

The Star

OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE CELESTIAL KINGDOM

THE QUEEN SPEAKS!

Greetings unto the Celestial Kingdom:

I hope this finds one and all happy and prosperous. As my time as your Queen grows to an end, I would like to thank one and all for making my time an interesting one. Certainly there was never a boring week.

Over the past six months we have grown both internally and externally. With the addition of 7 new groups, 2 in Nevada, 1 in Corpus Christi, and 1 in Fort Bragg NC, and 3 within our own borders, we have certainly proven that the game and the love for the CK is alive and well. I have also worked very hard at improving the reputation of the CK with our neighboring Kingdoms. The use of the Clear Cut Event Policies has made it much easier to take care of problems quickly and decisively. I do hope that the following Monarch continues the good work, I have laid the groundwork for. I hope that the Populace of the Celestial Kingdom has enjoyed their time under my rule...and will continue to enjoy the fruits of my labors for some time to come. It has been my pleasure to serve you all as your Monarch. Unto my Regent, Dame Morganna. Thank you for all your hard work and a wonderful Collegium at our Mid-Reign. There are so many people that have helped during this reign. It would end up taking up the entire Star if I tried to thank you all individually. Just know that you all are thanked from the bottom of my heart. This Kingdom has certainly gone above and beyond for the past six months, to make this game fun for all.

THANK YOU

ONE AND ALL!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

In Service

HRM SL Esuom aph Taed

Queen of the Celestial Kingdom

If you have any creative ideas, artwork, stories or tales of adventures at amtgard activities.... Please submit them to the Prime Minister so we can have a Star that truly represents our Kingdom!

FROM TIR A SOL

Greetings unto the populace.

I would just like to say hello and to let you know that the principality of the north is still going strong. Our midreign is going to be Dec 7-9. The site is still trying to be found. We are trying to get Camp Finlayson. We are taking bids for the event, so if you are interested please get me a proposal by Kingdom Coronation. My e-mail address is sirazkar@hotmail.com. At Kingdom coronation I would like to also get in touch with all the regents of the north. That is all I have for now.

Yours in service,

Sir Azkar Raintree, Regent of Tir A Sol

FROM YOUR REGENT

Greetings unto the populace.

As the time for Crown Quals draws near, I want to thank you for letting me serve you as regent. I have enjoyed the last 6 months and hope that my time as regent has lived up to your expectations. I want to thank every one who helped me, with your help and support. I believe the last 6 months have been what we all wanted them to be... so thank you again for letting me serve you.... I know the next regent will be supported as wonderfully.

In service of the dream.

Dame Morganna Raintree-Darkjester..S.B. Regent of the Celestial Kingdom

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FROM THE PM'S DESK

To begin without mention of the events of Sept. 11 would be unconscionable. The insanity affects us all, directly or indirectly. The effects will diminish over time but will never go away entirely. Whatever our respective faiths, national origins, or political affiliations, it has brought us a little closer and demonstrated that there is at least some common ground. The single quote that most struck me in the days that followed is "You may have hit our BUILDINGS, but you missed AMERICA!". As we move forward and resume "normal" activities, let us do so with just a little more tolerance and patience – exactly the opposite of what the monsters who planned and executed this viciousness wanted to happen. There can be no better answer.....

We are now a third of the way through my term as your Prime Minister, and I will be the first to say that I am disappointed in what little I have managed to accomplish so far. Kingdom copies of records for Provinces are still very far from complete, few waivers have been updated, and the financial reports which were (are) one of the most important things I wanted to complete are still not done. Many things, not the least of which being Sept 11, have gotten in the way. That will be overcome in due course, but will have to wait for another day. On a positive note, EVERY voting Province was delivered a copy of the Quals flier, absentee ballot materials and instructions, and a complete copy of all the Proposals submitted for Coronation Allthing. The last of the Proposals packages was delivered Sunday, September 30, 2001 – 34 days before Allthing is to meet, so there will be no question of adequate notice. I want to express a special thank you to Yonnah, Clalibus, and Alana – they were very helpful in getting this done. Yonnah helped with the traveling to some of the Provinces, and Clalibus and Alana volunteered to accept responsibility for getting packages to Torimar and Griffins Keep/South of Heaven, respectively, when the announcement was made at a Province they were visiting.

Over the remaining four months of this term, I intend to ensure that EVERY Province has a complete loose leaf set of Rule Book, Corpora, Dor-un-Avathar, and Beginner's Guide to be used as a reference and to make copies as needed for members. I will also be getting out to Provinces yet another set of dues cards specialized by Province. As we move into implementing the Revised Corpora, dues cards will be of greater importance, as members will be required to pay dues for a FULL six months to be eligible to vote in Kingdom elections. I encourage every member to keep a personal attendance record (samples will be available at Quals, Quest, and Coronation) and have one of the local officials initial and date it every time you go out. Doing this, and bringing it with you to every Amtgard function you attend will ensure two things (1) YOU have a copy of your attendance, making it much easier to keep up with your credits, and (2) YOU have proof (with your dues card) of your eligibility to vote. We tend to rely on our provincial record keepers to do this for us, and most of the time they do a pretty good job of it, but in the end, it is each INDIVIDUAL's responsibility to prove their eligibility to vote. As Prime Minister, I will do all in my power to encourage local record keepers to keep the Kingdom records current, but I cannot MAKE them do so. Also on my list of projects is to get the Kingdom financial house in order AND communicated to the Populace.

The next issue of the Star is planned for Coronation, with a deadline of midnight October 27 for submissions. A very special "thank you" and "HUZZAH!" to Sir Gavin for taking on the task of putting together and printing this issue of the Star.

In Service,

Kaderian, as Prime Minister of the Celestial Kingdom

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A preview of artwork by Theresa Brandon they say will be in the new 6.1 rule book.

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KINGDOM CALENDAR

October 6th - CK Quals and Elections
October 21st - Kingdom Relic Quest
November 2nd-4th - CK Coronation

Tirana
Site TBA
Burnet County Fairgrounds

The Celestial Kingdom website is moving! Check the CK list and star for the new address coming soon.