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Meetings and Practices

Baronial Business Meetings

1st Thursday of each month Sachem Public Library (Holbrook) 7:30pm Contact Seneschal Baron Master Sean de Londres (John Cnapich) for information. <u>barondelondres@yahoo.com</u> All are welcome. Officers are encouraged to attend.

Canton Business Meetings Hawkes Reache

2nd Tuesday of each month Harborfields Library (Greenlawn) 7:30pm Contact Seneschal Alexander MacLachlan (Brett Kessler) for information. <u>captgoldman2100@aol.com</u>

Fighter Practice

Wednesdays 7-10:30 PM (see pg. 6) The ball fields at Islip Grange Park, Broadway Ave., Sayville, two cross streets north of Montauk Hwy. Contact Lord Tristan at 516-652-8469 Fencing

Fridays 7:30 - 10 P.M.

Loaner gear available. Anyone 14 yrs. and older welcome. 640 Belle Terre Rd., Building F, Port Jefferson, NY Contact Moresca at 347-276-8813 or

morescarf@aol.com

Directions to Gachem Library

Take the L.I.E. to exit 61, Patchogue-Holbrook Rd. CR-19 towards Patchogue/ Holbrook. Merge onto Expwy Drive South, turn left at Holbrook Rd. The library is at 150 Holbrook Rd. 631-588-5024

Archery & Thrown Weapons

Next archery practice April 10 Contact Lord Logan de Londres and Lady Damianna de Londres (Mark & Dina Wolyniec) for information: 631-924-6968 (before 9 PM)

Baronial Officers

Baron & Baroness

Baron Ateno of Annun Ridge & Baroness Lassar Ingen Aeda (Eric and Andrea Rhude) 34 Oakland Drive N Riverhead NY 11901 (631) 208-3767 before 10 p.m. ateno@panix.com

Seneschal

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Exchequer

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Canton of Aawkes Reache



Geneschal

Alexander MacLachlan (Brett Kessler) 124 Cimarron Ct. Amityville, NY 11701 631-428-7492 (before10:30pm) captgoldman2100@aol.com

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Center Moriches NY 11934-2811 (631) 874-2748 before 10 p.m.

Master of Lists

Lord Logan de Londres (Mark Wolyniec) 2 Sylvia Lane Middle Island, NY 11953 (631) 924-6968 before 9 p.m. Seeking Deputy *

Chronicler

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Onòra Inghean Ui'Rauirc (Michelle Schumacher) <u>lvl70dna@gmail.com</u>

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Berald

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> * SEEKING LETTERS of INTENT Letters of Intent should be submitted to the Baronial Seneschal & Coronet via mail or email. Letters may also be submitted at the Baronial business meeting held the first Thursday of every month at Sachem Public Library.

Event Calendar

Local Barony of An Dubhaigeainn events listed in red.

For full event listing and information see the East Kingdom website: <u>http://www.eastkingdom.org/event-list.html</u>

April	May
 4/9 <u>April Foolish Fiber Frolic</u>: Canton of Brokenbridge Brooklyn, NY 4/9 <u>Blades & Blarney XIV: The Resurrection</u>: Barony of Concordia of the Snows - Scotia, NY 	 5/7 <u>The Third Dance Academy and a Ball in the Canton of Northpass ** UPDATED**</u> Canton of Northpass - Yonkers, NY 5/7 <u>Crown Tourney</u> Shire of Hartshorn-dale - Plymouth
 4/16 Pent Central : Barony of Concordia of the Snows Schenectady, NY 4/16 Balfar's Challenge : Barony of Dragonship Haven Meriden, CT 	Meeting, PA 5/14 <u>An Dubhaigeainn's Spring Schola</u> Barony of An Dubhaigeainn - Shirley, NY (see pg. 4) 5/21 <u>Daily Life Schola</u> Barony of Beyond the Mountain
4/29 - 5/1 <u>Southern Region War Camp</u> Barony of Caril- lion - Manalapan, NJ	- West Granby, CT 5/27 - 5/30 The War of the Roses Barony of Concordia of the Snows - Pattersonville, NY

HOLD THE DATE! Saturday, June 11, 2011 - Potted Arms and Fancy Faire (see pg. 5)

Arts and Science News and Notes



Sewing and Stained Glass Sunday, April 17 and May 15 1 p.m.

These workshops are held even if one person shows up, so be sure to

contact Baroness Lisl by Friday, April 15 to confirm your attendance. You can reach Baroness Lisl at 631-243-4734 or by email at <u>iliketosew1@verizon.net</u>.

As an additional sweetie to tempt you, Sir Richard Blackmoore has offered to open his extensive library on Arms and Armor for on-site perusal by interested parties while the classes are going on. Anyone needing hands on assistance from Sir Richard regarding armor & combat research or advice, should contact him in advance to set up a date & time to work with him in person: theregent1@verizon.net. **Calligraphy and Illumination** Thursday, April 14 5:30 p.m.

The next workshop in our ongoing scribal series will be held at the home of Mark and Dina Wolyniec, 2 Sylvia Lane, Middle Island, NY 11953. Special



guest instructor Lady Ding Li Ying will be covering several aspects of calligraphy and illumination, and all skill levels are welcome. Please plan to bring a dish to feed four people, as well as any calligraphy tools you might have.

Remember, they have dogs so keep that in mind if you have any allergies. Please call Lady Damianna if you plan to attend - (631)924-6968. No calls after 9 p.m.

Baronial Spring Schola Saturday, May 14, 2011

The Barony of An Dubhaigeainn cordially invites you to join us for a day of learning and revelry at 'Villa Vincog'. We have a full day's schedule of activities, including schola classes on a variety of topics. While we continue to add classes, here are a few already scheduled to whet your appetite: Pewter Casting (both lecture and hands on instruction), Pouch Beading, Herbs and Salves, Prepping and Packing of Food for Pennsic, Leatherworking, Skinning and Tanning, and an allday Silk Banner Making project where we hope to turn out a baronial war banner for Pennsic! Other small silk painting projects may be available - please contact Mistress Suzanne if there is a specific project on which you would like to work.

The tentative schedule has classes running from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. with plenty of time between classes and a break for lunch. The Court of Their Excellencies Ateno and Lassar, Baron and Baroness of An Dubhaigeainn, will be held directly after classes are cleared. We also plan to hold an auction! Items will include garb, assorted feast-gear, and, for those looking to increase their personal SCAdian libraries, books!

Please note that feast will be a barbecue style event limited to forty people. Pre-registration is strongly encouraged. Activities will take place outdoors, so please dress accordingly. Extra chairs are always welcome. If you have any questions about the classes scheduled, please contact Lady Damianna. All other questions should be directed to Mistress Suzanne.

Directions: Take your best route to LIE exit 68 south (William Floyd Parkway). Make a left at second light (Moriches-Middle Island Road), Make second right (Freestate Drive). Site is 100 feet down the road. Parking in power cut just south of site address.

At-a-Glance Event Information

Site: "Villa Vincog" 417 Freestate Drive Shirley, NY 11967

Site Opens: 10 a.m. Site Closes: 8 p.m.

Event Fees:

Site: \$4 for all attendees Adults without proof of membership are subject to an additional \$5 Non-Member Surcharge fee. Feast: \$7 for those over 13 \$3 for children Babes in arms are free

Please send Reservations to:

Susan M-Frank 417 Freestate Drive Shirley, NY 11967 Phone: 631-987-5016 (before 9PM) email: sdelondres@gmail.com with Schola in subject line

Other Contact Information: Please direct all questions concerning classes to: Lady Damianna de Londres Phone: 631-924-6968 (before 9PM)

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At-a-Glance Event Information

Site:

Unitarian Universalist Fellowship at Huntington 109 Browns Rd Huntington, NY 11743 (pet free and discretely damp)

> Site Opens: 10:00 am Site Closes: 6:00 pm

Event Fees:

Site : Adults: \$15.00 Minors (10-17): \$6.00 Children (2-9): \$3.00 Babes in arms are free

Send Reservations to:

Lady Sorcha of Stonegrave (Pamela J. Jacques) 16 Leonard Drive, East Northport, NY 11731 (631)754-8977, e-mail: pjjny@yahoo.com

Co-Autocrat:

Lord Miquel d'Avinhon (Mike Davies)mdavies1a@gmail.com

Other info:

For dietary concerns contact Baroness Mistress Suzanne Neuber de Londres (Susan M-Frank) e-mail: dlondres@optonline.net.

For fencing matters contact Lord Alexander MacLachlan (Brett Kessler), (631)428-7492 before 10:30PM, e-mail: <u>captgoldman01@aol.com</u>.

Merchant fees: \$5 per table, please contact the Autocrat if more than two tables are needed. Please bring a shade structure for your comfort.

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Potted Arms & Fancy Faire

Saturday, June 11, 2011

Hosted by the Canton of Hawkes Reache

Spring has flowered into summer once again and Baron Ateño of Annun Ridge and Baroness Lassar Ingen Aeda travel the lands of An Dubhaigeainn to collect their tithes on the way to the Pennsic War. The Canton of Hawkes Reache welcomes them with a Summer Faire complete with TWO fencing Tournaments including a Pas D'Arms Tournament to select the new Baronial fencing champion. There will be games and activities for all! (Additional martial activities to be announced.) Merchants are most welcome to help us get in fine shopping form for Pennsic! So bring your chairs and blankets to take respite upon the lawns, watch the fencing activities, and visit with old and new friends.

There will be a hearty day-board served throughout the day. While no feast will be served, fear not! None shall leave hungry, as the table has groaned under the bounty of our day-board these past four years! The fencing list shall open to competitors at 11 a.m.. There shall be two Tournaments: the Hat Tournament and the Pas D'Arms Tournament.

Prior to the Hat Tournament, we will hold the ever-popular Hat Auction, benefiting the Baronial Rapier Community where the populace can bid for a fencer represented by their hat. If that rapier fighter wins the Tournament, the bidder wins a prize. The format of the Hat Tournament will be the decided by the day of the event.

The second Tournament is a Pas D'Arms contest which is based on a demonstration of period skill. Everyone is welcome to participate and there is a strong emphasis on pageantry. Each fencer in the Pas D'Arms Tournament must be introduced by a herald. It is expected that each herald will be vividly "over the top" (as in *A Knight's Tale*). A prize and recognition will be awarded for the best heraldry.

The demonstrations of both skill and pageantry will help Their Excellencies to choose the next Baronial Champion from the An Dubhaigeainn participants, and the overall Tournament Champion from all participants.

Directions: Take your best route to Route 110 North into Huntington Village (Approx. 4 miles from Route 25, Jericho Tpk.) Make left onto Main Street (Route 25A) then make first right onto Wall Street. Continue on Wall Street for 3/4 mile, to Southdown Road. Make a left onto Southdown Road and follow the signs to Browns Road. There will be a stop sign at the corner of Browns Road and Southdown Road.Turn right onto Browns Road. The site is on your left shortly after the elementary school.

Combat Arts: fighting, fencing, archery & thrown weapons

We're back! Outdoor practices are being held every Wednesday, 7-10:30 PM at Islip Grange Park, Broadway Ave., Sayville, two cross streets north of Montauk Hwy. Contact Lord Tristan at 516-652-8469. As practices are scheduled, any of the following may step in as Marshal in Charge so that scheduled baronial practice may continue with insurance intact: Kevin Dowd, James Peck, and Eric Rhude. The fencers operate on a similar premise. Moresca (Julie DeVuono) is the deputy KM in charge of Rapier. In her absence, any of the following may MiC a Rapier practice: Pete Boullianne, Erik Soto, and Brett Kessler.

Seavy Weapons: Up to date information on practices may be found at the Yahoo web site here: <u>http://groups.yahoo.com/group/scaducks/</u>.

We have also been invited to join the fighters of Ostgardr who continue to meet on Sundays in Brooklyn from noon until about 4 p.m. at Quality Conservation, 140 58th Street, Bldg. A, Unit 8M. The site is indoors - a large warehouse

Youth Combat

Youth Combat practices are held at the same time and place we hold Heavy Weapons practice. Please **confirm your attendance in advance** with Lord Marcus so there are Youth Marshals present. You can reach him through: <u>http://groups.yahoo.com/group/sca</u> <u>ducks/</u> with plenty or room, so even polearms are fine. There is plenty of parking within a fenced and guarded lot. For those taking public transportation, the site is two to three blocks from the R/ N train stop at 59th

Sencing Practice

We continue to meet at 640 Belle Terre Rd., Building F, in Port Jefferson. Practice for fencers is Friday evenings, 7:30-10 p.m. Some loaner gear may be available if requested beforehand. Please call Moresca before coming to practice to confirm that we're meeting. (347) 276-8813 or morescarf@aol.com

We have also been invited to join practices with Lion's End at 3060 Hempstead Tpk., Levittown. A regular date has not yet been established, but you can contact Lord Alexander MacLachlan (Brett Kessler) for further info. (631)428-7492 before 10:30 p.m., e-mail: captgoldman01@aol.com.

Street. Non-fighters are welcome to attend. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact <u>RobertEsteves@gmail.com</u>

We have also been invited to join a <u>NON SCA</u> practice held by MSR on Thursday nights at 7 p.m. at Wantagh Memorial Congregational Church, 1845 Wantagh Ave., Wantagh, NY 11793. Please contact Adam Redler for further info: <u>adamo_di_barbera@yahoo.com</u>

Archery & Thrown Weapons:

Our next archery practice will be held on Sunday, April 10 at the home of Mark and Dina Wolyniec, 2 Sylvia Lane, Middle Island, NY beginning at 1 p.m. Some loaner gear is available, so if you've ever been interested in trying archery, here's your chance! While there is space for thrown weapons, practice will depend on the presence of a thrown weapons marshal. Since we're outdoors, please dress accordingly. We practice in mundane clothing. Extra chairs and munchies are always welcome! See you there!



Special Announcement: East Kingdom News (Seen on the Web will return next month)

There are some changes in the air. Most of us have kept up with East Kingdom news through the Pikestaff, the regular monthly newsletter for the East Kingdom. Due to a number of issues, the Board of the S.C.A. has decided to move towards offering members the option of receiving an electronic, rather than a printed newsletter. Members will have the option to continue to receive a printed kingdom newsletter if they prefer, but we urge you to consider the green option of receiving the Pikestaff in electronic form which will save paper, printing and postage costs. It's a green and lean option that spells win/win for the organization and the planet. We're not there yet - the Pikestaff will continue to arrive in print form for the foreseeable future. To keep us all in the loop as events develop, our East Kingdom Chronicler, Lady Katerine atte Wyshe, has asked that we share the following news with the populace:

Greetings,

I have a small update from the Board on the upcoming electronic and print publishing of kingdom newsletters. (I've added more info to this announcement than was originally released to us, as some items have since been clarified.)

1. Once the commitment to e-newsletters for a specific date has been made, kingdom chroniclers can begin work on electronic versions of kingdom newsletters (i.e. if the effective date is January 1, the first issue we would produce in both print and electronic media would be March).

2. The e-newsletters will be on a single website (with a link from www.sca.org), and site viewing will be password-protected. Kingdoms cannot post their newsletter on their kingdom website, as newsletter access will remain tied to membership and only the Member Services Office can confirm membership.

3. Since the print and electronic versions of the newsletter must be the same, the electronic newsletter will have all the same content/page count (as well as the restriction to black and white) of the printed version. The most recent word on this is that all kingdoms will use the same template for newsletter production (there are many outstanding questions on what this will mean). Time and resources allowing, kingdoms may add an optional electronic-only supplement to the kingdom newsletter. The supplement can be full color, with art, photos, articles, reports and chronicles of events. The supplement, where produced, would also be hosted on sca.org and password-protected for members.

4. The only format to be used in the beginning (for both the newsletter and the optional supplement) is PDF.

The wheels turn slowly. I understand there will be more forthcoming soon, but that's what I have for now.

Please direct questions/feedback to me at chronicler@eastkingdom.org or to the EK Ombudsman at mfaulcon@director.sca.org (the email address listed in Pikestaff).

My thanks, Katerine EK Chronicler

From the Coronet

Creetings from Ateño & Lassar!

You know spring has arrived as soon as fighter practice resumes. Despite the unpredictable weather, our new Knight Marshal has held two successful practices so far. He has also started a Facebook group to pass information quickly to interested parties. Of course, our official conduit for information is through The Viaduct, but the Facebook group is a great way to pass along last minute changes and streamline communication among the fighters. If you would like to join the group, please contact Lord Tristan or myself and we'll be happy to link you up.

We'd like to thank our Seneschal, Baron Sean, for hosting a fantastic commons in mid-March. There was archery, thrown weapons, and plenty of food and friendship. The weather was clear, if a bit nippy, and we all enjoyed the warmth of the fire pit.

Spring Schola will be held on May 14th and there are many interest-

ing classes being offered. Instructors have come from within the barony and we also have a number of generous guest instructors coming for the day. We encourage the populace to take advantage of this opportunity to learn or improve their skills. We will be holding court and enjoying the day.

As we previously mentioned, Lassar and I plan to step down at the end of our term as Baron and Baroness, and so we would like to hear from those thinking of running for the Baronial election. It's important to have a smooth transition and we want to have everything ready for the election for later this year.

Pennsic is fast approaching. If you've attended before you know the drill. If you are new to Pennsic, we ask that you contact our camp coordinator, Peter of Hawkwoods, before registering with Cooper's Lake Campground. Peter spends a lot of time and effort to make sure the camp runs smoothly and it's important for him to be fully aware of who is coming so that our camp experience is enjoyable for all.

On a sadder note, the patriarch of the family that runs Cooper's Lake, Frank "Mack" Cooper passed away early in the morning on April fourth. We owe much to the man who has hosted us at their home and grounds at Pennsic for many years. If you would like, the family has asked that donations be sent to their church: Zion Baptist Church; c/o Holly Lindey, 361 Country View Road, Slippery Rock, PA 16057, in lieu of flowers.

As always we are available for your questions and comments.

In Service, Ateno and Lassar Baron and Baroness An Dubhaigeainn



