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# Serpent's Tongue

The Official Newsletter of the Barony of Calafia



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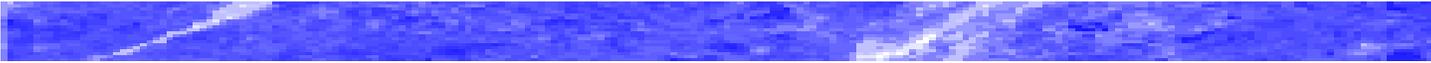
**W**itam, Calafia!

Well it looks like the students of St. Artemas will need to learn that April showers of bread will bring May flour's taxes. I'm thinking of taxing the students' flour in order to help them understand that bread is best served at the feast following the event, rather than being used as an airborne version of debate. We'll see how the year goes.

Kate & I attended Her Highness's Equestrian Champion and watched fantastic displays of horse & rider combinations. Our own Calafian riders did well for being a group for less than a year, but the day was won by Dona Arabella. Kate & I hope to see more Calafians riding in the future.

May will be busy for us, and begins with Summergate Anniversary where we expect to see amazing displays of prowess and Norse related activities throughout the day. We will then travel to Heatherwyne, where I will pass on the title of Defender of the Children for Rapi-er to the next winner, as well as looking forward to seeing the Easter Bunny hopping around site with candy. Next comes Altavia Anniversary where we will join our Cousins for a day along the Silk Road.

May will end with WAR!



Once again we look forward to hosting the Best Little War in the Known World. Please join us there for a weekend full of battles, shopping and friendship. The staff for this year's war has been working hard, and is trying out some new things to further improve & polish this jewel of Calafia. Kate & I hope to see you there!

In Service to the Dream,

*Don Oliver i Pani Kate Dogberry*

Baron & Baroness of Calafia

## Announcements

From the Herald

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Carina de Jean le Noir. Name and device. Azure, a torch argent flammant Or between the wings of a vol argent.

Tairdelbach Clannach. Name change from holding name Timothy of Calafia.

Thea Gabrielle Northernridge. Badge. (Fieldless) On a hand of Fatima Or a star of David purple.

In Service  
Eridana, Trident

Please contact me at [herald@calafia.org](mailto:herald@calafia.org) if you have any questions



Demo: San Diego Comic Convention International

Officers of the Iron Brigade are sponsoring a heavy weapon's combat demo at San Diego Comic Con International

Dates are: July 22nd through July 25th, 10am to 7pm everyday.

Place:

San Diego Convention Center

111 West Harbor Drive

San Diego, CA 92101

Directions: Take your favorite freeway to freeway 163. Go south on 163 till it turns into 10th Ave. Turn right onto Market Street. Turn left onto Front Street, than left onto West Harbor Drive, ends at San Diego Convention Center.

Contact person: Kara the Twin 619-851-4934. dgranander@cox.net

Thank you

HRM Kara



Event Title: **Tanwayour Anniversary/Talanque Memorial Tourney**

Event Opening Date & Time: 25 Jun 2010, 3:00 PM

Site Closing Date & Time: 27 Jun 2010, 2:00 PM

Sponsoring Group: Canton of Tanwayour

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Event Steward(s):

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Site Name: Potrero County Park

Address:

24800 Potrero Park Drive

Potrero , California 91963

Directions to the event:

From San Diego, Highway 94 east to Potrero Valley Road. North (left) on Potrero Valley Road to Potrero Park Drive (right). The park is east on Potrero Park Drive approximately 3/4 mile. Our encampment will be in the group camping area, what our members normally call the archery range at May War.

Event description:

Tanwayour invites you to join us for the Canton's Anniversary Tourney and the Talanque Memorial on June 26. Talanque was the founding Baron of Calafia and sat the throne for 22 years, the longest reign in Caïd. As usual the memorial after the tourney will be for all of our friends that have passed on this year. Due to the dryness of our area, we will have a small funeral pyre. It is a camping event this June, Friday the 25th through Sunday the 27th.

Site fee(s):

The site fee is \$10 for the entire stay and \$5 for just Saturday, plus a \$3 surcharge for non-members.

Make check payable to: SCA Inc./SCA, Inc., Canton of Tanwayour

Additional Information:

If you wish to camp in one of the RV spaces or in one of the other areas, arrangements or reservations must be made through Potrero County Park system. This can be done on line. Many of the sites are open as of 21 March.

## Baronial Council Meetings

The Council of the Barony of Calafia meets on the third Wednesday of each month. Meetings are held at the Allied Gardens Recreation Center, 5155 Greenbriar Ave., San Diego.

This is the same city park where fighter practice is held. Meetings begin at 7pm and are open to the entire populace. Contact the Baronial Seneschal for further information. (Please see the Regnum for contact information).



## Scottish Recipes for Calafia-Gyldenholt Friendship Tourney Luncheon



### Cock-a Leekie

- 1 boiling fowl
- 1 bay leaf
- 1 lb leeks, slit, cleaned & cut into 1 inch pieces
- 4 pts stock or water (10 cups)
- 1 oz long grain rice (2 Tbls)
- 4 oz dried prunes, soaked overnight ( $\frac{3}{4}$  cup)
- Salt & pepper

Put the bird and giblets into a large pot with the stock or water, add the bay leaf, leeks and plenty of seasoning. Bring the soup to the boil then skim the surface, reduce the heat, cover the pot and simmer 2 to 3 hours, or until the bird is tender.

Remove the bird, giblets and bay leaf and skim off and fat from the surface. Add the rice and the prunes, drained and simmer the soup another 30 minutes. Check for seasoning, then serve. Serves 6 to 8 persons.

### Mince Collops

- 1 lb best quality minced(ground) beef (2 cups firmly packed)
- 1 medium onion, peeled and sliced
- Salt
- 1 Tbls mushroom ketchup
- $\frac{1}{2}$  pint beef stock (1  $\frac{1}{4}$  cups)
- 1 level Tbls oatmeal
- $\frac{1}{2}$  oz dripping (1 Tbls)

Melt the dripping in a pan, add the onion and fry it for few minutes, then stir in the minc and brown it carefully, stirring constantly to avoid lumps. Mix in the salt and stock with the mushroom ketchup and oatmeal. Simmer for about 45 minutes or until the meat is cooked.

Serve on a large ashet garnished with sippets of toast or a border of mashed potatoes. Serves 4 persons.

### Inky Pinky

- Cold roast beef, 2 thin slices per person
- 2 carrots per person, sliced and boiled
- $\frac{1}{2}$  pint well flavoured gravy (1  $\frac{1}{4}$  cups)
- 2 tsp apple cider vinegar
- 2 tsp cornflour
- Water

Cut the cold roast beef into thin slices, two slices per person. Trim any skin or fat. Add 2 sliced and boiled carrots per person. Add the gravy and simmer slowly until really heated through. Stir in the apple cider vinegar and salt and pepper into the gravy. Blend the cornflour and water

to make a smooth paste and then mix with a little of the hot gravy, tempering it. Return it at once to the main dish and cook until it thickens. Serve hot with sippets of toast or over mashed root vegetables.

### Colcannon; AKA Rumbledethumps

1 Lbs potatoes, cooked and creamed  
 1 Lbs cabbage  
 ½ Lbs carrots, peeled  
 ½ Lbs turnips, peeled  
 2 oz butter (¼ cup)  
 1 Tbls brown sauce  
 Salt and pepper

Wash and shred the cabbage, removing all the thick stems, and cook it in boiling salted water for about 15 minutes or until tender. Chop and cook the carrots and turnips together until tender, then mash until smooth.

Melt the butter in a pan, add the creamed potatoes, cabbage, and carrot and turnip purée. Stir all these ingredients together until they are thoroughly heated, then mix in the brown sauce and check for seasoning before serving. Serves 4 to 6 persons

### Ayrshire Sausage Squares

¾ cup old fashioned rolled oats  
 1 Lbs mild pork sausage  
 ½ cup finely chopped onions  
 5 large eggs  
 ½ cup grates Parmesan cheese  
 1 tsp dried basil  
 ½ tsp dried oregano  
 1/8 tsp freshly ground pepper  
 2 ½ cups shredded scraped carrots  
 1 ½ cups shredded Cheddar cheese

Preheat oven to 325°F. Grease a shallow 9 x 13 baking dish.

Spread oats in medium ungreased skillet. Toast over med-high heat, stirring 2 or 3 times, until edges are golden, about three minutes. Remove from heat; cool.

In a large skillet, fry sausage and onions over med-high heat, stirring to break up the sausage, until all the redness is gone. Spoon off all the fat.

In a large bowl whisk the eggs. Stir in Parmesan cheese, basil, oregano, and pepper. Gradually stir in the sausage mixture, toasted oats, and carrots, mixing to blend thoroughly. Spoon into prepared dish, spreading evenly. Bake in the pre-heated oven 25 minutes. Remove from oven; spread top with shredded Cheddar. Return to oven; cook 15 more minutes. Remove from oven; cool 10 minutes. Cut into 1 ½-inch squares. Makes about 32 squares.

**Bacon-Onion-Cheese Tart**

6 slices thin bacon, cut into 1-inch pieces  
 3 Tbls unsalted butter  
 2 large yellow onions, peeled, cut in halves, sliced thinly  
 2 eggs at room temperature  
 ½ cup heavy cream  
 1 tsp sugar  
 1/8 tsp freshly grated nutmeg  
 Salt, freshly ground pepper  
 1 9- or 10-inch pastry shell, baked  
 1/3 cup grated Cheddar cheese

Preheat oven to 375°F.

In a large skillet, fry the bacon over medium-high heat until crisp; drain on paper towels; set aside. Remove all drippings except 1 Tbls from skillet. Add butter; melt. Add onion slices. Sauté until translucent, about 7 minutes. Do not brown.

Break the eggs into a large bowl. Stir to blend well. Add the cream, sugar, and nutmeg. Season with salt and pepper. Mix again. Add sautéed onion slices; mix well. Spoon into pastry shell, spreading evenly. Sprinkle the top with the grated cheese and cooked bacon pieces. Bake in preheated oven until filling is set in the center and is golden brown in spots, about 45 minutes. Remove from oven and cool on a wire rack. Serve warm or at room temperature, cut into wedges. Serves 8 persons.

**Barley-Mushroom Casserole**

6 Tbls unsalted butter  
 1 large yellow onion, peeled and chopped  
 8 oz (3 cups) mushrooms, cleaned and sliced  
 1 Tbls fresh lemon juice  
 1 cup pearl barley  
 1 tsp dried tarragon  
 3 cups hot chicken broth  
 Salt, freshly ground pepper  
 1/3 cup chopped fresh dill or parsley

Preheat oven to 375°F.

In a large heavy saucepan melt butter over medium-high heat. Add chopped onion; sauté until translucent, about 5 minutes. Add mushrooms and lemon juice; sauté 4 minutes. Stir in barley and tarragon; sauté 1 minute. Pour in hot chicken broth. Season with salt and pepper. Slowly bring to a boil. Remove from heat and turn into prepared dish. Cover and bake in preheated oven until barley is tender, about 55 minutes. Remove from oven; stir in dill or parsley. Serve hot. 8 servings.

**Orange-Glazed Carrots**

- 2 Tbls unsalted butter
- 3 Tbls sliced scallions, with some pale green tops
- 1 16-oz package peeled trimmed baby carrots, scrubbed
- 2 tsp honey
- ¾ cup orange juice
- ¼ tsp ground ginger
- Salt, freshly ground pepper
- 2 Tbls chopped fresh dill or parsley

In a medium skillet melt the butter over medium-high heat. Add scallions; sauté 1 minute. Remove to a dish. Add carrots to the drippings. Sauté until they begin to brown slightly, about 8 minutes. Add honey and orange juice. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat to medium-low. Add ginger. Season with salt and pepper. Simmer until liquid is reduced to a glaze, stirring occasionally, and carrots are tender, about 15 minutes. Add scallions; mix well. Transfer to a serving dish. Serve sprinkled with dill or parsley. Serves 6 to 8 persons.

**Tart in ymbre day**

- 3 - 4 small onions, chopped
- 2 bunches of parsley, chopped
- 1 cup Brie cheese, cut into small pieces
- 8 eggs, beaten
- 1 Tbs. melted butter
- 1/8 tsp. saffron
- ½ tsp. salt
- ¼ cup currants
- ¼ tsp. sugar
- 1/8 tsp. each cloves and mace
- 1 nine-inch pie shell
- optional spices - ½ tsp. each of any of the following type of herbs: sage, basil, thyme, etc.

Parboil or sauté the onions and parsley; drain well. Mix with all other ingredients and place in pie shell. Bake at 350° F for 35-40 minutes or until pastry is brown and filling is set. Serves 8 persons.

### Apple and Parsnip Soup

1 oz butter  
 1 ½ lbs parsnips, peeled and roughly chopped  
 1 quart chicken stock  
 2 cloves  
 ¾ cup single cream  
 1 cooking apple, Bramley or Granny Smith, cored, peeled and roughly chopped  
 ½ tsp dried sage  
 Salt and pepper

Melt the butter in a large pan. Add the parsnips and apple, cover and the simmer for 10 minutes, stirring occasionally. Pour in the stock, add the sage and cloves. Bring to the boil, cover and then simmer for 30 minutes until the parsnips are tender. Remove the sage leaves and the cloves. Leave to cool slightly, then purée in a blender, food processor or a use a stick blender. Return to the pan and reheat gently with the cream. Season to taste, serve hot. Serves 4 persons.

### Basic Scone Recipe

2 ½ teaspoons baking powder  
 ¼ teaspoon salt  
 2 cups all-purpose flour  
 5 tablespoons of butter  
 1 x egg  
 ¾ cup of milk

Heat your oven to 400° F. Mix together flour, salt & baking powder. Add in the butter until your mixture is crumbly. Whip milk & egg and add to mixture. Stir until a soft dough ball is created.

Knead gently on a lightly floured board, turning a few times. Split dough in half and pat or roll out dough to one half-inch thick circles. Slice into wedges or use a shaped cutter. Place on lightly greased baking sheets. Bake for approx 15 minutes or until golden brown. Makes 10 scones.

### Cheese Scone Recipe

2oz butter  
 8oz self raising flour  
 a pinch of salt  
 1 oz mature cheddar cheese, grated  
 5fl oz milk

Firstly heat the oven to 425°F. Next mix together the salt, flour and butter. Stir in the cheese and then the milk until you get soft dough. Turn the dough onto a floured work area and knead lightly. Pat out to a round ¾ inch thick. Using a 2in cutter, stamp out the rounds and place them on a lightly greased baking sheet. Knead together the rest of the dough and stamp out more scones to use up all of the mix. Brush the tops of the scones with a little milk. Bake for 12-15 minutes until well risen and golden. Cool on a wire rack and serve. Makes 8-12 scones

## Fruit Scones

Here is 'generic' Fruit Scone Recipe that could be used with a variety of fruits such as apple, orange, pears, dates, blackcurrants.

1/2 teaspoon baking soda

1/2 cup sour cream

2 cups of flour

Two teaspoons milk

Qtr of a teaspoon salt

3 tbspoons sugar

1/3rd cup butter

Single egg (beaten lightly)

Cup dried fruit (of your choice)

2 teaspns baking powder

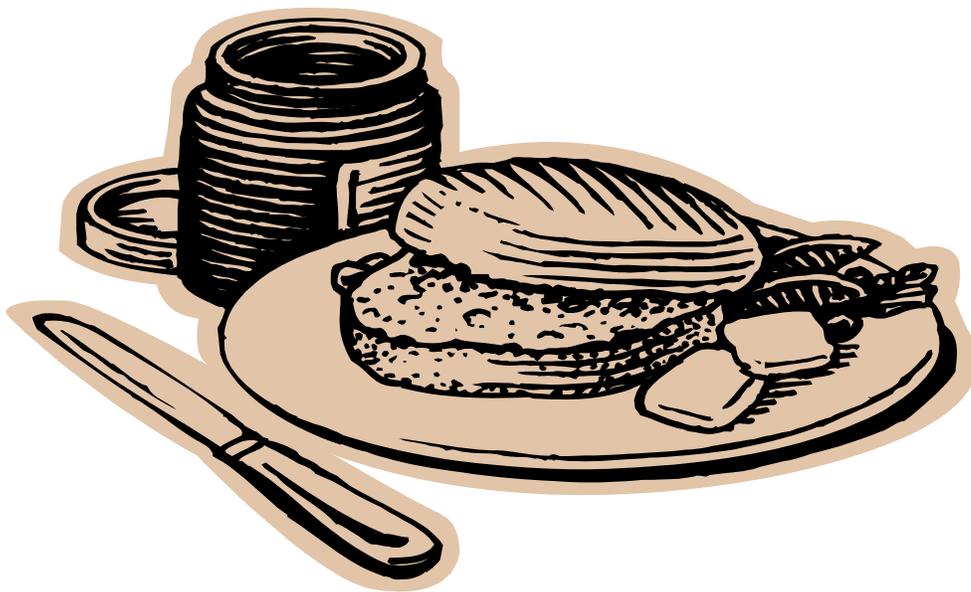
1 tablespoon of sugar

To make your fruit scones follow the following steps;

Pre-heat your oven to 400°F. Lightly grease a baking sheet. In a medium sized mixing bowl and mix the flour, baking powder, baking soda, sugar, salt. Slice in butter with fork until mixture is crumbly. Add in egg together with the sour cream. Stir until dry ingredients are moist and then mix in your fruit.

Flatten scone mixture dough onto a lightly floured area. Knead lightly 5 times. Flatten dough to an 8 inch square on a greased baking sheet. Brush top of dough mix with milk. Spread 1 tablespoon of sugar. Cut out 8 wedges using a scone cutting tool. Bake your mixture at 400°F for 15 mins or until golden brown.

Serve warm.



Treadle Scone Recipe

2 cups of flour (all purpose)  
 1/4 teaspoon of ground nutmeg  
 1/4 cup of brown sugar  
 1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder  
 1/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon  
 1/2 teaspoon baking soda  
 1/4 teaspoon Salt  
 1/2 cup dried currants  
 1/4 cup butter  
 2 tablespoons dark molasses (do not use)  
 3/4 cup buttermilk  
 butter (melted)  
 Sugar

Preheat your cooker to 425°F. Sift the flour, the sugar, baking soda & powder, the nutmeg, cinnamon and salt into a large mixing bowl. Next you need to add in your dried currants. Melt 1/4 cup of unsalted butter with dark molasses in a small pan over low heat. Combine molasses mixture with the buttermilk and pour into dry ingredients. Mix dough until just blended together. Knead dough on generously floured surface until it is smooth, about 15 turns should do it. Divide your dough mixture in half. Pat out each dough piece into 5-inch diameter round and then cut each dough round into 4 wedges. Transfer dough wedges onto an ungreased cookie sheet, spacing 2 inches apart. Brush with melted butter and sprinkle with sugar. Bake until scones are brown, about 15-20 minutes. Serve scones hot.

Scottish Oat Scones

1 1/2 cups all-purpose flour  
 2 cups rolled oats  
 1/4 cup white sugar  
 4 teaspoons baking powder  
 1/2 teaspoon salt  
 1/2 cup dried currants  
 1 egg, beaten  
 1/2 cup butter, melted  
 1/3 cup milk

Preheat the oven to 425 degrees F (220 degrees C). Lightly grease a baking sheet. In a large bowl, mix the flour, oats, sugar, baking powder, salt, and currants. Make a well in the center. In a small bowl, beat egg until frothy, and stir in melted butter and milk. Pour into the well, and mix to create a soft dough. Pat dough into two 1/2 inch thick circles. Place on the prepared baking sheet. Score 8 wedges into each circle of dough. Bake 15 minutes in the preheated oven, until risen and browned. Split wedges, and serve warm.

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## Baronial Guilds

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### *Archery*

Practices are held on Sunday from 10 am to noon, and on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5:30 to 7pm. We provide loaner equipment and instruction. The range is located near Thornton Hospital on the east campus of UCSD.

**Directions:** From I-5 take the Genesee exit and go east. On Campus Point Drive, turn right (south). Turn right on Voigt Drive. As you pass Preuss School on the right, look for parking lot P702 on your left. Park in the far back right and follow the dirt path past the ropes course to the gates in the fence to the archery field. *If you arrive after practice starts, the gates will be closed, and you will need to walk around.* Follow the signs. Parking is free on Sundays, but you will need to use metered spaces on weekdays unless you have a UCSD parking sticker.

*Office is open, please see the Seneshal if you are intersted*

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### *Baronial (Newcomers) Household*

Baronial Household meetings are held at 7 pm-8:30 pm on the first Wednesday of each month at Allied Gardens Recreation Center. All SCA Newcomers, visitors, and transplants are welcome—meetings are not in garb/costume (excepting December meeting). For more information, please feel free to contact Baroness Adelica at [newcomers@calafia.org](mailto:newcomers@calafia.org)

Baroness Adelicia

Mistress of the Ménage to the Barony of Calafia

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### *Chirurgeons*

Please contact [chirurgion@calafia.org](mailto:chirurgion@calafia.org) for more information.

THLady Guenivere Marian Coe

Chirurgion to the Barony of Calafia

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## Baronial Guilds (continued)

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### *Company of St. Catherine (Textiles)*

The members of the Company of St. Catherine share a love of fiber arts—spinning, weaving, and textiles. Please contact her for more information.

Baroness Thea of Northernridge  
Guild Mistress, Company of St. Catherine

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### *Cordwainers*

What's a Cordwainer? A Cordwainer is the medieval name for a shoe maker. The name comes from the rich leathers available only from Spain, called Cordovan leather. The Calafian Cordwainers guild meetings are workshops where members can bring in projects to work on, learn new techniques or research new projects. The Guild is now meeting on an as needed basis. For further information, please contact Master Thorvald Olafson - [cordwainers@calafia.org](mailto:cordwainers@calafia.org)

Master Thorvald Olafson  
Guild Master, Cordwainers Guild

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### *Costumers' Guild*

Costumer's Guild classes are on the 2nd Monday of each month at Allied Gardens. If you have any questions, please contact me at [costumers@calafia.org](mailto:costumers@calafia.org).

Lady Brigid ní Muirenn  
Guild Mistress, Costumers' Guild

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### *European Dance*

We meet on the third Monday of the month from 7 to 9 p.m. at Allied Gardens Rec Center to recreate dances of the European Renaissance, including period dance sources from Italy, France, and Elizabethan England. Partners are not required, and all steps will be taught and called. All are welcome, from newcomers to longtime dance mavens. Come for the exercise, come for the friendly interaction, come to

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## Baronial Guilds (continued)

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### *European Dance (continued)*

practice those steps that you want to show off at the next level! For more information, please contact Lady Rochl bas Gershom Sternenkiker at [eupeandance@calafia.org](mailto:eupeandance@calafia.org)

Lady Rochl bas Gershom Sternenkiker  
Guild Mistress, European Dance

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### *Fighter Practice*

Fighter practice is held every Sunday and Wednesday at the Allied Gardens Recreation Center. Practice starts every Wednesday at 6pm and Sunday at 12pm with Brigade practice starting at 10 am. All members of the populace are welcome, whether you are a combatant or not. Contact the Baronial Marshal, Sir Ashraf al-Mansur, at [marshal@calafia.org](mailto:marshal@calafia.org) for more information.

Sir Ashraf al-Mansur  
Marshal to the Barony of Calafia

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### *Heraldry*

Heraldic consultations will continue at most Calafian events, and by appointment. For more information please contact me at [herald@calafia.org](mailto:herald@calafia.org),

THLady Eridana Ambra Dragotta  
Trident Herald to the Barony of Calafia

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### *Indoor Cooking Guild*

The Indoor Cooking Guild meets on the third Thursday of every month at Allied Gardens. For more information, email [cooks@calafia.org](mailto:cooks@calafia.org).

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Guild Mistress, Indoor Cooking Guild

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## Baronial Guilds (continued)

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### *Iron Brigade*

Brigade practices are (normally) held the first Sunday of the month at Allied Garden's Park, starting at 11am and running until about 2pm. Directions: freeway 8 to Waring Road (exit #9) go north, turn left Greenbrier. Road ends into a parking lot, the park will be on your left. 5155 Greenbrier Avenue, San Diego 92120. Questions: Sir Patrick O'Malley at [ironbrigade@calafia.org](mailto:ironbrigade@calafia.org)

Lord Methias of the Hospitalers

Commander, Iron Brigade

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### *Metalworkers' Guild*

The Calafia Metalworkers' Guild holds a Tuesday night workshop each week from 5-10pm at the home of THLord Bjorn atte Woodpile in Lakeside. For directions and attire requirements: [metalworkers@calafia.org](mailto:metalworkers@calafia.org). All skill levels are welcome. If you have a project idea or project in progress, bring it! Things we do: repossé, embossing, blacksmithing, bladesmithing, and all forms of leatherwork.

THLord Bjorn atte Woodpile

Guild Master, Metalworkers' Guild

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### *Middle Eastern Guild*

Meetings are held on the 2nd & 4th Sundays of the month at Allied Gardens from 12pm-2pm. We study all aspects of Middle Eastern culture, including food, dance, and garb. If you have a Middle Eastern persona, or are just interested in the Middle East, we would love to have you attend our meetings!

Please feel free to contact me at [middleeastern@calafia.org](mailto:middleeastern@calafia.org)

THLord Alastar de Coursayre

Guild Master, Middle Eastern Guild

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## Baronial Guilds (continued)

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### *Music Guild*

The Calafia Music Guild is dedicated to the research and performance of music and instruments during the SCA timeframe. We are always happy to perform at events. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at [musicians@calafia.org](mailto:musicians@calafia.org)

Master Samuel Piper  
Guild Master, Calafia Music Guild

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### *Needleworkers' Guild*

The Calafian Needleworkers Guild meets monthly. All are welcome to attend. Meetings are held every other month at a local event and opposite months at a location to be announced on the CNG yahoo group. Please contact the Guild Mistress, Illora of the west lea at [needleworkers@calafia.org](mailto:needleworkers@calafia.org) for times and locations of meetings.

It is the mission of the **Calafian Needleworkers Guild** to encourage and promote the study and research of medieval needlework to include any period needle work that is done to embellish; the learning of period stitches and re-creation of such; the sharing of knowledge and techniques; and to engender ardor for such handiwork.

THL Illora of West Lea  
Guildmistress, Needleworkers' Guild

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### *Outdoor Cooking Guild*

If you have any questions about the Outdoor Cooking Guild, please contact the Guild master Dragon at [outdoorcooking@calafia.org](mailto:outdoorcooking@calafia.org).

Lord Dragon Georgiev syn Rudak  
Guild Master, Outdoor Cooking Guild

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## Baronial Guilds (continued)

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### *Potters' Guild*

Contact Gemma at [pottery@calafia.org](mailto:pottery@calafia.org) for location and more information about the Potters Guild

Gemma Evangelista Borgia  
Guild Mistress, Potters Guild

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### *Rapier Guild*

Baronial Rapier practice is held every Sunday at noon and Wednesday nights from 6-9pm at Allied Gardens Park. The first Sunday of each month is Melee practice and Small Unit tactics beginning at 11 am. Loaner gear and structured training is available. For more information, visit the Rapier Guild website at [www.calafianrapier.org](http://www.calafianrapier.org)

Lord Michael Mallory  
Guild Master, Rapier Guild

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### *Scholars' Guild*

The Scholars' Guild is the first Monday of each month, 7 pm-9pm at the home of Guillaume and Felinah. Contact Guillaume or Felinah at [scholars@calafia.org](mailto:scholars@calafia.org)

Duke Guillaume de la Belgique  
Guild Master, Scholars' Guild

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## Baronial Guilds (continued)

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### *Scriptorium*

Scriptorium is held at Master Thomas Brownell's house on Sundays in Mira Mesa.

If you wish to paint, calligraph, gold leaf, study manuscript pages for ideas, or do any other book art relevant to the Middle Ages, this is the place. .

Master Thomas Brownell  
Guild Master, Scriptorium

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### *Unarmored Combat*

The Unarmored Combat Guild is dedicated to the study of historically accurate combat, focusing on unarmored combat with both longsword and sword & buckler.

If you are interested in studying period fighting techniques and fighting (but not wearing all that armor), please come join us!

We typically hold practice starting at 6:30pm on Wednesday at Allied Gardens.

For more information, you can always contact me at [unarmoredcombat@calafia.org](mailto:unarmoredcombat@calafia.org).

THLord Kolbrandr Kolsson  
Guild Master, Unarmored Combat

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### *Youth Combat*

For information on youth combat activities, please contact Lord Stefanos Calise di Livorno

Lord Stefanos Calise di Livorno  
Youth Combat Minister

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## Baronial Groups

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### *Canton of Poll Na Gainmhe*

Poll na Gainmhe covers the communities of Imperial County. Our monthly Canton meetings occur every third Saturday of the Month. Our meeting location is the Imperial Library in the city of Imperial. In addition, we offer support for the House hold of Ungulus ab Gaul.

Fighter Practice is held on the second and fourth Sunday of the Month. Fighters are the house hold of Ungulus ab Gaul. Fighter practice is held with Corvus under guidance of their Marshal.

Archery practice is held only in the winter months and is located at the Imperial Valley College campus.  
Captain of Archers – Lord Hans Schnackenburg.

For the sewing circle or other classes please contact our Arts & Sciences officer Lord Arthur the Red.

We invite you to stop by and to take part in any of our meetings or activities.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions you may have.

In Service,

*Lady Lasairiona ingun Gheibhean*  
Seneschal of the Canton Poll na Gainmhe

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### *Canton of Summergate*

The Canton of Summergate would like to extend an invitation to the following:

Council meetings are held every second Thursday of the month, 7:00 p.m.,  
at Churchills in San Marcos 887 W. San Marcos Blvd. San Marcos, CA 92069.

Fighter Practice is held every second and fourth Tuesday of the month, 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. at the ancho Del Oro Park in Oceanside off of College Blvd and Mesa Drive. We will be using the grassy area next to the tennis courts across from the YMCA.

Newcomers Meeting is held every third Thursday of the month, 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m., at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 1250 Borden Road, San Marcos, CA, 92069.

Arts and Science demos to be announced on our web-site and Summergate yahoo group.

Summergate has a new location for our archery practice. the location is 1918 Yettford Rd. Vista, and will be held on Monday nights from 5:30 PM until 7:00 PM.

# Baronial Groups (continued)

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## *Canton of Summergate (continued)*

Please visit our web-site,  
sca-summergate.org, for information.

In Service,

Master Quinn Phelan  
Seneschal of the Canton of Summergate

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## *Canton of Tanwayour*

The Canton of Tanwayour covers most of South San Diego. Our Canton meetings are at Brigade Practice at Allied Gardens. For information call or email the Seneschal: Lady Eblenn An Ucaire, legally known as Paula Bentley Moore at [seneschal@tanwayour.org](mailto:seneschal@tanwayour.org).

In Service

Lady Eblenn An ucaire  
Seneschal of the Canton of Tanwayour

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## *College of St. Artemas*

The College of Saint Artemas covers the University of California San Diego. We meet every couple of weeks at UCSD. In addition, we offer the following programs to all our College members:

Fighter Practice: Monday/Brigade Practice. Archery: Tuesday/Thursday/Sunday (Captain of Archers can be reached at [archery@saintartemas.org](mailto:archery@saintartemas.org))

You may also go to our website at <http://www.saintartemas.org> for more information. We often post announcements in these areas, so check often!

We invite you to stop by and to take part in any of our meetings and activities in the College. Please feel free to contact me with any questions you may have – [seneschal@saintartemas.org](mailto:seneschal@saintartemas.org)

Yours in Service,

Sean Cole  
Seneschal of the College of St. Artemas

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## Baronial Groups (continued)

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### *College of St. Isidore*

The College of Saint Isidore covers San Diego State University. We are just restarting the college, and look forward to becoming a thriving member of Calafia. I invite you to take part in any of our activities in the College. Please feel free to contact me with any questions you may have.

Yours in Service,  
 Lady Sabyna of Aydon  
 Seneschal of the College of St. Isidore

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## Baronial Officers

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### *Arts & Sciences*

Greetings from Lady Abigail Chandler of Caithness!

For information on A&S classes, projects, or events in the Calafia area, please contact me at  
[arts@calafia.org](mailto:arts@calafia.org)

Ellyn of Tanwayour  
 A&S Officer, Barony of Calafia

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### *Chatelaine*

Do you have questions about the SCA or what to wear? Are you interested in Archery, Fighting, Costuming, etc., and don't know who to ask? Well just call on me and if I don't know the answer to your questions I will find someone who does. I have a lot of loaner garb that you can borrow if you need something to wear at one of our events. Please email me at [chatelaine@calafia.org](mailto:chatelaine@calafia.org)

In your service,

Lady Fionnughuala inghean Uilliam  
 Chatelaine, Barony of Calafia

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*Children's Officer*

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## Baronial Officers (continued)

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### *Chronicler*

The deadline for submissions for the Serpents Tongue is the 20th of each month. For submissions or questions regarding the Serpents Tongue please send mail to [chronicler@calafia.org](mailto:chronicler@calafia.org).

In Service,

Isula Romani Natalia  
Chronicler of Calafia

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### *Constable*

The Constable involves keeping the lost and found, maintaining harmony and safety at events, and making sure that modern rules are known and followed for the Barony. If you have questions about lost and found, or any regulations, or would like to volunteer for constable, I am often at events.

You can also reach me at [constable@calafia.org](mailto:constable@calafia.org)

Yours in Service,

THL Guy Rand Gallandon  
Constable to the Barony of Calafia

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### *Exchequer*

I am Mistress Fia Naheed, in charge of the Exchequer for the Barony. The Exchequer involves the finances of the Barony, income and outlays for the Barony. If you have questions about raising or spending Baronial funds, or would like to volunteer for being the Exchequer in the future, I am often at events.

You can also reach me at [Exchequer@calafia.org](mailto:Exchequer@calafia.org),

Yours in Service,

Mistress Fia Naheed  
Exchequer to the Barony of Calafia

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## Baronial Officers (continued)

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### *Lysts*

Calling Cantons, Colleges & Shires the Lyst is looking for people like you. Deputies are needed. Each area should have at least one person in training. I am also in search for the new Lyst Officer to take office in November. You can reach me at [lists@calafia.org](mailto:lists@calafia.org).

Yours in Service,

Lady Isabeau d'Aquitaine  
Lyst Officer to the Barony of Calafia

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### *Seneshal*

As the Baronial Seneschal, I am responsible for any legal issues, rules and regulations and administration of the Barony. I work in partnership with the Baron and Baroness. I am also available to offer information, advice and help. If I don't know the answer I will find out who does. You can contact me at [seneshal@calafia.org](mailto:seneshal@calafia.org)

Yours In Service,

Lady Medb ingen Mathgamna  
Seneschal of the Barony of Calafia

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### *Webwright*

I am Kolbrandr Kolsson, the Baronial Webwright. I handle updating and maintaining the Baronial website, (<http://www.calafia.org>) and the Potrero War website (<http://www.potrerowar.org>), as well as overseeing all of the local Canton and College websites. If you have questions, concerns, or suggestions about the websites, feel free to contact me at [webmaster@calafia.org](mailto:webmaster@calafia.org) and I will see what I can do to help.

Yours in Service,

THLord Kolbrandr Kolsson  
Webwright to the Barony of Calafia

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# Regnum

## *Baron and Baroness:*

Baron Oliver & Baroness Kate Dogberry  
 email: Baron@calafia.org, Baroness@calafia.org

## Baronial Officers

Seneschal	Lady Medb ingen Mathgamna seneschal@calafia.org
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Constable	THL Guy Rand Gallandon
Demo Coordinator	Mistress Eilidh na Tíre Darigh demos@calafia.org
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## Regnum (continued)

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### Baronial Household

Baroness Adeliçia of Caithness • [newcomers@calafia.org](mailto:newcomers@calafia.org)

### Baronial Subgroup Information

#### Canton of Poll Na Gáinmhe (Imperial County)

Seneschal	Lady Eva de Castile
Exchequer	Lady Lasairiona ínghean Gheibheannaigh
Chatelaine	Lady Rosamond
Herald	Lady Cadhla nic Iain MacPharlain
Arts & Sciences	Lord Hans Schnackenberg

## Regnum (continued)

### Canton of Summergate (North County Coastal, San Diego County)

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Archery	THL Liadan of Seahaven archery@sca-summerngate.org
Chatelaine	Karl Von Rothenburg chatelaine@sca-summerngate.org
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Chronicler (Web)	Lady Katherine of Summerngate webwright@sca-summerngate.org
Constable	Lord Kerian Le Dragonaer constable@sca-summerngate.org
Exchequer	Marie-Elisabeth de Bretagne exchequer@sca-summerngate.org
Herald	Tariq al Ifriqi

### Canton of Summerngate (North County Coastal, San Diego County -continued)

Marshal	Lord Ghendra Akari marshal@sca-summerngate.org
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### Canton of Tanwayour (South Bay, San Diego County)

Seneschal	Lady Eblenn An Ucaire seneschal@tanwayour.org
Arts & Sciences	Melinda Gilley arts@tanwayour.org
Constable	THL Magdalen Katherine MacDonald constable@tanwayour.org
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Chronicler (Web)	Lord Ketill Raudskeggr webwright@tanwayour.org

## Regnum (continued)

### College of St. Artemas (UCSD)

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Constable	constable@sanisidore.org
Webmaster	Lord Curteis FitzOsbern webwright@sanisidore.org

# Baronial Council Meeting Minutes April 2010

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April 21, 2010

## Commentary from the Baron and Baroness

**Oliver:** Thanks for coming. The L.A. mountains have snow in April. We had a great time at St Artemas except for the pesky students. This weekend—there is Practicum of the Sword—interkingdom in Starkhafn. Looking forward to Summergate. Going to March Hare in Heatherwyne. I'm currently defender of children. Then there's Altavia 1 week before War. Then Potrero. Then Coronation—when our Current Majesties will retire.

**Kate:** This past weekend was at Princess Equestrian Championship, for Eleanor (Her Highness).

Terriane had an accident horse stepped on her foot. Calafians did well. Great Western War—we are hosting the Baronial Camp. Land allocate to stay with us. We will have a corner location near merchants and showers. Strongly encourage pre-reg and land allocation, which give the autocrats help with planning and some money.

**Commentary from the Seneschal-**Still need bids for Leif Ericsson, Leodams, Calafian Anniversary, and Winter Arts.

**Oliver:** this is Calafia's 40th Anniversary.

## Announcements from Peers and Kingdom Officers

**Brianna:** land allocation at Great Western War—volunteer for duty. Feed autocrats for setup. Need teachers (for A&S especially).

**David:** Coronation is in Naevejhem. Recommend going, good time, good feast. Posted hotel list to the lists.

## Baronial Officers Reports

### Arts and Sciences (Lady Ellen of Tanwayour) –

What activities/events did you attend in your capacity as a Baronial Officer: St. Artemis Anniversary, Potrero War meeting

Do you have any upcoming events/activities/projects you are organizing: Organizing the A&S classes for May War

Were there any problems/incidents: no

Anything else to report? Please include any other news, announcements, notations, etc. here: We have 40 classes so far for May War and I'm sending emails this week to all the teachers to see if they're still going to teach and that the schedule is suitable.

**Ellen:** have scheduled 40 people to teach classes at Potrero.

### Chatelaine (Lady Fionnughuala inghean uilliam)-

What activities/events did you attend in your capacity as an Officer? I attended the St. Jude Ransom Tourney and St. Artemas Anniversary Tournament as the Baronial Chatelaine. I answered 10 emails.

Describe any events/activities/projects that you organized. At the St. Jude tourney and the St. Artemas Tourney, I pro-

vided an SCA Information Table with different types of printed material including the most recent issue of the Baronial newsletter posted on the Baronial website (the January issue). I have since gotten a userid and password for access to the Caïd Kingdom Newsletters and found the Feb and March issues of the S.T. and made a copy of the March issue to have on the Information table.

Do you have any upcoming events/activities/projects you are organizing? I will make 10 copies of the most current ST to be handed out at upcoming events and want to verify that the information shown in the "Baronial Guilds", "Baronial Groups" and the "Regnum" is correct

Fionnughuala: need user ID and Password to access ST on Kingdom web site.

[to access, go to information exchange, pull down and click on newsletters.]

**Archery Captain (Atellus)** – no new authorizations. the UCSD archery range still practices on tue-thurs-sun weather permitting. I have a report from John Of Sudwelle pertaining to the St. Artemis Anniv. it is long so I will forward it to you. No injuries.

From Lord John:

I have the honor to report the results of the archery competitions conducted at St. Artemas Anniversary Tournament held at the University of California, San Diego, on April 3, 2010 (ASXLIV). Permit me to also inform you there were no problems or injuries of any kind reported on or around the range. No archers were authorized at this event. 10 archers participated in the tournament, all from the Barony of Calafia. The winners and prizes awarded are summarized below. Royal Round scores will be sent directly via USPS.

A Royal Round was held at 12:00pm to determine this year's St. Artemas Archery Champion. 14 archers participated. The top score was shot by Lady Brighid ni Muirenn, a Forester from the Barony of Calafia, with a 74 and was declared the College of St. Artemas Champion. A ribbon covered ornament in the colors of the College was awarded as the champion's prize.

The second event for the day was a 'William Tell' Shoot. A styrofoam head, with a mock apple pinned to the top, was mounted in front of a body silhouette to represent 'William Jr.' The 8 competitors were ordered for shooting by rank, with Novices at 15 yards, Bowmen at 20, Yeomen at 25, Foresters at 30, Bowmasters at 35, and Royal Bowmasters at 40 yards distance. The winner was Lord Michael Delamore, a Yeoman from the Barony of Calafia, during the ninth rotation. He received a small lacquered hard-wood stand to mount his styrofoam mock apple as his prize. The same distance handicapping format was also used for the following novelty event.

The Wand Shoot was shot at a 1/4 inch wide wand. 8 archers shot at staggered distances as in the 'William Tell' shoot based on SCA ranking. The wand was split (in the same crack!) on the third rotation by two archers, Lady Brighid ni Muirren and Lord Torin o' the Dell, a Forester from the Barony of Calafia. An immediate shoot-off was setup for the two leaving only the winner, Lady Brighid ni Muirenn. she received a second custom braided, round ornament in the colors of the College as her prize.

The final event of the day was a unusual event we called an 'Imperial Round'. As is implied by the name, this was a longer range, grander version of the standard Royal Round with distances set at 60, 50 and 40 yards shot on a 120cm target. Out of the 8 participants, the winner was again Lord Michael Delamore with a score of 64 points. He was presented with a suitably longer and larger custom self-nocked arrow in the colors of the College as his prize.

As always, it is my honor to bring to your attention several individuals for their help in setting up and running the tournament,

along with many practices held at UCSD. These Good Gentles are Lady Nicole the Undecided, Lord Torin o'the Dell and Lady Brigid ní Muirenn. Special thanks are also due to the president of the UCSD Archery Club, Dhrumil Desai, for additional support in paying for reserving the range. Without their eager assistance, neither the range or the event described above could not have turned out so well.

### Chirurgion (THL Guenivere Marian Coe) – Nothing to report

Guen: School is almost over, but Needs chirurgions and needs a replacement!

### Chronicler (Isula) –

Due to many changes on the Kingdom level with the policy of posting the Newsletter, the ST is up. You will have to create a log in and password to access files.

On Kingdom web site, you need to create a username and password—pick your own. Register, receive an email response, then it's ok to use. Medb—Iago will establish a link from the Calafian web site.

### Constable (THL Guyrand)

I attended Artemas Anniversary acting as Constable in Charge as the college constable was unable to attend. Two pieces of lost and found were collected. Contact me if you lost anything during the feast.

I've completed a inventory of the radios. I have one more crate to go through, but it contains only headsets and belt clips. We have all the marshal radios accounted for which number 21, including 8 headsets(condition unknown). These are the oldest radios we have. 2 Gray and 1 Blue radios of 8 from the last purchase. This is a potential lose of 2 Gray and 3 Blue radios. I will contact the individuals noted to see if they still have them. 4/5 Yellow long distance radios. One is marked for Gate and is potentially still with the Gate boxes on site. 24 working red radios (these are showing much wear at this point)

I would like to propose a budget of no more than \$500 to replace headsets and radios. It should be less than this. I will be pursuing two potential savings, one through a kingdom bulk order, one from Serphina, currently children's officer.

Guy Rand: Needs a road setup crew for Potrero. Muirenn: already have 45-50 in the setup crew.

### Demos (Mistress Eilidh na Tíre Darraigh) -

Eilidh: four demos, 2 in May and 2 in June.

Thursday 5/6: St. Marys School in Oceanside. Done demo there in the past. It's like a Ren faire. Need people to schlep up there.

Friday 5/21: Tierra del Sol School in Lakeside. Third demo there. Will have fliers to post on list. Kids are nice and teachers are nice too.

Wednesday June 9: La Mesa Middle School—have worked with teacher before but no the school.

Sunday June 13: Old Globe—need Coronation quality garb. Demo for theatrical people. Richenda will come and blow them all away. But not necessarily Elizabeth garb. They will be doing theatrical rapier.

**Exchequer (Mistress Fia Naheed) –**

Anything else to report? Please include any other news, announcements, notations, etc. here:

Income from interest on saving account, Festival of the Rose, Friendship Tourney and Potrero Merchants's fees.

Payments for Potrero storage, site fees, donations to Kingdom and events expenses.

Fia: have money need more. Will be getting more money.

**Herald (Uluric):** Great St Judes. Many submissions; will do consulting heraldry at Summergate

**Baronial Keep (Baron David of Caithness) –** Need people to help load the trailer for May War.

David: Checking Craigs list for new Keep. Needs to have a doorway to accommodate both trailers. Need cost analysis to compare current keep and potential new keep. Now we pay just a fee with all included. Looks like fees are lower.

**Lists (Lady Isabeau D'Aquitaine) -**

Looking for deputy

**Marshal (Murdoch) -**

I regret that I am unable to attend the Baronial Business meeting as I have duty aboard ship.

During this past month the college of St. Artimas held their anniversary event and tournament and the Hospitallers hosted their annual St. Judes Ransom Tournament. I was at sea for both events and unable to attend, and have not received event reports from the marshals in charge. I have not received any reports of injury or actionable behavior at either event.

Fighter practices and Iron Brigade practices have been held as scheduled with no incidents reported during this period. I am unable to attend Baronial Council on 19 May as my ship will be at sea.

I request the following be obtained by the Barony prior to Potrero War:

- Four air horns
- Six additional sets of safety glasses (athletic wrap-around type preferred).
- Three rolls each of red and yellow duct tape.

I request the following announcements be made at council:

- Will all deputies please e-mail a synopsis of their activities for the month to me 3-7 days before Baronial Council.
- I'm still looking for a Deputy Baronial Marshal, anyone interested please contact me.

**Deputy Marshal of Fence (THL Avenel Kellough) –**

What events were you the Marshal in Charge at: St. Artemas Anniversary

Number of fighters at each event: 4 fighters in list, plus 3 pickups only

Number of practices attended: 4

Number of waivers collected at each practice: Collected as necessary.

Number of waivers collected at each tourney: Handled by Gate.

Avenel: St Judes as well.

**Deputy Marshal of Unarmored Combat (THL Kolbrandr Kolsson)**

Murienn: moving practice to Sunday at Allied Gardens, to start noon-ish. Will have loaner gear.

**Deputy Marshal of Youth Combat (Stefanos Calise di Livorno)****Rec Center Representative (Lady Kimiya)**

Had meeting in March. May 7-8 is their Spring Fest. Beer Garden and bands. Not doing demo—didn't even ask. Had bad experiences in the past—we can provide nothing they need.

**Registrar (THL Illora):**

New directory is available electronically (PDF format). Email me for corrections.

**Thrown Weapons (Angus)-**

Working on the insurance part as this is vital for a practice to start. we can start a weekend-sunday practice—once a month. We have everything set up and ready to go once this is done.

This is unofficial at Lady Chalice in Lakeside

**Web chronicler (Jagae) -**

Brianna is teaching children's class!

**Guild Reports****Company of St. Catherine (Mistress Thea)-**

What events/activities were held and approx. number of people who attended: We had our usual guild meeting on Tuesday, April 13. Ten people were in attendance!

List any upcoming events and who is in charge of them:

We will be meeting again on Tuesday, April 11. We'll probably be spinning again, as that seems to be a hot topic. Baroness

Thea is in charge of the event.

Anything else to report? Please include any other news, announcements, notations, etc. here:

We've merged the SD Creative Weavers Evening Guild group in with the Co. of St. C and it has worked beautifully. Not only have we given the mundane guild members an evening outlet, they have also brought their expertise to us.

**Cooks Guild (Tarktenheim)** – Nothing to report

**Costumers (THL Brigid)** –

What events/activities were held and approx. number of people who attended: Lady Ellyn taught a class on hand sewing on April 12. 15 people attended.

List any upcoming events and who is in charge of them: May 10, 2010: Lady Giovanna Ricci, Italian Costuming. June 14, 2010: Baroness Brianna, Body Mapping. July 12, 2010: Baroness Brianna, Middle-Eastern Clothing.

**Equestrian Practice – (Tierrynna)** –

Equestrian is doing well! We are so happy! We had our April practice on Sunday the 11th (week before Princess' Championship). We changed the date so that Arabella could come down and assist us in preparation for the Princess's equestrian Champion event.

We had 3 horses and 5 riders. His Excellency the Baron got on a horse and walked around some, and we got pictures! The saddle just wasn't suited though for him, so it was a bit awkward. Also Michelle, our youth member rode a little. Tierrynna, Aca-cia and Reina all worked on various games including the rings, the birja, pig sticking (or at least introducing) and everyone ran past the the double quintain a few times, exposing the horses to the experience of running at then past each other.

Two horses and 3 riders participated in the Princess's champion event. Deanna, Reina and Tierrynna. Tierrynna (me) unfortunately had a flying dismount in the first round and had to watch, injured, from the sidelines. We we're quite happy to have the support of their excellencies with us at the event.

Our next practice is technically on the 3rd sunday of May. However we may change that due to Potrero war. We will post the appropriate reminder on that.

We did receive our new warning banner, and we really like it! I am submitting the receipt for re-imbursement at the meeting this week. Also, it was discussed previously getting pole bending bases which are safer and easier to maneuver. Previously this purchase was approved. I feel that having a total of 12 bases, 2 sets of 6 would be most useful. I will hopefully be submitting appropriate paperwork to get fundage for the purchase of these bases. **(Around \$260 per set, includes \$25 shipping. Motion Passed. Needs advance \$.)**

**Champion was Doña Arabella.**

**International Jousting continues to invite us to observe.**

European dance (Lady Maluchka Korotkova)

Iron brigade (Sir Patrick)

Middle Eastern Guild (THL Alastar)

Music Guild (Master Samuel)

Needleworkers Guild (THL Illora) –

Rapier (Lord Mallory): (Avenel: practice as usual)

Scholars (Duke Guillaume): Adelia: did book reports. Next time, historical janes with samples.

Scriptorium (THL Typhaine)

### Baronial Group Reports

Baronial Household (Baroness Adelia of Caithness) –

What events/activities were held and approx. number of people who attended: Baronial Household- we had a well attended meeting on heraldy. Thank you THL Eridana. We had many new faces (hurrah!).

### Baronial subgroup reports

Canton of Pol na Gainmhe (Lady Eva de Castile) –

What events/activities were held and approx. number of people who attended: Sewing consultants at Lady Lasairiona's home. Approx. 8 in attendance

What meetings were held and approx. number of people who attended: Canton meeting, 6 in attendance. No new busines.

List any upcoming events and who is in charge of them: Sewing consultant to resume after May War.

Canton of Tanwayour (Lady Ebhlen an Ucaire) –

What meetings were held and approx. number of people who attended: Canton meeting and we had 7 people, two of whom were newcomers.

Were there any problems/incidents: We lost our original site and date for anniversary, but we've finally settled for Potrero County Park and the 26th of June.

List any upcoming events and who is in charge of them: Tanwayour Anniversary, Eblenn the seneschal and Tonya Bisson.

Anything else to report? Please include any other news, announcements, notations, etc. here:

We're working on merchants, a small number at Anniversary. The announcement is up on the Tanwayour site.

### Canton of Summergate (Lady Talitha) –

What events/activities were held and approx. number of people who attended: Fighter practice 4 for rapier, then 6 at last one.

Lots of fun.

What meetings were held and approx. number of people who attended: Council 2nd Thursday. About 16 people attended.

List any upcoming events and who is in charge of them: Ghendra is in charge of our Anniversary tournament on May 1st.

Norse theme.

Anything else to report? Please include any other news, announcements, notations, etc. here: We voted on new officer positions. The Excellencies were present. Fia is up for Exchequer but we are still waiting for Kingdom to approve this. Marshal-Quinn, Constable-Gamy, A&S-Katrina, all else staying the same.

### Conol and AGenssa will donate feast. College of St. Artemas (Lord Lukyn)-

What events/activities were held and approx. number of people who attended: Saint Artemas anniversary tournament was held - a full report with attendance and financials will be submitted by the tourny's autocrat, Lord Gregory Lukyn. Former Seneschal Lukyn was succeeded by Kyle Lazzarevich.

### College of St. Isidore (Lady Guilana) – Nothing to report.

Date change—anniversary is September 18. It will be a ball at La Mesa Masons Hall.

## Events

St. Artemas Anniversary: Muirenn-Didn't lose much money. My hands peeled from washing. Wonderful feast. Thanks for support and donations to auction.

### Summergate Anniversary

May War: Farlan: Pre-register, land allocate, and volunteer. Getting a shower truck placed closer to bedlam. Have setup crew—full.

Adelicia: 127 groups signed up for land allocation. RV full with 4 on a waiting list. 1580 signed up for land allocation as of today. (71 Romani).

Smaller parking lot—more trees planted; encourage car pooling. May have extra space though.

Merchants are full. Miraposa ice Cream is coming. No coffee merchant.

CP Prize: July 10. Have site. No archery or merchants. Will be at Stonehenge and there will be a site fee.

There will be a wagering game. Fighting based on chivalry. Tradition a raffle run by Baroness Eloise. Felinah will run a Gallery; there will be the lunch basket, and raffle. There are issues on campus with food

No weapons allowed on campus, no alcohol. Crimson Spade will be there. Need volunteers for raffles.

### Old Business

N/A

### New Business

Farlin: need chairs for War! Have 40-50 that are used and not in good shape. Request advance of \$500 toward purchase of new chairs. Needed for gate, base camp, porter, parking, baronial pavilion, chirurgion point, fighting fields, merchants. Motion passed.

Fionnughuala: Universe sign man can give use 3 signs. There are restrictions on placing them on county property. Three with arrows that say Parking è. Will talk to war autocrats.

David: can existing signs be blanks to paint on or whiteboard, or velcro for different signs? Can use chalk board paint. Can use as many as we can get.

Guy Rand: Red radios—Felix bought them. Need replacements (40-50). Newer radios—some are missing. Need headsets, which are very fragile. About \$12 each (Motorola on Amazon)

There is a Kingdom bulk radio order in work. Will check with Kingdom Constable.

Request \$500. Motion for \$600 to cover shipping. Motion passed.

Don't need right away. Limited to 1 ½ to 2 watt without license.

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