

# THE SENTINEL

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# SIX MONTHS 'TIL PENNSIC, BOGGERS!

Everyone's favorite pirate and most faithful musician of the barony, Ed Hritz, threw a super casual bar potluck this month. He invited our crew to the Am-Slo club in Johnstown not only to meet and mingle, but to share our excitement in the fact that the Pennsic War #49 will be going down in less than 6 months! I think if you speak to anyone in attendance you'll find that the food was great, the drinks were abundant, and the company was all about having a good time. We would like to make this an annual Bog party if at all possible.

## FROM THE CHRONICLER

As your new chronicler, I have managed to collect what I believe is required for publication in our barony newsletter and am publishing a very short two month first edition to get my feet wet. Submissions for the next edition will be due in to me by the end of June, if you would like to contribute. I can of course make exceptions if needed, so please contact me if you have anything you would like to share, ideas, or concerns regarding publication. We are in agreement that most notifications (if not all) regarding practices, meetings, and events are published online in our Facebook group or page. As discussed in a previous meeting and in the process of being added to our bylaws, we will be putting out an edition of the Sentinel (St. Swithin's Bog newsletter) twice a year instead of bi-monthly.

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Chronicler is a required office for a Barony and applicants must hold a membership in the SCA (any level). Primarily the job entails editing and sending reminders for submissions and publishing the newsletter. Interested parties should have reliable access to the internet and computer software along the lines of Microsoft Publisher or Word—and the ability to save or convert the document to a PDF format. If you are interested in offering your support as a drop dead officer please contact me!

## REGULAR LOCAL MEETINGS / PRACTICES

**Meetings:** Monthly meetings are generally held on the 1st Sunday of each month, but can vary. Recently we have been meeting at restaurants for dinner as well and have had a great turn out! Updates and cancellations are posted to the Barony's eGroup and/or Facebook group. (Contact the Seneschal for more information.)

**Archery, Armored Combat, Fencing & Thrown Weapons Practices** are announced on the Barony's eGroup and/or Facebook group and generally held weekly when possible and in season. Archery is practiced at the home of Lady Katerina de la Marne, (Cindy Leap) and THL Kenn the Just (Ken Leap). Armored Combat and fencing practices are typically held at the Hiram G. Andrews Center, and recently Lake Rowena in Ebensburg. Thrown Weapons participants usually get together at the home of the baron and baroness and alternate between other member's homes as needed. (Contact the marshals of each activity for more information.)

**Youth Combat Practice** Third Sunday of the Month at 4pm, for ages 6-17. Located at the Hiram G. Andrews Center courtyard or gym stage to the left of the main building at 727 Goucher St., H. Johnstown PA 15905. (Contact Battista di Lupo Speranza, Paul Tedeski)

**Scribal Guild** meets on Tuesdays from 6:00 - 8:00 pm at Master Tower & Mistress Cynthia's Residence. Announcements and cancellations will be posted to the Barony's eGroup and/or Facebook group. (Contact Mistress Cynthia, Cynthia Chapple)

**Arts & Sciences Meetings** and classes are held once a month. Recently we have been meeting in the Social Room at the Galleria Mall near Auntie Anne's Pretzels. All are welcome to attend and work on a project or just be social. Specific classes and workshops may take place at these meetings. Information will be posted to the Barony's eGroup and/or Facebook group. (Contact the Arts & Sciences officer for information.)

Please see the **Officer page** for contact information.

Join the **Google Group**: Contact His Excellency, Baron Gunther

**Facebook group**: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/StSwithinsBog/>

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PLEASE CONSIDER OFFERING YOUR SERVICES AS A DROP DEAD OFFICER!  
it's a great way to understand what each position entails and to be involved in our barony.  
Contact any of the above with questions or interests! Thank you :)



THE SOCIETY FOR CREATIVE ANACHRONISM-PENNSYLVANIA, INC.  
FINANCIAL REPORT

**Branch:** Barony of Saint Swithin's Bog **Period:** 1/01/2019 to 12/31/2019

## COMPARATIVE BALANCE STATEMENT

For **Cumulative** Quarterly Reports, use **last year's** Comparative Balance Sheet (End) amounts for the (Start) amounts.

For **Sequential** Quarterly Reports, use **last report's** Comparative Balance Sheet (End) amounts for the (Start) amounts.

For **Year-end** Reports, the (Start) numbers will be provided to you by the Kingdom Exchequer. The numbers may have changed from what was submitted last year because of transfer reconciliation between your account and other accounts.

The Year-end Report must be signed by the person preparing the report.

**(START) FIGURES MAY NOT BE CHANGED UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES!**

		USD \$	USD \$	
<b>I. ASSETS</b>	(from page)	Start	End	Diff
a) Undeposited and Non-Interest Bearing Cash	(2,5a)	495.47	2,496.87	2,001.40
b) Cash Earning Interest	(2)	4,838.88	2,652.46	(2,186.42)
c) Receivables	(5a)	1,600.00	1,500.00	(100.00)
d) Inventory For Sale (Major Inventory)	(6)	0.00	0.00	0.00
e) Regalia & Non-Depreciated Equipment	(7)	0.00	0.00	0.00
f) Depreciated Equipment	(8)	777.99	777.99	0.00
g) MINUS Accumulated Depreciation	(8)	(777.99)	(777.99)	0.00
h) Prepaid Expenses	(5a)	0.00	0.00	0.00
i) Other Assets	(5a)	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>j) TOTAL ASSETS</b>	Add a through i, subtract g, then add h and i	6,934.35	6,649.33	(285.02)

<b>II. LIABILITIES</b>				
a) Newsletter Subscriptions Due	(15)	0.00	0.00	0.00
b) Deferred Revenue	(5b)	0.00	360.00	360.00
c) Payables	(5b)	0.00	0.00	0.00
d) Other Liabilities	(5b)	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>e) TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	Add a through d	0.00	360.00	360.00

<b>III. NET WORTH</b>		Line Ii minus Line II.d	6,934.35	6,289.33
<b>Proof:</b>	Change in Net Worth	III(End) - III(Start) (A)	(645.02)	(A = B) ? If NO, the report is incomplete.
	Net Income	Income Statement Line 32 (B)	(645.02)	

Legal Names:	Print	Sign	
Exchequer:	Paul Tedeski		Date:
Seneschal:	Timothy Johnson		Date:

Signatures below certify that the information on this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge.

# **EVENT FINANCIAL REPORT**

**GROUP:** Barony of St. Swithin's Bog **EVENT DATE:** 1/11/2020

**EVENT:** Kingdom 12th Night

	(A) # Reserved	(B) # at the Door	INCOME (C) Fee-Reserved	(D) Fee-at Door	(AxC) + (BxD) Total
Site-Adult	5	349	\$17.00	\$17.00	\$6,018.00
Site-Child	4	25	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Gratis-Adult	10				\$0.00
Gratis-Child	0				\$0.00
NMS		62	\$5.00	\$5.00	\$310.00
<b>GROSS EVENT RELATED INCOME:</b>					\$6,328.00

## **Other Income**

donations				\$16.00
Auction				
<b>GROSS OTHER INCOME:</b>				\$16.00

**TOTAL INCOME:** \$6,344.00

## **CANCELLATIONS / REFUNDS**

	Number	Amount	Total
Site-Adult	2	\$17.00	\$34.00
Non-member Reg	2	\$5.00	\$10.00
			\$0.00
			\$0.00
<b>TOTAL REFUNDS:</b>			\$44.00

## **EXPENSES (PAYMENTS)**

**NET INCOME** \$6,300.00

### **Advertising**

### **Equipment Rental and Maintenance**

### **Fees and Honoria** (Itemize on back)

### **Food (cost of Feast supplies)**

### **General supplies**

### **Insurance (Non-SCA)**

### **Occupancy and Site Charges**

### **Postage, Shipping, PO Box rental**

### **Printing and Publications**

### **Telephone**

### **Travel (Gas, Tolls, Airfare)**

### **Other Expenses** (itemize on back)

**EXPENSES SUB-TOTAL:** \$2,472.49

**NET PROFIT:** \$3,827.51

### **To SCA, Inc Aethelmearc (Non-member Registraton)**

### **Moved to Another SCA Account(s)**

\$300.00

\$1,763.76

**TRANSFERS TOTAL** \$2,063.76

**FINAL GROUP PROFIT:** \$1,763.75

Autocrat print: Timothy Johnson

Exchequer print: Paul Tedeski

Autocrat signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Exchequer signature \_\_\_\_\_

# **EVENT FINANCIAL REPORT**

**GROUP:** Barony of St. Swithin's Bog **EVENT DATE:** 1/11/2020

**EVENT:** St Swithin's Bog 12th Night Silent Auction

	(A) # Reserved	(B) # at the Door	(C) Fee-Reserved	(D) Fee-at Door	(AxC) + (BxD) Total
<b>Site-Adult</b>					
<b>Site-Child</b>					
<b>Feast-Adult</b>					
<b>Gratis-Adult</b>					
<b>Gratis-Child</b>					
<b>NMS</b>					
<b>GROSS EVENT RELATED INCOME:</b>					

**Other Income**

donations					\$0.00
Auction					\$650.00
<b>GROSS OTHER INCOME:</b>					\$650.00

**TOTAL INCOME:** \$650.00

**CANCELLATIONS / REFUNDS**

	Number	Amount	Total
<b>Site-Adult</b>			\$0.00
<b>Site-Child</b>			\$0.00
<b>Feast-Adult</b>			\$0.00
<b>Feast-Child</b>			\$0.00
<b>TOTAL REFUNDS:</b>			\$0.00

**EXPENSES (PAYMENTS)**

**NET INCOME** \$650.00

**Advertising**

**Equipment Rental and Maintenance**

**Fees and Honoria** (itemize on back)

**Food (cost of Feast supplies)**

**General supplies**

**Insurance (Non-SCA)**

**Occupancy and Site Charges**

**Postage, Shipping, PO Box rental**

**Printing and Publications**

**Telephone**

**Travel (Gas, Tolls, Airfare)**

**Other Expenses** (itemize on back)

**EXPENSES SUB-TOTAL:** \$0.00

**NET PROFIT:** \$650.00

**To SCA, Inc Aethelmearc (Non-member Surcharge)**

\$0.00

**Moved to Another SCA Account(s)**

**TRANSFERS TOTAL** \$0.00

**FINAL GROUP PROFIT:** \$650.00

Exchequer print: Paul Tedeski

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Seneschal print: Timothy Johnson

Seneschal signature: \_\_\_\_\_



# Business Meeting: January 5, 2020 2pm at the Galleria Mall

## Populace present:

- **Baron and Baroness**
  - We are getting ready and are excited for 12<sup>th</sup> Night. That being said, we need to remember that
  - his is not our baronial 12<sup>th</sup> Night, this is a Kingdom 12<sup>th</sup> Night. With everything that is going on, please
  - consider volunteering your time during the event. Your help would be greatly appreciated by all. Let's
  - show our awesomeness and what our Barony is known for.
- **Seneschal**
  - We are currently working on with the members of Indiana. I have been in contact with them and they
  - have been in contact with the Kingdom to get things changed. More to come on this as time permits.
  - Hopefully starting next month we will be getting through the by-laws and finally getting them approved.
- **Exchequer**
  - We have money.
  - Checking : 2496.86
  - Savings: 2652.46
  - Final Year report is sent in.
- **Arts and Sciences:**
  - Three of us went to the stained glass class last month. We learned a lot and are looking at possibly
  - teaching a class in the near future on this.
  - There are several other classes going on that we may be interested in. I will be posting these classes as soon as I can.
  - The next A&S day will be on Saturday February 8<sup>th</sup> at the Galleria Mall. We will be mantles. Please bring
  - your sewing machines and some black thread. Sherry will provide the fabric.
- **MOL:**
  - Authorization Cards are going to be needed for 12<sup>th</sup> Night.
  - Still looking for a replacement. Please message me if interested.
- **SMO:**
  - Three Day is up on the Aethelmearc Kingdom Calendar.
- **Knight Marshal:**
  - Spring is coming.
  - Look to your Authorization Cards.
- **Fencing Marshal:**
  - HGA is open again and we will be there today at 4pm to fence and will continue every Sunday as usual.
- **Chronicler:**
  - End of the year report will be out.
  - Look to the social media networks for the installment.
- **Herald:**
  - If you need assistance please let me know.
  - There will be a Herald at 12<sup>th</sup> Night that will be able to assist you.
- **Chamberlain:**
  - Nothing really to report. We are ready form 12<sup>th</sup> night!
- **History:**
  - Nothing to report.
- **Siege:**
  - Nothing to report.
- **Chataliene:**
  - Nothing to report.
- **Thrown Weapons:**
  - Nothing to report.
- **Web Minister:**
  - Nothing to report.
- **OLD Business:**
  - 12<sup>th</sup> Night is going to be right around the corner. We are ready as we will ever be. Looking for assistance in many areas. Look to the social medial channels for lists for help needed. There is going to be a lot going on that day!
- **New Business:**
  - Possible Demo for a Boy Scout Troop in February. More information to come.

## Business Meeting: February 2, 2020 2p.m. Main Moon Restaurant

**Officers and Populace Present:** L. Zimmerman, T. Zimmerman, A. Scott, E. Hritz, C. Miller, B. Miller, C. Foreman, R. Fox, D. Ruckser, L. Schultz, M. Serenko, F. Serenko, S. Meyers, T. McNatt, J. Mowry, A. Washnak, M. Mayse, T. Johnson, M. Tartoni, D. Harvell, J. Sharabaugh, R. Baily, R. Harvell, L. Johnson

### **Baron and Baroness:**

- Wanted to thank everyone for a wonderful 12<sup>th</sup> Night. You did our Barony and Kingdom proud! Thank you all for your hard work and determination. It really paid off.
- Their Royal Majesties and Their Royal Highnesses sent us notes of thanks for the day.
- We have been following the Facebook group and now have over 500 members. This is very exciting as we grow.

### **Seneschal:**

- Want to thank everyone that helped out with Kingdom 12<sup>th</sup> Night. Without your help, it would not have been the success that it was.
- I also want to thank everyone for showing up to the meetings. The number of people coming is amazing. I love that you are showing interest in your group.
- People that are not in our borders, we are currently working on your request. We need to change some of our by-laws to accommodate you.
- Officers Need to have drop-deads and \_\_\_\_\_. This is a good time to seek out some new people and take them under your wing. Please let me know when you have found them.
- Officers, when you send your reports to Kingdom, please make sure you are adding me to the email list.
- Officers, I need copies of your blue cards. Can you please email or message them to me.

### **Exchequer:**

- During Kingdom 12<sup>th</sup> Night we made \$650.00 on the silent auction.
- During Kingdom 12<sup>th</sup> Night we made a net profit of \$3827.51. \$1763.75 of that goes to St. Swithins and the other Half will go to Kingdom.
- Checking: \$5297.62
- Savings: \$3402.46
- Our ending fiscal report shows that we spent 645.02 more than we took in for the year.
- Corporate has updated our policies and we will have to comply with a new format and how payment for services are rendered. There will be more to come on this.
- We will also be adding a fiscal page to our website. I am currently working with Brian on this.

### **Arts and Sciences:**

- Meeting will be held on Saturday February 8, 2020 from 12p to 4p. There will be a heraldry discussion and we will be working on scroll cases. You can also Bring your own projects to work on.

### **Chatelaine:**

- We had 6 newcomers at 12<sup>th</sup> Night.
- Many are interested in returning.
- We also had a family come in from York to witness what we do. They had an awesome time.
- Boy Scout Demo coming up in February. More to come on that.

### **MOL:**

- Still looking for a replacement.

### **Social Media Officer:**

- Three Day event is up.

### **Heavy Fighting:**

- Look to social media sites and emails for practices.

### **Fencing:**

- Practices at HGA every Sunday from 4p-6p

### **Youth Combat:**

- Look to the Social Media Channels for practices.
- JP still working on getting approved.

### **Archery:**

- Nothing until Spring

**Thrown Weapons:**

- Nothing new at this time.

**Web minister:**

- By-Laws need to be posted.

**Chronicler:**

- Going to have two issues a year.
- Articles for the first issue will be due by February 17, 2020

**Heraldry:**

- Jay's name passed
- Currently working on the new badge for awards.
- Have questions and will decide at next meeting



