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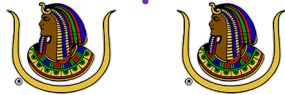
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August LOT Agenda

- ▶ Welcome Daughters
- ▶ Opening Prayer - High Priestess
- ▶ Roll Call of Officers - Dt. Cynthia Henry
- ▶ Roll Call of Imperial Officers - Dep Jeff

- ▶ Please share in the chat what your plans are for the upcoming weekend.



Agenda

- Past Commandress (PC)
- Honorary Past Commandress (HPC)
- Fez/Suns
- Occasion to wear Fez
- Occasion to wear Crown
- Occasion to wear and NOT to wear collar

Past Commandress

Reference: Constitution and General Laws of the Imperial Court 2017, Part III
Article I section 4

- Must complete a one-year term as Illustrious Commandress of her constituent court.
- Is eligible to be elected to any Imperial Court Office (except Imperial Commandress).
 - After she has received Imperial Court's Past Commandress exaltation.
- Is eligible to be appointed to a position in the Imperial Court.
- The Imperial Court alone has the right, and authority to confer the rank of Past Commandress.

Honorary Past Commandress

Reference: Constitution and General Laws of the Imperial Court 2017,
Article IV; Section H-(1, a-d)

1. Any member of a constituent court who has attended the annual sessions of the Imperial Court at least five (5) years in succession within the immediate ten (10) years prior to applying for the Honorary Past Commandress Exaltation. Such Daughter must be in attendance to receive the Exaltation. The sum, as stipulated by current Imperial Court policy, must have been paid by the established deadline, as determined by the committee

Recommendations/Qualifications

- a. Recommendations for this honor shall come from either the Imperial Commandress or the Constituent Court. If the recommendation is made by the Constituent Court of which the applicant is a member, it shall be done by only two-thirds (2/3) affirmative vote of the members present at a regular meeting of the Court. Such action shall be forwarded to the Imperial Court under the Seal of the Court. However, the Imperial Court reserves the right to reject or accept requests or recommendations.
- b. Applicants must have served on the Divan of their Court and/or served as chairpersons of one (1) or more standing committees. Outstanding contributions of the applicants to the Imperial Court should be listed





Honorary Past Commandress (con't)

- C. Any Treasurer or Recordress who has been elected and installed, and any Assistant Recordress who has been appointed and installed and severed in her Constituent Court for five (5) years in succession may be nominated by two-thirds (2/3) vote of her Court to receive the Past Commandress Honorary Exaltation and must pay a fee in an amount stipulated by current Imperial Court policy.
- d. Any Daughter so honored must pay an annual sum as stipulated by current Imperial Court policy in order to maintain the rank of Honorary Past Commandress. However, a Daughter who has been an Honorary Past Commandress and has reached the age of eighty-five (85) years shall be exempt from paying the yearly honorary dues or attending Imperial Court sessions, as prescribed. She shall be considered rightfully entitled to such honors without conditions attached, provided that upon written petition by her Court to the Imperial Court, a certificate to that effect is issued by the Imperial Commandress.
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Court Membership	Max Recommend
Up to 100	1 Daughter
101 to 200	2 Daughters
201 and above	3 Daughters

Fez/Sun

Reference: Constitution and General Laws of the Imperial Court 2017, Article I Section 4

- Imperial Commandress -five (5) embroidered golds suns aligned on the bottom center front of the Fez 
- All Actual Past Imperial Commandress-five (5) embroidered gold suns aligned on the bottom center front of the Fez.
- Deputy Imperial Commandress - four (4) embroidered gold suns aligned on the bottom center front of the Fez. 
- All other elected Imperial Officers- three (3) embroidered gold suns aligned on the bottom center front of the Fez. 
- All Actual Past Illustrious Commandresses- one (1) embroidered gold sun on the bottom center front of the Fez. 
- All Honorary Past Imperial Commandresses - "HONORARY PAST IMPERIAL COMMANDRESS," on the bottom center front of the Fez.
- All Honorary Past Commandresses, who were not elected and installed by their Constituent Court-"HONORARY PAST COMMANDRESS," on the bottom center front of the Fez. (No Sun).
- Current or past appointed Imperial Officers having served the Imperial Court for ten (10) years- two (2) embroidered gold suns aligned on the bottom center front of the Fez. Note: Approval for second suns is required.



Occasion to Wear FEZ

Reference: Imperial Commandress Proclamation #1 Dated Nov. 27, 2019

Only the Court name and number should be affixed to the front. No embellishment should be placed on the back of the Fez. The Fez is to be worn only with full Daughter's regalia. There is no substitute or other headdress for the Official Fez.

Occasions to wear the Fez:

- All Regular Court Meetings
- When Regalia is required
- Illustrious Potentate's Ball
- Illustrious Commandress' Ball
- Desert Conferences *Note: Host Commandress may wear her crown.*
- Thanksgiving Service and Feast *Note: The Illustrious Commandress will be required to wear her Fez for the Thanksgiving Service and Feast.*
- Jubilee Day
- Gala Day *Note: Host Commandress may wear her crown.*
- Imperial Sessions
- At all affairs representing Daughters with a Dispensation from the Imperial Commandress
- Funeral Service of a Daughter *Note: Providing the family has requested the service.*

Fez may not be worn:

- *Placed to the back or to the side of the head.*
- *At bars and drinking places.*
- *In the street, during special occasions, without a dispensation.*
- *Without the full Isis regalia.*

Occasion to Wear Crown of the Illustrious Commandress

- *At all official duties and activities during her administration in her Oasis.*
 - *Wearing Crown outside of Oasis requires a dispensation from the Imperial Commandress*
- *Crowns are **not** worn at funerals and memorial services.*

Occasion to wear and not to wear collar

Reference: Constitution and General Laws of the Imperial Court 2017, Part III Article I Section 3-4

The wearing of collars is restricted to the following Daughters:

- *Imperial Court Divan*
- *Actual Past Commandresses*
- *Imperial Marshals*
- *Imperial Directresses and Deputies for Departments*
- *Deputies for the Deserts*
- *Deputies for the Oases*
- *Coordinators; Chairpersons and members of standing committees of the Imperial Court*
- *Past Appointed Imperial Officers having served the Imperial Court at least ten (10) years*
- *Elected Imperial Officers*

Collars of the elected and appointed Imperial Officers are purchased from the Imperial Court.

Any Daughter not authorized to wear the one (1) sun will be requested by the Illustrious Commandress, Deputy for the Oasis, or Deputy for the Desert, in writing, to remove the one (1) sun from her Fez immediately. Failure to comply within one (1) month, shall cause for suspension until adherence to the directive. For continued non-compliance, she may be expelled.

Thank You Daughters for your attention !!!



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