

CP JEDI SITH ALLIANCE
MARCH 2024 COUNCIL MEETING

March 1, 2024

ATTENDEES:

COUNCIL MEMBERS

- Trish Doty
- Nick Marquette
- Curtis Lenker
- Cindy Hanwell

MEMBERS

- Jason Baker
- David Doughty
- Eryka Ward

REVIEW & APPROVAL OF LAST MONTH'S MEETING MINUTES

Cindy motion to approve; Curtic seconded.

OFFICER REPORTS

HEAD OF COUNCIL

No updates

EVENT COORDINATOR

- The events just keep rolling in so here goes. But before that please keep in mind that with some events that are further away the drive time that is written is merely an estimation from Harrisburg to that location. Also any Garrison Carida invites are trooping invitations.
- March
 - Harrisburg St. Patrick's Day Parade Saturday 16th

- Wilkes-Barre/Scranton Penguins (LFL invite)
 - Wilkes-Barre, PA (1hr 43 minute drive)
 - Saturday 23rd
- April
 - Greek Independence Day Parade (Carida invite)
 - Philadelphia, PA
 - Sunday 7th
 - Autism York Expo (Carida invite)
 - York, PA (1/2 hr drive)
 - Saturday 13th
 - Gap Con (Carida invite)
 - Mount Bethel, PA (2hr drive)
 - Sunday 28th
- May
 - Fan Expo Philadelphia 3rd, 4th, 5th.
 - Pittsburgh Pirates (LFL invite)
 - Pittsburgh, PA (3hr 15 minute drive)
 - Saturday 4th
 - Fandom Fest (Carida invite)
 - Chambersburg, PA (1hr drive)
 - Saturday 11th
- June
 - Special Olympics PA Summer Games (Carida invite)
 - Penn State University (1hr 30 minute drive)
 - Thursday 6th
 - Altoona Curve Star Wars Night (LFL invite)
 - Altoona, PA (2hr 6 minute)
 - Saturday 29th
- July
 - Salute to America Independence Day Parade (Carida invite)
 - Philadelphia, PA
 - Thursday 4th
 - Reading Fightin Phils (LFL invite)
 - Reading, PA
 - Saturday 6th
 - Harrisburg Senators (LFL invite)
 - Friday 19th
 - JVB Cosplay Festival (Carida invite)
 - James V Brown Library Williamsport (1 1/2 hr. Drive)
 - Saturday 20th
- August
 - Wellsboro Comic Con (Carida invite)
 - Wellsboro, PA (2hr 30 minute drive)
 - Saturday 10th
- September
 - Force Returns to Lancaster Science Factory

- Saturday 21st and Sunday 22nd
 - 8th Annual Car Show for Autism (Carida invite)
 - Newton, PA (2hr. 6 min drive)
 - Saturday 28th
- October
 - 25th Anniversary Lehigh Valley Buddy Walk (Carida invite)
 - Allentown, PA
 - Saturday 5th
 - Carlisle Comic Con (Kyberbase invite)
 - Carlisle, PA
 - Saturday 19th
 - Bosler Library Library Comic Con
 - Carlisle, PA
 - Saturday 26th
 - Fall Fest (Kyberbase invite)
 - Willow Grove, PA (1hr 43 minute drive)
 - Saturday 26th
- November
 - Carbondalen Festival (Carida invite)
 - Carbondale, PA (2hr drive)
 - Saturday 9th

COSTUME DIRECTOR

In February, David and I have worked with Curtis on researching Clone armor. Nothing else much is going on with costuming at this time.

TREASURER

- Current balance is \$1185.87 across our bank accounts and petty cash.
- February 2024 Financial Summary:
 - Started the month with a \$980.87 balance
 - Total expenses during the month were \$50
 - Total income during the month was \$255
 - Ending balance was \$1185.87 for a net total increase of 21%

FIGHT DIRECTOR

- This month I have not approved any new fights.
- I plan on getting with Eryca and start filming training videos over the next few weeks.
- I also had Lee come teach this month. His lesson is very fun.

- I also did the missions report for Happy Valley Comic Con last weekend.
- I want to encourage everyone to put new fights together.
- Over the next couple of weeks I have some pretty interesting lessons planned. If anyone has any ideas for lesson plans please feel free to reach out to me.
- Remember that next week is a costumed practice. Also next week there will be critique a fight. Please remember to be serious with all fight comments. The goal of critique a fight for us to become better fighters. So be open to criticism. Please raise a saber if you have a comment that way only one person is talking and no one is talking over anyone.
- As a reminder when we are doing show a fight and fighters are on set ready to go please keep quiet and the background noise to a minimum.
- As always keep up the good work everyone. Fights look good.

NON-COUNCIL REPORTS

WEB MASTER

No updates

SOCIAL MEDIA DIRECTOR

Facebook & Instagram

- Ok so in a sith shell we have 4 new followers on Facebook putting us from 207 to 211.
- Busta moves stormtrooper still takes the crown.
- We have no new followers on Instagram keeping us at 168.
- The 3 top posts are the same as last time
- Facebook is growing and Instagram needs more work.
- Will continue to try and get more followers in this messed up Galaxy known as Instagram.
- By the way, join the dark side because we have kittens now. That's right we have kittens and cookies now so stop taking all the newbies all the time you blasted Jedi. Don't make me unleash the wrath of the kittens.

YouTube Channel Content:

- We gained a few more subscribers, now at 282.
- Total videos: 1,041
- 30 videos that are over 1,000 views
- Top Three Videos: 1- Jason v Cindy (9/16/23), 2- Mike & Jess v Kyle (6/11/22), 3- Sith Matador (7/16/22)
- Special Shout Outs:
 - David and Curtis- 2/3/24 fight has close to 700 views.

NEW BUSINESS

- 1) 501, Rebel Legion, - Don Bickel invite to sit down & put everything behind. Agreed to get more information but will likely not move forward since there is no benefit to our group in this.
- 2) Kyber Base- ability to sign up as "Friends of Kyber Base" on their website
- 3) Outside of practice meetups
 - a. Nick will be hosting practices 1-2 times per week outside of regular practice
- 4) Club Merchandise
 - a. Estimated \$15/t-shirt \$20 for a crewneck long sleeve or sweatshirt
 - b. Can be ordered ad-hoc
 - c. Potential for adding name at an additional cost
- 5) Announcements
 - a. No practice on March 31
 - b. April 20th the hall is not available and we'll either meet outside or cancel
 - c. 1st weekend in May- Discussed possibility of canceling practice or potentially hold an outdoor practice. Leaning towards outdoor practice but will decide closer to that time.

6:12 meeting adjourned