

National Council Meeting Notes
24 June 2018, 8:00 PM Eastern
Meeting Lead: Chalice

Attendance (new quorum = 4)

- Chalice
- Brian
- Kym
- Stu
- Greg
- Ben

Emailed:

- Shiva

No Show:

- None

AGENDA ITEMS

0. HIGH PRIORITY NEW BUSINESS

- 1) Current In-Process: NC Candidates
 - a) New Candidates
 - i) None currently
 - b) Chapter Head Engagement
 - i) Chapter Heads can put forward nominees for consideration that will have to go through the same interview/voting process in place
 - ii) Draft document for guidelines and process written, additions have been made by all members of NC
 - iii) Final revisions done, all items reviewed and agreed upon by all members of NC
 - iv) Chalice will share announcement in CH forum

- 2) Zeke/Cain/London
 - a) Letter to London Membership
 - i) NC received a letter from Zeke on June 19th (5 days ago) containing either no new information or erroneous statements regarding the events leading up to his removal from leadership and acknowledgement of his wrongdoing, acceptance of our decision to remove him from leadership
 - ii) Concerns were expressed that certain content/demands are being presented as the thoughts/feelings of the London/European group by a representative that is no longer recognized by The Satanic Temple

- iii) National Council started drafting a letter specifically addressed to all members of London to present the entire scope of events/actions taken and in the spirit of wanting to keep doors open to the group, give members of London the choice to either follow Zeke/Cain in separate group or present to NC new leadership candidates so that London chapter does not have to be closed entirely
 - iv) Letter deadline: Friday, June 29th (sooner would be better)
 - b) Letter to Chapter Heads
 - i) Several reports of Zeke/Cain misrepresenting actions taken by both them and by NC is alarming as it is causing concern among membership and leadership
 - ii) Draft letter started to give chapter heads entire scope/timelines of events, as well as reasons for Cain not being confirmed for Chapter Head
 - iii) Letter deadline: Wednesday, June 27th
 - c) London Announcement of Separation
 - i) Do Zeke and Cain really speak on behalf of all European leadership since that is how it's being presented?
 - ii) Use of "The Satanic Temple"
 - (1) Could be legal issue is group goes forward using name or continues to present themselves as "Chapter Head of The Satanic Temple"
 - (2) Doug and Malcolm are being consulted to verify
 - (3) Will follow progress of events as they unfold
- 3) Chapter Head Letter
 - a) NC has been reviewing letter sent by CH's with concerns/recommendations for revisions in processes
 - b) Lots of discussions have already taken place regarding each point made, NC nominations already being finalized
 - c) Chalice will draft NC's response letter tonight (06/24)
 - d) Final response to CH's deadline: Sunday, July 8th

I. NEW BUSINESS

- 1) William stepped down from NC
 - a) Review William's chapters and pending activities that William had been tasked with
 - b) Due to time constraints of this meeting, list will be emailed to NC for review and reassignment based on best familiarity and region needs
 - c) Deadline: 06/27

II. CHAPTER UPDATES

- 1) Leadership Interviews:
 - a) Media Liaison - Colorado.
 - i) Volunteers: Kym, Ben
 - ii) Early July scheduled for interview
 - b) Media Liaison - San Marcos
 - i) Volunteers: Kym, Chalice
 - ii) Brian will send introductory email, all three will arrange best time to meet

- 2) Background Checks:
 - a) West Florida Candidate
 - i) Chalice has still not received completed form with information and consent to run check
 - ii) Brian will reach out to candidate to remind them to send form and payment confirmation to Chalice to run

- 3) Event Proposals (list any activities that need votes or discussion here):
 - a) Chicago (multiple events)
 - i) Vote: Will be done by email, meeting time limited
 - b) West Florida/NOLA Event
 - i) Vote: Will be done by email, meeting time limited
 - c) Austin Campaign
 - i) Concerns
 - (1) Discussed how exactly the literature is going to be distributed
 - (a) Prison library vs individual inmates
 - (b) Want to maintain safety of members
 - (2) Literature will be pre-approved by NC prior to distribution to selected prisons
 - (3) POC will discuss concerns presented by NC, but overall the proposal is supported
 - ii) Vote: Yes (unanimous)

- 4) Other / Miscellaneous Issues:
 - a) CH Forum
 - i) Chalice now POC for CH forum
 - ii) Made announcement and asked CH's for anything they'd like to see to better utilize this resource

- iii) Is going to provide reformatted/more detailed NC notes to CH's to address one of their standing concerns

IV. COMMITTEE UPDATES

1) After School Satan Committee

- a) Committee Head: Chalice Blythe
- b) Point-Of-Contact: Chalice Blythe
- c) Upcoming Actions?
- d) Discussion / Announcements?
 - i) Letter to CH's sent out, some interest expressed but nothing yet
 - ii) Chalice working with Mary on new merch, scheduled call with Doug and Malcolm soon to discuss some ideas for the campaign

2) Online Platform Committee

- a) Committee Head: William Morrison
- b) Point-Of-Contact: William Morrison
- c) Upcoming Actions?
- d) Discussion / Announcements?
 - i) Contracts are being signed, William working full time on projects and getting platform online
 - ii) Roll out: TBD

3) Ordination Committee

- a) Committee Head: Siva Honey and Lucien Greaves
- b) Point-Of-Contact: Siva Honey and Lucien Greaves
- c) Upcoming Actions?
- d) Discussion / Announcements?
 - i) Ordination program will be released with online platform
 - ii) Coursework and materials are being finalized
 - iii) Certain activities will require more help (perhaps CH's) but this will be determined as it gets closer to roll out
 - iv) Roll out: TBD