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Good, but needs just a little more calibration



*Lid, 12th-13th Century
Attributed to Iran*

This bowl belongs to a group known as Garrus ware, named after a district southwest of the Caspian Sea, where examples were reportedly found. They epitomize two of the most typical Garrus ware designs: vegetal motifs within interlaced frameworks, and animals in heraldic poses. The designs are carved through the creamy slip coating the body, exposing the reddish earthenware, to which darkening agents are applied. Finally the whole piece is covered with the transparent glaze.

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Upcoming Events

Kingdom level in-person events are currently permitted, under limited circumstances.

August 7: [Stierbach Baronial Birthday XXIII](#) (Spotsylvania, VA) (R). 8-5 PM. Pre-registration required, fighting, rapier, archery (including Tourney for the Lochmere Arrow), A&S competitions. No feast, merchants welcome.

September 24-26: [Battle on the Bay](#) (Upper Marlboro, MD) (R). Pre-registration required, fighting, rapier, steel, combat and target archery, thrown weapons, Phoenician A&S competition, Bardic, classes. Camping event: pets on leashes, period containers for alcohol. Feast TBD. Oh, and there's going to be a new Baronage invested at the event. Almost slipped my mind, honestly.

Regular Baronial Activities

Locations to regular baronial activities on the last page. Well, regular during a more normal time period. **We currently do not have a site for in-person meetings.**

Populace Gathering: August 15th, 7-9 PM, via Zoom. See the [Facebook event page](#) for more information. Hangout starts at 6:30 PM.

Storvik Fighter Practice: Mondays (August 9, 16, 23, 30), 7-10PM, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church. **LIVE! IN PERSON!** Masks required.

Archery Practice: Canceled.

Dance Practice: In-person starting Mondays, August 16, 23, 30, 7-8 PM. Virtual dance Thursdays (August 12, 26). See the [Facebook event page](#) for more information.

Martial Related A&S: August 10, 24, 6-8 PM. Virtual Practice. See [here](#) for details. See the [Facebook event page](#) for contact information.

A&S: Virtual A&S Symposium (SASS). August 17th, 7-9 PM See [here](#) for details. See the [Facebook event page](#) for contact information.

Baronial At-Home: August 18th, 7:30 PM Will be held virtually. Trivia Nights! See [here](#) for details. See the Baronial [Facebook page](#) for more information.

Greetings from their Excellencies!



Greetings!

As we await Their Majesties choice selecting our heirs, we look toward the last of the summer heat and set our sights on the Autumn. Events might be starting back up, but Society has decreed that the potential for Covid is still out there, and getting worse again. We want you to keep that in mind and stay safe.

AwesomeCon is on and planning is in full swing. This year we've got the largest space we've ever had at 30 feet, and we're intending to take advantage of every inch. Volunteers are lining up and we've got people willing to talk up some of the best the SCA has to offer. If you'd like to be included on the list of Volunteers, please reach out to Baron Celric (email or FB or IM) and I'll add you to the list. The dates are the 20-22 of THIS MONTH, and the cut-off for volunteers is this coming Wednesday (Aug 11th).

If you haven't submitted anyone for an award or honor, at either the Kingdom or Baronial level, for Battle on the Bay, don't worry; there's still time, even if it's running out. If you think it has to be a long process and you just don't have any spoons to deal with it – shoot Baroness

Ilaria or I a quick message or text. "I think X is doing great at Y and please consider them for an award." Believe it or not, sometimes that's all it takes to make sure that no one is overlooked.

Lastly, Next month will be our last Baronial At-Home. These have become especially beloved to us during the lock-down, because it gives us at least one monthly opportunity to reconnect with the people of this Barony, and you guys are the entire reason we started this journey in the first place. So if you haven't been able to make any of the others, or even if you had, I hope you'll consider joining us for our last one in September.

Storvik Ascendant

Baron Celric and Baroness Ilaira

OYEZ! OYEZ!
Baronial News Highlights

Maugie Concerts: August 6, 20, 7:30-11 PM Zoom Link [here](#).

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

Reopening Atlantia: See [here](#) for all current official Atlantian policies and COVID-19 information.

Virtual Atlantia: See [here](#) for upcoming virtual activities in the Kingdom of Atlantia.

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

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Announcement from the Board of Directors: existing restrictions on in-person SCA events will be partially lifted, as of July 1st, 2021. Events must require preregistration, may require masks at the discretion of the Kingdom, and feasts will not be allowed at this time. [See here](#) for further details.

Baronial Meeting Notes, July 18, 2021

Meeting started at 7:06 PM (approximately). 17 adults.

Officers' Reports

Seneschal

Lady Marguerite Honoree d'Cheneau/J. Chenault

- Lots of changes on restrictions on events.
- Polling still open. Please reach out to the Seneschal if you didn't get polling info but you think you should have. People outside of Storvik can still send letters.
- Get your quarterly reports in.

Deputy Seneschal

Lady Julianna ad Aquam/A. Cheripka

- Nothing to report.

Minister of Arts and Sciences

Lady Mirabella/M. Gretsinger

- Quarterly report went out.
- Regular virtual events last month and this month.

Exchequer

Lord Morton/S. Graf

- 14.4K in hand, not including recent transactions.
- Working on quarterly report.

Quartermaster

Lord John West/J. Hutchings

- Not present.

Chatelaine

Lady Sonya/S. Gross

- Contacted by one new person.
- Quarterly went out.
- Went to monthly kingdom Chatelaine meeting (push for Newcomer's Track for WoW), events are now happening in real time in real space.
- Asked Patty for Newcomers BotB; need volunteers for that.

Chronicler

Lord Morgan O'Lathlann

- Drekkar went out.

Social Media Officer

Lady Sonya/S. Gross

- Nothing to report (needs nice pictures of candidates for Instagram).

Webminister

Diana Della Torre

- Nothing to report.

Knight Marshal

Lady Angeline/L. Madan

- Not present.

Deputy Chatelaine

William de Hirst/B. Fisher

- Not present.

Herald

Lady Rose/E. Stark

- Quarterly went out.

Youth

Astrid Spakona/E. Whitlock

- Passed background check (needed for position).
- Will do Youth activities for BotB (viking beads).
- Still working on Global History track.
- Quarterly report will be going out soon.

MOL

Lady Kunigunde/R. Green

- Nothing new for Barony.
- Did event for Ponte Alto: working on that report.

Baronage

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

- BotB coming up (divesting at it and investing new Baronage).
- Wants recommendations for awards at Kingdom/Baronial level

Events:

- Novice: \$997.83 profit from Novice (still need to get the \$600 check from Croom). Thanks for everybody who helped. Barony voted to refund \$20 for unused preregistration; autocrat to get refund form to exchequer for refund check and report. Exchequer to make check out to Autocrat for expenses.
- AwesomeCon: reached out to Barony to offer a 10x30 space. Space is fully masked. At the end of next month, so it's very last-minute. Chatelaine might cancel her music/dance class. Baron is going to play it by ear. Wants to get authorized to spend up to \$300 for power/internet/etc for Awesomecon, should we do a demo there; Barony approves. Let Baron know if you want to be staff.
- BotB 2021: Collecting more staff people. Still doesn't know about feast (Seneschal suggests that we presume we do not have feast). Working on setting up SCARS. Lochmere's training autocrat can't do it, they're trying to find a shadow.
- Worldcon: still going on. They're looking to get programming from people who are going already.

Old Business:

- Updated Baronial financial policy passed. Needs to be approved by Kingdom and Society.
- Practice: requires a warranted knight's marshal, which Barony doesn't have. Needs to be an accredited marshal with the permission of the Seneschal. Marshals need to make sure the paperwork is filled out, not necessarily to be there for each practice. Will use the space for A&S and so forth until a marshal materializes.
- We need an archery marshal.
- If you want to camp with Barony at WoW, Gracie's encampment has extended an invitation.

New Business:

- No new business.

Meeting adjourned 8:27 PM. Next meeting via Zoom on August 15th, 7-9 PM.

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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 via Zoom. Baronial business will be conducted at 7pm.

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

Storvik Arts & Sciences Society: 9426 Canterbury Riding, Laurel, MD. Right off I-95 exit 35A. Free unassigned parking.

Baronial At-Home:



Release Forms

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

Please send submissions to

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