

Baronial Business Meeting

June 9, 2008

Words from Their Excellencies:

Congratulations to Ursula for being elevated to the Order of the Laurel at June Faire. Congratulations to Lady Ketilelf Granthe, the Light of Saint Bunstable.

Field of Cloth of Gold will be happening in conjunction with Lionhearts: Many, many contests! We need award recommendations.

Old Business:

Meeting Space – nothing new here.

Policies Group – June 22nd, same bat time; same bat place.

Officers:

A&S – Planning for A&S activities for September Crown is getting started, and for Lionhearts.

Châtelaine – High activity this month. Some people moving in from elsewhere, some new people from June Faire and other events. Socials continue, we are moving the start time to 7:00 PM.

Exchequer – We have money.

Herald – We have the letter from the Kingdom level heralds for Crown, need to discuss their needs with the autocrats. Looking forward to setting up Lionhearts Courts.

Lists – Nothing to report.

Marshall:

Heavy –

Rapier Marshal – Fighting continues, waivers are signed, no injuries.

Archery –

Scribe – It's been quiet. Lionhearts is coming up.

Web Mistress – nothing much to report.

Seneschal – She apologizes for not getting the notes out this month. She will endeavor to do better.

Open offices: Archery, Chirurgeon, Chronicler, Pied Piper, Dean of Pages, Waterbearer.

Pending open office: Master of Stables.

Deputies: A&S is looking for deputy. Châtelaine looking for drop dead deputy. Lists would like deputy.

Subgroups:

Porte de l'Eau – They exist. They're doing stuff. No Sew Whats until Fall.

Bunnies – They just had spring Thing (Yes Thing, not Fling). There is a new Light of St Bunstable, and a new College Champion. The Protector tourney will be held at Lionhearts.

Guilds and Interest Groups:

Culinary – Peasants Revel will be July 13th, starting at 1:00 PM this time. Team soup is on the case, and has the sheep.

Dance – no report

Equestrian – Not a lot going on. Lionhearts is on track. Guillume will continue as Guild head for another year. We have 11 horses registered through for Lionhearts. New Equestrian rules are now in place.

Pewterers – 1 mold done for September Crown, 200 tokens are done. Work continues.

Sewing – The guild will be meeting at Lionhearts. Watch the schedule for details.

Events:

Baronial A&S – Finalizing tonight.

Lionhearts – We have 6 water barrels for Lionhearts, if anyone has 2 they want to loan they would be useful. Water will be delivered, details are being settled. A Merchant packet is now online, and has been provided to all who expressed interest. No handicap reservations have been made. Drop ins will be accepted. We are only making site tokens for 250 people. Anyone else gets a trash bag :-> The dessert auction is happening again this year. Anyone wanting to donate something to be auctioned off should contact Ysolt.

Field of Cloth of Gold – Watch for email on all the contests and fun!

BOD – July 12th. Plans are very slowly coming together for an after meeting revel. We are still looking for a site, hopefully close to the meeting location in Southcenter.

Peasants – July 13th. Same place, slightly later time. Starting at 1:00 PM. Come be peasantry and play games.

September Crown – Planning continues, next meeting is June 30th, here. Trash is under control. Signs are being worked on. 3 erics are done, 4th nearly so. Fire Marshall finally answered his phones. Verbiage regarding generators is pending. Reservations are slowly trickling in.

October dinner event – to be named later Still seeking an autocrat, site, all the good stuff. Needs a name too. Octoberfeast, Harvest Feast.

Baronial Banquet – possible theme 12th Century knighting ceremony. Germanic. Look at Nordic Heritage, we have a soft reservation to be revisited once we have a firmer price.

New Business:

Inventory of Storage Locker We need to inventory the baronial property. Probably after Lionhearts and before September Crown. Possibly in July. Many helping hands would be desired. Champions and officers would be required to provide an accounting of the equipment and regalia in their possession. Watch for more details.

Next meeting will be July 14, 2008