



# The Privy



## Barony of Terra Pomaria

### Words from The Baron and Baroness

Greetings unto the populace and officers of Terra Pomaria,

The changing colors of the leaves bring a beauty to these lands only rivaled by the generosity and spirit of all those who reside in its borders. This generosity will be displayed once again in a short two weeks, at Martinmas. We have no doubt all will support the local community by contributing to the Food Drive and our own community by supporting the Youth and Family Activities Program Silent Auction. Martinmas stands to be a joy filled event on all counts. Join us in the revelry.

Beyond Martinmas, we are pleased with the scheduled activities coming to Celidgh's. Join your friends in dance, Song, holiday festivities, games, and much revelry.

Winter in Terra Pomaria is a time for us to come together. To welcome all who seek shelter from the cold and offer them a warm smile and a place to call home. Remember to treat all as if they are friend, share what you know, and help them find their joy in the game.

In service,  
Weylyn and Lindis  
Baron and Baroness of Terra Pomaria

### Celidh

Come and join us for a delightful evening of revelry music and Dance.

We have the honor of Master Galeran and Mistress Rheinywlydd coming to teach dance. Cillian Fitzwilliam, Bardic Champion of Terra Pomaria as well as HL Marcello will be sharing their musical talents for our listening and dancing pleasure. Who knows, there might even be some singing!

We will also be having a trade blanket hosted by the incomparable HL Magdalena. It looks to be very fun and entertaining.

There will be the traditional hot drinks available. All are welcome to bring potluck treats or snacks.

Where. Salem Heights Hall  
3505 Liberty Rd S  
Salem

When. Monday, November 13th  
7:00p -9:00p

November 11, 2017

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## Curia

### Their Royal Majesties of An Tir

Christian Bane and Helene d'Anjou

### Their Highnesses of the Summits

Durin Oldemoor Tjorkilskin and Ceridwen ferch Morgan

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Ziitos Gyorgy Turk and Seamus O'Caellaigh

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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:** Ta'ti Sigrdson

**Archery:** Rowana of Wyvernwald

**Bardic:** Cillian Fitzwilliam

**Arts & Sciences:** HL Morikawa Kenji Katashige

**Rapier:** Eoghan O'Briain

## Local Gatherings

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

**Ceilidh:** The third Monday of every month, October through May. For more info contact: tpchatelaine@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: Tpartsci@gmail.com

**Equestrian Practice:** Generally every 4th Saturday 10am-2pm—RSVP required. Contact TPBaronialEquestrian@gmail.com

**Scribal/Thingmakers:** 3rd Wednesday of the month, 6pm-9pm. Young At Art, located at 1255 Broadway

St NE #190, Salem, OR 97301. Baronial scribal supplies will be available. Contact at: tpscribe@gmail.com

**Archery Practice:** Tuesdays 6pm. Stonehenge Farms, 9755 Willamette St., Aumsville. Contact: tparchery@gmail.com

### Heavy Weapons / Rapier Fencing

**Fighter Practice:** Every Thursday, 7:00 PM at Clear Lake Elementary in Keizer. Heavy Contact: tpheavymarshall@gmail.com Rapier Contact: tprapiermarshall@gmail.com

**Bardic Music Night:** To be determined. Contact: tpseneschal@gmail.com



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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).



## Calendar

This is a list of Local Events. For a full list of Kingdom events please visit <http://antir.sca.org/Upcoming/index.php>

### November

#### **10th-12th- An Tir Collegium 2017**

Barony of Wastekeep, Tri-Cities, WA

#### **11th– Frostbite Tourney**

Shire of Southmarch, Klamath Falls- Klamath & Lake Counties, OR

#### **11th– OnoraFesta ( Honor Feast and Arts Celebration)**

Barony of Three Mountains, Clackamas & Multnomah Counties, OR

#### **18th– Autumn Gathering**

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

### December

#### **3rd- Hauksgardr Yule**

Shire of Huksgardr, Hood River and Wasco Counties, OR

#### **9th-10th– Summits Winter Investiture**

Shire of Myrtle Holt, Grants Pass, OR

#### **16th– Raven's Feast of Yule**

Shire of Covaria, Bend, Jefferson, Deschutes, & Crook Counties, OR

#### **16th– Tri-Baronial Yule**

Barony of Dragon's Mist, Washington County, OR

#### **30th– Tymberhavene Yule**

Shire of Tymberhavene, Coos & Curry Counties, OR

### January

#### **6th– Hogmanay Scottish New Years Feast**

Shire of Myrtle Holt, Grants Pass, OR

#### **12-14– An Tir 12th Night**

Barony of Wastekeep, Tri-Cities, WA

## November 2017

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## December 2017

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## January 2018

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## Heralds Huzzah

Greetings One and All! On November 4th, at our Fair Barony's Martinmas event the following awards were presented to the most worthy Populace!!

In the Morning our Mighty Baron and Fair Baroness granted a Ruby Gimestone for Service to HL Duessa of Movilla. After that they granted the bounty of the Silver Apple to Levi von Strauss and Elizabeth of Terra Pomaria. It was announced that on August 12th, Anno Societatis 51 HL Leora the Red passed on her Heart of Saint William to HL Nemo Magnus. Many thanks were given to the departing Arts and Sciences Champion, Samwell Langdon, for his year of service as he stepped down.

In the Evening, after many of the days festivities had been enjoyed, The Prince and Princess of the Summits again opened Court in order to recognize those among us deserving of such Praise. They first Called up Levi von Strauss and granted him an Award of Arms. They called-forth Elizabeth of Terra Pomaria and granted her the Title of Lady through an Award of Arms! Proudly we cheered for the newest Lord and Lady of An Tir.

When The Baron and Baroness opened Court again they Called forth Don Chrestian de Valois and his consort Elizabeth-Theodosia de Valois. They thanked Don Chrestian for his year of service as the Rapier Champion of Terra Pomaria and entered Elizabeth in the order of the Iris of Saint Elizabeth. Don Chrestian then announced that HL Eoghan O'Briain was victorious on the field this day and was worthy to be the new Rapier Champion of Terra Pomaria, with HL Mairghread

inghean Dubhghaill as his inspiration.

The Order of the Apple Blossom was called forward and after much Talk about her virtues, HL Rowan Spiritwalker was inducted into the Order with Much Rejoicing. The Award scroll was created by Lady Christmas Carol.

Throughout the day, HL Morikawa Kenji Katashige did show off his skill and knowledge of Viking Wire Weaving, and for his talents was named the Arts and Science Champion of Terra Pomaria with HL Melannei Athenias as his inspiration.

The Event Stewards were called forward. Lord Sindri inn Harfagri and Lord Marcus Valerius were gifted with many thanks and gifts for their work to put together such a wonderful event.

Their Highnesses of the Summits, gave a token of a painted scroll to the event stewards as a huge thank you for the work that they had done. The Event Stewards then announced the winner of the Largess competition as HL Rowan Spiritwalker, who then re-gifted her prize back to their Highnesses. Huzzah to the Generosity of the Winner!

Peasants Largess was Presented by Stephen the Fat and Keridwen NicCionaodgha. The bounty of the Harvests of the Valley shall be shared by all.

HL Santinius Contorini Announced that Don Chrestian de Valois won the Rapier prize tourney, and was gifted with an Armor repair Kit as a prize.

HL Gwyneth Blackthorne was called forward and announced that HL Mairghread inghean Dubhghaill won the Iron scribal competition.

HL Fortune verch Thomas stepped forward and announced the success of the Children's Puppet Show earlier in the Day, and praised the children for their work. Thanks was also given to his excellency Baron Weylyn, for assisting in the show. 3 YAFA Bardic medals were earned this day.

Lord Sindri inn Harfagri was called forward by their excellencies and was granted a Sapphire Gimestone for their work and artistry as a scribe in our barony.

His Excellency Barony Weylyn then called forth again HL Gwyneth Blackthorne to give her his personal thanks and grant her his first ever Baron's Favor!.

The Court was then closed so that we could all enjoy the wonderful feast we could smell cooking in the Kitchen.

Huzzah to All that were recognized!







## Archery Haunted Shoot

Written by Rowana of Wyvernweald, Target Marshall of Terra Pomaria

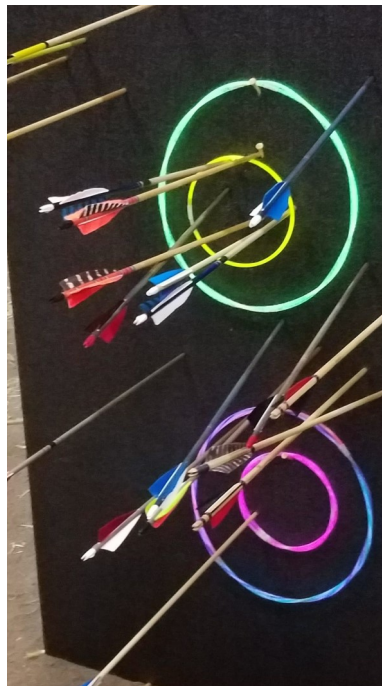
On the evening of November 7th there were 15 adults, 4 children, two dogs, two tables full of food, one giant spider, and a hoard of zombies that attended our monthly Archery potluck.

The food was eaten...well not all of it because there was a lot of food...really good food!

The good news is that Terra Pomaria is once again safe, because the plague of zombie hoards were turned back. The populace can now rest assured, at least for the time being, that our brains won't be eaten by evil undead.

Besides our zombie shoot, we played a few rounds of Shot in the Dark. Glow sticks were made into circles, attached to a target, the lights were turned off, and arrows were loosed at the glowing circles. It was surprising how well our archers shot in the dark...even after some of us did the Time Warp!

Yes, that Time Warp! While waiting in line to shoot in the dark, the Time Warp music from Rocky Horror came on (yes, TP archery runs a pretty classy joint. We have music!) and some of us broke into dance...in costumes...including the dogs...in the dark...in a barn...with glow



sticks around our necks! I'll bet that was a sight seldom, if ever, seen in the SCA! :OD

It's just a jump to the left.  
And then a step to the right.  
Put your hands on your hips.  
You bring your knees in tight.  
But it's the pelvic thrust  
That really drives you insane.  
Let's do the Time Warp again.  
Let's do the Time Warp again.

Ah, that brings back fond memories which I shan't relate to this audience at this time...maybe ever! Sigh...

Anyway, back to archery. Many people arrived in garb and costume, including Chaucer...or as he is now known as The Elder God, Chauceragoroth'zog – The Begging Lord of the Treat Abyss, or He That Must Be Fed.

A couple of us found out that it's not easy to hit a bullseye with...shall we say...a bucket on one's head. :OD

Anyway, a good time was had by all.

I'll see you next week, and rest assured, I am thinking of many fun things to do at the December Potluck and Stick Fling, including a little something that I call, "Blind Man's Shot". Yule love it!



## Trade Blanket

My lords and ladies pray attend!

On the next Ceilidh, November 13th, I, Lady Magdalena, will be hosting a trade blanket!

When and where you ask? At our Monthly Celidh 7:00 p.m. at Salem Heights Hall, 3505 Liberty Rd S, Salem, OR 97302

The full explanation of the rules will be done before we start. Here's what you need to know before arrival.

Bring gently used or hand made objects, or supplies to trade. Items to be considered should have some relevancy to SCA.

A short list of items traded for at trade blanket: amber, drinking horns, jewelry, glass vessels, glass beads, hand dyed yarn, hand spun yarn, yarns, ceramics, hand bound books, reference books, armor, roving, fabric, trim, salve, shoes, boxes, benches, chairs, fire tools, furs, blankets, clothing, socks/mittens, wire, chainmail, hats, beeswax, pickles, jam, belts, cloaks, etc.

DON'T show your hand! There is a significant amount of strategy to getting a good trade. Keep your stuff in a box or sack, so you can surprise people with really good trades for something you want. Keep something big-ticket in your box in case something big-ticket that you WANT comes up. Also hold back a few really good small items for sweeteners, so that you can close a deal on items you really want.

DO remember, this is a social event, a time to nosh, whisper, try to drive bargains, and generally socialize with other people who make cool items.

DO bring lots of little things, both as sweeteners, and to put out as trades for beginners.

Expect a wide range of items.

If you are new, or have never participated in a trade blanket, please come anyway.

Use this as a time to get to know some of our awesome craft-makers.

If you have any questions of what to bring, feel free to contact me. [ladymagdalena@yahoo.com](mailto:ladymagdalena@yahoo.com)

Yours in Service,

HL Magdalena von Freiberg.



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## Calligraphy Class

Greetings Terra Pomaria! This month at our regular scribal night we have a guest Teacher!

Alicia du Bois has offered to teach us Calligraphy! Below you will find the class description.

Remember that our scribal night is the third Wednesday of each month. This month is November 15th. It will be held at Young at Art, 1255 Broadway NE Ste. 190 Salem, OR 97301. You can be there as Early as 6pm. Class will start at 6:30pm.

**Name of Class:** Beginning Calligraphy - Gothic Textura

**Length of Class:** 2 hours

**Number of students :** up to 15.

Students of any age who are willing to listen and learn are welcome. This class is very hands-on.

### Description of class:

Learn the fundamentals of calligraphy: what it is and how to do it. We will go over basic terms and supplies, talk about setting up your workspace and practicing basic strokes and learning Gothic Textura. A brief overview of best practices and materials for further learning will also be discussed.

Class cost includes a dip pen with 2mm nib, a small jar of ink, paper, and a handout with ductus and guidelines. Practice paper will also be provided and we will clean nibs at the end.

**Cost: Students should bring \$8 to cover supplies.**

Students can also bring their own 2mm pen and ink. I'll still provide handout and practice paper for \$1.

## November A&S

### Wreath Making

By HL Gwyneth Blackthorne

A wreath is an assortment of flowers, leaves, fruits, twigs or various materials that is constructed to resemble a ring. Wreaths have much history and symbolism associated with them. They are usually made from evergreens and symbolize strength, as evergreens last even throughout the harshest winters. The Romans and Celts, for example, all considered the evergreen to be an important symbol of the continuity of life, protection, and future prosperity as it was one of the only trees to stay green during the bleak, "lifeless" winter months. Fir, cedar, and pine boughs and wreaths were used to decorate homes.

Small gifts for the gods representing the sun, earth, and harvest also were hung from the branches of pine trees in groves. Some people believe this custom evolved into the Christian tradition of

decorating an evergreen tree in December.

We will be crafting wreaths or "swags" (depending on your personal aesthetic and skill) and decorating them with ribbons and ornaments in the traditions of the past. As reminder and a promise to ourselves and those around us that though Winter is strong, bleak, and dark, it is not forever.

Class Sunday November 26th 1pm - 8pm

Location Radomir's House ( email tpartsci@gmail.com for the address and directions)

Class Fee \$10

Evergreen boughs and some decorations provided, please feel free to bring any festive ribbons, bells, etc to use yourself or share.

IF YOU TOOK THE CLASS LAST YEAR, PLEASE BRING YOUR FRAMES!!!

Bring a favorite seasonal treat to share with others!





## Award Recommendations

Well a day my friends, Do you like to see your friends get recognized for all the awesome things that they do? Do you know someone who has been working hard and is well deserving of recognition? Then the Royals want to hear from you! They cannot be everywhere and often only know the deeds of their populace through the written words of people like you.

Writing an award recommendation doesn't have to be difficult. You do not need to know which awards the person already has. All you need to do is tell the royals about the awesome things that you have seen someone do lately. The things you see can be both big and small. The person washing the dishes is just as worthy as the person running lists. Both jobs are needed, one is just more visible than the other. Never assume that someone else has written in.

Below are the links for The Kingdom, Principality and Baronial Award Recommendation pages.

### **Kingdom of An Tir**

<http://antir.sca.org/recommendations.php>

### **Principality of the Summits**

<http://summits.antir.sca.org/recommendations.php>

### **Barony of Terra Pomaria**

<http://terrapomaria.antir.sca.org/tprecommendations.php>





## Receipes From Martinmas

### Apple Tarts

#### Filling

2 lb apples

½ cup white wine

3 T sugar

¼ tsp sugar

Tart Shell

8 T butter

3 T sugar

¼ tsp salt

1 ¼ cup flour

Peel, core and slice the apples. Put them in a pan with the wine and cook until soft.

Remove from heat and mash slightly. Mix in sugar and cinnamon and place into a tart pan

#### Shell

Mix the butter, sugar, salt and flour by hand until a soft dough forms. Sprinkle the dough over the bottom of a tart pan and using the bottom of a measuring cup, evenly press the dough into the bottom and the side of the pan.

Chill for 30 minutes

Prick with a fork and bake at 350 for 20 minutes. Remove and let cool. Add filling and bake at 350 for 30 minutes.

### Onions with Cheese

Large Onions

Shredded cheese

Vegetable oil

Cover a pan with vegetable oil, and slice onions into steaks, 6 steaks per onion.

Lay onions on pan and roast 350 for approximately 10 minutes until translucent

Take onions out, sprinkle cheese on top and bake until cheese is melted and slightly browned.





## September Business Meeting Notes

**Date of Meeting:** 09/18/2017

**Meeting Start:** 7:14 pm

**In Attendance:** Kenji,  
Weylyn, Gwyneth, Mindy,  
Rowana, Alanna, Christmas,  
Wystan, Santinus, Keziah,  
Keridwyn, Duessa, Ulf,  
Alyna, Lyonette

**Minutes taken by:** Lyonette  
La Cousturirie

### Opening words from Their Excellencies -

Greetings unto the populace  
and officers of Terra Pomaria,

As summer comes to a close  
we look to winter with a light  
heart and the sound of  
laughter resonating in our  
memories. We cannot express  
the joy we have experienced  
this summer in observing the  
acts of service, marshal  
prowess, artistry, and kindness  
you all have exhibited in so  
many ways over the summer.

To those who stepped in to  
steward events, volunteered to  
run tournaments, created  
prizes, ran activities (some for  
the first time,) sang songs,  
played games, and  
demonstrated to all who  
surround these lands the joy  
that resides in your hearts we  
deeply thank you.

The Long and Short of It was  
the highlight of August. We  
were overjoyed with the  
number of people who  
competed in marshal activities  
and most especially with the  
performances of our new  
champions, Ta'ti and Rowana.  
We look forward to having you  
with us this year. It was a  
wonderful day of kids playing,  
shade, laughter, and most  
especially love.

We share our joy and  
excitement of welcoming new  
heirs to Kingdom and  
Principality. Long live Savric  
and Dalla, Prince and Princess  
of An Tir! Long live Turk and  
Seamus, Tanists of the  
Summits!

As September comes to a close  
you will see little of His  
Excellency and myself. For  
those unable to attend Long  
and Short, Baron Weylyn  
proposed to his lady, Leora the  
Red in a beautiful speech in  
their Alpine Highnesses' court.  
Please congratulate them on  
their pending nuptials. He will  
be spending the rest of the  
month preparing for this  
joyous occasion. Genevieve  
and I will be traveling far, to  
the Kingdom of Trimarís to  
experience the interesting  
weather and seek out a  
mythical giant mouse in hopes  
of learning his secrets to

happiness to celebrate her  
birthday.

We will both be available again  
in October and look forward to  
the first Ceilidh of the season  
and Martinmas.

In service and devotion,  
  
Weylyn and Lindis

**Baron and Baroness of Terra  
Pomaria**

### Office reports:

**Seneschal** – Welcome back  
after last month's break, I hope  
everyone is doing well. Thank  
you all for your submitted  
reports. Deputies have done a  
wonderful job. I cannot  
emphasize enough the  
importance and relief that can  
be provided by sharing your  
duties with another dedicated  
to service.

I feel apologies are in order. As  
some have noticed I have been  
less active on the Baronial side  
of things as of late. I am  
currently dealing with some  
troubling medical issues that  
need my focus. As such I will  
be leaning on my deputies and  
possibly others to take point  
on certain tasks. That said, this  
past weekend I was part of a  
potential site walk through led  
by our own Klovis the Cook.  
Along with Mountain's Edge,



## September Business meeting Notes Cont...

Three Mountains, and Stromgard we looked at 3 potential event sites in the Molalla area. While this is technically outside of our borders these sites have great potential for Kingdom level or joint branch events in the future.

However, I am much disturbed to report that I was privy to Three Mountain's Baron making remarks about claiming our Klovis and Mindy. Information to hold on to in case future actions must be taken.

I will be attending the Seneschal and Exchequer training on Saturday in Couer du Val, I encourage everyone to attend these classes. Even if you are only mildly curious about these offices, you will meet some of the finest people our Principality has to offer.

There are some reminders I have placed with our new business.

**Demos** –We have the possibility of 2 school demos in the upcoming months, but no dates or details yet.

**Social Media** – VACANT – Nothing to report. Accepting applicants, please send an email to myself and their Excellencies expressing your

interest in the position.

### **Family Activities Coordinator –**

As of today I think all tokens have been accounted for via paperwork and given out. The OP is being updated this week.

Parents are responsible to go into their family account and Mark completed in their children's badges/worksheets. I collect the worksheets and send them to kingdom. Between kingdom Principality and myself we make sure that the OP is updated. If the parents do not mark complete online the OP won't be updated. An Tir is leading the way in the YAFA program and

as such we need to come up with fundraisers for the program so it is sustained.

Tokens are \$5 each. Kingdom has asked that each area come up with fund raisers to help pay for the tokens. This was discussed way before the fundraising efforts for kingdom award medallions was started.

So, the first fund raiser for Summits in general will be at Martinmas. The lunch will be a potluck. The populace brings food for lunch to be shared and a donation box or jar will be available to put donations in. The money will go directly towards the YAFA program in the Summits to help pay for tokens.

As far as token count: Central An Tir has given out 52/Tir Righ 4/Summits 62- all but 3 of those have been Terra Pomaria children.

I am working on getting different classes set up throughout Ceilidh season. Some will be YAFA some will just be for the fun of it. Some the Seargency candidates can help. A request has been made to please do the gingerbread house building thing again at the December Ceilidh. Basically, the parents are going to ask their kids what they'd like to do. Then we will work in







## September Business meeting Notes Cont...

making that happen.

Background checks: There is a change. People who are requesting to be a mentor, but not an officer, are being processed in a different way. There is a separate form which I have access to.

If the person wants to be an officer, they go through our Seneschal. If they want to be a mentor, they start with me or the Principality YAFA officer.

The mentor form is forwarded to the person and cc'd to the Terra Pomaria Seneschal (as a courtesy and is not required) and the Kingdom YAFA officer. The mentor form must be filled out and marked mentor. The mentor form needs to be sent to Corporate. Corporate will then have it processed and notify the mentor directly by mail if they passed.

The reason for the change: Kingdom pays \$0 for mentor's background checks.

Officer background checks are still done the way they have always been done before. This is new as of Sept Crown so it hasn't been shared everywhere yet but will be soon. This is the approved per Corporate and Kingdom way to do it.

Parents are allowed to mentor

their own children and at level 1 a mentor is not required. However, the local officer is to quiz the child to make sure they have adequate knowledge of the subject before agreeing it is completed, without the parents explaining or helping. (Case by case basis) That goes for all levels. Being the officer and having children in the program I am having the mentors grill my kids. They aren't just getting by. They must know this stuff otherwise they did not earn it. They're the local guinea pigs. So, if you think an item may not be age appropriate let me know and we can test it out and make suggested changes.

There are some tokens that do not have worksheets. If you are willing to help create them please let me know. There is a special group working on that.

Some worksheets don't have tokens we are working on that.

Tokens themselves are copyright protected and the SCA has a contract with the manufacturer. Please do not embroider or carve replacement tokens. Replacements can be requested.

Martinmas. The plan is to have the children who are interested to help in the

kitchen as much as possible. We need bread kneaded and lettuce ripped apart. These are things any child can easily do if they want to. Afterwards we will have games and coloring and blocks set up. If I can get it ready we might have a subtlety decorating thing. Like painting cookies or decorating a cake or something like that. There will be candy to stick onto something. Let's put it that way.

Ulf is working on Coronet kids activities. I want to get all the kids activity stuff out of the shed and take it to Coronet so everyone of all ages has something to do

**Exchequer** –Mindy – Bank balance: \$11,380.62/ Ledger balance: \$11,250.62. No financial committee decisions were made since the last report.

**Chamberlain** —Nothing to Report

**Librarian** – 2 books have been checked out and waiting for their return, Milda will be my deputy. She is sick will not be attending tonight nor will I and Randy. Take care everyone have a good week.

**Heavy Marshal** – There are no damage, incidents, or other problems to report. It has been a poor month for attendance



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mainly due to heat and air quality from the ongoing fires.

However we have a new attendee, Shawn, a new fighter still gathering his gear. I tried to lead him away from the fantasy LARP equipment. Some of his gear will need improvement 'til then so I have him utilizing the loaner gear. He seems excited to learn and wants to know more about Baronial activities. Not much to tell. Sorry report is a little late. It has been a rotten week. I am interested in getting a third armor bag so that the deputy has the large kit and I will have the medium and small kits. Sadly the Kingdom fundraiser

bag option closed so quick or I would have petitioned for one of those. Yet I never saw a size of bag description so it might have been too small for an armor bag.

**Rapier Marshal** – Not a bad month. We averaged 5 fighters per practice. No Rule changes. No activities in the Barony. The Golden Apple was held twice. For September the winner was Katherine of Cam forth on September 7. Due to Katherine heading back to college the Golden Apple was held again on September 14, with the winner being Andrew Crow.

**Lists Minister** – VACANT- Nothing to report. Accepting applicants, please send an email to myself and Their Excellencies expressing your interest in the position.

**Target Archery Marshal** – We had 3 practices because one was canceled due to heat. All practices averaged about 7 attendants. No injuries occurred and great flinging fun was had by all. Congratulations to Rowanna our new archery champion! It is wonderful to have a champion that calls our Barony home. We are looking forward to the first Tuesday in September where we will be having a fun social practice with a potluck. Bring treats, seats, and join us for a fun day!

This fun day will be an ongoing event on the first Tuesday of the month, unless that practice is canceled. We have a new family of archers who have joined our ranks and we are always happy to welcome archers who can only come every once in a while. Join our practices at Stonehenge Farms in Aumsville, on Tuesdays from 6 until 8.

**Equestrian Marshal** – Practice was Canceled in August.

**Youth Armored Combat** – VACANT – Nothing to report. Accepting applicants, please send an email to myself and their Excellencies expressing your interest in the position.

**Herald** – No new submissions or events requiring a Herald. A few of us went to the Heralds & Scribes symposium in Three Mountains. Huzzah for a whole day of Herald's classes!

**Arts and Sciences** – First of all, my apologies for not being at the business meeting. My school changed my clinic shift's hours for this term so I now get out at 6:30, which means I will not have time to make it down to Keizer for the next few business meetings. The A&S office will be represented at the meetings by some of my deputies.

August A&S was fun. Kenji was



## September Business meeting Notes Cont...

kind enough to teach his Viking wire weaving class again. There were 9 people in attendance: 1 instructor, 2 observers, 5 participants, and 1 adorable dog. Lots of snacks and good times were had by all.

Starting this September A&S will be moving back to its Sunday off-season schedule. This month's class will be an SCA arrow making class. It will be held at 1pm at Wyvern Manor. Please refer to the Facebook event page or contact me for more information.

Coastal A&S was HL Rowan's pottery from raw clay class. There were 4 total in attendance including 2 newcomers. This month's class will be more clay/pottery work and will be held on the 23rd in Toledo OR. For specific location details please contact Joseph Boyd, the coastal A&S deputy.

**Chronicler** – The Chronicler has to step down due to outside circumstances. Fortune verch Thomas has taken the office as interim. Applications for the office are being accepted.

**Grete Boke** – VACANT – Nothing to report at this time. Accepting applicants, please

send an email to myself and their Excellencies expressing your interest in the position.

**Web Minister** – At this time I am working on some technical issues with getting my deputy hooked into the web site to do updates. We will be meeting over the weekend to try and solve these issues. We will also be working to catch up the updates I have been receiving lately.

**Chatelaine/Castellan** – Our Chatelaine had to step down. Baroness Ainslee Goldheart has taken the position as Interim. Applications are currently being accepted.

**Gold Key** – Nothing to report: there were no events that needed Gold Key, and no progress on ongoing projects. Gold Key will be at October Ceilidh.

**Scribe** – Scribal is Wednesday September 20th at Young at Art.

### Past Events –

**Long and Short of It** – The event was awesome. The report will be given in October.

### Upcoming Events –

**Martinmas** – Report for Martinmas. The site has been booked. We have it from 8 to 10. The formats for the championships have been announced. We still have lots of room for classes, and space for the populace to volunteer.

**March Coronet 2018** – Site tokens have been made and delivered. (beads I'm getting this weekend at coronet). I have asked for the populace to make cording. If we don't get enough, I have lots and lots of black cord we can use. (not kidding like over 5,000 yards of it).

Site walk through will be the week of September 18 through 22nd, one of those evenings. As soon as I get confirmation I'll let you know. (I'm calling her today, which is Tuesday to make sure for next week).

We have a merchant coordinator. No word on if we will have King and Queen there or not. I would suspect most likely not since the Crown Princess is expecting and they live in Canada. It's kind of a long trip with a new baby.

Google docs are being created for camping space, merchants and other things. Classes are being scheduled and YAFA will be happening.

### Old Business -



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Pavers at shed – Kenji –  
Scheduling the project will be  
scheduled shortly.

### New Business

**Proposed donation** of \$75 to  
Cour du Val to offset costs of  
Seneschal and Exchequer  
retreat.

Officers, now is an appropriate  
time to review your annual  
budgets. How much was used,  
how much was not used. Does  
your budget need adjustment?  
Don't know what your budget  
is or how much has been  
used? Contact our Exchequers!

Officers, as part of your duties  
you are required to respond to  
any correspondence within



three business days (72 hours).  
The best way to accomplish  
this would be to check your  
Baronial email addresses at  
least once a week. With that in  
mind it is rather alarming to  
me how many notifications I  
receive regarding changed  
passwords come reporting  
time. Please make sure that  
we are serving the populace to  
the best of our abilities,  
including making best use of  
the tools at our disposal.

**Events open for bid:** Bar  
Gemels 2018, Equestrium  
2018, Long and Short of It  
2018

**Meeting ended: 8:05pm**

## October Business Meeting Notes

**Date f Meeting:** 10/16/2017

**Attendance:** Fortune verch  
Thomas, Catarine Quiting, Mindy  
Meeds, Gwyneth Blackthorne,  
Randall Blackwolf, Nicolaa  
Blackwolf, Milda d'Hay, Lindis de  
Aquisgranno, Santinus Contarini,  
Melannei Athenaios, Aaron  
Mitchell, Melinda Mitchell, Kenji,  
Duncan Mckai, Ana von  
Engelberg, William Brannan,  
Rowanna of Wyvernweald,  
Alanna of the Groves, Ainslee  
Goldheart, Emelyn Fulredy,  
Christmas Caryl, Wystan Albright,  
Urslie Akeldama, Radomir

Kolekov, Stefan the Fat, Mhairi,  
Keridwyn NicCionaodgha,  
Timitheus de Loch Levyne, Alyna  
Trewpeny

**Minutes Taken by:** Fortune verch  
Thomas

**Meeting Starts:** 7:01 pm

**Opening words from Their  
Excellencies - Baron and  
Baroness of Terra Pomaria-**

- We are back from our  
vacations. Thank you for

coming, and helping us do all  
the stuff. Martinmas is  
coming. Please don't forget  
the food drive, the YAFA  
auction, A&S and Rapier  
Championship. Lots of Classes  
and activities. Bring your  
friends.

- Thank you Ainslee for  
stepping in and becoming the  
Interim Chatelaine. Your work  
is noticed and we are very  
grateful. We encourage  
everyone to come to Ceilidhs.  
Winter is the time that we all  
come together.





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- Thank you to everyone who made this last month easy for us as we were on vacation. Thank you for stepping up. We love you.

### Office reports:

#### Seneschal – Gwyneth –

- This past month I attended Seneschal training in Coeur du Val, led by Piaras and Suvia. It was enlightening, and thrilling to find myself surrounded by my fellow Seneschals.
- Their Highnesses stopped into the training to discuss an initiative being tested in the Summits to clear/condense the event calendar.
- In premise, each branch would select a "flagship" event that they would host on their own and other events would be shared between branches. A shared event still counts as an event per branch thus giving credit where credit is due, encouraging cooperation, decreasing competition between events, increasing attendance, and allowing the populace of the Summits to travel outside of our Principality without feeling "disloyal" to the Summits events.
- In an informal poll of the Barony it was determined that Bar Gemels is our flagship event. To that end I have



reached out to Coeur du Val on the prospect of combining Lebus and The Long and Short of It (they have responded in the positive and we will be continuing that conversation), also to Adiantum regarding potentially combining Amergin's with Martinmas in the 2018 (we haven't heard back yet) event season.

- I am submitting DRFs for our events, just to be ahead of the game and get them on the calendar, they can be changed/alterd if needed.
- Camp Taloali has reached out regarding our standard reservation with them, and I have requested that they hold our dates with agreement from Their Excellencies. Janet, from the Camp, has responded today with a contract which I will review.

- I would like to thank my deputies, Kenji and Fortune for stepping up to assist me. I could not do this without you. I continue to look for a successor to begin training. Quarterly report submitted on time.

#### Demos –Fortune-

- No demos took place.
- We have scheduled a demo for the YMCA camp in June.
- Possible demos at Walker middle school, but no demos yet.

#### Social Media – VACANT –

- Nothing to report. Accepting applicants, please send an email to myself and Their Excellencies expressing your interest in the position.

#### YAFA/Family Activities Coordinator – Duessa



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- There is a new background check process that's different from the new one released last month. I haven't read through all of it but I'm not sure what the differences are.
- Elianna and Ethan completed agriculture #2, those are the first ag 2 in the known world.
- There will be stuff happening at Martinmas. Ulf is handling it and there's puppet making. (I think that can be counted as part of the bardic token.)
- Martinmas feast prep. There is lots of bread to be made and that's something kids can help with.
- November Ceilidh may include some of the fiber arts info.

### Exchequer –Mindy –

- bank \$11280.63
- ledger \$11175.62
- The figures flow from the register to the report, so the breakdown for the figures on the Income page can be found on the TrialBal page. The expired committee member is my Baron, and I'll get his updated member info on Monday, as he has been out of the country for the last week.
- Review you budgets with the Exchequer

### Chamberlain – Melannei –

- Coordinating with the event staff for Martinmas on their needs for the event. Nothing else to report.

### Librarian – Nicolaa-

- Greetings. No money has been needed and everything is quiet in the library.
- Milde will be Deputy

### Heavy Marshal – Randall –

- Our Fair Barony experienced a far too short of a fall season. Gone are the mild weather nights.
- As usual our turn outs have been sporadic and we have 3 new fighters looking into better gear for themselves. The Barony kits are being repaired and sized into three groups: small, medium and large. I started replacing blown straps and helmet pads. Some of the old foam is getting a bit crunchy. New fighters getting taught how to armor themselves and what to look for when personalizing gear. (Odd note all three are lefthanders.)
- Starting to train my deputy marshal. He should be up to snuff by our next tourney. Being a fighter previously he understands what to look for in gearing up, just needs experience with An Tir standards as He is from out of Kingdom.

### Rapier Marshal – Santinus –

- As war season winds down, things are picking up. We averaged 7 fighters per practice.
- No Rule Changes.
- No Activities in the Barony.
- Golden apple will be held again in November. Also looking forward to the Baronial Rapier championship at Martinmas on November 4.
- Showing of 4 fighters in attendance in Coeur du Val. M. Christian won.

### Lists Minister – VACANT-

- Nothing to report. Accepting applicants, please send an email to myself and Their Excellencies expressing your interest in the position.

### Target Archery Marshal –Rowana

- September was a good month for TP archery. Attendance was steady, with an average of 8 adults (archers and spectators), 3 children (archers), and two dogs (who, due to lack of opposable thumbs, were not allowed to be archers). One of the adults and two of the children were new to our little band of archers.
- Of course, we had another of our always popular, First Tuesday O' The Month Arrow Fling and Face Stuffing, which





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was immensely enjoyed by all. Besides eating loads of good food, we played Save The King, and Shoot the Rolling Rabbit. Unfortunately, there were many times the king was shot and the rabbit rolled away!

- While traditional archery remains popular, use of the atlatl is on the rise, and people are getting better and better at it. We plan, in the next couple weeks, to have an atlatl class taught by an expert from Three Mountains. Many thanks to Duncan MacKie for his help coordinating this class.

- Besides continuing to feature the atlatl, I hope that in the next few months, I can introduce thrown weapons to

our Tuesday night practice.

- Speaking of classes, TP archery was the beneficiary of an A&S arrow making class held at Wyvern Manor and taught by Duncan MacKie.
- Oh, and you may have noticed that there is a new Target Marshal...me!
- A special thanks to: Alanna of The Groves, Carolyn Wallace, Duncan MacKie, Megan Jongsma, and the merry band of TP archers for their help this month!
- Discussion about fundraising for Equipment

### Equestrian Marshal – Tassi-

- Nothing much to report. Last practice in September was unofficial 4 riders and 6 horses. October practice was

a no go for personal reasons. Other riders were ok with not practicing.

### Youth Armored Combat – VACANT –

- Nothing to report. Accepting applicants, please send an email to myself and Their Excellencies expressing your interest in the position.

### Herald – Christmas –

- Another month has come and gone with much activity but not in the Heraldry realm. Many of our members are working on name/device submissions so I hope to have more activity soon.
- Emelyn is here, so paperwork can now happen and she will be the deputy.

### Arts and Sciences – Radomir –

- September Valley A&S was a class on how to make arrows. It was well attended with 1 instructor, 6 attendees, and one lovely dog. Lots of arrows were made, lots of food consumed, and lots of fun was had.
- Coastal September A&S's plan to continue the pottery class got sidetracked. Instead creativity took over and other projects worked on. Wire was drawn, needle work happened. The pine nuts that were stored with various seasoning a few months back were sampled with some





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pleasant and some interesting results. To finish the night off pork roast was prepared using a roman recipe, and desert was a peach patina. There were three in attendance, all having a very good time.

- Due to the proximity of Martinmas there will be no coastal A&S for October and will resume for November.
- Valley A&S Jam and Jelly Making class on October 22<sup>nd</sup>

### **Chronicler – Fortune–**

- Greetings, I now have the computer and some files in my possession. There are some difficulties with the computer and I am attempting to resolve those. It has several viruses and some malware. Also the mouse pad attached to the computer does not work properly. At this point I am going to transfer the files to my personal computer since I have the same programs. This will help me to get the next newsletter out hopefully by the end of the week. I will continue to keep the Seneschal and Chamberlain up to date on what is happening with the computer.
- I will be updating the model release forms and looking for articles, photos, and such that can be put into the Privy to make it a more

enjoyable read.

### **Grete Boke – VACANT –**

- Nothing to report at this time. Accepting applicants, please send an email to myself and Their Excellencies expressing your interest in the position.

### **Web Minister – Kenji –**

- We have been working to keep the website up to date but if you see anything incorrect or missing please let us know.
- Summits Spring Coronet webpage is also now active and being updated as information arrives.

### **Chatelaine – Ainslee– Change of Officer Form**

- I'm happy to report that Ceilidh season has returned and we had a very nice turnout for the first of the Season. 24 adults (4 of which were new faces/friends and family of Barony members) and 4 rather small people that seem quite entertained, or is that entertaining. In truth is was amazing after being away for a time how quickly all the kids are growing up. Lots of tasty foods were brought to share and I think everyone had a good time. I'd never seen a bucket of Voodoo before. That was awesome.
- Thank to everyone! Those who both arrived early, stayed

late and helped make it all happen.

- We're looking forward to the upcoming season. With the counsel of Their Excellencies, Lindis and Weylyn, we have a lot planned. A tentative schedule will be posted in the near future, pending Their Excellencies approval.
- Thus far, we have in Nov. Dancing. (possible trade blanket/swap meet) Possibly a period food competition with prizes andfor the holidays and just plain fun. Possibly a trade blanket.
- December will bring a Gingerbread house competition. Possibly favorite holiday desserts. Can anyone else see a pattern here... food, lots of yummy tasty bits.
- As the Interim officer, we will be looking for anyone interested in learning more about the office and all the things that we get to do. I would be happy to answer questions and help people get more involved. It's a fun job.
- Interjection by B&B. Please read post from Kingdom Chatelaine. We are all Chatelaines. The friendlier we are the more people want to play our game. Everyone that you meet are a new member of our barony.





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- Brochures are available from Fortune.
- SCA Handbook will be ordered.

### Gold Key – Alyna –

- Gold Key went to Ceilidh. Used by 2 people. It will be at Martinmas

### Scribe – Sindri –

- In September, Scribal Night was Wednesday, September 20, from 6 to 9 at Young at Art in Salem. Charters were returned and plans for Martinmas awards were discussed.
- In October, Scribal Night will be Wednesday, October 18 from 6 to 9 at Young at Art in Salem. We'll be finishing up prep for Martinmas.
- I will not be at the October or November business meetings, but I will be back after that, since the term will be over.
- November's Night will be a calligraphy night. Alicia du Bois will be teaching.

### Past Events –

- Long and Short of It – Genevieve-Next Month?

### Upcoming Events –

#### Martinmas – Marcus

- We've been busy.
- Sending out a lot of

#### Advertising.

- Food Is happening.
- Motels- Posted a list online
- Set-up starts 8am
- We are waiting on approval for schedule
- Meeting is on Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> at Better than Mamma's 3pm.
- Need someone to take point on Decor
- Food Drive

#### March Coronet 2018 – Duversa -

- Not Here. Things are approved and moving forward.
- Work on new decor

### Bar Gemels 2018

- Bid has been Approved. Stephen and Keridwyn Are the event Stewards. Fortune is the supervisor.
- Need a Kitchen Manager
- Not necessarily doing the cooking, just finding the people to do the cooking.
- Will be contacting the





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officers for their parts.

### Equestrium-

- Bid happened. Approved. William Brannan is the event steward.
- Sergeantry trials will be occurring at this event.
- Classes for all.
- Learn the History. Important to the Middle Ages.
- In touch with officers

### Kingdom September Crown – Kenji

- Ji'lid's Caravan would like to submit a Bid
- Concerned about number of events next year
- We will be looking for volunteers
- We will be having a meeting to discuss sites. TBA

- Basically favorable response

### Old Business -

#### Pavers at shed – Kenji –

- DONE!!!

### New Business

#### Events open for bid:

##### Long and Short of It 2018

- Talk to Seneschal if you have questions

##### Mhairi to speak on YMCA Camp

- Looking for community partners
- Would like to run a Medieval Family camp on a Friday, Saturday, Sun.
- Food will be provided.
- Hoping for interest from the Barony to help put it

together.

- Maybe rent out their Pavilions?
- Classes taught?
- Possible recruitment?
- Possible Fundraiser?
- Possible Dates: 9/28-30, 10/12-14

**Meeting adjourned 8:17 pm**

## Finance Committee Meeting Notes

October 16, 2017

Round Table Pizza in Keizer during Business Meeting

**In attendance:** Matt Schultz, Eleisha Ledridge, Alicia Van De Kop, Melinda Meeds, Nathan Coapstick

**Absent:** Brian Spent

The committee voted to approve signers for the bank account, as the signature card will need to be updated in the next couple of

months. It was agreed that the signers would be Melinda Meeds, Alicia Van De Kop, Matt Schultz, Tim Wallace, Melanie Mitchell, Kit Abrahamson, and Janet Bianco. If the account change happens after the Exchequer handover for Principality, Janet will not be included on the account.

The bid put forward by Stefan the Fat and Keridwyn for Bar Gemels 2018 was accepted.

The bid put forward by Sir William

Brannan for Summer Equestrium 2018 was accepted.

Reimbursement of an unexpected expense of \$57 related to the replacement of the pavers at the storage shed was approved.

Up to \$200 total, including remaining budget, was approved for archery. This is intended to be used for new arrows, bows, and other equipment.