

The Kalifa

Vulcan for: "Let the Ceremony Begin"

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Captain's Log

Capt. Rachel Hawken,
Commanding



I know things have not been up to par recently, what with losing members right and left and then learning of a tragedy that befell one of our former members. This place is however, not the place to go into that.

Perhaps the ship's problem is that the XO and myself have not done much to help keep her alive.

We are not the only ship in the region that have been having trouble.

When I turned in my monthly MSR report to Starfleet this afternoon I checked our crew roster to see how we were doing and found that though Patrick is now on the inactive list as well as a new addition—Jon Munson, but Melanie Flick, Patrick's daughter is still listed as a full

member and her membership should have died the same time as Patrick.

According to the listing, we have only 5 active Starfleet members.

I am sorry that the ship has been going this way, we will be 2 years old on July 17, 2005 people!!!!



However here is something of interest. Doug Stingley, a former member wrote to Jim about another group that is currently located in the Los Angeles area that

according to him, completely live up to the ideals of Gene Roddenberry. According to Doug, having now witnessed the operation of two ships in our region, learned that no one in Starfleet seems to even try to live up the Gene's ideals for the world he created of STAR TREK.

Doug has since also resigned from the Gallant and is thinking of joining their organization where he will be made a Captain of the ship in L.A. (Way Cool)

He has asked if perhaps we should consider joining this group who call themselves, the International Federation of Trekkers.

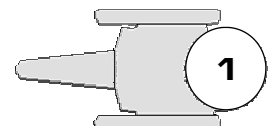
If we did this we would be the ONLY SHIP in the entire valley.

It is certainly something I will want to look more into and then when we all know, we can decide what to do.



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Viewer Ahead

**Cmdr. Jim "Burt" Wilcox,
Executive Officer**



Given that the activity level of the S'L'heya is at an all time low, we begin another glorious year of trying to get the ball rolling one more time. One of our major problems is financing any agreed to social or public event. Another is adequate transportation for desired activities. However, the most important difficulty is our declining Starfleet membership count; which is the determining factor in the S'L'heya's remaining an Active Starfleet Chapter. Some of

our members have allowed their memberships to expire and are classified as Inactive Starfleet members.

One of our newer members has "jumped ship" recently to join the Gallant. I personally have no objection to members changing their social affiliations. Some of our remaining members are employed with little or no time left over for social diversions.

As most of us know, the

"Enterprise" TV series will be ending soon and nobody knows what new series, if any, waits in the wings of the Paramount Studios. It's a shame to see this happening, but TV producers need lots of money to create what 'they' feel can be sold to the viewing public. It appears now that Paramount has been re-writing Gene Roddenberry's dream all this time. That is their right as genre owners, however my alter ego Kal Soj had a fit after learning that some Klingons were once Human in appearance.

I know that our monthly meetings are not works of Art, but they are important in discovering what our members think about our changing "Star Trek Universe" and to decide what efforts must be done to make our Chapter

better. Bring a friend to our next meeting and Command will strive to make meetings more productive and beneficial.

Bear with us and help when you can if we asked.

Cmdr. Jim Wilcox, XO



Agenda & Activities



General Meetings

Time: 6:00 p.m.
Place: 3919 N. Clark Street, Apt. D

For ease of members who can't always afford to eat a meal out in a public environment the general members are held in the home of the CO, Rachel Hawken who has graciously provided her home for this purpose. In order to promote more fun within our ship we will be having a movie night. These will be held at 7:00 p.m. on the 1st Friday of each month. Movie night will be held at the home of the CO. Please bring any VHS or DVD movie you would like to contribute for the evening viewing.



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