Barony of Vulcanfeldt Council Minutes

Round Table Pizza, Yakima, WA / Virtual (MS Teams)

November 14, 2022

Attendees:

In Person: Larry & Dayna Kirkpatrick, Jon Tollman, Reggie Brulitz (sp?), Patrick Moffitt, Sara Kissel, Rich Bright, Chris & Crystal Bevers, Eric Dolph, Lisa & Ron Mansfield, Tanya Stanley. *Virtual*: Mary Tollman.

Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm.

Item I: Approval of Council Minutes

March 14, 2022 minutes tabled until December 12.

October 10, 2022 minutes approved. One abstention.

Item II: Coronets Report – HE Ulrich Hellelicht & HE Fiona ingen Conchobair

Her Excellency attended Collegium last weekend, which was excellent. Madrone wants to collaborate on an event that includes archery, championship tourney, and equestrian, September 15 - 17, 2023, at Flying Horseshoe Ranch. Can we change the site? His Excellency moves to table, Rurik seconds, Padrig abstains.

His Excellency attended As You Like It. Collegium had great classes, where he attended a class on the Wiki. He suggests people in Vulcanfeldt create their own Wiki pages. Silk painting for beginners and rapier classes were some of his favorite classes. We need to look for a bid for Baroness War by December. Moved and seconded to nominate Jon Tollman to steward Baroness War. Dayna Kirkpatrick opposes, Pat Moffett abstains. Moved and seconded that Mary Tollman co-hosts Baroness War. Pat abstains.

Item III: Seneschal Report – Lord Eldgrimr Hvikatimbr

Please submit Third Quarter Reports.

Item IV: Post-event Report – HL Dana Chathair Saibhin

Bills paid, event complete.

Item V: Baronial Officer Reports

Branch Marshall – HE Rurik Gjarvaldsson

Jason Zeller has been added as deputy. There were 29 people at last month's Intro to Rapier event, which went very well. Needs to submit a proposal to purchase a loaner kit. He has officially moved Fight Practice to Saturdays, nine to noon, at The Barrel, for winter. There was no practice last week, and three fighters attended the week before.

Archery Marshall – HL Alric Ivarsson

Practice will be held this coming Saturday the 19th, nine to noon, at The Barrel. He rebuilt the frame for the backstop. Practice to be set up along west wall of The Barrel.

Equestrian – HE Ulrich Hellelicht

If anyone is interested in doing equestrian activities in the spring, please let His Excellency know. He will find another marshal for Baroness War due to his baronial obligations.

Chatelaine – HL Dana Chathair Saibhin

Our Webminister was cleverly able to superimpose our own Baronial QR code onto the new "Join the SCA" flyer! I brought a few copies to the meeting and will get more printed when I have next year's budget to spend. I can also post it in the files. We continue to get newcomers at Fight Practice (which has turned into an unofficial social) which I usually attend. I would like to pull off some sort of Newcomers Garb 101 class, but I confess to not having my ducks in a row. Free venue suggestions, offers to teach and date ideas would be welcome.

I turned in my 3rd Quarter Report at the end of last month and my required info to the Chatelaines' Warrant Deputy. My warrant is up in April of next year. If I do not have a Deputy by then; willing to take over the office, perhaps I should renew for one more year? If anyone is interested, please let me know.

Suggestion: perhaps schedule a Meet and Greet Garb Swap?

Librarian – Jubal Tollman

Not present.

Exchequer – HE Isa Ormriauga

Received new receipts, and bank statement is available. We have officially recovered financially from Covid years. Has not checked P.O. box yet. We need an annual review of the financial policy and welcomes anyone to join who wants to. Eldgrimr said that since we have reviewed the policy recently, we are good for this year. Lisa needs her warrant renewed, which is up in November. Moved and seconded to renew her warrant. Padrig abstains.

Chamberlain - Lord Davyd of Vulcanfeldt

Not present.

Minister of Arts and Sciences – HL Ionamyst V Reginasdottir

Turned in report for Third Quarter. A&S activities are happening at fight practice, which includes creating largesse items for now. It's been productive.

Webminister – Lord Asbiorn Esbjornson

Uploaded documents, ensured backups were completing, and general maintenance of site as required. Contacted someone at Kingdom web support who could increase the file size limit so the August Signal could be uploaded. Still waiting for reply. Uploaded August minutes alone instead for now. Published the Baronial Progress page for the website and requested information to publish.

Social Media Officer – Lady Ryan Arrowseeker

Not present.

Deputy Social Media Officer – Svanhildr Eyverska

Looking for more pictures and blurbs about your SCA activities for the Barony page.

Chronicler – Svanhildr Eyverska

Turned in Third Quarter report. Getting ready to publish newsletter. If there is anything you want included in it, please get it to me sooner rather than later.

Branch Herald – Donal Strausbaugh

Not present – in the process of moving to Newburg, Oregon.

Chief Scribe – Ysabet of Vulcanfeldt

Not present.

Item VI: <90-day Baronial Event Report – Yule – HE Rurik Gjarvaldsson

Yule will be held on December 3rd. Due to Rurik's shoulder surgery on December 1st, Ionamyst will be taking over. Rurik and Ionamyst will be meeting this coming Saturday to discuss details and make decisions, and a week from Sunday (November 27 at 1:00 pm at Rurik's house – all are welcome) to prepare food and site tokens. Davyd is bringing a barbecue/smoker to the event. Padrig is also bringing a smoker.

Item VII: >90-day Baronial Event Report

TBD.

Item VIII: New Business

Rurik says that Rolf has offered a propane stove for events where there are no cooking facilities (like at The Barrel). After discussion, it was decided we have no room to store it, so we will politely decline.

His Excellency reminds us to send Coronets recommendations for awards.

Item IX: Council Adjournment – Populace

Next hybrid council: Round Table Pizza, Yakima, WA & MS Teams, December 12, 2022, 7:00 – 8:00 pm.

Meeting adjourned at 8:07 pm.