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ADMIRALS CLUB 50TH ANNIVERSARY



VISITING DUCHESSES AND 2010-2011 COURT



QUEEN MADELINE LEWIS NELSON AND ESCORT DOUGLAS STAIGER PETERSON

AS GUESTS WALKED INTO THE FRANK ERWIN CENTER, EVERYONE WAS IMMEDIATELY REMINDED OF THE UNIQUE HISTORY OF THE ADMIRALS CLUB OF AUSTIN. ON THE STAGE, WAS AN ELABORATE 50TH ANNIVERSARY ADMIRAL'S LOGO IN REGAL ROYAL BLUE AND GOLD WITH STUNNING FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS.

Fleet Admiral Franklin Hall and his wife Laurie have spent the last year with their committee planning all of the details for the evening and it was evident by the beauty in the room and the celebratory atmosphere. Emcee, Fleet Admiral Frank Jackson, did his usual perfect job with introductions. The Texas State Little Big Band provided music before and during the Coronation.

The stage soon filled with outgoing royalty and visiting duchesses awaiting the incoming royalty.

Reigning as 2011-2012 Admirals Club Royalty will be: Queen Madeline Lewis Nelson, the daughter of Admiral and Mrs. David Earl Honeycutt and Mr. Thomas Edward Nelson III, escorted by Douglas Staiger Peterson, son of Mr. George Alfred Peterson, Jr. and the late Lynn Peterson; Princess Mary Frances Barksdale, the daughter of Admiral and Mrs. Barry Ross Barksdale, escorted by Wilson Thornton Bauer, son of Fleet Admiral and Mrs. Meade Bauer; Princess Sarah Adelaide Ehrlich, the daughter of Admiral and Mrs. Robert Maxwell Ehrlich, escorted by Robert Hamilton Walls III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hamilton Walls; Princess Katherine Frances Winter, the daughter of Admiral and Mrs. Mark Cosper Winter, escorted by Kevin Thomas O'Boyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Brian James O'Boyle.

With perfect bows accomplished, it was time for a first dance with their fathers for the new royalty.

The rest of the evening was filled with more dancing to the music of TOP from Dallas and dining delights at the late-night buffet.



PRINCESS MARY FRANCES BARKSDALE WITH HER ESCORT,
WILSON THORNTON BAUER



PRINCESS SARAH ADELAIDE EHRLICH WITH HER ESCORT,
ROBERT HAMILTON WALLS III



PRINCESS KATHERINE FRANCES WINTER WITH HER ESCORT,
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PRINCESS MARY FRANCES BARKSDALE
WITH HER FATHER, BARRY BARKSDALE



PRINCESS SARAH ADELAIDE
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