

MAY 5, 2023

Baronial Newsletter

Volume 38, Issue 5
Anno Societas LVII



IN THIS ISSUE

Baronial Meeting Minutes

April 23, 2023

page #2

From Their Excellencies

page #4

Upcoming Events

- May 5 – May 7 – *Atlantian Spring Crown Tournament*
- May 13 – *Day in the Park*
- May 13 – *On Target (Lochmere)*
- May 19 – May 21 – *Hawkwood Baronial Birthday*
- May 19 – May 21 – *Not Quite Quarterly Bragging Rights (Ritterwald)*
- May 26 – May 29 – *Ruby Joust*



Baronial Meeting Minutes

April 23, 2023

Called to order

Meeting called to order at 2:10

Their Excellencies addressed those attending the meeting.

- Crown Tourney is coming up on May 6, come and help if you can. All help is greatly appreciated with setting up and tearing down on Sunday. There is no meal plan so plan accordingly.
- Day In the Park is coming up on May 13, come and play if you can. We would like to see other Cantons do similar small events.
- Hawkwood Baronial Birthday is coming up on May 20.
- We will be at Pennsic the full two weeks.
- We will not be able to make it to Ruby Joust.
- Baronial Birthday is coming up Labor Day weekend. There will be a largess contest between Cantons. "Clash of the Cantons" – the canton with the most largess will win.

Seneschal report

- First quarter report has been filed
- Otto would like people to consider running as seneschal.
- Otto has looked at sites used in the past since 2004, they are similar to the park we are in today.
- Looking for small day events, Saturday afternoon events suggested

Chatelain report

- We have had a relatively quiet quarter.

Herald report

- We have had a quiet quarter.
- One name is progressing through the system

Exchequer report

- The quarter report has been sent in
- Approx \$27,000 in the bank

MOL report

- Things are progressing as usual
- Niccolina will MOL at Day In the Park
- An MOL is needed for SSBB
- Multiple trainings for MOL can be taken at Pennsic

MOAS

- No report

Marshall report

- Gulf Wars was a success
- The Duke Demo will be rescheduled
- Looking forward to Pennsic

Chronicler

- Thank you to those who have submitted information for the newsletter. Continue to send in research, art, and any personal projects. Message Tamara Babulski on Facebook for submissions

Minister of Minors

- Looking for one

Old Business

- Below the Salt was pulled, accepting bids for it in the fall
 - Vote on SSBB today
 - Labor Day Weekend
 - Motion to accept budget
 - Seconded by Nikki
 - Aye – 17, Nay – 1, Abstain – 2, motion passes
- Eye of the Phoenix
 - Event fee is \$14 and is pre-reg only due to site limitations with a maximum capacity of 120. The fee includes the evening social (charcuterie board), bardic, and ball. BYOB as the site is wet. There is an optional dayboard registration of \$6 which will be venison stew with a maximum capacity of 50.
 - Chronicler motioned to suspend the rules to vote on Phoenix Eye

- Chatelain seconded the motion.
 - Aye – 17, Nay – 0, Abstain – 2, motion passes to suspend the rules
 - Chatelain motioned for a vote to approve A Phoenix Eye for November 11, 2023
 - Seconded by MOL
 - Aye – 18, Nay – 0, Abstain – 1, motion passes to approve Phoenix Eye
 - Rules were reinstated and the meeting continued.
- New Business
 - SAAD is being planned for April 24, 2024.
 - A budget will be submitted next meeting; estimate of \$10 per person with a possible light feast
 - The current archery champion wants to use this event to determine the next champion.
 - Combat archery (Achbar volunteered to marshal);
 - thrown weapons (need a marshal)
 - There will be a torchlight shootout and a possible A&S component.
 - Plan to have the event spiked next month
- Announcements
 - Retainers are needed for His Excellency at Crown Tourney. Let Cassandra Manning know if you can help.
 - Lady E's elevation has been rescheduled to Memorial Day
 - Annora's husband came in second in an archery competition
 - Day In the Park
 - Bring your project
 - Fighting will be "choose your own adventure" style
 - There will be a scribal solar
 - \$10 member/ \$15 non-member

Nikki motioned to end the meeting; Cassandra seconded.
Meeting adjourned 3:17

From Their Excellencies

Greetings Sacred Stone!

Her Excellency and I find ourselves well pleased with our Barony and her Populous! Many great deeds have we witnessed in recent weeks, on marshaled fields, in wondrous studies and creations, and in selfless acts of courtesy and service. All of which pales, next to the words reaching our ears of future plans and endeavors!

Soon, Atlantia's finest will meet upon the field such that our glorious Majesties, Afshin and Yasamin, may have heirs. Please join us on the field as we support not only those from our lands, but all those noble and chivalrous combatants willing to take the field.

A scant seven days after Crown Tournament, we will leave the Tournament behind as our Canton of Charlesbury Crossing hosts A Day in the Park. The focus shifts from martial skill camaraderie, arts & sciences, and perhaps, learning new skills. There will be opportunities to make largesse for our Baronial Birthday in September. We hope to see you there.

More on that largesse: at Sacred Stone Baronial Birthday, Labor Day weekend, at Elchenburg, we invite your entries into the **Mostest Largesse Contest**. That's right - The canton which enters the most largesse wins this contest. Remember paying your canton 'taxes' at Baronial Birthday? The largesse - the work of your generosity and your nimble hands - goes into gift baskets for new royalty and baronage, award recipients, and to folks who deserve recognition for an act of art, chivalry, or service at events. At the event, you choose which canton to support and all points you earn go towards the Annual Canton Contest. The winning canton receives the precious Banner of the Cantons and bragging rights for a year!

Events your baronage will be attending

5/6/2023	Crown Tourney, Elkin
5/13/2023	Day in the Park, CC
5/20/2023	HWBB

Join us under the baronial pavilion at HWBB and Crown Tourney. Wear your baronial green & white garb! We look forward to seeing you there, you, my phavorite friendly Phoenixes!

Alain & Azza

© Barony of Sacred Stone

Statement of Ownership

This is an addendum to The Phoenix, a publication of the Barony of the Sacred Stone of the Society for Creative Anachronism, Inc. The Phoenix is available from, Lady Fyen van Amsterdam, chronicler@sacredstone.atlantia.sca.org. Subscriptions are free as all publications are available electronically. This newsletter is not a corporate publication of the Society for Creative Anachronism, Inc., and does not delineate SCA policies. © Copyright 2021, Society for Creative Anachronism, Inc. For information on reprinting letters and artwork from this publication, please contact the Baronial Chronicler, who will assist you in contacting the original creator of the piece. Please respect the legal rights of our contributors.

Baronial Webpage Address: <http://sacredstone.atlantia.sca.org/>

New E-List for Sacred Stone: Sacredstone@googlegroups.com. Please go to the Baronial website and the link to join the e-list is under "About Us".