

# Inside The Rock

Ark Angel Station Newsletter

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**Happy New Year Ark Angel!**

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**Happy 12<sup>th</sup> Birthday to Ark Angel!**

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## From the CO's Desk,

I will start this by saying that I really enjoyed the Ark Angel Christmas party and believe everyone attending did as well. The Ferengi gift exchange seemed to go round and round and everyone ended up with something they liked I'm pretty sure.

For me the 2012 year was a great year, it had some ups and downs, but overall it was pretty good. I think we have a great crew; I have a good staff, and hope we rock on into the New Year with gusto! I plan on getting the Bowling competition against the Dr. Who folks rolling and will have the notes out to Ops for everyone to hear really soon. We have a camping trip to plan for spring, and our regular meetings to get lined out for the next year as well. Plenty to do but we can manage it no worries.

This year I would like to get the crew involved with some charity work maybe cleaning parks or helping some Community gardens something out doors that allows us to show our Fleet pride and help those that we can. Let any of the staff know if you have an idea and it'll get back to me we'll look into all ideas given and see what we can come up with.

Well for now that's all I got, Thanks for helping to make 2012 great!

FCAPT Lloyd Bates

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## **From the Com Station,**

I want to wish y'all a Happy New Year that will be better than last year and most of all fun. I'll be adding a feature in next month's newsletter called the Q Conundrum (more info to follow). Theme for next month's newsletter will be what was your favorite Star Trek ship and why. It can be any ship from any race in the Trek universe. I look forward to seeing your choices.

Let's make this the best year our chapter has ever had to date! It's up to us.

LtJG Mike Brown

## Ark Angel Station's Schedule of Events:

The Schedule is always a changing...but here's a glimpse into the future:

- January 12, 2013 – Cadet Corps Away Mission: The Cadets and the Ark Angel Station members will be visiting the Austin Children's Museum.
- January 26, 2013 @ 1:00 p.m. to whenever – Ark Angel Station Meeting Day: In 2013, will try to meet consistently on the 4th Saturday of the month. Sound good to you? If you have suggestions on where to meet and how to have fun before, during, or after the meeting, please email to the Operations Officer Ops@arkangelstation.com. (Feb. 23 & Mar. 23, too)
- Weekend of April 12-14, 2013 – SAVE THE DATE!! The members of the Ark Angel Station may travel to Baton Rouge for the 5th Anniversary of the USS Corsair, our favorite scourge of the Fleet. Those Pirates know how to party though!
- CONVENTION HIGHLIGHT: DWARF CON Dates: May 3-5, 2013 @ Crowne Plaza Hotel, Austin, Texas – The Many Worlds of Gaming. [www.dwarf-con.com](http://www.dwarf-con.com)
- August 1-4, 2013 – Starfleet International's Conference, Dallas, Texas, brought to you by Region 3. Members of the Ark Angel Station are on the committee to help with game room, website, planning, and other items. Go to [www.ic2013.com](http://www.ic2013.com) for details. See your CO if you wish to assist with the Game Room or anything else for that matter.

Hope to see you all at one of these events!

### REMINDERS:

Inside the Rock Deadlines: All members of the Ark Angel should and the AA Staff must turn in articles by the 21st each month. There is a suggested topic; however, you don't have to submit it just for that. Send you articles, photos, poems, stories, etc. to [commo@arkangelstation.com](mailto:commo@arkangelstation.com).