

# *House Khepera Codex*

*Integrity by Example, Love through Loyalty, Noble in all Endeavors*

House Khepera is designed to bring vampires, donors, otherkin and advisors together. Integrity and loyalty in our structure give us the ethical standpoint to show the vampiric and otherkin communities our strength and wisdom.

Treat donors with the respect they deserve. Do not abuse, maltreat or take advantage of what they give us. All donors will be given the Donor Bill of Rights upon becoming members of House Khepera and will be expected to adhere to those rights.

Vampires and Otherkin who feed from the following methods do not need donors:  
Elemental and music.

All other vampires and otherkin who feed from aura, drama, other types of emotions and Tantric must have donors and must abide by the Donor Bill of Rights.

We are obligated to feed in a manner that complies with the rules set forth in this codex, exercising knowledge of safety and control.

Any member of House Khepera that harms or threatens to harm any member of this House or the Vampire / Otherkin Community at Large will immediately be brought up on charges within this House and a trial will be held. If the accused is found guilty by the Judge, the member will be expelled from House Khepera, placed on our black list and if the offense warrants, be turned into the authorities for investigation and possible prosecution. Anyone that is on the black list will not be recognized as a member of the local or at-large vampire or otherkin community.

All House Khepera meetings are drug free. House Khepera has a zero tolerance for drug abuse. Any member of House Khepera that attends a meeting or court under the influence of drugs unless otherwise prescribed by a physician will be placed on trial and if found guilty by the Judge will be immediately expelled from the House, placed on the black list and may face criminal charges for endangerment and possession of illegal substances.

Any member of House Khepera that *arrives* at a House event, meeting or court under the influence of alcohol will be asked to leave and or escorted off the property by the Head of the Guards.

Mandatory search and pat downs for drugs and weapons at all House Khepera events, meet-ups, meetings and courts. Guards will rotate shifts at the door for search and pat downs. Those who refuse this procedure will not be allowed to enter and must be escorted off the property. Anyone found with drugs or weapons will immediately be placed under citizen's arrest and the local authorities called. That person will be banned from ever attending another event, meet-up, meeting or court and placed on the black list.

As members, all our actions are a reflection of the Vampire and Otherkin Community at large and on this House. We are obligated to be in control of our actions so as to not slander the image of the vampire and otherkin community at large or House Khepera.

Be truthful to all Elders as they are your guides. Be honest to yourself, others and to what true Vampirism and Therianism is. Honesty is the foundation of Honor.

Strive to understand the needs of others in the Vampire and Otherkin Community at Large. Make it your business to give help to those in need whenever and wherever possible. House Khepera must be viewed as a beacon to those who need help. Also be aware of the needs of individuals.

Follow the codex set before you with dignity and resolve. Honor the Elders in the community and learn by listening and by asking. The Elders must also honor the student by teaching through example.

House Khepera will hold its required yearly court at the weekend closest to October 22<sup>nd</sup>. The purpose of this court is to review the codex, review any new proposals for the codex, discuss possible promotions, discuss the next year's events, go over finances, and discuss any other court or house issues and to promote members within the house and award titles.

### **Our Point System**

<b>Actions</b>	<b>Points Awarded</b>
Attend meetings and or court	1
Attend yearly court	2
Participate at a meeting	1
Participate at a court	1
Teach a class	3
Research a topic	2
Teach a special class	5
Facilitate a religious service	2
Making a post on the forum	2
Competition Win	3
Judging Competition	2
Hold House Position	1
Forum Moderator	1
Proposal for Codex	5

### **Promotions**

<b>From</b>	<b>To</b>	<b>Points Needed</b>
Newly Awakened	Paige	80
Paige	Squire	160
Squire	Knight 1 <sup>st</sup> Level	320
Knight 1 <sup>st</sup> Level	Knight 2 <sup>nd</sup> Level	640
Knight 2 <sup>nd</sup> Level	Knight 3 <sup>rd</sup> Level	1280
Knight 3 <sup>rd</sup> Level	Lord / Lady	2560
Lord / Lady	Baron / Baroness	3060
Baron / Baroness	Marquee / Marquisa	3160
Marquee / Marquisa	Count / Countess	3410
Count / Countess	Duke / Duchess	3910
Duke / Duchess	Prince / Princess	5000