

# Ravensbridge

## November Biz Meet minutes

**When:** November 11, 2014 7pm-9pm

**Attendance:** 21 participates

**Where:** Peppers Garden Bar & Grill

**Seneschal:** I would like to suspend the normal Biz Meet structure and talk about activity level. As an incipient group it is important that we are having regularly scheduled activities that show the Kingdom that we are serious about becoming a permanent group of the East. We have almost 70 members in the area but only a small percentage are regularly showing up and our classes and A&S activity has really waned over the last couple of months. I have asked thru the Face Book Ravensbridge page that everyone bring ideas tonight about what you would like to see and what you can offer.

**Herald:** Lord Antony will be writing a check to the Heralds office for our name and device submission to be reimbursed by Exchequer.

## Highlights of Discussion

- Augusta and Lewiston/Auburn is still a large area and difficult to traverse by some people
- Armor workshops have been going on in Auburn but not announced
- Some would like to see more newcomer classes
- Request for more sewing classes
- Weekly fighter practice space still needed
- Question of monthly biz meets vs Qtrly biz meets discussed
- Archery practice sites discussed for spring
- Hibernation by Mainers during winter discussed 😊

## Results of Discussion

- Sunday Armor and sewing space will be offered in Auburn every week- notices will be placed on Ravensbridge Face Book events
- A weekly gathering will start occurring in January, alternating every other week between Augusta and Auburn. Location, day, and time - TBA
- Kyppyn will provide monthly newcomer classes on Mondays- TBA
- Lady Rose has gathered some corrugated plastic signs that will make great scroll cases. A project night to cover them in fabric with a RB tag will be scheduled in January before Birka and RB will present as a gift to TRM's at Birka.
- Kyppyn is working on cleaning out his 2<sup>nd</sup> story barn to set up a dojo for pell work and technique classes—availability TBA
- Biz meets will continue monthly for now