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Letters from Baronial Officers



From the Seneschal:

Greetings!

July already! Time really does fly. June was full of great fun and activity for Sacred Stone. Baelfire Dunn hosted a lovely event, Drums of War. Their events are always a delight and this was no exception. The Baronial "unevent" was held and much was accomplished. Officers of the barony and the cantons had a chance to take classes and attend meetings, as did the order members and the general populace.

We also did a review of baronial policy. The revised and approved policies are being published in this edition of the newsletter, and will become effective on the date that the newsletter is made available to the populace.

Please take a few moments to read thru the policies, and if you have any questions, comments or concerns. I am always available by email at dragonfly78@gmail.com.

Yours as always,
Lady Murienne l'aloiere



From the Chronicler:

Greetings,

I would like to wish everyone a happy 4th of July.

There is a lot happening in our barony and the newsletter is a good place to keep up with what's going on. Please feel free to send me any articles that you would like to share with all of the folks in the barony. Also, if there is something you have a question about, go ahead and send your questions to me and I will do my best to find an answer for you, you never know it may be something others wanted to know but were afraid to ask. That is questions pertaining to the SCA/Barony, no I won't tell you how old I am?

I look forward to seeing all of you at up-coming events!!!

YIS,
Nuala

Baronial Business Meeting

Unevent– Jamestown United Methodist Church
26 June 2010

Officer Reports

Seneschal– There will be a review and vote of the baronial policy after the business meeting.

Exchequer– The balance of baronial funds at this time: \$ 7410.10

Chronicler- I have a new deputy chronicler– Lady Caitlin.

Heavy Marshal– Held the heavy marshal class at Unevent.

Rapier Marshal– The barony needs a new marshal. Lord Raven MacGillacuddy has had to step down due to real life issues.

Archery Marshal– A motion was made and passed to purchase two new 30 lb. loaner bows. The vote was passed to give THL Lorelei a check for \$100.00 for the purchase.

MOL– Things are running smoothly. If you need an MOL for any event please contact the baronial MOL, if she can't work the event she will find someone who can.

Chirurgion– CiC at Con Demo, very hot, but went well, After over 5 years as the baronial Chirurgion Baroness Gwynwilf will be stepping down in Dec. of this year. The barony will be excepting letters of intent to fill this position.

Coronet Report– Our cousins to the south– Windmasters Hill have joined us in our battle against the aggressors from the north (Stierbach). Congratulations to the new Baronial cavalry champion– Lord Gregor, Baronial Brewer—Lord Louis, and the new baronial War Lord– Baron Talorgen.

Canton Reports

Aire Faucon - Busy with their Highnesses, and Flight of the Falcon, Aug. 21st.

Baelfire Dunn - Had 279 at Drums, Thanks to all. Looking forward to next year.

Charlesbury Crossing - Had a great “Day on the Park” demo, 40+ SCA people attended. Planning on another on September 11th. Holding weekly fighting practices. Hunt at Charlesbury Manor in October.

Crois Brigitte—Spiked SAAD for next April.

Middlegate - Unevent went well 49 people attended. Canton has several new newcomers. Very active in Demos throughout the Barony. Always willing to help out at demos.

Baronial Business Meeting

Unevent– Jamestown United Methodist Church

26 June 2010

Continued...

Salisberie Glen - Demo for Girl scouts went well. Guntram is warranted Rapier marshal.
Thursday - A&S and Archery, Sunday - Archery and atlatl. Canton has some new comers.

Old Business

Baronial Beautification - No updates

List Fence - completed, paid for and delivered.

New Business

Novice Tourney - Calling for bids for Novice, to be held in April.

Kingdom Unevent - bid Submitted voted on & passed. Waiting to hear from Kingdom.

Winter Solstice - Submitted by CB. To be held at St. Tim's. Voted on and passed

Stakes for the Gallery dayshades - Waiting on a price quote for 24 stakes.

TW Targets - 3 built by Lady for \$121.39, Barony voted to reimburse her for the cost of the supplies. Lady E has them in her possession.

Directional Signs - \$120.00 voted on and approved for more directional signs.

Call for Letters for Chirurgeon - See pg. 7

Events

Flight of the Falcon - Aug. 21st. Free event! Donation excepted. Delicious feast will be available for a minimal fee.

SSBB - Aug. 27-29, See e-list and website for details.

Performer's Revel South - September 11th. Cost to enter is a performance. Camping space available, and it is a wet site.

WoW - Oct. 7-10. Call for volunteers, Bassi to head site clean up. Check Website for updates.

Hunt at Charlesbury Manor - Oct. 22-24 @ Camp Cherokee. Heavy fighting, archery, A&S, Bardic & Living history village.

Meetings

No meeting in July due to Pennsic, next meeting will be held on Aug. 22 at Bunker Hill High.

Call for Letters of intent for Chirurgeon

After 5 years of dedicated service to our Barony, Baroness Gwynwylf, will be stepping down as Chirurgeon in December. I think everyone will join me in offering her our thanks for all of the hard work she has done to keep our Barony safe.

This is official notice of the call for letters to fill this office. All potential candidates need to be current paid members, and warranted as a chirurgeon. They must also be able to meet any addition requirements as laid out in the Kingdom and baronial policies.

Letters should be sent to the Baron, the Seneschale and the outgoing Chirurgeon at the email addresses listed in the regnum. We will accept letters for this office until July 15th. The letters will be published in the July issue of the newsletter. The new office holder will be announced at the August Meeting, and in the September Newsletter. They will take over the office at the beginning of the year.

Thank you,
Lady Murienne

Letters of intent for Rapier Marshal

Our good friend and Baronial Rapier Marshal, Lord Raven has asked to step down due to real life issues. No worries it is nothing bad, Lord Raven has started a new and exciting career as an over the road truck driver, which makes it very hard to attend practices and meetings. The Barony is very grateful for his service as rapier marshal and hopes to see him as often as possible at events in the future.

This means that we are in need of a new Baronial Rapier Marshal. This is official notice of the call for letters to fill this office. All potential candidates need to be current paid members, and warranted as a rapier marshal. They must also be able to meet any addition requirements as layed out in the Kingdom and baronial policies.

Letters should be sent to the Baron, the Seneschale, and the outgoing Rapier Marshal at the email addresses listed in the regnum. We will accept letters for this office until July 15th. The letters will be published in the July issue of the newsletter. The new office holder will be announced at the August Meeting, and in the September Newsletter.

Thank you,
Lady Murienne
Seneschale

I. BARONIAL POLICIES

A. The Barony of the Sacred Stone, its Baronial Coronet, its Officers, and its Populace wish to clarify and codify the procedures by which this, our Barony, operates. To this effect, we have written the following set of Baronial Policies specifying the methods which we employ to govern ourselves.

1. In all cases, these Baronial Policies shall be consistent with Atlantian Law and Corpora. If such conditions should arise where there may be conflict those documents shall always supersede this Charter. This set of policies shall be amended from time to time to conform to both Atlantian Law and Corpora.

B. Changes to the Baronial Policies.

1. The Baronial Policies can be amended or altered by the Barony of the Sacred Stone at any time, provided:

a. All proposed changes to the Baronial Policies shall be published in the Baronial Newsletter the month of the meeting in which they will be discussed and/or voted upon.

b. No changes shall be made or acted upon without the approval of the Baronial Meeting.

2. Changes shall not be effective until such time as they are published in the Baronial Newsletter.

II. THE BARONY

A. For the purposes of these policies, the Barony of the Sacred shall be defined by, but is not limited to, all those geographical regions specified by the Atlantian Law and Corpora to be within the Barony.

1. In addition, any such individuals who have petitioned in writing for, and been granted, baronial citizenship shall be considered to be part of the Barony, except in the matters of Baronial Coronet Pollings and/or Pollings of Confidence.

a. Such petitions shall be made in writing to the Baronial Coronet and approved in Baronial Meeting.

III. THE BARONIAL CORONET

A. The Baronial Coronet shall be defined as the territorial baron and/or baroness appointed by the Crown of Atlantia.

B. The Baronial Coronets' term shall be in compliance with Atlantian Law

C. The appointment of a new Baronial Coronet shall be conducted in accordance with Atlantian Law.

IV. BARONIAL MEETING

A. A Baronial Meeting is any assemblage of the populace which is called by the Baronial Coronet in order to receive advice on the administration and governance of the Barony or for the populace to vote on such issues as are required by Policies.

B. The meeting agenda and the actual running of said meeting is the responsibility of the Baronial Seneschal.

C. Specifics of the Baronial Meeting shall be called as follows:

1. The date, time, and place for the Baronial Meeting shall be published in the Baronial Newsletter.

2. If possible, a tentative agenda will be available upon request, 7 days before a scheduled meeting.

3. Between scheduled Baronial Meetings, emergency Meetings consisting of the Baronial Council (hereby defined as the Coronet, Baronial Seneschal, Baronial Exchequer, Baronial Herald and Baronial Chronicler); may act in the Barony's best interests.

Such actions will be disclosed at the next regularly scheduled Baronial Meeting.

D. Voting members of Baronial Meeting.

1. When such issues arise where either the Baronial Coronet or Baronial Seneschal desires or the Policies requires a vote, these shall be the voting members of Baronial Meeting:

a. All paid SCA members who reside within the geographical boundaries of the Barony and those paid SCA members who have been granted Baronial Citizenship.

2. All votes conducted shall be simple majority.

V. BARONIAL OFFICERS

A. The duties of all Baronial Officers shall be defined by, and Shall not exceed, those specified by Corpora or Kingdom Law except as assigned by the Baronial Coronet through this document.

1. All other unspecified duties fall upon the Baronial Coronet or their assigns.

B. Each Baronial Officer shall be responsible for conducting their Office in such ways as to comply with the requirements of their Kingdom counterparts.

C. Each Baronial Officer shall report on the state of their office at each Baronial Meeting. Each Baronial Officer is required to attend at least one Baronial Meeting per quarter, or provide a proxy and report to the Baronial Seneschal and Coronet no later than 48 hours prior to the baronial meeting. Non-compliance with this policy will result in a recommendation for removal being forwarded to the appropriate kingdom officer.

D. All papers (including official correspondence) and regalia accruing to any office are the property of that office and must be transferred in their entirety to any new Baronial Officer within thirty (30) days of any change of office.

E. Appointment of Baronial Officers.

1. The opening of a Baronial Office shall be made public by any, but preferably all, of the following methods:

a. Announcement at a scheduled Baronial Meeting.

b. Through written announcement in the Baronial Newsletter.

2. Persons interested in an Officer opening shall have 14 (fourteen) days in which to declare themselves a candidate for the office, in writing, to the outgoing officer, the seneschal and Coronet.

3. At the end of the 14 (fourteen) days, the list of all candidates shall be made public through the Baronial newsletter inviting written commentary from the populace to the Coronet and Seneschal.

4. After 14 (fourteen) more days, Baronial Seneschal and the Baronial Coronet will review the commentary and together select a candidate and recommend such to the Kingdom Officer for warranting.

5. At such time the warranting Kingdom officer allows, the new officer shall be publicly announced via the newsletter and the web site.

6. Due to the length of the event, no officer changes shall be made during the duration of the Pennsic war.

F. Baronial Officers may select whatever deputies they require for the duration of their office.

G. The Officers of the Barony of the Sacred Stone may consist of, but are not limited to:

1. Seneschal(e). (required by corpora)

2. Exchequer. (required by corpora)

3. Herald. (required by corpora)

4. Chronicler. (required by corpora)

5. Knights Marshal.

6. Minister of Arts and Sciences.

7. Minister of the Lists.

8. Archer Marshal.

9. Rapier Marshal.

10. Minister of Children.

11. Chatelaine.

12. Webminister.

13. Chirurgeon.

H. In addition to the duties and requirements laid out in Kingdom Law, there shall be the following:

1. Seneschal(e).

a. No additional duties.

2. Herald.

a. The Baronial Herald shall serve as a member of the Baronial Council.

3. Knight Marshal.

a. No additional duties.

4. Minister of Arts and Sciences.

a. No additional duties.

5. Exchequer.

a. The Baronial Exchequer shall adhere to the policies laid out in the official Financial Policy of Sacred Stone, as required by the Kingdom Exchequer's office.

b. The Baronial Exchequer shall serve as a member of the Baronial Council, and Financial Committee for the Barony.

6. Chronicler.

a. The Baronial Chronicler shall be responsible for taking the minutes at Baronial Meetings or designate an acceptable deputy and publish the minutes in the Baronial newsletter.

b. The Baronial Chronicler shall serve as a member of the Baronial Council.

7. Minister of the Lists.

a. No additional duties.

8. Archer Marshal.

a. No additional duties

9. Rapier Marshal.

a. No additional duties.

10. Minister of Children.

a. No additional duties.

11. Chatelaine (Castellan)

a. No additional duties.

12. Webminister

a. Shall publish the Baronial Newsletter to the Baronial website no later than the 1st of each month and/or within five (5) days of receipt of the same from the Baronial Chronicler.

13. Chirurgion

- a. No additional duties.

1VI. TRADITIONAL BARONIAL EVENTS

A. No traditional Baronial event held in the Barony of the Sacred Stone shall be sponsored by the Barony without the prior approval of both the Baronial Coronet and the Baronial Seneschal(e).

B. Traditional Baronial Events are listed as follows:

1. Baronial Birthday– Traditional Event

2. War of the Wings– Traditional Event

C. Branches or persons wishing to autocrat a traditional Baronial event must submit a bid using the Baronial Event Bid Form by the specified date for each Baronial Event to the Seneschal and Coronet.

1. The dates by which bids for the following traditional Baronial events must be received is as follows:

- a. Baronial Birthday to be held on the last weekend of August or the 2nd weekend in September is due by December 31 of the preceding year.

- b. War of the Wings will be held in October each year with the autocrat being determined by the Coronet and Baronial Seneschal upon consultation with previous WoW autocrats, if possible, no later than July 1st of the preceding year. The incoming autocrat will then become the deputy autocrat for the current year and present their staff and event bid to the Coronet and Seneschal for final approval no later than November 1st of the preceding year.

C. Branches or persons wishing to autocrat a traditional Baronial event must submit a bid using the Baronial Event Bid Form by the specified date for each Baronial Event to the Seneschal and Coronet.

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D. The Coronet and Seneschal will choose a bid and the bid that is accepted will be published in the Baronial newsletter the month following the deadline.

E. The Barony will be financially responsible for all Baronial events and all monies will be administered according to the Baronial Financial Policy, Kingdom Law and Corpora.

F. The Event Report must be completed and submitted in hard copy within fourteen (14) days of the event. It is the joint responsibility of the Event Steward/Autocrat and the Baronial Exchequer to ensure this document is accurate and complete.

VII. NON-TRADITIONAL BARONIAL EVENTS

A. No non-traditional Baronial event held in the Barony of the Sacred Stone shall be sponsored by the Barony without the prior approval of the Baronial Coronet, the Baronial Seneschal, and the Barony by majority vote at a Baronial meeting.

B. Non-traditional Baronial Events are defined as any event that may be hosted by the Barony of the Sacred Stone that is not listed as a traditional Baronial Event. The following are examples of some non-traditional events.

- Novice Tourney– Non-Traditional Event
- In a Phoenix Eye– Non-Traditional Event
- Winter Solstice– Non-Traditional Event
- Runestone Collegium-Non– Traditional Event

C. Branches or persons wishing to autocrat a non-traditional Baronial event must submit an event bid using the Baronial Event Bid Form, including preliminary budget, approximately six months prior to the date of the event to the Barony at a Baronial Meeting.

D. The bid should be posted to the Baronial e-group fourteen (14) days prior to the Baronial meeting for review of the Barony.

E. Upon approval of the Barony by majority vote at a Baronial meeting, the Coronet, and Seneschal, the approved bid will be announced at a Baronial meeting and by publication in the Baronial newsletter by the Seneschal.

F. The Barony will be financially responsible for all Baronial events and all monies will be administered according to the Baronial Financial Policy, Kingdom Law and Corpora.

G. The Event Report must be completed and submitted in hard copy within fourteen (14) days of the event. It is the joint responsibility of the Event Steward/Autocrat and the Baronial Exchequer to ensure this document is accurate and complete.

E. Upon approval of the Barony by majority vote at a Baronial meeting, the Coronet, and Seneschal, the approved bid will be announced at a Baronial meeting and by publication in the Baronial newsletter by the Seneschal.

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G. The Event Report must be completed and submitted in hard copy within fourteen (14) days of the event. It is the joint responsibility of the Event Steward/Autocrat and the Baronial Exchequer to ensure this document is accurate and complete.

VIII. WAIVING THE BARONIAL POLICIES

A. Any part of these policies can be waived under special or extreme circumstances by approval of the Coronet and Baronial Seneschal with a full accounting to be given at the next regularly scheduled Baronial meeting.

B. Any part of these policies can be waived by approval of the Barony.

WHO AM I?

How well do you know the people in our barony?

You will be given the answers to a few questions, see if you can figure out who they are.

The answer will be in next months issue of the phoenix.

1. I am a female.
2. I grew up in North Carolina
3. I am married.
4. My partner is a member of the SCA.
5. I have no children.
6. I started in the SCA in 2003.
7. I live in the northern part of the barony.
8. My interests are service, a&s, fighting.
9. I have never been a member of a different barony or kingdom.
10. Kisaiya were baron and baroness when I joined.
11. I have served as an officer in 2 cantons.
12. My persona is from England.
13. My time period of the 1200' s.

Last month' s Who Am I was
Lady Niccolina the Wanderer.
















Calendar of Events & Activities

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
27	28 Canton Meeting CB & CC	29	30 Fighter Practice MG	1 A&S / Archery SG	2	3
4 Fighter Practice SG & MG Canton Meeting MG	5	6 Canton Meeting AF	7 Fighter Practice MG	8 A&S MG	9	10
11 Fighter Practice SG & MG	12	13	14 Fighter Practice MG	15 A&S MG	16	17 Canton Meeting SG
18 Fighter Practice SG & MG	19	20	21 Fighter Practice MG	22 A&S MG	23	24
25 Fighter Practice SG & MG	26	27	28 Fighter Practice MG	29 A&S MG	30	31

AF=Aire Faucon, BD=Baelfire Dunn, CC=Charlesbury Crossing,
CB=Crois Brigte, MG=Middlegate, SG=Salesberie Glenn

Baronial Regnum

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Regnum (continued)
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