

US National Coordinators Report
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I. Staff Listing

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EC Regional Coordinator: (04/05)
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GL Regional Coordinator: (05/05)
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NW Regional Coordinator:
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NE Regional Coordinator: (11/04)
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SW Arbitrator:
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SC Arbitrator:
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EC Arbitrator:
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SE Arbitrator:
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II. Summary

The last month has involved lots of cleaning up loose ends and getting ready for 2006. The servers are back up, and a lot of time has been spent handling issues with renewals, or people getting access to their accounts again in general. The transition to a new ANC: Admin is going smoothly. Work proceeds apace on getting the global charter ready for public review and a vote of the membership, and preparing several amendments to the constitution so they can be voted on as well. The next month should see visible results from some of this preparation, and should be very

exciting - and not just because SWRE will be so much fun!

III. Staff Election Updates

NC and NE Arbitration Board are seeking applications again.

SW Regional Coordinator election underway – Election list set up and applications taken with ETA for end of election being week of SWRE.

IV. Questions & Answers

Be sure to check out the online FAQ database at:

<http://camarilla.white-wolf.com/usnc/faq/>

THIS MONTH'S QUESTIONS:

Q. ICC Photo Team prestige doesn't seem to be awarded to Kim Campbell, yet her pictures are up on the ICC Photo Site. She emailed the team lead about a week ago, and he hasn't emailed her back yet. Should she email the ICC Prestige lead?

A: Yes, the next step would be to contact the prestige lead, Paula Watt, at pwatt9@yahoo.com.

Q. We are planning a regional recruitment drive. What should we do to make sure it fits with any national guidelines?

A: There are no national guidelines on recruitment drives at this time. If we can help in any way, let us know. Otherwise, I look forward to seeing what you have planned.

Q: Should prestige audits in progress be in my chapter or domain report?

A: This is not currently a requirement, but additional information is always welcome in a report. Feel free to add a section to include this data. We will also be evaluating the templates soon and possibly revising them to include more information, possibly including pending reviews.

Q: What's the deal with the free three months of membership from White Wolf?

A: Every member who had a membership as of 12/1/05 will have their expiration date extended by three months, including paid and trial members. If your membership was going to expire on 1/1/06, it will now expire on 4/1/06. If your membership was going to expire on 1/1/2025, it will now expire on

4/1/2025. This applies to *EVERYONE* who was a member during December when White Wolf was hacked and we had extended downtime for our systems. Even trial members will have an additional three months added to their free trial time.

Q: Why doesn't the prestige module in the CRD allow older prestige categories to be used?

A: Because we goofed. :) This will be fixed, along with several other bits that still need to be added, sometime before we begin using the prestige module officially. In the meantime, just continue to track prestige in the national spreadsheet as you were before.

Q: When I transfer my membership after I move, do I still need to transfer my characters separately?

A: Yes. You can see more details at:
<http://camarilla.white-wolf.com/usnc/faq.php?id=141>

Q: Can non-members attend social events?

A: Yes. You can see more details at:
<http://camarilla.white-wolf.com/usnc/faq.php?id=140>

LAST MONTH'S QUESTIONS:

Q: When is the approvals database, CRD, etc going to be back up?

A: They're up now. Report any glitches via the bug tracker at:
<http://camarilla.white-wolf.com/bugs>

Q: What happened to the national charity drive prestige awards?

A: I apparently did a poor job of describing the drive and what we were looking for in a report, leaving us with a very confusing tangle of information. We're sorting it out and hope to have awards released in the next week or two now that things are starting to calm down again.
Update: These awards are now at:
http://camarilla.white-wolf.com/usnc/prestige_light/document.php?id=1504

Q: Can a member who quit in 2004 take advantage of the free trial offer?

A: No. The six-month free trial is limited to people who have not been a member of the Camarilla since White Wolf became in charge of the club (that was in February 2002 if you're counting). While the computer system may let them get a trial membership number, this is still against the rules and coordinators should require them to purchase a membership to continue playing.

V. Projects

Project status is listed as of the time of this report, not necessarily the first of the month. If you would like to contact a project lead for more details on any of these projects, you can find contact information for most of them at:

<http://camarilla.white-wolf.com/usnc/contact.php>

NEW MAIL SERVER:

Completion of this project was delayed due to the hacking incident and the massive work to bring all applications in line with new security requirements, but progress has restarted now. The server is back up, has been updated to meet the security requirements, and is now in testing. Completion is estimated within the next couple weeks. Project lead is Brent Cerrato, NTA.

GLOBAL CHARTER:

A charter is being drafted to define the global coordinator structure, including the authority and responsibility assigned to the global coordinator office(s). It is currently undergoing final review before being released to the full membership for discussion. Project lead in the US is Wes Contreras, NC.

MEMBERSHIP HANDBOOK:

This project is on hold until the restructuring of the global level is complete and any changes to the US national Camarilla structure have been decided upon. Project lead is Wes Contreras, NC.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT:

This project is on hold until the overall status of the club's relationship with White Wolf is more defined. Project lead is Jamie Schork-Morency.

UNIFIED EMAIL ADDRESSES:

Due to heavy focus on the CRD, this project is on hold indefinitely. Someday it will happen.

OPEN PRESTIGE REVIEWS:

National locks continue to make their way through the system, with the current focus on those with prestige awards (not counting those already

locked) dating back to June 2001 or earlier. Project lead is Pearce Dreadin, ANC: Prestige.

DOMAIN / INDY CHAPTER BOUNDARIES:

In cooperation with regional officers, we are checking to ensure that each and every domain and independent chapter has defined geographic boundaries. The GL, EC, NC, SW and SC regions are complete. NE, NW, and SE are incomplete. The status of this project is currently being evaluated.

MEMBERSHIP PACKETS:

Still processing requests for missing membership packets. If you have not received your packet, see the FAQ at the URL below for more information. Project lead is Jana Wright, NSA.

<http://camarilla.white-wolf.com/usnc/faq.php?id=3D87>

STANDARDIZED DISCIPLINARY FORM:

A standardized disciplinary form is being created for use by officers when issuing disciplinary action. The hope is that the form will improve documentation of disciplinary actions and encourage officers to follow proper procedure, as well as provide an easy way to provide the information in case of appeal. Project lead is Jesse Daniels, ANC: Arbitration.

VI. Upcoming Events

SWRE - Feb 8-12, 2006 - San Francisco, CA

<http://camarilla.white-wolf.com/conventions/events/swre.html>

EClipSE - Apr 20-23 - Louisville, KY

<http://www.ec-region.com/wp-content/eclipse2k6/>

ICC - Oct 26-29 - Milwaukee, WI

Website pending

VII. Prestige Awards

The following awards are for various staff members and are all in the

Admin category, except where Exceptional Service is indicated.

CAMARILLA COUNCIL:

As delegated by the Club Director. These awards are all in the Administration category unless otherwise noted.

Name:	Cam#:	Prestige:
Wes Contreras	US2002022038	50n (NC - Nov)
David Bounds	US2002021593	40n (NST - Nov)
Jana Wright	US2002021053	50n (NSA - Nov)
Brent Cerrato	US2002022439	40n (NTA - Nov)
D Beutel	US2002021539	40n (NCA - Nov)
Chris Herr	US2002022281	40n (NFA - Nov)

(Awards for December will be in next month's report)

ASSOCIATE NATIONAL COORDINATORS:

These awards are all in the Administration category unless otherwise noted.

Name:	Cam#:	Prestige:
Bill Malvasi	US2002021749	25n (ANC: Admin[outgoing] - Dec)
Christy Wellens	US2002034016	40n (ANC: Chapters - Dec)
Bert Sanders	US2002021972	35n (ANC: Admin - Dec)
Jesse Daniel	US2002022102	25n (ANC: Arbitration - Dec)
Pearce Dreadin	US2002021645	40n (ANC: Prestige - Dec)
Jeremy "Jer" Brown	US2002066290	20n (ANC: Communities - Dec)

OTHER NATIONAL COORDINATOR STAFF:

These awards are all in the Administration category unless otherwise noted.

Name:	Cam#:	Prestige:
Chris Buser	US2002021013	5n 5g (Cam LJ Moderator - Dec)
Chad Welch	US2002066212	4n 4g (cam-writers liaison - Dec)
Christian Gurholt	US2002021786	4n 4g (cam-mentors liaison - Dec)
Randy Mac Kay	US2002021554	2n 2g (cam-masons liaison - Dec)
Stacy Wilson	US2002034920	2n 2g (cam-parents liaison - Dec)

REGIONAL COORDINATORS:

These awards are all in the Administration category unless otherwise noted. Awards with a * by the month are corrections and replace prior awards for that month.

Name:	Cam#:	Prestige:
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Ricky Kramer US2002034170 50r (SC RC - Dec)
Ricky Kramer US2002034170 10n (Exc Service - Dec)
(All issues dealt with, on time complete report, 3+ months in a row)

Jed Stancato US2002034655 50r (EC RC - Dec)
Jed Stancato US2002034655 10n (Exc Service - Dec)
(All issues dealt with, on time complete report, 3+ months in a row)

Tony Mungo US2002021843 35r (NW RC - Dec)
(Late report, 6 org units in the black)

Tara Crawford US2002022873 50r (NE RC - Dec)
(All issues dealt with, on time complete report, first month in a row)

Courtney Shook US2002021811 50r (NC RC - Dec)
Courtney Shook US2002021811 10n (Exc Service - Dec)
(All issues dealt with, on time complete report, 3+ months in a row)

Chris Williams US2002021540 40r (SW RC - Dec)
(Late report, 4 org units in the black)

Dennis Byron US2002021531 50r (GL RC - Dec)
Dennis Byron US2002021531 10n (Exc Service - Dec)
(All issues dealt with, on time complete report, 3+ months in a row)

Scott Brown US2002021082 45r (SE RC - Dec)
(late report)

ASSOCIATE NATIONAL STORYTELLERS:

These awards will be added directly to the database based on NST recommendations rather than listed again in this report. To verify these awards, please visit:

http://camarilla.white-wolf.com/usnc/prestige_light/index.php?cat=169

ARBITRATION BOARD:

These awards are all in the Administration category unless otherwise noted.

Name:	Cam#:	Prestige:
Adam Phelps	US2002021040	10n (SW Rep - Dec)
Kevin Garrett	US2002022287	10n (EC Rep - Dec)
George Chance	US2002021169	10n (SE Rep - Dec)
Benjamin Craft-Rendon	US2002023767	10n (SC Rep - Dec)
Matthew Jackson	US2002022691	10n (NW Rep - Dec)

Angela Levesque US2002022545 10n (GL Rep - Dec)

COORD & ST RECOGNITION AWARDS

These awards are all in the Exceptional Service category.

Name:	Cam#:	Prestige:
Misty Gates	US2002035145	12n (KS-020-D - Dec)
Jason Perkinson	US2003102391	12n (MO-017-D - Dec)
Nicole Marie Napierkowski	US2003011029	12n (NC-006-D - Dec)
Lance Schantz	US2002076400	12n (NV-007-C - Dec)
Glen Davis	US2002116854	12n (TX-055-D - Dec)
Sarah Seeger	US2002034642	12n (VA-021-D - Dec)
Carlie Young	US2004041362	12n (TX-066-D - Dec)

OTHER AWARDS:

These awards are in the category indicated.

Name:	Cam#:	Prestige:
Darin Higgins	US2002023832	10n (Comm Srv - Nov)

(Donation of supplies to the Camarilla - stamps)

 VIII. Regional Chapter/Domain Status

EAST CENTRAL

Indy chapters: 7
Chapters: 8
Domains: 17

GREAT LAKES

Indy chapters: 7
Chapters: 1
Domains: 12

NORTH CENTRAL

Indy chapters: 0
Chapters: 7
Domains: 10

NORTHEAST

Indy chapters: 2
Chapters: 3

Domains: 10

NORTHWEST

Indy chapters: 1

Chapters: 22

Domains: 11

SOUTH CENTRAL

Indy chapters: 0

Chapters: 9

Domains: 21

SOUTHEAST

Indy chapters: 3

Chapters: 3

Domains: 24

SOUTHWEST

Indy chapters: 2

Chapters: 20

Domains: 19

TOTAL

Indy chapters: 22

Chapters: 73

Domains: 124

IX. Problems & Issues

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