

Principality of the Summits



Summits

Summits Moot

September Coronet 9/18/22

In Attendance:

Seamus O’Calleigh, Bato, Emma, Zanobia, Piaras, Milisandia, Clovis, Ximena, Brendan, Godwynn, Cassandra, Myvanwy, Gwyneth, Ayla, Weylyn, Lin Dis, Brunhilda, Temperance, Tryggr,

Meeting was called to order by Seamus.

His Highness thanked everyone for coming to the event. He let everyone know how inspired he was by Summits. He felt that there was something magic in the air and was grateful for the community. Her Highness wanted everyone to know that it wasn’t an easy decision to keep the Coronet Lists closed. Their Highnesses feel that the culture of Summits has developed so much. They asked anyone to reach out and let them know if there is any way they can be of help.

Lin Dis - Thanked everyone for their support. Thanked the populace. Agreed with Bato that there was something magical in the air over the weekend. Said it was the best tournament she had witnessed in a long while. The communication and prowess was wonderful on the field.

Weylyn - Indicated that there was much to process after the events of the weekend. He said he was so proud of the Family and Household that is Summits. He is looking forward to working closely with each of the branches and to continue the trend of Newcomer retention.

Ayla - Asked all the branches to take a look at the Reserve Calendar. Adiantum and TP have given up the reserve date for Prelude to War and perhaps it’s time to take a look at how many events each branch actually needs reserved.

Officer Reports:

Calendar – Learning the finer points of the job. Is creating a “How to Submit Effective Event Copy” document to go up on the website.

Social Media – Live Streaming is going well with the production side of things. Could use more people to learn how to do it. On site, need people to step in to do camera operating. Also need people to be runners/messengers so that SM can stay abreast of schedule and changes. Branches could do event prep - Event Stewards reaching out to SM more than a week in advance. Summits now has a Social Media kit.

Her Excellency reminded everyone that Social Media is a big job. It’s like running a whole other event inside of the event.

Her Majesty recommended having a staff event person whose job it is to liaise with the social media/live stream team.

Exchequer – Not in attendance.

Chamberlain – Not in attendance. Term of office and extensions are up. Looking for a new Chamberlain.

A&S – Hrod-Navar Hakonsson is the new A&S Minister

Herald – Need applicants. Please submit your branch reports. Please send officer change forms. Please please please do the Named Herald changeover ceremony when you get a new herald. Let the Principality Herald know when that's going to be so that the other Named Heralds can try to be in attendance. Working on a new award for TAH.

Marshal – Was also very proud of the communication on the field this weekend. Will be stepping down at the end of the year. Looking for a replacement. Rapier minimal armor trial is collecting data.

Archery – No Report

Rapier – No Report

C&T – No injuries, no armor failures.

Equestrian – No Report

War Lord – No Report

YAC – No Report

Chatelaine – Deirdre ni Phaidraig macGroigair is new Chatelaine. Looking for the box that Nai had.

Chronicler – Ayla has not been receiving reports from the shires. She is looking for more information and submissions for The Echoes.

Web Minister – Not in attendance.

Scribe – Not in attendance. - Scribal activity continues throughout Summits. Very few official scribal gatherings are occurring but things are being painted. Currently, all supplies are at a good point, and no purchases are requested at this time.

Lists – Lists for Coronet went well. Many thanks to the folks who helped. In the future, Event Stewards or whomever is in charge of the List Field layout, please make sure that Lists has an unobscured view of the List Field.

Family Activities Coordinator – OPEN

Branch Reports:

Adiantum – Godwynn will be stepping down in a week.

Briaroak – There is a new Pelican and Laurel in their area.

Coeur de Val – Bid in and approved for 11th Night - Diana is Event Steward. Shuffling officers around.

Corvaria – Still recovering from the pandemic. Murder in the Desert was a success. Many thanks to Glyn Dwfn for their support. Looking for a site for Principality A&S.

Glyn Dwfn – Archery is doing well. Fight practice has been difficult due to schedules, fires, location, etc. Samhain is next month. There will be a masked ball and an indigenous feast.

Mountain Edge – Asny is stepping up as the new Seneschal. In need of an Exchequer. Doing a series of A&S get togethers to get people into the area.

Myrtleholt – Elsa is the new Seneschal. Hogmany will be in December with a Landsknecht feast.

Southmarch – At this time the Shire of Southmarch is in suspension, placed by the Kingdom of An Tir. It is hoped that they will be reinstated next quarter.

Terra Pomaria – Herald is stepping down. Martinmas is coming up. Looks to be lots of yummy soup.

Tymberhavene – Having an unofficial shire birthday bash.

Summits Event Reports:

September Coronet – Briaroak – approx. 300 ppl on site. Successful tournament. Event Steward grateful for the outpouring of support.

Winter Investiture – Coeur du Val – Same place as last Winter Investiture (Boy Scout Lodge).

A&S/Bardic – Still looking for a site.

Capt Eagle/Hunter – Need Bids. May-August.

March Coronet – Glyn Dwfn. Piaras and Ynez will be co-stewarding. Will be looking at a hotel/expo event.

June Investiture – Mountain Edge. Myvanwy will be stewarding.

Wrap Up:

Emma is putting together a Service Collegium. Still need to get EIF in the calendar, etc. Hoping to get some financial donations to help get officers from Southmarch up. 4 people volunteered a total of 6 train tickets and one pair offered to cover the cost of a cabin for them.

Visc. Anton wanted to make sure that the financial committee was looking at replacing the Principality Pavilion. Also asked about the castle.