

Business Meeting
January 20th

Present: Chatelaine Celestria, Seneschal Jasper, MOAS Helena, Exchequer Ellie, Baron Dunstan, Lady Valla Ragna in Spakka

Officer Reports:

Seneschal - not much to report

Exchequer -

- proposing updating the authorization for supplies for Alice's basketweaving class \$50.15; Jasper supported, all members in call voted in support
- Proposing the Canton purchases PDF Studio for scanning & editing receipts, \$150 purchase, will be tied to exchequer account not Ellie's personal account; Jasper proposes, all members in the meeting voted aye
- Exchequer shared balance of general, armor, archery & scribal funds
- Financial policy updates from kingdom are in process, including a new format. We need to update our policy this month so we will update the format to what kingdom currently has.

Chatelaine-

- started working on posters with QR codes and links for the group
- Looking for sign's for Newcomer's Point/Gold Key - will look in storage
- DtG gold key plans - tent near troll, will borrow pop up from Dunstan again

Webminister-

- working on the website for Defending the Gate, looking for info to finalize and publish

MOAS-

- 1/27 Basic Kumihimo with Jasper
- 2/3 Dance with Helena
- Contact MOAS with class ideas for 2026!

Defending the Gate

- Jasper is in touch with Darrell, working on setting up a site visit
- Waiting on updated portajohn costs for 2026
- Confirmed with the site that we have access for set up on the 27th, tear down on the 29th
- We still need staff: MOL, gate help, parking organization
- Exchequer may be gone leading up to DTG, need to get cash advance before she leaves

Budget

- will work on 2026 budget at February meeting

Inventory:

- need to reinventory storage locker and put shared document

Baron's News:

- 12th Night was very fun
- This Thursday 1/22 Baronial A&S is felting needlebooks at Bethel Lutheran Church in Manassas
- Send in your award recommendations!