Basic Kit for Crew of the Pursuit

This is a baseline starting point for crew of the Pursuit which will be relatively easy to attain.

Basic costume should include the following:

Shoes Stockings (solid or striped) Slops, Skilt, trousers, or breeches Shirt Weskit cravat hat (flat brim, turned up, tricorn, or knit)

Basic Equipment: Haversack or Ditty Bag belt Cartridge box or Purse (pouch)

Additional items: – **MUST BE 1750-1780 replica Flintlock musket, rifle, and or pistol** Small blade or cutlass** Baldric** Deck of playing cards** Bone Dice Tankard or Drinking Horn** Cutlery and Eatery**



Other items can be found on-line or from a sutlery at some events. Captain and Quartermaster will have links or information available to crew on such items as well as access to this list and provided links

Some of the items are less expensive to make, or purchase in house (from crew who have either spare, or used items), and patterns are actually quite easy to find as these clothing items are centuries old.

Several of your fellow crew are more than eager to assist with making, or attaining such items, simply contact them and form friendships, create "stich-n-bitch" events, invite other crew. This is a great way to make more of your time with your fellow shipmates than just the events.

For simplicities sake, we would encourage you to keep with solid colors, and matching ones as well. Traditionally white, blues, and browns were abundant in civilian usage, reds as well but not as common, unless they were in the military. Black was considered a rather expensive dye at the time and faded quickly under the sun. Unless you are portraying the position of a Gentlemen (or Lady), or an officer of the ship, do not concern yourself with the extravagant ornamentation and embellishments of the time, just for the sake of ease.

Reference Links for items:

Basic 18th Century dress:

<u>https://www.history.org/history/clothing/men/mglossary.cfm</u> <u>http://www.history.org/history/clothing/intro/</u> <u>http://www.history.org/History/teaching/dayInTheLife/webactivities/dress/dress.cfm</u>

Breeches:

http://www.militaryclothing.com/Revolutionary-War-Era-Short-Style-Trousers-WHITE.aspx

Slops:

http://jas-townsend.com/sailor-slops-p-713.html https://www.amazon.com/Fisherman-Pants.../dp/B00HXGDKFG

Trousers:

http://www.militaryclothing.com/revolutionary-war-era-trousers-white.aspx

Shirt:

http://www.militaryclothing.com/Revolutionary-War-Era-Bleached-Cotton-Shirt-Replica-WHITE.aspx

Stockings:

http://jas-townsend.com/stockings-c-72 5_100.html

Shoes:

http://www.target.com/p/men-s-ethan-chukka-boots-brown-7-merona/-/A-51122525 http://jas-townsend.com/shoes-c-72 5 99.html

Sandals:

https://www.amazon.com/JC-Sandal-37-7-5-Camel/dp/B0062OP1Y8/ref=sr_1_36?ie=UTF8&qid=1484690130&sr=8-36&keywords=jesus+sandals

Hats:

http://jas-townsend.com/mens-hats-c-72_1_6.html

Buttons (You will need replacements, it happens): http://jas-townsend.com/buttons-c-69_71_110.html

Sutler Links: <u>http://jas-townsend.com/</u>

Sewing Patterns for Clothing: **Needs alteration/modification for accuracy Mens: Simplicity 4923** Women's: Simplicity 8161, 8162. 3677**

NOTE: Should anyone have any further links for reference, they can be added to updates of this reference material. Please share!