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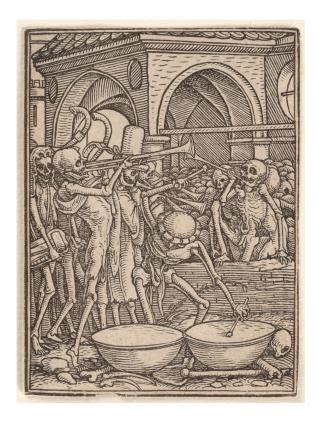
The Drekkar

Newsletter of the Barony of Storvik in the Kingdom of Atlantia, branch of the SCA, Inc. October, A.S. LVIII (2023)



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Happy Halloween!



Skeletons Making Music (or the Cemetery), from The Dance of Death
Artist: Designed by Hans Holbein the Younger (German, Augsburg 1497/98–1543 London)
Printmaker: Hans Lützelburger (German, died Basel, before 1526)
Date: ca. 1526, published 1538
Medium: Woodcut

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Upcoming Events

- October 6-8: Atlantia Fall Coronation (Charles County Fairgrounds, MD). Coronation of Ragnarr and Mary Isabel. Multiple tourneys, thrown weapons, archery, youth, Scrivener Royal, Cultura Atlantia, feast, ball, Merchant space available, camping including RVs allowed (preregistered).
- October 17-22: <u>War of the Wings</u> (Boonville, NC). Fighting, classes, merchants welcome, primitive camping, wet site.
- November 3-5: <u>Crown Tournament</u> (Courtland, VA). Tournament to select the Heirs of Atlantia. Fighting, A&S, feast, camping.

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:** October 15th: Virtual only, 6:30-9 PM. Zoom starts at 6:30, meeting at 7 PM. See the <u>Facebook event page</u> for further information.
- **Storvik Fighter Practice:** October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 7-10PM, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.
- **Archery Practice**: See the <u>Facebook event</u> <u>page</u> for further information.
- **Equestrian Practice**: All levels welcome. See the Facebook event page for further information.
- **Dance Practice**: October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 8-10PM, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.
- **Martial Related A&S**: No Martial Related A&S meetings this month. See the <u>Facebook</u> <u>Event Page</u> for further information.
- **A&S**: Virtual A&S Symposium (SASS). No SASS this month. See the <u>Facebook event page</u> for contact information.

Baronial At-Home: Not at this current time.





You're invited to...

It's a Storvik Thing:



a Fall Harvest Potluck

FREE!!!

Music and

dancing!

Bring a story to share!

> Food and friends!

Scan here for



Bring a new project or your WIP!

Saturday, October 28th from 3-8pm 6401 Forest Rd, Cheverly MD 20785

More details here.

Greetings from their Excellencies!

From the field:

As days grow shorter and the wild geese fly, so too will we be traveling south in the months ahead. First we will journey to the War of the Wings, where fighters and scholars will match steel and wits. Soon after is Crown Tournament, place of choosing for the next mighty Heirs of Atlantia. Thegn John has answered the great challenge issued by his Majesty, and will join the tourney; we welcome any Storviki or friend of Storvik who would join us in our procession.

After that, it will be time for the cozy comforts of home, with visits to our fellow-Thegns as they drive the gathering dark away with feasts and celebrations. We plan to wield a mighty ladle at Highland Havoc, and

cast a critical eye over the wonderful wares of Holiday Faire.

Wherever we are, we shall keep the fires of hospitality and welcome well-fed. If you come across us in your travels, think yourself already invited to share in our warmth and merriment, and to bring your own as well.

OYEZ! OYEZ!

Baronial News Highlights

<u>HERALDS NEEDED!</u>: Their Excellencies request Heralds for Coronation (morning and evening Great Courts), plus any assistance in setting up the Baronial dayshade.

Maugie Concerts: Maugie's Concerts are going on! See here for more information.

<u>From the KM</u>: 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.

<u>Praise the Praiseworthy</u>: Their Excellencies welcome recommendations for awards, as always.

Coronation Ball and Class Schedule

2:30pm - 3:30pm - Ball Prep Dance class: Learn some of the dances that will be at the evening ball. Partners not necessary. All levels welcome. Musicians welcome.

9:30pm - 10:30pm - We are pleased to offer "The Musician's Choice Ball" in celebration of their Majesties Ragnarr and Mary Isabel. All levels welcome, partners not necessary. We are looking to have live music. Please contact Patches (patches023[at]verizon[dot]net) if you are able to play for the ball. For many of the dances, Rose nic Galen will be singing! It is sure to be a wonderful ball. Musicians: Lady Sonya Flicker (teacher, head cat-herder), Lady Rose nic Galen (harp, singing), Lady Patricia of Trakai (recorder, tambourine), Lady Elisena the Graceless, called Nelli (hammer dulcimer), and Lady Astrid Spakona (violin).

1 Horse's Bransle - 2 Gathering Peascods - 3 Sellenger's Round (Will include singing!) - 4 Rostiboli Giocoso (For those that know it, not taught) - 5 Upon a Summer's Day (Will include singing!) - 6 Heart's Ease - 7 Hit or Miss (Daphne; Will include singing!) - 8 Chestnut (Will include singing!) - 9 Parson's Farewell (For those that know it, not taught) - 10 Amoroso - 11 Black Nag - 12 Annello (Depends on musician availability) - 13 New Castle(Will include singing!)

Skol!

Wordfame for those in Storvik's hall

• Lady Andromeda Xanthia was made a Companion of the Coral Branch at Roxbury, Milled! Vivat!

Baronial Meeting Notes, September 17, 2023

Meeting started at 7:10 PM. 11 adults.

Officers' Reports

<u>Seneschal</u>

Lady Marguerite Honoree d'Cheneau/J. Chenault

Reports are due by the end of the month

Deputy Seneschal

Lady Juliana ad Aguam/A. Cheripka

Not present

Minister of Arts and Sciences

Lady Mirabella/M. Gretsinger

· Nothing to Report.

Chatelaine

William de Hirst/B. Fisher

- Good crop of newcomers at BotB.
- More newcomers at fighter practice.
- · Improving our collection of loaner gear.
- Needs to get report in.

Knight Marshal

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

· Practices continue to happen.

Exchequer/Equestrian

Doña Zarra de la Vega/L. Churchill

- Exchequer: (Not present: report sent in) \$17.8K in ledger, \$16K CoH. Checks written for BotB. Needs dates for canceled practices. Waiting on a check for online reservations (BotB).
- Equestrian: NTR

Chronicler

Lord Morgan O'Lathlann/M. Lane

- · The Drekkar went out.
- Needs articles!

Social Media Officer

Lady Sonya/S. Gross

- Archery: Nothing to report.
- Social Media: Getthing stuff out about meetings.
- Social Media (Herald): NTR

Webminister

Diana Della Torre

(Seneschal): Got pictures for BotB.

Deputy Chatelaine

Vacant

Herald

Lady Rose/E. Stark

Nothing to report.

Youth

Astrid Spakona/E. Whitlock

- There was fun children's stuff at BotB.
- Needs to get report in.
- Will be participating in coronation with youth activities.

MOL

Meisterin Kunigunde/R. Green

Not present

<u>Baronage</u>

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

- Will be at Trial by Fire, Roxbury Mills, & Coronation.
- Get them recommendations for awards.
- Next big event War of the Wings, people welcome to camp with them.

Events:

- BotB: Successful! \$3184 profit, \$1592.17 to us, the same to Lochmere. 359 people attended.
 Successful event. Doing a post-mortem on September 29th.
- Awesomecon: NTR
- BotB/Novice 2024: Will start talking about them in the next month or two.

Old Business:

 Scriptorium: we don't have a point of contact yet. We can provide a space, but KM isn't really qualified to run one.

New Business:

- SM officer ruling ball at coronation and a dance class beforehand
- SM officer also doing monthly classes on dance
- Teleri has agreed to step up for Seneschal.

Meeting adjourned 7:37 PM. Next meeting on October 15, 2023, 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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Deputy Chatelaine

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Sir Carlyle Jamesson

Minister of Lists

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Equestrian Marshal

Youth Minister

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E. Whitlock, 301-219-7557
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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

Sir Marcus de Rath

Rapier

Lady Marta de Lyon

Youth

Paul of Storvik

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

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

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