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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!

We're just back from Great Western War! While We had fun seeing old friends and meeting new ones. We were pleased to have Lord Ivar and Lady Liadan join us at this event, and believe that they had fun and learned a lot.

Last month we told you that attending other Barony's events is fun – and it's important to you and your Barony. While We can share the tales of your Skill and Prowess, there's really no substitute for you being there to help spread your fame. We're immensely proud of all of you and want to see you honored by your friends outside Our Barony.

We encourage all to attend the Coronation event in November - all of us need to help the Crown understand that Our Barony has good people who work hard for the good of the Kingdom. All of us need to show others, and especially Our Crown, that we care enough to organize travel to Coronation.

Yule is on the way!

It's Ered Sul's turn to host Yule this year. Seating will be limited due to the site size. (For those who missed Our earlier message, the Armory is no longer being rented so our contract for the space for Yule was cancelled.)

Let's all renew our efforts to help Sankt Vladimir's, Our Barony, and the Kingdom.

Baron Henry & Baroness Eirny

Baronial Officers WANT ADS

Last year We told those assembled at several meetings/events that We will be publishing office want ads where the current office holder's warrant is due to expire. It is Our policy to accept an officer's extension for one year beyond the current expiration of their warrant. We want to broaden our office corps including Deputies and Greater and Lesser Officer.

Barony of Ered Sûl Herald – Lady Lora of the Four Paws (Laura Minas) is our current baronial herald with a warrant that expires in July of 2014. Having more than one person who understands the duties of the herald and can “cover” in the absence of the main herald is a good thing. We would like to find her at least one or two official deputies.

Requirements: The Deputy Herald Position is divided into three areas of responsibility, the same as the regular Herald – voice heraldry, court recording, and helping baronial members with heraldic and name submissions.

Voice Heraldry requires that the Herald is capable of starting, running and concluding a baronial court, and working with other baronial and kingdom heralds. The herald must keep track of the activities that are to occur during the court, control the distribution of scrolls and award medallions, and generally assist with the flow of court. The herald should be able to travel to distant events at least some of the time.

Court Recording means that the herald is must report the awards that are given in court to the Kingdom heralds so that the Kingdom OP may be kept current. The Herald needs to also periodically review the Kingdom OP to make sure that Kingdom is entering the award information correctly.

Heraldic and Name Submissions are an important part of the Herald's duty. The populace needs assistance in negotiating the rules for name and research and submission.

The Baronial Herald Deputies must have access to the unofficial Ered Sul Facebook postings and the Official Communications Channel on the Baronial Yahoo Group.

Baronial A&S Officer: It is this officer's job to make sure that A&S happens at LEAST once a month in Ered Sul. They do not need to be able to teach the class, just organize it. We currently have a date set aside every month (based on Kingdom calendar activities) that is "open" to hold an A&S event. These events can be as simple as a stitch 'n bitch or crafty get together at someone's home, or as complicated as a formally organized workshop with costs and materials. In addition the A&S Officer should be prepared to assist with A&S activities at Highlands War, Too Darn Hot and any other Ered Sul event. The officer then needs to create an email report about activities and populace attendance and share it with a small group of people.

In the past we have also had a weeknight A&S night at the Thorpe Adult Center. If the A&S officer wishes to restart this process, the Barony can arrange for a rented room.

Baronial A&S Deputy: This officer assists the A&S Officer and fills in for them when they cannot attend an event.

Baronial Youth Officer: The Youth Officer is in charge of running the Baronial youth program. They are required to pass a background check that is administered through SCA, Inc. This officer should be able to run or add in the running of the youth program at Highland's War and Too Darn Hot.

Baronial Sheriff: We are accepting letters for those wishing to be considered for this position.

To apply for any Officer or Deputy position, you must send a letter of intent to the Baron and Baroness. This letter must include your name, membership number, SCA experience, and contact information. In addition, if you are applying for the first time, We would like to hear your ideas for classes and workshops and your goals for this office. If you are currently holding this office, we would like an honest assessment of what sort of a job you feel you have been doing in this position, how you feel you can improve your performance, and your plans for the future.

Yours in Service,

Baron Henry & Baroness Eirny
Protectors of All Things Wooly

Northern Yule 2013

Northern Yule Feast
Saturday, December 7, 2013

Ever wonder what a Banquet might have been like in 1500s Italy? Then don your best late period garb for this indoor Northern Yule event in Flagstaff, AZ. Come play period games, dance, and feast. **DUE TO SITE AVAILABILITY, SEATING WILL BE LIMITED TO 70 PEOPLE.**

Schedule: This dry site is open from noon to 9pm.

Event Steward: Lady Liadan of Lochlann (Mindy Fisher, mindykid@mindykid.com, 928-266-6008)

Northern Yule Feast is presented by the Barony of Ered Sul, the Barony of Granite Mountain, and the Shire of Windale. The Feast Stewards are Lord Michael the Taverner and Lady Dubhchobhlaigh inghean Eoin uí hEalaighthe. Carnivores will have plenty of dishes to sate their hunger, and vegetarian feasters will also have dishes to choose from. A side board with light snacks will be provided. The feast begins at 4:00 pm and will make its way through five courses and many tasty period dishes over 2-3 hours. Parents, please take this into consideration if bringing small children. Food will be served promptly when it is ready. Smoking is allowed outside in designated areas only.

Feast Stewards: Michael the Taverner (Michael Kolasinski, mpkolasinski@msn.com, 928-970-9702) Lady Dubhchobhlaigh inghean Eoin uí hEalaighthe (Patricia Kolasinski, grymstone1@yahoo.com, 928-970-9703)

Event Fees: Feast \$17.00 per Adult Member (18yrs and over) and \$8.00 per Youth (5 to 17 years of age). The \$5.00 non-member surcharge will apply. Registration will close on Saturday, November 30, 2013.

Reservations for the feast ARE required to guarantee your seat. Payment will be accepted by ACCEPS or check. A limited number of feast tickets are available. Checks accepted at (c/o Michael Kolasinski 8239 W Juniper Place, Payson, AZ 85541).

OFFICER REPORTS

Herald's Report September 2013

Quite the month in the Northlands. Their Excellencies gave out a Gilded Heart to Adler von Drackenstein

Yours in service,
Lora of the Four Paws

September 2013 Rapier Report

In September there were 2 joint practices held. The first was Sunday, the 8th. One rapier fighter in attendance, several heavy fighters. The second was Sunday the 29th. Once again 1 rapier fighter and several heavy fighters.

There were no youth fighters. There were no weapon failures or injuries this month.

Servant to the people,

Sigurd Magnusson



THE SOCIETY FOR CREATIVE ANACHRONISM, INC. - FINANCIAL REPORT

Branch: Barony of Ered Sul

Period: 1/1/13 to 9/30/13

COMPARATIVE BALANCE STATEMENT

For **Cumulative** Quarterly Reports, use **last year's** Comparative Balance Sheet (End) amounts for the (Start) amounts.

For **Sequential** Quarterly Reports, use **last report's** Comparative Balance Sheet (End) amounts for the (Start) amounts.

For **Year-end** Reports, the (Start) numbers will be provided to you by the Kingdom Exchequer. The numbers may have changed from what was submitted last year because of transfer reconciliation between your account and other accounts.

The Year-end Report must be signed by the person preparing the report.

(START) FIGURES MAY NOT BE CHANGED UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES!

I. ASSETS		(from page)	Start	End
a) Undeposited and Non-Interest Bearing Cash LEDGER		(3,5)	\$ 18,286.49	\$ 13,344.13
b) Cash Earning Interest LEDGER		(3)	\$	\$
c) Receivables		(5)	\$	\$
d) Inventory For Sale (Major Inventory)		(6)	\$	\$
e) Regalia & Non-Depreciated Equipment		(7)	\$ 900.00	\$ 900.00
f) Depreciated Equipment		(8)	\$ 4,485.09	\$ 6,485.09
g) MINUS Accumulated Depreciation		(8)	\$ (4,021.14)	\$ (4,021.14)
h) Other Assets		(5)	\$	\$
i) TOTAL ASSETS	Add a through f, subtract g, then add h		\$ 19,650.44	\$ 16,708.08

II. LIABILITIES				
a) Newsletter Subscriptions Due LEDGER		(15)	\$	\$
b) Payables		(5)	\$	\$
c) Other Liabilities		(5)	\$	\$
d) TOTAL LIABILITIES	Add a through c		\$	\$

III. NET WORTH		Line I.i minus Line II.d	\$ 19,650.44	\$ 16,708.08
Proof:	Change in Net Worth	III(End) - III(Start) (A)	\$ (2,942.36)	(A = B) ? If NO, the report is incomplete.
	Net Income	Income Statement Line 32 (B)	\$ (2,942.36)	

Signatures below certify that the information on this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge.

Legal Name:	Print	Sign	Date:
Exchequer:	Michael Kolasinski	<i>Michael Kolasinski</i>	10-7-13
Seneschal:	Melinda Fisher	<i>Melinda Fisher</i>	10-5-13

INCOME STATEMENT

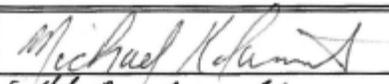
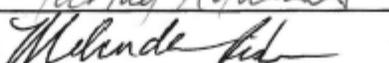
INCOME			(from page)	Gross	Cost	Amount
1a	Fund Raising: Non-medieval activities to earn income (raffles, car washes, bake sales, etc.)	(11a)			INTERNAL	\$ 137.50
1b		(11a)			EXTERNAL	\$
2	Direct Contributions/Donations: No activity	(11a)				\$ 517.00
3a	Activity Related: Medieval activities to earn income (events, demos, heraldry fees)	(11a)			Income from Demos and Activity Fees	\$
3b		(11b)			Adjusted Gross Event Income	\$ 7,551.50
4a	Funds Transferred In from Another SCA Account	(9)			WITHIN KINGDOM	\$
4b		(9)			OUTSIDE KINGDOM	\$ 5,075.00
5	Interest Earned	Ledger				\$
6	Net Inventory Sales Income	(6)	Gross-Cost=Net	\$	\$	\$
7	Other Sales Income	(7)				\$
8	Adjusted Gross Newsletter Income	(15)				\$
9	Net Advertising Income	(11b)	Gross-Cost=Net	\$	\$	\$
10	Other Income	(11b)				\$
11	TOTAL GROSS INCOME				(Sum of Lines 1 through 9)	\$ 13,281.00

EXPENSES		(from page)	Office & Admin.	Activity Related	Fund Raising	Total
12	Advertising (NON-SCA)	(12a)	\$	\$	\$	\$
13	Bad Debts	(12a)	\$	\$	\$	\$
14	Bank Service Charges	Ledger	\$ 31.50	\$	\$	\$ 31.50
15	Depreciation	(8)	\$	\$	\$	\$
16	Equipment Rental & Maintenance	Ledger	\$ 75.46	\$ 8,638.00	\$	\$ 8,713.46
17	Fees & Honoraria	(12a)	\$	\$	\$	\$
18	Food	Ledger	\$	\$ 177.46	\$	\$ 177.46
19	General Supplies	Ledger	\$	\$ 551.92	\$	\$ 551.92
20	Insurance (NON-SCA)	(12b)	\$	\$	\$	\$
21	Occupancy & Site Charges	Ledger	\$ 1,148.01	\$ 3,990.75	\$	\$ 5,138.76
22	Postage & Shipping, PO Box Rental	Ledger	\$ 73.50	\$	\$	\$ 73.50
23	Printing & Publications	Ledger	\$ 299.58	\$ 250.41	\$	\$ 549.99
24	Released Equipment	(7)	\$	\$	\$	\$
25	Telephone	Ledger	\$	\$	\$	\$
26	Travel (Gas, Tolls, Airfare)	Ledger	\$	\$ 441.77	\$	\$ 441.77
27	SUB-TOTAL (Lines 12-26)		\$ 1,628.05	\$ 14,050.31	\$	\$ 15,678.36
28	Other Expenses	(12b)				\$
29	Donations to Other 501(c)(3) [Nonprofit] Organizations	(12b)				\$
30a	Funds Transferred Out to Another SCA Account			WITHIN KINGDOM	(10)	\$ 545.00
30b				OUTSIDE KINGDOM	(10)	\$
31	TOTAL EXPENSES				(Line 27 TOTAL + Lines 28 to 30b)	\$ 16,223.36
32	NET INCOME (MUST MATCH Change in Net Worth)				(Line 11 Minus Line 31)	\$ (2,942.36)

Legal Name:

Print:

Sign:

Exchequer:	Michael Kolasinski		Date: 10-7-13
Seneschal:	Melinda Fisher		Date: 10-5-13

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KINGDOM EVENTS

THROWN WEAPONS PRACTICES

C'mon out Friday evenings between 7:00 pm and 9:00 pm to hone your skills in the Thrown Weapons and earn your badges!

Practices are hosted by Baronies of Atenveldt and Sundragon and will be held at Lord Jerome's residence:

6925 W. Wilshire Dr.
Phoenix, AZ 85035

Proposed schedule is as follows;

October-2013.....Friday 18th
November-2013....Friday 1st, 15th and 29th
December-2013....Friday 13th and 20th

Please watch your FB pages and group lists for details as dates are subject to change.

Please bring your own axes, knives and spears to throw as there is no loaner gear available at present. Please bring your own chair.

Cold bottled water and sodas will be provided.

This activity involves the handling of live weapons and is restricted to adults only at this time.

For more information, please call Lord Jerome the True (602) 617-3586 OR Lady Edeline de Diekirche (602) 647-0726

Dragon's Horde

October 19, 2013

Barony Tir Ysgithr

Oh my! There is smoke heading toward the center of the Gem of Atenveldt, our glorious Tir Ysgithr! What could it be? It ... it can't be ... the Dreaded Draconis and his minions!! Calling our cousins from around the Kingdom! Please come rid us of this vile creature!

Opening Court: At Their Majesties discretion, opening court 10:30 am, and closing court TBA. Her Ladyship Shoshana Drakere will be elevated to the Noble Order of Laurel, and the last meeting for Southern Crusades will be held, time TBA.

There will be a Dragon Tourney with white, red and green dragons to fight for our heavy combat and youth fighters. The evil Kraken will attempt to destroy our rapier fighters, but we know they will easily defeat him!

Dragon's Horde is a fundraiser event for the barony of Tir Ysgithr. Donations will be gladly accepted for those fighters willing to brave any of the dragons in combat.

The College of St. Felix will cook out during the day for donations to keep their coffers full. The site is discreetly wet.

Location: Himmel Park at 1035 N. Treat Ave., Tucson. Site times 9:00 am - 5:00 pm.
Site Fees: \$3.00 for adult members, \$5.00 additional for non-members
\$1.00 for Youth ages 5 to 17

Youth under age 5 are guest of the populace

Directions: From the north, take I-10 to Speedway exit, proceed east and turn right at Treat Ave. One block past Tucson Blvd. From the south, take I-10 to Alvernon exit, proceed north, and turn left on Speedway, then proceed west and turn left at Treat Ave., past Country Club. The park is one block south of Speedway, just past the library. Parking is available on the street or in the parking lot to the west of the library. Please do not drive on the grass during set up and tear down.

Main Autocrat: Lady Anastasia MacEwan de Ravenna 520-904-5026, assisting her is the House of the Red Dragons.

Baronial Polling

October 20, 2013

Barony of Granite Mountain

Guidelines for Baronial Polling

A polling of the current paid members of the Barony of Granite Mountain will be conducted on October 20, 2013 at Fain Park, 2200 N 5th St, Prescott Valley, AZ 86314. The polling will begin at noon. 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 Granite Mountain 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 October 10 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.

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 October 10 to seneschal@atenveldt.org or by mail to Sylvia Baldwin, 3638 W. Campbell Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85019.

Sundragon Baronial Champions & Chatelaine/Steward Competition 2013 October 25-27, 2013

Site Location is Bumble Bee Ranch 23925 S. Bumble Bee Rd. Bumble Bee Az, 86333.

Take Interstate I-17 north from Phoenix, south from Flagstaff. Bumble Bee Ranch is about 5 miles north of Black Canyon City. Take Exit 248 to Bumble Bee/Crown King. From Phoenix make a left at the stop sign, from Flagstaff make a right. Follow the road; 1 mile paved, 4 miles dirt. After crossing the stone bridge, the ranch is 1/2 mile on the right.

Site Opens 2pm Friday Oct 25th, 2012 and Closes 5pm on Sunday Oct. 27th, 2012.
Site fee is \$8 for members and \$13 non-members. 17 and under are free.

Parking Fees are separate:

Day Parking: \$5 per day per vehicle or \$7 for two days per vehicle

Overnight Parking: Friday thru Sunday: \$10 per vehicle; Saturday - Sunday: \$7 per vehicle

Event stewards: THL Gepa of Sundragon gepa@atenveldt.org, Lord Gereon Lautermilch der Betruger Michael.loudermilk@gmail.com

Barony of Atenveldt Baronial Champions

October 25-27, 2013

Come one, come all! Now is the time for their Excellencies, Baron Seelos and Baroness Elena, to select the new champions for our beloved Premier Barony of the Known World. We will have something for everyone: Tournaments for Hardsuit, Rapier, Archery and Youth combat, as well as Bardic and A & S competitions. For those who do not wish to participate in the tourneys, there will be merchants to satisfy your shopping needs.

Site opens 3 pm Friday Site closes 5 pm Sunday

Where: Estrella Mountain Park, North & South Navy Areas 14804 W. Vineyard Ave. Goodyear, AZ 85338

Site Fees: \$7 adult members (Non-members \$12); Youth & Children 17 & under are Free; Camping is \$10 per tent; Day trip parking is \$6 per vehicle

Site Steward: Aoife inghean Oisin (Terri Valencia) terrival@gmail.com 602-999-1518 (no calls after 9 pm)

Merchant Steward: Kirsten Maria Matz Renaissancepenguin76@gmail.com 602-449-0925 (no calls after 9 pm)

Defender's Tourney

October 25-27, 2013

Barony of Twin Moons

Hail, Twin Moons!

War is on the horizon as the time for Southern Crusades and Estrella approaches! Their Excellencies Bran and Deletha must be protected against all the rascallions and ill-doers that lurk in the shadows ... and yet, Their defenders grow weary. Come, Twin Moons, gather 'round, spend time as one big family, and come together in friendly combat to determine the new year's Baronial Defenders.

This weekend long family event will surely include tournaments in Hard Suit, Rapier, Archery, Youth, and Arts and Sciences, as well as tall tales told by the fire, a delicious potluck meal, games, frivolity, the Baronial Boogeyman, and more. Join us October 25th through October 27th as we gather upon the fields of Schnepf Farms.

Site opens at 2pm on Friday, October 25th and closes at 6pm on Sunday, October 27th. Site is wet, leashed pets are permitted, fires permitted in contained fire rings or above ground. Adult member site fees are \$15 for the entire weekend, non member surcharge applies. Youths 5-17 are admitted for \$5. Children 4 and under may attend the event for free.

Directions to the site: Make your best way to Ellsworth Road, travel south to Rittenhouse. Turn left (east) on Rittenhouse, proceed approximately 4 miles to the entrance to the farm on the right. Once on farm property, proceed through the parking area, keeping to the right and following the signs.

Coronation/ Champion Tournaments

November 2 -3, 2013

Though the end of our Beloved Tsar and Tsar'itsa Ivan and Ian'ka reign draws nigh, Join us as we celebrate the Coronation of our new Majesties Morgan and Livia!

Join us November 2nd & 3rd for Coronation and Champions!

Coronation will be held November 2nd, 2013 at: Southwest Indian Ministries Center, 14202 North 73rd Avenue , Peoria, AZ 85381

Fees are \$10.00 adult members and \$15.00 for adult non-members. Site is Dry and no pets allowed. Smoking is in designated areas only.

Saturday and Sunday will be at the same location. Site will open at 9 AM with court anticipated to start at 10:00 AM or at Their Majesties desire. Champions will be held at the same site on November 3rd, site hours 9-6 Court and Tournaments starting at Their Majesties desire.

This site is short on chairs so please bring your comfortable camp chairs to enjoy the day. I encourage you to bring your banners to add to the pageantry of the day. We will have good gentles at the door to assist you with carrying your chairs and baskets to enjoy the day's festivities. A Soup Kitchen will nourish you during the break between courts. We will have several soups, spectacular breads and Brownies.

Directions to Coronation Site: Make your best way to Phoenix, from I-17 take exit 210 for Thunderbird Road and head west on Thunderbird for approximately 5.8 miles, turn right onto North 73rd Ave travel 2 blocks then turn right on West Redfield Road and follow the signs to site.

If you should have any questions please contact Bannthegn Lisabetta Bartolomea Zanca (Sherri Alger) 602-672-3415

Southern Crusades XV November 7-11, 2013 Baronies of Tir Ysgithr & Mons Tonitrus

Southern Crusades website: <http://www.southerncrusades.org>

Winkelman Flats Campground, Winkelman, Arizona

Site opens Thursday, November 7th, 2013, at 8:00 AM for pre-registered attendees, 12:00 PM (noon) for attendees who have not pre-registered. Site closes Monday, November 11th, 2013 at 12:00 PM (noon).

Welcome! The best little war in the Kingdom of Atenveldt is back for its 15th year! Their Excellencies of the Barony March of Mons Tonitrus and the Barony of Tir Ysgithr invite you to come join in the excitement of The Triumph of Maximilian. We will have an array of challenging scenarios on the Heavy Combat battlefield, rapier field, and the archery field. There will be tournaments and competitions in fighting, cooking, dancing and drumming, and the Bardic arts. And Helga Ball!!!

Classes for those seeking enlightenment in the Arts and Sciences of the Middle Ages, as well as demonstrations, will be held at the Grand Pavilion area.

A Merchants Row for those of you seeking new and old items for purchase will line the tree lined road as usual. If you are interested in being a merchant please contact the Merchant's Steward (see below).

Pre-registration has its bonuses

ACCEPS Pre-registration <http://accep.ansteorra.org>

If you're an SCA member, you can pre-register for the phenomenal price of ONLY \$20 for 4-1/2 days of fun! (Non-members get the same price but pay the \$5 non-member surcharge as well)

Pre-registration allows you on-site at 8:00 AM Thursday. This gives you an advantage in the land grab for space. If you are not pre-registered you will not be admitted on-site until noon on Thursday. Pre-registration also allows you entrance to the site after Troll closes for the night.

Finally, the Family Max Discount is only available if you pre-register thru ACCEPS. \$50 covers 2 adult members and 2 or more children from the same family unit. (The \$5 non-member surcharge for each non-member adult will be added as applicable). This discount is NOT available at the Gate.

New this year is a Saturday Night Special Fee for those coming up Saturday morning and staying the one night. For only \$17 you can make your day trip into an overnighter and stay for the evening's festivities.

SITE FEES:

Adult members (18 and older), pre-registered: \$20
Adult members at-the-door: \$30
Adult non-members, pre-registered: \$25
Adult non-members at-the-door: \$35
Family Max Fee (2 adults, 2 or more children): \$50
Non-member Family Site Fee (2 adults, 2 or more children): \$50 + \$5 surcharge for each non-member adult. Family Max only available on ACCEPS with pre-registration.

Day Trip adult members: \$12
Day Trip adult non-members: \$17
Youth (ages 5 – 17): \$8
Children under 5: \$0

Saturday Night Fee

Adult members \$17
Adult non-members \$20

Event Stewards: *Master Mederic de Chatellerault, OP – BTY (Mark Crider) mederiksca@yahoo.com ; 520-304-8436 (No calls after 9 PM please). Lady Elinor L'Adorable –BTY (Erika Tinley) etinmlkyway@yahoo.com 253-677-7459 (No calls after 9 PM please)
*Site Steward: *Lord Ruadhan MacCumhal – BMMT (Steven Wilmarth) steve308@gmail.com *Merchant's Steward: *Lord Seamus MacRiain – BTY (James "Jim" Wilcox) seamus_ancat@yahoo.com

DIRECTIONS:

From the South and East, take Interstate-10 "west" to Tucson, turn right (east) on Grant Rd., go to the next major light and turn left (north) on Oracle Rd. Follow Oracle Rd. (Highway 77) north approximately 68 miles to Winkelman, Arizona. When you see the Shell Gas Station/ Minute Market on the left (west), turn right (east) and proceed down the off-ramp, then curve to the right down the dirt road to the Troll Pavilion on the right (south).

From the North and West take your best route to Phoenix , take Highway 60 (Superstition Freeway) east out of Phoenix/Tempe to Superior , Arizona , turn south on Highway 177, proceed to and through Winkelman, Arizona. When you see the Shell Gas Station/Minute Market on

your right (south), proceed across Highway 77 and turn left (north) down the off-ramp on the other side, then curve to the right down the dirt road to the Troll Pavilion on the right (south).

Aten University

November 23rd, 2013

The Kingdom of Atenveldt's first Annual Aten University, will be a one day, comprehensive training seminar for all warranted officers in the Kingdom of Atenveldt; this includes all Kingdom, Baronial, Shire, March and College officers and their emergency deputies. The event is free, non-garbed, and attendance is required.

The Kingdom will be providing breakfast and lunch and gas reimbursement is available for out of area officers. Class schedules and curriculum will be announced closer to the event.

November 23, 2013 9 am – 5 pm. 3102 N 56th Street, Phoenix AZ 85018

Barony of SunDragon Baronial Polling

January 5th, 2014

Guidelines for Baronial Letters of Intent and Baronial Polling

Letters of Intent

Unto the populace of the Barony of SunDragon: Their Excellencies, Viola and Wilhelus, 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 SunDragon.

Letters of Intent should be sent to the Crown with copies to the Kingdom Seneschal and the current Baron and Baroness of SunDragon. Letters may be sent by either US Mail or email.

Letters of intent must be received by November 5, 2013

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 the Baronial newsletter.

Polling

A polling of the current paid members of the SunDragon will be conducted on January 5, 2014 at Kingdom War Practice. The polling will begin at Noon and will last until 1:30. 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 SunDragon 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.

There may be some SCA members who do not reside within the zip codes currently assigned to the Barony of SunDragon but who play exclusively in the Barony of SunDragon and consider themselves as active members of the group. These individual will be allowed to cast a ballot of a different color after signing a statement agreeing to not participate in the polling of any other group in the Kingdom for the next three years.

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 December 26, 2013 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.

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.

If you do not reside within the zip codes currently assigned to the Barony of SunDragon, but consider yourself as a member thereof, your absentee ballot must include the following signed statement: "I consider myself a member of the populace of the Barony of SunDragon and promise the Crown of Atenveldt that I will not cast a ballot in any polling for another group within the Kingdom for three years following January 5, 2014."

Send the absentee ballot by US Mail or email to arrive by December 26, 2013 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

Barony of Tir Ysgithr Baronial Polling

January 12th, 2014

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Letters of Intent

Unto the populace of the Barony of Tir Ysgithr: Their Excellencies, Zhigmun and Aleyd, 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 Tir Ysgithr. Letters of Intent should be sent to the Crown with copies to the Kingdom Seneschal and the current Baron and Baroness of Tir Ysgithr. Letters may be sent by either US Mail or email. Letters of intent must be received by November 12, 2013

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 the Baronial newsletter.

Polling

A polling of the current paid members of the Tir Ysigthr will be conducted on January 12, 2014 at Kingdom Southern War Practice. The polling will begin at Noon and will last until 1:30. 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 Tir Ysgithr 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.

There may be some SCA members who do not reside within the zip codes currently assigned to the Barony of Tir Ysgithr but who play exclusively in the Barony of Tir Ysgithr and consider themselves as active members of the group. These individual will be allowed to cast a ballot of a different color after signing a statement agreeing to not participate in the polling of any other group in the Kingdom for the next three years.

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 January 2, 2014 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.

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 January 2, 2014 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

BARONIAL REGNUM

<p>Baron and Baroness: Master Henry Eynhallow and Mistress Eirny Thorvaldsdottir (Henry & Irene Davis) PO Box 105 Ash Fork, AZ 86320 Coronet@baronyoferedsul.org Henry: (831) 359-1310 Irene: (831) 320-0765 NO CALLS AFTER 9 PM PLEASE!</p>	<p>Seneschal: Lady Liadan of Laithland (Melinda Fisher) mindykid@mindykid.ocm (928) 266-6008</p>
<p>Reeve: Lord Michael the Taverner (Mike Kolasinski) mpkolasinski@msn.com (928) 468-6509 NO CALLS AFTER 8:30 PM PLEASE</p>	<p>Deputy Reeve: OPEN (Please contact their excellencies if interested!)</p>
<p>Rapier Marshall: Sigurd Magnusson (Jeremiah Causer) 928-853-9081 JeremiahCauser@yahoo.com</p>	<p>Archery Marshall: Lord Ivar of Elsinore (Don Fisher) 928-863-8895 donfisher@q.com</p>
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<p>Chronicler: Lady Dubhchobhlaigh inghean Eoin uí hEalaighthe (Pat Kolasinski) grymstone1@yahoo.com (928) 468-6509 NO CALLS AFTER 8:30 PM PLEASE</p>	<p>Deputy Arts and Sciences Officer: Viscountess Diana Della Rosa di Pergola (Denise Smith) greenunycorn@q.com</p>
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<p>Youth Officer: OPEN (Please contact their excellencies if interested!)</p>	<p>Marshal: Lord Thaddeus Legolas (Joshua Spear) joshua.spear@nau.edu 928-853-1617</p>

<p>Captain of the Guard: Lord Janquith Telewin (Chad Wheeler) Janquith1@yahoo.com</p>	<p>Knights Marshal: Sir Angus MacAird (Steve Aird) Stevenjaird@gmail.com</p>
<p>Web Minister: Leesha Southmoor (Carol Howell) summerluvuvv@hotmail.com 928-600-5255</p>	<p>Demonstrations Officer: OPEN (Please contact their excellencies if interested!)</p>
<p>Chirurgeon: 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>
<p>Acting Sheriff: Delthos Southmoor (Richard Howell) Delthos@yahoo.com 928-600-5253</p>	<p>Scribe: OPEN (Please contact their excellencies if interested!)</p>

Please send any additions/changes to regnum information to Patricia Kolasinski at grymstone1@yahoo.com. Thank you.