

Baronial Meeting Notes

Old Business-

Officer's Reports –

Baron/Baroness: Coronation was fun. Two new peers from Blatha an Oir. Blatha an Oir was a major presence there. There were some accidents and car troubles on the way there and back. One unfortunate death, HL Ciaran passed away from a heart attack. There is a request for folks to help his Lady, Dame Giuliana, with the Funeral expenses.

There will be no conflicting events against Kingdom event. Wyewood had to cancel Black Lion Emprise due to conflict with Kingdom Bardic. Their Excellencies will be asking Their Majesties for dispensations for the two demos in Rath an Oir.

We have a situation that needs to be rectified. Stromgard has not been paid for their participation in the last two years of Autumn War. Stromgard has felt slighted by this and we will be making this right. In the future, Autumn War will be a fully joint venture with Stromgard and we will fulfill our end of the bargain we made with them. This goes back to when we were still holding Autumn War at Riverglen. The deal was a set amount, but when we moved to Randle this didn't work as we weren't bringing in the same amounts as in the past. There was much finger pointing but no money going out. Last year, this was switched to a percentage of profit based on volunteerism, but again they were not paid. That is the story basic.

Seneschal: Daniel Saer presiding for Elisabeth. The Castle needs to have a person to take care of it. A new position will be made for the person willing to take on this responsibility, The Baronial Reeve. If we can't find someone to take on this position we will be putting the castle up for sale within a reasonable and if no one wishes to buy it then the castle will be disposed of in an appropriate manner.

Herald: Looking for a replacement, if you are interested please put in your application with their Excellencies and the current Herald. . Will have a consult table on Saturday at Autumn War with the Traveling Heraldic Roadshow.

Arts & Sciences: Rosceline did a class on Hardanger. Next month will be Largess month, since we should be depleted after Autumn War. Elena has spearheaded in the making beaded necklaces.

Lists: No report.

Marshal: Unable to attend. No practice on Sunday due to Highland Games and Ethnic Fest. Rapier practices on Tuesday. Heavy Fighters need to get their small shields made for Tuesday Tournaments

Exchequer: \$18,565 in the checking account. Writing lots of checks for Autumn War.

Chronicler: "Summer Edition" Newsletter should be ready for Autumn War. Website progressing. Chatelaine working on Newcomer's section. Elisabeth's

son Dominic has expressed interest in working on site. When he comes back from vacation, he will be assigned projects.

Chatelaine: Chatelaine working on Newcomer's section for website.

Newcomer's Night July 28, 2008 at Crazy Kat Fiberhaus 7:PM.

Waterbearing: \$35 for Autumn War equipment. Equipment Found at Randle and back in the locker.

Chirurgian:

Scribe: We need people to paint. Charters have been returned and more need to go out.

Games: We have Mancala, 9 Man morris, Kube and Tabletop trebuchet will all be played at Autumn War. Clan Carn will be allowing BAO to borrow their

Chamberlain: Looking for a deputy!

New Business

Autumn War –

We have Road signs and Real Estate signs that are being converted to Directional SCA signs.

Emiel sent message to lists clarifying RV issue.

We did research. Dragonsphere RV section is 600 ft from event activities. Estrella War's RV area is 3,000 meters (over 9,000 ft). Pennsic's is over a half mile from the event. Please keep in mind that RVs will be much closer than at most major events.

If you are in charge of an activity and you need money, you need to be here at this meeting to get that cash. Bring receipts next month for reimbursements.

There will be no Royals at Autumn War. They are all at Pennsic.

Buy Ice before you come down to Randle. Morton is having their Logging Festival, so availability of goods will be better.

The site copy in the Crier is incorrect. Nor have they put in all of the ads that we have paid for.

Pre-registration is going to close tomorrow.

We have been having discussing RV Parking and Mobility issue. The bridge did not get built in time for Autumn Bridge. Emiel has graciously allowed RV's to be parking on the event side of the gully. Once the bridge is built there will be strict enforcement of the RV parking.

RV's that are covered with a "cosy" to hide the modernity are allowed to park in "General" camping, but no generators are to be used outside of the RV parking area.

Harvest Feast – Have a list set up. Katherine de Gonneville will be registration. We can't go up in the balcony.

Looking for autocrats for Candlemas, Newcomers,

Next Meeting will be Thursday, August 21, 2008. Back to our regularly scheduled third Thursdays.

End of meeting.