

## SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL COORDINATOR REPORT – June 2017

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### ***I. Staff Listing***

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Elected: July 7th, 2016 - July 7th, 2018

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LA-005-D	Aaron "Duckie" Lirette	dc@nolastcall.org	N R	L	N R	N R	N R	L	O	L	L	L	O		
LA-006-D	Kaci St Romain	batonrouge.dc@gmail.com	N R	N R	N R	L	L	L	N R	N R	N R	O	O		
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TX-059-D	Caleb Bonecutter	mesdcsanantonio@gmail.com	L	O	O	O	O	O	L	L	O	L	O		
TX-061-D	Kat Rheinbold	houcam.dc@gmail.com	L	O	O	O	O	L	L	L	L	N R	O		

TX-065-D	Holli Hensley	sc.austin.dc@gmail.com	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O		
TX-069-D	vacant	losthavenc@gmail.com	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		
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## II. Summary and Announcements

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## **FROM THE Regional Office:**

### **RC:**

Greetings, South Central Region!

What an amazing June we had. There were SO many historical game events across the Region for Cam, Anarch, Independent Alliance, AND Sabbat! We have been delighted to see the growth and renewed interest in this new chronicle setting, and cannot wait to see you all at MESCON 2017 in Austin, TX!

We have some staff changes to announce. Our beloved ARC Prestige, Philip Wortman, has new challenges forthcoming! As he enters into this last year of his degree work, he must pull away from club duties. It's with a sad heart that we bid him farewell. Toast this man for all of the amazing work he has done over the years to keep all of our prestige logs audited and ensure that returning member prestige is found and correctly recorded. That said, Philip has agreed to help train his replacement, and to be available for questions from them on an as-needed basis. Our gratitude cannot be expressed in mere words, Philip. Thank you for everything!

On that note, we have three new hires to announce!

Santos Montañez is our new Regional Media Project Admin! He is working on a plan to ensure that everyone's games across the region receives equal advertising! Please make him feel welcome!

Rebecca Morgan is our new Regional Events Project Admin. She returns to staff after a lengthy time out of office and brings a wealth of knowledge about hotel contracts, Regional events, and the Featured Game of the Month Program. She will be your resource for all thing FGotM going forward. Please make her feel welcome once more!

Jonathan Johnson is our new ARC Prestige. He has big shoes to fill and will be working with Philip over the course of the next few weeks in getting on his feet with the position. Please have patience as we train him into the position. As the ARC Prestige Position is often extremely demanding and we sometimes have real world events that conflict with our club duties, Jonathan will have a small staff of back ups who may be tasked with auditing logs. This is a new model and approach to the position. Let's hear it for the volunteers who gladly took on this role, Holli Hensley of Austin and Kaci St Romain of Baton Rouge!

### **ARC Admin:**

I want to take the time to thank our outgoing aRC Prestige, Philip Wortman, for his consistent and excellent performance of his duties. Prestige Log auditing can often be a time-consuming and often thankless task, and Philip has done his job with professionalism and punctuality in spite of the number of members we boast in the SC Region. If you happen to see Philip around either at MESCON or your local game, please thank him for his service to the club and the South Central Region!

### **ARC Arbitration:**

No active or potential investigations.

### **ARC Mediation:**

Two DC elections in progress, multiple pending

No active mediations or pending requests.

### **ARC Philanthropies:**

Q2 charities got one last announcement “boost” at the regional meeting preceding the Austin FGoTM in June, which was greatly appreciated.

Awaiting the announced list of vetting expectations for regional charity drives, to come from the ANC Charities

A big, big shout out to the domain of Little Rock, Arkansas! These guys really came together and had the most members out of any domain in the region donate blood in the month of June!

**ARC Prestige:**

9 Audits, 9 completed

**ARC Tech:**

No report

**PA Education:**

No report

**PA Media Presence:**

Introduced myself to everyone on the List and on each facebook Page, and started OOC Game announcements in each Domain facebook showing other domains what other games are going on in the region

**PA Recruitment & Retention:**

No report

### **III. Current Projects**

**ARC Admin:**

Awaiting final approval for new DSR format. Once approved, data entry will begin in the next few months. DCs would be advised to request updated prestige logs from their membership in order to reduce the amount of data entry needed. Large domains will be especially helped by having their members update their prestige logs and submit them when the time comes.

**ARC Philanthropies:**

With the beginning of Q3 comes a new push for regional charitable/philanthropic giving!

So as not to compete too much with either the National or MESCON charitable drives (details for both are below), the South Central region will be promoting just one charitable group this quarter... and that group is (drumroll please!) Child’s Play! Child’s Play is a game industry charity dedicated to improving the lives of children with toys and games in a network of over 100 hospitals worldwide. Their work allows for children to enjoy age-appropriate entertainment, interact with their peers, friends, and family, and can provide vital distraction from an otherwise generally unpleasant experience.

Want to help this charity out while earning regional prestige? Do it in one of the following ways:

Donate cash (via paypal) or items (via their amazon wishlist) to the charity directly. As this is a 501(3)C group, these donations are deductible if you itemize your taxes

Volunteer with a local participating hospital! If you don’t live near one of the hospitals, then you can be a big help by contacting your local news agencies and asking them to do a story about Child’s Play. The more people that hear about it, the more donations for the kids.

Organize a fundraiser drive! Things people have done in the past include a Mass Effect marathon, various fighting game marathons, and the like.

Resources for those who want to organize a fundraiser:  
[http://hw1.pa-cdn.com/childsplay/childsplay\\_fundraising\\_guide.pdf](http://hw1.pa-cdn.com/childsplay/childsplay_fundraising_guide.pdf)

\*Also, to boost the signal on the National charitable drive:\*

The current national MES charitable drive is the Center for Biological Diversity! This non-profit group uses biological data, legal expertise, and citizen petitions to work to fight a number of national and worldwide threats to biodiversity. They've got quite a success record, with 93% of their lawsuits resulting in favorable outcomes.

There will, as always, be three ways to donate for this drive, which will last from July 1-September 30, 2017

To donate money, please visit <http://www.biologicaldiversity.org/support/give/>

To donate time, you can raise funds through any activity fundraiser (carwash, bake sale, anything legal) and send me pictures. For those of you who are camera shy, you are welcome to blur out faces or only use pictures of your hands.

To donate goods, you may donate goods to any wildlife conservation 501-C-3 \*OR\* to any local no-kill animal shelter. This is for good donations only, all other donations must be made to Center for Biological Diversity to be awarded prestige as a part of this National Charity Drive.

Please submit all donation receipts/photos with your name, domain, and cam number to both your DC and myself at [anc.charity@mindseysociety.org](mailto:anc.charity@mindseysociety.org). Group drives are fine, but must be submitted individually to me by each person for record keeping.

Given that MESCON will be held within our region this year (Austin, TX), let's be particularly supportive of their charitable efforts! The charity of our national convention will be \*Foundation Communities\*, an Austin-based nonprofit that provides affordable housing and free on-site support to low-income families, veterans, seniors, and the disabled.

Providing more than just a safe place to call home, Foundation Communities embeds the communities they build with social work staff, financial educational services, free afterschool programs, insurance enrollment assistance, and health care services to ensure that help they give a population addresses \*all\* of the intertwined root causes of poverty and homeless rather than just one aspect of it.

Find more information at: <https://www.foundcom.org>

**ARC Arbitration:**

N/A

**ARC Mediation:**

Two DC elections in progress, multiple pending

If I do not have any applications at the time the All Call expires what should I do?

**ARC Prestige:**

Prestige Audit for David Coyne, audited for transfer (6/17/17 - 6/28/17)

Prestige Audit for Kat Rheinbold, audited, awarded MC5 (6/21/17 - 6/29/17)

Prestige Audit for Andrew Hermann, forwarded to National (6/21/17 - 6/29/17)  
Prestige Audit for Kevin Whiteside, audited, awarded MC9 (6/21/17 - 6/29/17)  
Prestige Audit for Nicole Tarbuck, audited, audited for transfer (7/5/17 - 7/12/17)  
Prestige Audit for Brent Wagner, forwarded to National (7/5/17 - 7/12/17)  
Prestige Audit for Sudiptya Banerjee, forwarded to National (7/7/17 - 7/12/17)  
Prestige Audit for Walter Holt, forwarded to National (7/12/17 - 7/12/17)  
Prestige Audit for Steven Hugo, forwarded to National (7/12/17 - 7/15/17)

**ARC Tech:**

No report

**PA Education:**

No report

**PA Media Presence:**

N/A

**PA Recruitment & Retention:**

No report

## ***IV. Upcoming Projects:***

**ARC Admin:**

Educating DCs on use of new DSR. Excel-based databases can be difficult to manipulate at first, and I will be available for any questions you may have.

**ARC Philanthropies:**

N/A

**ARC Arbitration:**

N/A

**ARC Mediation:**

N/A

**ARC Prestige:**

N/A

**ARC Tech:**

No report

**PA Education:**

No report

**PA Media Presence:**

I will be working on a Google Doc for all Games in each domain of the South Central Region so that way I can just post the link to each group and the Regional Twitter account and each of the Facebook pages and should be having this done by the end of this month.

**PA Recruitment & Retention:**

No report

## V. DC Election Update

Domain Code	Month Elected	Election Status
AR-008-D	Aug-14 Next Month	Scheduled for Next Month
AR-012-D	Nov-16	Scheduled for October 2017
LA-005-D	Feb-17	Scheduled for February 2018
LA-006-D	Nov-16	Scheduled for October 2017
LA-008-D	Jul-15 In Progress	In Progress
LA-009-D	In Progress	In Progress
LA-010-D	Nov-16	Scheduled for October 2017
OK-008-D	Dec-16	Scheduled for November 2017
OK-010-D	Aug-16	Scheduled for August 2017
TX-057-D	In Progress	In Progress
TX-058-D	Dec-16	Scheduled for November 2017
TX-059-D	May-17	Scheduled for May 2018
TX-061-D	Aug-16	Scheduled for August 2017
TX-065-D	Jan-17	Scheduled for December 2017
TX-069-D	Vacant	N/A
VIR-SC-D	Jul-15	N/A

## VI. Questions and Answers

Domain Code	Questions for Regional	Answers from Regional	Questions for National
AR-008-D	None	NA	None
AR-012-D	None	NA	None
LA-005-D	NA	NA	None
LA-006-D	I have 4 (possibly 5) players that would like to transfer their membership to our domain, as their home state does not have one any longer. Crossing into LA would mean it would cross regional lines however, so I may need some guidance on getting started with this process.	This is a thing that can be done. It has been done for a few members near New Orleans!  I will email you the template to use for an Inter-Regional Transfer. Each member will need to submit a separate email for their individual request.	None
LA-008-D	None	NA	None
LA-009-D	None	NA	None



<b>LA-010-D</b>	None	NA	None
<b>OK-008-D</b>	None	NA	None
<b>OK-010-D</b>	None	NA	None
<b>TX-057-D</b>	Due to low numbers within the domain, we *might* have to go back to me keeping the domain alive on paper for a possible later revival without the hassle of reforming a domain. Once MESCON is over I can focus on some of the ST aspects and maybe run Space to keep an active local venue.	Thank you for sticking it out, Ducky. Let us know if we can be of any assistance. It's hard at a distance. It may help to focus on recruiting events on campus, at local game shops, and/or local conventions.	None
<b>TX-058-D</b>	<p>If you were a shoe would you be a left one or the right one?</p> <p>Can you please move Victoria Dean (Listed below as a Trial Member) to our CRD?</p> <p>With Chronicle starting again there are several 'new' old members that are no longer in TX-058-D that have renewed. What to do?</p>	<p>The left always because my left foot is slightly smaller.</p> <p>Done!</p> <p>Ask for their last approved prestige log! If they do not have this, ask them for their last emailed MC award letter. If they do not have this, email the ANC Domains Aaron Gomez at <a href="mailto:anc.domains@mindseysociety.org">anc.domains@mindseysociety.org</a> for an archive search for their last reported totals. To do so, you need the following items:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. What domains did the member report their prestige to?</li> <li>2. What were other names they may have gone by?</li> <li>3. What were their past member numbers?</li> </ol>	None
<b>TX-059-D</b>	None	NA	None
<b>TX-061-D</b>	None	NA	None
<b>TX-065-D</b>	None	NA	None
<b>TX-069-D</b>	None	NA	None
<b>VIR-SC-D</b>	None	NA	None

## **VII. Upcoming Cam Hosted Regional/Local/GOTM Events:**

July: MESCON 2017, <https://www.facebook.com/mescon2017/> , <https://plus.google.com/108421340547015657722>  
 , <https://twitter.com/MESCONMedia> , <https://www.instagram.com/mesconmedia/>

August: Open

September: Open

October: FEARLESS (Austin)

November: Open

December: Open

## **VIII. Prestige Awards**

The following prestige amounts are hereby awarded and/or confirmed by the RC:

[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1yO4SS-Zf0Q3d2XfklWVyQlzwcTnuYFd\\_DY0Ui5svP4/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1yO4SS-Zf0Q3d2XfklWVyQlzwcTnuYFd_DY0Ui5svP4/edit?usp=sharing)

\*\*\*Items in the Recommends to National sections require action by the NC staff and are not officially awarded until they appear on the National Prestige Database.\*\*\*

## **IX. Disciplinary Actions**

Compiled by Caleb Bonecutter.

Completed and approved by Nicki Boyles

## **End Report**