

March's Meeting Notes

Exchequer – barony currently has \$3726 up nearly \$1900 from last month. Yay winters end! \$789 at gate, 145 adults and 22 children. About \$400 in profit

Herald – several people received awards. Reminder to submit recommendations for good gentles not recognized yet. Report due at end of the month. Congrats to people who received awards.

Chronicler – please submit articles, etc by March 20

Webminister – not here

Seneschal – quarterly report in on time. We have a deputy seneschal: Marcos.

Heavy marshal - quarterly report in on time. Increase in number participating

Rapier – there are two new authorized fighters.

Archery marshal - we are on hold

Thrown weapons " - not here

MoAS – same stuff different month. Everything looks good. Keara is scheduled to teach her final class this month. Am looking for people interested in teaching classes, please contact Reinhold. Suggestion: Her Excellency could have workshop class.

Chatelaine – We have new people. And old people returning.

Old Business:

Winters End wrap up - Total over 150 people in building. We haven't touched base due to reasons to see if site liked us. We had baron/baronesses and Majesties present. Really good event. Their Majesties were happy. Thanks to Lionetta for lunch. Thanks for everything for royalty on short notice.

We still have a gold earring and a scarf unclaimed from event.

Winters End lunch wrap up – We didn't make money, but went well. Over-anticipated the number of people. About 75 sandwiches sold. We didn't lose money. It's a wash.

May Day update – need to see about another permit that we need since we're an organization that they're cutting us a deal of \$200 on. The livelihood we'll have royalty is slim. Hotel for royalty taken off bid. Still have 75 adults for bid. Bid approved as amended. We should have archery, which should help in attendance numbers.

New Business:

Fenix used to be popular for fall hunting event. Hunt for Red October. Discussions with Malachi about Red Dragon. Proposing for October 3, 2015 to be added to calendar. Proposed site is Mt Carmel Social Club. Has a kitchen. Large main room can seat 300. 9 foot ceilings only limitation for indoor heavy fighting. There's a lake if want to do fishing and throw back. Will allow alcohol on site. No lunch tavern, but have kitchen to make feast. Site is \$400 for day. Need \$100 deposit to hold. \$35 fee for Pale advertisement. Accepts for pre-reg is \$15 fee. \$100 for decorations/misc. \$100 for tokens. We would break even with 60 adults and 10 children. Exchequer wants someone deputized for gate. Marcos is doing rapier marshal, Sir Randolph is doing heavy marshal. Archery marshal is Mistress Melisande. Royalty liaison is Artemisia. Thrown weapons marshal is Sven. If we can get Allegra down, maybe we could do a masque ball. Site open 10am-8pm to populace. We have the ability to put up sun shades, but may be limited depending on list spaces. Enough parking for the proposed amount. Motion approved to put the event on the calendar.

The baronies have been asked to do favors for queen of Middle and queen of East, prefer embroidery but paint is acceptable. Can do machine embroidery. They're due really soon, preferably before Pennsic. Suggested as an April A&S class.

Social media – recently development from Winters End – Hrolf was made deputy webminister to help with Facebook under a certain set of rules. Rules can be commented on or be a work in progress. If need be, Her Excellency will handle to has administrative access. There are kingdom level rules that dictate how to handle posting of events without the group's approval. Such as:

- Facebook should be created under Fenix group
- Event steward(s) will be host(s) of event
- Page shall be marked as Official

Happy news - demo with Milford branch library. Tentatively said we can do it on Saturday, June 13th. We have been invited to do whatever we want within limits with suggestions: submitting a few items for display. A sort of history show and tell with fashion show. Time is 1-4pm. We are welcome to hang out before or after demo, but library closes at 5pm. Fighting can be done out back of library. We will need at least one marshal present for fighting. Reinhold has liability forms to be completed for individuals participating. This is essentially a recruiting event. We can make day shades, but can't do stakes. Suggested to submit info to Facebook administrators.

Announcements:

Last year's finances (2014)

- Comparative balance: we made money \$410.88
- Fund raising (such as Goettafest booth): we made externally \$408.00 and internally \$830.55
- Winters End (2014) we lost money
- May Day: we made money due to yard sale, silent auction, lunch, breakfast, feast, donations