500.00
	Total	\$14,050.00	\$11,350.00	\$12,750.00

Total Donated = \$38,150.00

2023 ICCOBA NORTH AMERICA ANNUAL CONVENTION



Venue: **Sheraton DFW Airport Hotel**
 Address: **4440 W. John Carpenter Freeway, Irving, TX, 75063**
 Phone: **1-972-929-8400**
 Date: **July 14th - 16th , 2023 Last Day to Book: June 23, 2023**



Keynote speaker:

The Archbishop, Most Rev. Dr. Augustine Obiora Akubeze
Catholic Archbishop of Benin City

Theme: Giving Back

The "World" is gathering in Dallas, Texas, USA to make a difference in our children's education. Be a part of History. Book your ticket NOW!

Brochures Advertisements:

- Full page \$100.00
- Half page \$75.00
- Inside Back page \$500.00
- Back Page & Inside Front Page

\$ Call 347-330-2572 for details

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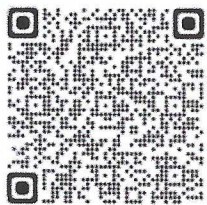
Bus Tour:

- Adults \$30.00
- Children \$20.00

**You must be pre-registered to participate*



Sheraton



For Hotel Accommodation Scan the QR Code or Call 1-972-929-8400 & mention ICCOBA

Convention Event Tickets:

Cover Lunch, Dinner, and Gala nite

- Singles..... \$100.00
- Couples..... \$150.00
- Children under age 18yrs \$40.00

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**For additional information*

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- **Muyi Obazee**, Event Committee Member- 214-236-9004
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