

THE JOKER

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Quing Bijou Precieux, fmf



35th King of Fools





King Bo Sends a most frolicsome of felicitations to Fools at large. To Those who support the Fools Guild by donations towards King Pins, Parties, and other Foolish endeavors, You have My deepest gratitude. Most Esteemed are those Guild Members who grant us the ability to share these capers through Scholarship funding. Thus many more can join us in the fun. This is so important to our community that it is a standing invitation, Please ask if you need attendance with fees rather than fail to join us on our Roves and Frolics, or (gasp) miss a Party.

Every human shares aspects of the Fool (should we care to admit it) and today we celebrate that spirit in this exuberant parade culminating with the crowning of next year's King Of Fools. Quing Bijou Priceux is the latest in a Faire tradition spanning decades, an unbroken line of frivolity and mirth and now you are a part of it.

Throughout the year The Fools Guild holds revels and hosts parties with themes that encourage costume and inspire creativity. All are welcome to bring their talents to help plan and mount parties, so check us out online and send

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We'll keep you posted and invite you to join in.

Frivolity abounds under the benevolent sparkle of

***Quing Bijou Precieux, FMF
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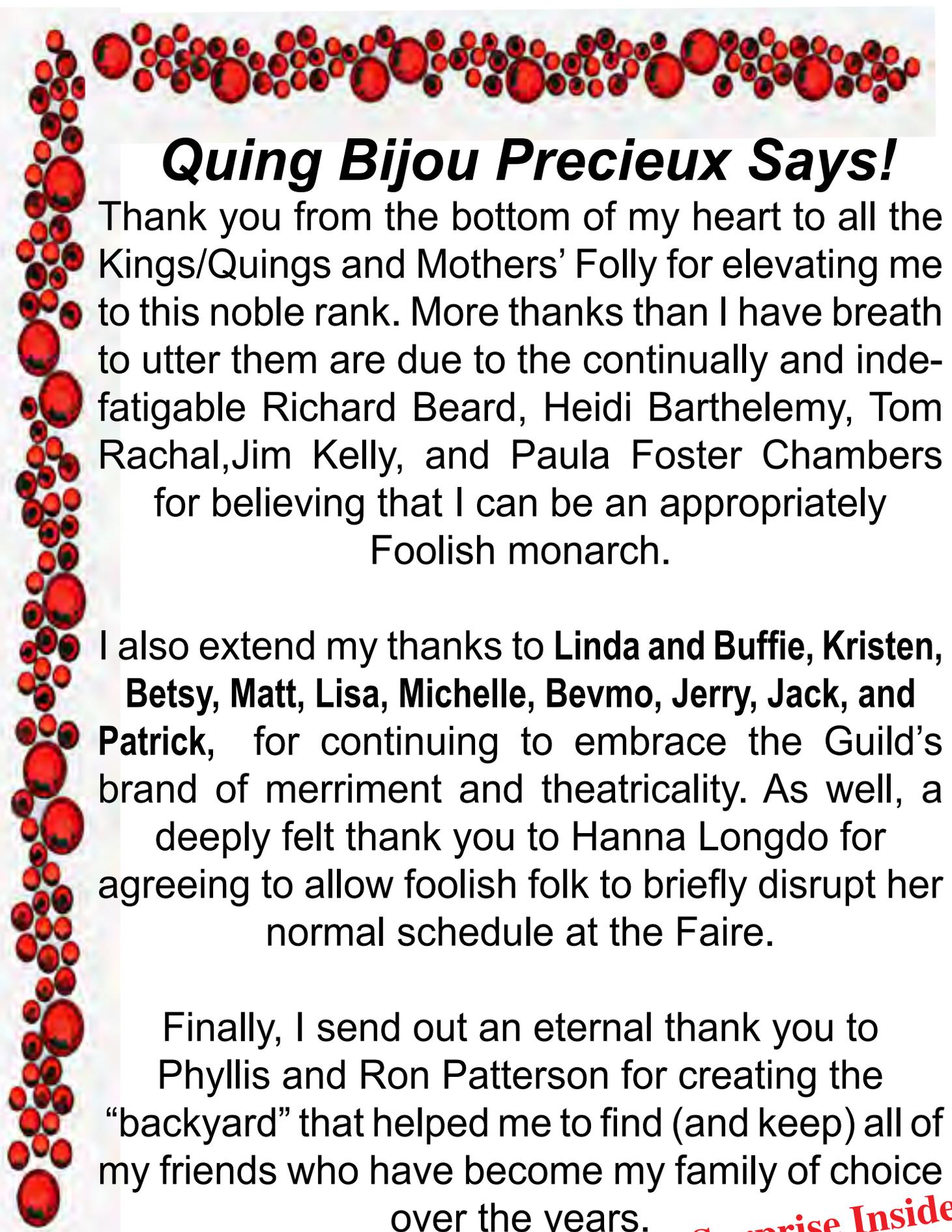


Our New Quing!

Brought up in the wilds of the Eastern shores, and transported at a tender age to the Western reaches, your Quing learned to sway with the best and laugh with the rest. Her family is far-flung geographically yet always close to her heart. She has cats, and books, and beautiful fabrics, and old furniture to keep her daily company. Bijou loves things that are shiny, milk chocolatey treats, children and animals, talking, laughing, thinking, dancing, singing.

Bijou has traveled to distant lands and had adventures that would put a blush to your cheek and a gasp on your lips. She enjoys modern devices and traditions long-established. She will give the last dollar in her pocket to one who needs it more and feed the wild creatures that cannot feed themselves. Bijou lives her life out loud!



A decorative border of red berries, some large and some small, runs along the top and left sides of the page. The berries are clustered together, creating a festive and textured appearance.

Quing Bijou Precieux Says!

Thank you from the bottom of my heart to all the Kings/Quings and Mothers' Folly for elevating me to this noble rank. More thanks than I have breath to utter them are due to the continually and indefatigable Richard Beard, Heidi Barthelemy, Tom Rachal, Jim Kelly, and Paula Foster Chambers for believing that I can be an appropriately Foolish monarch.

I also extend my thanks to **Linda and Buffie, Kristen, Betsy, Matt, Lisa, Michelle, Bevmu, Jerry, Jack, and Patrick**, for continuing to embrace the Guild's brand of merriment and theatricality. As well, a deeply felt thank you to Hanna Longdo for agreeing to allow foolish folk to briefly disrupt her normal schedule at the Faire.

Finally, I send out an eternal thank you to Phyllis and Ron Patterson for creating the "backyard" that helped me to find (and keep) all of my friends who have become my family of choice over the years.

Surprise Inside

King Dome the Cranky, King Dingaling Rover "the Ruff" Canine Rex I,
His Royal Hiney King Toobah IV of the Bucking Brasshole (Tuba-Interruptus-Reeks),

Venus Creamus, Supercilius I,
King Neezaparte the Puppet King

Flautus Proboscis the Reluctant, King James Charming the 007th & Quing Lily Lame, 34D
Carpe Cockus,

Anonymous I, The Mother King, Easy Off,
KinKi Korazon and Klimax Konundrum,

His Lordship of Perpetual Knumbness King Doodah I of the Maximus Bottomus, King Bodacious Spoonfoot,
King Delecta Eubetta Genufflecta,

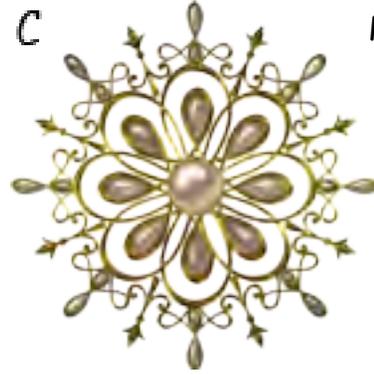
Rex Marks the Spot, Feniculee of Farts, Esq.,
Q Cumber The Oracle,

Mackey the VIII-who gives a rat's ass,
King Good and Plenty



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- LABRADORITE
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- MALACHITE
- MARQUISE
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- ONYX
- OPAL
- TIGEREYE
- TOPAZ
- TURMALINE
- ZIRCON



William the Stiff 9th King of the Jackanapes, Jack II, Ludicrous I, King Ignoramus I, Frivolous Wrex II,
Stymie the Flautlent, Magnanimous I, King Jolly the first, Quing Lickity Split, Atlasia King, The Chosen One