

Cynnabar Baronial Meeting 8 June 2023, at 7:15pm, 12 in attendance and 3 through Google Meet..

Announcements:

- **Pennsic registration deadline is June 11 for online.**
- Make sure you also give Tigwyn your arrival date and tent size!
- There are Medieval Faires scheduled for Canterbury Village in Lake Orion coming up – a meeting attendee is a merchant there and invites all to attend. (See <https://www.canterburyvillage.com/schedule> for schedule.)
- Dag offered the use of three magnetic “dry-erase” boards for upcoming events, to enhance communication for attendees.

New Business:

- St. Cecilia
 - There was \$3.34 spent over budget from the 2023 event. (budget was \$500)
 - It was decided to go ahead and grant an exception to allow for this small amount of money to be reimbursed to the event steward.
 - 2024 date (possible June 22nd 2024)
 - There were concerns about the proposed June event because there are so many other events during this month.
 - These events would pull from the staffing that we already seem short on for this event.
 - But may be able to get more teachers after school gets out.
 - Site would be \$450, now.
 - Should we charge gate fees to make sure we can at least break even?
 - Claire is working with Jadwiga - more to come!

Old Business:

- None

Events:

1. St. Cecelia (after event)
 - a. Not enough staffing at the end of the night
 - b. Need to make sure that there is a designated clean-up crew
2. Celtic Fest - (July 7-8th, 2023) - Tairdelbach
 - a. Nothing new to report, but Tairdelbach will poke them again.
3. Fall Revel - (Sept 17) - Leopold

4. Grand Day of Tournaments (October 28th)
 - a. Everything is on track!
 - b. Pale Ad and Insurance will be taken care of soon.
 - c. More PR/marketing coming after Pennsic.
5. 12th Night Jan 6, 2024
 - a. Hannah put together a proposal for making this event more of a Regional project and I sent it off to the Seneschals of all the Baronies (as well as the Shire of Talonval) to see what they think.
 - b. Have heard from Northwoods and Andelcrag, who seem supportive.

Baronial Changeover:

- Until July 1st is the window for Letters of Intent.
- July 5th - Polling opens for commentary. Polls will be primarily online. While paper polls will be made available on request for anyone that prefers that method, no-one will be receiving a mailed notification.
- We are planning to hold a "Meet-and-Greet" and hold two Q&As (one in-person and one virtual)
- 11:59pm on July 26th - Polling is closed.
- While the timing is entirely at Their Majesties' discretion, the current goal is for an October investiture at Grand Day

Their Excellencies: A letter to Their Highnesses went out from the Seneschal to invite them to Grand Day and hopefully set it as our Baronial Investiture.

Our next business meeting will be on May June 15th, 2023 at 7:00pm. See you then!

Thank you - Giovanna