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Greetings unto the Noble Populace of Ered Sul,

As the summer months approach, there will be many things to do and events to go to. Our tournament season is underway and started with a sword and shield tournament in which Neo Nyr Skass (Jeremiah Greason) won and was awarded a prize. The next tournament we will have will be single sword and we will have new tourneys bi-weekly throughout the summer season. The schedule for our populace and newcomers nights will be as such: Every third Thursday will alternate between court night/populace and a Newcomers night. We had a wonderful turnout for our populace court night on April 16th. The next one will be on June 18th. The first Newcomers night will be on May 21st. A&S will be every second Wednesday of the month.

Gaelic Games was a blast! Thank you to the Shire of Windale and the soon to be Mistress Arsenda for putting together such a wonderful event with our chosen family. We had a great time! Lord Ivar of Elsinore (Don Fisher) was awarded the Gilded Heart in the 2nd Degree. Many thanks to Don and his tireless efforts over the years. All in the Barony have been helped by his service. Dhonnabhain Mac Egoin (James Donovan Stocking) and Frederick the Blackhat (Dillon Barnett) were awarded their AOA's by their majesties. Congratulations, well deserved:-)

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Please join us at Torneo de Belleza (Tournament of Beauty) in the Barony of Granite Mountain, May 16th at Watson Lake in Prescott. This is one of the premier tournaments in the Kingdom of Atenveldt and is great fun to watch and/or participate in and it is a beautiful site. We hope to see you there.

In Your Service, Angus & Katarina, Baron & Baroness of Ered Sul



Baron Angus and Baroness Katarina Photo Credit: Jewel of the Heart Photography

New Award Recipients:

Guilded Heart 2nd Degree: Lord Ivar of Elsinore (Don Fisher) was awarded the Gilded Heart in the 2nd Degree.

Award of Arms (AOA): Dhonnabhain Mac Egoin (James Donovan Stocking) and Frederick the Blackhat (Dillon Barnett)

Weekly Fighter Practice:

Kiwanis Southside Park at 2:00pm. The address is 1600 S. San Francisco – just across the street from the Walkup Skydome on the NAU campus.

HIGHLAND WARS XXI: A Viking Homecoming! Highlands War Thursday July 9 to Sunday July 12.

Hey do you like the cool mountain air? Do you like camping within the tall pines? If so we have the place for you, it's Highlands War!! There is plenty of room for everyone! Come and enjoy the Heimkoma /norse for homecoming of Highlands War, now back in the flagstaff area, We will have A&S, Hardsuit and Rapier scenarios, Archery, Bardic, Belly Dancing, and Merchants.NO ACCEPS FOR THE EVENT. Cash or check only Highlands War is a four day (Thursday July 9 to Sunday July 12) event hosted by the Barony of Ered Sul, Kingdom of Atenveldt, one of the 19 Kingdoms of the Society for Creative Anachronism (SCA). Highlands War is held in the cool Ponderosa Pine forest in northern Arizona near Flagstaff.

There is so much to say about this incredible event, it had to have its own website. Check it out!

http://highlandswar.org

Populace Meetings:

Our next Populace Meeting will be Thurs June 21st @6pm-8pm. Populace meetings are at the Joe Montoya Sr. Adult center on Thorpe every 3rd Thursday of every other month.

Newcomer/Game Night

Our FIRST Newcomers/Game Night is Thursday, May 21st. This is a GARBED event. Bring games esp. period games and join the fun and meet our newcomers! Newcomes/Game Nights will be held EVERY OTHER 3RD THURSDAY, at Thorpe, @6-8pm. Garbed event. We will have snacks.

Please refer to our Website, Facebook or Yahoo page for any updates.

Arts & Science Meeting:

The next A&S Meeting is Wednesday, May 13th 6-8 PM at the Joe Montoya Senior Community Center at 245 N Thorpe Rd. This month Baroness Katarina will be teaching on making a simple shoulder bag in which you can carry items to events. Fabric and measurement information will be forthcoming!

EREDSULABRATION: See Page 3 – Event Spotlight

EVENT SPOTLIGHT:

EREDULSULABRATION!
SUNDAY MAY 10TH
10AM - 6PM

FORT TUTHILL MARICOPA RAMANDA
2446 FT TUTHILL LOOP
FLAGSTAFF, ARIZONA 86001

Enjoy the cool pines of Flagstaff, Arizona and celebrate our Barony's Eredsulabration! This will be a fun and exciting event ... the perfect event for Newcomers as well as our seasoned members!

We will be hosting our Annual Cookie Contest (recipe must be submitted with entry) and bread jousting tournament! (Yes! You too can be a taste testing expert!)

We will have an A&S competition for our new champion! We will be able to see all your wonderful creations and crown a new A&S Champion!

There will be tournaments to decide the next executioner and cadaver (you need to come to understand). We need help from all fighters to choose our next executioner and cadaver!



We will of course, top it off with a mouthwatering and delicious pot luck that will tempt your taste buds and make you hungry for more. This event is pure fun! NEWCOMERS ... What a great way to start your SCA experience!

Potluck Breakdown: (Last name ending in A-H - Main Dish. I-Q -Side Dish, R-Z -Dessert)

Come as we celebrate our kinship and joys of SCA. This will be a fun and exciting event for all! Don't miss out! We look forward to seeing you there!

If you have any questions contact our coordinator for this event, Cricket Christina Holland and she will give you the information you need!

Barony of Ered Sul Officers:

Seneschal: Master Gunner Skullsplitter

Tom Highline

Deputy Seneschal: ChevezsMacTavish

Chavezs Whitlock

Exchequer / Reeve: Pending Warrant

Arts & Sciences Minister: Lady Aesa Ongull

Kyndel Wood

Deputy Arts & Sciences Minister: Katherine

Tapester

Kathleen Sweeb

Knight Marshall: OPEN POSITION

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Richard Howell

Deputy Sheriff: Ulrich Mamohon

Chris Whitlock

Chronicler: Lady Leesha Southmoor

Carol Howell

Open Officer Positions:

We are recruiting for the following open positions. Please contact Their Excellencies or the Seneschal for more information.

Deputy Chronicler (Newsletter): This is a person who assists the Chronicler

Equestrian Marshall: Coordinates Equestrian Events.

A list of current officers and open positions can be found on the baronial website: http://www.baronyoferedsul.org/about/the-officers

Sankt Vlidimir @ Northern Arizona University

We meet almost every Wednesday in the Student Union and cover a variety of topics such as heraldry, membership, arts and sciences, etc. Contact Aurora-Babcock-Cooke for more information.

Find us on Facebook - St. Vladimir SCA



Kingdom Events:

May 16 – Torneo de Belliza (Tournament of Beauty) Granite Mountain, May 16th at Watson Lake in Prescott

May 22-25 – Grand Outlandish – Kingdom of the Outlands

June 6 – 7, 2015 – Kingdom A&S Collegium - University of Advancing Technology, 2625 West Baseline Road, Tempe, AZ 85283

June 13 - at the Cooley Ballroom, located on the ASU Polytechnic Campus (near Mesa Gateway Airport).

June 18-22 – Uprising War- Kingdom of Artemesia

http://www.uprisingwar.org/QuickInfo.aspx

June 27 – Fabric War 2015 -Heritage Elementary School, 6805 N 125th Ave, Glendale, AZ 85307

Ye Newcomers Corner

Merry Meet! Welcome to the Barony of Ered Sul Newcomer's Corner. It is our hope Ye Newcomers Corner will help our friends new to the SCA to get started on their own SCA journey. Come, walk the SCA path with us, friends! Hugs! Lady Leesha Southmoor

I love talking to new people and making new friends. In some of my conversations with newcomers, a question that has been raised is: What is a good event to go to so they can get their feet wet?

The first things I would say is just jump right in! You will find that any event you will be greeted warmly and you will meet wonderful new friends. Everyone is so helpful and are eager to direct you to events that will make your experience the fullest and most enjoyable. And ask lots of questions! Folks are eager to help you!

But is there any event that has everything in one spot to check out and enjoy?

I would like to suggest Newcomers join us at **Eredsulabration** (information listed on page 3 this edition of the Higher Word) in our Event Spotlight.

The Highlands War. Highlands War is a four day (Thursday July 9, 2015 to Sunday July 12, 2015) event hosted by the Barony of Ered Sul. It is set in the scenic and beautifully breath-taking Ponderosa Pine forest in northern Arizona near Flagstaff between Lake Mary and Ashurst Lake. It's a perfect spot and the weather is fabulous.

At this event you will be able to experience a bit of everything that SCA has to offer. Many of us will be setting up tents and staying for the entire experience. Here you can see all kinds of A&S demonstrations, dancing, drumming, rapier events, hard suiting events and so much more.

We usually have a supply of Garb (period clothing) for Newcomers. Here you can borrow, should you arrive with none of your own. The friendly people at this event will make sure you get a full experience of SCA and that you will feel right at home with us!

If you want to make your own basic garb, see the previous two issues for sites for easy patterns. If I can do it, anyone can!

Check out the site below for registration info, costs etc. We hope to see you there!

http://www.baronyoferedsul.org/events-and-demonstrations/highlands-war/

and www.highlandswar.org

If you have any questions or suggestions please send me an email at:

summerluvvv@hotmail.com

or message me on Facebook as **Carol Howell**. Have a wonderful SCA experience!

I am looking forward to getting to know each of you!!

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https://www.facebook.com/#!/groups/13561372 6524285

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