



The Drekkar

of the Barony of Storvik

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Upcoming Events

Nov 23 Holiday Faire, Stierbach
Dec 7 Unevent, Sacred Stone (NC)
Dec 21 Yule, Caer Mear
Jan 11 Twelfth Night, Atlantia (DC)
Jan 25 Mid-Winter's Revel, Lochmere

Baronial Activities

Business Meeting: Nov 17 (7pm)
Fight, Rapier Practice: Nov 4, 11, 18, 25 (7-9:30pm)
Dance Practice: Nov 4, 11, 18, 25 (8-10pm)
Archery practice: Nov 10 (11:00am)

Performer's Revel Nov 9

Minutes of Monthly Business Meeting, October 20, 2013

Attendees: Kunigunde von Darmstadt, Lucius Sergius Vir, Badouin MacKenzie, Griele van den Burgh, Brenna of Storvik, Johanna von Sudeborn, Kanamari no Tatsume, Orla Carey, Tirzah MacCradden, William the Younger, Rayhana bint Yusuf, Grazia Morgano, Maighread Hekja

Meeting commenced 7:05pm

Officers' Reports

Seneschal – (Rayhana) Rayhana is setting a new format for the meeting: Officers Reports, Events and Other Topics. She would like to receive topics and information from officers at least one day before the meeting so she can write up the agenda. She had trouble submitting the quarterly report and will resubmit it.

Chatelaine – (Emma, by email) There was one newcomer in October who is interested in

archery. Meghan may host the first newcomers meeting held in DC. Emma is working with a professor at UMD on sponsorship of a medievalists' club.

MoAS – (Johanna) A&S meetings are ongoing. Quarterly report has been submitted. She is looking into a conference room at Comfort Inn on a weeknight for A&S. Input is welcome. Kunigunde suggested the community center of Takoma Park, where she is a resident. We can look into other places for regular meetings; we could ask for donations like at fighter practice. Johanna and Brenna said they prefer Thursdays. We can work on baronial projects, garb, etc. Johanna will teach tent-making at Badouin & Greiele's house; she is making a tent for Gracie.

Chronicler – (Kunigunde) September Drekkar is out.

Exchequer – (Tirzah) Tirzah is behind due to problems with the bank. We and Lochmere are getting each other's statements because the entire name on the account doesn't print. They say "SCA-MD, Inc., Barony of". She let the Kingdom Exchequer know that this is why the quarterly report is late. We have about \$8,000 in the bank (after the deposit from Battle on the Bay). Our share from BotB was \$1886, which is higher than last year. Reasons for the higher income were that it was an Investiture and Royal Progress, it was well advertised and the weather was nice. She has paperwork for new signatory cards with the bank; new signatories will be Tirzah, Rayhana, Johanna, and Emma will be added once Tirzah moves out of her house. Emma will be deputy Exchequer.

Quartermaster – (Badouin) We have enough loaner armor to suit up one or two people. Some is owned by the barony and some lent by John West.

Knight Marshal – (Ilaria, by email) Ilaria has submitted the quarterly report.

MoL – (Kunigunde) Kunigunde just received the check for MoL fees from BotB, so the paperwork is going to be sent in late.

Webminister – (Grazia) Grazia updated the webpate to show new champions, archery

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practice, and a link to the calendar. She is waiting for the email from the Kingdom Webminister requesting the quarterly report.

Baron & Baroness (Badouin & Griele) – 12th Night will be in Storvik! Griele would like a monetary donation from Storvik for a hospitality table at the hotel Saturday night. The Baron & Baroness will host one on Friday. Griele has a non-SCA friend in the food industry who has a food safety certificate; we need him at the site for the feast, so he may not be able to prepare the hospitality table at the hotel on Saturday. Offering a hospitality table hosted by the barony on Friday was suggested, with leftovers to be set out Saturday night for a Post-Revel. Brewers will be invited to bring their drinks to Post Revel since the event site does not allow us to bring alcohol in. The event ends at 10pm; the ball starts at 8:30pm. We may be cleaning until midnight. They will double-check with Gracie to see what time we can have the conference room at the hotel. The vote on the amount of donation has been tabled.

Pennsic - They need someone to run the Storvik camp at Pennsic. Johanna said that the Baron & Baroness should be in charge of the camp. Badouin said they will want a shower tent and utility sink which can be used at Pennsic and at Croom. There was some discussion of building the shower and sink setups.

Folcthyng – People enjoyed the Folcthyng. We should do it annually. People want to do more and we should set up a calendar to keep activities organized. People want more social events like movies and museum visits.

Events

Battle on the Bay – Lessons learned: we need 3 portajohns: 1 by camping, 1 by archery, 1 closer to the list field near the barn. We should focus on marketing the event, include a FAQ on the website, and organize more children's activities. We need more inter-baronial event meetings. People from Lochmere are suggesting that we not swap all the positions back and forth each year but find the best people for the jobs. Tirzah suggested having someone from each barony at Troll to give a friendly welcome to members of their barony. Badouin said that if we are going to be doing group or inter-baronial events we should be looking to other baronies for help. Rayhana said that if we involve more people on the event staff, it will draw more people from other baronies to the event. She said that we should build up the infrastructure for events like kitchen sinks, a shower tent with floor and another water heater. William was asked to come up with pricing for the shower. Johanna asked about water pressure at BotB. Some people had complained about privacy in the shower, but the pressure is okay. We want a shower system we can expand. Graciela (Graça Esperança de Sevilla) will be Autocrat for BotB 2014.

Novice & Unbelt Tourney – Carlyle will step down from Autocratting it because Kunigunde has said she will do it.

New Events under discussion:

A Day in the Far East (theme of India)

A Hunt – need to find a site where we can fight in the woods; the search was held up during the government furlough as the parks were closed. We are looking into Greenbelt Park.

Other Business

Coronets - The Baron and Baroness want field coronets. Storvik has the heaviest coronets in the Kingdom. The old leather coronets are falling apart.

Meeting adjourned 8:15pm

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, November 17 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 of Route 1 south of Paint Branch Pkwy. 7 blocks from College Park/U of MD Metro on the Green Line.

Archery practice on Sunday 11:00am at Adelphi archery range, 2800 University Blvd E, Adelphi, MD

