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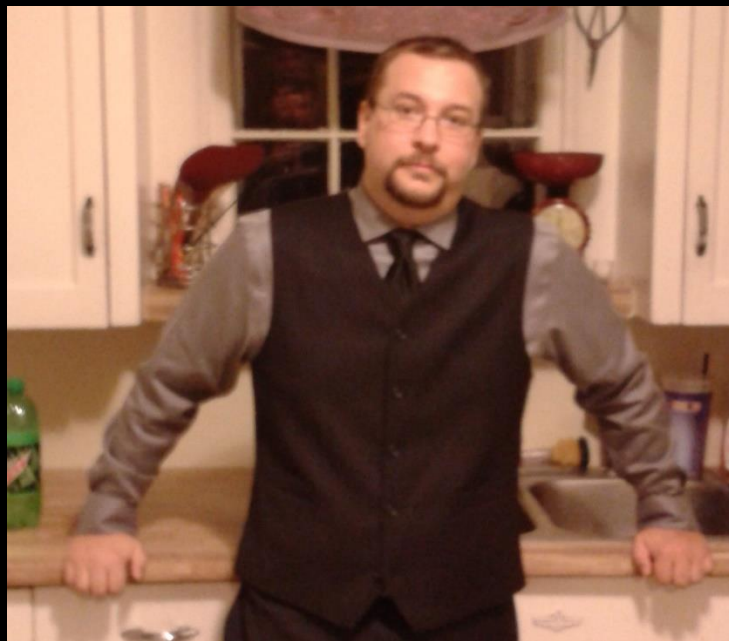
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MES Resume

By: Leslie LeMaire, US2013020035

MIND'S EYE SOCIETY



AN AUTHORIZED CAMARILLA FAN CLUB

Dear MES Members,

As there are a large amount of all calls going out, there are no doubt a large amount of resumes being refreshed and updated. An MES Resume is similar to a work Resume, but includes your MES experience.

General personal info

An objective can be as simple as a sentence or take up a paragraph. It should be geared for the position you are applying for. If an elected position, then try to think of where you want to be in a year. If for a position relating to a convention position, then describe what you would like to happen at the event.

The plan of action should give a general idea of how to accomplish this task. If you are having trouble defining a plan of action, try address who you will contact/work with, when you will do so, and how you plan to accomplish the objective.

MES experience, in addition to positions, if you special projects that you have accomplished, call them out.

Real life experience giving a general idea of what you do for living helps you be more personable to people. This can be related work or Non-gaming experience

Disciplinary Actions within the past two years

The link for the education document that describes what MES looks for in a resume is here:

<http://www.mindseysociety.org/officer-tools/officer-education/100-fundamentals-officer-roles/102-write-cam-resume/>

On the flip side, once you started to volunteer in MES. The work you have done for club will benefit your real life as well. There are a lot of skills that members develop from helping to build Mind's Eye Society into real life. Sometimes people can use this to help get jobs or a promotion, other times they can be used to improve their daily quality of life.

Leadership: The same skills that it takes to run a domain or game ICly or OCly can be used as leadership skills for a larger group as a whole. Employers look for people that have leadership skills both in the hiring process and in through interaction with co-workers.

Adaptability: Thinking on your feet is a skill that members learn from participating in role playing.

Being able to resolve disagreements: This is a skill that a lot of coordinators practice. Stopping fights, getting people to stop arguing and start talking is a management skill or people skill that employers look for.

Public Speaking: Public Speaking is something about every character has to accomplish. Being able to take the experience of speak a large group of people to impart a message will allow for better overall communication.

Event Management: Being able to set up FGOTM and Conventions takes event management skills. Coordinating the site, setting up rooms, and food delivery if any are event management skills.

There are more skills then what is listed that can be used outside of Games and the Club. If you take a minute, it should be possible to come with one or two that have helped your life on a whole.

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Dog Treat Recipes

By Connie Wagar US2013040167

Peanut Butter Yummies

2 cups flour,
1 cup peanut butter
a tsp Baking powder
2 tbsp Honey. or 3 of sugar
dash of salt
water enough to make a stiff dough..



Blend this together completely and then break off hand sized amounts and make a ball. Then roll out on a floured surface to the thickness you desire. 1/4"th for small dogs, and 1/2" for larger. Slice into strips 1/2 inch wide, and place on cookie sheet.

Bake at 250 until firm. The longer you bake the harder the treat. So if you have small dogs softer is better..

You can keep them in the fridge up two 2 -3 weeks. Freeze up to 3 months, or in a cookie jar 1 week.

Tater Crunches

Dogs love treats. Sweet potatoes are an excellent source of nutrition and can be a great training treat. These can also be made with white potatoes.

Wash and take out any "Eyes" on the potatoes as in white especially they are toxic. Cut the potatoes into 1/4" thin slices. Now cut the slices into strips. Any size depending on the dog size. Place these on a baking sheet (No oil needed) and place in an oven at 250 for 2 hours.

Take them out and let them cool. If not hard and crunchy (some potatoes have more moisture and weather plays into how they dry out), place them back in till dried. They keep well in a closed jar, or baggies.

Chicken Yummies

Easy as heck,

Slice chicken thinly, and cut it into narrow strips. Roll in a mixture of parsley, salt, and a pinch of garlic. (JUST a pinch as garlic in large amounts can be bad for the dog)

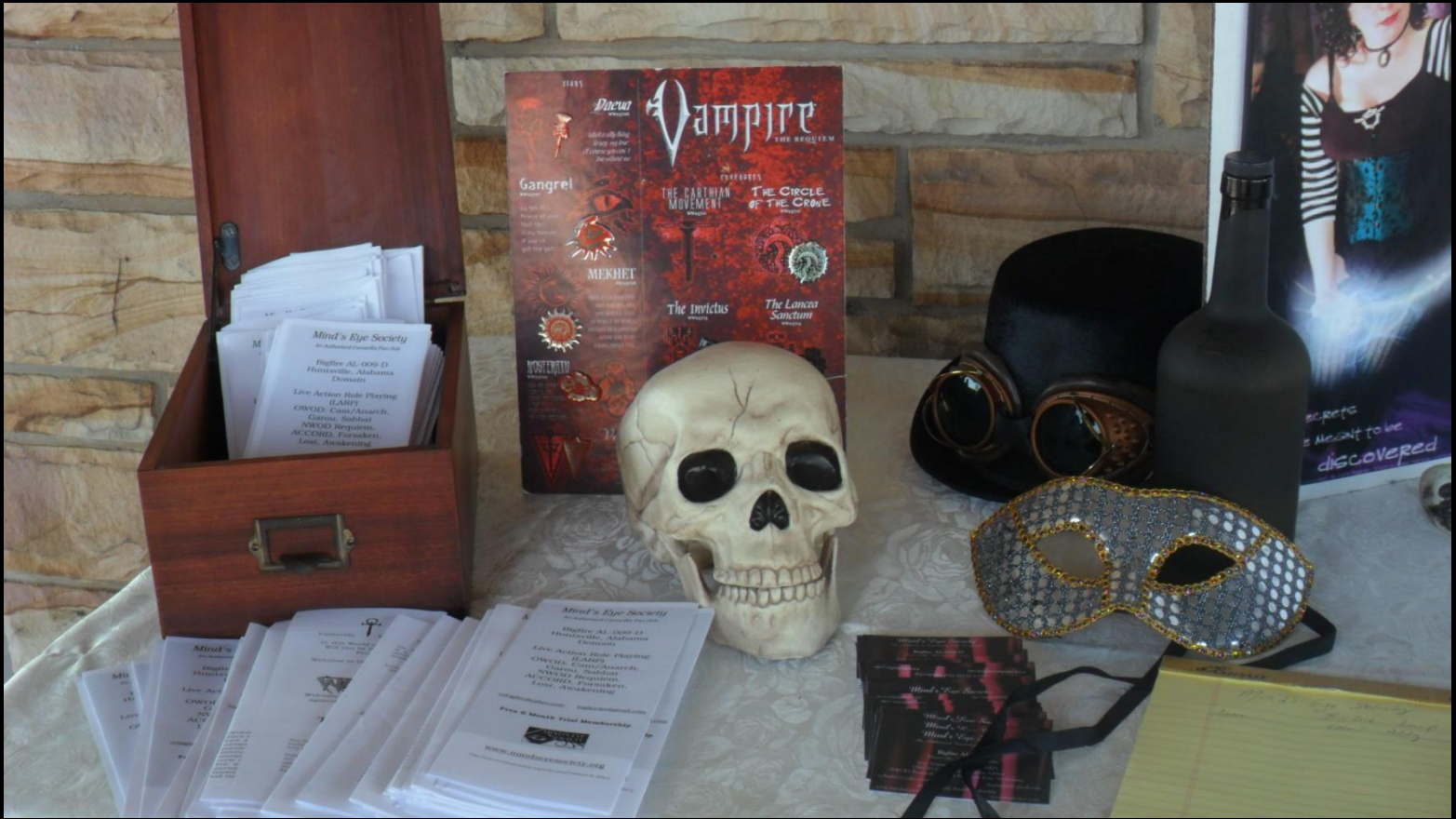
Now if you have a dehydrator use by directions and dry till hard. If you are using an oven

Turn it to 225, and leave the meat in 3-4 hours. Check to see if the meat has dried at 2 hours. If not check each 15 min. stretch. till it is hard, not burned..

Keep refrigerated...or frozen. Your dogs will love you for it.

Photo Submission

AL-009-D Huntsville, AL by James Pelletier US2015020059





Fourth Quarter Regional Charities

October 2015 Regional Charity: Food Bank Drive



The Regional Food Bank Drive is a great way to make sure that families have the food they need for the upcoming holiday season and beyond. Donations to food banks such as Loaves and Fishes, Second Harvest and Ronald McDonald House help our communities and those in greatest need.

Drive begins October 1, 2015 and ends October 31, 2015

Donations can be given to your local Domain Coordinator or to the Food Bank of your choice. Be sure to turn in a detailed receipt if you donate the food yourself.

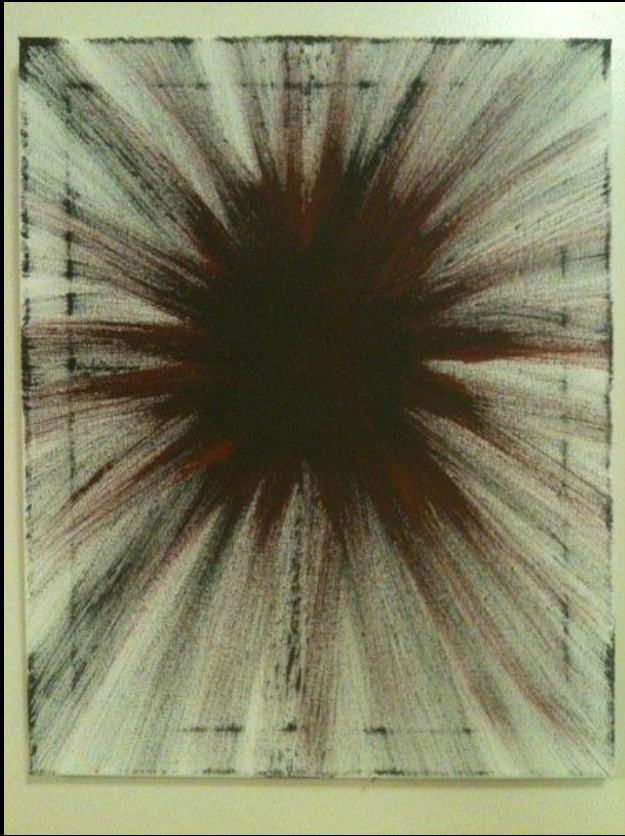
November 2015 Regional Charity: Toys for Tots Drive



The United States Marine Corps Reserve collects toys for children in need. Donation sites can be found in many locations including UPS stores, Toys R Us, Disney Stores and Build-A-Bear Workshops. New, unwrapped toys are accepted. Donations can be given to your local Domain Coordinator or at any donation site. Be sure to turn in a detailed receipt if you donate the toys yourself. As some donation centers just offer a donation barrel and are not "manned" by charity personnel, provide a receipt for the purchase of the toys and, if possible, a picture of the items being donated.

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Boom



Whisper in the Wood



Eye of the Storm



Too Many Roads



Simple Horizon



Cages Childhood

Fall Recipes

By Michael Lone US2006088415



With the bounty of the Autumn harvest readily available there is are so many choices of what to cook. With kids back in school and a host of activities like football season it can be hard to find the time to enjoy some of the foods that the season has to offer. Here are some super easy Fall recipes that will enhance your Autumn menus.

Crock Pot Apple Butter Pork

- 4 lb Boneless Pork Loin
- 2 cups apple cider
- $\frac{3}{4}$ cup apple butter
- $\frac{1}{4}$ cup dark brown sugar
- 1 teaspoon seasoned salt
- $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon cinnamon



Place the pork loin in the crock pot and pour the apple juice over top. In a bowl, mix together apple butter, brown sugar, salt and cinnamon. Spread over the top of the pork loin. Cover the crock pot and roast on low for 6 hours or on high for 3 hours.

Zucchini and Leek Cornbread

- 4 cups shredded zucchini
- 1 cup Leeks chopped
- $\frac{1}{2}$ cup sour cream
- 2 eggs
- 1 box of corn bread mix
- $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon salt
- $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon black pepper
- $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon granulated garlic
- Pinch of cayenne pepper
- 8 oz package shredded cheddar



Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Grease a 9x13 baking dish. In a large bowl mix together all of the ingredients and pour into the baking pan. Bake for about 60 minutes or until firmly set.

Ask Madame Dixie



Madame Dixie

By Liz Namiotko US2010076348

Dear Madam Dixie,

We've had an influx of hunters as of late. And though they do pose a threat, they seem woefully misinformed. Believing the whole running water and garlic bit. Is it worthwhile to pretend so that they remain misinformed?

Signed,
The Hunted

Dear Hunted,

When we are new to this existence, we are taught the importance of the Masquerade, the Silence of the Blood, the need to ensure that the kine do not know of our existence. If someone learns that we exist, our best course of action is generally to either bring them under our control, embrace them, or be rid of them.

In this case, if being rid of them in short order is not an option (as it would seem the most prudent with Hunters), I would recommend you take every effort to ensure that they continue to be woefully misinformed.

They will think themselves safe across water, and believe that garlic will keep our kind at bay. In the end, it is likely to make your existence much easier.

Keep Up the Show,
Madame Dixie

Dear Madam Dixie,

As a Ventrue with their heavy investments in the modern world, what discipline of our blood do you find the best suited for your ghouls in suits? Presence (Majesty) or Dominate.

Signed,
King of Kine

Your Majesty,

Not being of your royal blood, the powers of the Blood that I offer to my Kine Assistants is relegated to different options. All the same, if given the option between teaching them the power to give command to others, or the option of endearing others to their will, I would choose the latter in most cases. A command is finished once carried out, but a good impression can often leave one with a certain cult of personality that can be useful for much longer periods.

Just a Lowly Advice Columnist,
Madame Dixie

Dear Madame Dixie,

My boyfriend sleeps all day and hangs out with a gang of jerks. I don't understand what they're doing right, and I'm doing wrong. I cook, he doesn't eat it. I clean, he doesn't care. I press all his shirts, but all he wants to wear are those stupid cut-off jeans and that leather jacket. What can I do to get him to eat my 'home cooking' again?

Signed,
Noodle Caboodle

Dear Noodle,

It would seem your boyfriend likely has close ties with this gang of his, and quite likely that they are like family to him, much as gangs tend to be. Perhaps, darling, you should invite the whole group over for dinner once in a while, maybe even invite a few of your girl friends over to help entertain your guests while you get some much-deserved attention from your boyfriend.

Always A Lady,
Madame Dixie

Upcoming Events

October 2015

October 1st Canned Food Charity Drive Begins
October 7th Regional Office Hours on IRC
October 23rd – 25th Feature Game of the Month, Raleigh, NC
October 31st Canned Food Charity Drive Ends

November 2015

November 1st Toys for Tots Charity Drive Begins
November 4th Regional Office Hours on IRC
November 30th Toys for Tots Charity Drive Ends

December 2015

December 2nd Regional Office Hours on IRC
December 4th – 5th Feature Game of the Month, Atlanta, GA

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