The Asatru Community
Board Meeting
October 12, 2021 Minutes

- Meeting began 6:05 pm PST

Members Present – Topher Henry, Alex Day, Thomas Ray, Hyde Addams, Seth Chagi, Dennis Oglesby, Jerry Baker, John Snow

Members Absent – AJ Theal, Jeddar Felix

President –

- Guardian video was released today. Spotlights AFA a bad and TAC as inclusive
  - We need an Althing to come together against extremists. Will push the idea.
- Blot Book – send any Blots or ceremonies by December 1
- Upcoming live Blot at the Hof on the 23rd. On the open page. If it goes well, others will be open to the public.
- Got boxes to ship mugs to board members.
- Will begin official transition from Seth to Topher within the next few weeks.

Vice President –

- CFC - code 46599
  - Season officially kicked off.
  - Only two people have donated so far.
  - We need to promote this heavily, especially in military groups.
  - John put CFC logo on brochure, which was very helpful
- Sent photos to media team. Would like feedback.

Director of Board –

- Life has become unmanageable. I need to step down sooner. I will be leaving by end of the month.

Director of Military Affairs –

- Tried to reach out to Alan. His Facebook was deleted.
- Asked that Zach goes through ambassador training
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- Would like to Create OACS – open Asatru Community Services to create a how do guide for lay-leader requirements and sample classes
- Would like to have liaison to fulfill roles as ambassadors for retired military volunteers.
- Need team for international military volunteers.

Director of Ambassador Program –

- Asked about TAC app
- Asked about podcast
- Asked about how to do Blot
- Recommended book list. Only three board members gave answers.
- Need a book list of authors to avoid.

Director of Public Relations –

- Needs roles changed on Discord. I can’t do it.
- Any posts that assistant doesn’t post for you, please ask me instead of Social Media Team to keep posts consistent.
- Share events to Public page so it can be share to other groups easily.
- Creating duty list for team members
- Admin Services isn’t in By Laws. Meeting minutes not on the page to June.
- Code of Conduct listed on website. Phrased inconsistently (three strike system) some things should not be three strikes.
- DO we have updates on Treasury position? Still vacant

Religious Affairs –

- When is date for next by-law meeting – will have after beginning of November
- Treasurer, instead of waiting and hiring a treasurer, can we advertise for one?
- Request- Make sure people who get discounts for CTP get their jobs done.
- Should people who apply for DORA be ordained? Yes
- Prison Outreach Chair? Need to establish a way to keep prisoners out of racist Asatru
- Clergy expectations. What should Clergy be expected to do after they are ordained.
- Religious accommodations not for military are under DORA correct? Yes.
Fundraisers – We have 20 items ready for next fundraiser.

Founder – I like all of the ideas that I am hearing and think they will benefit the community. I will be working on transitioning everything with Topher.

Admin Director – absent

Treasurer – absent

Meeting adjourned at 7:31 PST (1st John, 2nd Seth)