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**Barony of Aneasa**

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## Baronial Missive

Unto the populace of fair Aneala do their Excellencies Baron Lachlahn and Baroness Jane give greeting.

The past several weeks since our investiture have indeed been a whirlwind of activity; this missive, we know, is long, but needs must else we should not fit in everything that has happened! And the pace looks fair to continue past the end of the year; there are numerous events coming up, and much going forward in preparation for the future. Opportunities abound for all to be involved in this progress.

It has been our great pleasure to attend the various events of the past month. Each event has had its own distinctive character, and each in its way has been a joy to experience. The first event to follow the Night in the Faerie Lands was the Shire Newcomers' feast. It was clear from this fine night of feasting and revelry; including the gleeful carving of the pig!; that the enthusiasm of this burgeoning group continues unabated, and we hope to enjoy their company on many an occasion.

The Baronial Championship was an event that will reside long in the memories of those who attended. The feats of valour upon the list fields, the display of bardic talent around the camp fire, and the spirit of cooperation and courtesy shown by the populace all contributed to make Championship the shining success that it undoubtedly was. With joy and pride in our hearts, we welcome Sir Kane, Baroness Catherine and Lord Prospero as our new Baronial Champions of Sword, Bow and Rapier. We know that under their able guidance, the arts martial will truly flourish in Aneala. Our warmest congratulations and thanks go to Baroness Catherine and Baron Nathan for overseeing this wonderful event.

Gorsedd ap Abertridwr was held the following weekend, and it was a pleasure indeed to see the wealth of knowledge shared by members of the populace. The day included collegia on glass bead making, sword techniques, Spanish farthingales, home-made furniture polish, shoe making, sweet and savoury tarts, and herbcraft. The diversity of arts and sciences practised in the Barony is one of our great strengths, and the imparting of knowledge is one of the most important duties of our society. It is with this in mind that we acknowledge all those

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who teach their arts, and extend our deepest appreciation to Mistress Rhianwen as both teacher and the organiser of the event, and to Lord Andre, Lady Catalina, Mistress Evelynne, Baron Creag and Lady Ysabella, who also gave of their time and expertise to enrich the Barony.

The College Challenge proved to be a most entertaining day for all involved. It was wonderful to see such a strong turnout of fighters for the event, and the spectators thrilled to see the courage and skill displayed in the many challenges. Our hearty commendation must go to the members of the College of Saint Basil the Great, who both hosted the event and provided such a strong presence on the tourney field. Particular thanks to Lord Prospero, who ran the event and also managed to compete with such Chivalry that he was selected as one of the two Armoured combatant winners along with Lord Benedict. Both Lords acquitted themselves so well that we had trouble selecting a victor, especially given each recommended the other within a space of minutes. Congratulations also to Lord Donnchadh, who's stylish display made him the one to watch on the rapier list.

This month sees the first of our Arts and Sciences evenings to be held on College grounds. We hope to see many of our populace in attendance at these evenings, for there are great riches to be shared. The bardic circles at Championship and the skills displayed in the collegia have shown the strength and depth of the arts and sciences in Aneasa, and we mean to allow every opportunity for them to thrive.

Sachlahn

Baron

Jane

Baroness



# The Seneschal's Kant

Well all another month and another council

Quite an interesting one as will be next months, ahhh the Karaoke at KKs afterwards was interesting and the refreshments enjoyable (the quest is to bring some one new to council or you have to sing, only joking ....or am I hehehehehe)

But back to business

The officers continue to do their thing although due to relocation the Constable and Chatelaine has resigned... bit hard to run it from Mordenvale SIGH Both Lady Nyssa and Gryff will be sorely missed but we wish them well in their travels.

As I stepped into the Seneschalate in an emergency and have seen the group thru the hand over and by 12<sup>th</sup> night I will have been here for close to a year on top of this due to health reasons I must also resign at the latest 12<sup>th</sup> night and preferably before.

If you ever considered being an officer now is the time they are easy to do & maintain and there is a wealth of resources for you, assistance from old farts, previous officers and current officers alike, step forward and enjoy your game from another angle, get involved it doesn't bite (grin).

Next was the beginning of A&S nights at UWA they will be every Tuesday night.

While the first and third will carry music and the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Dancing, all other A&S doings are welcome so bring that sewing or embroidery or leather work or even research along and we can sew dance play read and create fine music together see you there. If there is a specific workshop you wish to learn from or run see Catherine and she will slot it into one of those 5<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays that happen

Details on rooms can be found later in this issue of vine

Also on this subject there will be a Tudor Hat making workshop being organised details in this issue of vine

For those of you who didn't make it to Championship all reports lean to a fun time with fabulous food thanks to the Macguyver of cooking Prospero and the Autocrat Baroness Catherine.

The College challenge was a hoot as always

And the Cantons Collegia held 6 classes on varied and fun subjects

Upcoming events include, but not limited to, the ball, archery on the green, white horse tavern, Knights demo.....

There will be advertised 2 meet and greets one in free on the Friday after the demo and one at KK's round the corner from UWA on the Thursday night after please talk to Kane if you want to help out and show up have fun There are many other events a happenin so check out your calendar

The 2 New events are  
12th night Autocrat : Lady Kerridwen  
looking forward to this.  
and then Anzalan 20<sup>th</sup> birthday cele-  
brations Autocrat Mistress Rhianwen.

## REGALIA

The need for new regalia was dis-  
cussed, specifically the repair of the  
Baronial robes which is in hand with  
mistress's Rhianwen and Evelynn.

Also that for the Baronial Champions  
If you wish to have a say have any  
thoughts or offers for this regalia  
please chat to the Champions and  
come to next council.

Where there will be bids and discus-  
sion on this as will ,the final decision  
on the new Baronial coronets will be  
confirmed and they will be ordered ,  
these have been long in the finalisa-  
tion and need to be done.

The last note Don't forget the Camping  
weekend event for the Shire is soon  
upon us if you can attend and support  
what should be a great weekend  
please go on down.

A long one from me this month but it is  
all good. See you at the next event.

Yours in service

**Quirghen**

## Arts & Sciences Competitions

### Barony of Aneasa

#### Bal S'Aneasa

Best costume in Anzalan colours  
Cook's - well presented finger food  
Golden Rose Bardic Competition



### Kingdom of Lochar

#### November Crown XXI (2006)

Calligraphy/Illumination: create a new  
AOA scroll blank

Quintain - plans or completed piece  
Dyeing: item (leather or fibre) dyed in  
yellow or green

Broiderers – research with references,  
any topic, minimum 300 words, or a  
pattern drafted from a pre-1600 source  
(eg painting or extant piece)

Cooks – sauce/relish/pickle to accom-  
pany a dish of your choosing

#### Twelfth Night

Patronage letter

Cushion – any style, fit for the pres-  
ence of royalty and suitable for  
long courts

Metalwork – a hinge

Broiderers – beading

Cooks – a refreshing dish for a sum-  
mer's day (can be documentation only)



## Arts & Sciences

There is now a Baronial Arts and Sciences meeting every Tuesday night at Arts Lecture Room 4 at UWA. This is the room next to the room we now use for Council Meetings. We are currently holding music on the first and third Tuesdays of the month and dancing on the second and fourth Tuesdays. The fifth Tuesday (which only occurs four times a year) will be used for various classes. Anyone wishing to work on any other A&S project at the same time is welcome to come.

There has been quite a crowd so far so you should be able to find someone to discuss your projects with if you need help or you can simply work on them with your friends rather than on your own. Everyone is welcome.

Stitch and Bitch will continue to be held at Catalina's house on the second Wednesday of the month because there are not enough Tuesdays to go round and it will be easier to access the A&S library and the internet from there.

The music group is being led by Piper Alicia. There is a beginner's group who are learning to play recorder and/or tin whistle, and a more advanced group for those who can play and read music. No experience is necessary, beginners are welcome. Any instrument will be accepted (we currently have saxophone and clarinet as well as recorders, pipes, tin whistles, guitar, drums, and bells).

We are working on some dance music for Bal and some instrumental pieces.

Dancing will be focusing on getting ready for Bal d'Anzala. We will do some of the easy dances for beginners and refresh our memory on some of the less commonly done dances that have been requested. If there is interest, we can also look at some of the more challenging dances like the galliards and voltas.

There will also be Sunday afternoon workshops from time to time as the calendar allows. These will be long enough to allow us to complete the project at the workshop. The first workshop will be on Tudor flat caps on the 10 December at my house. Please call me if you are interested.

Don't forget about scribes (and possibly embroidery) on Saturdays.

I now need suggestions for classes for the fifth Tuesday nights (up to 2 hours) and for Sunday workshops (longer projects). If you want to run something or if you want to learn something please tell me about it.

The A&S organisation is a work in progress. If you like it, please tell your friends. If you think it can be done better, then tell me.

Catherine de Arc

Arts & Sciences Minister





Every Tuesday at 7pm

# Arts & Sciences Night

Arts Lecture Room 4, UWA

Music

1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month

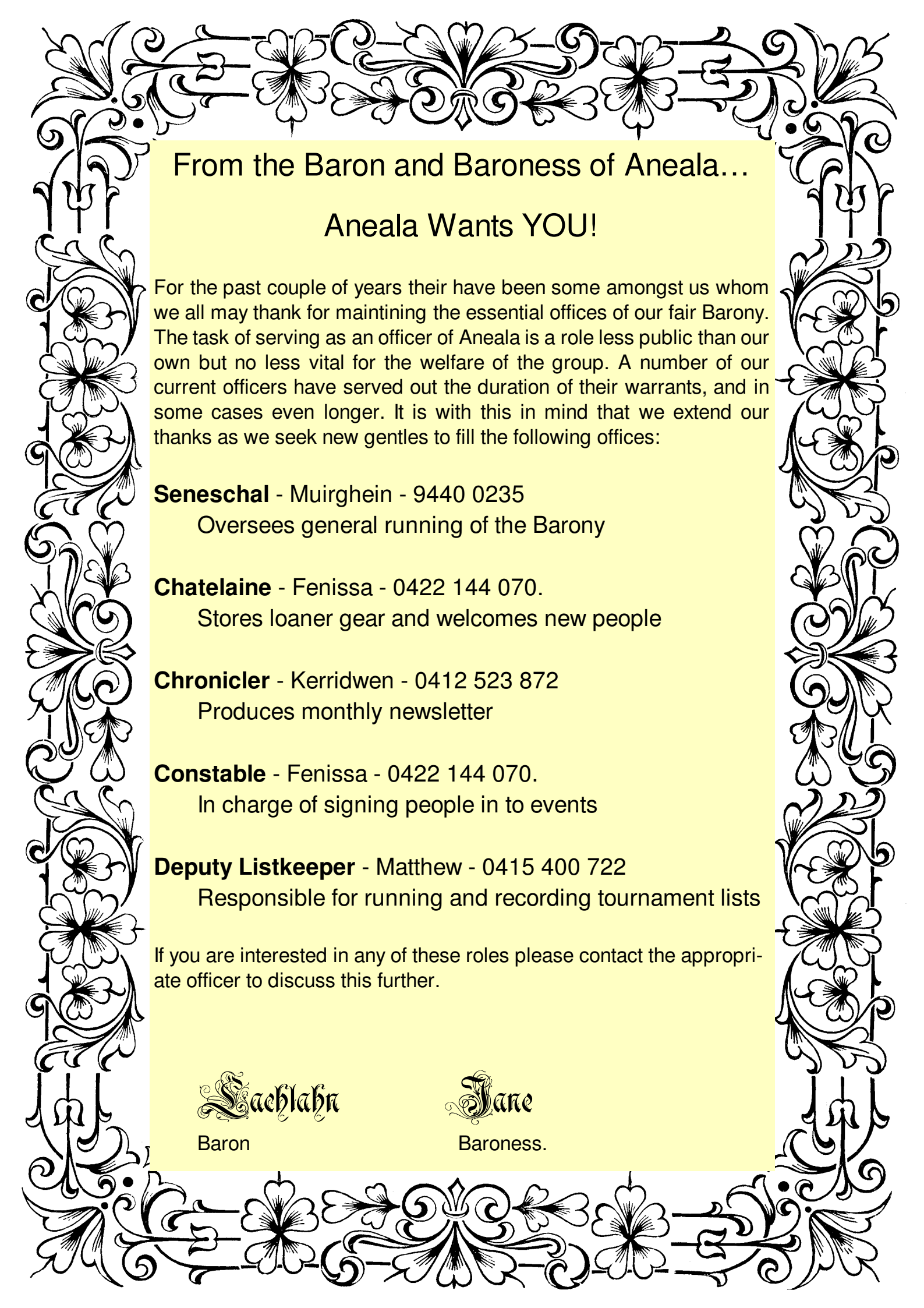
Dancing

2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month

All other A&S projects welcome

For more information contact  
Catherine on 9249 5670.



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From the Baron and Baroness of Aneala...

## Aneala Wants YOU!

For the past couple of years there have been some amongst us whom we all may thank for maintaining the essential offices of our fair Barony. The task of serving as an officer of Aneala is a role less public than our own but no less vital for the welfare of the group. A number of our current officers have served out the duration of their warrants, and in some cases even longer. It is with this in mind that we extend our thanks as we seek new gentles to fill the following offices:

**Seneschal** - Muirghein - 9440 0235

Oversees general running of the Barony

**Chatelaine** - Fenissa - 0422 144 070.

Stores loaner gear and welcomes new people

**Chronicler** - Kerridwen - 0412 523 872

Produces monthly newsletter

**Constable** - Fenissa - 0422 144 070.

In charge of signing people in to events

**Deputy Listkeeper** - Matthew - 0415 400 722

Responsible for running and recording tournament lists

If you are interested in any of these roles please contact the appropriate officer to discuss this further.

*Naehlahn*

Baron

*Jane*

Baroness.



Greetings unto the Populace of fair Aneasa  
from their Excellencies, Lachlahn and Jane.

Be it known to all and sundry fighters and wielders of arms,  
ye Knights, Squires, Hearth Troop, and all loyal nobility of  
the Barony, that in fulfilment of His Majesty's command  
that pirate activity be quelled, all are called to step up and  
join with the Aneasan Expeditionary force, led by His Ex-  
cellency Baron Lachlahn, in its first foray into the Shire  
lands to the south.

All interested fighters, archers, armourers and support crew  
please send word of your intent direct to His Excellency, by  
speeded courier or your fastest messenger pidgeon.

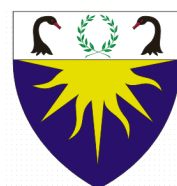
Onward, for Honour, Glory and Aneasa!

Yours in Service,



Lachlahn and Jane

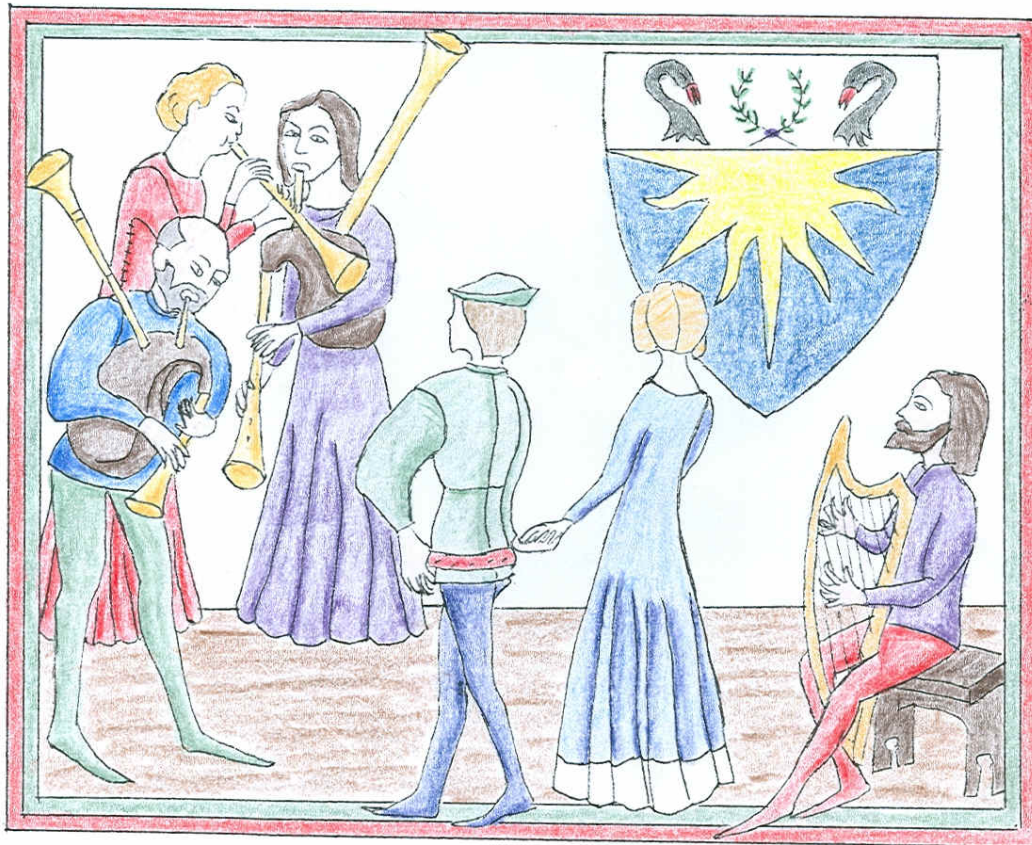
Baron and Baroness of Aneasa



# Bal d'Aneala

Their Excellencies, Lachlahn and Jane, Baron and Baroness of Aneala, do hereby invite all the people of fair Aneala to join them in celebration of the bounties of summer, the glory of Their lands, and the achievements of Their people in the gentle arts of dancing, music and song. To this end they shall cause to be held a Great Ball, the which shall take place in the evening of the second day of December.

This grand occasion shall feature:  
The Golden Rose Bardic Competition  
A prize for the best outfit in Anealan colours  
A Cook's Guild prize for well presented finger food  
A light supper and cold drinks  
And lots and lots of dancing.



# Scheduled Events

## Shire Event Cassandra's Camping Weekend

**Date & Time** 4pm Friday 10th November to  
2pm Sunday 12th November

**Place** "High Valley" Farm,  
Gold Gully Road, Nannup

**Steward** Joehen Schwalbe

**Cost** Until October 27th :  
\$40 Members \$50 Non-mem  
After October 27th :  
\$45 Members \$55 Non-mem

**Bookings** to be made with a \$10 Deposit  
Cassandra Hort - 0424 249 381

Come one and Come all to the  
Shire of Angellus Ad Meridieum's  
first camping event.

This Event is catered except for a Potluck  
Dinner on Friday Night

It has become apparent that there are  
Pirates, Cutthroat's and Brigands roaming  
unchecked in the Shire and as such the  
Barony of Anzala must bring them to battle  
and crush them once and for all!

<b>Friday</b>	Arrive & Potluck Dinner
<b>Saturday</b>	
Morning	Archery Tournament & Kids Game
Afternoon	War & Stag Hunt
Evening	Feast Rapier Fighter Auction
<b>Sunday</b>	Heavy Tournament Prepare to Depart



## Knights Demo Tournament



**Date** Saturday 19th November

**Place** South Freo High School  
Lefroy Rd, Beaconsfield

**Time** 10am till 8pm

**Steward** Kane - 9314 2506  
ecolyer@bigpond.net.au

The demonstration is part of the Fremantle  
Festival and this year is being conducted  
with support of the South Fremantle High  
School Fair.

20,000 people attend the fair each year.

This is an SCA demo not one group but all  
of us, when we used to do the Medieval May  
Day it was our largest recruiting event.

A & S, Rapier, Heavy Combat, dancing,  
singing, fun, frivolity.

Come along, support the SCA of the Western  
Shores. Your SCA needs YOU!



# Scheduled Events



## Toys for Tots Tournament

Date	Sunday 26th November
Place	Stirling Gardens Stirling Street Guildford.
Time	2pm to 6pm
Steward	Morwenna
Cost	\$5 Members \$7 Non-mem

Come one come all and join the festivities at the annual Toys for Tots spectacular! Please bring donations of tinned food and a toy to enter the lists. All donations will be given to St. Vincent de Paul for christmas hampers. Please bring a potluck dish to share for afternoon tea.



## Bal d'Anzala

Date	Saturday 2nd December
Place	North Perth Town Hall, 26 View St North Perth
Time	7pm, hall opens 6.30pm
Steward	Catherine de Arc 9249 5670 vertragis@arach.net.au
Cost	\$12 Members, \$15 Non-mem. Under 16 half price
Bookings	By 26th November

Bal d'Anzala is Anzala's annual dance and entertainment spectacular featuring: The Golden Rose Bardic Competition, A prize for the best costume in Anzalan colours, A Cook's Guild Competition for well presented finger food, A light supper and cold drinks, And lots and lots of dancing. Please request your 3 favourite dances when you book.



## Whyte Horse Tavern

Date	Saturday 9th December
Place	Fremantle Masonic Hall Cnr High & Chalmers, Frem.
Time	6pm til late
Steward	Healfdene
Cost	\$16 Members \$20 Non-members
Bookings	By 2nd December

Feast, eat, drink and game in the second annual Games competition of the Whyte Horse Tavern. Some drinks will be provided by the Abertridwr BVI but please bring anything that you would specifically like to drink. Some tavern fare shall be provided along with board games and people enjoying the wondrous atmosphere.



## Shooting on the Green

Date	Sunday 14th January
Place	Lake Monger Primary School Dodd Street Wembley
Time	9am setup 10:30 start
Steward	Matthew Legge
Cost	\$3 Members \$5 Non-members

Come one and all for a relaxing day of archery. We will be shooting a Royal round and some novelties, and some siege engines might also make an appearance.

Please bring a potluck dish and because it is likely to be warm, some shade (if you have it!) and liquid refreshment as well.



# Guilds in Aneasa

**The Royal Guild of Defence**  
for combat with civilian weapons  
Catalina da Gata : gatan\_03@yahoo.com

**The College of Scribes**  
for calligraphy and illumination  
Muirgheín ní Ghraíne : 9440 0235

**The Guild of the Silver Rondel**  
for dancing and playing music for dancing  
Catherine de Arc : 9249 5670.

**The Worshipful Company of Broiderers**  
for embroidery  
Muirgheín ní Ghraíne : 9440 0235

**The Guild of Cooks**  
cooking & non-alcoholic beverages  
Master Kilic : sb315098@bigpond.net.au

**The Tailors, Haberdashers and Mercers Guild**  
making of garments and accessories  
Catalina da Gata : gatan\_03@yahoo.com

**The Brewers, Vintners and Imbibers Guild**  
alcoholic beverages  
Healfdene Greymaneson : 0418 920 034

**The Fibre Guild**  
for spinning, weaving, felting, and braiding  
Catherine de Arc : 9249 5670.

**The Herb and Garden Guild**  
gardening and herbalism  
Alessandra Torrigiani d'Arezzo  
karenh@cyllene.uwa.edu.au

# Regular Activities

Where to go & what to do in the Barony of Aneasa when not at an event

## Fighter Training & Archery



Sunday 10am to 12pm  
Lake Monger Primary, Dodd St, Wembley  
Contact Nathan : (08) 9249 5670

## Scribes



Calligraphy & Illumination  
Saturdays from 2pm at Hawkstower  
Contact Muirghzin : (08) 9345 1379

## Armouring



watch this space...

## Baronial Meeting



3rd Friday of each month from 7:30pm  
UWA Arts Lecture Room 6  
Contact Lachlan: 0400 603 600

## Dance Demo Training



2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month from 7pm  
Arts Lecture Room 4, UWA,  
Contact Catherine (08) 9249 5670.

## Stich & Bitch



2nd Wednesday of the month from 7pm  
678 Beach Road, Hamersley  
Contact Catalina: gatan\_oz@yahoo.com

## Singing

Contact Nyssa 0422 144 070.  
nyss\_a@optusnet.com.au



## Heraldry

Commenting Meetings at Bastion  
Last Monday of each month  
from 6:30pm  
Rhianwen - (08) 9314 2506



## Music



1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month from 7pm,  
Arts Lecture Room 4, UWA,  
Contact Alicia 0400 751 006.

## Canton training & Dancing



Sundays 1pm to 4pm  
(garb required)  
South Fremantle High  
School, Lefroy Road, Beaconsfield.  
Healfdene - 0418 920 034  
dab\_90@mysoul.com.au



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