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Happy 4th of July!!!!

Ok so I want to tell you all about how wonderful my position as your Seneschal has been. This group is the best group one could ask for coming from a governing sense. Everyone here does their part to make this group run very smoothly. The only things I have been doing are the monthly reports, finding answers to questions related to COPORA and Kingdom Law, and run a meeting once a month. I want to thank each and every one of you for making this job such a breeze because with out you I would be up to my eyeballs in work.

With that said one of the other jobs I have is to take on empty positions when there is no one to fill them. We have a vacancy that should be filled. The Chronicler, Makes this great newsletter. I am looking for someone who is willing to make the contacts, put in the time and work to give us this great newsletter. So please if you are interested and want to do the job please contact me via email or phone. Both are listed in the back of this newsletter.

Also I need a Deputy for the Seneschal Position. Just someone to cover the meetings if I get sick. Someone who might be willing to look up answers if I am not available. Please contact me for more information.

In Service to the Barony and Kingdom Lady Taddea de Trieste, Seneschal



V. B. Duties and Responsibilities of the baronage of Axemoor

Currently reads: Thus, it is important that the Baronage and the Seneschal work in tandem to promote the health and well-being of the group.

Proposed change: thus, it is important that the Baronage and Greater Officers work in tandem to promote the health and well-being of the group.

V. C. Baronial Succession 2. d

Currently reads: a public statement in the Court of Their Majesties of Gleann Abhann of their intention to step down, an announcement in the baronial newsletter, and an announcement on the baronial e-group.

Proposed change:a public statement in the Court of Their Majesties of Gleann Abhann of their intention to step down, an announcement in the baronial newsletter, Baronial business meeting, and on the baronial e-group.

VI. Order of Justinian

Currently reads: This award carries no precedence.

Proposed change: strike the sentence

Currently reads: there will be a Secretary of the Order who will be in charge of keeping a standing record of all members fo this order. Proposed change: the Secretary of the order will be in charge of keeping a standing record of all members of this order.

V. Companion of the Bow & Blade

Currently reads: (to include, heavy weapons, rapier combat, target archery, compart archery, & live weapons).

Proposed change: (to include, heavy weapons, rapier combat, target archery, combat archery, youth combat, siege weapons, & live weapons).

VII. Event Bids:

Currently reads: name of event, date of event, proposed site, Autocrat's name, Feast-crat's name, proposed activities, a feast menu outline and estimated budget.

Proposed change: ... name of event, date of event, proposed site, Autocrat's name, Feast-crat's name, proposed activities, a proposed feast menu outline and estimated budget (with a copy of the budget submitted to the Exchequer).

Currently reads: ...the Baronage and the Seneschal will decide the which bid to award after consulting with the populace.

Proposed change: ...the Baronage and Seneschal will decide which bid to award after consulting with the populace.

VII. B. Feast-crat responsibilities: 1.

Currently reads: Present the proposed menu to the Autocrat at least(when possible) one month prior to the event.

Proposed change: Present the proposed menu to the Autocrat at least one month prior to the event

VII. C. Officer Event Responsibilities: Knights Marshal

Currently reads: makes arrangements for tourney Marshals, tourney Herald, list Mistress; and arranges for a Waterbearer-in-Charge.

Proposed change: makes arrangements for tourney Marshals, tourney Herald, List Mistress; and arranges for fighter support.

VII. C. Officer Event Responsibilities: Chatelaine:

Currently reads: provides loaner garb as needed; has flyers available for newcomers

Proposed change: provides loaner equipment as needed; has flyers available for newcomers Appendix I: Financial Committee: A.

Currently reads: The Financial committee of The Barony of Axemoor shall include the offices of the Baronage and The Greater Officers of Axemoor. Each office receives one vote on matters that need to be decided upon.

Proposed change: The financial committee of The Barony of Axemoor shall include the offices of The Baronage, The Greater Officers of Axemoor, and any paid member in attendance during a scheduled meeting / gathering. each person receives one vote on matters that need to be decided upon.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 Business Meeting	4	5	6	7
8 Fighter Practice NOLA	9	10	11 Fighter Practice Slidell	12	13	14 Star Mangled Spanner
15 Fighter Practice NOLA	16	17	18 Fighter Practice Slidell	19	20	21 For the love of Helen Barbarian Brawl
22 Fighter Practice NOLA	23	24	25 Fighter Practice Slidell	26	27	28 Academy of Performing Arts (APA)
29 Fighter Practice NOLA	30	31				

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			l Fighter Practice Slidell	2	3	4
5 Fighter Practice NOLA	6	7 Business Meeting	8 Fighter Practice Slidell	9	10	11 Aphar Faire
12 Fighter Practice NOLA	13	14	15 Fighter Practice Slidell	16	17	18 Cooks Collegium
19 Fighter Practice NOLA	20	21	22 Fighter Practice Slidell	23	24 Laser Tag	25 Scribal and Heraldic Symposium
26 Fighter Practice NOLA	27	28	29	30	31	Sept 1 Mid Summer Knights Dream

Proposed Changes for the Policy and Procedure of the Barony of Axemoor

II. Meetings/Greetings (final sentence)

Currently reads: All business shall be conducted at the regularly scheduled business meeting. Proposed change: All business shall be conducted at scheduled business meetings / gatherings that are open to all members of the Barony.

IV. A Deputies

Currently reads: Within 6 months of assuming the office, the Officer will strive to appoint deputies to assist him/her.

Proposed change: Officers will strive to appoint deputies to assist him/her.

Currently reads: A drop-dead deputy shall be named for any office within six months of assuming the office.

Proposed change: A drop-dead deputy shall be named for any office in accordance with King-dom Law.

IV. B. Officer Job Descriptions 1. Greater Officers: Herald:

Proposed change: (add final sentence) For more information, see kingdom guidelines for local heralds.

IV. B. Officer Job Descriptions 2. Lesser Officers: Chatelaine:

Currently reads: Responsibilities include coordinating the welcoming of new and interested members; maintaining and providing loaner garb and feast gear; coordinating and performing demos for purposes of recruitment and/or public awareness; performing all other duties in his/her sphere of responsibility as assigned by the Seneschal, Baron/Baroness or the appropriate Kingdom Officer.

Proposed change: responsibilities include coordinating the welcoming of new and interested members; coordinating with the Quartermaster with maintaining and providing loaner garb and feast gear; coordinating and performing demos for purposes of recruitment and/or public awareness; performing all other duties in his/her sphere of responsibility as assigned by the Seneschal, Baron/Baroness or the appropriate Kingdom Officer.

IV. B. Officer Job Descriptions 2. Lesser Officers: Chronicler:

Currently reads: Responsibilities include the upkeep, content and preparation of the Baronial newsletter, "Bayou Tapestry", maintain database of baronial members, promote solicitation ofarticles for Ambassador (GA Kingdom newsletter)" and "Tournaments Illuminated" and perform all other duties in his/her sphere or responsibility as assigned by the Seneschal, Baron/Baroness, or the appropriate Kingdom Officer.

Proposed change: Responsibilities include the upkeep, content and preparation of the Baronial newsletter, "Bayou Tapestry", maintain database of baronial members, promote solicitation of articles for "Ambassador (GA Kingdom newsletter)" and "Tournaments Illuminated", maintaining current Permission to Publish documentation, and perform all other duties in his/her sphere of responsibility as assigned by the Seneschal, Baron/Baroness or the appropriate Kingdom Officer. IV. B. Officer Job Descriptions: 2. Lesser Officers: Constable:

Currently reads:acting as Sergeant of Arms at baronial meeting:....

Proposed change: to strike the sentence.

IV. B. Officer Job Descriptions: 2. Lesser Officers: Minister of Children:

Currently reads: ...watching for those deserving of the Order of the Lamb at events and making recommendations:...

Proposed change: watching for those deserving of the Order of the Shearling, Fleece, or Lamb at events and making recommendations:....

IV. B. Officer Job Descriptions: 2. Lesser Officers: Quartermaster:

Currently reads: Responsibilities include arranging the inventory and storage of all Baronial property, maintaining the status of the property through an annual inspection, overseeing all Baronial property loaned out to individuals and groups,

Proposed change: Responsibilities include arranging the inventory and storage of all Baronial property, organizing with appropriate officers in regards to maintenance and status of the property held in their possession, through an annual inspection, overseeing all Baronial property loaned out to individuals and groups,.....

Well Axemoor,

Another month has come and gone and both Her Excellency and I are getting more sensitive as we get older, or it's just getting hotter each year. With that in mind, please remember to take care of yourselves, especially you who work outdoors. This group is too close knit to lose one of us to a heat induced ailment, which could have been permitted.

While writing about how close we all are, it's also a good time to remind all that although it may not feel that way outside; the event season is just around the corner. With this in mind, I would stress that Revel will be upon us sooner that we would like. Let's all do our best to ensure that Aofie and Tegan are given the most we can give. The longer we wait for those little projects that could be done to help, the more there will be waiting for us as the event comes closer.

Her Excellency and I would like to set up another scribal night in the near future and also ask each of you to begin thinking about people you believe are deserving of awards. We've had a good process so far and have been able to get all of the scrolls needed well in advance of the events, lets try to keep that trend going.

Fall is coming and with it a much busier schedule. Let's try to use the heat to our advantage.

Thanks again for everything and as always We're here for you all.

In Service,

Gellir Gunnarsson & Brigida Ingvarsdottir

Baronos & Baronossa Axemoor