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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!



Business Meeting Minutes

Sep 24, 2017

6:02 pm

Adjourned at 7:06 pm

20 attendees

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

7426 Idylwood Rd

Falls Church, VA 22043

OFFICER'S REPORTS

Seneschal - Dwayne Eckman (Lord Seamus Ó Maoil Riain)

- ♦ Background checks. If needed, Seneschal has to send note to Kingdom Seneschal.

Exchequer - Marlene Martineau (Lady Vadoma)

- ♦ Updated balance provided: \$8968.56
- ♦ Astrid to take over as Exchequer by end of next month.

Herald - Richard Altstatt (Ricart Berenguer Falcón)

- ♦ Working on name and armory submissions. One name at Laurel.
- ♦ Checking on Children's Award and Badge

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

- ♦ A&S (@ Adina's) 9/25
- ♦ Scriptorum 8/28
- ♦ Dance class 10/1, 10/15
- ♦ PA Singers 9/26, 10/1, 10/15
- ♦ Ponte Alto singers practices to combine w/ Dance practice
- ♦ Sewing Circle 10/5
- ♦ Atlantia Cultura @ Fall Coronation 10/7
- ♦ Vadoma taking over A&S in Nov

Chatelaine - Barbara Eckman (Lady Barbara MacAuley)

- ♦ Newcomers Meeting on 9/22. 14 attendees (12 adults, 2 kids). 1 newcomer.
- ♦ Need to make a plan to go through Gold Key stuff
- ♦ Next Newcomers Mtg 10/27. Location TBD
- ♦ Two contacts via email/Facebook
- ♦ Discussion of demos. At libraries? Via displays? w/ framed scroll?

Minister of Minors - Eliisa Harman (Lady Annika Siltanen)

- ♦ Kids active. Royal Rounds
- ♦ Eleanor received Sea Tiger at Battle on the Bay

Minister of the List - Austin Dalton

- ♦ n/a



Business Meeting Minutes (cont.)

Chronicler - Ron Hanagan (Rónán mac Ímair)

- ◆ Continues. Looking for articles

Web Minister - Megan Ladd (Lady Margaret Lad)

- ◆ Web updates continue

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

- ◆ Fighting/Rapier continues. Several new people.
- ◆ Duncan renewed Armored Marshal @ University

Baron and Baroness- Kari Kel Dalton (Cellach Mór)

- ◆ Attended: Raven's Cove, Curia, Rip Rap War (Alric), Sacred Stone (Cellach). Battle on the Bay. Did not attend University.
- ◆ Baron Alric reported Rip Rap was great fun. 1 award given. 2 peerages. Looking forward to next Rip Rap War. Planning a Ponte Alto party barge.
- ◆ Award given at Sacred Stone.
- ◆ Battle on the Bay: 2 Ponte Alto won in archery, 1 youth in thrown weapons, Sir Jocelin rec'd Laurel, Kendal rec'd Gold Dolphin. Alric rec'd Undine.
- ◆ Will attend: Coronation, Harvest Wars, War of the Wings.
- ◆ Palio horses for Harvest Wars?
- ◆ Keys? Who has them? To be compared to see which are good.
- ◆ Four teams represented Ponte Alto at Trial by Fire/Lochmere Arrow
- ◆ Crown Tourney in a couple of weeks. Alric to bring his larger tent for Barony.

Events

Yule on the Bridge

- ◆ New location: Sykes Hall / Loudon County Fairgrounds
- ◆ New budget
- ◆ 9-5 (longer hours)
- ◆ Baron & Baroness of Lochmere should attend
- ◆ Alric to challenge fellows to chess tourney
- ◆ Discussion of promotion/advertising
- ◆ Motion to pass new budget. Passed.



Business Meeting Minutes (cont.)

Love & Beauty

- ♦ Vadoma still working on budget. Awaiting info for Sykes Hall.
- ♦ Plan to use Paypal. Add in fees for that.
- ♦ Start promoting.

Crown Tourney

- ♦ No decision. On hold. Hopefully later this week. To be held in May. Still in debate because of the desire not to hold back to back Crowns in the north.

Tangent: Discussion of hosting remote events. Sacred Stone burned out on running WoW. Wanting to turn it over to someone else. Discussion of pros & cons. Curia did not want to be a protected events (ideally to be run by different groups).

Blood Bath

- ♦ Not spiked yet. No update at this time.

Chalice Replacement

- ♦ 2018. Time to start brainstorming. Maybe a war practice in Oct? (Like AEdult Swim?) Something non-traditional? More family oriented stuff? A&S? Classes? Maybe A&S w/ a fighting theme? Alric suggested setting up a separate get-together to brainstorm ideas (maybe next month before bus. mtg). Something big! Other ideas? (Drea) Something like gladiatorial games? Limited weapons?

Tangent: Next Bus. Mtg 10/29 at different location. Picnic in the Park to be played by ear based on weather.

New Business

- ♦ (Alric) Stuff in storage used only at Pennsic, need to audit what's where.

Old Business

- ♦ (Alric) No update yet on Coronets
- ♦ (Drogo) Work on List Fence. Find weekend.
- ♦ (Vadoma) Banner painting. Need to finish before Love & Beauty. Pick Saturdays, send invites.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ♦ (Cellach) Crown has no feast. Pot luck after?
- ♦ Alric & Cellach will be out of country in December.
- ♦ 12th Night theme. Masquerade Italian. Founder's Inn, VA Beach. Discussion of a Privateer Feast? "Lock-up" with bids to pay bail to get folks out. Maybe propose for a different event. Rip Rap War?
- ♦ Celia to phase out of bid committee (after 5 yrs). Still deputy exchequer.



Baronial Progress

<i>Baronial Progress for May/June</i>	
Date	Event
10/6-8	Fall Coronation
10/13-15	Harvest Wars
10/18-22	War of the Wings

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!





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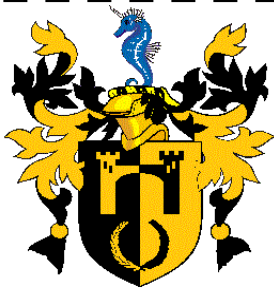
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