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August 2010 A.S. XLV
Official Newsletter of the Barony of Loch Salann

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Knot Work -- By Lady Halla Brandsdottir



A Few Words from the Baron and Baroness

Peace Pervades the Land!

Good fortune smiles upon our fair lands, and yet again peace has been restored. Though great struggle was seen at Barons' War, it was late discovered that the true cause of our turmoil was once again brought on by the Ovis Perturbo. Will these flossy denizens of ill repute ever stop causing turmoil between the Loch and our dear friends and cousins to the north? Vigilance is required by all. Regardless of the cause, the event was great fun. We wish to thank all who came and especially those who organized this fun-filled and somewhat irreverent affair.

But there is still more fun and challenge in our warm season. Our dear and everlasting friends in Gryphon's Lair will be hosting Midge Marsh soon. We do hope you can join us. The fighting, shooting and throwing are always of the very best caliber.

We will also be travelling south to the very fine (and fertile) Province of Arrow's Flight. The Crown Prince and Princess have asked to arrange a special affair for Their Majesties, may Their reign last forever!

As mentioned in a previous missive, our ancient and honorable Barony will be putting on a new event this year. The Bavarians of our assembly have asked to put on Lochtoberfest. Sausages, potables of a grain-based variety, games, music and dance! Who could ask for anything more?

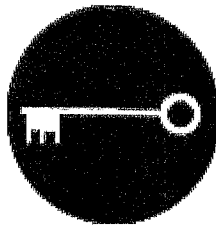
Harvest will be upon us soon. May you all enjoy the temperate days until that time.

Your Servants

Ryrd
Baron



Anna
Baroness

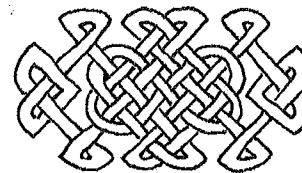
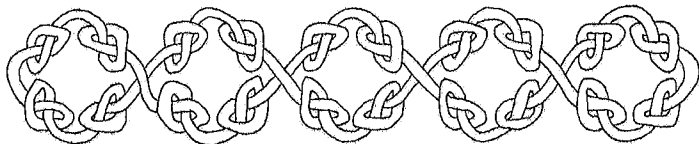


Greeting unto the Populace of the most ancient and glorious Barony of Loch Salann, here are the words of your Deputy Seneschal, Greetings.

As stories of a plague to the south continued to swirl, the army of Gryphon's lair and its allies marched in an attempt to stop the spread northward. While in the south, despite an unusual number of sightings of plague rats, there were no signs of a plague among the people. The army of Loch Salann took great offence to presence of such a large force so close to their borders. A great Barons War erupted and there was a great crashing of the weapons of war. The artists and scientist showed their creativity in camouflaging items in plain site, and those who are proficient at throwing weapons showed their skill. The Heavy and Rapier fighters met for glorious battle. In the end, through the great detective work of the Baronesses of Loch Salann and Gryphon's Lair, it was found that the culprit was a sheep in rats clothing! Will those Immoral Ovine stop at nothing in their attempts to cause strife between our two baronies? Once the ruse was reveled, their Excellencies swore an oath of peace and friendship that shall last forever.

The first Loch Salann Lochtoberfest is just two months away. We will be having a Brewing A&S competition, with the winner to be names as the Lochtoberfest Brewmiester. Bring your best sausage to enter the "Best of the Wurst" A&S competition. We will also have lots of other fun and games and a meal of Sausage and Cheeses created by Dame Hilde.

We have been successful in recruiting a Youth Officer, Bev Turner, who has submitted her paperwork to the Kingdom Youth Officer. We also have a possible Youth Combat officer who will be working as a Deputy Youth Officer for the time being. We have also received a Letter of Intent from Lady Zafirah Tahreer as a deputy Minster of Arts and Science, with the intention of filling the position in December when Lady Jennet steps down. As we now have all of our offices filled, we are now on the lookout for deputies for most positions. If you have been interested in the workings of our baronial officer corp. but are worried about the needs of holding an office, a Deputy position is a perfect way to get your feet wet. Contact Lord Bjorn, Lord Dunkr, or the current officer for more information on any of the deputy positions you are interested in.



We continue to hold fighter practice on Wednesday nights starting at 6:00 pm at Sugarhouse Park and archery / thrown weapons practice on Thursdays at 6:00 pm at our summer practice site in West Jordan.

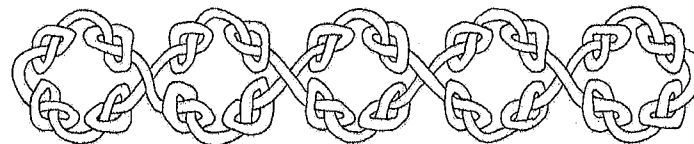
Yours in Service to the Dream,
Lord Dunkr Ormrhandleggr, GHA
Deputy Seneschal for the Barony of Loch Salann

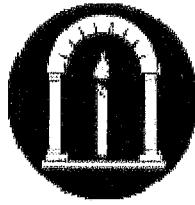


Please Welcome our newest Officer:

Youth Officer:
Bev Turner

Vivat!





~Greetings from the MoAS ~

As we prepare for **Baron's War** this weekend, all are prepared to win the war points for fighting, rapier, A & S, Thrown Weapons, etc. I am glad to announce that at Forum, July 20, Lady Zafirah was approved as my deputy. Her first duties were to arrange the classes for Baron's War. A big **Vivat** for her efforts in this endeavor.

Baron's War will feature a competition for the best camping cooler which appears Period and is made around a Styrofoam container. Thus, we improve camp appearance while encouraging recycling. The entries will be submitted on Saturday, July 24th, and must have minimum documentation, i.e., Kittens.

Lochtober Fest, September 25th, will feature many opportunities for gentles to participate in A&S activities, like sausage making and brewing. Stay tuned for further information.

A & S Night s will be informal gatherings until September, due to mundane affairs of the populace during this busy time. We hope to have an exciting opening September 17th, as we resume our Third Friday schedule.

Bardic night is scheduled for the first Sunday of the month and is hosted by Lady Amanda de Spencer at her home. These events have been suspended for the summer.

Needleworkers Guild will meet again in the fall. In addition, Lady Oonaugh is holding sewing lessons at her home, which have been well attended and very rewarding for those learning new skills and making camping garb.

Cooks' Guild meets on the 4th Tuesday of the month, and will meet July 27th. Baroness Casamira is in charge of this monthly event.

The **Loch Salann Musician's Guild** provides wonderful music for our events. Meetings are conducted Thursdays from 7:15 to 9:00 p.m. and are in recess for the summer. Please contact Mistress Anne (801-466-7300) for the location of the meetings in the fall and any additional information.



Brewers Guild will announce the next meeting. They try to meet quarterly.

Dancing and Drumming Guild, led by Lady Zafirah Tahreer Bint Al Riyah will resume practice in the fall. Keep your eyes posted for the announcement coming soon.

Gardening Guild, led by Mistress Constance and Mistress Jerlyn, established a Yahoo Groups site and has been very busy. The "flavor" of the month, the herb Dill, is very popular for summer fare and favorite recipes were shared by the group. July 18th, where members made plans for the upcoming months. Look for the month's favorite herb on the web site.

As I endeavor to serve you, please let me know of any other guilds or groups holding meetings. Also, if you have talents to share, please let me know as we set up the programs for the New Year. I am relying on each of you to support, assist, and inspire me. What would you like to learn?

Yours in Service,

Lady Jennet Moir de Brechin
MOAS, BLS

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As follow up to Baron's War, I would like to congratulate Leonora De Cost for winning entry in the A & S competition. Her ice chest was wonderful! I would also like to thank Talanesia for teaching a drum class and beginning middle eastern dance class, THL Bethoc for her Tangram Puzzle class, and THL Jehanne for her class on Equestrian 101. And thank you to everyone who attended Baron's War! I had a wonderful time Autocrafting and I hope everyone who came had as good of a time as me.

Best regards,
Lady Zafirah, Deputy Minister of Arts and Sciences





Midge Marsh Melee

Barony of Gryphon's Lair
August 12 - 14, 2010
Stoddard, Utah

Hear the call of the horns!!! Once again war comes to the marsh and Their Excellencies Aaron and Elizabeth invite one and all to take the field

Warriors, come brave the maze of thorns. Archers, ready your bows and hunt dangerous game through the forest. For those who prefer gentler pursuits come and while away a spring day enjoying the hospitality of the Barony of Gryphon's Lair

The site for Midge Marsh is the Mount Ogden Archery Range in Stoddard, Utah.

Directions:

Take your best rout to I-84

On I-15 from the north; exit 340 to Cheyenne.

From the south: exit 339 to Riverdale and follow the signs to I-84.

Follow I-84 15 miles to exit 96 Petterson and Stoddard. Follow the signs to Stoddard, site is only a half mile up the road



Site Fees:

\$12 Adult / \$8 youth (14 and under) / \$45 family cap for camping

\$8 Adult / \$4 youth / \$25 family cap for day trippers

\$5 non-member surcharge applies to all fees

Site has potable water, flush toilets, and is pet friendly provided they are leashed and cleaned up after. Above ground fires only please, although there is a fire pit on site that will be blazing during the night for all to enjoy.

Merchants welcome as always.

Event Steward
Math the Fish
(801) 589-3129



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4 Fight Practice 6 PM	5 Archery Practice Musicians' Guild	6	7
8	9	10	11 Fight Practice 6 PM	12 Archery Practice Musicians' Guild	13 Midge Marsh Melee Gryphon's Lair	14 Midge Marsh Contin...
15 Midge Marsh Ends	16	17	18 Fight Practice 6 PM	19 Archery Practice Musicians' Guild	20	21 Hearthwarming Twae Linnes
22	23	24 Baronial Forum 7 PM	25 Fight Practice 6 PM A&S Night	26 Whipping Winds VII Windgate	27 Whipping Winds Contin...	28 Whipping Winds Contin...
29 Whipping Winds Ends	30	31 Cooks' Guild			September Events: 4-Coronation 10-Insurrection Arrow's Flight 17-Harvest War Cote du Clel 25-Lochtober Fest Loch Salann	October Events: 2-Crown Tourney TBD 16-Arts and Science Gryphon's Lair



Whipping Winds VII

Shire of Windegate
August 26 -29, 2010

The Shire of Windegate invites one and all to gather for Whipping Winds VII, August 26 -29 at Williamson Park outside Shelby, Montana. Our site will provide ample shade and a break from the wind being located amongst the cottonwoods along the banks of the Marias River. The weekend will be filled with classes, archery, and armored Combat all culminating in our pig roast feast on Saturday evening. Merchants are welcome and we ask but a small donation to our auction to be held during Mid-May.

After the last six years we are now tied, three wins and three losses for each side. This year is the TIE BREAKER!!! For several years the gale forces blew in from the south, issuing from the lands of Artemisia and decimated the forces of Avacal. A call is issued to all fighters, heavy and rapier, and unto all the archers of our kingdom to defend our northern border from yet another onslaught of these dreaded foe and dear friends. Archers will have the opportunity to 'reduce' the number of heavy combatants by participating in our legendary clout shoot. You do not have to be a combat archer to take part; just have your period archery gear in hand.

The Site will open 10:00am on Thursday August 26, 2010 and closes at 4:00pm Sunday August 29, 2010. Site fee is \$20.00 per adult, children 10 and under \$10.00. Family cap is \$50.00. All non-SCA members will be required to pay the \$3.00 nonmember surcharge for each nonmember.

Feast Fee is \$12.00 per adult, children 10 and under \$6.00. Family cap for feast is \$35.00.

Feast is limited to 150.

Make checks payable to The Shire of Windegate.

The Marias River passes along the edge of the site property which will offer wading or swimming (don't forget your suit) if the temperature is warm. Parents are asked to keep watch over your smalls. Children's activities are planned. Site has two playgrounds for the young or young at heart.



Directions: Take the best route to interstate 15. Take exit 358 and follow the road south 1 mile to the Williamson park exit on the left (east) side of the road. Signs will be posted to guide all travelers. If you cross the river you have gone too far. Shelby is 7 miles to the north of the site and has motels, food and grocery stores, but specialty items may be hard to find. Plan ahead. The site is wet, but please use period containers. Water will be available on site, sorry, no pets are allowed.

For our Techno Friends the GPS thingy is: 48 25' 31.90" N, 111 52' 33.44" W

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(Terrell Cotterell)

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Feast Steward

m'lady Sybil the daft

(Dotty Marcucci)

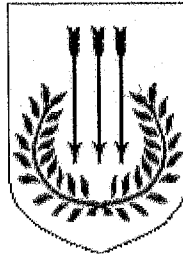
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Coronation

Province of Arrows Flight
September 3-6, 2010



Their Royal Highnesses Timmur and
Saige invite one and all to attend an

extravagant tournament in honor of the 6-month anniversary of the coronation of Their Royal Majesties Daman and Veronique; may Their reign last forever! Bring your banners, armor, archery gear, and best tourney dress and rejoice in a successful summer season and approaching good harvest with our Royal Heirs!

Schedule of Events

(Subject to change at the whim of the Crown and the vagaries of the fates)

Saturday

9:00	List open for Rapier Champion and Gryphon's Prize Tourney
11:00	Final court of TRM Daman and Veronique
1:00-5:00	Archery Competition
1:00-3:00	Rapier Champion
3:00-5:00	Gryphon's Prize Tourney
5:00-7:00	Dinner Break
7:00	Coronation of Timmur and Saige
9:00	Party!™ in the Kingdom Pavilion

Sunday

9:00	List open for King's and Queen's Champion Tourneys
11:00-1:00	King's Champion
11:30	Thrown Weapons
2:00-4:00	Queen's Champion
5:00	Court

Gryphon's Prize Tourney

Join Their Highnesses in celebrating the venerable art of the tourney. This tourney is open to all authorized fighters. All individuals, households, and/or groups are encouraged to bring favors, tokens, prizes, or gifts to bestow upon those gentles exhibiting the characteristic or behavior that most exemplifies the ideals of our society. Whether it is a matter of chivalry, a display of honor, best heraldic display, best death, or "looking pretty," this is your opportunity to recognize what you like to see in tourneys.

Kingdom Fundraiser

There will be a limited number of handcrafted pearl earrings available for a suggested \$3 donation to the kingdom. Gift them to the one who inspires you, use them as rewards in the Prize Tourney, donate them as largesse, or save them for a rainy day.

Other Activities

It's Arrows Flight; there will be youth activities and youth combat. There are rumors of a war elephant...

Site

The site is Willow Park in Lehi, Utah. Site opens at 2:00pm on Friday, September 3, and closes Monday, September 6, at 11:00am. There is running water, plenty of trees to camp in, covered pavilions, and a playground. There is space for RVs, but please contact the autocrat ahead of time. Pets are welcome with responsible owners. As a public park, this is a dry site. Quiet hours are enforced after 11:00pm. Fires in existing firepits only.

For those not wishing to sleep outdoors, a list of area hotels is available on www.arrows-flight.org/events.

Site Fees

Weekend Rates: Adults \$16/weekend, children 6-15 \$8/weekend, family cap of \$48/weekend, no charge for children younger than 6.

Daily Rates: Adults \$10/day, children 6-15 \$5/day, family cap of \$30/day, no charge for children younger than 6.

All applicable non-member surcharges apply (\$5/adult fee).

Make checks payable to: SCA Inc., Arrows Flight.

Directions

Willow Park, 9800 West 8570 North, Lehi, Utah. Take your best route to I-15 Exit 279 and go West on Main Street. Follow Main Street until you reach Willow Park Road (about 2-1/2 miles). Turn Right (north). Stay on Willow Park Road until it ends at 8800 North. Turn left at the entrance of Willow Park.

Autocrat

Dame Kadrina Tanskalainen

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Harvest War

Shire of Cote du Ciel
September 17 - 19, 2010

The Shire of Cote du Ciel invites you to join us, once again, as we celebrate this year's bountiful harvest!

Join us for Heavy and Rapier scenarios, archery, A&S competitions and classes, youth combat, wench races, haflas and more!!!

Site: Box Elder Campground, Manta, UT 84324

Site Opens: Friday, September 17 at 10:00 AM

Site Closes: Sunday, September 19 at 3:00 PM

Site is wet, pets are welcome and we apologize that showers will be unavailable.

Merchants are welcome, for more information please contact the Autocrat.



Site fee:

Camping

\$15 Adults/\$7 Youth 11-17/\$5 Children 6-11

Children under 6 yrs are free.

Non-members fees apply. Family Cap: \$44

Day Trip

\$10 Adults/\$5 Youth 11-17/\$3 Children 6-11

Directions: From interstate 15/84 take exit 362 (1100 S. Brigham City).

Head East on Highway 89/91 for

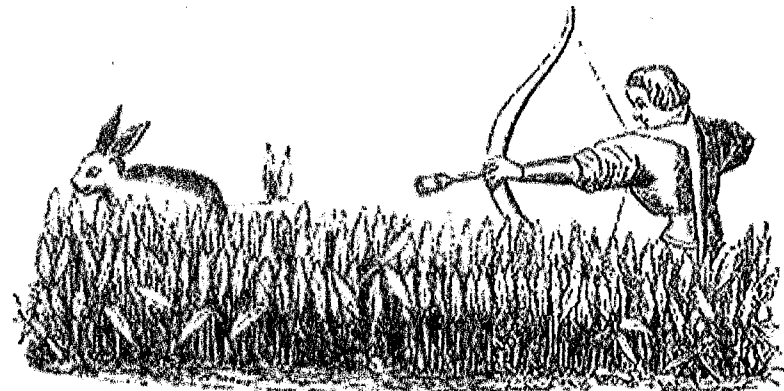
5.5 mi. following signs for Mantua/Box Elder Campgrounds.

If there are any questions please contact the Autocrat:

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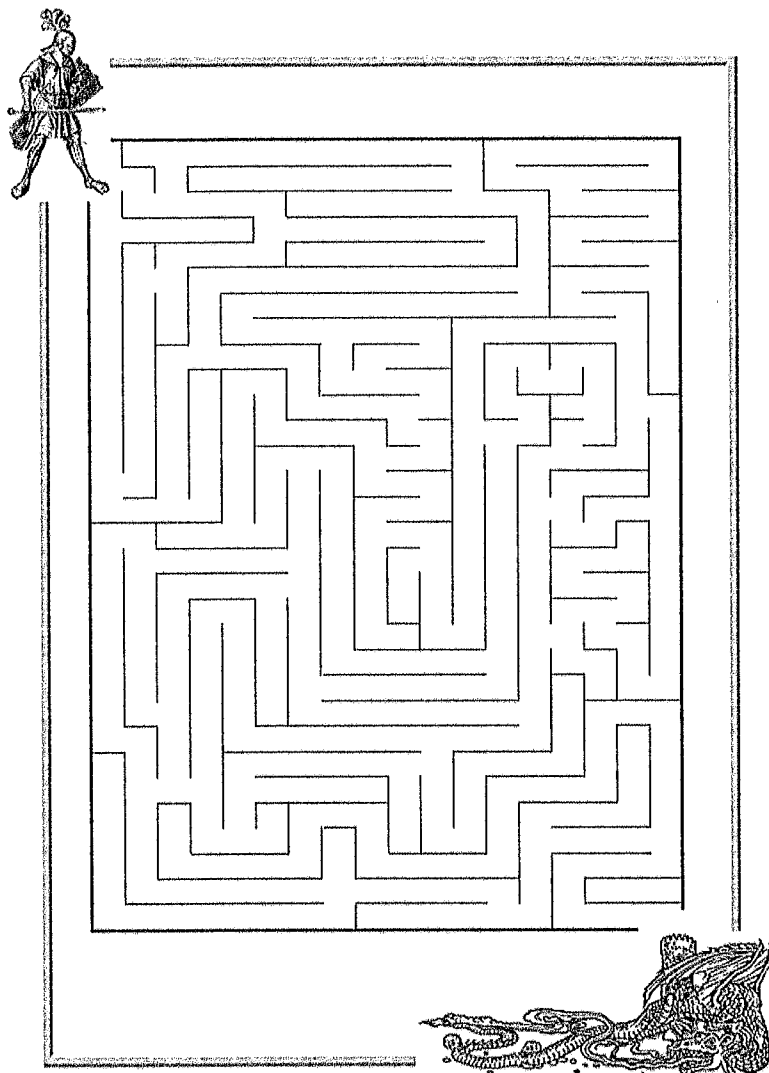
719-337-2820 Please no calls before 10:00 AM



KID'S KÖRNER

DRAGON MAZE BY LADY ZAFIRAH

Can you help the knight reach the dragon before it devours the entire kingdom?



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