



The Drekkar

of the Barony of Storvik

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Upcoming Events

- Aug 31-2 Trial by Fire – ABCs (Bright Hills)
- Sept 14-16 Battle on the Bay:
Storvik/Lochmere Baronial Birthdays
- Sept 29 Battles of Britain (Yarnvid)
- Oct 5-7 Coronation (Tir-y-Don)

Baronial Activities

- Baronial 'At Home': cancelled for August
- Business Meeting: August 19 (7pm)
- Dance Practice: August 20, 27, Sept 3 (8-10pm)
- Fight Practice: August 20, 27, Sept 3 (7-9:30pm)

Minutes of Monthly Business Meeting, July 15, 2012

Attendees: Kunigunde von Darmstadt, Patches, Devin of Storvik, Teleri the Well-Prepared, Patricia of Trakai, William the Younger, Johanna von Sudeborn

Meeting commenced 7:09pm

Officers' Reports

Exchequer – (Teleri) Teleri does not have the quarterly report ready. She is trying to track down everyone who pre-registered and paid at the gate for Novice so she can issue refunds. We should discuss financial policy for event cancellations. She did not receive receipts for Novice in the second quarter and will finish the event paperwork for third quarter.

Seneschal – (Devin) Our event, Storvik Novice and Unbelt Tourney, was cancelled [by the park service]. We had a lot of food left over. We served some that night and some on July 4th at a baronial social day.

Herald - (Patricia) Patricia informed the Clerk of Precedence to take us off the 'expected court reports' list since our event was

cancelled. We will find out from the Baron & Baroness whether there will be a baronial court at Pennsic. She is working on putting together an offline program for conflict checking.

Chronicler – (Kunigunde) June Drekkar is out.

Baron & Baroness – (William) William attended Novice. No one got hurt. He has some supplies from the event. He will bring the bottled water to fight practice. He has some things that should go into storage. Storvik will camp with Ulfsbane at War of the Wings. They are still deciding whether to have court at Pennsic. They will post to the list. The Storvik banners were torn in the wind but he will continue using them. Richard Wyn (Storvik's court painter) has the Storvik dayshade and will paint Storvik's arms on the back of it. (Sorcha, not present) Sorcha attended Stierbach's Baronial Investiture and saw Stefan of Cambion invested as a Pelican. Storvik Novice almost happened and no one died. She hopes this is never again the best thing to be said about an event. She spent a lot of time fielding phone calls while on the way to Croom. When she heard the event was cancelled, she turned around. She said in retrospect, she wishes she had gone to the site to help tear down. She will going to Pennsic on the first Friday. (See Pennsic under "Events" for more.)

Webminister's report – (Aaradyn, not present)

The event page will be updated to show information for Battle on the Bay (joint Baronial Birthdays).

Chatelaine's report – (Tirzah, not present) There are three newcomers attending fight practice.

Minister of Arts & Sciences – (Johanna) We have finished making new baldrics and tabards. \$300 was allotted and the project came in under \$200. Receipts have been submitted. Johanna turned in the quarterly report. She will start thinking about making officers' tabards when the weather turns cooler. We should think about whether we want tabards, baldrics or patches with the officers' symbols.

MOL – (Kunigunde) She did one authorization at fight practice as requested by the marshals.

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Old Business

The Kingdom Exchequer sent a letter to thank us for our donation.

Medallions – William has Lozulet medallions and an invoice for \$90 from Lynette; she needs a check.

Water heater – William has the water heater for the shower at Croom.

New Business

Beginner's Ball – Patches requests that the Barony again sponsor the Beginner's Ball at Pennsic for \$100. It has been two years that we have been sponsoring the Ball. Patches puts out a flyer with our name on it as sponsors. Marabella is holding another ball that might appeal to newcomers. The Beginner's Ball was "too popular" (ie crowded) last year. Beginner's Ball is middle Sunday at 8pm in the Dance tent. Patricia said the Beginner's Ball also attracts a lot of musicians.

Events

Storvik Novice & Unbelt Tourney – (Devin) \$520 for the site fee will be reimbursed to us. We will ask for a check. Devin is waiting for some receipts. Some money was spent on prizes which can be used at another event. The food was a loss but was enjoyed by members of the Barony. Johanna said this is the first time we have lost money on this event.

Pennsic – Atlantian court will be 2nd week on Thursday in Atlantia Royal.

Sorcha is organizing beverage providers for the Queen's Tea and is hoping Devin will bring some of her quick mead. We still need retainers for our Baronial shift on Monday [8/6]. Two to four retainers for His Majesty, one more for Her Majesty, and two gate guards. We encourage everyone to take a shift.

Will someone take on making a spreadsheet of where all the Storvikii are camping? Name, block and camp, at a minimum. We should be able to post this to the Yahoo group so everyone has access. [Kunigunde has done this and posted instructions to the Yahoo group.]

Opening procession is on Sunday the 5th at 10am. Please process with Storvik! Atlantian Youth Tourney is on Sunday the 5th at 3pm. Baron William is Marshal in Charge and Lady Kunigunde is Minister of the Lists.

Battle on the Bay – (Kunigunde) Devin would like to hold a fundraiser lunch. We discussed foods for the fundraiser which will avoid using the grills needed for the feast. Cold chicken salad? William suggested iced latte. Devin will bring a budget to the August meeting. We need to estimate numbers for the lunch. Johanna suggests basing it on the number registered for feast. Kunigunde said Joselin will not want to pause the fighting for lunch but individuals can take a break if they want to eat. Devin will need some volunteers.

Meeting adjourned 7:49pm

Respectfully submitted by
Lady Kunigunde von Darmstadt,
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Directions to business meeting and fight practice:

The next business meeting will be August 19, 7pm and the 3rd Sunday of each month, in the basement of the St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 4512 College Ave., College Park, MD 20740. This is nearly 3 miles south of the Beltway (495) on Route 1 (Baltimore Avenue). The closest Metro is College Park.

Fight practice (heavy and rapier) and dance practice are held each Monday at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 4512 College Ave., College Park, MD 20740.

