
VIADUCT

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The amazing “*Demo That Wasn’t!*”



June 12, 2004 was our scheduled demo for the Brush Barn History in Motion faire, but due to unforeseen circumstances, the faire’s date was changed! Imagine our surprise! But no matter. In true SCA fashion we held an incredibly fun impromptu commons, replete with fighting, fencing, archery and the company of good friends.

Shown above, Pete (AKA Lord Peter Bog, in some strange clothing...) and Baron Jean Xavier enjoying the day.

More photos inside!

L. Cynyr Longtoes

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Ancient Glory-Dueling on the deck of the *Bounty*, 1999

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Event Calendar

July

7/2-7/4 Northern Regional War Camp/EK Equestrian Champs, Glenn Linn, NY

7/5/04 1pm Woodworking Workshop @ Sorcha's

7/10 Something Fishy This Way Comes, Philadelphia, PA

7/16-18 Great Northeastern War, New Hebron, ME

7/23-7/25 Southern Regional War Camp, Lehighton, PA

7/24 Pre-Pennsic Archery War Camp, Voorheesville, NY

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

Fighter Practice Schedule

July 11 (Kissena Practices 11AM)

Note the Events in July above. Questions to Lord Peter Bog, Knight Marshal.

Fencing Practice Schedule

Please contact Alexander MacLachlan Phone: (631) 419-0771

alecmescot@aol.com for information.

Pre-Pennsic Woodshop Workshop

Greetings All!

There will be a Pre-Pennsic Woodshop Workshop at Peter of Hawkwoods home on Monday July 5th at 1PM. We will be working on wooden cooler/chests for your Pennsic encampment. You will need to supply your own wood, hammer, nails, screws, etc. I will supply the power tools and assist you in your plans & guide you in your assembly. If you plan to make the cover for your existing cooler, you will need to measure the cooler including any handles & drains, height, width and depth. I will help you with your material list if you e-mail me that information.

In order to organize this workshop you must RSVP me at the address below by 7/2/04. In addition to bringing the materials and tools for your project, please bring your beverage of choice (power tools & alcohol are not the best mixture) as well as a dish to share, the grill will be available.

When you RSVP, I will forward you the directions to my abode as well as your material list if needed.

YIS,

Lord Peter of Hawkwoods

E-mail address: pfarrell27@yahoo.com

Regularly Scheduled Meetings

Baronial Business Meetings: All Officers are requested to attend

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

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

Canton/Incipient Canton Business Meetings:

Sandmork: 2nd Friday of each Month – Riverhead Free Library at 7:30PM. Contact Nicodemus for more information

Hawk's Reach: 2nd Wednesday of each month - East Northport Library Café @7:30PM

Guild/Workshops/Combative

Herbalist & Apothecaries Guild – 3rd Friday of each month - call 631-754-8977 for information

Calligraphy Workshop – By appointment, Contact Kayleigh McWhyte, 631-421-9359 or kmcwhyte@aol.com for more details.

Thrown Weapon Practice- 1st and 3rd 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

NOTE: This month's (July) meeting will be Tuesday July 6 and will be featuring middle-eastern garb

Fighter Practice – 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", beginning in February: 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@mindspring.com, for details on locations and directions.

Fiber Arts Workshop – Contact Betty Saum for additional information. Phone 631-981-1464 e-mail: Gisellef@optonline.net Directions: 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 unto the Populace,

We had the opportunity to represent the Barony at Vinland Raids III during the court of the newly-invested Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Smoking Rocks, Cerdic and Caitlin. In court, we congratulated their Excellencies, offering An Dubhaigeainn's support and gifts generously provided by Lord Magnus Sverre Haakenson.

An Dubhaigeainn made a good showing during the war college/melee practice, as well, fielding five fighters. Those of us that could not fight that day, were able to get their authorizations in siege weapons. During one of the breaks between the melees, Prince Thorson took a moment to compliment An Dubhaigeainn for its newsletter.

Well done, Lord Cynyr!

We hope that everyone's Pennsic preparations are going well. In mere weeks, the Baronial encampment will be coming to life. At Vinland Raids III, King Gaufred Kelson had put out a call for water bearers. If anyone is willing and capable to take on this task of water bearer, please contact Baronessa Gianetta.

Yours in Service,
Jean Xavier and Gianetta

Baronial Forces Update

We are now in possession of the Southern Regional Army patches. We'll be placing these on the Baronial tabards for our forces. Baron Lawrence Thornguard, General of the Southern Regional Army, did a fantastic job with the new patches. We look forward to wearing them proudly on the battlefield.

Two War Camps to keep in mind are Northern Regional War Camp in Warrensburg, NY, on July 2-4 and Southern Regional War Camp in Lehighton, PA, on July 23-25. Please note that the Southern Regional War Camp is the last opportunity to authorize to participate in the battles at Pennsic. Let me know if you plan on attending either of these War Camps.

I also request that all Baronial Champions contact me by Monday, July 12, to discuss your Pennsic Quests.

Jean Xavier
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Seneschal's Gazette

Greetings,

Quite a bit has happened since last month. Hawks Reach cancelled The July commons that Chiara was organizing due to site issues but it now has a new Seneschal, Cynyr Longtoes. Cynyr volunteered and has been accepted by the group at meeting. Our demo/commons at the brush barn last month turned into just a commons. One of the best commons I've been to in quite some time. We now have an autocrat a cook and a date for St. Andrews. That would be Ateno of Annun Ridge, Nicodemus, and November 20th respectively and it's still going to be themed as an Oktoberfest.

Enough trivia. At the June populous forum, A proposal was put forth to strike the "list of officers and draft a list of eligible offices and set a minimum officers. The reason for this proposal being, as a matter of policy we have offices not required by kingdom or society. Some of these positions are vacant or being held by persons with no interest in the day to day affairs of the barony. On the other hand we also have persons who are involved in the day to day planning affairs of the barony but not as one of our listed officers. As a barony we are required by kingdom law to have a seneschal, herald, knight marshal, exchequer, chronicler, minister of arts and sciences, minister of lists, and a chatelaine. As a matter of East Kingdom Seneschal's policy Canton Seneschals are also officers, "especially in terms of their representation at officers' meetings". As a matter of Baronial policy, we have three more offices and a limited office, chamberlain, captain of archers, historian, and coronet respectively. Of the last four, two, captain of archers and coronet, are clearly involved in the day to day planning and affairs and the other two, chamberlain and historian, are not. As it is right now, to amend our list of officers, we have to propose a change of policy. If we are to change policy then let's do away with the stone tablets and set up some guidelines. I hope to have a formal change draft together this fall. Until then please feel free to contact me via email or comment at a policy meeting.

Thorolf

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: June 3 **Start:** 7:35 **End:** 8:55

Present: Clifford Frank, Susan M-Frank, Pam Jaques, Betty Saum, Rich Hoelzer, Peter Walczyk, Jeff Bennett, Elizabeth Frank, Peter Boullianne

Topics: June commons/History in motion demo discussed, July Hawk's Reach commons cancelled, proposed budget passed for the Autumn Day of Dance I Sept., Seneschal proposes some changes to Baronial Policy, several people had various heraldry passed

Date: June 17 **Start:** 7:52 **End:** 8:25

Present: Pam J, Pete W., F., Pete B., Laurie B., Jeff B., Steven H, Elizabeth F., Pete W.

Topics: Discussion of the 75\$ outlay in Baronial funds for the baronial army, woodworking workshop 7/5/04, Fencing Championship to be held in September at Brush Barn demo

Officers Reports: were given please see complete minutes for details.

Chronicler's notes

Greetings unto the populace,

Time for another issue! I had a great time at the Demo, and look forward to September's.

If anyone has an interesting article, cartoon, and photo or a how to they'd like published, I would love to see it!

ALSO—

Some of you know Lady Sara and Lord David's companion, Finster.

As Finster has many of his own opinions, he's requested his own Scadian Advice Column. Send your questions to Cynyr@earthlink.net and let's see how he does!

See you next month!

L. Cynyr

Hawk's Reach

On another note, I would like to thank the good folks of Hawk's Reach for their confidence in voting me in for Seneschal of the Incip. Canton. I would also like to thank Lady Chiara for her years of excellent service as Seneschal. She brought the Canton to Incipiency, and I hope to follow that accomplishment by helping to bring us to full status.

I'd like to add my continuing appreciation to Lady Chiara and Lady Sorcha for all their help (and continued help...:-) in making the transition into office. I want to do a good job, and with the great people of Hawk's Reach, we can't fail.

Thank you!

Lord Cynyr Longtoes

There are presently two officers' positions available: Chatelaine and Knight Marshal. Any members of the Canton interested in applying for any of these offices are requested to submit a Letter of Intent to me, with copies to the Baronial Seneschal and Coronet.

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Lord Cynyr Longtoes



Melee at ICON 2004

The Demo that Wasn't—Brush Barn 6/04



Lorenzo and Uncle Eanraig



Marion and Targai, fighting Chinese style. Note the fan...



Alec and Targai, the encampment beyond



Thorolf and Jean Xavier in front, Francis and Kendra behind



Kendra and Alec



Lorenzo, in the red armor!