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Meetings

Our populace/officers meetings are held every third Thursday of the month at Thorpe Park Community Center in Flagstaff from 6:30p to 8:00p. Thorpe Park Community Center is located in Flagstaff at 245 N. Thorpe Rd.

Our meetings usually cover discussion of business items, plans for upcoming events, and occasionally a dance practice if time permits.

We usually go out for pizza after the meeting. Please feel free to join us!

OUR WORDS

For some reason, the Ered Sul summer months seem to be really packed with things to do. This summer has been no exception.

Every summer for 17 years We have traveled from our home to the Pennsic War, and this year was no exception. Baron Henry volunteered to be Atenveldt's land agent for the Kingdom Royal Encampment as a last minute replacement. Pennsic was a blast! It's one event that if you can plan for the expense and/or time, is a totally different experience than the other wars that We attend. Opening ceremonies were full of pomp and circumstance, with his Royal Majesty Arthur attended by many of Atenveldt's Pennsic campers. You have never seen an Opening Ceremony until you have seen a couple of thousand people with literally hundreds of silk banners flying in the breeze – 17 of the 19 kingdoms in the Known World had royalty present.

It is with great sadness that We say goodbye to the Wadey and Steinberger families. Sean Wadey was Chronicler for Baron Chris and Baroness Miana, and Lark, his lovely wife was often seen in court as an attendant or voice herald. They have moved to the Phoenix area. We were just really starting to get to know the Steinbergers – Amy and Gary have moved to Wyoming for a new job – congrats and good luck to all of you. We hope to see you all at a future event.

Welcome one of our newest members – Aiden. He is in the process of trying to pull together Equestrian activities in our area. If you are interested, please respond to his posts on our Yahoo group. We were honored and delighted to have Her Majesty enter court at Too Hot on horseback. For anyone who would like to see what can happen when equestrian folks really pull together – take a look at these photos from the Purgatorio event in the West Kingdom – how do you feel about a procession with a chariot?!?!
<http://www.flickr.com/photos/70104978@N00/sets/72157627418911583/>

September 3rd We will be attending Middle Eastern Feast in Phoenix and then on the 10th We will be joining our cousins in Granite Mountain for their Collegium. We encourage ALL of our populace to attend this wonderful event. There is always an exciting collection of A&S classes and the Michaelmas Tourney will be in full swing across the street. And don't forget their potluck – always an excellent experience!

September 13th from 6 to 8 PM will be Our first monthly A&S session at Thorpe Adult Center. The topic for this one is "Registering Your Name and Heraldry." We plan to bring a computer with internet access to aid in cross-checking names and heraldry. This will be a continuing process – help will always be available as long as there are folks who want to register names and heraldry. Old Heraldic Saying: Never make personal regalia that uses your heraldry until it has passed. The more time and effort that you put into your regalia with un-passed heraldry the less likely it is to pass.

The weekend of September 17 and 18th will be the Northern Atenveldt Archery Practice at Our place in Ash Fork. This should be an excellent opportunity for archers from all over Atenveldt to fling arrows at an assortment of targets, get in plenty of Royal Rounds, and meet their fellows at

a potluck Saturday Night. Watch the lists for updates – rain date is the weekend of the 24th and 25th.

Her Excellency and Baron Henry will be attending Great Western War. While we will not have a Barony of Ered Sul encampment, there are a growing number of people from Atenveldt planning to attend the War. From Flagstaff, GWW is about 600 miles. If you are planning to attend, please let Us know.

Ered Sulabration will be in October - watch for further details in next month's Higher Word and on the lists. Bannthegn Miana and Thegn Gunnar have volunteered to put together this event for Us. Our new Ered Sul A&S Champion will be chosen at this event. In the past our Champion was chosen at Yule, but since we now participate in Northern Yule (Ered Sul, Granite Mountain and Windale), the location of the event changes from year to year, making it more difficult for all of Our populace to attend. So, break out your best A&S projects and join the party! As always, our Champions competition will be open to members of the Northern populace of Atenveldt.

Southern Crusade is just around the corner. We would like to encourage a Barony of Ered Sul encampment at this event. While We must camp in Her Excellency's merchant pavilion for security, We do plan to spend lots of time with those who attend from Our Barony. Watch for updates.

Let's not forget Northern Yule! December may seem like a lifetime away, but it will come too quickly. We would like to encourage everyone to attend this fun event in Granite Mountain.

As a few housekeeping notes, the Baronial Yahoo Group is our official electronic communications channel. Many of us use social networking sites to stay connected. But, if you post Baronial information on a social networking site, remember that you need to post the same information to our Yahoo Group at <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/eredsul/>.

We have spent significant time working with Kingdom to update the Southwind and our Kingdom sponsored information page <http://www.atenveldt.org/Lands/NorthernAtenveldt/BaronyofEredSul>. When we have changes in dates or times for our regular meetings or practices, that information needs to be provided to the relevant people. Please provide Lord Gil with all of the particulars so that the various Kingdom communications can be updated. The correct information on our Reeve and Chronicler has been sent to Kingdom, but has not yet been corrected on the Kingdom site.

Yours in Service,

Baron Henry
Baroness Eirny
Protectors of All Things Wooly

Baronial Progress

Middle Eastern Feast – September 3rd

Barony of Granite Mountain Collegium – September 10th in Chino Valley

Northern Archery Practice – Sept 17&18 or 24&25

Chocolate Revel IF archery happens on the 17th and 18th

Great Western War – Oct 2-10

Atenveldt Coronation – Nov 5

Southern Crusades – Nov 8-14 BTY/BMT

Northern Yule – Dec 10 BoGM

OFFICER'S REPORTS

Reeve

Revised 4/77

Preliminary
THE SOCIETY FOR CREATIVE ANACHRONISM, INC.

EVENT REPORT FORM

Branch: _____

EVENT: *Too Darn Hot* DATE: _____

INCOME

Fee Type	(A) Advance Attendees	(B) at-the-door Attendees	(C) Advance Fee SS	(D) at-the-door Fee SS	Actual Income (A x C)+(B x D)
Site Fee (Adult)	139			17.00	1825.00
Site Fee (Child) <i>Youth</i>	29			5.00	
Feast Fee (Adult)					
Feast Fee (Child)	4			2	
Class Fee					
Child Care					
Corporate Sub changes <i>NMS</i>	25			15.00	
Other Income (itemize on back)					
TOTAL ACTUAL INCOME					1825.00

EXPENSES

EXPENSES				TOTAL
Advertising				
Equipment Rental & Maintenance	1389.82	1000		1389.82
Fees & Honoraria (itemize on back)				
Food		425.43		425.43
General Supplies				
Insurance (NON-SCA)				
Occupancy & Site Charges		325.00		325.00
Postage & Shipping, PO Box Rental				
Printing & Publications				
Telephone				
Travel (Gas, Tolls, Airfare)				
Other Expenses (itemize on back)				
SUB-TOTAL (Lines 12 to 27)				2140.25
Donations to Other 501(c)(3) (Nonprofit) Organizations (itemize on back)				
Moved to Another (itemize on back) <i>NMS</i> WITHIN KINGDOM				125.00
SCA Account (itemize on back) OUTSIDE KINGDOM				
TOTAL ACTUAL EXPENSES				2265.25
NET PROFIT (Total Actual Income - Total Actual Expenses)				-440.25

APPROVED:

Seneschal or

Autocrat:

Exchequer:

Date:

Equip - Should receive money back from Dlecker

THE SOCIETY FOR CREATIVE ANACHRONISM, INC.

EVENT REPORT FORM

Branch: Barony of Ered SylEVENT: Highlands WARDATE: June 9-12-2011

INCOME

Fee Type	(A) Advance Attendees	(B) at-the-door Attendees	(C) Advance Fee \$\$	(D) at-the-door Fee \$\$	Actual Income (A x C)+(B x D)
Site Fee (Adult)	182	348	25.00		17700
Site Fee (Child) <u>Youth</u>	20	70	10.00		
Feast Fee (Adult)					
Feast Fee (Child)	17	11		8	
Class Fee <u>DAY PASS</u>		24		10.00	
Child Fee		2			
Corporate Surcharges <u>Merchant</u>					465
Other Income (Itemize on back)					6607
<u>Refunds</u>					18105
TOTAL ACTUAL INCOME					

EXPENSES

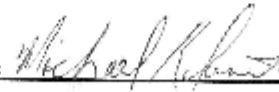
EXPENSES				TOTAL
Advertising				
Equipment Rental & Maintenance		5653.31		5653.31
Fees & Honoraria (Itemize on back)				
Food		252.41		252.41
General Supplies		1486.04		1486.04
Insurance (NON-SCA)				
Occupancy & Site Charges		4397.23		4397.23
Postage & Shipping, PO Box Rental		5.20		5.20
Printing & Publications		374.61		374.61
Telephone				
Travel (Gas, Tolls, Airfare)				
Other Expenses (Itemize on back)		200.00		200.00
SUB-TOTAL (Lines 12 to 27)				12368.80
Donations to Other 501(c)(3) [Nonprofit] Organizations (Itemize on back)				
Moved to Another (Itemize on back)				
SCA Account (Itemize on back)				
TOTAL ACTUAL EXPENSES				13353.80
NET PROFIT				4751.20

APPROVED:

Seneschal or

Auditor:

Exchequer:


Date: 7/11/11

Rapier

7/4 2 authorized , 3 non authorized

7/11 3 authorized , 1 non authorized

7/18 1 authorized , 2 non authorized . Rain, so we had a gorget making seminar.

7/25 4 authorized fighters , 1 non authorized

No accidents this month , and 3 authorizations at Too Darn Hot.

Progress to making every fighter in Ered Sul a field marshal is proceeding...

Knights Marshal

Ered Sul Marshals Report – July 2011

Week 1

Number of fighters 0

Number of injuries 0

Week 2

Number of fighters 6

Number of injuries 0

Week 3

Number of fighters 6

Number of injuries 0

Week 4

Number of fighters 5

Number of injuries 0

Minimum number of marshals at practice = 2

No problems or incidents.

Recently had a lot of inquiries into the SCA at these practices.

No experimental weapons or practices to note.

Report Prepared By: Sir Angus Macaird (Steven Aird)

Membership #104709

A & S

Hello everyone,

Planning workshops, then revising those plans, then needing to put it all on a back burner until a future event so we just keep the materials and research for the potpourri/sachets for a class that will be taught soon at an event.

The next workshop is at Lady Catherine the Tapester's home on Aug 8th.

Yours in service,

Lady Osanna Schauenengel

From Their Excellencies . . .

A&S at Thorpe Adult Center will officially start the second Tuesday of September. We have the crafts room from 6 PM to 8 PM. The topic for September will be Registering your Name and Heraldry. Henry and I are going to try to bring a laptop with internet connection to aid in the crosschecking with the armorial. This is a great opportunity for folks to get help registering names and heraldry!

We would also like feedback from folks on what other things they would like to see at A&S. Henry and I can teach a bunch of different classes, both practical and more academic, and I know that we have many others in the barony who can also teach. I am considering a textile workshop that could include spinning, lucet, simple kumihimo, tablet weaving and possibly sprang as available topics of study. If other folks have ideas, please let Us know.

Herald

We have a few Awards given both by Christopher and Miana at their last court and by Henry and Eirny in their first court. We also have the new Baronial Champions for 2011.

Awards from final Court of Christopher and Miana:

Gilded Heart

Robert Av Bergen

Gilded Star

Farhana of Red Hands Tribe

Mhari of House Coventina

Klara of House Coventina

Sybilla of Beau Maris

Elizabeth of Chateau Marceau

Scrolls were given to all of the above.

The two awards given at Highlands were Gilded Stars. Padre has the names. These two did not receive scrolls.

Awards given at the court of Baron Henry and Baroness Eirny:

Gilded Heart Third Degree

Gunnar Skullsplitter
Saeunn Kerling
Christopher FitzArthur of Walland Marsh
Miana ni Chonnagain

Gilded Heart Second Degree
Dubhchobhlaigh inghean Eoin ui Ealaighthe

All above did receive scrolls.

Baronial Champions for Ered Sul 2011-2012
Hardsuit
Viscount Sterling Schawn Leopard
Rapier
Lady Emma Attwyll
Archery
Mathys der Pfeilmacher van Bayern
Youth Archery
Katherine Fischer
Youth Combat
Edmund Robertsen or Bergen
Bardic
Patrick the Butcher

Stepping down Champions 2010-2011
Hardsuit- Lord Leviticus the Loud
Rapier- Lord Robert de Lion
Archery- Lord Gilgareth Greywolf
Youth Archery- Jayson the Small
Youth Combat-Jake

All champions stepping down did receive scrolls

As always, willing to serve.

Lora of the Four Paws

Northern Atenveldt Archery Practice

Archery, Archery, and more Archery!

This is a major opportunity to meet and get to know archers from all over Northern Atenveldt! Trade archery hints, where you get your supplies, sell extra equipment – the purpose of this event is to promote and aid the cause of Archery! Recurves, long bows, crossbows – all SCA legal archery equipment is permissible! Our goal is to have enough marshals to run the line for as

long as folks want to shoot. There will be much flinging of arrows – Royal rounds, IKAC, and fun shoots will abound. There is room to camp overnight if you want to do both days. This event is on private property (belonging to Baron Henry and Baroness Eirny). It is in a residential area - so quiet time will start at 10 PM. If there is some particular type of shoot that you would like to see, or if you would like to teach an archery related class please contact Lady Adler or Lord Gilgareth Greywolf. Saturday night we will be having a potluck – another opportunity to get to know Archers! More details as we find out how many will be attending.

We need a count of how many plan to attend so that we will know how many porta-potties we need to have. If you plan to attend, please contact Lady Adler.

Ideas or questions or reservations? Reservations - Contact Lady Adler [adler2 @ arcingthunder dot org](mailto:adler2@arcingthunder.org) Lord Gilgareth Greywolf at [stealthscribe @ cox dot net](mailto:stealthscribe@cox.net)

When: September 17 and 18

Where: 1 What Road, Juniperwoods Ranch, Ash Fork, AZ – DO NOT rely on a GPS to get to this site! The county maps are wrong for this area, and therefore the GPS information is NOT accurate. Take your best route to Ash Fork (at the junction of 40 and 89). From the north take 89 south. The first named road (named, not numbered!) is Bullock Road – take it! It only goes in one direction. It is paved, but that will change. Follow the road across the railroad tracks – it will be dirt at this point. Bear left in front of the church and keep going straight for three miles. You will pass several dirt roads with street signs. When you see Ranch road (on the right – white cutout metal sign on a post) start watching for signs. What Road will be on the right side of the road (green wooden sign on a post). Bear right and then take an immediate left. The road to the right is That Road and will NOT take you to the gate (no, I'm not kidding!). Follow the winding driveway, bearing left whenever some random path appears. It is about 1000 feet. When you see the gates you are there! There will be signs!

How Much? We are not sure right now – we need to help cover the cost of the porta-potties, but we also want to make the event very doable. We plan to have a family maximum to make it easier for families to attend. We will update the information as things come together.

Rain Date: September 24th and 25th This site is on a dirt road and severe rain causes the road to go away!

E-Newsletter Announcement

The Board policy on kingdom electronic newsletters (e-newsletters) is scheduled to take effect on January 1, 2012, with the first e-newsletter available being the March, 2012 issue. Here are some of the important details of this policy.

- All paid Sustaining and International members will have access to all SCA, Inc. kingdom e-newsletters via a password-protected website, even if they choose to continue receiving paper newsletters.

- All kingdom newsletters will be 8.5"x11" with a uniform page count to allow all the paper newsletters to be sent in one bulk mailing.
- Within each kingdom, the paper and electronic newsletters will contain the same information, but the kingdom will have the option of including a supplemental PDF of articles, photo essays, art, etc. for the newsletters website.
- Once the link to the e-newsletter website is available on www.sca.org (after January 1, 2012), you may discontinue your paper newsletter, no matter where you are in your membership cycle. However, please be aware that no refunds can be issued if you choose to do so.
- An e-newsletter will not constitute proof of membership.

As always, we encourage your comments and questions at comments@sca.org and will try to answer any question you may have. Your kingdom or officer ombudsman is always available to you to answer these questions directly and those assignments are listed in your newsletter and on the www.sca.org website. You may also find answers to a number of other questions relating to e-newsletters on the SCA website at

<http://www.sca.org/BOD/announcements/e-newslettersFAQ.html>.

KINGDOM EVENTS

Middle East Feast

Barony of Twin Moons

September 3, 2011

Our shared dream is one that is fueled by a fondness for courtesies and ideals of times gone by, of simple pastimes and joys. In that spirit, we will journey back together, to a time when drumming, dancing, eating, gaming, and visiting were done for the pure joy of it. Back to a time when a Middle Eastern Feast was an event set aside to be a social event, full of many of the gentler pleasures of this wonderful Society. Come: drum with your old friends and new acquaintances; dance to the beat; delight in the spectacle of colors and movement. Spend some time bargaining and bartering with people from near and far; take a stroll and examine the abundant wares of merchants from this amazing group.

Join us as we travel back to simpler times, at Middle East Feast on September 3, 2011. This marvelous event will take place at the Phoenix Airport Hilton, 2435 South 47th Street, Phoenix, Arizona. Site opens at 2 pm and closes at midnight. Our feast will be prepared by the hotel chef, and will be available through pre-sale only. Feast reservations are limited, and may be purchased online through ACCEPS. This site is wet, but all food and beverages consumed on site must be purchased from the facility. Water, iced tea, and lemonade will be provided throughout the day. Turkish coffee will also be provided, with a small donation requested to

help with the expense of the beverage. Smoking is allowed outside in designated areas only. Only documented service animals are allowed on site.

To enhance the ambiance of the event, please bring your rugs, your cushions, and your decorations. We would request that no large furniture be brought on site, as the smaller hall will not be able to accommodate bulky pieces well. No coolers should be brought on site.

Feast will consist of a buffet spread prepared by the hotel's professional chef, and will include:

- ⤴ Fruit and Vegetable trays
- ⤴ Hummus and Pita
- ⤴ Chicken Kabobs
- ⤴ Meatballs
- ⤴ Basmati Rice
- ⤴ Couscous
- ⤴ Cookies and Baklava

Reduced room rates can be obtained from the hotel by calling 480-894-1600. Reservations made by August 12th will have a room rate of \$69 for a standard room. Reservations made after August 12th cannot be guaranteed the reduced rate.

Site fees:

Adult Member: \$15

Youth (5-17): \$10

Adult Feast: \$15

Youth Feast: \$10

Non-member surcharge will apply.

Event Stewards: Baroness Elizabeth Æthelwulf (mka Liz Smith) email: lizzard74@yahoo.com; M'Lady Brígh inghean Cathasaigh (mka Tara Coons) email: tarabrietta@cox.net; Lord Alostyr Stewart (mka Josh Jameson) email: joshjamesonazsem@gmail.com, phone 602-317-2338

UBERDEMO 2011

College of St. Felix

September 6, 2011

HEROES OF ATENVELDT: PRAY ATTEND!!! (In this case, Listen and SHOW UP!)

Their Excellencies Tir Ysgithr have agreed to move Tir Ysgithr Fighter Practice to the University of Arizona Mall on September 6, 2011, the day AFTER Labor Day, from 7pm-10pm. (Or the Tuesday after Middle East Feast. Take your pick.)

"UBERDEMO 2011" as it is being called (Even though it IS just Fighter Practice) will be on the University of Arizona Mall, Tucson, AZ, due South of The Flandrau Planetarium, 1601 E. University Blvd (3rd Street).

The Populace is encouraged to bring anything and everything they can think of to show young, impressionable college students that will get them involved in the SCA. Exceptions to this being Alcohol and Weapons (Dry site & a College Campus-SCA COMBAT WEAPONS ARE ALLOWED.)

The site is Open at 5:30 PM for Drop off of equipment and set up. Once vehicles are unloaded, they must be moved to a designated parking area.

The site Closes at 10:30 PM.

The purpose of this demo is simple: RECRUITMENT.

This is how it is done: Have Fun. Be yourself. If you want to work on arts, do it. We'll have the Baronial Pyg set up for you as an Artisan's Showcase. If you want to fight, do that. IT'S SNOWBALL MELEE NIGHT! (There will be Atenveldt Snowballs Available after the fighting.) We'll have areas set up for you, WITH LIGHT. We figure, if this Fine Kingdom doing what it normally does (albeit in a different location) doesn't convince people to join us, nothing will.

Garb is requested but not required. Lighting will be limited to the Fighting Fields so if you have any Battery Operated Lanterns, please bring them for the Artisans areas. (Propane Lanterns can be used, BUT, they require fire extinguishers nearby and they cannot be hung on flammable materials.)

Dancing, both Middle Eastern and Court will be taking place.

Tours will be pouring through and for THE FIRST TIME EVER AT A DEMO: Classes! (Details to be announced!)

The moving of Fighter Practice is a ONE TIME Event. Tir Ysgithr Fighter Practice will return to its original location at Reid Park, September 13th.

Directions and What to do when you get on site:

From I-10 Exit Speedway Blvd and go EAST to Campbell Avenue. Turn RIGHT. On Campbell go South and get in the Right Hand Lane. Just past the Tennis Courts, you will see a traffic light. There is an exit just before the traffic light on your right which turns onto University Blvd (3rd Street). Drive slowly around the curve to the right and follow the road. The road is a ONE WAY Street.

WARNING: Be mindful of Students as they DO NOT watch where they are going.

Before the next street (Cherry Ave) is the site. Pull up to the Curb on the LEFT. You will be met by a person waving their arms and indicating where to stop. Park and unload your gear unto the grass. (Guards will be posted.) Get back into your vehicle and proceed to parking. Vehicles CANNOT be left unattended.

Closest Parking is Pay Parking at the Cherry Avenue Garage. To get there: Continue from the drop off area to Cherry Avenue and Turn left at the stop sign. Proceed forward and stop at the next stop sign.

After it is clear, proceed approximately 100 yards until you see the entrance of the Cherry Street Garage. Pull up to the gated entry and push the green button marked "Ticket". Take the ticket. ****KEEP THE TICKET WITH YOU!!!!**YOU WILL NEED IT!!**** When the arm goes up, pull in and find parking. Walk to the Demo site. When the Demo is over, find the "Cashier" in the parking Garage and pay for your parking. It should be about \$5. If you Do Not have your ticket, you will have to pay a \$10 "Lost ticket fee".

Unfortunately the College of St. Felix Coffers cannot afford to pay for parking. (We hope you will come anyway.)

If you do not wish to pay for parking: There are several spots on campus to park. They can be found at <http://parking.arizona.edu/parkingmap/> After 5pm, lots marked as "Zone 1" are free.

If you have any additional questions, Contact the Event Steward: Lord William Lockridge (Will Emigh), (480)612-3412 , wilfarmane@gmail.com, or CSF Advisor, THL Fergus DeBotha (Curt Booth) (520)664-4699, unclefergie@cox.net, (No calls after 9pm, please. M-F, 8am-5pm you will probably get voicemail.)

Our numbers are small, but our hearts swell with Atenveldt Pride!!
Thank you for supporting the College of St. Felix.

We now return you to your Kingdom Newsletter already in progress.

Granite Mountain Collegium

Barony of Granite Mountain

September 10, 2011

Interested in a day of education, fighting and fun? Please come join our BARONY of Granite Mountain at our annual collegium. It is a great way to learn new things, make new friends and escape the Phoenix heat. Collegium will be held Sept 10th in Chino Valley at 1021 W. Butterfield Rd, Chino Valley, AZ 86323 from 9 am to 5 pm. We will be having a potluck so bring your favorite dish to share. In addition to collegium, Michaelmas will be going on in the park across the way so get ready for a full day of fun.

Come and join the Knights of St. Michael as they celebrate their annual Michaelmas Tourney Saturday, September 10th. The Hardsuit Tournaments will be held alongside Granite Mountain's Collegium event. They invite all non belted fighters to enter the list at a chance to become the Defender of Michaelmas. After the defender tournament there will be an additional list for those combatants to fight the knights in attendance.

Directions: From the North- Take I-40 to Hwy 89 to Chino Valley. Turn Left on Butterfield Rd and go to the end of the rd. It is on corner of Butterfield Rd/Rd 1. From the South- Take I-17 to

Cortez Junction. Take Hwy 69 to 89 into Chino Valley. Turn Left on Butterfield Rd and go to the end. It is right there in the corner of Butterfield Rd/Rd 1.

Site Fees: \$5.00 for adult members, \$10.00 adult non-members, \$5.00 ages 5-17, 5 and under free

Autocrat: Philomena Scrima/Dawn Scroggins, Scroggins_dm@yahoo.com 928-499-5645

The Masquerade Murders: Barony of Atenveldt Anniversary

Barony of Atenveldt

September 17, 2011

Venice. A city that evokes a rich tapestry of romance, good food, festive music, and deep international intrigue...

It is the honor of Ricardo de Note (Master Ritchyrd McUath), a visiting merchant, to cordially invite one and all to a splendid evening of feast and entertainment in a Masquerade Ball being held to celebrate the glorious anniversary of the noble Barony of Atenveldt.

Your host for the evening would request that foreign dignitaries feel comfortable to dress according to their customs, but would encourage one and all to wear a costume suitable for a true Venetian Masquerade. Masks will be provided for guests who are in need of the addition to their costume and there will be decorations available to personalize such accessories. But, as there will be a competition with prizes for the most creative and most heraldic masks at the event, guests are also encouraged to make and bring their own.

There will be a pot luck feast, music and dancing on hand for your enjoyment. The ever graceful, Lord and Lady of Love will also be looking for lovely couples to compete for the title.

Your host looks forward to welcoming you to the festivities between 10am and 6pm on September 17, 2011.

... But beware as the celebrations commence. There are dark deeds afoot. As a good and noble citizen, please keep a wary eye open as those in your midst could be in the middle of a conspiracy most foul. But, are all of the rumors floating around true?

When blood runs and bodies drop, it will be up to the guests keen deductions to guess at who is to blame. And for those with an investigators nose, there may be clues in your surroundings to help you find the answers.

As the waning moon creeps out for the evening, all will come to be known. Prizes will be awarded to the person who follows the mysterious clues to completion first, and to a person who accurately deduces the guilty parties and motives of the evening's unfortunate events. The mystery will begin at 11 am, all speculations must be submitted by 4:30pm.

Adult member fees will be \$7, non-members are \$12, children 17 and under are free.

The site is at the Boys and Girls Club at 4730 W. Grovers Ave. Glendale, AZ 85308.

Event Coordinators:

Master Ritchyrd McUath Email: saile_weep@hotmail.com, Phone 602-486-5742

Lady Safaya bint Ahmet ibn Abdullah Email: ladysafaya@yahoo.com

Dame Jennifer Trethewy Email: jennifertrethewy@gmail.com

Knight Light Tourney

Barony of Tir Ysgithr

September 20, 2011

Come and join as, one and all, as we raise funds to keep the lights on for our Tuesday night practice. We will be auctioning fighters of every kind, heavy combat, rapier and youth, with prizes available for the winners and their sponsor. The tournament formats will be determined by the number of participants, but it will include weapon of choice, so bring out your favorites. Hot dogs and burgers will be available for a small donation. The festivities will be starting at 6pm instead of the usual 7pm so we can fit everything in.

Donations of prizes are greatly desired and side dishes or desserts to round out the table will be gladly accepted, as well assistance in setting up, tearing down, and manning the grills. Please contact the autocrat, Lady Norah, if you would like to help.

Knight Light Tourney will take place at 6 pm at Tuesday night fighter practice, which is held at the SW corner of Reid Park, near the NE corner of 22nd and Country Club, west of the Cancer Memorial. No glass containers allowed in the park, and dogs must be on leashes. Parents, please be advised that the playground equipment is not lit at night and youth activities are not planned.

Autocrat: Lady Norah Rose Tenpenny (520) 991-4030, sillylala@gmail.com

Directions: Take your best route to 22nd, east of Country Club. Enter Reid Park from 22nd St. at the Cancer Memorial, turn left into the parking lot and proceed past the playground to the area near the restrooms.

Chocolate Revel

College of Brymstonne

September 24, 2011

It is once again time to cast aside those diets for a day and come to enjoy the wondrous deliciousness that is CHOCOLATE at the College of Brymstonne's annual Chocolate Revel!!! This year's theme is the grandeur of King Henry VIII's Tudor court. Over the last year several people have joined in the craziness of Brymstonne's "Tudor Project" in which we are recreating some of the garb found in portraits during King Henry's reign. The results of some of our work

will be debuted at this year's Chocolate Revel. Can you spot Jane Seymore's dress? Or maybe Mary Tudor's? Join us and see!

If you would like more information (or would like to join in the craziness) please see our Tudor Project website at: www.brymstonne.org/tudor/

Please note that while the theme is "Tudor Grandeur" it is not required that you wear Tudor garb. Everyone is encouraged to join us from all SCA times & places.

Chocolate Revel will take place on Saturday, September 24, 2011

Site opens at Noon and closes at 9 pm, with a buffet feast to cut the sugar of the Chocolate running from 12:30 pm – 5 pm (please bring feast gear)

Buffett feast is included in the site fees:

Adult members - \$17.00 for adult members

Youth (5-17 years of age) - \$5.00

Children (0-4 years of age) – free

A surcharge of \$5.00 will be applied to non-members

Pre-registration is now being accepted by Lady Kateryn Treningham (lesa@bornost.com). Checks or money orders made out to "College of Brymstonne" may be mailed PRIOR to Saturday, September 10, 2010 to: Lesa Bornost; 220 W. Sequoia Drive; Phoenix, AZ 85027.

Please ensure the following information is with your check: 1) phone number 2) How many Adult Members, Youth, Children as well as non-members you are paying for. You may include an email address/self addressed envelope to receive confirmation of receipt of your payment.

ALL attendees (pre-registered or not) will need to show proof of membership or will be charged the non-member surcharge. Cash and checks will be accepted at the event. There is no ATM on site.

Directions

Fountain Hills Community Center
13001 North La Montana Drive
Fountain Hills, AZ 85268

From the South and East: Take your best route to Highway 87 (Country Club Drive) and go north towards Payson until you get to Shea Blvd. Turn left (west) onto Shea Blvd. Go to Saguaro Blvd (first light) and turn right (north) onto Saguaro. Go about 2.5 miles to El Lago Blvd. Turn left (west) onto El Lago. Go less than half a mile to La Montana Drive and turn right(north). The Community Center is on the right side of La Montana.

From the North and West: Take your best route to Shea Blvd and go east until you get to Saguaro Blvd; if you get to Highway 87, you've gone too far. Turn left (north) onto Saguaro. Go

about 2.5 miles to El Lago Blvd. Turn left (west) onto El Lago. Go less than half a mile to La Montana Drive and turn right (north). The Community Center is on the right side of La Montana.

City laws do not permit us to place event signs along the roads, but a sign will be placed at the parking lot entrance.

The College of Brymstonne will be hosting many competitions and frivolity throughout the day. Please see the Brymstonne website (www.brymstonne.org/chocolate.php) for complete details. Just a few things you can look forward to are:

Food-Related Competitions

2nd Annual Diabetic-Friendly Dessert Competition

Chocolate Dessert Competition

Youth Dessert Competition

Themed Dessert Display – This year's theme is "Tudor Inspiration"

Additional Competitions / Activities

The return of the excitement of the Jousts!

Can you be as eloquent as King Henry was? Please display your talent in the Bardic Garden!

A&S Competitions

This year join us in the hilarity of "Frog Flipping" and see if you can flip your frog the furthest.

Chocolate Revel would not be complete without DANCING! After all, something must be done to burn off the chocolate to make room for more.

And of course the SILENT AUCTION!!

The College of Brymstonne was greatly honored by the generous and awe-inspiring donations to last year's silent auction. We would be most obliged if our gracious Kingdom would again show us this kind support. The ever so lovely Lady Béinn ingen Domnaill is currently accepting donations for this year's silent auction. If you wish to donate an item or services, please email Lady Béinn. Pictures of items up for auction will be added to the Brymstonne website as they become available so check back often to see what new treasures could be yours!

Come and enjoy the fun and see what else is being schemed up for a day of Chocolate deliciousness and Tudor Grandeur!

Event Stewards:

M'lady Isabella Ponce

Lady Selina Trastamara de Luna (lady_selina@cox.net)

Feast

Lady Freydis in kyrra Alfarinsdottir (sharrie85211@yahoo.com)

Steward

Kingdom Arts & Sciences Competition

Barony of Tir Ysgithr

October 1, 2011

Will be held in the Barony of Tir Ysgithr (Tucson, Arizona) at the Hotel Tucson City Center 475 N. Granada -- St. Mary's and I-10 -- (520) 622-3000 • Site is Wet • SCA Rate for Rooms - \$69.99 - per night (Room upgrades available up to \$89.99 per night) -- Make your Reservations Now • Amenities include a hot, full breakfast buffet every morning and happy hour from 5 pm to 6:30 pm, an Olympic size outdoor swimming pool, free Wi-Fi in rooms, rooms are furnished with microwaves, refrigerators and cable TV. This pet-friendly hotel has a 24-hour front desk and free parking. There will be food available on site for sale as well as a list of local off-site eateries provided at the troll table.

- Site Fee \$10.00 Adult Members; \$15.00 Non Members; \$5.00 Youth age 6-17. 5 and under, Free

- ARTISANS: For Kingdom Competition Rules, Categories and Information, please contact your Kingdom Minister for Arts and Sciences -- THL Raven Mayne; asmin@atenveldt.org. OR see <http://arts.atenveldt.com/>

- CERTIFIED JUDGES: Please contact Viscountess Victoria of the Vales of Barnsdale; viscvictoria@aol.com; (520) 400-0078. Luncheon will be provided for all those who serve as our judges this day by the Households of Tir Ysgithr.

- NEW THIS YEAR: Hardsuit Tournament and Rapier Challenge • It is our intent to have Activities for the Populace, younger and older and young at heart • TRM will meet in Circle with The Right Noble Order of the Laurel • There will be an Artisan's Showcase and THL Raven requests donations for an Auction as a Fundraiser to support Arts Activities in the Kingdom.

- The populace is also invited to attend a special class offered at this event: "ON BEING A TERRITORIAL BARON OR BARONESS" will be offered for the populace during competition judging (11 AM). Class will include a presentation on the duties and responsibilities of a Territorial Baron and Baroness, followed by a Question & Answer session so the populace may ask a panel their questions about the role of Landed Nobility in Atenveldt. The panel will include sitting and former Territorial Barons and Baronesses, and TRM Arthur and Gabriela, King and Queen of Atenveldt. INSTRUCTOR: Duchess Katerina O'Callaghan, OP. The role of Territorial Baron and Baroness is the cornerstone of SCA culture. This class is one of the few forums where the work and rewards required of those in the position are discussed. So mark your calendars!

- A DANCE BALL will take place in the evening after closing court for those who wish to trip the light majestic with Court and Country Dancing. Dame Jeanne encourages all those with a love of dance to attend!

- For More Event Information or to Volunteer, please contact your Event Stewardess -- Baroness Magdalen Venturosa; magdalen67@gmail.com; (520) 258-8705.

Please Join Us for a Day of Amusement -- be you Artisan, Fighter or Servant -- This Arts and

Sciences Competition will pay homage to the Muse in each of you! SAVE THE DATE!

Dragon's Horde

Barony of Tir Ysgithr

October 15-16, 2011

The Barony of Tir Ysgithr is in need of your help! The Dragon has sent an emissary and his threat is dire. He plans to attack our scientists and artisans at the upcoming Science Exposition.

We call upon all fighters for help to defeat his minions. Rumor has it that the White Dragon is leading the invaders to our glorious Barony and he is bringing with him the Red and Green Dragons, along with some horrible monsters. Tournaments will be held, virgins and picnic baskets auctioned, and so much more!

New this year is an Exposition of Scientific Invention, to be held during the day on Saturday. This is a display only event for all alchemists, artisans, and aspiring scientists within our Kingdom. There will be a Laurel's Prize and a Populace Choice prize. If you have ever wanted to try your hand at all the marvelous scientific inventions that developed during the middle ages, now is your chance. The best way to fight mythical creatures is with Science! Did you know that automatons, batteries, plumbing, hot & cold running water, flushing toilets, plastic surgery, astronomical computers, and steam power and so much more were all invented before 1600? Find your favorite, build it, and bring it to ward off the dragons and show off to your fellow inventors. While documentation is encouraged, this is a non-judged expo and only a 3x5 card with the following information is requested; what is it? When was it used/made in the Middle Ages? Who used it and for what? If you intend to enter, please send an e-mail to Hanim Ari at (small.angry.muses@gmail.com) with your intention to display by October 1st. Please include how much table space you will need and if you are able to provide a table. We will do our best to provide tent space for your display.

Saturday will have the Dragon battles, come prepared to fight these fearsome monsters. Their Majesties have also announced their intention to hold a Pelican circle after opening court and a Knight's circle after the battles for the day are finished. Saturday evening will be the vigil for Thomas d'Revel as he contemplates elevation to the Knighthood.

Sunday will find the monsters invading our Barony. These are 5 man team battles. Come with a "monster team" or come on your own and challenge the monsters. We will drive these beasts from our lands!!

Where: Himmel Park, 1000 N Tucson Blvd

Site opens at 9am and closes at 5pm both days. Site fee is \$3 for adult members, \$1 for children 5 –17, and free for children under 5. There is a \$5 non-member surcharge.

Defenders' Tournament

Barony of Twin Moons

October 21-23, 2011

Hear Ye, Hear Ye ... One and all,

Let it be known far and wide that Their Excellencies of Twin Moons wish to have new Defenders. To that end, They have charged me to make it known that the time of choosing will be October 21 – 23rd. They request all who wish to test their skills, and per chance become a Defender of Twin Moons, to meet on the fields of Schnepf Farms, in the city of Queen Creek. They welcome all to start gathering on Friday Oct 21st after two of the clock in the afternoon.

Saturday the 22nd will see hard suit tournaments for Defender, Standard Barer, and Rapier. In the evening there will be a pot luck dinner. There will be more information to follow on the Pot Luck, but please remember to make enough to feed 8 – 10 SCA adults. Saturday night there will also be Trick or Treating, so please plan accordingly. The farm allows pets on the property but they must be leashed. The farm does allow above ground fires, it does have water, and the site is wet to help bring the festivities to life.

Sunday, I have been told, will be a day full of surprises. Their Excellencies wish to encourage all to attend and to take part in this glorious weekend. They request that all bring out displays of heraldry, to bring all your pageantry, and chivalry. Let us all make this a weekend to remember.

These words are at the bidding of Their Excellencies, Morgan and Elizabeth, Baron and Baroness of Twin Moons,

In Service,

Thegn Thomas Godefroy, Standard Barer for the Barony of Twin Moons

DETAILS:

WHEN: October 21 - 23. Site opens at 2 on Friday, closes at 6 on Sunday.

SITE FEE: \$15 adult member, \$20 adult non-member, youth under 18 are free of charge

WHERE: RV hookups available but must be reserved with the site owner.
24810 South Rittenhouse Road, Queen Creek, Arizona 85242
Once on the farm, follow the SCA signs to the site, as there will be other happenings at the farm that weekend. Entrance to the Chili Festival is not included in your site fee.

Please forward questions to HE Elizabeth, Baroness of Twin Moons.

Atenveldt Coronation and Champions

Barony of Atenveldt

November 5-6, 2011

Join us as we bid farewell to our beloved monarchs Arthur and Gabriela and watch their heirs ascend the throne of all Atenveldt. On November 5-6, a weekend of pageantry and spectacle will take place at the Montessori Day School 9215 N. 14th St. Phoenix, AZ 85018

The site is dry. Pets are allowed but must be leashed and cleaned up after. Smoking is not permitted.

The site opens at 9am and closes at 5pm on Saturday and on Sunday.

Site Fees: \$6 for adult members (add \$5 for non-members) \$3 for youth age 10-17 and under 10 are free.

From Sky Harbor International Airport:

Head east onto E. Sky Harbor Blvd. Merge onto I-10 W via the ramp to Downtown/AZ-51/Phoenix. Take exit 147A-147B to merge onto AZ-51 N. Take exit 7 for Northern Ave. Turn left onto N Dreamy Draw Dr/E Northern Ave. Continue to follow E Northern Ave. Turn right onto N 12th St. Turn right onto E Dunlap Ave. Take the 3rd left onto N 14th St. Destination will be on the right. Drive time approximately 22 minutes.

From Downtown Phoenix:

Merge onto I-10 East via exit number 1A towards Tucson. Take exit 147B to merge onto AZ-51 N. Take exit 7 for Northern Ave. Turn left onto N Dreamy Draw Dr/E Northern Ave. Continue to follow E Northern Ave. Turn right onto N 12th St. Turn right onto E Dunlap Ave. Take the 3rd left onto N 14th St. Destination will be on the right. Drive time approximately 22 minutes.

From Tucson International Airport:

Take I-10 West Take exit **147A-147B** to merge onto **AZ-51 N**. Take exit 7 for Northern Ave. Turn left onto N Dreamy Draw Dr/E Northern Ave. Continue to follow E Northern Ave. Turn right onto N 12th St. Turn right onto E Dunlap Ave. Take the 3rd left onto N 14th St. Destination will be on the right. Drive time approximately 2 hours and 20 minutes.

From Flagstaff:

Take I-17 South to Exit 207/Dunlap Ave. Turn left (East) on Dunlap Ave. Turn left on 14th St. Destination will be on the right. Drive time approximately 2 hours and 24 minutes.

Event Steward: Gwendolyn the Beguine 602-348-8410 librablue13@gmail.com

Southern Crusades XIII

Corsairs and Corsets

(or was it Privateers and Princesses!?!)

Barony of Tir Ysgithr

November 10-14, 2011

Once again the Drums of War sound in the southern lands of Atenveldt as the Barony of Tir Ysgithr and the Barony March of Mons Tonitrus invite one and all to join us for Southern Crusades XIII!

We will be having fighting for hard suit, rapier and youth combat. Melees and tournaments will test your prowess on the field. There will also be archery and equestrian events to show off your skills. And perhaps a combination of the two at once. We are planning for a full schedule of arts classes and demonstration to fill the days. Bardic and Dance & Drums competitions will add to the wonderful sounds in the evening air. And of course, merchants! Lots of merchants for your shopping pleasure.

So we invite you to join us at Winkelman Flats Park in beautiful Winkelman, AZ.

Site Fee: SAME AS LAST YEAR!!! Adult Members: \$20 with ACCEPS pre-registration; \$30 at the Gate. Youth Members (5-17): \$8. Children (Under 5): Free. Family Cap (Available ONLY via pre-registration on ACCEPS): \$55. Family Cap to include no more than two (2) adults and any number of Youth or Children living at same physical address. Day Trip: \$12 per day. Non-Member Surcharge: \$5.

For additional details and updates please visit our Website at <http://www.southerncrusades.org>.

Event Stewards: Mistress Tigra of Marwoode (Karen Allen) (tigra@cox.net) and Master Mederic de Chatellerault (Mark Crider) (mederiksca@yahoo.com)

Site Steward: Lady Fiona McGuire (Laura Smeal) (blsmeal@hotmail.com)

Chronicler Want Ad

The Barony is seeking a responsible person who will publish the Baronial newsletter accurately and in a timely manner. Word processing skills and email a necessity. The function of the newsletter is to inform and educate the populace and to further the educational purposes of the SCA. Please contact the Baron/Baroness to apply.

BARONIAL REGNUM

<p>Baron and Baroness: Master Henry Eynhallow and Mistress Eirny Thorvaldsdottir (Henry & Irene Davis) PO Box 105 Ash Fork, AZ 86320 Coronet@baronyoferedsul.org Henry: (831) 359-1310 Irene: (831) 320-0765 NO CALLS AFTER 9 PM PLEASE!</p>	<p>Seneschal: Lord Gil Gareth Greywolf (David Harris) gilgarethgreywolf@cox.net (928) 266-1510</p>
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Sheriff: OPEN (Please contact their excellencies if interested!)	Scribe: OPEN (Please contact their excellencies if interested!)

Please send any additions/changes to regnum information to Patricia Kolasinski at grymstone1@yahoo.com. Thank you.