

# Shire of Hartshorn-dale Shire Meeting June 4, 2008. Minutes

## DRAFT

In attendance were: Elizabet Marshall; John Marshall atte Forde; Lillia de Vaux; Naomi bat Avraham; Bricia de Newbold; [Arlyn Bell]; [Natasha Bheberfeld]\*; Alison Wodehalle; Maghnus an Doire; Sabatina de Valle; Georg Koopman; Scolastica la Sourite; John deLithia. (Note that the attendance list is offered in the order the attendance sheet was signed. Only SCA names are given, where available. Reference to people in these minutes will be by their most common name. A more formal list of names or clarification is available upon request. As always, the Secretarie apologizes for any incorrect spellings and welcomes corrections.)  
\*Welcome newcomer!

I. **Officer Reports** (In continuing effort to make the Minutes a clear and logical document, the Secretarie offers the following format for the Officer Reports. The reports will be listed in the Minutes in alphabetical order each month, regardless of the order in which they are offered at meeting.)

A. **Accessibility**

Nothing to report.

B. **Archery**

Continues on Tuesdays at the Limerick site and rotating Wednesdays and Thursdays in Fairview Village as weather permits. Watch the e-list.

C. **Arts & Sciences**

Nothing new. If you want to teach a class or request a class, contact Gavan.

D. **Chatelaine**

There have been some newcomers coming to practices, etc. Is going to have some newcomer meetings at her home instead of the fighter practice/social to be able to have quieter surroundings to talk. Next one will be July 11 – watch the e-list. After that will be after Pennsic at the Wed. practice.

E. **Dance**

No practice 6/6. Having a ball as if it was a 5<sup>th</sup> Friday on 6/27 (to make up for missed 5<sup>th</sup> Friday in May.

F. **Demo Coordinator**

Has had an email from a school looking for something for next year. More info to come.

G. **Exchequer**

\$6,519.09 in accounts \$1018.05 in other assets (T-shirts) total \$7537.14. Mike asks that the Green Lane autocrat try to get permission from the event organizers for us to sell T-Shirts as a one time thing.

St. Sebastian's Fair is in progress. Profit approximately \$188. About 60 people.

H. Fencing

Continues.

I. Heavy Weapons

Practice continues. No negatives to report. Would like to have funds to purchase loaner gear. Will have a method for tracking who has what.

J. Herald(s)

We continue to have heraldry. Submission fees have been reduced.

K. Secretarie

Minutes for April and May were handed out. Approval was tabled because they were late.

L. Seneschal

Royer Greaves insurance card has been requested.

Has a request from St. Michael's for the Shire to "sponsor" a Pas de Arms at Pennsic (all such activities need a "land group" to sponsor them). Approved.

We were not in time to get a Shire pennant on the fort.

Approved that the Shire will have arms painted on the new gate. Bricia will get the details to Sabatina for where the check and info go.

The Wed. socials have been hit and miss, but when people do come it is 3-10.

Impact of gas prices. There was some discussion about how to minimize the impact on our attendance at events and on attendance at our events. Suggested to use the e-list to get car-poolers to go to events.

M. Thrown Weapons

Now being held on Tuesdays as weather permits, watch the e-list.

**II. Demos and Events**

A. Demos

Green Lane: Alison is autocrating. Nothing new to discuss.

B. Events (listed individually)

1. St. Sebastian's Faire: Went well. Thank you to all who came and helped. As said before, \$188 profit; about 60 people. Hope to do again next year.
2. Sundered Shields: Was approved last month. Nothing new to discuss.

III. New Business/"For the good of the group"

- A. Archery Loaner Gear: We have a significant number of new archers, but very little in the way of loaner gear belonging to the club. There is available a 25-30 pound ambidextrous bow for \$44.99 at Three Rivers. For a bow, an armguard and "no glove" for the string (instead of gloves or tabs), would be about \$60.40 for a set. Would like to buy three sets – for under \$200. Approved. Elizabeth and John will check as they may be able to get better prices at Lancaster Archery by using Limerick Bowmen's club discount.

IV. Calendar

Naomi is now in charge of the calendar. If you have any thing to go on the calendar or any changes, let her know.

Respectfully Submitted  
Elizabeth Marshall  
(Kandy Fling)