

Notes from BAO Business Meeting

Date: April 15, 2021

Officer reports:

- **Senechal:** No changes to the customary.
- **Exchequer:**
 - Financial balance was discussed.
 - 1st quarter report submitted
- **Heavy Marshal:** Not present yet.
- **Rapier Marshal:** Nothing to report.
- **Archery Marshal:** Johann is staying in the office until replaced, probably in September. Nothing to report, quarterly report will be filed.
- **Thrown Weapons:** Nothing to report.
- **Lists:** Nothing to report.
- **Webminister:** Nothing to report, empty post.
- **Arts and Sciences** Sewing night events are ongoing. Class discussions etc going on.
- **Chatelaine:** 1 email from newcomer from Kingdom of the West. Should have more info besides Facebook.
- **Golden Key:** Vacant, in storage.
- **Demo Coordinator:** Open, nothing to report.
- **Hospitality:** Nothing to report.
- **Scribe:** Classes recently, call for charter and award designs is ongoing.
- **Chamberlain:** Nothing to report.
- **Chronicler:** Working on first newsletter. 1st quarterly report done.
- **Family Activities:** 1 inquiry about games etc. Helping with Newcomers All Thing.
- **Herald:** Court and class went well. 3 clients for names and possible devices. Report finalized and submitted by this weekend. Same for quarterly report.

Upcoming Events:

- **Newcomers All-thing in July – Sorcha** hosting if in person is permitted. Children's thrown weapons done. Kingdom calendar info sent out tomorrow. Call for teachers going out.
- **Arontius in Dragon's Laire** had a former bid for 12th night 2022 with BAO and Glymm Mere; pandemic changed that, now putting together a 2023 bid, at Ocean's Shores, quote from Convention Center, Shiloh tentative for hotel due to Sale, hash out on paper for contributions, profits, losses, currently led by Dragon's Laire; showing cooperation. Eventual step towards cooperation and a regional structure. Estimating 600 people at the door, not sure if high or low. Should have a better idea after Madrone's, \$15,000 income, \$8600 profit projected, split three ways. Need to schedule some planning time, write a cooperative statement. Set up meeting with Jonnalyhn to flesh out event bid.
- **SCA overall** said June 1st for limited in person events. Set the expectations to follow our Kingdom rules, still no in person events here just yet.

- Items of a certain gravity should go through Seneschal, Baron/Baroness; comments need to be turned off; multiple posts or speculation about motives is uncalled for.
- Work from the Crown needs to come through officers without open comments
- No comments on the Customary, which means the Customary is up for a vote. Seneschal called for vote. Ratified by unanimous vote.
- Baron wanted to express to the populace that when there is a sad occasion like a banishment, that is not an occasion for cheers or comments. It's a time to nod and move on.

Action Items:

- Arontius to follow up with the Baroness
- Anita to take any needed steps for finalizing the Customary
- Francesca will continue organizing the Newcomers All Thing