

Canton of Tanwayour

1 November 2015

Present: Mistress Ellyn of Tanwayour, THL Eibhlin an Ucaire, Lady Agnes Wurtman, Lord Ketill rauðskeggr, and Lord Michael de la Fenne.

Minutes recorded by Lord Ketill rauðskeggr.

Officer Reports

Seneschal: “Meeting is now in session. No one can go to the bathroom.” We didn’t do our presentation at LE, and we don’t have a venue for this month’s A&S so it will probably be at my house if I can get it cleaned up. We currently don’t have a table for Winter Arts, but will discuss that under A&S.

Arts & Sciences: The Canton taught a class in sprang at Leif Erickson Tourney. Three students attended. To the best of the A&S officer's knowledge this is the first time in a very long time that a sprang class has been offered at a tournament in Calafia.

The Canton's October A&S night had six people in attendance. Two students wrapped up their sprang drawstring bags as follow up to the Leif Erickson class. Two students learned to make a mesquite and hibiscus mead (emulating the recipe that finished third in the wine and mead division at the 2014 Potrero War brewing competition). Lord Ketill rauðskeggr taught lucet cording. Lady Genvieve De La Marre shared her vinegar that took the grand prize at 2015 Great Western War and gave a lecture on making home vinegar.

Our upcoming November A&S topics will be a class in making lemon curd and also a letter writing session to recommend well-deserving people for awards.

The Canton’s A&S Officer has again made a commitment to make the A&S instructor tokens for Potrero War. The Baronial A&S fund has committed to cover the cost of materials. This year the A&S tokens will be Greek fibulas and will be made by Lady Agnes. Black cord will be provided for instructors who prefer to wear their tokens around their necks, which will slyly mean the colors mimic our Canton colors.

Per discussion at the meeting I will contact Lady Euginia, Baronial A&S Officer, about reserving display table for the canton at Winter Arts.

Chatelaine: No report. Again.

Exchequer: We have \$3323.17. Quarterly report has been signed and sent in. Need to investigate how to ensure the A&S has access to funds to provide munchies and remain in good graces with the higher ups. Will need to order checks soon.

Webwright/Web Chronicler: After doing a bit more digging on the server, I managed to find minutes for April and August 2006. I was *certain* I had found everything in the Yahoo! Group, and I was wrong. I have found minutes for June, July, August, September, and November of 2008. All the minutes in the files section of the Yahoo! Group have been copied to the canton’s website.

There *is* one thing I did find, and that is a scan of the canton’s charter document. I have uploaded this scan to the server, and there is a link to it under the list of officers. It is a LARGE image, but it resizes for me. Please let me know if there is a problem with it, and I will make it a more manageable size, but I do want to keep the original size scan for history.

Due to a coding error the minutes for July 2010 were not visible. I have fixed this. There are still gaping holes, and I have no illusion of ever finding everything, but I will take what I can find. Even though I have no minutes from any month, I have added the year 2004, 2005, and 2007.

Old Business

THL Eibhlin has not yet secured site for next year's anniversary, but will do that soon. The date of our anniversary is August.

Lady Agnes has the OK to put non-video tutorials on the website. She will submit the tutorials as pdf files to make Ketill's life easier.

Confirmation of making a \$150 presentation to the Barony's regalia committee for new baronial coronets. We will do a stealth presentation at Calafia Anniversary.

New Business

Displays at Winter Arts: THL Eibhlin has an overgown with trim, Ketill and his "dancing lucets," Lady Agnes will be displaying separately as she will be competing for Baronial Arts Champion. Ellyn has garb.

The next canton meeting will be on 6 December at RSD at 12noon. The next A&S night will be on Tuesday, 15th December at the Rancho San Diego Library starting at 5pm. Our January meeting will be on the 3rd at 3pm. Our A&S night will be on the 19th at 5pm.

Open Comments

Meeting adjourned at 4:08 pm.