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# Fall Coronation

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The Newsletter of the Barony of Dun Carraig

# SEPTEMBER 2005

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# UPCOMING EVENTS FOR SEPTEMBER

- 3rd—Fall Coronation, Atlantia
- 10th— Masters of Defense & Baronial Investiture, Lochmere
- 16th 18th— Chalice II: The Poseidon Adventure, Ponte Alto

# UPCOMING EVENTS FOR OCTOBER

- Ist—Fall University, Atlantia, Jacksonville, NC
- 7th 9th— Kingdom Crusades, Atlantia/East Kingdom (R)
- 14th 16th— Storvik Baronial Birthday, Storvik
- 29th— Treachery on the Tokaido, Bright Hills, Hamstead, MD (R)

# UPCOMING EVENTS FOR NOVEMBER

- 5th— Fall Crown/ Atlantia (R)
- IIth-I3th— Known World Academy of the Rapier/ Lochmere, Annapolis, MD
- 19th— Holiday Faire/ Stierbach, Manassas, VA

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# From the Mistress Of Arts & Sciences:

Unto the gentles of Dun Carraig does Mary Isabel of Heatherstone send greetings. The green leaves of summer are kindling into red and your friendly Arts & Sciences officer is once again whispering "encouraging thoughts" into your ears. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mistress Kiri and THLord Muirghen for stepping up as deputies to the MOAS office. It's rare that you get one deputy, much less two and I know they will bring a wealth of experience to the office.

The Fall University is scheduled for October I, 2005 and will be held in the Stronghold of Raven's Cove (Jacksonville, N.C.). For those who have not attended University before, it is a great opportunity to "sample" particular topics and art forms without a heavy expense of time and money. There are knowledgeable instructors to guide you through the process & minimize frustrations. Most classes are low-cost or no cost, allowing you to "try out" a project without commitment. If I might make a suggestion for those attending University for the first time: take one class on a topic you love, and one class on a topic you know nothing about and one class that adds to your ability to participate in the SCA in general. This method promotes growth in all facets of your artistic development and ensures you have something to share with the rest of the Barony.

This month, we will be holding the preliminary meeting for folks interested in creating an A&S Entry, start to finish for KASF. Even if you are not planning on entering KASF, the skills gained in this exercise will benefit you in any A&S display or competition. At the first meeting, we will be starting on picking a project and finding a period example to use as our inspiration. (This will begin the documentation process). The next step (in October, meeting TBD by Sept. attendees) will cover materials: what was used in your "inspiration piece" and where can you get some. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or would like to participate in the project.

A&S Nights are continuing every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday at 7:30pm. We've got openings for the remainder of this year and next year is wide open. If you are interesting in teaching a class, please feel free to contact me at: <a href="mailto:moas@duncarraig.net">moas@duncarraig.net</a>

# New Orders and Awards for the Barony of Dun Carraig

As voted on in the September meeting.

# Orders

**Order of the Seahawk** – Pre-eminent Order for the Barony. Granted to those who have proven themselves to be stalwarts of the Barony for supporting DC through their efforts in varied and diverse means

**Order of the Emerald Flame** – on going excellence in the arts and sciences

Order of the Garnet Tower – on going excellence in service

**Order of the Silver Blade** – on going excellence in any marshaled activity

# <u>Awards</u>

**Mark of Excellence** – award given for specific achievement or action within the barony

**Bànghlas Carraig (Green Stone)** – given for a specific A&S achievement bead color – green

**Guirme Carraig (Red Stone)** – given for a specific service or action bead color – red

**Gile Carraig (White Stone)** – given for a specific armored/rapier achievement or action bead color – white

# Others

**Baroness's Award of Courtesy** – awarded to an individual who has demonstrated exceptional courtesy to others

Company of Dun Carraig's Champions — A company for those who have served as baronial champions. With a medallion of red and white, Heater and Sword (armoured), Buckler and Sword (rapier), drawn Bow (archery), Lantern (A&S)



Order of the Seahawk

# A & S Schedule:

A&S Nights are continuing every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday at 7:30pm. If you are interesting in teaching a class, please feel free to contact me at: moas@duncarraig.net

The schedule is as follows:

September 13 Molly's House Kingdom A&S Planning (Baroness Mary Isabel)

It's 6 months until Kingdom A&S! Bring an idea, a project or just your list of skills and let's get started planning your entry. We will cover steps to take your entry through the phases of planning, creation and documentation. This will be an on-going class, including consultation on an "as-needed" basis to ensure that everyone interested in participating in KASF (or any A&S competition/display) is able to document and display their best possible work. This is class is not intended to be a social event, so please come prepared. If you need more information on what to bring, please contact the instructor.

# September 27 Hank & Minna`s Tarot in the Middle Ages (Lady Minna Rose von Krupp)

This class will cover the history of the tarot in the Middle Ages, the symbolism depicted in the deck and tarot's place in the life of medieval people. (MOAS note: This class is a great tie- in to Storvik's event next month. One of the A&S competitions is to design three tarot cards. Hint, hint.)

October II Available Date- No class scheduled

October 25 Available Date- No class scheduled

November 8 Available Date- No class scheduled

November 22 Hank & Minna's Astrology in the Middle Ages (Lady Minna Rose)

The class will cover the symbolism and practice of astrology during the middle ages. We will also discuss the mathematical basis of the science and the astrologer's place in the Middle Ages.

December 13 Available Date- No class scheduled

December 27 Available Date- No class scheduled

# September Baronial Business Meeting

September 6, 2005

## Old Business

## New Chatelaine—

- Rose would like the job.
- Everyone agreed that she would be great in the position.
- We have a new Chatelaine.

## New Chiurgeon—

- Mindy would like the job.
- Everyone agreed that she would be great in the position.
- We have a new Chiurgeon.

## Blessing of the Fleet—

- We have been offered 2 days. October 1st & 2nd.
- We will just do Sunday the 2nd. It starts at 9 AM and is over by 5 PM.
- They will either provide food for us or money for food.
- Serena made the motion to do Blessing of the Fleet. Laurie was the second. The motion passed unanimously!

## Hurricane Relief—

- Many people are starting to collect things for our SCA friends in the South that lost everything.
- Rose suggested part of the future sales from SPIKE Tattoos be used for victims of Katrina.
- This will be discussed on the list.

# Awards and Orders—

- Order of the Seahawk

   this already exists and will continue to be here.
- Order of the Emerald Flame— this was voted in unanimously.
- Order of the Garnet Tower– this was voted in 15 to 7.
- Order of the Silver Blade– this was voted in unanimously.
- For the awards, Marvin made a motion that the bead color match the order color that it goes with. James was the second. The motion passed unanimously.
- The Baroness's Award of Courtesy– this was voted in unanimously.
- The Company of Dun Carraig's Champions— this was voted in with a 15 to 7 vote.

# Twelfth Night-

- We cannot do all of it by ourselves. We either need to do the hall of the kitchen.
- Molly suggested that if feast is \$10 a person there might be \$3000.
- The hall costs \$2500.
- There are no refunds authorized at all so we won't lose money.
- Kingdom cut is 50%. We would split the remaining 50% between us and the barony that helps us. 25% each.
- If we split the kitchen and the hall, we would front the money only for the part we are in charge of.
- There is no need for a catering license.
- Concerns are losing our shirts and costing us our other events.
- James made a motion to do I2th Night. Jen was the second and Bobbi was the 3rd. The motion passed unanimously.
- Marvin made a motion for doing just the hall. Lylie was the 2nd. The motion passed with a 2I to I vote.
- Other Baronies that we are asking for help from are Ponte Alto, Storvik and Lochmere.
- Jonathas will be the autocrat and Jynette will be the Mistress of the Hall.

## Baronial Birthday—

- It was brought up that we should have a small family style gathering.
- We have looked into Melwood. That would be \$75 for the pavilion.
- Gilbert Run is also \$75.
- Calvert Cliffs Park closes at sundown so that won't work.
- Rose and Adenwald and Molly and Erwin have offered their homes.
- Marvin made the motion. Lylie was the second. The motion passed unanimously.
- It will be at Molly and Erwin's nouse.
- Molly will talk to the local school about parking there and shuttling to the house as there is limited parking at the house.
- Birthday will be on October 22nd.
- It was brought up whether to have a barbecue or have someone cook it. Lylie made the motion for a barbecue and James was the second. The motion passed unanimously.

## February Event—

• There is no site fee for this event but we should charge as though there

were.

- There was discussion as to what kind of event we would have. A hafla
  or a Middle Eastern event. There is a big difference. A hafla is just a
  party. No court, no fighting...
- To do a hafla we need a year to plan.
- Marvin said that a Middle Eastern event in February is fine but not a hafla. Make sure the wording is changed.
- Basically we should keep the February event small and cheap.
- Bobbi made a motion to keep the event. Hank was the second. The motion was passed with a 19 to 3 vote.
- Marvin will get more information for a hafla and put it on the list later.

#### New business

## Secret polling—

- Charlotte made mention about passing a hat for voting.
- Bo will e-mail us all individually for our vote on whether or not to have secret polling.

# Proxies-

• Proxies will be discussed in depth next month.

## Exchequer replacement—

• Jennifer has a replacement for exchequer. It is Bobbi.

# Challenge 2006—

- Sir Richard has a proposal for Challenge. He will provide all fo the daggers and the sword and the banners.
- He would like the theme to be "the Mythology of Love." He will have a list of names and teams can pick from the list.
- He cannot autocrat, but he will start going to events now and begin to sell Challenge.
- Banners will be presented at 12th Night.
- Jen ahs a book about Challenge and she will pass it on and will offer help as she is able.
- If we want Melwood again we would need to have the event the weekend of May 20th—22nd.
- Crown is May 7th and Sapphire Joust is May 28th.

- If we are doing this it needs to be in May.
- If it is May, Hank will cook.
- We will vote next month.
- Marvin will autocrat.
- The theme will be Mythology of Love. James made the motion and Mathias was the second. The motion passed unanimously.

#### Amalia-

Amalia was handed a couple of books at Pennsic. If they are yours, you
can get them.

#### Hank—

 Hank has asked to use the Baronial banners for a private event. Laurie made the motion and Lylie was the second. The motion passed unanimously.

# Officer Reports:

# Exchequer—

- We have \$2,964 in our account.
- SPIKE Tattoos made \$340 profit. There are 600 still left to sell.
- Bobbi will be the new Exchequer. Jen is staying on as her deputy.
- Bobbi asks for your patience as she takes on this job.
- Please turn in your receipts. No receipts, no money!

#### Chataline—

- Rose is our new Chataline.
- She will be sending out a survey to the list .

#### Chronicler—

- New deputy, Kelly.
- Please continue to get officer reports to Lylie before the meeting.

#### Herald–

- Submissions for heraldry are all in. There is no back log.
- Always looking for a deputy.

### Archery—

- Still having practice at the B & B's house every week,
- Maybe run an archery program at Dorsey Park.
- Can help make arrows (possible A&S class.)

# Rapier—

• Hank is not actively fighting, but is still marshalling.

## Thrown Weapons—

- Not a lot going on.
- Another possible A&S activity.

#### A&S-

- Thanks to Kiri and Hank for stepping in as deputies.
- KASF meeting is September 13th.
- University is in North Carolina.
- Teachers are needed for October 11th and the 25th.

# Chiurgeon—

- Minna is taking over this position.
- She is qualified mundanely and is taking the classes necessary to be qualified through the SCA.

#### MoL-

No event, no report.

# Web Minister—

• If you can help with the website, please talk to James.

#### Seneschal—

- Think about being a deputy. Bo needs one.
- It doesn't mean that you will have to take the job later.

## Knight Marshal-

• The war went very well for the baronial unit. All the fighters did well and the support of the ladies and gents who did not fight was greatly appreciated. Crusades is right around the corner and we need to prepare for it. We are hoping to move the shield holders into large 36 inch rounds. If anyone who intends to work the shield wall has an issue with using rounds PLEASE get with me, Erwin, or Jonathas so your concerns can be addressed. We want everyone to enjoy fighting so please let us help you do that. Kiri and Philip have donated the cost of a sword basket to be purchased by me and that is underway. I will be

making the sword out of rattan I have and it will become a loaner weapon. Thank you Kiri and Philip for your donation to the fighting force. As you re-up your memberships please bring your blue cards to practice so the new date can be logged into the book. If you do not have a blue card and fight please consider becoming a member and getting your card. I prefer not to fill out waiver forms if they are not necessary.

#### B&B---

- Jonathas and Amalia are sticking around for 2 more years!
- Over the time they have been here, they feel that the barony has improved. They would like to see the next 2 years continue on nicely.
- They are trying to talk to everyone and get ideas about the barony and how they can do better.
- Questions will be sent out to everyone soon.
- Lots of events coming up. Lochmere Investiture, their Majesties will be there. Chalise of the Sun God at Ponte Alto. Kingdom Crusades.
- If people are coming to events, James will bring a day shade.
- Come to fighter practice on Sunday. Dress in garb if you aren't fighting.



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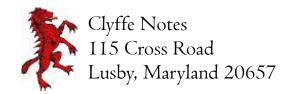
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