

Winter Althying Minutes

January 23, 2010

Calendar of Events

2/27/10

FEAST OF SAINT EMILIANI

Location TBA
Hosted by: Order of the Lost Boys

5/1/10

DOVER DAY

Dover, DE
Camping Available at Baronage Farms

3/12 - 3/14/10

COLD WAR

Blackbird State Forrest
Hosted by: Pirates of the Lost Cause.

5/8 - 5/9/10

Frederick Celtic Festival

Frederick, MD

3/12 - 3/14/10

MID WINTER CELTIC FESTIVAL

Bally Forge Convention Center

5/14 - 5/16/10

WEST WINDSOR

Mercer County Park,
West Windsor, NJ
Hosted by: The Circle

3/20 - 3/21/10

MILITARY THRU THE AGES

Jamestown, VA
Contact: Lothar

5/14 - 5/16/10

#9 Mine Ren Fair

Lansford Pa

3/26 - 3/28/10

DEATH AND TAXES

Blackbird State Forest
Hosted by Head Clan

5/16/10

SPRING COUNCIL MEETING

Location TBA

4/3/10

THE FEAST OF THE KINGS TAX

New Brunswick, NJ
Hosted by: Scarlet Cross

5/30/10

MARKLAND CELEBRATES 40 YEARS @ BALTICON

Timonium, MD

4/17 - 4/18/10

MARCHING THRU TIME

Glen Dale, MD
Contact: Lothar

6/11 - 6/13/10

WAR OF THE 7 HEADED DRAGON

Location TBA
Hosted by: Clan Clonakility

TBA

ROAD WAR

Baronage Farm
Hosted by: Highway Men

6/25 - 6/27/10

SHORE WAR

Location TBA
Hosted by: Terminus Est

Calendar of Events (cont.)

TBA

BONNIE BRAE CELTIC FESTIVAL

Location TBA

Hosted by: Companions

10/9 - 10/10/10

Hastings

Location TBA

7/2 – 7/5/10

4TH WAR

Blackbird State Forest, Cypress

Complex

Hosted by: Head Clan

Pennsic War Practice will be held at this event

11/5 - 11/7/10

FALL WAR

Baronage Farms

Hosted By: Head Clan

11/7/10

FALL COUNCIL MEETING

Location TBA

7/17/10

SUMMER ALTHYNG AND YARD SALE

Baronage Farms

Camping Available

Note: Any Event Greycloake is at; he is willing to do a Rec Workshop.

Old Business

Paige's Program:

Went over Proposed Rules and they were passed on a trial period of 1 year, passed by Fryd. One Parent to remain on site passed by Fryd. A waiver for each event to be signed by Parent or Guardian. See Rules for current Changes.

Markland Land:

Proposed that the money in the Educational fund gets moved to the land fund to purchase land in the upcoming year was passed by Fryd. The land is currently zoned residential and we need a variance in order to change that zoning. There are currently 10 homes that directly border the property. There is a hold on the land until the variance gets passed, if the variance is not passed we are not obligated to purchase the land in question. Fundraising, Grants, and the process will be researched further by the Land Committee. Variance: Will take 9 months to one year to get one and between 2-3K to obtain one. Most of those funds may go toward the purchase.

Property taxes: would have to be paid initially and we would have to apply for non-profit status in New Jersey.

More research will be done on the land and the variances and findings will be brought up at the Spring Council Meeting in May.

Old Business (cont.)

Bumper Stickers: profit to go into the Educational Fund with the original costs to be replenished to the General Fund passed by Fryd.

New Business

- Gypsy Guild: created by Phoenix
- Penny Tax at meetings was brought back
- Fundraising: Many ideas were passed thru the Fryd and we will decide on one at the Spring Council Meeting

Officers Reports

Plague Editor – (Kelly Coco) Pox and Plague to be published every year Asking for all Group Contact Information. Arduina will stay on as the Boogie Guild Editor (to be added to plague), Please send in articles of Youth in Markland and pictures to her. We need a new printer service for the publishing's, the old one costs \$600 to send.

Webmaster – Looking for web submissions of pictures or stories. Sending a e-newsletter (sent monthly), please update your email addresses. Moderators are on the boards to monitor the boards, anyone interested, please contact Hypo or email webmaster@markland.org

Bocman – New Event forms were made to provide a space for the Paige's Program and email addresses. Event Forms are getting handed in to close to events and it is asked if event organizers could please hand them in 3-4 weeks prior to event.

Bailiff – Finally got the paperwork to move bank account. Will be done Monday. If you did not receive your membership cards, please notify me. Land fund has approximately \$14,529.12, Educational Fund has approximately \$4,647.79, and the General fund has approximately \$3,484.

Shire Reeve – Nothing to report

Aeldorman – Nothing to report