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Section 1: Committee Updates

This section is filled out by the lead representative from each of the Alliance LARP committees.

Rules

ARC has been working in tandem with the Design committee and has made substantial progress on an unpublished major project within the last month.

Diversity

Progress is still being made on rewrites to the Player's Guide.

Publicity

Weekly discussion threads on the Alliance Discord have continued. The first episode of the Alliance LARP Podcast is scheduled to record and publish in May. Our first content sprint (stay tuned for details) is coming up on June 9th!

Additionally, the Publicity Committee is currently seeking new members! We are looking for writers to help with our soon to launch blog. If you're interested in helping to contribute, message RiddickDale on the forums.

Technical

The Technical committee did not provide an update this month.

Design

Design has completed and submitted to ARC several pieces of an unannounced larger project, and are still making progress on one additional ongoing one.

Documents

The Documents committee has completed their rewrite of the Alliance LARP Bylaws, which have been submitted to the owners for editing and confirmation. They have since switched focus to working on touching up the Rulebook and Player's Guide to streamline both documents for ease of information. The team meets once a week every Wednesday to discuss updates and plans going forward.

Section 2: Chapter Updates

This section is filled out by a representative from each chapter who wishes to contribute any important updates. This month, we received updates from the following chapters:

Denver

The staff of Alliance Denver LARP are in discussions with two local conventions for the upcoming season! They are also looking into hosting a Renaissance Festival day, a costume photo shoot, and fighter practices! More details about these upcoming events will be coming in June.

ADL also holds Tuesday Talk on Discord weekly from 7:00 pm MST until ~9:00 pm. (They have a wonderful cooking demonstration that goes on during the conversation by Ryan, AKA Bluwolf!)

Minnesota

Minnesota would like to advertise that they are planning on holding events this year! You can check out their schedule at: <https://alliancelarp.com/forum/threads/2021-schedule.41932/>

New Hampshire

Alliance LARP New Hampshire is holding a fundraiser towards a new site! More info can be found on the forums at:

<https://alliancelarp.com/forum/threads/nh-new-site-donation-drive.41972/#post-321516>

Wyoming

We are currently running a gofundme to cover basic costuming, masks and makeup, and fundamental props, such as false movable walls, prop items, boxes, traps, locks, and so on. There's a thousand different little items that go into module adventures. Please check out our gofundme for more details and donation incentives: <https://gofund.me/6f2b4c26>

Additionally, on October 16th, we will be having our first Tavern Night! More details to come soon!

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Finally, in Tandem with Denver, we are managing a national gift exchange! It is absolutely voluntary and homemade gifts are welcome too!

- June 4, 2021 is when you need to RSVP by.
- Gifts need to be sent out by June 18, 2021
- No one will know who has who until it's announced on June 20th! So keep it a secret and let's surprise each other a bit! Check out the link here:

<https://www.elfster.com/gift-exchanges/4ea9320a-b9a2-4c07-842d-89df7fba7e50/?join=ngvh>

Section 3: Featured Events and Conventions

Preparation for the National Event continues! The staff are hosting another donation cash drive with dragon stamp rewards. You can find more information at:

<https://alliancelarp.com/forum/threads/nationals-2021-cash-drive.41994/>

If you are interested in attending the event during Labor Day weekend in September, you can also check out all of the other updates being posted on the forums at:

<https://alliancelarp.com/forum/forums/national-event.158/>

Section 4: Dragon Stamp Awards

The following is an aggregate of all Dragon Stamp salaries being awarded to the national staff:

Player	Monthly Salary		Player	Monthly Salary
Alliance Presidents			Alliance Rules Committee	
Matt W.	50		James P. (LEAD)	100
David B.	50		Will K.	50
Alliance GM Team			Justin D.	50
Tony M.	100		Daniel P.	50
Juliet M.	100		Sid P.	50
Albert L.	100		Alliance Design Committee	
Forum Moderators			Michael D. (LEAD)	100
REDACTED	25		Caitlyn D.	50
REDACTED	25		Nate B.	50
REDACTED	25		Nick P.	50

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Alliance Diversity Committee			Jonathan D.	50
James T. (LEAD)	100		Alliance Documents Committee	
Candace H.	50		Suzanne B. (LEAD)	100
Ren W.	50		Justin D.	50
Dwayne B.	50		Will H.	50
Andrew N.	50		Andrew N.	50
Katie B.	50		Samantha S.	50
Alliance Tech Committee			Zach S.	50
David G. (LEAD)	100		Sarah S.	50
Luke N.	50		Jerilyn W.	50
Alliance Publicity			Mykal M.	50
Stephen D. (LEAD)	100		CMA License Royalty	
Amanda F.	50		Chris I.	10

Section 5: Projects in Development

This section provides some information about any national level projects which are currently in development. If you are interested in getting involved with any of these projects, please contact Albert at: dragonstamps@alliancelarp.com

We wish everybody a bright and beautiful May! The national staff remains hard at work with making progress on existing projects and developing new ones. With summer on the horizon, and the prospect of loosening guidelines allowing for in-person play to start back up soon, we are more excited than ever to share with you what we've been working on. Keep an eye on the forums for updates to the following projects:

- Bylaws update - first pass was completed on May 1st, it is now under review by the owners. Once finished, this will be posted publicly.
- ARB and APG 2.1 updates - end of May target for first drafts.
- National insurance policy - ongoing

The following votes have taken place within the last month and are in effect now:

<https://alliancelarp.com/forum/threads/enable-chapters-to-set-their-own-2-0-conversion-deadlines.42011/>

<https://alliancelarp.com/forum/threads/rename-alliance-chair.42010/>