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Barony of Thescorre Business Meeting Notes

from July 16, 2019
By Mistress Matilda Bosvyle

Seneschal:

Matilda plans to step down as Seneschal at the end of year. Applications to be the next Seneschal should be sent Matilda. You must be at least 18 and a paid member of the SCA, communication & organizational skills are a plus! The Barony will choose the next Seneschal at the September business meeting.

Alina would also like to step down as Exchequer at some point. We are asking for 1-2 more people to volunteer to *train* to become warranted Exchequers (in addition to Andy & Dubheasa-who cannot do it until after she steps down as Baroness). Please see Alina with questions. You must be at least 18 and a paid member of the SCA, no accounting experience required but knowing how to use a calculator or adding machine a plus.

Spring Crown Tourney 2020 (1st or 2nd Saturday in May) will be in Region 4 –bids are due to the Kingdom by October 1st. If you are interested in putting a bid together, it must be presented & approved by the Barony no later than the September meeting.

Exchequer:

Checking: \$7222.78 Savings: \$4052.58

As of 6/30 the Barony had a profit of 1195.60, plus Pax Interruptus had a profit of \$589.16

Last Event Wrap up:

Pax Interruptus (theme: The Good Olde Days) July 5-7th, 2019 at Genesee Country Camp-ground, Event Steward: Marguerite de Neutchasteau, Tollner: Matilda Bosvyle, Lunch Cook: Andrew of Thescorre, Marshall in Charge: Corbinus de Cuvis, Archery Marshal: Gwen Cook. Attendees: 215 (195 adults, 20 youth). Profit \$589.16. Marguerite & Corbin had to leave site due to medical emergency, Matilda became the default event steward, with assistance from Nez who remained on site overnight and led cleanup efforts Sunday. Site owners were very happy with everything.

Marguerite has stated she will not be the Steward next year, but that we should settle the date and reserve all six cabins and hall for next year ASAP. Nez offered to put the reservation in her name, but will not be event steward. Barony agreed that June 26-28, 2020 would be best as the campground has their own activities on July 4th weekend, and the kitchen tent/set up would not be available July 10-12th.

Event Bid:

College of Three Ravens “Viking Invasion”

Proposed date February 22nd, 2020. Site: St Paul’s Lutheran Church & School, Hilton. Steward: Gwen Cooke & Torbjorn Sigardson, Lunch cooks: Drucilla & Lasairfhionia, Feast cook: Peter of Thescorre, Tollner: Matilda Bosvyle, Dean of Classes: Nicole du Marais, , Rattan Class Coordinator: Corbinus du Cuviss, Rapier Class Coordinator: Diego Miguel Munoz de Cadilla, A&S coordinator: Torbjorn Sigardson, Children’s Activities: Roberta McMorland, Merchant Liason: Thorstein inn Fagri. Fee structure: Adult Event \$17, Adult Member Event \$12, Youth Event \$6, Feast \$8.

Friday night set up, Site opens Saturday 9am, classes 10-4pm, court 5pm, feast 6:30p, site closes 10pm. 11 class rooms plus the gym for rattan/fencing/ youth combat. 2 conference rooms, 2 locker rooms, Kitchen, hall, etc. Handicap accessible, no alcohol or open flames permitted.

Bid approved by the Barony.

Next Market Day:

Saturday September 14 at Richard’s Castle will feature a Heavy Weapon Prize Tourney, and bench construction workshop with Otelia. More plans to be finalized after Pennsic. Bring a dish to share for our picnic lunch.

Officer Reports:

Heavy Weapons: practice Thursdays starting 7pm at Highland Park (unless it rains ,then at Red Shield Hall) getting 5-8 people.

Youth Combat: weekly as of June 6, Thursdays runs 6-7p at Highland Park (unless it rains, then at Red Shield Hall, 2-5 fighters –Andy traveled to the Hael & Hartstone to run practice, also headed to Delftwood. Is in talks with the folks who run the Corn Maze Battle in the fall.

Fencing: practice Mondays at Highland Park (unless it rains ,then at Red Shield Hall) starting 7pm, -no practice Memorial Day.

Archery: Sundays noon-3pm at the Castle attended by 4-7 archers weekly, weather permitting. New loaner arrows being used.

Thrown Weapons: watch the email list for updates for East Side practice Sundays 2:30p to 4:30p at Athos's house, usually 6-8 throwers, sometimes followed by free-range bocci. West Side practice at the castle noon-3pm, attended by 4-6 throwers weekly.

Minister of Lists: Pax had 15 fighters, 12 participated in Hrothgar's Prize Tournament; the fencers were rained out and decided to just chat.

Persuivant: Eric heralded Baronial court at Pax, court report done. Working on 3 submissions –names and heraldry, and another in research phase. More heraldry business after PAX, if you are interested in becoming a deputy herald and learn about the submission process, please see Andy.

Arts & Science: We had an A&S competition at Pax, Boudicea won Populace Choice and Gwen Cook is now A&S champion. Abigail Kellogg received a writ to contemplate elevation to the Order of the Laurel.

The September market day at the castle will include a work party to make 8 benches. Materials required: 8 8' 2x10's, slight bow and some knots acceptable, twist totally unacceptable. 4 8' 2x6's as above.

It would be useful if someone with a truck or van volunteered to do the shopping which is beyond my Honda FIT.

Tools to bring: at least one circular saw, at least one, several handy, saber saws (the kind that take a ~.25" by 4" blade), bigger bladed saws that can make a straight cut (not sure the names, but bigger versions of a saber saw) also welcome but can't easily cut the mortices (8 per bench). .5" drill bits able to go through 1.5" 2x's and associated drills, a few pipe clamps might be handy, along with extension cords. a couple 12" sliding layout squares. A willing learn-something attitude.

Steward: we have stuff, it lives in Stephan's basement, except that it is exploding into other space, and needs sorting, inventory. Cook's guild will make a plan to do that in the fall.

Chatelaine: Not to much happening. I still have some feast gear gifts for new people, The office has given a few to new folks that were at Champs. I did some chatelaine work on the way to the ER from the PAX site. (didn't have any cards with me) The EMTs and ER staff seemed to be interested. I will be stepping down from the Chatelaine at C3R (2020) so anyone who is interested please apply and if they have any questions please find me and we can chat.

Gold Key: 9 boxes & baskets of clothes & feast gear, lives in Katja's garage, 1 tunic borrowed for Pax, everything returned.

Chronicler: Fewmet is coming out monthly, need recent court reports.

Web Minister: Quarterly report done, updates up on the page. Please send content! Would like to see the various practices and group pages fleshed out a bit. If you have content to go up on the site an email to the web minister is preferred, as short turn around on time sensitive updates is challenging.

Baron & Baroness:

Many Thescorrians were recognized in Court at Pax, War tokens were distributed. We received a nice thank you card from their Highnesses, who enjoyed Pax inspite of the rain. Dubheasa is co-running the Aethelmearc Kingdom Hospitality table at Pennsic and needs volunteers. There will be no gate guarding this year as Their Majesties wish to create a more welcoming camp with lower walls in the public area.

There are 19 people pre-registered to camp with the Barony at Pennsic, Otelia is our land agent. There will be a white board in camp with our schedule. Please join us for the Opening Ceremony procession Saturday Evening, Baronial cocktail hour and Court will be Monday of War week 6pm.

After Pennsic we expect to attend Summer's End, Seven Pearls/Shoot in the Wildewood, and Coronation.

Baronial Champs Court Report

An account of the court of Elsjarn and Dubheasa, Baron and Baroness of Thescorre, and Padraig and Julianna, Baron and Baroness of the Rhydderich Hael in the Kingdom of Aethelmearc. Held at Baronial Champs on the 25th day of May, Anno Sociotatus 54 in the Barony of Thescorre reported by Lord Andrew of Thescorre, Ravens Tongue Pursuivant and THL Zofia Kowalewska, Ice Dragon Pursuivant and White Horn Herald.

Morning court was opened and their Excellencies welcome all for attending.

Their Excellencies explained the responsibilities and expectations of their Baronial champions.

It was then announced that the Archery competition would be delayed due to weather.

With that court was suspended until the evening.

In the evening their Excellencies reopened their court and called before them the autocrat's of the event, Lady Nicole du Marais and Baroness Ekaterina Volkova. Their Excellencies thanked them for holding a wonderful and only slightly damp event and gave them leave to conduct their business. The Autocrat's called forth members of Three Swans, members of the Aardvarks, and all of the Marshals and Coordinators and thanked them for their service.

Their Excellencies then called forth their Archery champion, Lord Andrew of Thescorre, thanked him for his service and relieved him of his regalia. They then called forth their new champion, Amelot Noisete. Scroll by Lady Nikki du Marais, words by Baroness Daedez, calligraphy by Micro of Soft.

Their Excellencies then called forth their Privateer for Archery. Katrina Prebensdottir was named archery privateer. Scroll by Gwen Cooke, words by Baroness Daedez, calligraphy by Micro of Soft.

Their Excellencies called forth their Arts and Science champion, Torbjörn Sigurdson. They thanked him for his service and asked that he remain in service for a short time longer, as the rains had delayed his potential successor. A new Arts and Science champion would be decided at a later date.

There was, however a Privateer selected from the Arts and Science competition. Katrina Prebensdottir was called before their Excellencies for creating wonderful handcrafted buckets. Scroll by Gwen Cooke, words by Baroness Daedez, calligraphy by Micro of Soft.

Boudica of Thescorre was called before their Excellencies. Boudica was thanked for their tireless service as Bardic champion and relieved of the regalia. Emily if Thescorre was then called forth as the new Bardic champion. Scroll by Lady Nikki du Marais, words by Baroness Daedez, calligraphy by Micro of Soft.

Their Excellencies then requested the presence of Lord Padraig Ua Ceileachair. His service as fencing champion had come to an end and their Excellencies thanked him for his service and relieved him of the regalia. They then called forth Master Eric Grenier de Lebarre, as new fencing Champion. Scroll by Lady Nikki du Marais, words by Baroness Daedez, calligraphy by Micro of Soft.

Their Excellencies called for Master Benedict Fergus atte Mede. His fencing prowess had not gone unnoticed and their Excellencies would make him their Privateer. Scroll by Gwen Cooke, words by Baroness Daedez, calligraphy by Micro of Soft.

Sir Aquila de Athos was called before their Excellencies. He returned the regalia of heavy weapons champion and was thanked for his service. Angus the Bull was called before their Excellencies to stand as their Heavy weapons champion. Scroll by Lady Nikki du Marais, words by Baroness Daedez, calligraphy by Micro of Soft.

As he was leaving the presence of their Excellencies of the Rhydderich Hael, their Excellencies of Thescorre also requested the presence of Davin and inquired as to his possible assistance as a privateer for the barony. Agreements were made and so it was done. Scroll by Gwen Cooke, words by Baroness Daedez, calligraphy by Micro of Soft.

Their Excellencies called for their Thrown Weapons champion. As he was unable to attend court, his regalia was presented to their Excellencies and his successor, Torbjörn Sigurdson, was called before them. Scroll by Lady Nikki du Marais, words by Baroness Daedez, calligraphy by Micro of Soft.

See that great prowess is recognized, their Excellencies called forth John Spooner and made him their Thrown Weapons Privateer. Scroll by Gwen Cooke, words by Baroness Daedez, calligraphy by Micro of Soft.

Their Excellencies then called forth all of the youth that had competed in the youth tournament. Their Excellencies gifted all of the youth with some coins as a token of their appreciation. While the competition was close, Eli was victorious and named their youth champion. Scroll by Lady Nikki du Marais, words by Baroness Daedez, calligraphy by Micro of Soft.

While all the youth were assembled, their Excellencies wished to recognized one who had traveled far to participate in the tournament and who fought well. This they named, Lilly Weaver as their youth Privateer. Scroll by Gwen Cooke, words by Baroness Daedez, calligraphy by Micro of Soft.

Her Excellency was impressed by the skill and zeal with which all of the youth participated but their was one who seemed to be have the most fun and thus, Hjortr Sigvaldason was named Baroness's inspiration. Scroll by Lady Murdia Drusilla Vettia Portia, wording and calligraphy by Baron Eldjarn.

His Excellency was also suitably impressed by the chivalry and honor with which the youth carried themselves. One was such an example as he, Robert, was named Barons choice. Scroll by Gwen Cooke, wording and calligraphy by Baron Eldjarn.

Their Excellencies realized that there was some business that needed to be delt with and called forth the Order of the Broche. Once assembled, the order was asked if it was still their wish to add to their numbers. They did and Thus Dehka the dancer was called before their Excellencies and made a companion of the Order of the Broche for her skills in dancing and "Dehka-rating" the world around her. Scroll by Gwen Cooke, wording and calligraphy by Baroness Dubheasa and Baron Eldjarn.

It was brought to the attention of their Excellencies that there were two unfinished scrolls that need to be addressed. Thus the Order of the Raven's feather, was called before them. They were asked if there were two individuals who were not present with the order that could take on such a task. There were two individuals who were up to the task. Gwen Cooke and Torbjörn Sigurdson were called before the order for their tireless service and made companions of the Order of the Raven's Feather. Scrolls by Lady Murdia Drusilla Vettia Portia, wording and calligraphy by Baron Eldjarn.

Their Excellencies called forth all gentles for whom this was their first event. They thanked them for attending and gifted them with a drinking vessel.

Baroness Gina Dragonite requested a moment of the courts time and presented their Excellencies with largess that they may gift to visiting monarchs and dignitaries as they see fit. The Excellencies graciously accepted the gifs and thank her Excellency for her generosity.

Lastly their Excellencies called forth all of the members of Three Swans and the Aardvarks. They thanked them for their service over the last two years and gifted them with a year off from service.

Thus ends the court of their Excellencies, Baron Eldjarn and Baroness Dubheasa.

Pax Court Report

As recorded by
Baron Eric Grenier de Lebarre

Court Report: Evening Court of Eldjarn & Dubheasa at Pax Interruptus 6 July 2019.

Their Excellencies invited Sir Hagar to present the results of the Roadshow Tournament. Duke Sir Khalek was awarded the chest of prizes.

Their Excellencies invited Kieran and Jeff to enter court. They had provided war tokens (herbal sachets) for the Barony. These were distributed to the citizens of Thescore.

Their Excellencies invited Lord Torbjorn to present the results of the A&S competitions. Lord Boudicca of Thescore was awarded the Populace prize (scroll by Lady Muria). Captain Gwen Cook was named the A&S champion of Thescore.

Their Excellencies invited Dame Katja to step forward. They thanked her for her many services to the Barony, and awarded her a Raven's Egg.

Their Excellencies invited the assembled marshals and MITs of Thescore to step forward. They thanked them for their dedicated service and awarded them Raven's Eggs.

Their Excellencies requested Master Diego Miguel Munoz y Castilla to remain in the presences. They described his service and prowess in the arts of Fencing, and invited the Order of the Black Talon to join them, to which Order they inducted Master Diego. Scroll by Captain Gwen Cook.

Their Excellencies thanked the event staff for their service.

Barony court was closed.

Barony of Thescorre Business Meeting Notes

from Aug 20th, 2019
By Mistress Matilda Bosvyle

Seneschal:

Five newcomers were present at the meeting so we spent a fair amount of time answering questions and talking about how the SCA works.

The Barony will choose the next Seneschal at the September business meeting, we have one applicant at present.

We are still looking for 1-2 more people to volunteer to *train* to become warranted Exchequers .

Maggie would like to step down as Chatelaine in the near future, if you are interested in taking on that office please submit an application to Matilda.

Eric would like to submit a bid for Aethelmearc Spring Crown Tourney 2020 (1st or 2nd Saturday in May), he present the bid to the Barony at the September meeting for preliminary approval.

Exchequer:

Checking: \$7179.88 Savings: \$4052.92

Events:

No further Event updates at present.

Next Market Day:

Saturday September 14 at Richard's Castle will feature a Heavy Weapon Prize Tourney, bench construction workshop with Otelia, Weed Walk & Perennial plant exchange with Sadira. Bring a dish to share for our picnic lunch and a chair! We need more donations of prizes for future Prize Tourneys –valued at \$20 or more.

The following Market Day will be Sunday November 17 with an Arts & Science Prize Tourney.

Officer Reports:

Heavy Weapons: practice Thursdays starting 7pm at Highland Park (unless it rains ,then at Red Shield Hall) getting 6-8 people.

Youth Combat: weekly as of June 6, Thursdays runs 6-7p at Highland Park (unless it rains, then at Red Shield Hall, had 6 fighters last week plus one transplant from Caid, and shortly a new deputy youth marshal.

Fencing: practice Mondays at Highland Park (unless it rains ,then at Red Shield Hall) starting 7pm, -one more practice at the Park, no practice Labor Day, then will be at Red Shield until spring, as it gets dark too early to remain outdoors in the evening.

Archery: Sundays noon-3pm at the Castle - weather permitting, Corbin will be ordering some bow strings needed for loaner gear and will submit the receipt to the Barony upon receipt.

Thrown Weapons: watch the email list for updates for East Side practice Sundays 2:30p to 4:30p at Athos's house, -Athos requested \$30 for new hay bales for the range, approved by the Barony. West Side practice at the castle noon-3pm both Archery & TW practices are well attended. all three marshals on site are working well with each other and scores are being submitted after each practice for each discipline. Torbjorn is still in the process of getting some more loaner gear for thrown weapons. As per the Kingdom Thrown Weapons Marshal there are going to be changes to royal rounds we will be making new butt's for the new scoring once it has been approved by kingdom. This was discussed at Pennsic and it is in the interests of those kingdoms who attended to make thrown weapons scoring universal so all can see how they are doing.

Persuivant: Quarterly reports are done, working on name research for one person.

Arts & Science: The news for August is Pennsic! The following people taught classes: Lord T W multiple metalworking classes; Gwen Cooke an entire scribal track on whitework; Mistress Alison of the Isles applique, cording and couching; Lord Chengir abu ben Said how to write and tell a great story (2 parts), Islamic history; Mistress Sadira bint Wassouf two games to understand being an SCA cook and weedwalk; Otelia d'Alsace woodworking hand tool petting zoo and make a pair of wax tablets. Hopefully many people also took classes along with everything else. Next up is making benches at the September Market Day.

Chatelaine: At Pennsic Barony court we had two members of New Bridge let us know they were moving into Thescorre. I did not have a chance to chat with them, but we do have 2 "new" members. I will be looking to step down so if anyone is interested in being Chatelaine please apply to Mistress Matilda and if you have any questions on what this office does IM me.

Baron & Baroness: Game Days have been scheduled for October 5th and November 30th.

Upcoming Events

August, 2019

[The Seven Pearls Tournament at A Shoote in the Wyldwoode](#)

August 30 @ 5:00 pm - September 2 @ 11:00 am

September, 2019

[GS Demo](#)

September 13 @ 6:00 pm - September 15 @ 12:00 pm

[A Draw of Swords](#)

September 14 @ 10:00 am - 9:00 pm

[Coronation of Timothy and Gabrielle](#)

September 21 @ 9:00 am - 8:00 pm

[Harvest Raid XXVI](#)

September 27 @ 5:00 pm - September 29 @ 10:00 am

October, 2019

[*DATE CHANGE* 3rd Annual Northern Siege Muster](#)

October 5 @ 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

[Fall Crown Tournament](#)

October 12 @ 8:30 am - 8:00 pm

[Agincourt](#)

October 19 @ 9:00 am - 9:00 pm

[Tavern Brawl 2019](#)

October 26 @ 9:00 am - 6:00 pm

November, 2019

[Almost Annual Hallowtide](#)

November 2

[Kingdom Arts & Sciences Champions](#)

November 2 @ 8:30 am - 6:00 pm

[Reuben Giest](#)

November 2 @ 12:00 pm - November 3 @ 10:00 am

[Corn Maze](#)

November 8 @ 5:00 pm - November 10 @ 12:00 pm

[Fall Æthelmearc Academy SUGGESTED Date \(Region 1 – West Virginia\)](#)

November 9

[Fiber, Fabric, & Fighting](#)

November 22 - November 24