

East Kingdom Curia
Tuesday, 22 July 2025, 8:00 p.m.
conducted ethereally in accordance with SCA, Inc. guidelines
(Please review the Special Notes at
<https://www.eastkingdom.org/event-details/?eid=4443>
for information about this Curia meeting.)

Agenda

- 1. Curia Opening**
- 2. Old Business**
- 3. New Business**
 - 3.1 Crown's Word (page 2)
Relocation of II.B.2. to I.B.2., and renumbering subsequent sections.
 - 3.1 Award of Byakko (Celestial Tyger) (page 3)
New IX.F.11. to recognize peers especially embodying the ideals of peerage; and corresponding Appendix C update.
 - 3.2 Token-Bearing Awards (pages 3-4)
Revisions in several IX.G. sections to empower the Heirs to bestow certain token-bearing awards and recognitions; clarification of bestowal rules for certain awards and recognitions; and corresponding Appendix C updates.
 - 3.3 Award of the Burdened Tyger (page 3)
Revision to IX.G.2.a. removing the requirement of Crown attendance, to expand opportunities for recognition; and corresponding Appendix C update.
 - 3.4 Company of Sabers Tooth (page 4)
New IX.G.17. establishing a company of Pennsic Warlords and Generals; and corresponding Appendix C update.
 - 3.5 Admiral of the Armies (pages 2-3)
Revisions to V.I.2. and -3 combining the recognitions of the Admiral of the Armies and the Admiral Consort; and corresponding Appendix C updates.
 - 3.6 Kingdom Curia (page 2)
Revisions to III.A., -B., and -C. to remove redundant or ambiguous wording and constraining timeline requirements.
- 4. Officer Reports: NONE**
- 5. Curia Closure**

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.)

I. Laws of the East Kingdom

B. Crown's Word

The Crown's word has the force of Law except where it conflicts with East Kingdom Law or the Governing Documents of the SCA, Inc.

[subsequent sections renumbered]

II. The Crown and Heirs

~~B. Crown's Word~~

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[subsequent sections renumbered]

III. Kingdom Curia

A. Meeting and Makeup of Kingdom Curia

2. Curia will be called at least once per Reign.

~~a. The date, time, and format of Curia will be set by the Kingdom Seneschal.~~

~~b. It may be split into several meetings, including but not limited to: (1) Officer Reports and (2) East Kingdom Law changes, but these meetings combined will be considered a single full Curia.~~

B. Announcing Kingdom Curia

2. The announcement will be disseminated by:

~~c. A notice in *Pikestaff* appearing no later than the issue dated the same month as the date of Curia.~~ The announcement may also be provided by a notice in *Pikestaff* appearing no later than the issue dated the same month as the date of Curia.

C. The Agenda for Kingdom Curia

1. The Agenda for Curia will be prepared by the Kingdom Seneschal and the Clerk of Laws.
~~This includes all drafts, final versions and any changes requested.~~

V. Court Appointments and Champions

I. Champions Specific to Royal Lists / Crown Tournament

2. Admiral of the Armies

a. Awarded to the combatant who places second in a Royal List / Crown Tournament
and their consort.

- b. The regalia for this Award is an Admiral's Hat and bosun's whistle, passed from Admiral to Admiral; and a pendant, passed from consort to consort.
- c. Prior to Court at Crown Tournament, the Combatant and consort must give consent for this award to be given to them in Court.
- d. This award is retroactive to include all combatants who placed second in a Royal List / Crown Tournament, and their consorts, even if the award was not presented at that time. The recipients ~~have~~has the right to refuse this retroactive award.

~~3. Admiral Consort~~

- ~~a. Awarded to the consort of the combatant who places second in a Royal List / Crown Tournament.~~
- ~~b. The regalia for this Award is a pendant passed from Admiral Consort to Admiral Consort.~~
- ~~c. Prior to Court at Crown Tournament, the Combatant must give consent for this award to be given to them in Court.~~
- ~~d. This award is retroactive to include all consorts of the combatants who placed second in a Royal List / Crown Tournament, even if the award was not presented at that time. The recipient has the right to refuse this retroactive award.~~

IX. Awards

F. Orders of Honor

11. Byakko (Celestial Tyger)

- a. May be awarded by the Crown to the companion of each peerage order who most embodies and personifies the ideals of that peerage.
- b. During any one reign, no more than one companion of each peerage order will be recognized with the Byakko.
- c. An individual may be recognized in this way more than once, if by a different reign and for a different peerage.
- d. This recognition is accompanied by an Augmentation of Arms, if the recipient does not already have one for a previous Byakko award, within the guidelines and requirements of Section IX.G.10.

G. Other East Kingdom Awards

- 1. These awards are not armigerous, and the recipients are not Companions of any Order. ~~Scrolls are optional for these awards, except as otherwise expressly stated.~~
 - a. Recipients of these awards are recognized by receiving a token, unless a scroll is explicitly stated for the award.
 - b. Recipients of these awards may be recognized by the Crown or the Heirs if so indicated; otherwise, the award is reserved to the Crown.
- 2. The Award of the Burdened Tyger
 - a. May be awarded by the Crown to those gentles associated with running ~~a Royal Progress~~ an event or an aspect of ~~a Royal Progress~~ an event which the Crown feels was well above the normal standard of excellence in the East Kingdom.

9. The Award of the Golden Lyre
- a. May be awarded to acknowledge any individual or group whose single work or performance, either publicly displayed or exhibited in an Arts & Sciences display at ~~a~~ Royal Progress an event attended by the Crown or the Heirs, in the Crown's or Heirs' sole opinion and discretion, manifests and represents the fire and passion of the East Kingdom arts.
 - d. May be awarded by the Sovereign, ~~or~~ Consort, Sovereign's Heir, or Consort's Heir individually, or by the Crown or Heirs acting together.
13. The Company of Morpheus
- b. May be awarded by the Sovereign, ~~or~~ Consort, Sovereign's Heir, or Consort's Heir individually, or by the Crown or Heirs acting together.
14. The Award of Durga
- b. May be awarded by the Sovereign, ~~or~~ Consort, Sovereign's Heir, or Consort's Heir individually, or by the Crown or Heirs acting together.
15. The Award of Rabbit in the Moon
- b. May be awarded by the Sovereign, ~~or~~ Consort, Sovereign's Heir, or Consort's Heir individually, or by the Crown or Heirs acting together.
16. The Award of Benzaiten
- c. May be awarded by the Sovereign, ~~or~~ Consort, Sovereign's Heir, or Consort's Heir individually, or by the Crown or Heirs acting together.
17. The Company of Sabers Tooth
- a. Comprises those gentles who have served the East Kingdom as Kingdom Warlord, Pennsic Warlord, or a Pennsic General appointed by the Crown.
 - b. A gentle becomes a member of the Company at the end of the Pennsic War for which they have served the East Kingdom.
 - c. The Company of Sabers Tooth includes all gentles who have previously served the East Kingdom in any of these capacities for a Pennsic War.