

DANESCOMBE MEETING MINUTES

April 3, 2024

Meeting

Present: Archibald, Drazhan, Espa, Gawain, Madire, Murdoch, Roslyn, Rowan, Schmidt, Steinn, Taitr, Taliesen, Tobias

Absent:

Discord meeting to start at: 7:00pm

[Officer Reports](#)

[19:00] Meeting started

[19:01] Motion to accept previous minutes: Motion passed

Recent Events

Golden Fleece - Ramsgaard

[19:01] Number of Shire attended, it was a good time

Upcoming Events

- Archery Practice - April 5
- Tir Righ Heraldic and Scribal Symposium - April 6
- Tournament of Roses - April 13
- Canterbury Faire - LionsGate - April 20

New Business

Shire Website

[19:03] Drazhan needs bio info and headshot from Gawain and Taliesen

[19:05] Old url will be redirected to the new url once the principality figure it out

[19:06] Drazhan will check in on the timeline

Outdoor Archery Practice and Armored Outdoor Fight Practice

[19:12] Later this month, we'll start outdoor archery at Taitr's grandparent's property

[19:13] Armored practice joining Thursday rapier practice outdoors starting in April

[19:14] For July + August, they will also have Hall space

[19:15] Tuesday will be the dedicated archery day to avoid practice overlap

[19:16] As a general point: encourage people who have been participating to become marshals!

[19:17] Cross discipline marshaling too!

Old Business

Shire Connection with UBCO

[19:12] The docs will be ready for next month's meeting

Signage

[19:18] Tabled until May. Chiara will update.

Signatories on bank account

[19:19] Need to set up a meeting to have people added.

[19:19] Madire will coordinate

Canada Day demo – Highland Games in Penticton

[19:20] No updates

Tir Righ Arts and Sciences and Bardic Event - September 28

[19:20] Not a very profitable event, but if we have to host, we can do so without incurring a loss

[19:22] Tobias offers to help Madire event steward

Archery Practice – Penticton Archery Club

[19:23] Confirmed for 7-9 April 5, 5\$ per person

[19:23] We should bring our own equipment, as they have limited supplies

[19:24] Address: Penticton Archery Club, 1797 BC Highway 97, Penticton, BC

[19:26] This is a mundane event, don't come in garb :)

Summer Demos in public parks

[19:28] Rowan recruiting people for the demo team. Follow-up next month.

Shire events (Fall and ToR 2025)

Proposed event dates for Peachland Hall: Nov 9th, Dec 14th, Jan 4th, Jan 18th, Feb 8th, Mar 1st, Mar 29th, Apr 5th, Apr 26th

[19:29] We can book the entire facility on any of these dates

[19:30] October 5 is a possibility for an event

[19:31] If we get the Principality event, then maybe we could do a smaller event in the Fall

[19:32] The entire hall is less than 200\$, worthwhile looking into getting the kitchen too

[19:33] We'll vote on the kitchen next council meeting

[19:34] Motion to reserve the gym at Peachland Hall for Nov 9th, Dec 14th, Jan 4th, Jan 18th, Feb 8th, Mar 1st, Mar 29th, Apr 5th, Apr 26th

[19:37] Motion passed

Tabled Business

Archery - \$600 dedicated to buy targets and repair kits when on sale, still in the works

Upcoming Danescombe Superpractice - May 11

Regalia - Pictures to be collected at Tournament of Roses

Meeting end: 7:38

Proposed next Meeting will be: May 1, 2024 at 7:00 on Discord

Officer Reports

Seneschal – HE Steinn

- Met with Johan regarding whether they were interested in attending Tir Righ Heraldic Symposium.
- Connected Taeitr with the Penticton Archery Centre for the upcoming practice.
- Followed up with the HACC university club for an update on the club documents for partnering with the shire.

Exchequer – HL Madire

- Bank account balance 7878.51 - 550.00 = Remaining balance 7328.51

Herald - Johan Jacob Guggenheimer

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Master of Stables – HE Steinn

- **Armoured:** HE Steinn
 - No armoured practice this month. We will be starting outdoor practice and joining the Thursday practice in Peachland later this month (weather dependent and sunset).
- **Archery** - Taitr
 - There was no archery at Danescombe practices or events this month. I (Teitr) contacted the Seneschal (Steinn) about scheduling weekly archery starting in May, this is to be discussed in the April shire council meeting. Additionally, some of our populous are going to the Penticton Archery Club on April 5th for a non-SCA archery practice.
- **Thrown Weapons** - HE Olen
 - Nothing new to report
- **Rapier** - Gawain
 - Rapier practice went well this month. We had an average of 14 people coming out to practice. Myself and Kristophe completed the ~10-week class program this last week. We have had a few new faces come out to practice as well as welcome visits from our neighbours in Krakkafjord.
- **Cut & Thrust** - Lord Tobias
 - Nothing to report

Arts and Sciences – Archibald Archer

- Mar 14th - 1 person working on ToR tokens; more ToR tokens made for numbers increase
- Mar 28th - 3 people beading

Chatelaine – Master Murdoch

- There has been no activity this month.

Scribe – HE Taliesin

- We continued to hold Scribal Nights, in conjunction with our Weekly Fighter Practices, on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month.
- Our attendance fluctuates from week to week but we have a core of 3 or 4 people weekly, with 2 or 3 others that pop in from time to time.
- In March, we worked on Kingdom & Principality Charters for the current reigns.
- We received Principality Charters at February Investiture, which we will work on (painting) in the coming months.
- Also, in March, I attended the Historical Arts & Combat Club at UBCO on the 2nd Tuesday weekly fighter practice for scribal (Painting). There were upwards of 6 participants. The calligraphy class on the 4th Tuesday weekly fighter practice was Textura Quadrata.

Webminister – Lord Drazhan

- The month of March was rather uneventful for our online presence. The only update I have is that there was communication about the old site still being up, so as far as I am aware that is still continuing.
- There have been no other new developments