

# January General Members' Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, January 21, 2009  
7:20 PM



<b>Call To Order:</b>	Emperor Joseph & Empress Justice	2pm
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<b>October Minutes:</b>	Motioned by Gary Munson	2 <sup>nd</sup> by Sandy LaFrance	Approved
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<b>November Treasurer's Report:</b>	Motioned by Gary Munson	2nd CJ Whitmer	Approved
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## Old Business:

- ♦ Topsy Turvey Turn About: Congratulations goes out to Duke Ray and Duchess Regina on a great job and the event raised \$442.00.
- ♦ Closet Ball: Updating and giving positions to the court members. Ava and Allen are looking for raffle prizes so let them know as soon as you can. Rehearsals have begun for the opening production number. They are being held at Michael and Julie's on Wednesday evenings at 6pm.
- ♦ Empress' Ball: The ball is going to consist of 2 separate balls. The ball that is open to the general public will be held at Club Forbidden. At the same time there will be a "fetish" ball that is being held at APEX. Again we are looking for raffle prizes so please let Empress Justice know if you have anything for the raffles. At APEX, there will be a costume contest for best Vampire and Victim. Food that is being served at APEX is being donated by Fetish Alive.
- ♦ PUGBA: The court is working with PUGBA on the Grab Bag Drag Bowling. We have decided to postpone this event until a later date due to problems with the local bowling houses.
- ♦ AGRA - Rodeo: The vendor booth is all set for this coming weekend at rodeo. Still getting ideas for a production number. Please give you ideas to either Empress Justice or her PR Jagi. Please let either the monarch or PR's know what day you will be willing to work the booth. Those that are working on Saturday please let us know ASAP. We have to get protocol ready for Grand Entry.
- ♦ Southwest Leather Conference: We will not be doing any production number this year at this conference. Someone asked about capacity and Emperor Joseph reported that no official capacity has been set. Please let the Monarchs know if you are planning to attend this conference.

## New Business:

- ♦ PR Ball: CJ and Jagi reported that things are underway and being worked on for their ball. We now can help sell program ads for the PR Ball program. CJ and Jagi will be working on a budget to present after they return from San Diego's PR Ball the weekend of January 24 & 25, 2009. The budget will be presented at the next Board meeting and General meeting in February.
- ♦ Phoenix PRIDE: The court will have an entry in the PRIDE parade. Regine report that she can secure a flatbed trailer for our float. If this doesn't not come through for some reason we will just do cars again. We are waiting on the information about what is offered to us at PRIDE in the park. Justice is working with us for a production number and she is working with the PRIDE committee to secure us the Main Stage this year.

## Educational Presentation:

- ♦ President Jennifer Carroll aka Joe Kunkel discussed with the group about issues within our own court members during this rough economic times. We all need to keep in mind that we are serving because of one common goal. Helping those that can't help themselves. We are family and we will disagree and sometimes fight, but remember that we LOVE each other and will stick up for one another no matter what. So be kind to your brothers and sisters in the court because some of them are going through rougher times than others.
- ♦ Emperor Joseph and Empress Justice read 2 lovely thank you letters that the court received from Eve's Place and for our help with the Logan's Playground Toy Drive.

**Open Forum:**

- ◆ No topics were presented

**Adjournment:**

- ◆ Motion to adjourn came from Jennifer Carroll aka Joe Kunkel, 2nd by Gary Munson. The meeting adjourned at 3pm.

Minutes submitted by:	CJ Whitmer and Jennifer Carroll
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