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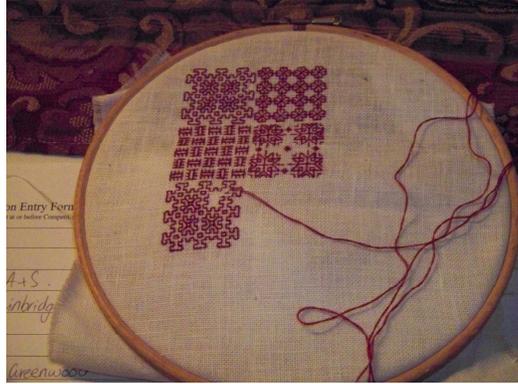
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Online Resources

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
Incipient Canton of Aachenfeld	http://aneala.lochac.sca.org/aachenfeld/
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
Shire of Dragons Bay (between Abertridwr & Bosenberg)	http://www.dragonsbay.org
Kingdom of Lochac (Australia and New Zealand)	http://lochac.sca.org
SCA Corporate site (Australia)	http://www.sca.org.au
SCA Corporate site (World-wide)	http://www.sca.org

Greetings unto the populace of Aneala from Kilic and Branwen,

We have travelled far to the Incipient Canton of Vallon d'Or for their inaugural event held at Balingup on the weekend.

First off the archery in the afternoon, great shoot, 14 archers. Our Champion Lady Celestria did win and stocked the Baronial larder with tasty dishes.

Then off to the shops for a great hot chocolate before heading to the hall.

The hall was fantastic and Vallon d'Or did a great job with decorations, we had a Viking ship (and I mean ship), a hearth, trees and much merry making. We were entertained by musicians, storytellers, singers and dancers. The acoustics in the hall were great.

The Steward for the event was also the Feast Steward; M'Lady Bella Donna de Poisson prepared a very delicious and filling feast. Most of the members contributed to the feast and we were really impressed by the service and talents of our newest members.

We were fortunate enough to receive recommendations and were pleased to be able to act on them as we had already seen for ourselves these people in action.

M'Lady Bella Dona de Poisson and M'Lady Rosalind D'Angan were both admitted to the Order of the Black Feather. Huzzah.

There were a few competitions run.

An open A&S was won by Lady Alianore de Essewell for her pewter casting, but honourable mentions must be made for Lady Alazais of Chainbridge for her Bead Work and Lady Marguerite for her Blackwork Embroidery, all very impressive. M'Lord Anwyl of Vallon d'Or won the Bardic with his music playing and saga writing; we look forward to the next instalment. Lady Petronilla of the Shire of Dragon's Bay won the best Viking Garb Competition.

We further extend our thanks to the Court Herald Lord Chulain and also for his Marshalling of the Archery, our Court Lady Celestria and Lady Renonys, and also to the Constable Lady Alianore.

As always there are many people who helped by providing dishes, serving, setting up and taking down, transporting and giving their house for billeting. Thank you. We will look forward to coming again and tasting your hospitality.

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Over the weekend we also had a visit from Count Berenger of Nancy who trained many of the fighters here in the Western lands of Lochac over the last 3 days.

We thank him sincerely for coming over and spending so much of his precious time and sharing his knowledge.

We thank Sir Kane and Mistress Rhianwen for organising and hosting this great event.

We were able to watch some of the training on Sunday at Lake Monger and saw already great improvement in some of the fighters. To say they were bruised, tired and on an enthusiastic high would be an understatement.

Now to keep the knowledge and strengthen your will to carry on his teachings; to consolidate the drills and training that Count Berenger has brought over.

We look forward to seeing you fight in your next Tournament which we believe will be the 4 Man Melee in July. Come along you are sure to be in for a treat.

As we said a couple of events in the next month, Mid Winter Feast will be a late Spanish theme, Stewarded by Duena Catalina. It sounds great with a fabulous menu and entertainment by our Bard Lady Aoife and her players. Don't forget to book.

Recommendations. As always we are hoping for recommendations so that those that do things can be acknowledged, in this we ask your help as we do not see or hear of all the good that people do. Drop us a note saying who and why you want someone recognised, it may not happen immediately but it won't happen at all unless people send in recommendations. Don't forget to send recommendations to the Crown too, they love receiving them too.

We have the Heirs stepping up next weekend. Prince Cornelius and Princess Elizabeth, we wish them congratulations and to our King Gabriel and Queen Constanzia thankyou so much for the support you have shown our Kingdom and in particular our Barony, many will miss you.

All for now.

Keep warm and well in this now chilly season.

Yours in Service

Kilic and Branwen

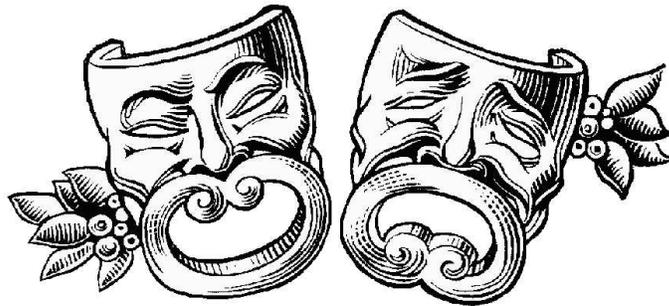
Baron and Baroness of Aneala

Calling all Thespians, Singers, Dancers, Musicians and Fools!

I, Lady Aoife, Bard of Aneala, have been called upon to provide An Entertainment at this year's Midwinter Feast. It will be an exciting and dramatic piece full of intrigue, mystery and adventure on the high seas. My vision is grand and so it follows I require the assistance of the populace in realising it upon the stage. I seek performers of every age, in any performance discipline, with any experience level, and also those wishing to work 'behind-the-scenes' in costume, properties, or sound. The only prerequisite for this production is a willingness to work together to create some magic.

There will be several rehearsals between now and Midwinter and a costume and properties workshop.

If you are interested please write to me at oconnor.frellis@live.com ASAP and I will send you more information.



LOCAL LOCHAC GUILD CONTACTS

*Guild of the Silver Rondel -
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The Guild of the Silver Rondel is the dance guild in the Kingdom of Lochac. The Guild encourages pre 17th century dancing, holds competitions, and holds the Bal d' Argent -- the social dance event of the year.

*Fibre Guild -
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"The Royal Fibre Guild of Lochac is for those interested in the arts, crafts and history of all textile matters. We encourage the doing, researching and teaching of fibre related skills as seen in pre 1600 cultures. We include weavers, spinners, dyers, cordmakers, felters, knitters, njalbinders and lacemakers".

(If you are a guild contact, please let the Chronicler know)

The Feast of Norstead and Archery Shoot

The inaugural event of the Incipient Canton of Vallon D'or, in the beautiful South West of the Barony of Aneala, was held this past Saturday, June 25th.

The day started with an Archery Shoot, in the form of an animal hunt, with 14 Archers taking part. Several animals were sighted among the trees and after a slow start for some as the rain came down, all animals were eventually hunted down.



Winner for the Hunt was Lady Celestria Ashwood. This was followed by hot drinks at a local eatery before everyone made their way to the Town Hall for the evening Feast.



The Feast itself was inspired by the Viking Sagas, as was the table setting in the Hall. The rounded circle of tables with the central fire to reflect a sense of family and friends, gathered together to enjoy each others company and the wonderful food, while being entertained by the Bards with story and song.



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M'lady Bella Dona [1st time Feast Steward] and her kitchen crew provided an excellent Viking feast. The food was plentiful, with all courses arriving to the tables piping hot and delicious.



Baroness Branwen and Baron Kilic travelled far to visit their new southern Canton and presented tokens to the winners of the days competitions, in addition to recognizing two of their populace with Black Feathers, m'lady Rosalind d'Angan and m'lady Bella Dona de Poisson.

Several competitions were held during the night

Open Arts & Science-

**An open A&S competition was held, with 3 entries on the night,
Lady Marguerite of Chainbridge (embroidery on the content page)**

Lady Alazais of Chainbridge (Beads on the content page)

And myself Lady Alianore de Essewell (front page pendant)

I winning this competition.

Bardic Competition-

M'lord Anwyl Gwynterych challenged all to a Sage contest, several took him up on the challenge, including Lord Chulain, Sir Peter and Baroness Catherine. However, the night belonged to m'lord Anwyl, with his recorder playing and self written Saga, of which we must wait for part 2.... Next year.

A Viking garb competition was also held, won by Lady Petronilla of Horsford, visiting from the Shire of Dragons Bay.



Also visiting, Admiral Sir Peter D'Gaunt presented to Lady Alazais, Seneschal of Vallon d'Or, a gold coin, telling her to return it thus, should the Canton find themselves in dire need of help and Dragons Bay would speed forth to their aid.

As the night ended and everyone helped clean up there were many tired but happy revellers. I would like to the populace of Vallon d'Or for their gracious hospitality in billeting the many who stayed the night, before heading along the trails to their own far distant homes.

Huzzah for the Incipient Canton of Vallon d'Or

Written by Lady Alianore de Essewell



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Sir Andre - the owner of Western Leathercraft

- Medieval -

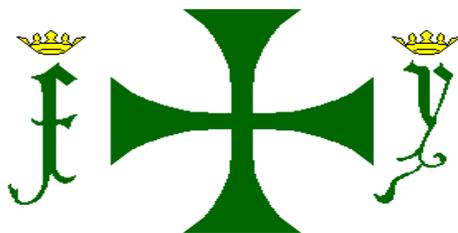
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 Chainmail
 Reenactor Magazines

Regular Events

<p style="text-align: center;">Baronial Council Meeting 3rd Friday of each month from 7.30pm Contact Bechtold seneschal@aneala.sca.org.au</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">Aachenfeld Fighters Training Sundays, 10am-12pm Lake Monger Primary, Dodd St, Wembley Contact Nathan (08) 9249 5670</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Abertridwr Armoured Combat & Open House Wednesdays from 7pm The Bastion Kane: (08) 9314 2506</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Scribes Mondays Calligraphy & Illumination Contact: Branwen aneala@aneala.lochac.sca.org</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Aachenfeld A&S Night 2nd and 4th Wednesdays from 7.00pm Contact Catalina gatanoz@gmail.com</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Baronial Dance Lessons 1st and 3rd Tuesdays Contact Mistress Catherine vertragis@arach.net.au</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">College of St. Basil & Murdoch Training Tuesday & Thursday 4pm to 6 or 7pm Oak Lawn, UWA</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Music and Singing Practices for each are held twice a month. Times and venues vary and are posted on our Yahoo group - http://launch.groups.yahoo.com/ group/CeoltoiriAneala/ For more information please join this group or - Contact Mistress Catherine vertragis@arach.net.au</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">College of St. Basil & Murdoch Arts & Sciences Thursday evenings Guild Council Meeting Room, UWA</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Wandi Training & A&S Abertridwr Armoured Combat, Archery & A&S Sunday from 1pm Wandi Progress Association Hall De Hare Road, Wandí</p>



Midwinters Feast
South Perth Civic Centre
Victory and Exploration!
July 16th
Hall opens from 5:00pm
Opening Court 6:00pm
First Course 6:30pm
Bookings: Duenna Catalina de Gata
0423198462, gatanoz@gmail.com
Cost \$25 Members \$28 Nonmembers
Under 18 \$15/\$18
Under 6 Free

The Year is 1492

The Reconquista finally accomplishes removing the Moors from Spain with the Battle of Granada!

Columbus is declared Admiral of the seas and gets support from

Fernando and Ysabel to find a new route to India!

Come join in victorious celebration as we conquer the old world and seek out the new!

Team Melee Lightning Carnival

Steward: Sir Kane Greymane

Date: 24/7/11

Time: 1pm

Place: Wandu Progress Association, De Haer Road, Wandu

Cost: \$5 members, \$7 non-members, children are \$2, under 6 for free

Armoured Combat 4 man team (max 1 KSCA/team) round robin tourney, melee rules. IKAC to run with Lightning Carnival. Potluck afternoon tea to follow. Site opens at 12md, starting at 1pm. Competitions: Best team livery, best team list shield, best team banner, best supporter garb, best child supporter face paint.

College Challenge

Steward: Seamus Nua

Date: 25/9/11

Time: 9:30am-4:30pm. Fighting commences at 10am

Place: Oak Lawn, University of Western Australia

Cost: \$3 members, \$5 non-members

The Anealan Colleges challenge each other and the Barony in fields such as armoured combat, rapier, beast-slaying, cookery and other creative arts & sciences! Competitions will be: best college-themed dish (be creative!), best crazy hat, best death, best mourning and most thorough destruction of heraldic beasts. Lunch is a pot-luck, bring a dish!

Arabian Nights

Steward: Lady Ydeneya de Baillencourt

Date: 9/10/11

Time:

Place: Wandu Progress Association Hall, De Haer Road, Wandu

Cost: \$25 members

A picnic and day of fun in the mystical east to celebrate the birthday of our beloved Baron Kilic ibn Sungur ibn al-Kazganci al-Turhani.

Mostly Music and Dance Collegium

Steward: Mistress Catherine de Arc

Date: 15/10/11

Time: 10am

Place: North Perth Lesser Hall, View Street, North Perth

Cost: \$10 members

A day of classes featuring the performance arts, particularly dancing and music.

Bal d'Aneala

Steward: Mistress Catherine de Arc

Date: 15/10/11

Time: 7pm

Place: North Perth Town Hall, View Street, North Perth

Cost: \$15 members

In celebration of the birthday of our beloved Baroness, Aneala will host an evening of dance and entertainment. The Golden Rose Bardic Competition will be held to choose Aneala's next bard. There will be a Cook's Guild competition for Delicious and Decorative Fingerfood. There will be competitions for the Best Garb in Anealan Colours, with lords and ladies categories. Cold drinks and finger food will be provided throughout the evening.

Kingdom A&S Competitions

Midwinter 2011: *Linens (table cloths or hand towels), A Seal of your Barony, Shire, Canton or College, Jousting equipment*

November Crown 2011: *A functional item made of clay, A SCA feast menu, A painted item—using period materials*

Twelfth Night Coronation 2012: *Food prepared for a holiday or religious occasion, A parade shield, An item of embroidery*

For more information on the above Kingdom Arts & Sciences competitions, please refer to the Lochac Arts & Sciences webpage at:

<http://sca.org.au/artsandsciences/home.html>

Regnum



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Champion of the Bow: Celestria Ashwood
Champion of the Rapier: Alanna Galliwoode
A&S Champion: Catherine de Arc
Bard of Aneala: Aoife of St Basil