

CHRONUS DRACONUM

Newsletter for the Barony of SunDragon

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Baronial Missive

Unto the mighty Barony of SunDragon do We offer Our warmest (pun intended) greetings!

The summer has kicked off with much to celebrate in Our fair barony.

Fabric War was a great success and We took great joy in seeing many of the populace recognized by the Crown for their accomplishments and hard work. Their Royal Majesties honored several of our members, including Lady [Aine](#), who was awarded with arms. Lord [Duncan Redfern](#) and Lord [Edward Harrison](#) were recognized for their continued excellence in fighting with The Blood of Fenris. Lady [Aurora](#) was awarded the Flower of the Desert for her ongoing success in the arts.

We also were thrilled to see Our cousin/sister, Her Excellency [Emelyn](#) be asked to join the Nobel Order of the Pelican. We look forward to hearing Her answer at Highlands War.

We also recognized several members of Our populace for their accomplishments, including making Master [Robert the Silent](#) a Commander of the Dragon's Heart. We named the Lords' Choice of the year, Dama [Nastas'ia](#), and the Ladys' Choice of the year, Lord [Sebastian](#), as well as the Baroness's and Baron's Choices, Lord [Wolff](#) and Lady Aurora, respectively.

There are some awards We have forgotten to mention here, but as there were many it's difficult to keep track. Just know that all were well deserved, and a great source of pride for the barony.

In a few short weeks We will travel to the northern reaches of Atenveldt to assist Our allies in defending the border at Highlands War! We are excited to be able to see Our northern cousins and family and look forward to sharing quality time among the baronial populace.

Over the coming months, there is much to prepare for. In October We will, once again, be seeking Our baronial champions. Please start thinking about competing now, as the event is around the corner.

Also, the Crown will soon be asking for letters of intent for any couples who wish to be considered as the heirs of the Rainbow Thrones. We are eagerly anticipating who will step forward to take over the leadership of the barony and be invested as Our successors. (His Excellency is definitely starting to show).

Until good fortune returns us your fair company, We remain:

Yours in Service to the Barony, the Kingdom, and the Dream,

Jacqueline Gefroi

Baroness & Baron of SunDragon



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“Honor Before Victory” since October 1983!

Announcements from the SunDragon Populace Meeting

July 1st, 2019

- The baronial Chronicler plans on finishing the year out with monthly newsletters, however, SunDragon will be proceeding with quarterly newsletters in the near future.
- For the month of July, SunDragon will be trying out a combined Scribal/ Scriptorium and Arts & Sciences Night! Populace members will be able to try their hand & skills learning calligraphy, illumination (painting), and other arts from guest instructors on Tuesday July 16th from 6–9pm, and on Tuesday July 30th from 6–9pm, at the Peoria Community [Center 8335 W Jefferson St, Peoria, AZ 85345](#). We will reserve “the big room” which will have a patrician separating the two groups to help minimize distractions from the arts in progress.
 - ◊ Due to the sensitivity of some of these art practices, children should not attend– unless explicit permission is granted by the instructor beforehand. Youth-friendly activities are hosted separately.
 - ◊ Scribal Arts/Scriptorium will also be having their regularly scheduled meet-ups on the other Tuesdays of July, being hosted in the homes of our populace members.
- Upcoming dates for populace meetings: 8/5/2019 & 9/9/2019
- Please check in to the Google Group Calendar for monthly event updates. It is maintained by the SunDragon Chronicler. For instructions, see the BSD Google Group Flyer, available in the FB Group files section from [May 30th 2017](#)
- We are working on a solution for posting Baronial events more regularly on the BSD [Facebook Page](#) (the BSD [Facebook Group](#) is for community discussion while the Page is strictly Baronial Info & business)
- Dilly Bars are delicious! Thank you Excellency [Jacqueline!](#)

SunDragon Solstice & Candidate Meet & Greet!

Greetings Populace!

At the Baronial Populace meeting in June Ideas were discussed!

This year we will hold solstice on December 14th, 2019. We hope to host it in the Peoria Community Center Hall. Bids are due no later than August 1st to Their Excellencies of SunDragon & Their Seneschal.

This is so that we will be able to have the candidates running for next Baroness & Baron Meet & Greet, where the populace can submit questions to the Seneschal and receive answers from the candidates to help us better select the future heirs. Polling expected to occur at Central War Practice in January.

We plan on hosting our regularly scheduled \$10– hand-made gift exchange .

The Barony plans to provide the main course but asks the populace plan on bringing sides/bread/ desserts. Be sure to label your dish with a list of ingredients so as those with food allergies can be aware.

More information will be provided as the date approaches.



MEMO from the Board of Directors

The Board of Directors is currently requesting commentary regarding a proposed change to Corpora IV.B.1 – Royalty Qualifications.

Corpora IV.B.1 currently reads:

Each competitor in a Royal List must be fighting for a prospective consort of the opposite sex unless the Crown has elected to permit a competitor to fight for a prospective consort of the same sex.

The following change in language is proposed:

Each competitor in a Royal List must be fighting for a designated consort, without discrimination based on race, gender, religion, national origin, or disability.

Please **email** all commentary to comments@sca.org.

Please use the title "Corpora IV.B.A" in the subject line.

Do not use attachments in your commentary to comments@sca.org.

Attachments will cause your message to be marked as spam.

In lieu of email, commentary may be sent by **US Mail, Postage-Prepaid**, to:

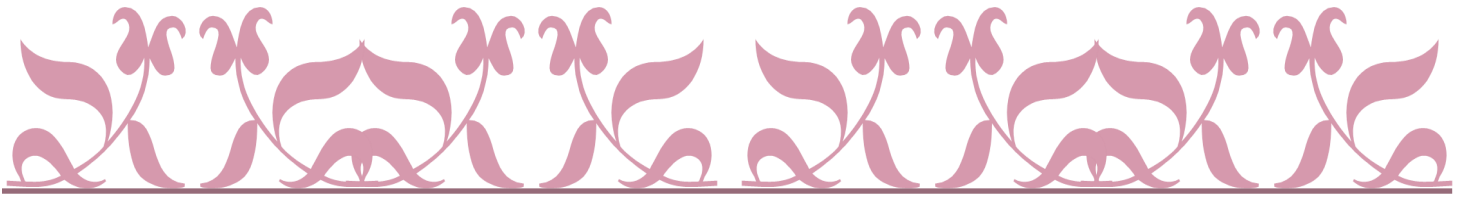
Society for Creative Anachronism, Inc.

RE: Corpora IV.B.A

P.O. Box 360789

Milpitas, CA 95036-0789

Commentary regarding this proposed Corpora change, whether sent by email or US Mail, must be received by the Board no later than October 1, 2019.



Is it War yet? Donations Needed for Estrella Tourneys

Calling all SunDragon Artists. The barony needs prize donations for Estrella War.

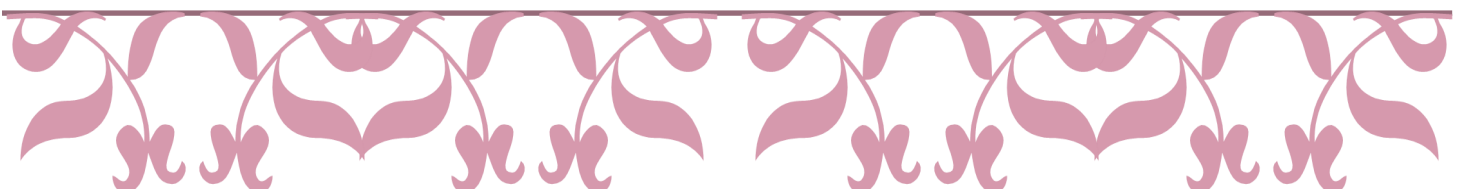
It may seem early to start planning, but there are only seven months between now and war. There are two additional events for which we need prizes. They are:

The Vanguard Tourney - The barony will be hosting the second Vanguard Tourney. The first tourney was a success. Two dozen Hard Suit fighters participated in the event for the pleasure of roughly 30 spectators. This next tourney could easily double in participants.

Baronial Volunteer Raffle – As an additional incentive to help cover our Tuesday watch shifts, we are planning a Baronial-Volunteer Raffle this year. This will be separate and apart from the war's volunteer raffle.

We need prizes large and small, complex and simple, SCA appropriate and mundane.

If you would like to donate or have additional questions, please contact Lady [Valdisa Alarsdottir](#) in person, through Facebook or at flohrschutz@yahoo.com.



Monmouth Caps Needed for Estrella War Watch Volunteers

There is currently a Knit-A-Long of Monmouth Caps for watch volunteers at Estrella War. The goals are to make a lot of comfy, warm and period hats and promote camaraderie among Atekn knitters.

A Monmouth cap is a simple, woolen knit cap, similar to a modern toque or beanie. They started being made in Monmouth, Wales in the late 15th century, and were a popular hat well into the 18th century and were particularly popular with soldiers, sailors, and laborers.

The caps are warm, comfortable, and resist both wind and rain, and are appreciated very much by the watch volunteers, particularly in the wee hours of those cold February mornings.

The suggested pattern is the “Monmouth Cap, the details matter!” pattern created by Colleen Humphreys. This is a very fast, easy knit project suitable for all skill levels. This particular pattern is available as a *pdf* for free on Ravelry and calls for no ribbing or purling. The pattern is based on the surviving Monmouth cap in the Monmouth museum in Wales. Go to the site below and click the “download” button

https://www.ravelry.com/patterns/library/monmouth-cap-the-details-matter?fbclid=IwAR0_7zzjAGnNBSW9PCyzt3vbpUJDBK3I9pg_UU8-YDhghf8GrJ11nJYDu0U

If you would like to donate materials or have additional questions, please contact Lady [Valdisa Alarsdottir](#) in person, through Facebook or at floherschultz@yahoo.com.

Memo from the Kingdom Chronicler

Since we're at the beginning of the [SCA] year, I want to take a moment to talk about the William Blackfox Awards. These are the awards given by the Society to Chroniclers and contributors to the newsletters for excellence. Why not strive for that excellence? Here is a list of the awards for which a local Chronicler/contributor can be nominated:

- ♦ **Best Overall Newsletter** - this does not necessarily mean the best-looking newsletter, but rather the newsletter which best meets the needs of the local group or guild for which it is published. It should accurately reflect the status of the group and be a valuable tool for growth and promotion of the SCA goals and ideals. This title is awarded to the newsletter and the Chronicler.
- ♦ **Best Layout and Design** - for the best looking newsletter in balance and style. Awarded to the newsletter and the Chronicler.
- ♦ **Best Artwork** - for artwork on cover or interior of the newsletter. Awarded to the newsletter and the artist.
- ♦ **Best Special Issue** - for Arts & Sciences issues, or other limited-focus issues of a geographic group (Canton, Shire, Barony, etc.). Awarded to the newsletter and the Chronicler.
- ♦ **Best Special Interest Newsletter** - this category recognizes guild newsletters, research newsletters, and Arts & Science focus newsletters (such as lace-making). Awarded to the newsletter and the Chronicler.
- ♦ **Best Regular Feature** - for those cartoons, articles, columns, etc. which appear regularly in the particular newsletter. Awarded to the creator or feature writer and the newsletter.
- ♦ **Best Article** - recognizes excellence in articles appearing in a local newsletter. Awarded to the writer and the newsletter.
- ♦ **Best Poetry or Short Fiction** - recognizes the author of an outstanding poem or piece of short fiction. Awarded to the writer and the newsletter.

Lady [Caitilín inghean Uí Thaidhg](#)
Atenveldt Kingdom Chronicler



JULY 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 BSD Populace Meeting	2	3	4 HOLIDAY	5	6 Thrown Weapons
7 Archery Practice Fighter Practice	8	9	10	11	12	13
14 Archery Practice Clothesline Rapier Tourney at FP	15	16 Scribal/Scriptorium & A&S combined nights!	17 High-lands War	18 Highlands War	19 HW	20 Highlands War Thrown Weapons
21 Highlands War Archery Practice	22	23	24	25	26	27 Thrown Weapons
28 Archery Practice Fighter Practice	29	30 Scribal/Scriptorium & A&S combined nights!	31	Aug. 1st Solstice Bids are due!		

No Fighter Practice on July 21st!!!

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In order to be considered for the next month's issue of Chronus Draconum, Deadline for Submissions is on the 15th of the month before. Submissions may be emailed to the Baronial Chronicler at sundragonchronus@atenveldt.org in nearly any computer format without fancy fonts or formats. Submissions may also be given to Lady Kandace in person at any Sunday Fighter Practice and/or Court Night although electronic is preferred.

See the Baronial Website or Google Group (<https://groups.google.com/d/forum/barony-of-sundragon>) for additional information.

Subject to cancelation/location changes; refer to online announcements, Facebook events & the Google Group Calendar.

Baronial Populace, Officer, & Financial Meeting

1st Monday of every month (generally)
7—9 pm

Look to our [Google Group & Google calendar](#) or [Facebook page](#) for

Baronial Arts & Sciences

Usually Thursdays, 6 - 9 pm at the **Peoria Community Center** [8335 W Jefferson St, Peoria, AZ 85345](#) Or hosted in populous homes.

All ability levels are welcome. Bring your own project and chat while you work, take a class, teach a class, ask for help... we are here for each other! Join our Facebook [group](#)

Baronial Scriptorium

Tuesdays, 6 - 9 pm at the **Peoria Community Center** [8335 W Jefferson St, Peoria, AZ 85345](#)

Or hosted in populous homes. All ability levels are welcome. There are many projects available for you to start as well as kits to borrow until you have built up your own! Check our Scribes Facebook [group](#) for correct addresses.

Scale Factory/Armory

2nd & 4th Thursdays, 5:30—9pm

Thrown Weapons Practice

Saturdays, 7—9pm [6932 Stockman Rd, Glendale, AZ 85308](#)

Fighter Practice for Armored Combat and Rapier

Sunday Evenings/nights Court Night is held on 2nd full weekend of each month.

May – Oct.: 6 -9 pm **Nov.—April:** 3 -6 pm

Archery Practice

Sunday mornings

May- September: 7 am– 10am

October-April: 9 am-12pm

El Oso Park [3451 N. 75th Dr., Phoenix AZ 85033](#)



SunDragon Baronial Regnum (June 2019)

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	highlighted portions may be out of date	

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