



# The Privy



Barony of Terra Pomaria

## Words from Their Excellencies

September 27, 2015

Greetings.

We hope everyone is having a wonderful tournament season. As summer begins to wind down we are reminded that Autumn will be here sooner than we realize.

We wish to remind the populace that we are seeking successors to our positions. If you are interested in these honors, you should submit your letters of intent and resumes to Their Majesties, the Kingdom Seneschal and our Baronial Seneschal.

If anyone has questions, or would just like to chat about what the job entails, we are happy to make ourselves available.

In humble service to all,

Baron Peder and Baroness Ainslee

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## Curia

### Their Royal Majesties of An Tir

Havordh Ættarbani and Mary Grace of Gatland

### Their Highnesses of the Summits

Tryggr Tyrsson 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:** Berengaria de Montfort de Carcassonne

**Rapier:** Tessina Felice Gianfiglianza

**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).

<b>SENESCHAL:</b> Lady Maude Oswald tpseneschal@gmail.com	<i>Term Ending November 2016</i>
<b>HEAVY MARSHAL:</b> Weylyn Middleson mattcshultz@gmail.com	<i>Term Ending January 2015</i>
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<b>EQUESTRIAN MARSHAL:</b> HL Tassi peachypiggies@hotmail.com	<b>Seeking Successor</b> <b>Seeking Contingency Deputy</b>
<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</i> <b>Seeking Contingency Deputy</b>
<b>YOUTH ARMORED COMBAT:</b> <b>OPEN</b>	
<b>CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER:</b> Mindy of Terra Pomaria tpexchequer@gmail.com	<b>Seeking Successor</b>
<b>CHAMBERLAIN:</b> Countess Berengaria de Montfort de Carcassonne JCStapleton@gmail.com	<i>Term ending January 2015</i>
<b>LIBRARIAN:</b> Amira de Lupo bakawriter@gmail.com	<i>Term Ending January 2016</i>
<b>HERALD:</b> Emelyn Fulredy tpbaronialherald@gmail.com	<i>Term Ending December 2015</i> <b>Contingency Deputy Needed</b>
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<b>GRETE BOKE:</b> Somatra Devi somatradevi@yahoo.com	<i>Term Ending February 2015</i>
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<b>CHATELAINE:</b>	<i>Term Ending April 2017</i>
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<b>FAMILY ACTIVITIES COORDINATOR:</b> <b>OPEN</b>	



# Calendar

## July

- 1st-5th—An Tir / West War, Kingdom of An Tir
- 24th-2th—Game of Thrones and Stormgods, Barony of Stromgard Vancouver, WA
- 31st-2nd—Briaroak Bash, Shire of Briaroak Roseburg, OR

## August

- 1st-5th—An Tir / West War, Kingdom of An Tir
- 24th-2th—Game of Thrones and Stormgods, Barony of Stromgard Vancouver, WA

## September

- 1st-5th—An Tir / West War, Kingdom of An Tir
- 24th-2th—Game of Thrones and Stormgods, Barony of Stromgard Vancouver, WA

## July 2015

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## August 2015

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## Sept 2015

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## September Business Meeting Minutes

### Terra Pomaria Officers Meeting—September 21, 2015

Meeting Start: 7:00 pm

**In Attendance:** Gwyneth Blackthorne, Catarine Quhiting, Melannei Athenaios, Duveesa of Movilla, Ulf the Wanderer, Kenji, Keziah Murdock, Nicola, Milda d'Hay, Lynneva Jacob, Michael Evers, Fortune verch Thomas, Deirdreni Phadiaog, Tassi hestamadr, Berengaria de Monfort de Carcassonne, Angharad Bach, Alysander Weldon, Alail Horsefriend, Magdalena von Freiberg, Alyna Trewpenny, Mindt Meeds, Rowan Spiritwalker, Acacia Gryffyn, Anna von Engelberg, William Brannan, Josh Tishmack, Radomir Kolekov, Weelyn Middleson, Fatemah bint Umarz, Emelyn Fulredy, Peder Jensen, Ainslee Goldheart, Clara, Maude Oswald, Marcus Valeria

Minutes taken by: Berte le Webbere

### Baron and Baroness'

**Opening Words:** We came back from marvelous coronet tournament. Could not be

happier with Weylyn's performance. Losing to Turk the only viable option. Won the shield of chivalry. Reports have been less than 100%, Principality really wants it to be at that level. We need to work on it. Also, quarterly reports. Thanks for coming. Amazing turn out tonight.

### Officer Reports

**Seneschal:** The branch is going to be very busy next year as to events. Please look at doing bids. Bar Gemels closes next month so get them in. Remember the Financial committee needs to review them first, so get in week prior to the meeting. Please volunteer to help out stewards.

**Social Media Deputy-VACANT:**

**Family Activities Coordinator-VACANT:**

**Exchequer:** Balances for bank account and check register are \$7,888.77

Finance committee decisions that were made in the last month:

**Chamberlain:** Right now, the shed door is not working properly; it's been in need of planing and rehangng for some time now, and with the last efforts to get it shut and locked up, it \*really\* needs it. Sir Alail & I are going to make an effort to get that done this week. Also, I'm going out to look at rice cookers - due to some medical issues, that didn't happen last week, but again, hoping to get out this week to get three price comparison points. If you happen to know of a current \*sale\* on rice cookers - not just "I think they have some, I seem to remember they're a good deal" - please drop me a private note via email or text about it (i.e., please make sure I get it \*in writing\*, as I probably won't retain a passing mention). The one we're looking for is a very large, robust kind that ideally will also steam vegetables or some of the other features that started to get added into heavy duty rice cookers. As the winter (thankfully) approaches, once November is past I hope to be able to tackle some of the

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projects I have outlined for myself around the office.

**Librarian:** Nothing new to report with the library itself. It's still in boxes, but it is now in Salem and I'm getting it set up slowly at the new house. As before, I just can't make it to meetings on Mondays anymore. Current changes in my life have taken over Monday evenings. I'd like to talk with the current seneschal about this if she could contact me? My email's on here.

**Heavy Marshall:** Heavy practice has been a huge success over the last month! No injuries to report and attendance has been up! Each week we have had between 3-6 fighters in armor and many bystanders watching on the side. Currently we have 3 new fighters that have been in armor for the first time this last month using a combination of TP loaner armour and my personal loaner armour. Sir Seth, who was announced as new to our barony last month has been a regular attendee every week. It's great having a new knight in the barony be so dedicated to practices! Currently his fighter card is expired but i hope within two weeks we can submit the paperwork to have him current again. We are almost into the off season for fighting. I've talked with several fighters in the area, it is most of our wishes to do some practice swapping. Talked have us going

to Eugene, Portland, or Vancouver some days to bring attendance on Mid Willamette practice up. If anyone has any request for practices or want to add your name in the hat for carpooling please let me know. Normally in the fall I will host one or two armoring nights in my shop. I don't have a date set up for the next one but please keep an eye out on the facebook page as that will be the first place i post. Of course everyone is welcome, if you have current projects you need done please let me know ahead of time so i can create patterns or get materials to help you along. That is it for this months practice report, thank you everyone for your service!!

**Rapier Marshall:** Practices have been a little lighter the last few weeks, averaging 5 to 6 people. We did have 2 fighters from other kingdoms join us 2 weeks ago. One from Northshield and one from Outlands. and we also have a new person interested in starting. A few people went up to Stromgard to start encouraging the rapier community up there. We had a Demo Friday, 9/18. It was fun, and the people were very excited to receive us. This Thursday, Super Practice is visiting. Many people are going to try to make it. Martinmas is getting closer, Besides the Championship there will be a prize Rose tournament as well.

No injuries or incidents to report. Don Victor de Guerse in on vigil to be admitted to the Order of Masters of Defense. And I am still looking for a deputy.

### **Lists-VACANT:**

**Target Archery:** Archery continues to be held on most Fridays from 6-ish until people are done shooting (usually around 8 or 8:30). I am happy to stay later for anyone who is unable to arrive until later. We have between 3 and 7 shooters per practice. I apologize for the late cancellation this last week. I need more marshals! Let me know if you are wanting to learn how to marshal archery or thrown weapons and we will set up a class. This is a great way to be involved with missile weapons even if you are unable to participate physically. For those who would like to come and watch we are a fun group to hang out with come join us for socialization purposes. Discussion about thrown weapons: need for targets, what is required.

**Equestrian Marshall:** Not much to report for this last month. No practice held in September due to the busy eventing season. Insurance request for the Stonehenge practice site has been canceled due some administrative changes on what the request requires. I will submit a request for this practice site for the year of 2016. Official practices can be



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held at the Hernandez Ranch if needed or requested, but to date, I have not gotten any requests. As always, anyone interested in equestrian should contact me.

### Youth Combat Marshall-VACANT:

**Herald:** REGISTRATION NEWS: It was a huge LOAR for us this month! Congratulations Randall Blackwolf on the registration of both name and device, and to Ethan Ulfson, Melannei Athenois, and Santinus Contarini for their devices! That's a lot of flags, and I'm excited. :D We also had two returns this month: Ethan's name, and Ulf Wanderer's badge, both for conflict with existing items. FLAG NEWS: I've completed a flag for Lady Cassandra Mikael Deveroux, who won our auction at Bar Gemels this year. It's still in my possession, but our current plan is for their to be a handoff at Martinmas. I'll report when that happens. I also still have Lord Eirikr's flag, as shown off last month; he'll get it as soon as I see him next. :) I'm still planning to make one for Viscountess Diana de Winterton in thanks for her matching of Lady Cassandra's donation, but that's waiting for her arms to be formally submitted and registered. So for this month, the flag and congrats go to our lovely Lady Catarine Quhiting, which catches me up in the queue to our brand new LOAR.

Hooray! EDUCATION NEWS: I hope at least a few people are planning to come to Kingdom Heraldic and Scribal Symposium next month! I'm going to be co-teaching a class with Rhieinwylydd Lion's Blood, which will be my first experience with teaching in the SCA. Come along and see how I do! :) Speaking of teaching, I'm very interested in helping other people who want to learn about book heraldry, and I think I've finally figured out a good way. With Lady Gwyneth's permission, I'd love to host a consultation table at Martinmas, and anyone who's interested in learning is welcome to come hang out at the table with me. I'll bring every book and teaching resource we've got, and whenever there's downtime, we can be looking through materials and learning about heraldry in a casual, self-paced way. Should be a lot of fun. OTHER NEWS: While going through my boxes this week, I found a check made out to Ji'lid, the previous holder of my office, back in 2013. I'll bring that to the meeting and hand it off to either the exchequer or Lady Fortune (Ji'lid's wife), whichever is appropriate. I'm also going to bring the two huge binders full of long-outdated Ordinary and Armorial entries. Back at the beginning of my tenure, it was discussed that these have been confirmed 100% useless by my superiors,

even for record-keeping. My plan is to donate them to Young at Art as an art supply, but I've given up on making it there myself, so I hope to find someone who can make the run for me. :)

**Arts & Sciences:** This month has been a busy one for A&S. The August A&S night was a basics of hand sewing class taught by Mathea Volpella da Perusia and was well attended with 13 total, 2 smalls and 2 adults who were not participating in the class, and 9 participants. There was a hand pie making party on the 13th of September to prepare the appetizer for the Martinmas feast in advance. There were a total of 12 people in attendance, two were smalls and didn't participate. A total of 232 hand pies were made and there is enough left over filling to make close to that many more. There are talks of having a second pie making party day to increase the food available at the feast. On September 15th there was a get together to make bags for Martinmas. There were 6 in attendance and progress was made to ensure their completion well before Martinmas. Starting this month A&S will be moving back to Sunday afternoons. On the 27th there will be a weaving class taught by her Excellency Ainslee and it will be at her home due to my moving this month.

**Chronicler:** behind schedule



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and working on getting caught up this week. Thanks for everyone's help in locating the missing attendance sheets. They are now in my possession.

**Grete Boke:** No report

**Web Minister:** We have a working populace page! I have reworked the page so it is no longer automatically adding information to a database and the retrieving it to make the populace list on the page (this was the area with the error that wouldn't agree to being fixed). Now it will sent the web minister and email and the page will be updated manually. So feel free to add your information but be aware it will take a little bit of time for me to get the information on the site. The Web Minister also has a new email address to help when it is time to pass this office to someone else. Keep sending me updates and corrections. If you do not hear a response from me within a few days contact me again as something may have gone wrong (i.e. spam filter upgraded).

**Chatelaine:** 1-The Newcomer's bags are coming along nicely. We have had 2 work nights, 1st at Vicountess Acacia's home and the 2nd at Baroness Ainslee's home. We have 6 bags under construction, 5 linen and 1 wool, and they are almost complete. I will be picking up the supplies to fill them in the next month or so ( I have a few items d/t a \$10 donation from

Julianna- 5 bottles of hand sanitizer and 3 small notepads). Fortune is working on mini scrolls to put in each bag as a keepsake. 2- Ceildh will begin next month on the 12th. It will be a potluck, and social to unwind from tourney season. Garb is encouraged In keeping in mind with TAH's mission to introduce and KEEP newcomers interest, I'm asking everyone to bring a friend, if possible, either new to the Society, or someone who has been away for a time. This is going to be a running "theme" throughout feast season, as it's more difficult to showcase during these months. I am settling into the responsibilities of the office, but, if there is something that I should be doing, but am not-please feel free to talk to me about it. My thanks for your confidence to perform the duties of this office.

**DEMO Deputy:** Scots Mills Demo nothing scheduled currently. Rec'd \$40 donation to regalia fund.

**Gold Key:** Apologies for my continued absence, things are very rough for me still. I have nothing to report currently but will have Gold Key ready and available for Martinmas.

**Scribe-:** Scribal night in August was a Charter design class taught by Lady Fortune verch Thomas and hosted by my deputy, Lady Arwyn Haig. It was attended by 8 gentles and

well received. Scribal night in September was held on Wednesday the 16th of this month and was attended by 6 gentles, and lively discussion of charter design, gouache technique, heraldry, Sergrentry, and the history / customs of the realm occurred. A thoroughly enjoyable experience. Between August and September, this Scribe has handed out (and returned) 17 charters to the Principality and 20 to the Kingdom. These numbers do not include charters handled privately by our scribes. I am very proud our artisans. Huzzah!

### Past Events

### Upcoming Events

**Martinmas, November 21, 2015:** Mistress Emma von Bern has agreed to be Gate Steward. Baroness Ainslee and I have been working on invitations to send out to the noble cousins. As soon as wording is finalized I will be handing them out to scribal volunteers for painting. I have compiled the site/feast fee exemptions list and will submit it to finance committee after the Summits Coronet tourney so that I can include the names of the Alpine heirs. Lord Radomir has begun feast preparations including a hand pie party attended by 9 members of the populace other than Lord Radomir and myself. Over 200 hand pies were created and



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packaged for freezing ahead of the event. There will be a second party to make more hand pies in the near future, details will be posted. Visit to the storage unit was completed to view available items. An arrow was missing from one of the SCA direction signs so I brought it home with me. Replacement arrow and hardware have been created/acquired and assembled. We are now opening up the field for donations from the Populace for the dayboard. As of this moment we have offers of three soups, bread wrapped meat, and some rolls. Other donations are gladly accepted. Lady Fortune verch Thomas stepped forward and offered to take charge of the Charter Design contest (for which I am resoundingly grateful) and together we are starting to gather prizes for the contests at the event. I have a tentative schedule for the event that I will present to their Excellencies at their convenience. Flyers for the event have been created and are being posted at local events in the area. I currently don't have access to the Kingdom calendar page for Martinmas and I am working towards a solution for this. I would also like to take a moment to thank everyone who has offered their suggestions, time, and support. I would be lost without the help of my fellow Terra Pomarians.

Thank you, thank you so much for your continued support. Silent auction for regalia fund Milda is organizing.

### Old Business

Polling is in holding pattern waiting on crown(s) for approval.

### New Business

Bar Gemels: bids due next month. Get them in.

Long & Short of It open thru Nov.

Principality events: to clarify the confusion re bidding process. They have a process. Must be sponsored by a branch. Get it to branch to go thru Financial committee before presenting. Bardic / A&S and Outrider due by end of October. Admin Retreat if you would like to help, step up. Long & Short has approved to be moved to third weekend of June.

Investiture date has been moved to first weekend in June.

**EVENT BID:** Presented by Marcus Valelria - Bardic A&S championship 12 thru 13 in February. Break even of 75 people including feast with price at \$15. no charge for kids.

Looking into options for housing. Mar 1st is Kingdom so you can get feedback. Yachts commons – Old School building. South of Waldport. Looking to have classes. Single meal feast

focus on local foods – seafood and other options. Considering dayboard for Sat lunch. Consensus of barony carries it as yes.

**Closing remarks:** Need to volunteer generously for upcoming events. If you have done two events please step up as supervising steward to help out newcomers. Ainslee is creating a list of supervising stewards, so get on it.

**Meeting ended: 8:17**