



Official Newsletter of the Barony of

Attenveldt



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# Words From Their Excellencies

Greetings unto the Populace of the Premier Barony of the Known World!

Did you have fun at events in April and May? We certainly did! From going to Crown Tournament and Coronation, to Barmaids, to Champions in the Pines, we have been traveling with our populace members to events throughout the kingdom and having a great time! We also had a hardsuit tournament in April, and had a rapier tournament at court night in May. We were invaded by the Barony of Twin Moons for a fun melee practice in May!

We are looking forward to Highlands War, and Fabric War! We look forward to seeing you too!

Each year we give out certain awards at our baronial anniversary event. This year, the anniversary event takes place on September 10th. Although we try to be everywhere, we don't always see those people serving in the background who are deserving of recognition. If you know anyone who you feel is deserving of a baronial award, please let us know! You can send award recommendations to us at [coronet@baronyofatenveldt.org](mailto:coronet@baronyofatenveldt.org).

## Baron Nikolaus von Erlach & Baroness Valdis Skarpa



Image Credit: Mistress Magdalen Venturosa

# Baronial Progress

Although many details for future events are still to be determined, one or both of Their Excellencies will attend at least a portion of these events on the calendar.

Date	Event
June 2-5, 2022	Highlands War--BES
June 25-26, 2022	Fabric Wars--BSD
August 13-14, 2022	Too Darn Hot--BES
August 26-28, 2022	Mace and Great Sword/Investiture--BMMT
September 2-5, 2022	Polaris War--BGM
September 10, 2022	Barony of Atenveldt Anniversary

As has been our tradition, we will have our court night on the last Wednesday of the month.

## Retinue

Captain of the Guard - Ritchyrd McUath  
Head Lady in Waiting - Aoife inghean Oisín  
Head Lady in Waiting - Catharin Syl'vestrova  
Steward/Lady in Waiting – Morgaine Rhys ap Gruffydd  
Steward/Mover-of-the-Things – Seelos Massman  
Wardrobe Mistress/Lady in Waiting - Tvoislava Michelovna  
Largesse/Basket Coordinator - Auelyn Spyle Syngere  
Special Projects - Caoilfhionn inghean ui Mhaoil Ruanaidh

Retainers, when the call goes out for Ladies or Lords in waiting for her Excellency, please let the Head Lady in Waiting know as soon as you can if you can attend her. It will make scheduling easier.

If anyone wishes to join Their Excellencies retinue,  
please email [Retinue@baronyofatenveldt.org](mailto:Retinue@baronyofatenveldt.org).

# Meet our Baronial Champions



A&S Champion  
Mistress Caoilfhionn of Mons  
Tonitrus



Archery Champion  
Lady Orianna Aethulwulf



Bardic Champion  
Lady Donwenna Dwn



Armored Combat Champion  
m'lady Thora GylDir



Rapier Champion  
Lord Armand Grandier



Thrown Weapons Champion  
William O'Dubhagain



Youth Archery Champion  
M'lord Hamish the Hunter



Thrown Weapons Champion  
M'lord Hamish the Hunter



# Baronial Officer Want Ads

## Baronial Social Media Officer

The Social Media Officer encourages the enthusiastic but responsible use of social media on a variety of platforms to support the goals of the Society and introduce the Current Middle Ages to new audiences who might be interested in joining us. The Social Media officer works to ensure that all people engaging with, and on behalf of SCA Inc. through social media have a clear and common understanding of expected standards of behavior, and how they will be managed as described in the SCA's Social Media Policy. If you are interested in this position please send a letter of intent to [Seneschal@BaronyofAtenveldt.org](mailto:Seneschal@BaronyofAtenveldt.org) and [Coronet@baronyofatenveldt.org](mailto:Coronet@baronyofatenveldt.org)

## Baronial Web Minister

The Web Minister is responsible for maintaining the baronial website, managing updates, and content changes, and email account management and passwords. The baronial web minister works to ensure that the baronial website remains in compliance with applicable SCA and Kingdom electronic content and policy guidelines. The baronial web minister reports to, and works with, the Kingdom Web Minister. If you are interested in this position please send a letter of intent to [Seneschal@BaronyofAtenveldt.org](mailto:Seneschal@BaronyofAtenveldt.org) and [Coronet@baronyofatenveldt.org](mailto:Coronet@baronyofatenveldt.org)

## Baronial Officers



The Big Red Officer Core is looking for a few volunteers to help run the Barony!

Open officer positions are listed below in **RED**. All offices also need Deputies! Help is always appreciated and gratefully accepted.



If you would like more details about a particular office, please contact the baronial seneschal ([seneschal@baronyofatenveldt.org](mailto:seneschal@baronyofatenveldt.org)), or the principal officer (if there is one).

Officer Position	SCA Name
Baron	Nikolaus von Erlach
Baroness	Valdis Skarpa
Herald	Orianna Aethelwulf
Exchequer	Beartlaoi mac Mathghamhna
Deputy Exchequer	Siraj Farhadzedah
Regalia	Elizabeth the Herbalist

# Baronial Officers

Officer Position	SCA Name
Seneschal	Morgaine Rhys ap Gruffydd
Deputy Seneschal	Kirsten Maria Matz
Minister of Arts & Sciences	Sorcha inghean ui Ghadhra
Chronicler	Susanna Broughton
Scribe / Signet	Ritchyrd McUath
Web Minister	VACANT
Knight Marshal	Baldric der Krieger
Marshal (Rapier)	Ritchyrd McUath
Deputy Marshal (Rapier)	Armand Grandier
Marshal (Target Archery/Thrown Weapons)	Jean Andre Boeye
Marshal (Thrown Weapons)	VACANT
Youth Combat Marshal	VACANT
Youth Coordinator	VACANT
Media Officer	VACANT
Minister of Lists	VACANT
Chatelaine/Gold Key	Donwenna Dwn
Sheriff	Aurora of Atenveldt
Waiver Secretary	Dalla of the Misty Forest
Captain of the Archers	Jean Andre Boeye
Lieutenant of the Archers	Uilliam O'Dubhagain

# Events of the Season

## Highlands War - Buccaneers and Brigands



When: 9 am on June 2 and closes 5 pm June 5th

Location: Payson Event Center & Rodeo Grounds

1400 S Beeline Hwy, Payson, AZ 85541

Stewards: For questions, please contact our autocrat: ara\_boven@yahoo.com.

If you wish to merchant, please contact Masala at masaladance@hotmail.com.

Come join the Barony of Ered Sul and gather yer crewmates and collect yer plunder. Then head to the Payson Event Center & Rodeo Grounds to enjoy camaraderie, camping and combat to celebrate the defeat of the hoards of plague carrying rats

by the mighty Privateers of the Mountain Shores.

Organize your shipmates to compete for best encampment, best sea shanty or story and re-creation of ship wreck artifacts. We will host youth activities as well as a youth bardic for the cabin boys and girls. Or your crew can engage in fierce culinary battles with the camp cooking competition.

We will of course have hardsuit, rapier and archery scenarios and tournaments based on the theme of Buccaneers & Brigands! In addition to hardsuit and rapier scenarios, we will host the Pirate's Challenge. Captains, gather 9 more trusty crew (Ship size is 10 people) and enter your Ships in competition for glory and booty in combat tournaments, sea shanties and stories, re-creation of shipwrecked items, youth combat and youth bardic. To the Best Ship go the spoils!! Dry RV welcome. Merchants welcome.

Site is convenient with hotels, stores and restaurants very nearby. Propane firepits only. Potable water on-site.

Registration is open at SCA.ORG. While pre-registration is preferred, procrastinators can still register at gate.

Event fees:

\$35 for adults 18 and over arriving Thursday or Friday.

\$25 for Saturday arrivals. Youth 0 - 17 are free of charge.

A Non-Member surcharge of \$5 will be dutifully passed along to the Governor's fund.

Registration is open at SCA.ORG. <http://sca.org/>



## Fabric War



When: : June 25th 2022. Site Opens at 10:00 a.m. and closes at 5:00 p.m.

Where: Bourgade High School 4602 N 31st Ave; Phoenix, AZ 85017

Stewards: Baron Raven Mayne, OL and Baroness Turrel Michelsonva, OL

(Erik Contreras and Sheila Widmaier) 602-717-9804-no calls after 9pm

FabricWar2022@gmail.com

Join us, the Barony of Sun Dragon, as we welcome you to the first war of 2022, Fabric War! As we exit the plague years, it is time to refresh your wardrobe and pass on garb to new members. We all have items we have been holding onto and now that events are resumed it is time to find the balance between what you have and what you want for your SCA life.



# Events of the Season

Bring your fabric and SCA items to barter, exchange, and sell; giving you room for new items and projects to find their way home with you! As you wander thru the event there will be a multitude of activities planned for your participation and enjoyment. A light luncheon will be provided with grab and go items set out. You can rekindle your love of SCA Arts and Games, while making new friends and sharing your experiences with others!

Site is dry. No tobacco and/or vape products allowed on school property, no pets (certified service animals allowed). As with all indoor events within the Kingdom of Atenveldt, at this time, masks are required at all times except when eating, drinking, and/or making announcements.

Event fees: Adults \$15.00 for members, \$20.00 for non-members, youth under 17 are free.  
Online registration begins on May 1, 2022, and ends on June 24, 2022, at [SCA.org](https://www.sca.org) or pay at event.

## Directions:

From South or East, take 1-10 West to the 1-17 going North. Exit at Camelback Road go West (left). Drive about one mile, turn South (left) on 31st Ave. The school will be on the right about .3 miles down 31st Ave.

From North, take the 1-17 South, Exit at Camelback Road going west (right). Drive about one mile, turn South (left) on 31st Ave. The school will be on the right about .3 miles down 31st Ave.

From West, take 1-10 East to the 1-17 going North. Exit at Camelback Road going west (left). Drive about one mile, turn South (left) on 31st Ave. The school will be on the right about .3 miles down 31st Ave.



## Too Darned Hot



When: Aug 13 - 14, 2022  
Location: Barony of Ered Sul  
Stewards: TBD

Stay tuned, more information to come.



## Mace & Greatsword



When: : Aug 26 - 28, 2022  
Location: Barony of Mons Tonitrus, Sierra Vista, AZ 85192, USA  
Stewards: TBD

The stepping down of Mariette and Ilaria as B&B, and investiture of the new Baron and Baroness will be at Mace & Great Sword August 27, 2022. While this promises to be an outstanding event and we hope to see all of you there, we are still looking for a site steward and location for the event. If you are interested please contact their excellencies at [coronets@bmm.org](mailto:coronets@bmm.org), with questions or intentions.

# Cooking with the Baroness

## Baroness' Italian Sausage & Lentil Soup

### Ingredients & Notes:

- ❖ 1 garlic clove-minced
- ❖ 2 Tbsp olive oil
- ❖ 1 cup onion-chopped
- ❖ 3/4 cup carrot-minced or shredded
- ❖ 2 LB sausage

*Use the Italian sausage you like best: mild, sweet, or hot. Since the sausage usually comes in 1-pound packages I usually will pick 2 separate kinds. For group cooking I don't usually use hot, so that it doesn't get too spicy. Same with the pepper flake--you can use more if you want it spicier.*

- ❖ 1/2 cup ham (optional)
- ❖ 7 cups water

*For the liquid, it just has to be 12 cups. If I have a couple of boxes of broth (4 cups each) I might use both, for 8 cups broth then only add 4 cups water. Anything to equal 12.*

- ❖ 5 cups vegetarian broth
- ❖ 1 LB lentils
- ❖ 1 can (approx. 15 oz) diced tomato
- ❖ 2 Tbsp cider vinegar
- ❖ 1 Tbsp fresh basil-minced

*Although the recipe calls for fresh basil & parsley, I usually use dried herbs, adjusting amount for tasted.*

- ❖ 1 Tbsp fresh parsley-minced
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- ❖ 2 bay leaves
- ❖ 1 1/2 tsp salt
- ❖ 1/2 tsp black pepper
- ❖ 1/2 tsp dried thyme
- ❖ 1/2 tsp dried oregano
- ❖ 1/2 tsp red pepper flakes

### Instructions:

1. Heat oil. Then add onion, carrot, garlic & sausage. Sauté for 8 minutes. If making a double batch, sauté time is longer.

2. Add ham & cook for an additional minute

3. Add everything else. Bring to a boil, then reduce heat and simmer 1 hour. If making a double batch, simmer time is longer.

*Disclaimer: This is not a period recipe, but I like it a lot because it focuses on lentils which is a very period ingredient. I have revised this recipe quite a bit from the original and this is how I make it now. I hope you enjoy it!*



# Reading of the Banns

Hear Ye! Hear ye!  
Let it be known that the wedding between

Jenn Eiland and Jennifer Rastegar

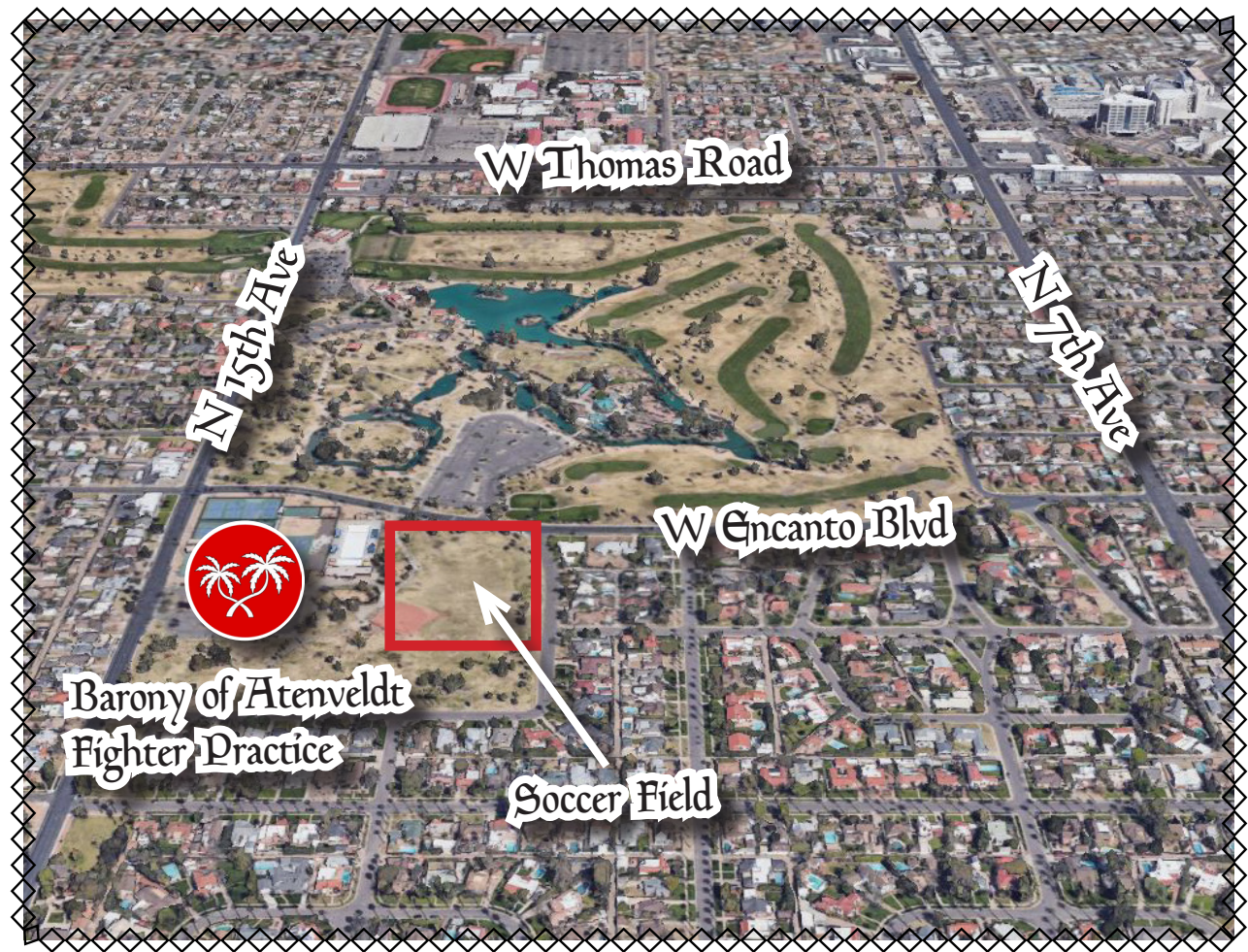
took place in May 2022.

Please join us in congratulating them on their recent nuptials!!





# Fighter Practice



Fighter Practice Encanto Soccer Field is 7:30 -10:00 PM



Fighters: Start arriving early to get armored up, lights will come on at 8, and we will start practice as close to that time as possible.

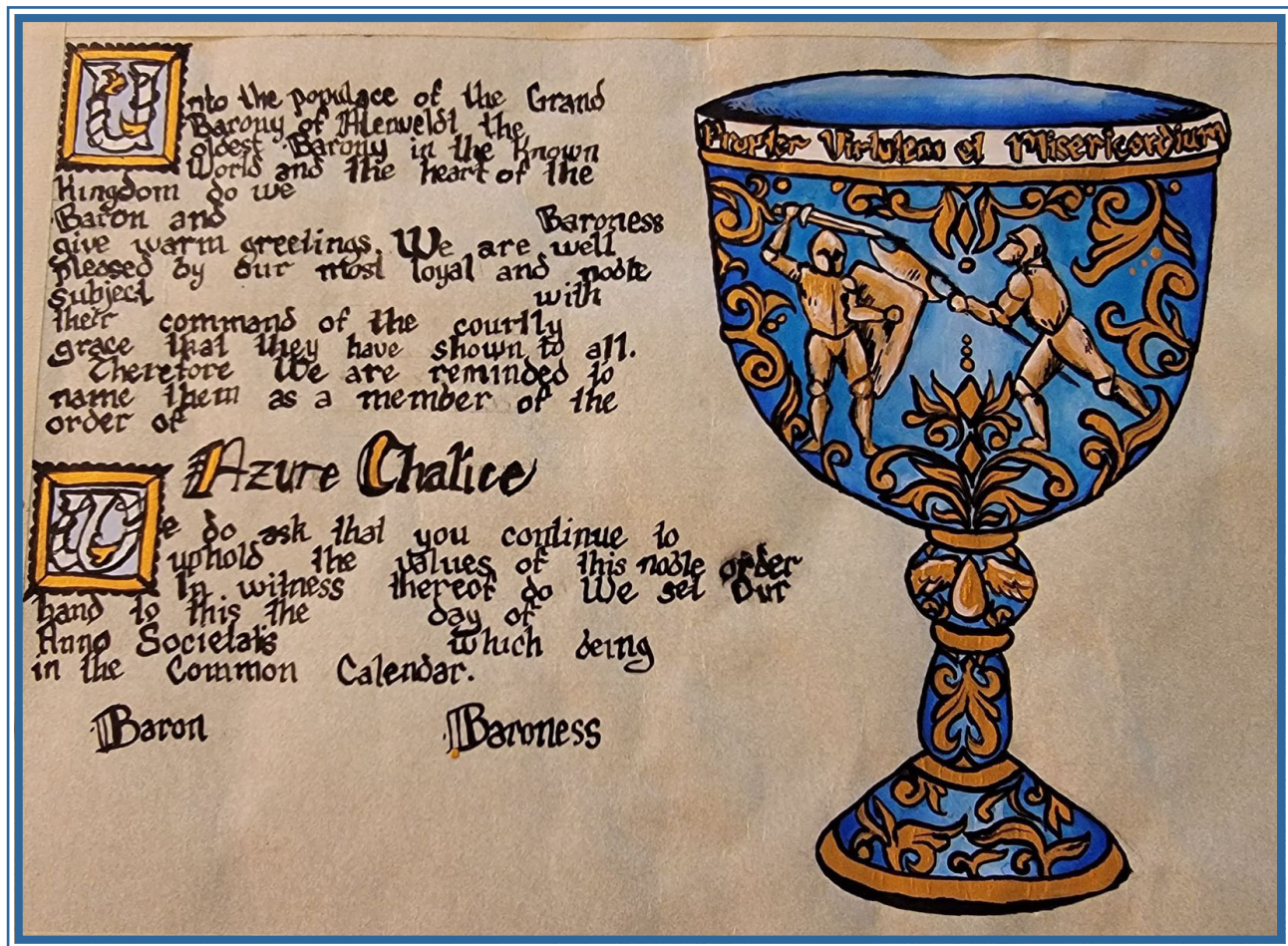


Barony of Atenveldt Populace Meetings are held virtually at 7:30pm on the first Thursday of each month.

Although the SCA complies with all applicable laws to ensure the health and safety of our event participants, we cannot eliminate the risk of exposure to infectious diseases during in-person events. By participating in the in-person events of the SCA, you acknowledge and accept the potential risks. You agree to take any additional steps to protect your own health and safety and those under control as you believe to be necessary.



# Scribal Showcase



This month we are sharing this scroll for  
the Azure Chalice.

Illumination & Calligraphy done by  
Soenaïd Inghean uí Mordha



## Order of the Azure Chalice

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

To recommend someone for this award go to  
<https://www.atenveldt.org/baronyofatenveldt/award-recommendations/>

# Scriptorium

Come join us for Scribal fun and conversation  
in person or on Zoom.

Every Thursday night from 7 pm to 10 pm.  
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)

