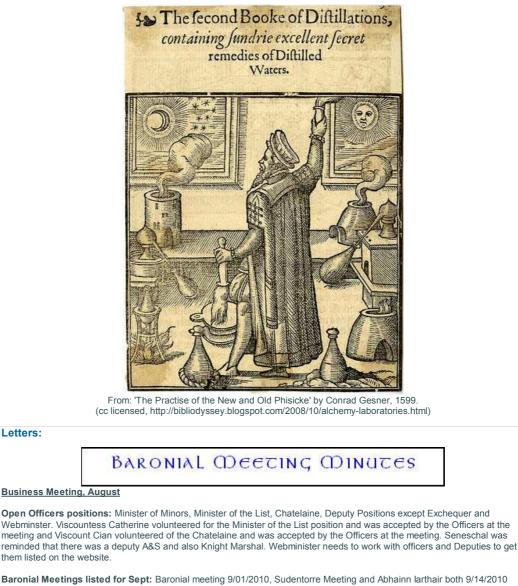






The Barony of Szierbach

Volume 14 Issue 4



Baronial Meetings listed for Sept: Baronial meeting 9/01/2010, Sudentorre Meeting and Abhainn larthair both 9/14/2010

Agenda Items:

Letters:

Metalsmith Symposium: Lord Gustav not in attendance at the meeting, Metalsmith Update from Seneschal. 20 Classes thus far. Gustav planned to have schedule done next week, so that it can be posted. He wants teachers to check in to make sure the schedule is set up properly. He is looking for volunteers for setup and cleanup. We need help with troll and setting up tables and chairs, break down Saturday night and Sunday morning. Also a reminder to pre register. There were a few questions for Lord Gustav that Seneschal would send to him: asked about a CIC for the event? Asked about Waterbearing for the fighters. There was also talk of people that had already pre registered for the event having the ability to pre register for classes. Mistress Ceridwen was going to look into seeing if it was something that would be easy to do.

WoW update: Her Excellency Rhonwen updated with list of Baronies siding with us. Reminded that Baroness Chiarostinia is land Agent and will tent sizes. Potentially looking for someone to cook for Stierbach campers for Saturday night. Battle Scenarios have been determined. They are in desperate need of volunteers for all areas, espeacially trash, bathrooms, water bearing, also marshals. Specifically looking for non fighting marshals.

Talk of Stierbach cookbook. As the cookbook is more of a pass the hat. The Stierbach financial committee does not need to approve it. Mistress Ceridwen to email Baroness Ciarostina to explain extra verbage that is needed in her missives

Holiday Faire: Seneschal informed all that she has recieved at least 6 inquiries about merchanting. Information forwarded to Merchant Coordinator. Talk of inviting thier Majesties and thier Highnesses to event. Since Crown is so far north chances are slimmer

Atlantian 30 Year update: Site Visit scheduled that is geared torward Marshals. Working out dated and times depending on peoples availabilities. Baroness Rhownen has site use pictures in her SmugMug account. There is a stab website set up on the Sudentorre website that will be built up. Lady Amiee looking for someone to run the demos area for the event, perhaps and Seneshcal or Chatelaine. Seneschal and Exchequer volunteered to talk to Society Chatelaine to see if she was interested. Talk about contacting the Kingdom Historian.

Pennsic: Their Excellencies mentioned that there might be a few things that need to be fixed for next Pennsic. Washingstations are showing age and benches. Lord Bubba took pictures to be added to book about putting together the waterheater for next year. He probably won't be able be there next year. More full up at the next meeting, hopefully the land agent, Lord Enequey will be able to attend.

Teams for Chalice: Thier Excellencies would like to be able to field at least one team for this event if not more. Stierbach had the winning team last year so we will need to defend.

Baronial Birthday 2011: Talk of date to plan this event, group decided June 18th is the best date in June. June calendar is already filling. Need to start looking for an Autocrat. Could always use Prince William Fairgrounds for a site but if we do there was interest in at least having use of the small building.

A few agenda items revisited: Table proposal, tabled until September meeting. Mention of Ponte Alto's accepted bid for Nov Crown. Crown will be at the Loudoun County Fairgrounds

Catching up with Abhainn lathair - Her Excellency Rhonwen reminded us that they are planning a Demo for July 2011. Lady Ceit is and Lord Ragnar are working on it. It was mentioned that Reinmar has taken the Exchquer class and they will start looking into getting a bank account.

Catching up with Sudentorre: Baroness Chairostina is Autocrating Defending the Gate, 2011. It will be the 10 year anniversary. It will be at the Issac Walton League site. It was mentione that Miles de Locwode might be talking to Sudentorre about using the Issac Walton League site for Royal Archer 2011. Not sure if he needs and Autocrat too or just he site. Lady Esperanza has passed Lord Siegfried information to him. Dogmart demo potentially Oct 2nd.

New Business: Financial Requests to the Barony: Exchequer asked that the Barony agree to pay for the local Storage Locker, not more then \$1500.00 and the Pennsic Storage Locker \$400.00. Officers there approved, paying.

Business Meeting, September

Open Officers positions

Minister of minors and deputies for seneschal, herald, Knight Marshal, Minister of the Lists, Chatelain(e)

Next meetings

Abhainin larthair - September 14, 2010 Baronial - October 6, 2010 Sudentorre - October 12, 2010

Metalsmiths

Seven tracks are being offered. All classes have been approved. We discussed the request to comp 10 people from the Bright Hills Cooks Guild. Request denied as it was not part of the original budget. Richard is handling class sign ups for pre-reg attendees. Library needs staff. Tokens are being purchased for teachers.

Phoenix Cookbook

Passed around copies of the cookbook that is on sale for \$1. To fund hospitality snacks at War of the Wings. Funds will not go through the Barony account.

War of the Wings

The Barony of Caer Mear will be fighting with us; the Dragoons have received permission to fight with Sacred Stone. Some households may be joining us

- Register for land
- Volunteers are needed to set up and take down the rapier ruins
- Volunteers can earn us points towards the volunteer war point.
- Don't forget the scroll blank competition looks for numbers, not
- excellence
- Their Excellencies still have favors.
- Their Excellencies need retainers
- Heraldic spiff for procession; also trumpets and drums Mistress Blitha is organizing Saturday dinner for \$5.

Holiday Faire Esperanza has received more merchant inquiries Marcolo shared staff assignments:

- Gustav is MIC
- Dante is rapier marshal
- Gjiskijn and Mors may be archery marshals
- looking for someone the do thrown weapons and armored combat
- Siegfried is running youth armor
- Catherine is MoL Blitha is chiurgeon
- May need a different herald as Bertran may be overseas
- Josza is field steward, depending on when Bertran gets back
 Need to find out who is troll. (Found out at Metalsmiths that Miriel is troll.)
 Need to confirm whether A.I. or Sudentorre is doing lunch.

30 Year

- Two site visits have been made
- The site representative was not very excited about Artisan's Row after all.
- Still need to talk to Kingdom media person
- Need to contact the KMOAS for guild deputies

Pennsic

- Everything worked out well.
- \$72.08 was left over from camp fees

- Thank you to Bubba and Erich for help.
- Need a camp steward for next year.

Baronial Birthday 2011

- June 18, 2011
- if you want to autocrat, let someone know.

KASF

Ponte Alto would like to use Prince William Fairgrounds for their bid

Chalice of the Sun God

Their Excellencies would like to pull together one or more teams. Let them know if you want to be on a team.

Old business

table the table discussion Catching up with Abhainin larthiar

- Lady Alienor is a regional Equestrian marshal
- Lady Alienor cannot do the Holiday Faire lunch

Catching up with Sudentorre

- Dog mart demo October 2, 2010
- Newcomers meet and greet October 5th
 DtG autocrat selected and budget approved

Baronial Term of Service

- With the change is service, Their Excellencies need to once again consider whether or not they want to stay on.
- Please send feedback

Meeting closed at 8:45 pm when they kicked us out of the library

Business Meeting, October

Minutes from 10/06/10 Baronial Business Meeting

Open Offices

- Barony is still Looking for a Minister of Minors.
- Barony is looking for a new Chronicler. Elizabeth of Hadley Hall is needing to step down from the position.
- Need following deputy positions filled; Seneschal, Herald, Knight Marshal, Minister of the list, Chatelaine.

Metal and Glass Symposium IX

- Recap of event by autocrat. Very positive reviews.
- A request was made after the event by the Pearl Guild for pictures of the event. Gustav the autocrat will check with lady Appelonia who was seen taking lots of detailed photos.
- Final budget not yet in.

*WoW * Baroness Rhonwen addressed last minute prep for Baronial encampment. Including location on site and how tents to be organized

- Went over event schedule including court times.
- Her Excellency asked for retainer volunteers in 2 hour shifts starting at 9.
- \$151.00 raised so far from cookbook sales to got to party Saturday night. Asked for food donations for party.
- Need volunteer to coordinate set up for party.
- Will need help with setup and breakdown of encampment.
- Request made for camp expenses to include firewood and poles for sheet walls. Financial committee voted expenses not to exceed \$100.00. Seneschal, Exchecker, Webminister, Kinght Marshal, MoAS, MoL all present. Non officer member of financial committee to be checked with as she had to be at work and could not attend meeting.
- Discussed gift baskets. Their Excellencies supply is getting low.

Need supplies; buttons, soap, gas cards, fabric, trim, beads, ect.

*Holiday Faire *

- Discussed need for Herald volunteers. Lord Bertrand may have a work conflict so a backup is needed.
- Discussed arrival time for autocrat.
- Her Majesty of Atlantia will be present with 2 retainers. No room for merchants in other building. Will be both Baronial and Royal courts. Plan to start at 5pm or later. last year merchants were unhappy with early court time that cut into their sales and the time they paid for. Expect court to take from 1 to 1.5 hours
- Fake fireplace needs to be brought from House Wolfhou.
 Master Richard would like someone to volunteer for running silent auction.

30 Year Celebration

- Artisan's row is no longer required to be outside event per the site owners representative. Formerly it had to be outside the gate so that mundanes could appreciate the arts and crafts and get tours of the event by SCA members. This is no longer needed. However we have received volunteers and notes of interest in helping with artisan's row from most of the Atlantian chapters. Artisan's row will still happen with a group effort from the entire kingdom but inside the event near the other A&S

activities.

The Guilds of Atlantia were contacted for assistance with the A&S Competition ideas discussed at the last 2 Baronial Business meetings. Only Lady Alessandra di Venizia from the Saint Anne's Guild of Clothiers responded to our request. All of the other guilds and orders have been silent. We may need to discuss a different option if we cannot get support in the previous idea

- The autocrat asked the MoAS to contact the KMoAS one more time and report back before the next meeting

- UPDATE: MoAS sent request for input from KMoAS on 10/09/10 asking for input and the name of her deputy in charge of the guilds. Baronial deputy MoAS Lady Amie Sparrow responded to discussion on the officer's list. She provided the information that the Kingdom deputy in charge of coordinating with the guilds is Lady Alessandra di Venizia who has already responded to us from her own guild. The MoAS will contact her in hopes of getting the other guilds and orders involved in the 30 year A&S competition

- Quilt Project discussed. Design drawn up by Vicountess Catherine and submitted for approval with unanimous agreement.

- All other site and event details are moving forward on schedule for this event in September 2011.

Baronial Birthday 2011

- We still don not have an autocrat looking for volunteer.
- Vote was taken and decided we need to get PW fairground and 1 small building. If Autocrat prefers different site they can make changes later.
- Seneschal Lady Esperanza will call Keith at the site.
- Once site is secured we will spike June 18 2011.

*Chalice of the Sun God³

We still do not have one single full team by the Barony. As defending champions Her Excellency would like to see us hold this title

Table discussion : Again tabled till Spring or at least till after Holiday Faire.

Canton Updates

- The Seneschal for the *Canton of Sudentorre* was present at meeting. Per Lord Siegfried at the last Canton meeting they discussed the fundraiser at Holiday Faire and the site and Budget for Defending the Gate on March 25th. Had a successful newcomer's meeting Tuesday Oct 5th. - Her Excellency attended the *Canton of Abhainn larthair*'s business meeting via teleconference. Parks department demo on hold till June 2012. We will know for sure by December. The April 30 Apple Blossom parade is a go.

Minutes taken by Marcolo

Upcoming Events

Metalsmiths' Symposium IX

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Sept 24-26, 2010

The Barony of Stierbach and the Kingdom of Atlantia welcome all interested in learning about metal, glass, and other related arts to Metalsmiths' Symposium IX on Sept 24-26, 2010 at the Prince William County Fairgrounds in Prince William, VA

This weekend long event is dedicated to teach people from the beginner to the advanced student wanting to learn all types of metal and earthen pursuits including casting, jewelry, forging, glasswork, metalwork, pottery, dyeing, chandling, and anything that is fire-friendly. Please visit the official MSS website for tips on attending and what to expect http://ekmg.eastkingdom.org/mss/.

All classes will be considered for Atlantia University credit. To sign up as a teacher, click the Teacher Form link to the left. or click here

For those wishing to fight either heavy or rapier, we plan to run a bear pit tourney and have training sessions on Sat

Site will open at 5 pm Friday and close at 2 pm Sunday.

Cost

Adult, Member: \$20.00, includes dayboard on Saturday Adult, Non-Member: \$25.00, includes dayboard on Saturday Youth (6-17): \$10.00

Child (0-5): \$0.00

Note: Children are welcome to attend the event; however, they must be supervised by an adult at all times. There will be no children's activities at this event.

Feast (Saturday): \$6.00 pre-registration required, limited to 75 people

Lodging:

- On site tent camping: \$10 for the weekend.
- RV hook-ups: \$25 per day.
 A listing of local hotels will be provided on the event website. (coming soon)

Make Checks Payable To: SCA Inc., Barony of Stierbach. ACCEPS is now up. Go to: http://acceps.ansteorra.org/index.php and select Atlantia and Metalsmith event. Please forward a copy of your ACCEPS confimation email to exchequer(at)stierbach.org

Site: Prince William County Fairgrounds, 10624 Dumfries Rd, Manassas, VA 20112. Site opens at 5 pm Friday and closes at 2 pm Sunday.

Site Restrictions: No alcohol, No ground fires

Reservations: Ceridwen ferch Rhys ap Michael (Lisa Mitchell), 13813 Rainer CT, Woodbridge VA 22193, email: exchequer(AT)stierbach.org

Autocrat: Gustav von Silberwald (Peter Topkis). 204 Lancaster Gate Dr, Midlothian, VA 23113. Phone: (804) 690-9693. Email: gustavvs(AT)yahoo.com

Directions: Prince William Fairgrounds, 10624 Dumfries Road Manassas, VA 20110

From Washington, DC and Points North:

Take 1-395 south to 1-495 north; Follow II-495 north to 1-66 west; Follow I-66 west to Virginia Route 234 south (Bypass), exit 44; Follow Virginia Route 234 south (bypass) to the 6th traffic light (Business 234), turn left; Proceed approximately 1 mile to the Fair Grounds entrance on the left.

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Barony of Stierbach Regularly Scheduled Activities

Meetings

Baronial Business Meeting Meets: First Wednesday of the month. Starts at 7:00 p.m. Location: Manassas Central Library.

Contact the seneschal(at)stierbach.org for more information. DIRECTIONS

Newcomers Meetings

New to the Barony? We have some meetings and activities to help introduce you to the SCA. See the Newcomers Page, or contact chatelaine(at)stierbach.org for more information

Practices

Heavy & Fencing

Indoor year round Heavy and Rapier fighter practice in the Manassas area: The Prince William Fencing Academy has offered us space at their gym for practice. Tuesday evenings from 7-9 pm at the Prince William Fencing Academy 8440 Kao Circle Manassas. It is just down the street from the library where the business meetings are held.

This is the largest permanent Olympic style fencing gym in Virginia. That being said there are some specific rules that will need to be followed so that we don't break their equipment:

- To protect the metal floors no going to your knees for either heavy or rapier.
 Lanyards will need to be worn with rattan weapons. This will ensure no flying weapons since there will be non-armored combatants in the area as well as a wall of mirrors on one side and 2 scoring machines we don't want to replace.
- No great weapons again to protect the scoring equipment.
- There is an annual site waiver you will need to sign from the facility to practice.
- There is a floor fee of \$5 a fighter.
- No street shoes or boots. Sneakers with non-marking soles only.

Please contact knight-marshal(at)stierbach.org for more information on heavy weapons and fencing practices.

Archery

Meets: Mondays Location: 22025 Evergreen Mills Road, Leesburg, VA 20175. 4:30 - 7:00, Look for us behind the barn. \$3 per person or \$40 annual membership Contact archery-marshal(at)stierbach.org for more information on baronial archery practices.

Workshops

Bardic Circle

Come and share your songs and stories Meets: Fourth Friday of the month, 7:30 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. Contact: darbyjanie(at)hotmail.com DIRECTIONS

Baronial Activity Night

Contact: seneschal(at)stierbach.org

Blacksmithing Learn the art of knife and sword making. Meets: As announced. Contact: ayen(at)radioactive.org DIRECTIONS

Cooks Guild

All are invited to bring your favorite cookbooks and dish with us **Meets:** Second Wednesday of the month Contact: kristiwhykelly(at)aol.com

Dance Night

Instruction on English Country dances shall be provided. Partners not required Meets: as announced - more info Contact: ryansnead(at)adelphia.net

Glass Guild

Our members mainly work with lampworking (torchwork). We have extra torches and supplies for those who would like to learn or those who do not have their own setup yet but would like to play. If you want to do stain glass you must let us know ahead of time Meets: First Monday of the month in Sterling, Third Wednesday of the month in Manassas Contact: kristiwhykelly(at)aol.com

Heraldic Commenting Sessions

Commenting sessions for the College of Arms of Atlantia. This is the very best way for people to learn book heraldry. Commentary alone can be a chore, but in a group it is a social function and a learning experience combined. **Meets:** Second and Third Wednesday of the month. 267 Deacon Rd.. Fredericksburg VA 22405.

Open House - Purcellville

For those who would like to hangout and maybe do some archery on the side. We have a room for sewing with several machines for people to use. The lampworking workshop will be open for anyone who would like to try their hand at making beads. The dining room is there for those who would like to run a game or two.

We have small pool for the kids, or very sweaty adults to cool off. And a basement to lock the kids away...;)

So, we have lots of stuff to do, and some of it might even have something to do with the SCA! Come on out to join us... and do archery, too. Meets: Every Sunday 2 - 7 Contact: kristiwhykelly(at)aol.com

Open House - Sterling

Viscount Eldrid and Mistress Sofia would like to introduce themselves and welcome everyone in the surrounding area to their house in Sterling VA

All are invited to come and discuss, teach and work on any and all aspects of the SCA. We have room and tools in our home to work on many projects including but not restricted to costuming, leather working, armoring, calligraphy & illumination, and Dance.

The address is: 1010 South Buckingham Rd, Sterling, VA. 20164 Meets: Every Friday 4 - 9 Website: http://viscounteldrid.com/SCA/monday.htm Contact: eldrid(at)viscounteldrid.com

Interbaronial Fight Practice Meets: On hold until the new year Contact: pjdarby(at)erols.com

Leatherworking - Manassas

Learn the art of leathercrafting Meets: Fourth Thursday of the month. Starts at 7:00 p.m. Contact: pjdarby(at)erols.com

Leatherworking - Sterling

Learn the art of leathercrafting Meets: Second Thursday of the month. Starts at 7:00 p.m. Contact: enequy(at)comcast.net

Scribal & Illumination

Meets: Every Tuesday except first Tuesday of the month. Starts at 6:00 p.m. Contact: enequy(at)comcast.net DIRECTIONS

Abhainn Iarthair Activities Schedule

Sudentorre Activities Schedule

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