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Meetings

Baronial Business Meeting

1st Thursday of each month at Sachem Public Library (Holbrook) at 7:30pm. For additional information please contact Lady Vetra Trys Kaukoles at seneschal@andub.eastkingdom.org.

Next meeting May 2nd.

All are welcome. Officers are encouraged to attend.

Please note: Officers must send reports to official EK email if unable to attend meeting, Facebook messages or text messages will not be accepted.

Canton Business Meetings

Hawkes Reache

Next meeting April 26th, 7:00pm

Upland Farms Sanctuary 250 Lawrence Hill Road, Cold Spring Harbor

For more information contact Lady Fiona the Volatile at 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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Combat Arts & Practices

Archery, Sighting, Sencing & Thrown Weapons

Fencing Practice

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

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

Beavy Weapons Practice

Outdoor practices will be held every other Monday at 7:00pm at the Broadway Ball Park (99 Broadway Ave) in Sayville resuming on Monday, April 1st.

You can work on different weapons and get your authorization for weapon forms there as well. Weather permitting.

*** Additional practice to be held on April 22nd ***

Archery Practice

Practice is has resumed! First practice will be April 28th from 1:00-6:00pm, weather permitting.

78 Forest Rd, Centereach, NY 11720

Please contact our deputy, Genevieve at archers@andub.eastkingdom.org if you have any questions.

Thrown Weapons Practice

Practice is has resumed! First practice will be April 28th from 1:00-6:00pm, weather permitting.

78 Forest Rd, Centereach, NY 11720

Please contact our deputy at throwers@andub.eastkingdom.org if you have any questions.

Baronial Event Calendar

April & May 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	Heavy Weapons			Baronial Meeting	Fencing Practice	Coronation
	Practice					
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
					Fencing Practice	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	Heavy Weapons				Fencing Practice	Garb Sewing 101
	Practice					Workshop
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
21	Heavy Weapons	23	24	25	Fencing Practice	27
	Practice				r chemig i ractice	
					Hawkes Reache	
					Meeting/A&S	
28	29	30	1	2	3	4
Archery/Thrown	Heavy Weapons			Baronial Meeting	Fencing Practice	
Weapons/A&S	Practice					
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
						Longwood Demo
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Heavy Weapons				Fencing Practice	
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26	27	28	29	30	31	
	Heavy Weapons				Fencing Practice	
	Practice					
					Hawkes Reache	
					Meeting/A&S	

East Kingdom Event Schedule

Balfar's Challenge: Apr 27th, Barony of Dragonship Haven (Meriden, CT)



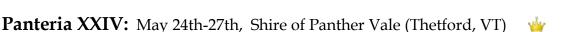
A Day of the Decameron: Apr 27th, Crown Province of Ostgardr (Mount Kisco, NY)

Return of the Lions: May 4th, Canton of Lions End (Locust Valley, NY)

Spring Crown: May 4th, Shire of Caer Adamant (Harrington, DE) **

The Siege of Granada: May 11th, Crown Province of Ostgardr (Carmel Hamlet, NY)

Otter's Welcome: May 11th, Barony of Carolingia (Dunstable, MA)



Southern Region War Camp: Jun 7th-9th, Barony of Carillion (Manalapin, NJ)



Champions Of An Dubhaigeainn

Category	Champion
Archery	Tommaso Parlapiano
Armored Combat	Lord Antonio Giancarlo Nicastri
Arts & Sciences	Lady Fiona the Volatile
Bardic	Raud the Skald
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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hawkes Reache A&S

April 26th, 7:00pm Uplands Farm Sanctuary, 250 Lawrence Hill Road, Cold Spring Harbor

This month we will be making Queen's favors.

The business meeting will take place before the A&S program. Come join us for A&S and company. This is potluck, feel free to bring snacks but they aren't required.

For more information on the workshop contact Lady Fiona the Volatile.

Demo

May 11th, 3:00pm Longwood High School in Middle Island

Looking for volunteers for an SCA Demo that would take place at Longwood's joint event Longwood Day and Relay for Life. Relay for Life is the biggest fund raiser for the American Cancer Society.

The demo would begin around 3PM. We would love to have some fighters, both heavy list and fencing, as well as some A&S displays and demos. If possible wear garb in purple.

If you are interested please contact Lady Hugoline at collskadl@gmail.com or send a PM.

Event Bids

We are currently seeking Autocrats & Feastocrats to put in bids for St Andrews (day & feast) on Nov 9, 2019 at the Estonia House in Middle Island.

If you are interested and haven't ever autocrated before we will help you find an experienced Co-Autocrat. Please contact the Coronet or Seneschal with questions.

We would like a bid for St Andrews our Baronial Birthday by the May Meeting. Our theme has been that St Andrew has been traveling North through various time periods on his way to England - he will arrive there in 2022. He started in Rome at the Investiture and was in Sienna this past St Andrews.

Garb Sewing 101

April 20th, 11:00am — 6:00pm Uplands Farm Sanctuary, 250 Lawrence Hill Road, Cold Spring Harbor

Bring your fabric and a sewing machine if you have one, thread, bobbin and scissors. The first hour will be introducing you to your sewing machine - if you need that lesson, don't be fashionably late!

Bring a bag lunch. If we go late we can order pizza for dinner.

I'm requesting that any cigarette smokers NOT smoke on site - I'm very allergic, and if I'm helping one-on-one, I'd rather not have an allergy attack (vape I seem to have no issue with) Thank You!

If you have any questions please contact Jenna Child Slayer.

Favor Waking

April 28th, 1:00-6:00pm 78 Forest Rd, Centereach

Making Queen's Favors.

Materials will be provided.

Please bring snacks for sharing.

Please contact Lady Oda Lally at moas@andub.eastkingdom.org for information.

The History of An Dubhaigeainn

Installment 8

ASXXIX: During the Reign of TRM Timothy and Gabrielle

APRIL 1995

This year's ICON demo yielded over 70 names, 40 of whom reside within the Barony. The ICON information booth was manned by Wendy, Cienna and Lauralhelen

Suffolk County Fair demo was on 4/29 & 30 and 5/6&7

JUNE 1995

JULY 1995 - Sayville Chamber of Commerce Demo 7/16

AUGUST 1995

SEPTEMBER 1995

AS XXX: During the Reign of TRM Balfar II and Luna II

OCTOBER 1995 - Accenting of St Eleanor 10/14

NOVEMBER 1995

A Meade workshop was held in the proposed canton of the Guiding Light (Tra Nor) at the home of Da'vid de Londres, in conjunction with the Southern Regional Chapter of the East Kingdom Brewers Guild on 11/18. Guest instructors Baron Stephan the Salacious and Sean de Londres brought two different recipes for comparison. St Andrew Stays Home was held on 11/11 at St Peter's Episcopal Church in Bayshore, which was auto-crated by Wulstan of Ravenswood. A Scottish feast was prepared by Lilith La Blanc. The Heavy Weapons Baronial Champion Tournament was won by Brother Vladimir and Archery Champion tournament devised by Sean the Arrowmaker, who set up a "Fire at Will" shoot, was won by Da'vid de Londres. The event staff included Alec MacLachlin on set-up to clean-up, with the help of Miranda Flamekeeper and John if Gravesend; Da'vid de Londres sound system and garbage detail, Diana D'Avignon, Alicia and Bree helped by slaving in the kitchen. Katie and Miranda ran the heavy weapons list in the cold. Bartholomew, Jared, Thorolf, Katie, Michal and Istavan took care of Troll. Baron Sean and House de Londres had the coolest off-board group anyone could ask for. Baron Stephan was generous whit his gifts of drink and spirits; Caitlin and Cienna captivated the group assembled with their dancing.

DECEMBER 1995

JANUARY 1996

A 12th night commons was held on the 7th at the A. Lincoln Elementary School in Deer Park. A pot luck dinner was enjoyed by all. A 12th Night poem written by LaurelHelena was published in the VIADUCT

FEBRUARY 1996

Drumming workshops to be added to baronial monthly calendar on the last Monday of the month. This work shop is led by Al baker

Article: "A Gear of Time" by Da'ved Man of Letters and Xavier the Eccentric published in the VIDUCT.

MARCH 1996

Member Highlight

Name: Hugoline the Delicate of House Three Skulls (mka Colleen Skadl)

How did you learn about the SCA?

When I was an undergrad at Stony Brook, lo these many years ago, there was a club called the Medieval Guild that had cool posters with unicorns on them. I went to a couple of their meetings with my sister, you know her as Fiona the Volatile, and some of our college friends, and they were the ones, I think who first told us about the SCA.

Through my involvement with ICON, which was this massive Sci-Fi and Fantasy convention that used to be held at Stony Brook, I met a bunch of the Three Skulls like Turk, Linda, Larry, etc. I went to a couple of events, but I'm shy and awkward, so it wasn't an instant fit. I have a lot of friends who were playing at the time, but I was really busy LARPing, working with SlugFest Games and I was married to a person who didn't enjoy medievalism, so while over the next several years I went to a handful of events, usually to support my friends, but I wasn't really active until after my divorce in 2010.

My marriage collapsed in the Fall of 2010, and other than going to work, I pretty much became a hermit. The only people I had regular contact with other than my family were Ban and Jerry, and that was not a healthy relationship, lol. So after months of isolation, Fiona started inviting me to all things SCA and Three



Skulls related. This was exactly what I needed to really begin the process of healing and reentering my life.

What about it attracted you?

I love history, it is one of my favorite things, so sometimes it surprises me that it took me so long to really become a SCAdian!

When I returned to the SCA in the winter of 2011 what really attracted me was the kindness of the people I now consider to be my chosen family. House Three Skulls took me in and patched me up. Along the way I attended more and more events here in An Dubh, and began to get involved helping Fiona teach classes at Family Point at Pennsic. That's how I became a Youth Officer at Large. The rest, as they say is history (see what I did there, lol)

How long have you been part of the SCA?

Although I attended my first event in the fall of 1992, I didn't really become a part of the SCA until the spring of 2011.

What is your SCA persona?

I don't have a persona yet, but one of the things I have always wondered is what happened to Catholic nuns in the parts of Europe that embraced Protestantism in the 16th century. I know that the convents and abbeys were closed down, but where did those women go who had chosen a life in the service of their faith over conventional marriage.

I'm researching that now, and hope to have the time this summer to put together an A&S paper on the topic. Depending on what I find, I may use the information as the basis of a persona.

Until then, I'm just Hugoline.

What activities do you participate in?

I love music and over the last couple of years have slowly been building the confidence to get more involved in the bardic arts on a kingdom level. Thank you Sidd for nudging me in this direction! Singing with the Opera Dell'Est at Coronation this spring was so much fun, I can't wait to do it again.

I am also an active Youth Officer and enjoy trying to figure out how to present A&S activities to children in a way that makes the creation of various arts accessible. This also gives me the opportunity to tinker around in a variety of fields. I'm a terrible cook who really loves helping in the kitchen. I really appreciate people like Monkey, Vetra, Lou, and Herminia who have let me help them in the kitchen and take the time to teach me things about cooking while I'm there.

Member Highlight cont.

What has been your favorite event?

My favorite event outside of Pennsic is Bear's Tavern. It was my first event back to the SCA in 2011 and it is one I always look forward to.

What has been your favorite moment?

This is a strange one, so please bear with me. My favorite moment came at the investiture of Titus and Sorcha at the Feast of St. Andrews a couple of years ago. Overall that was such a great day! I absolutely loved watching my Barony shine, and cheering on my friend Vettorio as he was elevated into the Order of the Laurel.

I also had fun helping in the kitchen, and building siege engines out of popsicle sticks with the kiddos, and serving dinner. But hands down my favorite moment came at the end of feast when Titus called me into court to perform a special musical request. Titus had requested that upon his elevation I perform a medieval version of a goth song in tribute to Their Royal Majesties Honnig and Ionis. For weeks I worked on arranging my first madrigal to the goth classic "This Corrosion." Then I convinced my brother, who doesn't really play this game to come and help me out with it.

Towards the end of feast, Titus invited us up, Russ, Fiona and I began to sing. Once people realized what we were singing the fun really started. By the time we were done, the King and Queen and several other people were up dancing. It was awesome. I had so much fun being the Metal Bard that night.

What would say are your greatest accomplishments in the SCA thus far?

I am currently serving as Chancellor Minor for the East Kingdom. The most important part of that position is making sure all of the people who work with children, in either a martial or non-martial capacity are warranted with the society and have passed a background check with the government to insure that our Kingdom's children will be safe while they are having fun at events. The fun part of the job is meeting people, helping to connect autocrats with youth officers, sharing ideas and seeing the SCA through the eyes of the youths I get to interact with at events. As a greater kingdom officer I also have a seat on Curia Regis. This means I get to voice opinions on changes, additions, or amendments to East Kingdom Law. I really proud to have sat on the Curia that agreed to the changes to East Kingdom Law that removed all gendered pronouns from titles helping to make our kingdom more inclusive. There is a lot of responsibility and behind the scenes work that goes along with this position. But I am really enjoying having this opportunity to serve. I've learned so much more about the SCA than I ever knew existed. I've met really cool people, and gone to events I might not have gone to otherwise. I've definitely pushed myself far out of my comfort zone. I'm really enjoying this ride.

The awards I have earned include an Award of Arms in 2014 and Order of the Silver Crescent in 2018.

The honor I am most proud of was having been chosen to serve as Baronial Bardic Champion in 2016. That was really special for me.

What future goals do you have in the SCA?

I'm really shy, and because of hearing loss, I have a really hard time with small talk, especially in places with rough acoustics and lots of background noise, so I want to keep pushing myself out of my comfort zone. The SCA has been a really safe place for me to do that, and I think I've come a long way, especially in the last couple of years. Volunteering has helped a lot with that. Getting outside of my head and connecting with more people in meaningful ways is something I want to keep working on.

As a Youths Officer serving in the An Dubh area, Fiona and I have talked about how lucky we are to get to do this job in a place where we are supported and the work is appreciated. One of my big goals is to try to help cultivate what we have here across the Kingdom so all Youth Officers and Chancellor Minors get to experience what we have. I am so lucky to be a Duck!

I am also going to try to up my bardic game. I want to do more collaborations with other people, I'm always happiest when I get to make music and or perform with other people. I want to enter Kings and Queens Bardic again, I've entered twice before, and this time I want to make it past the first round. That would be awesome.

Finally, I want to continue to have fun, to spend good, quality time with my friends and family, and also continue to build and cultivate friendships. I want to continue to support my friends and help them achieve all of the awesome things they dream of doing. That would make me very happy.

Court Report Spring Schola

On a clear, brisk, late winter day did the Ducks of An Dubhaigeainn flock together for a Spring Schola. This was their annual competition to find the new Champions of Bardic and Arts & Sciences, and to fluff out their feathers from a long winter. There were classes taught in Silk Painting, Beginning Illumination, Inkle Loom Basics, Heraldic Charge Group Theory, How to Write an Award Recommendation, Pewter Casting, Wire Twisting – Celtic Knots, Bushcraft-Cordage, and a class about a period Trans Person called Catalina de Eurorusa. We also made some game bags for the Kingdom Toybox. There were two A&S entries, and seven performances for the bardic competition.

When everyone had learned and sung, painted, and cast, viewed, and tasted, heard, and appreciated the fine works of all the entrants, Baroness Sorcha of Stonegrave and Prefect Titus Aurelius Magnus held Court.

First Master Jean Xavier was called into the presence, thanked for his years of service as Baronial Seneschal, and continuing Service as Co-Autocrat of the upcoming Coronation, and everything else he does for our feathered Barony and Released from his post. He was presented with a special Duck Token, cast of original Rus Viking Artifacts, for his service and thanked again.

Then our new Seneschal Lady Vetra Trys Kaukoles was requested to attend Their Excellencies and Swore Fealty unto them, She was invested with 2 Seneschal Medallions, which are supposedly imbued with Omniscience (a claim disputed by our Canton's Seneschal who says her medallion did not come with that.)

Then we went into the Award giving phase of the afternoon. Our Outgoing Art & Science Champion, Lady Medb of O'Donnchada stepped forward from her place behind the Coronet, and spoke about the two wonderful entries into the competition. While m'lord Padraig Legionis DID feed us yummy oat cakes, Lady Fionnghuala the Volatile had more extensive documentation, which edged her into the Championship. Lady Fionnghuala stepped up from *her* place behind the Coronet and Added the A&S regalia to her title as Champion Brewer, and received a scroll with words by Lady Sláine báen Ronán, Calligraphy by Lady Violet Hughes, and Illumination by Lady Fionnghuala the Volatile, a rare treat to receive a Scroll on which you worked!! Lady Medb received a Duck Foot token, another Rus Viking Artifact, for her service and was sent to sit with the populace, Lady Fionnghuala returned to her place among the Champions, now wearing the Art & Science Medallion among her personal Bling.

Next, our Outgoing Bardic Champion, Lady Hermina de Pagan, was called before their Excellencies. Upon stepping forward from her place behind them, first she thanked all the competitors; Lord Akos Zekel, Lady Hugoline the Delicate, Lady Caoilfhionn inghean Cellachain, m'lord Raud the Skald, Lady Genvieve Velleman, & m'lord Frode of the College, for their fun and interesting performances. Then she called up two of the competitors, Lady Genevieve, and newcomer m'lord Frode. Lady Hermina praised them both for showing that not everyone needs to sing, or play an instrument, and that anyone who wants to try can bring joy and fun in the competition, and awarded them each a Sparkly Duck for their efforts. Next Lady Hermina announced the winner and our new Bardic Champion, m'lord Raud the Skald. She passed along to him the Baronial Bardic Book, along with a couple of new hereditary pieces; a bag in which to store the book, (so it can be worn instead of carried) and a Flash Drive in the shape of a Duck on which to permanently record all the current entries in the Book. She also challenged him to get a piece from each preceding Bardic Champion on the Record as well. Raud was presented with a Scroll to commemorate the occasion with words by Lady Sláine báen Ronán, Calligraphy by Lady Violet Hughes, and Illumination by m'lady Lily Morgaine. Lady Hermina was also presented by Their Excellencies with a Rus Viking Duck Foot token and asked to find a seat among the populace.

Now Their Excellencies wished young Lady Anastasia Antonello to come before them. She had been remarked for spending extraordinary amounts of time in the kitchen with her parents at events, something which many adults are feign to do. In recognition of this, Their Excellencies awarded her the Silver Feather.

Court Report Spring Schola Cont.

There was much amusement among the populace as our intrepid Coronet rushed thither and yon to give out the Bronze Ducks earned at St Andrews and the 100 Minutes War: Baron Ateño, Baroness Lassar, Master Jean Xavier, Baroness Syd, m'lady Lily Morgaine, m'lady Aslin of Surtr's Brood, m'lady Arnbjorg, Lady Violet Hughes, Lady Fionnghuala, m'lord Raud, m'lady Caitlin of Ostgardr, m'lord Rigel of House 3 Skulls, Lady Ooda Lally, Lady Hermina, Egil Frey, and Lord Magnus DeLondres, in no particular order.

Finally, Master Jean Xavier was asked back into court to speak about the upcoming Coronation of Ozurr and Fortune, which we are Co-Hosting with neighbor Ostgardr. He asked for volunteers to help with various roles throughout the day, and also the Saturday before for last minute cleanup at the site.

There being no further business, Prefect Titus and Baroness Sorcha closed their Court and ended a very nice day out in Our Ducky Lands on March 9th, 2019, AS LIII.

Voice Herald Lady Sláine báen Ronán, Silent Herald Lady Ooda Lally.

Respectfully submitted Sláine báen Ronán, Drake Pursuivant

Letter from Coronation Steward

Greetings unto the populace.

Well, we really did it! Combining our strengths and talent with those of our friends and neighbors of the Crown Province of Østgarðr, we were able to overcome the challenges of the site and provide a wonderful Coronation for Their Majesties, King Ôzurr and Queen Fortune. This was an extraordinary team effort. Each and everyone of you who had helped, made this event a success. Tous pour un et un pour tous!

I take my hat off to my Co-Event Steward, THL Mathghamhain Ua Ruadháin. His organizational and graphic skills helped with the floor planning and providing detailed list of things to be done.

To our respective Coronets, THL Vetra, and lord Oswyn for their wisdom, support, and keeping the lines of communication open.

To the culinary and problem-solving talents of Lord Brandr Aronsson, THL Monkey Makgee, and THL Friderich Grimme and their respective staffs. Will the miracles never end? No, they will not!

For the 100+ volunteers that did the event booklet, setup, breakdown, troll, parking, shuttle driving, Royal rooms, decorations, props, perform music and sang, room change overs, washing dishes, scrubbing the outdoor kitchen, and custodial duties, you all deserve my gratitude for a job well done.

La vôtre en defense *Jean Xavier* Co-Event Steward of The Coronation of Ôzurr and Fortune



From the Coronet



Greetings from the Coronet!

We made it! It would take pages and pages to thank everyone who came together to make Coronation not only possible but successful. But we would like to thank Master Jean Xavier for Autocratting above and beyond the call of duty, Monkey Makgee for outstanding culinary acts under adverse conditions and, Oswyn Northwood for excellent exchequing in extremis.

Many members of the populace were acknowledged for their skills and services to the Kingdom. Onora inghean Ui Ruairc was recognized for her high level of skill in the scribal arts with the order of the Golden Lyre, Vetra Trys Kaukoles, Ellen Hughes and Saravit of House Three Skulls with a Silver Crescent and, Monkey Makgee with a Silver Brooch . Tiberius Trebellius Severus was made a lord of the court and he, Caoilfhionn inghean Ceallachain and Anastasia Antonello were inducted into the order of the Tygers Eye.

We look forward to seeing everyone in the warm weather months that are hopefully coming soon. Later this month we will be attending Balfars Challenge and encourage our populace to attend and form teams to compete for honor and glory. Those who are differently inclined our neighbors in the Crown Province of Ostgardr are holding their Day of Decameron event and would love the company.

Love and thanks to all of you.

We are as ever, Yours in Service to the Dream! *Sorcha and Titus*Baroness and Prefect of An Dubhaigeainn

