

# From The Tower



Their Majesties, Felix and Eva, elevate THL Amalie Briashe to the Order of the Laurel at Canterbury Faire AS XLVII (2013)

## **Barony of Southron Gaard** March AS XLVII (2013)



## Chronic Ramblings

Greetings Readers,

After having no FTT for February, there is quite a lot to catch up on in this, the March edition.

A goodly number of awards were given by Their Majesties during their visit to the Crescent Isles, for a full list please see page 5.

After noting a lot of activity on various social media sites in the lead up to Faire, I have included the most recent version of the SCA Social Media policy for the perusal of the populace. There are important guidelines in there, having a look at this now might save some embarrassment later.

There are a couple of Event notices, a couple of positions being advertised (Webscribe and my own role as Chronicler), and a copy of

Lord Mielikko's excellent Half Circle presentation, a poem about the Mangy Mongol; which was undoubtedly fuelled by the very product he waxes so eloquently about.

I have also been asked to mention that there is a small group starting to get together in Timaru, contact Cheperka for more details.

Finally, today I received via missive from the Kingdom Seneschal a token for the William Blackfox award (see below right). It is my very great hope that more of these tokens will be worn by the people of Lochac in the future. Articles and artwork both have sections in the competition; it is not just for Chroniclers.

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**Mýrún Jóhansdóttir**

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# Kingdom of Lochac



**King & Queen:**

Felix and Eva von Danzig

Please send award recommendations to [crown@lochac.sca.org](mailto:crown@lochac.sca.org) with a courtesy copy to [B&B@sg.lochac.sca.org](mailto:B&B@sg.lochac.sca.org). Additional information can be found on the Kingdom website: [www.lochac.sca.org](http://www.lochac.sca.org).

## Their Excellencies Speak

Hello everyone

Firstly, we would like to take this opportunity to congratulate all who received awards and recognition at Faire – all richly deserved and well done.

Those who received an Award of Arms from Their Majesties may remember the herald intoning the words “We grant you the rights and charge you the responsibilities of this rank, We further grant you the right to bear as Arms such device as you may have properly registered with Our herald, in the Kingdom of Lochac and throughout the Known World.”

In other words, we are exhorting you to get your Arms registered and on display, festooning some garment or banner. Our kind herald is happy to help you with the design and submissions. Oswyn can even help draw them up if you have something in mind (although I don't promise doing it speedily, there's someone's I haven't done in two years).

We also wish to announce a Heraldic display challenge. The details are elsewhere in FTT, but in short, we enjoin the populace to make items of heraldry, which we hope to view at a Pas d'Armes no earlier than late August. They will be assessed in terms of creativity, period-appropriate imagery, execution and construction (and how envious Her Excellency is of your wondrous items).

We also wish to thank those of you who either kept the fields and site tidy during the event, and especially those who stayed behind to clear up the area around the Mong or, say, the dishes left in the Tui sink. These heroic people help to preserve the good name of the group with the site owners and managers.

Yours in Service

*Oswyn and Isabel Maria*

Baron and Baroness of Southron Gaard



His Excellency Baron Oswyn Carolus of Southron Gaard being awarded the Order of the Golden Tear by Queen Eva at Canterbury Faire XLVII.

## Seneschal's Comments

About the middle of last year, I commented in this column that we seemed to be going through a bit of a flat spot in our activity. The last month or so gives me cause to hope that we are putting this behind us.

First of all, Canterbury Faire was another great event, blessed with fine weather and the presence of so many capable and clever people from many parts of the Kingdom. With the mixing of so many good minds, many good ideas come forth.

In the council minutes elsewhere in this newsletter, you will see mention of an application being prepared to form a new group in Dunedin. Whatever one might think about the cessation of the previous groups in Dunedin, the desire of the local populace to group again can only be seen as encouraging. Our Kingdom Seneschal notes that many groups have had several starts, and that the fate of past groups' is not a reliable guide to the future. The process of establishing a new group is well defined, and Their Excellencies and I will be working with the organisers of the application to get all the ducks nicely lined up, and to be sure that they are the ducks we want. There is paperwork to do, but this is only part of it. Rather more important is the agreement between the barony and the new group about our expectations of each other and that these expectations are practical.

In other matters, it is encouraging to be receiving unsolicited applications for Baronial offices that are vacant or soon to be; in several cases, even getting multiple applicants - excellent!

Looking to future events, we have a confirmed bid for Baronial Anniversary, I am aware of a bid being prepared for the next Canterbury Faire, and I have heard mention of a possible bid for November Crown 2014. All this argues a good level of confidence and forward looking in our part of the Kingdom.

May it continue to be so.

*Lowrens*

Seneschal  
Southron Gaard



### Web Minister / Webscribe Wanted

As my warrant as Southron Gaard Web Minister runs out in May of this year I am seeking a replacement.

The role description is available from the Baronial Officers' job descriptions document at <http://sg.lochac.sca.org/docs/OfficerDescriptions.doc> "In charge of creating and updating Baronial Web pages and mail redirections and keeping Baronial communications and information flowing smoothly."

Capabilities required:

- Knowledge of html, ftp, file management and some image editing;
- Computer and internet access;
- Approximately one hour per week minimum;
- Good grasp of English.

Please send your applications to the Southron Gaard Seneschal at [seneschal@sg.lochac.sca.org](mailto:seneschal@sg.lochac.sca.org) and Lochac Kingdom web minister at [webwright@lochac.sca.org](mailto:webwright@lochac.sca.org).

In service. *Eleanora van den Boquerde* (Simone Hindin)



## Being a list of Awards granted by Their Majesties at Canterbury Faire 2013

SCA Name	Award Name	Group
Catherine de Vantier	Silver Pegasus	Ildhafn
Ronan McBriain	Prometheus	Southron Gaard
Mýrún Jóhansdóttir	Golden Tear	Southron Gaard
Helen of Darton	Silver Pegasus	Darton
Amalie von Brisache	Order of the Laurel	Southron Gaard
Isabel de Winter	Cockatrice	Ildhafn
Mark the Archer	Award of Arms	Cluain
Noeleena of Southron Gaard	Award of Arms	Southron Gaard
Robert Dolby	Award of Arms	Southron Gaard
Lani Davidson	Award of Arms	Southron Gaard
Elisabetta Foscari	Prometheus	Southron Gaard
Ludwig von Regensburg	Taillefer	Ildhafn
Ludwig von Regensburg	Order of the Rapier	Ildhafn
Diego Alonso Morena	Golden Tear	Darton
Kathrine of Glastenbury	Star and Lily	Ildhafn
Oswyn Carolus	Golden Tear	Southron Gaard

**Award of Arms:** The Award of Arms is given for service or other significant contribution to the well-being of the Kingdom, usually at the local level. Gentles granted an award of Arms are entitled to be addressed as "Lord" or "Lady".

**Taillefer:** The Taillefer (formerly Prix Jongleur) is given to those who by way of performance consistently entertain the populace of the Kingdom.

**Golden Tear:** The Golden Tear is given for substantial and unobtrusive service to the Kingdom.

**Star and Lily:** The Order of the Star and Lily (formerly known as Golden Lily) is given for achievement in the Arts and Sciences.

**Rapier:** The Order of the Rapier is given for achievement in the field of Rapier fighting.

**Prometheus:** The order of Prometheus is given for excellence in Teaching.

**Cockatrice:** Given to those who have distinguished themselves over time by showing outstanding skill in the Arts & Sciences. They shall also have demonstrated chivalry, courtesy and courtly behaviour.

**Silver Pegasus:** The Order of the Silver Pegasus may be given to those who have distinguished themselves over time by performing outstanding service. They shall also have demonstrated chivalry, courtesy and courtly behaviour.

## SOCIAL MEDIA POLICY OF THE SCA

Version 2013.01.26 (Approved)

### 1. Basic Philosophy of Social Media Policy in the SCA Context

The Internet and social media are constantly changing. A review of the current social media technologies that Society groups are using demonstrates a great deal of commitment and creativity on the part of the individuals involved. While the Society has no wish to stifle creativity or limit individual expression any more than is absolutely necessary, it is important that we institute a set of basic guidelines to enable us to maintain consistency through the SCA.

Our goal is to directly regulate only those social media pages and accounts that could be construed as an official “voice” of SCA, Inc. or its branch groups. We are not attempting to monitor or control all SCA-related content in social media. Rather, this policy covers only the subset of social media activity intended to directly represent the SCA and its activities, and it provides clear guidance for groups to determine when they are acting on behalf of the SCA and when they are operating as individuals outside an official context.

This policy must be deemed a “living document,” interpreted with an eye to allowing groups to make the fullest use they can of evolving social media while protecting the Society’s interests. Questions concerning the application of this policy should be directed to the Social Media Director.

### 2. Core Principles of the Social Media Policy

The Social Media Policy for the SCA can be summarized in the following core principles. Note that this summary does not represent the whole of the policy; follow the remainder of the document for how to utilize and apply the policy.

a. Any individual or group speaking with the “official” voice of a branch or Kingdom, branch or Kingdom office (including royalty and territorial baronage), Corporate or Society office, or other SCA-recognized official group must follow this policy.

b. Social media communications must be administered by a minimum of two of the required officers for any branch, or the relevant officer and another warranted officer for any office.

c. Content placed on social media must not contain inappropriate, offensive, or confidential material and must respect principles of trademark and intellectual property.

d. All participants engaged in using social media, from Society and branch officers to owners and administrators to the general audience shall display courteous behaviour.

e. Social media is not an approved method of distributing official information. However, groups may redistribute information already disseminated according to other applicable policies.

### 3. Applicability of the Policy

This section provides guidelines so that individuals and groups may know when their activities must comply with the policy. Because groups may choose to use any number of rapidly maturing social media platforms, the applicability of the Social Media Policy is based on the function of the account, page or presence. Throughout this document, for any given account, profile, feed, group, page, or platform that is considered under this policy, the term “social media presence” (shortened to “presence”) will be used.

a. The Corporation is only interested in regulating any presence that purports to be a public channel of communication for one of the following: the SCA corporation; an SCA branch or Kingdom; a branch, Kingdom, or Society/Corporate Officer (including Crowns, Coronets, and Territorial Baronages); an officially recognized non-branch group within a Kingdom (such as a guild or polling order), or a major, separately-managed inter-kingdom war, hereafter known as Society entities. Insofar as a presence seeks to hold itself out as an official resource of a Society entity it must comply with this policy. Presences for households and other groups not officially recognized by Society policy are not covered by this policy.

b. A presence that meets the criteria in “subsection a” that allows members of the public to view any or all of the content distributed through it without approval from a moderator or account holder will be covered by the policy. Examples of presences of this nature include Facebook and Google Plus pages (including those pertaining to a specific event or branch-sponsored activity) and public Twitter streams.

c. A presence that meets the criteria in “subsection a” that does not allow the public to view any content unless the individual is subscribed or otherwise approved as a member of the relevant group will not be covered by the policy. For these presences, the relevant policies for the Webminister’s office apply.

d. Two criteria determine if the presence is covered under this policy: Is the presence perceived as the official voice of the given Society entity? Can anyone access and consume the content of the presence from the first moment they find it with no further action taken? If your communications do not meet one of these criteria, the policies herein are not binding.

e. Personal profiles and pages that do not purport to be the official voice of a given Society entity, such as the personal Twitter account of the holder of an office but not the office itself, when used to conduct Society-related communication must adhere to the Governing Documents’ policies for official vs. unofficial communication when applicable.

### 4. Administering Official Social Media Presences

This section ensures that pages purporting to represent a Society entity are maintained in such a way that the SCA’s online presence is consistent, and the SCA’s interests in its good reputation and intellectual property are maintained.

While these guidelines apply only to pages covered by the policy as delineated above, any SCA oriented page, account or presence would likely benefit from application of these principles.

Any presence that is covered by this policy is considered held on behalf of the Society entity, and any individual who seeks to undertake the management of the page or account involved does so in trust on behalf of the group.

a. Account Administration

i. All presences under the control of a given branch at any level must be under the equal administrative control of a minimum of two of the required officers for any branch, or one of the required officer and either a warranted Deputy for Social Media or branch Webminister.

ii. For those presences representing an event, equal administrative control must be given to the individual(s) in charge of the event (autocrat, steward, mayor, etc.) along with another of the required officers for the hosting branch.

iii. For those presences representing an office, equal administrative control must be given to the holder of the office and an additional, warranted officer such as the replacement deputy for that office, or the Seneschal or Webminister for the related branch.

iv. In any instance in which the platform of the presence does not allow for multiple administrators, the login credentials for the primary account used to access the platform must be made available to the officers in charge of administering the presence. It is recommended that a generic account username or email be made for this purpose, such as "westershire\_webminister@gmail.com" unless doing so violates the terms of use of the platform.

b. Disclaimer of Official Status

i. Any presence that is regulated under this policy must bear one of the following statements in any informational section of the account profile, or in some other persistent identifying area of the account or presence:

ii. Branch Presences: This [account, page, event] is held and managed by [branch name], a branch of the Society for Creative Anachronism, Inc. and is considered the official presence of this group here. Questions regarding its content should be directed to [branch seneschal's email] or to socialmedia@sca.org. Any discrepancies between the electronic version of any information and the printed version that is available from the originating office will be decided in favour of the printed version.

iii. Officer Presences: This [account, page, event] is held and managed by the [officer title] of [branch] of the Society for Creative Anachronism, Inc. and is considered the official presence of this office here. Questions regarding its content should be directed to [officer's email] or to socialmedia@sca.org. Any discrepancies between the electronic version of any information and the printed version that is available from the originating office will be decided in favour of the printed version.

c. Trademarks and Intellectual Property Within the SCA

i. Use of SCA trademarks and service marks – SCA Corporate Policy and By-Laws Section XII states the following: SCA Trademarks – The United States Patent and Trademark Office granted the Society for Creative Anachronism trademarks on the word marks, Society for Creative Anachronism and SCA. The names (group and award/order) and armory (devices and badges) registered by Laurel to the SCA or to branches are to be considered service marks of the SCA. This recognition is to formally recognize these marks and our use of them to the purpose the US Patent and Trademark Office terms "collective marks."

ii. Kingdoms, principalities, regions, baronies, cantons, shires, etc. are all part of SCA, Inc. are entitled to use SCA trademarks and service marks without limit. This applies to subsidiaries of SCA, Inc. and its affiliates through the affiliate agreements.

iii. SCA members and non-members may request use of SCA trademarks and service marks. This approval must be requested and approved in written form. Such requests and approvals can requested via US Mail or facsimile transmission to the SCA Corporate office or via an email that is sent to president@sca.org. Requests made through texting and/or social media chat or message boards do not constitute a recognized request, hence, they cannot be approved. Rationale for using US Mail, facsimile or email requests via these routes is that these routes pass through SCA controlled processes and systems.

iv. Use of the intellectual property owned by others and submitted for distribution through the presence must receive written approval from the owner of the intellectual property. This applies to works of art, documents and photographs. Use of photographs on a presence must use the SCA Photograph Grant of Use form and/or the Model Release Form as necessary in order to post a photograph. Since this intellectual property is not owned by SCA, Inc., the SCA cannot rule on the use of these materials.

v. It is important for both groups and members to remember that in using badges, arms, and other SCA insignia, there are traditions within the SCA as to who may use arms and badges and they ought to be observed even in the social media context. It is also important to remember that the Internet is not a private place, and if you are using SCA marks and insignia as part of your social media activity, you are identifying yourself as part of the organization and inviting individuals to associate all of your activity and statements with the organization. You hold our reputation in your hands. Treat it with the respect and care it deserves.

vi. Nothing here is meant to limit the use of individual badges or arms, which of course, belong to the individual member.

d. Permissions for Material Previously Released Outside the SCA

i. For material that has been publicly disseminated by the creator, including any material for which an appropriate release is openly published and those materials released into the public domain, it is not required to use SCA Release Forms in order to distribute that material through a presence covered by this policy, provided the use thereof does not infringe on the terms of use for the given platform.

ii. Account administrators shall follow all guidelines for use in a creative work's release, including attribution and linking, and shall be prepared to honor requests that photos be removed when appropriate in accord with the standards set by Society and Kingdom laws and policies.

e. Content Distributed by Participants of a Presence

i. Content that a participant voluntarily distributes through a presence, where a platform allows non-administrators to post content to that presence that is visible to all viewers by default, including photographs used as profile pictures or "avatars," are not considered an official distribution of content by the entity responsible for the presence, and the participant is considered solely responsible for said content and held to any applicable laws or terms of use for that platform. This content may be redistributed through the same presence (i.e. retweeted, shared, highlighted, etc.) without need for further permission.

f. Restriction on Content

i. The SCA encourages creativity and innovation in the use of social media by its entities. However, certain activities and information are inappropriate to any presence. The following material, including but not limited to posted messages, comments, threads of discussion, or media, collectively known as "content," shall not be permitted on any presence covered by this policy.

1. Content that involves modern politics or political subjects, particularly any activity that may be interpreted as endorsement of a particular political party, candidate for political office, legislation or referendum.

2. Content that broadcasts false or misleading information, including content which is intended to disparage, intimidate or negatively impact the reputation of an individual, branch, event, or other group.

3. Content that reveals information that is considered confidential to SCA, Inc. This includes, but is not limited to, financial information, and the content of internal proceedings that are not meant for public distribution.

4. Content that distributes material under current copyright that has not otherwise been authorized for distribution with appropriate attribution.

5. Content that involves potentially lewd or offensive material.

6. Content that is otherwise disallowed by existing SCA policy, including but not limited to published Society and Kingdom Seneschal, Chronicler, and Webminister policies.

## 5. Conduct in the Social Media Sphere

This section highlights the fact that social media interactions are largely public, and that social media is often the first place the modern media (journalists) go when looking for background on a group. Thus, all behavior and communications made through social media shall be professional and respectable.

### a. Identification of Voice

Most social media presents itself as the voice of the Society entity for which the presence was created (such as the Twitter feed of the Kingdom or the Facebook Page of the Barony). Whenever an officer or administrator posts content on any presence as individual officer or administrator and not necessarily as the voice of the branch itself, such communication must be identified accordingly. This is particularly necessary when the administrator on a presence that allows for commentary by the readership to moderate the commentary, such as ending a contentious discussion or bringing the discussion back to topic. For example, you may preface the post with a statement such as "From the Kingdom Seneschal -- The Kingdom Event on Saturday has been rescheduled..." or "Moderator Message - This thread is closed."

### b. Official Voice vs. Personal Opinion

Be aware that anything an officer or administrator posts on a presence may be construed as a policy interpretation or otherwise "official" statement, guidelines for which are delineated in the officer's relevant handbook(s). Be certain to identify when your comments or postings are coming from you personally and not the voice of the branch. Most platforms allow for distinguishing between a post by the "voice" of the page and a personal post by an administrator speaking from their personal account. In any case, identify when you are speaking personally with a statement such as "I personally, not as an officer, believe..." or "Not speaking for my office, but I think..."

### c. Society and Branch Officers

Society officers shall recognize that social media is a public forum, but not a venue for official announcements or policy statements as required by Governing Documents and Officer policies. As such, all communication and interaction through social media shall:

i. be professional and courteous at all times, in concert with the Society's ideals of honour and chivalry;

ii. respect the needs of discretion and confidentiality with regards to Society matters such as disciplinary measures, personal information, drafts and proposed changes to policies, and any other information that may be sensitive or not appropriate for public discussion;



iii. not be used to announce or communicate official policy or statements that have not otherwise been announced or publicized through required official channels (publication for event status, official sanction, changes to Kingdom Law, etc)

iv. never be used for communication intended for a private audience or limited distribution. Whether by mistake or intent, communications shared through channels that can be used for broad distribution will eventually become broadly distributed. E-mail discussion groups, Skype conference calls, chat sessions, one-to-one “wall postings,” and other limited-group communication methods shall never be considered “secure” or “confidential.”

#### d. Page Administrators

Owners and Administrators (“administrators”) of presences shall adhere to all guidelines set forth for Society and Branch officers, as appropriate. Additionally, administrators shall:

i. endeavor, within the bounds of reason, to remain neutral and/or objective on issues presented and discussed through social media;

ii. ensure that all material presented through the social media outlet/forum – announcements, photographs, video, downloads, surveys, etc. — is appropriate for the function and audience of the outlet;

iii. judiciously remove any material deemed offensive, self-serving, (inappropriately) off-topic, discourteous, or otherwise inappropriate, or annoying to the general audience of the media outlet;

iv. relegate necessary control to another administrator who is capable of being impartial in cases where an administrator’s objectivity may be questioned or compromised with regards to any of the above functions or duties.

#### e. Subscribers, members, and other participants of social media outlets in the general Society populace

All SCA participants taking part in social media interactions shall recognize that such participation is voluntary and proactive, and that participation in presences is not required in order to receive official SCA announcements, policies, or materials (but may be an additional method of receiving and discussing those items). Accordingly, everyone taking part in an SCA presence shall:

i. conduct themselves with courtesy, honesty, and chivalry, as would be done in any personal, face-to-face interactions;

ii. recognize that behavior or communications deemed to be excessively insulting, belittling, exclusionary, or generally unkind may be removed/unposted at the administrator’s discretion, and that repeated occurrences may result in removal from the presence by the administrators. Further information on enforcement is found below.

iii. acknowledge that any behaviour or interaction deemed deceptive, hateful, threatening, solicitous, or illegal by the administrators will be cause for immediate removal (without warning) from the social media. All participants in social media outlets have the responsibility to report such communication/behaviour to the administrators. Such behaviour/communication found on official SCA social media sites/outlets may be used as grounds for disciplinary action by representatives of the Society, up to and including revocation and denial of membership;

iv. be responsible in their choice of material to post via SCA social media outlets, and be patient with others who post material on these outlets as well (which is to say that, like any gathering of Society participants, social media will always be prone to conversational diversions, tangents, and random trivial interactions, but one person’s “pointless off-topic discussion” may, to another person, be “just the research material I was looking for!”).

### 6. Enforcement

The Office of the Social Media Director, in conjunction with the Seneschal and Webminister of the responsible branch, shall be responsible for enforcing the Social Media Policy. As with the responsibility to follow policy concerning websites, failure to follow policies concerning presences may result in sanction or removal from office or prevention from participation in the presence as a member of the populace. Enforcement of the proper use of SCA Trademarks and Service Marks shall reside entirely within the Office of the SCA President. Removal of objectionable content from a website or the removal of the website shall be responsibility of the Office of the President.

#### a. Causes

Officers responsible for administering social media accounts are subject to the sanctions outlined in the Governing Documents. Should the circumstances for removal merit further sanction, it shall be taken in accordance with the relevant governing documents, handbooks, and/or law. The causes for which the Society Seneschal may seek the removal of an administrator include, but are not limited to:

- i. Use of objectionable material
- ii. Use of copyrighted material without permission
- iii. Failure to abide by the policies in this document

#### b. Restriction from Administrator Status

The Society or Kingdom Seneschal or Webminister may designate an individual as restricted from being granted administrator status on a given presence. Reasons for such restriction include:

- i. Use of the presence to promote factionalism within a Kingdom
- ii. Proven inability to answer correspondence, either from the corporate level or from within the Kingdom

iii. Politicizing the position of administrator

iv. Failure to respect and adhere to the ideals of the Society

c. Moderating the Participation Privileges of the Populace

The administrators of a presence may take action to discontinue the ability for an individual to participate in posting or replying to content on said presence, known as moderation, provided that individual has undertaken one or more of the actions listed above as reason for sanction. Care must be taken to create an open environment for communication within the limits of civil discourse and moderation must not be undertaken lightly. Such moderation shall not prevent an individual from viewing the content of the presence, except in cases where the platform itself does not allow view without posting privilege. Such moderation shall be given for a specific or indefinite time depending on the severity of the offense, and that moderation may be appealed per guidelines for appeal in Governing Documents.

d. Suspension or Removal at Kingdom Request

Should a Kingdom request the removal of an administrator or participant for causes not readily apparent to the Society Seneschal, the Society Seneschal will investigate the circumstances of the request. Should the evidence show that the Kingdom's request is valid, even if the corporate office has no reason to remove the officer, the Society Seneschal may agree to the removal. The Crown has the option of suspending an administrator or moderating a participant at any time for just and stated cause, as provided in Corpora, for the duration of the current reign. In the case of a suspension of an administrator, the branch Seneschal will assign administrative duties for the remainder of the reign.

## Chronicler Wanted

I am looking to finish my term as Chronicler for Southron Gaard a little earlier than Warrented, in order to concentrate on other aspects of my SCA life.

If you have some skills with Microsoft Word and email; start twitching when you see grammatical and punctuation mistakes, and can administer regular, polite and cheerful reminders when columns and articles are late then this may be the role for you.

If you would like more information regarding this role, please contact me at [chronicler@sg.lochac.sca.org](mailto:chronicler@sg.lochac.sca.org). To apply, submit your application to Lord Lowrens at [seneschal@sg.lochac.sca.org](mailto:seneschal@sg.lochac.sca.org) and the Kingdom Chronicler at [chronicler@lochac.sca.org](mailto:chronicler@lochac.sca.org)

Greeting Lords and Ladies all!

This year Baronial Anniversary will once again be held at the Cust Community Centre on **Saturday, the 23rd day of March.**

Please join their Excellencies, Osywn and Isabel Maria, to help celebrate the formation of our Barony!

The site will open at **10:30am**, and tournaments will begin as early as time allows. (Schedule to follow)

A Feast will be held to conclude the activities of the day, nominally at 6:30pm

**Date:** 23rd March (Saturday)

**Where:** Cust Community

**When:** Site opens at 10:30am, Site closes midnight

**Cost:** Full day and Feast \$30

Day trip only \$5

Non-members (+\$2)

Booking are essential and must be in by **March 16th.**

Please email: [kerst1@ihug.co.nz](mailto:kerst1@ihug.co.nz) to book (and for bank details)

Also, if you require transport or have space to provide transport, please contact the above.

Yours in Service

Elena Sofia Luciano de Medici

We, Oswyn and Isabel Maria, Baron and Baroness of Southron Gaard,  
in great appreciation of heraldic display,  
wish to encourage the Populace of Southron Gaard  
to utilise personal heraldry and, to that end, We announce the

## Baronial Heraldic Challenge

Noting the plethora of silk standards, We wish to encourage other manners  
of displaying personal heraldry. Therefore, there shall be prizes awarded  
in the following categories:

- ✠ Gonfalon or Banner – for displaying ones device or Arms
- ✠ Attire (military or civilian) – to proclaim ones identity
- ✠ Crest (suitable for combat) – to announce ones identity on the field
- ✠ Other – to name ones possessions

We look forward to viewing a great display of heraldic splendour at a Pas  
d'Armes that shall be held no earlier than late August.

We invite you all to design or re-discover your device or Arms and to take  
this opportunity to put them to use to the glory of Southron Gaard.

By our hand

*Oswyn & Isabel Maria*

These are provisional minutes of the most recent council meeting. These minutes have been edited for space and have not been accepted as a true and accurate record of the meeting. Send any corrections to the Baronial Seneschal.

# Southron Gaard Council Meeting

Wednesday 13th February 2013

**PRESENT:** Alan (Angus), Niamh (Elena), Richard (Richard), Bevan (Calach), Bob (Callum), Melina (Quentin), Damon (Darayavush), Sandra (Mýrún) (via Skype), Lisa, Peter (Vitale), Christine (Isolde), Brian, Scott (Lowrens).

**APOLOGIES:** Betty (Lucia), Carl (Oswyn), Miriam (Isabel Maria).

**MEETING OPENED:** 7:30pm

**NOVEMBER MINUTES:** Approved.

**BUSINESS ARISING:** NZAP discount for SCA members.

- NZAP has been sold to Archery Direct, effectively cutting this idea short. Longbow replacement is deferred since a longbow and a recurve have come from the St Kessog loaner gear.

## **OFFICER REPORTS:**

**B&B** (Oswyn and Isabel Maria):  
Attended Golden Flight.

Attended fighters' practice. Attended Canterbury Faire, conducting opening Court and present in Royal and Closing Courts.

Attended baronial dinner for discussion re recruitment and retention.

Many conversations with members of the populace, amongst them a discussion with a party from Dunedin wishing to set up a Canton. Discussions with Kingdom and SG Seneschals re this new possible Canton. I recommend that the populace also be consulted.

**SENESCHAL** (Lowrens): Lots of correspondence re CF: much with Reeve, stewards and cooks regarding advances and payments; with Reeve and applicants for Reeve position; with Raffie and QM about the trailer at Showbiz -

eviction has been put off for a while (phew); with Mistress Katherina Weyssin and Constable about storage in the CF lock up; with rep of Dunedin group about process of becoming a new group; with applicant for Lists office; with Raffie about acquiring a new container for CF storage; with Mýrún about complaints received at CF and about teleconferencing Council. Attended seneschals' get-together at CF with Kingdom Seneschal and others (St Flo's, Ildhafn, Darton, Cluain, Rowany, Stormhold). Spent much of the meeting on recruitment and retention. Did inventory of Baronial feast gear onto and off-site at CF. Encouragingly good tally, but working with camp manager over apparent shortages of some of their serving gear.

**REEVE** (Richard): Delivered quarterly report on time. Baronial account stands at about \$44,000 due to CF income. There is about \$20,000 still to go out on site fees and reimbursements, but that still leaves quite a lot left. There are things we should be doing with this money [see General Business below].

**HERALD** (Lucia): Organised site heraldry for CF, and reorganised the herald books for courts. Due to circumstances, I ended up not being at Faire very much, and Lady Chunegund stepped up and took over as herald for the courts. I only caught closing court, but she did a tremendous job! A huge thank you to her for taking that on board for me so I could direct my focus elsewhere. I've had a lot of expressions of interest in registering names/devices at GF, CF, and afterwards, and work on this will begin next week once mundane life settles down.

**ARTS AND SCIENCES** (Isolde): The end of last year continued its focus on Italian clothing with regular attendance at Lady Elisabetta's home and, with her guidance, most individuals were able to complete their gown/clothing. There are plans to hold a few follow up nights for those wishing to finish their overgowns. Also offered were general sewing get-togethers before Canterbury Faire,

(which was attended), and which seemed to provide an environment for finishing up projects for Faire and general socialising.

The A & S schedule was completed and a good range of activities took place at Faire. Due to work, I was not able to attend any but had good feedback about many of the activities.

Correspondence with Mistress Cristia about a focus for the new year: Viking clothing and accessories. Also discussion re this with Emma/Cristia to include UCMRS to be able to attend as well, details yet to be confirmed. Brief discussion with Lady Elisabetta re A&S competition for Baronial Anniversary.

**CHRONICLER** (Mýrún): Put out FTT in mid-Jan. Little other chronicler activity, aside from an ad from Baroness Eleanora for Webscribe, and some looking over CF photos for the March edition. I did receive a certificate for the William Blackfox award from Her Majesty at Faire as well.

For other activities, people were successfully fed at Faire, and last Sunday attended an informal meeting of the new people interested in forming a canton here in Dunedin. 3 names got selected by the group for Council to discuss. Also spent an hour or so answering questions on the SCA from one of the new people the next night.

**WEBWRIGHT** (Eleanora): The past month and a bit has been mostly busy with updates to the site and calendar for CF. Have done a little with the gallery and requested photos from Faire and other events. Re-formatted the Regnum page to make it more readable and hope to add officer badges over the next month.

My term is up in May and I have placed an ad for a replacement in the next FTT. I'll post it to the SG Announce list at about the same time. Contacted by Adam Bazley, the proposed webscribe for a shiny new group forming in Dunedin, who seems up to the task being an IT student and is keen to get something rolling for their new group.

**STATISTICS** 1 JANUARY 2013 – 9 FEBRUARY: Canterbury Faire has boosted activity across the website and dominates the statistics for the month. Unique pageviews: 4,514, avg. time on any page: 01:39, Top pages were:

/cf, 1106, 20%; /cf/2013/schedule, 1014, 19%; /cf/2013/activities,

303, 6%; /cf/2013/booking, 234, 4%; /cf/2013/more-activities, 230, 4%;

/cf/site, 122, 2%

/home, 743, 14%; /calendar, 121, 2%; /newcomers, 113, 2%;

/barony/populace, 105, 2%

**CHATELAINE** (Quentin): Attended St. Catherine's Faire. Attended Canterbury Faire. Some new hire-garb was donated; rather nice stuff for small ladies, and some other bits and pieces. A lot of garb was handed out at CF and most of it has come back. There were a couple of cases of torn garb (special thanks to those who organised the wrestling), but they were fixed by the people who borrowed the garb. Still working on getting it all washed and put away.

Will need more bins, as I threw away the cardboard boxes and plastic bags as they were emptied. I will price out storage bins at three or four stores. I need about four— or more, if possible, because some of the current plastic bins are in very poor shape and the rest are over-stuffed, which is not contributing to their longevity.

**QUARTERMASTER** (Angus): Took stuff to CF, brought it back. Retained all the Baronial kitchen knives!

**CONSTABLE** (Bjorn): Attended CF from 26th Jan. Worked with the night steward to solve the site's potential sewage problem. Collected and collated the lost property from this and previous events, then arranged for it posted on the Baronial website and distributed to group lists.

Have corresponded with the event steward, seneschal, web administrator and site management about lost property both from attendees and the site.

**MARSHALL** (Callum): Attended archery practices. Attended CF.

**CAPTAIN OF ARCHERS** (Darayavaush): The last 2 months have been busy due to Canterbury Faire. Had no practices over the Christmas break.



Started back 3 weeks before Faire with some combat practices.

At Faire there were 5 tourneys shot, with no mishaps. Had 5 new TAMs authorise at Faire as well as 2 new combat archers. Master Brian suggested combat training for our archers once a month. Now that we have a goodly number I agreed with him.

I purchased some target faces in November from NZAP before it closed down.

**CAPTAIN OF RAPIER** (Elena): CF happened. 6 fencers either authorised for the first time or re-authorised – yay! Elena is now registered Fencing Marshal, and Ginevra an Authorising Marshal which makes our lives much easier going forward. Tournies (4) went off well and were well attended. Practice has increased participation in the weeks since Xmas.

Discussions at CF with senior fencers and Dons about possible events, activities and such. All in all, a positive last 2 months.

Current Projects: BA – Had request for a Baronial Tourney for Side-Sword (C&T) since we now have a number of authorised fighters. I'll need to discuss with their Excellencies, and see if this is something that is possible in the short-term or later. 3 others have expressed interest in becoming Marshals. Want to run a mock tourney pre BA and every few months post BA, to allow people to get used to the environment and become more used to less common tourney options.

I am working towards Authorising Marshal status by next Faire, and have had interest expressed in running the Fencing program at next Faire from 2 individuals which will allow plenty of time to prepare.

**CHIRURGEON** (Kotek): (summary of Event Chirurgeons' (Oswyn) report for CF: 7

Duty Chirurgeons, 1 Night Chirurgeon, 3 Floating Chirurgeons. No serious injuries requiring transport off site. Minor injuries included: burns, knife cuts, wrenched arm, whack by rope swing, rope burn at swimming hole, dehydration, nausea, laceration, migraine/dehydration, minor cuts,

muscle spasm and ongoing disc compression, shoulder injury during heavy fighting, cut from untipped blade.

Thanks to all the Chirurgeons, particularly to Angele for the use of her extensive kit, and Kotek for seeing a good share of these people.

Thanks also to Lucia who gave of her time to be a first aider during her very limited time on site. She also spent a lot of time ferrying people to a doctor's last year . . .

### **RECENT EVENTS:**

#### **CANTERBURY FAIRE:**

Mistress Amalie reports: We feel fairly confident at this point to state that Canterbury Faire happened. As yet we have little quantitative to report beyond attendance numbers which peaked at 209 on the Friday.

Future CF dates: Lowrens made bookings with BB camp manager for CF:

**2014** - 18-26 Jan,

**2015** - 17-25 Jan,

**2016** - 16-24 Jan,

**2017** - 14-22 Jan.

We are in contention with another Christchurch group for this time of year, so forward bookings become necessary. Someone noted that these earlier dates put the first weekend into the allowed date range for a Twelfth Night Coronation event.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**BARONIAL ANNIVERSARY:** Elena and Agnes presented a bid: 23rd March at the Cust Hall, 10:30am to about midnight, same as last year. Targeting 35 adults at \$30 members/\$32 non-members. Noted that the venue hire was more than last year, but still better than anywhere in Christchurch. Approved, to allow promotion and planning to proceed.

Budget detail to be checked by Finance Committee.

**WAITANGI DAY DEMO:** At Okains Bay - being just after CF, this looked too hard to set anything up, so nothing done.

**ARMAGEDDON EXPO:** 9-10 March. Consensus was that a static display inside the event was our best option. The likely demographic was young people interested in costuming and combat.

Our people on the stand should be in the same demographic, with nice garb, able to talk confidently about SCA. With BA happening just a few weeks later, interested people could be encouraged to attend. Seneschal to contact Armageddon about getting a stand.

**MONTHLY PICNIC:** A regularish event, proposed by Master Brian, to happen at Kirkwood Intermediate in conjunction with archery practice. Format to be a potluck picnic - bring food or drink contribution. No entry fee, no budget. Need to confirm access to toilets before advertising. Approved.

### **GENERAL BUSINESS:**

**New group in Dunedin** - Expressions of interest from a group of people to start a new SCA group in Dunedin. Discussions with members of new group at CF by KS and SG seneschal and others, and subsequent discussion about the process. Seneschal and B&B to work with new group to get their application paperwork ready to be reviewed at the next Council, if possible.

Lowrens passed on a comment from Kingdom Seneschal about past failed groups "I've been involved in seven group formations, sponsoring arrangements and closures locally and another six as Seneschal. St Lazarus is the third incarnation of that college in WA, three northern suburbs cantons have formed and folded, Abertridwr was closed for several years before it reformed and it will soon be a barony. A couple of Queensland groups formed from the ashes of an old one. Many things can happen, good and bad, to cause groups to form and close.

Like quitting smoking, it might be that this is the time that will stick.

**Baronial Stuff** - There is important gear that needs money spent on it. Noted that we have money to hand (see Reeve's report). Richard

circulated a discussion list of major items: Regalia, trailer, storage space, more feast gear, more loaner armour?, veranda for the baronial pavilion, a proper container for storing stuff at Waipara. From past councils, there is approval in principle for more/better Regalia and more feast gear. What is needed is a shopping list and a budget for approval. For more discussion at next Council.

Discussion focussed on the trailer and storage as being the harder problems. The current trailer is old, heavy and not very weather tight. Its running costs are less than \$100/year. It has given good service, but is it the best fit for our use? Would a smaller trailer be sufficient (and easier to tow)? Can the current trailer be usefully refurbished?

What we do here is affected by the storage thing. Our current storage lock-up at Showbiz (gratis) is only available until sometime late this year. It is not large enough to allow the trailer to be emptied. Our total requirement is around the size of a one car garage. With this much storage, we could get by with a smaller trailer, or perhaps just hire one for the several times a year we need it? Commercial rates for this much storage are typically \$250/month = \$3000/year - too expensive.

Richard and Lowrens to research options further and report back.

The lock-up at Waipara is weather tight for the moment, but will need replacement or major repair in the near future. Discussion at CF between Raffie and Lowrens about getting a 20 foot container to replace it. Waipara manager says there is space for this. A container is longer and taller than the current lock-up, and would allow better organisation and storage inside. Current prices in Christchurch are \$4000-5000, but this is expected to come down as containers come free as part of the rebuild work. Raffie has business contacts who routinely handle containers and can advise availability. Lowrens is preparing a proposal to get approval in principle for \$3000 to purchase a suitable container if one is found; to be presented at the next Council.

**Archery equipment** - Darayavaush presented a budget for buying 100 target arrows. Of the four quotes, Kustom King Archery (US) cheapest at \$362. Approval given for \$500 for this and for

combat blunts, with the blunts expected to be on-sold.

**Loaner Garb storage** - Quentin presented a budget for 4 x 100 litre or 5 x 80 litre plastic bins

Coffee cups || so created are  
Marked at Mongol || Mangy their slogan  
Numerous names || need invention  
Now ye shall know || their noble story

First there is froth || the fruit of the bean  
Sumptuous with sugar || the slayer of teeth  
Bubble bubble || Macbethian trouble  
Ten a.m. toil || Turkish on boil  
Watching the witch's || wonderful brew  
Blazon the blaze || bluest azure  
Sample the sounds || the sweetest delight  
Softest shower || from sugar jar  
The prettiest plonk || of porcelain clink  
And rattles arise || a rumble of stove  
Appealing appalling || the pavlovian bells  
Call these creatures || of cruelest addiction  
Temptation of chocolate || trials the budget  
Bringing home bacon || are butties each day  
The hearthless and hearty || find home under shelter  
Whilst lovers of lists || live long in this place

Yet men aren't immortal || and Mong shall fall silent  
Lights no more lit || the laughter is gone  
Pots are then piled || pretty damn cleanly  
And winds wafting over || await the next year.

-Mielikko.



The commemorative tablet weaving for Mistress Amalie's Laureling, worked on by many of the attendees at Faire.

for garb storage, to extend and replace current bins. Approval given for \$120 to cover this.

**MEETING** **CLOSED:** 9:00pm

## Some Images from: Canterbury Faire 2013



Cultus Faunus won the Better Keeps and Baileys prize for this magnificent wall and their thoughtful setup.



The forge in the Artisans Encampment.



Gods and Monsters Tournament – The Cyclops was successfully slain by 'Nobody'.

# March 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>3</b> Heavy Combat Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	<b>4</b> UCMRS Dancing	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> Scriptorium	<b>7</b> Heavy Combat Practice*	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>10</b> Heavy Combat Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	<b>11</b> UCMRS Dancing	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> SG Council Meeting	<b>14</b> Heavy Combat Practice*	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>17</b> Heavy Combat Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	<b>18</b> UCMRS Dancing	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> Scriptorium	<b>21</b> Heavy Combat Practice*	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> Baronial Anniversary
<b>24</b> Heavy Combat Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	<b>25</b> UCMRS Dancing FTT submission deadline	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> Heavy Combat Practice*	<b>29</b> Good Friday	<b>30</b>
<b>31</b>						

Come one, come all to String Day 4, Sunday 10th March 2013

10am-5pm at 3/107 Ranfurly St, St Albans. We will be aiming to look at tablet weaving, fingerloop braid, and bobbin lace. If there is anything else you'd like to teach or learn about, please let us know and we will see what we can organise.

Bring your own lunch or purchase from supermarket/bakery/etc round the corner at the Edgeware shops

Sonya/Thordis & Amy/Amalie



# April 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<b>1</b> Easter Monday UCMRS Dancing	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> Scriptorium	<b>4</b> Heavy Combat Practice*	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>7</b> Heavy Combat Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	<b>8</b> UCMRS Dancing	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> SG Council Meeting	<b>11</b> Heavy Combat Practice*	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>14</b> Heavy Combat Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	<b>15</b> UCMRS Dancing	<b>16</b> Stuff Night	<b>17</b> Scriptorium	<b>18</b> Heavy Combat Practice*	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>21</b> Heavy Combat Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	<b>22</b> UCMRS Dancing	<b>23</b> Seamsters	<b>24</b> Scriptorium	<b>25</b> Anzac Day Heavy Combat Practice*	<b>26</b> FTT submission deadline	<b>27</b>
<b>28</b> Heavy Combat Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	<b>29</b> UCMRS Dancing	<b>30</b>				

## MARTIAL PRACTICES

**Heavy Combat Practice\*** Thursdays 6-8pm, 5 Jasmine Place, Wigram (from 11<sup>th</sup> Oct); Sundays from 10am-noon at Jellie Park or Showbiz if wet

### Rapier Practice\* —

Sundays at Kirkwood starting 12-12.30pm

**Archery\*** — on fine Sundays from 2pm at Kirkwood Intermediate, (use Kirkwood Avenue entrance).

Email: [archers@sg.lochac.sca.org](mailto:archers@sg.lochac.sca.org)

## ARTS GATHERINGS

**Stuff Night** — from 7:30pm on the second Tuesday of the month. Riccarton Community Centre (opposite corner of Clarence and Dixon St). Topics or projects to be announced on SG list.

**Dance** — from 7:30pm on 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month at the Riccarton Community Centre (opposite corner of Clarence and Dixon St). In hiatus

**Seamsters Guild** — from 7:30pm on third Tuesday of the month. Location to be advised on SG list each month.

## ORGANISATIONAL MEETING

### Council Meeting —

Second Wednesday of the month, from 7:30pm. Upper Riccarton Public Library, 71 Main South Road.

*All welcome..*



## Southron Gaard Regnum

(Being a list of the current Baronial Officers and their official email addresses)

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## SCA Groups in New Zealand

(see websites for more details)

### OTAGO

**College of St Kessog  
(dormant)**

<http://kessog.lochac.sca.org>

### WELLINGTON

**Shire of Darton**

<http://darton.lochac.sca.org>

Sun: Fight Practice  
Tue (Transalpine)  
and Wed: Arts & Sciences

**College of St Aemigdius**

<http://aemigdius.lochac.sca.org>

Mon : Arts & Sciences  
Thu & Sun: Fight Practice

### AUCKLAND

**Barony of Ildhafn**

<http://ildhafn.lochac.sca.org>

Sunday: A & S, Singing  
Wednesday: Fencing  
Thursday: Dance

**College of St Dionysius**

<http://stdionysius.lochac.sca.org>

Currently Dormant.

### HAMILTON

**Canton of Cluain**

<http://cluain.lochac.sca.org>

Wed: Fight Practice (non SCA)  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sun: Archery



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