



Barony of Granite Mountain

August 2020

The Ermine Spot



Greetings unto the Populace of Granite Mountain,

After all these many months the Seventh Wonder of Atenveldt, the Barony of Granite Mountain, will have a Baron and Baroness. We congratulate Count Brian and Countess Lia for their willingness to take on these duties. We thank Lord Rustand and Lady Beth for their thoughtfulness and attention to the needs of the Barony, and to the Populace we are grateful for their patience and understanding through these difficult times.

Through the past 17 months, it has been a great honor to represent Granite Mountain at Kingdom events, Baronial Investitures, and the opportunity to celebrate with the Barony of Atenveldt at their 50th Anniversary. It was our joy to be Vicar and Vicaress at Estrella and Highlands War, and more importantly those events in our beautiful Barony. Sadly, our travel plans were cut short in March due to the COVID quarantine, but we know how this has affected everyone missing attendance at events.

As most everyone is aware, we will not be able to come together again for quite some time, but Investiture will happen on September 12th. For the Populace, you will be able to view the event via Zoom so that we can feel connected together in celebration. That information will be posted on the Baronial Facebook page.

We greatly appreciate everyone's patience and understanding during these trying times and please know that there will be a time when we will be together again. There are several classes and informational Zoom meetings and the notices can be found on various Facebook pages. You are welcome to share these pages to the Barony's group page when you find them. This is a chance to learn all those things you often thought about doing and instruction is both within our Kingdom and throughout the Knowne World and a time when you can visit another Kingdom without the expense of travel and accommodations, so take advantage of this opportunity. Also, If you are struggling due to the separation from everyone, we ask that you please reach out. You are not alone.

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 our new Baron and Baroness, Count Brian and Countess Lia Winterbourne. You can watch the BGM Investiture on September 12, 2020 via Zoom. Information will be posted to the Baronial webpage soon.

***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 - August 2020



Huzzah to our new Baron and Baroness!!!!

Count Brian and Countess Lia Winterbourne





Baronial Announcement - August 2020



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UPDATE ON SCA MEMBERSHIP STATUS EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

We are sorry to have to report that as of July 1, 2020, we will no longer be able to leave expired memberships open as if they were current memberships. The corporation has reached a point financially where it needs to resume following normal financial processes, which includes returning to standard membership terms. We fully understand the financial constraints that many people are experiencing and we would love to continue the small way that we were able to assist our members, but we have reached a point where it is necessary to return to standard operations.

If you know someone that can't afford to reactive their membership & you would like to help them out, please contact me (renee@sca.org), Theresa (theresa@sca.org) or membership@sca.org and we will be able to assist you in completing the gift purchase. It can be done anonymously, or we'll be happy to send a note along with the membership card. Please let us know at the time of purchase.

The SCA Board and Corporate Officers are closely monitoring the rapidly changing situation. We will continue to look for financially feasible ways to ease our members' burdens. Announcements will continue to be sent out as decisions are made. You will find them on www.sca.org, on the official SCA Facebook page and if you subscribe to Announcements, you will be notified through that subscription.

We very much appreciate your understanding and assistance that you have offered us.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

Kind Regards,

Renee Signorotti
VP/ Corporate Operations



This is it!! The Grand Queen's Prize!

The rules are pretty easy. Check out the different posts, pick out the one that most closely matches your item. Post a comment to that thread with your item, and then follow up as responses to your post with any additional pictures, documentation, etc.

Go check out all the other entries, and be sure to "like" your favorites.

At the end of the event, winners will be announced from each thread. Populace choice (that's where your likes come in!), Queen's choice, and Princess' choice.

Please note! All categories are open to folks from all around the known world, with one exception: the Atenveldt Only post is just for folks here in Atenveldt. Otherwise, go wild!

Remember to be kind to your fellow artists, this is designed to be fun and encouraging!

Winners will be announced on August 15th and contacted for mailing addresses.

Good luck!



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Scriptorium
4850 N Spruce Rd.
Chino Valley

BGM Scriptorium

To be determined.

In humble service,
HE Mistress Elsbeth von Sonnenthal,

Populous/Business Meeting

To be determined

YEI or Zoom

8594 E Eastridge Drive

Prescott Valley, AZ

Barony of Granite Mountain Archery Practice

To be determined.

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

******* At this time to be determined*******

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

Barony Regnum

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Thrown Weapons Marshal: ***OPEN***

Thrown Weapons Deputy: ***OPEN***

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.

A & S Officer ***NEW**

Open Until Filled

Applicant should have a paid membership, able to attend events and monthly meetings. Required to send reports to Kingdom A & S Officer, post A & S events on book of faces, must work with Baron and Baroness for what is needed for events, monthly A & S classes, must be creative.

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!

Deputy Marshalls -

Open, until filled

Heavy Fighter

Rapier

all need Deputy Marshalls.

Deputy Positions:

Open until filled

Chronicler

Exchequer

Sheriff

Chatelaine

Arts & Sciences

Archery/Thrown Weapons Captain ***NEW***

Open Until Filled

Applicant should have a paid membership, Must maintain warranted marshal, maintain Kingdom and Baronial rules and regulations, plan Archery and Thrown Weapon events, produce and present Archery and Thrown Weapon events, work with Baronial leadership, Signet for Archery and Thrown Weapons awards, train and develop new BGM archers, monthly reports, maintain Archery supplies, and other duties as required.

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