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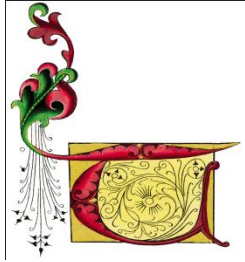
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The Lochmere Business Meeting was held at the Severna Park Library on the 6th of December at 7:15 p.m. Attendance was excellent with 29 adults and children!

Their Excellencies: Her Excellency attended Unevent. A request has gone out for each Barony to provide a historical display for the Atlantian 30 year celebration. Lord Santiago volunteered to put together a display. There will be an inter-baronial display. Anyone with recommendations, please contact Her Excellency.

Exchequer – Sir Aelfred was commended at Unevent for getting his reports in ahead of deadlines! He will be closing out the existing bank account and opening a new one due to a new Maryland law. Those who have checks from the Barony, please cash them to assist in this process. The fighter practice site fee is due for the January – March time frame. Cost is \$300.00

Arts & Sciences – Mistress Arianna is stepping down effective this meeting with her becoming the Seneschal for the Barony. Lady Lisette will be the new Minister of Arts and Sciences (MOAS). The Lochmere Bardic Circle will be Saturday, December 11th at 6:30 p.m. at Master Corun's home. Directions will be sent to the list.

There will be four A&S categories at the January Event: Medieval sweets, Medieval winter, Medieval toys (sponsored by Mistress Sigrid) and Medieval performance. Their Excellencies will choose their Baronial Champion at this Event.

Reading - Midsummer Nights' Dream cold read through will be at Mistress Arianna's home on January 22nd at 6:30 p.m. It is a pot-luck. Scripts are online for those who would like them.

Library Night – January 24th, hosted by Their Excellencies

Brewing - The next brewing session is Sunday, December 12th at Lord Misha's.

Vocal Music Guild – Rehearsing this Thursday at 7:15 and will perform at the Bardic on Saturday. Looking for volunteers!

Heavy Marshal – NtR

Rapier Marshal – NtR

Archery Marshal – Official hand off between Lord Aeddán and Baroness Dealla is not complete yet, but will happen.

Chiurgeon – End of Year report is in.

Minister of the List - NtR

Herald – Lady Madeleine Rose de Cardebille is the new Herald. She is assisting with two names and one badge.

Chronicler – NtR

Web Minister – Lord Santiago discussed new forms that must be in use by January 1st; for any pictures on a website or in a newsletter. One form will cover both the Web Minister and Chronicler positions. If you have persona biographies that you'd like to see placed on the website, please send to Santiago.

Chancellor Minor – Lady Christiana will be coordinating Children's Activities at the January Event. Those wishing to check a child in at the children's corners *must* be the legal guardian.

Chatelaine – Lady Shannon would like to step into the Deputy role due to her mundane work schedule. If you are interested in the Chatelaine position, please contact our Seneschal, Mistress Arianna Morgan. From Unevent – a more visible presence by the Chatelaine's office is recommended at Events with the individual wearing an identifying badge. Our Newcomers recently held at an Event with a tour was well received. They are also looking for a Chatelaine volunteer for 30-year celebration. Recommended to have loaner garb available at Events. Only a Seneschal or the Event Autocrat can request people leave the Event.

Newcomers Night. This will combine with Library Night in January until a new Chatelaine is designated.

Seneschal – Mistress Arianna's warrant was official as of Saturday, December 4th. December 6th is the last day to register via ACCPS for 12th Night.

Database: Recently it was suggested by Lord Gabrell that we should have a database with site information available. Lord Gabrell volunteered to coordinate the project and will report the progress at each meeting. Lord Erich will assist in building the database. Anyone who would like to volunteer or provide information for the database, please contact Lord Gabrell.

Seneschal cont.

From Unevent:

There will be a major re-write of laws in the next six months with changes at corporate level.

Regarding Events: If you are an Autocrat, you must have an open and closing time of an Event in the announcement. Everyone on site, including staff must troll in.

Autocrats are acting as Deputy Seneschals at Events.

Fighter Practice – Good idea for Chiurgeons to know where the local ER is.

Official SCA Activity – What constitutes an official activity? If two or more people, announced at a meeting, another event *or* online – it's official! More information regarding language to follow.

Membership rates will be increasing in the new year.

OLD BUSINESS

Midwinter Rebel – January 15th! Site opens at 10:00, set up beginning at 8:00.

There will be classes in knitting, sewing, banner making. Banners and table cloths are needed, if anyone has them, please bring to the Event.

Right on the Town – Contract is filled out, will have name put on it and have in place soon.

Baronial Birthday – Working on obtaining a contract.

Right on the Town 2012 – Mistress Arianna would love to train a new Autocrat. If interested, contact her offline.

NEW BUSINESS

Fighter Practice Site - His Excellency would like the populace to look for a new fighter practice site. There is a problem with the current site closing on random days, which results in no practice. He would like to see something with consistent openings. A large site centrally located is ideal. The cost of the current site is \$45 per night.

