

# **The Hartshorn**

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## ***November 2020 Business Meeting Minutes***

Hartshorn-dale Business meeting Notes November 2020

Summary (TL;DR):

New or re-elected officers:

1. Chancellor of the Exchequer - Diana (Baron William volunteered as deputy)
2. Webminister - Sarah
3. Herald - William
4. Chronicler - Sarah

In December we plan to vote for a new MoAS (Minister of Arts & Sciences). Kandy/Elizabeth Marshal has through her veil in the ring. We are also in need of a Minister of the Lists (maintains tournament and other competition results and participants).

Shire Wars has happened! If you have any stories or anecdotes to share, please share them in our facebook group, to the email list, and to our chronicler, Sarah.

Dance practices (Fridays at 7:30), Book discussions (Sunday Nov. 15th @3), and crafty sessions (Tuesdays or Thursdays, see email list and Facebook group for announcements) are happening within the shire. In person martial practices are happening in neighboring jurisdictions.

NOTES

Attendance-Officers: seneschal - Alison, fencing marshal - James, herald - William, chatelaine - Una, secretaire - Kathryn, chamberlain - Sarah  
Attendance-Populace: Aislinn, Bertana, Brandr, Talan, Elizabet, Triste

II. Online meeting: We continue to meet online. (For the foreseeable future)

A. Please wait for others to finish speaking or raise your hand, so that we do not have everyone speaking at once. It is very difficult to differentiate what anyone is saying when people all speak at once.

B. Consider muting your microphone when you are not speaking.

III. Officer reports (please submit written report, which will be included in the minutes)

A. Seneschal:

1. Seeking bids from anyone interested in running an event via zoom.

Possibly a service schola? We will figure out the logistics if you are willing to autocrat!!

2. We are seeking a Deputy to the Exchequer- Discussion : William volunteered to be deputy to the exchequer.

3. We would like to fill the MoL office as well

4. MoAS is now open. Elizabet Marshall is interested and willing to fill this role, others are welcome to nominate themselves, we will vote in December.

B. Chamberlain: Sarah:

C. Chatelaine: Una: Online Newcomer sessions??

D. Chronicler: Siobhan:

E. Dance: Diana:

Met through October including Halloween Ball

Dates for November (6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>) No class 27<sup>th</sup>

F. Exchequer: Diana:

Balance \$4990.17

3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Report going out

G. Fencing: James:

H. Knight Marshal: Berkhommer:

I. Herald: William: 3rd quarter report was filed on time

J. MoAS: Naomi:

K. MoL: Atilla:

L. Secretaire: Kathryn:

M. Social Media deputy: Brandr: Several newcomer contacts, and newcomers added to the FB discussion group

IV. Covid-19 changes to SCA schedule and events

A. BoD's resolution

1. <https://www.sca.org/news/resolution-to-suspend-in-person-sca-activity-until-january-31st-2021/>

2. Discussion : William advised us that the BoD will shortly be issuing further guidelines that will apply to post January guidance

B. Their Highnesses and the EK seneschal have created this plan going forward.

1. Do not attend any meetings, practices, or events if you are ill, and consider carefully if you are in a high risk group

2. Modern government requirements must be followed. Pa requires in 'green phase':

a) Masks to be worn

b) Telework when possible

c) Social gatherings: Calculator for allowed attendance per PA:

<https://www.health.pa.gov/topics/disease/coronavirus/Pages/Guidance/Event-Occupancy.aspx>

d) <https://www.governor.pa.gov/process-to-reopen-pennsylvania/>

e) It is unknown how long we will need to remain in the 'green' phase, but there are predictions that it could last for years rather than months.

3. Gatherings must be outdoors

4. Space for 6 foot distancing

5. Face coverings of mouth and nose if 6 feet distance cannot be maintained

6. No shared food or drink

7. Sign in sheets with contact information (phone or email)

8. Plans to have the gathering must be submitted to the local seneschal.

9. Respect choices of individuals who choose to either attend or refrain from attending gatherings.

C. Martial activities in PA, following above guidelines are being permitted now.

Bhakail has held practice, and is using the Philadelphia area fighter facebook group to announce plans. Caer Adamant is holding a practice, and Owlsherst.

D. Please see the EK Events page for all the online events being planned

1. Ethereal Courts, and EK online events will be posted to the Hartshorn-dale calendar.

2. Next Ethereal court Sun 11/8/20-Our own Elizabet Marshall is being elevated at this court, we would love to see support from the shire!!

3. There is an East Kingdom ethereal event calendar

( <https://moas.eastkingdom.org/ethereal-event-calendar/> )

4. East Kingdom Arts & Sciences online class listing

( <https://moas.eastkingdom.org/list-of-online-webinars/> )

E. Hartshorn-dale events/demos

1. Shire Wars.

a) Blak Rose is hosting.

b) Became a royal progress

c) This year's event is a one day online Shire Wars November 7th. For more information, check the gazette article or the website:

<https://eastkingdomgazette.org/2020/10/01/the-once-and-future-shire-wars/>  
<http://www.shiewars.eastkingdom.org>

d) The in person event is being postponed, likely to October 2021 .

e) HHD is participating, along with Caer Adamant, Bhakail, Buckland Cross, Eisental, Montvale, and Owlsherst. Diana pointed out that this is the first year that every group in the region has participated.

2. Holding Space on agenda: Milissent to autocrat. We will keep this on the agenda.

a) Possible dates are May 22nd, June 5th, June 12th

3. Seeking individuals willing to host/autocrat online events. A Saturday evening feast would be awesome. A Service Schola would be great.

a) This is such a good time for us to try to put on an event, when we do not need to worry about renting a hall, and there are fewer events for us to compete with.

V. Online activities while in-person activities are on hold.

A. Dance: Friday evenings 7:30-9:00

B. Brunch with Hartshorn-dale: Sundays usually at 11am, but moves to later on Ethereal court days.

C. Crafty session online about every two weeks

D. Una plans to host a Newcomer's meeting online

E. Book club starting November 15th at 3 PM (Milissent). Reading: "When Christ and his Saints Slept" by Sharon Kay Penman, a fictionalized account of the period of Anarchy (the war between King Stephen and Empress Maud for the throne of England). Next book is The Rival Queens: Catherine de' Medici, her daughter Marguerite de Valois, and the Betrayal That Ignited a Kingdom by Nancy Goldstone

VI. Officer selections nominations

A. Selection of offices voted on this meeting: Discussion : all of the following offices have been confirmed by a show of hands

1. Chancellor of the Exchequer - Diana (Baron William volunteered as deputy)

2. Webminister - Sarah

3. Herald - William

4. Chronicler - Sarah

5. Minister of lists - Seeking volunteers

B. MoAS - next month we will vote on the recently vacated MoAS. Elizabeth Marshal has volunteered.

## *December 2020 Business Meeting Minutes*

Agenda Hartshorn-dale Business meeting December 2020

Summary (TL;DR):

We still have money; all events are virtual until May 31st; Dame Elizabeth Marshal is our new MoAS; we need a volunteer for Mol (Master/Mistress of the Lists); A schola type online event is in early planning stages for next spring.

On the charter, we were looking at sections 8 and 9, communication, but came up against 2 big issues - the first was time because there were order meetings scheduled the same evening, the second was that some of the archaic language on communication is still in the society seneschal's handbook and needs to be updated there as well. The current text and some proposed edits are in a Google document the link to which can be obtained from the Seneschal.

Attendance-Officers: seneschal: Alison, Elizabeth, Sarah, Kathryn, William, Una, Brandr, Attendance-Populace: Bertana, Aislinn, Talan (Kep), Triste, Millissent

I. Online meeting: We continue to meet online, for the foreseeable future.

II. Officer reports (please submit written report, which will be included in the minutes)

A. Seneschal-Alison:

B. Social Media-Brandr:

C. Herald-William:

D. Knight Marshal-Berkhommer:

E. Fencing-James:

F. Exchequer-Diana:

1. TD Bank Acct \$4,968.28

2. We have money still with Shire Wars

3. I am in the process of reimbursing Sarah for 4 months of Zoom

G. Chamberlain-Sarah:

H. Chatelaine-Una:

I. Chronicler-Sarah:

J. Secretarie-Eryn:

K. MoAS-to be filled:

1. Dance-Diana: Virtual Dance Class, December 4 th ; 11 th ; and 18 th . We will poll to see what dancers think about taking off the 25 th.

2. Northregion deputy-Aislinn:

L. MoL-VACANT:

M. Webminister-Sarah:

III. Covid-19 changes to SCA schedule and events

A. BoD's resolution has been extended to May 31st, 2021

1. <https://www.sca.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/12/2020-12-04-Resolution-Continuation-Letter.pdf>

B. Martial practice in southeastern PA are on hold

C. Please see the EK Events page for all the online events being planned

1. Ethereal Courts, and EK online events will be posted to the Hartshorn-dale calendar.

2. Next Ethereal court Sun 12/13 at 4pm via the EK YouTube channel

3. There is an East Kingdom ethereal event calendar

( <https://moas.eastkingdom.org/ethereal-event-calendar/> )

4. East Kingdom Arts & Sciences online class listing

( <https://moas.eastkingdom.org/list-of-online-webinars/> )

D. Hartshorn-dale events/demos

1. Virtual event-Millissent and Brandr

a) Newcomer track, and Service track (offices, autocrattng, etc)

b) Discussion: event approved to be placed on kingdom calendar

IV. Online activities while in-person activities are on hold.

A. Dance: Friday evenings 7:30-9:00

B. Brunch with Hartshorn-dale: Sundays usually at 11am, but moves to later on Ethereal court days.

C. Crafty session online about every two weeks

D. Una plans to host a Newcomer's meeting online

E. Book club:

1. Next book is The Rival Queens: "Catherine de' Medici, her daughter Marguerite

de Valois, and the Betrayal That Ignited a Kingdom" by Nancy Goldstone

2. Meeting date TBA in January

V. Officer selections nominations

A. Selection of offices:

1. MoAS: Elizabet Marshal is nominated for this position and was voted into the position.

2. Minister of lists - Seeking volunteers

## VI. Charter Section

A. We were looking at sections 8 and 9, communication, but came up against 2 big issues - the first was time because there were order meetings scheduled the same evening, the second was that some of the archaic language on communication is still in the society seneschal's handbook and needs to be updated there as well. B. The current text and some proposed edits are in a Google document the link to which can be obtained from the Seneschal

## *January 2021 Business Meeting Minutes*

### Notes Hartshorn-dale Business meeting January 2021

Attendance-Officers: seneschal - Alison, MoAS- Dame Elisabet; Exchequer- Diana, Fencing Marshal- James, Secretary- Kathryn, Herald- William, Chatelaine- Una, Web/Chronicler- Sarah

Attendance-Populace: Aislinn, Bertana, Talan, Milissent, Brandr, David

#### ICYMI::

Ad Servitium Somnium - Hartshorn-dale is working on an online service schola event Mar 27 .

Millissent is the autocrat, Brandr is supplying tech support. Please let Milissent know if you have ideas for service oriented classes or roundtables.

Regulat online activities while in-person activities are on hold.

A. Dance: Friday evenings 7:30-9:00

B. Brunch with Hartshorn-dale: Sundays usually at 11am

C. Crafty session online about every two weeks

D. Book Club - next book is Tristan and Isolde

([https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/587359.The\\_Romance\\_of\\_Tristan\\_and\\_Iseult](https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/587359.The_Romance_of_Tristan_and_Iseult)), Date & time in February TBD

Relevant info from previous months:

1. We continue to meet online, for the foreseeable future.

2. Society wide (per order of the BOD) in person events are cancelled through May

a. <https://www.sca.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/12/2020-12-04-Resolution-Continuation-Letter.pdf>

- b. See previous meeting minutes for specific guidelines on gatherings
- c. Martial activities in PA, are on hold
- d. Please see the EK Events page for all the online events being planned
- i. Ethereal Courts, and EK online events will be posted to the Hartshorn-dale calendar.
- ii. There is an East Kingdom ethereal event calendar (<https://moas.eastkingdom.org/ethereal-event-calendar/>)
- iii. East Kingdom Arts & Sciences online class listing (<https://moas.eastkingdom.org/list-of-online-webinars/>)

## II. Officer reports

### A. Seneschal: 4th quarter report filed

1. Social Media Deputy: Brandr:

2. Event Autocrat: Millissent:

B. Chatelaine: Una: Online Newcomer sessions. Discussion: Newcomer meeting planned for Jan 9th and placed on calendar. Requested that Una advertise newcomer meetings to the shire via email. Also, Chatelaine has 20 bins of Gold Key.

### C. Chronicler: Sarah:

1. Secretarie: Kathryn:

D. Exchequer: Diana: Current Balance \$4965.28, Working on EOY report

### E. Knight Marshal: Berkhommer:

1. Fencing: James:

### F. Herald: William:

G. MoAS: Elizabet: A&S. We are a crafty Shire. Online dance, virtual crafty nights and I'm sure there is work being done. I encourage everyone to let me know what you are working on so future reports can sing the praise of Hartshorn-dale. The on line dance practices received a shout out on Facebook from Kingdom A&S. People are encouraged to teach online if you are interested but not sure let me know and I will put you in touch with people who can help. "Watch this space" as I put together some more resources and thoughts. As always, if there is something you would like to see taught, let me know and I'll see what I can find.

1. Dance: Diana: Has met most weeks in December and will meet throughout January. Everyone is invited to join, just to touch base or do crafts or watch

### H. MoL: VACANT

I. Webminister: Sarah: Discussion: Alison is to organize officer's list for website

## III. Hartshorn-dale events/demos



1. Shire Wars.

a) The in person event is being postponed, likely to October 2021.

b)

2. Ad Servitium Somnium-a service schola: Mar 27

a) Autocrat Millisesent

b) Tech support-Brandr

c) Seeking teachers and leaders for discussions etc. Discussion: if anyone within the shire wishes to teach, or knows someone who would teach, please get in touch with Millisesent. Hope to have service oriented classes, newcomer classes, and 'ask-me-anything' roundtables.

d)

IV. Online activities while in-person activities are on hold.

A. Dance: Friday evenings 7:30-9:00

B. Brunch with Hartshorn-dale: Sundays usually at 11am

C. Crafty session online about every two weeks

D. Una plans to host a Newcomer's meeting online Jan 16th

E. Book club

1. January book: The Rival Queens: Catherine de' Medici, her daughter Marguerite de Valois, and the Betrayal That Ignited a Kingdom by Nancy Goldstone. Discussion: the book club meeting will be held Jan 9th at 4pm

2. Next book is Tristan and Isolde

[https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/587359.The\\_Romance\\_of\\_Tristan\\_and\\_Isolde](https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/587359.The_Romance_of_Tristan_and_Isolde)

V. Charter Section 8-Communications

A. We continued working on the charter, section 8 - communications, and voted on changes to that section. For finished wording, ask the Seneschal.

## *Officer List*

Note: Officer List is dated September 2021; several issues of the Hartshorn were back-created due to real life demands on the Chronicler.

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