

# Sâbu & Fabota (Rank & Position)

This page details significant positions within the *Poku Saeruo Degonjo* and their title and or  **Honorific**. Some *Poku'vonai* may actually hold more than one title, the proper usage depends on the context. In addition to holding a position members of the Clan have a rank within their profession.

## Fabota

A *Poku'vonai's* Fabota (*position*) is an indicator of their stature within the clan. Each Fabota has a Sâmi (*title, honorific*) the term that is used to denote their position. This table shows the Sâmi for each major position.

Sâmi (Qaktoro)	Title (English)	Description
<a href="#">Mui</a>	Clan Leader	Current ruler of the Clan
Mui-Ta'a	Speaker for the Mui	Person given the authority for speak for the Mui
Poku-Ta'a	Clan Leader	<i>Archaic:</i> term for clan leader
Tanoi'a	One on the Council	Seated <i>Tanoi (Council)</i> member
Jael-Ta'a	Speaker for the <a href="#">Sect</a>	Leader of a <a href="#">Sect</a>
Jael-To'â	Assistant Leader	Second of a <a href="#">Sect</a>
Ruoka-Ta'a	Speaker for the <a href="#">Ruoka (House)</a>	Leader of a <a href="#">House</a>
Ruoka-To'â	Assistant for a house	Second of a <a href="#">House</a>
Punla-Ta'a	Speaker for the <a href="#">Punla (Family)</a>	Leader of a <a href="#">Family</a>
Punla-To'â	Assistant for a family	Second of a <a href="#">Family</a>
Baqlipia	Designate	Oldest child in a <a href="#">Family</a>
Hatakur-Ta'a	Speaker for a hunt	Leader of a hunt
<a href="#">Tin-Ta'a</a>	Speaker for a ship	Commander of a vessel
<a href="#">Tin-To'a (Ship Second)</a>	Second for a ship	Second in command of a vessel
Sar	-	Common  <b>Honorific</b> (Mr, Mrs, Miss)
Sari	-	Plural of Sar
Imatloi	Spouse (F)	Wife <sup>1)</sup>
Imatloa	Spouse (H)	Husband <sup>2)</sup>

## Context Examples

A seated member of the [Council](#), Jorun Gefli, is also the Head of a House, as well as of a Family. Here are examples of when each Honorific would be used.

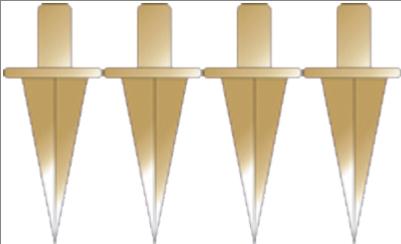
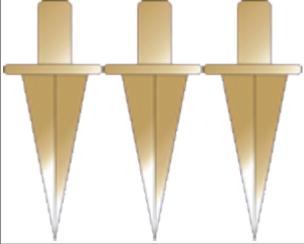
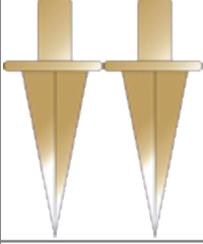
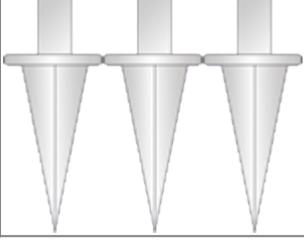
- When at the [Council](#), or discussing matters regarding the [Council](#) he would be referred to as: *Jael-Ta'a Gefli*.
- When representing the [Ruoka \(House\)](#) at a function, or addressing the families within the House he would be referred to as: *Ruoka-Ta'a Gefli*

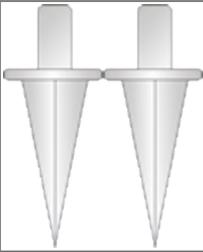
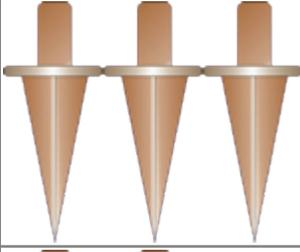
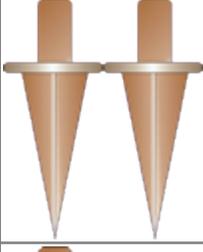
- When representing the **Punla (Family)** at a function he would be referred to as: Punla-Ta'a Gefli

Note: It is always acceptable to refer to a person by a higher 🏆 **Honorific** if they have one.

## Sâbu

A **Poku'vonai** holds a specific **Sâbu (rank)** within their **Jaeli (Sects)**. All **Jaeli (Sects)** use the same ranking system so that members of other **Jaeli (Sects)** and easily identify the rank of others. There are two forms of identification for an individual's rank a symbol and a colored cord. The symbol is a number of stylized daggers. The ranks signify not only the skill level of the individual but also the level of responsibility the person carries. Each rank is paid a **Kâbolelpa** weekly.

Rank	Symbol	Cord	Term	Definition	Material
10		Black	<b>Jael-Ta'a</b>	Speaker for the <b>Sect</b>	Gold
9		Grey	<b>Kasâvyjo'a</b>	Senior Master	Gold
8		Brown	<b>Kasâvyjo'sa</b>	Master	Gold
7		Brown & Purple	<b>Kasâvyjo</b>	Junior Master	Gold
6		Purple	<b>Sasâvyjo'ka</b>	Senior Journeyman	Silver

Rank	Symbol	Cord	Term	Definition	Material
5		Blue	Sasâvyjo'sa	Journeyman	Silver
4		Yellow	Sasâvyjo	Junior Journeyman	Silver
3		Yellow & Orange	Sâvyjo'ka	Senior Apprentice	Brass
2		Orange	Sâvyjo'sa	Apprentice	Brass
1		Red	Sâvyjo	Junior Apprentice	Brass
-		White		Initiate	-

## OOO Notes

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1) , 2)

No difference for 1st, 2nd, etc

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