



December 2018

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# THE VIADUCT

## Meetings

### Baronial Business Meeting

1st Thursday of each month at Sachem Public Library (Holbrook) at 7:30pm. For additional information please contact Master Jean Xavier at [seneschal@andub.eastkingdom.org](mailto:seneschal@andub.eastkingdom.org).

Next meeting January 3rd.

*All are welcome. Officers are encouraged to attend.*

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### Canton Business Meetings

#### Hawkes Reache

Next meeting December 21st at 7:00pm

65 Rutgers Lane, Huntington, NY

For more information contact Lady Fiona the Volatile at [seneschal@hawkesreache.eastkingdom.org](mailto:seneschal@hawkesreache.eastkingdom.org).

#### Directions to Sachem Library

150 Holbrook Road, Holbrook. (631)588-5024

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.

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**Canton of  
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# Combat Arts & Practices

## Archery, Fighting, Fencing & Thrown Weapons

### Fencing Practice

Its time once again for practice in Port Jefferson, starting at 7:30 pm till whenever.

The location has a new rug, so bring clean shoes/sneakers to wear please. Practice should be a recurring theme through the holidays, may have no practice on Dec 14th due to scheduling conflict at the site. We will continue to meet at 640 Belle Terre Road, Building F, in Port Jefferson on Friday evenings at the offices of Dr. Jim Best.

Some loaner gear may be available if requested beforehand. For any questions please contact our Fencing Deputy, Eanraig, at [fencers@andub.eastkingdom.org](mailto:fencers@andub.eastkingdom.org)

### Heavy Weapons Practice

Outdoor practices have ended for the season.

We are currently looking for an indoor space to practice. If you have knowledge of a space that would be willing to host us for a reasonable price please contact our Deputy Knight Marshal, Antonio, at [deputy.knightmarshal@andub.eastkingdom.org](mailto:deputy.knightmarshal@andub.eastkingdom.org).

### Archery Practice

Practice is closed for the season. See you in the spring!

If interested in any workshops please contact Genevieve at [archers@andub.eastkingdom.org](mailto:archers@andub.eastkingdom.org).

### Thrown Weapons Practice

Practice is closed for the season. See you in the spring!

# Baronial Event Calendar

December 2018 & January 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1
						Dickens Festival
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
				Baronial Meeting	Fencing Practice	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
					Fencing Practice	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
					Fencing Practice	
					Hawkes Reache Meeting	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
					Fencing Practice	
30	31	1	2	3	4	5
				Baronial Meeting	Fencing Practice	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
					Fencing Practice	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
					Fencing Practice	
					Hawkes Reache Meeting	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
					Fencing Practice	
27	28	29	30	31		

# East Kingdom Event Schedule

**Investiture of the Barony of Buckland Cross:** Dec 15th, Shire of Buckland Cross  
(Warminster, PA)

**Ravensbridge Yule Feast:** Dec 15th, Riding of Ravensbridge (Canton, ME)

**East Kingdom 12th Night:** Jan 5th, Barony of L'ile du Dragon Dormant  
(Ile Perrot, QC)

**Deck the Halls of Valhalla:** Jan 12th, Canton of Brokenbridge (Brooklyn, NY)

**Owlsherst Country 12th Night:** Jan 19th, Shire of Owlsherst (York, PA)

**Market Day at Birka:** Jan 25th-27th, Barony of Stonemarche (Manchester, NH)

**At the Sign of the Cat and Dragon:** Jan 26th, Barony of Bhakail (Philadelphia, PA)

## Champions Of An Dubhaigeainn

<u>Category</u>	<u>Champion</u>
Archery	Tommaso Parlapiano
Armored Combat	Antonio Giancarlo Nicastrì
Arts & Sciences	Lady Medb of O'Donnchada
Bardic	Lady Hermina de Pagan
Brewing	Lady Fiona the Volatile
Rapier	Lord Eanraig the Bonesetter
Thrown Weapons	Michael Leg Bane
Youth Thrown Weapons	Lord Tiberius Trebellius Severus

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# SCCC's Living Medieval Club

The new school year is underway at Suffolk County Community College, and that means there's a new group of students that have joined the Living Medieval Club, An Dubhaigeainn's local college branch. They meet every Thursday at 4pm and each meeting is centered around three basic things: learning a new basic skill such as sewing their own tunics, sharing general information about the SCA, and encouraging them to get involved outside campus grounds. We are looking for volunteers to help teach this new generation of Scadians. If you have a skill you would like to share with them, please contact His Excellency Titus Aurelius Magnus at (516) 810-3108 or [prefect@andub.eastkingdom.org](mailto:prefect@andub.eastkingdom.org).

## Spring Schola

March 9th  
Suffolk County Community College, Eastern Campus  
121 Speonk-Riverhead Rd  
Riverhead, NY 11901

Please come join us for a day of classes, competition and, camaraderie! We will be hosting the Baronial Arts & Sciences championship as well as the Baronial Bardic championship. This description will be updated with classes and information about the championships as they become available. Those interested in teaching a class should contact our Baron, Titus.

The theme for this year's A&S competition is: Introduce us to your persona! Create an A&S entry that your persona would use, wear, create, etc. and as part of your documentation put it in the context of your persona. If you do not yet have a persona or are thinking about changing your current one, feel free to use this opportunity to explore a potential persona. Only projects that have not yet been submitted in a previous A&S competitions, please. Entries will be judged on the completeness of the documentation and the creativity of the presentation.

# A Message from our outgoing Seneschal

Greetings unto the Populace,

The past two years of my term as Seneschal for the Barony has moved quickly by. I am grateful for all the support the Baronial and Canton officers and populace have provided for Their Excellencies of An Dubhaigeainn, Prefect Titus and Baroness Sorcha. I look forward to this support continuing, because the wellbeing of the Barony and its Canton rests upon all of our shoulders.

I can not thank my two deputy seneschals, Lady Ealusaid inghean ui mac Phaidin and Lady Vetra Trys Kaukoles, for all their hard work in helping with the operations of the Barony. Lady Vetra Trys Kaukoles has volunteered to take up the position of Baronial Seneschal and start her term as of the January 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting. I wish her the best and know that I am handing the position over to a very capable person.

Once again, I thank you all.

Le vôtre en défense

*Jean Xavier Boullier*

## Hawkes Reache A&S

December 21st  
7:00PM

65 Rutgers Lane, Huntington, NY

Gingerbread house making

For more information contact Lady Fiona the Volatile at  
[seneschal@hawkesreache.eastkingdom.org](mailto:seneschal@hawkesreache.eastkingdom.org)

# The History of An Dubhaigeainn

## Installment 4

JANUARY 1989 – On going fighting and music practices. Our February Tavernevent was cancelled. At Kingdom 12th Night in Lions End on the 21st, Maryette Rianna Cantrell was given an Award of Arms, and Cantillation and Pandemonium both performed to the pleasure of those assembled.

March 1989 – Regular monthly shared fight/dance practices with Lions End underway. Commons was held at Diana and Philip's on the 18th and featured Middle-eastern food stuff and a lion subtlety by Miranda. Leif attended the Southern Regional meeting on the 25th.

CHRONICLER: Sine Faur-Ortange

APRIL 1989 – On the first, appropriately, Ostgardr held its 10th Anniversary of Celtic Silliness. Cantillation sand at the C.W. Post Ren Faire in Lions End on the 23rd. April Commons was held at Leif's on the 29th, and featured "illusions foods" (in the medieval world, April Fool's Day featured everything upside down – people told storied about foolish peasants with wise donkeys, wore their clothes inside-out or backwards – and illusion foods that looked unexpectedly different from how they tasted were always popular.) There was also a lesson in Ukrainian Egg Decorating, taught by Rosamonde (for her article on how-to see VIADUCT Vol 4 No,11)

AS XXIII – in the reign of TRM Morguhn and Maurya

MAY 1989 – Fighting and music practices, and armoring and garb workshops on the calendar.

JUNE 1989 – On the 10th, our gentles gave a demo at the Islip Americana Fair, at which Geoffrey Chamberlain qualified in sword and Shield. On the 24th, John of Graves End held Commons. Timmus jouned us from Settmour Swamp.

July 1989 – Four Intrepid Ducks (Vanemonde, Gliobach, Gynyr and Sine) went up to Sterlying Vayle for Return of the Wife of Bath event on the 14th-15th; the site was rustic and private, and included a chilly swimming hole with sun-warmed rocks to bask on. In the evenings folk gather around the fire to sing until the wee hours. (Great fun, if not overly Chaucerian!) At Pre-pennsic Commons on the 22nd at Leif's, painted wooden ducks (including a "bull" with horns" were made for our cattle pen, and several folk began making heraldic banners under Rosamonde's encouragement. Gunther and Gwenlynn frequently had an over-full house, what with all the Visby Coat and garb making going on. Cynyr qualified in great sword at a joint fighter practice in Lions End.

AUGUST 1989 – Pennsic War XVIII: The East Kingdom lost the Bridges but won the War? A record 6870 gentles had arrived by Sunday, 14 of them our own, several Shire folk camped with Lions End, and the rest were with the Kilkenny household by the showers! Richard the Tudor had the pleasure of being hand-fasted to his lady, Isabell of York from Ostgardr, and also killing 13 Mid-realm warriors. Leif, unfortunately was killed by and east realmer during the Field Battle, and fell to the ground crying "Blue! Blue! Aaugh!" Rob, however, survived to the conclusion of the battle, our cattle raiders (primarily Katie, Sinead Josie, Muirdeach and Rob) were quite successful at the "finding" of livestock, little of it actually bovine. Some of our gentles sang with the Knowne World Chorus. The weather, for a War, was quite reasonable, perhaps due to our finding of a relic coincidental, oddly enough, with the acquisition of a duck-shaped "reliquary" to top our standard pole). One faction held that this relic, a cooked duck bone, is that of a Sacred Duck, while others of us, in more moderate fashion, believe it to be a remnant of a meal eaten by St. Andrew. Some of us joined Kilkenny's Sunday night "decompression" party; this year's theme was "Rambeau! Best used of ammunition as accessory" inspired by Katie of Carrigart's use of arrows as hair ornaments. The singers, especially our neighbors Lord Morgan of Caer Graeme and Lord Don, were all wonderful--sharing songs to shiver from, or to bellow along with. < photos by Gliobach, Leif, Vanemonde, Rosamonde)



# The History of An Dubhaigeainn

SEPTEMBER 1989 - Compilation of this History was begun by Gliobach in this month. On September 16, a Day of Dance was held; Pandemonium, with the addition of Henri Michel du Bois and visiting violinist Giathrey, provided live music, while Leif autocrated, Sine trolled, and Gunther and Gwenlynn ran the kitchen. Diana acted as Dance Mistress, with some help from both Richard the Poor and Phelan ap Emrys. The backgammon tournament was won by Gunther, who was awarded the prize, made by Lorenzo, of a painted chamois backgammon board/pouch with tigereye- and citrine-nugget men. As folk could not immediately resume dancing after feasting so heartily, some time was pleasantly passed with conversation and the reintroduction of the giving of Cloven Fruit into Shire custom. A Post-Revel was held at Leif's, where we regaled one another with filk songs, Mistress Aravis recounted memories of earlier days in the Kingdom, and John of Graves End gave a delightfully reverent reading of "The Book of Letters," (TI No. 92). At Puntathlon V in Dragonship Haven on the 23rd, our own Lorenzo--after missing last year's--again made it to the quarterfinals, this time against a grueling 5-second time limit.

DEPUTY SENESCHAL: Lady Mairgret of Carrigart  
MISTRESS OF LISTS: LadyGwenlynn of Woodlyn  
MISTRESS OF ARTS & SCIENCES: Lady Rosamonde de Tournai  
HISTORIAN : Fionnghuala Gliobach Mael Ailbe  
ARMORERS GUILDMASTER: Gunther Schwarzwaldsohn  
SHIRE BREWMASTER: Michal Mor O'Faolain

OCTOBER 1989 - The big topic of discussion at the business meeting was "going Barony". On the 7th, about 14 Shire folk attended Commons, where there were interesting board games, and lovely embroidery being done by Gwenlynn, Theresa, Mairgret and Katie. Timmus contributed some marvelous meat pies for dinner, and Theresa brought cheesecake. Under Rosamonde's instructions, we also made soft pretzels and hot cross buns for the "small period breads" workshop. Everyone tried their hand at creative pretzel sculpture, which included a duck, Celtic-style knots and treble clefts, as well as the traditional pretzel shape; and of course, we promptly ate them. On the 14th and 15th, we participated in the first Renaissance Fair at SUNY Stoney Brook, in cooperation with Stoney Brook Medieval Guild, which is made up of SUNY Students. The SCA turnout was good, and the comments of all were favorable; our people put on a rattan demo, a display of arts and an information booth, singing by Cantillation and dance to the music of Pandemonium. Surprisingly, many visitors not only allowed themselves to be drafted into dance but also stayed for one more set.

## AS XXIV - In the reign of TRM Horic and Lea

NOVEMBER 1989 - Richard the Poor, now of Northpass, kindly sent down several copies of a useful pattern book. On the 2nd, the Herald's many coronets met at the house of Timmus ibn Alron Haddan. Many Shire folk attended Agincourt/Curia Regis on the 4th in Ostgardr. Leif held his second annual Leaf Harvest on the 5th, again providing good fare as bribe for those wielding rakes. After Commons on the 18th there was the Feast of St Andrew on the 25th, when through the snows came a handful of folk, who were given good food in plenty but Gunther and Gwenlynn, and very nice desserts from the talented wags of Lions End. A few hardy souls armored up and went outside, but the majority preferred to remain warm and game (Vanemonde won the backgammon prize of a chamois game board/pouch, mad by Timmon) or learn new dances with Phelan (this might have been the day that earned him the title of Sadistic Dance Master from Hell - you humble historian danced Strip a Willow three times and was tottering like an ancient the next morning)



## Greetings from the Coronet!

First we would like to thank everyone who helped at St. Andrews this past month. It was an incredible event with amazing food, beautiful decorations and, great company. It takes many hands many hours to make an event run so well and we always appreciate everyone lending a hand. Also all those who took time out of their busy lives this time of year to help reach out to the public at both the Dickens festival and LI Geek.

Coming soon we will be traveling to the first investiture of Buckland Cross to see our Kingdom gain a new

Barony. Locally on March 9th, we will have our annual Schola, where we will select our new Arts and Sciences and Bardic champions. We would love to see many of you there to compete or enjoy the classes and performances.

Finally we would like to extend our deepest thanks to Master Jean Xavier as he steps down as Baronial Seneschal, having served the barony and us beyond well these past two years. We also would like to welcome our incoming Seneschal Lady Vetra trys Kaukoles, we look forward to working together.

We wish you and yours a Blessed Holiday Season and all the best in the coming year!

We are as ever, Yours in Service to the Dream!

Sorcha and Titus

Baroness and Prefect of An Dubhaigeainn