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Long Live [Theuderic and Engelin](#),
King and Queen of Lochac!

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Missive from the Seneschal

Coronets

There is proposal to turn the old Anealan Coronets into Chains of Office. More details about this proposal can be found here - <http://www.aneala.sca.org.au/FealtyChain/>, or click the Fealty Chain link on the Anealan home page. Please have a look and direct any comment on the proposal to the Baron and Baroness.

Feast Bowls

We are currently looking for replacements for our wooden feast bowls. Ideally the replacements would be light, unbreakable, easily stackable, not too hot to touch when full of hot soup, very cheap, and available in similar sizes to our current bowls. If you can think of anything that might do the job please send details, pictures and prices to me or bring them to council.

Minor Prices

It was decided at Aneala's February council meeting to charge minor prices to those under 18 (not 16). This is to simplify the constables' job. It was also decided that minor prices should be calculated to cover the cost of the minors, which may not be half price. For more detail about these decisions see the minutes of this meeting here - <http://www.aneala.sca.org.au/Resources/minutes/>.

*Catherine d'Arc
Seneschal Aneala*

A Vice

The Recipe for the ice cream declared to be a Vice:

Frozen Strawberry Cream

*1 punnet strawberries (or equivalent frozen strawberries)
2/3 cup sugar
1 cup cream*

*Puree strawberries with sugar. Beat cream. Add cream to strawberries.
Freeze.*

Competitions

Newcomers Feast: Prizes for best Newcomer garb and best garb in black and white, the colours of St Basil the Great.

Autumn Gathering. There are four competition categories: Open (anything you like), Camp Craft (any medieval camp craft, such as beds, chairs, tents, cooking implements), Siege Weapons (medieval projectile throwing machines), Camp Wall (Max size 2x1m. These can be submitted by individuals, groups or households. The medieval style theme must represent the entrant(s) group, household or individual. The wall can be painted, appliquéd or combination of techniques. Please bring

Kingdom Competitions

May Crown XLIV (2009): Hats & Bonnets - open - all countries 600 - 1600AD , Medical Treatments - e.g. how would you treat gout, gangrene, headache, Patents of Nobility - papers that show noble descent to enter lists, Soup— any style.

Midwinter XLIV (2009): Calligraphy & Illumination needs - inks, vellum, quills, etc, Rosaries, German Garb 600 - 1600AD, Sausages

November Crown XLIV (2009): Viking Jewellery, Illuminated church music - including missals and graduals, Music Performance - Open - in SCA Timeline. Italian breads.

Twelfth Night XLIV (2009): Pick a herb—research paper.

This Month in History

On March 22, 1312: King Philip the Fair of France arrested all of the members of the Order of the Knights Templar in France arrested and pressured Pope Clement V to suppress the order which was done with the Papal bull *Vox in excelso*.

The Templars were established in the early 12th century by two French Knights, Hugh of Payns and Godfrey of St. Omer, who sought to protect pilgrims travelling to shrines in Jerusalem. The order received Papal recognition and amassed a number of landholdings which provided men, horses and supplies to the Templars in the East. The Templars also became bankers. Unsubstantiated rumours of irreligious practices during their secret rites and their growing wealth and power contributed to their demise.



Source: Historymedren.about.com, image:

Upcoming Events

15 March

WA SCA Meeting

This meeting is for the people in Western Australia to discuss how we want our groups to interact with each other and where we want the SCA in this state to go.

Place: Wandu progress Association, De Haer Rd, Wandu

Time: 12:30—5:00 pm

Cost: \$1.50 per person. BYO drinks and snacks.

Contact: Catherine de Arc
seneschal@aneala.sca.org.au

21 March

College of
St Basil
the Great



Newcomer's Feast

It is that time of year again—the time to help the College of St Basil the Great welcome their new members with a glorious and wondrous feast. This year however differs in that there will also be held a tournament of the highest renown which anyone can enter, to be fought with boffer blades only.

Time: Setup from 3pm. Hall Opens 6pm

Address: Collins Street Centre & Adjacent Parkland, Cnr Collins and Shaftsbury Sts, South Perth

Cost: \$15 Members & College Members, \$18 Non Members.

Bookings required by 17th March

Autocrat: Lady Gillian Attwood

Who's Who of the Medieval World

Queen Elizabeth 1

Born 7 September 1533—Died 24 March 1603

Queen Elizabeth 1 was the daughter of Henry VIII and his second wife Anne Boylne. On November 17 1558, Elizabeth succeeded her sister Mary (daughter of Henry VIII and Catherine of Aragon) as Queen of England and Queen of Ireland. She was the fifth and last Monarch of the Tudor dynasty.



Upcoming Events Continued..

**24-27
April**

Autumn Gathering

A gathering of the populaces of the wastelands of Locac, in the style of the Field of Cloth of Gold, and this year we shall be hosting Their Majesties, Theuderic and Engelin. The long weekend will have something for everyone—feasting, music, singing, games, armoured combat, fencing, archery, collegia and craftwork. Come along and enjoy the company of your neighbours, and the splendour of the Royal Presence. <https://sites.google.com/site/autumngathering/>

Time: 3:00pm Fri 24th—3:00pm Sun 27th

Address: Lake Clifton Tavern, Old Coast Road, Lake Clifton

Cost: \$50 Members, \$55 Non Members, Member 6-18 years \$30, Non Member 6-18 years \$35. Under 6 Free. Day rates TBA

Autocrat: Lachlahn and Jane, Baron and Baroness Aneala

Booking Officer: Catalina de Gata, gatanoz@gmail.com, 0423198462

**29 May—1
June**
Canton of
Abertridwr

Pencampwr Camping Weekend

Please visit the webpage at www.sca.org.au/abertridwr for more information.

Time: 5:00pm 29th May—12:00pm Jst June

Address: Wandi Progress Association Hall, De Haer Road, Wandi

Cost: \$60 Members, \$70 Non Members, Under 16 half price, Under 6 Free. Bookings required by Friday 22nd May 2009

Autocrat: Benadick Von Greieswald.

Booking Officer: Alienor of Essewell, lintho@bigpond.com, 0429113557



mutterings

Greetings to the March edition of The Vine. My apologies to everyone who has been eagerly awaiting this edition of The Vine. Mundane employment has been severely encroaching on my medieval entertainments and has delayed publication. I am addressing this situation in a number of ways... changing employment and seeking a Chronicler to take over publication of The Vine. The role of chronicler is creative and enjoyable one and many people in the populace are keen to share their photo's and skills to help out when required, so if you are interested, please contact me.

*Yours in Service
Lady Rosalind le Clochard
Chronicler of Aneala*

More on Arts & Sciences Competitions

Arts and Sciences Competition Types

This is a follow up to Mistress Branwen's excellent article by Catherine d'Arc.

That article described the standard SCA judging system. This points-based system is used for most Anealan open A&S competitions since it allows very different items to compete against each other. It may also be used for competitions with a set theme. It is the most useful form for an A&S Championship since it also allows results to be compared with entries in different competitions held at different events.

The Cook's Guild competition is a related type. It is only used for food and drink. Again, there are three judges and they comment on the entry. Documentation is required though this may often be just the recipe for the dish. The judges do not award points but do agree on a winner. Sometimes documentation is limited to only what will fit on the Cook's Guild form, other times you can submit an essay. The forms used for this type of competition have the added bonus that they can be submitted to the Cook's Guild and used for Guild ranking if you wish.

The other common type of A&S competition is the "popular acclaim" type. In this type of competition the judges "vote" for their favourite entry. The judges may be everyone at the event or a select few (royalty, the event steward, the ladies, members of a particular order). Judging is usually done by presenting a token to the entry, but may also be judged by cheering, or just by agreement of the judges. The costume competitions at Bal d'Aneala have always worked this way with everyone presenting a pin or ribbon to their preferred outfit. The Golden Rose Bardic Competition is another example of this type. It is judged by getting the audience to cheer for their favourite performer.

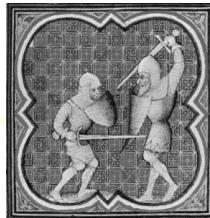
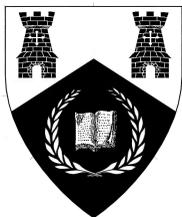
Documentation is usually not required and not helpful, since you will not get large numbers of people to read it.

For some competitions, like the costume competition at Bal d'Aneala, everyone is assumed to have entered. For most A&S competitions, it is necessary to inform the competition organiser that you have an entry.

The competition organiser is usually announced at the beginning of the event, or you can ask the A&S officer or the event steward.

If you are not sure how a competition will be judged please be sure to ask the A&S officer or the event steward before the event so you know what to bring.

Newcomers Feast & Tournament



It is that time of year again—the time to help the College of St Basil the Great welcome their new members with a glorious and wondrous feast. This year however differs in that there will also be held a tournament of the highest renown which anyone can enter, to be fought with boffer blades only.

Setup from 3pm, list opens 4pm for 4:30pm start

Prizes for best Newcomer garb and best garb in black and white, the colours of St Basil the Great.

21st March, 4pm—11pm (Hall opens 6pm)

Collins Street Centre and Adjacent Parkland

Cnr Collins St and Shaftesbury St, South Perth

\$15 Members and College Members, \$18 Non members

To Book contact Gillian on 0439 981 431 or

silly_filly2002@hotmail.com by the 17th of March

Please advise of allergies or dietary requirements upon
booking

Regnum



King & Queen of Lochac: Theuderic and Engelin
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Canton of Abertridwr
Acting Seneschal
Liduína de Kasteelen
van Valkenburg

Subsidiary
Groups

College of St Basil the
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Guilds in Aneala

The Royal Guild of Defence

for combat with civilian weapons
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The College of Scribes

for calligraphy and illumination
Branwen of Werchesvorde- sb315098@bigpond.net.au
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The Guild of the Silver Rondel

for dancing and playing music for dancing
Catherine de Arc - 9249 5670.

The Guild of Cooks

cooking & non-alcoholic beverages
Master Kilic - sb315098@bigpond.net.au
(08) 9394 0683

The Tailors, Haberdashers and Mercers Guild

making of garments and accessories
Catalina da Gata - gatan_oz@yahoo.com

The Brewers, Vintners and Imbibers Guild

alcoholic beverages

The Fibre Guild

for spinning, weaving, felting, and braiding
Catherine de Arc - 9249 5670.

The Herb and Garden Guild

gardening and herbalism
Catherine d'Arc
vrtragis@arach.nzt.au

*Regular Activities: Or, Where to Go, & What to Do, in the
Barony of Aneala 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
Contact Branwen: (08) 9394 0685
Monday 7.30-9.30pm

Singing

2nd & 4th Monday nights with
Annelyn:
donrah01@student.uwa.edu.au
1st & 3rd Monday nights with
Catherine (08) 9249 5670



Baronial Meeting

3rd Friday of each month from
7:30pm
Contact Lachlan: 0401 694 450

***College of St. Basil
Arts & Sciences***

2nd & 4th Tuesday evening
Guild Council Meeting Room, UWAF
Contact Gillian 0439 981 431



***College of St. Basil Dance
Practice***

1st & 3rd Tuesday evenings
Guild Council Meeting Room, UWAF
Contact Catherine (08) 9249 5670.

Music

2nd & 4th Monday nights
Contact Jane on 0403 003 041



Heraldry

No current regular events
Contact Cinara Baraczco
herald@anzala.sea.org.au



College of St. Basil Training

Tuesdays and Thursdays
4pm to 6 or 7pm
Oak Lawn, UWAF
Contact Gillian 0439 981 431



***Abertridwr Training
& Open House***

Wednesdays from 6pm
The Bastion
Range: (08) 9314 2506

Wandi Training & A&S

Abertridwr & Dragons Bay
Heavy, Archery & A&S
Sunday from 12:30pm
Wandi Progress Association Hall
De Harz Road, Wandu

Merchants

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Wanted

Any Old Armour ... (New is also acceptable)
Do you have any unused armour lying around?

Know someone who has armour gathering dust? Or some leather or basket hilts you no longer need?

I'm looking for armour and other fighting equipment no longer being used to put together a few loaner suits so we can help our new and future fighters get into the action sooner, to enjoy the thrill of combat, the clash of arms, the braining of our mates and the exhilaration of inflicting pain upon others before they do it to us.

If you have anything lying around or can hassle someone into donating a piece or two, I'll be at Baronial training each Sunday (if maybe a little late) or I can be contacted on:

0405 570 885 or centurion@iinet.net.au

and we can arrange something

Thank you greatly for any assistance

Conan

On~line Resources

Group Sites

Barony of Aneala (Perth, Western Australia)	http://aneala.sca.org.au
Canton of Abertridwr (South of Perth, WA)	http://sca.org.au/abertridwr
College of St Basil the Great (University of WA)	http://www.sca.org.au/basil
Shire of Bosenberg (Southwest of Western Australia)	www.freewebs.com/ bosenberg
Incipient Shire of Dragons Bay (between Abertridwr & Bosenberg)	http://www.dragonsbay.org/
Kingdom of Lochac (Australia and New Zealand)	http://sca.org.au/lochac
SCA Corporate site (Australia)	http://www.sca.org.au/
SCA Corporate site (World-wide)	http://www.sca.org
Medieval Events Callendar	www.medievalevents.info

E~mail Lists

Aneala Populace~ General discussion	Send an email message to listmanager@aneala.sca.org.au containing the text: "Subscribe populace" in the body of the message.
Aneala Announce ~ Official announcements	Send an email message to listmanager@aneala.sca.org.au containing the text: "Subscribe announce" in the body of the message.
Canton of Abertridwr	http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Abertridwr/
Shire of Bosenberg	Visit http://www.sca.org.au/mailman/listinfo/boesenbergshire
Incipient Shire of Dragons Bay	http://groups.yahoo.com/group/othershire/
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Positions Vacant

Arts and Sciences

If you take this office on you will be required to report to the Baronial Seneschal and the Lochac Arts and Sciences Minister quarterly, attend Anealan council meetings on a regular basis and to arrange arts and sciences competitions on a regular basis.

You will also be expected to encourage and promote the arts and sciences. Previous officers have done this by organising regular workshops, running regular classes, running less frequent but bigger collegia, getting Anealan A&S on the web for others to see, or creating an arts and sciences newsletter, among other things. You don't necessarily have to do all of these things, and you may have ideas we have not thought of yet. You don't actually have to do a lot of A&S yourself, but you do have to know who does, and you do have believe it is worth encouraging and promoting. This is a cool office to hold. It is not especially difficult or time consuming (though it can be if you want), you get to see what other A&S types are doing and you get to be nosy about it, you get to ask for copies of documentation and photos and other cool stuff. You also get a chain of office and baldric to wear at events, and you get to say you are a Greater Officer of a Barony.

Chronicler

If you take on this office you will be required to report to the Baronial Seneschal and the Lochac Chronicler every quarter, and to the Anealan Reeve regarding office expenses. You will be required to produce a suitable newsletter for Aneala every month and to have it distributed in a timely fashion (delivered by the first of the month).

You will be responsible for getting content, editing the newsletter, publishing it on the website, having hard copies printed and posted, updating the Calendar on the Anealan website, and accounting for the office's finances. You will be expected to attend Anealan council meetings on a regular basis. This is also a cool office to hold. It will be very busy at a set time every month, with minimal effort required at other times (though you can spend lots more time if you want), and absolutely no effort required at events. You are responsible for the public face of the Barony, you get the official gossip, event advertisements, and announcements before everyone else, you get to record history, and it's a fun, creative project. You also get a chain of office and you get to say you are a Greater Officer of a Barony.

If either of these offices interests you, feel free to discuss them further with the Baron and Baroness, the Anealan Seneschal, or the outgoing officers. I would also suggest visiting the Lochac home page for the relevant office (A&S - <http://www.sca.org.au/artsandsciences/> or Chronicler - <http://www.sca.org.au/lochac/info/chronicler/index.html>). Applications should be made in writing (short email is fine) and copied to the Anealan Seneschal and the Baron and Baroness. We will consult with the outgoing officers and pass on all applications to the Lochac officers who are responsible for making the final decision.