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Meetings and Practices

Baronial Business Meetings

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

Canton Business Meetings Canton of Hawkes Reache

2nd Tuesday of each month at Panera Bread, 4097 Jericho Turnpike, East Northport at 7:30 p.m. Contact Seneschal Lord Alexander MacLachlan (Brett Kessler) for information at <u>captgoldman01@aol.com</u>.

Directions to Gachem Library

Take the Long Island Expressway to Exit 61, Patchogue-Holbrook Road, CR-19 towards Patchogue/ Holbrook. Merge onto Expressway Drive South, turn left at Holbrook Road. The library is at 150 Holbrook Road. 631-588-5024

Fighter Practice

Outdoor practice has resumed! Wednesdays from 7 p.m. (see pg. 4) The ball fields at Islip Grange Park, Broadway Avenue, Sayville, two cross streets north of Montauk Highway. Contact Lord Tristan at 516-652-8469

Fencing

Fridays, 7:30 - 10:00 p.m. (see pg. 4)

Loaner gear available. Anyone 14 years and older welcome. 640 Belle Terre Road, Building F, Port Jefferson, New York. Contact Moresca at

347-276-8813 or at morescarf@aol.com

Archery & Thrown Weapons

Next practice Saturday, May 12 (see pg. 4) Contact Lord Logan de Londres and Lady Damianna de Londres (Mark & Dina Wolyniec) for information at 631-924-6968 (before 9 p.m.)

Baronial Officers

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Mistress of Lists

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Canton of Hawkes Reache



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Geneschal

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* SEEKING LETTERS of INTENT. Letters of Intent should be submitted to the Baronial Seneschal and the 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. Interested parties may speak with the outgoing officer, the Seneschal or the Coronet.

Event Calendar

Local Barony of An Dubhaigeainn events listed in red.

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

May	June	
5/12 <u>Carolingian Baronial Investiture and War Practice</u> Barony of Carolingia - Walpole, MA	6/1 - 3 <u>King and Queen's Archery Champions</u> Barony of the Bridge - Foster, RI	
5/19 BBM Investiture Barony of Beyond the Mountain - New Britain, CT	6/8 -10 <u>Southern Region War Camp</u> Barony of Carillion - Manalapan, NJ	
5/25 - 28 The Quest for Wit and Wisdom XXIX - Quest the Musical Barony of Settmour Swamp - Neshanic Sta-	6/9 Baronial Commons, Centereach, NY - see pg. 6	
tion, NJ	6/15 -18 Palio di Stonemarche / King's and Queen's Equestrian Champions' Tourney	
5/25 - 28 <u>Wars of the Roses XXXII</u> Barony of Concordia of the Snows - Pattersonville, NY	Barony of Stonemarche - Contoocook, NH 6/22 -24 Known World Heralds and Scribes Sympo-	
	sium Barony of the Bridge - Warwick, RI	
	6/22 -24 East Kingdom War Practice Shire of Eisental - Lehighton, PA	
The second second	6/24 <u>Riverdale Riverfest Demo</u> Crown Province of Ostgardr - Bronx, NY	
	6/30 <u>"Potted" Arms and Fancy "Faire" VI</u> Canton of Hawke's Reache - Huntington, NY - see pg. 5	

Canton of Bawkes Reache http://hawkesreache.eastkingdom.org

Greetings! We hope that you will be able to join us at our next event, "Potted" Arms and Fancy "Faire" VI on June 30th at the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Huntington! Please see pg. 5 for full details.



You are also invited to join us at our regular monthly Canton meeting. Our June 12th meeting will be held at Panera Bread, 4097 Jericho Turnpike, East Northport at 7:30 p.m..

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Combat Arts: fighting, fencing, archery & thrown weapons

Seavy Weapons Outdoor practices have resumed! We meet Wednesdays from 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. (perhaps ending later, depending on available light) in Sayville at Islip Grange Park, Broadway Avenue, two cross streets north of Montauk Highway. For more information, contact Lord Tristan at 516-652-8469 or check the Yahoo Scaducks group list. 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. Up to date information on practices may be found at the Yahoo web site here: http://groups.yahoo.com/group/scaducks/.

SPECIAL NOTICE: The Society Marshal has posted some changes to the Marshal's handbook regarding armor and weapons requirements. You can find the full information here: <u>http://sca.org/officers/marshal/ann.html</u>

Sencing Dractice We continue to meet on Friday evenings from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. at 640 Belle Terre Road, Building F, in Port Jefferson. Some loaner gear may be available if requested beforehand. To confirm that we're meeting before coming to practice, please contact Moresca at (347) 276-8813 or at <u>morescarf@aol.com</u>, or check the Scaducks group list at Yahoo groups.

We have also been invited to join practices with the Canton of Lion's End on the first Friday of each month at 3060 Hempstead Turnpike in Levittown. Please contact Lord Alexander MacLachlan (Brett Kessler) for further info at (631)428-7492 before 10:30 p.m., or e-mail: <u>captgoldman01@aol.com</u>.

Archery Practice Our next outdoor archery practice will be on Saturday, May 12 at 1

p.m. at the home of Mark and Dina Wolyniec at 2 Sylvia Lane, Middle Island, NY 11953. For more information, you can contact Mark and Dina at (631) 924-6968. Please call before 9 p.m.



Please bring a dish to serve four people and a beverage of your choice. It's tick season so we recommend you bring bug spray! Garb is NOT required.

From the Mistress of Lists

Congratulations to Lord Alexander MacLachlan as he rejoins the Marshalette of Fence and thank you to everyone who has already submitted their official authorization for inclusion in a baronial data base for all things martial! I continue to record the Authorization Numbers, the particular Forms of Weapon in which One is Qualified and most importantly the Date the Authorization expires.

There are two ways for this information to get into my collection: 1) when you see me at an event, show me your Authorization Card(s), or 2) e-mail the same to me at <u>CreativePamela@yahoo.com</u> I'd also like to know if you are authorized in a New Weapon or Form off our Ducky Soil. Please drop me a line to let me know of your accomplishment. I shall add it to the compendium and also include a congratulatory note in the next Viaduct.

YIS, Sláine baen Ronáin

Potted Arms & Fancy Faire

Saturday, June 30, 2012 Hosted by the Canton of Hawkes Reache

The Canton of Hawkes Reache welcomes Baron Ateño of Annun Ridge and Baroness Lassar Ingen Aeda with a Summer Faire as they make one last sojourn across our lands to collect tithes on their way to the Pennsic War. The day will be filled with Tourna-

At-a-Glance Event Information

Site: Unitarian Universalist Fellowship at Huntington 109 Browns Rd Huntington, NY 11743 (pet free and discreetly 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. Family maximum rate of \$45. An additional surcharge of \$5 will be added to all adult site fees without proof of membership.

Send Reservations to:

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

Co-Autocrat:

Lord Miquel d'Avinhon (Mike Davies)mdavies1@optonline.net

Other info:

For dietary concerns contact Baroness Mistress Suzanne Neuber de Londres (Susan M-Frank) e-mail: <u>sdelondres@gmail.com</u>.

Make Checks Payable to: SCA-NY Inc. Barony of An Dubhaigeainn ments, games, shopping and a hearty day board to tempt one and all! The Canton invites you to bring your chairs, blankets and shade to take respite upon the lawns, participate in the wide variety of activities, and visit with friends new and old. No feast will be served, yet fear not! None shall leave hungry, as the table has groaned under the bounty of our day-board these past five years! While merchant fees have been waived for this event, please let us know if you plan to sell your wares. To keep the cost of this outdoor, family-friendly event within reach, there is a family maximum rate of \$45.

The Tournaments:

Fencing: Our current Baronial fencing Champion, Baron Master Don Jean Xavier Bouiller (Pete Boullianne), is hard at work designing the formats of the fencing tournaments. There shall be two tournaments: the Hat Tournament and the Pas D'Arms Tournament. Inspections and authorizations for the Tournaments will begin at 11 a.m. At noon, just prior to the start of the Hat Tournament, the Canton will once again hold the everpopular Hat Auction, where members of the populace can bid for the favor of a fencer as symbolized by the fencer's hat. A prize is awarded to the bidder whose fencer wins the Hat Tournament, which shall immediately follow the auction.

At the conclusion of the Hat Tournament, there shall be a short respite, followed by the Pas D'Arms Tournament, which is based on a demonstration of period skill. Everyone is welcome to participate. The Pas D'Arms Tournament places a strong emphasis on pageantry. Each fencer in the Tournament must be introduced by a herald. It is expected that each fencer's 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 amongst the An Dubhaigeainn participants, and the overall Tournament Champion from amongst all participants. Please contact Jean Xavier by e-mail at jeanxavier@optonline.net or by phone at 631-874-2748 before 10 p.m. with any questions.

<u>Thrown Weapons</u>: The Canton is happy to report that the Baronial Thrown Weapons championship, inaugurated at last year's event, will return! Our current champion, John of Gravesend (John Francavillo), promises tests of skill and accuracy! For more information, please contact him by e-mail at <u>cogneto@yahoo.com</u> with any questions.

<u>Archery Practice</u>: Once again the Canton will hold an extensive Archery practice. If a sufficient number of participants are interested, the Marshal will arrange and record Royal Rounds. Please contact the Marshal-in-Charge, THL Peter of Hawkwoods (Peter Farrell), at 631-942-3441 before 9 p.m. or by e-mail at <u>pfarrell27@yahoo.com</u> with any questions.

Directions: Take your best route to Route 110 North into Huntington Village (approximately 4 miles from Route 25-- Jericho Turnpike). Turn left onto Main Street (Route 25A) then take your first right onto Wall Street. Continue north on Wall Street for 3/4 mile to Southdown Road. Make a left onto Southdown Road and follow the signs to Browns Road. There is a stop sign at the corner of Browns Road and Southdown Road. Turn right onto Browns Road. The site is on your left just past the Flower Hill elementary school.

News, Announcements and Thank-yous

Pennsic News & Baronial Commons

Pennsic War 41 is on the horizon! This year's War will be from July 27 – August 12, 2012. Our camp Coordinator, THL Peter of Hawkwoods (Peter Farrell) has already emailed information packets and <u>required</u> registration forms to those who have camped with the Barony before. If you are planning to camp with An Dubhaigeainn and have not yet received your packet, please contact Peter at <u>pfarrel127@yahoo.com</u>. Also, please remember to submit a completed form for *each* of the people who plan to attend.

Additionally, there will be a **Baronial Commons** on **Saturday**, **June 9** from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the home of Scott and Pamela Petritsch, 78 Forest Road, Centereach, New York 11720, (631) 902-1003. Please bring a dish to feed four people and a beverage of your choice. Extra chairs are always welcome! Garb is optional and archery practice will be held, weather permitting. If you're new to either the Barony or the Pennsic experience, now is a perfect time to bring your curiosities and meet everyone in a social setting! The Barony has been very busy this spring and we have much of which to be proud. First off, a big thank you goes out to the populace for participating in the recent polling process to assist the Crown in selecting our next Coronet. No results have been announced as yet, and we thank you for your patience and in taking the time to respond.

We have a new Baronial Arts & Sciences champion! Congratulations to Lady Maggie Rue, and thank you to everyone who submitted projects for consideration.

While we're on the subject of the recent Schola, a big thank you to Ronan FitzRobert, Lord Logan and our outgoing A&S Champion, lady Onora for all their hard work organizing the event. Thanks, too, to all our instructors who generously offered their time and expertise. Finally, a big hand to everyone who helped in the kitchen or with set up and break down. You know who you are and we thank you!

A big thank you to everyone who participated in the recent demo at Baiting Hollow. Nearly thirty people from both the barony and the Canton of Lion's End demonstrated period skills and martial contests at the weekend event. We made a fine impression and have already been asked to return next year for the 100th Anniversary of Scouting celebration.

We've got another demo coming up on May 11 at the Haup-

pauge Middle School, with many of the same folks coming out again, this time to teach and entertain 12 year olds there for Medieval Day. There is yet a third demo we've been asked to do at Park Shore Day Camp in Dix Hills. While the date and programs are still being finalized, we can tell you that we'll be needed there during the first week of Pennsic. So, if anyone is not planning to attend Pennsic this year, we can use fighters and crafters for this day long event. The children range in age from 5 -12. Please contact Lord Alexander MacLachlan for further information: <u>captgoldman01@aol.com</u>.

Seen on the Web

One of the most important resources we have available to us on the Web is East Kingdom website: <u>www.eastkingdom.org</u>. Important announcements are featured on the home page. You can also view the quarterly Arts and Sciences newsletter, *Ars Scientia Orientalis*. <u>here</u>. The East Kingdom Webminister has also launched a new forum feature on the website. For a full listing, see the special announcement <u>here</u>.

Don't forget to check out the Society's web site at <u>http://sca.org</u>/ where you can find out the latest Society news, documents, policies and officer listings as well as information about Society publications and merchandise.

The Morgan Library and Museum at Madison Av. and E. 36th St. is hosting In the Company of Animals: Art, Literature, and Music at the Morgan through May 20, 2012. The exhibit includes ancient seals, drawings, prints, books, music, and medieval and literary manuscripts that illustrate the role of animals as symbols, teachers of moral lessons, aesthetic and scientific muses, talking creatures, and companions. For a full listing of current exhibits at The Morgan, please see here. Remember, there is free admission on Fridays after 7 p.m. The Cloister's gardens are reviving after our mild winter and plants are beginning to bloom. You can learn more about the gardens at The Cloisters which feature plants used during the Middle Ages in the blog, The Medieval Garden Enclosed. Meanwhile, The Metropolitan Museum of Art has several current exhibits of interest. For a full listing of the current exhibits at the Metropolitan, please see their exhibits page here. This month's featured video is on constructing a traditional Norse log cabin complete with sod roof and built in furniture. While the 45 minute video is in Norwegian, the visuals make it easy to follow the construction details. The video is entitled *Sagastua* and can be seen here: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d4746vgMS-w.





We have had a busy month!

We thoroughly enjoyed accompanied our fencing and archery teams to Balfar's Challenge. A good time was had by all and we were also able to chat with the Princess about the balloting process and rekindle many friendships.

The recent Baronial Arts and Science Challenge and presentation was a great success. We were happy to see so many new members of the Barony and to have such wonderful projects entered for the Championship Challenge. Thank you to our former Champion, lady Onora, for organizing the Challenge. We were pleased to chat with each entrant and were long discussing who should take up the mantle. In the end, Lady Maggie Rue won with her embroidery and plant manuscript. We'd also like to compliment Lady Anna Tailor with her costuming and illumination and Lord Eanraig with his hand carved trencher and performance art. This was a VERY difficult decision. Thank you to everyone who helped make this event happen.



Baroness Gianetta recently organized a demo at the Baiting Hollow Camp Grounds. The weekend event brought up many fine memories as it was held at the site where An Dubhaigeiann was invested as a Barony. Approximately thirty gentles, including a few members of Ostgardr, traveled east for the nippy, sunny day. We were busy all day with the several displays that were diverse and allowed everyone to find something interesting. Baroness Lassar was so happy with the demo that she awarded Baroness Gianetta with the 'Baroness Favor'.

By the time you read this, the process for choosing the new East Kingdom Prince and Princess may well have concluded. What this means is that this couple will be the Crown most likely to officiate at our Baronial succession. We have but a few events and a small number of Baronial champion successions to oversee before we step down. As of this time there is no word, either official or unofficial, as to the Crown's selection of our successor Coronet. Assuming no news is good news, this means we had a valid ballot. We thank the populace for its patience in putting up with both us and the Seneschal frequently reminding one and all to cast valid ballots. The Seneschal will let us know when the Crown has decided, and then we will inform the three sets of candidates as to the Crown's decision. At that point, together we will pass the word to the populace.

We are hoping to attend the investiture at Barony Beyond the Mountain on May 19th.

In Service,

Ateno and Lassar Baron and Baroness An Dubhaigeainn