



The Shire of Dragon's Vale Newsletter

The meeting this last month was on the thin side when you think of who was there. I hope that everyone is doing well and will be able to attend the next meeting. We did have a few new faces that were there (at least new to me) Steve Baker (Mudd) and Tami VanDusen. We hope to see them more in the future.



The next business meeting will be held at the Blue Lion on December 4th at 7:00p.m. There will be no business meeting in November due to the holidays.

There is not a lot to report this month. So this will be very short.

The signature card is back from Kingdom, and Lisa is getting everything ready for her doomsday report.



We did approve to have the newsletter e-mailed to everyone in the shire as well as having posted on the webpage. With that in mind if you did not receive your newsletter, and would like one please contact me at the following sjbeigh@earthlink.net (please place NEWSLETTER in the subject line) and I will make sure you get one for this month and to follow.



There was some talk on possible sites for events next year. If you have any ideas for sites and or events please make it to one of the meetings or get a hold of an office so that this information can be passed along.



We will be having a 12th Night Party for the shire this year. We are holding it at the Blue Lion on December 2. The time will be at 4:00p.m. We are planning for snackie foods to be shared with everyone. Please remember that a snackie food is considered to be bite size or larger and enough for at least 20 people. It has been asked to share what you are bringing with everyone else on the yahoo group discussion list, this way we have an idea of what else needs to be brought and we do not double on some things. There is also going to be a white elephant (gift exchange). If you would like to receive a gift then please bring a gift.



Just as a little reminder any one that is a Marshall needs to double check their new handbooks. There have been some changes that could affect you.



Also, any fighters or rapiers there have been changes to your handbooks as well and would probably be a good idea just to double check those to make sure you are ready to fight.



Here is your 30 day at a glance of the Midrealm:

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| Oct. 27-29 | Winter Rose VI |
| Nov. 4 | All Soul's Day—The Dark, Dark Dancer's Revolt Fall Harvest Festival Feste di San Martino Road to Florence |
| Nov. 11 | Bardic Madness VIII Three-for-All Toys Tourney Youth Fighting Symposium |
| Nov. 17-19 | Crystal Ball |
| Nov. 24-26 | Knowne World Costuming Symposi |

Here is a recipe for anyone that is interested. I have gotten it from the MedievalCookery.com. I hope you all enjoy it.



Recipe by Daniel Myers

This recipe is a strange one. The result was sort of a thin pudding with a slightly "oatmeal" texture. I'd probably call this a "mock cherry pudding" because of the color and more than a hint of cherry flavor.

- 2 apples
- 1 cup almond milk
- 4 Tbsp. honey
- 1 cup (2 slices) bread crumbs
- 1 tsp. sandalwood
- pinch saffron
- dash salt

Peel, core, and slice apples. Boil them until soft and then press them through a sieve. Add almond milk, honey, bread crumbs, saffron, sandalwood, and salt and simmer. Serves 4.

Even though there is no meeting next month I plan on having a newsletter. If there is anything that you would like posted in the newsletter please let me know. There will be a few more recipes for everyone to share and I hope a few interesting facts that I dig up.

So until then everyone take care and TRY not to get sick.

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