





The Barony of Terra Pomaria

Words of Their Excellencies

Greeting unto the Populace of Terra Pomaria!

I heard that Kenji Morikawa Katashige has a dog that speaks Japanese!

Really?! What breed is it?

A Konichihuahua.

Yours in Service, **Thegn Clovis & Baronesa Ximena**



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2023

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March A&S Gathering

The Barony welcomes all to the March A&S Gathering at the Ike Box on March 4th starting at 12:30p for "All Things Scribal 101" taught by HL Fortune verch Thomas!

Learn all the basics of scribal, from design to painting with one of Terra Pomaria's most skilled Scribes!

HL Fortune has designed, illuminated, and provided calligraphy for charters all over An Tir. She has also been Royal Scribe for several reigns throughout the Kingdom of An Tir.

Bring your supplies and charters if you have them, but supplies and paper will be available if you don't. All skill levels are encouraged to attend because you can always learn a new technique or try your hand at a different aspect of the scribal arts!

Class begins at 1230p, in the Green Room at the IKE Box downtown Salem, 299 Cottage St NE. Virtual broadcast, as well.





Curia

Their Royal Majesties of An Tir

King Athanasios (Athos) Belisarios and Queen Alianora Greymoor Crown@antir.org

Their Highnesses of the Summits

Prince Weylyn ibn Rustam and Princess Lindis de Aquisgranno SummitsCoronet@antir.org

Their Excellencies of Terra Pomaria

Thegn Clovis de Walton & Baronesa Ximena <u>TerraPomaria.Coronet@antir.org</u> "...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: HL Wystan Albryght **Rapier Champion:** Lord Levi von Strausberg **Archery Champion:** HL Feradach the Beardless

Youth Archery Champion: Onora Ó Cléirigh

Arts & Sciences Champion: HL Fortune verch Thomas

Bardic Champion: HL Zulaikha al-Zarqa'

Thrown Weapons Champion: HL Feradach the Beardless

Youth Champion: Katrina bint Fae

Legal Stuff

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Local Gatherings







Archery Practice: Every Tuesday, 6:00pm. Stonehenge Farms, 9755 Willamette St., Aumsville.

Contact: TerraPomaria.Target@antir.org

Heavy Weapons / Rapier Fencing /

Fighter Practice: Every Wednesday, 7:00pm at Stonehenge Farms, 9755 Willamette St., Aumsville,

OR 97325. Spectators are welcome!

Heavy Contact: <u>TerraPomaria.Marshal@antir.org</u> Rapier Contact: <u>TerraPomaria.Rapier@antir.org</u>

Ceilidh: VIRTUAL AND IN PERSON

2nd Monday, October through May.

Macleay Grange, 8312 Macleay Rd SE, Salem, OR

For info contact:

TerraPomaria.Chatelaine@antir.org

Business Meeting: HELD VIRTUALLY ON TEAMS

3rd Monday, 7pm

Contact: <u>TerraPomariaSeneschal@antir.org</u> Link: <u>Terra Pomaria Business Meeting</u>

A & S Gathering: VIRTUAL AND IN PERSON

One Sunday each month, 12-4pm Check the TP A&S Facebook page for more info For questions contact A&S Officer:

TerraPomaria.ArtnSci@antir.org

Equestrian Practice:

<u>DATES FLUCTUATE</u>,10am-2pm at 10091 Leverman Rd, Aumsville, OR 97325

- RSVP required prior to attending.

Contact: TerraPomaria.Equestrian@antir.org

Scribal / Thingmakers:

HELD VIRTUAL AND IN PERSON

TBD/3rd Wednesday, 6pm-9pm. Baronial scribal supplies are be available upon request.

Contact: TerraPomaria.Scribe@antir.org

For addition information, please visit:

https://terrapomaria.antir.sca.org/gatherings/



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		Officers			
SENESCHAL					
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CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCH	IEOUER	(10, 1011 10, 1010)	101101		
HL Melannei Athenaios		(5/2022 - 5/2024)	TerraPomariaExchequer@antir.c		
CHAMBERLAIN		- (-)			
Lady Aurelia de la Mer		(11/2019 - 11/2021+)	TerraPomaria.Chamberlain@antir.o		
GOLD KEY		, ,		9	
Elovel		(2/2023 - 2/2025)	TerraPo	maria.GoldKey@antir.org	
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CHATELAINE					
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BARONIAL SCRIBE					
HL Wystan Albryght		(2/2023 - 2/2025)	TerraPomaria.Scribe@antir.org		
WEB MINISTER					
Lady Bulan		(11/2021 - 11/2023)	TerraPomaria.Web@antir.org		

THE FOLLOWING POSITIONS ARE SEEKING IMMEDIATE SUCCESSORS OR REQUIRE VOLUNTEERS:

SOCIAL MEDIA OFFICER DEMO COORDINATOR

MINISTER OF LISTS YOUTH ARMORED COMBAT



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Calendar

March

- 1, 8, 15, 22 Baronial Archery Practice
- 7, 14, 21, 28 Baronial Archery Practice
- **4** March Marshalate, The Barony of Terra Pomaria (*Beaverton, OR*)
- **11** Carnevale, The Barony of Dragon's Mist (*Beaverton, OR*)
- 17-19 Summits Spring Coronet, The Barony of Glyn Dwfn (Central Point, OR)
- 20 Baronial Business Meeting
- 25 Mountain Edge Defender Tournament,
 The Shire of Mountain Edge (Yamhill, OR)

April

- 4, 11, 18, 25 Baronial Archery Practice
- 5, 12, 19, 26 Baronial Archery Practice
- **1** Something Bardic (This Way Comes), The Barony of Three Mountains (*Site TBD*)
- **15** Adiantum Birthday Bash, The Barony of Adiantum (*Pleasant Hill, OR*)
- 17 Baronial Business Meeting
- 21-23 Bar Gamels, The Barony of Terra Pomaria (Site TBD)
- **29** Founding Revel, The Barony of Stromgard (*Amboy, WA*)

<u>May</u>

- 9, 16, 23, 30 Baronial Archery Practice
- **3, 10, 17, 24** Baronial Archery Practice
- **6** May Revel, The Shire of Southmarch (*Midland*, *OR*)
- **12-14** Tain Bo, Principality of the Summits (*Central Point, OR*)
- 15 Baronial Business Meeting
- **19-21** May Crown, The Kingdom of An Tir (*Grandview*, *WA*)
- **26-29** Egil Skallagrimson Memorial Prize Tourney, The Barony of Adiantum *(Creswell, OR)*

March 2023

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May 2023

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March Marshalate

March Marshalate - Saturday, March 4th

Location - Mandorla Farm: 28815 S. Needy Rd., Canby, OR, 97013

Eventing season is almost here! Are you combat ready? Come to the March Marshalate where we will be learning, authorizing, and readying for the Tournaments and Wars ahead!

- This event will focus on: <u>Armored, Rapier, Cut & Thrust, and Youth Armored Combat</u>.
 Each area of focus will cover the Marshalling basics through hands on learning with the goal of certification in your chosen field:
- <u>Junior Marshal</u> Jr. Marshals are a key part of this Historical game we all love. It only takes a day to learn the basics and you'll be ready to help keep our fighters safe. Plus, marshals have the best seat in the house!
- <u>Senior Marshal</u> Already a Jr. Marshal with experience in tournament, war, or practice combat?
 Become a Sr. Marshal! Sr. Marshals are who keep fighters authorized and train Jr. Marshals. Step up your game!



- Youth Armored Combat Marshal YAC is going extinct! How are we expected to raise the next generation of stealthy combatants if we don't start training them young? Plus, the littler ones sleep like a rock when their all worn out. Come learn how you can contribute to the revitalization of this mighty, and adorable, field of action!
- <u>Fighter (Re)Authorization</u> Yes, we need fighters here too! The "hands-on" approach can only

happen if we have fighters to put our hands on... wait, that's not right. Well, you get the idea. Whether you are new to fighting, need to get re-authorized, have new armor you need to have checked, or are a fighter who wants to see what all this "marshalling" stuff is about, bring your kit and we'll see what we can do! You'll be serving as a key part of the Marshal Training process AND you'll be ready to participate in the upcoming Coronets, Crowns, Championships, and Wars!

A few key things:

• This event is free to attend! That's right, free! The focus is on getting folks educated and authorized to support the Marshal Arts. To help with that, we are not charging a site fee. Please be sure to



March Marshalate

still bring any necessary identification, membership card, fighter card, etc. as we will still need to sign folks in at gate.

- **Donations will be accepted**. We will have a donation box on site and happily accept any donations you wish to give to support this wonderful event that helps keep our game safely going. All donations will go towards the support of Marshalate activities (like this one and the next one coming this summer for Equestrian, Archery, Thrown Weapons, and Siege).
- Parking is limited Please, please, pretty please Share Your Ride. Due to the nature of soggy fields this time of year, parking will be limited, very limited. Carpool, Vanpool, Buspool, just share. There will be a small drop off area for loading/unloading and accessibility.
- **No Animals Allowed** this is a functioning horse facility. For the safety of all, no other animals are allowed on site (service dogs excepted, on leash w/owners at all times).
- **No Smoking** at the request of the site, please.

This is a casual event, Garb is not required but is encouraged. Please wear appropriate closed toed shoes. We will have some water and snacks. Please bring whatever food and specialty hydration items you wish to have.

The SCA marshal arts are a success through the continued support and safe efforts we all put forth. Help us continue to have rousing tournaments, winning strategies, and grow your skills. We look forward to seeing you there!

Bar Gamels News

Greetings from the Land of Apples! Terra Pomaria is proud to host Bar Gemels 2023! Come join us at Camp Taloali on April 21st-23rd for food, fun, and festivities. This year will feature the Bardic and Youth Championships along with the Dublin Memorial Nobless Oblige Heavy Tournament, Bar Room Brawl, and Rapier Prize Tournament. Other featured events are a silent auction, excellent meal options, and a youth A&S symposium display along with a few classes to boot. So come join in the festivities and we will see you at Bar Gemels 2023!

Pre-Registration:

CLICK HERE TO PRE-REGISTER FOR THE EVENT!

Event Stewards: HL Zulaikha al-Zarqa and

Lord Luther Gutman





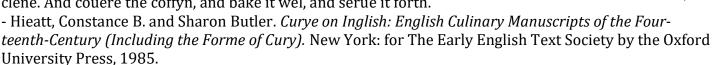
Medieval Recipes

Tart de brymlent (Fish & fruit pie)

PERIOD: England, 14th century | SOURCE: Forme of Cury | CLASS: Authentic

ORIGINAL RECEIPT:

175. Tart de brymlent. Take fyges & raysouns, & waisshe hem in wyne, and grinde hem smale with apples & peres clene ypiked. Take hem vp and cast hem in a pot wiþ wyne and sugur. Take calwer samoun ysode, oþer codlyng oþer haddok, & bray hem smal, & do þerto white powdours & hoole spices & salt, & seeþ it. And whanne it is sode ynowgh, take it vp and do it in a vessel, and lat it kele. Make a ciffyn an ynche depe & do þe fars þerin. Plaunt it above with prunes damysyns: take þe stones out; and wiþ dates quartered and piked clene. And couere the coffyn, and bake it wel, and serue it forth.



GODE COOKERY TRANSLATION:

Tart de Brymlent. Take figs & raisins, & wash them in wine, and grind them small with apples & pears clean picked. Take them up and put them in a pot with wine and sugar. Take very fresh salmon boiled, or cod or haddock, and mince them small, & do there-to white powders & whole spices & salt, & boil it. And when it is cooked enough, take it up and do it in a vessel, and let it cool. Make a pie shell an inch deep & do the filling there-in. Place on top of this damson prunes: take the stones out; and with dates quartered and picked clean. And cover the pie, and bake it well, and serve it forth.

INGREDIENTS:

- Figs, minced
- Apples, peeled, cored, & minced
- White wine
- Cooked Salmon, Cod, or Haddock meat, minced or shredded
- Salt
- One nine-inch pie shell with pastry lid
- Dates, quartered

- Raisins
- Pears, peeled, cored, & minced
- Sugar
- White Pepper
- Whole spices Cinnamon Sticks, Black Peppercorns, Cloves, Ginger, etc. wrapped up in cheesecloth
- Pitted Prunes

DIRECTIONS:

• Place the figs, raisins, apples, & pears in a large pot; cover with wine and add sugar to taste - it should be just slightly sweet, but not overly so. Add fish, spices, & salt to taste. Bring to a boil, then reduce heat to a simmer. Allow the mixture to cook until it has reduced and thickened. Remove the spices in cheesecloth. Remove the pot from the heat and let cool. Place the filling in the pie shell and arrange the prunes and dates on top. Cover with the pastry lid. Bake until pastry is a golden brown. Serve forth!





Officer Profile

Lord Levi von Strausberg - RAPIER OFFICER

I am the Terra Pomaria Rapier Marshal, and new Baronial Rapier Champion. I really enjoy helping new people learn to fence and improve over time, so that might be the best part of my officer role. In contrast, the most challenging part of my position is keeping up with paper work. I am not good at it. If someone was interested in taking over the Rapier Marshal responsibilities, I'd recommend they act as deputy or shadow an acting officer.



I have been playing in the SCA for around ten years. Fencing and rapier initially drew me to the organization. I've enjoyed fencing for a long time, and after college I met the demo crew at the Canterbury Faire. I have been stabbing my friends ever since! I remain primarily active in the martial activities and



service where I am able. Arts and Sciences interests me, but intimidates me, as well. I find research and documentation challenging. Martial activities keep me moving, and I enjoy learning more about how to fight with a sword,. There are so many people with something to share, and each new opponent is a new challenge. Service is just something I grew up with and I enjoy helping people. I also enjoy learning new crafting skills, be it weaving or painting, armor making or wood working. Unfortunately, I don't have much call to use most of them in my day-to-day.

I feel making friends and building new relationships has been my greatest success in the SCA. All the people I have met and become friends with - seeing them grow and find their place, and then explore new things—has been amazing! I am a Sergeantry candidate at the moment, and someday I would like to make Peer. Becoming a Knight sounds fun, but I like fencing so MOD (Master of Defense) is also a possibility.

Looking back, any demo I was at make up some of my favorite memories from playing in the SCA. Getting to hang out with friends, new and old, and share what I know or talk about the fun of the SCA and what we do makes for a great time!

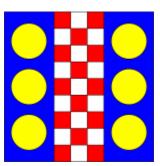
I am willing to share whatever I know with newcomers to the Barony. I am glad to pass on. Advice I would give to newcomers just starting in the SCA is to feel welcome and explore. Try everything that catches your eye, even if only once. Ask questions, and most importantly, have fun. But don't ask me jokes. I know a few but when put on the spot my mind goes blank.



Officer Profile

Her Ladyship Melannei Athenaios - CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER

I am the Baronial Exchequer (or local financial officer in modern terms). My current term started in May, but I have held this office for a full term before and served as contingency deputy on and off for the past 8 years. I've also been Chronicler and Chamberlain, as well as stewarding a few events. What can I say? I enjoy spreadsheets and numbers! I also get to see happy faces when I hand someone a check!



"People get funny about money," is a phrase often said in Exchequer training. It doesn't often cause problems, but it's important to cover all the bases just in case. That's probably the most challenging part of my position, so I am big on documenting financial discussions and getting receipts etc. It's a little extra time but well worth it. For anyone interested in taking on this role, this is one position that I recommend someone becoming a deputy for at least three months, so that they can sit in on finance committee discussions and work through at least one quarterly report with the current Exchequer. You also need to take formal exchequer training, which you might actually be able to access online now.



I joined the SCA in the summer of 2009. My husband and I tried to get involved back in college but that local group was not very welcoming to college students. When we moved here, we knew people who had recently joined and were well set up to dive in feet first! The Barony has always been so welcoming and supportive! I've always been interested in history and ancestry, especially how they did the everyday tasks that we either outsource or have changed so much due to technology. The interest I initially pursued however, was Exchequer and service. I agreed to be Deputy Exchequer within two months of my first event.

I jumped in feet first with service, and that is where I have been most active for the first decade of my time in the SCA. Things like Exchequer, Chronicler and Chamberlain were easier to do than arts when my kids were really little. Now that they are older, I've been branching out to Arts & Sciences. I really enjoy scribal illumination and have been focusing on that lately. I've developed a lot of organizational skills further by performing my officer duties in the SCA. I only wish I could extend those skills better into my normal day-to-day activities! On the other side of things, I feel like my artistic endeavors in the SCA are helping me with my confidence in doing modern artistic endeavors.



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Officer Profile

In regard to my goals in the SCA, I'm working on finding a balance between service and enjoyment. It's easy to get so focused on helping the SCA world go round that I lose sight of what draws me to it and gives me joy. Part of that joy is found in service, so I can't cut it out entirely! Keeping that balance is a real focus for me right now. And honestly, developing friendships and extended families within the SCA is the greatest part of the experience for me.

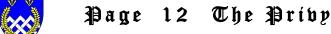
I have so many great memories from my time in the SCA! But the times that I really enjoy are the conversations. At the last event I went to, we sat down and chatted for hours by candlelight. I also enjoy helping behind the scenes with retinue and watching the faces of people being recognized in court. It's like being a part of the magic.

When I meet a newcomer, I mainly want to learn what they are interested in. Most likely I can share a shallow knowledge of the topic, but I can also help them connect with people who can share more. I'm happy to share scribal supplies and help them try out illumination, and I can teach what I know of cordmaking and weaving.

Additionally, advice that I would give newcomers is you don't have to be "period perfect" from day one or even day 792. Budgets and ability don't always allow for a period mode of doing things and sometimes it's just not worth it! I won't give up my modern shoes for anything, because I don't enjoy events if my feet hurt! But we ask that you make an attempt at period clothing and there are many people that can help with that! In the meantime, our Barony has a spectacular loaner garb selection. For people returning to the SCA, I just want them to know that we are glad to have them back in whatever way they are up for! Many people struggle with the same service/joy balance that I do and leave when they have lost that balance. If you just want to play, join us! If you feel up to serving again, dip the toe in slowly. We are just glad to have you with us again.

BTW, how did someone become a medieval executioner? You had to *axe* nicely.







Business Meeting notes for

20 February 2022 Meeting start: 7:00pm

Attendance

Baron: Thegn Clovis

Baroness: Baronesa Ximena Deputy Seneschal: Zulaikha al-

Zarga'

Deputy Seneschal: Kenji Morikawa Katashige Family Activities: Fortune

verch Thomas

Chamberlain: Aurelia de le Mer

Exchequer: Melannei

Athenaios

Deputy Exchequer: Wystan

Albryght

Rapier: Levi von Strausberg Equestrian: Tassi Hestamader

Target Archery: Luther

Gutman

Herald: Sárnat ingen

Chormeicc

Arts & Sciences: Genevieve

Choue

Chronicler: Ji'lid ibn Haydar **Court Coordinator:** Christmas

Carvl

Guest: Gwyneth Blackthorne Guest: Stefan "the Fat" de

Kilpatrick

Guest: Elovel (Kathy) **Guest:** Judith of Three

Mountains

Guest: Adele Neuton, Summits

Webminister

Baron & Baroness

We spent the weekend at Summits Alpin Scholar Festival



and are still recovering. We are so sorry for the people who had planned to make it and couldn't.

- We were delighted to see the Barony so well-represented by Zulaikha, Genevieve, Marcello with a virtual project, and Ainslee's incredible display! Several people were honored with awards.
- Congrats to Lord Levi, our new rapier champion, and to Lord Stefan for the food he provided at Winter's End.

Seneschal

(10/2021 to 10/2023)

Event attendance and staffing has been phenomenal!

- Membership numbers are a little down, but not enough to be worrisome
- Folks stepping up to fill offices has been great, but we do really need a Baronial Social Media Officer.
- I understand Teams has been difficult, and I am willing to look into a Baronial Zoom account.

Demos Coordinator

- Open position.
- Interested parties should talk with Their Excellencies and the Seneschal.



Family Activities Coordinator (10/2020-10/2022)

 Nothing to report. Unable to make it to meeting due to illness.

Exchequer

(05/2022-05/2024)

- Winter's End's gate reconciliation went smoothly, and everything balanced. Thank you, Wystan, and your gate staff!
- The US Bank account has been opened! I will be requesting approval to purchase checks and such from the finance committee. Once I receive the checks, I will close the Bank of America account. That account currently has a \$3,887.08 balance and US Bank has \$2,000 for a total of \$5,887.08. This matches the ledger.

- The Finance Committee met after the January business meeting on 1/16. The budget that I proposed was approved. I will e-mail officers their budget amounts and have attached the budget for the Privy.
- Stonehenge Farms currently holds a \$300 credit for the Barony, and has been open to either refund those funds or put them towards a future event. The Finance Committee voted to request a refund if no event bids for that site have been received by the February business meeting.
- Christmas Caryl presented a \$550 bid for a Marshallate event that would focus on Rapier, Heavy and Cut & Thrust activities. She proposed that there be no site fee to help encourage attendance, but that donations be requested. We



- discussed that the event would probably operate at a loss but recognized a need to grow the marshallate community. The Finance Committee approved the bid as proposed, with the plan that the donations exceed the costs for the event, proceeds will be focused on supporting marshallate activities. Ideally, they will be put towards the cost of a second marshallate event in 2023 covering the remaining three marshallate activities, Archery, Equestrian, and Siege Weapons.
- The Winter's End staff comp list was approved, with the following names in addition to positions listed in the financial policy:
 - Wystan Albright (gate captain)
 - William Geoffrey the





Rogue (Champion/Marshal)

- Victor de Guerre (Marshal)
- Stefan the Fat (Kitchen)
- Ana Martin de Santiago (C&T Marshal)
- All visiting Landed Royals and Baronage
- The committee also discussed two bids via e-mail, due to the short time frame for the events.
- Luther and Zulaikha submitted a bid for Bar Gemels with Fortune as supervising event steward. The site contract at Camp Taloali was negotiated down to \$3,000 which is about \$1,000 higher than previous years, but is still much lower than their advertised rental fees. The total event bid was for \$4,360 with member weekend fee of \$25, daytrip of \$15, and pre-reg meal plan of \$25.

A la carte prices would vary depending on meals. We felt that the \$400 kitchen budget was not enough considering rising food costs, and increased the total amount approved to \$4,560 to allow for an increase to \$600 for the kitchen.

• Christmas submitted a bid for July Coronation this year with Her Highness Lindis as supervising event steward. The event would take place at Powerland Heritage Park. The total bid was for \$9,075.

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Kingdom has offered to provide a loan to help pay for the upfront costs. Christmas requested both to know if we would need a loan and for how much, and for approval from the branch to submit the bid to Kingdom. We do not have a lot of funds that are not earmarked for other events or the operating budget. I advised the committee that we would need a loan of \$8,100 if we chose to go forward with the bid. The bid had a conservative estimate of

attendance which would provide than more \$3,000 income above event costs. Concerns were raised that this would risk burn out of our volunteers, as we have already approved two bids for events that aren't on our normal schedule and Long & Short is less than a month after Coronation. Christmas detailed ways that volunteers were being recruited outside of the Barony. The committee approved submitting the bid to kingdom with the loan request of \$8,100.

 I have received a bid for Long & Short from Gwyneth Blackthorne.
 The Finance Committee will discuss that after February's business meeting.

Chamberlain

(11/2019-11/2021+)

• Since my last report, we hosted our annual Winter's End event. Baronial supplies were used for this event and returned







to the storage shed, apart from the tablecloths, which went home with me to be washed.

- The banners that were borrowed for Eleventh Night were returned and have been placed back into the shed.
- The Heraldic regalia has been inventoried and passed on to our new herald.
- The new rapier champion has received the championship regalia and has filled out the paperwork for it as well.
- That is everything for this month.

Librarian

(10/2020-10/2022)

Nothing to report.

<u>Heavy Marshal</u>

(9/2021-9/2023)

- Terra Pomaria hosted Summits Fighter Practice with about 25 participants, but resulted in a covid outbreak.
- Nothing has been set for a post-practice hang-out previously discussed
- Kenji: Reminder that Wednesday is FREE pie day at Sherry's!

Rapier Marshal

(11/2021-11/2023)

- We've had good practices and new people have begun to stop by
- I am heading to QRC this weekend so if anyone has any suggestions or needs for QRC please let me know.

Lists Minister

- Open position.
- Interested parties should talk with Their Excellencies and the Seneschal.

Target Archery Marshal

(08/2019-08/2021+)

• For the month of February, I have little to report. Practice continues on. At month's start we hosted our potluck shoot to great attendance. We have received an increase in shooters with as many as nine new

shooters on the range.

- March will mark the next Golden Arrow competition set on the 1st Tuesday of the month. Hope to see you there!
- Also, by request, we will hold a thrown weapons practice on Tuesday, February 21st.

Equestrian Marshal

(08/2010-Indefinite)

• Nothing to report this moment. I hope to take some time today and get insurance ordered for practices for 2023. I may send an updated report of this is accomplished.

Youth Armored Combat

- Open position.
- Accepting applicants. Interested parties please send an email to Their Excellencies and the Seneschal.



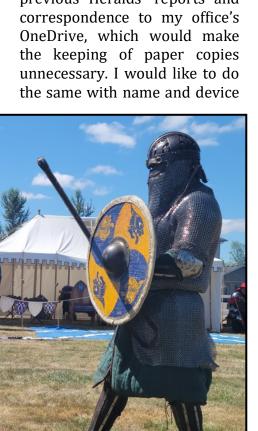


Herald

(9/2022-9/2024)

• At Winter's End on January 21, I heralded the Court of Their Excellencies Terra Pomaria. During that court I was officially named Hazel Leaf Pursuivant according to custom by Their Excellencies and with the participation of those members of the An Tir College of Heralds present.

that the An Tir Internal Letters of Intent do not need to be kept in paper form because they are already archived on the Kingdom website. I received permission to scan and save previous Heralds' reports and correspondence to my office's OneDrive, which would make the keeping of paper copies unnecessary. I would like to do the same with name and device



- At Winter's End I also took possession of the Herald's files, books, and assorted paraphernalia, with the appropriate paperwork completed.
- I have been in contact with Bleu Grael about the two small totes of Herald's files. He agrees

submissions with their accompanying documentation, which I can easily do in color. Bleu Grael requests that I write to Lion's Blood to be sure before I do anything with those.

Arts and Sciences

(3/2022-3/2024)

- The January A&S day was a hit. There were at least 13 people in attendance, which has prompted me to reserve the Salem Public Library for future gatherings. Additionally, I expect that the March A&S day will be well attended, both inperson and virtually, as scribal is very popular right now.
- The February A&S day was canceled, given the Summits and Kingdom A&S competitions. There were several TP members that competed in the Summits A&S competition and displays. I am hoping to get more pictures and videos up on the page.
- The hybrid method continues to be working well. I have several instructors ready to lune up and am focusing on some of the new Laurels in our area, so that the populace has opportunities to get exposure as well as learn from experts in their respective fields.
- Last business meeting I encouraged the Marshal community to do some A&S days for the benefit of our populace as well as to gain Kingdom-wide exposure, but I have not heard back yet.
- Lastly, I am working on co-stewarding the new event pertaining to persona development. We hope TP will continue



to support and agree to host. We hope to submit approval for the event, which will be a year out to give artisans plenty of time to prepare.

• There have not been any A&S activities at events. I will be looking to hold some at TP specific events.

Chronicler

(12/2020-12/2022)

- I finally got down to brass tacks and published the latest issue of The Privy collecting months of **Business** four Meeting minutes and capturing photos and updates for three major events. I also continued the series of officer profiles and provided updates on upcoming events. It has been uploaded to the TP website and a link has posted Facebook. been to Please provide any feedback you have regarding content, photos, or articles/features you would like to see included.
- I have the next issue prepped and should get it out by week's end once I complete the meeting minutes. If any of my fellow officers want to include something from their office (a transcript or images from an Art's & Sciences class, a History of Rapier, basic heraldry facts, etc.) please send them my way.
- If anyone has photos of

court or tournaments where members of TP were present, competed or recognized, please send them my way for inclusion in the newsletter.

Grete Boke

(8/2022-8/2024)

No report.

Web Minister

(11/2021-11/2023)

- Two Privy's have been uploaded, and Adele helped get the calendar updated.
- Please reach out if you find anything that needs updating.

Chatelaine

(3/2022-3/2024)

- No primary report
- Ximena Ceilidh was held with six people and we gathered and chatted. We are hoping to have a theme next

month - dance, cards, etc. Let Ximena and AnaMartin know if you have questions or ideas. We encourage everyone to join us!

- Bring your things to work on armor, projects, A&S, etc.
- Tassi: Could we hold a trading blanket to exchange useful things.
- Ximena: Good idea, I will chat with Ana Martin.

Gold Key

- Elovel (Kathy) is volunteering to be Gold Key officer.
- I have been playing for 1.5 years, and I want to get more involved. I have been to every event I could attend and really enjoyed An Tir-West War.
- I dig clothes I've made lots of clothes. I spoke to Ellen at Egils and learned a lot about Gold Key - making, upkeep, and presenting clothing.
- I have the time, capacity,







and space for storage, and repaired two tubs of clothes to help out. I want to be of service to the Barony.

- Christmas: She is lovely and jumped right in to help with repair work cleaned, took care of the garb and now it's ready Amazing!
- Luther: At archery practice she has been inquisitive and involved
- I am also interested in cooking and scribal work – I get a kick out of all SCA activities.
- Stefan: She has offered to help at Bar Gamels by providing a beverage to drink.
- Bar Gamels was my first event – Duncan took me under his wing and made it an unforgettable day! I plan to compete in the archery competition and will volunteer in the kitchen. I am making 8 gallons of a nonalcoholic drink.

- 13 votes to accept her as Gold Key officer; no nays.
- Coordinate with Chamberlain for Gold Key tubs and contact Webminister for website updates.

Scribe

(11/2019-11/2021+)

- Wystan Albryght is volunteering to be Scribal officer.
- I am the former Exchequer, and have close ties to Court Coordinator, thereby able to pass out awards timely.
- I would like to bring back the Scribal and Thingmakers meetings, maybe tie into Ceilidh until a permanent site is chosen.
- Christmas is a premiere artist in the Barony but I am not
 I will participate to the best of my ability, but focus on tapping other artists and artisans.

- I want to restart communication to the Summits Scribe, as well.
- Zulaikha: You don't have to be a scribe to be a scribal officer, you're only steering the ship.
- Christmas: Scribal supplies are already at our house and Wystan is great at admin and tracking and coordination.
- 10 votes for Wystan, no nays.

Past Events

Winter's End (Clovis)

• The final report is not done, but it was a very wonderful event. We had a full field of rapier fighters – 11 total! Levi won the hard-fought tournament! The fewest number of fights any one competitor fought was 21 - a test of skill and endurance.



• We made a small profit. I will be submitting a final report soon for next month's meeting.

Upcoming Events:

• Marshalate Training (Christmas)

- To be held March 4th at Mandorla Farm in Canby a one-day event from 9am-5pm.
- An event for marshaling, to get as many certified marshals in our area as possible. Reps from Three Mountains and Dragon's Mist will be there to assist.
- Dame Rashida will be there to instruct Youth Armored Combat. There are only 2 YAC marshals in the Kingdom. The plan is to take it the first chunk of day to get maximum participation in YAC marshal training, start to understand what it means for YAC and get it going again.
- Ximena: This is a fabulous opportunity for those in Sergeantry to complete a requirement. We are very excited to hold this opportunity. Plus, Mandorla Farm is only one road outside our Baronial border!
- Marshal is part of Sergeantry – in fact two candidates are running actual training – AnaMartin (Cut & Thrust) and Levi (Rapier)

- There will be no site fee but donations will be accepted. Please bring water and snacks for yourself. Some snacks and Gatorade will be available. Parking is limited so please carpool. And no pets allowed on site.
- Zulaikha asked about a background check requirement. Christmas: No background check required to be a YAC
- marshal, but someone on site should have a background check, plus parents should be there supervising, as well. She will get clarification.
- Clovis: I am confident that Rashida knows a lot more and can answer any questions. The final report is not done, but it was a very wonderful event. We had a full field of rapier fighters 11 total! Levi won the hard-







fought tournament! The fewest number of fights any one competitor fought was 21 - a test of skill and endurance.

Upcoming Events

Bar Gamels (Luther & Zulaikha)

Good Gentles, as you have heard Bar Gemels 2023 is in development and scheduled for April 21-23 and we will be hosting the event and the wonderfully gracious Camp Taloali. Event staff is coming along with Lord Stephan running the kitchen, HL Alaina Blackthorn managing the Gate, Lady Aurelia is to be our merchant coordinator. Her Excellency Sarnat is fielding the

Cabins, HL Gwyneth has taken on Pre-reg, Lord Cormac is our parking specialist, HL Pumpkin connects us to the Royal, and His Excellency Clovis continues to bring teaching and education to the masses. For our events, HL Zulaikha will be running our bardic, and HL Fortune the Youth Championship, Sir Bato is to be our heavy marshal, and Lord Levi will be running a rapier event along with an Archery event is in the works led by Archos Duncan.

• Currently missing from our ranks is list minister, live stream coordinator and a safety officer. Crier copy has been submitted along with a Privy copy, and the Kingdom event page has been updated along with a Face book event.

- Other features of this years will be a Youth Project display where the youth of our Barony can showcase all they have worked on. Showing off their skills and creating opportunities to learn new ones along with making connections. Also will be Silent Auction а managed by Her Excellency Ainslee to help raise funds to sponsor children for Camp Taloali.
- Lists doesn't have to be an individual job and can recruit help to forma a lists staff.
- All youth entries are acceptable science fair projects, sci-fi, hobbies/joys, etc. We want to see what kids are working on. All youth outside Terra Pomaria are welcome as well. Donations of extra tables are appreciated.
- A work party will be scheduled to help prepare the camp in May by removing underbrush and repainting some facilities.
- Stefan: Brisket is planned for Saturday's dinner. He is filling his fridge with lots of meat for a lot of German themes and comfort food. Asked questions about providing meat and financials. Melannei: Submit a request for reimbursement following purchase or request an advance.



- Vegetarian and gluten free options are being planned for the meals. But there was not a place to identify diet restrictions on pre-reg form, and we already have 60 pre-reg's.
- Sarnat: Asked about prior issues with cabins and beds and if there will be an inspection. Zulaikha: An inspection will likely be scheduled for late March and they will coordinate with Sarnat to attend. "off-grid" cabins will be used but they may have electricity by then

July Coronation (Christmas)

- Christmas' bid is in, but it may be a bit of time to hear back from Kingdom.
- The plan is for July 14-16 at Powerland Heritage Park in Brookes. More details will come after Kingdom approval.
- Many people from outside the Barony have been volunteering which is good. We should have some shifts and roles to for Baronial members to fill.

Long & Short (Gwyneth)

- We have a credit at Stonehenge so I put in a bid to use the site for Long and Short.
- I am planning basically the same event Stefan ran last year including a heavy tournament, rapier, cut and thrust, archery, thrown weapons, and youth armored combat. Also an equestrian display or demo.
- Some barriers are that my personal health at high temps is not good; Lord Cormac will be takedown coordinator.
- Melannei: We may want to change it to single day event considering volunteer burnout. camping or daytrip
- Stefan: A previous one-day event was a 13-hour marathon 8am-9pm, plus taking things to the shed. It's a lot to pack in for one-day. Also, if takedown volunteers are fighting, it's not a good idea to ask them to breakdown afterward while exhausted.
- People can arrive and camp on Friday, if needed, and pack up after dinner on Saturday. We will have site for the whole weekend so people could stay until Sunday. Site pack-up on Sunday.
- Clovis: July coronation may be an easier event because of the number of volunteers from outside the Barony; we should give the option to camp to





people traveling far.

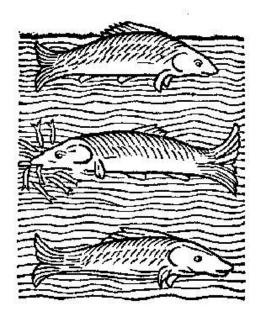
- Ji'lid: Asked questions if a one-day event was appropriate for equestrian. Tassi: The horses can be tied to trailers so no extra pens are needed, and she could offer her place to riders, if needed.
- Volunteers are okay with tearing down Sunday and no official activities will be held.

Old Business

- Baronial Yard Sale (Zulaikha)
- Likely happening in the 2023 spring.
- Date proposed: Saturday, August 19th, 2023 (the weekend after Long and Short)
- Location: Luther and Zulaikha's yard, Aumsville
- Every year Aumsville has a corn festival, which includes the opportunity for residents to add their garage sale to a neighborhood map in the city newsletter. This seems like a good way to increase our odds of foot traffic, despite not being in a major city. Cost to publish the sale in the newsletter is unknown but Zulaikha will inquire.
- I would propose that we borrow a day shade from the Barony to protect wares from any inclement weather, as well as having a sign and some brochures available.

- Goods do not have to be SCA related, but the idea would be that funds raised go to the Barony (specific project?)
- If this becomes the plan, as we get closer I will post a sign up for help if anyone would like to help. We would need help setting up and pricing items, as well as a plan for what to do with anything left over.
- Melannei: In the past we've donated unsold items to Salem Friends of Felines or other thrift stores.

Meeting ended at 8:20pm



PROPOSED 2023 BUDGET FOR TERRA POMARIA

BUDGET	2023
DESCRIPTION	BUDGET
A&S	\$50.00
Baronial Awards	\$50.00
Baronial Marshall	\$100.00
Ceilidh	
Site/Insurance	\$690.00
Chamberlain	\$200.00
Chatelaine	\$50.00
Chronicler	\$50.00
Demos	\$50.00
Equestrian Marshal	\$100.00
Exchequer	\$50.00
Family Activities	
Coordinator	\$100.00
Gold Key	\$50.00
Grete Boke	\$50.00
Herald	\$50.00
Librarian	\$50.00
Lists	\$50.00
Officer Training	\$50.00
PO Box	\$212.00
Rapier Marshal	\$100.00
Regalia	\$50.00
Scribe	\$100.00
Seneschal	\$50.00
Storage space	\$2,760.00
Target Marshal	\$100.00
Web Minister	\$50.00
Youth Armored	
Combat	\$50.00
Baronage	\$50.00
TOTAL	\$5,312.00