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FROM THE BARONAGE

Unto the populace of Vatavia, Greetings from Their Excellencies,

First, we would like to thank Lord Corrigan for putting together this month's Dragonflyer and Lady Murasaki for her dedicated service as Chronicler. While we are sad she had to step down, we are glad that decision was due to her wonderful new job. We also wish to thank Lady Heloise for stepping up as our new Chronicler.

This series of events points out the importance of deputy officers. If you are an officer, please be sure you have a deputy. If you are not an officer, but would like to be one someday, please consider becoming a deputy.

We are up for the spring 2014 Crown Tournament bid. If you are interested please contact one of us or Lady Catlin for more information. Also, after a discussion at Coronation, we would like to encourage whoever gets this bid to reach out to our neighbors in the Shire of Westumbria (western Kansas) for help- because of their location, they don't get to host Kingdom events and would love the chance to help.

Finally, we would like to thank you for allowing us to serve as your baron and baroness for nearly two years. It has been both a great honor and a great pleasure. We look forward to continuing to represent you and to serve you. Vivat Vatavia!

In service, His Lordship Donald Macdonald, Baron Lady Zoe Mikre, Baronossa



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SCA WEBSITES OF INTEREST

www.sca.org | www.calontir.org | www.baronyofvatavia.org

OFFICERS MEETING MINUTES

February 6, 2013 Martinson Avenue Christian Church, Wichita, KS

14 members attended: 10Baronage/officers/deputies/champions; 1 event stewards;3 members of the populace

A presentation for McConnell base has been tentatively scheduled for mid-October. It is hoped to have a mini Ren. Fair. The Ansteorran Chatelaine and local Oklahoma groups will be notified about a requested demo for Northwestern Oklahoma State University Friday April 12th. Planning has begun for the Champions' event this Spring. Those interested in participating in the Spring Ren. Fair presentation should contact Shiro.

Members are encouraged to attend Chieftains in three Rivers and, if possible, Gulf Wars.

BUSH classes on Wednesdays have been scheduled through August. Classes are still needed for September through December. Four Vatavians have proposals into Saker. Lord Corrigan has stepped in as temporary Chronicler. Interviews will be held after the Officers' meeting.

A receipt was delivered for donations in 2012 to Martinson Avenue Christian Church. A tithe to the Kingdom for Coronation and a donation to Martinson Avenue Christian Church were proposed, discussed and approved. The Valor site has already been paid in full. Payment was authorized to renew the web domain registration. After all financial considerations during the meeting there is a balance sitting at \$10,000

Exploration Place requested fighter practice continue at their facility. During a meeting with the Marshal, demonstration coordinator, and EP contact it was agreed to come once a month. A schedule will be made.

There is now a Society Social Media policy and deputy office position created to oversee these areas of communication. Officers were all encouraged to read this policy. Applications for a Social Media Kingdom Deputy are being accepted.

Bids are needed for the Vatavian rotation on the Crown Tourney schedule. The suggestion was made to consider asking the Shire of Westumbria to assist with the event.

The meeting adjourned.

INTEREST GATHERINGS

Populace Meeting

Third Wednesday, 7 pm to 9 pm VFW Post 112, 1560 South Topeka Street, Wichita, KS 67211

Arts and Sciences Gathering

1st, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 7-9 pm at MACC

For more information, contact: Lady Mor Hoistlair shstrickland21@gmail.com

Sewing Group

1st and 3rd Sundays, 1pm to 4pm as MACC

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Archery Practice

Sundays, 12-2 PM, at Diamond Archery, 926 W Harry Street, Wichita, KS 67213

For more information, directions or alternate times to shoot, contact: Lord William Douglas jdrago75@gmail.com | 316-259-6304

Fighter Practice

April-Sept (outdoor): Sundays, South Linwood Park starting at 11 am, with a once a month appearance at the Exploration Place the last Sunday of the month.

Oct-March (indoor): Sundays, Exploration Place at 12 noon

For more information, contact: Lord Kagemoto woodentiger@cox.net | 316-285-4607

Bardic

Second Thursday at 240 N. Quentin starting at 7 pm For more information contact: Lord Johann | 316-440-6743

Officers/Finance Meetings

First Wednesday of the month at MACC. Open to the general populace, 7 pm to 9 pm

*MACC = Martinson Avenue Christian Church 1653 S. Martinson Avenue

KINGDOM EVENTS

March 2-3: March Hare Affair | Bois d'Arc (Southeast, KS)

March 9-17: Gulf Wars | Gleann Abhann (Lumberton, MS)

March 23-24: Kingdom A&S | Lost Moor (St. Joseph, MO}

March 30-31: Spring RUSH | Shadowdale (Iowa City, IA)

April 6-7: Spring Spears | Calanais Nuadh (St. Robert, MO)

April 13-14: Unslung Heroes 2 | Aston Tor (East Jackson County, MO)

April 20-21: Great Plains Renaissance Festival | Vatavia

April 20-21: Ceilidh | Dun Ard (Leavenworth, KS)

April 20-21: War College | Amlesmor (Hallsville, MO)

April 27-28: Cooking Symposium | Lost Moor (St. Joseph, MO)

April 27-28: Melon Wars | Flinthyll (Burlington, IA)

May 4-5: Spring Crown Tournament | Three Rivers (St. Louis, MO)

May 11-12: St. George & the Dragon | Oakheart (Springfield, MO)

May 11-12: Event | Couer D'Ennui (Des Moines, IA)

May 18-19: Melees & Mayhem | Crescent Moon (Topeka, KS)

May 25-26: Tournament of Horse & Falcon | Forgotten Sea (Kansas City, MO)

June 8-16: Lilies War XXVII | Calontir (Smithville, MO)

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Contact His Lordship Friar Thomas at 316-685-1182

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