

*Be it known to all who may be lovers
of Chivalry that there will be held
on the 14th of November the
Baroness' Inspirational
Tournament.*

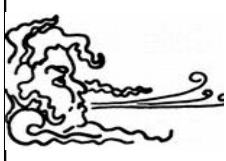


Come join Baron Uilliam and Baroness Caitrina for a day of fun and festivities. There will sword fighting, medieval games, and classes for those wishing to learn more. There will once again be a Heraldry consultation table open! We also have merchants coming to display their wares. In the evening we will have a potluck feast so bring a dish to share as well as a tavern in the hall hosted by our very own Clan MacAndrew. There will be music and dancing and Bardic late into the evening.

Fees: Adult \$15 for members \$20 for Non-member – No fee for youth 18 and under.

Site Info: Shannon Hall and Alice McKay Building, 6050A 176th Street. Cloverdale, BC

Date: November 14, 2015



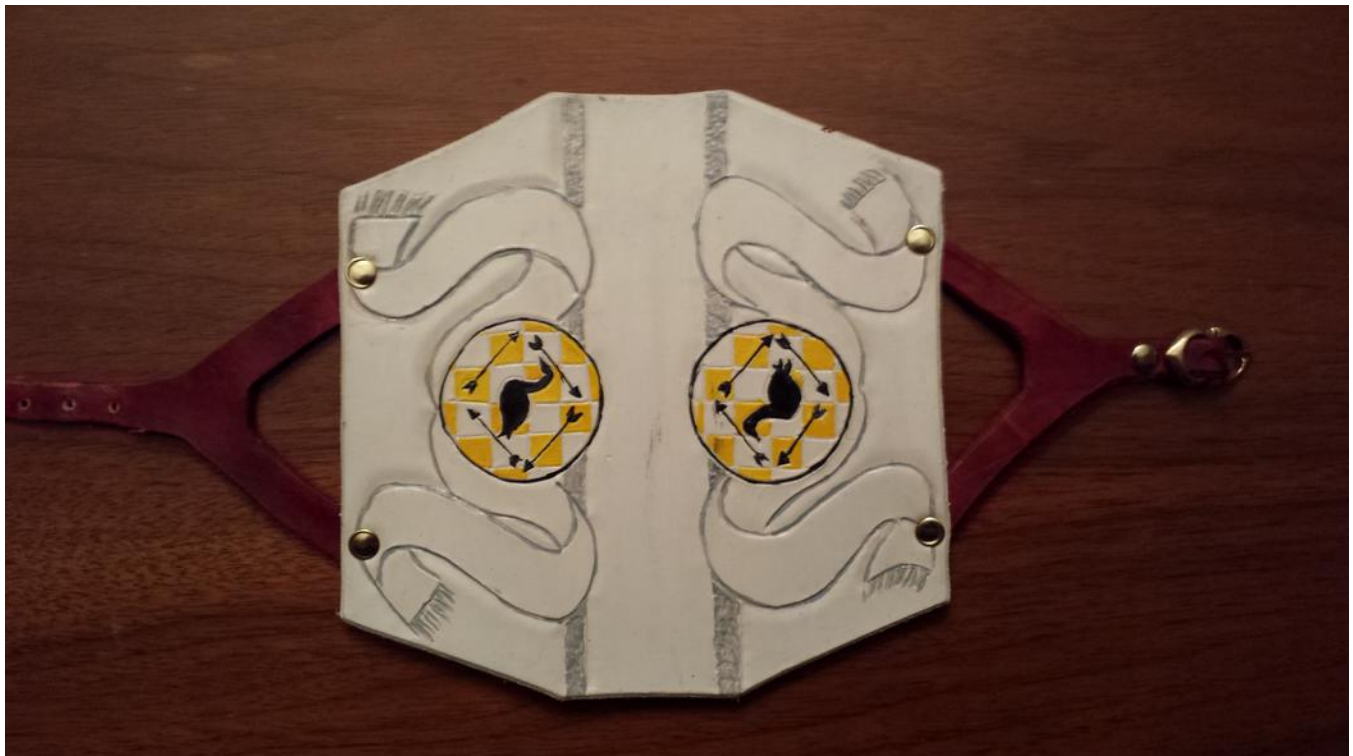
The North Wind

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Huzzah!



Don Warwick Drakkar became Lions Gate newest Goose at the Tir Righ Coronent held in Danescombe

About the North Wind

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Baronial Officer Openings

Chronicler



Do you want to be a publisher, an editor, a writer? Why not become the Baronial Chronicler.

My term of Chronicler comes up in January. In addition to publishing the newsletter, the Chronicler is also responsible for ensuring Council minutes are taken and posted on the Baronial Website. The newsletter needs to be published a minimum of four times a year but can be published more frequently.

Interested but not really experienced? I am willing to provide mentorship and guidance to help you take over the role. Of course, I am also willing to just get the hell out of your way if that works better for you.

Webminister

What?

No one wants to be the webminister?

Sure, I have talked up the role of chronicler but this is 2015 and the web rules. Think of the power you could wield controlling the Baronial Website. Bwahahahaha....

Okay, I do have to point out that even as the webminister, you are still a vassal to the Baronial Coronet and they really hold the power. But they will let you wield it for them.



The Webminister oversees all web publishing activities for the Barony including maintaining and updating the Baronial Webpage.

This position could be yours today.

Resurrecting the LG Black Kettle Culinary Guild: Want in?

The intention is to meet Monthly, with a particular topic each time. My intention is to start with researching medieval banquets and food, redacting recipes, and test drive our way to producing a small period Banquet down the road.

Some ideas I would like to start with:

- How a banquet was cooked (technology of the times) and served (banquet hall layout, table set up, tableware, serving practices and ceremony) in various periods

- Medieval Food production and how it relates to cooking and serving (seasonal foods, local production and imported goods and so on)

- The Spice Trade - where who what

- Recipe sources and how to read/redact (get a working recipe from) period cook books

- Experimenting with the recipes and keeping track so you know what you did

- Plating, Garnishing, and sotelties/presentaciouns (playing with your food - the show portion of dinner)

- Planning and serving SCA Banquets

First meeting will be Mon Jan 25 in Sapperton (New West). Address to follow Call Tanikh 604-872-3027 for further info

We will start with setting up a plan based on everyone's interests, please bring something nibbly to share

Lions Gate Calendar

November

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
						1 Archery
2 Dance	3 Fight Practice Alice MacKay	4	5 Rapier	6	7	8 Archery
9	10 Fight Practice Alice MacKay	11	12 Rapier	13	14 Baroness Inspirational Tourney	15 Archery All Things
16 Dance	17 Fight Practice Agriplex	18	19 Rapier	20	21	22 Archery
23	24 Fight Practice Alice MacKay	25	26 Rapier	27	28 All Things	29 Archery
30 Dance						

December

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
	1 Fight Practice Alice MacKay	2	3 Rapier	4	5	6 Archery
7	8 Fight Practice Agriplex	9	10 Rapier	11	12 All Things Practice	13 Archery
14 Dance	15 Fight Practice Agriplex	16	17 Rapier	18	19	20 Archery
21	22	23	24	25	26	27 Archery
28	29	30	31			

Lions Gate Practices

Archery – Practices are held at the Grene Wode every Sunday from 10 AM to 4 PM.

Cloverdale Fight Practice – Armoured and Rapier combat practice occurs every Tuesday Night at either the Alice MacKay Building or the Agriplex. Check the facebook site for the most up to date information.

Rapier – Rapier Practice occurs every Thursday Night at the Justice Institute in New Westminster. Heavy fighters welcome but please use something to prevent your knee armour from damaging the wooden floor.

Arts and Science – A&S practice happens once a month at a member's home. Check the Baronial Facebook page for details.

Dance – Dance practice happens every two weeks at 13325 Old Yale Rd in Surrey. Take Sky train to Surrey Center, then walk South, past the mall, keeping the mall on left. Walking along University Dr. to Old Yale Rd. Walk to the main doors, and on the right hand side is a patio and the meeting room for the dance practice

AllThings Practice – The AllThings continue to happen regularly at the Grene Wode Manor Farm in Langley. We have space to do Equestrian, Rapier, Heavy, Archery, Thrown Weapons and even Combat Archery! As well, plenty of room to dance, crafting, gaming, or for quiet socializing, and a fully functional kitchen, so we usually do a potluck in the evenings! Gate is open at 9, and the site closes in the late evening, so there is time to do most of what you want! Cost is \$5 per person, children and youth free! Contact HL Briana nic h'Eusaidh for more information!

Upcoming Events

Baroness Inspirational Tournament

November 14, 2015

Event Steward: Arianne Freemont

Event Fee: \$20 - \$5 discount for SCA Members No Charge for youth 18 and under.

Location: Shannon Hall and Alice McKay Building, 6050A 176th Street. Cloverdale, BC

Come join Their Excellencies Uilliam and Caitrina for a day of fun and festivities. Heavy and Rapier Tournaments, Gerhard's Riposte and Youth Combat. Games tables will be open. There will be TUTOR classes scheduled during the day thanks to Baroness Margaret. If you're interested in teaching a class please contact her. We're also having a Super Six largess contest, with all entries going to the Barony of Lions Gate. There will once again be a Heraldry consultation table open! We also have merchants coming to display their wares. In the evening we will have a potluck feast so bring a dish to share as well as a tavern in the hall hosted by our very own Clan MacAndrew. There will be music and dancing and Bardic late into the evening.

Baroness' Heavy Tourney - This tourney is open to any fighter who is not a member of the Order of Chivalry. Each entrant should bring a prize for the prize table and after the tourney each entrant will walk away with a prize.

Baroness' Rapier Tourney - Open to all rapier fighters. Format will be determined by Rapier MiC

depending on number of entrants.

Gerhard's Riposte Rapier Tourney - This tourney is open to any rapier fighter who has been authorized for less than a year. Entrants should have a more experienced patron to sponsor them into the tourney.

Youth Armoured Combat - Youth Armored Combat or YAC, is the youth version of the adult heavy combat program. An opportunity for our younger fighters to show their prowess!

Super Six Largesse Contest – All entrants will create 6 items based on a theme that is suitable for largesse, ie 6 needlebooks, 6 game boards, 6 pouches, 6 socks would not be suitable as they are only 3 pairs. Items need not be documentable as this is not an A & S competition but period materials are appreciated. Please make sure all items are tagged with your name and area. The winner of the contest is the person with the most beads in their entry cup. The winner gets to select one item from each of the other competitors, so 8 entries means 7 prizes. There will also be a prize for Baroness' Choice :)

Bardic Games – Theme Love/Inspiration You will need a TEAM of 3 bards of varying skill: Brave New Bard – 0-2 Years competing in bardic. Experienced Entertainer – 2-5 years competing in bardic. Grizzled Grey Hair (Because I don't have a beard...) – 5+ years competing in bardic There will be 4 events: 1) Brave New Bards perform any piece of their choosing 2) Experienced Entertainers perform a piece in theme of love/inspiration 3) Grizzled Grey Hair performs period piece – 1 bonus pt. if it's on the theme of love/inspiration 4) Round of Filks – A random topic will be chosen by the audience (or Royal). As a team you have 15-20 minutes to rewrite any round so it is about that topic. Audience are the judges. All participants will receive a thank you token, the winners will get slightly nicer ones. If you have any questions contact our Bardic Arts Officer HL Brynja Kortsdottir at brionyseed@gmail.com

Potluck Dinner - by mundane last name

A-F - Bread and Cheese

G-L - Side Dishes/Vegetables

M-S - Main Dishes

T-Z - Desserts/Fruit

Event Schedule (Subject to Change)

09:00 Site Opens

09:30 Opening Court

10:00 TUTR classes begin

Rapier Armour Inspection

10:30 Baroness' Rapier Tournament begins in Alice McKay

Gerhard's Riposte follows immediately after

11:30 Heavy Armour Inspection

12:00 Baronesses' Heavy Tournament begins in Alice McKay

2:00 YAC- youth armoured combat in Alice McKay

3:00 Court of TEs Uillium and Caitrina

4:00 Court of THs Vikingr and Lishinia

4:30 Court of HRMs Havordh

6:00	Potluck Feast directly after Court Tavern opens
6:15	Bardic games begin during potluck
7:00	Dance
11:30	Cleanup
12 am	Site Closes

TUTR Class Schedule

Pre-registration is required for some classes, you can pre-register by contacting Margaret at ghmargaret@yahoo.com.

10 am – 11 am

How to Have Horses at Your Event – HL Briana nic h'Eusaidh Cost: \$1.50

10 am – 12 Noon

Basic Arrow Construction for Target Archery – HL Delwyn verch Ynyr Cost: \$3.50

Achievement Unlocked! Heraldic Achievement Customs in the Kingdom of An Tir – Magistrar Uilliam mac Fearchair mhic Gillie Aindrias \$1.50

"A Long Time Ago, in a Kingdom Far, Far Away..." An Introduction to Storytelling in the SCA – THL Wulfstan Hrafnsson Cost: \$2.50

Introduction to Rectangular Patterns – Archos Morweena Cost: \$1.00

Celtic Knotwork – Master John Macandrew Cost: \$1.50

The Period Archer – Baron James Wolfden, OGGs Cost: \$2.50

12 Noon – 3 pm

Silk Banner Painting "Getting Your Heraldry On" – Archos Aline de Seez (CLASS IS FULL)

1 pm – 2 pm

Introduction to Cartridge Pleates (hands on) – Mistress Desiree Chirastella Cost: \$0.50 (additional kit may be purchased for \$5)

1 pm – 3 pm

Making and Repairing Combat Arrows and Bolts – Don Warwick Drakkar Cost \$15.50

The Constant Battle Against Non-professionalism; Warfare in the Middle-ages – HL Gareth Doiron Cost: \$0.50

Norse Poetry Forms Workshop – HL Briana nic h'Eusaidh Cost: \$3.50

Charter Painting 101 – Mistress Sionann in Ui Fhlaithbhertaig Cost:\$4.50

Introduction to Tablet Weaving – Archos Morweena Cost: \$1.00

Beginner's Blackwork – THL Elspeth Selwode Cost:\$3.50

Embroidery 101 to 401 – Baroness Margaret Hamilton of Stirlingshire Cost:\$1.00

Huzzah!!!

Some recent awards for the fine citizens of Lions Gate



September Crown

Caoimhe ingen Domnaille

Goutte de Sang

Sep 5, 2015 (AS L)

Alessandra Lucianna Giancomo

Sable Gauntlet

Sep 6, 2015 (AS L)

Baronial Banquet

Miles Fitzhubert

Silver Lance

Oct 3, 2015 (AS L)

Forest Champion Tournament and Bent Bodkin

Kawa Yojimbo

Award of Arms

Oct 3, 2015 (AS L)

Giuliana di Castiglione

Award of Arms

Oct 3, 2015 (AS L)

Tir Righ Coronet Tournament

William of the Battered Helm

Blue Spear

Oct 24, 2015 (AS L)

Isabeau Fiona the Archer

Blue Lily

Oct 24, 2015 (AS L)

Scotia of Lions Gate

Silver Sparkes

Oct 24, 2015 (AS L)

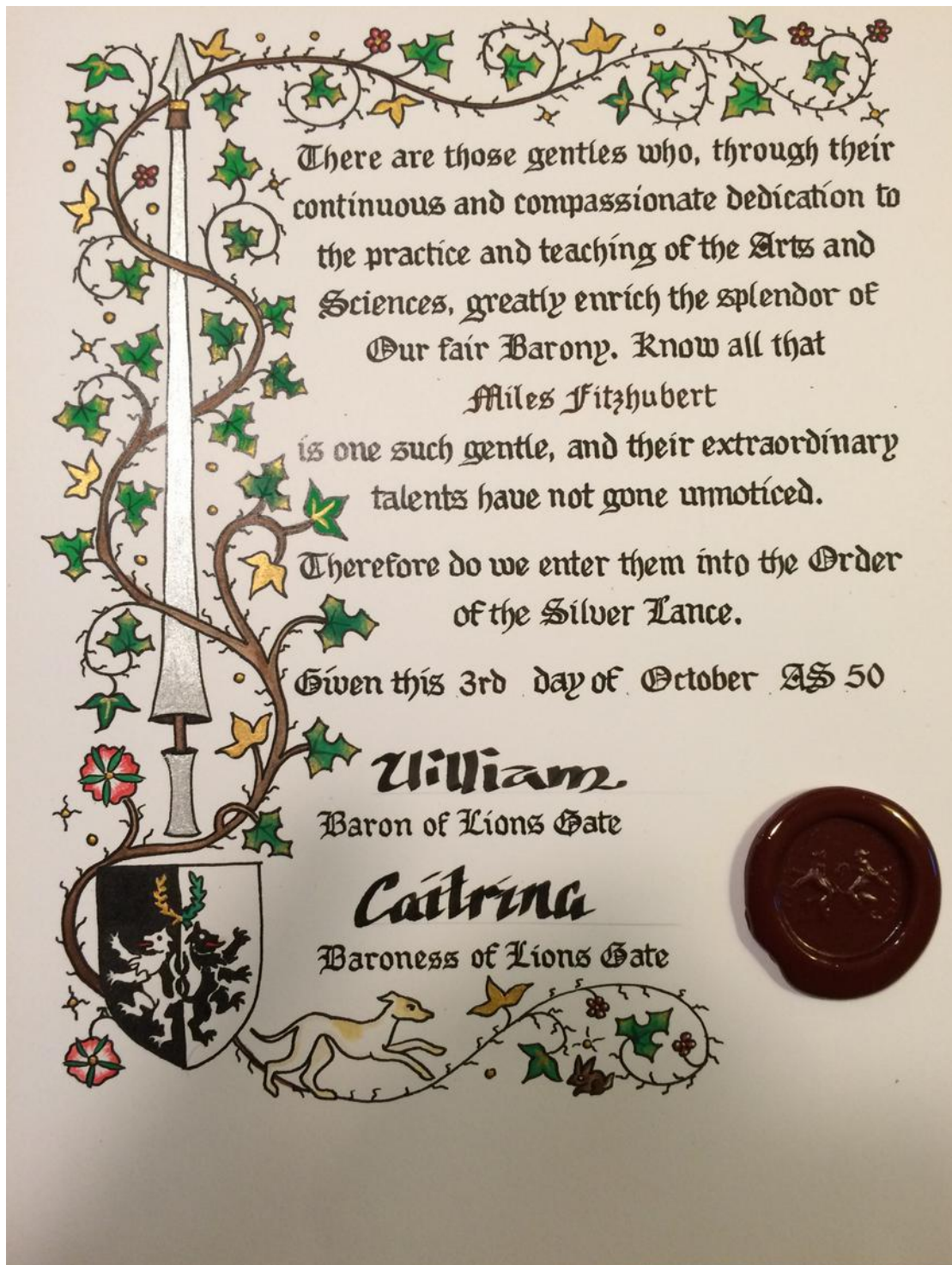
Warwick Drakkar

Grey Goose

Oct 24, 2015 (AS L)



Scroll of the Month



Compendium



Their Royal Majesties of An Tir – King Havordh and Queen Mary Grace (king@antir.sca.org, queen@antir.sca.org).



Their Highnesses of Tir Righ – Prince Vikingr and Princess Lishinia (prince@tirrigh.org, princess@tirrigh.org).



Baron & Baroness of Lions Gate – Baron Uilliam mac Fearchair mhic Gille Andrias & Baroness Caitrina inghean Andriasia (baron@lionsgate.tirrigh.org, baroness@lionsgate.tirrigh.org)

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