



The Privy

AS XLI Barony Of Terra Pomaria October 2007

Baron and Baroness:

Greetings unto the populace of the Grand Barony of Terra Pomaria,

As the dust of the war field settles, and the tourney field grows silent, the bright explosion of the turning autumn leaves herald the coming winter. Terra Pomaria brings in the crops and the harvest that will sustain us throughout the cold winter. The Baron and Baroness commend the populace of Terra Pomaria for an outstanding tournament season.

We thank all of you for the courtesy and hospitality that you have extended to all of the visitors to our lands. You have represented the barony well to Crown, Coronet, and various visiting Baronets. All that have visited have commented to us how they have enjoyed themselves here.

As the days grow shorter and the nights grow longer and colder we find that it will be necessary to draw closer to each other and share the warmth of our hearth fires. We have many opportunities this fall and winter to come together to share glorious stories of our travels and adventures this tourney season past. We have much time to work on our projects in preparation for the next tourney season.

We have our first Ceilidh of the season on October 8, 2007. This is a time of fellowship and activities to help bind our community together and to welcome newcomers. This brings to mind a concern that we have as your Baron and Baroness. The populace of our barony has always fluctuated between large and small numbers of members and participants. However, we are in a time where the numbers of active participants have dwindled to a solid but rather small core, many of the officers have held several of the offices necessary to maintain the barony, and some have held several of the offices multiple times. This is why we are calling upon the entire populace to help grow our barony. The fall season has begun and it is the time of harvest, let's harvest the fields and bring in new people that we can show what the SCA has to offer. The fun and

excitement of the dream we all share. So to encourage this we will be offering a prize at each Ceilidh to the person that brings a new comer, and then the person that brings the most new comers between the first and last Ceilidh will be awarded a prize befitting this noble task.

Also, we have decided to reinstate an Open castle, to take place at our home once a month. The first will be October 25th at 7:00-9:00pm. This will be an informal time where the populace can come to socialize, work on projects, discuss with the baron and baroness and others ideas and concerns regarding the barony, and just enjoy each other's company. We will potluck each evening, so you would bring something to share and a drink of your choice. It will also be a good place for newcomers to learn what the SCA is and what opportunities there are for them to become involved.

We would like to encourage people to begin thinking about the possibility of putting together a large-scale public demo in the Salem area in the early spring. What we envision is that the planning for this will take place throughout the winter and that we will develop not a single autocrat but a demo team with a supervising autocrat to be the lead point of contact and head cat wrangler. Our vision is that the demo team will be a joint effort between the surrounding branches reaching as far north as Stromgard and south to Glynn Dwyfn. Imagine the impact that this would have on the SCA in the local area to show the Kingdom's best and brightest in a forum that will attract a large number of people. Let's show the pageantry and spectacle that will draw new members to the SCA.

Yours in service,

Sir Roland & Her Excellency Emma von Bern Baron and Baroness of Terra Pomaria



Seneschal:

Greetings unto Their Excellencies and the Populace of Terra Pomaria!

I would like to thank all of those who helped with Long and Short and with Summits Fall Coronet. Both events were a great success and could not have been done without the support from the populace. Thank you.

This has been a busy but wonderful summer. We have seen a lot of changes in the Kingdom and Principality. One such change has been the dissolution of the Office of Constabulary. The official announcement was made at Curia at September Crown. Her Excellency Vis. Nadezhda is currently writing guidelines for a new office that will take the place of the constabulary. It will most likely be along the lines of fire watch. This is expected to be completed by crown council with January being the implementation date. As further details are announced I will let you know. In the mean time, I would like to thank HL Arkil for his years of service and all others for their support of the office.

I have created a couple of new forms for the officers of Terra Pomaria. There is an Officer Report form and an Autocrat report form. These forms are required to be filled out and submitted as part of your office. I have completed officer job descriptions and expectations which will be read at the next business meeting and handed out. If you do not receive these please let me know. Both forms are designed to assist the officers in not only knowing what kind of things to report, but will assist each officer in writing their quarterly report. Thank you in advance for completing and turning in your forms each month.

The winter will hold many things for us as a barony. Celidh will begin again in October, look for many classes in the coming months, scribal night will continue and I plan to have a project night a few times throughout the winter. There are also many feasts and revels that occur throughout the winter. Please support our brothers and sisters in the Summits by attending these events. I want to thank everyone who has served the barony over this tourney season and I encourage you to continue to serve and play throughout the winter.

In Service to Terra Pomaria Meisterin 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 606 Church St SE, Salem.

Contact: HL Robert (Robert Frazier): robertblacksmith@yahoo.com

Wearing garb is requested, Gold Key is available

Business Meeting:

3rd Monday, 7pm, Denny's at Mill Creek Inn, 3155 Ryan Dr SE, Salem, OR 503-585-8424 (modern attire) Contact: Meisterin Lynnarra at <u>Lynnarra@hotmail.com</u>

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) <u>healaws@cs.com</u> (modern attire)

Archery Practice:

Depends on the weather.

1st & 3rd Wednesdays at Keizer location,

Contact Jean-Jacques (Brian), <u>jeanjacques_lavigne@comcast.net</u> (modern attire)

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

TP Fighter Practice:

Wednesdays at Keizer location Contact Baron Sir Roland (Heath Lawson) <u>Healaws@CS.com</u>

Rapier Practice: Not being held at this time For information please contact the Heavy Marshal



Local Events: October

	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 & Currey 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 L Raiments: Fiber Arts L 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 L 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	
December			
01	Yule	Barony of Dragon's Laire Kitsap & N Mason Counties, WA	
01	Yule Feast	Barony of Glymm Mere Olympia, Tumwater & Lacey, WA	
01-02	Yule Feast	Barony of Wastekeep Tri-Cities, WA	
08	Good Yule	Barony of Aquaterra	
08	₩ Winter Investiture	Snohomish County, WA Barony of Adiantum Eugene, OR	
08	Yule	Canton of Kaldor Columbia County, OR	
15	Madrone Yule	Barony of Madrone King County, WA	
15	Stromgard Yule Feast	Barony of Stromgard Vancouver, WA	
15	Yule Feast	Barony of Vulcanfeldt Yakima - Yakima County, WA	

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 email 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 "alfricandjill@comcast.net", Lord Andrew Stiubhard, A&S Champion at "Ivoncoeur@vahoo.co, and HL Giana Visconti, Minister of Arts and Sciences, "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 potluck, 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.)

A.Business Meeting Minutes: September 17th 2007

ATTENDING:

Lynnarra, Emma von Bern, Roland von Bern, Finna Grimsdotteir, Arianna of Waterford, Maccus of Elgin, Fionna MacTalis, Thomas Sinclair, Adele Neuton, Elizabeth Neuton, Rafe Neuton, Julianna Van Aardenburg, © Jean-Jacques Lavigne, Tangwystlevch Maredudd, Fearadach MacDhubhggaill, Robert Stallarifannskker, Amlynn MacTalis, Duncan, Susan Watson

6:59 pm Meeting called to order.

Minutes taken by Amlynn MacTalis

Seneschal:

• Borders have been expanded to include Lincoln County

Chronicler:

• Minutes approved, no additions or corrections.

Exchequer:

• Balance in checking account is \$7234.90

Chatelaine:

- Need to attract new people
- Suggested regional demo, would need to be where it was seen from the street. Much discussion followed,
 - o A committee will be formed to look into
- Looking at Chemeketa for possible use and a place to drawn people from.
- Ceilidh begins on October 8th at 7pm at Pringle Plaza.
 - o Remember to bring a snack item to share with others.
 - o A New comer's class will be held prior to Ceilidh at 6pm.
 - o Will be offering a variety of classes.
 - Contact Robert for additional info.

Chirurgeon:

• Kit is still well stocked.

Constabulary:

- Office has been disbanded
- They are working on a new office that would be similar. Info to come.

Herald:

Since my stepping up as Hazel Leaf Pursuivant, I have worked with at least six clients on their proposed devices. I Heralded the baronial 25/15 anniversary event, the following awards were given.

Barons favor...Gawin of Kevelioc,

Baroness' favor...Maianna ferch orla,Francesca maria lavolppelli.

Silver apple...Juliana van Aardenburg, Niansi Blairmore.

Silver Otter...Ariah Arriannasdottir.

I also Heralded our Long & short event. His Majesty was Heralded by Maeve Cunningham from Mountains edge. Their Alpine Highness' were heralded by Ulf Jarlbitter of Dragons mist, while I heralded their Excellencys Terra Pomaria, and did most all town cry. Much fun was had by me.

The following is a complete list of awards given at Long & Short.

Royal Court

Maccus the Wanderer- Goute

Jillian- AOA

Autocrats - 3 cheers

Newcomers Welcomed & Given a coin from His Royal Majesty

Authin the Skullkeeper - AOA

Alpine Court

Alainne de Lacy - Summits Grail, A&S

Habine a Gute Thyme - AOA

Brian of Ledbury - Summits Grail, Marshal

True - AOA

Temperence - AOA

Tjorkill Kanne - Summits Grail - Marshal

Mhairi mon myn Cymru and Sigismund Helmschmide - Summits Grail, Friends

Lucius Matriani - AOA

Lydia the Blonde - AOA

Cesare the Merchant - Summits Grail, Marshal

Tekla - AOA

Nedezhda Volynsaiia- Summits Grail, Marshal

Duncan Ross the Black - Summits Grail, Marshal

Adora Maria Corasena (?)- AOA

Autocrats - Thank you

Announced past awards

Prince & Princess Gave gifts to His Majesty & Their Excellencies

Mistress Sava (Fujimo) said thanks and gift to children's Archery

Marshal

(Nemo)

Terra Pomaria Court

Youth Competitions:

A&S - Kayleigh Ledbury

Bardic - Tiara

Heraldry - Jacob Magnus

Archery - Jacob Magnus

Youth Armored Combat - Maximillian von Bern

Games - Jacob Magnus

Overall Champion - Jacob Magnus

Gifts and thank you's were given by the autocrats

Brian of Ledbury - Outgoing Champion

Acacia Gryffyn- Elspeth's Iris

Duncan Ross the Black - Invested as New Baronial Heavy Defender

Sigismund Helmschmide - Chivalry Prize

Nemo Magnus - Outgoing Champion

Morganna of Greenriver - Elspeth's Iris

Gawin of Kevelioc- Invested as New Baronial Archery Champion

Elspeth of Wyre Forest gave gifts to Their Excellencies and spoke about

Summits Ecoes Subscribtions

Tuirn Brec - Silver Apple

Johannes Von Longandtall - winner Speed tournement

Bjorki - Baron's Favor

Chris - Baron's Favor

Duncan Ross the Black - Baron's Favor

Mhairi mon myn Cymru - Baroness' Favor

Brynhildr - Baroness' Favor

Arianna of Waterford- Baroness' Favor

Robert Stlarifannskker - Pearl

Bridget of Gursey - Silver Apple

Lynnarra Correll - Silver Apple

Jacob Magnus-Silver Otter

Rosalea of Greenriver- Silver Otter.

I hope this fills the bill. Please accept my apologies

Thomas, Hazel Leaf.

Heavy Marshal:

• Fighter practice is being changed to Clear Lake School

Target Marshal:

- New backstop was completed.
- Looking at changing days for practice.

Arts and Sciences:

• Finna applied for position and she was voted into office

Minister of List:

• JJ applied for position and was voted into office

Gold Key:

- New racks work great.
- Need smaller sizes for men and women.

Web Mistress:

• Will be making changes to web page

Librarian/Stock Clerk:

- Not in attendance report given by Seneschal
- Deputy is needed.
- Is working to condense library.
- Is working on officer books.

Scribe:

Open

Chamberlain:

- Shed is stuffed
- Will be doing new inventory.
- Autocrats please fill out check out form and contact me to get items from the shed.

Grete Boke:

• Computer crashed and lost much info. Is working to retrieve.

Dean of Pages:

• Nothing t report

Water Bearer:

• Office Open

Old Business:

- Long and Short:
 - o Made approx \$300, more detailed report to follow
- 25/15 year Revel
 - Appears to have lost approx 5 dollars.
- September Coronet
 - o 393 people attended
 - o \$106 made from yard sale
 - o 489 griffins sold
 - o Approx \$2000 profit to be split
- Winters End:

- o Will be held at Oak Grove Grange, (Same as last year)
- o Barony to provide Meat (Turkey)
- o Potluck
- o Sutelty dessert contest

New Business:

- Bargamels Open for Bids
 - o Maccus and Arianna will be submitting a bid.
- Large Green Shade
 - o To be donated to Timberhaven if they want it.

8:36 the meeting was adjourned.