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Barony of Thescorre **the last (for Matilda, as Seneschal) Business Meeting Notes** **from December 16th, 2019**

By Mistress Matilda Bosvyle

Seneschal:

I'm stepping down effective Jan 1st, but all the files and the keys will be turned over to Baroness Bronwyn nic Gregor tonight. There have been many changes in the Barony during the last three years, the end of Social Meetings and the start of Market Day, Youth Combat, and the flourishing Musicians's group. Thank you's go out to everyone who has attended the Barony Business meetings, everyone who has held an office, run an events or practice; it's the core group of folks showing up month after month that keep the Barony active and on the map, and I thank them for their dedication. I trust I'm leaving things no worse off than I found them.

I passed around the tally of donations received vs. rent going out to Red Shield Hall. We came out about even last year, but are a bit behind this year by \$310 with the December donations yet to count. On average we take in \$135/month toward our \$150/month rent.

The Rhydderich Hael will be hosting out joint Baronial Champs event May 23, 2020, in Buffalo; I encourage you all to attend and ensure this event is a success for our hosts.

The Barony's Policies & Procedures have been updated and published to the web page for your reading enjoyment.

Exchequer:

Checking: \$6405.73 Savings: \$4054.28

Next Event:

College of Three Ravens "Viking Invasion" on February 29th.

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 Cuvis, Rappier 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.

Nicole is accepting teachers, Please send her your class info soon for a guaranteed time slot. We have about 14 classes at current and are going to be posting in various communities via FB (and our email group) to attract more instructors. The lunch cooks and the head fest cook have been communicating and coordinating with one another to allow for the meals served that day to be well-rounded and to prevent any duplication. Both meals are finalizing menus (though the menus will be subject to small changes as we get closer to the event). Once we have more firm menus, we will be posting on the event page, FB groups, and the email list, along with reminders for people to preregister for the event and evening feast. Our merchant liaison is ready to take registrations and is starting to check the corresponding email regularly to make sure he does not miss any notifications. C3R will be a Royal Progress this year, with Her Majesty in

attendance. We have 2 elevations occurring at this event and we will be reaching out to each coordinator to discuss vigil needs. We will be reaching out to the reign coordinator to make sure that Her Majesty's needs are met. We are not yet sure if TRHs will be in attendance. We'll be working to make sure that the youth fighting timeslot works in the best way possible to allow the youth attending the event to get to classes that they may find especially interesting. From last year, we have a list of the classes that the youth wanted to attend and we will try to schedule those classes at a time different than youth combat (at least to the best of our ability as we do not have a designated youth track).

Future Event: AEthelmearc Spring Crown Tournament Date May 2nd, 2020. Site: St Paul's Lutheran Church & School, Hilton. Steward: Eric Grenier de la Barr, Sideboard Lunch cooks: Katja and the Cauldron Bleu cooks (no feast), Tollner: Matilda Bosvyle, Marshals/MoLs/ Heralds provided by the Kingdom. Fee structure: Adult Event \$18, Adult Member Event \$13, Youth Event \$0. Announcement should be up soon. So far four cooks have expressed interest in preparing dishes for the lunch, more would be welcome.

Furute Event: Pax Interruptus Date: July 3-5, 2020. Site: Genesee Country Campground. Steward: Branwyn ferch Gwythyr. Tollner: Matilda Bosvyle. Lunch cook: Maggie & Cauldron Bleu. Marshal in Charge: TBD. Merchant Liason: Kahlek.

Fee Structure: Adult Event: \$20, Adult Member \$15, Youth 17 & under \$0. No further updates yet.

The Barony Musicians's Group will be hosting a Winter Revel at Red Shield Hall Saturday Dec 28th from 4pm until whenever, with music and dancing! A number of easy dances will be taught early on, please bring snacks, refreshments to share. This is a low-key, in garb evening of revelry, and they are expecting a number of non-SCA, early music fans to attend; extra help from Chatelaines would be appreciated.

Next Market Day will be Saturday, January 18th as a Yule/12th Night Winter celebration, details to follow.

Officer Reports:

Heavy Weapons practice: Thursdays starting 7pm back at Red Shield Hall have been getting a good number of fighters.

Youth Combat: weekly on Thursdays running from 6-7pm at Red Shield Hall, regularly attended, no practice on Dec 26th.

Fencing practice: Mondays at Red Shield Hall starting 7pm. Light attendance the last few weeks.

Archery: on hiatus until spring.

Thrown Weapons: watch the email list for updates for East Side practice Sundays 2:30p to

4:30p at Athos's house as long as there's no snow. West Side practice at the castle is on hiatus until spring.

Arts & Science: Otelia has expressed an interest in stepping down as A&S Minister in the next three months, if you would like to learn more about the job, she can be reached by email, or you may contact the Seneschal.

Chatelaine: We attended the Rochester Makers Fair on November 23rd and had an absolutely wonderful time talking with the wider Rochester population about the SCA and about Thescorre in particular. We handed out a lot of brochures and had a lot of people express interest in checking us out. We had a few individuals talk with us about the possibility of doing demos at schools and with Scouting troops as well. Those individuals have my email and have ways to reach out to us for further information. We've had a couple of people who we interacted with at the Maker's Fair reach out via email about activities in the barony (of interest first were dancing and weaving/spinning). I am hopeful we'll be able to get into those schools and troops to do more demos in the future. I am researching other demonstration opportunities and will keep everyone posted.

As the 5th Tuesday falls on New Years Eve (and I'll be in Florida), there will be no newcomer's night in December.

Chronicler: Fewmet is coming out.

Web Minister: Web site is up to date, Barony Policies & Procedures has been posted. Send any updates you may have. Yahoogroups will be going away, we will be switching to Google-groups, but rather than migrating the list of old email addresses, we will be starting from scratch. Details on how to sign up will be announced once it's open. Website renewals are coming up, we will need \$431.64 for 3 years of hosting with GoDaddy, due 1/19/20, and \$41.98 for our domain renewal for 2 years, due 5/1/20. The Barony approved both of these expenditures.

Baron & Baroness: Dubheasa says "hi". Our Makers Fair table was attended by 13 or 14 Barony members throughout the day, we spoke with a lot of people, lots of flyers went out, and we are already discussing Big Plans for next year's display! Last Game Day had about 12+ people, we will be scheduling the next sometime after the holidays.

New Business: Andy has an idea for C3R 2021, with a mid-day feast prepared entirely with youth cooks. The schedule would still be classes morning to early afternoon, then a feast for all (off board space available), then court, followed dancing, clean up and an earlier than normal end time so everyone can get home safely. Talk to Andy if this is something you would like to help with.

College of Three Ravens

While winter roars all around, the Industrious Barony of Thescorre wishes to invite all to join us for College of Three Ravens on February 29th, 2020 for a day of learning, companionship, shopping, and feasting. We will be returning for a third year to St. Paul's Lutheran School, located at 158 East Avenue, Hilton, NY 14468. The site will open at 9am and will close for clean-up at 10pm. There is abundant parking off-street in the site's parking lot. The entire site is handicap-accessible, and the event is located on the ground level.

With this year's College of Three Ravens comes an invitation to journey into the Viking Explorations while attending classes, engaging in martial activities, feasting on delicious dishes, and engaging with one another. There is a wide range of learning opportunities that will occur throughout the day in a number of different classrooms across the site. In addition to the various opportunities for scholarship, there is also a full-size gymnasium for pick-up Heavy Fighting & Fencing as well as fighting and fencing classes! Those wishing to volunteer their services as a marshal should seek out the marshals in charge.

For those who wish to teach, please contact the Chancellor of Classes, Lady Nicole du Marais – almightyanubis.nb@gmail.com (585) 300-7319. Please note that classes can be on any and all aspects covered within the SCA; they do not need to be in any way related to the theme of Viking Exploration!

Adult Member Discount Event Registration is \$12,

Adult Event Registration is \$17

Youth (0-17) is free.

Evening feast is an additional \$8, \$4 for Youth 5-17, and no charge for kids under 5 years old.

Event registration includes a sideboard lunch prepared by THL Lasairfhiona inghean Aindriasa (Vicki Presler) and Lady Murdia Drusilla Vettia Portia (Christine Coats). Evening feast will be prepared by Lord Peter O'Meagher (Peter Meagher). Dietary concerns for the sideboard lunch should be directed to Vicki at Ravenheart.vp@gmail.com (607) 382-0690 or Christine at christine_carden@yahoo.com or (585) 331-1193. Dietary concerns for the evening feast should be directed to Peter at Pmeagher@gmail.com (585) 732-2906.

Pre-registration is greatly appreciated for meal planning and places at feast table can *only* be guaranteed if payment is received by 2/21/2020.

Reservationist is Mistress Matilda Bosvyle de Bela Acqua (Jean Valentine). Questions can be sent to Matildabosvyle@gmail.com or you may call (585) 445-0755 (no calls after 9pm). Reservations can be sent to Jean Valentine at 208 Red Lion Road, Henrietta, NY 14467. Checks are to be made payable to SCA NY Inc – Barony of Thescorre. It is essential that reservations in-

clude modern name, SCAdian name and membership status for each person to be covered by your payment. Also, indicate which are minors, and for whom feast reservations are desired. Please supply contact information with your reservation so that any confusion can be quickly resolved.

No alcohol is permitted at the facility. Enclosed flame is allowed. Service animals are welcome (proof of current vaccinations required). Sneakers must be brought (not worn) into the gym by all combatants to help protect the wooden floors. Smoking is only allowed outside, well away from entryways.

For further information or questions, contact the Autocrats: Lady Gwen Cooke (Jenn Bigelow-Carlson) 110 East Main Street, Corfu NY, 14036, CaptainCookeoftheAardvarks@gmail.com, (716) 481-3283 OR Lord Torbjorn Sigurdson (Jon Carlson) 110 East Main Street, Corfu NY, 14036, BjornPhilson@gmail.com, (716) 864-8814. Please feel free to leave a message or text if no answer. Please no calls after 9pm.

Directions:

Take your best route to NYS Thruway (I-90) – exit onto I-490 towards Rochester.

Exit onto I-390 northbound for 7.9 miles.

Use the left lane to take exit 27B onto the Lake Ontario State Parkway westbound.

In 3.2 miles, take East Manitou Road exit, turning left at end of off ramp.

In 0.8 miles, turn right onto Frisbee Hill Road.

In 0.6 miles, turn right onto North Greece Road.

In 256 feet, turn left onto Frisbee Hill Road.

Continue straight as Frisbee Hill Road becomes Wilder Road, which in turn becomes East Avenue.

After a total of 2.9 miles you will arrive at the school (on your right).

Upcoming Events

January, 2020

[Steel-Therapy New Year's Resolutions](#)

January 1, 2020 @ 12:00 pm - 10:00 pm

[Kingdom 12th Night](#)

January 11, 2020 @ 10:00 am - 9:00 pm

[Curia of TRM's Timothy and Gabrielle](#)

January 12, 2020

[Blue Dragon Studium](#)

January 17, 2020 @ 8:00 pm - January 19, 2020 @ 12:00 pm

[Debatable Lands Twelfth Night](#)

January 18, 2020 @ 10:00 am - 10:00 pm

[Region One 12th Night](#)

January 25, 2020 @ 9:00 am - 10:00 pm

February, 2020

[The Festival of the Seven Deadly Sins](#)

February 1, 2020 @ 9:00 am - 8:00 pm

[Æthelmearc Grand Tournament](#)

February 8, 2020 @ 9:00 am - 9:00 pm

[Stetonwasld's Terrible Two's Birthday Party](#)

February 9, 2020 @ 10:30 am - 8:00 pm

[Aedult Swim V](#)

February 15, 2020 @ 8:00 am - February 16, 2020 @ 4:00 pm

[BEARS](#)

February 29, 2020 @ 9:00 am - 6:00 pm

[College of Three Ravens](#)

February 29, 2020 @ 9:00 am - 10:00 pm

March, 2020

[White Hart XXIII – Preparing for the Hunt](#)

March 6, 2020 @ 6:00 pm - March 8, 2020 @ 11:00 am

[A Day of Story and Song: Performing Arts in the Castle](#)

March 7, 2020

[Known World Italian Salon & Symposium](#)

March 19, 2020 - March 22, 2020

[Festival of the Passing of the Ice Dragon](#)

March 21, 2020 @ 8:00 am - 8:00 pm

[Academy of St. Clare V: Itchin' To Get Stitchin'](#)

March 27, 2020 @ 5:00 pm - March 29, 2020 @ 11:30 am

[Donnan Party](#)

March 28, 2020 @ 10:00 am - 6:00 pm