



The Village Idiot

Newsletter of the Barony of Windhaven

May AS LX

Next Meetings:

- May 18th, 2025 - **6pm on Zoom**
- June 15th, 2025 - **6pm on Zoom**

April's Meeting Minutes:

Seneschal's Report: Honorable Lady Aesa reported that she sent out the welcome letters to the paid TADS members that she had addresses for and hasn't received any back as undeliverable. She let them know about upcoming events and our information for how to find out what we are planning.

Chatelaine Report: Lady Wynne reported that the "Windy Tuesdays" are going well and thanks Birna for posting the events on facebook. She went through the gold key (loaner garb) and noticed that we have a good selection of tunics and interesting garb.

Exchequer Report: Hilde Steward reported that there are Known World Handbooks available for \$25 and some T-shirts available in limited sizes. Please let her know if you are interested.

The funds are now as follows:
General Fund: \$6,111.84
Practice Fund: \$212.61
Event Fund: \$5,124.01
Total: \$11,448.46

Chronicler's Report: Lady Eyfríðr reported that the VI was written and sent via email.

MoAS: Lady Taleza wasn't present but has been attending "Windy Tuesdays".

Herald's Report: Lady Orlaith was out of town but sent in her report -Currently working on one name and updating OP to incorporate TADS members that are now a part of Windhaven.

Knight's Marshal's Report: Lord Hamish reported that Aeden brought over the paperwork - they are working on getting all of the signatures. The online change of officer form has been completed. Also, he is trying to get as many people into armour as possible by doing Pell work, gorget making, and demi gauntlets during shop nights.

Rapier Marshal's Report: Wilhelm von Mansfeld had no report.

Archery Captain: Lord Luca reported that there are no practices yet but the weather is getting better.

Web Minister's Report: Lord Luca reported that the VI was posted to the site.

Events Reminder: Do you have any events or practices going on? Please send the details to: events@baronyofwindhaven.org This will forward your events details to the Web Minister, Social Media, and Calendar; letting us stay on the same page and know what is going on. If you are hosting a practice, you can also use the same email address to let everyone know if you need to cancel.

Social Media Deputy's Report: THL Birna reported that she has been getting events created for "Windy Tuesdays". She is working on creating events for future business meetings and has been trying to add relevant officers as co-host for events. Remember that the facebook page is for public

facing announcements and that the group is for inward facing announcements.

Baron & Baron reports:

They are excited about all of the activities regularly happening in the barony - shop nights, Windy Tuesdays, Marshal get-togethers at Hamish's. WW is on the horizon. If you are planning on attending, please feel free to camp with Windhaven. When you are filling out the Pre-Reg form, say that you are camping with Windhaven so that we are given enough space. B&B are planning on being there the moment that they let people on site in order to mark out the area. They thank those that are volunteering to teach classes, take care of fiber arts people, fighters, and scroll people. As well as thank those that attend shop nights and help make it a success.

Help Wanted:

- **Youth Combat Marshal** - Elections can happen as soon as an interested party steps forward.
- **Thrown Weapons Marshal** - Interested parties can reach out to the seneschal.
- **Herald - Voting in May**
- **Archery Marshal - Voting in May**
- **Web Minister - Voting in May**

Old Business:

- **Spring Crown** - Menu was posted, Gunther was the royalty liaison. May 10th - inspections on Saturday.
- **SCA New Years Moot** - was on April 27th where there were many activities including practice, banner making/designing, games, and food. In the future, there should be a signup sheet. More info on how it went at the next meeting.
- **Bylaw** - was voted on and passed. In the future, the crown and heirs will not be required to pay site & feast fees for an event financially sponsored by Windhaven. Waiving of fees of other visiting royalty must be approved at a business meeting or a quorum of greater officers.
- **Art After Dark** - We have been asked to participate in the Ren Fair at Bergstrom

Glass Museum in Appleton. This would be free and wouldn't have to pay for a table. The event is on 6/26 from 5:30 to 8pm. We are looking for volunteers interested in teaching. There is also outside space available with another rapier group coming.

New Business:

- **Chronicler Position** - Eyfridr agreed to another year and was **voted in**.
- **Taxes** - Eyja posed that we pay our taxes to crown since we had a very successful fighter school with a total profit of \$2,424.00. The motion was made and passed to pay \$500 in taxes for the travel fund.

Guild Reminders:

Fighter Practice- Heavy:Awaiting weather to warm up. Rapier: Practices awaiting weather to warm up.

Archery Practice- Awaiting for outdoor practices.

A&S Shop Nights- Winter site is Soren and Petranella's place. Watch Facebook for dates.

Windy Tuesdays - Located at Menasha Public Library 440 1st St. Menasha, WI 54952 from 5:30-8pm, you can also follow on Facebook.

Previous Guilds:

These are guilds that have been provided in the past but are currently on hiatus due to lack of interest. If you are interested in bringing them back, let Baroness Xippe know as there are options for teachers, locations, etc (We just need people interested to join).

Dance Practice
Period Games

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Windhaven

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/Windhaven>

Army of Northshield

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