

ARCA Teocalli #21

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Order of Quetzalcoatl

September 2011 Newsletter

NEXT MEETING:



Sept 15, 2011



7:00 PM

Mark Your Calendar

**September Meeting
Sept 15**

**Feast of Fire
Registration Deadline
Sept 2**

**Feast of Fire
Late Registration
After Sept 2**

**Feast of Fire -
Denver
October 13 - 16**

**October Meeting
Oct 20
Membership
Proposals Due**

**Cinco de Noviembre
mas de Siete Party
Nov 12**

2011 Officers

Camaxtli **Rich Steed**
Chimalma **Tony Leech**
Huemac **Mark Rethemeyer**
Tittlauacan **Dave Schmucker**
Cauauhtemoc **Bill Vomund**
Netzahualcoyotl **Sonny Krohn**
Funcionario **Gene Burnett**
Funcionario **Len Burst**
Calpixque **Dennis Kelley Jr.**
Tlacuilo **Kenn Muehlrath**
Padré **Don Baur**
Parlamentario **Dave Jacobi**
Limosnero **Bob Holscher**
Tequila Bandido **Jim Tracy**
Señor Mayor **Ollie Steed**



**Mexican Independence Day
September 10th**

Learn from the mistakes of others.
You can't live long enough to make
them all yourself!



OKET #2 - 94 Years Young

Artisan certificates and Artisan medallions were presented at ARCA's August meeting to our four newest Artisans. Congrats to Jerry Gaddy, Mark Maxwell, Jay Traxel and Steve Uthoff. As reported at that meeting, ARCA #21 was well represented at the CSQA Mid-Year meeting held in Iowa. Our own Master Artisan, Ron Reynolds, announced at the CSQA meeting that he will be running for election to the CSQA line at their next election. If "*the stars and the planets line up right*" and elections go the way we would like, that would make Ron head honcho of CSQA and Dave (Maria) Jacobi head honcho of Supreme at the same time!

Fast approaching is an opportunity for our new Artisans and other Artisans who have not received their Master Artisan Degree. The annual Feast of Fire (Supreme Q Meeting) will be held in Denver from October 13th through the 16th. By the time you read this, registration without late fees will have passed, but you can still register and attend. Forms can be emailed to you if you need them. Information for the annual Master Artisan Consecration Trip to Cancun was passed out at the August meeting. The trip will be from January 22nd through 29th (Sunday to Sunday). This date is one day later than shows on ARCA's tentative calendar provided earlier in the year. Information for the Cancun trip is available on the ARCA website and the CSQA website.

Even though we *Americanos* typically celebrate Cinco de Mayo as the Mexican Independence Day (from Spain), as the graphic above shows, Mexico really celebrates September 10th. With our great new-found wisdom, ARCA #21 will be celebrating (that's spelled *partying*) on Cinco de Noviembre mas de Siete. In English, that means five plus seven or the twelfth of November. [11/12/11]. Put that date on your calendar. This will be the final co-ed event of the year -- should be a good one.

The bylaw changes and additions that were discussed at the August meeting (with some modifications) will be up for a vote at the September meeting. These changes and additions will be mailed and/or emailed to all members in advance of the meeting as required by our bylaws.

If you have a potential member in mind for ARCA #21, we will have discussion time at the September meeting. Written forms must be submitted to our Tlacuilo (Secretary) prior to the October meeting. We need to look especially to units or clubs that are not currently represented in ARCA and qualified members of the general nobility. To be eligible, a Noble must have provided *distinguished service* to his Temple and have been a **Noble for at least three years**. A potential member's personal and financial situation should also be considered. We are looking for the "doers", not necessarily those that have held an office in a unit or club. Remember, do not discuss membership with anyone other than Q members. We do not wish to embarrass anyone in our membership process.

Olè -- Rich

Need a ride to a meeting or activity? Have a question? Just call [314] 435-4774 or email oket9@aol.com