



ICIA Imperial Scroll

Empresses for Reign 31



JEAN MARIE KNIGHT MICHAELS - EMPRESS 31

Her name is Jean Marie Knight-Michaels but you can call her Big Momma, Everybody calls her Big Momma. The Hand Clappin', Foot Stopin', Card Playing

Get me a Margarita and Make Sure it's the Good Stuff Dammit! The lover of Gospel, First Lady to the Church of Imperial Sass! Mama of ALL the Hot Men, Surveyor of the Big Bulges, and Glistering Pecks, and Purveyor of the VHS Cleaner! Bippity Bop-Pity Who the Hell are You? Iowa's Youngest Granny.

ANDREA KNIGHT MICHAELS - EMPRESS 31

The Onyx and Pink Diamond Saint of Sobriety, Sisterhood, and Sass. "There's Gnome place like home, just let her lick it" She may be ditzzy but she's not dumb, the Lady of the 'Loo.

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Greetings to our wonderful members of the Imperial Court of Iowa (I.C.IA) What an honor of a lifetime it is to have been elected Empress 31 with The Imperial Court of Iowa! I wanted to send out just a quick thank you to you all for trusting me to hold the title of Empress for the next year. It is an honor and privilege I will never take lightly and the greatest honor of my lifetime to be your Empress! We have gotten through Super Board and Investiture and I am so ready to start working hard for our community! Thank you to everyone who joined us for Investiture 31 and welcome our new

Royal Family Line! We all are ready to do some amazing and FUN things this next year! A little about me for some who may not know me as well, I am a substitute teacher by day! I have been working with kids for almost a decade and they are my heartbeat! I recently got married over the summer to the love and light of my life, Prince Consort, Domonic Darr-Patterson and we have my favorite little princess and baby (Miniature Red Heeler), Lindy Lou! I am a show cast member and Sunday Show Director at The Garden Restaurant and Show Lounge and love getting to meet so many amazing people at shows! I love spending time with my family and friends, especially playing cards or games! I love hosting friends and family for game nights and dinner! I belong to two amazing Iowa Drag Families the Knights and the Michaels and am proud to represent both! My drag name Jean is to honor my late great-grandmother Jean Darr who always was elegant, classy, compassionate, kind and loving!! All of the qualities I strive for in and out of drag! I am known as Iowa's Youngest Granny because I was elected Iowa's Youngest Empress, BUT my soul is that of a grandmother! I hope to be a grandmotherly/motherly figure to our community! This year I'm excited to bring some new events and FUN! I want this reign to feel like a family and I want each of you to know YOU have a place in our family!!! If you have any questions at all or just need someone to talk to please feel free to message me on Facebook or send an email to iciaempress31@gmail.com and we'll get in contact with each other!

Sending ALL of my love to ALL of Iowa, Iowa's Youngest Granny Empress 31 of ALL Iowa

Big Monna Jean

Hello, and welcome to Reign 31. I'm beyond excited to not only serve, but be one of the leaders for reign 31. This year has already hit the ground running, and only time will tell of what we can all accomplish. This year I'm going to be working on building our membership, as well help mentor our future monarchs. By bringing the history and traditions of the past into a new and brighter future.



Sending you all Holiday Blessings, and Seasons Greetings. I'm always just 4 missed calls, and a hand full of text away!

The Onyx and Pink Diamond Saint of Sobriety, Sisterhood, and Sass.

“There's Gnome place like home, so let her lick it!”

Shen may be ditzy but she's not dumb,

The Lady of the “Loo”

Her Most Imperial Majesty

Empress 31 for all Iowa

Andrea Knight Michaels

Reign 31 Royal Family



Eudora Riverz - Princess Royal 31



**Domonic Darr-Patterson
Prince Consort**



**Eva Rose
Princess**



**Miles Long Frost
Prince**



**Topaz Stahr
Princess**



**Reggie Knight
Prince**



**Tiana Love Michaels
Archduchess**

Reign 31 Royal Family



Dominique Cass
Archduchess



Duke Monroe Principle
Vicount



Marsha Mellow Monroe
Viscountess



Chastity Locke
Baroness



Nostalgia Taylor
Countess



Peaches Diamond
Countessa

ICIA Reign 31 BOD



President
Empress 2 Lili Whyte



Vice President
Empress 29 Gina Te Michaels



Treasurer
Empress 25 & Emperor 29 Evian/Evan Waters



Secretary
Empress 24 of Minnesota Ida Stapter-Back



State Functions Chair
Empress 30 Juanita Voltaire DuFlagan Riverz



SAVE THE DATE FOR
CORONATION 32:
A CANDLELIT NIGHT AT THE IMPERIAL PALACE
SEPTEMBER 26 - 29, 2024



November 2023

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

			1	2	3	4
5 <u>ICON's Showtunes Sunday</u>	6	7	8	9	10 <u>ICON's Gobble Me Swallow Me</u>	11 <u>CAAP Benefit</u>
12	13	14	15	16	17 <u>Terrible Two's Show</u>	18
19 <u>November BOD Meeting</u>	20 <u>ICOM's Jewelry Box</u>	21	22	23 	24	25 <u>ICON's Desserts for Drag</u>
26 <u>ICON's William in Toy-land</u>	27	28	29	30		

Click on Hyperlinks for more information.

December 2023

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

					1 ICON's Wreath Auction	2 ICON's Imperial Russia
3 ICOM's All Ages Holiday Tea Party	4	5	6	7 	8 ICON's Spooky Christmas	9 ICON's Toyz or Totz ICOM's Holiday at Bubbies
10	11	12	13	14	15 Christmas with the Court	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25 	26 	27	28	29	30 ICOM's 2024 Ice Castle Pageant
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THE EMPRESSES PRESENT

A KNIGHT OF DUETS!

“TERRIBLE TWO’S”

CELEBRATING EMPRESS
ANDREA’S TWO YEAR
SOBRIETY!



Friday November 17th
Show: 8PM
All Net Proceeds to Benefit NAMI



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JOIN US FOR
Christmas

WITH THE COURT

December 15th · 8PM

All Net Proceeds to Benefit DSM
Refugee Group



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Imperial Court of Iowa
Board of Directors Meeting Minutes
September 17, 2023

Call to Order 12:01pm

Approval of the Minutes- MC

Approval of the Agenda- MC

Attendance

Matt M

Greg R

Cage M

Eric DP

Teddy G

James DP

Wyatt R

Jordan DP

Dom DP

Dez S

Luke H

Mongo

Becky R

File Reports

President

Thanks for making this an easy year

Vice President

Not much to say. Congrats/ Good Job

Secretary

2 checks received \$500 from Wells Fargo and \$50 from Chuck and Gary for hospitality

Treasure

See attached report

Bank says we have more than our books say

Recommends that we replace square with another provider.

All reimbursements request need to be made by the end of the week

State Functions

Sending out schedule for volunteers

Need to get the following

Surge Protector

Paper

Ink

Going to email the hotel about return of funds

Need to confirm food for Friday and Saturday afternoon

Need card to get groceries

Flags need to be steamed.

James and Jake to bring steamers

Tim and Eric to pick up uhaul and meet at the storage unit at 10 am and noon at the hotel

Not picking up food from Garden until Saturday

Pick up cupcakes from the Garden on Saturday

Ordering welcome bags and have delivered to hotel

Pitch in if you see something that needs to be done

Need a small crew to take down ball room

Keep unopened and open bottle separate

Mark the liquor received from the Garden

Need help setting up ball room

Books are tables

Check batteries in the candles

Closing hospitality at 1:30am on Saturday

Monarchs

Citizens of the Realm meeting on Tuesday at 6:30pm at the Garden and via soon

Thank you, been fun, thanks to the board for not fighting.

Auxiliary Reports

Web Master

Everything up to date.

Princess Royal

n/a

Old Business

Consent posters

In Jake's car

Insurance- will be done before next weekend

Lili meeting with the tax prep on 9/18

Motion to adjourn. 12:41pm

Sunday October 15, 2023- The Garden Restaurant and Show lounge.

Call to order 12:20pm

Attendance

Robert E.
 Andrew M.
 James DP
 Steve M
 Eric DP
 Matthew M
 Wyatt R
 Jordan DP
 Matthew W
 Jake M
 Teddy G
 Greg R
 Dez
 Lukas
 Tiana
 Cage
 Eva

Approval of Minutes- motion carried

Approval of Agenda motion carried

File Reports

President

Vice President- nothing

Secretary- bills received in PO Box

Treasurer-

See attached. Bank says we have more money than we say we have
 No funds in the Mother Earth to give out this year

State functions

Eric, Wyatt and Lili to meet with the hotel

Monarchs

Lexi- thank you for helping get through coronation. Thank you Gina, Jake, Eric and Matt

Juanita- still processing, thank you for all the help and for the last year

Auxiliary Reports

PR- thank you for a great year

Webmaster

All events updated, website updated

Old Business

Sign of Oaths of Office for new monarchs and PR

All signed

Change to the Yazmine Scholarship

To say and/or POC or Trans

New Business

Mongo- if you want to have an event at the Saddle contact Ima a few months before to get scheduled.

Motion to adjourn 1:05pm

Motion carried.

These minutes will be voted on during the November BOD Meeting.



BOD Meeting

Sunday, November 19th
Starting at Noon
at



The Legendary
BLAZING SADDLE

416 E 5th St. Des Moines, Iowa 50309
www.theblazingsaddle.com

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IMPERIAL COURT OF IOWA
BENEFICIARIES FOR YEAR ENDING
September 30, 2023

Reign 30 Charitable Donations

ACRONYM	BENEFICIARY NAME	FUNDS DESIGNATED	FUNDS DISTRIBUTED			DESIGNATED FUNDS NOT DISTRIBUTED
			DIRECT	INDIRECT	TOTAL	
IHYC	Iowa Homeless Youth Center	\$ 1,318.13	\$ 1,318.13	\$ -	\$ 1,318.13	\$ -
VET	DSM Vets Center	\$ 445.00	\$ 445.00	\$ -	\$ 445.00	\$ -
EARTH	Mother Earth Scholarship	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ -	\$ 2,000.00	\$ -
SCHOL	Guardian Angel Scholarship	\$ 5,015.00	\$ 5,015.00	\$ -	\$ 5,015.00	\$ -
CAAP	CAAP	\$ 2,655.90	\$ 2,655.90	\$ -	\$ 2,655.90	\$ -
ARL	Animal Rescue League	\$ 292.50	\$ 292.50	\$ -	\$ 292.50	\$ -
PHC	Primary Health Care	\$ 301.50	\$ 301.50	\$ -	\$ 301.50	\$ -
SAFE	Iowa Safe Schools	\$ 3,406.88	\$ 3,406.88	\$ -	\$ 3,406.88	\$ -
YAZ	Yazmine Scholarship	\$ 1,839.00	\$ 1,839.00	\$ -	\$ 1,839.00	\$ -
NAMI	National Alliance on Mental Illness	\$ 424.50	\$ 424.50	\$ -	\$ 424.50	\$ -
UCPPE	The United Court of the Pikes Peak Empire	\$ 546.00	\$ 600.00	\$ -	\$ 600.00	\$ -
ANNIE	Annie's Foundation	\$ 459.75	\$ 459.75	\$ -	\$ 459.75	\$ -
RUBY	Jim Raymond Memorial	\$ -	\$ 125.00	\$ -	\$ 125.00	\$ -
PATH	Pathways Behavioral Services of Waterloo	\$ 1,181.25	\$ 1,181.25	\$ -	\$ 1,181.25	\$ -
TOTALS		\$ 19,885.40	\$ 20,064.41	\$ -	\$ 20,064.41	\$ -

CONSENT MATTERS



NO MEANS NO

STOP SEXUAL HARASSMENT

A 2023 Public Awareness Project
from the
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“Keep Your Hands to Yourself”

EVERYDAY AROUND THE WORLD



**LGBTQ PEOPLE ARE BEING
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The Imperial Court of Iowa has received a direct donation in the name of Hal Thompson.

Hal loved anything in nature.

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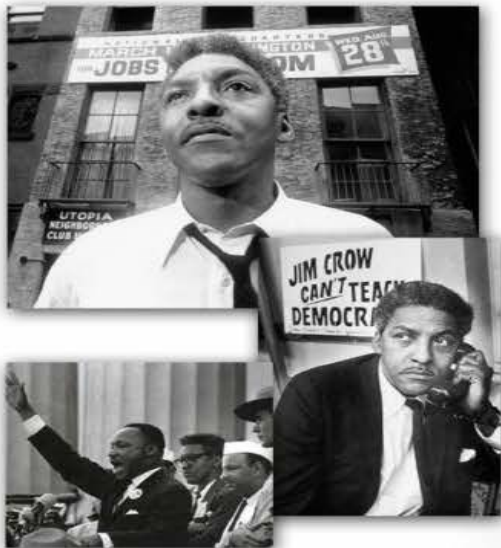
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