

# Barony of Krae Glas - Minutes December 2023

Summary			
<b>Location</b>	ZOOM		5 December 2023
<b>Time</b>	1940- Opened by <a href="#">Warren McArdle</a>		
Attendance			
<b>Officers</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Seneschal</li> <li>2. Deputy Seneschal</li> <li>3. Reeve</li> <li>4. Deputy Reeve</li> <li>5. Marshal</li> <li>6. Captain of Archers</li> <li>7. Deputy Captain of Archers</li> <li>8. Rapier Marshal</li> <li>9. Deputy Rapier Marshall</li> <li>10. Baron</li> <li>11. Baroness</li> <li>12. Constable</li> <li>13. A&amp;S Officer</li> <li>14. Herald</li> <li>15. Web minister</li> <li>16. Chronicler</li> <li>17. Chatelaine</li> <li>18. Quartermaster</li> <li>19. St. Monica Seneschal</li> <li>20. Social Media Officer/Photographer</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Warren McArdle</li> <li>2. Maree Yarwood</li> <li>3. Janet Coath</li> <li>4. Cathy Leviston</li> <li>5. Andrew Wilson (Prev. Stephen Davis)</li> <li>6. Claire Carpenter</li> <li>7. Michelle Kurrie</li> <li>8. Jason Metcalfe</li> <li>9. Jason Tate</li> <li>10. Stephen Davis</li> <li>11. Margie Henley</li> <li>12. Leanne McArdle</li> <li>13. Joanna Thorpe-Jones</li> <li>14. Maree Yarwood</li> <li>15. Kevin Duong</li> <li>16. Margie Henley</li> <li>17. Shona Boulton</li> <li>18. Erynn McArdle</li> <li>19. Rach Thorpe-Jones</li> <li>20. Julia Jamieson</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Present</li> <li>2. Present</li> <li>3. Apologies - Not in the country.</li> <li>4. N/A</li> <li>5. N/A</li> <li>6. N/A</li> <li>7. N/A</li> <li>8. N/A</li> <li>9. N/A</li> <li>10. N/A</li> <li>11. Present</li> <li>12. N/A</li> <li>13. Present</li> <li>14. Present</li> <li>15. Present</li> <li>16. Present</li> <li>17. N/A</li> <li>18. N/A</li> <li>19. Present</li> <li>20. Present</li> </ol>
<b>Visitors</b>			
<b>Populace Present</b>			

Meeting			
<i>Description</i>	<i>Action &amp; Person Responsible</i>	<i>Comments/Status</i>	<i>Person Seconding &amp; Timeframe (if determined)</i>
Previous Minutes			Margie
Officers (appointments and vacancy)	<p>Marshal has been advertised twice now - Andrew has put their hand up.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Initial admission had issues due to no comments.</li> <li>- Andrew is a Marshal-in-training. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Thursday night training attendants can help support.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>Shona has stepped down as Chatelaine due to life circumstances.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Role will be advertised soon.</li> </ul>		
<b>Events Summary &amp; Feedback</b>			
Other	<p>Ironbeard Tournament:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Claire has become Krae Glas Archery Champion for two years running. Congratulations!</li> <li>- Smaller turnout than expected due to chaotic weather (around 6-8 people), was meant to be raining that day as the week had been also. However, it was sunny.</li> <li>- Financial - Costs were covered due to it being Stormhold event.</li> </ul>		
<b>RECURRING EVENTS</b>			
Bi-Monthly Archery (Noble Park Secondary)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Ironbeard Challenge occurred instead, refer to above.</li> <li>- January is speculated to train Target Archery Marshals. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Sharps are still not allowed.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		

<b>Thursday Night Training</b> <b>(Noble Park Scout Hall)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Well supported.</li> <li>- One new fighter.</li> <li>- 6-8 people per night.</li> </ul>		
<b>Crafthall</b> <b>(Noble Park Scout Hall)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Poorly attended.</li> <li>- 8 people attend each event. Does not cover hire costs.</li> <li>- 10 people are needed to break even.</li> <li>- Noticeable drop of 14 people.</li> </ul> <p>Potential ZOOM Council meetings instead and have Crafthall be Crafthall. Or a Crafthall ZOOM hybrid?</p>	<p>“I am concerned that officers are not attending. Hopefully not due to burnout.”</p> <p>“Based on attendance at previous events. Seems that people are willing to go to events - however not willing to help organise it.”</p>	
<b>Expenses</b>			
<b>None</b>	<p>No expenses outstanding.</p>		
<b>Upcoming Barony Events</b>			
<b>Proposed Events:</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Day of Champions</b></li> <li>2. <b>Royal Welcome</b></li> <li>3. <b>Spring Crown 2024</b></li> </ol>	<p><i>[Pending Proposal]</i></p> <p><i>[Pending Approval/Submission]</i></p> <p><i>[Pending Time]</i></p>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Day of Champions</b>  <b>(Leanne/Brechin)</b></li> </ol>	<p>Plan to post to the media needing to put in Bid.</p> <p>Need more experienced people.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Day of Honour Ball suggested.</li> <li>- Usually tournaments with heavy/rapier for 2 hrs each. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Point style system.</li> </ul> </li> <li>- Augmented potluck.</li> </ul>	<p>Will not occur this year. But planned to be on Valentine’s day in February 2024.</p> <p><b>Leanne</b> to chat with the rest of Brechin to work out if they will run it.</p>	

<b>2. Royal Welcome</b> (Leanne/Margie)	5PM starts. Sit down at a tavern-like event.  Successful - Large 50+ turnout.		5th October 2023.
<b>3. Spring Crown 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Warren has been looking for locations.             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Maree has suggested Akoonah Park, Berwick.</li> <li>- Ideal. Caters for 150 people. No cooking but has heating implements.</li> <li>- Roses Tournament on Sunday just so happens to have Akoonah Market on the same day.</li> <li>- Kingdom Seneschal needs a budget report.</li> </ul> </li> <li>- Becca as Deputy Steward, Leanne and Becca and Kitchen staff.</li> </ul>		Akoonah Park – 2 Cardinia St, Berwick VIC 3806  September 2024
<b>Other business</b>			
<b>Event Awareness:</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Stormhold</li> <li>2. Kingdom Event Request</li> <li>3. Innilgard Fencer Incursion</li> </ol>	<i>[Pending Time]</i>  <i>[Post Event]</i>	
<b>1. Stormhold</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 9th December 2023 - Celebration 35th Birthday - Royal Visit and Monthly Bash on the following day.</li> <li>- Summer - Baron Challenge to Ynys Fawr - Tidal Boundaries - Torquay             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- No response from SH nor Ynys Fawr.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		
<b>2. Request to run a kingdom event</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- We are not in a position currently to run our own events due to lack of experienced stewards.             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- New Royals were just announced as Crown just happened.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Just need to find a venue.  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Wantirna area seems to be the best area with a nice park and close to</li> </ul>	Spring 2024.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Hosting 2024 Spring Crown - Pressure to move it forward and do it in March as there are no bids. Pizza Picnic in the park is being suggested.</li> </ul>	hotels and roads and facilities. 1st or 2nd weekend.	
<p><b>3. Innilgard Fencers Incursion</b></p> <p><b>(Dytryk)</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 3-4 day workshop</li> <li>- Collegia - Fencing Styles. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Will depend on who is attending (newbies or better practices for the experienced.)</li> <li>■ Can do a hall or local park - as long as a venue has been decided on.</li> <li>■ Billeting and transport will be appreciated as some are already worth.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>5/12/2023 Update:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- A Statutory Declaration for rapiers was discussed for Collegians. More info will come out soon.</li> <li>- Please refer to the <b>Rapier Marshal</b> report below.</li> </ul>	Jan 18-21st - Thu-Sat
<b>Local Business</b>			
<p><b>Noble Park Scout Hall,</b> refers to the <i>City Of Greater Dandenong District Scout Centre</i> from hereinafter. Next to Noble Park station.</p>	<p>Maintenance:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Kitchen work TBA. Sealed benchtops. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Workers have made an odd mess of the kitchen. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Reduced work space.</li> <li>- No hot water or oven. Getting working fridge.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> <li>○ Front ramp - Uncertain.</li> <li>○ Electricity – Thank you to Anthony (new member) we now have electricity to the East side of the hall.</li> <li>○ Door to the storeroom is breaking apart.</li> <li>○ Oven - has to be taken to council to be agreed upon.</li> <li>○ Hinge and Gate - paid for.</li> <li>○ Shipping crate - conversation to clear and store inside will be in future.</li> <li>○ Rope and pulley systems may not happen but hooks for banners - yes.</li> </ul>	<p>Tell Scouts to get a discount from Council as this is taking too long and unacceptable.</p> <p>5/12/2023 Update:</p> <p>Site got broken into.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Scouts have been told and they will do something with the fence. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Trailer padlock had been cut and left.</li> <li>- New one to replace has been bought.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	



<b>Baronial Marshal</b> <b>(Andrew)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Andrew has been made the new Baronial Marshal.</li> <li>- New fighter. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- It has been noted that loaner gear has been hard to find. Potentially has been taken home or needs to be repaired.</li> </ul> </li> <li>- The Kingdom Marshal has sent out a notice about hot weather and fighter safety.</li> </ul>	Stephen - “Small, medium and large kits should be made.”	
<b>Rapier Marshal</b> <b>(Jason Metcalfe)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Has not been occurring as with lower numbers.</li> </ul> <p style="color: red; text-align: center;"><b>NOTE:</b></p> <p><a href="https://sca.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/20200730-form-Application-for-SCA-Ltd-Weapons-Exemption-in-Victoria.pdf">https://sca.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/20200730-form-Application-for-SCA-Ltd-Weapons-Exemption-in-Victoria.pdf</a></p>	5/12/2023 Update:  Owners have to be registered! Copy and email/card should be available to be shown to police if needed.	
<b>Arts and Science Officer</b> <b>(Joanna)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Boffer War</li> <li>- Inter-College War <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Putter taught a class on waraji sandals.</li> </ul> </li> <li>- Rachel has been trying to convince people to go to a retiree’s place to learn more kumihimo. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Riley has added kumihimo to their hair at one point.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>College Informal Gatherings:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Heraldry has been getting interest.</li> <li>- Past three months, about four people have sent applications.</li> </ul>		
<b>Webminister</b> <b>(Kevin)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Have been overseas so only research has happened. Hopefully a revamp will occur in the next year.</li> </ul>		
<b>Herald</b> <b>(Maree)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Royal Welcome <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 4 Kingdom Awards</li> <li>- 3 AoAs</li> <li>- 1 Golden Tears</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Warren received his scroll.</li> <li>- Thanks to all the heralds that helped on the night. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- However! Feedback has been given regarding being more inclusive during greetings..</li> </ul> </li> <li>- The house 'House of Lenore' has passed.</li> <li>- Julia's new name and device has passed.</li> <li>- Dancing Homer Award to be submitted.</li> </ul>		
<b>Constable</b> (Leanne)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Few missed payments by people at training.</li> </ul>		
<b>Chronicler</b> (Margie)  <b>And</b>  <b>Social Media Officer</b> (Julia)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 1k views on Facebook posts with 30% engagement. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Talk about paying for Boost advertisement and an event advertisement budget.</li> </ul> </li> <li>- Brainstorming activities for young adults, kids and teens. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Will require an active Working With Children Check.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		
<b>St Monica</b> (Rachel)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Wound down operations for holidays.</li> <li>- Feastocrat for ICW has asked to not be spoken to about it.</li> <li>- Positive feedback in social engagements.</li> <li>- 5 people have expressed interest in mediaeval feasting and cooking. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- North African Roman cooking is current interest.</li> <li>- Informal cooking challenges have also been happening.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>O-week is in the last week of February.</p> <p>May the 4th is on Saturday.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- College has asked the Barony to not plan anything for that date.</li> </ul>	
<b>Captain of Archers</b> (Claire)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Still waiting on the invoice.</li> <li>- Still wanting to make arrows.</li> </ul>	<i><b>Reminder: She has not paid membership since September.</b></i>	
<b>Quartermaster</b> (Erynn)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Moving house. Hallkeeping and cleanliness are still expected.</li> </ul>		



<b>Chatelaine</b> <b>(Shona)</b>	- Stepped down due to current life complications.		
<b>B&amp;B</b> <b>(Jon and Margie)</b>	Considering stepping down.  - Issues with being unsure who to talk about taking over from the membership list.		
<b>Meeting closed at</b>	<b>2130</b>		
<b>Next meeting</b>	<b>Saturday 13 January 2023   Noble Park Hall</b>		