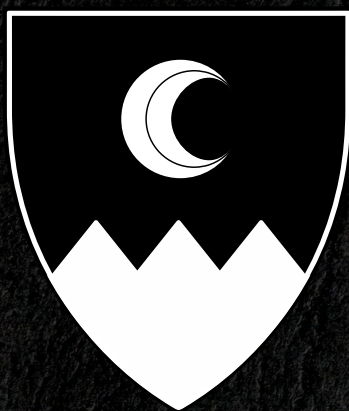


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# The Neoman



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## Meeting Minutes

**Meeting Date:** 11/21/2024

**Started At:** 7:09 pm

**Attended:** Seneschal, Baroness, MoL, Herald, Web Minister, Target Archery Marshal (TAM), Birthday event steward, Chronicler, deputy Chatelain, members of the populace.

## Officer Reports

**Chatelain:** Nothing new to report.

**Chronicler:** Updated version of October Yeoman went out last month with expanded financial information.

**Exchequer:** Request to change our bank accounts has been posted. We have talked to Kingdom and gotten approval. If anyone has questions, please reach out to Clara and Bec.

**Herald:** Heraldic doings in the Barony:

At Crown Tourney, Lady Katheryne aff Kringskiep received a Coral Branch at afternoon court and Meleri Athro & Aelfwyn the Mouse, both of Spiaggia received Coral Branches at feast at Crown

During afternoon Court at Crown, Dame Daniela Schwartzhaupt became a Named Herald within the College of Arms.

Dame Wynne ferch Rhodri ran the heraldic consult table at Holiday Faire.

For myself, I processed with Their Excellencies and announced them at Crown Tournament and was one of the main field heralds for the tournament itself.

Additionally, since I was lacking a herald-at-large tabard for use while calling the tourney, I made a heraldic collar using some discarded shield shaped tassets from an armor project.

## Meeting Minutes, cont.

**Herald (con't):** I painted two of them with the green and yellow crossed trumpets herald's badge (worn at the shoulders) and one was painted with the Atlantian Herald's ensign (Atlantia's wavy counterchanged field with crossed yellow trumpets) and worn on the front. These were attached to a maille collar/standard.

**Knights Marshal:** I have nothing to report at this time, I was not able to make the last practice at the bowman. But I understand there was one and there were 4 people in armor.

I see that we have practices on the Schedule for December 1, 15, and the 29th. I believe I can make the first two but would ask that we cancel and remove the December 29th from the calendar.

Dec. 29<sup>th</sup> has been cancelled.

If possible, we should measure the pavilion during the gathering on 12/1.

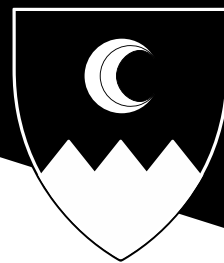
**TAM:** We have had a few well attended target archery practices in October and November. We had a practice last Saturday with 12 people a few of which were new which is great to see. Our last practice of the year will be 12/15 at the Bowmen. Currently no practices are scheduled for next year.

**MoAS:** Report forthcoming.

**MoL:** Nothing to report.

**Web Minister:** Planning to work some email updates and fixes this week.

**Seneschal:** Unevent is coming up; the schedule has been released via email. Most sessions are on Saturday 12/7 from 9-5. Sunday it will go from 12-5. Main things on Sunday include archery topics, MoL meeting, a few Order meetings (Sea Stag, Pelican, Golden Lance). Please make plans to attend your assigned meetings or have a designated deputy to attend.



## Meeting Minutes, cont.

**Youth Minister:** Nothing new to report.

**B&B (Baroness):** Planning to attend Unevent. Next step will be to send out requests for award recommendations for birthday.

**B&B (Baron):** No report (not in attendance).

### Events

**Birthday:** Budget was sent out prior to yesterday's scheduled meeting time. Clara has reviewed and approves the budget. Motion to accept the budget. Motion passed.

We still need volunteers for archery and rapier. We also need a merchant coordinator.

We will need to get the insurance certificate.

Dame Wynne will be the head cook. The Cooks' Guild has begun to plan the menu.

We do have a few possible donations that would work as prizes depending on what our planned competitions will be.

We can arrive onsite as early as 6:30.

**Twelfth Night:** Options for Barony 12<sup>th</sup> Night: 1/3 or 1/10. Leaning towards 1/10. We have a lead at a site in Timonium and are waiting on an estimate. Expecting ~\$450, which is a decent price compared to other options. The hall has a full kitchen and plenty of parking. Since this is an activity and not a formal event, it will be covered by the Barony & donations. Are we comfortable covering this expense? We have ~\$300 in donations already to help offset the cost. Motion passed unanimously to move forward with the quote when it arrives.

## Meeting Minutes, cont.

### Old Business (none)

### New Business

**Baroness:** When we went to Crown, Spiaggia gave tours around the 4H facility right across the bridge. The Baroness has pictures of the site and will post to the officers' group. We might consider it as a site in the future and came at a reasonable price. It has quite a nice kitchen and other amenities as well.

**Next Meeting:** 12/18/24 at 7 pm (virtual)

**Adjourn:** 7:40 pm

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### Electronic Connection

The Baronial website is available at:  
<http://brighthills.atlantia.sca.org/>

The new baronial Facebook page is located at:  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/brighthills/>

The Yeoman On-Line  
<http://brighthills.atlantia.sca.org/yeoman/yeoman.html>

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## Upcoming Baronial Events & Activities

Baronial Gathering | *December 1, 2024, 12:30-4pm*

See Baronial Calendar for info | Baltimore Bowmen, Glen Arm, MD

UnEvent | *December 7-8, 2024*

See Kingdom Calendar for info

Baronial Gathering | *December 15, 2024, 12:30-4pm*

See Baronial Calendar for info | Baltimore Bowmen, Glen Arm, MD

Baronial Archery Practice | *December 15, 2024, 1-3:30pm*

See Baronial Calendar for info | Baltimore Bowmen, Glen Arm, MD

Baronial Business Meeting | *December 18, 2024, 7pm*

See Baronial Calendar for info | Virtual

Baronial Twelfth Night | *January 10, 2024 (Date Tentative)*

See Baronial Calendar for info | Site TBD (Likely Timonium, MD)

Bright Hills Birthday | *February 8, 2024*

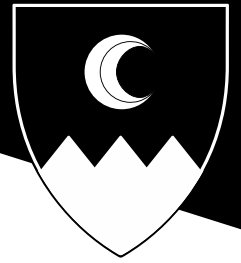
More details forthcoming | Manchester, MD

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Full Baronial Calendar of Events

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