# **Table of Contents:**

I. Staff Listing

II. Summaries and Announcements

III. <u>Current Projects</u>IV. <u>Upcoming Projects</u>V. <u>Election Updates</u>

VI. Questions and Answers

VII. Events

VIII. Prestige/VIP Awards
IX. Disciplinary Actions

X. Notes

# I. Staff Listing

#### **NATIONAL COORDINATOR & STAFF**

National Coordinator: Kay Stavis Out Going, US2002021633, nc@mindseyesociety.org

Appointed: May 2018 to April 2019

#### **Assistant National Coordinators:**

ANC Chief of Staff (iNC) Allen Marc Levy

ANC Administration

ANC Education

ANC Communities

ANC Domains

ANC Domains

ANC Arbitration

ANC A

ANC Arbitration
ANC Mediation
ANC Prestige
ANC Charity

ANC Arbitration

Jullian Dillard

Shannon Knudson

Jessica Howell

Risa S.

Anc.arbit@mindseyesociety.org

anc.arbit@mindseyesociety.org

anc.prestige@mindseyesociety.org

anc.charity@mindseyesociety.org

#### **REGIONAL COORDINATORS**

• EC RC: Rob Recckia rc@ec.mindseyesociety.org Elected 02/18 GL RC: Jeannie McCoy rc@gl.mindseyesociety.org Elected 12/17 NC RC: Chad Hunter rc@nc.mindseyesociety.org Elected 01/18 • NE RC: Tegan Mannino rc@ne.mindseyesociety.org Elected 10/18 rc@nw.mindseyesociety.org Elected 10/18 NW RC: Tiffany Whitelatch rc@sc.mindseyesociety.org Elected 5/18 SC RC: Caleb Bonecutter

• SERC: Chris Roberts(outgoing) rc@se.mindseyesociety.org Elected 4/17

• SW RC: Nathan Wetzel <u>rc@sw.mindseyesociety.org</u> Elected 2/17

#### NATIONAL STORYTELLER & STAFF

National Storyteller: C Abston, <a href="mailto:nst@mindseyesociety.org">nst@mindseyesociety.org</a>

Appointed: July, 2018 to July, 2020

#### **Assistant National Storytellers:**

#### Office Administration

- ANST Chief of Staff: Pete Houtekier, anst.chief@mindseyesociety.org
- ANST Admin: Miranda Rosenblum, anst.admin@mindseyesociety.org
- ANST Arbitration: Jeff H (Outgoing) <a href="mailto:anst.arbit@mindseyesociety.org">anst.arbit@mindseyesociety.org</a>
- MST Virtual: James Foster, anst.rules@mindseyesociety.org
- ANST Online: Chris Burns anst.online@virtual.mindseyesociety.org
- ANST Outreach: VACANT, anst.outreach@mindseyesociety.org
- ANST Conventions/ST: Patrick Colford

#### **NWoD**

- ANST Infinite Edge: Krista Parker, anst.ie@mindseyesociety.org
- ANST Cod-X: Michael Bryan, <a href="mailto:anst@codx.mindseyesociety.org">anst@codx.mindseyesociety.org</a>

#### **OWoD**

- ANST Cam/Anarch: Chris Angell, <a href="mailto:anst.masq@mindseyesociety.org">anst.masq@mindseyesociety.org</a>
- AANST Sabbat: Adam Tomplait, anst.sabbat@mindseyesociety.org
- ANST Apocalypse: Brian Murphy, <a href="mailto:anst.garou@mindseyesociety.org">anst.garou@mindseyesociety.org</a>

### **REGIONAL STORYTELLERS**

•	NE RST:	Peter Gerardi	rst@ne.mindseyesociety.org	Elected: 09/18
•	NC RST:	Alex Rule	rst@nc.mindseyesociety.org	Elected: 07/17
•	SE RST:	Brian Walton	rst@se.mindseyesociety.org	Elected: 12/16
•	EC RST:	Nycci Daniels	rst@ec.mindseyesociety.org	Elected: 03/16
•	SC RST:	Kelly Nine	rst@sc.mindseyesociety.org	Elected: 08/18
•	SW RST:	John Thomas	rst@sw.mindseyesociety.org	Elected: 07/18
•	GL RST:	Paul Marchant	rst@gl.mindseyesociety.org	Elected: 08/16
•	NW RST:	Jim Chastain	rst@nw.mindseyesociety.org	Elected: 02/16

### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Charlie Rose	Chris Herr (Finance)	Michael Dyer
Jen Kuiper	Owen Sutter	Roo Wetzel
Art Lee(Legal)	Martin Chamberlain	Abigail Estes

#### **II. Summaries and Announcements**

### NC:

If you are interested or have ideas on projects that can improve the club over all, from coordinator materials, evaluating developing technology systems, to new member packets, and want to manage such efforts send your ideas to <a href="mailto:nc@mindseyesociety.org">nc@mindseyesociety.org</a> or <a href="mailto:anc.projects@mindseyesociety.org">anc.projects@mindseyesociety.org</a>.

If a member has a question about tracking their individual VIP points, please have the question go up the Coordinator chain, starting with your Domain Coordinator. If a Coordinator has a question about how to track VIP points for their members, please feel free to reach out to the ANC Chief of Staff at <a href="mailto:anc.cos@mindseyesociety.org">anc.cos@mindseyesociety.org</a>.

**ALL MEMBERS**: Make sure your information is updated in the current <u>Camarilla Resource</u> <u>Database</u> (CRD) at <a href="https://legacy.mindseyesociety.org/crd/index.php">https://legacy.mindseyesociety.org/crd/index.php</a>. This data should be updated whenever you move, change email addresses or transfer to a new domain. If there is something in your record that needs to be changed, and you can not update it yourself, notify your Domain or Regional Coordinator.

Remember that the US NC Facebook page has announcements and information periodically posted: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/CamarillaUSNC/">https://www.facebook.com/CamarillaUSNC/</a>

# **ANC Chief of Staff:**

I am maintaining the ANC office. Ongoing am cleaning up the Spreadsheet. This will be cleaned over time. I also am coming up with a better way to report all recommended prestige to me so i record it. I'd like it reported to me in excel format and ill send to the staff when completed. This way, i'll know who is still on staff, by name, and who needs to be removed quickly.

Please contact me with any errors, omissions, etc. in the report by email: <a href="mailto:anc.cos@mindseyesociety.org">mailto:anc.cos@mindseyesociety.org</a> and cc <a href="mailto:nc@mindseyesociety.org">mailto:nc@mindseyesociety.org</a>.

Please note, if you do not have your report to us by the 25th, your prestige/VIP will not be awarded in that month, if it is recommended to National. (This typically includes the NST report). However, we do backdate those awards on the next month's reporting cycle.

Please remember the due dates for Coordinator and Storyteller reporting. Any reports submitted past the due dates shown below will be considered late. RC reports will be accepted up through the 25th. Reports received after the 25th will appear on next month's report.

*ST Chain	Due Dates	*C Chain	Due Dates
o i Cilalli	Due Dates	C Ghain	Due Dales

AVST/ADST	1st of the Month	ADC	1st of the Month
VST	5 <sup>th</sup> of the Month	DC/ARC	15 <sup>th</sup> of the Month
DST/ARST	10 <sup>th</sup> of the Month	RC	20 <sup>th</sup> of the Month
RST	15 <sup>th</sup> of the Month	ANC	21 <sup>th</sup> of the Month
ANST	20 <sup>th</sup> of the Month	NC	Last Day of the Month
NST	25 <sup>th</sup> of the Month		

The following is a stop-light report chart indicating Regional reporting Status.

Region	Report Status	Comments
NE	Green	Report On Time (Received 3/18/19)
EC	Green	Report On Time (Received 3/21/19)
SE	Green	Report On Time (Received 3/18/19)
GL	Green	Report On Time (Received 3/20/19)
NC	Green	Report On Time (Received 3/20/19)
sc	Green	Report On Time (Last Received 2/21/19)
NW	Green	Report Late (Received 2/22/19)
sw	Green	Report Late (Received 2/25/2019)

# **ANC Admin:**

SE Region, Q&A and Voting in March 2019.

# **ANC Arbitration:**

- Cases Closed in March: 1 Cases Closed.
- New Cases Opened in March: 2 Cases Opened.
- Total Cases Open at End of Feb: 5 Cases.

### **ANC Mediation:**

Newly hired and still getting up to speed.

### **ANC Education:**

Connected with several domains and regional officers about education materials. We created a workflow of needed items, to include mentoring, new member information pages, character sheet database, retention, and recruitment. Officers have requested the most help with member retention, and we are developing a plan for that now.

### **ANC Domains:**

This month was pretty calm in my corner of the NC's office. The biggest topic of discussion in my office has been domain borders and the Domain Borders Project that I've been working on. There are a lot that go into the borders of a domain, and we're seeing domains move away from the traditional 30-50-100 mile radius to include entire counties. This is great, until county lines conflict with mile-radius-measurements, and those lines need to be looked at. There are a number of things to be worked out with the incoming NC when they're selected, so, until then, the Domain Borders Project is at a standstill. This month, I welcomed "Athens By Night" in the SE Region, GA-019-D into the Mind's Eye Society. They're based out of Athens, Georgia, where two of my favorite bands came from, The B-52's and REM, in the late 70's. :D

#### Recurring Info:

There are so many domains that are so close to the black right now, so please, please be sure to get your reports to your RC. If you see that your domain is in the Red or the Black, please say something to your DC. Offer to help them get sorted out, offer to help write reports even. When a domain goes Red or Black, it means that no one is getting prestige. Life happens, I get that, but, if your domain is in the Black, please consider offering a helping hand to your officers.

I really want to encourage DC's to compile old reports for their domains, especially if those reports were under old DC accounts or personal accounts. While the Club Archivist has a lot of access to a lot of things, so much of the pre-2002 transfer information has been lost to the ages. If you have access to documents from those days or just want to start a record for your domain, let me know. I can help you with Google Drive to create a place for them, so please, just let me know if I can help.

Working on a few prestige rebuilds at the moment and sending them to the Club Archivist for his review, and apart from that, the biggest issue that I'm seeing is that not every DC is on their requisite Coordinator's Report List. Please please please, look below and get on your Region's

Reports List. That will save me a lot of time and a lot of running around.

The Domain Application document can be found here:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1F0mUuL\_iT-GIFuqwKjilelioPDeCgPsKXWCWT4qOHhA/edit

DC's, please remember to include my <a href="mailto:anc.domains@mindseyesociety.org">anc.domains@mindseyesociety.org</a> when you send your reports to your reports list. If you send it just to your RC, sometimes those reports don't get communicated to me. This keeps my records up to date. Sometimes, a DC will send things to the RC, but not to the Reports list or to the anc.domains or anc.chapters account, and according to everything I see, it's missing...yet, that report may not be late, but simply misreported. DC's, please make sure that you're subbed to your Region's Coordinator Reporting lists. Just in case you don't know if you're subbed, here are the lists:

- EC: http://listmx.mindseyesociety.org/mailman/listinfo/us-ec-coords-reports
- GL: <a href="http://listmx.mindseyesociety.org/mailman/listinfo/us-gl-coords-reports">http://listmx.mindseyesociety.org/mailman/listinfo/us-gl-coords-reports</a>
- NC: http://listmx.mindseyesociety.org/mailman/listinfo/us-nc-coords-reports
- NE: http://listmx.mindseyesociety.org/mailman/listinfo/us-ne-coords-reports
- NW: http://listmx.mindseyesociety.org/mailman/listinfo/us-nw-coords-reports
- SC: http://listmx.mindsevesociety.org/mailman/listinfo/us-sc-coords-reports
- SE: http://listmx.mindseyesociety.org/mailman/listinfo/us-se-coords-reports
- SW: http://listmx.mindseyesociety.org/mailman/listinfo/us-sw-coords-reports

#### **Current Projects:**

- Monthly Reports Tracker: This database will be effective in tracking the last few years of reports, dating back from 2008 to current. This project is ongoing and will require some serious attention. Reports are updated as I receive them or have access to them. If you believe the tracker is in error, please update me with those missing reports.
- Domain Borders Project: Sent initial Google Doc to RC's to verify data before thinktanking the project formally.

#### **Upcoming Projects:**

- Think-tanking an idea about old reports rebuild. Will develop as I figure it out.

### **Completed Projects:**

Developing.

#### Prestige Rebuilds:

- David McCorkell, in development.
- Joshua Herron, in development.
- Jason Young, in development.

#### Domain Applications in Development:

NW Region, Fairbanks, AK - Awaiting potential DC response.

#### New Domains:

- GA-019-D, SE Region, "Athens By Night".

#### Closed Domains:

- None at this time.

#### Missing Domain Reports

DC's: If you see that you're in the Yellow, Red, or Black categories, it means that I never received your report. If you've been sending it to your RC, they haven't been forwarding it to me. Please make sure that you're posting your reports on your Regional Reports List and/or CCing the <a href="mailto:anc.domains@mindseyesociety.org">anc.domains@mindseyesociety.org</a> address when you send them out.

RC's: If you have DC's sending reports to you but not to the Reports List, please make sure that they correct this for next month. Please contact me privately if you find my accounting to be in error, I'm happy to update and revise these domains in my Reports Tracker.

#### Terms:

- Yellow: No report received this month by the ANC Domains office, please make sure you're sending your reports where they need to go.
- Red: No report in three months, please contact your RC to avoid possible closure.
- Black: No report in six months, closure is imminent without contact with the respective RC.

#### Organized by Region:

Domain #	Domain Name	Region	Status	Last Report Received
OH-019-D	Flames from Ashes	EC	BLACK	5/7/17
OH-022-D	Eerie Shores Resurrected	EC	RED	12/14/18
VA-025-D	Deliverance	EC	BLACK	10/15/17
VA-028-D	Creatures of the Dismal Swamp	EC	RED	11/19/18
IA-001-D	The Asylum	GL	YELLOW	3/15/19
IA-005-D	Red Queen's Race	GL	BLACK	9/15/17
IL-009-D	Eden Theatrical Society	GL	RED	12/12/18
IN-013-D	Grave Secrets	GL	YELLOW	3/13/19
MI-014-D	Detroit by Night	GL	YELLOW	3/15/19
MI-015-D	Mount Pleasant by Night	GL	BLACK	7/15/18

MI-017-D	Grand Designs	GL	YELLOW	3/17/19
MI-021-D	House of Tranquility	GL	YELLOW	1/14/19
KS-024-D	Prairies of Darkness	NC	YELLOW	3/14/19
CO-012-D	Shrine of the Crimson Star	NC	YELLOW	3/18/19
ND-001-D	Nuclear Winter	NC	RED	12/12/18
NE-005-D	Ashen Pain	NC	YELLOW	1/16/19
NY-004-D	Children of Lost Eden	NE	YELLOW	3/16/19
OR-036-D	Theater of Roses	NW	YELLOW	2/15/19
WA-075-D	Domain of Olympia	NW	RED	12/13/18
WA-090-D	The Uncharted West	NW	YELLOW	1/15/19
AR-008-D	Shadowed Towers	sc	YELLOW	3/18/19
LA-005-D	No Last Call	sc	YELLOW	10/15/18
LA-008-D	Contraband Covenants	sc	YELLOW	1/15/19
LA-009-D	Krewe of the Red River	sc	YELLOW	9/15/18
LA-011-D	Carnivale on the Caine	sc	BLACK	5/15/18
OK-010-D	Central Oklahoma Live Action Games	sc	YELLOW	3/19/19
VIR-SC-D	SC Virtual	sc	RED	7/15/18
CA-037-D	Cautionary Tales	SW	BLACK	9/15/17
CA-052-D	Black Magic Kingdom	SW	YELLOW	2/14/19
CA-053-D	Domain of Los Angeles	sw	YELLOW	3/19/19
CA-058-D	Unconquered Sun	SW	BLACK	6/15/18
CA-068-D	Last Refuge	SW	YELLOW	3/20/19
NM-001-D	The Dark Desert	SW	BLACK	9/20/17
NV-004-D	Songs of the Sand	SW	RED	12/15/18
UT-015-D	What We Do in the Twilight	sw	RED	8/15/18

# **ANC Prestige:**

All reviews submitted in March are processed or in process to be sent out at the start of March, and everything is running smoothly. We are preparing for a busy convention season, as it has begun.

#### **Completed Reviews for MC, Disciplinary Changes or Transfer:**

Name		MES#	Gen	Reg	Nat	Total	MC
Kelsey	Greene	US2010015274	5132	266	970	6368	13
Jason	Herman	US2002022365	6086	1915	2411	10412	14
Anthony	Mungo	US2002021843	4276	1519	313	6108	13
Bryan Lee	Briggs	US2016010036	3163	1703	635	5501	12
Amanda	Humble	US2003031380	3467	621	2040	6128	13
Nolan	Segrest	US2002023002	8171	1161	307	9639	13
Tandy	Moore	US2009064289	4110	1565	966	6641	13
Erykah	Fassett	US2011017295	5415	540	696	6651	13
"Brian" Michael	Walton	US2014100121	4302	692	554	5549	12
Miranda	Rosenblum	US2002022650	6519	1037	844	8400	14
Matty	Junge	US2009104868	7192	1033	316	8541	13
Timothy	Brandner	US2012090039	1036	120	165	1321	5
Matt	Bosse	US2016010054	3560	35	0	3595	8
Evonne M.	Traffanstedt	US2010055978	4060	998	1494	6553	13

Please update all logs to the new format, which includes VIP point tracking. It can be found at:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B8OM6SP6iQEXc3IxVWpsMWtQYIZDVUE5azBqWXJuNVVwS0Fz/view?usp=sharing

#### **ANC Charities:**

Wrapping up Kindness Drive. Sent some surprise pizza to the domain who had the most participation.

Launched National Drive - Grant Some Wishes

It's spring and time for the contagious joy to be spread everywhere like the tree pollen which is making people sneeze. To celebrate the end of winter, put on your party hats and let's grant some wishes as good as Robin Williams' genie.

#### **Drive Details:**

**Money:** For this drive we will be supporting Make a Wish, so if you are looking to make it rain \$\$ on some folks doing amazing things then head over to wish.org to make your donation. After

you have made your donation, toss the folks listed towards the bottom of this email receipt to claim your prestige.

\$5 gets you 1 point of national prestige.

Before you clean out your savings please remember that there is a limit of 40n per month.

**Volunteer:** Any charity with a published wish list counts.

Now there are a variety of ways that you can give your time. You can host events to raise funds to donate to Make a Wish or purchase things on an orgs wish list. If you want more folks involved, host a drop-off site – solicit in kind donations and drop them off. Check to see if the npo lists activities on their wish list or if you make things to donate, we will take all those hours, too.

Examples: Donating Peanut Butter and then filling kongs for enrichment for puppies, making bedding from plastic bags, collecting and playing board games at senior citizen centers.

1 hour of time gets you 10 national prestige.

\*If you are super fancy and donated the peanut butter in the above example you can add a bit of in-kind donation prestige to the mix.

**In-Kind Donations:** Any charity with a published wish list counts.

Find your favorite charity, pull out their wish list and go shopping. Now while you might want to channel your inner Marie Kondo and donate all the things that don't bring you joy; we ask that you are mindful of your donations and donate items in new, unused or gently used condition.

Every \$5 of goods donated gets you 1 point of national prestige.

#### To claim your prestige:

Toss an email with what you accomplished, along with pictures, to your DC, Yours Truly (anc.charity@mindseyesociety.org) and aanc.charity@mindsociety.org Please note if we are able to use the pictures on social media.

# **ANC Community Manager:**

#### **National Virtual Game Communities:**

Games were held for every venue with a VST.

VST elections were held that generated a number of small incidents that required meditations and referral to the ANC Arbitration.

#### **Social Communities:**

Built a number of facebook groups and established a single facebook presence for the MES. Each Group had a CO appointed, and the list of groups are available at this location. <a href="https://www.facebook.com/pg/MESCommunitiesManager/groups/?ref=page\_internal">https://www.facebook.com/pg/MESCommunitiesManager/groups/?ref=page\_internal</a>

# **III. Current Projects:**

### NC:

- Always looking for new ideas
- Working on Chapter 8 Revisions
- Hiring new ANC Mediations

#### **ANC Admin:**

- Monitored list requests, banning bots and blocking nonsense.
- Uploaded Prestige to database as time/internet connectivity allows.

# **ANC Arbitration:**

- Looking for Arbitration Panelists. Attempting to fill out each region with panelists
- Chapter 8 Rewrite. This is being headed by Pherell Archer.
- I am creating a templates folder for LOC topics and general templates

#### **ANC Mediation:**

lacktriangle

#### **ANC Chief of Staff:**

- Smooth Transition for the new boss.
- Getting a system put together to make receiving reports easier.
- Set up Coord meetings
- Hiring, training and managing staff!
- Answering whatever questions fall my way from the DCs/RCs/Membership
- Learn learn learn!

#### **ANC Education:**

- Answering more member questions
- Collaborating with ANST Education
- Re-organizing the officer education portion of the website
- Guides for

- Mentorina
- New members
- Tracking your prestige/prestige log
- How to create a wiki
- Member retention
- Recruitment

### **ANC Domains:**

- Domain Borders Project: Being updated to reflect new domain openings and domain closures.
- Prestige Rebuilds Tracker: Being worked on with input from the ANC Prestige and Club Archivist.
- Monthly Reports Tracker: This database will be effective in tracking the last few years of reports, dating back from 2008 to current. This project is ongoing and will require some serious attention. Reports are updated as I receive them or have access to them. If you believe the tracker is in error, please update me with those missing reports.
- Contacting individual RC's to make sure that our reports match. You never know when something slips through the cracks.

### **ANC Prestige:**

- Everything is running as smooth as it can be. If logs are submitted on MCREVIEW List ,if
  you can CC my email to your requested national emails, I can process them. Thank you
  and I apologize for any inconvenience. anc.prestige@mindseyesociety.org
- Prestige Rebuilds Tracker: Being worked on with input from the ANC Domains and Club Archivist.
- Training my aANC Prestige on national audits so some may be delayed due to training purposes on the national lock project for regional reviews as he was in the process of moving at the same time.
- Contacted the NTA for another round of prestige uploads, and archiving the prestige reviews.

# **ANC Charities:**

- •
- Launched National Drive
- Working on a survey
- Bringing the MES Philanthropy Facebook page out of retirement
- Scholarship Announcements need to be crafted
- Working on communication tools to all RC's/aRC's Charity

# **ANC Community Manager:**

- MES Social Communities:
  - Contact individuals who have ideas for new communities
  - Reach out to existing communities and see what can be done to modernise
  - Moved and established communities to Facebook Groups appointing new Community Organisers to these groups
- MES Online (Virtual Gaming Communities):
  - Develop plan for the 'modernisation of the Virtual Games
  - Running a number of surveys to better understand the virtual community

# **IV. Upcoming Projects:**

### NC:

Continuing to follow-up on active projects.

### **ANC Admin:**

• RC election in progress for the SE Region (Feb-Mar 2019)

### **ANC Arbitration:**

• Chapter 8 Rewrite

#### **ANC Mediation:**

•

### **ANC Chief of Staff:**

- Help out the incoming NC and make it painless!
- Regular staff meetings, use the hang out?
- Helping out RCs and the Arb team with what all they need
- Continuing to answer questions and help people out
- Learn, learn, learn!

### **ANC Education:**

- Video guide on check in system in process
- Hiring more content writers

#### **ANC Domains:**

 Monthly Reports Tracker: This database will be effective in tracking the last few years of reports, dating back from 2008 to current. This project is ongoing and will require some

- serious attention. Reports are updated as I receive them or have access to them. If you believe the tracker is in error, please update me with those missing reports.
- Domain Borders Project: Sent initial Google Doc to RC's to verify data before think tanking the project formally.

### **ANC Prestige:**

- Processing pending MC Reviews as they come in.
- Open Prestige review project.- Voluntary national locks have been opened up to include anyone going through regional audits on our free time to be nationally locked.
- All transfers that go through National transfer locks will also include VIP auditing and locks
- Working with NTA on prestige database requirements and functionality.
- MC Review Migration project

### **ANC Charities:**

- Working on proposal for year round National Drive
- Q1 National Drive Announcement 03/01/2019
- Updating US-Charities List
- Website updates for Philanthropy & MES Scholarship
- Develop MES Scholarship FAQ and written procedures
- Survey to the masses
- More drives to spread love and joy

# **ANC Community Manager:**

- MES Social Communities:
  - Look for new communities to bring under the umbrella, finish conversations with groups that are interested.
  - Start to develop membership listing systems
- MES Online (Virtual Gaming Communities):
  - Work on updating Content of https://virtual.mindseyesociety.org/
  - Continue Planning quarterly socials and other community events
  - Work with the ANST:Online to continue to improve the communities
  - Parse information gathered from membership survey.

# **V. Election Update**

Region	RC Elected	Election Due
NE	October 2018	October 2020
SE	April 2017	March 2019
EC	February 2018	March 2020

GL	December 2017	November 2019
NC	January 2018	December 2019
SC	May 2018	April 2020
NW	October 2018	September 2020
SW	February 2019	January 2021

### VI. Questions and Answers

**Regional Questions:** 

#### VII. National Events

#### **Upcoming MES Hosted Regional Events:**

 Check your local Region Coordinator report for events, FGotM, and Regional Showcases

#### **Upcoming MES Hosted National Events: 2019**

- SCRE 3/14 3/17 Little Rock, AR
- GLRE 4/3 4/7 Grand Rapids, MI
- NERE 5/1 5/5 Hartford, CT
- MESCON 7/17 7/22 Scottsdale, AZ

### **Upcoming MES Hosted Trade Shows:**

#### **Non-MES Hosted Events:**

- August 2nd -- August 5th MES Events at Gencon--Indianapolis, IN
- January 10--13th 2019 -- Mes events at Midwinter -- Milwaukee, WI

# **VIII. Prestige Awards**

The following prestige amounts are hereby awarded and/or confirmed by the **NC** for the month of **January 2019**:

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1pN7oa2WU1XB-ezrtov8b9qdIn6gOxqSogDfbDo Hxr8g/edit?usp=sharing

**Volunteer Incentive Point (VIP) Tracking/Awarding:** 

The VIP system can be found here:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1xX9lWlehb-J3GvQCoqZChTA0xKHHg9NUsW3W7lclA0g/edit?usp=sharing

There will be a how-to manage VIP document for members and coordinators shortly. The NTAs office has placed a new prestige/VIP tracking system on their development priority track. In the meantime, below\_are links to new DC and RC report templates, DC/RC Prestige/VIP award spreadsheets, and a Member VIP tracking spreadsheet to make these additional tracking responsibilities as simple as possible. Think of it as a different type of prestige, with STs verifying expenditures.

While coordinators will be responsible for tracking, confirming and auditing, with STs verifying expenditures; it will be incumbent on each member to track their VIP awards and expenditures, just as it is with Prestige. The NTA has created a new Prestige Log template that includes VIP tracking, it can be found here:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B8OM6SP6iQEXc3lxVWpsMWtQYIZDVUE5azBqWXJuNVVwS0Fz/view?usp=sharing

#### **Regional Coordinator Report Template:**

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1mpJ3-5cFsq2MV8zKlpMgjBTLVArmBfTKxdSA\_6l1lvg/edit ?usp=sharing

#### Regional Coordinator Prestige/VIP Award Sheet Template:

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1abDvShwfYVbwCh3VUkNf\_wM8HDNhOGjYJenQcRmllhl/edit?usp=sharing

#### **Domain Coordinator Report Template:**

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1B4-nw-ct5F7-KeYTKkf8JxX3MqGrS0zPfZ75I7zfDGY/edit ?usp=sharing

This Domain Coordinator report format may take some extra time to convert to using it the first time, but it should make creating a copy the next month and just updating the information easier than text wrangling and having to calculate and update each member's prestige totals. If you have questions or problems with the report, we are here to help; email the ANC Chief of Staff at anc.cos@mindseyesociety.org.

We recommend storing the google docs for each monthly report on the google drive for your Domain Coordinator/Regional Coordinator email account and sharing the link to view in your email to the coordinator reporting email lists and local lists; as our mindseyesociety.org lists do not accept attachments.

#### **Domain Coordinator Prestige/VIP Award Sheet Template:**

 $\frac{https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/162W5wnP1R1gaRKNGinb0hdsOgvZTecPDwsJQ9lhk}{x-Q/edit?usp=sharing}$ 

### **Coordinator Member VIP Tracking Sheet Template:**

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/18sEkOvvLnmMgbdcyC1OtEwm-GsMHohZo0TRTalum9Mo/edit?usp=sharing

### **New Member Prestige Log with VIP Tracking Tab:**

https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B8OM6SP6iQEXc3lxVWpsMWtQYIZDVUE5azBqWXJuNVVwS0 Fz/view?usp=sharing

**Coordinators**: Please remember that Storytellers cannot award prestige/VIP. ST's please make your recommendations to your Coordinator to include on their coordinator report. Coordinators not including their (V/D/R)ST's prestige/VIP in their report (or a note that they did not report) means that the report is incomplete.

#### **Awarding Regional Coordinator Prestige/VIP:**

Please remember that you cannot award yourself prestige/VIP. Instead, include any recommendations for yourself to the NC in the "Recommendations to National" section of your monthly regional status report.

#### **Awarding Prestige/VIP for Spouses or Significant Others:**

In addition, any prestige/VIP awards that would be for your significant other, spouse or for someone that could be considered to have a Conflict of Interest should also be listed in the "Recommendations to National" section of your report. This will help to ensure that no one questions such awards.

If you have any prestige/VIP recommendations you believe to be missing from the website, please send an email listing with the following template filled in (for ease of transferring data) to <a href="mailto:anc.admin@mindseyesociety.org">mailto:anc.admin@mindseyesociety.org</a>.

First	Last					Prest	
Name	Name	Member #	Cat	Description	Date	Amt	VIP
John	Smith	US201603452	AD	DST XX-001-D	YYYY-MM-DD	30R	2

#### **Sending Member Class Reviews to National:**

Member Class (MC) reviews for awards of 12 through 14 must be approved by the National Coordinator's office. In order to accomplish this Regional Coordinators and their Assistants (ARC Prestige) who review MC logs are invited to join the **National MC Review list**.

Only two members may be subscribed from any one region. Once subscribed, the RC or designated ARC Prestige can attach approved membership logs from the regional level for National level review.

Sending regionally approved prestige logs directly to the ANC Prestige email account will result in delayed processing. This email account is for questions and special issues.

# IX. Disciplinary Actions

# **Summary:**

Investigations: 4

Formal Investigations Declined: 1

Letters of Counseling: 0 Disciplinary Actions: 1 Request for Expulsion: 1

**Expulsion Recommendations Approved**: 0

**Appeals of National to BoD**: 0 **Appeals Completed at National**: 0

#### **Arbitration Types:**

- Officer Violation or Abuse of Office
- Club Media or Club Related Media Violation
- Code of Conduct

#### X. Notes

### **Process for Membership Transfers Across Regions:**

In the event that a member is transferring from one region to another here are the steps we need to follow:

- 1. The member (or DC, or RC) starts an email chain with the current supervising coordinator chain up to the NC and from the 'new' supervising coordinator to that RC. (If you need assistance finding your new coordinator, please reach out to your new RC). Please include anc.cos@mindseyesociety.org in that email chain
- 2. Title the email "Member Name" "MES#" Inter-region Transfer
- **3.** Attach your most recent prestige log. This is not required, but recommended so that you do not have to 'hunt' for prestige/emails from another region when you go up for additional/higher reviews.
- **4.** Your CURRENT RC will send your prestige log to the ANC Prestige for a transfer lock at the National level.
- **5.** Everyone on your email chain will need to approve your request. This is just a reply to the email that says 'Approved' or some variation of that.
- **6.** You will be moved to your new domain by the National Coordinator.

**Note**: Most RCs will not approve your transfer until your prestige lock has been confirmed. Sometimes we need additional information or confirmation of your move. This will make the process take slightly longer than 72 hours. This does not mean that you cannot collect prestige from your new domain or attend its functions, etc.

#### **End Report**