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# Vicaress of the Barony of Atenveldt



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Warrant Expires 04/08/2017

# Words from Her Excellency



Unto the most glorious populace of the Barony of Atenveldt do these missives come. I, Dascha Alexandrovna Rostova send greetings.

Having come home safely from Southern Crusades and hoping all are well sated from their Fall Harvest Thanksgiving meal, We are looking forward to the sumptuous feast and joyous company that will be had at Yule.

Please consider donating any new or gently used items to our silent auction at Yule to benefit the B&B dinner at Estrella War that our Barony is hosting this year. All items not sold at Yule will then be forwarded to Silent Angels Silent Auction.

Since we cannot accept any money transactions at Encanto Park, consider pre-regging for Estrella War at our Yule event. Cash and Checks are the only accepted forms of payment at this time.

The populace will be able to Meet and Greet each of the couples at Court Night in preparation for their decision as to who they will choose to be their future Baron and Baroness. Polling is scheduled for Central War Practice in January, so please take this opportunity to discuss any thoughts you might have concerning the barony and our future.

If you haven't yet considered a position on our Officer Corps, think about coming to a Baronial Business Meeting. Many of the officers are looking for deputies, and offer on the job training!

Help us enrich the Barony, take a moment and acknowledge your fellow populace by submitting award recommendations both to barony and kingdom.

Recommendation forms can be found online on our respective websites.

Keep one and all in your hearts this Holiday Season. God Bless and Happy Holidays!

In Service To Our Dream,

Vicaress Dascha Alexandrovna Rostova

# Retinue of the Barony of Atenveldt

**Head Lady-In-Waiting:** THL Kirsten Maria Matz and  
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## Current Baronial Champions

**Hard Suit Champion:** m' Lord Sutton de Grae

**Rapier Champion:** Lord Mercurio da Spin

**Arts and Science Champion:** Lady Enia al-Andalusiyya

**Archery Champion:** Lady Edeline de Diekirche

**Bardic Champion:** Lord Tiberius Nautius Josephus Africanus

**Thrown Weapons Champion:** Lord Chadwyck von Mangold

**Youth Champion:** m'lady Allianora

**Youth Bardic Champion** m'lady Kharrington

**Youth Archery Champion** m'lord Magnus



### Acknowledgements

Map Courtesy of Kingdom of Atenveldt page.



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The next Barony of Atenveldt Business Meeting is  
December 1, 2016  
at the

University of Advancing Technology  
(2625 W. Baseline Rd, Tempe, AZ 85283)





# Baronial Officer Want Ads



The **Big Red Officer Core** is looking for a few volunteers to help run the Barony either as a deputy or the principal officer. Come and learn how the Barony runs from a business perspective. Help is always appreciated and gratefully accepted. If you want more details about any of these positions either contact the principal officer if there is one or the Seneschal's office.

<b>Emergency Deputy Sheriff</b>	Assist sheriff as needed, works with lost and found, organizes and runs a watch at all baronial events, files monthly reports with the Kingdom Sheriff and the baronial seneschal.	Position open till filled.
<b>Regalia</b>	Maintains baronial regalia and is responsible for making sure it gets to events - we currently have 2 deputies.	Position open till filled.
<b>Emergency Deputy Herald</b>	Assist with field heraldry, court heraldry and possible book heraldry.	Position open till filled.
<b>Emergency Deputy Rapier Marshall</b>	Assist the marshal as needed, may need to become qualified as an authorizing marshal.	Position open till filled.
<b>Deputy Chancellor of Youth</b>	Assists the Chancellor of Youth as needed.	Position open till filled.
<b>Emergency Deputy Waiver Minister</b>	Assists the Waiver Minister.	Position open till filled.
<b>Emergency Deputy Chronicler</b>	Assist the Chronicler to collect articles, drawing, ideas and publishing the monthly Palm Prints.	Position open till filled.



# BofA Polling Information



## GUIDELINES FOR PARTICIPATION AS A BARONIAL CANDIDATE:

Baronial candidates must be current paid members, and must receive their Southwind or have an SCA membership in a Zip Code belonging to the Barony of Atenveldt.

Candidates must be at least 18 years old.

Candidates must have **Letters of Intent** in the hands of the Crown, the Kingdom Seneschal, and the Baron and Baroness no later than **October 28, 2016**. Letters should be written with the understanding that (if accepted by the Crown), the letters will be published in The Palm Prints for the populace to review prior to the polling.

Candidates must include the below information in their Letter of Intent:

- Full contact information, including SCA and modern names, addresses, phone numbers, email, and membership numbers and expiration date

- Their reasons for seeking the position

- Their history of participation in the SCA and the Barony of Atenveldt

- Their plans for the future of the group

- Their understanding of the responsibilities of the position of Baron and Baroness.

- Their statement that they are willing to be installed with a three-year warrant in the position, and understand their Letter of Intent will be published in The Palm Prints if their candidacy is accepted by the Crown.

Questions about these Guidelines should be directed to the Crown ([crown@atenveldt.org](mailto:crown@atenveldt.org)) or the Kingdom Seneschal ([seneschal@atenveldt.org](mailto:seneschal@atenveldt.org))

Posadnitsa Natal'ia Diekova vdova Rabynovicha  
Atenveldt Kingdom Seneschal

## BARONY OF ATENVELDT BARONIAL POLLING

A polling of the current paid members of the Barony of Atenveldt will be conducted at Encanto Park, 1201 W. Encanto Blvd., Phoenix, AZ 85004, to determine their support of candidates for Baron and Baroness. The polling will be held **Sunday, January 22, 2017, from Noon to 1:30 p.m.** The populace should be aware that if the first polling does not show a clear preference of the populace, a second polling will be held immediately following the closing and tabulation of ballots for the first poll. Members are encouraged to plan to remain onsite to participate should a second poll be necessary.

To participate in all pollings held that day, you must be a Sustaining, Associate, or Family member who is 18 years old or older, and must receive a Southwind or have an SCA membership in a Zip Code belonging to the Barony of Atenveldt.

Current paid memberships will be verified on a membership list at the polling site, or you may present an online membership renewal dated after the date the membership list was generated by the Milpitas Registry. The Kingdom Seneschal recommends you bring proof of membership with you to ensure participation in the poll.

You must reside in zip codes belonging to the Barony of Atenveldt, and this will be verified on the membership list at the polling site.

**NOTE:** Paid members who play in the Barony of Atenveldt, but do not reside in the zip codes belonging to the Barony, may not cast ballots. However, they are encouraged to make their views on candidates known to the Crown by sending personal letters to the Crown and Kingdom Seneschal expressing their candidate selections and preferences. The Crown will consider such letters when reviewing the polling results.

You must be 18 years old or older and present a picture ID at the polling site that shows your date of birth or age.

## ABSENTEE BALLOTS FOR BARONIAL POLLING

If you are unable to attend the polling to cast a ballot, you may follow the below procedures to submit an Absentee Ballot for the polling. Please understand that **NO EXCEPTIONS** will be made to the timeline or contents required for an Absentee Ballot to be counted. So please review the requirements carefully, and send your letters in as soon as the candidates are announced by the Crown.

### IF YOU WISH TO SUBMIT AN ABSENTEE BALLOT:

Write to the Kingdom Seneschal (email or a mailed letter) stating your preference in the poll. Emailed letters will be acknowledged by email. Mailed letters must include a self-addressed, stamped envelope so receipt of the ballot can be acknowledged.

Your letter must ***in the hands of the Kingdom Seneschal*** no later than **Sunday, January 15, 2017**. Please mail ballots early enough to arrive by that date, and allow for delays in the mail. ***Do not send ballots with signature required at delivery, as that may delay their receipt.***

Your letter must include **ALL** of the following:

Your candidate preference  
SCA and modern name, and full mailing address for your membership  
Proof of membership (membership number and membership expiration date)  
A scanned or hard copy of a picture ID showing you are 18 years old (or older).

Absentee ballots will be counted in the first polling. If a second or subsequent polling is conducted, and your ballot was for one of the candidates included in that poll, it will also be counted in that subsequent. If your ballot was for a candidate NOT included in the subsequent polling, it will not be counted.

**\*\*\*\* SPECIAL ZIP CODE EXCEPTION \*\*\*\***

If you DO NOT HAVE a membership address in a zip code assigned to the Barony of Barony of Atenveldt, but your membership is current in a zip code in metropolitan Phoenix, you will be asked to sign a Pledge Form before you can receive a ballot. The Pledge Form shows your agreement with this statement:

"I consider myself a member of the populace of the Barony of Barony of Atenveldt, and promise the Crown of Atenveldt that I will not cast a ballot in any Pollings held in the Barony of Sun Dragon, the Barony of Twin Moons, or the College of Brymstonne for 3 years following the date of this polling."

A list of the members who sign this Pledge Form will be kept by the Kingdom Seneschal's office, and by the Seneschals of the three Baronies in the Phoenix metropolitan area and the College of Brymstonne. After signing the Pledge Form, you will be given a different color ballot to indicate your preference for Baron and Baroness.

Questions about these guidelines should be directed to the Kingdom Seneschal ([seneschal@atenveldt.org](mailto:seneschal@atenveldt.org))

Posadnitsa Natal'ia Diekova vdova Rabynovicha  
Atenveldt Kingdom Seneschal



# Letters of Intent to Become Baron and Baroness



September 24, 2016

Unto Their Royal Majesties of Atenveldt, Craven and Elzbieta, and their heirs, Morgan and Elizabeth, do we, Sir Nudd McPherson and Lady Emelyn Fraser, humbly offer our services in the care and management of the Barony of Atenveldt.

As the end of the tenure of Their Excellencies, Seelos and Elena approaches, we are mindful of how much the barony needs nurturing and commitment, not just to survive, but to grow. To this end, we wish to request your consideration as future baron and baroness.

We believe this great endeavor begins as a vision. Once upon a time, the Barony of Atenveldt was home to the largest fighter practice in the known world. It managed this feat, even though other baronies enjoyed larger populations. It was successful because it was open and welcoming to all. There are many theories as to why the Society no longer attracts the number of participants it once did. All answers are merely speculation. What we do know, however, is that if we are to move forward, we must open our arms and our hearts to those who would join us and present ourselves to the community as trustworthy partners. Our members must see themselves as important contributors to the success of our group and feel appreciated for their efforts. As baron and baroness, we would encourage them to spread their wings and acknowledge them for their accomplishments. We would act as liaison between them and the Crown to ensure this.

Our experiences include marshaling at baronial, principality and kingdom levels, serving on courts at all levels, stewardship of events, and assisting with events under the supervision of other stewards. We feel that we have the support of many of the peers of the realm, both inside and outside of the barony. We have a history of positive working relationships with many current and past kingdom officers. Sir Nudd has been participating in the Barony of Atenveldt for approximately twenty-four years; Lady Emelyn for two. We fully understand the responsibilities associated with the positions and are committed to serving the Barony, if chosen, for three to four years.

We have many ideas as to how we can do this, some of which will be more successful than others. We know that to make any of them work, we need the support of the populace. We feel that if we remind the old-timers and teach the newcomers that the Barony of Atenveldt was the site of our Kingdom's birth, we can continue the efforts of our predecessors and reach for even greater heights. Each barony is a gem set into the crown that is Atenveldt. We would like the opportunity to add to the sparkle of the gem that is our barony, our home. We ask that the people of the barony of Atenveldt have the opportunity to tell us all how they feel in the next polling. We request that you share our words with them in the baronial newsletter.

We offer our continued service,

Sir Nudd McPherson  
Lady Emelyn Fraser



Unto Your Royal Majesties, Craven and Elzbieta, Your Highnesses, Morgan and Elizabeth, the Kingdom Seneschal, Posadnitsa Natal'ia Diekova vdova Rabynovicha, Your Excellencies Seelos and Elena, and the magnificent populace of the Barony of Atenveldt, do we, Master Ritchyrd McUath and THL Kirsten Maria Matz send our warmest and most humble greetings.

This letter shall serve as our honest intention to put ourselves forward for consideration as candidates for the next term of service for Baron and Baroness of the Grand Barony of Atenveldt. We feel we can best support our Kingdom and our Barony by offering ourselves for this position of territorial Coronet. We understand that should this letter be accepted it will be published for the populace to view.

We have long considered how we might best serve the needs of the Barony of Atenveldt. We have both been active in the Barony for many years, have held or now hold Baronial offices, including serving on Kingdom and Baronial Courts. The opportunity to do more for the Barony now presents itself, and we hope to be found worthy to lead the Barony forward. We are prepared for the challenges ahead and accept the commitment of three years of service to the Barony of Atenveldt, as laid out in Corpora and Lex Atenveldtus. The Officers of the Barony, as well as the Populace, can count on us to support and aid them in their aspirations in any way we can. We are available through all means of communication.

The Barony of Atenveldt has always been our home. As long standing members of the Barony of Atenveldt, we have participated within our Barony in many aspects. Among our many strengths is being skillful in mediating the many contrasting people of our Barony to achieve common goals. Both of us have been hardsuit fighters for the Barony. In addition Ritchyrd has been a long standing leader of the rapier community, helping it to grow and prosper. Kirsten has found fellowship in the thrown weapons and siege community. We deeply respect and strongly encourage all aspects and interests of the SCA.

Ritchyrd has served the Barony as Exchequer, Scribe, Dance Minister, OP and Acting Herald, Deputy Rapier Gold Key, Field Marshal, Lord of Love (two times), Rapier Champion (three times) and Arts & Sciences Champion (twice). In addition to his Baronial service, he has served the Kingdom as Deputy Signet and Deputy Seneschal. Ritchyrd has served the Kingdom of Atenveldt's inter-Kingdom relations in the following Estrella War positions: Main, Deputy Site, Collegium Coordinator, Showcase Coordinator, and Royal Liaison. He has also served the SCA as a whole as a Deputy Society Seneschal.

Kirsten has served the Barony as Book Reeve, Chronicler, Waiver Secretary, Deputy Seneschal (Business Meeting Notetaker), Deputy List Minister, Arts & Sciences Champion, Youth Minister, Hardsuit Field Marshal, and is soon to be a Thrown Weapons Field Marshal. Furthermore, she has served the Kingdom as Arts & Sciences Minister and Chronicler. Kirsten's contribution to inter-Kingdom relations extends to these Estrella War positions: Deputy Merchant, Deputy Gate, and Arts & Science Competition Coordinator.

We have both been active for some time in the Arts community. We have both taught classes at various Collegiums, practices, and events, as well as allowing others to share their skills by coordinating collegiums. We make a unified team that is capable of inspiring others to greatness. We have the ability to turn on light bulbs in people's thoughts, just by suggesting a different way of thinking about something. We work hard to further knowledge of these current Middle Ages within the Barony and beyond. We have both coordinated events and projects with people

from around the Kingdom and even inter-Kingdom.

As the mother of two children born and raised within the SCA, Kirsten is knowledgeable of the concerns of parents and children among the populace. In an effort to improve the retention of youth in our Society, we were both involved in the Youth and Family Achievement (YAFA) test program. Although young people may grow up within our group, it does not mean they will stay. We welcome ideas and volunteers that would like to champion the retention of the youth of our Barony. A young person without a goal can be a detriment, however, with a goal they become useful, productive, and long term contributors to our Society.

Our vision for the Barony is many-fold. Firstly, we feel that a part of “the Dream” is slowly re-kindling due to many efforts throughout the Kingdom. We believe the stardust is mostly inspired by get-togethers, such as armor sessions, garbed outings, or just socializing. As previous heads of households, we understand how much the households in our Barony have contributed to this endeavor. Within the Barony, there are a multitude of activities: scriptoriums, archery practices, garb making sessions, thrown weapons practice and mini hardsuit practices and we wish to encourage sharing the information about these gatherings. Getting these activities known to the populace is a huge step in getting people more involved on a personal level and the continuation of bringing a family feeling back to our Barony.

Secondly, the SCA is aging, which cannot be denied. The results of the most recent SCA census have shown a distinct lack of newcomers and therefore new ideas are needed to refresh the Dream. Recruitment needs to be supported by the Barony, and as such, demos need to occur more frequently. Along with these demos, making resources available to newcomers can help retention, such as loaner gear for those that want to try fighting, looms for those with interest, and even “crash space” during events to encourage attendance. The Barony needs to continue to be more supportive of the newcomers so that, eventually, they can become old-timers. To this end, we have a desire to encourage the growth of our Barony by adding to the award system. We wish to see beginner components added to each of the Baronial awards. In the same way that the Palm Leaf is the first step in recognition of service, there also can be a first step to our other awards as well.

Atenveldt is full of amazing individuals and the Baron and Baroness are nothing without them. We will rely on everyone to help make our vision a reality. We want to encourage all who live within the Barony of Atenveldt, whether they participate in the SCA through a large or small household or as individuals to view the Barony as theirs. We want to set hearts afire with the joy of combat, arts, pageantry, wars, and all other facets of the SCA. We hope to be the local focus of a Kingdom of enthusiasm and even without a Coronet upon our heads, we will always be servants of the Crown. Atenveldt is our Home.

Yours In Service to the Dream,

Master Ritchyrd McUath and THL Kirsten Maria Matz





Unto Their Royal Majesties, and, the Kingdom Seneschal does Master Jean Andre' Boeye' send warmest and most respectful greetings and salutations. I hope that this letter finds you in good health, prosperity and happiness.

This is a letter to inform you of my intent to run with Baroness Dalla of the Misty Forest for the position of Baron and Baroness. We have both been members for many years. We both started playing in the late 1980s. Both of us currently have the financial means to be able to afford a term should we be victorious in the polling.

She has served both her barony and kingdom on several occasions since 1988. She was the Emergency Deputy when Master Black Arrow was the Kingdom Royal Archer for four years. Baroness Dalla was Varia's head lady in waiting for both reigns. She also served as the Barony of Atenveldt scribe for 2 years under HE Gerald the Inverter and then TE Robin and Penelope. She was the A&S minister for five years under Edward and Aanalies and then Seelos and Elena and is currently a deputy for the office. She has run numerous special projects for the barony out of her home for three years which included sewing, armor making, and other projects. She has also autocrated two kingdom events and co-autocrated 6 kingdom events and five baronial events and has been the feastocrat on several occasions. Baroness Dalla ran archery at Estrella War for 5 years. Her being the head lady in waiting to a queen twice gives her an inside look at some of the workings of the Crown as well as giving her experience at the courtly graces. Her work as an officer on three different occasions gives her an advantage in experience with working with others and knowing ones responsibilities. She is also inspirational and kind towards everyone. She will go out of her way to help others to pursue their dreams within the society. Baroness Dalla also does her best to encourage growth in others and see that they receive recognition for their efforts.

I believe the fact that I am known for my outgoing personality can be a benefit should we be victorious. I have a very even temperament and rarely lose my temper which can also be a benefit. I believe my numerous different offices along with being authorized in both hard suit and rapier, being an archer and a participant in thrown weapons, and my many category wins in Kingdom Arts and Sciences give me a perspective that most would not have.

I also understand that I would also need to rely on the peers to give advice and counsel.

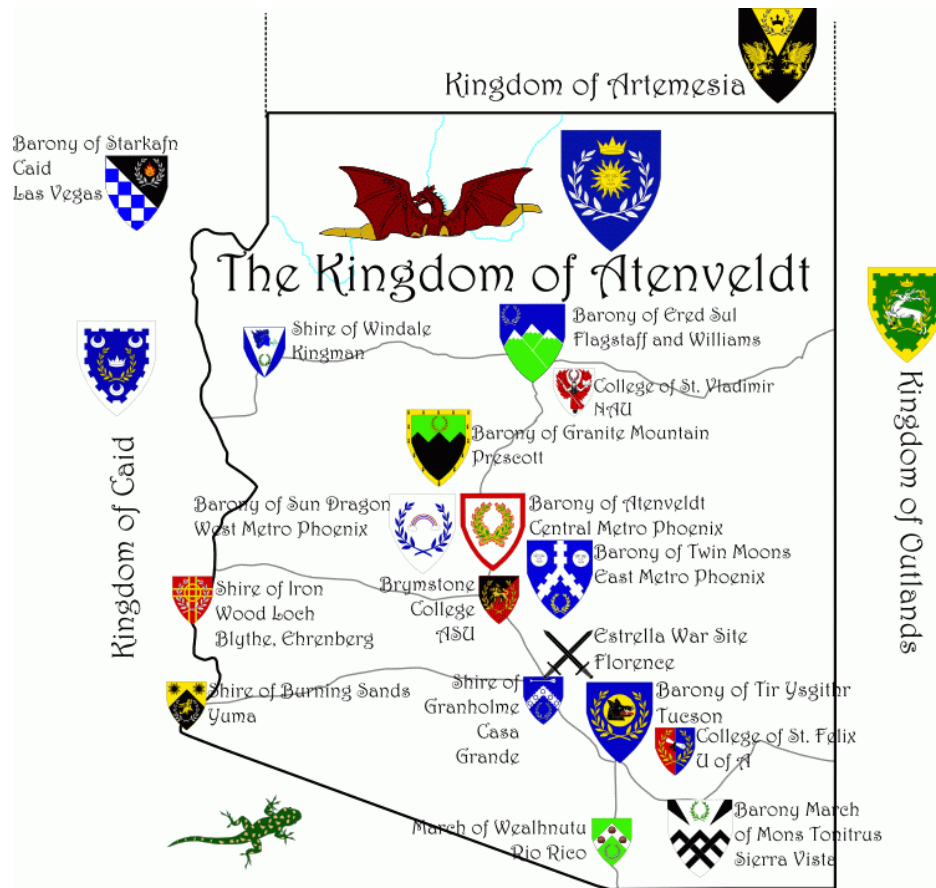
Yours in Service

Master Jean Andre Boeye and Baroness Dalla of the Misty Forest



# Planned Progress for November 2016

(Consult with Her Excellency about attendance plans.)



# Announcements



Do you want to show your  
support to our barony??

Why not purchase a dag  
that will be on BIG RED for the  
rest of time.

For a dag on the back it's \$35  
and the front is only \$50.

Please contact [H.E. Dalla of the  
Misty Forest](#) for more  
information.

# Special Baronial Announcement



Greetings good gentles all. Have you ever wanted to own a piece of Barony of Atenveldt? Maybe have a baronial relic this is impregnated to its very core with stardust? A symbol of the dream? Something that has witnessed Baronial History for over 14 years?

Then today you are truly in luck. I have for sale pieces of the original perimeter poles from Big Red, the Atenveldt Baronial Pavilion. These poles have been

supporting the baronial pavilion for 14 years. In that time they have seen laughter, tears, awards, elevation ceremonies, and heard the words from 4 different sets for Barons and Baronesses. They have seen wedding, bardics, and revels. They have provided shelter in times of storm and shade from the brutal Atenveldt Sun. At this point, they are almost literally pure concentrated stardust.

Now how much would you pay to take a sample of this dream home with you? Would you pay 5 dollars, 10 dollars 20 dollars? More? Well my friends I have received special dispensation from their Excellencies to let you have a piece of this stardust impregnated poles from Big Red. And the cost, not 10 dollars, not 5 dollars. No not even 1 dollar. Thanks to the love their excellences have for their populace, I am authorized to sell you these priceless relics for only 50 cents an inch. Yes you heard me correctly, for just 1/2 of a dollar, you can take have one of the priceless relics for your very own. Although it pains me to part with these treasures for such a ridiculous sum, I am but a servant of their excellence so for just 5 thin dimes, you can take home a portion of the dream for your very own.

“But Lord Daniel,” I can hear you say. “1 inch won’t do it for me. I need at least 12” to be satisfied” Well, I can help you out with that too. If you want a whole foot of the dream impregnated wood, we give it to you. And at a discounted price. Yes for just \$5 (that’s 20% of the price per inch) you can have a foot of wood to cherish and remind you of your chosen family.

So step right up folks and get a piece of history for the society's oldest barony. All fund raised will go to support the Baron and Baroness Dinner at Estrella next year. Hurry supplies are limited. This will not be repeated. No refunds or exchanges. All sales final. Off void in Caid, Ansteorra and where prohibited by the BOD. Limited Delivery available.

Contact Lord Daniel de Neuf-Claire (MKA Dan Smith (602) 819-6798) to arrange purchase.





# Arts & Sciences Corner



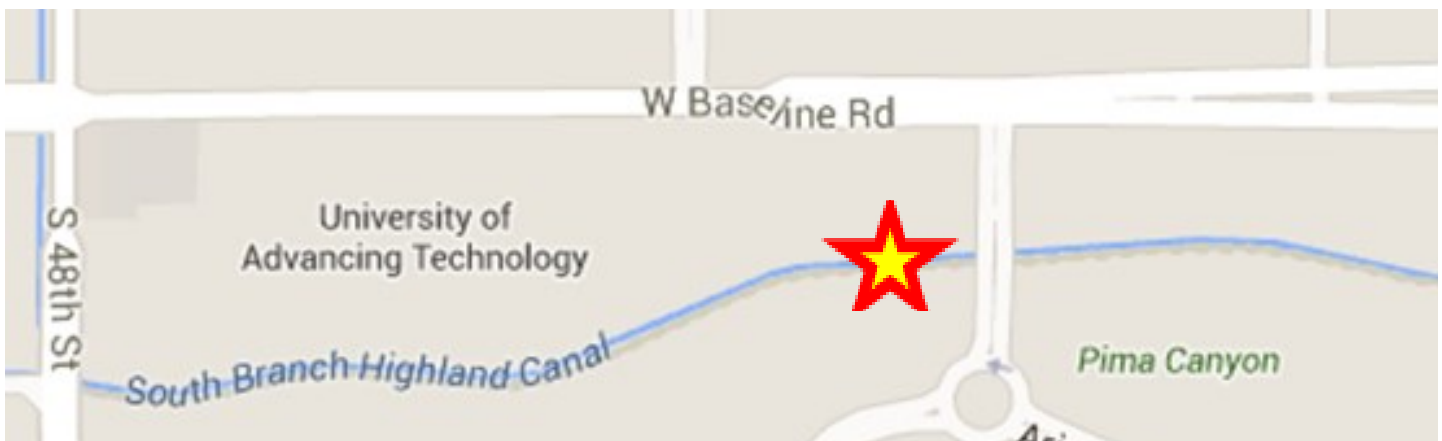
On the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays of December we will be having Barony of Atenveldt Arts and Sciences Night at the University of Advancing Technology; 2625 W. Baseline Rd., Tempe, AZ 85283

Personal projects are always welcome and encouraged.

Please feel free to bring your personal projects should you need any assistance or encouragement.

Please remember, all classes are subject to change, please check your baronial or kingdom pages for updates.

Please see Lady Aoife inghean Oisin or Lady Cyra Gabrielacitissa Radene if you have any questions.





# Upcoming Events



## TriBaronial Yule

December 10th

Come enjoy a day of fighting, feasting, and frivolity with the Baronies of Atenveldt, Sun Dragon, and Twin Moons. The day will feature the Tavern Tournament and Chili Cook-off. There will be a Henrician feast and ball where you can dance the night away. In addition, there will be a gift exchange. Please watch the Facebook announcements for additional information. Location Southwest Indian

Ministry, 14202 N 73rd Ave, Peoria AZ 85381

Registration fee is \$25 with a \$5 membership discount (\$20) The price of feast is included in the registration fee.

Time 11 am through 11 pm

This is a dry site, no smoking and no pets.

Dame de Sees: English translation; Lady of the lake.

This year for the first time ever we are holding a prize tournament for Estrella War hospitality. Open to all rapier and hard suit fighters we are accepting water donations as entry suggested donation is a package of individual water bottles.

"Strange women laying in ponds distributing swords is no basis for a system of government"

Tournaments should start right after morning court.

Heavy Weapons Tournament:

Swiss Five Style - No Sword and Shield





- 1) Single Sword
- 2) 2 Sword
- 3) Glaive
- 4) Spear
- 5) Hammers

Rapier Tournament:

Random Weapons

You weapon style for each round will be determined randomly. The matchups for styles should be quite interesting.

Thank you,

Sir Cathal

Tournament Coordinator

This year's Tri-Baronial Yule is all about the FUN we have with our Chosen Family.

Gingerbread House Contest

Sponsored by the Horseman

Each table will have the same gingerbread house kit upon it. Use your creativity and humor to create a wonderful piece of art. Want a bigger challenge? Take it to the next level and bring decorations to create a table display that sets your work apart from all others. May the best table win!

Gift Exchange

This years gift exchange is inspired by the British cracker. Though not strictly period, they are FUN! There are many tutorials for those who would like to get in the spirit of crackers. Cracking them open is half the fun no matter what spills out from confetti and candy to hats or little toys/tools. The sky (and your creative master mind) is the limit. Of course, if you wish, you may bring a traditional style gift as well. Please limit the cash value to \$10. All gifts will be placed on a gift table and, when given the word, the gift table will open for exchange.

Don't forget to read on and watch for announcements for the other competitions as well

- Barony of Atenveldt Silent Auction
- Helm Auction
- Subtleties Competition

Directions: From the East take your best route to I-17 and Thunderbird Rd. Turn towards the west and follow to 73rd Ave and turn north. From the West take your best route to S101 and Thunderbird Rd exit and turn east and follow to 73rd Ave. 73rd Ave will end at the Southwest Indian Ministry site.

Autocrats Lady Jaqueline de Bretagne, THL Wade Greenwall, Sir Cathal Finn O'Brian  
Feast Steward Duchess Nichelle Whitewolf



## Northern Yule

December 3rd



My Lords and Ladies, good gentles all, pray attend these words:

The holidays are upon us and Their Excellencies of Ered Sul invite all to join them for Northern Yule!

This grand event will take place on December 3rd at the beautiful Flagstaff Federated Community Church

located at 400 W. Aspen Av, Flagstaff, AZ 86001

Site opens for set-up at 11:30 a.m. and Northern Yule activities will commence at 1 p.m. and continue until 8 p.m.

There will be revelry, dancing, an A&S Best of the North competition with both Populous Choice and Queen's Choice, best table decoration competition, a gift exchange (\$15 max), and more.

There will be a fabulous feast featuring Creamy mixed mushroom soup breads and butters, Roasted herbed stuffed pork loin w/ a apple and apricot bread stuffing and a savory brown gravy. Herbed roasted sweet potatoes. Chicken Breast stuffed with bay shrimp and Jack cheese with a cream white wine and tarragon sauce over a confetti vegetable rice. Buttery peach bread pudding with a whiskey whipped cream sauce.

There are 110 feast tickets available and reservations are required. Please make plans now to join us at Northern Yule. To make a reservation please contact Lord Sebastian of Ered Sul.

Registration is \$10 for adults and youth

SCA member discount is \$5

Feast \$10

Children under 5 Free

Event Autocrat: Lord Sebastian of Ered Sul



## Olde English Yule

### December 10th

Come One, Come All  
Join the Barony March  
of Mons Tonitrus in  
celebrating an  
Olde English Yule  
Enjoy a Yuletide Even-  
ing in celebration of the  
season

When the doors open, we  
hope to take you back to  
an Olde English Yule –  
lots of garlands, a Yule  
log, music and dancing,  
good conversation and  
fellowship, laughter and  
games. There will be the  
traditional procession of  
the Populace, Silent  
Auction, bardic, and a  
gift exchange (for those  
so inclined).

When: December 10

from 3 pm until 10 pm.

Where: First United Methodist Church

3225 Saint Andrews Drive

Sierra Vista AZ 85650

Fees: Gate Adults \$12, with membership discount \$7

Youth (5-17) \$5

Court and procession will start at 5 p.m. with feast to follow shortly upon completion of court.

Feast will start with platters of fruit, cheeses & freshly baked breads to be followed by a chicken & barley soup or an onion soup. The main course will be choice of succulent braised beef, chicken with orange, or a mushroom stew with leeks, all to be served with saffron rice. Buttered peas, glazed carrots, and of course desserts! All recipes are based on period sources.

Feast cost: Adults \$13 Youth \$8

To reserve a spot for the feast send an email to [bmmtdseneschal@gmail.com](mailto:bmmtdseneschal@gmail.com) by Dec 3rd. Please include the number of people in your group who will be attending the feast and their names.

For both the Silent Auction and the gift exchange – please try to donate or gift items that would have been used in period. For the gift exchange, you will receive a number when you enter for the gift you have – your number will be entered into a bowl and the numbers will be drawn during feast for the order in which you may approach the gift stack and pick something. It is up to you if you want the receiver to know who donated the gift.

Looking forward to seeing you there

Steward: Roberto Raimondo de los Montana de Trueno





# Fate and Fortune Tournament

## December 11th



Warriors through time have called on fate and fortune for aid in victory. Folk of the north knew the keepers of the Well of Wyrd as the Norns: Urdr, Verdandi, and Skuld. Will you join us under the World Tree, celebrating that which has been, is now, and will be, in friendship and feats of fighting? Will you answer the call of fortune to try your skills on the field, witnessed by fate and the one who holds your favor?

Come to Tir Ysgithr for a tournament filled with pagentry, honor and prowess that will test your fate and the chance to bring home glory!

### Tournament Details

List open, Armor Inspection: 10am

List Entrance Requirement: Any combatant wishing to

enter into the tournament must have the following to do so.

1. A consort whose favor you bear.
2. Some form of banner to fly (Note: though we hope for as many heraldic banners as possible any form of "flying item" will suffice for this requirement).

### Invocation: Following Opening Court

The tournaments shall begin with an invocation. This invocation will involve each competitor introducing the gentle who has inspired them to take the field in order to test their favor with the Fates. Each fighter, after giving their introduction, will have their seed drawn by the Norns.

Tournament Seeding: As mentioned above, all tournament seeds are drawn by the Norns. These seeds will determine the position that a combatant competes at throughout the day on the tournament tree. Both the hardsuit and rapier tournaments will be double elimination.

Tournament Weapon Style: It has been said that heroes know what weapon style to bring to the field in their own hearts. As such, both tournaments have no weapon style restrictions other than what are disallowed by the current conventions of combat within the Kingdom of Atenveldt.

Fortune: The Artisans of Hrafnheim delight in Making, earning honor and renown by their works. An array of prizes crafted by members of Hrafnheim will be on display, given to the winners of the tournaments and at the will of the Norns.

### Schedule of events:

Site opens: 9 AM

Opening court: 10 AM

Closing court: At their Excellency's pleasure and upon completion of tournament.

### Registration:

Adult: \$10.00 with a \$5.00 membership discount

Child (5-17): \$1.00

Child (Under 5): Free

### Site Information

Location: Himmel Park 1035 North Treat Avenue Tucson, AZ 85716

The tourneys will be held in the North East corner of Himmel Park to the South of the library.

Please do not drive on the grass during set up and tear down. There is shade and water on site. The site is discreetly wet, smoking is allowed but please be mindful of litter, and pets are welcome, but must be leashed and picked up after. There is playground equipment nearby where parents may take their children.

Directions: If ye hail from the north, take I-10 to Speedway exit, proceed east and turn right on Treat Ave. It is one block past Tucson Blvd.

Should ye muster from the south, take I-10 to Alvernon exit, and proceed north. Turn right left on Speedway, then proceed west and turn left at Treat Ave (just past Country Club). The beasts alight just behind the stone building of the scribes (library).

Event Steward: Duke Sir Eduard Gostomski, sireduard@gmail.com



## 12th Night January 7th

To The Kingdom of Atenveldt.

Let me paint you a picture of 12th Night. Walk with me into the land of Narnia. Come through the Wardrobe and see the room come to life when you stop at the lamp and turn the corner. There will be different themes throughout the room. Fighting will take place outside the main hall, and it will not require armor, as it will be a fun tourney open to everyone. There will be an A&S showcase with a prize winner (and Queen's choice). Dancing will take place before feast. Of course, there will be chances for court. Youth activities will happen for the young ones.



Site will open at 11 am, with activities beginning at 12 am. Court will be at their Majesties discretion (hoping around 11:30 am or Noon). Fighting will be at 1 pm, and it will be under a shaded spot next to the Hall. There will be games that are available to all throughout the event. Dancing will begin at 4 pm. Feast will begin at 6 pm, and should their Majesties desire, court will be held during feast. A&S will begin after the first court, and winner(s) will be announced at closing court. Site closes at 9 pm.

Adult registration will be \$10 for members, \$15 for non-members. Children 17 and under will be free. The Feast fee will be \$10. There are 84 places for the feast. There will be a side-bar area for those who wish to bring their own food. There will be beverages available for the general public; water, tea, and (potentially) Turkish coffee.

The Feast will be a 4-5 course meal, and the feast menu will be posted once it has been finalized. 84 spots will be available before the event. Pay for the feast with the Kingdom Exchequer. Feast purchases will close on December 23, 2016.

Site is located just east of 75th Ave, on Thunderbird. The address is 14202 N 73rd Ave, Peoria, AZ 85381, The Southwest Indian Ministries. There will be signs pointing to the entrance.

If you are coming from the north, take the I-17 to the 101 west bound. You will take the 101 to Thunderbird and turn left, eastbound. The turn in to the Ministries will be on the Left side, past 75th Ave heading east.

Coming from the South, Take the I-10 north through Phx. You will head west bound on the I-10 to the 101. Get off at Thunderbird and take a right, heading eastbound. The turn in to the Ministries will be on the Left side, past 75th Ave heading east.

Please understand that the site is a DRY site and there will not be any smoking permitted on site. There is a corner next to site that will permit for smoking to take place. It is a tobacco and alcohol free site.

If you have any questions, please contact Lady Ceridwen Verch Deykin, who will be the site autocrat. Please PM me, or send an email to ladyceridwenverchdeykin@gmail.com.

The feast Autocrat will be Lord Nikolaus von Erlach. Marshal in charge will be Sir Cosmo. Arts and Sciences will be run by Lady Aoife Inghean Oisin.

Cannot wait to see everyone there! And watch out, there could be mischief afoot!

Yours In Service,

Lady Ceridwen Verch Deykin, Event Autocrat



## Good Research Sites

I have found a couple of good places to start research for your next arts and sciences project.

Kingdom of Atlantia Arts and Sciences Site: <http://moas.atlantia.sca.org/wsnlinks/>

MetPublications: <http://www.metmuseum.org/art/metpublications/titles-with-full-text-online>



# Baronial Awards



## Arts

### Order of the Purpure Clarion

The Order of the Purpure Clarion is given by the Baron and Baroness, to those person who have displayed excellence in the performance, promotion, and teaching of Arts and Sciences.



### Commander of the Purpure Clarion

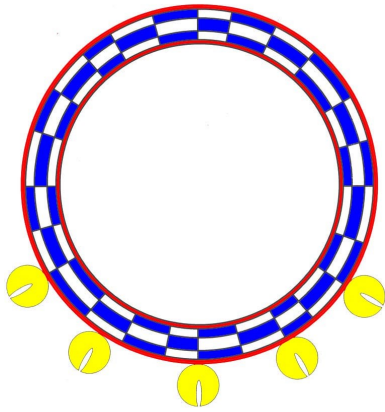
The Commander of the Purpure Clarion is given by the Baron and Baroness, to those person who have through the years made major and continuing contribution of excellence in the performance, promotions and teaching of the Arts and Sciences. In as much as they continually serve the Barony and share their talents they deserve to receive the highest of praise. May their light shine forth for all to see. These awards may only be given out twice a year, traditionally at the Anniversary and Yule events. Only those members of the Order of the Purpure Clarion are eligible for the award.



To recommend someone for this award go to <http://baronyofatenveldt.org/index.php?page=recommendation>

# Authenticity

## Order of the Dog's Jambe



The Dogs Jambe is given to those individuals who achieve a level of authenticity in their persona and actions above what is normally expected. The award is traditionally given at the Baronial Champions event.



## Youth

### Pearl of the Youth Barony of Atenveldt

The Order of the Pearl of Youth is given by the Baron and Baroness, to those youths who have displayed excellence in the arts, combat, service or for their chivalrous and gracious behavior, being an example of the Dream for others.



### Order of the Red Hurlbatte

The Order of the Red Hurlbatte is given by the Baron and Baroness, to those youths who have displayed excellence in the performance, promotion and teaching of the chivalrous art of youth combat.

To recommend someone for this award go to <http://baronyofatenveldt.org/index.php?page=recommendation>



# Chivalry

## Order of the Azure Chalice

The Order of the Azure Chalice is given by the Baron and Baroness, to those persons who have displayed excellence in chivalrous and gracious behavior, being an example of the Dream for others.



## Commander of the Azure Chalice

The Commander of the Azure Chalice is given by the Baron and Baroness, to those person who have through the years made major and continuing contribution of excellence in chivalrous and gracious behavior, being an example of the Dream for others. In as much as they continually serve the Barony and share their talents in training others, they deserve to receive the highest of praise. These awards may only be given out twice



# Combat

## Order of the Argent Arrow



There shall exist in the Barony of Atenveldt an award known as the Order of the Argent Arrow, which will be given by the Baron and Baroness, subject to the pleasure of the Crown, to those persons who have displayed excellence in the performance, promotion and teaching of the chivalrous art of archery.

## Order of the Sable Axe

The Order of the Sable Axe is given by the Baron and Baroness, to those person who have displayed excellence in the performance, promotion, and teaching of the chivalrous art of hardsuit combat.



## Commander of the Sable Axe

The Commander of the Sable Axe is given by the Baron and Baroness, to those person who have through the years made major and continuing contribution of excellence in the performance, promotion, and teaching of the chivalrous art of hardsuit combat. In as much as they continually serve the Barony and share their talents in training others, they deserve to receive the highest of praise. These awards may only be given out twice a year, traditionally at the Anniversary and Yule events. Only those members of the Order of the Sable Axe are eligible for the award.

To recommend someone for this award go to <http://baronyofatenveldt.org/index.php?page=recommendation>

## Order of the Vert Glove



The Order of the Vert Glove is given by the Baron and Baroness, to those person who have displayed excellence in the performance, promotions and teaching of the chivalrous art of light weapons combat.

### Commander of the Vert Glove

The Commander of the Vert Glove is given by the Baron and Baroness, to those person who have through the years made major and continuing contribution of excellence in the performance, promotions and teaching of the chivalrous art of light weapons combat. In as much as they continually serve the Barony and share their talents in training others, they deserve to receive the highest of praise. These awards may only be given out twice a year, traditionally at the Anniversary and Yule events. Only those members of the Order of the Vert Glove are eligible for the award.

### Sisterhood of the Black Swan

The Sisterhood of the Black Swan will be extended to those female fighters who practice diligently the arts of war and who have defended the Barony of Atenveldt in wartime combat and who have been recommended by the current members of the Sisterhood.



To recommend someone for this award go to <http://baronyofatenveldt.org/index.php?page=recommendation>





## Service



### **Order of the Roots of the Barony of Atenveldt**

The Root of Atenveldt is given by the Baron and Baroness, to those persons who have given years and years of outstanding and faithful service, far above that normally expected of Baronial subjects. In as much as they continually serve the Barony and share their talents, they deserve to receive the highest of praise. All recipients of the award must have previously received the rank of Commander in one of the following Orders; the Palm, the Azure Chalice, the Purpure Clarion, the Sable Axe, or the Vert Glove.



### **Order of the Palm Leaf**

Given by the Baron and Baroness, to those persons who have demonstrated a willingness to give ongoing service to the Barony of Atenveldt.

To recommend someone for this award go to <http://baronyofatenveldt.org/index.php?page=recommendation>





## Order of the Palm of Atenveldt

First introduced in AS XIII (1981 c.e.), the Order of the Palm of the Barony of Atenveldt is the oldest and arguably the most well known of all Atenveldt's active Baronial orders. The Palm is given to those members of our populace who have distinguished themselves by serving the Barony of Atenveldt above and beyond what is normally expected.

### Commander of the Palm

The Commander of the Palm of Atenveldt is given by the Baron and Baroness, to those persons who have throughout the years given outstanding and faithful service, far above that normally expected of Baronial subjects. In as much as they continually serve the Barony and share their talents, they deserve to receive the highest of praise. These awards may only be given out twice a year, traditionally at the Anniversary and Yule events.



# Kids Corner



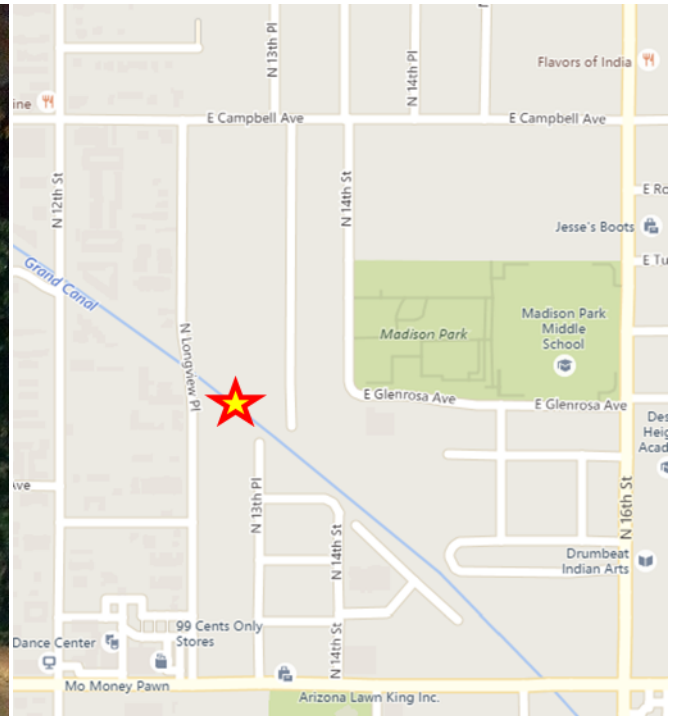


# Thrown Weapons



Live steel weapons are thrown at wooden rounds and straw bales. Sound fun? Come try your hand at the art of Thrown Weapons.

Instruction is provided for new throwers at all practices. Seasoned throwers can record scores at all published practices. Thrown Weapons Practice is held at 4500 N. 13<sup>th</sup> Pl in Central Phoenix. We have plenty of room for watching. There will also be a heater once the temperatures drop.



Thrown Weapons Practice will be announced on the Book of Faces.





# Barony of Atenveldt Scriptorium

*Every Thursday night from 7pm to 10pm  
Please see the Barony of Atenveldt Book of  
Faces group for Where Scriptorium will be  
held.*

*For more information please  
contact the Baronial Signet  
[Scribe@BaronyOfAtenveldt.org](mailto:Scribe@BaronyOfAtenveldt.org)*



## *Barony of Atenveldt Fighter Practice*

*Fighter practice is held every Wednesday night from 7pm to 10 pm at Encanto Park in central Phoenix (located at 15th Ave and Encanto Blvd). Last Wednesday of every month is usually Tourney and Court nights. Currently the lights come on at 8 pm.*



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