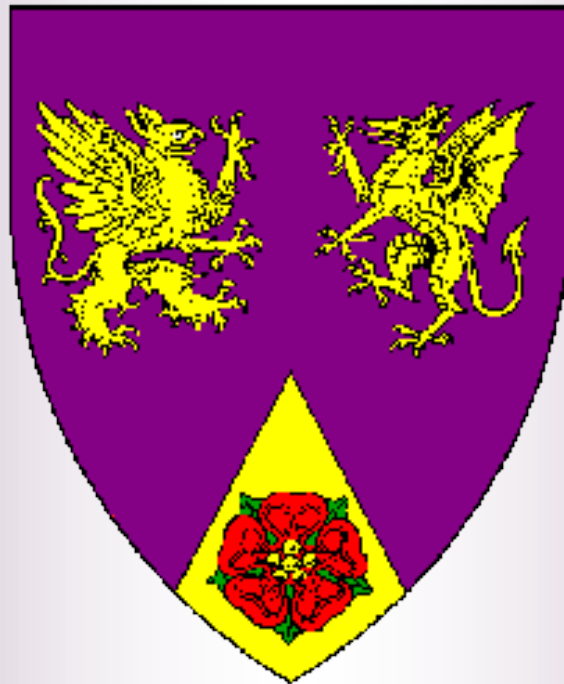


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Lady Bronwen McFinlay

The Quid Novi (QN)

Quid Novi

Third Quarter 2016

One last town run...



As most of you know, we lost our beloved Babs last month. Whether you knew her well, or only in passing, she probably touched you in one way or another. Babs always had a smile, and a box. If you needed something, she probably had two and would happily give you one. She taught so many of us what it means to play in the SCA. I have personally delivered 3 boxes or baskets full of Viking beads to incoming Queens to hand out as largesse, and when I say full, I mean full! She never wanted the credit, which is why my sister and I always got the job of chasing down a new Queen and explaining this veritable treasure trove that we were handing off. I watched her take the beads off her chest and hand them to a "New" Viking who had none, she didn't know them, but she knew they had to have beads. She was one of the best of us, and will be missed.

And thus it was at the 45th Pennsic War that His Excellency, Baron Wulfgang did posthumously induct Lady Bronwen McFinley, best known as Babs, into the august Order of Caer Mear. Done the 8th day of August, the year of our Lord 2016.



The Parting Glass

*Oh all the money that e'er I spent
I spent it in good company
And all the harm that e'er I've done
Alas, it was to none but me and all the harm that e'er
I've done
Alas, it was to none but me
And all I've done for want of wit
To memory now I can't recall
So fill to me the parting glass
Good night and joy be with you all
Oh all the comrades that e'er I've had
Are sorry for my going away
And all the sweethearts that e'er I've had
Would wish me one more day to stay
But since it falls unto my lot
That I should rise and you should not
I'll gently rise and I'll softly call
Good night and joy be with you all*

Traditional Irish Folk Song

Announcements

Baronial Polling

The time is almost upon us to start the process of choosing out next Baron and Baroness. If you have a desire to serve our Barony at it's highest level, please plan on attending the Barony Meeting on 9/14 at 7pm at Battery Park Church or, contact Their Excellency's at baronage@caermear.atlantia.sca.org



It has been a very busy few months! We continue to receive donations of garb and feast gear items which are to be sorted and added to the barony's Gold Key. I continue to look for donations, and continue to be grateful to all those who have been so generous. I hope to hold a Gold Key Organizing gather sometime after Pennsic to sort all of our new acquisitions. I have loaned out multiple sets of garb recently for events near and far which means we have new people going to events! I have also been contacted by a number new folks who are quickly adjusting to life in Caer Mear. The basic sewing class, while far below the skills of many of our populous, did seem to go over well, and I am looking into another newcomer geared class for the Fall. If you have any questions about our Barony or the SCA in general, you may contact her at:

Chatelaine AT caermear.atlantia.sca.org



Are you experience in HTML, PHP or Web Design in general? Are you looking to add "Web Design for a local Non-Profit" on your resume? If so, please contact our Webminister at Webminister AT caermear.atlantia.sca.org

SEPTEMBER 2016

1-5	Hastilude at the Hollow IV	Black Diamond	Raphine, VA
2-4	Raven's Cove Baronial Birthday (H)	Raven's Cove	Richlands, NC
2-4	Battle on the Bay (R)	Storvik	Upper Marlboro, MD
9-11	The Sacred Stone Baronial Birthday (R)	Sacred Stone	Boonville, NC
9-11	Fiber, Foliage, Forging, and Fermentation	Yarnvid	Louisa, VA
17	Silver Chalice	Hidden Mountain	N. Myrtle Beach, SC
17	Fall University	Dun Carraig	Lexington Park, MD
23-25	Southern War Practice VIII	Ritterwald	New Ellenton, SC
23-25	Clash with Bacchus...gods and mortals	Black Diamond	Big Island, VA
30-2	Atlantian Fall Coronation 2016 (R,H)	Atlantia	Lanexa, VA

OCTOBER 2016

7-9	Shoot in the Mountains	Black Diamond	Blacksburg, VA
8	Dun Carraig Baronial Birthday	Dun Carraig	Nanjemoy, MD, MD
12-16	War of the Wings XI (R)	Sacred Stone	Boonville, NC
22	Chalice of the Sun God	Ponte Alto	Leesburg, VA
28-30	Queens Champion Rapier Tournament (R)	Atlantia	Amelia Courthouse, VA

NOVEMBER 2016

5	Atlantia Fall Crown Tournament (R)	Lochmere	Street, MD
11-12	Known World Fiber Arts Symposium	Calontir	
11-13	Rise of the Child King (formerly Hawkwood's Super Secret Event)	Hawkwood	Arden, NC
12	Marinus Baronial Birthday	Marinus	Virginia Beach, VA
12	Buckston Birthday Bash	Buckston-on-Eno	Hillsborough, NC
12	Storvik Song and Dance	Storvik	
19	Runestone Collegium	Sacred Stone	Winston-Salem, NC
19	Holiday Faire	Stierbach	Manassas, VA

BARONIAL BUSINESS MEETING NOTES—July 13, 2016

Officer Reports

From their Excellency's:

We will be stepping down at the end of our term. If you are interested in becoming Baron or Baroness, please contact us as soon as possible as the polling must go out shortly after the next Crown Tourney. We are looking for bids for Yule by the September meeting and Ruby Joust VI soon.

Seneschal:

From Kingdom: If you are an officer in the SCA, please keep your peace on social media regarding any and all political issues. My warrant is up at the end of September and we will need a Seneschal going into the New Year. Please remember to help set the chairs back to rights on Tuesday's at Battery Park Church.

Exchequer:

Reconciled balance: \$13,691.81

River's Point fund to be held until 11/2016 - \$2,133.69

Chatelaine:

It has been a very busy few months! We continue to receive donations of garb and feast gear items which are to be sorted and added to the barony's Gold Key. If you have any gently used feast gear or garb that you are willing to part with, please give to Baroness Aine or Lady Arnora on any Tuesday night gathering.

Communications:

Please let Lady Arnora know if there are any discrepancies on the website or if you have any articles you would like published in the QD.
Reports filed.

Knights Marshal:

No injuries to report. Waivers are being signed, as needed, at Tuesday night practice.

Herald:

Two new deputy Heralds have been appointed! Ladies Ginevra and Eadyth. Thank you for your service.

MOAS:

After Pennsic schedule will be posted. I have been selected as a possible candidate for for Kingdom Artisan Challenge at Pennsic.

Quartermaster:

Absent



BARONIAL BUSINESS MEETING NOTES—July 17, 2016



MOL: absent



Chancellor of Youth: Quarterly report filed. Created a FB group for parents. Please contact me for information at [YouthChancellor AT caermear.atlantia.sca.org](mailto:YouthChancellorATcaermear.atlantia.sca.org). I hope to start having youth activities at practice soon. There will be activities at Fiber & Foliage.



Group reports

Yarnvid:

Still meeting on Thursday nights unless otherwise announced

Events:

Fiber, Foliage, Forging, and Fermentation

September 09- 11, 2016

College of Yarnvid

Come enjoy a weekend of learning about period crops and animal agriculture, try your hand at metal forging, and brew your favorite period beverages! As before, FFFF will be a workshop, hands-on setting which is being hosted at Lady Caelain and Lord Seamus's farm in Central VA, this year. There will be sheep to shear, beer to brew, plants to exchange, crops to discuss, wool to spin and weave, and metal things to forge!

Website: <https://www.facebook.com/events/1097827046959134/>

Arts & Sciences Activities: There will be areas dedicated to each of the specific subjects, with a very open schedule that allows for everyone to come and go to the different areas at their leisure and try everything. Plant Exchange- Bring temporarily potted plants, or extra seeds to share with others, and take some home, too! Fleece Exchange- Bring your extra fiber to trade with others, or give away, as the spirit moves you. There will be a scale, skirting table, and bags available to use, so just bring what you want to get rid of and perhaps bring home something new and interesting. Yarn Destash- Bring a skein, take a skein. Clear out your stash and enable your fellow yarn hoarders at the same time! Plus, any extra yarn left at the end of the event will be donated to the local women's shelter. Brewing- Lord Seamus will be doing an All Grain Brewing demo Forging- The Central VA Blacksmith's Guild will be teaching and demonstrating their craft

Old Business:

Still negotiating Bacon Wars

New Business:

Lady Arnora to provide camp shower for Pennsic. No business meeting until September 14.
Meeting end 8:05 pm

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SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Barony of Caer Mear

Business Meetings

Monthly; 2nd Wednesday at 7:00pm

Fighter Practice / A&S Gathers

Weekly; every Tuesday at 7:00pm

Both are held at Battery Park Christian Church,
4201 Brook Road, Richmond VA

Archery Practice

Every Sunday, *weather permitting*, from 2 to 4pm
at Rockwood Park in Chesterfield. The park is beautiful and
the archery range is in the shade of the trees.

College of Yarnvid

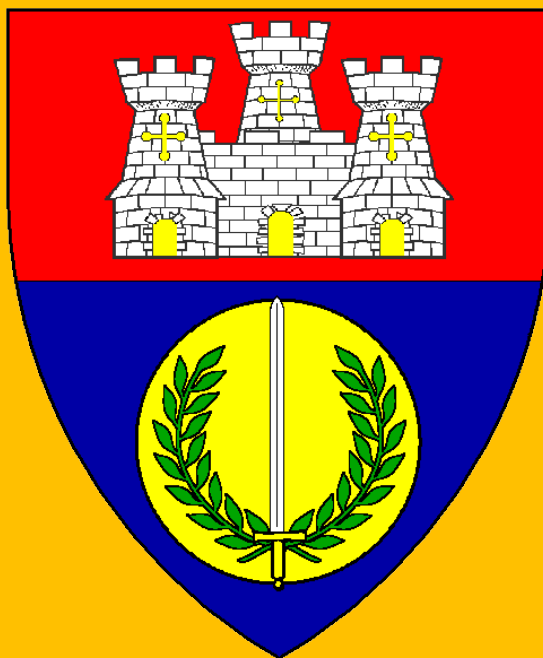
Business Meetings

Held as needed.

Arts & Science Gathers

Weekly; every Thursday at 7:30pm

Both are held at Epiphany Church
11000 Smoketree Drive, Richmond VA



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