

Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: 7/21/23

Started At: 7:01 pm

Attended: chatelaine, knights marshal, (deputy) seneschal, baroness, herald, webminister, barb, wynne, Baron Graham.

Officer Reports

Chatelain: There is a demo the week after Pennsic on Sunday 8/20 from 11am-5pm. We currently have dancers, armored/rapier fighters, A&S, bards scheduled. If you would like to join, please reach out to our MOAS to ensure you have space that meets your demo needs as space inside is limited. Please bring your own chair. Set up is currently planned to start at 9am or 9:30am for outside activities, about 10am for inside activities. Most activities (including A&S) will be planned to be set up outside. Quarterly report was completed last month.

Chronicler: The Yeoman went out yesterday; thank you all for your patience for the mix up on the month listed in the email!

Knights Marshal: We had a fighter practice & armor repair party on Sunday, 7/16. We made 46 ballista bolts! The Bright Hills ballista is ready to go for Pennsic. For everyone going to the field at Pennsic: please bring water. If you don't plan to use it, donate it to the hospitality tent. Also, please bring a mask in case we have air quality issues.

Web Minister: The Yeoman has been posted on the website. Calendar updates will be added; there are archery events coming up in the next few months that are not yet on the Baronial Google calendar. The Bright Hills Pennsic Gathering will be added to the calendar (8/7/23 at W13, Blackstar camp, 7pm).

Seneschal: Mia's deputy warrant has been submitted to the kingdom; she can now be added to the Yeoman and on the website.

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Exchequer: Quarterly reports have been submitted. We have received additional info about donations for prizes: If a piece is more than a few hundred dollars, it requires corporate approval. There is a deadline of July 31st to add the new Kingdom exchequer as a signatory. Reminder to not use Google Docs for spreadsheets and it corrupts the equations supporting the sheets.

MoAS: The Cooks Guild met on Sunday June 11 at the Baltimore Bowmen. The Cooks Guild is preparing food for a reception to be held at House Black Star on the first Monday of War Week at Pennsic. Preparations for Trial by Fire and Baronial Birthday were also discussed.

The Needles and Fiber group, sponsored by Aymée Joslin, met at Deirdre's house on Saturday, June 17. Four people attended and worked on various sewing projects. Aymée Joslin brought information on Roman garb to share. Aymée Joslin obtained an invitation for the Needle & Fiber Guild to attend Domesticity Fabric Store's first Friday Sewcial on Friday July 7 from 6:00 to 9:00 pm at 4313 Harford Road, Baltimore, MD 21214. Everyone interested in needle and fiber arts is invited.

The Bright Hills archery marshalls (Gordon, Robert, Eadgyth and Wulfgar) are teaching a 3-class series on arrow making facilitated by Eadgyth the Archer. Gordon is running point for the first class this Sunday at 12:30 pm and will be helping with the second session. Eadgyth and/or Wulfgar and Robert are teaching sessions two and three. The second class will be 7/16 at 11:30 am and the third is scheduled for July 30 starting at 1:00 pm. All classes are at the Baltimore Bowmen.

Sindara is creating necklaces from beads, Scholastica is telling stories online, Tatiana is working on various items of larges, and I am working on lightweight Roman garb for Pennsic. As always, I want to hear about what you're doing with A&S.



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Events

Bright Hills Birthday: We discussed the bid for Baronial Birthday; the bid was unanimously approved, but the Exchequer still has some concerns about the deposit and the site fee being potentially incorrect. There are also some fixes required for the breakeven attendance numbers. We also need clarification on who will be attending free. These clarifications will be provided, and any major changes will be approved when they are presented. “Any turnip is nasty.” – Baron Graham

Trial By Fire & Lochmere Arrow: Planning is going well. The website is set up and event details are being added. Dame Wynne is seeking information about a potential competition for beverages & drinks. Wanda is planning to add in the information for SCORS for preregistration.

Old Business. None.

New Business. None.

Next meeting: Thursday 8/24 7pm (virtual)

Adjourn: 7:50pm

A Note from Your Chronicler.

Thank you all, loyal readers of the Yeoman! You may notice that this new format is a tad bit different from what we have seen in the past—but fear not! All the trusty information is still inside.

This format will focus on the essentials for our Baronial newsletter, giving the bones for future growth. If there is something you would like to see, please feel free to reach out to me at:

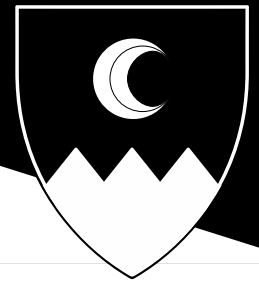
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It is my hope that this version of the Yeoman will bring you all the things you need to stay up-to-date with the Barony of Bright Hills. Living a double life (both mundanely and in the SCA) is no small feat, as many of you know! This next chapter of the Yeoman will focus on getting you the information swiftly, so no one is left in the dark. ☺

YIS,
Lady Dagný



Pictured above: Lady Dagný reads by the light of a lantern at Pennsic 50. Wishing light to the populace of Bright Hills!



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