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Gargoyle atop Notre Dame Cathedral

The Barony of Storbik's News Magazine

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Their Excellencies's Message

Greetings Storvik!

As Baroness Johanna's reign comes to a close, we Sean and Elizabeth, wish to thank her for all her hard work and dedication. Storvik is truly a better place because of her work.

The talent and commitment of current barony members allows us the advantage of presenting the best of the best to newcomers. Our members recreate the middle ages from Roman to Elizabethan. From the newly formed cooks group, to the dedicated fighters that organize and run the most attended heavy fight practice in the region, the Archery group that has posted to many local and Kingdom events and been recognized by the Crown! Our Embroidery Guild of Greater Storvik (EGGS) that creates stunning hand stitched art, our A&S folks that recently have crafted fabulous regalia for us to display at events, Dancers, Bards, musicians, weavers, seamstresses, Armorers, Autocrats, and lets not forget the strong backs that put up the Big Mucking Tent at events! There is something for everyone in Storvik.

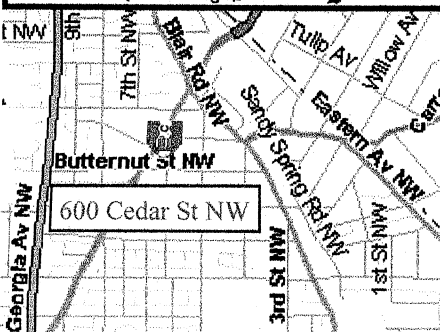
We are looking forward to continuing Johanna's tradition of high visibility at local and Kingdom level events!

April Baronial Progress:

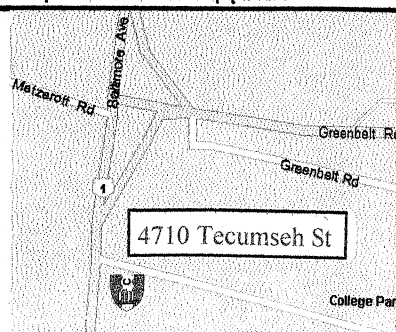
April 1, 2, 3, Coronation of TRH Denise and Robert, Lochmere, Information on the web at <http://coronation.atlantia.sca.org/>

Sunday, April 10th Northern Regional War Practice, hosted by Ponte Alto.

Barony Meeting



Baronial At-Home



Their Excellencies's Message (Continued)

Sunday, April 10th Northern Regional War Practice, hosted by Ponte Alto.
Spear Class to begin at Noon.
Melees will begin at 1pm!
Practice is behind the Tysons-Pimmit Regional Library 7584 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church.

April 15, 16, 17, Tournament of Chivalry, Windmasters Hill, Information on the web at <http://acorn.atlantia.sca.org/0504/toc.htm>

April 28 Night on the Town, Lochmere, Information on the web at <http://acorn.atlantia.sca.org/0504/toc.htm>

We look forward to serving "The Mother of Baronies" Storvik!

Sean and Elizabeth

Barony Meeting Minutes - March 13

Attending Citizens of Storvik:

Beatrix von Leipzig, Arianna of Storvik, Gauss Magnusson, Brenna of Storvik, Richard de Montbrai, Sean de la Mer, Samara Caitlyn of Elfwyne, Katherine, Elizabeth Harlyn, Karl Haraldsson, Arbogast of Diedenhofen, Michelina, Kathall, Margaret of Hollingford, Ceara McFenagnaleigh, Baska the Depraved (yadda, yadda, yadda) [That's a quote, folks], Badouin MacKenzie, Rael bat Benjamin, David ben Mordechai, Tirza MacCrudden, Orla of Storvik, Ynes Garcia, Rorik Fredericsson, Janina Krakowska z Cambion, Serena de la Mar, Johanna von Sudeborn,

Officers' Reports:

Baroness: Has a virus.

Seneschal: Unable to Attend.

Archer Marshall: Same as Seneschal.

Arts & Sciences: Many competitions at Investiture. Stuff at coronation posted. April 17—Scriptorium at noon.

Castellan: New person interested in assuming office; more to come.

Chronicler: Nothing to report.

Officers' Reports (Continued):

Exchequer: Fighter Practice Jar took in \$115. Slightly over \$4,000 in bank.

Reviewing books with new Exchequer. Irregularities were minor: Late receipts, event reports missing, troll funds used to buy groceries at an event; don't let it happen again. Checking with Kingdom Exchequer to determine if they have the missing reports.

Herald: No new submissions. Lots of things likely to occur at Investiture.

Knight Marshall: Fighter Practice on March 21 is cancelled. Karl is Marshall in Charge while William is at Gulf Wars.

Church has yet to determine amount of rental increase or new policies.

Marshall classes were offered at the Monday night Practice by Roland de Mounteney, Deputy Earl Marshall for Armored Combat. 11 attendees, of which only one was not a Marshall in Training (MIT). Roland gained 3 MIT candidates to sponsor; William gained one.

Donation Box given to Karl and Samara to bring to the Barony meeting, as the Exchequer has requested this.

Minister of the Lists: Not in attendance.

Web Minister: Updated. Wants permission forms for online info. Be sure that info changes are e-mailed to Web Minister. Order of Precedence being updated.

Event Reports:

None.

Upcoming Events:

Investiture: 80 reservations so far. Rorik is Head Troll, could use assistants; some volunteered. Hall should decorate well. Working on more space for merchants, maybe a free-standing tent. Another tent for Royals, Barons, etc; getting the dayshade. What about wind knocking over tents?

Children's Activities WILL occur, but NOT babysitting, not all day long; Tehair to help.

King & Queen have not made decision as to where they will be staying. Brenna will follow up to make sure that have a place.

Upcoming Events (Continued):

Investiture (Continued): There is a Herald's table.

Parking issues—Cars to front, people to back of lot; need someone to coordinate (Stablehand/Hosteler), so will put request to list. Need to post at least three directional signs.

Can start setup Friday night, some time after 7:00 pm. Must be out by Saturday night.

Novice Tournament: Marietta only needs a statement of proof of Safety Officer.

Food merchants on site. Fundraisers for specific purposes will be allowed. Proper organization of these two forthcoming.

Teachers being recruited. MOL/Marshall still in the works. Herald available.

Unbelt Tourney tradition to be revived.

Post Pennsic Revel: Status still unknown.

Old Business:

Banners: Still in Progress. Janina brought them in for display; almost finished. Four tabs on the free-standing banners.

Coronets: Discovered! And handed to Baronial Successors. People at Gulf Wars checking into replacements have been notified. Old one can be fixed; \$25-50 per pearl or \$150 for all 6.

Field Coronets: Put on hold, as no longer urgent.

Financial Policy: Nothing further.

Inventory: Pictures being taken.

Order of the Faering: To be continued. Design still to be worked.

Pennsic: Storvik has registered. Ryryd is Land Agent.

Plates: Purchased and brought in for assessment. Plates, containers, stockpots and pans.

Storage: Nothing new.

Archery Practice

SATURDAY: 10 am to noon (weather and events permitting) at Adelphi Park. Adelphi Park is in Adelphi, Maryland (near College Park). The Archery Range is off HWY 193 (University Blvd) between Riggs Road and Adelphi Road. Please call Storvik's Archery Marshall (Ryrd ap Gwerstan) at (301) 464-2209 or e-mail rcfaevans@comcast.net. Please, no calls after 9 pm.

SUNDAY: 10 am to noon (weather permitting) at Rock Creek Park near Lake Needwood. Take Rt. 355-Rockville Pike to Redland Rd. (If you went south on 355, take a Left onto Redland, if you went north on 355 to get there, take a right onto Redland Rd). From Redland Rd. going North (which runs past Shady Grove Metro) take a right onto Needwood Rd. (traffic light) to the entrance to Lake Needwood on the right (just after going over a bridge, look for the brown park sign). From the road the archery range is down to the left and parking is on the right. Please call Storvik's Archery Marshall (Rhryd ap Gwerstan) at (301) 464-2209 or e-mail rcfaevans@comcast.net. Please, no calls after 9 pm.

Armoring Session

FOURTH SUNDAY: 2pm at Finn's (finn67@yahoo.com) or William's (wstanton@bellatlantic.net) abode.

Bardic Night

THIRD WEDNESDAY: 7:00pm—Contact Teleri Barod at (301)-982-3363 for details and directions.

Baronial At Home

FIRST WEDNESDAY (Starting in MAY!): 7:00-10:00pm—At Their Excellencies' house, 4710 Tecumseh St., College Park, MD 20740. Phone (301) 982-2060 (No calls after 9:00 PM) or e-mail at dollymore@comcast.net for more info.

BARONY MEETING FOR THE GLORIOUS BARONY OF STORVIK

SECOND SUNDAY: 7:00pm—At the Ancestral Baronial Keep (600 Cedar St, NW, Washington, DC); phone—(202) 291-3562. Directions: I-495 to Exit 29 (University Blvd) east. Right at Piney Branch Rd. Follow into DC; Cedar St is first left. (See map, inside cover.)

Brewing

THIRD FRIDAY: 7:00pm at Rhryd & Anna's (rcfaevans@comcast.net) abode - 12309 Rambling Lane; Bowie, MD 20715. Phone: (301) 464-2209 or contact Lord Michel von Schonsee (doppelganger@runbox.com)

Calligraphy & Illumination

SECOND & FOURTH TUESDAYS: 7:00pm Karl Haraldsson's (dragonship_red@yahoo.com), 4602 Weldon Drive, Temple Hills, MD 20748.

Embroidery & Gaming

EVERY OTHER THURSDAY: 7:00pm to 10:00pm at Janina's and Rorik's (ggoose@radix.net) abode, Lakeford Lane, Bowie, MD. Please contact Janina by e-mail or (301) 262-5253 for more information. The embroidery portion of the evening concerns a service project. The Atlantian Embroidery Guild has a Treasure Box project to make favours and tokens for the Queen or Crown Princess to present to the populace as prizes, recognitions, or largesse.

Fighter Practice (Rapier Practice on Mondays when possible)

SUNDAY: 2:00pm—Heavy Weapons/Rapier practice at Tysons-Pimmit Library, Falls Church, VA. E-mail L. Erich von Kleinfeld (Dexter Guptill) at dguptill@aol.com

MONDAY: 7:00pm—Heavy Fighting/Fencing practice at the St. Andrews Episcopal Church, College Park, MD. Directions: From I-495 in Maryland take Rte 1 South. Take a left onto College Ave (MD book exchange is on left). Proceed two blocks. The Church is on the left. The fighter practice is in the hall up the metal steps.

Needlework

THIRD TUESDAY: 7:00PM at Samara's (dragonship_red@yahoo.com), 4602 Weldon Drive, Temple Hills, MD 20748. Phone: (301) 702-2948

Newcomers' Meeting/Arts & Sciences Social

SECOND FRIDAY: 7pm-10pm - Contact James Griffin at jamesgriffinsea@yahoo.com for information on Newcomers or Kim of Wolfshaven at kim_wolfshavensca@yahoo.com for information on A&S for that evening. Held at their abode - 9362 Northgate Rd, Laurel, MD 20723. Information and directions posted regularly to the Storvik list.

Sewing and/or Weaving

WEDNESDAY: 7:00pm—at the home of Megan O'Donnely in Bowie. Call (301) 464-8375 for directions.

THURSDAY: 7:00pm—Call Baroness Brenna (202) 291-3562 to RSVP. Directions: See "Storvik Barony Meeting."

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

March 27 10:00am— Archery Practice 2:00pm—Heavy Weapons & Rapier Practice	March 28 7:00pm— Fighter Practice	March 29	March 30 7:00pm— Sewing/Weaving	March 31 7:00pm— Sewing/Weaving	1	2 10:00am— Archery Atlantia/ Lochmere— Coronation
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10 10:00am— Archery Practice 2:00pm—Heavy Weapons & Rapier Practice 7:00—Barony Meeting	11 7:00pm— Fighter Practice	12 7:00pm— Needlework	13 7:00pm— Bardic Night 7:00pm— Sewing/Weaving	14 7:00pm— Sewing/Weaving	15 7:00pm— Brewing	16 10:00am— Archery Practice
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May 1 10:00am— Archery Practice 2:00pm—Heavy Weapons & Rapier Practice Lochmere— Night on the Town VII (RP)	May 2 7:00pm— Fighter Practice	May 3	May 4 7:00pm— Sewing/Weaving 7:00pm— Baronial At Home (Sean & Elizabeth's first!)	May 5 6:30pm— Embroidering & Gaming 7:00pm— Sewing/Weaving	May 6	May 7 10:00am— Archery Practice Atlantia/Bright Hills—Spring Crown Tournament (RP)

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New Business:

Meeting Site: For discussion at NEXT meeting—should we move to another site because of the serious increase in attendance at Barony meetings? Bowie has a facility that charges \$25 for 2 hours.

New Tintinabulum: What about copies? Moved & passed to authorize up to \$50 for printing costs. Investigation into use of children's information in this, as well as on paper and on the web.

Tablecloth and Sign for Heralds: Moved & passed to authorize \$10 for tablecloth.

Overheard and Unattributed (to protect the guilty):

"He's the non-battery powered laptop"

April 29 - Lochmere: Night on the Town VII, The Bandit King of Smeewick

Dark days now descend on the village of Smeewick. Bandits, led by one claiming to be "king", roam the forest, extorting "taxes" from all who pass through. The Baron and Baroness have called upon the Crown for assistance. An army is to be sent to defend the village and defeat The Bandit King of Smeewick. All rapier fighters and combat archers are summoned to aid the Barony of Lochmere repel the invaders.

Martial Activities: Rapier and combat archery. Schlager only. Authorizations for both at 9am.

Arts & Sciences Activities: For those who wait in the village, a great fair of artisans will be held. Teachers in the arts will be present to show interested citizens about their craft. This is a wonderful chance to "try it before you buy it". Various arts and sciences will be available throughout the day to sample, including calligraphy, painted banners, arrow fletching, lamp-work glass beads, couch work, drop spindle, candle making, and others.

Cost: Adult, Member—	\$10.00 Day-Trip	\$16.00 Feast	\$3.00 Camping
Adult, Non-Member—	\$13.00 Day-Trip	\$16.00 Feast	\$3.00 Camping
Child (6-17)—	\$ 5.00 Day-Trip	\$ 8.00 Feast	\$1.00 Camping
Child (0-5)—	\$ 0.00 Day-Trip	\$ 0.00 Feast	\$0.00 Camping

Site: Elks Camp Barrett in Crownsville, Maryland. Site opens at 6pm Friday, April 29th and closes at 11am Sunday, May 1st.

April 29 - Lochmere: Night on the Town VII, The Bandit King of Smeewick (Continued)

Site Restrictions: Site is wet. No pets, except assistance animals. Cabin space is available.

Feast Information: A sumptuous German feast will be presented by Lady Roswitha of Suanesfeld. Lunch will be sold to raise money for the Barony Cooks Guild. Dietary concerns should be directed to bjamann@erols.com.

Merchants: Encouraged! No blue tarps, canvas only. Contact the autocrat for more information.

Autocrat: Robert Bedingfield (Robert Mellin), 9968 Guilford Rd #203, Jessup, MD 20794. (301) 617-0843, email: lsworthy@netzero.com

Reservations: Sharon Buczko, 5465 Columbia Rd #727, Columbia, MD 21044, email: ldyncstza@yahoo.com. Checks should be made payable to Barony of Lochmere/SCA Inc.

Directions:

From the Capital Beltway (I-495), take Exit 19A Rt 50 East to Exit 23 Rt 450/Parole. Take Rt 450 West and turn left at the light in front of Annapolis Mall (this is still Rt. 450). Continue approx 2 miles. Turn right at the light onto Crownsville Rd. After .5 mile there will be a blue sign for Elks Camp Barrett. Take a left onto Chesterfield Rd and go approx 1.4 miles. The site is on your left.

May 6 to 8 - Atlantia/Bright Hills: Spring Crown Tournament

Arts & Sciences Activities: Display area for both static and active projects, whether complete or works in progress. The following contests are also offered: *A Tempore Atlantia competition for Pre-1000 entries. For more information, go to: moas.atlantia.sca.org/tempore.htm *Best Example of Carving in Bone, Antler or Horn. Documentation is required. Sponsored by Lady Martelle Von Charlottenburg *Knitting Competition "How Low Can You Go?" Sponsorship TBA. Knit a 4" x 4" square in the smallest thread/yarn on the smallest gauge needles YOU can. Period materials are NOT required but a small display including a sample of thread and the needles used is required. The winner will have knit the most stitches in the measured area. Contact Lady Martel at mrffletcher21133@yahoo.com for more info.

Notes: Anyone occupying one of the 200 seats at feast will be charged the full price, regardless of age. Tent camping near the list field is included in the event fee. Additional private group campsites can be reserved for an additional fee of \$25. If there is enough interest, dorm bunk spaces may be made available, for an additional fee of \$15 per bed.

May 6 to 8 - Atlantia/Bright Hills: Spring Crown Tournament

Cost: Adult, member Day-trip, \$10.00; Feast, \$7.00
 Adult, non-member Day-trip, \$13.00; Feast, \$7.00
 Child, 6-17 Day-trip, \$5.00; Feast, \$7.00
 Child, under 6 Day-trip, \$0.00; Feast, \$7.00

Site: Broad Creek Memorial Scout Reservation -- Camp Spencer, 1738 Peach Orchard Rd, Street, MD 21154. Site opens at 5pm Friday, May 6 and closes at noon on Sunday, May 8, 2005.

Restrictions: Site is DRY. No smoking in buildings. Park only in designated lots, except for loading and unloading. Pets MUST be leashed and cleaned up after.

Feast: Seating for 200. Prepared by the Bright Hills Cooks Guild. Questions and dietary concerns should be directed to Lady Maeve FitzRobert at 410-638-7798 (NLT 9pm).

Merchants are welcome. For information, contact Lady Reyne Telarius at (410) 676-5795 (NLT 9pm) or via email at reyne_telarius@hotmail.com

When making reservations, please indicate all the members of your party, and give the ages of all children, even those for whom no fee will be charged. The Boy Scouts keep records on how many children, and of what ages, their camp serves. Make checks payable to: Barony of Bright Hills / SCA, Inc.

Autocrat / Reservations: Lady Yseulte Trevelyn (Karen Setze), 1629 Riedel Rd, Crofton, MD 21114. (410) 721-4752, email: brunosharpy@yahoo.com.

Directions:

Take your best route to I-95 north of Baltimore and continue to Exit 80. Go west on MD 543 a short distance, turn right on MD 136 in Creswell. Follow MD 136 through Churchville and Dublin. Turn right on Peach Orchard Road, follow it around the bend, then turn right into Camp Spencer at the sign.

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