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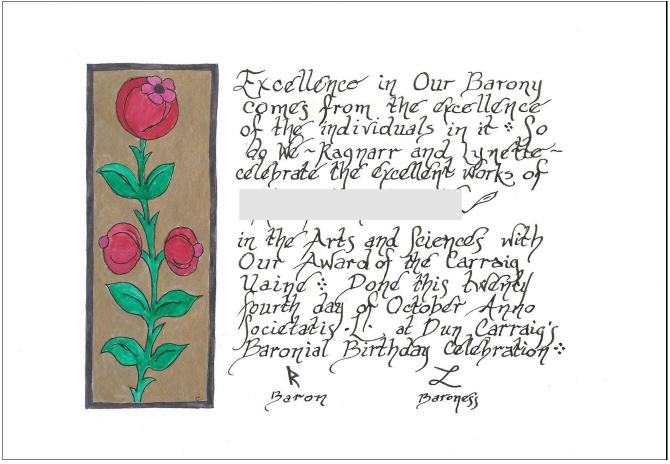
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# Clyffe Notes



Barony of Dun Carraig

# This month's feature - An example of a baronial award scroll:



Award scroll scribed & illumed by lady Thea de Nes.

The recipient's name is obscured, because we are featuring the artwork.



# Invitation to Storvik Performer's Revel

# <u>March 19<sup>th</sup> - Performer's Re</u>vel

Continuing a tradition whose origin is lost in the mists of time ... on Saturday, March 19th, the ancient and venerable Performers' Revel will take place in the vasty halls of Caer Bear. This is an event OF performers FOR performers BY performers! The call goes out to all musicians, singers, poets, dancers, actors, storytellers, jugglers and other practitioners of the performing arts. Novice performers are particularly encouraged. Are you perhaps learning a new art or skill? Are you perhaps reluctant to perform before a packed and noisy hall? Then this event is especially for you! By longstanding tradition, we have no audience - everyone who attends must contribute at least one performance. But fear not! The definition of "performance" is quite elastic. Give it a try!

PRACTICALITIES: By ancient custom, the revel will be held at the home of Baron Igor Bear and Baroness Fevronia Murometsa, 2204 Amber Meadows Drive, Bowie MD 20716. The site is wet (as long as you are 21 or older) and very cheap! The hall opens at 10am, performances usually start around noon and continue until the last vestiges of energy run out. The only fee is \$12 to cover the feast - Baron Igor will conduct his traditional proof that cooking is indeed a performing art! [NOTE BENE: small children may find the need to sit quietly rather tedious, so parents may want to make appropriate childcare arrangements].

Site: 2204 Amber Meadows Drive, Bowie MD 20716.

Site Restrictions: Um .... Don't be a turkey?

RESERVATIONS: Baroness Fevronia Murometsa (Kathleen Sobansky) 2204 Amber Meadows Drive, Bowie, MD 20716. Please note, this is a "Baronial Activity" rather than an official Kingdom Event.

## **DIRECTIONS:**

Take the Beltway/I-95, 495 to the MARYLAND exit for Route 50. Take Route 50 East, towards Annapolis. Go about 6 miles to the exit for Route 301. Take Route 301 South. Go down about 2 miles to Mitchellville Road (it is a traffic light). Turn right on Mitchellville. (From Dun Carraig: go north on 301 to Mitchellville, turn left on Mitchellville Road.) Go about 1/4 mile to Arbor Hill and turn right. Take Arbor Hill until it T-bones into Alderwood. Turn right on Alderwood, then take the first left onto Alstead, and an almost immediate right turn onto Amber Meadows Drive. We are 2204 Amber Meadows Drive, 3rd house on the left. Our phone is 301 390-4428.

Questions: may be directed to Baroness Fevronia Murometsa, owlharp@juno.com or 301-390-4428.

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January 5, 2016

Meeting opened at 7pm.

Business Meetings are held on the first Tuesday of each month, 7:00pm at Big Larry's Comic Book Cafe, Leonardtown, MD 20650. For directions go to duncarraig.net/directions.shtml

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In attendance: Adriana; Matthew; Karl; Baron; Baroness; Cadfan; Thea; Elizabeth; Amy; Chris; Ceridwin; Sandy; and Serena.

## **Old Business**

– Baronial Events – Seneschal wants to autocrat Investiture and is looking at dates in October. Looking at Mary and Richard's church for possible site. Site fee would be \$350 if held there. Asked Rose to cook, haven't heard back from her as of yet. Serena made motion to accept Adriana as the Investiture

autocrat; Karl seconded (as well as others); voted on and passed with a unanimous approval. Adriana is going to get it spiked onto the calendar, and will work out the exact date as soon as possible with site and then when possible, with Their Highnesses after Crown when they will be chosen.

## **New business**

Seneschal stated that a bid is being worked on for University, with a possible autocrat being Lore. Other details for this are being worked on and more will come out as possible.

With no further discussion, the meeting was adjourned at 7:48pm.



# Officer Reports

# B & B's Report

Ragnarr & Jynette talked about how good of a job it is to be Baron and Baroness; and encouraged folks to go for it. They will be at 12<sup>th</sup> Night and most likely Ymir. We will be getting new Cousins in Ponte Alto soon.

# Seneschal's Report

Adriana talked about the upcoming Baronial poling and Investiture. She gave the Kingdoms' explanation in regards to the timing for the poling and also the timing for having the letters of intent turned in. Possible dates will be given to Their Highnesses after Crown when they will be determined. Looking at possibly October, more on that later in "New Business". She stated that her quarterly report will be done tonight.

# Chronicler's Report (via email)

Many thanks to Cadfan for the good article (in January issue). I'd love to run more content from the barony - artwork, poems, stories, reports, anything.

Apologies to Coblaith - she gave me a copy of last month's A&S officer report. Which I mislaid. So if there were details missing, it's not her fault.

Quarterly report is due Jan 15, I'll have it in on time.

I went to Unevent in December - the official chronicler's meeting was canceled due to illness, but I met some chroniclers who showed up anyway. I got a good suggestion - organize a competition at an event (poetry, story, whatever) & publish the winning entries.

Question for Baron/Baroness - what events are they planning to attend in February?

## Herald's Report

No report.

## Chatelaine's Report

Elizabeth stated that the quarterly report has been submitted. There were two events held in December; Mead 101 (still brewing at my house) which 10 folks attended, and Basic Dance which 11 folks

attended. CSM demo is not confirmed yet, working on the details. April 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>, but we are only doing Sunday. Will need everyone there please. Further details coming as soon as possible. Thea has a possible Earth Day demo in the works; and will probably only need a couple of folks for that.

## Quartermaster's Report

No report.

## Minister of Arts & Sciences Report (via email)

Lots of upcoming opportunities for A&S. A brief overview is below.

Major Events / Events close by:

This weekend - 12th Night - always good A&S opportunities

Jan 16th Feast of Fools - Roxbury Mill - Sounds interesting. Large feast intertwined with lots of bardic.

Jan 23 Ice Castle - Black Diamond - Page Classes, Fiber classes, poetry/scroll/baking/fiber competitions

Jan 23 Torquemada's Trans-Iberian Winter Tour -Lochmere- Spanish based competitions

Jan 30 Lion's Head Tavern - Bright Hills - Brewing competition, lion themed display

Feb 6 University!! Raven's Cove

Feb 13 Celts, Kilts, Clans - Bright Hills - Bardic, children's stories/crafts, Celtic themes display and more!

Feb 13 Midwinter Bardic - Caer Mear

Feb 20 Ponte Alto Investiture - Lots of Bardic

Feb 26 - Ymir - Windmaster's - open display, Viking garb, things made by hand, scribal, etc.

## Local Classes Arrange by Chatelaine:

Jan 10 Project Day!

Jan 24 Leather Workshop/ Demo

Feb 28 Spinning 101

Progress on Database has been minimal over the holiday.

Report is due on the 15th and should be on time.

# Minister of Minor's Report

No event, no report.

# Minister of the Lists' Report

No event, no report.

# Knight Marshal's Report

No report.

# Chirurgeon's Report

No report.

# Webminister's Report

No report.

# Exchequer's Report

Karl stated that we have \$6,499.86 in the account; with 1 outstanding check not cleared yet that takes a little from that. Attended Unevent; biggest news talked about is that PayPal is now approved for live use and being tested in Atlantia. WOW and Coronation will be the first two test events. He explained some details about using it at Troll, but more will come out later after testing is done and more use is allowed throughout the Baronies. Quarterly and Domesday reports are due at the end of the month. Stepping down in August, and need a Deputy to get ready for taking over at that time.



# Chronicler's Choice

## Theatrum orbis terrarum

by Ortelius, Abraham, 1527-1598; Diesth, Aegid. Coppenius (Aegidius Coppenius); Llwyd, Humphrey, 1527-1568. Mona druidum insula

A Dutch world atlas/geography book (in Latin, as appropriate for a scholarly text), published in 1570. With many color maps, including one of "Novus Orbis" near the beginning of the book.

https://archive.org/details/theatrumorbister00orte



# FEBRUARY 2016

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 Baronial Business Meeting 7:00 PM Big Larry's Leonardtown HEMA Fight Study	3	4	Archery Practice 7:00 PM Baron Jonathas' house	6
<b>7</b> Garb Embellishment class Lexington Park Library 1:00-3:30	8	HEMA Fight Study 7:30 PM Southern CC	10	11	Archery Practice 7:00 PM Baron Jonathas' house	13 Celts/Kilts/Clans Bright Hills Manchester, MD Midwinter Bardic Revel Caer Mear Richmond, VA
14	15	16 HEMA Fight Study 7:30 PM Southern CC	17	18	Archery Practice 7:00 PM Baron Jonathas' house	Ponte Alto Baronial Investiture Alexandria, VA
21	22	PEMA Fight Study 7:30 PM Southern CC	24	25	Archery Practice 7:00 PM Baron Jonathas' house Ymir (BnB)	Tourney of Ymir Windmaster's Hill Reidsville, NC (BnB)
Ymir (BnB) Spinning 101 class 4600 Innsbruck Ct La Plata MD 1:00-5:00 PM	29					

## **Baronial Progress**

Key:

(BnB) – Baron Ragnarr and Baroness Lynette

(B) - Baron Ragnarr

(Ba) – Baroness Lynette

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The Baronial Calendar displays events at nearby locations. It is not a schedule of all Atlantian events. For all scheduled events go to

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#### **Baronial Champions**

Armor: Torfin de Carric Rapier: Cristobal Espada de Avalos Archery: Nathan Arts & Sciences: Thea de Nes Bardic: Mary Poschet

#### Baronial Marshalate

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