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The Triumph of Perseverance



*Two-Handled Jar with Stag
early 1400s
Italian*

*It might not have been the best 15th Century jug showing a stag,
but it's the one that's in the Met.*

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Upcoming Events

- May 7: [Atlantian Spring Crown Tourney](#) (Leesburg, VA). Crown Tourney, Tempore Atlantia A&S, children's A&S, no feast, lunch time hospitality table, merchant space available, limited alcohol permitted, service animals only.
- May 14: [Highland River Melees](#) (Frederick, MD). Heavy Fighting, Rapier, Equestrian, Thrown Weapons, Target Archery, A&S competitions, Forestry Guild, bardic. Shakesperean theme. Feast, merchenting available. No alcohol outside feast, no glass bottles. Dogs must be leashed.
- May 21: [On Target](#) (Annapolis, MD). Walk-through archery shoot, atlatl battle, roast pig dinner, bake sale fundraiser to benefit American Cancer Society.
- May 27-30: [Ruby Joust X](#) (Ashland, VA). Join the Barony of Caer Mear for martial activities, youth combat, A&S, competition for Poeta Atlantia. Camping, no feast, no ground fires. Leashed pets/Service animals.

June 11-12: [Summer University 2022](#) (Lynchburg, VA). Hybrid event: in-person on Saturday, virtual on Sunday. Fundraiser luncheon.

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: May 15th, Virtual only, 6:30-9 PM. Zoom starts at 6:30, meeting at 7 PM. See the [Facebook event page](#) for further information.

Storvik Fighter Practice: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 7-10PM, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.

Archery Practice: Virtual Archery discussion May 24th, 7-8:30 PM. See the [Facebook event page](#) for further information.

Dance Practice: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 7-10PM, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.

Martial Related A&S: Virtual A&S Night May 10th, 6-7 PM. See the [Facebook Event Page](#) for further information.

A&S: May 8, 15, 22, 29 6-10 PM. Virtual A&S Symposium (SASS). May 19th, 7-9 PM. See the [Facebook event page](#) for contact information.

Baronial At-Home: TBD

Greetings from their Excellencies!



Hola Storvik,

This past May 1st we were able to hold our first Baronial Brunch, and we wanted to thank all of you who were able to take time out of your day to come and hang out with us for a while. It was a most pleasant afternoon, even after the skies decided to open up for a little while! The most prevalent theme of the afternoon was that time seemed to go by quickly as we shared food and fun. We are looking to do this again and stay tuned to our Social Media pages and email we finalize a date.

Crown Tournament is quickly upon us, and His Excellency and I will have the Baronial day shade up (weather permitting) and are pleased to host our own Armored Champion, Marcus de Rath and his Lady Andromeda. We wish them all the best this coming weekend and will be heartily cheering them on as well as our Rapier Champion, Lady Marta who is a consort.

May continues to be a busy month, and there are lots of events on the horizon. This is a great opportunity to send in award recommendations for both Baronial and Kingdom level awards. Remember that we are allowed to do Regency Courts for AoA level awards, so we can make ensure that all fine gentles are acknowledged and receive their due for their contributions to our Society.

Plans for Novice Tournament continue apace. Anyone who is interested in hosting an activity or volunteering their time can contact me directly, either via email or Social Media Messaging, and we will be happy to work with you.

This is also a reminder that there are several fundraisers currently being held

Pennsic War Field Tent – Rental

Royal Travel Fund

Pennsic Party - Oktoberfest

If you wish to contribute to any of these or are interested in coordinating a Baronial effort, we are all ears!

In Service,

John and Gracia

Thegns

OYEZ! OYEZ!
Baronial News Highlights

Maugie Concerts: May 5, 07:30 PM. Zoom Link [here](#).

From the KM: St. Andrews Church has removed the restrictions for the indoor mask mandate for Storvik fighter/dance practice and is instead using a "personal masking preference" guideline. They ask that we open the windows during practice.

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

Projected Baronial Progress:

- Crown Tournament
- Highland River Melees
- Ruby Joust – Baronial Encampment Registered
- Kings Assessment
- Storvik Novice -- Camping
- Pennsic – both weeks
- Skewered
- Battle on the Bay
- Stierbach Birthday
- War of the Wings

Skol!

Word-fame for Storvik's hall!

- *Lady Sonya Flicker has reached the Wool level of expertise in the Company of the Clewe! Vivat!*
- *Lady Kunigunde was inducted into the Ponte Alto's Order of the Garland and given an Onore de Ponte d'Oro at St. Paddy's Day Blood Bath for her MOL work! Vivat!*
- *Noble Blaze Frostell was granted an Award of Arms at the Kingdom Arts and Sciences Festival! Vivat!*

Baronial Meeting Notes, April 24, 2022

Meeting started at 7:08 PM. 16 adults.

Officers' Reports

Seneschal

Lady Marguerite Honoree d'Cheneau/J. Chenault

- Reports went out.
- Kingdom Seneschal meeting indicated we might need contracts for holding baronial equipment.

Deputy Seneschal

Lady Julianna ad Aquam/A. Cheripka

- Nothing to Report.

Chatelaine

William de Hirst/B. Fisher

- Quarterly went out.
- Some more newcomers showing up to fighting practices.
- Equestrian practices getting people, too.
- Going to be getting more involved with Awesomecon.

Knight Marshal

Master Celric d'Ravelle, private citizen/D. Bartlett

- Nothing to report.
- Church thinking of relaxing indoors masking policy.

Minister of Arts and Sciences

Lady Mirabella/M. Gretsinger

- Got quarterly report in.
Some of the in-person meetings have started up.
- A&S is still virtual. Had Storvikis at RotS.
- Small group challenge. Knitting Guild stuff, Archery class on how to shoot.

Exchequer/Equestrian

Doña Zarra de la Vega/L. Churchill

- (Equestrian) Had a practice this month. Got some new people. Next practice is in June.
- (Exchequer) 13.4K in the bank. Fund set aside for various activities. 11.5K CoH. No checks outstanding. Need signatures for checks. MoL found old check; it will be shredded.

Chronicler

Lord Morgan O'Lathlann/M. Lane

- Drekkar went out.
- Give me articles!

Social Media Officer

Lady Sonya/S. Gross

- People liked the stuff about Costume-Con. Need to get waivers. Needs to update SM stuff to reflect. Needed to get access to warrant.
- (Archery) No meeting for this month (surgery). Going to get some guest speakers.

Webminister

Diana Della Torre

- Not present

Deputy Chatelaine

Vacant

Herald

Lady Rose/E. Stark

- Quarterly report out.

Youth

Astrid Spakona/E. Whitlock

- Qill be teaching children's class at University. Still helping organizing Children's Fete at Pennsic. Wednesday war week.

MOL

Lady Kunigunde/R. Green

- They need more MoLs; reach out to MoL.

Baronage

Thegn John and Thegn Gracia/J. and G. Hutchings

- Reached out to church, but they were closed last week.
- Church is likely to be mask-optional in the future.
- Events were lovely, plenty of people.
- Crown Tourney: Storviki champion competing in crown, Dame Emma will be taking on protege.
- Ruby joust will have Storviki space.
- Fundraising for the royals. Would like to put together a Storviki basket for auction.
- Planning to be at Pennsic (subsection of Ponte Alto). Baroness is doing a park outside brunch May 1st. Emma's gonna do a silk workshop thing there.
- Royals are giving baronies ability to issue AoA-level awards (with permission). The Royals still approve the awards, but the baronage can issue them afterward.

Events:

- Costumecon: small but mighty team. Won contests (four awards), did dance demo. Needs \$55 reimbursed for membership; already voted on. Will send receipt.
- Awesomecon: 8 exhibitor badges. 2 slots for rapier/armor fighting. 6 demonstrator badges for each. Movement room for classes (6 demonstrator badges): one dance, one martial. Will be costs for electricity. What we really need is stuff (good stuff) for display. June 3-5. Breakdown on the 5th, around noon. Seneschal thinks that we could use Internet anyway to have Google signup form. Seneschal can even be a dropoff point for stuff. Motion to approve up to \$300 for Electricity and general expenses for Awesomecon passes.
- Novice July 8-10: event spiked, budget to be presented. It is a camping event. Kids would be pre-reged, even if they end up not be charged for. Break-even is about 120.
- Battle on the Bay: Nothing to report.

Old Business:

- Exchequer Signature paperwork: in progress
- Baronial trim: baronage gave some out at Fae Moon. The trim is in the process to being distributed as it should be.

New Business:

- Deputy Seneschal: Looking to put in a bid for spring coronation 2023. Motion to go forward with the bid passes.
- In the future: talking about changing dates for meetings for: Father's Day, weekend before Thanksgiving.
- Alternative to Croom?
- Stuff involving Principality. Is there interest in the Barony regarding a Principality? There was a vigorous discussion on the topic. Transport costs were mentioned. Pros and cons mentioned,

Meeting adjourned 8:59 PM. Next meeting on May 15, via Zoom.

Baronial Regnum

Baron and Baroness of Storvik

Thegn John West & Thegn Graçia Esperança de Sevilla

J. Hutchings and G. Hutchings

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Baronial Champions

Archery

Lady Sonya Flicker

Arts & Sciences

Lady Alicia of Cambion

Bardic

Lord Charles Alexander

Equestrian

Lord William

Ethereal

Lady Marguerite de Cheneau

Heavy Weapons

Lord Marcus de Rath

Rapier

Lady Marta de Lyon

Youth

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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