

## 20151019 Barony of Cynnabar

Boulevard Room, Pierpont Commons. October 19, 2015

### Activity, Event & Demo Reports

- Crown: Gregor, Genoveva, Max, Nishka, Brns. Kasha, Brn. Ermenrich and others traveled to Crown Tournament. Reports of noble prowess and Other behavior.
- Garb workday was held 10/4.
- Archery practice Sunday was last for year. Come to Closing of the Range next Sunday.
- Kay went to Manchester, England to present an academic paper, toured 14<sup>th</sup> century cathedral, saw several 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> century buildings. Car tour of Yorkshire included views of ancient houses and bridges, 19<sup>th</sup> century dam, and Many Sheep. I recommend the John Rylands Library to any interested in period books and manuscripts; see the website at <http://www.library.manchester.ac.uk/rylands/>

### Upcoming Baronial Events and Demos

**DEMO: Dixboro Farmer's Market Festival (Friday Oct 23, 2015)** – Gabby, Anne, & Deputies. 3 pm to 7 pm. 5221 Church Rd Ann Arbor, MI.

- Max will get the list field parts needed and bring them to site.
- PLEASE, reply to Gabby's Facebook Post if you can come and demonstrate, especially combat.

**Fall Revel, Closing of the Range, & Battle of Agincourt 600<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. (Sunday October 25, 2105) Dillon's Range.** Grey Odsson \$250.

- Work Bee to Set up Revel Saturday 10/24, from Noon to # pm. FIRM times. NEED 6 More Helpers to get it done right. Please contact Grey. [horsearcherwannabe@gmail.com](mailto:horsearcherwannabe@gmail.com)
- SITE IS BONE DRY. 330 West Clark St Superior Township MI (North of Ypsilanti)
- Sunday:
- Potluck dinner: Let Grey KNOW what you plan to bring. Fried Turkey has turned into Roast Chickens. Kay plans to bring 2 medieval Pies, probably vegetarian. Desserts were mentioned.

**Grand Day of Tournaments (Saturday November 7<sup>th</sup>, 2015) Johannes, Steward. Staff:** Jason Irenfist, Heavy Marshal. Birke, Marshall of Defense. Daye, Royalty Liaison. Genoveva, Deputy Steward. Heidi, Lunch Chef

- Almost all is set. Web site is up to date.
- Site Tokens: In Progress. May need softer nails.
- Set Up: Friday 11/6, 6 pm to 9 ish. Gavriil is in charge.
- Aeofoffe will boss the tear down on Saturday after court.

- Schedule: Lists close at 4. Court at 5 Site closes at 8 after Clean up.
- Thrown Weapons added to Website (I think that's what this says)
- Prizes: Actual period coins for top prizes in Heavy weapons and Rapier tourneys. PLEASE tell their Excellencies if you have a donation.
- **Gambling:** Straum cannot run it all. He may need assistants. **Contact him for details.**
- Youth Combat: Master Kazmir will be coordinating. Youth Rapier will be happening and Levels 1 & 2.
- Other Notes:
  - Day Camp boundary line will be set around the hall, 8 feet from wall, to improve traffic. NO camp buffets will be allowed. Only water and very light foods are allowed on that floor surface. Ms. Giovanna will assist in policing this issue.
  - TRM will attend and need private Royalty Room. Scribes Room will be added.
  - Tavern may not serve outside guests, i.e. people attending Farmer's Market elsewhere in building.
  - A constable will be patrolling grounds to ensure Site Rules are followed.

**Wassail (Saturday December 12, 2015)** – Steward: Eddy Site: Chelsea Fairgrounds.

- On Kingdom Calendar. Web site is up.
- What will be happening that day? Details are needed.
- Questions?

**Ann Arbor Christian School Demo, (Thursday December 10, 2015) 6:30 pm.** Coordinator: Brns Kasha. Site: 5500 Whitmore Lake Rd, Ann Arbor, MI 48105

Need people to attend and DO things. Combat? Dance? This may happen before or during a dinner. Interested? [baroness@cynnabar.org](mailto:baroness@cynnabar.org)

**Terpsichore at the Tower (March 5, 2016)** St Paul United Church of Christ, Saline, MI Ceara is event steward. Budget \$\_\_\_\_\_

- DATE Changed after conflict with Golden Seamstress appeared in calendar
- Web Site is up. Awaiting final schedule of the day's events.

**St. Cecilia at the Tower (Sat April 30- Sun May 1, 2016)** St Paul United Church of Christ, Saline, MI Mistress Jadwiga is event steward.

### Old Business

### New Business

### **Search for Minster of Arts and Sciences:**

- Critical to have office filled. Quarterly reports are the 1<sup>st</sup> duty. All else is at the applicant's choice.
- If you are interested, please prepare a proposal for how you would fill the office, and present it at a meeting, **soon**.
- Ms. Arina said: "...The requirement is basically to write a report four times a year. ...it is not a hassle. You are not required to do things, you can choose to do a&s displays, and to help with other a&s competitions. Craft nights are not a requirement, neither is demos, but it is something that is fun to do.

I am happy to talk more to anyone interested with questions about the office. I have all my reports, I will try and print it all and get it on a cd too. The hand book is on line, and easy to access, if people wants to check it out. They should also talk to the Baron and Baroness, because different excellencies have had different views on how they want to use their minister, and that is something they will have to work out together."

### **Search for Minster of Youth Office:**

- A great position for someone who enjoys working with children and wants to help find opportunities for them to enjoy a life in our Society.
- Requires a background check. See Midrealm Website for more info:  
<http://www.midrealm.org/mkyouth/>
- People to ask about the position: Ceara (now Deputy Kingdom MOY) and Victoria have held the job.
- If you are interested, please prepare a proposal for how you would fill the office, and present it at a meeting, **soon**.

### **A Day at Maker Works:**

Johannes reports that Maker Works offers one day trial uses of the facility that can be arranged for groups. The site includes sewing machines as well as wood and metal fabrication machinery. Would the Barony be interested in arranging a day there, like is done for Garb Workday? We would need to decide early to book a date several weeks out.

### **Map of Known World for Demos:** Under \$50 expense.

A map of the Known World has been laminated for display at Mass Meeting and other demonstrations. Reimbursement approved by attendees as cost was under \$50 threshold, as per CFP.

### **Other Group Discussion**

#### **Is the meeting Site finalized?** Baroness Kasha asked.

Hattie says, yes. She has booked the Boulevard Room at Pierpont Commons for the rest of the semester, and will book Winter term, too. She will ask in the Spring about booking the room for May- September. It is unknown if we need any students to say they will be on campus in the summer for this to happen.

Please note that our request for tables and chairs was filled. We had a hollow square the size of the room. If you were wondering about coming to a meeting you should check it out. There is room for everyone to work on a project or eat without danger of the two activities being accidentally combined.

**SCA 101 should be revived** as a series of Classes for Newcomers.

Genoveva offered to discuss Clothing and Sewing. Kasha says she and Ermenrich would do a Heraldry Class. Who else has taught and would offer a class? Who wants to create and present on a topic?

And lets restart the "I Would Teach List" on the website. We can discuss on Facebook, too. For example, Kay would teach How to Make a Quick Chaparon (aka hood with shoulder cape. Which I refer to as a Nice Medieval Sweater.) Somebody else (Nishka?) said they could teach How to Make Pouches. Everyone needs something to carry things.

#### **Words from Their Excellencies Ermenrich and Kasha of Cynnabar:**

- COME to Dixboro! [Our turnout was about 12, If Kay Recalls Correctly. We had FUN!]
- Remember Closing of the Range on Sunday
- Please let Us know if you have Prizes for GDoT.

#### **Status check on Approved Budget Items:**

- **Fabric/materials for making new Baronial floor covering** (\$95 budget) Giovanna: for Grand Day of Tournaments.
- **Youth box** – continues
- **Leather and Rivets for refurbishing Loaner Armor** – Gregor \$200 This item will be removed as completed, because with donations Gregor does not think he has to spend any money. He was urged by several to at least cover his own costs for rivets and any other miscellaneous hardware.
- **Stickers with the Baronial Populace Badge** (and maybe name?) \$60-100
  - Gavriil potential sketch in December.
- **Baronial Trailer dedicated for List Field** is on target for delivery around 11/20. \$3500-\$3950 Black, 5'x12' single axle covered trailer 6 feet tall, lights, inside and out, hitch kit.

#### **Announcements**

**Meeting adjourned at \_\_\_ pm**