

The Privy

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Barony Of Terra Pomaria

September 2007

Baron and Baroness:

Greetings Noble Populace of the Barony of Terra Pomaria,

The busy tourney season is coming to an end. It's been a great summer full of exciting events, much travel to far reaches of the Kingdom, and good times spent with friends new and old. And while at the time of this missive The Long and Short of It, will have been several weeks past, all should know it was a huge success! Thank you to the tremendous volunteers that stepped up and made things happen. For those that have not heard, we now have a new Baronial Defender, Earl Sir Duncan Ross the Black, a new Archery Champion, HL Gowain of Keviloc, and we now have our barony's first ever Youth Champion, Jacob Magnus. Please congratulate your new champions when you next see them. We are honored to have them as our Champions and we thank all of the noble participants that entered the various lists at the Long and Short of it.

Our Barony has the honor of hosting the entirety of the Principality of the Summits for this upcoming Summits Fall Coronet. Come and witness or participate in the tourney to select the heirs to the Griffin Thrones. The Crown will be there as will many visitors from around the surrounding Baronies and the Principality. Let us all show our guests the hospitality and pageantry of both Terra Pomaria and the Summits.

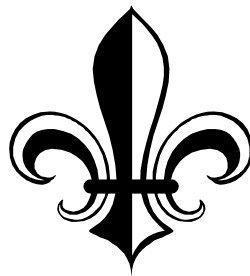
Last weekend we traveled to the lands of The Barony of Glymm Mere, to witness the An Tir Crown Tournament. The fighters of Terra Pomaria made a good showing, Baron Sir Roland made it to the 6th round and HL Brian of Ledbury made it to the 7th round. In the finals met Sir Kjartan Degarson and Sir Cedric Rolfson. And as many of you know the new Crown Prince is Prince Cedric.

Just this weekend Baron Roland returned to the Lands of Glymm Mere to attend Autumn war. Baron Roland and the assembled forces of Terra Pomaria lended aid to

our northern cousins Stromgard against the Barony of Blatha An Oir. At the conclusion of the days battles the peace between baronies has been restored and all is well. Also Baron Roland attended the royal court of his Royal Highness Cedric to bestow gifts to his Highness and to the new Baron and Baroness of Blatha An Oir, Sir Aleksí and his lady wife Elspeth.

Finally, you all may have seen that there have been a few missives concerning the starting of equestrian activities here in the barony. We have heard that there is some interest in starting these activities. We are fully in support of this. So currently we do not have an officer in place to handle these activities, so until we do please direct all inquiries to HL Tangwystl verch. Maredudd at LadyTangwystl@gmail.com

Yours in Service to An Tir, the Summits, and Terra Pomaria,
Baron Sir Roland von Bern and Baroness Emma von Bern



Seneschal:

Greetings unto Their Excellencies and the Populace of Terra Pomaria!

I hope that you are all able to attend The Long and the Short of It. I would like to thank, in advance, all those who will step up and volunteer at the event. Without Volunteers we can not hope to have a successfull event, so please remember to volunteer, its a great way to meet new people and to serve your barony!

It has been a busy summer so far and alot of projects have been put on the back burner. As the tournament season slows I hope that all officers will begin to think of winter projects they would like to accomplish, begin thinking of activities or classes to be held at Celidh. From the office of Seneschal you will see a completed first draft of the customary as well as officer job descriptions. Now is a great time to contact me with any ideas you have for the new draft or questions regarding an office.

Holding an office can be extremely rewarding and often alot of fun. It allows you to meet new people and others, throughout the region, with similar interests and ideas. It can also give you a better understanding on the workings of our society. I encourage all of the officers of the barony to contact their superiors and similar officers in other branches. Compare the way you do things and the way we operate to other areas and bring back ideas, maybe you will bring an idea that works to another branch as well.

Being an officer also comes with a lot of responsibility. Although we are a "volunteer organization" we have still committed a great deal of time and energy to these positions and our society. It is important as officers we recognize the importance and the commitment it takes to be a successful officer.

Our officers spend a great deal of time maintaining the paperwork of their office, be that 5hr or 20hrs a week (sometimes it requires more). Officers are required to attend events, write monthly and quarterly reports, maintain files on events and activities, some run competitions, hold weekly meetings or practices, some autocrat events and many act as a first contact to newcomers. Officers maintain a professionalism when dealing with others and are expected always to conduct themselves in a courteous and chivalrous manner. They are expected to keep their monthly and quarterly deadlines and promptly return communications. It is a big job, and it has to be done in order for our society to be successful. So I encourage you to get to know your baronial officers, thank them, help them, become an officer yourself. Nothing is more rewarding than ensuring that the society continues to thrive.

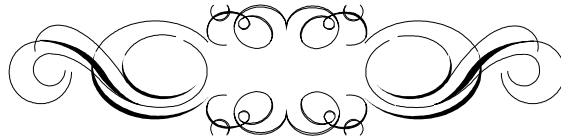
*In Service to Terra Pomaria, Summits, and Antir
HL Lynnarra
Seneschal Terra Pomaria*

Chronicler

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Local Gatherings

Call the contact people listed to get directions and confirm any of the local activities/meetings as they are subject to change without notice.

Ceilidh:

*2nd Monday, October-May, 7pm, Pringle Community Hall (On hold till October)
606 Church St SE, Salem. Contact: Fionna (Alexa) lex_luther812@yahoo.com
Wearing garb is requested, Gold Key is available*

Business Meeting:

3rd Monday, 7pm, Denny's at Mill Creek Inn,

*Contact: Lynnarra at
lynarra@hotmail.com*

3155 Ryan Dr SE, Salem, OR 503-585-8424 (modern attire)

Scribal Night:

2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month. Contact for questions, directions or to RSVP attendance to Francesca (Marie) (modern attire) fmlavolpelli@profirefighter.com

Armoring:

Contact: Roland (Heath) healaws@cs.com (modern attire)

Archery Practice:

Depends on the weather.

1st & 3rd Wednesdays at Keizer location,

Contact Jean-Jacques (Brian), jeanjacques_lavigne@comcast.net (modern attire)

For Colton location times, days and directions, contact Rafe Neuton rafeneuton@comcast.net

TP Fighter Practice:

Wednesdays at Keizer location Nemo (Alvie) (modern attire)

Rapier Practice: 2nd & 4th Thursdays,

2 & 4th Wednesday at Keizer location.

Contact Turin, tuirnb@aol.com (modern attire)

Local Events:

September

31-3 **September Crown Tournament** 👑

Barony of Blatha An Oir
Tacoma-Pierce County, WA

3-9 **Autumn War**

Barony of Blatha An Oir
Tacoma-Pierce County, WA

7-9 **Dregate Revel**

Shire of Dregate
Omak, WA

7-9 **Hemidal Memorial Tournament**

Shire of Myrtle Holt
Grants Pass, OR

14-16 **Summits Fall Coronet** 🏰

Barony of Terra Pomaria
Marion & Polk Counties, OR

14-16 **Aquaterra Sergeantry Trials**

Barony of Aquaterra
Snohomish County, WA

14-16 **Last Chance**

Barony of Dragon's Lair
Kitsap & N Mason Counties, WA

21-23 **Border War**

Barony of Wealdsmere
Spokane - Spokane County, WA

21-23 *Emprise of the Black Lion VII*

*Shire of Wyewood
South King Co, WA*

22-23 *An Tir Bardic Championship*

*Barony of Aquaterra
Snohomish County, WA*

28-30 *Banner War*

*Barony of Aquaterra
Snohomish County, WA*

28-30 *Dregate Faire*

*Shire of Dregate
Omak, WA*

October

5-7 *Archery Fest*

*Barony of Vulcanfeldt
Yakima - Yakima County, WA*

5-7 *Baron Dyon's Annual Tournament*

*Barony of Wastekeep
Tri-Cities, WA*

5-7 *Tymberhavene Birthday Bash*

*Shire of Tymberhavene
Coos & Curry Counties, OR*

6 *Feast of St. Hedwig*

*Shire of Heron's Reach
Clatsop County, OR*

6 *Oktober Fest*

*Barony of Glymm Mere
Olympia, Tumwater & Lacey, WA*

13 *Baronial Banquet*

*Barony of Madrone
King County, WA*

13 *Octoberfeast/Toys for Tots Tournament*

*Barony of Wealdsmere
Spokane - Spokane County, WA*

13-14 *Roving & Raiments:
Fiber Arts & Costuming Ithra*

*Barony of Three Mountains
Clackamas & Multnomah
Counties, OR*

20 *Autumn Gathering*

*Shire of River's Bend
Kelso & Longview-Cowlitz
Counties, WA*

20 *St. Crispin's Day Harvest Festival*

*Shire of Mountain Edge
Yamhill County, OR*

27 *Harvest Celebration VI*

*Shire of Ambergard
Grant County, WA*

27 *Hocktide* Shire of Glyn Dwfn
Medford, Ashland, Jackson
Counties, OR

November

03 *A Knight in the Carpathians* Barony of Three Mountains
Clackamas & Mult. Counties, OR

03 *Harvest Feast* Barony of Blatha An Oir
Tacoma-Pierce County, WA

3-4 *Wastekeep General Ithra* Barony of Wastekeep
Tri-Cities, WA

10 *Frostbite Tourney* Shire of Southmarch
Klamath Falls - Klamath & Lake
counties, OR

16-18  *Tir Righ Winter Investiture* Shire of Shittimwoode
Bellingham - Whatcom County,
WA

17 *As You Like It Fall Feast* Canton of Akornebir
Walla Walla, WA

Future Terra Pomaria Events

Summits Fall Coronet Tournament

September 14th –16th

Barony of Terra Pomaria

Their Alpine Highnesses William Geoffrey the Rogue, and the inspirational Stephanie of the Sanguine Rose, invite all Summits fighters and their consorts to enter the Coronet list and vie to be the heirs to the Gryphon Thrones. The event is nestled in the heart of the fertile Willamette Valley along the Willamette River, amidst woodlands, wetlands, and rolling meadows.

Autocrat: HL Adrienne von Brandenburg (Erin McDaniel) 180 Idylwood Dr. SE, Salem, Oregon 97302 Phone; (503) 999-5571 Email: Adriannesca@msn.com

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Site Info: Gate Opens At 11am for Merchants and 2 pm for populace on Friday the 14th. Site closes @ 12 noon on Sunday

*Site Fees: Adults \$15 (day trip \$10), Youth (12-17) \$10 (day trip \$5), Children (5-11) \$5, Babies (under 5) free, Family cap \$35. Make checks payable to "Barony of Terra Pomaria, SCA Inc." The \$3 Non-member surcharge will apply. Day trippers will be required to purchase a \$3 State Parking Permit when they enter the park,
Event Site:*

*Willamette Mission State Park,
10991 Wheatland Rd NE*

Gervais, OR 97026

Directions to Site: From the North or South, Take your best route to I-5 to Exit 263 and head west on Brooklake Road (follow the signs to Willamette Mission State Park). Stay on Brooklake until it ends on Wheatland Rd and take a right. Follow Wheatland Rd to the Park. The entrance will be on the left. SCA signs will be posted.

Future Events

**A Knight in the Carpathians
and**

Three Mountains Baronial

Arts and Sciences Championship!

Saturday, 3 November 2007

The shadows lay long and deep along this lonely and remote mountain crossing in the eastern Carpathian Mountains. The winds pick up. Flashes of lightning assault the dark. Thunderclaps torture the mountaintops. And rains soak you to the bone. The horses pulling your coach seem ready to bolt in mad terror as they shiver and Winnie nervously. Just when all hope of shelter seems vain, an inn appears out of nowhere—it's not even on your map. The swinging shingle above the arched entry reads: The Red Spike Inn. You knock on the oddly-shaped heavy wooden door—a coffin lid? The door opens with a slow creak and you find yourself greeted by Vostroi the innkeeper. It is good to get out of the wind and rain and the Inn is warm and inviting, with a table in the middle of the room set with a variety of inviting dishes of food that appear freshly prepared, as if you were expected. The innkeeper says, "Please come in. Sample the zakuski. Warm yourself by the fire. I'll have Igor put your horses in the stable and prepare you a room for the night. Unfortunately, the bridge ahead has just been...washed away. A slide has also barred your passage back. You might as well stay the night and make yourself comfortable if you can." You wonder to yourself how he knew the road conditions and what he

meant by "...if you can." You let the thought pass, shrugging your shoulders and taking a bite of the zakuski. It *is* comforting to pass the time chatting with friends and the fabulous strangers you meet at the Inn, who have also found shelter from the storm, and together you partake of various games of chance and skill by the bright central fire.

Murder Mystery: Sometime during the evening you may find yourself caught up in a strange and dark mystery of blood curdling proportions and you wonder if you *will* survive the night.

The Barony of Three Mountains will also be holding its Arts & Science Championship during this event. (see below)

Murder Mystery and Arts and Sciences Championship (what a combination, eh?):

During the murder mystery evening, Three Mountains will also be seeking its next Arts and Sciences Champion. Come, show your prowess in the arts and sciences and vie for the title. Requirements: Three entries of any type, either art or science, and appropriate documentation. Entries will be judged on documentation, workmanship/craftsmanship, and design/aesthetics. Remember, this is a local competition, so the documentation doesn't have to be extreme. Please see the judging form on the Three Mountains website for details on what the judges will be looking for. Notification of your intent to compete must be given by Sunday, September 30, 2007 so we have plenty of time to line up judges for you. Notification can be verbal or in e-mail or other written format and should be given either to Their Excellencies, the current Champion Andrew Stuibhard, or the A&S Minister, Giana Visconti. (Contact information below.) You will need to present a letter of intent during Court, at the event, in addition to this notification. Contact Information: Their Excellencies Alfric and Jill at "alfricandjill@comcast.net", Lord Andrew Stuibhard, A&S Champion at "lyoncoeur@yahoo.co, and HL Giana Visconti, Minister of Arts and Sciences, at "GianaVisconti@comcast.net"

Pot-Luck: (In keeping with the style of the event and the A&S Championship) zakuski is Russian for hors d'oeuvres and the Autocrat, Vostroi, has recipes to assign to those who wish to participate (i.e. eat). In an effort to create an authentic experience the autocrat is requesting only period/event appropriate snack food and he has recipes available. So if you wish to dine at the event and be a part of the potluck, contact the autocrat for your assigned zakuski dish. Please write or call the Autocrat, Vostroi, (Sean Hinckley) to obtain a recipe: vostroi@gmail.com or 503-247-3504 or send a note to him at 5925 N. Gay Ave., Portland, OR 97217 no later than October 20th. IF you care to do your own research you are welcome to bring a period zakuski dish based on a recipe of your own but please notify the Autocrat so he can log your participation. (Those doing their own research will be asked for documentation.) All the pot-luck zakuski dishes will be judged by all the other participants, based on authenticity, presentation, and taste. Baron Master Vostroi will present a prize to the people's choice based on those three criteria. This is a dry site and all suitable beverages are BYOB in period containers only. Please respect the hard work that the cooks contributing to the pot-luck have put forth; if you do not have the time or inclination to participate in the period zakuski pot-luck, be sure to make other dining arrangements for you and your party.

Time and Location: From 3 PM until 10 PM at the Parkrose Masonic Lodge located at 4812 NE 102nd Ave. Portland, OR 97220.

Site fee: \$3.00 per person for members with proof of membership and \$6 for non-members (\$3 non-member surcharge.) Make checks payable to "SCA, Inc. – Barony of Three Mountains." (U.S funds only and no refunds given.)

Business Meeting Minutes: August 20, 2007

ATTENDING:

Lynnarra, Emma von Bern, Roland von Bern, Finna Grimsdotteir, Arianna of Waterford, Maccus of Elgin, Thomas Sinclair, Adele Neuton, Elizabeth Neuton, Rafe Neuton, Jean Jacques Lavigne, Tangwystlevch Maredudd, Fearadach MacDhubhggail, Robert Stallarifanskker, Francesca Volpelli, Amlynn MacTallis

7:04 pm Meeting called to order.

Minutes taken by Amlynn MacTalis

Seneschal:

- A survey will go out this month about the scheduling of events.
- There will be a stained glass class taught by Princess Stephanie at Long and Short.
- Robert will be teaching a New Comers class at L&S this week-end

Chronicler:

- My apologies for the lateness of the last Privy. I had email issues with it.
- No additions or corrections to the minutes.

Exchequer:

- We have 4,834 dollars in the checking account.

Chatelaine:

- Needs to get all the Chatelaine info from Fionna
- All set for Ceilidh for the next year.

Chirurgion:

- Will be at L&S this week-end.

Constabulary: (Fire Watch)

- Not in attendance.
- Will be at L&S this week-end.

Herald:

- Will be at L&S this week-end.
- Maccus turned in packet for his persona
- Needs assistance for Fall Coronet.

Heavy Marshal:

- Fighter practice going well.
- Will be hosting a Mid-Willamette Fighter practice on Sept 5th.

Target Marshal:

- Practice will continue to be 1st and 3rd Wednesdays.
- Would like to see more people shoot.
- Working on getting new backstop stands made.

Arts and Sciences:

- Finna was approved as the new A&S officer.

Gold Key:

- Need poles for the clothing racks.

Web Mistress:

- Adell was approved as the new Web Mistress.

Librarian/Stock Clerk:

- Nothing to report

Scribe:

- Did not have charters so had to cancel scribal last month.

Chamberlain:

- The shed is completed.
- Some new items added to the prize cache

Grete Boke:

- JJ's father would like the wood gone from the shed. Will be taken to L&S and used as a Baronial fundraiser.
- The gate at fighter practice site is in need of repairs. It was moved seconded and approved to repair the gate.
- Tables at practice site need to be stained to preserve them. Moved seconded and approved to take care of this.

List Mistress:

- Mhairi mon myn Cymru, Will be the acting List Mistress.

Dean of Pages:

- Not in attendance.

Old Business:

- **25/15**
 - Seneschal to get with Summits exchequer to get amount of deposit.
- **Long and Short:**
 - Things appear to be on track for the event.
 - Volunteers are still needed for Gate, to assist with list, water bearing and children's championship.
- **Fall Coronet:**
 - Need volunteers for gate.
 - Need archery marshal

New Business:

- **Winters end:**
 - Robert put in a bid for the event.
 - To be at the same grange as last year.
 - Finna offered to run gate
 - Barony to provide meat and the rest of the feast will be pot luck.
- **BarGamels**
 - Mhairi mon myn Cymru, Is putting in bib
 - Looking at using Camp Taloli
 - Has kitchen arranged.

8:43 the meeting was adjourned.