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Arts & Arrows IV Summary

Art & Arrows IV (10/ 24-26/2014) was held at Camp Wakpominee, a 1200 acre Boy Scout Camp nestled in the South Eastern section of the Adirondack Park surrounding Slye Pond. With tent spaces, lean-to sites and limited indoor shared cabins.

Activities included:
Cooking Challenges
Adult A&S Challenge and Shire of Glenn Linn A&S
Championships - judged by popular vote during the event
Youth A&S Challenge
Arts & Sciences Classes

Archery Tournament The Shire of Glenn Linn Archery Championship Fencing/Rapier Tournament

Bonfire & Barbic Circle (Friday evening)
Pot Luck Day Board (Saturday noon)
Viking Funeral and Ship Burning (Saturday evening)
A Seasonal Feast (Saturday evening)
Live entertainment during Feast
Best Photo Contest - judged after the event

Challenge & Championship Descriptions

Cooking: The recipe and kitchen-friendly cooking instruction was made available Saturday morning at gate. The method of cooking was each participant's choice, such as ground fire, camp stove, etc. Participants had to bring their own cooking utensils, etc., and all assembly and cooking had to be done on site.

Youth A&S Challenge: Each youth sculpted a pumpkin from Egyptian Salt Dough. Age categories: 1-5, 6-10, and 11-17.

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Adult A&S Challenge: Participates brought a premade copper item for judging.

The Shire of Glenn Linn A&S Championship was for adults who also resided in the Shire of Glenn Linn. Participants brought a pre-made copper item for judging. The winner is the Shire of Glenn Linn A&S Champion until the next year's challenge.

Archery Tournament and Glenn Linn Championship, "When Lepers Attack!": a variety of target shoots: Leperzilla (clout), Knights of Leper Sea (set distances), Leper Khans (timed), Ten Lepers Leaping (movable/timed), and Invasion at Leper Beach (strategy). The Glenn Linn winner is champion until next year's challenge.

Viking Funeral Ship: Shared personal offerings for loved-ones through medieval-style prayer, song, poem, and remembrance.

Fencing/Rapier Tournament: A reverse slippery slope tournament ~ All fighters began with single sword. After a first loss, the fighter was allowed to also use a defensive parry object. A second consecutive loss allowed the fighter to use an offensive parry. A third loss resulted in tournament elimination. A win in any bout canceled out a loss, causing the fighter to return to the previous level.

A Short Interview With Glenn Linn's New Archery Champion – Duncan Fletcher

Shortly after the conclusion of our exciting tournament at Arts & Arrows IV, the "Cascadian" found an opportunity to spend some uninterrupted time with "Duncan Fletcher, one of the most respected archers in the Shire of Glenn Linn, and its new archery champion. Here, then, is our exclusive interview:

<u>Cascadian:</u> Thank you, Duncan, for taking a few moments to speak with us. The entire shire is proud of you. I'm sure we're all interested in hearing how you felt when you won this year's championship.

<u>Duncan:</u> Great. I felt...great. <u>Cascadian</u>: Okay, thanks.

Duncan: Right.

The Best Photos From Arts & Arrow IV – Can You Match Them?

We had fun at Arts & Arrows IV, held 10/24-26/2014 at Camp Wakpomonee, Lake George, NY. Thank you to all the contributors to our first-ever photo contest. All attendees were welcome and invited to take and submit photos. All photos may be used by the Shire of Glenn Linn for future promotion purposes. We will be sure to include proper photographer credit wherever possible. Judging was conducted by the Shire of Glenn Linn officers through popular vote. Congratulations to all. See if you can identify the winners by drawing a line from a photo to its matching category. Hope to see you soon. We'd like to picture <u>you</u> at our next event!

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- a. Best Arts and Science Photo
- b. Best Archery Photo
- c. Best Feast Photo
- d. Best Fencing Photo
- e. Best Entertainment (musician, bard, dancers etc)
- f. Best Children Photo
- g. Best Comedic Photo
- h. Best Site Photo
- i. Best Night Time Photo
- j. Best Merchant Photo

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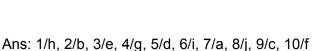
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Message From Our Seneschal

Greetings unto the gentlefolk of our Shire.

The new year for the SCA soon will be upon us (1 May 2015: Anno Societatus XLIX). Here, at the Shire of Glenn Linn, we look forward to a great year. I hope you and your family will take part in our local events and activities, whether it is for an entire weekend or for just a single day. Whatever your interests, you'll probably find them in our shire and at nearby events.

It's fun to participate – the more people, the better. There are also many ways to help the shire, including becoming an officer or volunteering for an event or activity. Chances are, no matter what you do in our shire, you'll find new friends and have a good time.

I look forward to seeing you soon.

Yours In Service,

Gage

Upcoming Events & Demos

For the most up-to-date information: www.glennlinn.eastkingdom.org; or https://www.facebook.com/groups/552282911511559/

Drive times are approximate from downtown Glens Falls. Carpooling is encouraged. For details and directions: http://www.eastkingdom.org/events.

04/11/15 Anglespur's Dinner-Dance, Castleton-On-Hudson, NY (Anglespur); 1 hr

05/22-25/15 Panteria XX, Thetford, VT (Panthervale); a premier event of "The Five Shires*; 2 hrs

05/22-25/15 War of The Roses, Pattersonville, NY (Barony of Concordia of the Snows); a "Royal Progress" event; 1 hr

06/19-21/15 Opening of the Inn, Peru, NY (Coldwood); a premier event of "The Five Shires*; 1 hr 44 min

06/20/15 Summer Solstice Shoot, New Britain, CT (Barony of Beyond the Mountain); a fabulous archery shoot, and a variety of fun outdoor games for all ages; 2 hr 30 min

07/02-05/15 Northern Region War Camp, Washington County Fair, Inc., Greenwich, NY (Glenn Linn); a "Royal Progress" event; this is our shire's largest and best gettogether of the year, which means, naturally, this is THE premier event of The Five Shires*.

*The Five Shires – Coldwood, Glenn Linn, Mountain Freehold, Northern Outpost, Panthervale

What's On YOUR Calendar!

ALL of our activities and meetings, and many of our events, are free and open to the public. Everyone is invited.

You're invited!

Our Gatherings:

Weekly Meetings at American Red Cross Bldg, 74 Warren Street, Glens Falls, Sundays 6:30-8:30pm

Second Sunday – <u>Business Meeting</u>; Making and reviewing plans & activities. No meeting in August.

Remaining Sundays – Arts & Sciences. Usually there is a scheduled workshop or class, such as clothing, accessories, and crafts; Medieval Games Night; or, the Glenn Linn Minstrels singing practice, and, occasionally, dancing or other entertainment. Check the calendar in the Files section of our Yahoo Group, and online through Facebook.

Weekly and Seasonal Activities Coming Soon!*

*Look for announcements on our Yahoo Group and Facebook pages.

<u>Archery Practice</u> – Will be Sundays, 1-3pm, at the Community Recreational Area, Argyle, NY. Not held when we attend an event, or if no safety marshal is available.

<u>Youth Combat Practice</u> – Will be Thursdays, 6-9pm. Crandall Park, Glens Falls; pavilion

Adult Rattan (aka, fighter) Practice – to be determined. Will be held in Crandall Park, Glens Falls: Pavilion

Announcement: Youth Combat!

The Glenn Linn Youth Combat program will start up again this Spring! Practices will be held Thursday nights from 6-9pm at the Pavilion in Crandall Park, Glens Falls – after the snow melts.

I will post practice announcements on our Yahoo Group and Facebook pages.

Yours In Service, Duncan Fletcher Youth Combat Marshal



Arts & Sciences - Making Everything...well, Old. Again.

Arts & Sciences
By: Lady Saffir Weaver

Are you **R**eady **T**o

Sing

&

Sew Create

Illuminate

Enamel

Nålbind?

Come

Enjoy

Something new!

Greetings Lords and Ladies;

Please allow me a moment of your time to introduce myself and give you some information. I am Lady Saffir Weaver, the current Mistress of Arts & Sciences for the Shire of Glenn Linn. Our Shire holds Arts & Sciences classes on most Sundays, at the American Red Cross on Warren Street in Glens Falls at 6:30pm.

We hold and offer a large Varity of classes that are taught for free, or a small fee just to cover the cost of materials. We have an Open Arts & Sciences Session on the 3rd Sunday of most months. We are more than happy to take time to answer any questions you may have or help with projects. We hold Medieval Game Nights and Singing Sessions as well. If any of this interests you, or if you have an interest in anything that occurred in medieval life, please feel free to come join us for an Arts and Science session. Our Arts & Sciences calendar and information can be found at the following link locations:

Glenn Linn's Website: http://glennlinn.eastkingdom.org/aands.html
Arts & Science Section of the Glenn Linn Yahoo Group:
https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/Glennlinn/files/Arts%20and%20Sciences/
Glenn Linn's Facebook Group: https://www.facebook.com/groups/552282911511559/

Thank you for your Time. I hope to see or hear from you soon.

Yours in Service,

Lady Saffir Weaver Mistress of Arts & Sciences for the Shire of Glenn Linn moas@glennlinn.eastkingdom.org

A Recipe For The Age Is:

Submitted by Wilhelm Sturmer Vom Berg

Roast Onion Salad

If your fireplace is ablaze, roast the onions in the embers until they are very tender;

If not, roast them in a 500-degree (200-degrees c) onion for about an hour individually wrapped in aluminum foil.

Remove the onions from the oven, unwrap them, and let them cool a while. The skins should be blackened and caramelized. When they are cool enough not to burn you, peel the onions and cut them into thin slices with a very sharp knife.

Put the onions into a salad bowl. Season with salt, pepper, and the spice mixture. Add a little olive oil and vinegar to taste. Mix and serve.

Take onions; cook them in the embers, then peel them and cut them across into longish, thin slices; add a little vinegar, salt, oil, and spices and serve.

Curious? Want More SCA?

To learn more about our shire or the "Current Medieval Ages," contact us – we offer free presentations and demonstrations for church groups, schools, youth groups, clubs, and civic organizations, etc.:

www.glennlinn.eastkingdom.org

or

https://www.facebook.com/groups/552282911511559/

2 lbs medium red, or other sweet onions (about 6 onions [800g])

Olive oil

Wine vinegar or boiled wine Scant ½ teaspoon fine spices

Salt

Pepper

This is still served today in certain parts of Spain and Italy, where they really know their onions.

From "The Medieval Kitchen, Recipes from France and Italy"



A Few Minutes, Together

Here are the most recently approved minutes of our business meetings. These can help keep you informed, but they're just not as good as actually being there. Feel free to join us at our next meeting – your involvement makes us a stronger community, come make a positive difference. Except for August, our business meetings are held monthly on the second Tuesday.

The Shire of Glenn Linn ~ Business Meeting Minutes February 8, 2015

Attendance: Gage, Saffir, Emmitt, Arnleif, Tim, Tomas, Ruth, Erik, Duncan, Alecia Amanuensis: Gage Motion to call to order: 6:39pm Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes: December 2014 – Saffir motioned to accept, Erik Seconded - Passed January 2014 – Saffir motioned to accept, Alecia Seconded - Passed

OFFICER REPORTS

Seneschal - Gage

Welcome to this month's meeting. As always please try to keep the side conversation to a minimum as there is a lot to go over. As we all agreed to postpone the February business meeting to tonight due to weather, we should all watch the weather and be sure it will be safe for travel. Bids for Northern Region War Camp were due by November 2. A copy of the bid and financial request should be sent to both the Seneschal and the Exchequer. Alecia has placed her bid and at that point in the meeting we will vote on it. Our bylaws clearly state that bids for Events are due 6 months ahead of the events month/date. With the exception of Northern Region War Camp which Bids are due by the Sunday before the November Business Meeting. Therefore any bids for Fall Event this year are due by March 1st for consideration at the March Business Meeting on March 8th for an event to be held in September or October. While preparing a bid for an event you should look into using the officers and other members from within the shire before going outside the shire for assistance. With the recent "crackdown" on event submissions in the East Kingdom there are new procedures in place. All submissions will no longer have a check box for the submitter to click saying that the submission has been seen by the Seneschal of their group but instead will be submitted and an email generated and sent out to the groups Seneschal to review and say yes or no to the submission. To make this easier for us please send a digital copy of your event submission. to seneschal@glennlinn.eastkingdom.org before you click submit so that it can be reviewed beforehand and any changes can be made before submitting the event and a fast response from the seneschal on the submission can be made. For the officers please remember to send a digital copy of all reports to both the seneschal and Deputy Seneschal before the monthly business meeting. Also as part of the Societies document retention policy and each officers handbook please remember to keep copies of your reports in a binder or on a thumb/usb drive to pass on to the next officer if you leave your position. Also as per the shires bylaws please give at least 24 hour advanced notification if you are not going to attend the business meeting. The only exception to this is if it is an emergency situation.

Officer Reports

Chancellor of the Exchequer - Arnleif Re: balance in account

1/31/15 Bank Statement Balance is \$10,691.67.

Chamberlain Position

The position of Chamberlain is open. This involves being responsible for the items that the Shire owns, taking inventory of the items including in the storage unit, making the storage unit available before an event. Also collecting the items after an event and making sure all gets back to the storage unit.

Inventory

The inventory taken by Arnleif and Frigga (thank you Frigga!!!!) has been done at the storage unit. To be attached would be the inventories of items held by other people such as Archery-Tomas. Please forward me a copy of your inventory if applicable.

Mistress of Arts and Science - Saffir A&S report for the months of January 2015:

We had A&S on the following dates:

- 1. January 4, 2015- Medieval Game Night
- 2. January 18, 2015- A&S was Cancelled Due to Weather
- 3. January 25, 2015- A&S was Cancelled Due to everyone being worn out from Birka

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If you haven't filled out an A&S Survey for 2015 please do so ASAP. I will be using the information to plan classes for this year for both A&S Sessions and NRWC 2015. At the bottom of the survey please add days and times that are workable for you for A&S sessions so I'll know in case we need to move sites.

I'll be adding classes to the 2015 calendar as they are planned. Classes are listed in calendar form (with supplies needed for classes listed) on the Shire of Glenn Linn's Website, at the following link:

http://glennlinn.eastkingdom.org/

As we move forward with planning I will be looking to add classes to the dates listed as A&S Open (in red type). The following classes have been planned for February 2015:

- 1. February 1, 2015- Take 2015 A&S Survey
- 2. February 15, 2015- Cancelled due to having to move the Business Meeting due to weather
- 3. February 22, 2015- Minstrel Planning & Practice

Also wanted to know if anyone was interested in doing favors for the Royals to give Champions – Arnleif suggested that we skip this one as it is really complicated/advanced. Lady Arnleif also mentioned that she made mittens for Outlands **Chatelaine** – Vacant ~ Tomas heard rumors of something taking place in Johnsburg ~ Erik suggested putting out flyers for a whole month before a demo. Also suggested maybe have our own demo in Crandall Park ~ Tim said he would talk to other events at the Washington County Fairgrounds. Erik Said he would find out more about the Antique Show at the Fairgrounds on May 4th & 5th and see if we can have a controlled demo with photo ops with garb, stocks and armor? ~ Erik Motioned and Tomas Seconded to set up and find more information about the Antique Show for a demo and would be back to us by the next monthly meeting. Passed

Herald - Vacant

Knight Marshal - Vacant

Youth Marshal – Duncan No Practices only 2 participating Youth at this time and no Heavy list marshal, no practices until further notice.

Archery - Tomas Practices

Practices held since last report (11 January 2015): None

The outdoor shooting season has pretty much ended until Spring 2015. Soon, we will be holding archery practices at a new location in Argyle, NY (Washington County). Additional information will be noted as it becomes available. Be sure to regularly check the shire's online message board for up-to-date archery information and announcements.

Royal Round Rankings: Five archers from Glenn Linn rank among the 208 on the East Kingdom Royal Round list: Marksman -- Brynjolf Josson (109); Archer – Duncan Fletcher (150), Gage Ormesby (170), and Lisabetta Vedova de Alessandro (192), and Saffir Weaver (202).

Activities Held or Attended: None

<u>Upcoming Events for Glenn Linn Archers:</u> Carpooling is encouraged. Drive times are approximate from downtown Glens Falls. For details and directions, see the East Kingdom website under events: www.eastkingdom.org/events. 07/02-05/15 Northern Region War Camp, Washington County Fair, Inc.

<u>Special Notes:</u> The archery program theme at NRWC will be "Assassins Cred." To that end, so to speak, we are developing archery games in consideration of and with the Assassins Guild of the East Kingdom. It should be a lot of fun...if we survive.

Chronicler – Vacant Tomas is working on a new Cascadian

Chirurgeon - Vacant

Web Minister – Gage There have been some minor issues with email forwarding and group submissions/mass messages through the society servers but things are being fixed as fast as possible. Any and all social media postings for Event's should pass through the Webminister so that they are reviewed and properly worded. This is to cut down on the clutter and to ensure that everything has the same dates, times and so on. More discussion on who can post about practices, A&S Classes, Meetings and demos is in the works with regards to social media announcements as well. Per the current Kingdom Webminister and Social Media policies the officer in charge of these should be the one to make the post but allow the Webminister to know ahead of time and allow them to access and help change/edit the posting. Erik said he would send info and images to the Webminister for the NRWC Site.

NEW BUSINESS No New Business

NRWC ~ Alecia Saffir motioned to accept Alecia's bid for Northern Region War Camp (to make it official), Arnleif Seconded – unanimously passed ~ The Meeting Held on January 31 went well as much was accomplished. ~ There will be a site walk through after the snow melts ~ Lady Irene will be the thrown weapons marshal in charge ~ Mistress Elan (?) will be the Equestrian Marshal in Charge ~ There is a Meeting with Mark on Tuesday February 24th @ 11am to finalize the area we are using for the event ~ Mark is mailing the contract to Alecia (?) ~ Erik has maps of the site – Alecia posted them to some locations and EK Facebook page ~ Alecia posted the Event Announcement on the EK Site as well as other locations. ~ Gage: ~ I am in the process of creating the NRWC webpages on our site and have started setting up the event staff email forwarding addresses. I will send Alecia the Site address for addition to the EK Listing

- ~ I will create the Facebook event page as well I just need to make sure all times are the same on all pages and listings.
- ~ Each member with a position on Alecia's staff should send updated lists for schedules, merchants and other info to Alecia and myself for addition to the webpages and social media postings. This is so that Alecia knows what is going on and allows us to give more info to those looking at attending the event.

~ Erik ~ The Large Tent will not be there but he will discuss it with the spacing ~ the 10 areas designated as class areas are 12 foot between posts so roughly 24'x18' Class rooms ~ The Equestrian tent not there(?) ~ The Arena can be modified to how the equestrians want it ~ The equestrians are discussing the Horse barn vs pole barn for housing the horses if weather gets bad ~ Merchants ~ Food Stand (not wanting to pay for their staff to be there – Eric willing to pay their way ~ Saratoga Zygermist will be at the Brew Brothers location ~ Stained Glass Vendor – will do demo of how to make stained glass not teaching a class ~ Gage will talk to Fergal (Red Dog Forge) about Merchanting ~ Sandwich sign at the nearby ice-cream man with info about the event (Erik would need plywood & Paint) ~ Tomas – Ice: Maplewood would charge us \$1.00 a bag for 5lb bag. Provide a freezer for us. Hannaford might like us to clear out their ice cooler ~ Tomas – Sent a letter to the Earl Marshal inviting them to encourage all marshal activities including Siege to take place at NRWC ~ Event Promotions for NRWC being done on all facebook pages, EK Groups, possibly signs in stores and article or calendar posting in the Observer.

Alecia – has 1000! Daggers for tokens. Discussion of adding a disc behind the dagger to help make it more visible. ~ Tomas looking into the badge/device for the Assassins guild maybe for use as the A&S Embroidery challenge at Lady Arleifs request. ~ Gage will talk to Talorc and Emma about the Shires Puppet show/booth and see if they are interested in putting something together for a show for youth

Motion for meeting to adjourn by Saffir at 8:30pm, seconded by Duncan - passed Respectfully submitted by Lord Gage Ormesby

The Shire of Glenn Linn ~ Business Meeting Minutes January 11, 2015

Attendance: Gage, Saffir, Emmitt, Arnleif, Tim, Sarah, River, Tomas, Ruth, Erik, Duncan, Sabd, Alecia, Kellie, **Amanuensis:** Sarah **Motion to call to order:** 6:35pm **Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes:** December 2014 – no minutes to approve at this time.

OFFICER REPORTS

Seneschal - Gage

Welcome to this month's meeting. As always please try to keep the side conversation to a minimum as there is a lot to go over. My apologies for not having the December meeting minutes done at this time. There was a death in my family and it took us all by surprise. Bids for Northern Region War Camp were due by November 2. A copy of the bid and financial request should be sent to both the Seneschal and the Exchequer. No bids have been placed as of yet but Alecia is working on one at this time. For the officers please remember to send a digital copy of all reports to me beforehand. Also as per the shires bylaws please give at least 24 hour advanced notification if you are not going to attend the business meeting. The only exception to this is if it is an emergency situation.

Chancellor of the Exchequer - Arnleif Re: balance in account

12/31/14 Bank Statement Balance is \$11,419.66.

Chamberlain Position

The position of Chamberlain is open. This involves being responsible for the items that the Shire owns, taking inventory of the items including in the storage unit, making the storage unit available before an event. Also collecting the items after an event and making sure all gets back to the storage unit.

The inventory taken by Arnleif and Frigga (thank you Frigga!!!!) has been done at the storage unit. To be attached would be the inventories of items held by other people such as Archery-Tomas. Please forward me a copy of your inventory if applicable.

Mistress of Arts and Science – Saffir A&S report for the month of December 2014:

We had A&S on the following dates:

- 1. December 7th Shire Yule
- 2. December 21st Open/Garb/Planning for next year
- 3. December 28th NO A&S Happy Holidays!

I'll be having everyone fill out an A&S Survey for 2015 to see what our members are interested in for classes. If you don't normally come to A&S please fill out a survey tonight. At the bottom of the survey please add days and times that are workable for you for A&S sessions so I'll know in case we need to move sites.

I'll be adding classes to the 2015 calendar as they are planned. Classes are listed in calendar form (with supplies needed for classes listed) on the Shire of Glenn Linn's Website, at the following link: http://glennlinn.eastkingdom.org/

As we move forward with planning I will be looking to add classes to the dates listed as A&S Open (in red type). The following classes have been planned for January 2015:

- 1. January 4th Medieval Game Night
- 2. January 18th Open/Garb/Planning for future months
- 3. January 25th Minstrel Group Planning and Practice

Chatelaine - Vacant

Herald Vacant I regret to write this letter informing you and the executive board that I am resigning my position as shire herald. Due to injury and illness I am unable to perform my duties and attend requisite meetings. When I am able to begin participating in the SCA again, I hope to be a herald at large, and to serve our shire. However, at this time I cannot. Best, Serafina Della Torre

Knight Marshal Vacant

Youth Marshal Duncan No Practices only 2 participating Youth at this time and no Heavy list marshal, Canceling practices until further notice.

Archery Tomas Practices

Practices held since last report: (14 December): None

As was reported last month, the outdoor shooting season has pretty much ended until Spring 2015. This past year, our practices were held mainly at Castle Dragonwyck, and occasionally at "Cold Antler Farm" – for information about the upcoming outdoor year, please see "Special Notes" below. In any case, now that winter is upon us, we are looking to hold practices indoors. Be sure to regularly check the shire's online message board for up-to-date archery information and announcements.

<u>Royal Round Rankings:</u> Five archers from Glenn Linn rank among the 205 on the East Kingdom Royal Round list: Marksman -- Brynjolf Josson (109); Archer – Duncan Fletcher (149), Gage Ormesby (169), and Lisabetta Vedova de Alessandro (189), and Saffir Weaver (198).

Activities Held or Attended: None

<u>Upcoming Events for Glenn Linn Archers:</u> Carpooling is encouraged. Drive times are approximate from downtown Glens Falls. For details and directions, see the East Kingdom website under events: www.eastkingdom.org/events.

None currently scheduled.

However – Indoor Winter shooting (Shire of Glenn Linn): We should be able to shoot again from January through April in the winter league held at the "Hudson Falls Fish & Game Club." This year, more of our archers may take part, and we'll probably shoot scores again for Mid-Realm's Annual Winter Challenge.

Special Notes: Starting in Spring 2015, we will hold our outdoor practices at a new site – currently, one is under consideration in the Town of Argyle, Washington County. Please join me in expressing appreciation to Lord Brynjolf Josson and Lady Esperanza Zamora DeLaquava for having allowed and invited the shire's archers to join them in practice on their property. During these past several years, the establishment and growth of our archery program has been the direct result of their generosity, hospitality, and ingenuity. Again, please join me in wishing them success with their new home-site business. Erik ~ Stiles House in Argyle, Need a copy of Insurance, On Sunday's, on site storage ~ Erik is donating over \$1000 in Archery equipment to the Shire.

Chronicler - Vacant Tomas is working on a new Cascadian with Sarah

Chirurgeon - Vacant

Web Minister - Gage ~ Website is there and working with minor changes. ~ Added the new Google Calendar to the bottom of the main page

NEW BUSINESS New Site/backup site for practices/meetings/classes – Gage ~ Crandall Library (Limited number of uses to 24/28 total ~ Salvation Army building on Broad Street ~ Stanford Street School

NRWC Alecia is putting together the bid with the following Location: Washington County Fair Grounds Erik will be Merchantocrat looking at Merchants and food vendors.

Motion for meeting to adjourn by Saffir at 7:30pm, seconded by Tim

Respectfully submitted by Lord Gage Ormesby

The Shire of Glenn Linn ~ Business Meeting Minutes December 14, 2014

Attendance: Gage, Saffir, Emmitt, Arnleif, Wilhelm, Lisette, River, Alecia, Ruth, Duncan and Jen

Amanuensis: Lisette Motion to call to order: 6:35pm Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes: November Meeting Minutes Accepted

OFFICER REPORTS

Seneschal - Gage

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Chancellor of the Exchequer - Arnleif

Re: balance in account: 11/30/14 Bank Statement Balance is \$10,818.66.

<u>Arts and Arrows Event:</u> All reports have been prepared and sent to East Kingdom Exchequer. The event had a loss of \$1553.95. The budget amount for the event was \$1500 for expenses.

Chamberlain Position

The position of Chamberlain is open. This involves being responsible for the items that the Shire owns, taking inventory of the items including in the storage unit, making the storage unit available before an event. Also collecting the items after an event and making sure all gets back to the storage unit.

Inventory

The inventory taken by Arnleif and Frigga (thank you Frigga!!!!) has been done at the storage unit. To be attached would be the inventories of items held by other people such as Archery-Tomas. Please forward me a copy of your inventory if applicable. Check request for room use of the Red Cross Filed and Check issued An issue arose with the Shires banking account address being changed to an address in Schenectady. This is being looked into and fixed.

Mistress of Arts and Science - Saffir A&S report for the months of November 2014:

We had A&S on the following dates:

- 1. November 2nd Display your SCA Device
- 2. November 16th Open/Garb/Planning for next month
- 3. November 23rd Medieval Game Night
- 4. November 30th Minstrel Practice and Planning

I'll be adding classes to the calendar as they are planned. Classes are listed in calendar form (with supplies needed for classes listed) on the yahoo group at the following link: https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/Glennlinn/files/Arts%20and %20Sciences/

I will be looking to add classes to the dates listed as A&S Open (in red type).

The following classes have been planned for December:

- 1. December 7th Shire Yule
- 2. December 21st Open/Garb/Planning for next year

We will not be having A&S on Sunday December 28th due to the holidays.

Herald – Vacant no report

Knight Marshal – Vacant Report joint with youth report

Archery Marshal – Tomas (report by proxy) Practices

<u>Practices held since last report</u> (9 November): None. The outdoor shooting season has pretty much ended until Spring 2015. This past year, our practices were held mainly at Castle Dragonwyck, and occasionally at "Cold Antler Farm" – for information about the upcoming outdoor year, please see "Special Notes" below. In any case, now that winter is upon us, we are looking to hold practices indoors. Be sure to regularly check the shire's online message board for up-to-date archery information and announcements.

Royal Round Rankings

Five archers from Glenn Linn rank among the 203 on the East Kingdom Royal Round list: Marksman -- Brynjolf Josson (108); Archer – Duncan Fletcher (147), Gage Ormesby (169), and Lisabetta Vedova de Alessandro (188), and Saffir Weaver (197).

Activities Held or Attended: None

Upcoming Events for Glenn Linn Archers

Carpooling is encouraged. Drive times are approximate from downtown Glens Falls.

For details and directions, see the East Kingdom website under events: www.eastkingdom.org/events.

None currently scheduled. However – Indoor Winter shooting (Shire of Glenn Linn):

We should be able to shoot again from January through April in the winter league held at the "Hudson Falls Fish & Game Club." This year, more of our archers may take part, and we'll probably shoot scores again for Mid-Realm's Annual Winter Challenge.

Special Notes: Starting in Spring 2015, we will hold our outdoor practices at a new site – currently, one is under consideration in the Town of Argyle, Washington County. Please join me in expressing appreciation to Lord Brynjolf Josson and Lady Esperanza Zamora DeLaquava for having allowed and invited the shire's archers to join them in practice on their property. During these past several years, the establishment and growth of our archery program has been the direct result of their generosity, hospitality, and ingenuity. Again, please join me in wishing them success with their new home-site business.

Youth Marshal - Duncan No practices

- Need location United Methodist Church
- Contact Betty Salvation Army
- Contact the Major

Chatelaine - Vacant

Chronicler - Vacant Lissette and Tomas are discussing filling the position together

Web Minister - Gage ~ Site is there. ~ Email forwarding is fixed

NEW BUSINESS Budget for 2015 - Arnleif

The Shire of Glenn Linn Budget for 2015

Storage Unit per year \$675.00





