



The Vine

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Society for Creative Anachronism



Margarete was positive they needed to pack their marshmallow stick man for Festival but Johann did not agree (he wanted more space for his shield)

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Baronial Missive

From Dameon and Leonie, Baron and Baroness of Aneala, to the populace of Aneala, greetings.

Well, it has been a fairly quiet month just past, with many people putting their efforts into preparations and martial training sessions, leading up to Rowany Festival. The first IKAC [InterKingdom Archery Competition) round was held this Sunday, with about a dozen participants shooting in the open and period bow divisions, as well as youth and yeoman archers. It was great to see so many people shooting on such a pleasant afternoon.

Work has started on the new tabards, fencing coifs and helmet mantles for our fighters at Festival. There will be a workshop on Saturday March 12, at our house, starting at 10 am, to finish them off.

Next weekend is a long weekend, and the SCA will be doing a demo at Hyde Park Festival, on Sunday and Monday, March 6 and 7. Lady Gwyneth and Lord Lavaeolus are the stewards. Come along and help show Perth what we do for fun.

Two weeks later, on Saturday March 19, Sir Nathan will be running a Great Weapons tourney and pot-luck lunch, to give potential recruits from the Hyde Park show an event to come and watch. This will be held next to the Lake Monger Primary school (not in the grounds) and will be followed by a BBQ for those who want to stay on and socialise.

Then of course it's Rowany Festival at the end of March. We look forward to seeing many of you there.

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Baronial Missive

Further ahead but still soon, we have Autumn Gathering on the Anzac Day long weekend, and Dragons Bay is hosting a Royal Visit on May 21st and 22nd. Then, two weeks later on the June long weekend, the Shire of Abertridwr is running Pencampwr. Please support all these events, by attending of course, but also by volunteering to help in some way. There are many ways you can help - set up, take down, working in the kitchen, setting up the hall, lists, pavilions and archery ranges, teaching a class, or helping fill one of the officer's roles and taking a turn on the constable's table, list-keeping, marshalling, heralding

And don't forget to send in your recommendations for people you think deserve recognition for their efforts in arts and sciences, services, and martial endeavours. You don't have to have a particular award in mind, just tell us what people have been doing, and we will find a suitable award. Kingdom award recommendations should be sent to the King and Queen at royal@lochac.sca.org, with a copy to us so we can discuss them when our Royal visitors arrive.

Yours in service

Dameon and Leonie
Baron and Baroness of Aneala



Meet Your Officers!

You may recognise your new List Keeper ...

What is your full SCA name, and how do you pronounce it?

Branwen of Werchesvorde. Pronunciation: Branwen of Ver/ches/forde

How long have you been involved in the SCA? How long have you been involved in the Barony?

I have been in the SCA for 27 years, the Barony for 10.

Tell us a bit about your persona.

A scribe from Northumbria England 13th Century.

What (or who) inspires you?

Kilic.

What do you enjoy most about the Society?

Arts & Sciences and those who serve.

Have you been to any other Kingdoms? Where's the farthest you've travelled?

Yes, I've been to Arizona/Atenveldt.

Favourite event to date?

Al zinge, an archery event.

What would you like to see more of in the SCA?

Competition entries.

What would you really like to try but haven't done so yet?

Glove making + 100 more.

Best memory from an event?

Being made a Court Baroness in Atenveldt.

Funniest moment you've seen/been part of?

So many that I can't talk about!

What are some of your future SCA plans?

Continuing. To keep teaching Calligraphy & Illumination



Meet Your Officers!

You should know your Captain of the Archers...

What is your full SCA name, and how do you pronounce it?
KILIC IBN SUNGUR IBN AL-KAZGANCI. Good luck with that.

How long have you been involved in the SCA? How long have you been involved in the Barony?

I have been in the SCA for 34 years, the Barony for 10.

Tell us a bit about your persona.

Turcoman nomad around the 12th century.

What (or who) inspires you?

Mistress Branwen of Werchesvorde.

Are you, or have you ever been, part of a household?

2 Households (Chronicler Note: Both alike in dignity?) - Januskeep + Al-Zinj

What do you enjoy most about the Society?

The ability to do different things.

What would you like to see more of in the SCA?

Authenticity.

What would you really like to try but haven't done so yet?

Experiments with period war machines - torpedo, flame thrower.

Best memory from an event?

Festival when we had 23 combat archers on one side.

Do you have a "no joke, there I was" story?

Proof that dolphin torches do keep going - at an early Festival a torch fell into a pit toilet and kept shining up through the hole.

What are some of your future SCA plans?

More combat archery tourneys, more archery experiments. Move my persona back to the 10th century. Promote combat archery to assist & encourage people to make armour. More period archery games.



Upcoming Events

Autumn Gathering

Friday 22nd of April - Monday 25th of April

Autumn Gathering once again returns!

Autumn Gathering is an event that brings together the diverse SCA groups in Western Australia for a long weekend of camping, community and fun.

The event will be held at Ern Halliday Recreation Camp in the northern suburb of Hillarys and there will be camping as well as dorm accommodation available.

Arts and Sciences will have classes from expert teachers and there will be Combat held with armoured, rapier & archery tournaments over the weekend.

Further details for the event are being finalised.

Please contact Konrad Hilderbrandt at jasondodds@gmail.com with any queries.



Kingdom of Lochac A&S Competitions

May Crown II (2016) hosted by the Barony of Krae Glas, Victoria.

Jewellery - Time period 1300 to 1600 - for a man or woman. No pearls are to be used.

An embroidered illuminated letter - The design may be your own or copied. Documentation must identify your inspiration. i.e. a drawing of your original design or a photocopy (with references) of the copied letter.

A wooden item - Which may have been used in a medieval torture chamber.

Midwinter II (2016) hosted by TBA...

Leather work - An item made from leather with might be useful for a calligrapher and/or an illuminator.

From the bedroom - Any item which might have been used or worn in the medieval bedroom.

From or for a Brewer - Aside from the brew itself think of seals, serving, ingredients, measures, labels, containers, stoppers, etc.

For more information, please refer to the Lochac A&S website
www.lochac.sca.org/artsandsciences

Entries for interstate events need to be sent at least 2 weeks prior to be received for judging.



Regular Activities

Baronial Council Meeting

3rd Friday of the month, 7:00pm arrival for a 7:30pm start

Contact Gwyneth: seneschal@aneala.lochac.sca.org

Scribes Calligraphy & Illumination

SCA sign in required

Contact Mistress Branwen for session times.

Contact Branwen: bakerskeep@antiferus.net

Music and Singing

This is not an official SCA event. Practices held twice a month. Times and venues vary and are posted on our Yahoo group

<http://launch.groups.yahoo.com/group/CeoltoiriAneala>

For more info join this group or contact Catherine: vertragis@arach.net.au

Baronial Armoured, Rapier & Archery Training

Sundays, 10am - 12pm, Lake Monger Primary School, Dodd St, Wembley

Contact Richard: marshal@aneala.lochac.sca.org

Dragon's Bay Training

Sundays from 8:30am, Casuarina Wellard Community Hall, corner of Mortimer Rd and Barker Rd Casuarina - 2km from the freeway at the Mortimer Rd exit.

College of St. Basil Armoured & Rapier Training

Wednesday (Armoured) & Thursday (Rapier) 5pm to 7pm, Oak Lawn, UWA

Abertridwr Armoured, Archery Training & Arts & Sciences

Sundays, 1pm at Wandu Progress Association Hall, De Haer Rd, Wandu

Contact Konrad: jasondodds@gmail.com



Local Lochac Guild Contacts

Guild of the Silver Rondel

The dance guild in the Kingdom of Lochac which encourages pre 17th century dancing, holds competitions and also holds the Bal d'Argent, which is the social dance event of the year.

Contact Mistress Catherine: vertragis@arach.net.au

Royal Fibre Guild of Lochac

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, cord makers, felters, knitters, njalbinders and lace makers.

Contact Lady Elizabeth: nancy_e_white@yahoo.com.au

Royal Guild of Defence

Researching and teaching of the period martial arts of Europe, as detailed in the various extant fencing and wrestling manuals.

Contact Baron Dameon: aneala@aneala.lochac.sca.org

Worshipful Company of Broiderers

The aim of the Company is to advance the study and practice of pre-1600 AD European needlework in Lochac and in the Known World.

Contact Baroness Leonie: aneala@aneala.lochac.sca.org



Online Resources & Group Websites

Barony of Aneala (Perth, WA)	aneala.lochac.sca.org
Canton of Dragons Bay	lochac.sca.org/dragonsbay
Incipient Canton of Vallon d'Or (Balingup)	valondor.webs.com
College of St Basil the Great (UWA)	sca.org.au/basil
Shire of Abertridwr (South of Perth, WA)	abertridwr.org
Kingdom of Lochac (Australia & New Zealand)	lochac.sca.org
SCA Corporate (Australia)	sca.org.au
SCA Corporate (World-wide)	sca.org

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