Blatha An Oir Business Meeting:  12/21/23

In Attendence:

Kira Mikkeldotter
Sir Warren of Essex
Mikael MacLeod
Andromecha of Lesbos (For Sir Gavin)
Gavin
Fedou
Cassimer

Thomasina Fairamay
Tasia Darnel
Audny Refsdottir (With Roger)
Tullia Eleonora Domenichi d'Aragona
Penelope
Aesa Rethsdottir
Baron Nells
Baroness Elizabeth
Mishka Blumkiss
Cassimer
Austeja
Master Arontius
Elizabeth North
Melissa of Dalmatia
AEffe Michaelsdohtor
Rosa

Called to Order at 7:00 pm

Exchequer: Review financial policy in February January finances going to Dryer/postal/nw storage/gate seed for Candlemas/Insurance for Autumn War/2 12th Night Refunds not including Paypal/pending bill from 12th Night Hotel

Herald:  Not present – Report sent in.

Heavy:  Not present – Report pending

Archery:  All going well. Practice as long as weather permits. People having good time. 3 – 8 people average.

Chronicler:  Has a Deputy, Andromache, polling for GM at end of week

Arts & Sciences:  Proceeding as normal. Sewing and culinary on scheduled days. Things are doing great. Would like Bardic Champion to do things! 12th night volunteers/ AS display presentation/ culinary and sewing nights going/ possible organization of bardic stuff monthly to be considered

Scribe:  Mostly quiet on scribal. Gearing up for Candlemas and Scribal challenge. Posting reminders tonight for anyone entering. Cathy Kem has agreed to be drop point at Ursalmas incase one cannot be at Candlemas. These will be collected for entries. Will need Name (Modern and Persona) Which Barony, Skill level (Novie etc), and inspiration for design (optional)

Chatelaine:  (Deputy reporting) Puyallup Public Library reached out. Adventure themed and wanted some combat demos etc. Dates were July12th, Aug 9th, or August 16th. Indoor meeting room that can accommodate around 100 people.

Gold Key:

Hospitality: Not Present

Family Activities:  Had a hard time connecting with Kingdom YAFA. Filled in where they could. Sent newcomers up there etc. Reaching out to A+S and Scribal to get things for Embers and Ambrosia.

Sargentry:  If people want to declare for candidate it would be great to get a heads up. You do not have to declare at Candlemas, and can declare at Embers. Excited for upcoming year.

Rapier: Not Present

Web: There's a link to the Baronial Calendar in the website menu, yay!

Chamberlain: Planning to do an inventory of Baronial Trailer and storage unit. Looking to do so on Feb 24th at Noon.

Past Events:

12th Night: Don’t have final numbers but knows cash through gate. Paypal, Cash on site, etc. Need to pay out ins, Hotel fees. Final numbers to be calculated by Feb.  Kingdom gets 60% of profits with 40% going to us. On site 451 on site and 240 for pre-registration.

Future Events:

Candlemas: Feb 3rd. Feast is sold out. Offboard seating is available. Lots of things planned. Scribal contest come and support it. A+S and bardic activities. Charity Heavy Fighter’s Tournament, VFW is beneficiary Mikael is Marshal, Ae is prize, 10 dollar entry. Rafaella is cook. Bardic circle. Largese derby, Magnificent Seven, bring seven items. Event is over at 8pm with 2 hours for cleanup.  Possible Credit Card use on site.

Embers and Ambrosia: Contacting the Swiss to discuss the sponsor and messages etc for both Embers and Lord Defenders. No longer has client that was the member that was our Sponsor. Looking into options. There is a plan. Working on Event Team for FB group. Things are written up and needs to confirm EIF and get everything written. Also writing up a how to docuemtn so that Tulia will have the things she needs to run this in the future and as an ongoing resource. Will have Shield of Barony, possible Potluck. Site tokens already in process.

Norwescon: Nobody has the club table notice as of yet.

ECCC: Still being mulled over. If you are not friends with the individual running it, then speak to Angarat. This is the same weekend as Kingdom Arts and Sciences.

Lord Defender/Newcomers Althing: Report given by Francisca. Approached Wyewood about using their Archer site. No word yet.
Autumn War:  Had meeting today and website has been changed to have current information. September 12th – 15th. Worked out some traffic issues. Walk thru later. Check request in for ins. Things are progressing as they should. Exchequer wants to talk to Event Steward for Pre-Reg. Needs to have an Autumn War Ledger. Setting up to be shared with Glymm Mere, Dragon’s Laire, Madrone (Wyewood?).
Harvest Feats:.  Event Steward not present, but it is known they are working on thigs. Site Tokens have been designed.

Seneschal:

Their Excellencies:  Tuesday Night Fight practice at a venue needs to be found. Francisca notes that people have noticed at the Wapato park. Venue needs to be covered and has a bathroom and lighting. Please for the love of all things sacred and send in award recommendations. Some announcement or QR code for park might be needed/nice. Looking into Tacoma school District locations.

Meeting adjourned at 7:49