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# Pennsic Pennsic!



**So long...** Have fun storming the castle! It's August and Pennsic XXXIII time is here! Many gentles of the Barony are headed west, some to battle for the honor of the East, some to display their period works in the A&S competition, some to shop (!!!) and all for fun! Good luck one and all, and bring back stories and pictures!

--Cynyr

The sumptuous and tasty **So long... Have fun storming the castle!** Subtlety was made by Lady Miranda Flamekeeper and presented at the last (?) Pennsic Planning meeting. Vivat Miranda!

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## Regularly Scheduled Meetings

#### PLEASE NOTE: NO BARONIAL BUSINESS MEETINGS IN AUGUST

#### **Baronial Business Meetings:** All Officers are requested to attend

1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of each month – Autocrat/Baronial Policies - Connetquot Library, Bohemia, 7:30 PM

3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month – Officer Reports/Other Business - Sachem Public Library, Holbrook @7:30PM

#### **Canton/Incipient Canton Business Meetings:**

*Sandmork:* 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of each Month – Riverhead Free Library at 7:30PM. Contact Nicodemus for more information *Hawk's Reach:* 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month - East Northport Library Café @7:30PM

#### **Guild/Workshops/Combative**

Calligraphy Workshop – Suspended until further notice.

Thrown Weapon Practice-1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays of each month. Contact Lord Magnus (Paul Holms) at 631-472-4241

Fiber Arts Workshop -1st Monday of every month at Gisele's (Betty Saum) see directions below

**Fighter Practice** – Please contact the Knight Marshal, Lord Peter Bog, Phone: (516) 885-5552 <a href="mailto:peterbog1@yahoo.com">peterbog1@yahoo.com</a>, for details. Fighter practice is periodically changing location to Thorolf's residence. Directions follow:

#### To Thorolf's:

From the LIE, take Exit 68 South (Wm Floyd Pkwy). At the 2ad light (landmarks 7-11 and a gas station) make a left turn onto Moriches-Middle Island Rd. At the 2ad block (Freestate Drive) turn right. The house is #417. Please park at the south end, under the power lines.

#### **Not regularly Scheduled Practices and Workshops**

Archery Practice - "Tuesday Night Traditionals", at American Outdoor Sports, Rte 110 in Farmingdale (2040 Broadhollow Rd). This is a mundane indoor archery range, run by mundane officers (anyone may attend). Fees are \$18 for an annual pass plus \$6 per session (\*no limit on hours per session\*) with pass, or \$10 per session without the pass. BYOB - Bring Your Own Bow. Shop phone: (631) 241-1832 Other mundane indoor sites: Smith Point Archery Lanes, 215 East Main St., Patchogue. (\*Hourly rates apply) (631) 289-3399 (Open after 2pm on weekdays)

#### MEETING DIRECTIONS

Sachem Public Library in Holbrook: From the west: LIE to exit 61. Go across Patchogue-Holbrook Rd. and stay on the service road. \*At the first light past Patchogue-Holbrook make a left. This is Holbrook Road. The Library is about a 1/2mile down on the left, across from an elementary school. Go in and ask for the Boardroom. From the East: Take the LIE to exit 61. At the light for Patchogue-Holbrook Road make a left and go over the LIE. At the end of the bridge make a left onto the service road, follow from \* above.

Connetquot Public Library in Bohemia From the West: Take Sunrise Highway (Rte 27) to Exit 47, Go to Ocean Avenue and make Left. From the East: Take Sunrise highway to Exit 49 (Lakeland Avenue). Go to Ocean Avenue and make a right. The Library in on the Left

Riverhead Free Library: The library is located at 330 Court Street, Riverhead. From the West: Take your best route to the Long Island Expressway east bound to Exit 72. Stay to your right following the signs to Route 25 east to Riverhead. Route 25 will become West Main Street. The Library will be visible from West Main Street. Turn left onto Osborn Avenue after you pass the library on West Main Street. Library parking can be found on your left before the railroad tracks. From the East: Take your best route to either Route 25 from the North Fork into Riverhead. This will become East Main Street and then West Main Street after you pass Peconic Ave. Turn right onto Osborn Avenue. Library parking will be on your left before the railroad tracks. OR Take your best route to Route 24 from the South Fork to the traffic circle in Riverhead. Take your first right out of the traffic circle onto Peconic Avenue. Turn left at the traffic light onto West Main Street. Turn right onto Osborn Ave. Library parking will be on your left before the railroad tracks. By the LIRR: The Riverhead Train Station is a short walk to the library. As you exit the train turn right heading west on Railroad Street. Cross Osborn Ave. and turn left heading south on Osborn Ave. The library will be on your right.

824 Middle Road, Riverhead: Take the Long Island Expressway (Interstate 495) east to exit 73. Merge onto CR 58 heading east. Turn left onto Harrison Ave. At the "T" intersection, turn right onto Middle Road. #824 will be on your left (north side of the road).

East Northport Library – 185 Larkfield Road, just North of Pulaski Road on the East side of the street. Parking is available behind the Library, turn onto Kew Avenue and make your first right onto University Place. We will meet in the Café.

**Canton of Sandmork A&S Meetings** - Contact Canton Mistress of Arts & Sciences Eachna dalta Aonghus (Gwen Morse) (631) 399-7355 or Acting Canton Seneschal Nicodemus (Stephen Hataier) thumpa@charter.net, for details on locations and directions.

**Fiber Arts Workshop** — Contact Betty Saum for additional information. Phone 631-981-1464 e-mail: <u>Gisellef@optonline.net</u> <u>Directions:</u> Corner of Lakeshore Road and Weichers St — Take the LIE to exit 60 - turn north onto Ronkonkoma Ave, turn left down Weichers St (by Lighthouse Insurance office) take it to the end — it is the house on the left. Address: 2885 Lakeshore Road, Lake Ronkonkoma.

## Coronet's Gazette

#### Greetings All!

Our great Kingdom once again readies itself for War. Armor, supplies, camping gear - all stowed, ready for the long journey westward. But, before we leave to aid our Crown....

We would like to thank those who made the long journey up to Great Northeastern War to aid our sister Barony in her time of need. Lord Peter Bog and Lord Thorolf, your aid on the battlefield that weekend was greatly appreciated by Baroness Elspeth, as were Baroness Mistress Suzanne's Queen's favors, given towards additional war point in their war with Malagentia. Our thanks for your efforts!

This past Southern Region War Camp was a busy one for our Barony. Our congratulations and vivats go out to Alec and Ori on their Silver Crescents and to Uther on his OTC - a wonderful day for our Barony, all-in-all! Vivats go out, as well, to all the valiant warriors, both seasoned and new,

who fought their hearts out on the fields under the Blue and White that weekend. Our thanks also go out to those of our seamstresses (Lady Annetta, Lady Daria, Lady Gisele, and Baroness Mistress Suzanne) who gave of their time and skills to provide Her Majesty with a gift of much-needed favors and veils (Lady Annetta), presented to Her Majesty in a beautiful wooden chest generously donated by THL Ysabeau. We pass on Her thanks and appreciation to you all! As an added note, we will be delivering any remaining favors to Her Majesty at Pennsic. Please see myself or Lady Gisele, who has coordinated this effort, with any favors you may yet still have.

As of this writing, we ourselves are in the midst of Pennsic preparations, as are many in the Barony and, indeed, in the Kingdom. We look forward to seeing many of you at Pennsic. May it be a victorious War but, above all, may it be safe and enjoyable for all! Safe journeys!

Jean Xavier and Gianetta

## Chronicler's notes

Greetings all! May your journeys be safe and your battles victorious as you head off to Pennsic! All your humble narrator wishes is that you bring back good stories (No s---, there we were!) and excellent pictures. With enough photos (with captions) I'll do a special Pennsic Viaduct, highlighting our Barony's adventures. Good luck!

And news from Hawk's Reach, congratulations to Arabella Rose (Nancy) for being voted in as Chatelaine! Vivat!

L. Cynyr

## **Event Calendar**

#### August

8/6-8/22 Pennsic XXXIII, Slippery Rock, PA 8/13-8/15 Too Poor for Pennsic, Saugerties, NY

#### September

9/11-12 John Barlycorn, Northpass 9/18-9/19 Brush Barn Heritage Faire, Smithtown, NY 9/25 Day of Dance and Good Eats, Smithtown, NY

#### October

10/2 Coronation, Barony of Carolingia, Bolton, MA 10/16 The Tea House of Xanadu, Lion's End, Hicksville, NY 10/29 Crown Tourney, Mt. Freehold, North Hero, VT

#### **Fighter Practice Schedule**

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## **Baronial Minutes**

This is an overview of the topics of the meetings. The complete minutes are available at the Baronial meetings; see the Historian for details.

**Date:** July 16 **Start:** 7:31 **End:** 8:21

Present: Clifford F, Susan M-F, Pete B, Laurie B, Pam J, Pete F, Pete W & Jeanne D

**Topics**: Officers reports given, no meetings in August. Discussed website issues need new name, discussed going to one meeting per month, e-mailing officer reports monthly, then just a quarterly officer meeting possibly



# Finster, his Broadside (not his backside!!)



F inster, Earl of Chevro sends you

Salutations.

First off...Lord Longtoes....they (Lord David of Wexington and Lady Sara Fasskin) are my companions not me theirs... actually they are more like uhmmm well lets see...revered retainers...yeah that's it. Now on to business.

An introduction would be good.

My fellow gentles I am Finster I. Bjornssen, Earl of Chevro Hall and adventurer nonpareil. Because of my adventures I have discovered many useful things and in my capacity as Earl of Chevro it is my duty, nay, my pleasure to help out fellow gentles by answering any queries on things that may puzzle them.

Since most of you have been too busy readying yourselves for Pennsic; I have decided that some of my traveling experiences and packing might be useful. Here is a list:

- 1). Make sure to have sufficient supplies of chocolate and do not pack it in your good garb (it gets really hot in a trunk...take it from me I know).
- 2). Make sure you are not packed next to books...they tend to bruise...better to be on top of the pack...but mind the zipper.
- 3). In emergencies MacDonald's supplies fine rafts and oars...strange but they come with pancakes or eggs and stuff. Go figure.

Well tah tah for now! Have fun at the War...

Yours in Service. Finster Earl of Chevro.

For more information about Finster and crew, go to:

http://pages.prodigy.net/dgundersen/index.html

# **Duck University (Scribal)**

Hail and Fair Greetings!

Due to the prospect of relocation fast approaching, classes for Duck U (scribal workshops) are currently on hiatus. Until such time as I am able to run another class again and am settled, students are encouraged to keep up the good work, keep researching and supporting the scribal arts. If you are interested in doing future projects for the Signet Office, including gift scrolls, I strongly encourage you to please pay attention to the changes happening in the East Kingdom Signet Policies, which include that all those who wish to do scrolls for the East - even blank ones - must first register with the Signet Office.

These changes are still being discussed as I write this, so please stand by. In the meantime, if you wish to view the ongoing discussion, you can find it under "Policies of the Signet" on the chat board at: http://scribe.cocoh.net

Thank you, each of you who has contributed or supported in the scribal arts - I hope this summer continues to encourage many to join some of the finest artisans in the Known World in this ancient art, and I would invite those of you who wish to see what the rest of the Known World Scribes have been up to, to drop in at the Known World Scribal Gathering in the Midrealm Royal Encampment at Pennsic, on Tuesday of War Week, from 3pm - 5pm. There will be a number of scribal works on display from folks all across the world, and artists a-plenty to discuss their creations. It's a celebration of all manners of artistic styles, creativity, and experience levels. You need not be a scribe to attend, and from previous gatherings, I can attest that everything about the gathering is truly inspiring.

Until next, May the Muses Treat You Well,

Lady Kayleigh McWhyte Founder, Drake University for Courtly Kingdom Scribes (aka "Duck U") King's Champion of Arts and Sciences