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As The Sword Turns



The Official Castle Wall Productions Newsletter

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*CWP
Focus
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basic
training
and
new
recruits*

Current Clack

One more season and what a season it was, the members that stuck through the whole season stepped up to the plate and swung numerous home runs. We were plagued with numerous personnel problems this year some valid and many not, but those individuals who kept their commitment shined like super novas. My hats or at least my hair is off to you. We wrapped up our season with probably the best barbeque we have had, go Norman volleyball team, (our 6th annual). We had our CWP Awards and the winners were

Kings Award	Austin Whitlatch John (JL) Keys
Knights Award	Adriel Siebert
Bards Award	Charles Jackson Lenda Jackson
Dedication Award	Tracey Wood
Thespian Award	Kerry Major
Acrobat Award	Kerry Major
Valor Award	Logan Medved Kerry Major
Crowd Favor	Tracey Wood Adriel Siebert Logan Medved Austin Whitlatch
WTF Initiative Award	Pamela Lee

The next week we cleaned our equipment put it away in the truck and closed the season down.

...That was then, this is now...

This season brings us new challenges, some of our long time members have moved on to other pursuits, members have changed status and we start brand new. We have a lot in store for the new year and some changes, the first you will see is the web site's new look and no broken links and the newsletter will now match the season and not

the year. So this is first issue of our seventh volume and in January we will have been putting out the newsletters for seven years. (You can soon see issues of the newsletters on our web site, almost all are up now)

We will be holding auditions for the first time, we will be moving to many more smaller promotional events and small shows as well as having at least one more large (probably out of state gig). So there are many things on the horizon, get ready strap yourself in its going to be work but it will be fun and one hell of a ride.

-----Eric Medved

Calls from the Turret

It is great to see all your shining, happy faces for the new year. Now that we are all rested, it's time to dig. Recruiting, training, grinding, shining, sanding, and auditioning. I am happy to say that all the hard work that we did last year have set us in a really good position for this year. Which means it gives us the opportunity to start with a strong core group and to get new items for the group. Let us start the New Year running. All the hard work we do now will make it easier as we move further into the season. I look forward to working with all of you this year. GO CASTLE WALL!

-----Badger

From the Field

Thank you all for a great season—and welcome to boot camp! It's time to polish our rusty swords and get back to basics. Expect a lot of

soreness in the next few weeks new and old members will all experience the action in November and December. Don't forget to tell your friends about Castle Wall—we need fresh blood to bleed!

-----Ky Seibert

Reports from the List

First off here's a rundown of the trainers

Bepi-----Lead Trainer

Logan-----Heavy/Hafted

Tracey-----Staffs

Austin-----Dagger/Short

Ken-----Broad/Long Sword.

Lenda-----Acting/Performance

The S.O. will be stepping in as well;

Ky, Badger and Eric will be teaming

up on shield, fist foot, and stunts. All

trainers are trained in every weapon

but each is also specialized in one

group for better training results

This is final. If you have any qualms

about my decisions you can bring it

up to me. I have full faith in my

choices in the trainers.

Secondly, a huge portion of the

training this year will be focused on

safety and control. Last year we

had more injuries than I would like to

have seen and this year as lead I will

do my best that it is not a repeat.

The training will be a bit vigorous

and redundant but will be so worth

it after fights are written. And lastly I

am a S.O. this year so if there are

any issues at and/or dealing with

practice please approach myself or

Krona. If we can not solve the

problem WE will approach Badger

and Eric. With that being said, have

fun this year people and remember;

Safety First!

-----Bethany Medved

From the Anvil

Hello, Castle Wall members. I am Logan Medved and I am the new Weapons Lead. My goals for this season are to get the appropriate amount of weapons we need and to keep our weapons clean and well maintained. When you are training in these next few weeks please treat the weapons as you want your own property to be treated. Remember, the weapons team and I have to fix and maintain the weapons not you. Thank you and I will keep you updated weekly.

-----Logan Medved

Tailors Bench

CWP need a Wardrobe Lead....must be a FT member

-----CWP SO

Ring Time

As of currently we only need to create the Red Knight armor, a bunch of leather stuff and maintain what we already have.

-----Adriel Siebert

Castle Custodians Closet

Hey everyone, Tracey here! I'm just writing to tell you that I will be continuing as props lead for the 2009-2010 season! We have a good bit of repairs to do before we'll be ready for June. I'd like to meet a couple of weekends this fall to finish off the weapons boxes. We need to spray paint numbers and polyurethane the boxes and add rope to those that don't currently have handles. But, we have plenty of time and we will be ready in time for our 1st show! Looking forward to a great year!

-----Tracey Woods

Merchandise Booth

CWP needs a Merchandise Lead...must be a FT member

We will be selling merchandise through CWP this year. Anyone consigning items will inventory and contract them to CWP. If you have something you do and it is period related get started on it now so there is inventory for events.

-----CWP SO

Village Posts

New season is here. Thanks for a good start, everyone turned in paperwork. I am still in the process of reviewing all of the info. If I need any additional information I will let you know. The 15th of November will be the first round of personal bio pictures for the web site. Thanks to Austin those will be updated sooner and will actually be updated.

Swing shifters need to choose a definite time you will be attending practice so trainers /directors can schedule accordingly this will be vital in December. Anything purchased for Castle Wall by Castle Wall members must get it cleared thru the Treasurer, Vice President, or the President that way CWP is knowledgeable about the money spent. If approved a receipt must be turned in to the treasurer to be reimbursed.

-----Veronica Medved

Calendar for November 2009

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	1	2			
01, Sunday; Mission Viejo Park, Practice 11:00AM – 3:00PM						
03, Tuesday; DYI Disaster House with CWP 8:00 PM						
08, Sunday; Mission Viejo Park, Practice 11:00AM – 3:00PM						
09, Monday; Game Stop, Colfax, Lakewood, Show 6:00PM -12:00AM						
12, Thursday; SO Meeting, Medved House, 7:00-?						
14, Saturday; Bill's Workshop, Hudson, Team Insulation Install						
15, Sunday; Mission Viejo Park, Practice 11:00AM – 3:00PM						
20, Friday; Rock Rest Inn, Team Lead Meeting 7:00PM - 9:00PM						
22, Sunday; Mission Viejo Park, Practice 11:00AM – 3:00PM						
29, Sunday; Mission Viejo Park, Practice 11:00AM – 3:00PM						
30, Monday - 2, Wednesday; Rock Rest Inn Auditions 7:00-9:00PM						

Leeches Ledger

CWP needs a Medical Lead... can be SS or FT member

-----CWP SO

Wagon Wheel

We need a Motor Pool lead....ust be a FT member

-----CWP SO

From the Herald's Horn

Just to give you all an update, we have been working vigorously on the website over the last few weeks and have many more ahead of us. In the coming months, our biggest push will be for recruitment. This will require all of us to do our part. If you have friends, relatives, acquaintances, please invite them to a practice. If you frequent coffee shops, bookstores, record stores, restaurants, ask to see if they would be willing to hang a poster for us. Thanks all of you for your help in this and I look forward to having a great year here in Castle Wall!

-----Austin Whitlatch

Behind the Scenes

We need a Support Lead....must be a FT member.

This roll is vitally important to the auxiliary operations of CWP, The stocks and Merchandise Booth while at events.

-----CWP SO

Contact Us

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