

Order of the Crown

The Order of the Crown is the faction of Nobility. Your bloodline entitles you to have a Royal Title and gives you the right to achieve higher ranks. You are required to have a Patents of Nobility to prove your lineage to 4 generations. You gain the fealty of those in your faction.

Tier 1: Baron/Baroness

Pay 50 Sterling and declare to Titles Mistress that you are Nobility.

Addressed as "My Lord/My Lady"

Yearly Maintenance: 25 Sterling

Numbered allowed: (sixty-four) 64

Tier 2: Viscount/Viscountess

Pay 100 Sterling, Present your Patents of Nobility with four (4) witnesses and two (2) endorsements from other Barons/Baronesses

Addressed as "My Lord/My Lady"

Yearly Maintenance: 50 Sterling

Numbered allowed: (thirty-two) 32

Tier 3: Count/Countess

Pay 150 Sterling, gather two (2) more witnesses, gather two (2) endorsements from Barons/Baronesses, and two (2) endorsements from other Viscounts/Vicountesses. Perform in a "Poetry for the Uncultured" display. (aka Bad Poetry)

Addressed as "My Lord/My Lady"

Yearly Maintenance: 75 Sterling

Numbered allowed: (sixteen) 16

Tier 4: Marquess/Marchioness

Pay 200 Sterling. Perform a Public Spectacle, during which you assert your claim of Noble Lineage (Must be at least 30 minutes long) Gather additional two (2) Witnesses, two (2) Barons/Baronesses, two (2) Viscounts/Viscountesses, one (1) Count/Countess

Yearly Maintenance: 100 Sterling. Must participate in at least one Cross-Faction Act or Public Spectacle lasting no less than 15 minutes.

Addressed as "Your Lordship/Your Ladyship"

Privilege - Silver seating at Court

Number allowed: (eight) 8

Tier 5: Duke/Duchess

Pay 300 Sterling. Secure the Fealty of a Ship Captain/Head of Household/Merchant other than your own and deliver proof to the Title Mistress. Host a Cross-Faction act or event for the Nation (Must be at least 60 minutes long and consist of at least 4 members of other factions) Gather additional two (2) witnesses, two (2) Barons/Baronesses, two (2) Viscount/Viscountess, one (1) Count/Countess, and one (1) Marquess/Marchioness.

Yearly Maintenance: 150 Sterling. Must host a Faction Gathering lasting no less than 30 minutes. Must "sponsor" (or "co-sponsor") one (1) Team in Tortuga Olympics

Addressed as "Your Grace"

Privilege - Gold Seating at Court and Pirate Olympics with drinks provided

Numbered allowed: (four) 4

Tier 6: Prince/Princess

Pay 500 Sterling. Secure the fealty of a Ship/Household/Venture other than your own and different from Fealty secured in Tier 5 - present proof to the Titles Mistress. Must compete with other contenders to prove "worth" against other Dukes and Duchesses. Gather additional two (2) Witness, two (2) Barons/Baronesses, two (2) Viscounts/Viscountesses, two (2) Counts/Countess, one (1) Marquess/Marchioness, and one (1) Duke/Duchess.

Yearly Maintenance: 250 Sterling. Must attend Court. Must attend social Role Play events hosted by other Faction Title holders

Addressed as "Your Royal Highness"

Privilege - VIP seating at Court and Olympics with drinks and food refreshments
Reserved Parking at Port Nassau and Tortuga

Numbered allowed: (two) 2

Retired: ArchDuke/Archduchess

Hold Prince/Princess for two (2) event seasons, no Sterling cost

Addressed as "Your Highness"