**Baronial Business Meeting**

**May 2, 2019**

*Officer reports are verbatim, meeting notes are paraphrased.*

**Baron and Baroness**

*From the meeting:*

Board recommendations

Not sure what events they can make because will be having shoulder surgery, which will limit SCA camping participation this season. Will be at Maypole and Junefaire, but don’t know after that.

**OFFICER REPORTS**

**Seneschal**

**THL Ciar ingen Fiachnae**

Greetings Mighty Barony!

It has been great to see the many returning faces as the days grow longer as the light has returned.

As we approach summer we have our annual business meeting shuffle for June Faire and An Tir/West War.

JUNE BUSINESS MEETING will be on Thursday May 30th - the Cub Scouts will be using the field

JULY BUSINESS MEETING will be on Thursday July 11th - there is a fly fishing group and we will either shuffle rooms around or use the field and hangout in the evening sun. I'll announce once I confirm.

NEWCOMER'S NIGHT is on Tuesday, June 11th! We will have many new faces interested in all sorts of SCA related things. Tables will be available in the hall, the fields will be in use, and the parking spaces at a premium. IF YOU ARE PHYSICALLY ABLE please park across the street to allow more space for those in need of a little assistance as well as those who are new and just figuring out where we are! If you would like to demo or have a table, please get in contact with Lady Isemay at DragonsLaire.Chatelaine@antir.org

EVENTS! 'Tis time to bid! There are rumors of bids for a Baronial Picnic, Yule, and Candlemas but nothing has actually been bid yet so all things are open. Considering June Faire 2020? Bids are due by October ;)

Social and me! I got a job (yay!) which may mean that I am late to unlocking doors for Social. I have spoken with a few people who already have keys and will be starting a 'touching base' group to make sure someone is available to unlock weekly. Additionally, the Hall has agreed to give us some cabinet space so we can have some of our hospitality setup stored on-site! I'll be recruiting a few people to help make sure that gets setup on a regular basis, especially after June Faire. If you are interested in helping with either unlocking or hospitality you can speak with me at Social or send an email to DragonsLaire.Seneschal@antir.org

I hope everyone is enjoying spring and is looking forward to June Faire!

Ciar ingen Fiachnae

Seneschal

**Marshallate**

**Baronial**

**Lord Stuart of House Awry**

Greetings mighty barony,

Another month has come and gone and our warriors are starting to gather in droves now that Baroness War has come and gone, now we prep for our home event June Faire, coming up in a scant few weeks, so make yourselves ready to put on a show for our modern guests.

My time as marshal is fast approaching it's end, and I am seeking a replacement, so if you are (or want to become) a heavy combat marshal, attend our weekly fight practice with regularity, enjoy helping potential new fighters kit up for the first time with loaner gear, and don't mind doing a minimal amount of paperwork please contact me and I can show you what needs to be done.

YIS, Stuart of House Awry, Baronial Marshal

**Rapier**

No separate report at this time.

**Archer**

**Lady Artunis of Dragon’s Laire**

Greetings Dragon's Laire,

Archery continues uninterrupted into May, with plentiful attendance every week. We've even got a few new regulars at practice, so welcome to the new archers.

Attendance has grown as the weather has warmed and I hope it will continue to do so. As always, everyone is welcome to come shoot with us; practice remains 5:30-7:30 p.m. on Wednesdays at the VFW.

YIS,

Lady Artunis of Dragon's Laire, Chief Archer of Dragon's Laire

Arcuarius and man-at-arms to Sir Andras Truemark, OGGS

**Thrown Weapons**

**Telamon**

No separate report at this time.

**Siege**

No separate report at this time.

**Equestrian**

On hiatus. No separate report at this time.

**Arts & Sciences**

**Murakami Tsuruko-Sensei**

Greetings all,

My apologies, I’m still recovering from the Norwescon plague so will not be attending the business meeting.

Huzzah to the Culinary/Spiritmakers Guild for their demo at Embers & Ambrosia, which I hear went very well. They are also planning to demo at Maypole in Druim Doinnean.

June Faire is coming and once again we’ll have the Artisan’s Village with A&S activities and bardic performances.

With tourney season upon us we’ll continue to have classes at fight practice but not as often. So far the class schedule for the next month is:

May 7th – Nalbinding with Her Excellency Eilidh

Our Gamesminister, Lady Chyrsalis usually holds gaming sessions at weekly fighter practice. Please contact her if you are interested in period games.

If you would like to teach a class or have a topic you’d like to see taught please get in touch with me or one of my deputies Countess Elisabeth or Dame Gwen.

YIS,

Murakami Tsuruko

**Chronicler**

**THL Sayako Enoki**

No separate report at this time.

**Herald/Golden Dragon Pursuivant**

**Countess Elisabeth de Rossignol**

No separate report at this time.

**Chatelaine**

**Isemy MaKenze**

Will be back before social. Need volunteers for Junefaire and for BS demo in July (20 or 21) – will confirm.

**Exchequer**

**Master Arontius of Bygelswade**

Checking: $41490.30

Savings: $24290.22

CD: $10056.39

May 28 is a training day for Gate (forms, regular issues, record keeping, dry run for process), and then one on June 1 if necessary. We have new forms this year.

Need help at Junefaire. Arontius’ deputy will not be at Junefaire, needs assistance counting money and couriering to the bank.

**Steward**

**THL Kloe of Thira**

No separate report at this time.

**Gamesmistress**

**Chrysallis**

No separate report at this time.

**Lists**

***Position open***

No separate report at this time.

**Webminister**

**Máenach na Cailled**

Hosting space is under his control, has WordPress installed on it. Preview available after Junefaire, maybe after newcomer’s night. Have some sticking points.

Emails going to spam. No solution yet. Please let know if there is anything for the calendar.

**Social media**

**Kosem of House Awry**

No separate report at this time.

**YACs**

***Position open***

No separate report at this time.

**Scribe**

**Rhiannon of EaglesFlight**

Gentles All:

Nothing to report for this month. Prepping for June Faire awards and the Scribal display. Last chance for submitting recommendations for awards!

YIS,

Rhiannon of EaglesFlight

Baronial Scribe

**Librarian**

**Lady Ela Pennayth y Ynis Dewi**

No separate report at this time.

**YAFA**

No separate report at this time.

**GUILDS**

**Bardic**

No separate report at this time.

**Culinary & Spiritmakers**

**THL Ciar ingen Fiachnae**

Greetings Good Barony!

The Culinary & Spirit-makers Guild has been cooking!

We had a nice gathering at THL Kloe's and made "Ostrick Ragout" from Patrick Faas' book on the 'Roman Table' (using chicken) which was quite tasty.

We will be heading northwest to our neighbors for a culinary demo at Maypole on May 4th.

Our next guild gathering will be on Thursday, May 23rd to finalize June Faire plans and figure out who is representing for Newcomers' Night.

Ciar ingen Fiachnae

Guild Mistress

[DragonsLaire.Culinary@antir.org](mailto:DragonsLaire.Culinary@antir.org)

**Costumers**

**THL Jess of the Roving Irishmen**

No separate report at this time.

**Scribal**

**Maitre Renart le Fox de Berwyk**

Greetings unto all in attendance!

The Scribal Guild has been keeping busy as we have time. The last few months have been busy for all of us. We shall be gathering again this coming weekend on the 5th for some focused work on calligraphy and finishing up other projects. We will be having a guest from across the pond join us this weekend, HL Alicia duBois her hand creates some of the most beautiful calligraphy I have ever seen.

If you have interest in the Scribal Arts please get in touch with me (renartlefox@gmail.com) and I will get you involved with the group. We have loaner gear for use at the meetings and HL Rhiannon (Baronial Scribe) is happy to work with you at social.

Renart

**Textiles**

**DRAGON’S LAIRE EVENTS**

**Candlemas (February)**

***Baronial Championships for Arts & Sciences, Scholars, and Bardic***

Nothing to report.

**Junefaire (First Weekend of June)**

*Annual Flagship Event, Open to the Public*

**Event Steward: Maitre Renart le Fox de Berwyk**

Unto Their Excellencies Conchobar and Eilidh, the financial committee and the populace of the Barony of Dragon’s Laire. Just about 35 days until June Faire! Are you excited?

Team Meetings have been happening monthly and at socials as needed.

Public meeting will take place on Tuesday the 14th of May at social/fighter practice.

If you would like to offer and hour or two to volunteer for the event, please speak with HL Kösem, many hands make like work and your help in this matter is greatly appreciated. Anyone needing volunteers, equipment etc needs to touch base ASAP. Please prereg especially if you’d like to hold land.

Things are coming together, the schedule is filling out and the members of the team are as always proving to be outstanding. Here is a list of the current event team for June Faire 2019!

Event Coordinator – Maitre Renart le fox de berwyk

Event Coordinator – Ciar ingen Fiachnae

Site Coordinator – Master Arontius of Bygelswade

SCA Coordinator – HL Kloe of Thira

Advertising Coordinator – HL Kösem of House Awry

Decorations Coordinator – HL Richard the Handsome

Continuity – Murakami Tsuruko Sensai

Royal Liaison – Furia Dammita (Dammit)

Golf Cart Coordinator – HL Marcel Boutet

Coordinator of Schedules – HL Kösem of House Awry

Baronial Herald – Countess Elisabeth

Schedules – HL Kösem of House Awry

Volunteer Coordinator – HL Kösem of House Awry

Co or Deputy Volunteer Coordinator – HL Conrad Ross

Assistant to the Volunteer Coordinator – HL Ciar ingen Fiachnae

Prize Coordinator – HE Eilidh Clough

Modern Volunteer Coordinator – HL Sayako Enoki

Pre-Registration – HL Kloe of Thira

SCA Gate – HL Jess of the Roving Irishmen

Modern Gate – HL Jess of the Roving Irishmen

Chatelaine – Lady Isemay MaKenze

Traffic and Parking: C.E.R.T. – HL Sayako Enoki

Sherrifs Cadets (overseen by C.E.R.T.)

Boyscouts (overseen by C.E.R.T.)

Merchant Coordinator Magister Arion the Wanderer

Camp Liason Lord Justin of House Awry

RV Liason HL Barnet Acelin

A&S Liason – Sensei Tsuruko

Deputy A&S Liaison – Dame Gwen the Potter

Family Activities – HL Bera Skalla Hrafnsdottir

Master Waterbearer – Roheis de Camberone

M.I.C. – Sir Andras Truemark

M.I.C. – Sir Cedric Wlfraven

Lists – HL Lui Xian

Equestrian Activites

M.I.C – HL Ulrich Hellelicht

Joust Coordinator – Sir Rapheal the Rogue

Seneshal – Ciar ingen Fiachnae

Exchequer – Master Arontius of Bygelswade

Webminister – Lord Máenach

**Last Chance (September/October)**

*Baronial Martial Championships*

Nothing to report.

**Arts & Sciences Day Camp (Autumn)**

**Event Steward: Dame Gwen the Potter**

Nothing to report.

**Yule (December)**

*Annual Baronial Feast*

**Event Steward: Jess**

Our saviors Lutheran, 6th & Venetta

80 for feast, can have about 100

$10 feast fee

Kitchen and dishwashing facilities, as of Q&S daycamp, the dishwasher was not functioning and there was plumbing work underway. Should be done by yule

Site fee is $15, feast fee is $10

Estimate $800 for food, plus decorations, plus rental estimate = $1400

Need servers, Arion will organize.

Bid approved

**PROPOSALS, OTHER, and Oh-By-The-Way’s**

**Proposals**

**Proposal for the Financial Committee**

HsE requests $300 for new champion’s sword. Migration period sword plus scabbard. Retails for $500. Black and red wood, gold/brass hilt and pommel. Very nice.

Approved.

Bid for $400 for supplies to finish the dining fly – Kloe

Stakes, rope, rods, plus overage for widgets for ropes.

Approved.

**Oh-by-the-Way’s**

Arion – oofda poufda – the woman who wants it for their barony has no teamster for the logistics. It’s not a period pavilion or a panther, metal poles, and plasticky material. The receiving barony is struggling to receive it.

**Open Officer Positions**

*Youth Armored Combat (YACs)\** – this position requires a background check.

*\* Positions that work with youth must meet additional requirements, including a background check and additional supervision. Adult participation in youth activities must meet the “Two Deep” rule, meaning that two adults must be present for youth activities. The second adult need not participate, but instead may simply be present, and must not be of the same household as the first adult, nor be the parent of the child. For more information on youth requirements, please contact the Seneschal.*