



Barony of Granite Mountain

October 2019

The Ermine Spot



Greetings unto the Populace of Granite Mountain.

Champions in the Pines was a very wonderful event. The Pirate theme was engaging, the schedule of activities was entertaining, and overall it was well put together.

Congratulations to the Barony's new champions and award recipients.

There are many things happening in the Barony during the month of October. The silk banner workshop, a teaching scribal day, as well as our regular archery, hard suit, and rapier practices.

Also, remember that the Populace meeting this month will be held on the 24th as the last Thursday this month is Halloween.

Again, we hope many of you will consider entry into Ermine Tail Challenge. If you have any questions about this challenge, please check the files section of the Barony Facebook page or ask and we can discuss all or individual sections.

In service to our most glorious Kingdom and the Seventh Wonder of Atenveldt, the Barony of Granite Mountain.

Conor and Caroline

Vicar and Vicaress



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Letter from the Editor

Greetings and Salutations Populace!

Congratulations to all of the Champions at
Champions of the Pines! Huzzah!

Who went to Champions in the Pines? What an awesome event! Lord William Devlin and I had a great time, as I'm sure a great time was had by all. As always, Mistress Elsbeth Von Sonnenthal put her all into that event. She ALWAYS does a FANTASTIC job with everything that she does! If you went to the event, please let her know how much you loved it and what a great time you had. She really deserves it. You out did yourself your Excellency!

Congratulations to all the Kingdom A & S winners. All of your hard work has paid off.
Huzzah!

***Remember Granite Mountain.....
ROCKS!***

Feedback

The Chronicler values your comments! If you have any suggestions for improving the layout of *The Ermine Spot* or any of the contents, please don't hesitate to contact the Chronicler at bgmchronicler@gmail.com. Your ideas and opinions will help to make a better newsletter!



The Ermine Wrap - October 2019



Champions in the Pines



Ahoy Me'harties – Tis yer Champions in the Pines Event Steward with some words from me ships log...

The Ship has sailed for Champions in the Pines – A Pirate Adventure. I want to give a heartfelt thank those who chose to come ashore and join us for the weekend, I hope that all of you have quickly recovered from any bout of illness you may have contracted (scurvy or plague) lol. I sincerely hope that everyone had a wonderful time and thank you for your support. Congratulations to all the new Baronial Champions huzzah!

I have a boat load of good gentles I would like to recognize for their efforts that made everything for this event fall into place as well as winners of the various contests throughout the weekend so hang on to your hats! First, thank you to HL Pol and HL Camere for setting sail early on Wednesday in order to secure our beautiful site and for holding the Archery Champions shoot in my stead. Thank you to all the Marshals and former Champions (HL Wade, Don Robert, M'lord Ben, and HE Conor) for the excellent Saturday Champions Tournaments aboard ship, you did a wonderful job. Thank you as well to HE Master Lutold for coming to my rescue to build targets and hold the Thrown Weapons Champions Tournament. Also, a big thank you to Lady Adrienne for helping to Marshal Thrown Weapons as well, huzzah! I'd also like to thank Lady Ros for coming to my rescue on short notice and holding a very entertaining Bardic competition, it was really a treat. Thank you to all of the artisan's who competed in the BGM Arts and Sciences Competition, such remarkable entries! Also thank you to Lady Rose and her team of judges (Master Rychard and HE Mistress Eirny), it was run beautifully. Our Tavern Brawl Friday night was quite entertaining indeed, you could hear laughter throughout the entire camp. Thank you to Lord Jacket for holding such fun and creative tournament. The clout shoot was very fun (No arrows were lost or damaged, huzzah!). It was a nail bitter of a competition coming down so close it required measuring to determine the winner. Congratulations to HL Wade for coming the closest and getting to dig up the buried treasure! The Feast Oh my the feast! In true Granite Mountain tradition, it was magnificent! Thank you so much to my first mate HE Master Lutold for cooking the pork and beef to perfection! Thank you so much to all who brought out scrumptious potluck dishes. Congratulations to Lord Fred as the winner of the best savory dish and Lady Ann as winner of the best sweet dish winning a treasure. Our Salty Weasel tavern was stocked with a wonderful rum punch as well as, thanks to HE Master Gunnar, a wide variety of games for all of us to enjoy. Speaking of games, HE Master Lutold's weekend game of collecting the most good fortune coins was won by HE Master Simon and a skeletal prize was given at Sunday Mornings Pancake Breakfast, congratulations. Thank you to Their Excellencies for providing great Sunday morning grub and to Her Excellency Caroline, HE Lutold, and Lady Ros for cooking it up. Sunday morning, we held the first of what could become a tradition of the Sailing Ship regatta! Thank you so much to HE Wade for allowing me to borrow the Regatta race equipment (the big blow up racetrack). Many joined in the fun and built themselves a grand ship to race. After several heats we were able to determine the winners. First place went to HE Mistress Lia, second place went to HL Wade, and third place went to Lady Dawn. All winners received a treasure. Best and most creative sailing ship prize went to M'lord Kunetil.



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Champions in the Pines



Finally, in closing I wish to thank Lord Canaan for being so kind as to transport the BGM trailer as well as everyone that helped with set up and tear down at this event, and all the little details in between to make it shine. Thank you to Their Excellencies Granite Mountain as well as the populace for taking a chance on a Pirate Themed idea. Most of all for me personally, I'd like to recognize my husband for being my partner, cheerleader, and my ROCK for this event, and putting up with all the craziness over these past few months, I can never thank you enough. It was my honor to take the wheel of this years Champions in the Pines, our Baronies most prized Crown Jewel event. Thank you BGM for putting your faith in me. Granite Mountain ROCKS!

HE Mistress Elsbeth von Sonnenthal,

Champions in the Pines – Event Steward 2019



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Champions in the Pines



Congratulations to this year's Champions

Archery Crossbow and Archery Handbow - Lord William Devlin

Arts & Sciences - M'lady Gabriella Salvi de la Rosa

Bard of Wonder - Lady Dawn Greenwall

Hard Suit - Count Brian Winterbourne

Rapier - His Lordship Wade Greenwall

Rapier Cut and Thrust - Lord Rustand Drache

Throw Weapons Lady Beth Drache

You all do the Barony honor, huzzah!



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Champions in the Pines





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Champions in the Pines



Photos taken by Mistress Elsbeth Von Sonnenthal





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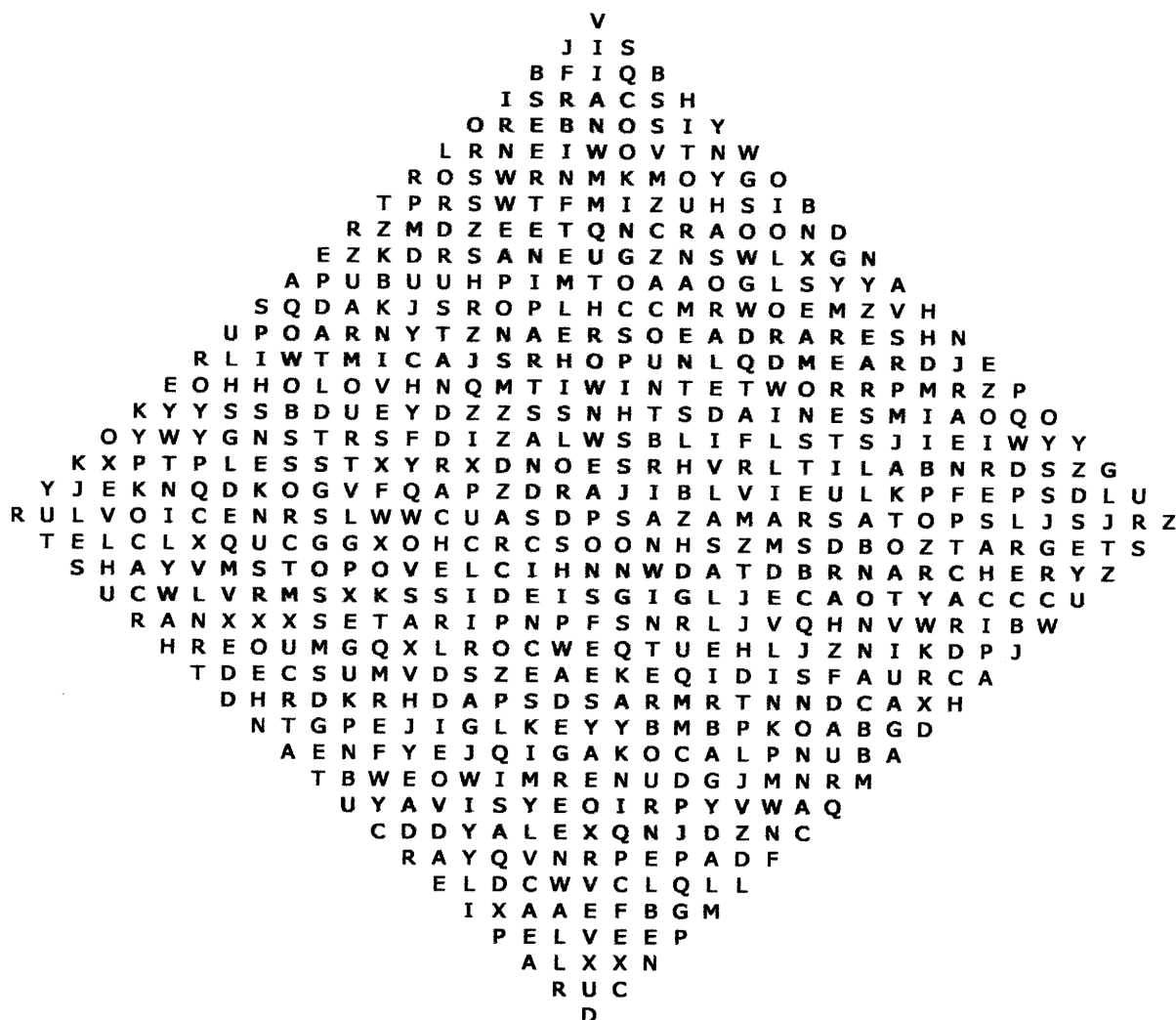


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Champions in the Pines - BQM Champion Word Find



Champions of the Pines



WORD LIST:

M'Lady Gabriella Salvicela Rosa

ARCHERY
ARMOUR
ARTS AND SCIENCES
BARDIC
CANNON BALLS
CANNONS
COOKING
COUNT BRIAN WINTERBURN
CROSSBOW
ERMINE
HARD SUITE
HELMET

Tournaments
Treasure
Voice
Weapons

OPEN HANDBOW
PINE TREES
PIRATES
RAPIER
RAPIER CUT AND THRUST
RUM
SEA MONSTERS
SHIPS
SINGING
SIRENS
SONGS
SPOT

His Lordship Wade
Greenwall
Knives
Lady Beth Drache
Lady Dawn Greenwall
Lord Ruestand Drache
Lord William Devlin
Mermaids
Sunken Ships
Swords
Targets
Thrown Weapons



Kingdom Events

Kingdom A & S Competition



We are please to announce the category winners from this past weekend's Kingdom A&S competition.

In the Novice division: Beverly Fitzallen de Stirkelaunde for Manuscript Arts, and Elizabetta Malipiero for Needlework.

In the Open division:

Katherine Throckmorton for Alchemy,

Johannes de Lours for Clothing Accessories,

Siobhan Medhbh O'Roarke for Culinary Arts,

Irisko Aranyas for Glass,

Irisko Aranyas for Heraldic Display,

Fiona inghean Mheg Uidhir for Jewelry/Decorative Pieces,

Johannes de Lours for Leatherwork,

Aurora Faw for Manuscript Arts,

Thome Spyle Syngere for Music Competition,

The Pfyrd Pypers for Performing Arts,

Katherine Throckmorton for Textile Arts,

Isabelle Le Charpentier for Woodworking.

Congratulations are also due to our Youth Champion Gabriella de Salvi de la Rosa, and our Kingdom A&S Champion Domingo Díaz de la Vega y Martin.

Thank you to all the participants, BGM hosts, judges, and staff, for helping make this a successful event!

YIS,

Mistress Aoife/ Terri Valencia, Kingdom A&S Minister

Lady Valdis, Emergency Deputy



Spot - Lite October 2019



Scriptorium

4850 N Spruce Rd.
Chino Valley

BGM Scriptorium

Greetings Scribal Artisans,

The "BGM Scribal Day" will be in place of our normal Scriptorium for the month of October. We could not hold this event on our normal Scriptorium second Sunday because of the conflict some of our instructors had with Great Western War. Therefore "Bgm Scribal Day" will be taking place on the 3rd Sunday, October 20th instead.

I hope all of you will be able to take advantage of this wonderful opportunity to learn and grow in your craft. We will have several amazing scribal artisans coming up to share a wide variety of instruction & techniques. It will certainly be a great creative day, I'm really looking forward to it. More details to come.

Mark your calendar! See you there!

In humble service,
HE Mistress Elsbeth von Sonnenthal,
BGM Signet

Populous/Business Meeting

October 24th, 6:00 PM

YEI

8594 E Eastridge Drive

Prescott Valley, AZ

No Garb

Barony of Granite Mountain Archery Practice

Saturday, October 5th and 19th, 1 pm at the Granite Mountain Archers Club

Directions: Granite Mountain Archers, 3755 Willow Creek Road, Prescott, AZ. Located across from Embry Riddle Aeronautical University, next to Spiritual Living Church Less than a mile south of Pioneer Parkway (89A).

Granite Mountain Fighter Practices

***** PLEASE MAKE NOTE OF NEW TIMES AND PRACTICE SITES*****

Rapier Practice: Memory Park, Chino Valley from 12:00– 3:00, every Sunday

Hard Suit Practice: Count Brian's House, from 7:00—10:00, every Tuesday



Spot Lite - October 2019 cont.

A & S - Silk Banner Workshop - October 12-13, 2019

10 am - 4 pm

Banner Workshop - Cost \$10 plus frame

Please join us for a weekend full of creating pretties to fly.

Start time will be 10am both days and run until around 4.

Please contact me on this event post or via PM, if you would like to order a silk banner for this class.

Order for banner must be to me by October 1st. Cost is \$10.00, you may pay me the day of the class.

You will need to have a drawing of your plan for your banner. To save time. Please have your designs drawn and enlarged to fit the banner size. (22" X 71") This will save a lot time on the day of the workshop. Use butcher paper or graph/copy paper that is taped to the proper size.

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR CLASS:

1. 22' X 72" silk banner or you can use cotton or linen fabric (please pre wash and hem fabric to the proper size)
2. Banner stretching frame (directions below)
3. Small, Medium, Large detail brushes (if you have them)

Banner Stretching Frame - cost is under \$20

Using 3/4 " PVC pipe and 3/4 " PVC connectors

CUT and mark measurements on pieces with sharpie before workshop.

4 – 38" pieces for sides

2 – 24" pieces for ends

6 - 32 to 36" pieces for legs - For tall people make these 40"

(measure from about your waist to the floor and use that measurement). You will be standing over the frame so

you need to be comfortable.

4 – Y corner connectors

2 – T connectors

If you go to ACE Hardware I know they will cut it for you for a small fee.

Please bring something to share for lunch/snack.

This is a working workshop and space is limited, only those working on banners will be allowed in the classroom. We don't want any bumps or oops :) .

You are welcome to hang out but in the kitchen or parking lot areas.

Please PM me if you have any questions.

IYS,

Lady Cynthia de la Dale





Spot Lite - October 2019 cont.

Scriptorium - October 20, 2019

12 pm – 6 pm



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A group of Scribal Teachers will be teaching things like Scroll Design, Shading Techniques, Calligraphy, Ink Making, etc.

Tentative Class Schedule:

Master Rychyrd: Scroll Design 1 hour

Lady Clarice: Ink Making 30 minutes

Quill Cutting 30 minutes

Master Rychyrd: Calligraphy 1 hour

Dame Kristen: Period Pigments 1 hour

Master Raven: Shading 1 hour

Scriptorium will be held at YEI, 8594 E Eastridge Drive, Prescott Valley, AZ 86314

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Mark your calendar and see you there!

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Thrown Weapons Deputy: Lady Paulette of Granite Mountain (mka Paulette Kile)

Waiver Secretary: ***OPEN***



Baronial Webmin: Lord Kristoforus Jafnkollr (mka Kristopher Bullins)

We Want You!!!

Our officer positions are always available to apply for, especially deputies!
Come, join us and share your new ideas and knowledge.

Apply for your favorite position today!





Want Ads

If you are interested in any of these open positions, please send your letter of intent to the Vicar and Vicaress at: bgmcoronet@gmail.com and the Baronial Seneschal at bogmseneschal@gmail.com also to the Kingdom Officer of that field.

Youth Minister

Open until filled

This officer will be in charge of the youth of our Barony. Consists of activities, making sure that all youth have their warrants and safety, safety, safety. There are our future, let's make it fun for all to enjoy.

Baronial List

Open until filled

The Ministers of the List work in partnership with the Baronial Marshals administering the combat activities within the Barony. The Baronial List officer is responsible to help with the paperwork necessary to maintain fighter's authorizations and run combat scenarios at events.

Voice Herald

Open Until Filled.

Applicant should have a paid membership, able to attend events and monthly meetings Required to send reports to Kingdom Herald, Post on book of faces of awards given out at events/meetings. Work closely with Scribe and Vicar and Vicaress, and willing to speak in Court. For further questions please send your Letter of intent to the Baronial Seneschal.

Waiver Secretary

Open until filled.

Handle all fighting waivers. Check fighters in and out, provide info at tourneys, etc.

Chatelaine: Open Until Filled.

Applicant must be a paid member. Able to attend events, and Demos to reach out to the public and inform of the SCA. Responsible to keep, store and maintain loaner Garb.

Please send your letter of intent in TODAY!

Rapier Captain ***NEW***

Open until Filled

Responsible for safety, upkeep, and storage of loaner gear, warranting Fighters, marshalling events, practices and teaching rapier new comers. Monthly reports sent to Kingdom and Vicar and Vicaress.

Deputy Marshalls -

Open, until filled

Heavy Fighter

Rapier

all need Deputy Marshalls.

Deputy Positions:

Open until filled

Chronicler

Exchequer

Sheriff

Chatelaine

Arts & Sciences

Book Herald *** NEW ***

Open Until Filled

Qualified applicants will have a paid membership. Help to create period names and devices for our Barony, submit to Kingdom Herald.

If you are interested in any position, please feel free to talk to the Vicar and Vicaress and find out where help is needed most. You can apply for any position, but there are areas where help is always needed.

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