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The Bull, please include release
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are available in the links to the right.*

Want to help the Barony??

*Please reach out to the officer
responsible for that activity or
contact the Seneschal.*

Chronicler Forms for Submissions

- Society Chronicler forms FAQ:
<https://www.sca.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/12/ReleaseFormsFAQsPRINT.pdf>
- Release form for writing or artwork:
<https://www.sca.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/12/ReleaseCreativeFillable.pdf>
- Release form for photographs:
<https://www.sca.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/12/ReleasePhotographerFillable.pdf>
- Release form for models (the subject of your artwork or photograph):
<https://www.sca.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/12/ReleaseModelFillable.pdf>

☞ A&S Class: Weaving for All Ages ☞
☞ by Rita Die Perle Von Der Wetterau ☞

We will be weaving to make:



a pouch



, a bag

, etc.

We will provide cardboard, non-stretching yarn, cotton string, and pins. If you would like to bring your own weaving project or any materials, you are welcome to do so.

The activity will be held on January 18, 2024, from 19:00 to 21:00 at:

Bethel Lutheran Church (Room B5).
8712 Plantation Ln., Manassas, VA 20110.



☞ Baronial Business Meeting Notes: December 12 ☞

Meeting called to order at 7:09 pm by Seneschal, Þorgrímr kráka.

Officers Present:

Baronial Coronet (Baronage)

- **Baron:** Wulff Nuremberger
- **Baroness:** Genefe Wölfelin

Baronial Officers

- **Seneschal:** Þorgrímr kráka
 - *Deputy Seneschal:* Lady Jenefer de Winter
- **Herald:** Noble Ahmed Mustafa (x)
- **Knight Marshal:** Lord James of Carinthia (x)
- **Minister of Arts & Sciences:** Lady Cynthia Anne of Silver Lakes
- **Chancellor of the Exchequer:** Lord Dunstan Stonehill
- **Chronicler:** Barún Séamus the Shameless
- **Chatelaine:** Lord Johannes Reinhardt von Falkenstein (x)
 - *Deputy Chatelaine:* Lady Aygul bint Umar Bey Al-Aydin
- **Quartermaster:** Lord Magnus Dunbar
- **Minister of the Lists (MoL):** Maestreas Brianna Morgan of the Valley
- **Webminister:** Master Richard Wymarc

Total populace in attendance: 19 Online.

Words from their Excellencies:

- Their Excellencies (TE) request award nominations from the populace.
- Great Event last month!!
- 12th Night is the weekend of Jan 1 in the far south of the kingdom.

- A Meet & Greet of Candidates for Baronial Coronet will take place Thursday, December 14.
- TE are confident things are good.
 - Practices are happening.
 - A&S activities are happening.

Officer Reports:

Seneschal:

- UNevent: If there is a problem at an event (behavioral, etc.), notify any Seneschal or email: seneschal@stierbach.atlantia.sca.org
 - Officers report to the Kingdom officer, not to the Seneschal.
 - Event Stewards must be warranted as Deputy Seneschals.
 - Must use Kingdom email account for your office.
 - Bullying Policy: Being reworked to address loopholes.
 - All official sites must include the official language.
 - Events and official acts must be included in the following: Newsletter (*The Bull*), List Serve (*The Moo*), Website, & the Kingdom newsletter (*The Acorn*).
- Curia: Anyone is welcome to attend but only Baronage and Seneschals may speak.
 - Questions of concerns for the Crown should be sent to the Baronage or to the Seneschal.
- Next Event: Defending the Gate.
- Investiture of our new Baronial Coronet will take place at Defending the Gate.
 - To participate in the polling, the populace will need ESP accounts.
 - Visit: polling.sca.org to request an account.

- Set their official SCA Membership mailing address to a Stierbach ZIP code.
- Social Media Officer: Who wants it?

Exchequer:

- Financial Committee: No Votes.
- Bank Account Activities: Wrote final checks for Holiday Faire
- Reimbursed
 - Wulff: \$53.66 for Mini Pearl bins
 - Wulff: \$142.01 B&B Travel to Crown Tourney.
- Events: Completed Holiday Faire
 - Merchants
 - 50 Merchants pre-registered.
 - 45 Merchants attended.
 - Gate
 - 345 Adults attended.
 - 12 Youth attended.
 - 8 Children attended.
 - 96 Non-Members attended.
 - Financials
 - 1 Refund processed.
 - Total Income: \$7,493.00
 - Total Expenses: \$6,848.55
 - Total Gain: \$+664.45
 - Silent Auction: \$924.50
- Other Items
 - Outstanding Reimbursements
 - Fredericksburg Business Licenses: \$330.00
 - Fredericksburg Business License payment in limbo.
 - Fee might be \$10 per merchant.
 - Will add amount to merchant fees next year.
 - Dunstan will ask where to add this in the Qtr. Report.
 - Calverton Self Storage: Approx. \$2,400.00
 - Checks for \$1,038.70
 - Bank Balance: \$37,455.93

Account Status (as of Nov 30)

- Wells Fargo: \$0 (Closed)
 - No Change
- First Citizens: \$38,494.63
 - +\$8,837.50 Gain.
 - -\$5,500.41 Loss.
 - +\$3,337.09 Change.

Baronial Funds (as of Nov 30)

- General Fund: \$24,271.36
 - +\$1,224.50 Gain.
 - -\$378.55 Loss.
 - +\$845.95 Change.
- Archery: \$2,292.16
- Baronial B-Day: \$0
- B&B Travel: \$432.90
 - -\$142.01 (Reimbursement)
- Camping: \$1,953.53
- Cooks' Guild: \$109.14
- Holiday Faire: \$8,158.15
 - +\$7,613.00 Gain.
 - -\$4,979.85 Loss.
 - +\$2,633.15 Change.
- Silk Banners: \$0
- St. Anne's Guild: \$488.08
- Travel Thrones: \$600.00
- War Walls \$331.32
- **Total: \$38,494.63**

Quartermaster:

Nothing new to report.

Chatelaine:

- As reported by Aygul.
 - Spoke to about 15 people.
 - Rebuilding Gold Key.
 - Will reach out to Kingdom Chatelaine to ask about reports.
 - Canton of Sudentorre – loaned the Barony Gold Key.
 - Gold Key: Discussion:
 - A new approach: Other Baronies gave away Gold Key items to new people who had a good fit.
 - They plan to use simple tabards for new people who

can throw them over their modern clothing.

- It is easier to track tabards (same appearance) and help people identify newcomers.
- Newcomer tabards should be different than Baronial tabards.

Chronicler:

- Large edition of The Bull came out in November. Please take a look!! Next large edition: March 2024
- Please submit items (stories, photos, etc.) for inclusion in The Bull.
- Want to learn about the Chronicler position? Ask me for more info.
 - I plan to give duties of interest to deputies and others who help.
- Séamus plans to include interviews of the populace in the newsletter.
- Please submit Photo, Model, and Creative Works releases to Séamus:
 - chronicler@stierbach.org

Minister of the Lists:

- Nothing new to report.

Minister of Arts & Sciences:

- Great A&S Meeting!! Newcomers stepped up to host and teach!!
- How to get A&S to serve both sides of the Barony
 - December 28: A&S will be online through Zoom.
 - January 18: A&S will will host a Basic Weaving at Bethel Evangelical Lutheran Church
 - Address: 8712 Plantation Ln., Manassas, VA 20110.
 - Web: bethelmanassas.org.
 - Thank you, Rita, for the flyer!!
- Warrant expires in January 2024. Cynthia will not continue in office but will assist whoever takes over.

- Runa might be default MOAS.
- Rita will help as a Deputy MOAS.
- Cynthia will stick around to help.
- Planning 2 A&S nights for largess (for Baronial Coronet to bestow).

Webminister:

- Website is up.
- Letters of Intent were published.
- Knight Marshal Email does not go anywhere. Need to update to forward to the Knight Marchal's email.
 - Emails are stored on Gmail.
 - Date, Time, and Details included.

New Business:

- Possible Demo: Family Fun Day at an Ice Cream place in Front Royal, VA with a theme of knights and such?
- Demo on January 20 at the Fredericksburg Fairgrounds. Demo will proceed as a fighter practice.
- Motion to reimburse Teagan of Anglesy (Lesley Brown) not to exceed \$700.00 (pending an invoice from Fredericksburg Fairgrounds).
 - Motion: Jenefer de Winter.
 - Second: Cynthia Anne of Silver Lakes.
 - Ayes: 14; Naes: 0; Abstain: 5.
 - Motion passed.

Words from the Baronage:

- Please submit award recommendations!!
- Have a happy holiday with friends and family – or else!!

Our next meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 9, at 7 pm on Zoom.

Meeting adjourned at 8:20 pm.

⌘ Scheduled Practices, Classes, and Meetings ⌘

Baronial Business Meeting

When: 7 pm, 2nd Tuesday of the month

Where Virtually: [Click Here!! \(Zoom\)](#)

Meeting ID: 893 0767 7595

Passcode: 683367

Contact the Stierbach Seneschal at seneschal@stierbach.atlantia.sca.org for more information.

NOTE: Baronial Business Meetings will be held exclusively online via Zoom. There is no physical meeting location.

Stierbach Website:

- Barony of Stierbach: <https://stierbach.atlantia.sca.org/>

Stierbach List Serve:

- “The Moo”
- <http://lists.stierbach.org/listinfo.cgi/moo-stierbach.org>.

Stierbach on Facebook:

- **Facebook Page:** www.facebook.org/stierbach.
- **Facebook Group:** Please search Facebook for “Barony of Stierbach” to find the Facebook group.

Sudentorre Business Meeting

When: 3rd Tuesday of the month

Contact the Canton of Sudentorre Seneschal for more information.
(585) 309-3282

Newcomers:

New to the Barony? Welcome!!

Please Contact our Chatelaine (Newcomer Liaison) Lord Reinhardt or his Deputy Lady Aygul bint Umar Bey al-Aydin at chatelaine@stierbach.atlantia.sca.org for more information.

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