

Features Of Main Events

ON SATURDAY, 11TH OCTOBER, 2008

- 6:00AM: Beating of Gbedu/Bata Drums at Onigbemo's Palace / Kakaki Oba.
- 8:00AM: Traditional gun salute by the warlords and hunters.
- 9:30AM: Guests are Seated
- 9:30AM: Arrival of Igbemo Traditional Chiefs and Honorary Chiefs with Light musical entertainment.
- 10:00AM: Arrival of Traditional Rulers, Title Holders and invited guests.
- 10:10AM: Arrival of Irepodun/Ifelodun Local Government Chairman
- 10:15AM: Arrival of permanent Secretaries
- 10:20: Arrival of Special Adviser Chieftaincy and Culture
- 10:25AM: Arrival of members of state Executive Council
- 10:40: Arrival of members of National and State Assemblies.
- 10:50AM: Arrival of Deputy Governor, Ekiti State
- 10:55AM: Arrival of the Executive Governor of Ekiti State.
- 11:00AM: National Anthem
- 11:15AM: Igbemo Anthem
- 11:20AM: Opening Prayers
- 11:30AM: Introduction of Dignitaries
- 11:40AM: Welcome Address by Irepodun / Ifelodun Local Government Chairman
- 11:45AM: Address by National President Igbemo Development Association
- 11:50AM: Goodwill Message by the chairman Ekiti State Council of Obas
- 11:55AM: Address by Special Adviser on chieftaincy and culture.
- 12:05PM: Address by His Excellency, Executive Governor of Ekiti State, Engineer Segun Oni and Presentation of Staff of Office.
- 12:25PM: Acceptance Speech by Kabiyesi HRM Oba Adewumi Daramola, Onigbemo of Igbemo Ekiti.
- 12:45PM: Prayers by Bishops
For the newly installed (a) King (b) Igbemo Ekiti town (c) Ekiti State and Nigeria.
- 1:15PM: Fund raising in aid of the second phase of Onigbemo's Palace.
- 1:50PM: Traditional Dance Steps by Kabiyesi and his Chiefs
Cultural / Traditional Display
Paying of Traditional Homage by all Igbemo Chiefs and various groups in the Society.
- 2:15PM: Announcements.
- 2:30PM: Vote of Thanks
- 2:35PM: Closing Prayers
- 2:40PM: National Anthem
- 2:45PM: Executive Governor departs with Kabiyesi and other traditional rulers.

RECEPTION

Masters of Ceremony

1. Bayo Oguntuase
2. Akinlade Ojo