

Barony of Vulcanfeldt
Business Meeting Minutes – March 11, 2013
7:00 p.m. Roundtable Pizza – Yakima, Washington

Attendees: Regina O' Duncan, Shannon O' Duncan, Ashley Longbow, Alice Macrorie, Sorley Macrorie, Elizabeth of Vulkanfeldt, Branwan Stewart, Ronan Mackay, Giovanni Gallo, Lleo fled, An te ruadh, Fiona ni Chonchuir, Davyd, Frank Rodriguez, Rebbecca Brown, Raasmus

Meeting called to order at 7:04 by Ashley Longbow.

Approval of past minutes: February minutes approved

Baron/Baroness Report (Shannon and Regina): Hi! Not much going on for us – we missed Oasis War, but our next event is Hopping Phules! Let us know about award and if you are interested in taking on the Sergeantry Trials.

OFFICERS' REPORTS

Seneschal (Ashley): BG Checks – emailed about them. Everyone has heard back except Ronan. Otherwise it has been a quiet month.

Exchequer(Fiona): \$4117.81 in bank, no change. Haven't heard anything from Kingdom regarding the settlement. Waiting for Jenefer to send reports to kingdom and me. Got text from her saying she would try and get it taken care of.

Chamberlain(Regina): Not present, everything is safely stowed away.

Chronicler(Sorley): No report

Webminister(Kade): Minutes and newsletter uploaded to website. Not present.

Herald(Elizabeth): No report

Master of Stables(Jetai/Shannon): Fight practices are on, 6:30 Growers' Supply in Toppenish, found out I need to be a JR Marshal, so I will be taking care of that.

Lists(Lleo fled): No report.

Branch Rapier Marshal (Shannon): Practices are same time and place as heavy practices.

Archer(Ronan): No report

Arts and Sciences (Alric): Not present.

Chatelaine (Lleo fled): No report.

Chirurgon (Shannon): No injuries to report.

Scribe(Raasmus): No report.

Family Activity Coordinator(Alice): Got background check submitted. Hopefully it will be cleared up by Hopping Phules.

PAST EVENTS

Oasis war was great. About 50 fighters. Was a lot of fun, fought till we dropped (Ronan). Red Lantern was also very good, but a small turn out – not really getting the word out. (Ronan)

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 12-14, Baroness War. Have the contract. We have insurance. Called Mike – left message. Asked him to call if there were any issues, and that we would bring him the contract and check this week (Sportsmans park). There is information out on the event. Waiting to hear from our A&S champion on some stuff, price for Childrens A&S instead of war point discussed. War points on Saturday activities. Sounds like we will have more campers this year. RV fee is \$22 a night, no discovery pass required. If you have a dragon pass, we don't pay additional fees on the vehicles. Clan Carn is coming down for Baroness War. Doing Thor's Hammer for site tokens. Biffies are confirmed. Need castle, direction signs, eric ropes, gate. Rebeca will run gate. Getting Gate cash tonight. Told archers there will be no target archery. Combat archery only. They (WA State) would like to see us using the park more. Demos after labor day. He is happy with how we are as a group (Mike).

May Crown 2013. Moving along. Delivered the contract to Madrone at 12th night, some strange things in the contract – deposit, security, they (Rodeo board) let us send a cashiers check and will let us do our own security. A discussion about targets (archery) confirmed that we will charge \$150 for targets for the event if they want them. We also verified that we will run gate Friday, Biffies are reserved, but will double check.

Bows and Blades. Meeting Sunday March 17. We are looking for volunteers. Lots of discussion. Prettiest Bow & Quiver contest discussion: "It has to be something you made/decorated/have part ownership in". We are pushing 13-14 shoots for the weekend (Same as last year). Ronan & Raasmus will do setup.

Yule. Elizabeth nominated as autocrat. She will get the bid together, explore sites.

OLD BUSINESS

Baronial Chair Bids: No further word.

Demo at WA state fair: Emailed Ruth, heard nothing back yet.

Background checks: Discussed, taken care of

NEW BUSINESS

Correspondence: Folklife Festival – Reggie got snail mail from Myrna. The folklife board are moving the date back a week (Same as coronation). She realizes it wont work for us anymore. I'll take care of letting them know we don't want to go – Ashley.

Prosser Highland Games as possible demo – More thought? There willb e some other medieval group there doing a demo – Knights of Veritas. They are an educational group out of Moses lake. If we had a joint practice with Wastekeep in Prosser – it would be really cool. The date (June 15) is in conflict with Spring Fest. If you go, let us know! We would like to explore more things to do in Prosser.

Bows and Blades autocrat/planning meeting March 17th, 2:00 pm Round Table

Ye Olde County Faire - A message has been posted to facebook. Elizabeth attended the meeting. They have a lot of groups coming out, including Amtgard, and Knights of Veritas. They want us to come. [participation in different things and add atmosphere. A discussion about Cantons, Colleges, and Ellensburg revealed we have an interest in getting the college group to see our demos and activities. They will be interested. Should we choose to go, we need insurance. Elizabeth will represent us at meetings.

Meeting adjourned at 8:12 p.m.

Minutes submitted by Chronicler, Lord Sorley Macrorie.

Next Business Meeting Monday, April 8, 2013 at 7:00 p.m., at Round Table Pizza in Yakima.