

# Clyffe Notes



## A Day in the Middle East & Baronial Investiture

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# February 2007

Sun      Mon      Tue      Wed      Thu      Fri      Sat

				1 Archery Practice	2	3 University— Baelfire Dunn  Bright Hills Birthday
4	5	6 Baronial Business Meeting	7 Armored/ Rapier Practice	8 Archery Practice	9	10 Tourney of Ymir— Windmaster's Hill
11	12	13	14 Armored/ Rapier Practice	15 Archery Practice	16	17 A Day in the Middle East & Baronial Investiture
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# March 2007

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11	12	13	14	15	16	17
			Armored/ Rapier Practice	Archery Practice		Highland Hoffla — Highland Foorde
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
			Armored/ Rapier Practice	Archery Practice		Tir-Y-Don Birthday & Investiture
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
			Armored/ Rapier Practice	Archery Practice		Defending the Gate— Sudentorre

## Upcoming Events for February

- ◆ February 3 Winter University Baelfire Dunn Claremont, NC
- ◆ February 17 A Day in the Middle East Dun Carraig Mechanicsville, MD
- ◆ February 24 Tournament of Love and Beauty II Ponte Alto Leesburg, VA

## Upcoming Events for March

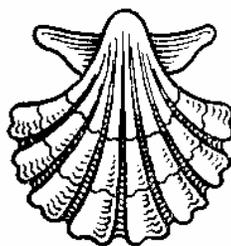
- ◆ March 3 Kingdom A&S Festival Marinus Chesapeake, VA
- ◆ March 17 Highland Hoffla Highland Foorde Hagerstown, MD
- ◆ March 23-25 Birthday & Investiture Tir-y-Don Lanexa, VA
- ◆ March 31 Defending the Gate VI Sudentorre Fredericksburg, VA

## Upcoming Events for April

- ◆ April 13-15 Night on the Town IX Lochmere Annapolis, MD
- ◆ April 21 Kingdom Archery Champs Roxbury Mill Mt Airy, MD
- ◆ April 28 St. Anne's Guild Black Diamond Charlottesville, VA  
Costumers Symposium

## Upcoming Events for May

- ◆ May 11-13 Below the Salt Baelfire Dunn Lenoir, NC
- ◆ May 12 Tournoi des Enfants Sudentorre Fredericksburg, VA



## BARONIAL BUSINESS MEETING

The February business meeting will be held Tuesday, February 6 at 7:30 PM, at the Southern Maryland Higher Ed Center in California. \*\*Directions Note: Take *Airport Road*, not *Airport View Road*. Full directions are posted on the web page.

## Baronial Business Meeting

### Minutes

January 2, 2006

## Old Business

### *Middle Eastern Event*

Lore is re-gearing up after a holiday lull.

- ◆ Lore now has three volunteers to teach classes.
- ◆ Marcia will do henna. Teens could also potentially do henna
- ◆ We need to set up a date for a field trip. If you want to go, tell Lore that you'd like to go & what your good/bad times are.
- ◆ There will be a painting party this coming weekend (January 7th at noonish).
- ◆ Cathal is doing tokens.
- ◆ Lore has been talking to Cassia about royals' wants & needs. They've discussed the idea of doing cushions rather than thrones.
- ◆ The prince & princess may or may not be coming.

- ◆ Lore currently has four paid reservations.
- ◆ Chronicler needs to publish Merry Rose advertisement for the Middle Eastern event. (Chronicler's Note: It's been posted.)
- ◆ Silent auction for Relay for Life: Kiri & Philip auction off a dinner for 4, to be cooked & served @ Pennsic (in our camp). Proceeds benefit Relay for Life. Kiri will announce this on Merry Rose & get bids ahead of time, then complete bidding at the event. (Bids done based on date & time message received.) People will get a choice of three different possible cuisines for the dinner.
- ◆ Theron will try to run his
- ◆ All barony members are encouraged to talk up the event.
- ◆ The event should be pretty easy to run. Clean-up should be relatively painless.
- ◆ Kiri encourages people to get reservations in early.
- ◆ Pre-cooks: Sunday before the event. (the 11<sup>th</sup>)
- ◆ Currently Kiri has a laurel coming over from Caid who will be making cheese (pannier, which is an Indian cheese), that Sunday. The Wed before event may also be a pre-cook (Kiri will avoid this one if possible because it's Valentine's day.). Kiri will also be cooking all day that Friday.
- ◆ About 2 weeks before, we'll know whether we can get in to set up on Friday.

### *Challenge*

- ◆ The Izaak Walton League is checking on possibility of camping.
- ◆ They're booked for the 23rd, so we will move the event to the 30th, the week after. That date is still open on the kingdom calendar. We're going to call Black Diamond to let them know about our scheduling change, for their planning of King's Assessment.
- ◆ Syr Richard has been very busy talking up the event. Barony members are encouraged to go to events in surrounding baronies and talk up Challenge.

### *Relay for Life*

Alex is our team captain. He doesn't have much info yet...first meeting is Jan 24.

We're not doing a fighting demo due to concerns about the lateness of scheduling and the space available. We'll do an "encampment demo" instead, akin to what we did at Anne Marie gardens, hanging out in garb in our area, with A&S, armor, and other neat stuff displayed. We'll also do the first lap in garb.

## Officers' Reports

### *Exchequer*

Final Report is done for Birthday Event. Final group profit is \$301.53.

New signature card and corporate resolutions have been turned into bank. Due to my waiting time, the nice lady gave us our new checks free of charge. That includes duplicates; two lines; and the phrase required by Society which is "2 signatures required".

I'm still working with those who have funds approved for them for spending but that haven't been spent yet. Still waiting on Theron regarding the List Fence (\$40 approved); Theron regarding the baronial tent repair (\$20 approved); & Mathias regarding general Quartermaster supplies for loaner gear and kitchen supplies (\$75 approved).

Quartermaster still to add monetary value (on items known) to baronial items (replacement cost).

Financial Committee approved paying Johanna for her polling receipts. The total is \$58.11 for copies, envelopes, and stamps. I will mail it to her this week.

We have \$3,412.50 in our account at this time. \$2,835 (plus cost of fire safe) is dedicated funds, leaving a working balance of approximately \$577.50 (which the \$58.11 for Johanna will be subtracted from as well).

### *Chronicler*

Permission form went around for officers to give permission to publish contact info on Clyffe Notes & web page. Theron requested a copy, which I'll give him. If you're an officer, I need written permission to publish your phone number, address, etc. Let me know if you have questions. (Chronicler's Note: If you missed the meeting, get in touch with me and I'll e-mail you the form, which you can print, fill out, and return.)

### *Knights Marshal*

Cathal is updating the blue card roster; please show him your card at a practice. Otherwise, you'll need to sign a waiver each time.

All new rules are in effect. If you don't have hard elbow protection under your shield, you cannot fight.

Combat archery may become part of rapier combat. (Rules for minimum distance and such are still being fine-tuned.) Cut & thrust is also coming.

As it now stands, people will need to be schlager authorized for a whole year before being able to authorize in cut & thrust.

### *M.O.M.*

Gwenllian is in the planning stages for Middle Eastern. She needs an idea for a page class that's "boy friendly." (Molly suggested beginning drumming.)

A siege marshal is needed for the planned "table-top trebuchet" class; Gwenllian needs to follow up with local siege marshals and try to find one who's willing.

For the pages' service class, silver polishing will be in small kitchen area off the main kitchen. They'll be polishing the silver on which some of the dishes for the mezze will be served.

### *M.O.L.*

No event, no report.

### *"Chirurgion"*

The barony's First Aid kit needs to be replaced. Theron's donating some bottles for waterbearing.

### *Webminister*

Not much to report. Corrected a problem with an e-mail forwarder.

### *MOAS*

Three classes are planned for January:

Middle Eastern Costume – @ Molly’s —January 9th

Keeper of the Klew (Knitting) @ Minna’s —January 19<sup>th</sup> (

Fingerloop Braiding @ Adriana’s —January 23<sup>rd</sup>

Masarrah’s Psyanky eggs class will be rescheduled for February.

Muirghen and Minna are planning a falconry class in March—if they have their falcon by then.

Kiri also mentions the possibility of a research night at her place.

Muirghen encourages everyone to attend KASF is in March. (It’s local.)

### *Castellan*

Alsandair is still working on the “demo in a box.”

We’ve also had interest from students at St. Mary’s College, which Alsandair is following up on. The possibility of a demo at the college was discussed.

### *Quartermaster*

In accordance with new Kingdom policy, in process of adding cost info to as many items of Baronial "Stuff" as possible, using existing receipts/best estimate of knowledgeable folks.

### *Herald*

Nothing new going on.

### *Seneschal*

Theron needs a copy of the contract for ME

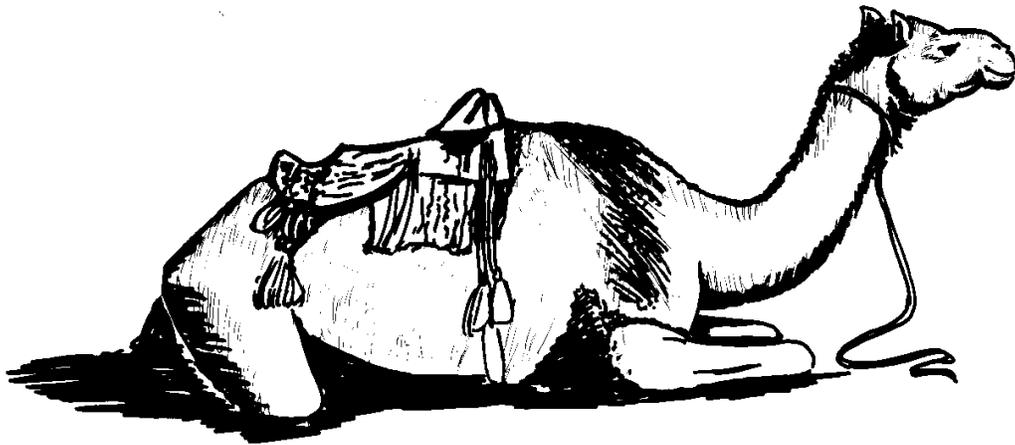
Officer meetings & business meeting are going well; we’ve been able to shorten & streamline the business meeting.

We’ve run into issues with the shed; there’s no practical way to get it insured by the SCA. The shed will be placed on Molly & Erwin’s property, and a contract will spell out the barony’s access. We will ask them very nicely if they will insure it on their

homeowner's insurance (which they have agreed to do, but cannot be required or expected to do).

Pollings are due January 6th. (Chronicler's Note: I really hope you got yours in, because if you're reading this, it's probably too late.)

In terms of investiture, we will be given time to find replacement officers if the B&B are officers. There may or may not be shuffling depending on who gets the nod.



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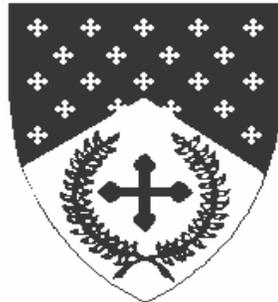


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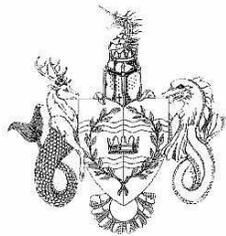
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