

Coming Up Roses



After three weeks of campaign including bingos, community dinners, movie nights, drag shows and wine tastings, The Imperial Sovereign Rose Court is pleased to announce the crowning of Their Most Imperial Majesties Rose Emperor XLVII Hollywood and Rose Empress LXVI Adrienne Alexander. Their ascension to the throne took place on October 18, 2025 at the Sentinel Hotel in beautiful downtown Portland. Their Majesties will be known as the Creativity of the Rose and their colors will be gold and pink.

THE BUSINESS COURT MEETINGS

The November Court meeting is cancelled. Please join us for our first Court meeting 12/1/2025 and the 1st Monday of the month thereafter at Darcelle XV Showplace @ 7pm. All are welcome.

FUNDRAISING HOLIDAY GIFT CARDS

The ISRC is seeking donations to purchase gift cards for the HIV Day Center clients for the holidays. Donations are being accepted before 12/1/2025 at Court meetings or at: <https://isrc-108388.square.site/>

TRAVEL OUT-OF-TOWN WALKS

Their Majesties invite you to join them for their first out-of-town walk in Spokane, WA. October 24, 2025. Details at: ImperialSovereignCourtOfSpokane.com

QUEEN MOTHER'S QUILL



Welcome readers, how exciting to have our beloved newsletter back again! Long before social media, texting and “the cloud”, we read of all the ISRC happenings and opportunities in this monthly format, looking forward to what our contributors had to share. Joining the Creativity of the Rose, this column will feature volunteer and

fundraising information, highlighting our community’s fine non-profit partners. Introducing the ISRC to these organizations is necessary for our growth and continued relevance. I’m so looking forward to this, see you next month!

Passionately yours, *Mother*

CONGRATULATIONS DOMINATION OF THE ROSE

Congratulations to the Domination of the Rose, Rose Emperor XLVI Glitter John and Rose Empress LXVI Devlin Lynn Phoénixx on a wonderful year and a beautiful coronation weekend. Coronation: Paint the Town Red welcomed friends, family and courtiers from near and far and Their Majesties were the perfect hosts for a weekend of fun, laughter and “Domination”.

We hope you get a little rest, but don’t stay away too long as we want to see you joining the Creativity of the Rose as we continue the legacy of the Imperial Sovereign Rose Court.



A WORD FROM THEIR MAJESTIES

Dearest Imperial Sovereign Rose Court members and beyond: As the creative force of the Rose, we, Hollywood and Adrienne welcome you. The life of a rose is a testament to the power of transformation - the unfurling of beauty, the resilience of the stem, and the sharp, protective wisdom of the thorns. Just as you, the ISRC, bloom in full color and grace, we also stand firm and advocate for our community.

In our history, we see the very essence of a rose garden: an array of individuals, a community of bold and beautiful spirits, coming together for a common purpose. We celebrate artistry and express, but more importantly, we channel that creativity towards higher purpose, turning it into action for those in need.

This reign will celebrate our elegance, service, and our unwavering commitment to building a more vibrant and inclusive community. May our future be filled with the continuous blossoming of creativity and compassion.

With deepest admiration,
The Creativity of the Rose
HMIM Rose Emperor XLVII Hollywood and
HMIM Rose Empress LXVI Adrienne Alexander



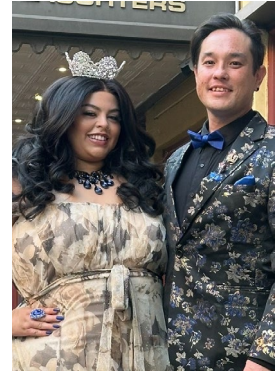
BECOME A MEMBER:

The Imperial Sovereign Rose Court is Oregon's LGBTQIA+ organization. Membership is open to all persons over the age of 21 who live within Clackamas, Columbia, Multnomah and Washington counties. For more information visit www.RoseCourt.org

P&P BALL & INVESTITURES

Join Their Imperial Highnesses Prince Royal XLIX The Amazing Eggroll and Princess Royal LIV Bella Pepper Phoenix as they celebrate their year at the Prince & Princess Ball & Investitures, Dec. 6, 2025 at the Avenue Portland,

631 NE Grand Ave., Portland, OR. Doors open at 5pm and the Ball begins at 6pm. Tickets are available online at www.rosecourt.org.



INVESTITURES [noun] ih-NVES-tih-churz

According to the Cambridge English dictionary, Investitures is a "ceremony in which someone is given an official title, rank, authority or power".

Each December, the new Monarchs bestow titles to the members of their court culminating in the stepping-down of the reigning Prince and Princess and the crowning of the new Prince and Princess.

UPCOMING EVENTS AT A GLANCE:

- 10/25/25 - Spokane Coronation
 - Spokane, WA
- 11/1/25 - ICS 60th Anniversary
 - Palm Springs, CA
- 11/23/25 - Dragathon Fundraiser
 - Darcelle XV Showplace
- 12/1/25 - December Court & Board Meeting
 - Darcelle XV Showplace
- 12/6/25 - Prince & Princess Ball/Investitures
 - Portland, Oregon
- 12/7/2025 - Rose Emperor's Tree Hunt
 - Breakfast @ Scot & Erik's Home
- 10/16/26 - Coronation
 - Crowne Plaza Portland Downtown