

## R1-STAFF Information and Policy Statement

The following are the rules under which the R1-STAFF mailing list will be operated:

1. This is a restricted access list intended to provide communications between the Region 1 staff and the Commanding Officers, Executive Officers, or specified contacts of Region 1 chapters. Messages on this reflect the attitudes and opinions of the posters and cannot be construed in any way to reflect the attitudes or opinions of STARFLEET, STARFLEET's Region 1, the managers of weyr.org, the list moderators, or the staffs of the respective organizations.
2. Only members of the list are allowed to post to the list.
3. Discussions about any aspect of Region 1 are welcome, as long as they have some relevance to the list topic. The list moderators are the final arbiter of the suitability of a message for this list.
4. Derogatory comments, name-calling, threatening, harassing or libelous material, or "flame-wars" are not allowed on this list. The authors of such content will be encouraged in the strongest terms to conform to the standards of the list or to desist posting. The list moderators are the final arbiter of whether content violates these guidelines.
5. When replying to a message, quote ONLY the relevant portions of the message to which you are replying. You should also NOT quote signature blocks from messages, but make it clear to whom the reply is directed.
6. You should clearly identify yourself in your posts.
7. Think before you send a message! Ask yourself "Is this really appropriate for this list?"
8. Forwarding private E-Mail messages to the list without the author's permission, or re-posting messages from restricted-access lists, is strictly prohibited. Additionally, forwarding messages for non-subscribers is discouraged. Non-subscribers can post to the list and the moderators will approve or discard the messages as they deem appropriate.
9. The list moderators fully support an open exchange of ideas and opinions, but posters are expected to express themselves in a reasonable, mature manner.
10. There is only one consequence of violating the list regulations: the suspension of posting privileges. After an initial warning, violations will result in temporary suspension of privileges. Repeated violations will result in permanent suspension from the list. As the degree of the infraction may vary so can the penalty time allotted.
11. This list is not for private arguments and discussions. If your post is directed to ONE person... send the message privately.

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