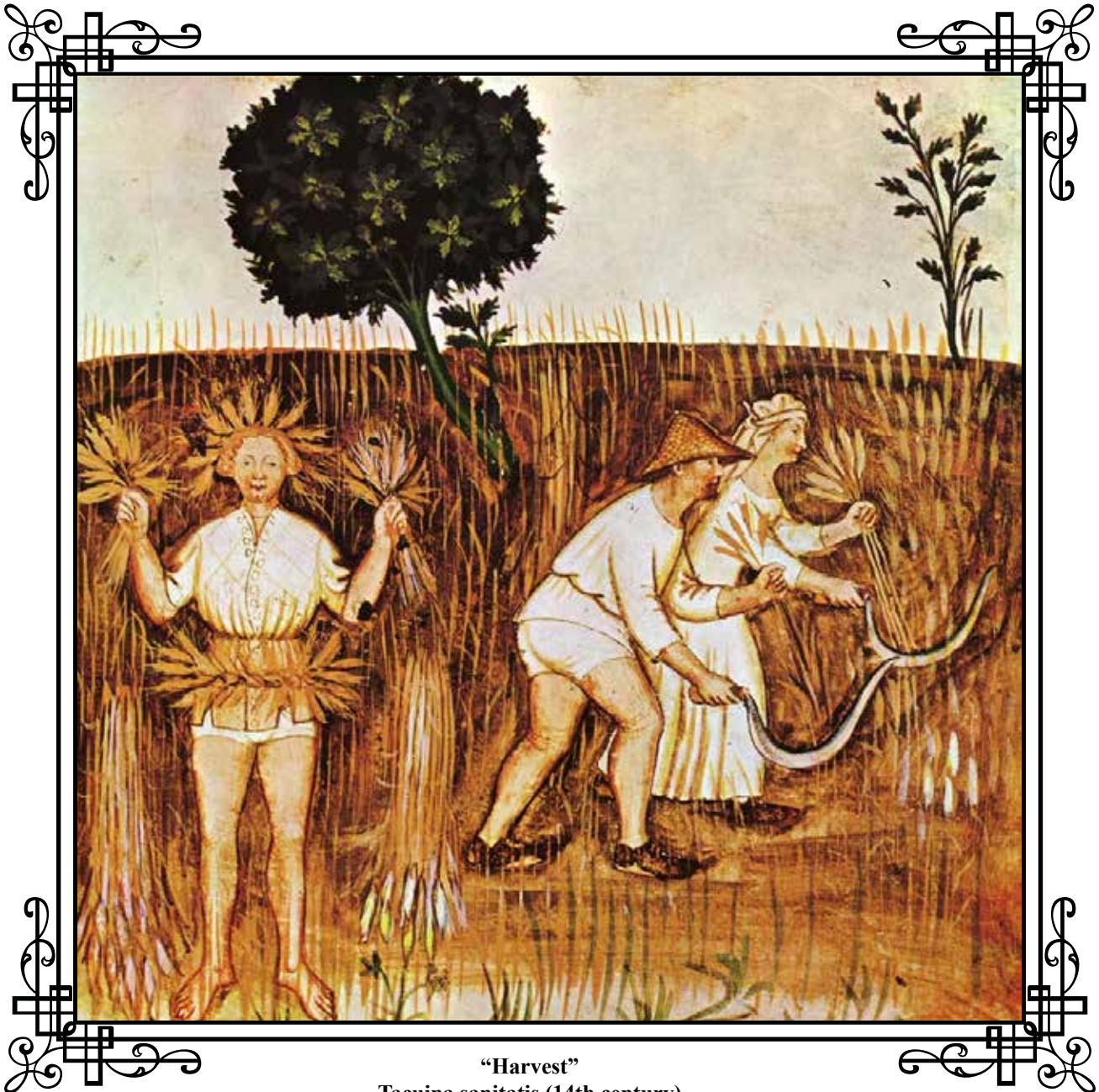


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Casamira's Corner

The Pun is Mightier Than the Sword!

A castle had to have a new ditch dug around it. It was in a really re-moat location. When the head of the consulting team suggested that the canal around the castle be filled up with cement, he was demoted.

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!

Peace once again settles on the lands of Southern Artemisia. The lands of Loch Salann and Gryphon's Lair are once again at peace, a peace that will last forever. We want to thank those who helped us in the defense of our lands and aided us with the donations to the Baronial treasury. While the Kingdom seems calm, rumors of unrest come from the Southern watch of a force massing in Caid, and they seem prepared for War.

Following the events of the War, Her Excellency found herself in 1000 eyes for Sir Prize, where she enjoyed a day with our good cousins in the Peacock lands and after that I spent a damp but fun weekend at Whipping Winds.

This past weekend was spent a little closer to home in the Shire of Otherhill, where we bore witness to the Coronation of TRM Timmur and Sorcha. May they enjoy a wonderful reign!

Coming In September, we have a trip to the Shire of Cote du Ciel for the annual celebration of the harvest, Harvest War!!! This year's Harvest War will have a Loctoberfest Party put together by Lady Sabine on Saturday night. Come enjoy Cata-pong, Viking Drag Races, and the Brewmeister competition!

While September 27th doesn't have an event on the calendar, there are plenty of opportunities to enjoy and share the current middle ages. We will have a Demo at the Farmers Market in Downtown Salt Lake. If you are interested in participating in that, please contact Her Excellency Vigdis. On the same day, the Provence of Arrows Flight will be hosting a Demo at the Ren Faire at Thanksgiving point. We are hoping to be able to provide fighters, artisans and others who enjoy introducing people to our current middle ages to both demos.

Our officer corp. is stable and looking for deputies in nearly every office. If you have ever wanted to help server your Barony, taking the role as a deputy is a great way to learn how!

We look forward to seeing you all at more events this Fall!

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



SENESCHAL

Unto the great barony of Loch Salann do I, Baroness Sheelaegh, send greetings. By the time you read this missive, Their Graces Konrad and Kortland will have stepped down and

Their Majesties Timmer and Sorcha will have stepped up. I would like to send a personal thank you to Their Graces for a great reign and representing our Kingdom so well and look forward to Their Majesties Timmer and Sorcha's reign.

Hopefully everyone survived the FantasyCon. I am still disappointed that I was unable to attend, but spending time with my grandson made up for it. We have a lot on our calendars for the remaining year. First, there is the Farmer's Market Demos. HE Vigdis has all the information on that and should be posting to the baronial pages soon. There is also the HogleZoolights which is set for Saturday December 6th. I will have more information to follow on that as well. Please put this day on your calendar as it is my understanding that we will be the only group at the zoo that night. The zoo will promote us and will provide us with a 30x30 pavilion, with heaters, to stage out of. This is a great opportunity to once again get our name / group out into the public.

As for events, we have Harvest War in Cote du Ciel on the 13th of September. Hopefully the barony can give a good showing of support to our cousins. There is also Crown Tournament being held in the Barony of Arn Hold on October 4th and Gryphon's Lair's Autumn Ball on October 18th.

Fighter practices are still being held at Sugarhouse Park. We have a new archery captain, Vladislav Korsakov (Joshua Stem).

We have several guilds, practices and even a bardic circle being held throughout the barony each month. Please check our baronial web page <http://www.loch-salann.org/> for more information.

With the revamping of the Chatelaine's office, the Barony is still in need of several deputy officers. If you have ever wondered what goes on behind the scenes or wanted to get involved with helping the barony to grow, this is the office for you.

Hope all is well with the populace throughout the barony and hope to see the return of everyone with the busy summer winding down.

Until next time, I am your humble servant and seneschal.

Baroness Sheelaegh mac Cathail
Seneschal – Barony of loch Salann

Loctoberfest Party

Greetings, Good Artemisians!

The noble Barony of Loch Salann would like to invite all to attend the Loctoberfest Party being held at Harvest War, **September 12-14th, 2014**, in the Shire of Cote du Ciel at the Weber County Memorial Park. Food, drink, and merriment abound as the populace competes and selects the Baronial Brewmiester! Be sure to bring your best brews for the populace to consume, as anyone is welcome to compete! However, please take care that these tasty brews stay in containers of **32oz or smaller**, per the site rules. Also, documentation of the brews is appreciated, though not required to participate.

Join us for frolicking festivities, such as:

Viking Drag Races – take on the fastest Vikings around for the silliest of sprinting in determining who will walk away with honor and glory, and who will trip to defeat. All participants are invited to adorn themselves in garb and accessories of the opposite sex that will represent the entertaining nature of Viking drag racing. Prizes will be given to the best dressed drag racer, most period drag, and to the winners of the races, with creativity being greatly encouraged!

Catapong – The historical twist on the modern drinking game! Square off behind one of two catapults, and attempt to sink a set of ping-pong balls into the opposing teams' mugs of ale. Select your team and go head-to-head against others competing for the title of Catapong Champion! Watch and participate as hilarity ensues, devastation befalls the fallen, and new cries for WAR are shouted!

Along with Viking Drag Races and Catapong, the Barony of Loch Salann will also be hosting a HarvestHafla! Join us for drumming, dancing, and drinking as the sun sets and we revel in the craft of brewing and each other's company. Any donations of alcoholic or non-alcoholic beverages for the bar are welcome, encouraged, and appreciated!

The Brewmiester Competition and accompanying activities will begin after evening court on Saturday, September 13th.

Yours In Service,

Lady Sabine Crespelle

Loctoberfest Activities Coordinator

In the early years of the Barony, before it even was a barony, many great and wonderful articles were printed in the pages of The Questing Quill. We, the Chroniclers, thought that to seek out these past articles for reprinting, would not only be enjoyable for the populace, but also could be most helpful to those who have recently joined our game. And so, from time to time, over the next few months, please enjoy the wisdom and fun that has come from our most experienced members.

Ladies of the Looking Glass Headdress Meeting 11 August 15:XXV Some miscellaneous notes by Anne de Junius



One of the most important things to remember about headdresses is that just about everyone wore them. This is particularly true for women. In northern Europe, all women over the age of 12 wore some form of headcovering. Vikings are the only exception. For unmarried women, a band of pearls, a wreath of flowers



(real or of silk or of wire and jewels) or a embroidered ribbon was considered sufficient. ¶ Figures one ① and two ② show ways to keep headdresses on the head. Ladies who have tried headdresses that hang down to their shoulders realize that these tend to fall backward. If you are having this difficulty, try either ①-pinned bands, or ②-a cap. Caps are also useful for field wear. They keep your hair in place and keep your veils from blowing away. ¶ Headdress can't cover up short, mundane hair styles very well. ¶ An interesting point that was discussed is useful for all costuming: Keep in mind the way cloth would be used. For example, if the veil you are trying to duplicate looks as if it has been made from a circle of cloth, try to get the look with a square first. Think: cloth is costly and not to be wasted (what do you do with the corners cut off) & woven fabric stretches.

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Belts & Accessories 25 August 15:XXV Ladies of the Looking Glass - Notes by Anne de Junius

Man's purse with hook to hang to belt 14th-15th cent.

Very wide belt 15th century

long belt / Knotted So it will not touch the ground early 16th cent.

Small pouch for ladies, 14th-15th Cent. probably before as well.

Pouch or purse made from a circle of cloth or leather: male & female 15th cent & 16th cent

Belt accessories German woman, middle class, late 15th early 16th century

Knife in sheath, hang vertically.

Dagger hung from belt to about knee level or lower

called "misericord" after the dagger was worn by knights worn this way by ladies

German early 16th Century female, male worn differently

Key

Throughout most of the time of the S.C.A., belts were used very much like pockets. Pouches and purses were hung on belts, as were knives, daggers, keys & scissors.

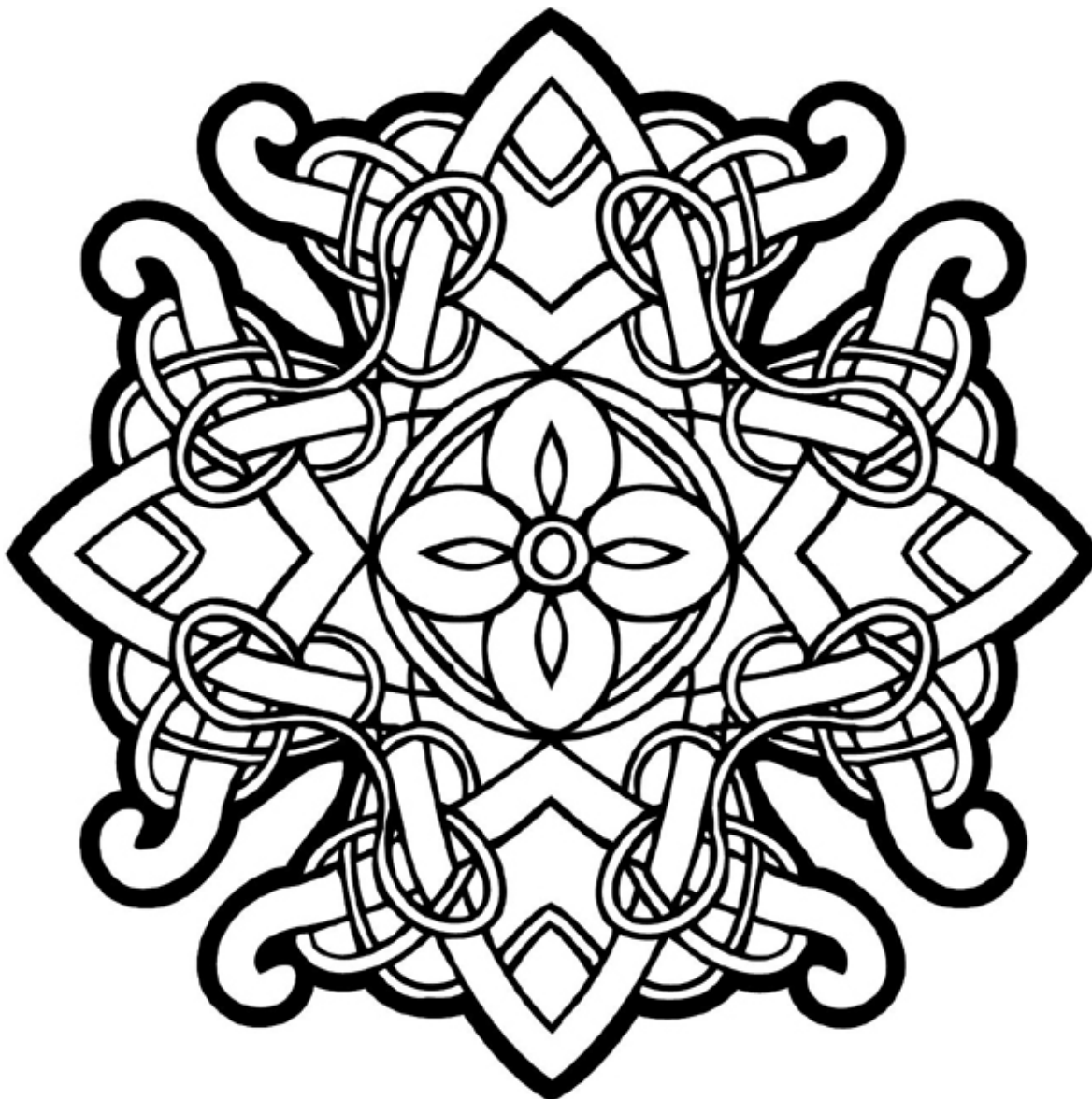
← This form of purse was often worn over the underdress, and under the over-dress. They are shown hanging down below the knee, which would make it easy to reach while wearing an over-dress, and keep the bulge from showing when worn with an overdress. These were quite small - only 2 to 2½ or 3" at the bottom - about the right size to hold fire-chariot keys. An interesting & useful purse is the one with the hook for the belt - convenient as well.

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ATTENTION YOUTH!!

We will be having our monthly youth activity on September 15th from 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm. We will be having our activity at the Taylorville Library located at 4870 South 2700 West; Salt Lake City, Utah 84129. We will be decorating small note books for the youth to take with them to events and possibly a second activity. If you will be able to attend, please contact Lady Arianna Rhosyn at **801-897-7412** or email her at youth@loch-salann.org.

Please bring your books with you so we can get them caught up and see how close you are to earning your awards. We hope to see you there!



ARCHERY

We are now shooting at our Summer Practice Range located at 13076 South Wheatfield way (40 west), Draper, UT 84020. The property is just north of IKEA and the new RC Wiley's. Best way to enter is off of the frontage road (Pony Express Drive) just west of the freeway.

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 m'Lord Vladislav Korsakov (Josh Stem), Captain of the Archers at 801-618-6636 or by email at BlueFox801@gmail.com.

ARTS & SCIENCES

More information will be posted on the Baronial Facebook page and the Loch-Salann.org website. Contact information for Lord Aeylwin de Spencer by email at albertwise@hotmail.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 Dunkr.

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 Summer loaction in Sugarhouse Park located at 1330 East 2100 South, Salt Lake City, UT near the Parley's Creek Pavilion. Loaner gear is available. If you have questions, contact the Knight Marshall, Viscount Sir Lakhan Bornin Syn by email at kmarshal@loch-salann.org or by phone at 916-955-9159 (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

We met the 8th of July and were able to utilize the skills of Vadoma and Bronwyn to work on new projects. The main goal for this meeting was the completion of largesse for the Champions Weekend. I think the display was pretty amazing!

Our next meeting is on Tuesday, August 12th at the home of her Excellency Jennet Moir de Brechin at: 2531 North Mountain Glen Road, Pine Canyon, UT 84074, if you need more info or have questions you can contact her Excellency Jennet at 435-882-0790 or email her at magpie.janet@gmail.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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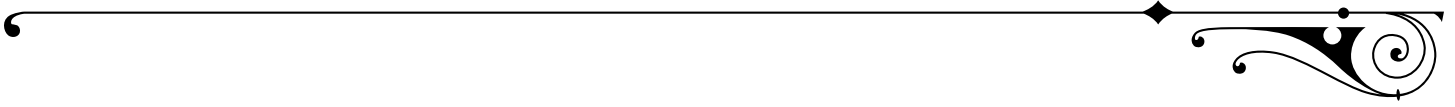
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Submissions are not only welcome, they are encouraged! Be a part of the newsletter, reach the people, share your knowledge and wisdom.

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