

Minutes for the Shire of Midhaven Business Meeting: 12 Mar 14

General Announcements:

The Youth and Family Achievement (YAFA) is tentatively announced to go active this summer, though may be delayed. See <http://antir.sca.org/Blogs/families/> for details.

(Like “boy/girl scouts” for the SCA)

Officer Reports:

- Archery: Rodri
 - No showing for March practice.
 - Any Sunday is open, just let Rodri. So long as it's announced it will be official
- Arts and Sciences: Lady Avelyn
 - Last A&S night we worked on the hats. If you took any projects home to complete, please be sure to get them back.
 - This month's third Wednesday is social night.
 - Discussion regarding Sir Thorkel's Norse box construction, but he needs to work out some details before we try to do it as a group.
- Chamberlain: Sophia absent
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- Chatelaine: Duchess Angharad
 - Three upcoming demos (4?)
 - Apri 11-12 – Garage Sale at Skagit County Fair Grounds
 - Aug 6-9 – Skagit County Fair (we will only be there Fri 8/Sat 9)
 - Aug 16 - Concrete parade – will also have a pavilion set up
 - Sept 26-27 – Garage Sale at SCFG.
 - Have some “show” on Friday, erics set up Saturday
 - Let Lord Bryson know RSVPs for demos.
- Chirurgeon: Keina
 - Nothing new to report
 - (~~except a possible war between the Chirurgeon and Master of Stables?~~)
- Chronicler: Lady Sigga
 - The first issue of “The Tulip and The Sword” newsletter for Midhaven has been sent out
 - Next issue will be out around May
 - If you have any content you'd like to submit, please email me at creativemetaphor@yahoo.com or talk to me at the business meetings. I'll be taking submissions generally, so feel free to submit content on any topic and for any issue.
- Equestrian: Lady Taraðan
 - March practice went well, total of 9 riders and 7 horses
 - Updating practice schedule to clear conflicts with events
 - Working on quarterly report

- Exchequer: Lord Bryson reporting for
 - Need to look into insurance for the April demo.
 - Lady Tarađan to look into it.
- Herald: Lord Michael
 - Copied from Herald's Report: Master Bruce Draconarius of Mistholme, OL, OP, Baton Vert Herald Extraordinary, has (after 20+ years) released the third edition of *The Pictorial Dictionary of Heraldry* as a free, public-access website. So far, it is only complete through the letter L, but it gives example images of heraldic charges that are traceable, provides information about these charges regarding how they are treated by the SCA College of Arms, and shows a few citations for the charge in period rolls-of-arms if applicable, and people who have registered them in the SCA. It is available at <http://www.mistholme.com/>.
- Master of Stables: Sir Thorkel
 - In addition to practice this Sunday, will also be making/repairing armor, if you have anything marshal-like to work on
- Web Minister: Dáma Libuše absent
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Upcoming Events:

Youth Allthing

- Still need volunteers and teachers

Joint Trials

- Site walk-through with Aquaterra, no barns or stalls will be available for use, will need to use portable stalls.
- Warm-up arena
- Look into renting field next to grounds
- Aquaterra will be in charge of securing equestrian insurance

Harvest Feast

- Cost of setting up the night before? Another day's rent.

New Business

- None

Meeting Adjourned