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SUSANNA BROUGHTON
BARONIAL CHRONICLER

Words From Their Excellencies

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

Happy Birthday to the Society for Creative Anachronism! An International Tournament was held on May 1, 1966, in Berkeley, California which is recognized as the first tournament of the Society. We start a new year in the SCA, Anno Societatis LVIII (58 in the common reckoning). Huzzah!

Since our last Palm Prints, we spent some time with our populace at amazing events, including Border Wars! For those who were unable to attend Border Wars this year, we had melee on Friday and Saturday (both Hardsuit and Rapier), a memorial rapier tournament, a hobby horse jousting tournament, s'mores nights with the Baroness, a nighttime bardic, a communal soup kitchen following court on Saturday, and great times with friends around campfires each night. We look forward to seeing everyone at the next Border Wars in March 2024!

As has been our tradition since we stepped up, we hold our court night on the last Wednesday of the month along with a quarterly tournament. In May we will have a rapier tournament, in June we will have an A&S tournament, and a hard suit tournament in July (weather permitting). We have Scribal Arts every Tuesday evening and are now holding A&S classes on the last Thursday of the month. Baron Nikolaus will talk about running an SCA-style feast at the May A&S class.

We will be hosting a tri-baronial melee night on Wednesday, June 21st. Be sure to tell your friends! It will likely be our last melee night before the summer heat kicks in.

Weekly fighter practices are held every Wednesday night at Encanto Park from 7:30 pm to 10 pm. If you are interested in a behind-the-scenes view of the Barony, please feel free to join us at the baronial business meeting on the first Thursday of each month (where we hold an in-person meeting along with internet access via Google Meets).

If you know someone who is deserving of a baronial award, please let us know! You can find a list of baronial awards on our baronial website (at Baronial Awards) and can send award recommendations to us at coronet@baronyofatenveldt.org

We look forward to seeing your smiling faces at our upcoming events, practices, and meetings!

BARON NIKOLAUS VON ERLACH &
BARONESS VALDIS SKARPA

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.



May 5 - 7, 2023

BGM INVESTITURE / CHAMPIONS IN THE PINES



May 20-21, 2023

CORONATION (HOSTED BY BMMT)



June 8-11, 2023

HIGHLANDS WAR (HOSTED BY BES)



June 24, 2023

JUNE 24, 2023 FABRIC WAR (HOSTED BY BSD)



July 15, 2023

BARONY OF ATENVEDLT ANNIVERSARY



July 29, 2023

MIDEAST FEAST (HOSTED BY BTM)

Baronial Focus

For the coming year, our focus in the quarterly tournaments/activities will be:



A&S and Bardic

DECEMBER, MARCH, JUNE



hard Suit

JANUARY, APRIL, JULY

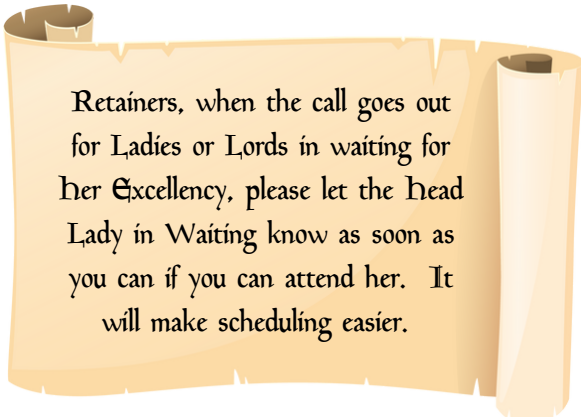


Rapier

FEBRUARY, MAY, AUGUST

Retinue

- Captain of the Guard - Ritchyrd McUath
- Co-head Lady in Waiting - Mistress Caoilshionn
- Co-head Lady in Waiting - Catharin Syl'vestrova
- Steward/Lady in Waiting - Morgaine Rhys ap Gruffydd
- Steward/Mover-of-the-Things - Brian Hrobjartsson
- Wardrobe Mistress/Lady in Waiting - Tvoislava Michelovna
- Largesse/Basket Coordinator - Auelyn Spyle Syngere
- Special Projects - Caoilshionn inghean uí 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.

Meet our Baronial Champions



A&S CHAMPION
FIREBALL



ARCHERY CHAMPION
MASTER JEAN ANDRE BOEYE



BARDIC CHAMPION
LADY MOBILLIA DWN



ARMORED COMBAT
CHAMPION
CHARLES THE BEAR



RAPIER CHAMPION
LADY SIRAJ



THROWN WEAPONS
CHAMPION
HAMISH THE HUNTER


Baronial Officer Want Ads

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), or the principal officer (if there is one).

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- Archery Captain - current warrant expires 6/30/2023
 - Arts & Sciences Minister - current warrant expires 6/30/2023
 - Emergency Deputy Waiver Secretary – Please contact Mistress Dalla
 - Emergency Deputy Chronicler – Please Contact Lady Susanna
 - Emergency Deputy Herald – Please contact Lady Orianna
 - Emergency Deputy Marshal – Please contact Lord Viktor
 - Emergency Deputy Exchequer – Please contact Lord Beartloai
 - Youth Coordinator – VACANT
 - Youth Combat Marshal – VACANT

Please send LOIs to coronet@baronyofatenveldt.org and CC the Seneschal at seneschal@baronyofatenveldt.org Please reach out to any of us if you have questions about the duties and responsibilities of these positions.

Baronial Officers

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Scribe / Signet	Ritchyrd McUath	scribe@baronyofatenveldt.org
Web Minister	VACANT	webmin@baronyofatenveldt.org
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Deputy Knight Marshal	Richard Oakshield	marshal@baronyofatenveldt.org
Marshal (Rapier)	Ritchyrd McUath	rapier@baronyofatenveldt.com
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Marshal (Target Archery/Thrown Weapons)	Jean Andre Boeye	
Marshal (Thrown Weapons)	VACANT	
Youth Combat Marshal	VACANT	
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Sheriff	Galen of Kildromy	sheriff@baronyofatenveldt.org
Waiver Secretary	Dalla of the Misty Forest	waivers@baronyofatenveldt.org
Captain of the Archers	Jean Andre Boeye	
Lieutenant of the Archers	Uilliam O'Dubhagain	

Events of the Season



Atenveldt Spring Coronation & Champions (BMT)

When: : May 20th - 21st site opens at 9am and closes at 5pm both days

Location: : Saturday: Klein Center for Performing Arts-Buena High School,

5225 E Buena School Blvd, Sierra Vista, AZ 85635.

Sunday: Arbenz Park, 3300 E Tacoma St, Sierra Vista, AZ 85635

Greetings to the populace of the great lands of Atenveldt. You are invited to the southern lands of our Kingdom to partake in Spring Coronation and Champions events. These events will be hosted in the Barony of Mons Tonitrus! Coronation Saturday at the Klein Center for the Performing Arts (aka Buena High School) site opens at 9 am and closes at 5 pm. You are encouraged to come fill the indoor halls of the grand theater as we bid a fond retirement to our current King and Queen, and witness Their Heirstake station in the thrones of Atenveldt! Refreshments showcasing culinary skills will be provided between courts. Champions Sunday at Arbenz Park, This site opens at 9 am and closes at 5 pm King's and Queen's Champion – King's Cut and Thrust Champion – Archery Champions – Thrown Weapons (Yes, all in one location on one field). There are shaded areas, but you are encouraged to carry parasols, wear hats, and sunscreen as we expect the Aten sun to greet us with its rays. The southern lands are also known for their windy, spring days. Chairs or picnic blankets are also encouraged. No staking is allowed on the field. Hard suit fighters will vie for the title of King's Champion and Queen's Champion whilst the rapier combatants compete to be King's Cut & Thrust Champion! (Styles and formats to be determined by the Crown. Pick-ups are allowed at the discretion of the marshals). Handbow and crossbow will be holding both tournaments for their respective champions at the same time. Additional information may be provided by Mstr. Roberto Raimondo, royalarcher@atenveldt.org. Thrown Weapons – Information is TBD, thrownweapons@atenveldt.org

For both sites, please note: * Sites are alcohol and tobacco-free, No pets (service dogs allowed as vetted by the ADA), Drinking water will be available, however, it is recommended you bring your own. You may bring your own food and beverages to consume in designated areas and several eateries are conveniently nearby.

Further details will be announced as volunteers rise to the occasion (e.g., youth corner, largess derby/drive/display, water/snack bearing, bardic arts)! Interested parties are encouraged to contact the event stewards and are welcome to share other ideas.



Highlands War 29 – The War for Middle Earth - (BES) June 8-11, 2023

When: : Thursday June 8, 9:00am through Sunday June 11, 2:00pm

Location: : Payson Event Center and Rodeo Grounds, Payson, AZ 1400 S Beeline Hwy, Payson, AZ 85541

Site Fees: \$25 for the full event, \$20 for Saturday arrival. Kids, 17 and under, free. \$5 non-member surcharge

Autocrat: Katherine Tapester, sleepcat@yahoo.com, 928-525-2406

Hosts: Baron Christopher & Baroness Miana, cfitzarthur@yahoo.com

Merchant: Masala, masaladance@hotmail.com

Equestrian: Jorunn Havardr, britthamilton0813@gmail.com

RV reservation: Bannthegn Elena seneschal@baronyofredsul.org

Events of the Season

From June 8, 2023 through June 11, 2023, Good and Evil will face off once again to determine the fate of Middle Earth again, at the Payson Event Center and Rodeo Grounds. We encourage everyone to enjoy the Lord of the Rings Theme and join whatever side you wish - have fun.

Activities:

- Hardsuit melee, Baronial Champion of Champions Tourney, Kingdom King's Champion Tourney
- BARONIAL POLLING for the next B&B of Ered Sul will also take place on Saturday!
- Rapier melee
- Archery and Thrown Weapons competitions
- Equestrian!
- Bardic Circle (LoTR themed) and Kingdom Bard of the Sun Competition
- A&S displays and competitions (LoTR themed)
- Youth Center
- Parties nightly

The Baronies are representing:

The Downtrodden Defenders of the Homeland:

- Ered Sul = Isengard
- Granite Mountain = Mordor
- Sundragon = Corsairs of Umbar
- Mons Tonitrus = Wildmen of Dunland

The Invading Oppressors:

- Twin Moons = The no good Elves
- Atenveldt = haughty Gondor
- Tir Ysgithir = snoopin' Rohan

Amenities:

- Potable water, good cell signal
- dry RV camping with reservation
- propane fire pits (only!) allowed
- hotels and stores very close by
- multiple goods merchants
- Children's Corner
- No: Shower trucks or on-site food merchants.

Be aware, the ground at this site is extremely hard! We recommend hardened nails or bolts! Take this into account for your setup.



Fabric War - (BSD) June 24th, 2023

When: : May 24th, 2023 , site opens 9am and closes at 5pm

Location: : Bourgade Catholic High School: 4602 N 31st Ave, Phoenix, AZ 85017

Site Fees: (All site fees include Hors D'oeuvres, and children age 17 and under are free)

- Pre-registered Members: \$15 (includes \$5 member discount)
- Pay at the Gate Member: \$20 (includes \$5 member discount)
- Payment at the gate will be cash only.

As the sun warms our lands it is time for all to perform a little spring cleaning, and to possibly replace the old with something new. If you desire to update your wardrobe, or expand your collection of bobbles, come to the Market of Venice to enjoy all that the merchants have to offer. Along with the sellers and their wares, you can enjoy watching or taking part in the Ugliest Garb Fashion Show as you dine on a selection of Hors D'oeuvres brought to you by Italy's very own Giuliana Francesca Bellini. In between shopping and displays of fashion, classes on textiles, jewelry, and accessories will be offered throughout the day.

Events of the Season

Schedule:

- Site opens: 9:00am, Opening Court: TBD
- Classes Offered: 11:00am-3:00pm, Hors D'oeuvres: 12:00pm (please bring your feast gear)
- Ugliest Garb Fashion Show: 3:30pm
- Closing Court: TBD, Fabric Melee: Immediately following closing court, Site Closes: 5:00pm

This location is a dry, no pet, and tobacco/vape-free site.

Directions:

Take your best route to I-17 and Camelback Rd. Go West on Camelback Rd. Drive about one mile, turn South (left) on 31st Ave. The school will be on the right about .3 miles down 31st Ave.



Barony of Atenveldt Anniversary - (BOA) July 15th, 2023

When: : July 15th, 2023 , site opens 10am and closes at 6pm

Location: : Community of Christ Church, 4224 N 44th Street, Phoenix, AZ 85018

Site Registration: \$25 with a \$5 discount for members. Youth 17 and under are free.

Feast Registration: \$8 per adult (max. 50) and \$4 per youth 12 and under.

Event Stewards: Lord Brian Hrobjartsson and Lady Rachel Flora MacDonald

(Brian Culling, bculling@yahoo.com and Rachel Blaisdell, rblaisdell72@hotmail.com)

Greetings to all!

The Barony of Atenveldt invites you to the celebration of its fifty-fourth anniversary on Saturday, July 15, 2023.

As is traditional at our anniversary, couples shall compete for the title of Lord and Lady of Love.

Artisans are invited to display their finest works in a showcase sponsored by Lady Soenaid Inghean ui Mordha (Fireball), Atenveldt's Baronial A&S Champion.

Their Excellencies will hold court in the afternoon and then the day will close with feast hosted by Lady Donwenna Dwn.

(The full schedule and details about the day's activities will be posted closer to the event)



Mid East Feast - (BTM) July 29th, 2023

When: : July 29th, 2023 , site opens noon and closes at 9pm

Location: : The Historic Nile Theater at 105 W. Main St. in downtown Mesa, AZ

Site Registration: \$25 with a \$5 discount for members. Youth 17 and under are free.

Feast Registration: \$15 for adults, youth are free. Feasts must be purchased in advance, deadline July 14th; PayPal or check, more info to follow.

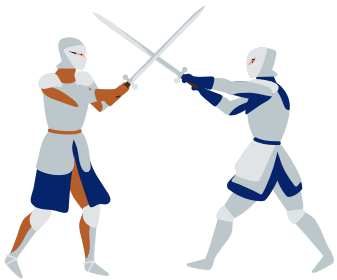
Event Stewards: Sayyida Kessa bint Badr al-Tabrizzi, Leslie Bruner Bradford,

afaeriegodmotherservice@gmail.com

Welcome to a celebration of the second oldest continuously inhabited city of humanity, known in antiquity as Halab and the current Middle Ages as Aleppo. Share the pleasure of music and dance with friends whom we have not seen in too long. Shop the wares of local merchants. Enjoy food from one of the finest restaurants in the East Valley - Flaming Kabob, or bring your sideboard to share in the convivial atmosphere. Bring your rugs, pillows, and tables to add to the atmosphere of a gracious space. The location for this storied event is the historic Nile Theater. The hall has a large stage, extensive room to spread out and a separate space for classes if there's interest, please contact the event steward with suggestions or requests.

Fighter Practice

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



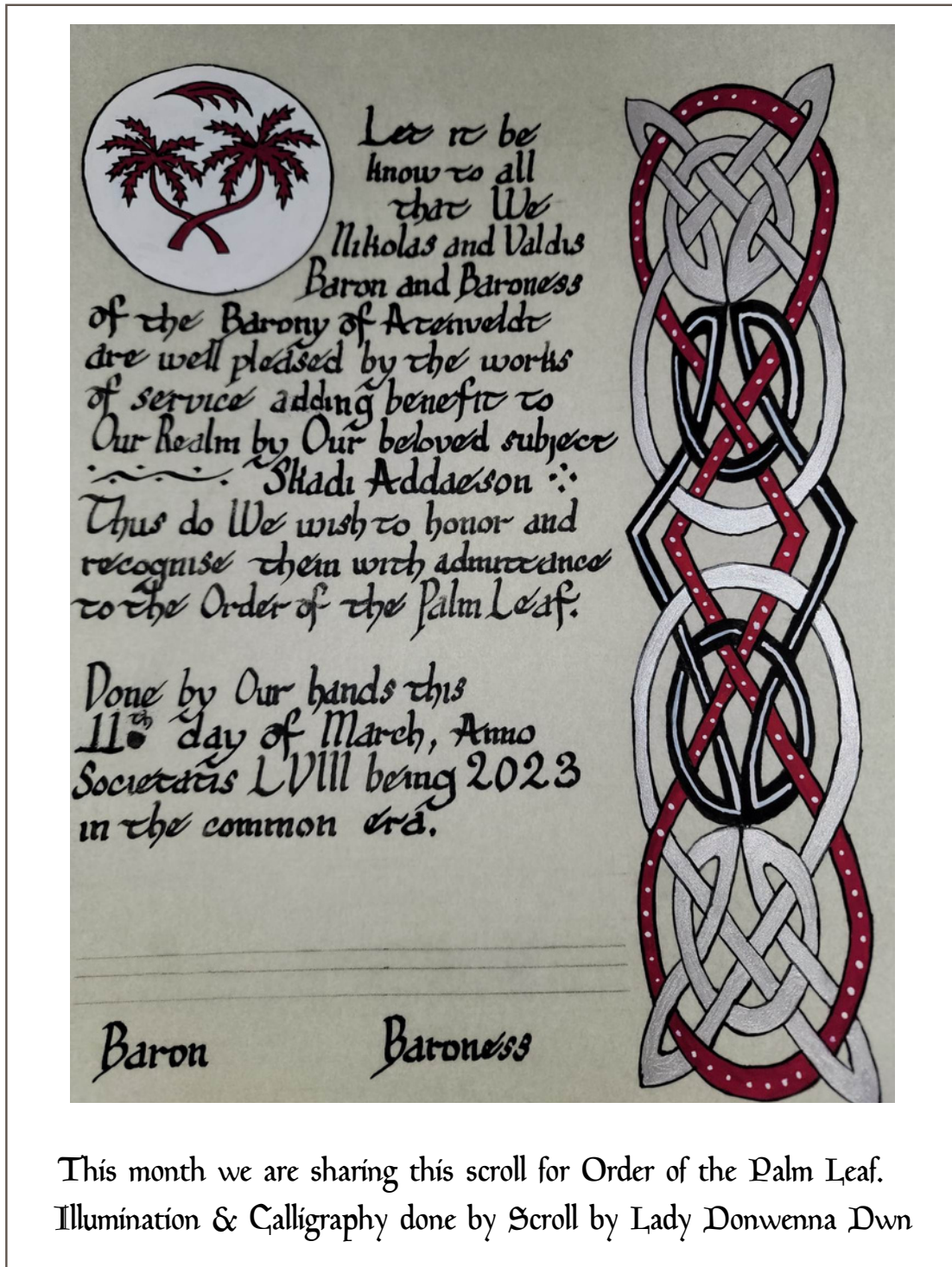
Fighters: Start arriving early to get armored up, lights will come on at 8, and we will start practice as close to that time as possible.



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



To recommend someone for an 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 Tuesday 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

Nobilitatis, honorem, et gaudium vite



The Baronial Motto is “Nobilitatis, honorem, et gaudium vite”. The direct translation is “Nobility, honor, and Joy of Life” To Us, The Dream, Game, or Society is all about the magic. The main components of that magic are being noble, living and acting with honor, and last, but most definitely not least, fun. Since the Romans did not have a direct translation of the word “fun”, “the joy of life” seemed to fit well.

