

East Kingdom Curia
Saturday, 5 December 2015, 10:30 a.m.
at BBM/Bergental Yule in the Barony Beyond the Mountain (New Britain CT)

Agenda

prepared 16 November 2015, 5:50 p.m.

- 1. Curia Opening**
- 2. Old Business**
- 3. New Business** (for all proposed changes, see Agenda Details below)
 - 3.1. Orders of High Merit (p 2)
Revisions to IX.B.1 a. to make induction into an OHM also convey a Grant of Arms.
 - 3.2. Armigerous Orders (pp 2-3)
Insertion of new section IX.C. (and subsequent sections renumbered) to establish armigerous orders; also transferring current IX.C.12. to this new section so the Order of the Silver Rapier will also convey an Award of Arms.
 - 3.3. Orders of Honor (p 3)
Renumber former section IX.C. to IX.D.; also changes to make scrolls optional except as specified.
 - 3.4. Other East Kingdom Awards (p 4)
Renumber former section IX.D. to IX.E.; also changes to make scrolls optional except as specified.
 - 3.5. The Queen's Guard (p 2)
Revision to V.D.4. to allow the Princess to appoint as the Guard's advisor a Companion of one of the martial peerage orders.
 - 3.6. Blue Tyger Legion (p 4)
Revision to IX.E.4. to restrict the award to no more than one per reign.
 - 3.7. Crown Tournaments (p 2)
Revision to VIII.A.3.b. to make the preferred dates for Fall Crown Tourney the first two weeks in November.
- 4. Officer Reports**
- 5. Curia Closure**

EK Law Section III.I. The Agenda for the Curia Regis

1. Any items that The Crown chooses to add to the agenda after the Curia has been called will be added to the agenda under "New Business".
2. If a Curia notice has been sent according to East Kingdom Law, but another Curia needs to be held before the previously announced one, any items of business held over from the earliest Curia will be automatically added to the agenda of the subsequent Curia under "Old Business".

Agenda Details

(Text proposed to be added is underlined; text proposed to be deleted is ~~struck through~~. Only revised sections are listed; all other sections remain unchanged)

V. Court Appointments

D. The Queen's Guard

[no change to V.D.1. through V.D.3.]

4. Will have a Companion of ~~the Order of Chivalry~~ one of the martial Peerage Orders, chosen by the Princess, to serve as their advisor.

VIII. Events

A. Kingdom Events

[no change to VIII.A.1. and VIII.A.2.]

3. Crown Tournaments

- a. The preferred date for Spring Crown Tourney is the first Saturday in May, with the last Saturday in April serving as an alternate date. Written bids must be sent by January 1st. The Heirs must choose from eligible bids by February 15th.
- b. The preferred date for Fall Crown Tourney is the ~~last Saturday in October~~ first Saturday in November, with the ~~first~~ second Saturday in November serving as an alternate date. Written bids must be sent by July 1st. The Heirs must choose from eligible bids by August 15th.

[no change to remainder of section VIII.A.3.]

IX. Awards

B. Orders of High Merit

1. There are six Orders of High Merit in the East Kingdom, and their recipients are known as Companions of their respective Orders.
 - a. Induction into an Order of High Merit will be accompanied by a Grant ~~an Award~~ of Arms for recipients who do not already have one. ~~are not armigerous~~.

[no change to remainder of section IX.B.]

IX. Awards

C. Armigerous Orders

1. There are five Armigerous Orders in the East Kingdom, and their recipients are known as Companions of their respective Orders.
 - a. Induction into an Armigerous Order will be accompanied by an Award of Arms for recipients who do not already have one.
 - b. Companions of each Armigerous Order will rank equally with Companions of the other Armigerous Orders in the Order of Precedence.
 - c. Companions of an Armigerous Order will be entitled to a scroll proclaiming their induction into the Order.
 - d. The Armigerous Orders are awarded solely at the discretion of the Crown. They are not Polling Orders.
2. The Order of the Silver Rapier (established August 2 A.S. 43, 2008, by Konrad and

Brenwen; made armigerous December 5 A.S. 50, 2015, by Brennan II and Caoilfhionn II)
The Order of the Silver Rapier may be awarded by The Crown to an individual for martial skill upon the rapier field, whether in single combat or melee combat.

~~a. Given by The Crown for martial skill upon the Rapier Field.~~

~~b. A scroll shall be given acknowledging this award.~~

3. The Order of the Silver Tyger (established December 5 A.S. 50, 2015, by Brennan II and Caoilfhionn II)

The Order of the Silver Tyger may be awarded by the Crown to an individual for martial skill upon the armored combat lists, whether in single combat or melee combat.

4. The Order of the Silver Brooch (established December 5 A.S. 50, 2015, by Brennan II and Caoilfhionn II)

The Order of the Silver Brooch may be awarded by the Crown to an individual for excellence in the arts or sciences, whether in a single art form or multiple art forms.

5. The Order of the Silver Wheel (established December 5 A.S. 50, 2015, by Brennan II and Caoilfhionn II)

The Order of the Silver Wheel may be awarded by the Crown to an individual for dedicated service that benefits the local group, Kingdom, or Society.

6. The Order of Apollo's Arrow (established December 5 A.S. 50, 2015, by Brennan II and Caoilfhionn II)

The Order of Apollo's Arrow may be awarded by the Crown to an individual for martial skill in the field of target archery.

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C. D. Orders of Honor

1. There are Orders of Honor in the East Kingdom, and their recipients are known as Companions of their respective Orders.
 - a. Companions of each Order of Honor will rank equally with Companions of the other Orders of Honor in the Order of Precedence.
 - b. Except as otherwise expressly stated below, scrolls for induction into Orders of Honor are optional. Companions of an Order of Honor will be entitled to a scroll proclaiming their induction into the Order.

[no change to IX.D.2. and IX.D.3.]

4. The Order of the Tyger's Cub (established October 14 A.S. 13, 1978, by Gyrth and Melisande; revised December 5 A.S. 50, 2015, by Brennan II and Caoilfhionn II)

a. The Order of the Tyger's Cub may be awarded by The Crown to children under the age of eighteen in the East Kingdom who have displayed admirable virtue and decorum at events.

b. The Companions of the Order will be entitled to act as pages to the Royalty of the East Kingdom until such time as they reach the age of eighteen.

c. The Companions of this Order shall be entitled to a scroll.

[no change to IX.D.5. through IX.D.11.]

- ~~12. The Order of the Silver Rapier [removed from section IX.D., renumbered as IX.C.2.]~~

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Ð. E. Other East Kingdom Awards

1. These awards are not armigerous, ~~they convey no standing in the Order of Precedence,~~ and the recipients are not Companions of any Order. Scrolls are optional for these awards, except as otherwise expressly stated.
2. The Queen's Cypher (created by Gavin and Tamera and first presented on October 18 A.S. 15, 1980; revised December 5 A.S. 50, 2015, by Brennan II and Caoilfhionn II)
 - a. The Queen's Cypher is hereby established to recognize those subjects of the East Kingdom who have distinguished themselves by providing exceptional service to the Queen.
 - b. This Order may be awarded by the Queen to whomever She deems deserving.
 - c. The Queen may award no more than ten Queen's Cyphers during any one Reign; nor will She feel required to award any at all, if none are clearly meritorious.
 - d. The recipients of this award will be entitled to either a scroll proclaiming their meritorious services or a personal token of the Queen bearing the Cypher, which is the Queen's initial together with an "R".
3. The King's Cypher (created by Balfar II and Luna II and first presented on April 13 A.S. 30, 1996; revised December 5 A.S. 50, 2015, by Brennan II and Caoilfhionn II)
 - a. The King's Cypher is hereby established to recognize those subjects of the East Kingdom who have distinguished themselves by providing exceptional service to the King.
 - b. This Order may be awarded by the King to whomever He deems deserving.
 - c. The King may award no more than ten King's Cyphers during any one Reign; nor will He feel required to award any at all, if none are clearly meritorious.
 - d. The recipients of this award will be entitled to either a scroll proclaiming their meritorious services or a personal token of the King bearing the Cypher, which is the King's initial together with an "R".
4. The Blue Tyger Legion (established November 19 A.S. 29, 1994, by Gregor II and Christence II; revised May 31 A.S. 50, 2015, by Darius V, called Omega, and Etheldreda IV; revised December 5 A.S. 50, 2015, by Brennan II and Caoilfhionn II)
 - a. The Blue Tyger Legion may be awarded by The Crown to groups that have demonstrated exceptional martial prowess in the field.
 - b. During any one Reign, no more than one group will be inducted into the Legion.
 - ~~b-c.~~ The inducted group is entitled to hang from its banner a schwenkle, bendy purple and or, charged with the initials of the inducting Monarchs.
 - ~~e-d.~~ A group may be recognized in this way more than once, in which case the initials of the inducting Monarchs will be added to the existing schwenkle.
5. The Queen's Award of Esteem (established by edict October 6 A.S. 31, 1996, by Elspeth; renamed January 25 A.S. 49, 2015, by Edward III and Thyra II; revised December 5 A.S. 50, 2015, by Brennan II and Caoilfhionn II)
 - a. The Queen's Award of Esteem may be awarded by the Queen, for any reason She deems worthy, in order to recognize an act, a series of acts, or general behavior that is not already properly recognized by other East Kingdom awards.
 - b. The token of the Queen's Award of Esteem is not defined, but will be specified in

- each Reign by the Queen and will be fashioned by the Queen's hand.
- c. This award will be given solely at the Queen's discretion.
 - d. A gentle may receive the Queen's Award of Esteem more than once, and no upper or lower limits on the number to be awarded per Reign will be imposed.
 - e. The Queen's Award of Esteem includes all gentles who previously received the Queen's Honour of Distinction.
 - ~~f. A scroll is optional.~~
6. The King's Award of Esteem (established January 31 A.S. 44, 2010, by Konrad II and Brenwen II; renamed January 25 A.S. 49, 2015, by Edward III and Thyra II; revised December 5 A.S. 50, 2015, by Brennan II and Caoilfhionn II)
- a. The King's Award of Esteem may be awarded by the King, for any reason He deems worthy, to acknowledge special merit in an act, a series of acts, or general behavior that is not already properly recognized by other East Kingdom awards.
 - b. The token of the King's Award of Esteem is not defined, but will be specified in each Reign by the King.
 - c. Recommendations for this honor will not be requested.
 - d. A gentle may receive the King's Award of Esteem more than once, and no upper or lower limit on the number to be awarded per Reign will be imposed.
 - e. The King's Award of Esteem includes all gentles who previously received the King's Esteem of Merit.
 - ~~f. A scroll is optional.~~
7. The Order of Valor of the East (established September 29 A.S. 37, 2002, by Andreas II and Isabella II; renamed September 25 A.S. 40, 2005, by Darius III and Roxane III; renamed January 25 A.S.42, 2008, by Andreas III and Gabriella; renamed January 26 A.S. 48, 2014, by Kenric II and Avelina II; renamed January 25 A.S. 49, 2015, by Edward III and Thyra II; revised December 5 A.S. 50, 2015, by Brennan II and Caoilfhionn II)
- a. The Order of Valor of the East may be awarded by the King to honor individual members of the armies of the East Kingdom who have distinguished themselves in either of the following ways.
 - i. By displaying extraordinary command excellence on the battlefield at an Inter-Kingdom War.
 - ii. By displaying extraordinary actions of valor on the battlefield at an Inter-Kingdom War.
 - b. The Order of Valor of the East may be awarded no more than three times during any one reign.
 - c. The Order of Valor of the East includes all gentles who were:
 - i. Inducted into the King's Order of the Tyger of Valor
 - ii. Inducted into the previous Order of the Valiant Tyger
 - iii. Inducted into the Tyger of Valor
 - ~~d. A scroll is optional.~~
- [no change to IX.E.8. and IX.E.9.]
10. The Company of the Pennon of the East (established June 19 A.S. 40, 2005, by Gaufréd Kelson II and Geneviere II; renamed January 25 A.S. 49, 2015, by Edward III and Thyra

II; revised December 5 A.S. 50, 2015, by Brennan II and Caoilfhionn II)

- a. The Company of the Pennon of the East may be awarded by the King and Queen to any East Kingdom gentle that has demonstrated exceptional martial prowess on the field, field support, staff, or other gentles who support the East Kingdom at events held in another Kingdom.
 - b. A Gentle may be inducted into the Company of the Pennon of the East more than once, and no upper or lower limits on the number of gentles to be inducted per reign will be imposed.
 - c. The token given will be a small pennon or streamer, able to be worn either on the person or attached to a banner, bearing the initials of the awarding Crown. The colors of such token will reflect the host Kingdom of the foreign war for which the award is given; such as the blue, gold, and/or white of Atenveldt for the Estrella War.
 - d. The Company of the Pennon of the East includes all gentles who previously received the Tyger of Foreign Legions.
 - e. ~~A scroll is optional.~~
11. The Award of Gilder (established July 18 A.S. 44, 2009, by Andreas IV and Gabriella II; renamed January 25 A.S. 49, 2015, by Edward III and Thyra II; revised December 5 A.S. 50, 2015, by Brennan II and Caoilfhionn II)
- a. The Award of Gilder shall be given by the King and Queen to children of the East Kingdom under the age of 18 who display or perform works of Arts & Sciences that manifest the spirit of the East Kingdom Arts.
 - b. The token of the Award of Gilder shall be a coin displaying the initials of the awarding Royalty.
 - c. The Award of Gilder includes all gentles who previously received the Order of the Golden Kinder.
 - d. ~~A scroll may be given acknowledging this award.~~

IX. Awards

~~E. F. Polling Orders~~

[former section IX.E. renumbered; no change to content]

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~~F. G. Patents of Arms~~

[former section IX.F. renumbered; no change to content]