



The Drekar

Newsletter of the Barony of Storvik



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Baronial Meeting Notes

February 11, 2007

Officer Reports:

Chronicler: Web site posting for Drekkar for public access. I have a deputy who can publish on time when the Chronicler's life explodes, as it does at times.

Archery Marshall: Nothing to report. Marshall's report: Next week is homeless shelter – no practice. Money being counted by exchequer – Othanian who cares for the loaner armor has resigned and it's (mostly) back in William's care. Might be interested in resuming later ~ needs a break.

Regional Deputy Seneschal: 125 Active Barony members in Storvik, based on census for Maryland. 775 in MD and DC.

Web Ministerettes: Margaret is taking over as Web Minister. Warrant request is pending. Web page redesign is in the offing.

Exchequer: Gaspar is warranted. Not on the signature card yet... but that's on the way. Waiting on return of card from Kingdom Ex. Will need two signatures for checks until fixed. Review of books went well, more recovered records were found. Revisions will be needed to the financial policy. Minor stuff – timelines on event budgets and such. Discussed "funds" – Fight Practice, A&S, & Newcomers funds. Moved to close funds and disburse funds and debts to the general account. Motion passed to abolish A&S and Newcomers, fighters tabled until next month. Current balance \$6,463.56.

Seneschal: Bid for University; Beatrix is having problems with group sponsors for the hall. There may be other methods to work this out. Stephan has been looking into it also. St. Andrews may help out with post revel

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*Base Plate of Drum Brooch,
Tandgarve, Sweden.*

Kingdom & Local Events

3 March

Kingdom A&S Festival
Chesapeake, VA

10 March

St. Paddy's Day Blood Bath
Vienna, VA

17 March

Highland Hoffla
Hagerstown MD

23-25 March

Baronial BDay & Investiture
Lanexa, VA

31 March

Defending the Gate VI
Fredericksburg, VA

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A Message from the Baron and Baroness

Greetings to Storvik! As the Ice and Snow of February gives way to the Winds of March, your Baron and Baroness wish you warm fires and companionship.

This month's At Home and Newcomers' gathering will focus on clothing. We are blessed with a number of tomes on period clothing, and are happy to share. We will have samples of various fabrics and ideas for decorating your garb. Everyone is welcome, however we do still have a cat in residence so proper precautions should be taken.

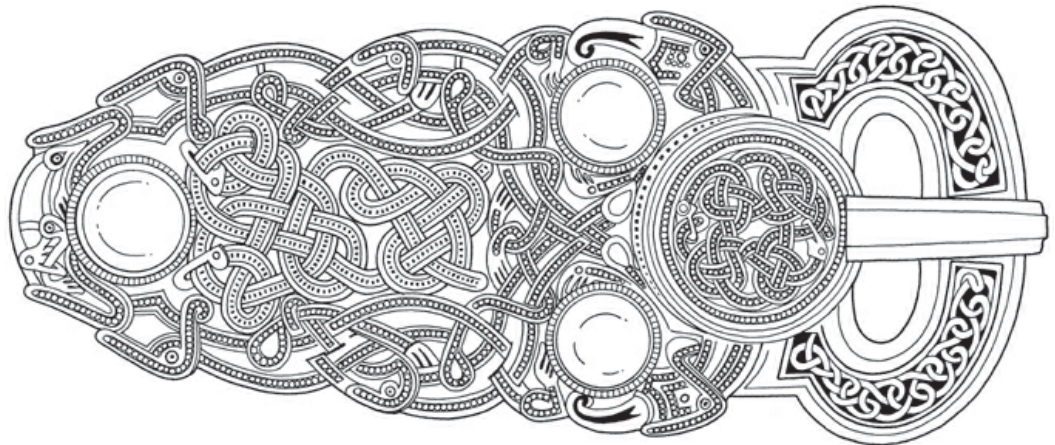
Baronial projects for the upcoming tourney season include more Storvik fighter's tabards along with a new item - shoulder patches for people to add to their tabards when they are fighting with Storvik. You don't need to lose your identity when we campaign together - we can display our solidarity in different ways.

Also, the Baroness wants to encourage heraldic display. We have noticed a substantial decline in the display of personal banners along with other heraldry and want to remedy that.

Our progress for March will include Kingdom Arts and Sciences Festival. We would like to include a Baronial display, so if you have something to display and will not be able to attend KASF, we will be available all week to collect your items and transport them. Baron Rorik will be traveling to Gulf Wars, while Baroness Janina will be at Highland Hoffla. We both will be at the Tir-y-Don Baronial Birthday and Investiture. Right now, Defending the Gate is up in the air as the next weekend is Coronation in Sacred Stone. All members of Storvik are welcome to join us wherever we set up, both during the day and at feast.

Take care dear Storvikki, and stay warm!

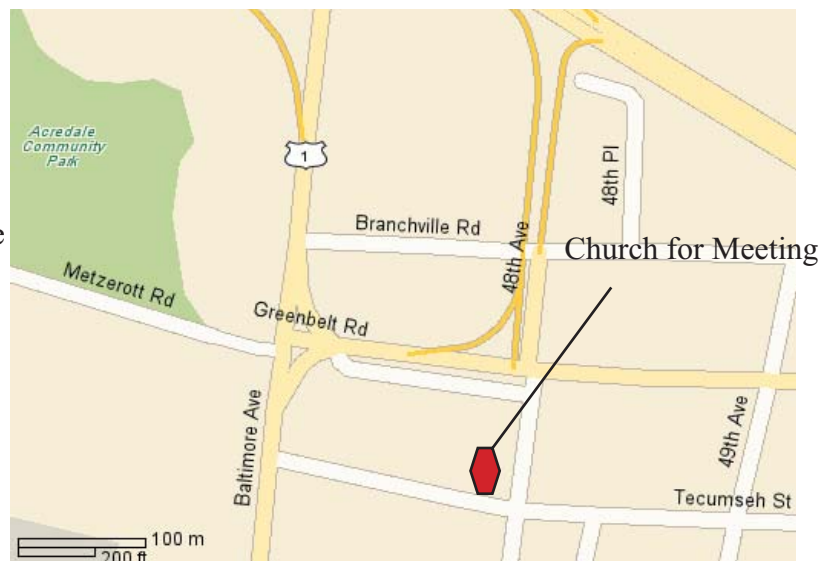
Rorik and Janina
Baron and Baroness Storvik



Ornamental Buckle, Sutton Hoo, England

B aronial Champions
Heavy Weapons
Griffin
Rapier
Lord Alastair Clark Bowman
Archery
Brendan the Shameless
Bardic
Morgan O'Lathlan
Arts & Sciences
Ansel Rowland Matthews
Equestrian
Yan
Youth Combat
Rachel Williamsdaughter

Map to the
Monthly
Meeting
Site...



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Activities of the Barony

Archery Practice: Saturday: 9:30pm (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.

Sunday: 10 am to noon (weather permitting) at Rock Creek Park near Lake Needwood. Directions—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.

Storvik Archery E-mail List: This list is for archers and crossbowmen within and near the Barony of Storvik that wish to learn about as well as participate in medieval archery. We welcome all those who are interested in the ancient art of archery and old enough to hold a bow. Join the list at <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/storvikarchery>

Armoring Session: Fourth Sunday: 2pm at Finn's (finn67@yahoo.com) or William's (wstanton@bellatlantic.net) abode. Monitor the Storvik e-mail list or write for details.

Arts & Sciences Social: Second Friday: 7:00pm—For location, directions, and subject matter contact Janina at ggoose@radix.net or check the Storvik list for this information.

Bardic Night is on hiatus Contact Teleri Barod at (301)-982-3363 for information on other local practices.

Baronial At Home/Newcomers' Social: First Wednesday: 7:00-10:00pm—At Their Excellencies' house, 5416 Lakewood Lane, Bowie, MD 20720. Phone (301) 262-5253 until 9 p.m. ~ (301) 262-6537 until 11 p.m. or e-mail at Baron@Storvik.Atlantia.sca.org or Baroness@Storvik.Atlantia.sca.org for more info.

Business Meeting For The Glorious Barony Of Storvik: Second Sunday: 7:00pm—College Park Church of God, 8800 48th Ave, College Park, MD 20740, in the base-

ment (See map, page 3.) This meeting is held to discuss progress of projects, event & activity planning, and to present officer reports. The meetings are open to anyone and members of the populace are strongly encouraged to attend. Meetings are occasionally followed by social or A&S moments

Baronial Populace E-mail List: There exists an e-mail list to discuss upcoming events, coordinate car-pooling, announce last minute changes and provide a general chatter function. To join go to <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/storvik>. New member's posts are moderated to reduce spam. You'll get full rights after a few intelligible posts.

Brewing: Quarterly meetings of the Northern Inter-Baronial Brewers Guild (NIBBG) vary in date and location. For further information on the Guild contact Kim at kim_wolfshavensca@yahoo.com or call (301) 490-9362 or Magnus at ric.loll@earthlink.net or call 301-576-6069.

Cook's Guild meets on the whim of the members... Monitor the Storvik e-mail list for details.

Embroidery & Gaming: Second and Fourth Thursdays: 7:00pm to 10:00pm at Baroness Janina and Baron Rorik's (ggoose@radix.net) abode, Lakewood 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: 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—St. Andrews Episcopal Church in College Park, MD. Directions: Take your best route to the Washington Beltway (I-495). Take exit 25 (Rt. 1) South, and follow Rt. 1 South. After about 2 miles, take a left onto College Ave (The MD book exchange is on left). The church is two blocks down on the left. Metro Directions: Take the metro (green line)

to the College Park Metro Station. When leaving the station, take a right on Columbia Avenue. Columbia dead ends on College Avenue. Turn left on College and walk about 3 blocks, the church will be on your right. The fighter practice is in the hall up the metal steps. For the sake of the floor, no marking shoes/boots and no kneeling in heavy armor. Contact William the Younger (knightmarshal@storvik.atlantia.sca.org) for more info. The Barony has a good amount of loaner armor for heavy fighters Please make arrangements to pick up any armor that you might need, preferably before Monday night, from the Knight's Marshall.

Music Group: Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month: 7-8pm in Laurel, MD. Email Teleri (sca_

bard@yahoo.com) for address or directions. Music files and mailing list at http://groups.yahoo.com/group/storvik_music/. We are a mixed bag of vocalists and instrumentalists at all levels of experience, playing period, popular, and dance music.

Sewing and/or Weaving: Wednesday: 7:00pm—at the home of Megan O'Donnely in Bowie. Call (301) 464-8375 for directions.

Third Thursday: 7:00pm—Call Baroness Brenna (202) 291-3562 to RSVP or for directions.

Youth Combat: Currently in abeyance. Please contact William for directions and additional information or e-mail at knightmarshal@storvik.atlantia.sca.org

From the Chronicler;

After a long year I finished University in February. I hope to be able to devote more time to our newsletter now. Also, if you or anyone you know is interested in helping out with an update of the Tintinabulam, one is being planned. Contact me for details.

I ask you to please read The Drekkar with a critical eye and if you find any inaccuracies, please let me know immediately. It was recently pointed out that the Baronial Champignons were out of date and that has been remedied. Thanks to Baroness Catherine for pointing this out ~ it really helps.

Until next month, I remain your humble Chronicler,

Magnus

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Calendar of Storvik March 2007

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
			1	2	3	4
			EGGS 7 PM Bowie		Kingdom A&S Marinus Newport News, VA	Barony Mtg 7-9 PM College Park
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		Baronial at Home 7-10 PM Bowie			St. Pat's Blood Bath Ponte Alto Vienna, VA	Last Quarter
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Music 7 PM Laurel	Gulf Wars XVI Glenn Abhann Lumberton, MS		A&S Social 7 PM	Highland Hoffa Highland Foarde Hagerstown, MD	New Moon
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
			EGGS 7 PM Bowie		Archery Practice 9 AM Adelphi (Weather!?)	First Quarter
26	27	28	29	30	31	
Fighter's Practice 7-10:30 PM College Park	Music 7 PM Laurel	Sewing & Weaving 7 PM Bowie			Defending Gate VI Studentorre Fredericksburg, VA	Armoring 2 PM
						Heavy & Light Practice 2 PM Falls Church, VA

by being accommodating with scheduling. Deputies and replacements for officers must be considered. Seneschal comes up for renewal in September; Marshall wants to seek out a quartermaster position, deputy for Exchequer, moved and passed by populace. Marshall should get a deputy, due to often being tasked with duties for Kingdom. We need a gold key (chatelaine is vacant).

A&S: Angel needs to get box from Baroness. Friday's A&S class will have Sir Richard discussing illumination and a class on documentation. Baroness Catherine has volunteered be deputy.

Baronage: Got Invested. Went to Bright Hills Investiture, Lochmere Dance Party. Went to Imir and Back. Lovely day – blue skies and cold. Last court was brutally cold. A plan occurs if it can happen... baronial cloaks are an idea. They should pack small and be light. Looking as something that can go over other items... so we're looking at silk. They would donate them. Dun Carriag, Love and Beauty, Kingdom A&S, Gulf Wars, Tyriadon Investiture, Coronation. Eight folks showed up to At Home, one a new person who is a work pal with Pedro. A cluster of three other new people have been clustering around Armoring and Fight Practice.

Old Business: Investiture Report: 272 people (w/ 64 non-members). \$3081 gross income, \$1,055.32 income. Some checks need to be signed. Event manager was a high-touch and a frequent overseer during the day and evening. We should ensure the list of sites is updated on the Yahoo Group database. An addendum to the contract that specifies use of chairs and tables outside the hall and such is recommended. There are refund requests that need action – group moved and passed motion to pay them back.

New Business:

- 1) Gulf Wars; many are going. Baronial day shade may go to provide the shade Bright Hills gifted last year. Gift baskets are being collected.
- 2) Plans for Post Pennsic Revel were discussed; a larger site might be nice. Patricia will seek an Autocrat and help with site discovery.
- 3) Need new autocrats for Novice Tourney; July 13-14-15 – site has been secured – it is Marietta Mansion – They're expecting a bun in the oven. Samara will do head troll and reservation.
- 4) Are we set up for Baronial Birthday at Croom? Closed at this time at the site, but Llyr will reserve soon.
- 5) Banners returned to B&B by Magnus.
- 6) Barony is looking for new Warlord.
- 7) Next meeting will be on March 4th since people are going to GW on the 11th.

Meeting closed at 8:25