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Meetings

Our populace/officers meetings are held every third Thursday of the month at Thorpe Park Community Center in Flagstaff from 6:30p to 8:00p. Thorpe Park Community Center is located in Flagstaff at 245 N. Thorpe Rd.

Our meetings usually cover discussion of business items, plans for upcoming events, and occasionally a dance practice if time permits.

We usually go out for pizza after the meeting. Please feel free to join us!

OUR WORDS

Greetings All!

Our Words

February brings Ered Sulabration on the 9th. We always enjoy spending time with all of you at this more relaxed event. Don't forget! Our A&S Championship is held at Ered Sulabration. Our current Baronial A&S Champion, Lady Dubhchobhlaigh, will be organizing this year's competition. We can't wait to see the awesome entries!

This year is different for Us. Letters of Intent are due from all who wish to be considered as candidates for the Office of Baron and Baroness of Ered Sul next week.

Being Baron and Baroness is both rewarding and difficult. The happiest part of being the Landed Nobility of Ered Sul comes from you, the members of the Barony. Each of you contributes something to the Barony. Whether you are an "old hand" or a newcomer to the SCA, fun is what you make of your participation. It doesn't take a lot of money and it needn't take tremendous time. But to get something out, you have to put something in – participate.

And remember, we LOVE to give out awards, but to get an award you need to earn one! No show= no cookie! There are often rides available to events, but if you don't ask in a timely fashion...

Ered Sul will soon have a polling to advise the Crown of our collective recommendation for our next Baron and Baroness. This is the ONE THING that you must do for your Barony. We need you ALL to make your advice known by submitting an absentee "ballot" and by showing up at the free polling event. We need MORE than 70% of the SCA members registered in our Barony to poll. Think your individual ballot won't matter or make a difference? So did a few folks in another Barony that failed to get enough ballots. Now they're scrambling in a last ditch effort to get more than 70% one more time. If they fail, their Barony will be returned to Kingdom Lands, the Barony cease to exist, and their treasury turned over to Crown. Don't let that happen to Our Barony!

If your membership has expired, now is the time to renew.

Events march forward even as polling continues to come Our way:

Feb 25-March 3 – Estrella War

March 15-16 – Great Helm and Barony of Tir Ysgithr Investiture

March 29 -30 - Mixed Weapons and Sundragon Investiture

April 13 – Ered Sul Polling

April 19 – Gaelic Games Windale

Estrella is almost upon us! If you are planning to camp with The Barony of Ered Sul, please make yourself known to Us with the number in your group and *tent sizes with ropes* . This is critical this year since we have 568 people who want to camp with Ered Sul!

Two more Baronies are scheduled for Investitures in conjunction with Wars. Both Tir Ysgither and Sun Dragon are planning investitures in March.

Baron Henry and Baroness Eirny will miss Tir Ysgithr's investiture since We travel to Gulf War with Eirny's business. Once again We will be promoting Highlands War to attendees who are Our neighbors in Caid, The West, Artemesia, Trimaris and Outlands who attend this war.

Baroness Eirny and at least a small cadre of people from Ered Sul are planning to attend Mixed Weapons war. It has always been one of Our favorite events in Atenveldt.

Gaelic Games in Windale is the day before Easter this year - April 19th. This has been a "must attend" for both of us. Last year was a blast! Let's have a strong Ered Sul presence for our friends and neighbors.

Now is the time to start planning for Highlands War. Remind your friends that Highlands is in its second year at a great new site. We have room for every kind of SCA activity, and, there is a local swimming hole only two miles from site. While we didn't make it to the swimming hole last year, the reports were awesome!

Did you have the opportunity to shoot at the moving archery target that was provided by Lord Ivar last year? Baroness Eirny did, and she says it was awesome! We are still trying to pull together loaner archery equipment for the event. If you have any archery equipment that you are not using, please consider donating it to a good cause. We have loaner arrows, but NO bows.

If you have ever considered participating in equestrian activities, this is definitely the place to be. Once again the Society Equestrian Marshal will be at Highlands. She will be bringing a small contingent from Caid.

Baroness Eirny will be running an Indigo dye pot again in an even larger Fiber Tent, and the plans are starting to come together for even more fiber activities. Did you remember to bring something to dye in the dye pot last year? Don't forget this year! Did you miss the Mongolian felting last year? We are planning to do it again this year! To Our knowledge this is the only location in the SCA where Mongolian felting is done the way it was intended to be done - with a horse. Don't miss it!

Yours in Service,

Baron Henry & Baroness Eirny
Protectors of All Things Wooly

Barony of Ered Sul Baronial Polling

April 13, 2014

Guidelines for Baronial Letters of Intent and Baronial Polling

Letters of Intent

Unto the populace of the Barony of Ered Sul: Their Excellencies Henry and Eirny will soon complete their warrant. Therefore, in accordance with Kingdom Law, The Crown is accepting Letters of Intent, from qualified couples, who wish to be considered as candidates for the position of Baron and Baroness. To be eligible for this position, candidates must be paid members of the SCA and reside within the zip codes assigned to the Barony of Ered Sul. Letters of Intent should be sent to the Crown with copies to the Kingdom Seneschal and the current Baron and Baroness of Ered Sul. Letters may be sent by either US Mail or email.

Letters of intent must be received by February 13, 2014.

- The following information must be included in your Letter of Intent:
- Full contact information that includes both modern and SCA names, complete mailing address, phone number(s), and email addresses
- Proof of current membership
- A statement of your reasons for seeking the position
- A statement of your plans and dreams for the future of the Barony
- A brief statement of your history of participation in the Barony and within the SCA
- A statement that you fully understand the responsibilities of the positions of Baron and Baroness and that you are willing to commit to a three year term of office
- A statement that you understand that, if accepted as a candidate by the Crown, your Letter of Intent will be published in your baronial newsletter.

Polling

A polling of the current paid members of the Barony of Ered Sul will be conducted on April 13, 2014 at Joe C. Montoya Community & Senior Center, 245 N. Thorpe Rd., Flagstaff, AZ 86001. The polling will begin at noon and will run until 1:30 PM. If the results of that polling do not show a clear preference, a second run-off polling will be held immediately following the closing and tabulation of ballots from the first poll. Members are encouraged to remain onsite should a second poll be necessary.

To participate in the polling, you must possess a valid SCA membership that is listed in the zip codes assigned to the Barony of Ered Sul and be eighteen years of age or older.

Current membership will be verified on a membership list at the polling site, or you may present an online membership renewal confirmation that is dated after the Milpitas Registry Office list was generated. A driver's license or government picture ID will also be required to be shown to prove age and identity.

Absentee Ballots

Proxy ballots are NOT allowed. If you are unable to attend the polling, you may follow the procedures below to submit an Absentee Ballot Letter. No exceptions will be made to the timeline or contents for an Absentee ballot to be counted, so review the requirements carefully, and send your letters in as soon as the candidates are announced. You must write a letter to the Kingdom Seneschal stating your preference in the poll. Your absentee ballot must be RECEIVED by [April 3rd](#) to be counted. DO NOT require a signature at delivery on a mailed ballot, as that will delay delivery. If there is a second polling, absentee ballots will only be counted if the preferred candidates remain in the run-off polling. Your letter must include ALL of the following:

The names of one and only one couple you prefer as candidates, or a statement that you do not support any of the candidates.

Modern and SCA name and the mailing address for your membership, including zip code.

Proof of membership (Any one of membership number, photocopy of membership card, photocopy of Southwind label, photocopy of confirmation printout from online membership renewal)

Photocopy of a driver's license or government ID showing your modern name, zip code, and proof that you are 18 years of age or older.

Send the absentee ballot by US Mail or email to arrive by April 3rd to seneschal@atenveldt.org or by mail to Sylvia Baldwin, 3638 W. Campbell Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85019.

In Service to the Crown and Kingdom of Atenveldt,

Baroness Saba O'Coileain
Kingdom Seneschal
Atenveldt

KINGDOM EVENTS

Lost & Found at Estrella War

Unclaimed Lost & Found items from the 2011 & 2012 Estrella Wars will be auctioned off during the Kingdom Sheriff's auction at Estrella War XXX! Date and time TBA in the gatebook.

If you need to claim an item, please contact the Kingdom Sheriff's Office at: sheriff@atenveldt.org

Photo gallery for Estrella 2012 lost and found

<http://s233.photobucket.com/user/ladyb918/library/SCA%20Pics/EW%20Lost%20and%20Found/2012%20Lost%20and%20Found?sort=6&start=all&page=1>

Inventory of all lost & found

<https://spreadsheets.google.com/a/atenveldt.org/pub?key=0AtRbb1m68NJ7dHdLZ0puRHdEajU4dWtqT2QtOXI5N1E>

YIS,

Lady Bethia Somers, Emergency Deputy Kingdom Sheriff

Pre-Registration taking place Now

Estrella War XXX February 25 - March 3 2014

Pre-Registered Fees

Adult	\$70.00	(non-member surcharge \$5.00 in addition to site fee)
Youth (6 – 17)	\$25.00	
Child (0 – 5)	Free	
Family cap	\$165.00	Defined as 2 adults and 1 or more youth living at same address (children free)
Paid Parking	\$20.00	
RV space	\$25.00	Dry RV until sold out, 4 wet RV spaces available at \$100 via lottery system. To participate in the Wet RV Raffle, you must be pre-registered by 1/31/2014

Savings - pre-registrations save \$15.00 per adult and \$30.00 per family cap. Lower than the General Admission fees paid at the Gate

If you pre-register, you can enter the site one day earlier than those who pay General Admission. The site opens for pre-registered attendees at 8:00AM Tuesday, February 25 2014.

Pre-registration fees may be paid by personal check. Or MasterCard or Visa can be used when pre-registration is paid on-line. (On-site payment - cash and traveler's checks only)

Group camping and RV space is guaranteed to pre-registered participants only (Front gate attendees camp on a first come first serve basis as extra space allows)
 Full information at <http://estrellawar.org/registration/pre-registration/>

BARONIAL REGNUM

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<p>Rapier Marshall: Sigurd Magnusson (Jeremiah Causer) JeremiahCauser@yahoo.com 928-853-9081</p>	<p>Archery Marshall: Lord Ivar of Elsinore (Don Fisher) donfisher@q.com 928-863-8895</p>
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<p>Chirurgon: OPEN (Please contact their excellencies if interested!)</p>	<p>Chatelaine/New Comers Coordinator: Bannthegn Saeunn Kerling (Mary Highline) thehighlines@netzero.com (928) 522-0804</p>
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Please send any additions/changes to regnum information to Patricia Kolasinski at grymstone1@yahoo.com. Thank you.

ESTRELLA WAR INFORMATION ADDENDUM

College of Clothing: Historical Clothing, Footwear & Accessories

The 3-Piece Coif

Lady Sorcha inghean ui Ghadhra

In this class you will learn to make a 3 piece coif to help complement your wardrobe. The instructor will provide white cotton fabric to make the coif. If you wish another color or fabric, please bring it. The supplies you need are scissors, needles and pins. This will be a hand sewing class, so some knowledge is recommended.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)

Adults

Class Level: Beginner

Class Limit: 10 students

Class Fee: \$5

Day: Wednesday

Time: 9 am

Class Length: 1 hour

Note: This class will also be held on Thursday 9 am.

What Do You Call that Gown in Each Century?

Lady Isabelle Le Charpentier

Description coming soon...

Age Limit: Adults

Class Level: Beginner

Class Limit: TBD

Class Fee: TBD

Day: Wednesday

Time: 10 am

Class Length: 2 hours

Period Beads of the North: An Overview

Kniaginia Ian'ka Ivanova zhen Petrovitsa

Beads are part of most of the Nordic and Slavic cultures but how do you recreate that look in the modern era? This class will cover basic information on period beads, mostly glass from Northern and Eastern Europe and will show the students what to look for when shopping for beads in modern stores to make period style accessories.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)

Adults

Class Level: Beginner

Class Limit: None

Class Fee: None

Day: Wednesday

Time: 12 pm

Class Length: 1 hour

Note: This class will be repeated on Friday, 5 pm.

Turkish Costuming (with all the layers)

Mistress Nefratiri Ani Eponis

An overview of Turkish Costuming from the skin out. Fabrics and sources will be discussed.

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 25 students
Class Fee: \$5
Day: Thursday
Time: 10 am
Class Length: 1 hour

Norse and Rus Women's Head Coverings

Lady Rannvæig ørrarmr Eskilskona

A look at possible Norse and Rus head coverings taken from engravings and grave finds that challenges our current SCA styles.

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: None
Day: Thursday
Time: 2 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

Transform Your Site Token into Something Fancier

Monika

After you put that amazing outfit you spent weeks sewing on in the morning, do you put on your site token necklace and think....'wow....this token is cool, but this dirty piece of string is really detracting from my look!?' For \$10 and with a little bit of creativity you can transform it into something worthy of your attire. I wear mine all year. I will have a variety of beads and findings available, and will help you as much as you need me to. Suggested transformations include necklaces, pins, key chains, and bracelets.

Age Limit: Kids (5-9)
Youth (10-17)
Adults
Class Level: Beginner

Class Limit: None
Class Fee: \$10
Day: Thursday
Time: 12 pm
Class Length: 2 hours

Late Tudor/Elizabethian Ruff

Lady Isabelle Le Charpentier

A practice sample of ruff construction will be taught.

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 8 students
Class Fee: \$3
Day: Thursday
Time: 2 pm
Class Length: 2 hours

Rectangles, Triangles, and Squares- Period Patterns Made Easy

Posadnitsa Natal'ia

An overview of period patterns from several regions & centuries using only rectangles, triangles, and squares, and how to transfer your measurements to graph paper to formulate your own patterns.

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 15 students
Class Fee: None
Day: Thursday
Time: 3 pm
Class Length: 2 hours

Note: This class will be repeated on Saturday 10 am.

Chausses and Braies

Dame Angele Plaisance and Mistress Amy Marie

Chausses are thigh-high linen or wool stockings to be used in conjunction with braies and garters worn by both men and women. The style being taught is 12th - early 15th century. (Braies class to follow, taught by Mistress Amy Marie.) Using measurements, Dame Angele will chalk a personalized pattern for every

student to take home. (Person who the pattern is for must be present.) Construction of these thigh high socks and materials needed, will be explained. Very extensive handouts will be emailed to each student. Braies are medieval boxer shorts which have special waist ties to attach chausses to. Paper handouts will be provided in class.

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 10 students
Class Fee: \$4
Day: Friday
Time: 12 pm
Class Length: 2 hours
Note: This class will be repeated on Saturday 12 pm.

Basic Corset Construction

Mistress Cassandra of Kingswear

This class will cover the various corsets and 'bodies' worn throughout the SCA time periods along with how to build them. Included will be how to measure and draft them. A discussion on which modern patterns will work for which era will be covered. Some corset making supplies will be available for purchase at the end of the class.

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: None
Day: Friday
Time: 12 pm
Class Length: 2 hours

Coif Construction

Mistress Turrel Michelovna

Make and Take a basic coif. Class will learn two hand-sewing stitches to make this easy headwear for most of the SCA time frame, all materials and supplies will be provided.

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 10 students
Class Fee: \$5
Day: Friday

Time: 12 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

6 Piece Coat Pattern for Rus and Early Period Persona

Lady Rannvæig ørrarmr Eskilskona

Come learn a simple yet amazing 6 piece coat pattern for your Rus/ Norse and Early Period Person to wear on these chilly Estrella Nights. This class will provide a work sheet for you to take back to camp or home to get started on your coat. I will be cutting out a coat during class to show all how easily the coat can be constructed. We will also discuss different closures that are applicable to different persona.

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: None
Day: Friday
Time: 1 pm
Class Length: 2 hours

College of Culinary Arts: Cooking & Baking for these Current Middle Ages

Food Production in Period

Tianna of Shaftsbury

First person discussion of land use for food. How to feed the family, village, estate or larger population.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)
Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: \$1
Day: Thursday
Time: 4 pm
Class Length: 1 hour
Note: This class will be repeated on Friday 4pm.

College of Heraldry: Includes Voice & Book Heraldry

Field Heraldry For Beginners

Lord Rowland Grey of Lincolnshire
Glorious fanfare and courtly graces are all a part of the pageantry of the Current Middle ages. This class will walk beginners through a day in the life of an average field herald. We will cover tournament processions, interactions with the list minister, and standard convention before, during, and after combat. We may even get in to heraldic dress, time permitting. Please come and join in; beginners will benefit most but experienced heralds can offer up advice and knowledge to widen the scope of this class. Hope to see you there!

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner+
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: None
Day: Thursday
Time: 4 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

College of Manuscript Arts:

Calligraphy/Illumination, Book Binding, Paper Making, Cartography, etc.
No classes available at this time.

College of Performing Arts:

Music, Dance, Poetry and More.

Knowne World Choir

Lord Thome Spyle Syngere
Help us revive this legendary performing group at Estrella! All singers are welcome to recreate a few of the most popular Period songs from the past. We are specifically looking for Soprano, Alto, Tenor and Bass vocalists. Come and have fun making music!

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)
Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: None
Day: Wednesday

Time: 12 pm
Class Length: 2 hours
Note: This class will be repeated Thursday,
Friday and Saturday 12 pm.

Belly Basics (or "Shake It 'Til Ya Make It")

Sandhya Kesari

Have you always wanted to dance around the campfire but (think you) don't know how? In this class, you will learn the basics you need to have a great time dancing the night away at drum circles and haflas all over the Knowne World!

We will cover the basic foundation movements of Middle Eastern dance and learn to combine that basic "alphabet" into beautiful and fun "phrases" - we will also sample the most frequent rhythms that are played at SCA drum circles and discuss drum circle etiquette (or "how not to be the jerk at the drum circle.") Wear something comfortable to move in, and a scarf or sash to tie around the hip is encouraged, but please save the jingles for the campfire, since we'll probably be sharing space with other classes and we don't want to be Those Guys ;)

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: None
Day: Thursday
Time: 10 am
Class Length: 2 hours

Beginning Belly Dance

Lady Dragna Aoine

Learn the basics of Belly Dance from a certified instructor. This class will have you dancing by the fires!

Learn Basic Slow and Fast Belly Dance Moves including Shimmies and Traveling Steps to be used when dancing solo.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)
Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: None
Day: Wednesday
Time: 1 pm

Class Length: 2 hours

How To Start/Run/Manage A Medieval Music Group

Baroness Mary Amanda

Soooo, your Barony has a few musicians, some good, some great and some just excited and you want to organize a medieval music group? HOW?? I have run the longest running SCA Music Group in the USA (29 years). I'll show you what you need to get started and the best way to bring in new people and HAVE SOME FUN!!!

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)
Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 20 students
Class Fee: None
Day: Friday
Time: 12 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

Basic Harp Lessons

Baroness Mary Amanda

Soooo, you've got this BEAUTIFUL instrument and you want to play it but you're not really sure how to get started or you just need some tips on CHORD STRUCTURE, SINGING WITH THE HARP, MAKING ANY SONG EASIER...all that fun stuff.

I'll show you how.

(this class works with ANY instrument too so if you play guitar, flute, kazoo...come!)

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)
Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 20 students
Class Fee: None
Day: Friday
Time: 1 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

Medieval Music Improv Jam!

Baroness Mary Amanda

Sooooo, you want to be able to play with the other medieval musicians but you don't really know HOW??? I can teach you the EASY way to play ANYTHING by understanding the chord structure and melody of the piece. This is a GREAT class for ANY INSTRUMENT, EVERY

LEVEL

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)
Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 20 students
Class Fee: None
Day: Friday
Time: 2 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

Dancing with Finger Cymbals

Lady Dragna Aoine

Enhance your Belly Dance with the ancient art of Finger Cymbals. No experience necessary, I will have extra Cymbals if you do not have your own.

This class will have you doing basic moves and combos while playing patterns as you dance.

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: None
Day: Friday
Time: 1 pm
Class Length: 2 hours

Slow Moves – American Tribal Style® Belly Dance with Kamalah Tribal

Duchess Amirah al-Zahra and Lady Mihrimah bint Arslan

Join us for an overview of several slow dance steps, as well as the trademark posture and fluid movements of American Tribal Style® Belly Dance. This class is perfect for anyone who is new to belly dance, new to American Tribal Style® (ATS®), or just looking to add new steps to their repertoire. ATS® is a modern style of dance rooted in the traditional dances of North Africa, Central Asia, and India. In this class, we will introduce moves performed to a slow or dramatic beat, as well as an introduction to the basics for group improvisation (bring a friend and learn to dance in sync!).

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: None
Day: Saturday
Time: 2 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

Fast Moves – American Tribal Style® Belly Dance with Kamalah Tribal

Duchess Amirah al-Zahra and Lady Mihrimah bint Arslan

Join us for an overview of fast dance steps, as well as the trademark posture and fluid movements of American Tribal Style® Belly Dance. This class is perfect for anyone who is new to belly dance, new to American Tribal Style® (ATS®), or just looking to add new steps to their repertoire. ATS® is a modern style of dance rooted in the traditional dances of North Africa, Central Asia, and India. In this class, we will introduce moves performed to a fast tempo, as well as an introduction to the basics for group improvisation (bring a friend and learn to dance in sync!).

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: None
Day: Saturday
Time: 3 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

College of Sciences: Navigation, Astronomy, Alchemy, etc.

Calendula Salve & Tincture

Lady Ghita de Ferrara

Learn how to make the natural healing and anti-inflammatory salve and tincture from the calendula flower as a great alternative to modern day treatments. In this class you will learn about the calendula flower, its properties and make both a salve and tincture to take with you. There is a small fee of \$5 to cover the cost of products used in the class.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)
Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 12 students
Class Fee: \$5
Day: Thursday
Time: 10 am
Class Length: 2 hours

Essential Oils in the Middle Ages

Sandhya Kesari

An overview of how raw materials were gathered, distilled, and utilized in various cultures in Medieval Europe (and beyond). Will touch on both documentable fact and esoteric theories of the time period. Hands-on session of blending oils for specific purposes.

Attendees will leave class with a small vial of therapeutic-grade headache remedy...

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 15 students
Class Fee: \$5
Day: Thursday
Time: 2 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

Navigation - Part 1 of 4

THL Michael Sinestro

This part of my navigation class will provide an overview of the subject, along with covering inshore navigation and dead reckoning.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)
Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: None
Day: Thursday
Time: 1 pm
Class Length: 1 hour
Note: This class will be repeated on Saturday 1 pm.

Navigation - Part 2 of 4

THL Michael Sinestro

This is the second part of my navigation class, and will cover aspects of astronomy, geography, and timekeeping relating to navigation, in order to provide background information helpful in understanding parts 3 and 4, which will cover celestial navigation.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)
Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: None
Day: Thursday
Time: 2 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

Note: This class will be repeated on Saturday 2 pm.

Navigation - Part 3 of 4

THL Michael Sinestro

This class, the 3rd of four, will cover the principles of celestial navigation.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)

Adults

Class Level: Beginner

Class Limit: None

Class Fee: None

Day: Thursday

Time: 3 pm

Class Length: 1 hour

Note: This class will be repeated on Saturday 3 pm.

Navigation - Part 4 of 4

THL Michael Sinestro

This class covers the instruments used in period for celestial navigation.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)

Adults

Class Level: Beginner

Class Limit: None

Class Fee: None

Day: Thursday

Time: 4 pm

Class Length: 1 hour

Note: This class will be repeated on Saturday 4 pm.

Making Herbal Paint

Lady Ghita de Ferrara

Using different herbs we will make natural paints that can be used in dyeing materials and coloring scrolls. Everyone will be able to take two colors with them at the end of class. A small fee of \$5 will cover the cost of the products used in this class.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)

Adults

Class Level: Beginner

Class Limit: 12 students

Class Fee: \$5

Day: Saturday

Time: 10 am

Class Length: 2 hours

Making Herbal Paint for Kids

Lady Ghita de Ferrara

Using herbs we will make paints and have fun painting on paper. Don't worry mom and dad the stains on hands do come off over time.

Please have a responsible adult accompany each child.

Age Limit: Kids (5-9)

Class Level: Beginner

Class Limit: 6 students

Class Fee: None

Day: Saturday

Time: 12 pm

Class Length: 1 hour

The College of Textile Arts:

Knitting, Weaving, Spinning, Embroidery, Quilting, etc.

Fun with Dyeing

Lady Nastas'ia Volkovicha

A class for hands on dyeing with several natural dyes. Ages 10 and up. Children under 17 must be accompanied by an adult.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)

Adults

Class Level: Beginner

Class Limit: 10 students

Class Fee: \$5

Day: Wednesday

Time: 9 am

Class Length: 4 hours

Beginning Knitting

Mistress Ealasaïd and Lady Clarice Neep

Learn to knit. Class will cover the two basic stitches, Knit and Purl, casting on, increasing stitches, decreasing stitches and binding off.

We will have needles to borrow during class and yarn will be provided. If you wish to bring your own needles and yarn, please bring them the class.

If you already know the basics, but want to learn to use double pointed needles, we can cover that as well.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)

Adults

Class Level: Beginner

Class Limit: 10 students

Class Fee: None
Day: Wednesday
Time: 10 am
Class Length: 1 hour
Note: This class will be repeated Friday 9 am.

Knitting for Beginners

Lady Isabelle Le Charpentier

Two basic stitches of knit and purl will be taught. Wooden needles will be given along with enough yarn to make a small pouch. Instructions for the pouch will be handed out.

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 6 students
Class Fee: \$3
Day: Wednesday
Time: 2 pm
Class Length: 2 hours

Tatting Lacework

Tianna of Shaftsbury

Learn the easiest lace there is. Just one knot, so durable and machine washable. Portable while in progress, just put it in your pocket and go.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)
Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 10 students
Class Fee: \$1
Day: Thursday
Time: 9 am
Class Length: 1 hour
Note: This class will be repeated on Friday 10 am.

Fiber Burn Identification

Lady Isabelle Le Charpentier

The class will be given samples of different fabrics to burn smell and observe. These will be attached to cards to form basis of a file. After identifying fibers, mystery fibers will be given to ID.

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 10 students
Class Fee: \$3

Day: Thursday
Time: 10 am
Class Length: 2 hours
Note: This class will be repeated on Friday
4 pm.

Early Period Embroidered Seam

Treatments

Lady Rosamund Sanburne

Have you always wanted to know how to make your early period garb a little more special? Come learn how! Students will learn herringbone, double herringbone, and other embroidered seam treatments. This class is intended for those with previous embroidery experience. If you need glasses for handwork, please bring them.

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Intermediate
Class Limit: 6 students
Class Fee: \$1
Day: Thursday
Time: 1 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

Viking Whip Cords

Baroness Arsenda of Calais

Are you looking for a fun activity to do with your child this Estrella War? Come and learn to make Viking Whip cords! This Viking craft is fun for the entire family, and you need a partner to do it. It's fun for you to do with your child or for your children to do together.

Age Limit: Kids (5-9)
Youth (10-17)
Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 20 students
Class Fee: \$1
Day: Thursday
Time: 12 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

Quilting is Period

Mistress Nefratiri Ani Eponis

A discussion of quilted fabrics and garments in period - links to source material provided.

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 2 students

Class Fee: \$1
Day: Friday
Time: 9 am
Class Length: 1 hour

Spinning on a Wheel

Lady Dubhchobhlaigh inghean Eoin ui hEalaighthe

This is a basic introduction to working with a spinning wheel. Learn to prepare your fiber properly for the kind of yarn that you want to make on your wheel. Learn to coordinate eyes, hands and foot/feet to keep your wheel running consistently. Students should bring their wheel and some clean fiber to work with.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)
Adults

Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 3 students
Class Fee: None
Day: Friday
Time: 10 am
Class Length: 2 hours

Embroidery 101

Lady Ceridwen Verch Deykin

Embroidery 101 will be an engaging class that allows for one to learn a brief history of embroidery and how it has progressed through the ages. It will allow for participants to also learn the stitches for themselves, giving plenty of time to ask questions and learn how to make a stunning piece of art to wear on their favorite outfit, or place upon a satchel for all to see. Come one, come all, to the thrilling experience which is the art of embroidery!

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)
Adults

Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 15 students
Class Fee: \$8
Day: Friday
Time: 1 pm
Class Length: 2 hours

Note: This class will be repeated on Friday, 3pm and Saturday, 3 pm.

7 strand Kumihimo

Baroness Arsenda of Calais

Learn basic 7 strand kumihimo to make cording for all your needs. If you can count to 3, move a

string and turn a wheel you can do this. This activity is great for ages 5 and over and a great way pass time during court or long trips in the car.

Age Limit: Kids (5-9)
Youth (10-17)
Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 15 students
Class Fee: \$2
Day: Thursday
Time: 2 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

Mongolian Felting

Lady Eleanor Peregrine

Description coming soon...

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: TBD
Class Fee: TBD
Day: Saturday
Time: 9 am
Class Length: 2 hours

College of the Trades:

Woodworking, Leatherworking, Metalworking, Ceramics, Brewing, Glass Making, etc.

Brewing Your First Mead

Lord Donnubán Ó Domhnaill (Donovan O'Donnell)

Fermented honey may be the oldest form of alcohol known to man. Its appeal certainly had the staying power to stick around through the Middle Ages and its popularity is picking up speed today. Learn the basics of fermentation, sanitation, and what you need to know to make a batch of mead for yourself.

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: None
Day: Friday
Time: 12 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

Note: This class will be repeated on Saturday, 2 pm.

Brewing Beer – An Introduction

Lord Donnubán Ó Domhnaill (Donovan O'Donnell)

Learn the basics of fermentation and how grain is converted into beer. We'll step through the process of brewing, talk about how different ingredients affect the final product, and explore a day in the life of a home brewer. By the end of this presentation you will know the first steps to take to begin this delicious journey.

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: None
Day: Saturday
Time: 1 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

The College of War:

Arms/Armour, War Machines, Historical Combat Strategies, Bowery/Fletching, etc.
No classes available at this time.

Elective Classes: Those Classes Not Represented by a College

5 Easy Steps to Writing A&S

Documentation

Kniaginia Ian'ka Ivanova zhena Petrovitsa
Many of us haven't even written a book report, let alone a research paper, since high school. But don't worry, you can write documentation for your entries with a little bit of guidance and a simple and easy to understand approach. This class is geared to help those that have never written documentation to get a start on the process and to help those that have written documentation to improve their skills for award winning documentation. Full handouts will be provided free of charge which will cover the 5 Steps to Writing your documentation, how to cite your sources and the use of the internet (good and bad) for research. We will be also looking at examples of documentation from artisans around the known world.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)
Adults
Class Level: Beginner

Class Limit: None
Class Fee: None
Day: Wednesday
Time: 10 am
Class Length: 2 hours
Note: This class will be repeated on
Friday, 3 pm.

Games They Could Have Played

Judith Anne

Many modern games are made up of wood, cloth, sticks, and rocks. That's all very medieval but the games are available now. Come and see and play a selection of games that you, too, can own.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)
Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: None
Day: Wednesday
Time: 10 am
Class Length: 1 hour
Note: This class will be repeated on
Thursday, 1 pm.

Documentation

Dame Fiona Gwyllt Wynne

Let's take a bite out of documentation!

Documentation is not as hard as you think! You don't have to be a College graduate to do it! Come and discuss the ins and outs of documentation. There will be handouts.

Age Limit: Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 10 students
Class Fee: None
Day: Thursday
Time: 12 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

Horse Use on the Estate

Tianna of Shaftsbury

Images of horses in use in our period. History and lore. Debunk assumptions I had.

Discussion of lore and myths. Stabling, tack, feed. Will include military use in history if time allows.

Age Limit: Kids (5-9)
Youth (10-17)

Adults
Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: \$1
Day: Thursday
Time: 3 pm
Class Length: 1 hour
Note: This class will be repeated on Friday, 3 pm.

SCA Courtesy and Etiquette

Posadnitsa Natal'ia

Many of us have been taught what to do, but very few have been taught why things are done the way they are. This is a discussion class with an overview of the "10 Commandments" of the SCA, and time for Q&A.

Age Limit: Youth (10-17)

Adults

Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: 15 students
Class Fee: None
Day: Frida
Time: 10 am
Class Length: 2 hours
Note: This class will be repeated on Saturday, 12 pm.

Unofficial Guide to SCA Photography

Lady Paparazzi

Bring your cameras, your imagination and most of all.. you.

Everyone has the potential to catch great images in the SCA. In this course I will give some of my tips and tricks into how I capture the magic around me. You don't need a fancy camera. A point and shoot will work.

Age Limit: Kids (5-9)

Youth (10-17)

Adults

Class Level: Beginner
Class Limit: None
Class Fee: \$2
Day: Friday
Time: 3 pm
Class Length: 1 hour

This schedule is subject to change without notice.

3-Pc Kelf - Lady
Sorcha Inghnean ul
Ghadhra

Turkish Costuming
(with all the layers) -
Mistress Nofraírlí Aní
Eponia

Knowne World Choir - Lord Thome Spyle
Syngere

Essential Oils in the
Middle Ages - Sandhya
Kasari

Field Herdery For
Beginners - Lord
Rowland Gray of
Lincolnshire

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Calendula Salve & Tincture - Lady Ghita
de Ferrara

Transform Your Site Token into
Something Fancyer - Morika

Late Tudor/Elizabethian Ruff - Lady Isabelle Le
Charpentier

Games They Could
Have Played - Judith
Anna

Beginning Belly Dance - Lady Dagna Aoinn

Rectangles, Triangles, and Squares: Period
Patterns Made Easy - Posadritsa Nat'ia

Friday

Beginning Knitting -
Mistress Ealasaid'nic
Suibhne & Lady
Clarice Keep

Tattling Lacework -
Tiarna of Shafsbury

Chausses and Brakes - Dame Angela
Falcone and Mistress Amy Marie

7 Strand Kumihimo -
Baroness Arsenda of
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Photography - Lady
Paperazzi

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Charpentier

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Mistress Nofraírlí Aní
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Spinning on a Wheel - Lady
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Eakighthe

Basic Corset Construction - Mistress
Cassandra of Kingspower

5 Easy Steps to Writing A & S Documentation -
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Period Beads of the
North: An Overview -
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Coif Construction -
Mistress Turrel
Michelona

6 Piece Coat Pattern for Rue and Early Period
Persons - Lady Ranvwieg amarru Eskilsdona

How To
Start/Run/Manage A
Medieval Music
Group - Baroness
Elissa Ferrando

Basic Harp Lessons
- Baroness Mary
Amanda

Medieval Music Improv
Jam! - Baroness Mary
Amanda

Dancing with Finger Cymbals - Lady Dagna
Aoine

Saturday

Mongolian Felting - Lady Eleanor Peregrine

Chausses and Braces - Dame Angela
Plaisance and Mistress Amy Marie

Slow Moves – American
Tribal Style® Belly Dance
with Kamalah Tribal -
Duchess Amirah al-Zahra
and Lady Mihrmah bint
Arslan

Fast Moves – American
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Special Events at Estrella

Wednesday February 26th

Throwing Weapons Open Practice Wednesday, February 26, 2014 at 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm
Thrown Weapons Field The thrown weapon field is open for practice
A&S Collegium Wednesday - Saturday, 9:00 am - 6:00 pm A&S Pavilion See A&S class
schedule for more information

Early Bird Rapier Prize Tournament Wednesday February 26, 2014 at 3:00pm to 5:00pm Estrella
War Knowne World Rapier Camp So you came to Estrella War early. So you get to fight early.
Join the other early arrivals and enjoy the camaraderie. The Early Bird Tournament is for those
Rapier fighters who are on site and ready to fight early in the War. It will be a five weapons
style prize tourney. Bring a prize valued at \$10-\$20 to enter. There will be as many fights as
possible, with everyone fighting every round, and prizes will be given out based on the number
of fights won. Heavy Rapier is the standard, but Cut & Thrust is encouraged for those
authorized.

Atenveldt allowable blade conventions will be observed. Parrying devices, armor, and weapons
will be inspected before each tournament by Tournament Marshals and designees. Armor
standards are those of your home kingdom.

All authorized rapier fighters must provide proof of their authorization in Heavy Rapier / Cut &
Thrust Rapier, or else have a Marshal from their Kingdom vouch for them. Sponsored by the
Company of the Sable Blade

The SCA Heraldic Consultation Center Herald's Point Wednesday, February 26, 2014 12 - 5:00
pm Thursday to Saturday, 10:00 am to 5:00 pm Sunday March 2, 2014 10 - 3:00pm

An SCA Heraldic Consultation center is operated at Heralds Points so attendees may consult
with SCA Heralds to select an appropriate SCA name and/or design a unique heraldic device that
they can register with the SCA College of Arms. This consultation is free to everyone in the
SCA, although the SCA College of Arms does charge a small registration fee when the name or
device you wish to use is sent to them for review and registration. Please note that sign-up for
Consultation closes one hour before the Table closes for the day.

Barres Wednesday, February 26, 2014, 3:00 pm & Sunday, March 2, 2014, 1:00 pm Town
Square, Sports Field Barres is an adult game played thusly:

The game is played on a rectangular field. At both ends, in each of the corners a base square is
laid out. Base A is in the upper right hand corner and Base B is in the lower right corner.
Opposite end of the field the bases are reversed, Base A is in the lower left corner and Base B is
in the upper left hand corner. Base A and B on the right side of the field represent the team's
prison and the opposite side of the field their freedom.

The game is played with two Captains and two Lieutenants, each with ten players. Both teams
start with all of their team members in prison. The Captains are both placed in the center of the

field. The Lieutenants to the sidelines, only one prisoner can try and escape from their prison at a time. They must avoid being tackled by the opposing Captain and make it to their freedom square on the opposite side of the field. If they are brought to ground, they go back to prison to wait their turn to try an escape again, and the next prisoner attempts to escape. The Captains can choose to be replaced by their Lieutenant (but only once during the course of play). The team who gets all of their prisoners out of prison and into the freedom square first wins.

Period Field Games Wednesday-Sunday, 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Town Square- Games Field If you are feeling energetic engage in the various period games of skill played upon a field. Badminton, bocci and croquet will be set up and awaiting your pleasure to play, daily between the hours of 8 am - 5 pm. No check out required this year.

Shuttlecock was played with a cork with feathers stuck into it and was batted about by a wooden paddle, later to developed into paddles strung with fiber. With the addition of a net, shuttlecock became badminton. Bocci ball has its origin in period lawn bowling games which involved each player rolling a ball down the lawn and trying to knock over his opponent's cone in the fewest moves. There were several variants of croquet in the middle ages known as Ring-Ball, Club-Ball and Trap Ball.

Board/Tabletop Games Wednesday-Sunday, 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Town Square- Food court pavilion After a lazy meal, rest your weary bones and engage your mind playing table games: Chess, backgammon and dominoes. You are invited to bring your personal board games and play them as well. The board/table games will be set up and awaiting your pleasure in the Food Court pavilion, from 8 am - 5 pm. No check out required this year.

Chess was invented in India, spread by the Persians and by the eleventh century made it into every upper class home in Europe. Backgammon has its ancient roots in Roman times, and it too was spread throughout the Mediterranean and was introduced into Europe. As with chess, many, many versions were in existence. The earliest mention of dominoes is from Song Dynasty China. Dominoes first appeared in Italy during the 18th century. It is speculated that Italian missionaries in China may have brought the game to Europe.

Thursday February 27

A&S Collegium Wednesday - Saturday, 9:00 am - 6:00 pm A&S Pavilion See A&S class schedule for more information

The SCA Heraldic Consultation Center Thursday to Saturday, 10:00am to 5:00pm Herald's Point Children's and Youth's Novice Archery Class 101 Thursday, February 27, 2014 10 am – noon Children's Archery Range The children and youth archery 101 is an instructional class designed to teach children and youth the basics of archery and enhance personal skills.

Advancing Troll Army Shoot Thursday, February 27, 2014 at 10:00 am Archery Range Help us stop the troll army from taking over the war! This is a fun shoot to test the skill of archers of all levels. Targets will be advanced from 80 yards inwards and all rounds will be timed. The winners will be recognized at the end of the shoot.

Thrown Weapons Classes Thursday, February 27, 2014 at 9:00 am to 1:00 pm Thrown Weapons Field

Three classes offered: Throwing Weapons 101 (9 am to 11 am) a class on the basics of throwing

various weapons Weapon care class (11 am to Noon) Thrown Weapons rules (Noon to 1 pm) a class on what you need to know within the Atenveldt Thrown Weapons Handbook. Also being taught things helpful to know before starting in thrown weapons.

Medieval Wood Carving Thursday, February 27, 2014 at 9:00 am to 12:00 pm Town Square-Special Events Pavilion

Count Sir Ivan Petrovich,OL, known in the Sun to have great reputation for his expertise in period woodworking, will be demonstrating medieval wood carving techniques. This is a great opportunity to see a master craftsman apply his trade. His Excellency will answer any and all of your questions and you will receive personal hands on instruction if you so desire.

Men's Skirts Tournament Thursday February 27, 2014 at 10:00 am to 12:00 pm Estrella War Knowne World Rapier Camp Men's Skirts Tournament will be a five weapons style prize tourney (Bring a prize valued at \$10-\$20 to enter.) Everyone will fight every round, and prizes will be given out based on the number of fights won. As the name suggests, only males can sign up and they must wear a skirt. Acceptable skirts include dresses, full length skirts, and kilts (all exposed skin must be covered according to SCA Rapier armor standards). Fighters and their consorts may add other "accessories" as they wish.

In addition to the prizes brought by the fighters; first place, "best dressed", "most graceful", and "most tragic death" will get a prize. "Best Dressed", "Most Graceful", and "Most Tragic Death" winners will be voted on by the gallery at the conclusion of the tournament.

Atenveldt allowable blade conventions will be observed. Parrying devices, armor, and weapons will be inspected before each tournament by Tournament Marshals and designees. Armor standards are those of your home kingdom. All authorized rapier fighters must provide proof of their authorization in Heavy Rapier / Cut & Thrust Rapier, or else have a Marshal from their Kingdom vouch for them. Sponsored by the Barony March of Mons Tonitrus and the Company of the Sable Blade

Outlands Heavy Combat Prize Tournament Thursday, February 27 - Registration at 9:00 am and Tournament starts at 10:00 am Special Events Field/Eric in Town Square The Kingdom of the Outlands will hold their annual heavy weapons prize tournament open to all authorized heavy weapons fighters. Sign-up for the tournament will be held beginning at 9 am with tourney starting at 10 am. The fighting will be as follows:

To open, there will be up to 6 fighting fields with equal numbers of fighters in each. Assignment of fighters to these cells will be a mixture from all kingdoms represented at sign-up. Each cell will hold a 1-hour Bear Pit tournament. The first and second fighters will start off in a single fight. The loser will exit to give the name of the one who just beat them to the Lists Mistress for their field and goes to the end of the line. The next fighter in the line goes in to fight the winner. You know the drill. If there is a double kill, both fighters are considered to have a loss. In this case, 2 new fighters will enter the ring for the next fight. If a fighter in a cell achieves 15 wins, they are automatically in the final and are removed from the Bear Pit. Weapons are limited to 7.5 feet in length.

After the 1-hour Bear Pit, the top 5 winning fighters (including those that acquired 15 wins in that cell) will move on to a Best 2-of-3, double elimination tournament with all the pomp (double kills refought). Draws will be semi-random but will try to minimize the fighters having to fight

someone from their own kingdom or one they have fought before. This will start with two (or more) fields and dwindle to one as the number of fighters lessons.

The victor will receive wonderful prizes gifted by Outlands artisans and her citizens! Questions? Contact Duchess Kathryn of Iveragh, FerventKip@gmail.com

Que Loo Loo Thursday, February 27, 2014, 10:00 am & Saturday, March 1, 2014, 1:00 pm Town Square, Sport's Field Que Loo Loo is a child's game played thusly: There is a mother hen (adult women) with chicks (children) strung out behind her. Each chick holds on to the coat of the one in front of it. The hen has both hands free to block the wolf. If the mother hen touches the wolf, the wolf must go back to his "den", come out and try again. The wolf can then devour the 'chick" by tickling it with the captured feather. Only one chick can be taken at a time. The hen is free to flee to her hen house while the wolf is in route to, at, or leaving his den, but she can only flee when all of her chicks are lined up and holding the coat of the chick in front of them (so if the children scream and run when the wolf attacks they need to regroup). The hen tries to get her chicks to the hen house. If she gets at least one chick to safety, she wins. If not, the wolf wins.

But I've Never Used One of Those - Beyond Sword and Board in Tournament Fighting Thursday, February 27, 2014 at 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm Town Square- Fighting Erics Count Sir Thomas De Revele, KSCA, will be offering instruction in common and not so common mixed weapons known to be applied in tournament fighting. Come and either try your hand or hone your skills in mixed weapons with the 85th Crown of Atenveldt.

Save the Queen Prize Tournament Thursday, February 27, 2014 at 1:00 pm Archery Range The tournament is sponsored by HRM Livia of Atenveldt and her Royal Heir, and is open to all archers. The highest score will receive a prize from her Majesty at the end of the tournament.

Youth Battle Games; Scenario #1 Thursday, February 27, 2014 at 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm; Woods Battlefield A Woods battle with Melee, Bridge Battle, Capture the flag and a Ditch Battle.

Additional games based on time. Individual and small units will be Hunter and Two Man.

Estrella War - Laurel and Apprentice Tea Thursday, February 27, 2014 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm; Town Square - Special Events Pavilion All Laurels and Apprentices of the Known World are invited to come together to enjoy tea, crumpets and conversation. Bring your mugs! If you would like to donate refreshments please email Mistress Katrina at traci.westberg@gmail.com. Hosted by: Mistress Ealasaid nic Suibhne, Baroness Arianna della Luna

Estrella War - Pelican Protégé Party Thursday, February 27, 2014 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm; Town Square- Special Events Pavilion All Pelicans & Protégés of the Known World are invited to come together to enjoy nosh, libations and conversation. If you have any questions or would like to donate refreshments please email Mistress Katrina at traci.westberg@gmail.com. Hosted by: Mistress Katrina von Rosenberg, Baroness Arianna della Luna

Rapier Torchlight Novice Tournament Thursday February 27, 2014 at 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm

Estrella War Knowne World Rapier Camp

The rapier novices of Atenveldt revealed themselves in great numbers at Southern Crusades. There must always be opportunities for the new men and women of the rapier community to show their steel. At Estrella War there shall be a Rapier Torchlight Novice Tourney for those among the populace of Atenveldt who have been fighting for 2 years or less and have not been recognized at the Kingdom level with a fighting award. There shall be prizes for the top three fighters but also for the most chivalrous and the most disciplined or practiced. This is a chance to throw your hat and your blade into the tournament ring that should not be passed up. The format

will be contingent upon numbers but expect a Round Robin that will maximize the number of fights. What better way to show your burgeoning skill than by crossing blades by torchlight?

Atenveldt allowable blade conventions will be observed. Parrying devices, armor, and weapons will be inspected before each tournament by Tournament Marshals and designees. Armor standards are those of your home kingdom. All authorized rapier fighters must provide proof of their authorization in Heavy Rapier / Cut & Thrust Rapier, or else have a Marshal from their Kingdom vouch for them. Sponsored by the College of St. Felix (Lord William of Lochridge) Rehearsal for the Grand Ball Thursday, February 27, 2014 at 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm; A&S Ramada Musicians and dancers, both novice and experienced alike, gather together in practice for the Grand Ball.

Remiscin' This 'n' That Thursday, February 27, 2014 at 7:00 pm – 10:00 pm; Town Square - Sports Field Please join us in around a blazing brazier or two and reminisce this and that, from three decades of rousing noble opponents, boisterous revelry and good fellowship. Share your fondest memories of the Estrella Wars of yesteryear. If your memory spans across time you can even share the experience of being back in antedecence, to Burro Creek, the birth of Estrella War. Share your precious and rare soul catchers known as pictures, memorabilia and the stories that surround them.

Annual Estrella War Banana Bread Bakeoff Thursday, February 27, 2014 at 7:30 pm (bread drop off 5:00 pm to 7:30 pm)Barony of Sundragon Baronial Pavilion Anyone interested in competing in this time honored competition may deliver their entries to the Sun Dragon Baronial Encampment between 5:00 and 7:30 pm on the day of the competition.

The CPQBB (Committee for the Preservation of Quality Banana Bread) will once again host the Annual Estrella War Banana Bread Bakeoff on Thursday evening at the war. This ancient and venerable competition will continue to evolve as we learn from previous years, so please note the details and changes below. We will continue with the same categories that we had last year including the populace choice, which will give those in attendance an opportunity to sample the breads and determine their favorites. Prizes will be given in the following categories:

Traditional Banana Breads (with or without nuts) Non-traditional Banana Breads (although they must still contain bananas) Gluten Free Banana Breads Populace Choice

This year we will limit contestants to a single entry in the first two categories. This means that competitors can either enter a traditional or a non-traditional banana bread entry, but not entries in both categories. Competitors may also enter a gluten free banana bread regardless of whether or not they have made an entry in one of the first two categories. All entries in the first three categories will be automatically entered into the Populace Choice category. In addition contestants may also add as many additional entries as they wish to compete in the Populace Choice. If you would like to ensure that you have a place to sit during the competition, please bring a chair with you.

Rules and Legal Jargonese: All entries must be made by the entrant, but do not need to be made on site. Both breads with and without nuts will be acceptable, as well as breads that do not meet the traditional definition of banana bread provided they do in fact contain bananas and are a bread. Winner will be chosen by a panel of well-qualified judges who have all passed the CPQBB exhaustive pre-judging questionnaire and qualification review. Breads will be judged

and prizes awarded in three categories, traditional, non-traditional and gluten free as well as a populous choice. Contrary to popular belief the CPQBB is not just a front set up by Duke Jonathon to aid in the acquisition of Banana Bread... there are other people involved as well. Entries will be judged without the judges knowing who produced the entry. Judges will provide their own butter or spread of choice. Duke Jonathon and the CPQBB maintain no responsibility for the remains of entries making it back to the entrant, as it is expected that any crumbs left by the judges will be pilfered by wannabe judges and mooches who unlike His Grace did not come up with this brilliant idea to get his fill of banana bread.

Friday February 28

The World Famous Hound Coursing Friday, February 28, 10:00 am to 12:00 pm Saturday, March 1, 2014, 10:00 am to 12:00 pm Sunday, March 2, 2014, 10:00 am to 12:00 pm Hound Coursing field (between the peach orchard and the line of trees that border the archery range and across from field one).

The world famous Hound Coursing will be available at Estrella War for you and your Hound. This event is open for all Hounds of any breed or size. The hounds run alone around a course chasing a "Rabbit" tiring themselves out and sleeping peacefully the rest of the day dreaming of the 'hunt'. Bring them or come watch, they love to hear a crowd cheering.

A&S Collegium Wednesday - Saturday, 9:00 am - 6:00 pm A&S Pavilion See A&S class schedule for more information

The SCA Heraldic Consultation Center Thursday to Saturday, 10:00 am to 5:00 pm Herald's Point

Children's and Youth's Novice Archery Class 101 Friday, February 28, 2014 10 am – noon Children's Archery Range The children and youth archery 101 is an instructional class designed to teach children and youth the basics of archery and enhance personal skills.

Middle Earth Archery Prize shoot Friday, February 28, 2014 at 9:00 am to 5:00 pm Archery Range Sauron's army is stirring and Middle Earth is in danger. Archers in Atenveldt are needed to protect the Shire and its inhabitants before it's too late. This shoot is sponsored by the Barony of Twin Moons and is open to all archers. Look for lots of unusual scenarios and movement. Prizes will be awarded at the end of the day.

Thrown Weapons Open Practice for Adults Friday, February 28, 2014 at 9:00 am to 11:00 am Thrown Weapons Field

Thrown Weapons for Youth Friday, February 28, 2014 at 9:00 am to 11:00 am Thrown Weapons Field Thrown weapons for youth; a class for youth on the basics of throwing. Parents must be present for youth to parents to participate.

Thrown Weapons Tournament Friday, February 28, 2014 at 11:00 am to 1:00 pm Thrown Weapons Field A tournament open to all throwers

Youth Combat Friendship Tourney Friday, February 28, 2014 at 9:30 am; Town Square - Fighting erics Youth prize tournaments. Three divisions: division #1, youth six to nine years of age; division #2, youth ten to twelve years of age; division #3, youth thirteen years and up. Prize awarded to the victor of each division and all ages are eligible. List open at 9:30 am, armor inspection at 10 am and tourney to begin directly following armor inspection.

Artisans' Traditional Showcase Friday, February 28, 2014, 10 am - 4 pm Town Square - Special Events Pavilion All members of the populace are invited to participate, either as an artisan

showing pieces, or as someone who wishes to view the displays and speak with artisans. Appropriate displays include all forms of Arts & Sciences studied in the SCA, including (but not limited to) calligraphy and illumination, furniture, heraldic display, clothing and accessories, armor, metalwork and casting, leatherwork, lace work, embroidery, beadwork, ceramic arts, glasswork, cooking, brewing and medieval style performing arts. Artisans who have documentation for their pieces are encouraged to bring the documentation so it may be included in their display. The showcase is for non-laurels in attendance only, and is the perfect medium for artisans to display their works and get to discuss their passion for their art form with the Laurels, Crowns and populace from all over the Known World.

Queen's Tea (Open to the Known World Populace)

Friday, February 28, 2014 at 12:00 pm Arts and Sciences Ramada

Her Royal Majesty, Queen Livia, invites you to join her for tea on Friday at 12:00. While enjoying desserts and tea, Her troop of royal actors will be performing a live play by Master Shakespeare for your viewing pleasure. She looks forward to mingling with the populace of the known world, and making many new memories. Please join Her and be welcome.

The Open Arms Bardic Hall Friday noon – 4 pm Scheduled & Impromptu Performances
Performances are posted daily in front of the Open Arms Bardic Hall.

"All that enter be Welcome!" ...come join the Merriment! This venue, will host performances by the most gifted and talented bards, storytellers, musicians, dancers, entertainers and singers of the Known World. The Open Arms Bardic Hall is located in the heart of Towne Square. Come and sit within the pavilion and listen to stories told of dragons and magic. Enjoy and marvel at the beauty of a dance or a haunting song of love. Clap your hands and sing loudly to a familiar tune. Bring a friend, meet a new friend and enjoy an afternoon filled with mirth, courtly love and tales of lore.

If you are a performer, troupe or household and would like to schedule performance time while at Estrella, please contact THL Belasset de Casal Drago at the Open Arms Bardic Hall. We encourage new performers as well as those with a small repertoire to come and grace the stage. The Annual Estrella War Hardsuit Novice Tournament & The 1st Annual Estrella War Rapier Novice Tournament Friday, February 28, 2014 - List and armor inspection: 2:30 pm Town Square, Sports field, Hosted by the Barony of Atenveldt

There will be two Lists. His Excellency Seelos will oversee the Hardsuit list and Her Excellency Elena will have the Rapier list. The lists are open to all non-belted and non-white scarf fighters of the Known World who have been fighting in their respective disciplines for 3 years or less. Fighters are encouraged to use whichever weapon form that they feel most competent with and may choose a different weapon form in any round. The Tournament formats will depend on the number of participants.

Fighters, bring your Consort and any pageantry that you can muster. If you do not have a consort, we can help find you one. If you would like to be a consort, please see Her Excellency Elena of Atenveldt at 2:30 pm at the list table. We ask that the members of the Chivalry and the White Scarves come support the young fighters and help to marshal the lists.

The Lists will open at 2:30 pm and the tourney will begin at 3:30 pm. All Fighters will go through a formal inspection of armor and weapons. There will be a medallion for the Overall Victor of each tournament, and also one for the fighter deemed to be the most Chivalrous by HE

Elena's Ladies Gallery. The medallions and entrance favors are crafted by Duke Arthur O'Flaherty, Laurel and Knight of the Society.

Rapier Roses Cancer Tournament Friday February 28, 2014 at 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm Town Square
Tournament eric

In honor of those who fight the on-going battle against cancer, having lost or continuing to fight, the Roses for Cancer Tournament is a fund raiser. All fighters are encouraged to donate \$5 or more to enter the tourney and any and all are encouraged to donate even if they don't enter the tourney (this is a fundraiser after all). There will be a prize, but it will not be announced in advance and will be given privately to the winner of the tournament.

The format is a progressive weapons style tournament with each fighter guaranteed a minimum of 4 fights. Rules of the field are standard Atenveldt conventions. Atenveldt allowable blade conventions will be observed. Parrying devices, armor, and weapons will be inspected before each tournament by Tournament Marshals and designees. Armor standards are those of your home kingdom. All authorized rapier fighters must provide proof of their authorization in Heavy Rapier / Cut & Thrust Rapier, or else have a Marshal from their Kingdom vouch for them. Sponsored by the Barony of Sun Dragon (Baron Wilhelus le Casse)

Roses Cancer Tournament - Heavy Weapons Friday, February 28, 2014 at 3:00 pm Town Square
- Fighting Erics

Come all fighters of cancer whether in armor or not and join us to watch deeds of honor in support of the fight against this devastating disease. This hardsuit tournament has a minimum donation of \$5 to enter, but we will accept any and all donations for support of the American Cancer Society. List opens & armor inspection 3 pm. The tournament will be run Atlantian speed format until the final 8 fighters are reached. From that point a standard list will determine the winners. All eight of the final fighters will receive wonderful prizes donated by generous members of the SCA.

The Heralds of the Known World Mixer Friday, February 28, 2014 beginning at 7 pm Heraldic consultation tent

Grand Ball Friday, February 28, 2014 at 7:00 pm – 11:00 pm; A&S Ramada Live musicians play stirring the soul. Dancers indulge in the elegant and courtly dances of the nobility, a gentle and courteous experience, so full of grace. They inspire admiration to all who gaze through their display of grandeur and beauty. From the sublime to the lively, brisk and yea, even vigorous country dances of whirling until completely out of control, this Ball has it all. Come join us all, rather experienced or not, in this most honored of Estrella War traditions which is the Grand Ball.

13th Olde World Bardic Festival Friday, February 28, 2014 at 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm; Barony of Atenveldt Encampment The Barony of Atenveldt would like to invite all Bards and Entertainers to the 13th Olde World Bardic Festival at Estrella War XXX. The categories are: Music- Instrumental or Vocal and The Spoken Word. Prizes! Award Scrolls! Favours! R.S.V.P Lady Cathryn Sylvestrov pamellagib@aol.com or Lord Thome Spyle Synger, spell542001@yahoo.com.

Saturday March 1

The World Famous Hound Coursing Saturday, March 1, 2014, 10:00 am to 12:00 pm Hound Coursing field (between the peach orchard and the line of trees that border the archery range and across from field one).

A&S Collegium Wednesday - Saturday, 9:00 am - 6:00 pm A&S Pavilion See A&S class schedule for more information

The SCA Heraldic Consultation Center Thursday to Saturday, 10:00 am to 5:00 pm Herald's Point

Estrella Arts & Sciences Competition - Adult and Youth

Saturday 1 March 2014 - check in 8-9am; collection 5-6pm. Entries will be available for public viewing after judging Special Events/Grand Court Pavilion

Thrown Weapons Tourney for Children (16 years of age and under) Saturday, March 1, 2014 at 9:00 am to 11:00 am; Thrown Weapons Field Tournament for children 16 years of age and younger. Parents must be present for youth to participate. There will be recognition for children 12 and under and children 13 through 16 years of age.

Estrella War Champion Qualifying Tournament Saturday, March 1, 2014 at 9:00 am to 12:00 pm Archery Range All roads lead to Jerusalem, join us for a quest to the Holy Land. This tournament is open to all archers. - Qualifying scores from this shoot will compete in the afternoon for Estrella War Champion.

Estrella War Pistoleer Grandissimo Tournament Saturday March 1, 2014 at 9:00 am to 10:00 am Rapier Melee Battlefield

Who is the Estrella War "Pistoleer Grandissimo"? This is a "rapier" tournament in which there are no rapiers. Instead, fighters will demonstrate their skill and accuracy with one of the war weapons: the dreaded RBG! Bring a legal RBG pistol and 2 rounds of ammo (PISTOL ONLY). Targets will be set and shooters will fire. Only those who hit will move on to the next round, moving back to the next range. This will continue until only one remains—the Pistoleer Grandissimo for Estrella War XXX. Only one can prove themselves the best, and only the best will be awarded a prize.

This tournament will start on time and move fast (so we can get back to war!). Participants will wear armor as they would on the melee field, including fencing masks and gloves. A loaner pistol or two will be available for those without. Sponsored by the Company of the Sable Blade

Laurels' Showcase Saturday, March 1, 2014 - 10 am - 4 pm Town Square - Special Events Pavilion All members of the Noble Order of the Laurel from throughout the Known World are invited to participate. Appropriate displays are the same as the Traditional Showcase.

Documentation and source material is heavily encouraged. In this Showcase the roles are reversed and the Laurels get the opportunity to share their body of works. Most importantly, their range of information and understanding of their art forms are yours just for the asking.

Children's Archery Tournament Saturday, March 1, 2014 at 10:00 am to 12:00 pm; Children's Archery Range Open to novice archers 12 and under. This is a special tournament just for youth. Awards will be given for age groups, 5 -7, and 8 -12 at the end of the shoot.

Lost and Found Auction Saturday, March 1, 2014 at 10:00 am to 1:00 pm Town Square - Spectators Pavilion The Kingdom of Atenveldt Sheriff's Office will be auctioning off the unclaimed Lost & Found items from the 2011 & 2012 Estrella Wars.

Brewer's Guild Competition Saturday, March 1, 2014 at 11:00 am - 4:00 pm; A&S Collegium Ramada Brewers Guild Competition!!! Win glory and prizes! All entries consumed by judges

only but there will still be fun to have. Bring your homemade mead, cordials, ale ... Learn tips on brewing and creating from our fantastic, knowledgeable judges. Documentation on your creations is greatly appreciated in the judging process and helps us provide you with feedback. This is a 21 and older event to participate or attend. Thank you for making Estrella a fun and safe event! Entries accepted - 11 am - 1 pm, Judging from 1 pm - 3 pm, with winners announced and judges feedback from 3 pm - 4 pm

Estrella War XXX Thrown Weapon Champion Tournament Saturday, March 1, 2014 at 11:00 am to 1:00 pm Thrown Weapons Field The Estrella War XXX Thrown Weapon Champion Tournament is open to all throwers over 16 years of age. The winner will be recognized in the Atenveldt closing court.

Youth Fighting Scenarios Saturday, March 1, 2014 Muster at 12 noon with armor inspection Hard Suit Woods battle field

Fighting Scenarios to begin directly upon the completion of the hard suit fighters "Town of South Cashion" battle and the adults having vacated the field. See the Youth battle scenarios for full details

The Open Arms Bardic Hall Saturday noon – 5pm Scheduled performances every half hour Performances are posted daily in front of the Open Arms Bardic Hall. "All that enter be Welcome!" ... come join the Merriment! This venue, will host performances by the most gifted and talented bards, storytellers, musicians, dancers, entertainers and singers of the Knowne World. The Open Arms Bardic Hall is located in the heart of Towne Square. If you are a performer, troupe or household and would like to schedule performance time while at Estrella, please contact THL Belasset de Casal Drago at the Open Arms Bardic Hall. We encourage new performers as well as those with a small repertoire to come and grace the stage.

Que Loo Loo Saturday, March 1, 2014, 1:00 pm Town Square, sport's field Que Loo Loo is a child's game played thusly: There is a mother hen (adult women) with chicks (children) strung out behind her. Each chick holds on to the coat of the one in front of it. The hen has both hands free to block the wolf. If the mother hen touches the wolf, the wolf must go back to his "den", come out and try again. The wolf can then devour the "chick" by tickling it with the captured feather. Only one chick can be taken at a time. The hen is free to flee to her hen house while the wolf is in route too, at, or leaving his den, but she can only flee when all of her chicks are lined up and holding the coat of the chick in front of them (so if the children scream and run when the wolf attacks they need to regroup). The hen tries to get her chicks to the hen house. If she gets at least one chick to safety, she wins. If not, the wolf wins.

Estrella War Cut & Thrust Tournament Saturday March 1, 2014 at 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm Town Square Tournament eric

This is an invitation only tournament. HINT: Everyone who is authorized is invited to participate! Every attempt at pre 1600 weapons and style of use of those weapons will be encouraged. The prize will be a period manual from the sponsor's personal collection.

Sponsored by the Barony of Sun Dragon (Baron Wilhelus le Casse)

Format is everyone fights everyone. Each pairing is to 3 bouts, win or lose. Armor requirements will be to the standards of each fighter's home Kingdom. Rules of the field are standard Atenveldt Cut and Thrust conventions (thrusts, tip cuts, draw cuts, and percussive cuts). The fighter with the most total bouts won will be declared the victor.

Allowable Weapons: Maximum blade length for single handed weapons is 38 inches as

measured forward of the quillons/guard. Two handed weapons will be judged on a case by case basis, but must be used as two handed and not just to increase length of reach. Atenveldt allowable blade conventions will be observed. Parrying devices, armor, and weapons will be inspected before each tournament by Tournament Marshals and designees. Armor standards are those of your home kingdom. All authorized rapier fighters must provide proof of their authorization in Heavy Rapier / Cut & Thrust Rapier, or else have a Marshal from their Kingdom vouch for them.

Estrella War Champion Tournament Saturday, March 1, 2014 at 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm Archery Range Knight of the Dead -This is a double elimination tournament open to those that qualified in the morning shoot.

A scenario shoot in the morning will be held to qualify for the double elimination tournament in the afternoon. All score sheets must be turned in by Noon. The list will be posted at 1:30 pm. All qualifying archers should bring a minimum of 12 arrows/bolts to the elimination rounds that will start promptly at 2 pm. Even if you do not qualify to participate, plan on coming back to cheer for the winners of the final rounds, it should be really exciting to watch as zombies are vanquished. Victors on Saturday will be declared the Estrella War Champions in three categories, Handbow, Crossbow and Youth, and will be recognized in Grand Court.

Helga Ball Saturday, March 1, 2014 at 2:30 pm to 4:00 pm Town Square - Sports field Attention all ladies of the Known World, please join us for a rousing game of Helga Ball. Everyone will get a chance to play. Time to get down in the dirt and dog pile your opponent! Don't know how to play, no problem we will teach you, so bring your friends and fun loving attitude (ladies roller derby has nothing on Helga ball) and we will bring the cabbage. Wear comfortable clothes and active shoes; knee & elbow pads are recommended; an apron to carry cabbage is a good idea. Please meet at the field at 2:30, game starts at 3:00.

Grand Court Saturday, March 1, 2014 at 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm Arts and Sciences Ramada Their Majesties of Atenveldt bid you welcome as they host the visiting Royalty of the Known World in Grand Court! They ask you to don your fineries and join together to commemorate the Fellowship of Kings at this historic Estrella XXX.

The Merchant's Moonlight Madness Extravaganza

Saturday, March 1, 2014 - Directly following Grand Court (approx. 7 pm)

Town Square - Merchant's Row

Trumpets announce and voices sing! Let the fanfare begin! Join Their Royal Majesties and Their Esteemed guests as they process from Grand Court into Moonlight Madness! Merchants will be moon struck, yea I say even presenting lunatic pricing on select merchandise, so follow in the radiant luminescence of moonbeams in the wake of our beloved Queen, to the great Moonlight Madness faire.

Ladies Only Scavenger Hunt Saturday, March 1, 2014 - Begins 4:00 pm & Ends at 11:00 pm Begins at Knowne World Rapier Camp, ends at Once Upon a Estrella War, Masked Revel Welcome, ladies of the Knowne World, to the Ladies Only Scavenger Hunt at Estrella War XXX! Come have a 'ladies night out' and make new friends as you collect items and complete tasks all over the War site!

Bring your team (or just yourself!) to the Organizer, Bannthegn Juliana la Caminante de Navarra, on Saturday afternoon at 4 pm at the Knowne World Rapier Encampment to get your list. All

items can be found on-site. Photographic evidence is acceptable for some items and tasks (and will be marked as such on the list). Items do not need to be surrendered to the Organizer, but food and drink items will graciously be accepted if offered.

The Hunt ends at 11 pm Saturday night! Bring your items (or evidence) to the Masked Ball, where winners will be announced. The top 3 teams or individuals with the most items completed will receive a prize.

Once Upon Estrella; A Masked Revel Saturday, March 1, 2014 at 8:00 pm until Midnight Town Square both Spectator's pavilion and Special Events pavilion

The Muses of Atenveldt are elated to host, for the pleasure of our beloved and luminescent Royal Majesty, Livia the Fair, Once Upon Estrella: A Masked Revel. Come celebrate 30 years of Estrella with a little fairy tale magic! After Grand Court comes to a close, hop in your enchanted pumpkin and traverse the starlit path to Town Square. Don your best storybook inspired mask or buy one during Moonlight Madness on neighboring Merchant's Row. The revel begins at 8:00 p.m. As the clock strikes every hour, a page in our storybook will turn revealing the next chapter of revelry. Gentlemen who fancy themselves "Charming" may be chosen to demonstrate their skills in the Fairy Tale Olympics. Her radiant Royal Majesty will bear witness to the fine displays of hand kissing, maiden dipping, and words of wooing. Your Happily Ever After awaits ... but don't wait too long. At the stroke of midnight, this story will only be remembered as Once Upon Estrella.

Sunday March 2

The World Famous Hound Coursing Sunday, March 2, 2014, 10:00 am to 12:00 pm Hound Coursing field (between the peach orchard and the line of trees that border the archery range and across from field one).

Thrown Weapons Open Practice Sunday, March 2, 2014 at 9:00 to 12:00 pm Thrown Weapons Field

Weissdrachen Lady's Schlager Treasure Chest Tournament Sunday March 2, 2014 at 9:30 am to 11:00 am Town Square Tournament eric

Come one, come all, Lady Rapier Fighters of the Known World: participate in the Weissdrachen Lady's Schlager Treasure Chest Tournament. This year's tournament is once again in honor and memory of The Most Honorable Lady Regan Weissdrachen. Test your skills with sword in hand, against other Ladies while wearing your fanciest Fighting Garb. Demonstrate the "Spirit" ladies have on and off of the tournament field. Today we celebrate Life!

The SCA Heraldic Consultation Center Sunday March 2, 2014 10 am - 3:00 pm Herald's Point
50th year A&S Challenge Sunday, March 2, 2014 - 10 am - 2 pm Town Square - Special Events Pavilion In anticipation of the Society for Creative Anachronism 50th year birthday, a challenge was put forth for members of the populace to between now and the fiftieth year, complete fifty tasks. For those artisans who are striving to complete fifty arts and sciences projects, this is their opportunity to showcase their efforts. All members of the populace from the Known World are encouraged to participate.

The Three Kinds of Challenges: The Depth Challenge - 50 of any one type of thing, in order to

push your skills and knowledge to new levels (how broadly you define this is up to you) The Breadth Challenge - do/make/learn 50 new and different things (how new, and how different is up to you/your group), or, The Persona Challenge - making/learning 50 different things that your persona would know, have, or know how to do

Youth Bardic of Estrella War Competition Sunday, March 2, 2014 at 10:00 am to 11:00 am
Town Square- Open Arms Bardic Hall

Attention all youth attending the Estrella War XXX. Do you have talent for tales? Skill in song? A mind for music? Do you possess the power of poetry? If so, then you are invited to participate in the Estrella War Youth Bardic Competition! Our host, Lord Riàn O Tadgàin, is eager to see the youth of kingdoms near and far display their bardic skills for his panel of judges, Members of the White Oak. Participants must be under the age of 18. All skill levels are welcome!

Performances may be solo or duo. Compete to win our judges favor and be named Youth Bard of Estrella War XXX.

Atenveldt's Closing Court Sunday, March 2, 2014 at 11:00 am Arts and Sciences Ramada

Atenveldt! Another year has passed, and we must band together and celebrate the accomplishments of our populace. Join King Morgan and Queen Livia at 11:00 am on Sunday as they present deserving gentles with recognition, and share news of the war with their populace. The Open Arms Bardic Hall 11am – noon - Open Bardic Jam All instrumentation, musicians & performers are welcome to join (All levels are welcome -- need not to have prepared pieces)

"All that enter be Welcome!" ... come join the Merriment! This venue, will host performances by the most gifted and talented bards, storytellers, musicians, dancers, entertainers and singers of the Knowne World. The Open Arms Bardic Hall is located in the heart of Towne Square. If you are a performer, troupe or household and would like to schedule performance time while at Estrella, please contact THL Belasset de Casal Drago at the Open Arms Bardic Hall. We encourage new performers as well as those with a small repertoire to come and grace the stage.

Barres Sunday, March 2, 2014, 1:00 pm Town Square, Sports Field Barres is an adult game played thusly:

The game is played on a rectangular field. At both ends, in each of the corners a base square is laid out. Base A is in the upper right hand corner and Base B is in the lower right corner.

Opposite end of the field the bases are reversed, Base A is in the lower left corner and Base B is in the upper left hand corner. Base A and B on the right side of the field represent the team's prison and the opposite side of the field their freedom.

The game is played with two Captains and two Lieutenants, each with ten players. Both teams start with all of their team members in prison. The Captains are both placed in the center of the field. The Lieutenants to the sidelines, only one prisoner can try and escape from their prison at a time. They must avoid being tackled by the opposing Captain and make it to their freedom square on the opposite side of the field. If they are brought to ground, they go back to prison to wait their turn to try an escape again, and the next prisoner attempts to escape. The Captains can choose to be replaced by their Lieutenant (but only once during the course of play). The team who gets all of their prisoners out of prison and into the freedom square first wins.

The Whiskey Bards present the Estrella War XXX, Semi Annual Bawdy Bards Concert Sunday, March 2, 2014 at 7:00 pm A&S Ramada

Oyez! Oyez! Come one, come all to the Estrella War XXX, semi Annual Bawdy Bards Concert presented by the Whiskey Bards. It will be held in the A&S Ramada, just a stone's throw away

(as the crow flies) from Town Square, and just past the RV and stone privies. The concert begins with family friendly presentations at 7 pm until 8:45 pm, when there will be a brief intermission followed by the Estrella War (where the heck are my chaucers and brea's?), naughty as we wanna be!" concert. Current featured acts are... The Whiskey Bards! Countess Ilora and her manservant Yonatan... with many more acts to follow as they are booked. Bring a friend, a bottle of something to keep you warm, and tissues, because you will laugh until you cry!