

## Minutes for Shire of Owlsherst

**April 22, 2025**

### **HOUSEKEEPING**

- Harassment Policy
- Captioning
- Meeting began at 7:08
- Present- Rink, Maol-Mhurie, D'Oryen, Wulfgar, Cordeilla, Dinnie, Maria, Celine, Hans, Linette, Late - Gerhard, Dagrún
- Absent - Kalista, Siobhán
  - Approval of minutes from previous meetings - Maol-Mhuri, Cordeilla 2nd.

### **OFFICER'S REPORTS**

- Seneschal – Gerhard- Sorry I will be late and my miss this meeting entirely. I am having a crown replaced (fun). My quarterly report is in. Insurance paperwork is submitted to kingdom.
- Acting Exchequer –D'Oryen – Current \$9400.50. Wulfgar has donations from practice. Meeting with Kalista next Thursday to transfer account and remove other signatories. Will start with Kalista and then he will meet with Gerhard. Wulfgar asked about looking at other banks. He has been in contact with Kingdom and they have to do a book review
- Chronicler- Celine – Continuing to take minutes, had a volunteer for deputy
- Arts & Sciences Minister – Linette - NTR
- Chatelaine –Maol-Mhurie – Newcomer's academy goes well. Next May 13th to discuss service. Got offer from Eva Vach Wylt from Settemour Swamp on Combat archery for June
- Webminister– Rink Mikkelsen– Added pictures to website. Also added recipes from Celine. Announcement for Inn of White Cat is complete
- Herald – Donnchadh - Begun a consultation with Joyce (fencer) for name and heraldry. Maol Mhurie needs to go over how to submit her

name.

- Chamberlain – Cordeilla - NTR
- Knight's Marshal – Wulfgar - Practice continues. Email from Friederich with temporary license for combat archery for the East. He is willing to come on May 7th to help with authorizations. Maol-Mhurie asked which form it is on - Wulfgar said heavies
- Minister of Lists – Maol-Mhurie- Combat archers to authorize in May
- Rapier Marshal – d'Oryen - Practice is Wednesday. Quarterly report in on time. List of participants for Rapier crown released - ~88 participants. Will be livestreamed on youtube.
- Captain of Archers – Lady Maria Donald– On April 13th did a bit of work on arrow building and principles of arrow building. A group went to Lancaster archery at end of March for a 3 D shoot. Next practice May 11 at Lancaster Archery from 2-4, then again at 2 weeks later. Asked Cordeilla to post to the calendar. 4-8 each time showing up for practice
- Thrown Weapons Marshal – He will look at schedule and talk with Ragnall about schedule.
- Youth Marshal – OPEN
  - Chancellor Minor- OPEN

## **OLD BUSINESS**

- Inn of the White Cat Event - Linette having a core staff (Linette, Orlaithe, Nabiya, Maol-Mhurie, Rink, Cordeilla) meeting tomorrow at practice to go over the save the dates and planning items. Maol-Mhurie - staff email lists were put together.  
Next all staff meeting is May 18th. Rink can send out announcement
- By- Laws- No updates at this time
- Insurance- Application is submitted via USPS. Also submitted to church.
- Final nominations for Exchequer
  - Current nomination D'Oryen (acting)

- Vote for Exchequer - Unanimous vote for D'Oryen as exchequer to replace Kalista.
- Signatories need updating- We need to update the Signatories on the Bank Account we were not up to date even before the recent officer changes. (Discussed prior in meeting)
  - We should not have non-officers listed as signatories while officers such as Seneschal are not.
- Penn Mar Irish Festival-June 17th- Cordeilla replied back and asked them if the SCA's blanket insurance will cover what the township requested. They have not answered, so recommend not participating in the demo, because it will cost \$75 to list the location. Maol-huri motion, Rink 2nd. Vote to withdraw from this year's demo participation due to lack of response from arranger.
- Nominations for May Elections- The following offices are up for election. Make an announcement at the Wednesday gathering
  - Chancellor Minor
  - Chronicler - Celine
  - Company Captain of Archers - Maria
  - Exchequer - D'Oryen Confirmed
  - Herald - Dunnie declines, due to 2 term limit - will need to see if Kalista is interested and announce at gathering
  - Knight Marshal - Hans van Beck
  - Thrown Weapons Marshal
    - Gerhard Stormeclocke
- No new info from Blak Rose on the use of Silver Rylle and Dawnfield heraldry. There are rules to be hammered out at Kingdom level. Eleazar may be only one requesting use.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

- Mary asked for assistance in reaching out to

- Change at the church concerning at practice. May - October will be outside for fighting. Outside is weather dependent.  
Not sure if there is a room for A&S or not. Church has leased out the gym for basketball practice. They will charge \$5 a week for the port-a-john usage. We could pay the \$100 for the season up front. All agreed that this is the best course of action, need to get \$ amount from Conall. Per Conall A&S room will be available - Conall will need to check with church on cost.
- Maol-Mhurie asked for volunteers for Newcomers sessions and invited non-newcomers.
- Recommendation for thrift crawl for newcomers.
  - Ask about Owlsherste camp and see if there is any interest in land agent. Widow Kait does not want to be there as just her family.

### **Upcoming Events of Interest:**

Herb garden - Flowers at flavor and food. Jun 8, 2025 1-4 PM at Linette's

Newcomers:

May 13th-Service with Linette

Inn of the White Cat -Nov 8th

Refer to the Pikestaff/East Kingdom Website for event detail

### **Scheduling**

**Reporting Schedule for Local Officers:** A copy of all reports should be sent to Seneschal

- Seneschal: March 30, June 30, Sept 30, Dec 30.
- A&S: June 1, Dec. 1
- Exchequer: Jan. 30, April 30, July 30, Oct. 30
- Archery Marshal: April 1, Oct. 1
- Chatelaine: Mar. 1, June 1, Sept. 1, Dec. 1
- MoL: March 1

- Rapier Marshal: Jan. 15, April 15, July 15, Oct. 15
- Knight Marshal: Mar. 1, June 1, Sept. 1, Dec. 1
- Herald: March 1, June 1, Sept. 1, Dec. 1
- Thrown Weapons: April 15, Nov. 15
- Webminister: Jan. 15, April 15, July 15, Oct. 15.
  - Chronicler: Dec. 15

- Next Meeting -May 27 at 7:00 via Google. Agenda items to Gerhard by May 25 , 2025 via [senechal@owlshest.eastkingdom.org](mailto:senechal@owlshest.eastkingdom.org)

Meeting adjourned at 8:17 PM