

MARCH 8, 2016

START 7:30

END 8:30

LOCATION Google Hangouts

IN ATTENDANCE (11 WORTHIES)

Lady Prudence the Curious (Seneschal)

The Honorable Lord Madog Hir (Herald)

Lady Elizabeth Sabine de Northumberland (Exchequer)

L'al Jan bint Khalil (Chatelaine)

The Honorable Lord Cyriac Grymsdale (Webminister)

Duchess Brianna O'Duinn

Maestra Lidia de Ragusa

Master Talorgen nei Wrguist

The Honorable Lord William de Faleston

Lord Vincenzo d'Este

Eleni Bowersock

OFFICER REPORTS

Seneschal Report

1. JANUARY and FEBURARY Baronial Business Meeting information –
 - a. New Seneschal for the Barony is – Baroness Bessenyei Rozsa, Mistress of the Pelican
 - b. A new Society Marshall Handbook is available at http://www.sca.org/officers/marshal/docs/marshal_handbook.pdf
 - c. New Kingdom MOL authorization system started in March – Don't forget to renew if you are a fighter!
 - d. Next meeting is April 17. March meeting is cancelled due to Gulf Wars.
2. Year-End Officer Report Status – All reports are turned in; Doomsday was completed 1/27
3. Congratulations – Lord Cyriac Grymsdale for entering the Order of the Kraken at Ymir

Herald Report – No heraldic activity.

A&S Report – Absent

Exchequer Report

1. Total \$2554.12
2. (Deputy Exchequer: Lord Madog – Classes are completed; Still working on Warrant
3. Deposit slips – Not purchased yet
4. New drop box format for exchequer report

Chatelaine Report – Several newcomer contacts happened this month.

Webminster Report – Nothing to report

Open offices: Marshal (Heavy, Rapier, Archer), Minister of Lists, Minister of Children

OLD BUSINESS

1. Herald Deputy wanted – Will train.
2. Road signs (primary Lord William) – Signs have been acquired. Working on getting the stakes set up.
3. Change to Public Location for Newcomer Night – Books a Million – (primary Kear)
 - a. Discussion on how the March meeting went at the location.
 - b. VOTE to make change ongoing – VOTE: 0 Nays; 2 abstain; all else in favor.
4. Change of Face-2-Face meeting location (primary Lady Elizabeth)
 - a. Possible new location – Gaston Community College (Library) – Morris Library DALLAS campus.
 - b. Approved on trial basis. End time will be firm 8:30.
 - c. Still trying to find out if have wi-fi.
 - d. Will need firm face-to-face meeting dates to make reservations.
5. Face-to-Face meeting dates – chosen May 10, August 16, November 8 – VOTE: 0 Nays; 1 abstain; all else in favor.
6. DEMO March 12, 2016 – unable to meet the min. of 10 people needed to pull it off (safely) in time. Canceled.
7. Arts and Science Nights –
 - a. Discussion about dropping dance night from rotation of regularly scheduled activities
 - i. Final vote with question worded as “do we want to continue dance as a regularly scheduled activity”: No: 7; Abstain 4; In favor 0
 - ii. Overall the discussion indicated that while people would love to see dance continued, only three people AT THIS TIME are able to attend the activity. Okay to revisit this A&S activity should people and interest increase.
 - b. Discussion with the drop of Dance from the Bardic/Dance bi-monthly rotation what to do with the open slot
 - i. Do we want to make Bardic monthly – “meh” was the general reaction. Those that can attend bardic don’t really think they will have time to attend monthly.
 - ii. Further discussion indicate wanting a more intense activity opposite such as cooking, leatherworking, embroidery, illumination. Prudence worded it as a “guild-like activity” – as the barony has a cooking guild, a scribal group, and our local area seems to have strong leather interests. No particular activity jumped out.
 - iii. Final decision was to try different things on the “intense” night and see which one works best for our group.
 - c. Past month
 - i. January 14 – Lady Elizabeth and Lord Vincenzo – LARGESS – Project: Messenger bags; Organizer: Lord Vincenzo – canceled due to illness in the house. Even so 4 worthies showed up at various times.
 - ii. January 21 – Host Lisa Weekly – General A&S – 6 worthies attended. Various projects were touched including Lisa finishing a new Viking apron dress for her daughter.
 - iii. January 28 – Host Lady Alexandra (White Rose Manor) – BARDIC AND POTLUCK - No theme for potluck – 8 worthies attended. All presented something bardic (including the children). Potluck had several period dishes including tartlets and stuffed eggs.
 - iv. February 4 – Host Lady Elizabeth – NEWCOMER NIGHT – Theme: Feasts – Organizer: Duchess Brianna – 8 worthies attended
 - v. February 11 – Lady Elizabeth and Lord Vincenzo – LARGESS – Project: Kumihimo – String for medallions – Organizer: Lady Elizabeth – 4 worthies attended
 - vi. February 18 – Host Richard and Lisa Weekly – General A&S – 3 worthies attended
 - vii. February 25 – Host Lady Alexandra (White Rose Manor) – DANCE AND POTLUCK – Theme: Love -- 3 worthies attended
 - viii. March 3 – NEWCOMER NIGHT - Host: Gastonia Books-a-Million (Look for us in the coffee shop or on the sidewalk seating area); Organizer: Maestra Lidia de Ragusa - with additional instructors of Duchess Brianna O’Duinn and Master Talorgen nei Wrguist plus Master Achbar ibn Ali who visited

- from the Canton of Charlesbury Crossing.; Topic: Ask a Peer – 13 worthies attended including 2 completely new people
- d. Upcoming Month
 - i. March 10 – Host: Lady Elizabeth - LARGESS NIGHT – Kear will teach how to make leather pouches for belts.
 - ii. March 17 – A&S canceled for Gulf Wars
 - iii. March 24 – Host UNKNOWN – BARDIC AND POTLUCK – Theme: Isles (Emerald, British, Japan, etc)
 - iv. March 31 - General A&S – Host: Unknown (L'al Jan trying to get site – working with a local church to open a regular A&S activity site on the other end of the Canton)
 - v. April 7 – Host: Gastonia Books-a-Million (Look for us in the coffee shop or on the sidewalk seating area); NEWCOMER NIGHT; Teacher unknown; Topic Unknown
 - vi. April 14 – LARGESS NIGHT; Host Lady Elizabeth; Organizer: Lady Elizabeth; Topic: Prototype for WOW site token
 - vii. April 21 - General A&S – Host: Unknown
 - viii. April 28 - Host UNKNOWN – DANCE AND POTLUCK – No theme for potluck.
 - e. Future NEWCOMER nights - 1st Thursday A&S Each Month
 - i. Teachers wanted for April (thinking Demos and Martial activities (tied to Gulf Wars))
 - ii. MAY – L'al Jan is thinking about doing a movie night and discussion. “The Sword and the Rose” – Disney movie.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Demo 4/9 – Centered on Medieval Games at Abubika Gaming – Starting at noon and going until six (when their gaming guilds show up – we can continue to hang out after)
 - a. Investigate if can use lawn in front of store. (Primary Prudence)
 - b. Suggestion - Viking chess – would we like to test out the activity at the demo (Primary Elizabeth)

EVENTS

1. Canton Events –

- a. 2016 August 20 – Flight of the Falcon (autocrat L'al Jan bint Khalil)
 - i. FUTURE NOTE ON WHEN BIDS ARE DUE - Bids due by December 2016; voting by January 2017, then seven months.
 - ii. Have crew chiefs in place;
 - iii. Need check written for parks and rec – discussion taken offline for exchequer and autocrat.

2. Future Events Available in or near Barony

- a. 2016 March 13-20 – Gulf Wars (Gleann Abhann)
- b. 2016 March 25-27 – Hidden Mountain Baronial Birthday (Hidden Mountain, Bennettsville, SC)
- c. **2016 April 29-May 1 – Southern Atlantia Archery Day X (SAAD X) (Crois Brigitte, Boonville, NC)**
- d. **2016 May 7 – Spring Crown Tournament (Sacred Stone, Randleman, NC)**
- e. 2016 May 13-15 – Hawkwood Baronial Birthday (Hawkwood)
- f. **2016 June 3-5 – ConCarolinas demo**
- g. **2016 June 10-12 – Summer University (Sacred Stone, Boonville, NC)**
- h. **2016 June 17-19 – Return to Crecy III (Salesberie Glen, Harmony, NC)**
- i. 2016 June 17-27 – SCA 50th Year (Middle Kingdom, Danville, IN)
- j. 2016 July 29-August 14 – Pennsic War (Aethelmarc, Slippery Rock, PA)
- k. **2016 September 9-11 – Baronial Birthday (Sacred Stone, Boonville, NC)**

- l. 2016 October 12-16 – War of the Wings (Sacred Stone, Boonville, NC)**
- m. 2016 November 19 – Runestone Collegium (TBA)**
- n. 2016 December 3 - Unevent