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"The Birth of Cupid"

Master of Flora (Italian, Fontainebleau, second half 16th century. Oil on wood. Also, it need hardly be said that the above should not be taken as representative of human or even presumably divine childbirths, given the absence of various visceral events in the former and the general lack of theophagic(?) father-gods from the previous pantheon's myth-cycle in the latter.)

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Upcoming Events

February 8: [Bright Hills 26th Baronial Anniversary](#) (Manchester, MD). Unicorn/rainbow theme. Bardic Bearpit, baronial brewing championship, Four Unicorns A&S challenge, heavy/rapier/youth combat and target archery if weather permits. Feast, discreetly wet, no smoking, no pets.

February 15, 16: [Aedult Swim V](#) (Milton, PA) (Aethelmarc). Shire of Abhiann Ciach Ghlais will be hosting fighting, fencing, and the arts. There does not appear to be a feast, and the site closes at 6PM on Saturday and 4PM on Sunday.

February 21-23: [Ymir 45](#) (Ellerbe, NC). Windmasters' Hill is hosting its annual fighting/A&S event. Limited cabins, regular camping, feast, tourneys, A&S competitions.

March 7: [Kingdom Arts and Sciences Festival](#) (Matthews, NC). Numerous competitions and challenges. Lunch is pre-reg only, limited to 120 people. No feast, no pets (service animals permitted), no steel, no open flames, no camping, no booze, no tobacco, and it's in a church so mind your language.

March 14-22: [Gulf Wars XXIX](#). There's apparently [an app for that](#).

Regular Baronial Activities

Locations to regular baronial activities on the last page.

Populace Gathering: February 16, 6:30-9pm, Jason's Deli, 7356 Baltimore Ave, College Park, MD. 301-779-3924. Business meeting starts at 7pm. Parking is free on Sundays.

Armored, Rapier Practice: February 17, 24, 7-9 PM.

Dance Practice: February 17, 24, 8-10 PM. Join the [Dance listserv](#) for the latest news.

Archery: Archery will resume in March.

A&S: Canceled for this month. See the [Facebook event page](#) for location and contact information.

Martial Related A&S: 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 6-8:30 PM. Contact Lord Cameron de Grey at 202-321-9102 for details

Baronial At-Home: Consult their Excellencies for details for this month's at-home.

Early Northern European Adhocracy: February 18, 7-9 PM. 9426 Canterbury Riding, Laurel MD 20723. Contact Mistress Teleri the Well-Prepared at 301-483-3691 for details.

Knitting/Fiber Arts A&S Night: February 26, 7-9 PM. 6313 Jason St, Cheverly, MD 20785. Join Patches for a night of knitting or other fiber arts.

Greetings from their Excellencies!

Greetings! We're out of the doldrums of winter (knock, knocking on my wooden desk) and looking



forward to the tidings of Spring. University was a blast, and we found ourselves refilled with lore and creative purpose. One thing that can't be overstated when headed out to dinner after an event: If you wear your garb out, you will get questions, and you might as well bring a business card with you. We have extras, so hit us up at the next business meeting.

A quick word about those meetings: they are about an hour long, and they are CHOCKED FULL of ways that you can get more out of the SCA. You aren't going to be roped into anything you don't want to be, but you also might not hear of an opening opportunity that sparks your imagination and seems tailor suited for your fondest consideration. We even got a place that serves food and ice cream, and has a larger area in the rear to hold us all. More importantly, it's a chance to be involved in deciding how Storvik operates, what direction you'd like to see it take, what events you'd like to see happen – and promote ways to make those ideas, that shared Dream, come to life for all of us. Soon enough it will be time for us to start asking for heirs to lead this Barony, and just showing up to these will keep you better informed so that you can make the best choice for your family.

We're planning to attend the following events and we'd love to see you there!

Feb:

8th Bright Hills Anniversary
22nd Ymir 45

(Manchester, MD)
(Ellerbe, NC)

March:

14th St Patties day bloodbath
21st SPRING FAIRE (Storvik)
28th Defending the Gate

(Vienna, VA)
(Croom, MD)
(Spotsylvania, VA)

In service,
Celric and Ilaria
Baron and Baroness

OYEZ! OYEZ!
Baronial News Highlights

**THE BARONY NEEDS A DEPUTY SENESCHAL.
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Contact the Seneschal if interested.

Sewing Day: Sunday February 9, 12-8 PM. Open sewing at Kender's house. It will also be a a stuff-trading day. Do you have fabric, books, garb, feast gear that wants a new home? She does! Come and sew, take stuff home, hang out. Dinner provided. 2503 Dunrobin Dr., Bowie, MD 20721. Take meds if allergic to cats or short-haired dogs. Largo is the closest Metro station (Silver and Blue lines).

Praise the Praiseworthy: Their Excellencies welcome recommendations for awards, as always.

Overheard and Unattributed

Said at the populace meeting; we won't say by whom

Does anybody want a fire log that smells like KFC?

(...The answer was no.)

Baronial Meeting Notes, January 12, 2020

Meeting started at 7:04 PM. 15 adults, 1 child. Ice cream was particularly welcome, since it was 65 degrees out that weekend.

Officers' Reports

Seneschal

Lady Marguerite Honoree d'Cheneau/J. Chenault

- Quarterly reports due.
- Needs deputy needs deputy need deputy.
- Proposes that officers send Chronicler and Seneschal officer reports ahead of time and it'll be collated and sent out to officers. Tentatively going with that plan.

Minister of Arts and Sciences

Lady Mirabella/M. Gretsinger

- A&S quarterly report ready to be submitted.
- Emma had A&S last week.
- Marshals A&S this week.
- Knitting at Sonya's house at the end of month.
- Nalbinding at SENEA.

Exchequer

Lord Morton/S. Graf

- \$12,900 in bank - (site fees, practice expenses) = 9,500 to work with.
- Haven't paid for Novice, have paid for Spring Faire, Battle on the Bay.
- No known outstanding checks/expenses

Quartermaster

Lord John West/J. Hutchings

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Chatelaine

Lady Sonya/S. Gross

- Got some newcomers, some going to University.
- Things are maintaining an even strain.
- Trying to get newcomers to come to A&S.
- Wants to follow up with University about Kratina's school project.

Chronicler

Lord Morgan O'Lathlann

- The Drekkar went out.
- Mentioned changes to the newsletter.

Social Media Officer

Lady Sonya/S. Gross

- Got all the recurring events up on Facebook.
- Updated calendar.
- Nothing up yet about Spring Faire
- Checking website to make sure that the links to kingdom website aren't broken.

Knight Marshal
Lady Angeline/L. Madan

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Deputy Chatelaine
William de Hirst/B. Fisher

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Herald
Lady Rose/E. Stark

- Doing consulting

Youth
Astrid Spakona/E. Whitlock

- 12th Night activities: Assisting youth activities; wine goblets and glass stuff; herb stuff.

MOL
Lady Kunigunde/R. Green

- Volunteering for Ponte Alto/Highland Forde.
- Wilhem will be taking MoL classes.

Baronage
Baron Celric and Baroness Ilaria/D. And M. Bartlet

- Submitted 2 month progress for events (going to 3 or 4 in Jan/Feb).
- Let Baroness know if you have stuff for Royal gift box.
- Happy to talk about people interesting in being next B&B

Events:

Fall Coronation: DONE.

Spring Faire: Caer Maer said no to conflict exemption. If Baronial activity, can recoup expenses via 'donations,' maybe no need for member discount, could do fundraiser/donation lunch. Billed as equestrian practice and regional fighter practice (maybe). No court. No budget for prizes. Separate budgets for lunch and site fees. No troll for activities, but welcome table. Check for what waivers are needed.

Performer's Revel: Also Baronial activity.

Novice Tourney: (Sonya) roadblock with Knights of Columbus over locking down the use of the site. June 20th; could use Croom. Had several different budgets for event. \$1,200 differential between using daily event (\$1,400 or so at K of C) and weekend event (\$2,600 and change at Croom). Croom could also do daily. Motion to move event to Croom passes. Motion to reserve Friday event passes. Motion to approve weekend budget for 3 day (Friday to Sunday) event and feast at Croom passes. Need updated budget for next meeting.

Battle on the Bay 2020: Tirza will be head chef; Wilhelm and Jim will assist. Baronial investiture.

Old Business:

- Financial discussion tabled again
- Interpreting software? Not followed up.

New Business:

- Awesomecon? May 1-3. Conflicts with crown tournament. Have been contacted about what we want to reserve. Baron would like to request a 20 x 20 space; Wants space for fighting, A&S, period games. Needs people to staff the place. Will have electricity. Will reach out to Roxbury Mills, maybe Lochmere/Ponte Alto. Get a demo spot, Sonya wants to teach. Motion to continue on this passes.
- New/Old business: WorldCon August 2021, at Marriot downtown. Sonya will be teaching medieval dancing at it. Still setting up. Tickets are pricy. Will keep on old business.
- Seneschal doing Shakespeare right now (history plays). Might do group pricing. Locate in Alexandria. Seneschal will send links.
- Building Museum is doing a Shakespeare exhibit (including play) this summer. The chronicler will be organizing having a bunch of the barony go to that.
- Medieval Renn Faire needs armor for photoshoot. Talk to Wilhem.

Meeting adjourned 8:23. The next meeting will be at Jason's Deli at 7:00 PM, February 16th, in College Park MD.

Baronial Regnum

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D. Bartlett and M. Bartlett

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Baronial Champions**Archery**

Lord Cameron de Grey

Arts & Sciences

Dame Emma West

Bardic

Lady Astrid Spakona and Irena

Heavy Weapons

Lady Eleanor Bywater

Rapier

Noble Rajan of Kapellenberg

Youth

Vacant

Baronial Appointees**Warlord**

Lord Griffin Wharvager

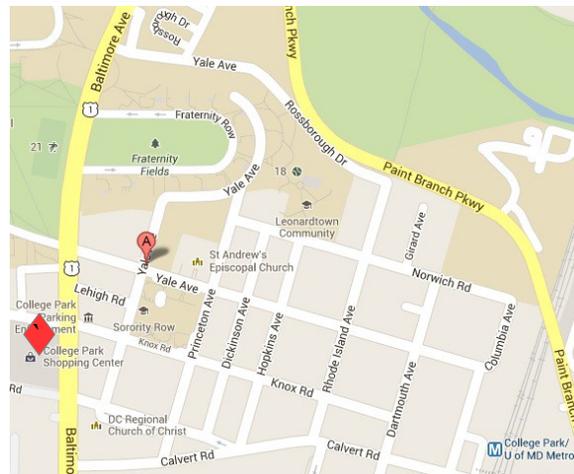
Populace meetings are held the 3rd Sunday of the month at 6:30pm at Jason's Deli in College Park, MD. Baronial business will be conducted at 7pm. Take your best route to US-1 S in College Park. Go past the university main gates; a few lights down is Knox Rd, with a Peri-Peri chicken place on your right. Turn right and then turn left into the parking lot of the mall. Jason's Deli is near the entrance where you came in. 7356 Baltimore Ave, College Park, MD. 301-779-3924.

Fight practice (armored and rapier) and **dance practice** are held each Monday at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 4512 College Ave., College Park, MD 20740, at the corner of College Ave and Princeton Ave. off of Route 1, south of Paint Branch Pkwy. 7 blocks from the College Park/U of MD Metro on the Green Line.

Archery practice on Sunday 11:00am at Adelphi archery range, 2800 University Blvd E, Adelphi, MD 20783; equipment-making at Lord Cameron's during inclement weather.

Early Northern European Adhocracy: 9426 Canterbury Riding, Laurel, MD. Right off I-95 exit 35A. Free unassigned parking. One cat.

Baronial At-Home: 1204 Canberwell Rd, Catonsville MD



Jason's Deli located by red diamond. Monday practice at 4512 College Ave, College Park, MD 20740 is at the letter "A" in the map pin.



Release Forms

Want to share something in the Drekkar? Give me legal permission to do so!

Please send submissions to

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