

# The Hartshorn

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## ***Harts & Horns***

The inaugural Harts & Horns was a lovely event!

- The weather was simply gorgeous. Bright sun and blue skies. A bit chilly but that's what wool layers are for.
- The inside hall was large and spacious, hosting the A&S displays, dancing, and of course the feast
- We had several brand new people walk over from the park next door
- We have a new Fencing Champion, Tally
- We have a new Armored Combat Champion, David Dochair
- There was thrown weapons as well
- Games were enjoyed, including lawn billiards and tarot
- The Renaissance Rummage sale was a success! We made money and had very little stuff left over. Thanks to all who donated to the sale, and thanks to all those who shopped
- [Here is where your Chronicler realizes she is ending every sentence with an exclamation point and decides to ignore ending punctuation entirely]
- There were several Arts & Science displays.
  - For the theme of "related to Hartshorn-Dale" there was a banner featuring the populace badge, and three embroidered shire favors (one of which was given to Blue). The banner (made by Sarah le Payller) won the populace vote.

- For the general display, there were some woven Inkle bands and a Viking wire woven necklace. The Viking wire weaving (made by Taichleach Eoghanacht ) won the populace vote!
- Not many plushies made the trek but there was a gorgeous hand felted deer, accessorized with a buckler, sword, rapier, and spear, and bearing the Hartshorn-Dale arms. The deer was made by Mistress Gisela and she donated it to the Shire!
  - Ferret (entered by Sarah le Payller) won Most Historically Accurate
  - Lil Sis (entered by Sarah le Payller) won Most Adorable
  - Dale the felted deer won Most Creative, Most Surprising, Most Stabby (best martial plushie), Best in Show, and Best Accessories.
- There was dancing in the afternoon
- The feast was delicious!
- Cleanup of the site went smoothly. There even fireworks at the park next door.

### *Thank you from the Autocrats*

Hello everyone!

Ricky and I would like to thank everybody that attended Harts & Horns this Saturday! The event was fantastic and ran extremely well. We have some specific thank yous we'd like to give out so here goes!

First and Formost we'd like to give a massive shout-out to the staff that made this event run smoothly! Alison Wodehalle for running gate, Sarah Paylor for running the Renaissance Rummage sale and the Plushie Display, Dame Elizabet Marshal for running the A&S competition, Eleanor for being our dance coordinator, and Naomi for running games.

Over on the Martial fields, we'd like to thank Colin Mckenzie for being our Thrown Weapons MiC, Mistress Judith the Confused for being our MoL, Jacqueline Cross for being our Fencing MiC, and Sir Elglin of House Eagle for being our Heavy MiC as well as being in charge of not just one but two tournaments!

We'd also love to give a hefty thank you to our Fencing and Heavy outgoing champions, Albion and Berkhommer. Thank you for holding these positions till we were able to have another championship and for assisting our Marshals in Charge with the running of their respective tournaments.

Speaking of champions, a big congratulations and Vivat to our new Shire champions! Tally for Fencing, and David Dochair for Heavy!

As for the Feast, it was excellent! And we'd like to give a giant thank you for a marvelous job well done to the Dining with Lorenzo group that put on a wonderful feast. Duchessa Diana, John Marshal, Sam, Eryn Utz, David Utz, and any others that were involved in preparing and putting on this feast. Thank you very much for the fantastic food and perfect timing!

And last, but certainly not least, Ricky and I would like to give a huge thank you to Orso di la Licata, James O'Gallegure, and David Dochair for filling in for not only myself but Ricky as well, when some mundane things kept us away from the event.

Thank you all for making the first Harts & Horns a huge success! We can't wait to see you all again next year!

## **Feast**

The feast was delicious. A full menu with descriptions is below (provided by the Dining with Lorenzo cooking group).

***The Forme of Cury*** John Rylands Library  
Cookbook of the Chefs of King Richard II  
circa 1390

We are working from the oldest version, hand written by his Chefs on fine vellum, of their working recipes.

Our theme for the feast is fall and hunting. Hence our feast name of Harts & Horns, and indeed our Shire's name Hartshorn-dale, chosen more than 30 years ago, from medieval English place names.

It is the fall and there is much hunting of game and gathering of autumn bounty, and so our feast begins with **Venison**. Be assured that our deer are the finest in the land being raised by hand and fed exclusively on excellent food and so sent to us for our delight.

**Mushrooms** are everywhere in the forest and careful hunters have brought us excellent fare for our feast.

**Cameline** (or Cinnamon Sauce) is a staple in every medieval kitchen. Our recipe focuses on the gravy quality of the sauce with its pungent spices and splash of vinegar.

A pungent pairing for the sweet venison & sauce is "**salat**" full of greens & herbs & onions of the season.

**Chyces** is a vegetarian dish with chickpeas to delight the senses with gentle spices.

**Blanc Manger** was a standard dish in every medieval kitchen. Here the recipe calls for using the juice from stewing the

chicken in herbs to make the almond milk. The flavors carry through nicely. Rice is cooked in the almond milk to al-dente and then more almond milk and the chicken are added and it is cooked as risotto to a creamy texture. Almonds fried with saffron are sprinkled on top.

**Fungus** are perfectly matched with leeks in this excellent recipe.

**Tart de Bry** (brie cheese) is a wonderful example of meatless entries that were served on fish days.

**Bursews** is an extraordinary dish, made by slow roasting pork with warm medieval spices, then grinding the pork, rolling it in batter and deep frying it. Fried foods were most often served with the last course or remove.

Here it is paired with **Musarda di Fruita**, a remarkable condiment which combines sweet and sour elements perfectly. Dried apricot and cherries are combined with ginger & mustard, in both powdered and wet forms, and white wine.

**Peers in Confit** is a classic medieval dessert, made exceptional by the choice of the wine in which they are stewed.

**Cryspals** is a mystery recipe that includes fried pastry, here in our interpretation, deep fried on horn cones like cannoli, and then served with or stuffed with a custard. Here are two custards, almond and cherry, to try with our horn **cryspals**.

Thank you from Duchess Diana:

*Thank you Jakob for your email. I would also like to thank not just the "Dining with Lorenzo" staff (Sam, Joe, Eryn, David, and Judith) but all the wonderful people who helped. If your name is not mentioned, feel free to add it. Joining the kitchen staff for most of the day were Anna, and Kevin & Paula. Doing a wonderful job of washing up, Naomi and friend (who were you?). Helping out in the hall, Berkhommer, Orso, and a slew of other people that put away the furniture, took out garbage, and swept up. THANKS TO ALL OF YOU!!! We could not have done it without you.*

### ***Photos from the Event***

Tally recorded many videos of the fencing and armored combat matches! The videos can be found on YouTube, here: <https://www.youtube.com/user/SCATally>

Games! Photos taken by Naomi bat Avraham.



Arts & Science Displays. Photos taken by Sarah le Payller.





### ***Website & Announcement links***

Event website: <https://hartshorn-dale.eastkingdom.org/harts-and-horns-2022/>

Event announcement: <https://www.eastkingdom.org/event-details/?eid=4030>

## *4H Demo*

The Shire participated at the Montgomery County 4H Center with armored combat, fencing, and Arts & Science displays.



Photos by Jakob Agnarsson.

## *Awards*

James O'Gallegure received the Tyger of Valor at Pennsic 49.

Pennsic 49 Court Report: <https://eastkingdomgazette.org/2022/08/27/court-report-pennsic-war-49/>

James O'Gallegure is the new Bhakail fencing champion. (Bhakail Commons, September 18, 2022)

David Dochair is the new Hartshorn-Dale Armored Combat Champion. (Harts and Horns, October 8, 2022).

Eliayahu Al-Talhi (Tally) is the new Hartshorn-Dale Fencing Champion (Harts and Horns, October 8, 2022)

John Marshal atte Forde was awarded the Order of the Laurel at River Wars, October 9 2022.

Court Report: <https://eastkingdomgazette.org/2022/10/09/court-report-river-war/>



John before processing into Court. Photo taken by Naomi bat Avraham.

## *September Meeting Minutes*

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### **Highlights:**

The shire has some busy seasons coming up! Harts and Horns is October 8th- please pre-register and let your friends know about it. We voted to submit a bid for King & Queen's Bardic Champion February 4th 2023, and voted to hold Nova Scola on March 4th, 2023. In between there are River Wars, Shire Wars, and many other events depending on how far and wide you roam.

Letters of intent for the shire offices up for election this fall are due by the October 6<sup>th</sup> meeting - these are not onerous, just your mundane name & address, SCA name & member number, and as little as a sentence about the office you are seeking. Up this year are Exchequer, Herald, Chronicler, Webminister, Minister of Lists, and a special election for MoAS as Elizabeth is stepping down because she is taking on leadership duties in Athena's Thimble.

Regular events are still happening, not always as regularly because of the crowding on the calendar this fall so keep apprised via email or the Facebook group.

### **Hartshorn-dale Business Meeting**

Attendance-Officers:

Seneschal - James

Webminister - Sarah

Chamberlain - Sarah

Secretarie - Kathryn

Chatelaine - Jakob

Exchequer - Lissa

Fencing - Jacqueline

MoAS - Elizabeth

Social Media - Brandr

Knight Marshal -

MoL - Milissent

Herald - William

Attendance-Populace: Riocard, Tancred, Aislinn, Alison, Naomi, Orso

### **1. Old Business**

a. Policy regarding covid vaccine and testing:

i. No masks for outdoor events BUT all other policies still apply for now. Ie: proof of vaccination, etc

1. There is talk of each group's Sen tracking the CDC guidances

ii. BoD policy

<https://www.sca.org/news/covidsafe-proof-of-fully-vaccinated-status-or-negative-covid-test-policy-resolution/>



iii. Gate in a Box: Must reference this if you are responsible for holding a practice or meeting. <https://seneschal.eastkingdom.org/gate-in-a-box-covid-edition/>

iv. BoD FAQ

<https://www.sca.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/09/20210829-Proof-of-Vaccination-or-Negative-Test-Policy-FAQs.pdf>

## **2. New Business**

a. New Bullying Policy Language

b. BoD decided to move the SCA archives (They've been privately stored a long time if I recall) and are asking for donations to assist. Can donate as individuals or groups.

### **c. OFFICER ELECTION REMINDER**

i. Even-numbered year so up for Election are:

1. ★Exchequer

2. Herald

3. Chronicler

4. Webminister

5. Minister of Lists

6. Special Election: MoAS (Elizabeth is stepping down to run Athena's Thimble)

ii. Letters of Intent due to the Seneschal by the October Meeting.

1. Include modern & SCA names, member # and Exp. Date, and current email address (preferably at members.eastkingdom.org)

iii. Selections made at November meeting. Candidates may make a presentation, followed by questions. Afterwards candidates should leave the meeting so members may discuss. Then the normal decision-making process is followed.

iv. Officer-elect works with current officer, and assumes office in February after the end of year report is submitted (if applicable.)

d. Corotica's Favors

i. Her Highness needs favors for the upcoming reign, find the design here.

## **3. Events and Demos**

a. Harts & Horns

i. Oct. 8

ii. Gonna be lit yo

iii. As of this week we have 14 people registered (please go register!!)

iv. Rummage sale - populace should bring stuff!

[Chronicler's note: I do not know why Word decided this and only this event got the automatic lists]

- b. Coventry Christian School History Day: Medieval and Restoration
  - i. Friday Oct. 14
  - ii. Located in Lower Pottsgrove
  - iii. Decline for now; too busy in Oct.

- c. Shire Wars
  - i. Oct. 14-16
  - ii. Royal Progress

- d. EK Bardic
  - i. February 4th, 2023
  - ii. Site that we are using for Harts & Horns
  - iii. Bids are overdue so we have a good chance of winning it.
  - iv. Shire voted to submit bid to the Kingdom.

- e. Nova Schola 2023
  - i. March 4, 2023
  - ii. 4H Center in Creamery
  - iii. Box lunches by Dining with Lorenzo & Milissent.
  - iv. 2nd bid approved.

- f. Jakob's Tavern?
  - i. April 2023
  - ii. Rapier & rattan activities with A&S Social
  - iii. Relaxed event with alcohol
  - iv. Consider contacting Stonekeep Meadery in Fleetwood

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

**a. Seneschal:** Hi. We exist.

- i. Social Media Deputy:

**b. Chatelaine:**

i. I've started making small progress on setting up Newcomer Classes. I've started correspondence with the site coordinator of the church we hold fencing practice at, discussing potentially renting a classroom twice a month for said classes. Once I know for sure we have a space, I'll get started on figuring out a curriculum and we can plan out dates that might work best.

ii. We held the 4H Demo on August 13th and had a decent turnout of volunteers! We even scored a newcomer from that demo! Also, Katarina donated a few dresses to Gold Key.

iii. Speaking of demos, demo season is now over for us at the moment. However, we do still have the Boyertown Library demo idea that Katarina brought to us earlier this year. I'm still not sure of the timing of when we wanted to do that, however, if we still wanted to do it we should discuss it and figure out the logistics of it. We do have permission from Eisental, all they asked was that we let them know when it is so they could join us.

- iv. And as always, I am still looking for a deputy!

1. Orso can be winter Deputy

**c. Chronicler:** Summer issue is almost done, including the Colonial and 4H Demos, meeting minutes, and awards. We've got some cool stuff coming up for the next issue - River Wars, Harts & Horns, Shire Wars. Your chronicler would appreciate any pictures or write-ups (even a sentence or two!) from these events!

**d. Webminister:** We have a website. It has a page for Harts & Horns with the schedule, details for activities, and feast ingredients. Still got some other website projects we'd discussed in past meetings and that are still on the to-do list (update Newcomers page with more info; general overview of Activities page, etc).

**e. Secretarie** - Minutes got done.

#### **f. Exchequer**

i. August Information=

1. Beginning Balance 6,138.11

2. Checks Paid 15.47 (#325 sarah reimbursement for nova schola)

3. Service Charges 3.00

4. Ending Balance 6,119.64

5. There is a \$50 outstanding check (#331 reimbursement written out to me for the Insurance Fee from Society for the H&H event)

6. =6069.64 (once i cash the above check)

ii. Communication with the kingdom exchequer's office is still sporadic. I've completed a form sent by the regional exchequer to let Society know that we changed signatories on the bank. I'm awaiting further training.

iii. I believe I need to get physical files for the office from Diana? I was told by the regional that "all financial items, including gate sheets, must be kept for seven years."

iv. I'll need Diana's help to update security information for the online bank, as it won't do 2 factor authentication with an email address, And I need to authenticate to add/change a phone number.

v. Question- When should I send in the insurance renewal for the heavy practice site (October?)

**g. Chamberlain:** We have stuff. Yellow pop-ups have migrated back to Milissent's after the 4H demo. I will NOT be running again this fall! Chamberlain duties will fall to the Exchequer in absence of a dedicated officer.

#### **h. Knight Marshal**

##### **i. Fencing**

i. Fencing happened

ii. 5 practices (3 in July, 2 Aug)

iii. average attendance was about 8 people in July and 11 in August.

iv. We had youth fencers in attendance a couple times (Thank you Wentlyanna and Declan for being youth marshalls)

v. Had our A&S invasion, which appeared to be a success

vi. Marshalls who attended: Jacqueline Cross (MIC), Lissa Underhill, James O'Gallegure of Tyr Connal, Griffith Davion, Ian Douglass, Declan Gobha, Wentlyanna Bengrek, Albion (Drake?)

vii. site donations 151 (77 July, 74 Aug) of \$200 needed

**j. Herald:** No activity this month.

##### **k. MoAS**

Art happened, and I'm sure folks learned and taught lots at Pennsic. A&S Zoom happened twice and we even had folks join us from Pennsic. The usual 2 Zooms will happen in September, the

14th and 28th. I have loved being MOAS but because of taking on Athena's Thimble, I will not be running again. But I certainly will be around.

On a personal note, hope to see people at Bhakail Commons and/or Riverwar.

**i. Dance**

Met in August on the 12th and 19. September classes are the 2nd and 16th

**ii. Dining with Lorenzo Guild**

Met August 21 for full review of feast and lunch planning Meeting September 17 for the full day to finalize recipes and planning for Harts & Horns, Updated the menu to Lissa for Kingdom website. Preliminary ingredients list to Sarah for Hartshorn-dale event website. Will update as needed.

**I. MoL:**

**5. Regular activities**

a. Dance: Friday evenings 7:30-9:00, indoor location in Norristown. Announcements by email and Facebook.

b. Dining with Lorenzo is usually monthly.

c. Brunch with Hartshorn-dale: Sundays usually at 11am on Google Meet Link is always available on the calendar on the website.

d. A&S Night: 2nd & 4th Wednesday via Zoom at 7:30PM with Dame Elizabeth's

e. Book club:

f. Fencing will be happening most Mondays in Spring City. Announcements are via email and Facebook.

## ***October Business Meeting***

Summary/TL;DR

We have permission from Society and Kingdom to become a barony. Bids for the office of Baron/Baroness are due December 1st, 2022 and should be sent to [seneschal@hartshorn-dale.eastkingdom.org](mailto:seneschal@hartshorn-dale.eastkingdom.org).

We are a busy shire/soon to be barony - working on 4 separate events in the next year:

1. Crown & Consort Bardic Champs, Feb 4th 2023
2. Nova Schola, Mar 4, 2023
3. Jakob's Tavern Do-Hicky, date TBD - in April but not on the same day as Crown Tourney.
4. Harts & Horns - this year went well, we are already planning for November 2023, possibly a Royal Progress/Baronial Investiture (preferred date 11 Nov but no reservations yet).

We have a fledgling Discord Server! [Click here to join!](#)

Regular activities are ongoing, including Brunch, Dance, A&S Zooms, and Fencing Practice. Dining with will resume, probably in the new year. Newcomers meetings are being planned.

### **Hartshorn-dale Business Meeting 6OCT2022**

Attendance-Officers:

- Seneschal - James O'Galleghure
- Webminister - [Sarah le Payller](#)
- Chamberlain - [Sarah le Payller](#)
- Secretarie - [Kathryn Perry](#)

- Chatelaine - Jakob Agnarsson
- Exchequer - Elysabeth Underhill
- Fencing - Jacqueline Cross
- MoAS - [Elizabet Marshal](#)
- Social Media - Brandr
- Knight Marshal - (Berkhommer, absent)

Attendance-Populace: Orso, Alison Wodehalle, Riocard, Milissent, Naomi, [Diana Alene Tregirtse](#), John Marshal, MaryAnn, Paula Brown, Viola Bentham, David of Hartshorn-dale, Lillia de Vaux

1. **Officer Nominations**

1. Exchequer
  1. Lissa
- b. Herald
  1. William
- c. Chronicler
  1. Sarah
- d. Webminister
  1. Sarah
- e. Minister of Lists
  1. Ivette of Worcester
2. **Officer reports** (please submit written report, which will be included in the minutes)
  - . **Seneschal:**Hi, we are here. We can go Baronial now!
    1. **Social Media Deputy:** Still happening!
  - a. **Chatelaine:**
    1. Things have been chugging along smoothly in the Chatelaine office, as of last month we now have a deputy Chatelaine! Orso has volunteered to step up and be deputy Chatelaine at least for the fall/winter/spring. (Working on getting email stuff set up still for him). We also have yet another newcomer that's joined us!
    - ii. Speaking of newcomers, I've been in talks with Dona over at the church we hold fencing practice at, to find out how much some of the other rooms would be to rent. All of the rooms are the same as the fellowship room at \$40/use. Room number 2 is perfect for what we'd need to hold Newcomer Nights, and I'd like to discuss with the Shire if we can move forward with this. Schedule wise I'm thinking twice a month (once at the beginning of the month and once at the end) on either a Saturday or Sunday afternoon/evening as that's when most of my newcomers are more available. (Adjusting for events of course) **(Let's try one a month to start. About \$480/year)**
  - c. **Chronicler**
    1. Summer edition of the newsletter is out! It is available on the [website](#)
  - d. **Webminister**
    - . September minutes are on the website. Webpage created for Harts & Horns event. Updated site-wide top message to reflect current COVID policy.
  - e. **Secretarie**
  - f. **Exchequer**
    - . Everything looks balanced!

- i. End of August= **\$6119.64**
- ii. September Activity= **\$50** check written to me and cashed for insurance for H&H & a **\$3** paper statement fee.
- iii. End of September Total = **\$6066.64**
- iv. 2 checks were not cashed in Sept (*note: they were cashed in October*)
  - v. Check #332 **\$431** for Shire Wars
  - vi. Check #335- **\$300** to St. Pauls for H&H site fee
- vii. Total Outstanding for September= **\$731**
- viii. Actual total in bank at the moment- **\$5335.64**
- ix. There is a \$200 check for the Bardic site fee for Alison in the checkbook. I need to give that to her.
  - x. I need to get James to sign last three months reconciliation statements. (*You'll never take me alive! - James*)
- xi. The 3rd Quarter report is due Oct. 30. It should include everything in Sept. **Can I submit it now?!**
  - Yes.** (*I don't see why not? - James*)
- xii. FYI: I clicked the "go green" option so we should stop getting the \$3 paper statement fees.
  - g. **Chamberlain**
    - .No updates. I am planning to step down at the end of the year.
  - h. **Knight Marshal**
    - .We have been fighting outdoors under the watchful eye of Ellie. I am now in an official capacity as an actual heavy Marshal, and just in time for this weekend. We will start the process of fighting indoors with tonight being the first night in a while for that. Huzzah!
  - i. **Fencing**
    - .Fencing happened
      - i. 3 practices
      - ii. average 13 people attended
    - iii. We had youth fencers in attendance a couple times (Thank you Wentlyanna and Declan for being youth marshalls)
    - iv. Had our A&S invasion, which had low attendance
      - v. Marshalls who attended: Jacqueline Cross (MIC), Lissa Underhill James O'Galleghure of Tyr Connal, Griffith Davion, Ian Douglass, Declan Gobha, Wentlyanna Bengrek, Albion Drake
    - vi. about 118 dollars collected in site donations.
  - vii. Can we change the wording in our announcements from "Donation" to "Site Fee"? The consensus is that there is a reason it had to be worded as donation but no one could remember the details of why.
    - j. **Herald**
      - .No activity to report from Herald.
    - k. **MoAS**
      - .September, I'm reporting on September, right?
      - i. There were two A&S Zooms on 9/14 and 9/28.
      - ii. I'm all ready for the A&S display and populace choice at Hearts and Horns, and Sarah is ready for the Plushies competition/display.
    - iii. Bhakail is putting together a field trip to the Met for November 5. Contact me or Scolastica (Bhakail's A&S Minister) for more info and/or to join the planning.
    - iv. The big Fall A&S event, St. Eligius is November 12 in Connecticut. It's at a different site in New Haven. Always a great event to show off work and talk about it with others.
      - v. A&S Zooms in October will be October 12 and 26. For the one on the 26<sup>th</sup> we will be joining Settmour Swamp for a presentation by Scolastica. Fencing Invasion is slotted for October 17 (it's the Monday of my week in the office, so I might be there, and I might be a melted puddle of minister on my sofa, we'll see). (*A group from Eisental plans to invade fencing as well*)

vi. Looking forward through the end of the year, November Zooms on 11/9 and 11/23 (the Wed. before Thanksgiving, but I'll be on) and invasion on 11/14 (NOT my week in the office so I might make it). December A&S will be 12/14 and 12/28. I'm working on something as a nod to "Yule for the 14<sup>th</sup> or to the new year on 12/28. If anyone has ideas, let me know.

viii. **Dance:** Dance Met September 2 and 16, and welcomed a new member to dance class. Lady Eleanor will be teaching dance at Hearts and Horns. October dance meetings will be on the 21<sup>st</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup>.

ix. **Dining with Lorenzo Guild:** had Lots of pre-planning and cooking for Harts & Horns. Friday (tomorrow) there will be some pre-cooking and most of the shopping. A strong production plan is in place for Saturday. There will be a booklet with the menu with information about the Forme of Cury, the period source.

l. **MoL:**

1. MoL has nothing new to report.

### 3. Regular activities

a. **Dance:** Friday evenings 7:30-9:00, indoor location in Norristown. Announcements by email and Facebook.

b. **Dining with Lorenzo** is usually monthly.

c. **Brunch with Hartshorn-dale:** Sundays usually at 11am on Google Meet Link is always available on the calendar on the website.

d. **A&S Night:** 2nd & 4th Wednesday via Zoom at 7:30PM with Dame Elizabeth's

e. **Book club:**

f. **Fencing** will be happening most Mondays in Spring City. Announcements are via email and Facebook.

### 2. New Business

a. No more COVIDSafe Policy.

i. Cannot require masking without acquiring a Variance.

1. We have one for H&H

2. They extend beyond events: Owlshurst has one for their weekly Practice and I think Settmour has one per agreement with their hosting site.

3. Birka got a variance, which occurs after the Dec deadline but they applied for it early. Do we want one for Bardic? Nova Schola?

b. Not that I want to initiate a Charter Edit right now but, our charter lists some offices as "Staff." ie: "Chronicler staff may include Deputy Chronicler and the Secretarie." Does "staff" = "officer"? Coronet candidates can't be Officers, but can be deputies, but what is "staff?" **Staff are deputies.**

c. We have a fledgling Discord Server! [Click here to join!](#)

### 3. Events and Demos

. Harts & Horns in T-2 days

.Some gate volunteers through the day

1. Paula 9-11, Brandr 8-11, Ron late morning, Lissa 8-11, Zhelena 11-1, Alison all day with breaks

i. Rummage Sale help

1. Adelina when not fencing

2. James also volunteered

- ii. Lissa, get cash for gate and Rummage sale
- iii. Friday night site prep 6-9PM (18:00-21:00)
  - a. Crown & Consort Bardic Champs
    - .Feb 4, 2023
    - i. Format TBD
    - ii. Cooks do their thing! (Just Dayboard.)
  - iii. Determine masking via the Champs
    - b. Nova Schola
      - .Mar 4, 2023
      - i. Make deposit with 4H Club
        - c. Jakob's Tavern Do-Hicky
          - .April 29, 2023 **This is Crown Tourney Alt Date. Apr15?**
        - i. We've begun reaching out to people to find volunteers, and we have the first bid written up as much as possible. [Here is the link](#) for the bid thus far that we'd like to present at the meeting tonight (since this meeting is the 6 month cut off as per the charter)
        - ii. We're still working on solidifying a name, currently, it's "Jakob's Inn for Wayward Jackalopes," but it's a work in progress. We do also still need volunteers for Registrar, Gate, Game coordinator, and others. Any questions feel free to ask, we'll answer what we can!
      - iii. **Putting off vote until a few more details can be cleared up.**
    - d. Crown Tourney?
      - "Good afternoon, Southern Region Seneschals!

As a heads up/reminder, the coming Crown Tournament for the Heirs of TRM Mohammad and Corotica is slated to be held in the Southern Region. The preferred date is May 6, 2023, with the alternate date being April 29, 2023. Please aim to have a bid to the Heirs by December 15, 2022."

## ***Baronial Planning Meetings***

***October 6, 2022***

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- 1) Timeline for Baronial Seat Nominations
  - a. Seneschal calls for Letters of Intent starting 10/6. Formal e-mail will be sent out to populace ASAP.
  - b. Nominations last two months.
  - c. The number (but not name) of nominees will be mentioned at the November business meeting.
  - d. The December business meeting is the last date for nominations to be accepted. Letters of intent and the names of nominees will be shared at that point. This way a candidate who declares early will not have a formal advantage.
  - e. After the December meeting the seneschal will talk to kingdom about running polling. A polling format will be decided on at the December



meeting. Candidate meet and greets will be scheduled after the December meeting.

- 2) Additional Information About Running for Baronial Seat
  - a. No one may hold a primary shire office during their official candidacy without the permission of the crown.
  - b. The baronial seat cannot be exchequer or seneschal while seated
  - c. The kingdom's new Barony Deputy Officers says that there are no formal rules for Letters of Intent (LOI's). The only requirement is to state your intent for running. Beyond that, it is up to the candidate. Candidates may wish to talk about their willingness and suitability for the role.
- 3) Investiture
  - a. Desired timeline is for Investiture to occur at next year's Hearts and Horns event. Preferred date is the second week in November, but ultimately it will have to be acceptable to the royal heirs when chosen. Seneschal will reserve the desired date on the new kingdom event prep calendar.
  - b. James will put out a call for Event Stewards to bid on the event.
  - c. Note that the Event Steward can come from outside the shire, as long as they have a deputy in the shire.
  - d. We prefer that the Event Steward is not a candidate for office, but if we have trouble getting bids for the event in the next two weeks, we can have a potential candidate help get planning going on a temporary basis.
- 4) Baronial Awards: Were discussed at the 10/6 meeting. Separate notes will be sent about that conversation.
- 5) Lissa will call another Baronial Committee meeting for next Thursday at 7:00 to discuss commissioning coronets and thrones for the baronial seat.

## *October 13, 2022*

### **Heraldry/Awards**

Ask Lilia to move forward and register  
"Company" of the Azure Hart  
"Society" of the Golden Attire  
"Order" of the Heartsease

Ask Lilia to move forward and register a fieldless vertical attire,

Ask Lilia to provide the shire with different examples of heraldic art featuring attire's so the group can pick one it likes.

### **Thrones**

--Alison will be taking point on this as she has worked with our artisan (Tomasso) before.  
--She presented two different chair ideas to the group, and the group chose the glastonbury chair example, as it was foldable and more easily portable

--Alison will talk with the artisan to get the chairs made. Some decorative cut outs or inlay may be added at the artist's discretion.

--Once we have measurements we can work on creating decorative cushions for the chair

### **Coronets**

--Our artisan for this project will be Firebow

--Looking at examples of other baronial coronets, the group chose one it liked (Iron Bog's leather coronet). The exemplar had a heraldic device on the front (which the group wants to be slightly larger than the exemplar)

--Around the sides we are looking for some combination of hunters horns and stag horns. We will ask the artisan for some drawing/examples to pick from.

--Coronets must be adjustable, and designs on the back may want to be simpler to take this into account.

--Colors should be majority blue/yellow. Color of pearls will depend on the design of the coronet, but the group is open to acquiring real pearls as well as using colored stones.

### **Future Meeting Topics:**

Creating A&S related baronial items. Tokens, tabards, cushions, etc.

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## ***Officer List***

New officers for this newsletter:

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