

# February Members' Minutes

Sunday, March 01, 2009  
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<b>Call To Order:</b>	Emperor Joseph & Empress Justice	2pm
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<b>January Minutes:</b>		Motion by:	President Jennifer Carroll
		2nd by:	Jeff Muir
			APPROVED

<b>Treasurer's Report:</b>		Motion by:	Treasurer Gary Munson
		2nd by:	Edward Pulley
			APPROVED

## Old Business:

- ◆ AGRA Rodeo: It was a great event. We did perform on both days and was a lot of fun. Lots of people picked up information brochures or stopped by to ask questions and get information.
- ◆ Closet Ball Report: Congratulations to Ava and Allen on a successful event. Best Buy donated a check of \$5,000.00 to be divided between Youth Empowerment and the Imperial Court's Scholarship Fund. We had a great big help with Apollo's stepping in and donating all of the liquor and sodas. Also to Empress 1 Jennifer Carroll for the donation of the munchies. Also all of the contestants along with out of town guests...GREAT JOB and THANKS!
- ◆ Empress' Ball Report: Our Empress set up two events for her Empress' Ball. One at Club Forbidden and then one at APEX (Fetish Ball). We raised a total of \$1,421.00 between both events. Great job to our Empress 3 Justice Prevails.
- ◆ PR Ball: Reported from the Prince & Princess Royale 3, CJ & Jagi. That we discussed the budget for the state event. That we asked for allocation of \$1000.00 for the budget for expenses. We also discussed and asked all members to help donate junk food or snack food for the event. The Hotel has lowered their room rates from \$74.00 Nightly to \$59.00 Nightly.
- ◆ Phoenix Gay Pride: This year it has been reported that it has been broken down into zone areas. We have been asked to attend on the of the zones: The zones consist of: 1-Beer, 1-Soda/Water, 1-Vodka, 1-Margariteta, 1-Premix. Each \$1.00 sold comes back to us. We can also subcontract our booths out with other organizations. There will be 25 admissions ticket given, and will be handed out the morning of each day. We are still checking on the trailer, or getting the convertibles for the parades. Also don't forget about the Miss Gay Pride pageant on March 7<sup>th</sup>.
- ◆ Southwest Leather Pride Weekend: March 6-8<sup>th</sup>, 2009. With our Emperor 3 & Empress3 being tally masters for the event.

## New Business:

- ◆ Appointed new titles: From Emperor 3 Joseph Brumley & Empress 3 Justice Prevails, appointed Ava Grab-Mor & Allen Windz-Mor; King Father & Queen Mother to Reign 3. Congratulations to you guys.
- ◆ Picnic In The Park: This will be held on March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2009. Not sure of the location. All food & drinks was donated. That sells of food tickets of the price of \$5.00 per plate, also planning games, desert contest.
- ◆ Miss Gay Arizona & Reina De! Sol UsofA: February 22<sup>nd</sup>, price of tickets \$25.00/ \$30.00 at door. Our very own Duchess Regina Gazelle is a contestant in the event.
- ◆ Monarch's Roast: The College of Monarch's is glad to announce The Monarch's Roast on April 4<sup>th</sup> at The Cherry Bar. They will be asking Empress Truly LaFemme to be the emcee for the evening. It will be \$5.00 to roast & \$5.00 to perform.
- ◆ Court Appreciation Show: Is set for April 12<sup>th</sup> Easter Sunday at 4 pm. It will be held at Apollo's with the famous Easter Bonnet contest.
- ◆ Castle Little More Helping Hands Award: Treasurer Gary Munson is the Co-Chair for this award. This award is given to nationwide to the individual or individuals that has given a lot to the community, their courts.

## Educational Presentation:

- ◆ Apps & Office of Emperor & Empress 4, Criteria & Credentials: Empress 1 Jennifer Carroll/President Joe Kunkel, talked about the thoughts of our members of becoming candidates for Emperor & Empress. He touched on the criteria that you have to at 80% of all events, the

expenses of running for the position, Traveling. Also the expenses for the rest of the year.

**Open Forum:**

- ◆ Parliament Homework: Our Parliament Member, Jeff Muir has discussed the upcoming meeting set for May in San Antonio Texas. That he has submitted question that are posted onto the website, fro all members to fill out and email back to Jeff Muir. So we can see where court members wants to see in what direction the parliament and to help the ICS to go in a better direction. We encourage all questionnaire to be filled out.

<b>Adjournment:</b>		Motion by:	Treasurer Gary Munson
		2nd by:	Too Many to Name
			Approved

Minutes submitted by: CJ Whitmer and Jennifer Carroll