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**A 'Coffret' is a small box, by the way\*.**



*Eagle Attacking a Fish (one of five medallions from a coffret)  
ca. 1110–30, French*

*"The blue and green beasts, locked in battle and compressed into the circular medallion, are emblematic of goldsmith work created at Conques under the patronage of Abbot Boniface (r. 1107–after 1121). On a similar box still at Conques, an inscription proudly proclaims: 'In all respects, the coffrets of Conques demonstrate brilliant workmanship.'"*

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\*So now you know!  
And knowing is half the battle.

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## Upcoming Events

August 7-9: Pennsic in Your Backyard. Virtual event. Online events, classes. [See here for details](#).

## Regular Baronial Activities

Locations to regular baronial activities on the last page. Well, regular during a more normal time period. **Please do not go to Jason's Deli for the baronial meeting this month.**

All in-person events and activities have been canceled throughout August 1, 2020. Information about virtual events can be found on individual Facebook event pages or on the Storvik calendar (found [here](#)).

**Populace Gathering:** Sunday, July 19<sup>th</sup>, 7-9 PM, via Zoom. See the [Facebook event page](#) for more information.

**Armored, Rapier Practice:** Canceled.

**Dance Practice:** Virtual practice Mondays, Jul 13<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup>, 7-8 PM. See the [Facebook event page](#) for more information.

**Martial Related A&S:** Virtual meeting Tuesdays, July 14<sup>th</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup>, 6-8:30 PM. See the [Facebook event page](#) for contact information.

**A&S:** See the [Facebook event page](#) for contact information.

**Baronial At-Home:** Will be held virtually. See the Baronial [Facebook page](#) for more information.

**Early Northern European Adhocracy:** Tuesday, July 21<sup>st</sup>, 7-9 PM, via Zoom. ("Medieval Lithuania and the Baltic Lands.") See the [Facebook event page](#) for contact information.

## Greetings from their Excellencies!



You may have heard by now that COVID-19 is causing Atlantia to cancel in- person events through August. This is a moving deadline, to be seen as not before August 1. In an effort to ensure safety, Storvik voted at the last populace meeting to cancel Battle on the Bay. Though we are sad we will not see our chosen family in person for a while longer, we are happier to know that we will hopefully be able to see you for years into the future.

We loved seeing so many happy faces at the Baronial at home. The barony really seems to be thriving through these real life trials. Many people are reaching outside their normal regional limits to make larger virtual networks of friends. Though some are really struggling through the difficulties of the lack of in person contact, we hope you are getting what you need and reaching outside of your comfort zones to have some fun, and taking advantage of the baronial events, and the virtual atlantia.

In a few weeks we'll be hosting another at home and we'd love to see you there!  
Celric and Ilaria  
Baron and Baroness

**OYEZ! OYEZ!**  
*Baronial News Highlights*

The Known World Entertainment Guide: a variety of online programming, updated weekly. [See here](#) for the current highlights.

Atlanian Poetry meetup: The Poeta Atlantiae will be hosing discussions and sharing of works on Tuesdays, from 6-7 PM. [Click here](#) for Google Meet info.

Maugorn's Webconcerts for July: Typically Fridays on Zoom, starting at 8 PM. July 3<sup>rd</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> (Bastille Day commemoration), 17<sup>th</sup> (moon/astronaut theme), 31<sup>st</sup> and August 7<sup>th</sup> (both Pennsic themed). [Click here](#) for more information and login details.

SCA Social Media Committee: this has just been formed. [Click here](#) to find out more.

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

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## ***Battle on the Bay Announcement***

*Greetings all,*

*If you've been waiting with bated breath to discover the fate of Battle on the Bay, your waiting is over. There have been months of events canceled due to the serious health concerns with the plague ravaging the land, and this event is joining them. No fighting tourney, A&S display, or service opportunity is worth the safety of our chosen family, especially when even beating the disease is no guarantee that you might ever fully recover.*

*We are sorry, my friends. We've already started negotiations with the site for next year, and by then we hope life will have returned to a more normal state. We look forward to a time where merriment can ring out across the fields once more. Until then, be safe, and we will see you soon.*

*In Service,*

*Celric and Ilaria, Storvik*

## **Baronial Meeting Notes, June 21, 2020**

Via Zoom. 21 adults. Meeting started at 7:06 PM

### **Officers' Reports**

#### Seneschal

*Lady Marguerite Honoree d'Cheneau/J. Chenault*

- St Andrew's theoretically limiting to groups of 10 or fewer outside, no bathrooms, currently (early June).

#### Minister of Arts and Sciences

*Lady Mirabella/M. Gretsinger*

- Out sick.

#### Exchequer

*Lord Morton/S. Graf*

- Nothing has changed since last time.
- Financial policy meeting schedule still on plate.

#### Quartermaster

*Lord John West/J. Hutchings*

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#### Chatelaine

*Lady Sonya/S. Gross*

- Many things happening online: dance class, Martial A&S Night, Teleri had SENEA , virtual Atlantia class on museum writeups.
- Talked with Esther about online classes on global medieval history (both kid and adult programming).
- There was a northern Chatelaine meeting.
- Quarterly reports due on 15<sup>th</sup>.

#### Chronicler

*Lord Morgan O'Lathlann*

- Drekkar went out. Send articles.

#### Social Media Officer

*Lady Sonya/S. Gross*

- Trying to get everything out to the calendar and page.

#### Knight Marshal

*Lady Angeline/L. Madan*

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#### Deputy Chatelaine

*William de Hirst/B. Fisher*

- Nothing to report.
- There are online fighter practices.

#### Herald

*Lady Rose/E. Stark*

- Nothing to report. Send messages if help needed or submissions.

## Youth

*Astrid Spakona/E. Whitlock*

- Nothing to report.
- Some discussions online regarding youth programming.

## MOL

*Lady Kunigunde/R. Green*

- Did MoL/Marshall class at university: better communication key takeaway from that.

## Baronage

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

- B&B at-home next Wednesday.

## **Events:**

Battle on the Bay: Go/No-go? Questions asked:

- Was anything settled last month? Consensus back then was not to have it. Baron felt we needed to push it back to barony; K&Q did a working group on how to get events going again; baronage will try to get those notes released, as appropriate.
- Is event even currently permitted under Maryland rules? No, but may be different later. It was noted that fighters back in Ansteorra are using masks under helmets. Second wave issues?
- (Seneschal) Reminder that MD/DC/NoVA restrictions would all apply. Had been suggested to the Seneschal that the event should be postponed until next year.
- Suggested that BotB was too soon if held in September.
- (Autocrat) Event contingent on volunteers volunteering. Existing staff has already canceled, mostly.
- No-go on BotB. Cannot marshal or volunteer for anything for the rest of the year, as cannot do social distancing with marshalling. Doesn't want volunteers to have to enforce social distancing / mask use.
- It was pointed out that fighters breathing hard going to be a special problem because of the virus; another suggested event a bad idea because a lot of older people and other high risk categories in the barony, and the site is hard to secure.
- It was pointed out that there seemed to be a consensus for no.

Poll taken; vote passed in favor of canceling Battle on the Bay for 2020. Seneschal asked Autocrat if she needed anything for BotB cancellation? Autocrat asked Baron to write up explanation as to why cancellation.

Awesomecon: hasn't gotten back to Baron. Looks like a no at the moment. It was suggested that since Balticon was virtual, we might try suggesting something virtual to Awesome Con.

Spring Faire 2021: still a go.

Novice 2021: Spiked.

Worldcon: Nothing to report.

BotB 2021: Nothing to report.

## **Old Business:**

- Financial policy to be scheduled.

**New Business:**

- TRMs want information about stuff people are doing. Send it to Emma West.
- Kunigunde: If we cancel an event with the park, we get 75%; if they cancel, we get 100% refund. Should still cancel the event ourselves, though. Exchequer suggests that we bring it up with them, see if we'll get the full refund. Will check about porta potties.
- Esther: should take children's coronavirus situation into account.

Meeting adjourned 7:58. Next meeting via Zoom July 19<sup>th</sup>, 7-9 PM.

## Baronial Regnum

### Baron and Baroness of Storvik

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D. Bartlett and M. Bartlett

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## Officers & Deputies

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B. Fisher

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### Minister of Lists

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### Web Minister



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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

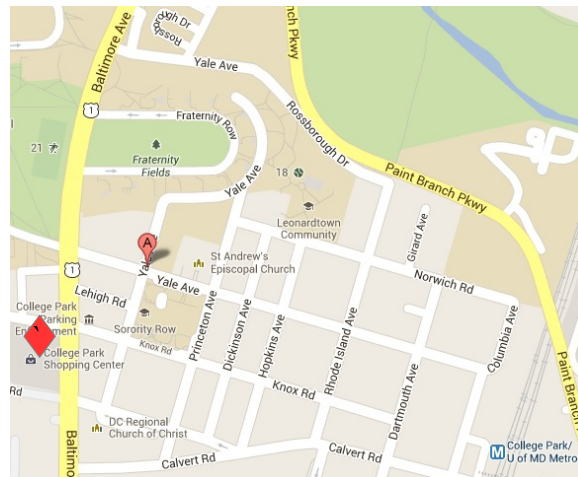
**Populace meetings** are held the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month at 6:30pm at Jason's Deli in College Park, MD. Baronial business will be conducted at 7pm. Take your best route to US-1 S in College Park. Go past the university main gates; a few lights down is Knox Rd, with a Peri-Peri chicken place 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

Moe Lane  
9426 Canterbury Riding  
Laurel, MD 20723  
chronicler<at>storvik.atlantia.sca.org

[Grant of Use Form](#): For articles, non-photograph artwork, most other contributions

[Model Release Form](#): People appearing in photographs must sign this if:

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2. The photograph is taken in a private space at an event (such as a personal encampment)
3. The photograph is taken at a non-public venue (such as an armor-making workshop at a home)

No model release form is needed when the photograph is taken at a public place and in a public forum

(where there is no expectation of privacy), including:

- any SCA contest or competition, merchants' row, court, class, etc.

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