AGREED MINUTES

Darton Shire Council Meeting 12 June 2023

Meeting Start: 1933

Meeting Finish: 2014

Attending

Physical: Caitriona, Miles.

Virtual: Linette, Serafina, Helewys, Peter, Diego, Luan, Robyn, Madeline, Kazimira, Fiore, Catalina, Ian.

Apologies: Nil.

General Business

- Welcome everyone to the meeting,
- Outline the agenda,
- Ask if there is any general business?

Covid settings

A sheltered outdoor seating area is being constructed at Elmwood. No change.

Further discussions on indoor ventilation for the barn will take place as we get closer to winter – when Dillon returns, so have thoughts.

ACTION: Seneschal to follow up and bring costed proposal to July meeting.

Hamlet Boundaries

Need the post codes to include in Darton, then Seneschal to send to Kingdom Seneschal.

ACTION: Seneschal to follow up with Sherwater.

Shire website

Fixed.

Linette, having trouble accessing Pegasus. Advice:

- Contract registry (or Masonry)
- Refresh cache or try a different browser

Containers

No update.

ACTION: Seneschal to follow up.

Future Events and Activities

Regular Activities

- 1. A&S and Fencing at Elmwood every Wednesday.
- 2. Heavy Fighting at Elmwood Sundays.
- 3. Archery Sundays at 2pm.
- 4. Dance Next Dance is after the plague ends.
- 5. Monthly A&S Online: Will think about it after Collegium.

Note: The Hamlet of Sherwater had a Hamlet Day, with fencing occurring – looks like events at private venues might be back on there, with RATs required.

Shire Fun Days

No set dates or rotation of activities – all depends on what people feel enthusiastic about.

Upcoming Events

A reminder from KDS, use the event form at: https://seneschaldb.lochac.sca.org/event/new

or form here: https://docs.google.com/document/d/1xoXtRibmXTd8LjDY5hKZ_YlbEvwFgfuXYwH-QrW8Bt4/edit

Darton Collegium

Was just about set to go ahead. The Dillon and Catherine got Covid. Event has been postponed to 23 September.

ACTION: Catriona to follow up.

Darton Anniversary 25-27 August 2023

Bid and spreadsheet from Miles discussed. Consensus was "Deluxe 10%".

Luan/Robyn as Drop-Dead Deputy.

Will need a Marshal-in-charge.

ACTION: Seneschal to complete paperwork with Diego.

Past Events

Tournament of the Killer Shark

Miles presented paperwork.

ACTION: Miles to file the paperwork.

Correspondence

Kingdom Seneschal: everyone needs drop dead deputies.

Officer Vacancies

ACTION: Seneschal to start replacement process!

Officer Reports

Seneschal

Current Shire membership total is 54.

Arts & Sciences

Collegium was delayed.

Question from Linette: For "show & tell" activities, how do people submit and get stuff there? Catherine is uncertain and will need to follow up. Need to leave enough time for things/digital paperwork to get through.

Weekend before DA, Luan could use a hand to turn dumpling into "rats".

Reeve

Account balance: \$6521.45. Paid for Collegium. -\$199

ACTION: Thanks Reeve.

Scribal

Nil.

Herald

Nothing to report.

Quartermaster

Nil.

Marshall

Combat Archery: No update.

Rapier: Weekly Wednesday training, decent turnout.

Rattan: Rattan continues, depending on attendance, no injuries reported.

Target Archery: Viktor, aka Ulf, is now organising Sunday archery.

Youth Combat: No recent activity.

Siege: No update.

Diego – Darton has a few fencing Marshals. We need a Marshal in Charge for DA. Action: Diego to discuss with Dillon for event bid.

Minutes

The minutes of the meeting of 8 May 2023 were approved.