

Shire of Dregate

Meeting Minutes 9-25-11

In attendance: Killian, Conuil, Runa, Aelfwyn, Rosie, Cerdic

Meeting called to order at 5:15

### Officer Reports

Seneschal:

1. The crown bid is in and now we are waiting for a final yes or no. Runa mentioned that we do not have enough people to run a crown event. Killian felt that much of the work was going to need to be done in advance because of this.
2. A check for \$17.67 was given to Conuil to give to Oso to reimburse her for bungees purchased for rented out shire items.

A&S:

1. The kingdom is asking populace to donate 5 items each to royalty at 12<sup>th</sup> night. Killian felt that those interested could give items to royalty at Ambergard's Harvest feast.
2. A table was set up at revel to showcase local A&S. There were some displayed items but not many.

### Events

Revel: Money from the revel was deposited back into the account. \$150 in gate change, \$112 in auction money and \$580 in site fees and feast tickets. A check for \$213.50 was given to Camp Ortoha and \$500 was spent on feast food. The Revel lost about \$40 but it was agreed it was still a fun event though poorly attended.

Championships: Rosie has reported that everything is moving forward. Killian will get gate change for Rosie and Aelfwyn and Kit have volunteered to assist at gate. Dalbach will bring silent auction items and Oso is bringing the small pavilion for A&S. Rosie would like the large pavilion in case of rain. Conuil asked if we were going to be charged to use the site on Friday. Rosie informed us that we would not be charged extra for that day. She will be meeting the rodeo people at 3pm for a tour of the site. They were happy to hear that there would be no horse activities. Rosie has decided the price is \$10 for the weekend and \$5 for a day trip. We are paying \$200 for the site plus \$25 to use one of the biffies. The other two biffies are free. Rosie has decided that heavy fighting would happen on Sunday so that the fighters would be available to help with site cleanup on that day. She says she has been unable to contact champions. Conuil has volunteered to run archery if we do not hear from Latineous. Sir Lochlin has volunteered to run the Heavy championships as Tio is unavailable. Sir Lochlin has all regalia. Lots of information on the website.

Conuil voiced his displeasure that most fighters do not attend the general meetings. Rosie wanted to make sure everyone knew about the culinary event and to remind people the information is on the website. Killian read the event schedule off of the site and it was agreed that this was a fully functional schedule. Rosie is constructing an embroidered prize for the culinary winner. Rosie wished to remind each champion that they are responsible for the set up and tear down of their erics and so forth.

We have been told that tiki torches are okay on the site but no fires on grass at all.

Red Lantern: Aelfwyn has invited their Highnesses but for them it would be a 375 mile drive for a one night feast as they live in Chilliwack BC. She is looking for a site and feels that the Okanogan Grange would work. We are not allowed to hang banners on walls and she feels the ceiling is not good for hanging banners. The kitchen does not have enough refrigerator space. Aelfwyn suggested we build some kind of banner stand so we would not keep facing this problem. The site also does not have enough tables so we would need to bring some but they do have chairs.

The lanterns are getting damaged so she will be putting together an A&S meeting to repair them. She discussed using a glass cutter and making some candle chimneys or holders so that the candles have less of a change of damaging the lanterns. Dubheasa has agreed to feastocrat. Her theme will be Japanese and she is very excited

#### New business

A discussion was held about events and the business of October in the areas around the shire. Events that occur around us are: Equinox in Cranehaven, Barons Ball in Wastekeep, Golden Swan in Appledore, Harvest feast in Ambergard, Archery fest in Vulkanfeldt. One suggestion was to move the Revel to August and championships to September. Killian has asked Runa to contact the Conconully camp to see if it is available and terms. If we cannot move revel perhaps we could move championships to April. There was some concern about the length of time the champions would get to be champions but nothing was decided

Calendar was set:

The Hour of Anarchy – Hometown Pizza October 27<sup>th</sup> at 6pm

Meeting was adjourned at 6:23