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Officer Positions Needed

Please contact the Seneschal

Family Activities Coordinator
Deputy Exchequer
Deputy Scribe

Note from the Chronicler

I'm always looking for contributions for upcoming newsletters. Please contact me if you have anything you would like to share.

-Isabel atte Grene

JULY TAVERN REPORT

Call to order: 7:33pm

Welcome Newcomers

Words from our Baron/Baroness:

Silverwolf and the baronial changeover are coming. Please join us for fun and celebration. Coronation was fun. Avacal's bullying policy has now been enacted.

Our new Seneschal Serenity will be taking over next month. Thank you Adelheid for your years of service. Our six years have been amazing, we will miss this role but look forward to new adventures. It has been our honour to be here for you.

Office Reports

Seneshal: Adelheid

Thank you Reme and Divera for your faith, trust and support over the past two years. Thank you to the officers for all of your hard work and dedication to the offices you hold, we couldn't have weathered the change to a Kingdom, supporting Crown's and keeping the Barony and the SCA with your presence and contributions. We are an amazing community full of diversity and conviction. It has been a pleasure to serve as your Seneschal for the past two years, the growth we made as a group is truly inspiring. Thank you.

We have a new anti-bullying policy across the Kingdom of Avacal. There is a copy here if anyone wants to have a look, it can also be found at avacal.org.

JUNE DATES

4 – CANCELLED

7 – Tavern 7-10

11 – CANCELLED

14 – Community Activities 7-10

18 – Community Activities 12-3

21 – Community Activities 7-10

25 – Community Activities 12-3

28 – Community Activities 7-10

Upcoming Events:

Silverwolf – June 9-11 – Borealis

Quad War – June 29 – Jul 3 – Bordergate

Chatelaine: Jenette wen Moyen

No demos yet, we've been seeing a lot of new comers at Tavern and some at Crown.

Gold Key: Coryn of the Woode

Nothing to report.

Exchequer: Daliah

Financial Meeting

Call to order: 19:00

Attending: Anne Harwood, Joe Turner, Mark Belcourt, Nerissa Hymers, Jackie Rudyk, Reme Rudyk,

Kristina Jarvis, Tammy Muise, Robert Simpson, Vickie Feyrer-Foster

Event updates and bids:

- Silverwolf – Happening June 9-11.

- September Crown 2017 – Outhouse quotes are in, but nothing new to report.

Reimbursements:

n/a

Branch Purchases / Expenses

n/a

New items

- Grande TUA and Kingdom & Championship to be held April or May 2018. Estimated expenses of 500, \$25.00 per head but will ask for variance of \$20,

i. Looking to do a bottle drive for funding

ii. Using both levels of school (same site as TUA 2017)-awaiting confirmation

iii. Asking for Baronial support to be host for event, but will ask for

volunteer support from other Baronies

Motion by Nerissa to approve the Grand Tua and Kingdom Arts and Science Championship as

sponsored by Borealis and hosted by Bitter End for the 2018 year, event stewards to be Sadb Ingen Thuathall and Inga in hraustliga. Seconded by Robert. Passed.

Banking information:

Outstanding cheques:

i. \$450 X2, chqs 212 and 216, Village of Warburg, Silverwolf and Sept Crown hall rental

ii. \$250 X2, chqs 214 and 218, Village of Warburg, Silverwolf and Sept Crown damage deposits

iii. \$40, chq 227, SCA-Avacal, NMR fees for Spring TUA

Total outstanding chqs: \$1940.00

Spreadsheet with monthly balances attached.

Current bank balance: as at June 7/17: \$18357.90

Close meeting: 19:18

Knight Marshal: Ansgar Stonebreaker

No injuries/failures. There have been some unofficial outdoor practices.

Youth Combat Officer: Peregrine

Last weekend was the Kingdom Youth Championship. Great to see the skill and chivalry of our youth.

Minister of Fence: Mika

May was slow so not much for "Official" practices. Silverwolf is coming up and I look forward to a great tournament to find our new Champion. Congratulations to Sam for being an awesome Champion. No injuries, nothing broken.

Minister of Arrows: Lochlainn

Practices are going well, we are seeing an average of 10-15 people. Some broken arrows but no other equipment failures. Get your practice in and see you this weekend.

Minister of A&S: Phillippe

A&S is on hiatus during community activities for the summer. Bring all of your projects to Silverwolf, finished or not. We encourage youth to participate, if you know of anyone please bring them out. Thank

you to Adelheid, Reme, and Divera for your support of A&S through your tenure.

Herald: Johannes

If you have a device you need help with, please contact anyone in the college of heralds.

Chronicler: Isabel

Nothing to report.

Scribe: Kora

Yule feast will be my last event. If you are interested in being a deputy, please let me know.

Web Minister: Kseniia

Website is going well, new newsletters have been added.

Continued Business

Silverwolf 2017 – Update

There will be Youth Armoured Practice, A&S displays in the hall, a Russian feast by the Borealis Culinary Guild, Championship for Heavy, Rapier, and Archery. Feast pre-registration ends tomorrow. We still need help with setup and cleanup. Please contact Desi to help with gate.

September Crown 2017 – Update

Happening @ Warburg. There will be a hall, camping, and showers. Need volunteers, if you are interested please see Adelheid or Divera.

Yule 2017 – Bids Open

Please get your bids in.

New Business

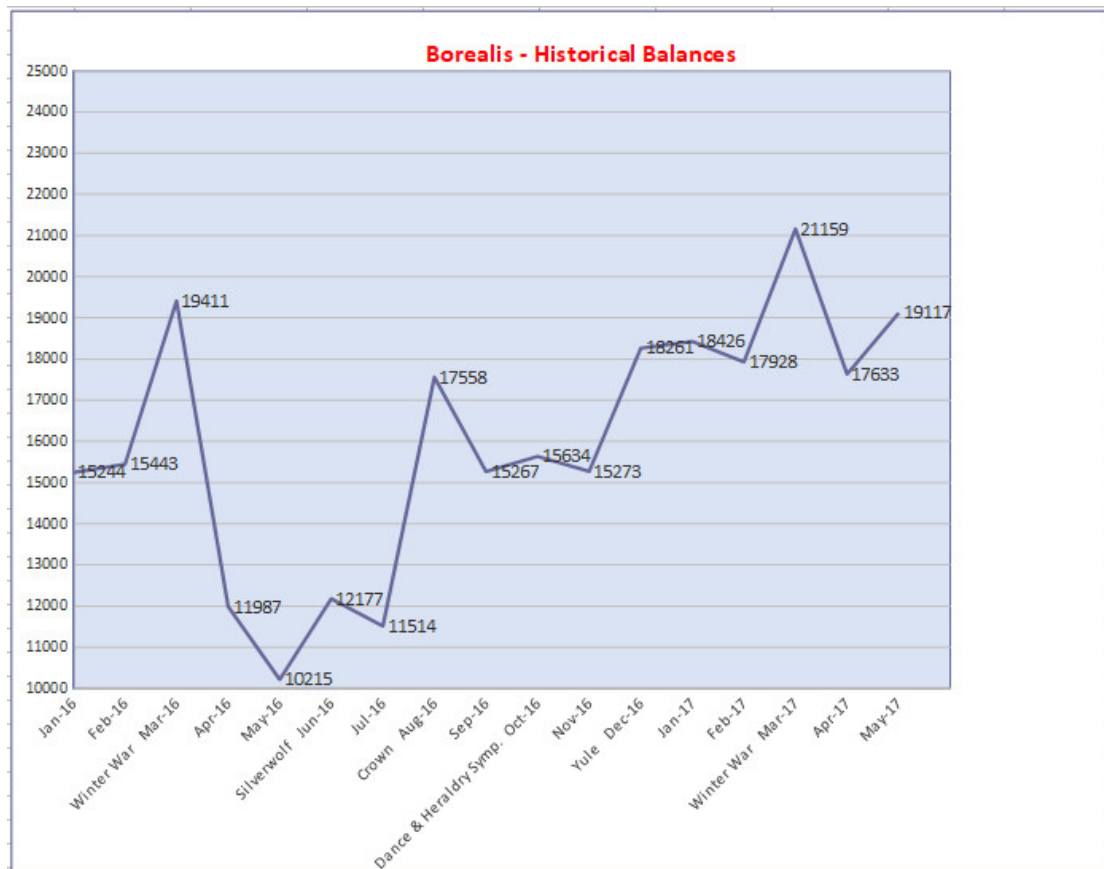
Bardic Champion Mariagh – There will be a bardic participation event at Silverwolf. The last bardic gathering at my place will be June, we will resume after summer. There is a TUA acting class in the

Yamadi – Festival of Trees has contacted us. Please

let me know if you are interested in participating.

"Oh, By the Way" – n/a

Meeting adjourned: 8:05pm



UPCOMING EVENTS

Dragonslayer

Date: July 7 - 9

Location: Emerson Bridge Campground

Avacal Tir Righ War - CANCELED

Date: July 28 - 30

Location: Salmon Arm Fairgrounds

Sergeant's Trials

Date: August 11 - 13

Location: Quad Site near Marsden, SK

Whipping Winds

Date: August 18 - 20

Location: Williamson Park

Valley War

Date: August 25- 27

Location: Rankins Campground, SK

Summer Crown

Date: September 1 - 4

Location: Warburg, AB

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MONTHLY CALENDAR

Borealis Community Activities

Dance, Bardic, Armoured, Rapier, YAC, and A&S

Alberta Avenue Community Hall
9210 - 118 Ave

JULY

- 2 - CANCELLED (Quad War, Bordergate)
- 5 - Tavern 7-10
- 9 - CANCELLED (Dragonslayer, Montengarde)
- 12 - CANCELLED
- 16 - Community Activities 12-3
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