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(K-King's Q-Queen's) **(P-Prince's Pr-Princess')**

Upcoming Events for January

- 7—Kingdom Twelfth Night, Dun Carraig, Hollywood, MD (R, H)
- 21—Interbaronial Twelfth Night, Tir-y-Don, Williamsburg, VA (R, H)
- 28—A Feast for Charlemagne, Lochmere, Elkridge, MD

Upcoming Events for February

- 4—Winter University, Berley Cort, Courtland, VA
- 10-12—The 31st Tourney of Ymir (R,H) Windmasters Hill, Wake Forest, NC
- 18—Tournament of Love and Beauty, Ponte Alto, Leesburg, VA
- 25—A Day in the Middle East, Dun Carraig, White Plains, MD

Upcoming Events for March

- 4—Kingdom Arts and Science Festival, Sudentorre, Spotsylvania, VA
- 11—St. Paddy's Day Bloodbath, Ponte Alto, Vienna, VA
- 18—Moose Olympic Games, Highland Foorde, Hagerstown, MD
- 18—Rencester's Celebration of Spring Rencesterm Williamsburg, VA
- 25—Defending the Gate V, Sudentorre, Fredericksburg, VA

A&S Schedule:

January 10, 7:30 Erwin & Molly's Italian Hair Taping
Baroness Mary Isabel of Heatherstone

This class will demonstrate the basic technique of hair taping as described by Lady Faoiltighearna inghean mhic Ghuaire on her website: <http://www.mfgraffix.com/hird/faoilt/hairtape.html> Handouts will be provided, but those wishing to attempt this style should bring hairclips and a yard of white grosgrain ribbon. (Instructor will try to have extra on hand).

January 24 Available Date- No class scheduled

February 14 Available Date- No class scheduled

February 28 Available Date- No class scheduled

March 11 (Sat), 11:00 AM Karl & Samara's
Interbaronial Brewer's Guild

Lord Michel von Schonsee

This is a quarterly meeting of the Storvik/Dun Carraig Brewing guild. (this is a floating guild that moves between Storvik & Dun Carraig). The meeting will be an all day brew, with the goal to produce several gallons of mead & beer. Please contact the instructor for directions or if you have additional questions.

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Meeting Minutes

January 3, 2006

Old Business:

Middle Eastern Event

-Scheduled for February 25

-Lylie is waiting for call a from the church so she can examine site for decorations, etc. She's also going to ask about set-up the night before and will call them back tomorrow.

-We need someone to be in charge of decorations....

-For the library table, make sure your info is in the book. People who are interested & want to borrow book from you will get your contact info. We also need a librarian.

-Though there's no fighting, we will need waterbearers for the dancers....no combat training/field authorization necessary.

-We also need:

- ◆ Troll
- ◆ People for set-up/clean-up.
- ◆ Servers, especially for high table

-Kiri has a kitchen staff (Rose, Minna, Phillip)

-Molly has e-mailed Merry Rose, asking for people to teach....Masarra's doing henna, Molly will do ME line dancing.

-Anyone who has any experience w/ ME stuff, is encouraged to teach a class.

-It's in the Acorn.

-Adriana and Matthew are the reservationists.

-Everyone is encouraged to bring rugs, pillows, etc. to add to ambience. We will try to do low tables. (Fold table legs under, set them on milk crates.) Kiri has milk crates we can use.

-Anyone who's on any mailing lists, knows people with Middle Eastern personas, etc., please pass the flyer on to lists. (J asked Lylie to send flyer to Seadogs list so we all have it.)

-We do have a couple "wherever they're needed" volunteers.

-Get in touch w/ Lylie if you know anyone who does dance or costuming.

-We will try to have orange water and cucumber water as part of the refreshments (will test-taste cuke water beforehand, since it sounds like it could be either really good or really nasty.)

-Kiri & Lylie are getting in touch later to organize details for feast.

Birthday

-Rose is cooking (or will be "galley slave" for a new cook who wants to try their hand at it.)

-Contract signed by us, reserving our site for November 18th...waiting on IWL for time to drop it off.

-Budget still in progress.

12th Night

-We're requesting 12 noon til 10 Friday to set up...most people who are setting up will be there around six. (Waiting on phone call from site to confirm.) Firehall is setting up tables and chairs.

-Kiri talked w/ Ariana in Lochmere...Reynard planning to be there w/ Lochmere hangings & decorations. May or may not be bringing help. Others who can help are encouraged to. If you have Friday open, please come help. Decorations, setting up royalty room, etc.

-Saturday, event site opens at 10, merchants can set up at 9. Lore wants to open troll @ 9:30. Sold out on merchants, even have merchants setting up outside (brave souls). Have 7 inside, 1 confirmed outside.

-There will be a Laurel & a Pelican vigil.

-We have 10 spots at head table. Amalia expects to be fully sold out by

Saturday....getting in at the door is highly unlikely, have anyone who gets in touch with you to pre-register get in touch w/ her.

-On-board limit 450, total 550.

-Kiri has to leave earlier Saturday from clean-up. Have hall til 2 AM Sunday for clean-up. Site will shut down 9ish so we can clean up. If you can stay, please stay. Have some already set for clean-up. Don't mess w/ tables and chairs, as the firehall will do that. Greg is in charge of clean-up.

-Got menu yesterday, which will be published in event flyer, which will be published to list.

-For troll, Amalia would like to go through troll rules w/ everyone who will be working troll before it starts. Saturday morning, first thing. If things aren't kept track of clearly, after-event reporting is a nightmare.

-Schedule will go to the list tomorrow. 2nd Court is before feast.

-Heather's planning to head to site after working a half day Friday.

-For Saturday, Jynette will show up 7:30/8. Unless you're involved w/ something that requires you earlier, 9:30/10 is fine.

-Jonathas needs help carrying serving gear, etc. out of basement Thursday during archery.

New Business:

Yahoo Group

-Muirghen asks if there's any reason we can't activate the file section. (Hasn't been done b/c it's already on the Dun Carraig site.)

-There's some concern about having things get confusing; everyone who has membership can already upload stuff to the website.

-Bobbi will also allow members to see who else is on the yahoo group's member list.

Officer's Reports:

Quartermaster

Inventoried "Baronial Stuff" in Muirghen's custody. Still need to get with Rose and Sharon.

A&S

Muirghen will be new A&S person officially as of 12th Night; everything's switched over. Molly wanted to confirm w/ kingdom that they had actually accepted the warrant & is following up on that.

One thing Muirghen wants to do as A&S officer is to toss questions out to the list for discussion/thought on various period topics.

There are LOTS of days available for teaching classes. You want to teach....really you do. Could potentially hold more than one class at Muirghen's house (no room in the garage, there's a boat.)

If you are interested in a subject, toss it to Muirghen, so he knows and can work on finding a teacher. Some "how to" classes for events could be really useful....how to autocrat, how to do troll. Heather has volunteered to do a "Troll/Reservationist" class and encourages lots of people to attend.

Asking for a class does not volunteer you to teach.

Wants to do A&S newsletter "Clyffe Hangers" to be published at Birthday. Requesting articles.

Herald

Kingdom is aware that Mathias is going to be new herald effective 12th Night. Muirghen has no backlog that needs to be submitted. Jen is working on a resubmission.

Mathias's first task will be to submit new orders for Dun Carraig.

Knight Marshal

Beat things, poke things, shoot things. In the shoot things (Archery) department, you may have seen a long list of "new" rules. These aren't new; they are just the common sense rules finally being written down. Other than that, we need more marshals in all three areas, as we

essentially only have one active marshal for each.

Chatelaine

Haven't done any demos. Rose has heard from one new person, who she may hear from soon. Quarterly report is partially done.

Chirurgion

No chirurgion, no report....Ren Morgane did get Minna's paperwork....still trying to find out if she got Adriana's.

Seneschal

Quarterly reports due Jan 15. It's very important to get them in on time.

B&B

As Baronial Birthday was rained out, we are calling all those interested in being either the Armoured, Rapier, or Archery Champion to write us a formal letter stating why you believe you are a good choice for one of the Champions. As with years past, we expect our each of our Champions to represent Dun Carraig in at least one kingdom level competition and to run the tournament (weather permitting) to help choose their successor. As it was pointed out at the meeting, some people might be a bit shy about writing about themselves. So, we will accept letters from people nominating their friends for each of the Champions. If someone else nominates a person, we will ask that person if they are indeed interested in possibly becoming the respective Champion. The formal letters and nominations are due no later than two weeks before the February Event (due by 2/11). If possible please let us know informally that you are considering nominating yourself or your friend as soon as possible.

Also this past fall we created names for several new orders. These have been approved by the Barony and added to the charter, but as yet none have a design representing them. We are calling for designs for each of the orders to be submitted. These designs should be simple enough to be reproduced in nearly any medium (cast, leather work, needlepoint, weaving, illumination, or whatever). They should be in the color of the order, as well as represent the name and spirit of the order. The orders are:
The Emerald Flame - for continued work in Arts & Sciences
The Garnet Tower - for continued Service
The Silver Blade - for continued Marshalled Activities

Exchequer

I'm still waiting to get with Gwen in regards to Unevent and all of the necessary pass downs. I hope to hear from her soon. If nothing else, I'll see her at 12th Night if she is attending and speak to her then.

I couldn't get in contact with the Lochmere Exchequer in regards to 12th Night, so I will be speaking to her at the event to get everything settled hopefully during the event in regards to Lochmere's portion of the receipts for feast.

12th Night (January) – I have the Budget. I have a copy of the Contract. Deposits and Balances Due are all paid in full for the site.

A Day in the Middle East (February) – I have the Budget; I just need the Autocrat's signature on the official one. To my understanding there is no need for a Contract, and I have a letter of permission to use the site. No site fees will be involved so no Deposits or Balances Due will be necessary.

Challenge (April) – I NEED the Budget. I have a copy of the Contract. However, the date is listed on it wrong, and the times are in question. Also in question are the amounts due and the date(s) due. I will get with the Autocrat as soon as possible in regards to these. Nothing has been paid out yet for this event.

Baronial Birthday (November) – I NEED the Budget. I have a copy of the Contract; I just need the copy after the Hall itself signs it as well. Nothing has been paid out yet for this event.

We have \$7,342.14 in our account at this time. But remember folks, quite a bit of that will be headed right back out for 12th Night.

The forms for cash advance/reimbursement are not forms the barony has been using, but they're not "New new."



Happy
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Night



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