



# The Drekkar

## of the Barony of Storvik

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#### Upcoming Events

- Sept 7 Atlantia Academy of Rapier & Costume Symposium (Stierbach)
- Sept 13-15 Battle on the Bay: Vikings Invade (Lochmere/Storvik)
- Oct 4-6 Coronation (Lanexa, VA)
- Oct 9-13 War of the Wings (Sacred Stone)
- Oct 19 Chalice of the Sun God (Ponte Alto)

#### Baronial Activities

- Baronial 'At Home': Sept 4
- Business Meeting: Sept 15 (7pm)
- Fight, Rapier Practice: Sept 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 (7-9:30pm)
- Dance Practice: Sept 9, 16, 23, 30 (8-10pm)
- Dance practice is cancelled for Sept 2!**

#### Minutes of Monthly Business Meeting, Aug 18, 2013

Attendees: Kunigunde von Darmstadt, Sorchia Crowe, Badouin McKenzie, Griele vanden Burgh, William the Younger, Janina Krakowska, Rorik Fredericsson, Barbara of Bonei, Patricia of Trakai, Grazia Morgano, Sonya Gross, Orla Carey, Henry West, Emma West, Devin of Storvik, Rayhana bint Yusuf, Kanamori no Tatsume, Gracia Esperança (Graciela), John West

Meeting commenced: 7:03pm

#### Officers' Reports

Exchequer (Tirzah) - We have approximately \$7,000 in the bank. The second Quarterly report was sent in late.

Seneschal (Devin) - This is her last meeting as Seneschal.

Chatelaine - Rayhana is stepping down; Emma is stepping up.

Webminister - Grazia added a page for 12<sup>th</sup> Night, and the Order of Precedence page for Storvik is up.

Chronicler - (Kunigunde) The August newsletter was out after Pennsic, a little late.

Herald - Patricia is up to date on reports. She will do Baronial Court for Battle on the Bay. The Baronial Court report from Pennsic has been filed.

Baron & Baroness - Sorchia is going to Dun Carraig and Battle on the Bay. William gave Emma the Baron's Award of Excellence at Pennsic. The Rapier commander commended Storvik and encouraged other groups to wear baldrics. William took the field with Storvikii for the woods battle.

Baron William inadvertently prevented the Barony of Ponte Alto from attending opening ceremonies. Two different times were published, the schedule was altered a couple of times, and he mistakenly told them the later time was accurate. William made it just in time but Ponte Alto missed it completely. He is awaiting the repercussions.

Baron William will attend Battle on the Bay, War of the Wings and Coronation. He may attend other events depending on what comes up on his family calendar.

Future Baron & Baroness - Badouin and Griele say, "A new broom sweeps clean." They are working to bring families into the SCA and to encourage more A&S work. Since they are able to travel a lot, they will try to help others get to events.

#### Old Business

Polling - Patches has a receipt for stamps; Devin will bring receipts. Devin sent the polling out. There was some discussion of how many were returned by Storvikii. Some people thought the timing around Pennsic made it difficult.

Beginner's Ball - (Patches) She thanked William for attending. There were people dancing in the streets because the hall was full. Patches submitted receipts.

Loaner garb - Rayhana has the bin of loaner garb; it will move to Emma's. Rayhana will take

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photos of it at Battle on the Bay when she hands it over.

## **New Business**

Newcomers' page for website – Emma's job as Kingdom Chatelaine is to check all baronies' webpages, and Storvik does not have a page or information to help newcomers. This should be set up. If the Seneschal, Webminister or anyone else replies to newcomers, the Chatelaine should always be copied in the email.

Baronial cloaks – Janina asked that the cloaks she embroidered be considered a long-term loan; she would like the embroidered panels back if the barony is not going to use them.

## **Events**

Performer's Revel – Sorchia asked how we get money to Igor if Performer's Revel is an activity, not an event. Waivers are still required.

Battle on the Bay – Everyone should let Medb and Avice know if you are lending tents for the event. Devin asked Rorik for a copy of the contract for Battle on the Bay to send to Medb and Avice. A mead roundtable will be hosted by Sorchia. Badouin would like to set up the baronial dayshade for the populace. He will talk to Joselin about how the different 'villages' will work together. William will set up the water heater. Devin asked where the new signs are; the Autocrats would like to use our signs. Janina suggested making new signs.

War of the Wings – Storvik, Roxbury Mill and House Ulfsbane will camp together again for WoW. The encampment name will be "Ulfsbane/Storvik". Graciela is doing the meal plan.

12<sup>th</sup> Night – Rayhana will send more information to Grazia to go on the webpage. She is looking for an A&S coordinator and a cleanup crew. Graciela said we need 30 rooms reserved to get the shuttle bus from the Comfort Inn. If we clean well, the whole deposit will be returned to the Kingdom. Graciela wants one server per table. The kitchen is on a different floor, so there will be two staging areas. Rayhana said there will be live Middle-Eastern performances. Naina from Bright Hills will help coordinate performances. The performers are volunteers. Patricia offered to do a Herald's Point. Badouin asked for the layout/floor plan of the building. Rayhana is asking Graciela, Badouin and Eadric (merchant coordinator) to join her for a site visit. Rayhana has been given a lot of requests but will need to see the layout and how much space there is before she can answer. Badouin suggested a green room for the performers. Bardolf offered to do portrait photography. Graciela said there will be 200 seats for feast plus high table. Everyone should make their reservations soon! There are 169 rooms at the hotel; cutoff for reservations is usually 30 days in advance. January is usually slow and the rate until the cutoff point is \$69 per night.

The next Barony meeting is the same weekend as Battle on the Bay, on Sept. 15, 2013.

We thanked Patches for bringing brownies to share.

Meeting adjourned 8:04pm

Respectfully submitted,  
Lady Kunigunde von Darmstadt  
Chronicler for Storvik

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Directions to business meeting  
and fight practice:

The next business meeting will be  
Sunday September 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 3<sup>rd</sup> 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  
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