

August 2021

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BARONY OF AN DUBHAIGEAINN

Baronial Business Meeting

Next meeting August 5th at 7:00pm Via Google Meet https://meet.google.com/tdq-jbcu-uaf

For additional information please contact our Seneschal at seneschal@andub.eastkingdom.org.

All are welcome. Officers are encouraged to attend.

Canton of Aawkes Reache Business Meetings

Business Meeting and Thrown Weapons/A&S Day August 1st.

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Combat Arts & Practices Archery, Sighting, Sencing & Thrown Weapons



Fencing practice will be held every Tuesday at 6:30pm at Percy Raynor Park (220 Belle Meade Road) in Centereach.

Masks are required for practice at all times, we will have a sanitation station set up with Wipes and Hand Sanitizer.

For any questions please contact our Captain of Fencers, Eanraig, at fencers@andub.eastkingdom.org

Beavy Weapons Practice

Heavy weapons practice will be held every Tuesday at 6:30pm at Percy Raynor Park (220 Belle Meade Road) in Centereach.

Masks are required for practice at all times, we will have a sanitation station set up with Wipes and Hand Sanitizer.

Please contact our Knight Marshal, Antonio, at knightmarshal@andub.eastkingdom.org if you have any questions.

Archery Practice

Activities pending, dates to be determined.

Please contact our Captain of Archers, Ronan, at archers@andub.eastkingdom.org if you have any questions.

Chrown Weapons Practice

Activities pending, dates to be determined.

Please contact our Captain of Throwers, Wulfsige, at throwers@andub.eastkingdom.org if you have any questions.

Baronial Event Calendar

August & Geptember 2021

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|---------------------------------------------------|--------|---------|-----------|-------------------------------|--------|----------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| Hawkes Reache Meeting/ Thrown Weapons & A&S | | | | Baronial Meeting *Virtual* | | |
| 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
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| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
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| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
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| 29 | 30 | 31 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | | | | Baronial Meeting *Virtual* | | |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
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| 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
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| 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| | | | | Hawkes Reache Meeting | | |
| 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | | |
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East Kingdom Event Schedule

Bjorn's Retreat (AKA Joachim's Advance): Aug 14th, Melrose, NY https://www.eastkingdom.org/event-details/?eid=3746

Ethereal Court XII of the Eastern Consules, Tindal and Alberic: Aug 26th, 4:00PM https://www.youtube.com/SCAEastKingdomEthereal/

Hunter's Moon – Return of the Hounds: Sept 2nd-6th, Melrose, NY https://www.eastkingdom.org/event-details/?eid=3750

<u>Shire of Midland Vale - Shire Championships:</u> Sept 18th, Circleville, NY https://www.eastkingdom.org/event-details/?eid=3744

Champions Of An Dubhaigeainn

| Category | Champion |
|----------------------|----------------------------------|
| Archery | Laird Eanraig the Bonesetter |
| Armored Combat | Lord Andromedas of Surtr's Brood |
| Arts & Sciences | Lady Lily Morgaine of The East |
| Bardic | Dame Hugoline the Delicate |
| Brewing | Lord Akos Zekel |
| Rapier | Atraka Asen |
| Thrown Weapons | Lord Fearghus Mac Cailin |
| Youth Thrown Weapons | Griffon of House Three Skulls |

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Arrow, Axes & Ales RESCHEDULED

October 23rd, 10:00AM-5:00PM

Estonian House, 20 Middle Island Blvd, Middle Island, NY 11953 https://andub.eastkingdom.org/wordpress/arrows-axes-and-ales-there-and-back-again/

Come one and all, as we gather our flock to the Ducky Lands of An Dubhaigeainn! After more than a year's journey we have finally come out the other side. We have all been THERE, and now is the time to start coming BACK AGAIN. Welcome summer, warm weather, and seeing friends and loved ones that we have been physically distant from and join the Barony of An Dubhaigheiann for our annual Arrows, Axes and Ales event and championships to be held on August 28, 2021.

Bring your archery and thrown weapons, and your potent potables (they come in pints!!!) to enter competitions for Baronial champions of Archery, Thrown Weapons, Youth Thrown Weapons, and Brewing. Our current champions have devised interesting, challenging, and fun tourneys for your pleasure and challenge.

Event Steward: Lady VetraTrys Kaukoles 155274@members.eastkingdom.org

Hawkes Reache Thrown Weapons and A&S

August 1st, 12:00PM-6:30PM

Thrown weapons practice and A&S activities, including scribal and fiber arts. If you want to teach anything or if there's anything in particular you want to learn please comment.

Contact David Fishman or Jessica Donohue for the address. You must RSVP as going on this event ahead of time.

Bring your own folding chair and cups if possible.

Alberic and Tindal Announce Eastern Heirs

East Kingdom Gazette July 19, 2021 by Anastasia

Unto the populace of the East do we Alberic and Tindal Consules Orientalis, send warm greetings. It is with great pleasure that we announce today that we have heirs to the Tyger thrones.

Ioannes Aurelius Serpentius and Ro Honig von Sommerfeldt have been invested as the new Prince and Princess of Tir Mara and therefore heirs to the Eastern throne. It was a great day for the East, showing off the Prowess and Courtesy of the combatants and consorts in our crown tournament.



Photo courtesy of Lily Morgaine



The History of An Dubhaigeainn

Installment 31

AS XLIII: During the Reign of TRM Darius IV and Alethea

OCTOBER 2008

A metal workshop was held on 10/19 by Jean Xavier

NOVEMBER 2008

At St Andrews in a Foreign Port (auto-crated by the Baron Ateno), held on the first day of November, Anno Societatis XLIII in the Barony of An Dubhaigeainn, a tournament was held. Lord Titus' year of dedicated service as Baronial Champion for their Excellencies Baron Ateno of Annun Ridge & Baroness Lassar In- gen Aeda, having come to an end, a successor was needed. Lord Titus devised a tournament to test the mettle of any hale warrior. Many hard blows were struck and endured, yet no one would yield the field. The sun sank low in the sky as the combatants fought on. And on... I must tell you that all three combatants participating who were eligible for the position, Hilarivs, Marcus and Saravit fought with honor, heart and determination. It was a pleasure to watch and to play some small part in this, myself, by crossing swords at times with each of the three worthies. At the end of several hours of exhausting but glorious combat, there were broken weapons and battered bodies and finally the tournament came to a close. Both Hilarivs of House Three Skulls and Marcus Redgate of Surtr's Brood had survived the arduous experience largely intact, but remained essentially tied. Titus declared that the two worthies would settle the contest in a best two out of three format. The first was hard fought by both men and Marcus emerged victorious. In the second bout, Marcus disabled Hilarivs' sword arm. Marcus discarded his shield in recognition of Hilarivs' knightly and valiant efforts during the day, so the contest could be decided without an advantage held by either. Both men fought hard and admirably. Eventually Hilarivs was defeated by Marcus, who was declared the day's victor. In court Their Excellencies accepted Marcus as their champion and Lord Titus passed on the regalia of the office, having served the Barony well during his tenure. In addition Marcus was presented with a Silver Feather in recognition for his many good works on behalf of the Barony since joining less than a year ago. In addition to the heavy weapons tourney, there was ample space for our fencers. For those of a non-martial bent, there was dancing, feasting and shopping. The event was crowned with a feast prepared by Mistress Suzanne Neuber de Londres and her generous staff of helpers, Isabeau, Gianetta and Miranda Flame- keeper. Thanks also go to a number of folks including but not limited to Marcus of Redgate who provided the unique site tokens, Jean Xavier and Sorcha who handled troll and everyone else who helped make this a wonderful event.

100 Minutes War! The Wetlands Alliance fielded just over a dozen fighters and we had a great mix of weapons. We fought between his Majesty's group and Surtr's Brood. Even though it was cold, there were no injuries and the side we were on was the winning side. Lassar and I were able to pledge fealty at court that afternoon. We came in a column and pledged in the Roman style to the King's enjoyment. We were then able to have a Baronial Court during Royal Court where we surprised Lord Titus and granted him the Order of the Drake's Spur. For those that could not tell, Lassar gave him her personal one, which was one of the originals to be created. Thank you, Titus, for your term as Champion and your enthusiasm with your polearm at Pennsic. We, and the East look forward to more of that!

Member Highlight

Name: Baron Vladimir Bathory de Villarquamada mka James Gallagher

How did you learn about the SCA? I learned about it in the early 80's from a supermarket tabloid. There, on the front page, was "Modern Day Knights Dueling to the Death in California". It was an incredibly accurate story about the SCA which I immediately assumed was a well written piece of fiction, so I went back to my D&D. ~4 years later, just after HS grad, I went to a small medieval demo held by Acre and immediately became a member. A few years later I joined the SCA.

What about it attracted you? The fighting! It was D&D come to life...but not as a pretty scripted Renn Faire, but a gritty, legit subculture. No shiny swords that sparked when hit. These duct taped clubs were delivered with the intent to actually find a body part. The fighting was 'real' and I was forever spellbound. Truth is, I truly love the subculture and if I had to choose between the subculture without fighting OR the fighting without the subculture, I would select the former. Overjoyed that I don't have to make such a decision!



How long have I been part of the SCA? About 35 years. Ooof!

What is your SCA persona? My mother Kaitlyn o'Corra is of 10th century Scottish descent while my father, the late Baron Adhemar (Morgan) de Villarquamada, is roughly from 15th century Spain. They are my Society parents. Basic story: Born in Acre, sent to Wallachia to be raised by Bathory family, at 18 I returned to Acre, eventually left to live in the East.

What activities do you participate in? I fight rattan, I love playing chess...particularly a variant of the game called Dragonchess, and I also know my way around leatherwork...rivits, anvils, buckles, etc. I'm no master by any definition but I have made numerous suits of armor as well as repair work, for many fighters over the years

What has been your favorite event? Birka!!! 3 days of merch'n, 3 hours of bearpit'n, and 3 minutes away from your own toilet...all while surrounded by conditioned air! Pennsic is a very close second but it's BirkaCon for the win!

What has been your favorite moment? There are two.....My Squiring to Duke Omega AND Becoming Court Baron.

What would say are your greatest accomplishments in the SCA thus far? What I believe are my greatest accomplishments FOR the SCA are recruiting and nurturing numerous members that have gone on to become amazing participants in the Society. I didn't get them to where they are now, but I had a hand, even a small one, in catalyzing their journey, including some who are now knights, household leaders, and nobility...even my dear friend...that guy who runs the Brood. ;)

As for my personal accomplishments: 3x Recipient of Silver Feather, 4x Baronial Rattan Champ, Queen's Guard, Award of Arms, Consort's Order of Courtesy, Court Barony, Grant of Arms, and Sovereign's Cypher.

What future goals do you have in the SCA? Get knighted, win Crown, then convince the BOD to hold Pennsic at the Birka hotel...or extend Birka to a week...I don't care which. LOL. I'd be stoked to simply get my OTC. But that must be earned, and I surely haven't done that yet...but I'm more focused now then ever before...and with my lady Andrea by my side, I feel I can accomplish anything!



From the Coronet



Breetings from the Coronet!

We want to congratulate the heirs to the Tyger thrones. Ioannes Aurelius Serpentius and Ro Honig von Sommerfeldt have been invested as the new Prince and Princess of Tir Mara and therefore heirs to the Eastern throne! Vivat! Coronation is planned for August 28th somewhere near Albany, the event announcement is not up as of this time.

We have moved Arrows, Axes & Ales to October 23rd so as not to conflict with Coronation.

There is an A&S and Thrown Weapons practice in East Northport hosted by Hawkes Reache that Sorcha will be attending, see the Facebook page for the information.



We are planning St Andrews for November 13th, this will be the 30th Anniversary of An Dubhaigeainn as a Barony! We are not sure exactly what this event will look like yet but if you would like to be involved please contact us or our Seneschal.

We hope to see more of you in person as we slowly begin coming back to normal. In the meantime stay safe and cool until we meet again.

Hope to see you all soon , Yours in Service to the Dream, *Sorcha and Titus* Baroness and Prefect of An Dubhaigeainn