

March Council 2008

7:04pm start

Adopt last month's minutes: Rick
- Read by: Tamara

Events Updates:

- **Winter's tourney 2008:**
 - See attachment

- **Champion's tourney 2008:**
 - Christine is autocrating, and the site is at Don's house.
 - Sealion is at the same place the next weekend
 - We are trying to have a weeklong practice at his house that week so that people could leave their tents for a fee.
 - Where we put our tents are dictated by the war outlines the next week.
 - \$10-20 for the week depending on the size of the tent
 - Is the money coming back to Lionsdale? –most is going to Don
 - if we have the \$20 fee we may get some back.
 - budget to come and more details
 - June 6,7,8

- **Odin's Playground:**
 - nope

- **Bard and a Banquet 2008:**
 - Marion has submitted a proposal
 - with Ayame
 - \$1000.00 for site, props and garb
 - the play will be 13th Einar
 - Cost is for Friday and Saturday
 - maybe bar
 - Kitchen: Siglinda
 - \$15 for tickets
 - the site we wanted is not available
 - looking for a site????
 - Harrison is booked 5 years in advanced for us.
 - They are looking to us for input about the kitchen
 - Go ahead Marion

- **Fall Ithra / Workshop:**
 - open for bids

- **New Year's Masque:**
 - open for bids

Old Business:

- Month Social
 - \$12.50 per hour for 30 hours, last Sunday of the month
 - Upfront cost \$525.00
 - April 27st, May 25, June 22, July 27, August 24, September 28 and December 31
 - Banquet hall
 - this opens up for New Year's Masks
 - "Can we try it for 6 months?"
- Tir Righ / Avacal war June 20??
 - takes this to the financial committee
- Science World demo
 - Azzia would like to see the dance practice on the forum, she sent stuff and so she going to post it herself, Can we bring the Eric ropes for the heavy fighters

New Business:

- UCFV demo in April, they need to let Thora now, send her an email (Dana)
- Welcome: Ambassador from Lionsgate: Kennyth
 - this is so that the lower Mainland can work closer together
- Dave raised \$50 for fight practice, Yaaa Dave
- Low attendance at fight practice, maybe move under the pole barn
- maybe 7:30-9:30pm??
- Maybe every second week
- kids at fight practice ... where to put them

Officer Reports:

-Master of Stables:

- Archery:** No incidence, low attendances at practice.
- Heavy:** No incidence, low attendances at practice.
- Fencing:** Not in attendance, no report
- Lists:** Not in attendance
- Water Bearing:** don't have one
- Thrown Weapons:** don't have one

-Mistresses of Arts and Sciences:

- Depute is now Sofia, nothing to report
- Honor is ill
- Sofia had ten-ish people out for a clean, polish drink horns
- Had a lunch in

-11-5pm (every 2nd Sunday of the month)
-April 13

-Dance:

- every Tuesday night
- practicing for Science world
- they are all going to an event
- they have a code of conduct for no horse play
- Lionsgate dancers coming out, with new dances

-Seneschal:

-Kingdom send word that they received our dooms day report
-Pied Piper is a pain
-our warranted (if it's good enough for the school district, you're good enough for us.)
-Polices and financial committee has not meet yet

-Chatelaine: don't have one

-Pied Piper:

- 9 kids came to Winter's Tourney
- prizes given by merchants
- would like a head count of the kids in the Shire
- do pied piper at the monthly socials
- gave Quentin his wish list
- Sigard Sigardson was his 2 deep person at winter's tourney

-Gold Key: not in attendance

-Chronicler:

-See attachment

-Web Mistress: not in attendance

-Heraldry: sent in report, they used banners at winter's tourney

-Exchequer: not in attendance, we are always in trouble we have been for three years
-we need to report, or we will get in trouble

-Chamberlain: Don

-Please put the locker back the way you found it.

Next Council: 17 April at Sofia's

-Motion to adjourn: Christine

-Second by Tamara 8:15pm

(I cannot publish personal information.)

Attendance:

Christine

Tamara

Sofia

Rick

Melissa

Dave

Alanna

Don

Ken

Attachments:

Lionsdale's winter's Tourney final report:

Lionsdale Winter's Tourney was held on February 23rd 2008 at Atchellitz Hall (6542 Lickman rd.) in Chilliwack, BC. At this event we held court, had our Rapier and Art's and Science completion, a heavy tournament, archery, dance, pied piper, merchants, put up decorations, dessert auction and a feast. There were too many people to thank for volunteering their time too many that I may forget some so I won't. Let it be documented that I was taken aback numerous times when individuals were just so willing to jump up and help, even with the most trying of tasks. I was able to personally thank everyone that contributed to the success of the day by presenting them with tokens of appreciation in the form of a felted purple heart.

I only had only one negative experience to do with Winter Tourney this year, the hall. On the day I went to pick up the key, pay the last of the site, sign the papers and drop off the damage deposit the manager sat me down and presided to question whether she should rent to the SCA. I figure she had not realized that we were until our last check, being that it was from the Shire's account. Apparently, sometime in the past after the SCA rented the site she realized the floors were scratched. As far as I could determined she could not prove that it was solely the SCA, Lionsdale's, group and could not charge us. I promised her that under my care the floors would not be scratched and the site would look pristine for her Monday morning. Saturday morning I and several others looked at the upstairs' floor and it looked old. Taking action, I asked the heavy fighters if they could move outside, they along with the fencers kindly desisted to fight outside not to scratch the floors and because it was a beautiful day. In the end the floors were not scratched, I checked, and we were not charged at all. I am hesitant to use this site next year and think that it would be best if we created some distance between us for the time being.

Including this the day was an overall success, I had a great time and as far as I could see many others did as well. To further the good news the event brought in 1443.69, making the Shire a profit of \$543.31. (See below for details.)

Final Monies Reconciliation done by Christine and Tamara
CC: Quentin (aka Iuean Gower)

Amounts Payable:

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| Site Reservation | \$100.00 |
| Site Rental Balance | \$450.00 |
| Site Damage Deposit | \$250.00 |
| Gate Float | \$300.00 |
| Pied Piper | \$25.75 |
| Hall Decorations | \$9.89 |

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| Water Bearing | \$16.45 |
| Food | \$186.60 |
| NMS collected | \$105.00 |
| | \$1443.69 |

Amounts Receivable:

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|-----------------------|------------------|
| Gate Drops #1 | \$846.00 |
| Gate Drop #2 | \$522.00 |
| Gate Drop #3 | \$69.00 |
| Float reconciled | \$300.00 |
| Damage Deposit refund | \$250.00 |
| | \$1987.00 |

Profit/ loss :

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| Received: | \$1987.00 |
| Payable: | -\$1443.69 |
| | \$543.31 (Profit) |

Chronicler's Report March 2008:

I have been working with Thora, Marion and other's on creating a documented history for the officers and champions for Lionsdale. This project is not complete but is a long term project that everyone is encouraged to partake in.

In further news, I am happy to report the success of a surprise project I had for the populace of Lionsdale at Winter's Tourney. With the help of some former and present Shire members I was able to

collect pictures and present them on themed sheets, bound. The overall response was positive and this project, as with most, will be an ongoing project and passed to the next chronicler.

I would like to take this time to reiterate that I will not be publishing a news letter because I feel there is no great desire in Lionsdale to fund and partake in it.

We have heard rumors that our neighbor, Lionsgate, wants to publish an updated Far speaker. Lionsdale council voted and we would like to perchance some individually and then print more if needed. More information is soon to be provided, I assume.

Pied Piper report March 2008

1. Events: Winter's Tourney

Activities: Stained Glass Windows

Drawing/Colouring

We had about 9 children attend the Pied Piper station during the two and a bit hours of its operation. Five of these took part in the

main activity, which was making "stained glass" window decorations out of crayon shavings, wax paper and posterboard. All five were

rewarded for their efforts with prizes, some acquired out of the budget allotted me by the

event autocrat but most donated by merchants at the event. I would like to thank Lord Adam and the other merchants (Lady Danika will know which ones donated prizes) for their generosity. The projects were used to decorate the feast hall for the evening and then taken home by the artists.

2. Financial/Materiel

Finances: I have submitted some budgetary requests to Vis. Ieuan Gower, Shire Exchequer, for the purchase of books

and supplies this year. I will bring a copy of this to council for review in case it is needed.

Supplies: I have a few items which I have collected for prizes and am donating to the Shire for this purpose. I would like at some

convenient time to meet with the Master of Stables or Chancellor to see what Pied Piper materials are in the Shire storage locker.

This is not an immediate need but should happen this spring.

3. Populace

I would like to get a sense of how many of the Shire's populace have children aged 3 to 12 and their numbers, with an eye to better developing the service my office can provide to the Shire's young families. I am not sure how best to do this and would appreciate input. This is a mid- to longterm project for me and need not be discussed at this Council, though I would like to mention it.

This concludes my report for the month of March, AS 42, being the year 2008.

Wulfstan Ravnsson,
mka. Rick Kimberley,
Pied Piper,
Shire of Lionsdale.

Heraldry Report for the Month of February 2008 AS 42:

There hasn't been much activity in the office of herald over the past few months.

At Winter's Tournay I was able to acquire the banners from Donatello for decorations around the hall (which looked pretty good when it was all done!) and would like to thank him for the use of them.

I also had some practice as being a court herald again for His Grace Dux Darius at his Ducal Court. Which all in all I think went quite well!

Thus ends Herald's report for the Month of February 2008 AS 42

Haley/Ayame