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Meetings and Events

Directions to Sachem 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.

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 bndelondsen@aol.com. All are welcome. Officers are encouraged to attend.

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### Canton Business Meetings 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 [captgoldman01@aol.com](mailto:captgoldman01@aol.com).

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\* **SEEKING LETTERS OF INTENT.** Letters of Intent should be submitted to the Baronial Seneschal and the Coronet via mail or e-mail. 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

| February                                                                                                               | March                                                                                             |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2/16 <a href="#">Tourney of Love</a> Shire of Endewearde - Bangor , ME                                                 | 3/1- 3/3 <a href="#">Bear's Tavern</a> Canton of Northpass - Peekskill, NY                        |
| 2/16 <a href="#">Black Gryphon Inn</a> Canton of Gryphonwald - Middlesex City, NJ                                      | 3/2 <a href="#">Dance the Cold Winter Away III</a> Shire of Silver Rylle - Hershey , PA           |
| 2/16 <a href="#">The Modern World Collides with the SCA Again!</a> Barony of Iron Bog - Moorestown, NJ                 | 3/9 <a href="#">Black Rose Ball XXXVI</a> Barony of the Bridge - Cranston, RI                     |
| 2/23 <a href="#">Winter War 16</a> Shire of Northern Outpost - Potsdam, NY                                             | 3/10- 3/17 <a href="#">Gulf Wars XXII</a> Kingdom of Gleann Abhann - Lumberton, MS                |
| 2/23 <a href="#">The Abbey of St. Aegir's First Annual Brewing Collegium</a> Shire of Eisental - Mohnton, PA           | 3/23 <a href="#">Mudthaw &amp; Baronial Investiture</a> Barony of Settmour Swamp - Livingston, NJ |
| 2/23 <a href="#">An Dubhaigeainn Spring Schola and A&amp;S Championship</a> Barony of An Dubhaigeainn - Huntington, NY | 3/23 <a href="#">Hrim Schola XVII</a> Shire of Quintavia - Clinton, MA                            |
|                                                                                                                        | 3/23 <a href="#">Market Day at Sigtuna</a> Canton of Seashire - Lake Echo, NS                     |

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

### *Coming in April...*

- 4/6 [The Anglespur Dinner Dance](#) Shire of Anglespur - Castleton-On-Hudson, NY
- 4/6 [Spring Coronation of Gregor Von Heisler IV and Kiena Stewart II](#) Barony of Carillion - Allentown, NJ
- 4/13 [Duke Balfar's Challenge](#) Barony of Dragonship Haven - Meridan, CT



# **Combat Arts and Practices: FIGHTING, FENCING, ARCHERY AND THROWN WEAPONS**

**Outdoor practices are temporarily suspended for the cold weather.** Up to date information on practices may be found at the Yahoo web site here: <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/scaducks/>.

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, Lord Dankert, 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.

## **Fencing Practice**

We continue to meet at 640 Belle Terre Road, Building F, in Port Jefferson on Friday evenings, 7:00–10:00 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 [morescaf@aol.com](mailto:morescaf@aol.com)

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

## **Archery and Thrown Weapons**

### **Practice**

**NO ARCHERY PRACTICE SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME**



## **OPEN FORGE!!**

**Lord Marcus has graciously announced that he will be hosting an open forge for classes and projects at his home. Due to his career and schedule, dates and times may be scheduled last minute and may change.**

**Dates and times will be announced on the Baronial Facebook page as well as through our Yahoo group**

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# An Dubhaigeainn Spring Schola and A&S Championship!!!

## At a Glance Information

### When:

February 23rd 2013

### Where:

Unitarian Universalist  
Fellowship of Huntington  
109 Browns Road  
Huntington, NY 11743

Site opens: 9am

Site closes: 6pm

### Fees:

\$13.00 Adult

\$6.00 Youth (under 18 yrs  
of age)

Babes in arms (on bottle or  
younger) are FREE

### Make Checks Payable to:

SCA Inc, Barony of An  
Dubhaigeainn

### Contact:

#### Event Steward:

Lord Weasel at  
[Commissar@optonline.net](mailto:Commissar@optonline.net)  
or (631) 395-3330. No  
calls after 10pm, please.

### Send Reservations to:

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### Other Contact Information:

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teaching classes should  
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(631) 848-5344.

May this missive find the Kingdom of the East prosperous and peaceful. Here in our island barony it is time once again to invite one and all to our Arts and Sciences Schola. With the reinvention of our Duck University, we hope to offer an amazing day of classes in many different fields. The event will include demonstrations and lessons in fabric arts, history, scribal arts, as well as a working/teaching kitchen that will provide our day board.

There will also be competitions to determine the next arts and sciences champion and bardic champion for the Barony. The rules for the competition can be found on pages 6 and 7 respectfully. Although only a member of the barony can claim the title of Champion of An Dubhaigeainn, any are welcome to demonstrate their skill in meeting these challenges.

Site Opens: 9 am

Site Closes: 6 pm

Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Huntington  
109 Browns Road  
Huntington, NY 11743

### Directions:

From the Long Island Expressway, take Exit 49N (Route 110), or  
From the Northern State Parkway, take Exit 40N (Route 110), or  
From the Southern State Parkway, take Exit 32N (Route 110) then:  
-Take Route 110 North past Jericho Turnpike (Route 25) to Main Street  
(Route 25A) in Huntington Village (approx. 4 miles north of Route 25).  
-Turn left onto Main Street and then make the first right turn onto Wall  
Street. Continue north on Wall Street for approx. 3/4 mile to  
Southdown Road.  
-Turn left onto Southdown Road and continue west for approx. 1 mile  
to Browns Road.  
-Turn right onto Browns Road (stop sign and blinking light at  
intersection.) Continue north to the site (109 Browns Road), which is on  
the left just past Southdown School.

# An Dubhaigeainn Spring Schola and A&S Championship!!!

## A&S Championship Rules and Requirements

This year, each participant is required to create **three** different pieces, each representing a different A&S medium (sewing, painting, calligraphy, music, woodworking, etc.)

In addition, the three pieces must have a common theme. For example, one could embroider a rose for one piece, create an illumination including roses, and write a rose-inspired period-style song. Another example would be to carve a wooden bowl with a fish design, then have fish similarly decorate a leather pouch, along with a serving of fish.

This Championship will test participants' skills among the variety of arts as well as the creativity to create a unifying artistic theme. It should be noted that the interpretation of the theme's occurrence in the three separate pieces is up to the artisan. Documentation is required!!!

For additional questions, please contact Rue at [firewaterpro@gmail.com](mailto:firewaterpro@gmail.com)

## Class Schedule

| 10am- 11am                          | 11am- 12pm                        | 12pm- 1pm | 1pm- 2pm          | 2pm- 3pm                                       |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------|-------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| How to be the Feastocrat            | Kitchen Knife Techniques with Ham | LUNCH     | Beginning Brewing | Introduction to the Historical Uses of Poisons |
| Basic Garb Demo class runs to 11:30 | The Scribe                        |           | The Mary Rose     | The Crusades                                   |
| Learn to Spin                       | Weaving 101                       |           | The Pilgrim       | Basket-Weaving                                 |
|                                     |                                   |           |                   | Intro to SCA Archery (Maintenance)             |



# An Dubhaigeainn Spring Schola and A&S Championship!!!

## Bardic Competition Rules and Requirements

### 1. PURPOSE OF THE COMPETITION

1. To choose a performing arts Champion for the Barony of An Dubhaigeainn.
2. The performing arts include: Vocal and instrumental music, story telling, poetry, drama, dance and physical arts (jugglers, acrobats, jesters, magicians etc.)

### 2. ELIGIBILITY

1. Entrants must be paid members of the SCA, Inc. and members of the Barony.

### 3. DUTIES OF THE BARONIAL BARDIC CHAMPION

1. To swear an oath of fealty or service to the Coronets.
2. To defend the honor and prestige of the Barony whenever such is challenged.
3. To further the interests of their area of endeavor.
4. To attend the next Baronial Bardic Championship, to choose their successor.

### 4. BASIC CHAMPIONSHIP RULES

#### 1. Number of pieces:

1. The entrant will be required to present two entries in the initial judging.
2. The time taken to judge the entry will be broken into: oral presentation, performance, questions, time for the judges to consult, and time for judges to prepare for the next participant.

#### 2. 'Periodicity' requirement: All entries must either be documentable as period OR have a period/traditional feel, sound, or ambience.

#### 3. Category requirement: The entrant may choose any two entries they wish, however, the entries must be TWO separate performing arts (see above) and more credit will be given to a document-able piece.

#### 4. Group entries:

1. Group entries will be permitted, however the entrant's contribution to the piece must be easily distinguishable from that of the other members of the group.
2. If the entrant's contribution is not easily distinguishable (i.e. to determine the abilities of one singer in a madrigal group), then the entrant must also perform at least a portion of their 'part' as a solo. This can happen either before, after or during the group performance.

# News and Happenings

## Pennsic XLII News

Greetings all. Pennsic registration is now open and An Dub is a registered group. I wanted to make you all aware of some changes at this upcoming Pennsic. The biggest is Time of Departure. While Pennsic starts 1 week early, it ends 8 days early. All campers must be off site prior to noon on SATURDAY. A few others changes to be noted.

1. No airborne Japanese lanterns as they became siege weapons last year by mistake.
2. Youth combat only in designated areas.
3. We may not plug any electronic devices into any Coopers Lake/ Pennsic War Facility.

I will be sending out new camp registration forms this month to everyone who camped with us last year. If you did not camp with An Dub last year and wish to this year please email me at [spp516@yahoo.com](mailto:spp516@yahoo.com).  
YIS

Ronan FitzRobert

Keep Calm  
And  
Carry Rattan

## One of History's Most Famous Kings Finally Has a Face!!!

Last September what is believed to be the remains of King Richard III was found under a car park during an archaeological dig in Leicester. DNA from the remains was matched to his two living descendants and as a result led to a lot more research on the skeleton. Further proof lies in the description of the body's bone structure. The skull shows distinct proof of head wounds, which matches the account that King Richard was killed by a blow to the head in the Battle of Bosworth at the age of thirty two. In addition, the skeleton has scoliosis which matches the "hunchback" description of the King.

Even more exhilarating, is that experts were able to reconstruct the King's facial features using CT scans at the University of Leicester. Enthusiasts are extremely excited since it is now proven that King Richard was very handsome with his prominent cheek bones and chin.

Since all surviving portraits of him were based on earlier paintings, we really did not have an accurate likeness of him until now making this one of the most important finds in some time.

You can read the full articles at:

<http://www.mirror.co.uk/news/uk-news/richard-iii-facial-reconstruction-shows-1586792>

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-leicestershire-21328380>



# From the Coronet



## Greetings unto the Populace of An Dubhaigeainn

While the Barony was unfortunate in not having our bid to host crowned accepted, this year is showing great promise in being a very busy one.

Our January commons was greatly attended. We would like to thank Lady Alissenda and Lord Miquel for hosting. We were able to meet with most of the Baronial Officers and discuss thought for the future of the Barony.

This month we seek a new A&S Champion as well as a Bardic Champion at the Schola. We hope that many will participate and compete for the honors despite the difficult challenge that has been put before you. We would like to continue to encourage all those who are considering participation in the competitions as well as those who are thinking of sharing some of their knowledge and skills to the rest of the populace.

Our negotiations with our cousins the Viceroy and Vicereine of Ostgardr, to find an amiable date in which we can meet their challenges, continues. We had hoped to have this confirmed by now but there are many calendars that have to be cross referenced, making this a more difficult endeavor than anticipated. With hope we can have that by next month so that all of our champions can prepare accordingly.

As stated last month, we have been asked to participate at the Hauppauge Middle School Medieval Day again; this will be our 6<sup>th</sup> year of participation. All interested in helping with this demo should contact Baroness Suzanne ([baroness@scaducks.org](mailto:baroness@scaducks.org)). The demo will be on May 3, 2013.

Events we will be attending in the up and coming months:

The Baroness : King & Queens A&S Champions (2/16) EKBK and (4/20) –

Both Baron & Baroness: Mudthaw Investiture (3/23) coronation (4/6) crown tourney (4/27)

In Service,

*David and Suzanne*

