

The Drekkar

of the Barony of Storvik May, A.S. XLVIII (2013)



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Upcoming Events

May 10-12 Steppingstone Medieval Days, Bright Hills

May 18 Royal Archery Tourn., Dun Carraig

May 24-27 Ruby Joust, Caer Mear

May 31-June 2 Highland River Melees, Highland Foorde

June 8 Summer University (TBD)

Baronial Activities

Baronial 'At Home': May 1

Business Meeting: May 19 (7pm)

Dance Practice: May 6, 20, 27 (8-10pm)

Dance Practice: May 6, 20 (7-9:30pm)

Fight practice, rapier and dance practice are cancelled for Monday, May 13!

A Note from the Queen:

To those who have seen Us in court, giving newcomers cups, mugs, goblets as a gift, know how excited the newcomers have been in getting their welcome cup. If you like the idea and would like to help Us continue throughout Our reign, we could use donations. I have just about stripped the local thrift stores in my area. If you have an old SCA cup or mug that you don't use anymore, consider re-homing it! We will make sure it get adopted by a very good and needful new person!

Thank you! Queen Ysabella Cacemoine

Minutes of Monthly Business Meeting, April 21, 2013

Attendees: Tirzah MacCrudden, Rayhana bint Yusuf, Grazia Morgano, Graçia Esperança, John West, Emma West, Johanna von Sudeborn, Carlyle Jameson, Badouin MacKenzie, Griele vanden Burgh, Patricia of Trakai, Sorcha Crowe, Devin of Storvik, Kunigunde von Darmstadt

Meeting commenced: 7:04pm

Officers' Reports

<u>Seneschal</u> - (Devin) First-quarter report has been submitted. Nothing else.

<u>Chatelaine</u> - (Rayhana) Newcomers' night went well, even though the chatelaine herself did not get to the gathering until 8:30 p.m. because she had to work late. Chatelaine will try to hold another newcomers' night next month at Karen's (Maura's) house. Dawn has also offered her house.

Exchequer - (Tirzah) Storvik has approximately \$6,990 in the bank. The church (St. Andrew's) seems to have lost two of our checks, but we are now paid up until June. Devin said she thinks we should use registered mail to pay our rent; the onus should be on the church to prove that our checks have been received. Tirzah said that one of the missing checks is more than six months old, so the bank won't cash it anyway. The bank officer will see what he can do about the fee for stopping payment on the other check. Also, the "counting the shed twice" problem on the Domesday report has been fixed.

<u>Chronicler</u> - (Kunigunde) She has caught up with the Drekkars that were late because of her surgery.

<u>Minister of the List</u> - (Kunigunde) There were three youth authorizations in February. The MoL obtained a check from Tirzah the previous week and mailed it to the Kingdom.

<u>Webminister</u> - (Grazia) A new page about the recent A&S pysanky-making event was added to the website. We will be able to have an album for each event. On the website, portraits that are obviously posed need to have a signed subject release, but not candid shots of events.

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<u>MoAS</u> (Johanna) We're doing A&S at various people's houses. Kumihimo and pysanky events went well. We need Pennsic garb sewn for several new people. If anyone has a project that needs to be done, Johanna knows lots of people who will know how to do it.

<u>Knight Marshal</u> - (Carlyle) We need to remind people that the May 13 fighter practice has been canceled. Xander may be authorizing at Ruby Joust.

<u>Herald</u> - (Patricia) Her temporary lack of Internet access at home has prevented her from doing much heraldic research lately.

<u>Baron & Baroness</u> - (Sorcha) The activities of the Baronage are picking up. Out of about 100 scroll folders donated to the Kingdom at Spring Coronation, at least 30 came from Storvik. Three newcomers showed up at "newcomers' night" the previous Friday. Sorcha will be teaching at Sergeants & Scholars in Roxbury Mill and will attend Highland River Melees. Sorcha will not be at Ruby Joust, but she thinks William will be in attendance.

Old Business

<u>Kingdom Event</u> bid - Rayhanna said that, that very night, she would be submitting a bid for Fall Coronation 2014, even though she doesn't yet have a Marshal in Charge.

New Business

<u>Gift Baskets</u> - Griele said that she will be in charge of the gift baskets at Pennsic. This year, Atlantia is making a gift basket for Trimaris. She will be in touch with the Baronage about getting A&S champions from the various branches to contribute. Gifts for the Royals and general largesse are also welcome.

<u>Storvik Camp at Ruby Joust</u> - Sorcha asked whether we want to have a Storvik camp at Ruby Joust. Johanna said that her household could do either a household camp or a Storvik camp. Sorcha said that she would raise the question on the listserve.

<u>Meeting date change</u> - There was a discussion of when to hold the May, June and July baronial business meetings to accommodate conflicting schedules, including the start of Pennsic. Attendees agreed to have the meetings on May 15, the regular date in June, and July 14.

Events

<u>Novice and Unbelt Tourney</u> – (Carlyle is Autocrat) Sorcha said that Lady Niccolina is running archery, and Grazia said she will be running A&S. Carlyle said that all the major positions have been filled. He recently had a meeting with the head cook and food helpers. The event has been put into SPIKE but he is still trying to get ACCEPS running. Tirzah said she needs to sign for that (as baronial exchequer). She will cut a \$15 check to pay the ACCEPS setup fee.

Carlyle said that Don's Johns will set up the portajohns on Thursday or Friday and pick them up on Monday or Tuesday. The park authorities are OK with that. We are just trying to supplement the existing bathrooms, not replace them. Devin said that the toilets were not made for the volume we give them at a typical event. Kunigunde said we should make sure that the park rangers don't take the toilet paper that we purchase ourselves. That has happened in the past.

<u>Battle on the Bay</u> - (Medb and Avice of Lochmere are co-Autocrats) Devin said that Lochmere sent Storvik a list of a few positions that still need filling: MOL, children's activities, camping coordinator, entertainment coordinator and head waterbearer. They want pavilions, especially Viking pavilions, to be used for A&S, MoL, waterbearing, Troll, a changing room and a Royal pavilion. They are looking for advice on shower installation.

<u>Performers' Revel</u> will be happening sometime this fall [November 9, 2013 at the home of Baron Igor Bear and Baroness Fevronia Murometsa].

Other Business

<u>Pennsic</u> camps - Sorcha said that she will not be attending Pennsic this year, but she will still do a spreadsheet of people who are going there.

<u>Meeting</u> space - Graçia suggested that the hotel where she works (in Beltsville) would offer a boardroom for meetings for a flat fee that is the same price as the church meeting hall, \$66. The attendees voted unanimously to pursue this option. Graçia said that we will have to sign a contract for the space but once we do, we are guaranteed a room.

Meeting adjourned at 7:48 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Lady Patricia of Trakai Deputy Chronicler

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Directions to business meeting and fight practice:

The next business meeting will be Wed. May 15 at 7pm at Comfort Inn Capital Beltway, 4050 Powder Mill Road, Beltsville MD 20705, exit 29 off of I-95.

The business meeting is held regularly every 3rd Sunday of each month.

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, at the corner of College Ave. and Princeton Ave. off of Route 1 south of Paint Branch Pkwy.

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Dance practice is also cancelled on Monday, May 27.

Baronial Champions

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vacant

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Bardic

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