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St. Denis, France, circa 1145

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Casamira's Corner

The Pun is Mightier Than the Sword!

Waiting in the long restroom lines at the Loo, many women with small bladders have trouble minding their pees in queues.

By: Mistress Casamira Jawjalny, OL, OP, GA





Message from the Baron and Baroness

Unto the Most Ancient Barony of Loch Salann do We, Dunkr and Oonaugh, send greetings!

January flew by so quickly, and Talon and Crescent is only a couple of weeks away. We were pleased to be able to spend the day with our good cousins of Gryphon's lair at their celebration of 12th night, where Her Excellency Oonaugh and His Grace Timmur were awarded Gryphon and Pheon's by Their Majesties for their skill in Archery.

The first of our many monthly workshops was held at the estate of His Excellency Ryryd in January, where we repaired pieces of the baronial loaner gear and taught a new player (and a couple more experienced players) some critical skills in armor building and repair. Watch for Lady Cliodhna to post info on February's workshop soon.

We were please to host the Newcomers and Awardees ceremony at our estate, recognizing 49 members and friends of the Barony who received 60 awards in the past year, as well as welcoming a handful of newcomers into the Barony. We are very grateful of Baron Morgan for organizing the evening and sending out the invites to our guests of honor.

As previously mentioned, we will be traveling to Caid in the coming weeks to attend the Talon and Crescent Festival, and look forward to seeing many of you down there!

Shortly after this, we will be traveling to Arn Hold to celebrate the Six Month Anniversary Party of TRM Raven and Sajah, and if history repeats itself (as it has thirty-two times before) honor Konrad and Kortland as they step up as King and Queen of glorious Artemisia.

Following this, Duchess Saige is planning our Defenders Tournament, held at 5929 South 900 East Murray, UT. Defenders is one of the best events to introduce people to the SCA because it has a good variety of the activities we do on display. If you have been contemplating inviting someone to join in on our fun, I highly encourage you to bring them. In addition to the traditional tournaments and championships, we are asking everyone to think of their first memories in the SCA, or greatest memories of the SCA. We will have a number of books onsite to record these memories for posterity's sake.

While many of our officers are new, or have only been in place for a short period of time, our good Knight Marshal is reaching the end of his warrant. I would ask that if you are interested in the office that you contact THL Markos.

Spring brings a flurry of events and activities, and we look forward to seeing you all!

***Dunkr Ormrhandleggr & Oonaugh Inghean
Glaisne - Baron and Baroness of Loch-Salann***



SENESCHAL

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

Winter has truly shown her ugly head as of late. I hope all is well with the populace throughout the Barony as well as our neighbors all around us. The Barony has seen a lot of changes in our officers. I want to once again say thank you to all of those who served the Barony this past year and let you know how much your time and efforts were greatly appreciated as well as needed. I would like to welcome Lord Heinrich as my new Deputy Seneschal. I look forward to working with him and learning from him as well.

The Barony is excepting bids for the following offices:

- Knight Marshall
- Quartermaster

There are also offices in need of a deputy, so if you have ever wondered what it was like behind the scenes, this is your chance to test the waters and see if you like this side of things.

Talon and Crescent is February 14th and I wish safe travels to our Baron & Baroness as they and other members of the Barony journey to our cousins to the West. I await the many tales of adventure and prowess that will be told by those who went.

Defender's Tourney is coming up March 8th and we will be at a new site. This site has great potential to becoming

a regular 'awesome' site with the allowances of real candles and being a wet site. I ask each and everyone one of us to please respect this site and what it represents to the members of the church and to us as well.

Keep warm and safe!

Respectfully In Service to the Dream,

- Baroness Sheelaegh mac Cathail
Seneschal – Barony of loch Salann



Barony Workshops



Greetings unto the populace of Loch Salann!

Thank you everyone for making the first workshop of the year a success! The Baronial heavy fighting loaner gear is in great shape thanks to many helping hands, and there was a lot learned by all who attended!

I am so excited to announce what we have in store for February! We will be having a “How To Autocrat An Event” workshop! Have you ever wondered how all those wonderful events that you go to get put together? What goes on behind the scenes? And how does the autocrat know what to do? Thought about volunteering to be an autocrat, but you weren’t sure where to start? Come and learn all about how it happens and how YOU can step up and successfully run an event yourself!

This workshop will be held on Saturday February 22nd from 1 – 3 pm and will be hosted and taught by Lady Aingeal at her home 1137 W Athleen Drive (7230 S) West Jordan, Utah.

What a great opportunity for those who have yet to autocrat an event, and for those who would like more knowledge before autocrating again. We would also highly encourage those experienced with autocrating events to come and share your knowledge as well.

I hope to see you all there!

And as always, if there is something you would like to see happening in the workshops, or you would like to host or put on a workshop, please send me a message, lochsallannworkshops@gmail.com I would love to hear from you!

Yours In Service To The Dream Always,

Lady Cliodhna Ui Fearadhaigh

Defenders Tournament

Every year, the most August Barony of Loch Salann must defend their borders against the vile saline swilling shrimp who once again is threatening our Barony. We urgently call forth all those willing to assist in defeating the Disgusting Daemon Decapod who thinks to usurp our lands and people. Whether you are an artisan, a bard, a rapier fighter or a heavy combat fighter- we need your skills!

As in past years, we will be holding tournaments to determine the best defender of our Barony in rapier, heavy fighting, bardic or arts and sciences. Don Giovanni and Count Rafe will be holding the fighting tournaments as befits last year's Champions.

Our baronial Arts and Sciences Minister, Tomás Álvaro Calderón, will conduct the competition to determine the Baronial A&S Champion as well as Baron's Choice, Baroness' Choice and People's Choice. To compete for Baronial Arts and Sciences Champion, Participants must submit 3 items from at least two of the three grand categories of arts and sciences. The documentation requirement is a 3-5 page (including pictures) summary to be submitted no later than February 28. The summary will be distributed to the judges beforehand to prepare them for the displays. Artisans not wishing to compete for Champion are encouraged to also submit entries to receive feedback on their work and to show their new skills.

Our newly invested Baron Dunkr and his lovely Baroness Oonaugh would love to be regaled with your stories. Be thinking now of stories of past events or your greatest moments in the SCA so you can write them in the books that will be provided on site.

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Find out more by visiting: <http://www.loch-salann.org/blog/events/defenders-tournament-2014/>

Youth Corner

We will be having our monthly youth activity at the Hunter Library located at 4740 West 4100 South in West Valley. We will be talking about why service is important in the SCA and either planting a plant or decorating a mask. We will also be talking about upcoming activities and events and what our youth would like to do. If you have ideas or suggestions, please bring them with you. If you will be able to attend or have any questions, please contact Lady Arianna at youth@loch-salann.org or at 801-897-7412. We hope to see you all there!

The Daemon Decapod is threatening the Barony of Loch Salann!! We need our Youth to come and help defend against this dreaded daemon. Will our youth help us defend our beautiful and glorious lands against this dreaded creature? If so please come join us at Defender's Tourney on March 8th, we will be having a tourney to find our Youth Champion that will lead our youth in the battle against the dreaded Daemon Decapod. please be sure to bring your equipment so you may compete.

Don't have equipment ? Not a problem, we will have some loaner equipment on hand, but we will also be having doing a class where you can make your own foam weapon. We are encouraging a \$3 donation for the class since supplies to make your foam weapons will be provided. If you are interested in the class or helping with the Tourney at the event or the class, please contact Lady Arianna at youth@loch-salann.org or 801-897-7412. We look forward to seeing our brave and courageous youth to help us defeat this daemond once agian!



ARCHERY

We are now shooting at our indoor range located at Salt Lake Archery in the Sugarhouse Park area, 1130 Wilmington Avenue, Salt Lake City, Utah 84106, (801-486-8242) (Cost is \$6 each session).

Check out the Loch Salann Archery facebook page for updates and weekly shoot information at: <http://www.loch-salann.org/blog/activities/archery-practice/> or <https://www.facebook.com/groups/258853954213137>. You can contact Lady Aingeal, Captain of the Archers at 801-633-8908 or by email at aegthelionswife@gmail.com.

ARTS & SCIENCES

More information will be posted on the Baronial Facebook page and the Loch-Salann.org website. Contact information for Tomás Álvaro Calderón by email at tomascalderon.sca@gmail.com.

BARONIAL BARDIC CIRCLE

The Bardic Circle will be holding monthly meetings on the 4th Sunday of each month at the home of HE Amanda de Spencer. Contact Robin de Spencer for additional information 801-520-5481 (no calls after 9 please).

BREWER'S GUILD

The Brewer's Guild will hold meetings approximately every six weeks. Announcements will be made on Facebook pages and on the Baronial Website. The meetings will be held on Friday evenings and will be at the home of HE Ryryd or HL Dunkr. For more information please contact HE Ryryd ap Gwerstan by email rcfaevans@comcast.net or by phone 801-706-0075 (no calls after 8, please).

COOK'S GUILD

Additional information will be posted on the facebook pages for Loch Salann and Loch Salann Arts & Sciences, plus on the Loch Salann baronial website. Please contact Mistress Casamira by email at jeannecas@gmail.com or by phone 801-572-6458 (speak to the Machine) if you have questions.

FIGHTER PRACTICE

Fighter Practice is held every Wednesday from 7:00 p.m. until approximately 9:00 p.m. We are now at our Winter location in the warehouse of the Zions bank building located at 1635 S Redwood Road. The entrance is located behind the bank (next to the drive through). Please do not block the ATM and car pool if possible (parking is somewhat limited close to the building). Loaner gear is available. If you have questions, contact the Knight Marshall, Markos Armenios by email at markwandrews@comcast.net or by phone at 801-673-9558 (no calls after 9, please).

GARDENING GUILD

The Gardening Guild will be meeting on Sundays in the upcoming months. Information will be posted for upcoming meetings, but please feel free to contact the Guild Leader for additional information.

Contact information for Mistress Leah, email: holdtyte1@aol.com

MIDDLE EASTERN DANCE AND DRUMMER'S GUILD

The Dance and Drummer's Guild is currently on hiatus. Once it starts up again, Lady Zafirah will post dates and times for meetings, but please feel free to contact her if you have questions. Contact Lady Zafirah: 801-971-2308 or zemlar@hotmail.com for additional information or changes.

MUSICIAN'S GUILD

The Musician's Guild continues to meet on Thursday evenings at either the home of Mistress Anne de Junius, or Mistress Mary Amanda. For question about your instrument or the activities of the guild, please contact Mistress Anne. If you can't meet for practice, your musical talents are still most welcome at events. Contacts: Mistress Anne de Junius -- (801) 466-7300

NEEDLEWORKER'S GUILD

Needleworker's Guild is cancelled for the month of February.

The Needleworkers' Guild will meet on the 2nd Tuesday and the 4th Thursday of the month at the home of THL Bethoc. Contact THL Bethoc by email at leishman10@msn.com or by phone 801-322-4984 for more information. If you are interested in embroidery and needlework, this is a wonderful place to learn, talk to other people about projects and spend some time perfecting your needlework skills. Anyone interested in the Needleworker's Guild may visit our blog at: <http://blsng.wordpress.com/>

THROWN WEAPONS

Thrown Weapons is now being held on Tuesday nights at Lady Amhran's Keep in West Jordan at 2315 w 7625 s. If you have questions, contact Lord Rashied al Wahiel by email at Mtm021053@aol.com or by phone at 801-243-4663.

SOUTHERN PEWTER CASTER'S GUILD

Southern Pewter Caster's Guild currently meets on the 2nd Tuesday and 4th Monday at the home of THL Oonaugh Please contact her for additional information 801-898-7829.

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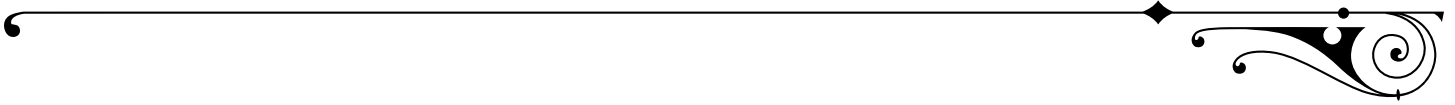
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Out of respect for all of our officers, Please, no phone calls after 9:00 p.m. - Thank you!



Submissions are not only welcome, they are encouraged! Be a part of the newsletter, reach the people, share your knowledge and wisdom.

Please send all submissions to the Chronicler Lord Jevan Arthgen de Berwyn at foilrose7@gmail.com. Please include Questing Quill in the subject line. Submissions must be received by the 27th of each month to guarantee they will appear in the following month's issue.

