

Imperial Court of Arizona

June 20, 2010

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING 2: 00pm

Call to order: Travis Porterfield aka Zsa Zsa Dubois 2:00

Roll call: Secretary: “Brick” Mullen

Approval of minutes: Secretary: “Brick” Mullen motion to accept minutes -2nd Julie Craig – additional and changes submitted by Michael Gaffney. Connie Mullen Motion to accept with corrections Julie 2nd motion carries 1 abstention

Approval of 2010 Treasure report: Treasure Steve La Fata see report(s) – motion Steve LaFata 2nd Sandy LaFrance motion carried

Old Business

- Harvey Milk Campaign – Michael Gaffney – On going campaign, send in letter to US postal service and they will send a return confirmation stating “they are considering stamp for 2013”. Bar runs for letter campaign and pins. All items are on the website ads and flyers at imcourt.org easy for you to save down.
- Michael Gaffney looking for help with and ideas for
 - Group presentation opportunities
 - Bar informational nights
 - Postage
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- Working with In Touch to help post across the state. This is a National campaign and we want to thank you Michael Gaffney for all the wonderful work and time you have devoted to this cause.
- New board members elected – Don Burns, Sandy LaFrance, Sherry Mullen and Craig VanDee

New Business

- Parliament – we need a New “Member of Parliament” and an alternate “Member of Parliament” – Need to appoint new member but would prefer volunteers. Volunteers were CJ Whitmore for member and Don Burns for alternate member.
- Investitures recap - Sandy LaFrance and Steven Bloom – Thank you everyone... had a great time. Raised \$400.00 highest investiture to date.
- Flagstaff Pride – Zsa Zsa – had a great time and meet lots of great people. Encourage all to go next year.
- Chocolate Cherub recap – Ron Dangle we raised \$541.00 Jerry raised the most money will be repeated next year bigger, better, and badder.
- Bisbee Pride – Michael Brent – The most excitement is the parties on Friday and Saturday evening... a few from Phoenix and many from Tucson. During this weekend everything in Bisbee is Gay. 3 hours and 15 minutes to get to Bisbee.
- Pride Gala – Ray Shapiro and Zsa Zsa – had a great time at the Madison event center downtown. We were

mentioned under the program for pride beverage zone. We raised a little over \$9,000.00 for this event.

Up Coming Events

- June 30th Fort Worth Coronation – Protocol talk to Gary
- July 17 Z-Girls club show and Verve fundraiser venue confirmed, this will be a split show between court pending SRA board confirmations today. Many great things in the works for event. Great opportunity to promote the court for membership committee table would be requested. Introduce a younger and new crowd to our association.
- July 18 follow up from the 17th with Brunch at Cherry Bar who will give a donation to the court for split with SRA.
- July 24 Kyle McDonald is hosting Christmas in July – Velocity after dark.
- July 31 at Tropicana looking for good rates Las Vegas ICP Ball – Don and Jim are going. Theme 30-40 – need protocol – get with Gary.
- July 31 - Long Beach Harbor Cruise - white party Julie and Sandy are thinking about going.
- August 1 Miss Gay Arizona America at the Tempe Center for the Arts. Theater seating \$20.00 per person. Prelims will be held the day before at the Rock.

- August 21 Hee-Haw III show at Rainbow Cactus - Sharon Starks and Michael Butts current title holders. Jell-O – Shots Michael Brent would like to DJ and will bring his system.
- July 25 Bling Bling ball Nichol Stanza at Charlie's 9pm

Educational

- Previous non lifetime Reign titles – tabled for further research

Open Forum

Lexington 45th anniversary honors was like going to two coronations \$2000 dollars for ICC many little speeches from Milk family, Shepherd family and many others. Families Certificate presented to Michael Gaffney in appreciation for all his hard work.

Mathew Shepherd last year over \$100,000 raised. This year is for Harvey Milk foundation. They are going to have an event and send money to that location. The Harvey Milk Foundation is an association to help with exchange student sponsorships. We need to place this on our events prior to October so the monies can be sent in October.

Zsa Zsa, Empress IV stepped down from Queen Mother due to health reasons. Julie Craig was selected and approved by board as Queen Mother to reign 5.

Jonathan, Aids walk 1st Sunday of October

Lady Christian, Hosting AGRA benefit \$2.00 of each brunch the 27th will go to AGRA. We can set up for Harvey Milk at this event. Harvey Milk movie can be played as well.

Lady Christian Miss USA at large pageant August 22nd forbidden at 8 pm. All non profit 50% off advertising in program.

Bill Vantessen – Buck in the bay court will be helping local rodeo association.

Line Titles picture and bio – needed for website

Adjournment

Gary Munson motion 2nd Bill Vantessen 2:55