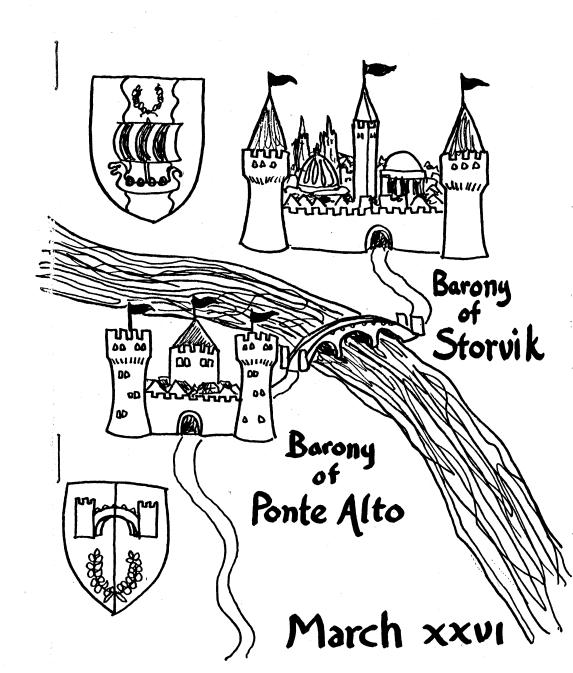


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The Drekkar



Local Activities continued...

THE COLLEGIUM COMMUTATIUM:

The Collegium Commutatium meets for lunch all around the area. Come join us for conversations medieval and mundane.

CRYSTAL CITY/PENTAGON, on the THIRD WEDNESDAY of every month. Contact Mistress Signy (Tracie Brown, 202/692-7551) or Morgana (Barbara Jackson, 202/692-8465) for exact time and location.

DOWNTOWN WASHINGTON, at 1:00 on the THIRD MONDAY of every month, at International Square (above the Farragut West Metro Station, 18th and I Streets, near the escalators), also within walking distance of Farragut North. Contact Mistress Jaelle (Judy Gerjuoy, 202/638-0252). Collegiums which fall on Federal Holidays will be held the following Tuesday.

TYSON'S CORNER, VA, on the SECOND WEDNESDAY of every month, at the Shakey's Pizza off International Drive in Tysons Corner at 11:30. For information, Contact Master Allyn (Alan Dowd, work 703/827-3697, home 703/491-8867, between 6 & 10 PM).



Local Activities, continued...

Beginning soon there will be Dance Practices held at George Mason University in Fairfax every other thursday. Please contact Lady Aislynn at (703)-313-9613 for dates, times and more information.



Both last month's cover and this month's cover were done by Lady Johanna von der Glocken of Wrattingham Lynn, who also did the likeness of Stefan on page XXX. The rest of the art throughout the last two issues have been pulled from the Drekkar archives. Hint, I need more art if we want to see new things...

The Chronicler desperately seeks Artwork, Line drawings, Calligraphy, and Illumination for use in the *Drekkar*. Please contact Duncan at 301-559-5659 if you would like to have your work published in *Drekkar*.

Artwork is a different story entirely. I will gladly take any artwork in what ever format given (color does not reproduce well). I ask (no beg) for more artwork, especially border illumination and small ink line drawings. I am specifically looking for art that can be documented as a period style, for such work I will include the documentation in the credits of that issue of the Drekkar.

I will take submissions for the Drekkar in almost any format you can give. I confess to bad memory and weak fingers though. Therefore verbal submissions are VERY unreliable, and hardcopy will be subjected to lots of editing. My tired fingers prefer text in any type of electronic media you can give me. My system can read LOW density PC disks, Atari disks, Amiga disks, C64 and C128 disks (either 5.25 or 3.5). It can also receive text from any system via telephone lines. If at all possible, save your files as text only before sending them to me. I'll also take email at: "snolan@pafosu1.hq.af.mil". All text printed in the Drekkar will be published electronically except calligraphy and submitters making very special arrangements.

Newcomers

to Storvik and to the SCA are cordially invited to the SUMPOSION OIKOMENIKON

(or, as the Greeks say, Y'all come to the Party!)

from 7 to 11 PM on the second Friday of each month North of the Great River, and the third Friday of the month South of the Great River. Here is a chance to meet people and get your bearings, in a smaller and more personal setting than a big event. Wear casual clothes (costume NOT required), ask and answer questions, bring your current project, or just hang out. Each month features:

A TALK, DEMO, OR WORKSHOP on a topic of interest.

TIME to talk and visit with other Storviki.

PIZZA! A chef visits with dinner for those who cannot eat before they come. Please call to get in on the order.

Northern Sumposion

Mar 13 You can dress them up, but ... (Costume)

Apr 10 To fight, perchance to dream (Combat for the non-combatant)

Southern Sumposion

Mar 20 Who am I this time (persona)

Apr 17 Every Tom, Dick & Herald (Heraldry)

For more information, contact Lord Beornheard of Wearmouth (Jeff Tyeryar, 301/559-7852 evenings), or Lord Herveus d'Ormonde (Michael Houghton, 703/486-0522).

Northern Location: At the home of Lord Beornheard of Wearmouth, 3603 Oliver Street, Hyattsville, Maryland (301-559-7852).

From the Capitol Beltway (I-495): Take New Hampshire Avenue South to Adelphi Road. Go left onto Adelphi. After several miles, you will come to Route 410 (East-West Highway). Get in the right-hand lane, and cross over 410 onto Queens Chapel Road. Go through the light at the top of the hill, and make the next right onto Oliver Street.

Symposium continued...

From The City: Take North Capitol Street to Michigan Avenue. (Look for the signs to Providence Hospital and the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception). Turn right onto Michigan. It will become Queens Chapel Rd when it leaves the District. Oliver street is approx. 5.4 miles from the intersection of North Capitol and Michigan. You will eventually pass through a shopping district (a shopping center, gas stations, a Pizza Hut, etc). Queens chapel road then goes up a very noticeable hill. Oliver street is on the other side of the hill, at the bottom, on the left. If you reach Route 410 (East-West Highway), you have gone too far. If so, cross 410, turn around, and follow the 'from the Capital Beltway' directions above.

Southern Location: The home of Herveus d'Ormonde, 919 16th Street South, Arlington, VA 22209 (703/486-0522)

From the City: Leaving the city on I-395, get onto U.S. 1 South. turn right on 23rd Street. Take a right onto Ives. When Ives meets 16th St., take a left onto 16th. It is a white house on the right.

From Northern Virginia: Driving toward the city on I-395, exit on U.S. 1 to Pentagon City. Stay to the right of the exit lanes and get onto Army Navy Drive. At the second light, take a left onto Joyce St. Take the first right to stay on Joyce, then take the first left after the road narrows. This will be 16th St. Look for the white house on the left.

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Notes, continued...

No Thursday Fighter Practice on April 9th

The new Storvik fighter practice on Thursday nights at Highland Elementary school, will NOT be held on Thursday April 9th.

Housemate Needed

Looking for a non-smoking, pet-free, child-proofable, person to share residence in an old Takoma Park home with two ladies and one small boy. The house is only two blocks from Metro and bus lines. Rent is \$400/month plus utilities (heat and water included in rent). For more information call Myfanwy at (301)-270-5761. Available the first day of March.

Pages School

Unto all parents in Storvik:

Megan o'Donnelly (M.J. Houghton), as a mother of smalls, will be running a School for Pages for children between the ages of 5 and 12 (kindergarten to grade 6). There will be meetings on the third Friday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at 919 16th St., Arlington, VA. Please call me for more information at (703)-486-0522.

Heraldic Research

Are you interested in heraldry? Would you like to know how the SCA College of Arms functions? Mistress Jaelle, Triton Herald of Atlantia, is running heraldic commenting sessions in various places in the greater Storvik/Lochmere area. These sessions take place every other week, and are open to anyone who is interested in learning more about how SCA heraldry works.

For further information contact: Jaelle of Armida (Judy Gerjouy, [202] 737-4609). Feel free to leave messages on the answering machine; she will get back to you.

Loaner Closet Needs Garb

The Storvik loaner garb closet is needs more garb for newcomers. Contact Elspeth at 301-869-5594 if you have anything to turn over to the barony.

Artifacts and Heirlooms

The Board of Directors meeting will include a display of older SCA articles that have some history behind them, please bring your old armor, maps, first scroll, etc for display.

The Investiture of Master Niäll McKennet and Mistress Teleri Talgellawg as Baron and Baroness of Ponte Alto was a event filled with clebration, good food, and many people. The day started with a duello "second blood" tourney, and then a games tourney. Then Atlantian Royal Court of Galmr and Katharina opened with a Military flag procession of Ponte Alto, accompanied by the sound of dumbeks. Their majesties started court by presenting scrolls for awards previously given out. Then they awarded arms to Ranulf of Waterford and Padraig Muadhan, and William Conor MacLean was appointed to the Queen's Order of Courtesy.

Lady Winifred Corbet de Wynterwood, as the seneschal of Ponte Alto asked for release from the status of a canton of Storvik. King Galmr stated that one barony can no longer hold all the good energy of the area, and that their should be two baronies. The Baron and Baroness of Storvik were summoned and did return the lands south of the river, known as Ponte Alto, to the crown. Then King Galmr made a royal proclamation that henceforth, there would be a new barony in the Kingdom of Atlantia, known as Ponte Alto (the actual document is gorgeous). The officers of Ponte Alto were called forth. Then it was asked "Who shall be the Baron and Baroness of this new Barony?", and accompanied by drums, following saracen guards, Master Niäll and Mistress Teleri presented themselves. Their Majesties asked if it was the people's will to have Master Niäll and Mistress Teleri as their Baron and Baroness, and there was a great cry of "Vivat!"

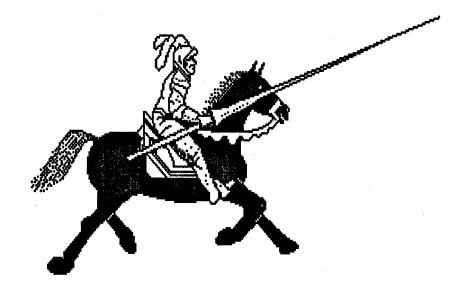
Master Niäll McKennet and Mistress Teleri Telgellawg were then sworn into their oaths of office and given coronets and tokens of trust by their majesties. The new Baron and Baroness then held their first Baronial court, confirming their officers and appointing Lord Brion du Bois Betronne as Captain of War, Lord Padraig Muadhan as Captain of the Guard, Signor Niccolo Aldobrandini as Steward of the Baronial Household, and Lord Maelgwyn y Traseiliur as Wardrober. They also exchanged gifts with the Baron and Baroness of Storvik, explaining that Ponte Alto has been proud to be part of Storvik, but it is time for new beginnings, time of great hopes and some sadness at leaving Storvik.

St. Patrick's Day Blood Bath

The Baronies of Ponte Alto and Storvik invite all good gentles to attend the St. Patrick's Day Bloodbath and Bear Pit Tourney. The site is the traditional Nottoway Park in Vienna, Virginia. The site will open at 10:00 a.m. and close at 4:00 p.m. There is no site fee and no reservations are required for the day half of the event. There is a covered pavillion on site, and gentles are requested by the park authority not to bring their own tentage.

Directions to the Massacre: from I-495 take I-66 West, continue West on I-66 for 2 miles. Take Nutley Street exit towards Vienna. Turn LEFT onto Courthouse Road and Nottoway Park will be on your left.

Contact Lady Aislynn Fyrlocc 703-313-9613 for more information.





IT'S NEVER TOO LATE FOR LOVE

(a really post valentine's day revel)

The Barony of Storvik invites you to celebrate the joys of love, courtly and otherwise, on March 14, AS XXVI. Melisande de Belvoir, Jaelle of Armida, and Igor Medved - three peers of the realm, renowned for their creative and artistic mastery of the field of cooking, will be serving a three course FEAST. Activities will include revelry, dancing between removes and throughout the evening, and contests of various sorts featuring: a 'Harp-off' to determine the new Baronial Harpist, and "the Most Sensual Eating of Fruit". Lady Dierdre O'Siodhachain will be sponsoring a Love Poetry competition. Entries should be short poems in a period style. The will also be a 'Mock' Court of Love.

The evening site opens at 5:00 P.M. and will close at 11:30 P.M. It is located at the Christ Congregational Church at 9525 Colesville Rd., Silver Spring, MD. From I-495, take Exit 30 South, which is Route 29 (Colesville Road) toward Silver Spring. The church is two blocks down and on the left. To turn left, you will need to pass the church and make a U-Turn. The first remove will be served at approximately 6:00 P.M. On-board space is limited to approximately 65 gentles, off-board eating space is also limited so reserve early. This is a damp site - no original containers please. Please note: you do NOT have to live in Storvik to participate in the Harp-off.

Those of you who need entertainment of a more "physical" nature, are welcome to join us after going to the St Patrick's Day Bloodbath.

CO-AUTOCRATS
Lady Marie de la Terre
mka Maile Kihara
301-270-2318
Lady Brenna of Storvik
mka Jerry Rorstrom-Lee
202-737-8088

RESERVATIONS FOR THE FEAST

On board fees are \$9.50 postmarked by Mar 1st \$11.50 thereafter Off-board fees are \$4.00 Make Checks payable to: The Barony of Storvik/SCA

Children under 12 are half-price...

Mail reservations/checks to:

J. Rorstrom-Lee, P.O. Box 7203, Silver Spring, MD 20907

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The Shire of Highland Foorde presents...

Winter's End Dance

On Saturday, March 21, 1992. Come and join us in celebrating the end of Winter with dancing, revelry, dancing, eating, dancing, schmoozing, and dancing. Oh...and dancing! We have arranged with several of the Dance Masters of the region to teach the dances; this will be a great opportunity to learn any you are interested in (any you really WANT? Call us!).

In deference to Hoary Tradition, the feast will be potluck; we hope to have it on the table at approximately six of the clock. Please bring your own small main course, and a dish to share, either dinner or dessert, that will feed 5-8. The Shire will happily provide beverages and breads.

THE SITE HAS CHANGED!!!!! -to St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, 141 South Potomac Street, in Hagerstown, Maryland. It is a DRY site, and candles must be globed or enclosed. The site opens at noon and will close at nine of the clock. As in prior years, informal dance classes will be held all afternoon. The autocrat invites (incites?) those who would teach dances, LEARN to teach dance, play an instrument, sing, or have dance tapes, to help us provide music and entertainment. Please contact the Autocrat, James of Rutland, at (301)-834-6515.

Merchanting is available and desired. As previously, only SCA-related wares will be allowed. Merchanting will be by prior arrangement only. Contact the Autocrat.

Fees: \$4.00 until March 10th, then \$5.00 thereafter. Children under 12 half price, and babes in arms free. The Autocrat pleads, advises, begs one and all to reserve as early as possible! Please indicate that you know the site is in Hagerstown. Please make checks payable to "Highland Foorde/SCA Inc.", and send with mundane and SCA names of those attending (with farspeaker please) to the Autocrat:

James L. Dronenburg 3536 Cemetery Circle Knoxville, MD 21758 (301)-834-6515

Winter's End Dance, continued...

Directions to site: Find your best way to I-70 at Hagerstown, MD (Note: if coming on I-81, take I-70 EAST). Take exit 29, Route 65, North towards Hagerstown. Go 2.1 miles, then the street splits at a point with a flashing light. Keep right and continue to the 3rd stoplight, Antietam Street (there is a stone church on the corner) and turn LEFT. The first light is Potomac Street. Turn LEFT. The church is on the right. The driveway is after you pass the church, by Norge Laundry. Do not park in reserved spots. (To exit, just continue back on Potomac St. to I-70).

The Incipient College of Rencester

is hosting the Baronial Birthday Celebration for the Barony of Tir-Y-Don. The event will be held March 29 (this is a Sunday) at the Campus Center of the College of William and Mary. There will be "practica" held in fighting and Arts & Sciences so that everyone will have a chance to learn and try new skills. A feast of three removes will be served, and lunch will be provided. Since this is Rencester's first full-fledged event, pre-registration is a required for anyone wanting to go on board. Please note any special dietary requirements when registering.

Child Care is available for \$2.00 per hour, Favor and Token compitition

Fees - Before March 21:

On Board - \$8.00, Off Board (includes lunch) - \$5.00

After March 21:

On Board - \$10.00, Off Board - \$6.00 Phone reservations only after March 15th

Ages 6-12 are half price, under age 6 is free.

For reservations, contact: Sybyl Lleuellyn c/o Jennifer Toone

CS Box 3633

Williamsburg, VA 23186

Autocrats: Lord Toril Jarvik (Mike Jarvis) (804) 564-3759 Cline Doucerain (Suzanne Covert) (804) 221-4819

Feastocrat: Sebastian mac Lir (Christmas Nelson)

Directions - From I-64, take Exit 57 (Route 199) towards Williamsburg. Continue on 199 past 1 traffic light. At the second light, turn right (marked by a sign for the College of William and Mary). Turn left at the second stop sign, and then right onto South Boundary St. Take the first left into the Campus Center driveway, and then left again - park in the lower lot next to the police station.

Shakespeare's Birthday Feast and Revel

On April 11, 1992, the Incipient Canton of Wrattingham Lynn and the Barony of Storvik invite all Players, Thespians, and Groundlings to a Celebration in Honor of the Poet and Playwright. William Shakespeare. Merriment and Wit shall abound, for the day shall be punctuated with Performances from Various Works of the Illustrious Playwright and his contemporaries. All who attend are invited to prepare Performances of their favorite Scenes, Dialogue or Soliloquies and perform them for the Populace. Memorization is not required, but Appropriate Costumes and Props are shamelessly encouraged. Aspiring Thespians are encouraged to check ahead with the autocrat, Lady Johanna, to ensure that not every Player has chosen to perform the same scene. Originality and Authenticity of Performance (in the Elizabethan Tradition) are both to be encouraged. For those who have not time to prepare themselves in Advance, a number of short scenes will be available for Impromptu Performances upon the Stage. And if the mere thought of performing before an audience chills your blood, be not dismayed; spectators are also more than welcome. To further Enliven the Day, there shall also be in the afternoon Workshops on Topics of Interest (yet to be determined), Dancing, and Various Contests and Competitions, including one on Elizabethan Sonnets, and others (Best Death, Best Mad Scene, Best Soliloquy, Best Use of Props....) as announced.

To prevent any of the Players or Spectators from expiring from hunger, a Feast of Various and Sundry Dishes inspired by the Plays shall be served, prepared with stentorian care by Baron Igor. Facilities will also be available for small children but parents must reserve with the Autocrat in Advance.

Costs for the Event, including Admission to All Performances, will be \$10 until April 1st, and \$12 thereafter. Children under Twelve shall be half-price. Cheques should be made payable to The Barony of Storvik, SCA, Inc. and mailed to:

Lady Johanna von den Glocken (Janet Trautvetter) 9704 Beachwood Avenue Lanham, MD 20706 (301) 731-0673

Shakespeare's Birthday, continued...

Directions to the Site: The Theatre will be found at Christ Congregational Church in Silver Spring, MD. From the Washington Beltway, take Colesville Road (Route 29) South. Go approximately two blocks, and the Church will be on your left. The site opens for workshop/classes at 2:00, and the Main Hall will open at 5:00 for set-up, and Performances will begin at 6:00. The Site will close at 11:30.



Brush Up Your Shakespeare!

For those who are (and even those who aren't) thinking about attending and/or performing in the Shakespeare's Birthday Feast and Revel, but would like some refresher courses, a PRE-REVEL of videos and other assorted Shakespearean Nunsuch is planned for sometime between now and then. So for those of you who would be interested in a review course, or just a chance to see Romeo and Juliet, Henry V, MacBeth, Hamlet, (or even Rosencrantz and Guildenstern Are Dead) or sit around and read through the plays looking for the "good stuff", contact Lady Johanna (Janet Trautvetter, (301) 731-0673) or Lady Myfanwy (Mouse, (301)270-5761), and we'll plot something. Of course, anyone wishing to host a Shakespearean PRE-REVEL for either videos or impromptu rehearsals of stuff to do at the EVENT, feel free to call, too.

SCA Board of Directors Meeting in Storvik

The Board of Directors of the Society for Creative Anachronism will be holding its April quarterly meeting in the Barony of Storvik. This is a rare opportunity to see firsthand how the whole international organization is run. The Board only meets dour times a year, usually in California. April will only be the second time in 25 years that they have met in this area.

The meeting itself will be Sunday, April 26, 1992, at 10:00 a.m. in the New Carrollton, Md., City Hall. It holds 300 and is conveniently located about a mile from the Washington Beltway (Route 495). Take Route 450 East (Exit 20A) and immediately get in the two left lanes to turn left at the intersection onto Princess Garden Parkway. The City Hall is a few blocks ahead on the left in a brick building. No reservations or garb are necessary. Lunch will be available.

On Saturday evening, April 25, 1992, the Barony of Storvik will host a feast for all, with dancing afterwards. This will be a chance to meet the Directors informally, all of whom have a great deal of experience in the Society. During the day in the feast hall, there will be a display of items showing how we arrived at A.S. XXVI, with 20,000 members and 12 kingdoms, such as old newsletters, maps, artifacts, and photos. Those attending are encouraged to bring anything they may have of a similar nature. Dancing is also likely to occur in the afternoon as well. The hall will open at 2:30 with the feast at 6:30. Feast site is Christ Congregational Church, 9525 Colesville Rd., Silver Spring, MD. From the Washington Beltway (Route 495), take Colesville Road South (Exit 30B). The church is two blocks on the left.

Reservations for the feast are \$10.00 until April 15th, \$11.00 thereafter if available, payable to "Barony of Storvik/SCA Inc." Crash space is available. Send to the Autocrat:

> **Stefan of Cambion** (Stephan Kiefert) 9704 Beachwood Ave. Lanham, MD 20706 301-731-0673

Performer's Revel - West

For all the performers/would-be performers out there, it is the Performer's Revel West, whisch is a direct steal of the Performer's Revel held by Mistress Fevronia and Master Igor. This authorized copy is at the home of James of Rutland and Daniel of Rutland, in Highland Foorde (near Brunswick, MD). It's basically a day-long bardic circle with a feast, from noon until the last one leaves/crashes. Part of the admission fee is, in fact, at least one performance from each reveller-- be it song, story, a reading of prose or poetry (yes, it need not be memorized) or a dramatic performance (Did you learn anything for the Shakespeare event?). Newcomers are especially welcome.

Master Igor Bear has agreed to cook the feast (I told you this was an authorized copy!). Because we are vegetarian and keep kosher at our house, the feast will be ovo-lacto-vegetarian; and do not bring feast gear-- we importing platters of papyrus from Egypt to add an exotic note. The site is wet, wet, wet, but we reserve the right to take away your car keys if...

Several notes if interest; wear field garb, weather permitting, we will be out on the lawn under the sycamores enjoying the breezes and a view that includes two kingdoms until dinner.

Parents of smalls should be aware that it may be tedious for them to stay quiet during performances, and should plan accordingly. There will be a room set aside for their use.

For the allergic: We keep four cats, but the little darlings will

be locked in the basement for the duraction.

For those who wish to crash, certainly!

The event starts at noon of Saturday, May 16th. Coming early, no problem; not reserving early, BIG problem! We will take a total of only 25 reservations. The fee will be \$8.00.

Reservations should be sent to James of Rutland, c/o James Dronenburg, 3536 Cemetary Circle, Knoxville, Maryland 21758. For further information, and directions to the site, please call us at 301-834-6515.

The Board is coming! The Board is coming! (so what does it all mean?)

Liz Johnson, Chairman of the Board, SCA Inc. (Duchess Ysabeau Cameron of Lochiel)

The SCA Board is meeting in Storvik; what does that mean? Who will be here, and what will they be doing? Can you go? What will happen?

The Board and the Board Meeting

SCA, Inc. is a nonprofit, educational corporation. We're incorporated in California as a "non-member corporation," which means that the Board is empowered to make corporate decisions without calling meetings of the full membership. (Imagine trying to get 20,000+ SCA members together for a business meeting...) Once a quarter the Board meets to conduct the business of SCA Inc. The Board meeting is open; any SCA member is welcome to attend.

So what happens?

Generally the meeting starts as close to 10 am as possible. The Directors and Officers sit at a U-shaped table (or tables) in the front, facing the audience. After brief introductions, we go right into the agenda. The first two sections are Establishing the Agenda and Approving the Minutes; they usually go very quickly. The third section is Reports, from officers and standing committees. Directors and officers present oral summaries of their written reports; the Board may ask clarifying questions, but there's little discussion — topics needing further attention are moved to Old or New Business. The fourth section, Recurring Business, usually goes quickly: bank authorizations, reports of branch advancements (Ponte Alto should be on the agenda!), review of Director and officer status, etc. Barring calamities, we should finish the first four sections by the lunch break, which generally comes around noon or 1 pm and is as short as humanly possible.

Details of the Board Meeting, continued...

The bulk of the day is spent on sections 5 and 6, *Old Business* and *New Business*. These are the meat of the agenda, and the topics are very wide-ranging. At the January 1992 meeting the topics on the final agenda were:

Old Business
Marshals' Handbook
Financial Policy Privileges of Membership
Fighters' Handbook
Authority to Revoke Court Barony Titles
Restructuring the Waiver-Authorization
Society-Wide Local Officers' Handbook
Policy Decision from the Marshal Budget
Statute of Limitations on Complaints
Revolving Door Reigns
Conflict of Interest
Corpora and By-Laws Revisions
Chirurgeons' Handbook
Australian Membership Rates

New Business
Crowns as Officers
Publications Policy
Midrealm Banishment
System Peerage Titles
Kingdom of the West, Banishment
Branch and Award Structure

For each topic, a Director or officer gives a summary of the background. We discuss it, present alternatives, ask for further information, propose solutions. If time permits, and audience members are interested, we open up some topics for brief comments from the floor. When it looks as though we've reached consensus, the Chairman summarizes the discussion and the agreement for the whole Board to verify. If the topic requires a formal motion (for example, a change to Corpora), a Director makes the motion; if another seconds, there's one more chance for discussion, and then the Board (but not the officers) votes. If we don't reach a consensus, or key information is not available, the topic will be remanded to a future meeting; one or more Directors or officers may be assigned "action items" to work on. Some topics require no action, and are simply dropped from the agenda.

Details of the Board Meeting, continued...

Section 7, Correspondence, is simply an opportunity to review any other correspondence that has come in during the quarter.

The Executive Session is section 8 of the agenda, but can be called at any point in the meeting. This is a private meeting of the Directors, to discuss some internal or sensitive topic. It is most often used for the selection of new Directors; in January we used it to elect a Vice-Chairman. We already know that there will be an Executive Session at the end of the April meeting, since Melinda Sherbring's term ends then and we must choose a replacement.

When we meet away from the corporate offices in California, we try to leave time at the end of the agenda for an open question-andanswer period. If you have questions or comments about topics not on the agenda, that's the time to bring them up.

If all goes well, the meeting should end around 6 pm.

Tips & Tidbits

The Directors and officers are in an odd situation at these meetings. As representatives of SCA Inc., we are 20th-century people, operating a 20th-century corporation. We use modern names and wear modern business dress. But at the event Saturday night we'll be medieval people; we'll use our SCA names and titles, and wear our best garb.

You can help a great deal by making that same distinction. On Saturday night there will be a dozen or so visitors in Storvik, notable peers from other kingdoms who don't know Atlantia or her people. Please take the initiative in welcoming them and doing them honor --- strike up conversations, ask them to dance, help them find seats for the feast. They'll feel much more comfortable, and you may end up with tales to tell your friends!

On Sunday, you don't have to wear garb --- any comfortable modern clothes are fine. You'll get copies of the Agenda, and be asked to sign in so that we can include your name in the minutes. You might want to bring a quiet craft: there can be stretches where things get, well, boring, and conversation would be distracting.

Details of the Board Meeting, continued...

If you want to comment on an agenda item, please be understanding. We'll open things up as much as possible, but we have to get through a lot of material --- we may not be able to hear from everyone, or open up every topic. If you're called on, your time will be limited; be ready to make your points as succinctly as you can.

Finally, I'm very glad that Storvik has offered to host this meeting. I think you'll find it interesting to see how the Board works; and I know the Board will find it valuable to meet you and hear what you think. If you have any questions between now and then, I'm in TI.



Notes from the Frebruary Barony Meeting

The February Barony meeting was held at the home of Lord Stephan of Cambion on February 9th, 1992.

OFFICER'S REPORTS: Herald: Brenna of Storvik is to be our next Drekkar Pursuivant. Marshal: Atlantia did well at Sea Wars. Looking for a new site in VA for practices. Lists: Need new officer. Arts & Sciences: Need new officer. Exchequer: Maile reports that the IRS tax forms are going in on time. Chronicler: Duncan reported that the February issue of Drekkar was finally completed, the only costs were stamps and paper. Seneschal: Stepan reports that he has been asked to resign by the kingdom seneschal, therefore, we must ask for a deputy seneschal to step forward, one who may well become the baronial seneschal for Storvik within the next four months. Seneschal for Demos: Malcolm reported that Lord Rorik Fredericsson did a two hour demo at his daughter's school. Chatelaine: Elspeth Cainealaigh stepped forward to take the office, and will host the next barony meeting.

CANTON NOTES: Ponte Alto: Niäll reports that Ponte Alto will be a barony as of the first day in March. Niall and Teleri are to be invested at An Event of Some Note on the 29th. Wrattingham Lynn: the canton meeting has moved from Friday nights to Sunday nights, still at Celeste's. The paperwork for name, device and official status is going in late February.

EVENTS: Performer's Revel: event went very well except for plumbing problems, lots of food. Event of Some Note: Lady Elise has the site reserved, and site fee is paid. There are only 104 on board seats available. It's Never too Late for Love/St Patrick's Day Bloodbath: The hours of the feast have been shifted back one half hour to give more time to fighters. Drekkar event announcement has been corrected. Shakespeare's Birthday: theme event, same site as Christmas Ball. Now there is a conflict with Atlantian University (it moved dates). Board Meeting: there will be a feast the night before cooked by Thomas the Navigator. Mayfaire: still need marshal and merchants. A Day at the Races: A Faire, and hobby horse races, and the Ponte Alto champions tourney. Spring's End II: in Ponte Alto. Spice Event: joint event between Ponte Alto and Storvik. Novice Tourney: expected to be large. Pas D'Armée: in Ponte Alto.

Notes from the February Barony Meeting, continued...

OLD BUSINESS: List of exchange and complimentary Drekkars brought. Will be reviewing need to give away so many.

NEW BUSINESS: There are lots of Baronial Offices open for new people, please fill the vacancies. Rapier practice sites are being looked for in lower Rockville. Thursday Fighter Practice available in Silver Spring from 7:00 to 9:30 at Highland Elementary.

ATTENDING WERE: Stefan of Cambion, Johanna von den Glocken, Malcolm MacMalcolm, Myfanwy O'Mwyle ni Cambion, Duncan Tiercel MacLeod, Corun MacAnndra, Herveus d'Ormonde, Marie de la Terre, Michael le Marin, Brenna of Storvik, and Elspeth Cainealaigh, Theresa du Domrémy, Ysabeau Cameron of Lochiel, Laeghaire o'Laverty, Alyson of Islay, Winifred Corbet de Winterwood, Teleri Talgellawg, Niäll McKennett, Celeste, Stephan of Red Dragon Bridge, Gregoire de Conteville.

DIRECTIONS TO MARCH MEETING: Take I-270 North to Clopper Road Exit. Turn Left at the second light onto Quince Orchard Road (124). Pass 7 lights to Route 28, turn right at light and then right again on Copen Meadow Drive. Follow drive to it's end, park on main road, NOT in lot. Townhouse on right side, 16109 Hayshire Court. Ask for Elspeth or Ian at 301-869-5594.

DIRECTIONS TO APRIL MEETING: See the directions listed for the Northern Symposium site on pages 7 and 8. Contact Duncan at 301-559-5659 for more information.

Canton Notes

The Incipient Canton of Wrattingham Lynn (Northern Prince Georges County)

The Incipient Canton of Wrattingham Lynn has their meetings on the third Sunday of each month, at 7:00 PM. Contact seneschal Celeste at 301-522-8784 for more details.

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March 9th March 21st March 23rd **Historical Book Binding** Military Through The Ages

April 10th Permanent Collection

Elizabethan and Jacobian Furniture and Art Sexualities, Dissidents, and Cutlural Change pre-Columbian, Byzantine and Classical Art

From now until... From now until... Every Saturday

Art in the Age of Chivalry Book Binding exhibit at Folger

Carve stone & work with stained glass

Historical Book Binding: lecture at the Folger Mar 9th at 8pm by Paul Needham, \$10.00, call 202-504-7-7077 for more information. Exhibit from now to mid-September on fine & historic book bindings (covering six centuries) and the Folger Library.

Military throught the Ages. Living history group at Jamestown VA. Lots of SCA participation, very authentic.

Elizabethan and Jacobian Art: talk on monday mar 23rd at 8 pm by George Ray. \$10.00, call 202-504-7077 for more information.

Sexualities, Dissadents, and Cultural Change: April 10th at Center for Renaissance and Baroque Studies, University of Maryland, College Park; fee

\$20.00.

Permanent Collection. Pre-Columbian, Byzantine, and Classical works open daily 2 to 5pm. Dumbarton Oaks, 1703 32nd St. NW. 202-338-8278 or 202-342-3212.

Art in the Age of Chivalry: Permanent display at the Walters Art Gallery in Baltimore of mid-14th to late 15th Century late Gothic religious and secular artifacts.

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THE CUSP is a newsletter for the "Borderlands" of the East and the Kingdom of Atlantia, carrying event announcments and information for the following groups: The Baronies of Bhakail, Lochmere & Storvik, the Shires of Bright Hills, Dun Carraig, Highland Foorde, Stierbach, Inglenook, Black Rose, Dawnfield, Montevale, Silver Rylle and the Bailwick of Ivyeinrust. The CUSP is available from Lord Cahan Kyle (William Kyle), RD #1, Box 426, Blairs Mills, Penn. 17213. The subscription rate is \$7.00 per year.

The Blue Feather, is a newsletter for the members of Clan Blue Feather, and is to be a forum for publication to period sources, poetry and other items related to gay/lesbian/bisexual studies or individuals in the time period covered by the SCA. The Blue Feather is available from Tristan Alexander at 103-J N. Rock Glen Rd., Baltimore, MD, 21229, for \$9 per year.

The Chanter and Stick, is a newsletter of the Atlantian Piping and Drumming Guild. It offers informative articles on beginning bagpipes, equipment reviews, and a source list for related accoutrements. It is available from Niäll Duncan MacFarlane (Neal Towley), Rt.3 Box 467, Boone, NC 28607.

Il Tempo, the newsletter of the Canton of Ponte Alto, is available for \$5.00 per year. Make checks payable to "The Canton of Ponte Alto/ SCA Inc." and mail or give to Becky King, 7135 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church, VA 22043.

Drekkar, the newsletter of the Barony of Storvik. Subscriptions to Drekkar are \$7.00 per year, and are available or renewable by sending a check, payable to 'Barony of Storvik, SCA, Inc.' to the Chronicler (see officers listing). Please include your mundane and SCA names, your mailing address (and your phone number if you wish it listed in the directory).

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