



Vellum & Ink

Newsletter of the Barony of Windhaven

February AS LX

Next Meetings:

- February 15th 2026 - **6pm on Zoom**
- March 15th 2026 - **6pm on Zoom**

January's Meeting Minutes:

Seneschal's Report: The Honorable Lady Aesa wanted to thank all that worked at the Building for Kids Demo, and thanks to all who attended the Moot(unfortunately many were sick)

Chatelaine Report: Lady Wynne has reported that the Building for Kids demos are all over, We had over 1,000 people that attended with 500 people there by noon! We collected 2 families names as contact(very few compared to normal) but they have been active and have joined in on the fun. We had free media representation through both radio and online. We would like cash donations if there are any future demos that large. We would love to hear about ideas from people on how to improve the demos in the future. Wynne reported that she got 4 new contacts since the last meeting and went on the zoom meeting the next week.

Exchequer Report: Hilde Steward reported that the check for the upcoming Fighter's School will be sent out. And that we got all the signatures for the bank with the kingdom exchequer. As well as the year end financials have been sent in and are approved. Some more signatures are needed for final signing and will be sent along with the Inventory list. It has been reported that the Inventory Review Process and locations are wrapped up. And a big thank you to Avitoria for the assist! **Happy to report that we have had a net change in cash for the year: We gained \$2,403.97!!**

The funds are now as follows:

General Fund: \$5,849.35
Practice Fund: \$212.61
Event Fund: \$5,420.42
Total: \$11,482.38

Chronicler's Report: Lady Eyfríðr reported that The VI and the Perpetual Stew are out and that using google groups as a message board was talked about. This could be included in a PS.

Archery Captain's Report: Lord Luca reported that we will not be having practices at this time and that Balthazar has reached out about practices in the horse barn. There wouldn't be any heat (if we want the space for free)

MoAS: Lady Taleza has reported that she has seen many really cool things, very cool woven creations. We want to put together a list of where people are finding things and where materials can be found.

Herald's Report: Lady Orlaith has reported she is working on OP and will hopefully have it by the end of the week.

Knight Marshal's Report: Lord Hamish reported that we had practice, and with many fighters. Including one returning fighter who used to play a while ago. Last Month we had two fighters pass their primary authorizations. And that the new Armor rules will be changing soon, Hamish will update us as the new rules come out so that we will know what is changing.

Rapier Marshal's Report: Not a whole lot to report as of now, not currently super active in a while but we will build back up. A poll that was sent out to gauge interest in rapier for people to fill out with 6 new people showing interest. Many would like rapier practice combined with Heavy Combat, We also have a clear indication that many people would like loaner equipment. A link has been posted on facebook and the rapier section of the discord server.

Thrown Weapons Marshal's Report: Lord Kynne reported that we currently don't have practices set up for the time being yet. But there will be a thrown weapons event in Yara coming up.

Old Business:

→ **Fighter's School 2/21/26 Fond du Lac, WI** - Reese has been poked about the menu, The MIC's are working on the class lists. The Rapier MIC has been changed and is currently working on making class lists. Setup is planned for Friday before starting at 5pm. We have two vendors as of now, royals will be visiting from out of the Mid Realm as well as a vigil. Midrealme royalty - there was a motion posed and passed to waive the gate fees. The feast will be at a fixed price this year so if the royals want something to eat they will have to pay for it.

→ **Missile Mayhem - 4/25/26 Clintonville, WI** We will definitely be having the event, currently we are more focused on fighter school as of right now and Missie Mayhem will then be worked on. We have the marshalls for

Web Minister's Report: Lord Luca reported that the VI and the perpetual stew are up on the website. The website for fighter school is a little behind but he will be catching up to it in the next couple of days. The rapier MIC will be done by tonight.

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 the community on discord has been thriving and that Birna will reach out to those who have shown interest in helping out with the other platforms of social media.

Barons' Report:

Baron Eysteinn - His excellency wanted to thank all those that participated in the Buildings for kids demo! It was a huge success because of all the great work of the many who participated. A reminder that 12th night will be happening and that it's a great event to check out, as well as the upcoming whacky garb ball where the there excellencies have been working on some amazing outfits for the event. Another note is that fighter school will be happening soon, and a big thank you to all who attended the moot where sadly we had many unable to attend due to sickness or bad weather. And that they were sorry they were not able to attend.

Baron Helgulfr - Has nothing further to add.

Help Wanted:

- Youth Combat Marshal - Elections can happen as soon as an interested party steps forward.

the event and we are letting them decide on where to go from there.

→ **Spring Crown - 5/9/26 Fon Du Lac, WI**
Nothing new to report as we are still working on events that are more current than this.

→ **Youth Award Badge** : nothing new to report

Baronial Inventory: We will poke people again, and will post on both discord and and send out with the e-mail list.

New Business:

→ **SHENANIGANS!** - QR Code from both Wynne and Eija.



1) Window clings will be \$42 for 50 window clings with no shipping - we had a motion voted on and passed for \$50 for them. Lazar has volunteered to 2) We have found heat on patches for attaching to the back of favors or other pieces of garb that we can have around for easy access to the QR code. They reported that they found a place offering to make them for \$48 for 25 but they will keep looking into this for possibly other deals or different vendors.

→ **Barons - Woodburning back of Baronial Chairs:** They are going to put together a quote and will be bringing up the next time to vote on and approve.

→ **Balthazar - Cooking Moot:**
It was suggested to have another Moot with eating as well as other activities such as Cider making, Vinegar making, Herb drying, archery, rapier, heavy, dancing, bonfire and bardics. It will be taking place at Balthazar's house which is located in Howard. He could also reserve the main hall at the fire station nearby for indoor

use as a back up for bad weather

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Rapier Captain

Guild Reminders:

- ❖ Fighter Practice - dates are up on facebook
- ❖ Rapier Practice - Postponed
- ❖ Archery Practice - Postponed
- ❖ Thrown Weapons Practice - Postponed
- ❖ A&S Shop Nights - Postponed
- ❖ Windy Tuesdays - Located at Menasha Public Library: 440 1st St. Menasha, WI 54952 from 5:30-8pm also available on the Calendar.

Events are also listed on Facebook.

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Northshield

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

Windhaven

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

Army of Northshield

https://www.facebook.com/groups/656097414_404272/

Northshield Barter and Trade SCA

https://www.facebook.com/groups/469057956_444539/

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