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Il Tempo

Welcome to *Il Tempo* (The Times), the Newsletter of the Barony of Ponte Alto, one of the northern baronies in the Kingdom of Atlantia.

Il Tempo strives to be an informative read that you look forward to. To this end, we are always appreciative of any contributions to it, perhaps an article of a project you are working on or are interested in, how to make/play a period game, your experience at an event, how/what to prepare for a day trip, a recipe/ piece of garb that you've made, documentation on an item you've competed - a how to on

documentation, a few words on a historical person/event, photos, a book review, something to share with a newcomer - perhaps a short autobiography of your persona or how you came to figure out your persona.

The list can go on for ages - only limited by the speed at which our hands can write out what our minds can think of.

Come, share with us adventures in the great Barony of Ponte Alto, in the grand Kingdom of Atlantia, in this - the current Middle Ages!

Norse Edda for Winter Solstice:

Solarljód st. 41

Sól ek sá

svá þótti mér

sem ek sæja göfgan guð;

henni ek laut

hinzta sinni

aldaheimi í.

I saw the Sun

and It seemed to me

I was seeing a glorious goddess;

To Her I bowed

for one last time



Business Meeting Minutes

November 27, 2016

6:00 pm

Adjourned at 6:52 pm

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

7426 Idylwood Rd

Falls Church, VA 22043

OFFICER'S REPORTS

Seneschal -Christine Menton (Lady Caitilin Irruis inghean ui Riada)

- ◆ Unevent is next weekend. The schedule is posted.
- ◆ No business meeting in Dec. Will have two in January (8th and 29th).

Exchequer - Marlene Martineau (Lady Vadoma)

- ◆ Balance report.

Knight/Rapier Marshal - Jeff Williams (Lord Geoffrey ap Clywd)

- ◆ Fighting/Rapier continues.
- ◆ No practice on the 24th.

Archery Marshal - Lady Margaret or Nicholas Freer (Lord Naran Numuchi)

- ◆ Archery continues.
- ◆ Lady Margaret has received her certification as a teaching marshal.

Arts and Sciences - Bob Capozello (Master Marcellus Capozziello da Napoli)

- ◆ Fiber Arts, part 2, 11/28
- ◆ Sewing Circle, 11/29
- ◆ Ponte Alto Singers Concert, 12/4
- ◆ All things Lacy 12/13
- ◆ Ponte Alto singers practice every other week.

Chatelaine - Barbara Eckman (Lady Barbara MacAuley)

- ◆ Newcomers continue.
- ◆ Annual Cookie Bake-off 12/9
- ◆ New singer in the choir

Herald - Sue Schneider (Lady Agnete Koslin)

- ◆ Heraldry continues.
- ◆ There are candidates for the role of Baronial Herald. Send recommenda-



Business Meeting Minutes (cont.)

tions to the Seneschal and the Baronage this week.

Chronicler - Lord Ronan mac Imair for Elliot Poleshuck (Eliyah)

- ♦ Chronicling continues.

Web Minister - Ronan for Megan Ladd (Lady Margaret Lad)

- ♦ Web ministering continues.

Minister of the List -

- ♦ Lord Oswin has taken the class. Tentative warrant. On track.
- ♦ MoL for Bloodbath, Storvik volunteered to help.

Minister of Minors- Eliisa Harman (Lady Annika Siltanen)

- ♦ Children's Activity at Crown.
- ♦ Children's Activity at Holiday Faire.
- ♦ Marshal training.

Baron and Baroness- Kari Kel Dalton (Cellach Mór)

- ♦ Attended: Crown Tourney (Day shade rocked), Holiday Faire – awards presented. Bowman Elite for Ronan and Star of the Sea for Lady Bryn.
- ♦ Will attend: Unevent, War Practice, 12th Night.
- ♦ Update on Coronet repair.

EVENTS

Love & Beauty -

- ♦ Budget and staff list passed around.
- ♦ Web event page ready to go.
- ♦ FB event page ready to go.
- ♦ PayPal approved for event!
- ♦ Children's activities planned. (Paper crowns and flowers.)
- ♦ A&S judges to be confirmed.
- ♦ Budget items reviewed. Outside space would require additional costs, so no archery.
- ♦ Discussion of admission/feast costs. Maximums set for families.
- ♦ Budget approved.
- ♦ Will be a Royal Progress. (At least one vigil/elevation is planned.)



Business Meeting Minutes (cont.)

- ◆ Discussion of election roles and details.
- ◆ Discussion of vigil place. Baron Alric to check with people on options.
- ◆ Review of Staff List: Need heralds for procession. Judge for heraldry competition? Scorekeepers?
- ◆ General discussion.

BloodBath

- ◆ Will be on calendar by next business meeting.
- ◆ Need MIC, MoL, Troll, lunch.
- ◆ Discussion of budget.
- ◆ Approval for space to be rented before next business meeting.

Old Business

- ◆ Need a new herald. Hopefully to be in place before end of month (Dec).

New Business

- ◆ Discussion of request for bids for Spring Crown and Coronation.
- ◆ Discussed putting in a bid for Crown tourney, possible details for Crown tourney.
- ◆ Agreement to hold business meeting at Cookie Bake-off to approve budget for bid. (Updated, Crown Bid plans cancelled prior to mtg.)
- ◆ Discussion of cap on family attendance costs for events, two adults + two children, as a revised general policy. Exchequer to research.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ◆ Baroness encourages everyone to “do something to give back to their disciplines.”
- ◆ Request for award recommendations for Love & Beauty. When submitting recommendations, use the online Kingdom form AND also email the King and Queen.
- ◆ No A&S planned after 1st Business Meeting in January.
- ◆ Happy birthday to Hannus.



Weekly Events

SUNDAY	
Ponte Alto Baronial Business Meeting	<u>4th Sunday</u> of the month at 6:00 p.m. at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 7426 Idylwood Rd, Falls Church. Directions: Take your best route to I-66. Get off at the exit for Route 7 West (Tysons Corner). Turn left at the first light after the interchange onto Idylwood Rd. Go ¼ mile; the church is up the hill on the right.
Outdoor Heavy Weapons and Rapier Practice	Weather permitting, 12:00 noon until dark, outdoors at Tysons-Pimmit Park, behind Tysons-Pimmit Regional Library, 7584 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church. Contact the Baronial Knight Marshal for information (see Regnum). (cancellations posted on the Ponte Alto e-list) Directions: Take your best route to I-495. Get off at the exit for Route 7 East (Falls Church). Go about 1 mile; the library is on the left. Park in the library lot and walk down the hill to the park.
MONDAY	
Scribal and A&S	It is the day after the business meeting, most always <u>the 4th Monday</u> , 6-10pm Fairfax, 22033 (contact chronicler@pontealto.atlantia.sca.org for address; cancellations posted on the Ponte Alto e-list). Not to worry, any Arts and Sciences projects are welcome. Allergy alert:: cats.
Stierbach/Ponte Alto Archery Practice	Held at Grimmsfield, a private residence with range. 16132 Crusade Ct, Haymarket, VA 20169
TUESDAY	
Ponte Alto Singers	<u>2nd & 4th Tuesday</u> , 7pm-9pm, Reston, 20190. If interested in joining or need the address, contact Lady Annika Siltanen (mka Eliisa Harman) at mom@pontealto.atlantia.sca.org. Additionally, information can be found on Facebook: Ponte Alto Singers. Allergy alert:: cats and dogs.
THURSDAY	
Heavy Weapons Practice	Summer, outdoors at Tysons-Pimmit Park, (see Outdoor Heavy Weapons and Rapier Practice above). Winter, Lemon Road Elementary School cafeteria (7230 Idylwood Road, Falls Church), weather and school events permitting (cancellations posted on the Ponte Alto e-list)
Rapier Practice	Summer, outdoors at Tysons-Pimmit Park, (see Outdoor Heavy Weapons and Rapier Practice above). Winter, Shreveview Elementary school cafeteria (7525 Shreve Rd, Falls Church), 6:30pm-9pm (cancellations posted on the Ponte Alto e-list)
Sewing Circle	<u>3rd Thursday</u> , private residences. Address will be posted on a private site (Facebook: Ponte Alto Sewing Circle) to preserve the privacy of the hosting sewer. If you'd like to host or don't have a Facebook account and need the address, please contact Lady Margaret Lad (mka Megan Ladd) webminister@pontealto.atlantia.sca.org Not to worry, the Sewing Circle is all about Fiber Arts too, not just sewing.
FRIDAY	
Archery Practice	Archery Practice is held 5-7pm at Bull Run Archery Range. 7700 Bull Run Dr, Centreville, VA 20121
MONTHLY	
SCA Newcomer Meetings	Newcomer Meetings are held once a month from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the home of various members of the Barony. Contact the Baronial Chatelaine for information (chatelaine@pontealto.atlantia.sca.org), or check out the Events/ Activities page on the website for the most recent information.

*Note on school locations for activities: There will be no activities at schools during school holidays or on other days when Fairfax County schools are closed or all nighttime school recreational activities are canceled. Notification of cancellation or alternate site location will be posted on the web as soon as possible. You can visit the Fairfax County Public Schools Emergency Announcement page for school closure status: <http://fcps.edu/news/emerg.htm>

*** A reminder to those to attend marshal activities and practice at Fairfax County Public Schools:
NO FORM of real weapons, even Swiss Army knives, box cutters, etc. are to be brought onto school property.***

DECEMBER 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2 <i>5:00pm Ponte Alto/ Stierbach Archery Practice@Bull Run</i>	3 Unevent
4 <i>1-5pm Outdoor Heavy Weapons Practice</i>	5	6 <i>7-9 pm Ponte Alto Singers</i>	7	8 <i>6 - 9 pm Rapier Practice 6 - 9 pm Heavy Weapons Practice</i>	9 <i>Yule Toy Tourney 5:00pm Ponte Alto/ Stierbach Archery Practice@Bull Run</i>	10 Yule Toy Tourney
11 <i>1-5pm Outdoor Heavy Weapons Practice</i> Yule Toy Tourney Yule	12	13	14	15 <i>6 - 9 pm Rapier Practice 6 - 9 pm Heavy Weapons Practice</i>	16 <i>5:00pm Ponte Alto/ Stierbach Archery Practice@Bull Run</i>	17
18 <i>1-5pm Outdoor Heavy Weapons Practice 3-5pm Archery</i>	19	20 <i>7-9 pm Ponte Alto Singers</i>	21	22 <i>6 - 9 pm Rapier Practice 6 - 9 pm Heavy Weapons Practice</i>	23 <i>7-10pm Newcomer's Meeting 5:00pm Ponte Alto/ Stierbach Archery Practice@Bull Run</i>	24
25 <i>1-5pm Outdoor Heavy Weapons Practice 3-5pm Archery Kings Assessment</i>	26 <i>6-9 pm Scribal A&S</i>	27	28	29	30 <i>5:00pm Ponte Alto/ Stierbach Archery Practice@Bull Run</i>	31



JANUARY 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5 6 - 9 pm Rapier Practice 6 - 9 pm Heavy Weapons Practice	6 5:00pm Ponte Alto/ Stierbach Archery Practice@Bull Run	7
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Baronial Progress

Baronial Progress for December/January	
Date	Event
12/3	Unevent – Kenansville, NC
12/10	Yule Toy Tourney – Pickens, SC
1/13-15	Kingdom 12th Night – Greensboro, NC
1/21	Spanish Inquisition – Severna Park, MD
1/28	Ice Castles – Salem, VA



We really could use your help

There are several positions in our Barony that could use a Deputy; actually, all of the positions that we have could benefit by having at least one deputy.

Why a Deputy? Well, it is easy for any one of use to intend to do something if we don't take into account that the SCA is what we do with our time after we are finished doing what we do to pay the bills.

With deputies, the work load can be shared, allowing more work to be accomplished with less time and stress for any one individual.

Besides, it is a great way to work with others to do something different to help make yours and other's SCA experience that much better!





Ponte Alto Notables

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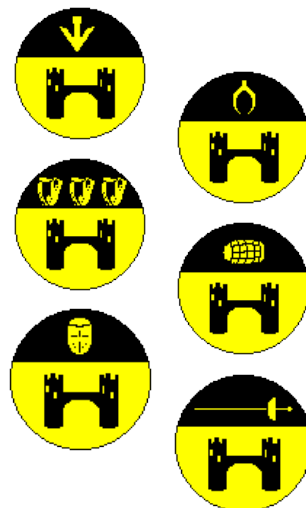
Youth Bardic Champion: M'lord Oliver of Ponte Alto

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Heavy Champion: Lord Arthur of the Black Marsh
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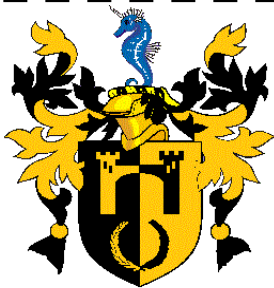
Rapier Champion: Baron Drogo Rainulf de Dragonera
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Jul-Bukk (Yule Goat)

Holiday Sacrifice to Thor





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