



The Privy

Barony of Terra Pomaria



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January 18th, 2010

Baron and Baroness's Words

Greetings unto the Noble Populace of the Grand Barony of Terra Pomaria

As the New Year begins We look forward to the upcoming year and season with hope and excitement, and reflect upon the past year, our hearts are warmed by the friendships that we have enjoyed throughout the year. 2011 will be a year of change for there soon will be a new Baron and Baroness, but we are confident the Crown's choice will be a great one and the populace, including us, will be filled with joy to serve the new couple. At the time of this missive we have just returned from 12th night to witness the Coronation of our new King and Queen. It was a wonderful event. Huzzah to our neighbor barony to the south, Adiantum, they did a fabulous job. We have much to celebrate as one of our own, Lord Armand DeCastille, won the right to be the Queen's Rapier Champion. It was a great victory.

It was great to see so many of you at the event. To those that were unable to make the journey, we will see you throughout the upcoming event season. We are excited about Winter's End which is a mere two months away. Although we will be stepping down as your Baron and Baroness, please know that we will continue to be active members of this Barony, Principality and Kingdom.

As Winter's End approaches, please consider competing in the A & S Championship, or if the flash of steel is more your taste then possibly the Rapier Championship. Who knows maybe you too can begin as a Terra Pomaria Champion and then someday find yourself at the side of Their Majesties as their Champion. We are so proud of you Armand, well done!

Yours in service to Terra Pomaria,
Sir Ruland & Meisterin Emma von Bern,
Baron and Baroness of Terra Pomaria

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Champions of Terra Pomaria

Heavy Defender: Meister Sigmund Helmschmiede

Archery: Lord William Cristofore of Devonshire

Arts & Sciences: Geoffrey Albryght

Rapier: Sean O'Sirin

Youth Champion: Al Sayyid Aziza bint Rustam

Local Gatherings

Ceilidh: 2nd Monday, October-May, 7pm, Location Salem Heights Community Hall. On the corner of Madrona and Liberty

Business Meeting: 3rd Monday, 7pm, Round Table Pizza at Keizer Station, Contact: Countess Berengaria de Montfort de Carcassonne, OR, OP tpsenschal@gmail.com

Scribal Night: 1st Tuesday of every month from 6pm to 10pm at Dame Juliana's House. 2270 Red Oak Drive S., Salem OR.

Armoring: Contact: Roland (Heath) Sir-Rulandvonbern@hotmail.com (modern attire)

Archery Practice: TBD

Heavy Weapons / Rapier Fencing Fighter Practice : Every Wednesday, 7:00 PM at Clear Lake Elementary in Keizer, OR.

A & S Day: First Sunday of the Month. Contact Alail Horsefriend for details.

Bardic Music Night 1st Tuesday of Every month (Combined with Scribal), Juliana van Aardenburg
julianavana@comcast.net at 503-363-7512. @ 2270 Red Oak Drive S, Salem, OR

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Upcoming Events

January 2011

* January 1st— Hogmany, Shire of Myrtle Holt, Grants Pass, OR

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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* January 7th-9th— An Tir 12th Night, Barony of Adiantum, Eugene, OR

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16	17	18	19	20	21	22

* February 5th— Briarook Birl, Shire of Briarook, Roseburg, OR

23	24	25	26	27	28	29
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* February 5th— Founding Revel, Barony of Stromgard, Vancouver, WA

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February 2011

* February 12th— The Battle of Cour du Valentine's, Shire of Cour du Val, Corvallis, Benton County, OR

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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* February 19th— Feast of St. Brigid, Barony of Three Mountains, Clackamas and Multnomah Counties, OR

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13	14	15	16	17	18	19

* February 26th— Candlemas and A & S Championship, Barony of Dragon's Laire, Kitsap & N Mason Counties, WA

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27	28					

* February 26th— Winter's End, Barony of Terra Pomaria, Marion, Polk & Lincoln Counties, OR

March 2011

* March 11th-13th— Kingdom A&S/Bardic Championship, Barony of Dragon's Laire, Kitsap & N Mason Counties, WA

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12

* March 18th-20th— Summits Spring Coronet, Shire of Glyn Dwfn, Medford, Ashland, & Jackson Counties, OR

13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

Curia

Their Royal Majesties of An Tir

Skeggi Hrafensfuri and Taisiia of MaElring

Their Highnesses of the Summits

Durin Oldenmoor and Ceridwen ferch Morgan

Excellencies of Terra Pomaria

Roland and Emma von Bern

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"...What a family is without a steward, a ship without a pilot, a flock without a shepherd, a body without a head, the same, I think, is a kingdom without the health and safety of a good monarch."

-Queen Elizabeth the First, to her brother King Edward c. 1550

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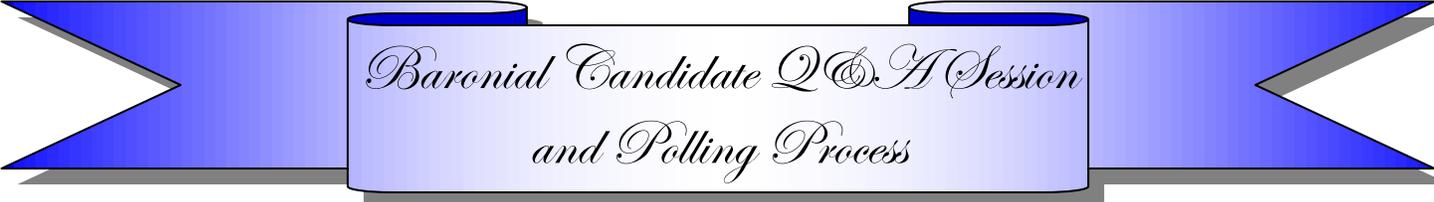
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*Baronial Candidate Q&A Session
and Polling Process*

Miesterin Lindis de Aquisgranno sent these words on January 9th regarding Terra Pomaria's upcoming Baronial Polling:

Greetings unto the populace, officers and Excellencies of Terra Pomaria,

This past weekend I was appointed by the Kingdom Seneschal and the Crown of An Tir to assist with the facilitation of the Baronial Polling. There have been many questions regarding the Baronial Polling Process, It is my hope that these words help to clarify what is going to occur in the coming weeks.

A Baronial Polling is the collection of the opinions of the populace regarding the potential candidates for Baron and Baroness. THIS IS NOT A VOTE. The selection of the new baron and Baroness rests solely with the Crown of An Tir.

Corpora V.A.1. states:

"The Crown shall appoint a territorial Baron and/or Baroness according to the laws and customs of the kingdom when a branch is granted baronial status, or whenever a new Baron and/or Baroness is required. The barony's opinion on the matter must be requested and received in writing, and the appointments must not be substantively opposed by the populace of the barony. Territorial Barons and Baronesses are officers and must maintain appropriate membership status."

The candidates are as follows in order of Precedence:

Berengaria de Montfort of Carcassonne and [Alail Horsefriend](#)
Francesca Maria Volpelli and Lord Michael of Terra Pomaria
Maccus of Elgin and [Arianna of Waterford](#)
Egen Brauer von Starkberg and Mathea Volpella da Perusia

This Monday night at Celidh, Jan 10th @ 7pm, will be an informal meet and greet of the candidates. They will be introduced and the populace will have the opportunity to mingle with the couples.

They will be introduced again at the Baronial business meeting on January 17th. They will be asked at this time to give a brief statement of their vision of the Barony, goals etc.

In an Effort to keep this process fair and transparent I have asked that Mistress Attia Prima of the Barony of Three Mountains assist with the polling. Attia will attend the question and answer session with the candidates and populace. Attia will select and ask the questions provided by the populace. I will attend to assist with the facilitation of the meeting and act as fair witness. I have also invited the Principality Seneschal to attend as fair witness.

The Question and Answer session will occur on January 20th at 7pm at a location to be determined. This will be a structured Q&A, at least one person for each couple must attend.

Questions will be submitted in writing no later than 5pm the day of the meeting. please email the to lindis.de.aqisgranno@gmail.com

Questions will be able to be submitted in writing at the meeting until 6:45 pm.

Polling forms will be mailed to the populace on January 21st 2011. Upon receiving the polling

Q&A Session (cont)

form, the populace is asked to provide their commentary on each candidate and mail the polling form directly to the Crown of An Tir.

Polling forms must be postmarked by Feb 4th 2011.

For officers, champions, sergeants etc, that live outside of the barony's zip code boundary, please contact me with your request for a polling form. All others please feel free to write the crown with your thoughts.

If there are any questions please feel free to contact me directly at Lindis.de.Aquisgranno@gmail.com or 503-409-7639

In service to Society, An Tir and Terra Pomaria
Miesterin Lindis de Aquisgranno, OP

Update sent January 11th:

Greeting Terra Pomaria

The Question and Answer session with the candidates for the Baronial Coronets will occur on Thursday Jan 20th @ 7pm at Great Wall Café 2875 Commercial Street Southeast, Salem, OR No fee for room except to buy food. Unfortunately, all of our preferred venues were already booked.

The Q&A will be moderated by myself and Mis-

stress Attia Prima (with the possibility of a couple of other surprise guests) Please consider attending, having dinner with us and submitting questions to the candidates.

Questions should be submitted in writing to Lindis at the following email address by 5pm on Thursday the 20th. lindis.de.aquisgranno@gmail.com

Questions should be short and concise. They should be questions that any candidate should be able to answer and not directed at one particular individual.

Examples include:

What are your goals if you were to be selected by the Crown of An Tir?

What new events would you like to see?

How would you focus on growth in the Barony?

How much wood would a woodchuck chuck if a woodchuck could chuck wood?

Questions will be gone through by the moderators to insure there are no duplicates and that we all remember that we are friends;)

As always, if you have questions, please do not hesitate to ask.

In service,
Meisterin Lindis de Aquisgranno, OP

P.S. special thanks to Geoffrey for tracking down a meeting space for us!

Arts and Sciences Championship

We will be choosing the Baronial Arts and Sciences Champion at Winters End in 2011. This years challenge is to show that you can truly stand as a Defender of the Arts and Sciences. To compete for Champion;

- * You must have two entries. One is to be a Science entry and the other an Arts entry. You are allowed to "overlap" by writing and/or demonstrating the Science behind the creation of your Arts entry.
- * You are allowed up to three entries, the two highest will be used for your score.
- * Write a letter that you intend to compete to their Excellencies, Baron Ruland and Baroness Emma. (yes, it can be one of your entries but this is not required)

Arts and Sciences Championship (cont.)

Catagories;

Science; mathmatics, geometry, astronomy, al-chemy, explain about the science behind a craft such as metal smithing, guilding on objects, enamel, firing clay...

Fiber Arts any area pertaining to fibers; shearing, spinning, felting dyeing, weaving, including tapes-tries that are woven, embroidered or painted.

Costuming the making of clothing and the many embel-lishments used on clothing.

Performing Arts Show your ability to entertain using poetry,song, or story.

Scribal Arts - Illumination, calligraphy and making pa-per, parchment wax tablets and books or the printers art.

Culinary Arts Making and cooking period foods. This entry may be your potluck contribution if you choose.

Decorative Object Objects for personal adornment and decorative uses.

Useful Object Make a useful object from wood, metal, horn, leather or other materials

Armor and Weapons how they were made or the ways they were used.

Written paper on a subject; tell us about a cul-ture, trade routes, government, religion, education or you may have an idea not listed here.

* If you chose to write a paper it must be no longer than 20 pages, including the bibliography.

The paper must be submitted ON OR BEFORE FE-BUARY 15TH 2011 to allow the judges time to read and evaluate it. You may email it to skmccartney@gmail.com It must be RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE FEB. 15TH

If you have questions about the contest please contact Master Alail Horsefriend at skmccartney@gmail.com

Winter's End



Come one, come all, to shake loose the cold and damp of the winter months and display your projects that you have toiled over these long nights. The Barony of Terra Pomaria invites you to our Winter's End celebration on February 26, 2011.



Come and witness the final court of Sir Ruland and Meisterin Emma, fourth Baron and Baroness of Terra Pomaria, and celebrate the investiture of the next Baron and Baroness of Terra Pomaria. There will be a Grand Feast to warm your chilled bones (with off-board seating available) and classes to revive the parts of your head not already taken with frostbite. A new Arts and Sciences Champion for the Barony will be chosen from those daring enough to try. For those brave enough to defend the barony with their steel, a new Rapier Champion will also be named. Music, games, and dancing will be encouraged to welcome in the festive spring season. Local artisans are encouraged to display their wares for trade. Lastly, not one, not two, but three contests will be available for the masses, with prizes for all. The first, a "T-tunic" contest to help fill the bins of our Gold Key; second an Officer Regalia competition to make our officers more visible to those that need them; and last, but not least, for the best period feast setting. Please join our fair group for a day to be remembered throughout the coming seasons.

Winter's End (cont)

Autocrat: Kenji (Ben Mitchell), P.O. Box 7973,
Salem, OR 97303, 503-798-
2802, KenjiSCA@gmail.com

Fees:

Event: Adults: \$10, Youth (13-17) and Children (5-12): \$5, 4 and under: free, Family cap: \$35 (2 adults and modern immediate family only please and does not include NMS), NMS \$5 per adult.

Feast: \$10 per adult and youth, \$7 for children. Please make checks payable to Terra Pomaria, SCA Inc. Registration: Pre-Registration for the feast is required. The form can be found at: <http://terrapomaria.antir.sca.org/wintersend.php>

Site: Unitarian Universalist Congregation, 5090 Center St. NE, Salem, OR 97317. Site opens at 9 am and closes at 10 pm Directions: Traveling on I-5, take Market Street exit and head East on Market street; Turn right (South) on to Lancaster Dr, turn left (East) on Center street, church will be on the right after crossing Cordon Rd

Business Meeting Notes

Due to the Holiday season, there was no business meeting held in the month of December.

Chronicler's Words

Greetings unto our wondrous Barony of Terra Pomaria!

As the depths of Winter slowly turn to Spring, so too comes a change from one Chronicler to the next in manner ordained. I only pray that I can achieve half the glorious work that has gone on before me.

In the past two years, I much enjoyed and appreciated Lady Fortune's issues. I wanted to try to keep things much the same in how the Privy was set up. But as you can see, something very important is still missing. That's right, there are no pictures, and no articles that are not announcements in this issue.

Please, consider if you could write an article or two. With the new release requirements, I find myself without any articles for a while - but even were that not the case, I would love to showcase some of the wonderful knowledge and skill I know exists in our fair Barony. It need not be long, and could be about anything at all related to the Society.

Please also consider signing a waiver to let me put your picture in here; without those waivers, we can't show many of the pretty pictures that made the Privy so fun. I know most of the group has already been ambushed by the lovely Lady Fortune. If you were missed somehow, please let me know and I'll send you a waiver.

Thank you all, and I look forward to a couple of wonderful and fun filled years together!

Yours in Service,
Alyna Trewpeny