

# **The Sternfeld Star**

**BARONY OF STERNFELD**

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July Business Meeting Minutes and Officer Reports!

Save a tree! Don't print me!

Next Business Meeting: Thursday, January 19<sup>th</sup>, 2017

at St. Timothy's Episcopal Church

Everyone welcome—No experience necessary!

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## From the Baron/Baroness

Pleasant Holiday Greetings from your friendly local Baron and Baroness!

Holiday Court is just around the corner, and we would encourage all of you to take a quarter of an hour to consider the state of your fellow citizens' award collections, and write to us using the recommendation widget at <http://sternfeld.org> with your suggestions and advice. Further, we will be hosting Baronial Armored and Rapier Champions fights at Fighter Practice one night before Holiday Court - look for the announcement on the e-lists, and if you desire to compete in these challenges, bring your armor and your best fight to the field!

We would encourage everyone also to consider volunteering for Better War Through Archery, which fast approaches in roughly two months' time. Award recommendations to Their Majesties in advance of this date are much appreciated also.

Draco Invictus!

Odile, Baronne      Úlfr, Baron

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## From the Seneschal

Hello, Sternfeld!

As you all know I intend to step down from my post. Wulfwen, who has been my "drop dead" deputy since I stepped up about 3 years ago, is the only candidate for the position. My intention is to surrender the post to my successor by Better War Through Archery. We polled unanimously at our November meeting to accept Wulfwen as my replacement and will do a second polling at our next meeting.

I asked her to provide this introduction for those who may not have had the pleasure of getting to know her better already. If you have any questions or feedback regarding the polling, please feel free to email me at [seneschal@sternfeld.org](mailto:seneschal@sternfeld.org).

Yours in service,  
Ysabel



## From the Incoming Seneschal

Howdy!

Ysabel asked if I had an intro I wanted to share, for folks who can't be at the Business Meeting and/or don't know me all that well. Here goes!

I am Wulfwen atte Belle (Kathy Anderson). My participation in the Society started in 1989. Over the years, I've lived in the Midrealm (Barony of Cleftlands, Barony of Brendoken, Barony of Sternfeld, Marche of Gwyntarian and Shire of Qal' at'Jafar), Trimaris (Shire of Southkeep) and Aethelmearc (Barony of Delftwood).

My primary interests in the Society are cooking (feasts and especially sweets), Ottoman Turkish garb, kumihimo and the teaching of these topics. I've been Lunch/Feast Steward and Event Steward many times in Gwyntarian and Sternfeld, and have run successful fundraisers for various causes in the Society.

I've also been a Seneschal before; I was Acting Seneschal for the Barony of Brendoken (prior to investiture) from Spring 1998 to Fall 2000 and Seneschal of the Marche of Gwyntarian from 2005 to 2007.

My favorite thing in the Society (and many other areas of life!) is Making the Fun. I enjoy organizing things, and helping to provide the structure that supports the activities we all love.

If you have questions or would like more information, please feel free to email me – I'm at [wulfwen@gmail.com](mailto:wulfwen@gmail.com)

Yours in service and having fun!

Wulfwen



## From the Chronicler

Greetings!

Please send articles and updates if you would like them published in the Star.

After the new Baronial by-laws take place, the monthly meeting minutes will be published on the website and the Star will be moving to a quarterly publication.

In service,

Mistress Moira



## From the Webminister

Greetings from the Web!

I am continuing to update the site. Please contact me if you see something that needs urgent attention. I can be reached at [webminister@sternfeld.org](mailto:webminister@sternfeld.org).

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## From the Minister of Arts and Sciences

Greetings unto the Barony of Sternfeld.

Winter has entered for its seasonal showing, artisans and scientists are making things and doing things for the upcoming events hosted by Sternfeld, and the upcoming A&S Regional Faires. They are creative and diligent, and will do honor to both the Barony and themselves.

Breddelwyn ap Taliesin



## From the Equestrian Marshal

Greetings from the Equestrian Officer!

First, I want to thank EVERYONE that came out to Sternfeld equestrian practices in 2016. I want to also thank all the Equestrian Marshals that helped me throughout the year. I would also like to thank Just Us Stables for their generosity and allowing us to hold practices every month. It was a great year. All the horses and riders ended the year without injury and hopefully a bit more knowledge and skill. I encourage anyone who wants to get serious about SCA Equestrian, consider taking riding lessons. Being secure in your seat and your confidence will allow you to excel in SCA Equestrian games and activities.

For 2017, practices will continue at Just Us Stables generally on the first Sunday of the month. I will be publishing a schedule early January to the Sternfeld website. I have received the insurance form, and practices will resume in February 2017.

Also, I am technically stepping out of the Baronial Equestrian Officer on January 1, 2017 and I will be assuming the office of Middle Kingdom Equestrian Officer. Until a replacement is found, I will continue to act as the local Sternfeld equestrian resource.

I look forward to 2017 and growing the Equestrian program. Come join us!

In Service,  
Lord Michael de Quarmby  
Acting Sternfeld Equestrian Officer  
Middle Kingdom Equestrian Officer



**January 2017 – (Local Events Only. See [Midrealm Calendar](#) for other nearby activities.)**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> Fighter Practice 6:30 PM	<b>4</b> Reading Night/Open House 7 PM	<b>5</b> Costumer's Group 7 PM	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Baronial Yule
<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> Metalworking 7 PM	<b>10</b> No Fighter practice – Krannert is a polling place.	<b>11</b> Dead Languages Club 7 PM	<b>12</b> English Country Dance 6:30 PM	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> Fighter Practice 6:30 PM	<b>18</b> Reading Night/Open House 7 PM	<b>19</b> Business Meeting 6:45 PM	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> Metalworking 7 PM	<b>24</b> Fighter Practice 6:30 PM	<b>25</b> Reading Night/Open House 7 PM	<b>26</b> Scribes Group	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> Fighter Practice 6:30 PM				

**February 2017 – (Local Events Only. See [Midrealm Calendar](#) for other nearby activities.)**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			<b>1</b> Reading Night/Open House 7 PM	<b>2</b> Costumer's Group 7 PM	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> Better War Through Archery
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## November 17, 2016 Sternfeld Business meeting

### Reports

Great Officers and Their Deputies

- Seneschal - **OPEN!** Candidate intros, discussion; polling in December w/ replacement by February

Seneschal- Wulfwen is a candidate. 1<sup>st</sup> polling was completed. 2<sup>nd</sup> will be in December.

- Chatelaine – Signed a thing! Nothing else to report.

Herald- Jok is the new deputy for the Herald

Chronicler/Webminister Website is up to date.

Exchequer - **OPEN! A deputy is needed. Saldis needs a deputy. Email exchequer @sternfeld.org \$14238.68 including the advance for betterwar.**

- Property Master will be absorbing extra inventory from Aethil-lin

Armored

- Rapier Combat - **OPEN! Yay we have practice. His excellency Master Adam would like to be considered.**

Archery We had jazz hands with announcements. Archery happens with Semi regular

Equestrian – **OPEN!** Dec 4<sup>th</sup>- request for insurance. Justice stables is allowing practice to continue. He will be Kingdom equestrian officer Jan 1.

A&S

- Interest Groups

A&S is happening. Sternfeld has many talented people many sternfelders participated or taught. Tula taught her first class. Great Job Tulaith!

Bredelwyn is the New KINGDOM BARD! Huzzah!!!

Cooks guild nothing until after the first of the year.

Workday Next Saturday the 26<sup>th</sup> at the BB public library. We CAN bring in food and drink 9:15-4:45. If you think you need help line this up in advance. Any project, not just costumers.

Dance- There will be Dance at Grand Pageant AND Better WAR. You should come to dance practice to brush up on your

skills.

Dec- We ask you to come to Garfield Park 6:30-8:30

#### Other Offices

- Prize Czar still has prizes
- Youth & Families **OPEN!**

#### Recent and Upcoming Events

Yule, January 7 (rain date 1/14)- **Preliminary Bid from Elisabetta 1<sup>st</sup> menonite church off 42<sup>nd</sup> and Michigan It has a site fee of \$380. \$100 refundable deposit. So \$280 as long as we leave it clean. Includes kitchen and 2 rooms. A large room, and a smaller side room full industrial kitchen. No classrooms.**

**There are tables and chairs. Discreetly damp. Waiting to see if we can have candles. Potential donation bid to offset cost? Motion passed and accepted. We will need an emergency finance meeting to complete this.**

Better War Through Archery and Regional A&S, February 4, Steward: Wulfwen  
**Updates We have confirmed the King and princess will be in attendance. The king will Do KOFFEE WITH THE KING early in the morning. Hosting the regional a&s competition. Volunteer spot is available for signups. Wulfwen needs staff positions, populace lunch and a7s staff Granuialle. We get a quarter page ad. Should we do the Jan pale? Yes. VLAD has a proposed feast budget. He has removed the soup course.**

Grand Pageant, April 8, Steward: Odette **Updates; Site deposit polling**

**Can you be the TOC OMG. It is Tournament of Chivalry Polling on event has already happened. Waiting on site budget and feast budget. Poll on paying deposit to hold site. Cost for site is 2500 for fri and sat so no more than 1250. Will be less.**

**There will be much dancing Me need a feast and archery.**

Simple Day - [Preliminary Bid](#) (budget [option 1](#), [option 2](#)) from Hadley and Solveig **2nd Polling**

**June 30<sup>th</sup> –july 2<sup>nd</sup>. 10, 12 at the gate**

## **Demos**

Background check policy re: demos

Any school demo or child site **MUST** follow event policies. This means a youth coord must be on site and 1 unrelated adult in every room that has children. Could effect speaking event as a SCAdian.

## **New Business-**

**Johann's apprentices spoke together. 6 want an animal and equine symposium**

**June 9-11**

**He is feast o crat**

**He wants to have the potential funds as a back-up from Sternfeld. Wulfwen suggested that they host BWTA luncheon.**

**Kitchen gear can be lent.**

**There will be a roman range and oven and it will be as they want.**



## December 15, 2016 Sternfeld Business meeting

### Administrative/Financial

#### Baronial Bylaws Revision

Will be “read in” at Yule. Join us--many voices make light work.

#### Financial Policy DISCUSSION, POLLING to confirm changes for 2017. - No changes suggested.

Discussion was held on the \$100 limit for one vote to two votes. Passed unanimously.

Not enough lead time was identified as the largest cause for emergency finance meetings.

#### 2017 Budgets for Officers DISCUSSION, POLLING -

Discussion on the loaner armor which was paid for and never received. We will once again ask the person who had the money to either reimburse the fee or the materials.

Discussion on passing the hat to help defray fighter practice site. Wulfwen will head that up with assistance from others.

Demos will be further highlighted on Sterndelf.org with a large button making the info more easily accessible.

\$5,350 planned. Passed unanimously. Second polling in January.

### Regular Business

November Officer Reports (See page 2 forward of this Agenda!)

Seneschal **2ND POLLING** for Wulfwen Passed! Transition should be completed by BWTA.

## BWTA Feast **2ND POLLING**

Polled last month for 64 paid people @ 12 per person for \$781.

We asked for 80 instead of 64.

We approved \$960 last month. Second polling passed.

## St. Timothy's Rental Donation for 2016 **DISCUSSION, POLLING**

We usually pay for our business meeting site every December.

Last year, we donated \$300. The year before we donated a larger amount to help with the kitchen.

Discussion ensued about the amount to donate. \$300 was proposed and passed.

## **Important Announcements**

[Hospitality Baskets](#) for restrooms at events - Moira Eiriksdottir coordinating

If you have donations for her, please coordinate with her to drop them off.

**Yule update:** Planning is going well for Yule on Jan, 7. A site has been secured. There is a FB event page that is being updated and some info on the Sternfeld main page (working on getting it's own event page soon.

There will be a sign-up sheet for the pitch in Volunteer Spot (<http://signup.com/go/1f3tfs>) and we will need a few volunteers to help set up and tear down.

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Sternfeld Yahoo Group: <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/sternfeld/>

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- ❖ **FIGHTER PRACTICE** - Every Tuesday, 6:30-9 pm. **Krannert Family Center, 605 S. High School Road.** Contact Seneschal Lady Ysabel (Aimee Formo), [Seneschal@Sternfeld.org](mailto:Seneschal@Sternfeld.org).
- ❖ **BUSINESS MEETING** - Third Thursdays, 6:45-9 pm. **St. Timothy's Episcopal Church, 2601 E. Thompson Road.** Contact Seneschal Lady Ysabel (Aimee Formo), [Seneschal@Sternfeld.org](mailto:Seneschal@Sternfeld.org).
- ❖ **DEAD LANGUAGES CLUB** - Second Wednesdays, 7-9 pm. Master John and Mistress Leanore's house, 1626 Marlborough Lane. Contact Master John & Mistress Leanore (John & Ellie Wright), 317-872-7216, [elliepel@aol.com](mailto:elliepel@aol.com).
- ❖ **OPEN HOUSE/READING NIGHTS** - Every Wednesday, 7-9 pm. Master John and Mistress Leanore's house, 1626 Marlborough Lane. Contact Master John and

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❖ **COOKS' GROUP** - Third Sundays (April, June, October, December 2016), 3-7 pm. 1238 Old Town South Drive Indianapolis, IN 46260. Contact Grainne at (727) 267-0770 to confirm time, place, and attendance.

❖ **ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCE** - second Thursday of the month. Held at Garfield Park Arts Center 2432 Conservatory Dr Indianapolis, IN 46203 from 6:30 to 8:30. Contact Lady Colette (317) 456-2099 with questions.

❖ **EQUESTRIAN PRACTICE** – meets monthly, but schedule varies. See details at <http://www.midrealm.org/sternfeld/equestrian.php/>

❖ **ARCHERY PRACTICE** – Currently looking for a new practice space. Ideas? Contact Kjalvor (Tekka England), [Archery@Sternfeld.org](mailto:Archery@Sternfeld.org).

❖ **OPEN BARDIC CIRCLES AND RANDOM POST-REVELS** - scheduled sporadically but enthusiastically. Contact Lady Floriana (Daisy Roberts Blair), 317-280-1930, or Lady Lucia (Kathi Coutinho), 317-293-0983.

❖ **GILDED COSTUMERS** - First Thursdays (& occasional weekends), 7-9 pm. Various locations. Contact THL Odette (Paula Ryan), 317-996-4630, [odettedamboise@gmail.com](mailto:odettedamboise@gmail.com).

❖ **METALWORKING** - First and Third Mondays, 7-10 pm. 611 Carlyle Pl, Indianapolis, IN 46201. Contact Master Peter [maxengel@aol.com](mailto:maxengel@aol.com) if coming.

❖ **YOUTH COMBAT** – Currently on hiatus but returning soon. Watch <http://www.midrealm.org/sternfeld/youth.php> for updates.

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