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## *Il Tempo*

Welcome to *Il Tempo* (The Times), the Newsletter of the Barony of Ponte Alto, one of the northern baronies in the Kingdom of Atlantia.

*Il Tempo* strives to be an informative read that you look forward to. To this end, we are always appreciative of any contributions to it, perhaps an article of a project you are working on or are interested in, how to make/play a period game, your experience at an event, how/what to prepare for a day trip, a recipe/ piece of garb that you've made, documentation on an item you've competed - a how to on

documentation, a few words on a historical person/event, photos, a book review, something to share with a newcomer - perhaps a short autobiography of your persona or how you came to figure out your persona.

The list can go on for ages - only limited by the speed at which our hands can write out what our minds can think of.

Come, share with us adventures in the great Barony of Ponte Alto, in the grand Kingdom of Atlantia, in this - the current Middle Ages!



## Business Meeting Minutes

March 26, 2017

6:01 pm

Adjourned at 6:59 pm

18 attendees

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

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### OFFICER'S REPORTS

#### Seneschal - Lady Caitilin (Lady Caitilin Irruis inghean ui Riada)

- ♦ Will be stepping down sooner than originally planned. Deputy Seneschal Seamus to be assuming the duties soon.
- ♦ End of quarter reports are due.

#### Exchequer - Marlene Martineau (Lady Vadoma)

- ♦ Current balance info provided
- ♦ Adjustments for Bloodbath and storage to be reflected soon

#### Knight/Rapier Marshal - Jeff Williams (Lord Geoffrey ap Clywd)

- ♦ Fighting/Rapier continues.
- ♦ Rapier practices for 13th & 20th to be cancelled due to school schedule.

#### Archery Marshal - Rónán for Nicholas Freer (Lord Naran Numuchi)

- ♦ Archery continues
- ♦ Practices now on Mondays @ Grimmsfield for spring/summer schedule
- ♦ Planning to assist with SAAD

#### Arts and Sciences - Bob Capozello (Master Marcellus Capoziello da Napoli)

- ♦ Coronation next weekend. A&S activities scheduled.
- ♦ 4/9 Gothic Dress class
- ♦ 4/12 & 4/25 Ponte Alto Singers
- ♦ 4/24 A&S and Scriptorum
- ♦ Sewing & All Things Lacey TBD

#### Chatelaine - Barbara Eckman (Lady Barbara MacAuley)

- Last Newcomer's on 3/24. 10 attendees (8 adults + 2 kids). New family coming from RennFaire background interested in getting into SCA activities, including heavy fighting.

- Bobbie stepping down as deputy.

- Newcomer's meetings planned out thru Aug. Need new location for April. Barbara and Annika to consult and work out location.

- New Pontoon at Defending the Gate (DTG). Connected with us via email. Excited to attend.

- Stierbach is looking for help for a demo on 4/15.



## *Business Meeting Minutes (cont.)*

### **Herald** - Richard Altstatt (Ricart Berenguer Falcón)

- ◆ No new submissions this month.
- ◆ Discussion of award for kids. Ideas for redesign of name and badge/blazon discussed. Herald to pursue further. Something along the lines of Honore de Bambino...

### **Chronicler** - Rónán for Elliot Poleshuck (Eliyahu)

- ◆ Eliyahu busy catching up.
- ◆ Request for any last minute submissions for L&B be sent in tonight (if possible).

### **Web Minister** - Megan Ladd (Lady Margaret Lad)

- ◆ Discussed changes for Pennsic form with Alric.

### **Minister of the List** - Austin Dalton

- ◆ No report, as Bloodbath was cancelled/postponed.

### **Minister of Minors**- Eliisa Harman (Lady Annika Siltanen)

- ◆ Still children.
- ◆ Kids fought at Bright Hills Baronial Birthday
- ◆ New kids at DTG. Class by Eleanor.
- ◆ Kids at archery at DTG.

### **Baron and Baroness**- Kari Kel Dalton (Cellach Mór )

- ◆ Attended: Gulf Wars (GW), Hidden Mtn Baronial Birthday
- ◆ Shark's Tooth awarded to Cellach @ GW
- ◆ Will attend: Coronation, Night on the Town, Queen's Rapier (Alric) / Three Dog Night Fight (Cellach)
- ◆ Need retainers for Coronation & Night on the Town!
- ◆ Looking for contributions for gift baskets for multiple baronial investitures/coronations.
- ◆ Discussion of items for gift baskets.
- ◆ Suggestion for weaving ties for rapier masks in Ponte Alto colors from Alric.
- ◆ Query for head count for baronial camp at Ruby Joust.
- ◆ Plans for Potluck on 4/23



## *Business Meeting Minutes (cont.)*

- ◆ Discussion of Coronation

### EVENTS

#### **BloodBath**

- ◆ Bloodbath had to be cancelled/postponed. Discussion of rescheduling postponed due to Adina's absence.

#### **Curia**

- ◆ Discussion of period appearance requirements (removed). Encouraged. Focus on helping new attendees improve their garb/persona. "Be aware of your words!"
- ◆ Vaping added to smoking prohibition in central areas at events.
- ◆ Queen's Court of Courtesy discussed.

#### **Ruby Joust**

- ◆ Baronial camp planned.
- ◆ Reactivate sign-up on website.
- ◆ Plans to prevent/mitigate flooding.
- ◆ Will be an investiture.
- ◆ Remember to sign up in both places. Ruby Joust main, and Ponte Alto.

#### **Summer University at Black Diamond**

- ◆ Slated for 6/10

#### **Pennsic**

- ◆ Planning has commenced

#### **Bid for Crown Event**

- ◆ Possibly no due to preferred southern location.

#### **Oct/Nov event planning**

- ◆ Possible Yule event on 12/9. "Yule (be) on the Bridge". Tentative location identified.

#### **Love & Beauty**

- ◆ Go ahead and spike the date for 2/17



## *Business Meeting Minutes (cont.)*

### **Old Business**

- ♦ Alric still working on contacting maker for coronet repair. Will apprise us of progress.

### **New Business**

(Vadoma)

- ♦ Intent to convert "All Things Lacey" to perhaps something more formal as an embroidery class. Extend invites to other baronies.

(Alric)

- ♦ Interest in replacing our current plastic garage tent with a pavilion (10x20 or similar size). A year long project. Discussion of options (e.g. walls/no walls).

- Motion to add line item for fund-raising. Motion carried.

(general)

- ♦ Discussion of moving A&S champion announcement to Bloodbath, or officially assigning outgoing A&S Champion for KASF

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- ♦ Congrats to Vadoma for winning A&S pentathlon.
- ♦ Request for award recommendations.



# Baronial Progress

<i>Baronial Progress for March/April</i>	
Date	Event
3/31-4/2	Coronation – Ellerbe, NC
4/14-16	Night on the Town – Annapolis, MD
4/22	Queen’s Rapier (Alric) – Weyers Cave, VA
4/22-23	Kingdom War Practice (Cellach) – Carthage, NC

## *We really could use your help*

There are several positions in our Barony that could use a Deputy; actually, all of the positions that we have could benefit by having at least one deputy.

Why a Deputy? Well, it is easy for any one of use to intend to do something if we don’t take into account that the SCA is what we do with our time after we are finished doing what we do to pay the bills.

With deputies, the work load can be shared, allowing more work to be accomplished with less time and stress for any one individual.

Besides, it is a great way to work with others to do something different to help make yours and other’s SCA experience that much better!





## Ponte Alto Notables

**Archery Champion:** Lord Rónán mac Ímair  
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**Baronial Guard:** *(vacant)*

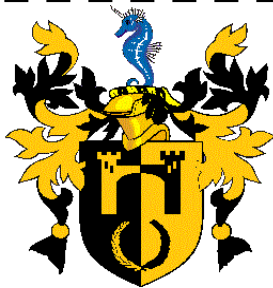
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