



# The Drivy



Barony of Terra Pomaria

Bar Gemels

March 25, 2016

April 15, 2016 to April 17, 2016

Good gentles, brave warriors, and fairest inspirations! Witness astounding acts of bravery, cheer on your favorite combatants, and revel in displays of skill and determination as we kick off the tournament season with heavy fighter, rapier, and archery tourneys! We will also be celebrating the talent and potential of our Barony's young people through our Youth Championship! We look forward to sharing with you a magnificent weekend of festivities, fun, food, and fighting!

Our first Baronial event as your Baron and Baroness was at Bar Gemels, the premiere event for Our Barony. With the new change in scheduling, we now have the privilege to hold Our final court where it all began for Us. We would be very pleased and honored to have you all come out to Bar Gemels and join Us as we begin to bring our time as your Baron and Baroness to a close.

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## Curia

### Their Royal Majesties of An Tir

Havordh Ættarbani and Mary Grace of Gatland

### Their Highnesses of the Summits

Tryggr Trysson and Temperance Trewelove

### Their Excellencies of Terra Pomaria

Peder Georg Jensen and Ainslee Goldheart

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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*



## Champions

**Heavy Defender:** Iohannes ap Madoc

**Archery:** Johanna Trewpeny

**Arts & Sciences:** Duversa of Movilla

**Rapier:**

**Youth Champion:** Alisdair of Murdoch

## Local Gatherings

**Business Meeting:** 3rd Monday, 7pm, Round Table Pizza at 6055 Ulaili Drive NE in Keizer Station, Contact: Maude at tpseneschal@gmail.com

**Ceilidh:** 2nd Monday, October-May, 7 pm, Salem Heights Hall, 3505 Liberty Rd S, Salem (corner of Madrona & Liberty in south Salem). Contact: Fortune at ladyfortunethomas@gmail.com

**A & S Day:** Marion County: 4th Sunday, 2-5 pm. Lincoln County: 2nd Sunday 3-6. Locations published on lists prior to event. Contact: Radomir at Tpartsci@gmail.com

**Equestrian Practice:** Generally every 4th Saturday 10am-2pm—RSVP required. Contact Tassi at peachypiggies@hotmail.com

**Scribal/Thingmakers:** 3rd Wednesday, 7pm. IKE Box, 229 Cottage ST. NE, Salem. Baronial scribal supplies will be available. Contact at: avandekop@gmail.com

**Archery Practice:** Fridays 6pm. Stonehenge Farms, 9755 Willamette St., Aumsville. Contact: Keziah Murdock at muffymouse8@gmail.com

**Heavy Weapons / Rapier Fencing**

**Fighter Practice:** Every Thursday, 7:00 PM at Clear Lake Elementary in Keizer. Heavy Contact: Weylyn at mattcshultz@gmail.com Rapier Contact: Magdalena at ladymagdalena@yahoo.com

**Bardic Music Night:** To be determined. Contact: Juliana at julianavana@comcast.net 503-363-7512.



## Officers

The Barony is in need of officers in several positions! If you are interested in one of the open positions noted below, please contact the seneschal and the current officer (if there is one).

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<b>TARGET MARSHAL:</b> Keziah Murdock muffymouse8@gmail.com	<i>Term ending June 2016</i>
<b>RAPIER MARSHAL:</b> Magdalena von Freiberg ladymagdalena@yahoo.com	<i>Term ending January 2016 Seeking Contingency Deputy</i>
<b>YOUTH ARMORED COMBAT: OPEN</b>	
<b>CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER:</b> Mindy of Terra Pomaria tpexchequer@gmail.com	<i>Seeking Successor</i>
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## March Business Meeting Minutes

### Terra Pomaria Officers Meeting— March 21, 2016

**Meeting Start:** 7:00 pm

**In Attendance:** Berengaria, William Brannan, Rowan Spiritwalker, Catarine Quhiting, Jacques d'Orange, Clovis, Radomir Kolekúv, Mindy Meeds, Lynneva Jacob, Milda d'Hay, Anne the Red, Weylyn Middleeson, Keziah Murdocke, Ainslee Goldheart, Geyneth Blackthorne, Egen Brauer von Regensburg, Mathea Volpella, Emlyn Fulredy, Melannei Athenaios, Fortune verch Thomas, Morikawa Kenji Katashige, Alyna Trewpeny, Tassi Hestamadr, Kucius von Bamberg, Tola Seamestre

Minutes taken by: Berte le Webere

### Baron and Baroness' Opening

**Words:** glad to see so many at coronet. Events Events ...Volunteer volunteer for those who don't know our heir Weylyn is here. Lin could not be with us.

### Officer Reports

**Seneschal:** Written on my phone on my way to Coronet, so it might be missing some. I'll send an update if I think of anything more or if something interesting happens at Coronet. A lot of brainstorming with

Adiantum to do as a group. They have experience with kingdom events. We have stewards. Principality is in great need for fund raising for the general fund. It really need replenishment. Change of principality seneschal pierce. Need officers - chamberlain, social media, fac, yac, web minister.

- Contracts completed for Investiture, Long and Short, and Archery/Equestrian practices
- Working on revising Bar Gemels contract - get more facilities for same price
- Working on event guide - need to check it with higher-ups before publishing
- Maude no longer contingency deputy, now Gwyneth form going around

- I may be leaving sooner than planned due to forced job change

**Social Media Deputy-VACANT:** new guidelines just came out.

**Family Activities Coordinator-VACANT:** Zeana a potential recruit.

**Exchequer:** Bank balance: \$9250.68 Ledger balance: \$9120.68 At the suggestion of the Principality Exchequer, the financial committee voted to add the

incoming Baron & Baroness, Weylyn and Lin Dis, as signers to the bank account. We are still working on getting the signer card updated with the bank, but hope to have that taken care of soon. The conversation regarding NMS is continuing at both the Kingdom and Corporate levels. Simple explanation: it has been officially announced that we can refer to NMS as a "member discount," and what constitutes an "event" for the purpose of collecting NMS has been broadened and clarified. If you would like further information, I have emails. We are coming into event season and her wedding. If you need checks please plan ahead about two weeks. Last minute checks may not be possible.

**Chamberlain:** I'm about 50% done getting the baronial property forms signed. Up coming event stewards feel free to email or call if you have questions about what we have in the shed.

As exchequer deputy I am coordinating pre reg for Bar Gemels and have collected \$627, \$175 for the kitchen and the rest for site, cabin and RV fees. The cabins are currently 1/3 full. A

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## March Business Meeting cont.

detailed report and the checks will be given to the Mindy at the meeting.

**Librarian:** Nothing new to report with the library itself. I still can't make Monday meetings.

**Heavy Marshall:** No injuries or anything new to report. Practice has been normal with 2-8 fighters showing up weekly. Special thanks to Eugene fighters making it to two practices last month. Short and sweet everything went flawlessly.

**Rapier Marshall:** As March winds down, event season is sneaking up on us. Before you know it, Bar Gemels will be here. Looking forward to a fun event, and bunnies with sharp pointy teeth. Practices have been running smooth, a special thank you to Santinus for becoming my deputy. And also a thank you to Kenji for helping with loaner gear, when I'm not able to make practice. No incidents to report, no issues. Staying strong, with at least 8 fighters, sometimes more. A reminder, if you are interested in helping with marshaling, or fighting at events (including demos), you need to be authorized to do so. I would be happy to help anyone interested. And you don't have to be a fighter, to be a marshal.

### **Lists-VACANT:**

**Target Archery:** Nothing to Report - practices will resume when I have heard that all the paperwork has been finalized on our practice site and I get dates on the calendar. Looking to move practice to Tuesday, chime in if you have a preference.

**Equestrian Marshall:** Not much to

report here. I submitted a request for equestrian insurance for practices for the following dates at Stonehenge, however have asked the insurance person to put the request on hold as we pick a no conflict date. The site owner is in agreement with these dates with the exception of the July date, which I hope to confirm prior to the meeting this evening. The end time may be subjective, based on attendees and the weather! I will submit these dates to the KEO for posting on the An Tir equestrian website after I receive confirmation that the insurance is valid and active. I will also request that these dates be posted on the baronial website as well as an update on the location and other information regarding the practice to reflect what is currently happening.

Additionally, I am requesting permission to use some of the baronial equestrian equipment for Grand Thing. I discovered that an EMIC had not been located for this event and offered my services. The owner of some equipment in Stromgard has recently had surgery and may not be able to haul all of the equipment that is needed to host the revival of equestrian events as well as their championship for Stromgard Equestrian Champion (StromRider) for Grand Thing, as it was canceled last year. I am certain that I can get a document signed for the loan of the equipment as well as promissory to pay for any repairs needed to said equipment if necessary.

**Youth Combat Marshall-VACANT:**  
Thomas Foxglove possible recruit.

**Herald:** This month saw the registration of 5 items in our barony! Congratulations to Jacques and Marguerite d'Orange on their names, to Marcus Valerius Taurus for his arms, and to Radomir Kolekúv for both! Huzzah all around! That's two new flags for my queue. :) Speaking of flags, this month I presented a great one to Egen Brauer von Regensburg, and probably showing off Randall Blackwolf's, since it will most likely need to be given to him at a time other than business meeting.

**Arts & Sciences:** February A&S was small, but wonderful. The amazing Gwyneth taught a class on painting little TP flags. Including her there were 5 people in attendance. 3 participants, 1 instructor, and 1 working on scribal projects. March's A&S was moved up so it didn't conflict with Easter. Two classes were offered, a 14th century button making class, to not only learn how to make buttons, but to also assist making buttons for their excellencies step down garb. The other class was a silk banner painting class. There were a total of 13 in attendance. 5 in the buttons class, 5 in the banner class, and 3 instructors. As a reminder, I am still looking for a permanent deputy. Preference will be given to newer members so they have the opportunity to serve the barony, and learn how to do the job of A&S officer.

**Chronicler:** The meeting minutes were posted to the yahoo group. I have not been able to complete the February Privy yet.

**Grete Boke:** Vacant - we may want to add a duty of keeping up the Wiki.



## March Business Meeting cont.

**Web Minister:** I am updating the web page as I receive information and I am planning to take down the polling information very soon. If you have sent me any updates that I have not responded to, please contact me again as I did not receive it. Lucas possible deputy.

**Chatelaine:** I have been in contact with a family interested in the SCA. They have some questions that I am answering. I will be following up with them on Monday. As I was sick last week, Her Excellency, Ainslee, was gracious and stepped in an ran ceilidh for me. I am gathering things to hopefully set up a "Newcomers" table to hand out brochures and answer questions at Bar Gemels next month. Had one newcomer at Ceilidh.

**Demo:** Scottish Demo- I need 4 volunteers beyond Mhari to run the tables and help Set up. the demo is Saturday April 9th. I also need stuff for the tables.

Yoshikai Demo- In the works for June 9-10 afternoon. In classroom for special needs children. Need to get background check done thru school

Camp Toaloli - They want a single demo on a Friday this Summer. Date is unknown as of yet. They would like a tourney, and demo tables. they will help with any communication barriers.

Camp Toaloli- Next Easter- The Camp does a Community Easter event every Year, and would like us to come out NEXT YEAR and teach kids and family about the Middle Ages at the same Time.

Canterbury: Last two weekends in July. New site. Weekend that is not coronation.

Researching the possibility of Parades.

Possible Demos in Aumsville schools. Likely next fall.

Coastal Demos:

Celtic festival is June 10th 11th and 12th, 2016 in Toledo. The festival stated that we would just need to fill out a completed clan, and society form. They won't charge us for the demonstration, but would like to know what we plan to demonstrate. This is the weekend between Investiture and Long and Short.

The Toledo summer festival is willing to let us set up a 10x20 booth at no cost. The event is held at the end of July, but I haven't been given the actual dates yet, but it's usually the last weekend of the month. This might conflict with Canterbury, but in the past we have done both at the same time successfully. I think we could again.

**Gold Key:** Alynna is stepping up to this office with Fedelia as a deputy.

**Scribe:** As I was sidelined by illness HL Melannei Athenaios held Scribal in my stead AND wrote a report. How lucky am I? I continue to seek interested parties for a Deputy and eventual replacement as I enter the 14th month of my term as Scribe. Now have hand cart to help in hauling scribal supplies. Scribal was attended by 5 people including myself. Erin turned in a charter. Zianna informed me that she had not perfected her child-proofing technique with the previous charter and it was destroyed. She has since perfected her child-proofing technique and requested another charter. Principality charters were handed out to Zianna and Emily.

Alyna finished the blacklining on the final invitation and I worked on note cards. The dolly works wonderfully, especially when you remember there is a ramp.

### Past Events

### Upcoming Events

**Bar Gemels:** Clara - Bar Gemels planning is going well. There are still plenty of areas to volunteer incl. set-up, tear down, kitchen, gate etc. All those in charge of areas at Bar Gemels please make sure to make arrangements for transport of items needed from the shed. Any volunteers with trucks or other transport means would be greatly appreciated. Also we are in need of items for auction and tourney prizes, any items would be greatly appreciated. Please free to contact me with any questions or concerns. Added by Ainslee - premier Bardic Championship run by current bard of the summits. 2 pieces one is period in any performing style. Also, prize competition for those not going for champ. Friday night desert social with prizes. Cut and Thrust tourney, still working out details. Kitchen is looking for volunteers especially coffee. Also, money handlers must have blue card. Looking for person to wrangle dishes. Kitchen volunteers are fed.

**June Investiture:** Fortune - This is what I know as of right now. The site contract has been signed, and I have done a complete walk through of the site. We have emailed the various principality marshals and officers to inquire what if anything they needed from



## March Business Meeting cont.

me. His Excellency Peder will be the Heavy MIC. The Defender Tourney format will be a Bring your Best. I am looking for volunteers to Run Gate (will be complicated), filed Marshal, Setup, Herald and many other tasks. Largesse competition, details coming.

**Long & Short:** William - Contract Signed (as you know ;) Insurance ordered Facebook event created First of the volunteers trickling in, but I am going to do a proper push tomorrow. I will be setting up our first event staff meeting in April. I will confer with Investiture Steward to make it possible to setting the logistics of L&S without reinventing the wheel where ever possible and to coordinate work parties, again to maximize efforts for both events. Looking for a person interested in running a persona competition.

**Martinmas :** Event Steward: Lady Gwyneth Blackthorne, Co-Feast Stewards: Lord Radomir Kolekov and Baroness Ainslee Goldheart. Date of Event: November 5, 2015. Proposed Location: Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Salem, 5090 Center St SE, Salem Oregon 97317. Site usage hours: 7:00pm - 9:00pm Friday November 4th (set up Sanctuary and Entrance), 7:00am - 11:00pm Saturday November 5th. Site provides: Exclusive use of Kitchen, Fellowship Hall, Sanctuary, Foyer, Classrooms, Common Room, and Library. Use of all tables and chairs, dumpster, and restroom facilities. Proposed Use of Site: Sanctuary for Court and Silent Auction Displays. Fellowship Hall for Rapier Tournaments, Game

Tournament, Shakespearean Insult Contest, Dayboard, and Feast. Foyer for Gate, Canned Food Drive, Scribal Design Display, and Children's Quest Checkpoint. Classrooms for Royal Ready Room and Classes. Library for Gate Count and Scribal Office. Proposed Event Times: 9am-7pm . Activities to happen at event: Rapier Championship, Rapier Prize Tourney, A&S Championship, Scribal Design Contest, Shakespearean Insult Contest, Dirty Dozen Donation Derby, Canned food drive to benefit Marion-Polk Food Share, Children's Quest, and possible silent auction to benefit the Baronial Regalia Fund. Food for day: Afternoon Dayboard by Donation. Soups and Sides (bread, cheese, veg, etc) for \$3-4 per person. All funds raised by the dayboard to be donated to the Baronial Regalia Fund. Early Evening Feast Fees: • 12 and older \$10, • 6-12yrs \$5, • 0-5yrs Free with paying adult. Proposed Site Fees: • Adult (18 and over) \$12, • Child (17 and under) \$0. Merchanting: Not Allowed due to space constraints. The feast budget includes a buffer. The feast will be largely pre-reg, with a small reserve of feast tickets available for purchase at gate.

We want to run an allergy friendly feast because we do have so many folks in the barony with food allergies.

Refundable deposit of \$500 required for use of site, along with \$600 fee for using the site. A steep discount due to booking the site through Juliana Van Aardenberg, a member of the congregation. Site \$600

Refundable Deposit \$500, Feast \$700, Printing (site flier and gate sheets) \$50, Site Tokens \$50, Prizes \$50, Insurance Certificate \$50, Incidentals (décor must be hung with Command hooks or similar items) \$50, Total Expenses \$2050. Break Even Point: 65 Adults Gate @ \$12 = \$780, 77 Adults Feast @ \$10 = \$770, Returned Deposit @\$500, Total \$2050

### Old Business

Polling – wrapped up fairly well 70 responses out of 107 eligible. Weylyn and Lin Dis will step up at Egils

Coronets – not paid off yet. General fund loaned \$740. Need fundraisers to pay off. BG planning a live auction. See FB for teaser pictures.

Garage Sale – Fortune's House - May 6-7 is generally acceptable date. Needs conflict checking.

Kingdom Level events – will post event bid guidelines. Think of coordinating with Adiantum. Looking at 2017 or 2018 events. Lin Dis encouraging Kingdom feast for 2018. Clovis is potentially helping with 2017. If you are interested in accompanying him to check it out please do. Kingdom Feast is not a money makers for the branch. It is a stand alone event with its own finances.

External fund raising – restaurant fliers. Game of skill in conjunction with demo.

Coffee booth at war. commitments - No takers at meeting. Will send out feelers but need a written proposal by next business meeting. Pavers at shed – Kenji – no progress



## March Business Meeting cont.

Liason to coast – no discussion tabled until next month.

### New Business

Crown May 20-22 – have set aside baronial camping space. If you want to camp with group, need space requirements by April 10th

New bus mtg site – posted requirements to FB. Need occupancy of 50 or more. Open to all ages. Small fee is possible but subject to approval. Rowan – rocking rogers at Eola Inn. If you have ideas send to Mathea.

Joint Event with Adiantum – They are interested in getting demo experience and turning Prelude into a war demo open to public. That could be grown into a June Faire type demo. Joint site in Linn county along I-5 corridor. Summits admin retreat – they have a lead on site with cabins. SOK like event but for Rapier and Cut and Thrust. A pentathlon A&S event – novice, group, persona, feed back but no pressure.

Direction signs – SCA.org instead of just SCA to bring in leads.

Discussion had with ideas.

There is a hall in Sheridan (tech ME) that needs repairs and they will rent at discount in exchange for our labor. It would be good for a classes event.

Tourney circuit – Bar Gemels is on the circuit. Sir Rifkin's fighters are coming. Fighters should come to test their skills against them.

**Meeting ended: 9:01**