

# THE TIDINGS

Official Newsletter of the Kingdom of Ealdormere

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April 2026 AS LX



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QUARTERLY BOARD MEETINGS <https://www.sca.org/board-meetings/>

- Mid Quarter Conference calls: March 2, 2026
- Quarterly Meeting Schedule: April 25, 2026 (hybrid) Orlando FL; July 19, 2026; October 17, 2026 (hybrid) location TBA

[Click here to register to attend the meeting virtually via Zoom.](#)

Board Meetings



All meetings start at 10:00 am unless otherwise noted. Attendees are asked to wear modern clothing to Board meetings. Agenda submissions by the first of the month of meeting.



# Event Calendar



<https://ealdormere.ca/how-to-register-your-event-the-kingdom-of-ealdormere/>

QR for Kingdom Calendar

## March 2026

QR for Register Your Event

### 1 Deadline for April Tidings

14 Winter War, Shire of Trinovantia Nova (Paris, ON)

14-22 Gulph Wars XXXIV, (MS, USA) <https://gulfwars.org/>

21 Sock Burner, Stronghold of Greyfells (Maitland, ON)

28 Kingdom A&S, Barony of Ramshaven (Guelph, ON)

28 Festival of the Passing of the Ice Dragon, Kingdom of Aethelmarc (Gowanda, NY, USA)

<https://icedragon.aethelmarc.org/>

## April 2026

### 1 Deadline for May Tidings

11 Archery War College, Canton of Petrea Thule (Codrington, ON)

18 Coronation of Crispin II & Laura, Shire of Bastille du Lac (Lindsay, ON)

## May 2026

### 1 Deadline for June Tidings

2 Bardic in the Barn, Barony of Ben Dunfirth (Dunnville, ON)

15-18 Fruits of Our Labours XIX (FOOL), Canton of Bryniau Tywynnog (Drumbo, ON)

23 Spring Crown Tournament, Barony of Rising Waters (Niagara, ON)



## June 2026

### 1 Deadline for July Tidings

4-7 Murder Melee in the Meadow, Barony of Ben Dunfirth (Chippawa Creek, ON)

11-14 Beltaines 36, Kingdom of the East (St. Mathieu-du-Park, Quebec)

20 Lady Mary Memorial Tournament, Barony of Rising Waters (Lincoln, ON)

20 Bunny Ball, Canton of Caldrithig, (TBD)

June 30-July 5 Trillium Wars, (TBD)

## July 2026

### 1 Deadline for August Tidings

17-19 Baron's Brouhaha IX, Canton of Northgaetham (Tiverton, ON)

July 24 - Aug 9 Pennsic 53, Kingdom of Aethelmarc (Slippery Rock, PA, USA) <https://www.pennsicwar.org/>

July 31- Aug 9 Torwyn Hill Encampment, Canton of Bryniau Twynnog (Drumbo, ON)

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## Kingdom Event Rotation



**2027** 2027 Spring A&S: Skraeling Althing  
2027 Spring Coronation: Ramshaven  
2027 Spring Crown: Shires (assist Septentria)  
2027 Fall Coronation: Rising Waters  
2027 Fall Crown: Ben Dunfirth

**2028** 2028 Spring A&S: Septentria  
2028 Spring Coronation: Skraeling Althing  
2028 Spring Crown: Ramshaven  
2028 Fall Coronation: Shires (assist Ben Dunfirth)  
2028 Fall Crown: Rising Waters

**2029** 2029 Spring A&S: Ben Dunfirth  
2029 Spring Coronation: Septentria  
2029 Spring Crown: Skraeling Althing  
2029 Fall Coronation: Ramshaven  
2029 Fall Crown: Shires (assist from Rising Waters)

**2030** 2030 Spring A&S: Rising Waters  
2030 Spring Coronation: Ben Dunfirth  
2030 Spring Crown Tourney: Septentria  
2030 Fall Coronation: Skraeling Althing  
2030 Fall Crown: Ramshaven



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## From Their Majesties

Wassail Ealdormere,

According to a specific rodent (*Marmota monax*) not observing its shadow on a specific public holiday, our scholars have informed us Spring is to come early.. We welcome this news as We are a type that prefers warmer climes! ..so for their sake, their science better be correct otherwise face Our royal FURY!

That all said, We have had a wonderful winter and speaking of Winter....Winter War is this month!

Please join Us there as there is to be much fun, fighting and revelry to be enjoyed by all.

Lastly, We enter this new spring to come with renewed vigour and optimism as days go longer and light shines longer. We hope all who can, share this positive light and shine on!

Wassail Ealdormere!  
T-Rex & A-Regina



## From Their Highnesses

Greetings to the glorious people of Ealdormere.

We hope that everyone has managed to stay safe and warm through this particularly snowy winter. Both of us saw firsthand just how slick an Ealdormerian snowstorm can be on our way to Practicum! Hopefully, the weather will quickly start to warm up in time for camping season. Freezing in a tent is seldom considered enjoyable by anyone.

As the snows melt and temperatures rise, our travels will take us far and wide across the kingdom, from Trinovantia Nova for Winter War to Skraeling Althing for Sock Burner in March.

Early April will see us venture to Petrea Thule for Archery War College, followed by a large Kingdom family affair the following weekend.

Rumour has it this might even involve a regime change and an offer that cannot be refused!

Looking toward the Spring, we would like to remind everyone that our crown tournament has an earlier-than-normal application deadline on Friday, April 17th, 2026, at 11:52 pm.

In service,  
Prince Crispin and Principessa Laura



## From The Trillium Herald

Unto the gentry, nobility, and peers of the realm, from Meister Dietrich von Sachsen, Trillium Herald; greetings and salutations.

Patrika Asa Gormsdottir has served the Scribal College faithfully and well as Trillium Signet for the past nearly-two years. Time is relentless in its forward march, alas, and her tenure is rapidly reaching the end.

To that end, we are putting out a call for a successor to this august position. Speaking as someone who has held this post in the past, this position is a wonderful opportunity to get a front-row seat to the glorious process of bringing the amazing talents of the College to worthy gentles the Kingdom over.

The Signet's duties are broadly as follows:

- Confidentially coordinate with Their Majesties on award assignments;
- Advertise assignment opportunities through Facebook and email to the Ealdormere Scribal College;
- Ensure completed scrolls are delivered to TRMs in a timely manner for signature and seal;
- Maintain the Signet spreadsheet and Gmail account;

- Maintain the Ealdormere Scribal Handbook;
- Liaise with the Trillium Herald on special projects; and
- Liaise with the Scribal College Deputies - Clerk Register, Education & Outreach, and Heraldry Liaison – to ensure they are able to perform their duties.

If this sounds like something of interest to you, please send your application by email to [trillium.signet@gmail.com](mailto:trillium.signet@gmail.com) AND to [trillium.herald@gmail.com](mailto:trillium.herald@gmail.com) by March 18th, 2026.

Applicants must have up-to-date memberships. The official change over date will be at Spring Coronation.

Yours in Service, and with deep appreciation, I remain  
Dietrich, Trillium Herald



by Augusta Weyfare



## From The Kingdom Seneschal

Greetings,

I would like to take a moment to Thank all of our wonderful volunteers in this organization. Our event schedule this spring is full which means lots of people in the background doing some wonderful work. Please take a moment and thank these individual and/or perhaps write them in for an award recommendation

I would like to inform the populace that The Barony of Skraeling Althing will be retaining its name. Sir Brand, in conjunction with my office, has conducted a poll and the results were not conclusive enough for a name change. We will have a moratorium on polling, deliberations and proposed name changes for two years (March 2028).

Their Highnesses have published their requirements for entry into their Crown Tournament

Please review those requirements carefully, as well as the relevant laws. Crown Tournament documentation must be submitted electronically to both the Kingdom Seneschal as well as their Highnesses. You will need to include a copy of your authorization card, the membership cards of both the entrant and the consort, a completed Crown Declaration form (as found in the library on the kingdom website), proof of residency for both the combatant and the consort, as well as all requirements set out by their Highnesses. Those documents are required to be submitted complete and on time.

Crown Tournament submissions will be accepted until 11:52 PM EDT on April 17, 2026. That deadline is firm, 11:53 PM is too late. Save yourself the stress and get your submissions in early.

Requirements by Kingdom Law(III-400 III-500 III-501 III-502 III-503 III-504 III-505 III-600 III-700 III-800) for participation:

- Must be 18 or older
- Must be subjects of Ealdormere and have demonstrated a clear level of involvement in the Kingdom over the year prior to the Crown Tournament. Involvement includes event attendance and service.
- Must be armigerous (or provide dispensation request as per Kingdom Law)
- Must provide proof of membership
- Must provide proof of renewal if expiring in a month before or of Crown Tourney.
- Must provide a copy of authorization card for prospective combatant.
- Must meet any other requirement laid out by the Crown
- Must send copies to the Crown Prince and Princess and the Kingdom Seneschal.
- Must provide completed Declaration Form

Good luck to all Gentles putting in for this special honour.

YIS, Breyla, Kingdom Seneschal



## From the Society Board of Directors

At its conference call meeting on March 2, 2026, the Board of Directors of the SCA issued a Revocation of Membership and Denial of Participation in the SCA to Scott Dalgetty effective immediately and ending March 2, 2029.



## From The Kingdom Chronicler

Greetings Gentle Readers,

Many thanks to Mistress Augusta for the Easter themed artwork scattered throughout this issue. May your basket ever be full of the best chocolates that a rabbit can deliver!

A challenge to our readers: I have used GIMP software to create 20 different heraldic eggs. Your kingdom, barony, canton and shires are here at least once. Try and find them all!

Please remember to register your event <https://ealdormere.ca/how-to-register-your-event-the-kingdom-of-ealdormere/>

This form will automatically go to both the Calendar and the Chronicler. Some folks do not enjoy this form. If this is you, simply send an email with all the details to **both** the Calendar and the Chronicler.

If you wish to have The Tidings and Vox delivered directly to your inbox each month please email me to join the distribution e-mailing list at: [ealdormere.kchronicler@gmail.com](mailto:ealdormere.kchronicler@gmail.com).

To ensure that your newsletter gets to you, please add [ealdormere.chronicle@emailedo.com](mailto:ealdormere.chronicle@emailedo.com) to your address book.

Cheerfully in Service, Duchess Kaylah



## From The Kingdom Earl Marshal

Hello from my estates of Hundehugel.

As a reminder the new Armoured Combat handbook is live. You can find a link in the Ealdormere library. This new handbook replaces the old Society handbook and incorporates all Ealdormere rules that differ from Society.

I also remind you to check your authorizations online (<https://ealdormere.ca/ealdormere-authorizations/>) to be sure that your authorizations are accurate. Take a moment to look at your authorization cards and ensure that you are not expired. Also look at the online marshal list (<https://ealdormere.ca/ealdormere-marshals/>), to ensure you are listed if you are a warranted Marshal. If there are issues, please reach out to the MOL (ealdormere.mol@gmail.com) to have those issues corrected.

Winter War is coming and is the first melee event of the season. Here are the engagement rules for melee. Please follow them. Don't make me use my "Dog Mum" voice with you.

### Group and melee engagement

1. In group and melee battles, engagement is obtained when your opponent becomes aware of you. (e.g. moving into their line of sight, 'tapping' them with your weapon, shouting, being part of a unit, or other means).
2. Unit engagement happens when two or more cohesive units of two or more opposing combatants meet in combat.
  - a. Units can be of unequal size and can engage a single person.
  - b. Everyone in a unit is considered to be engaged with all combatants in the other unit(s).

### 3. Ealdormere additions for Unit engagement (melees)

- a. You have disengaged from combat with an opponent if any of the following apply:
  - i. You retreat out of immediate weapons' reach of your opponent, you are not pursued, and you break off from the unit that is engaged with your opponent, and you seek to engage in another combat. This does not apply if you are backing off and waiting for a wounded opponent to act out the wounding and get prepared to continue the combat. You are still considered to be engaged if the opponent's pursuit results in staying in weapon range, or if you do not break from the unit that is engaged with your opponent.
  - ii. If you are part of a unit of two or more fighters within range of your opponent and you retreat out of immediate weapon reach and significantly change position with respect to your opponent. This doesn't include the normal shifting of position that goes on within range but includes any maneuver that gives your opponent the impression that you have disengaged. If you have broken through a line and succeed in getting more than three strides beyond the line without being struck, you are considered disengaged from that formation.
  - iii. If you are pursued by your opponent and you are outside your opponents' weapon range.
  - iv. If your opponent has broken through a line and succeeds in getting more than three strides beyond the line without being struck, they are considered disengaged from that formation for the purpose of actually hitting them from behind and you can only use the "death from behind" maneuver or re-engage.

Stay safe, have fun.  
Elizabeth



## From The Kingdom Chatelaine

Hello all!

The SCA has been invited to run a demo at the Muskoka Pirate Festival in Muskoka on August 1-2.

If you are a fencer, bardic sort, or a people person, please reach out to me if you would like to come out and recruit for Ealdormere!

My email is [ealdomere.chatelaine@gmail.com](mailto:ealdomere.chatelaine@gmail.com).

Cheerfully slaving for my feudal masters,  
Brand



*by Augusta Weyfare*

# Elevation of Crispin Gildenstæd



## Prince Crispin's Scale

The optimal weight of carrots per day is 170 grams.

Please support Prince Crispin in his good habits by enjoying healthy foods.

But the battle rages because

### the Carbs Call!

Who will win?





## The Shire of Trinovantia Nova presents: Winter War March 14, 2026

**Website:** [ealdormere.ca/trinovantia-nova](http://ealdormere.ca/trinovantia-nova)

Join us for a day of battles, duels and tournament. As well as arts displays, elevations and classes ending with a joyous feast. Celebrate Vigil and Elevation of Baron Tannon to the Order of the Chivalry and the Vigil and Elevation of Dame Helena to the Order of the Pelican.

**Site:** Paris Fairgrounds,  
139 Silver St., Paris, ON, N3L 1V5

Site opens: 9am Site Closes: 9pm

**Adult Member Event Registration:** \$25

Adult Event Registration: \$35

Youth under 18: Free

**Lunch:** TBD

**Feast:** \$25

**Event Steward:** Baron Rhisiart ap Meredudd  
(Morgan Birch)

Reservations: [trinovantia.reservations@gmail.com](mailto:trinovantia.reservations@gmail.com)



## The Stonghold of Grzyfjells presents : Sock Burner March 21, 2026

**Website:** TBA

Spring is coming. The Crew of the Bleek Paard invite you to burn those winter socks!  
Featuring the Vigil and Elevation of Pesha of Little Egypt to the Order of the Laurel.

**Site:** Maitland Education and Recreation Centre  
120 East McLean Blvd., Maitland, ON, K0E 1P0

Site opens: 9:30am Site Closes: 9:30pm

**Adult Member Event Registration:** \$15

Adult Event Registration: \$25

**Lunch:** \$7 Ploughman's Lunch on first come basis

**Feast:** \$15 reservations by March 14 to Catherine

**Event Stewards:** THL Morag Taylor  
(Christine Brewer) [pte\\_black@hotmail.com](mailto:pte_black@hotmail.com)  
Lady Catherine Rose Lamont [2boldlygo@hotmail.ca](mailto:2boldlygo@hotmail.ca)



## The Canton of der Welfengau & the Barony of Ramshaven presents : Kingdom Arts & Sciences March 28, 2026

**Website:** <https://ealdormerekas26.weebly.com/>

Kingdom Arts & Sciences competition! Spacious new site, lots of parking.  
All are invited to join in Baron Henry's Big Box Bonanza!

**Site:** Lakeside Church  
7654 Conservation Rd., Guelph, ON, N1H 6J1

Site opens: 9 am Site Closes: 7 pm

**Adult Member Discount Registration:** \$20

Adult Registration: \$30

Youth under 18: free of charge

**Lunch:** \$8,

prepared by the Canton of Northgaetham  
Non-alcoholic beverages: \$1.50

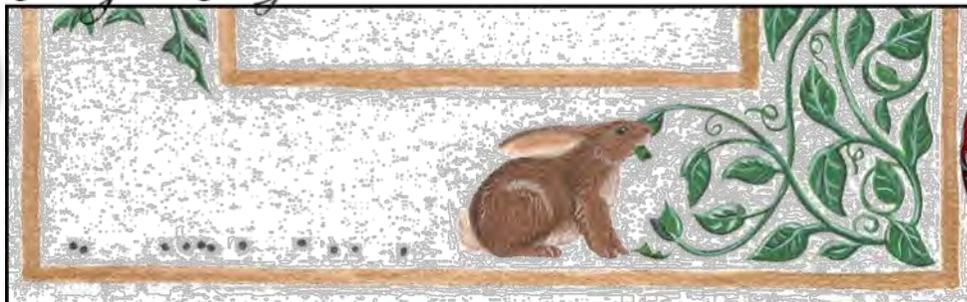
**Event Stewards:** Baroness Brigit (Heather Galoska)  
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Sir Elizabeth (Karen Prentice) [sneetch1@yahoo.com](mailto:sneetch1@yahoo.com)

\*Site is dry. Entries with alcohol will be judged at the nearby home of Baroness Brigit and Baron Henry.

*Marginal Mayhem*

*'Nibbles'*



*by Augusta*





The Canton of Petra Thulz presents :  
**Archery War College**  
 April 11, 2026  
**Website:** TBA

Archery, Thrown Weapons, Games and Fun!  
 There may be fencing and armoured combat too!  
 Featuring the Vigil and Elevation of Brenden Hunterson to the Order of the Mark.

**Site:** Codrington Community Center  
 2992 County Rd.30, Codrington, ON, K0K 1R0  
 Site opens: 10 am Site Closes: 6 pm  
 Dayboard included in Registration!  
**Adult Member Discount Registration:** \$30

Adult Registration: \$40  
 Youth under 18: free of charge  
**Event Stewards:** Mistress Anne Tinker (Sue Corbishley) [tinker@nexicom.net](mailto:tinker@nexicom.net)  
 Lady Fairamay (Evelyn Pageau) [evelyn.pageau@gmail.com](mailto:evelyn.pageau@gmail.com)



Sponsored by the Shire of Bastille du Lac and Staffed by Brand & Friends:  
**The Coronation of Crispin II and Laura**

April 18, 2026

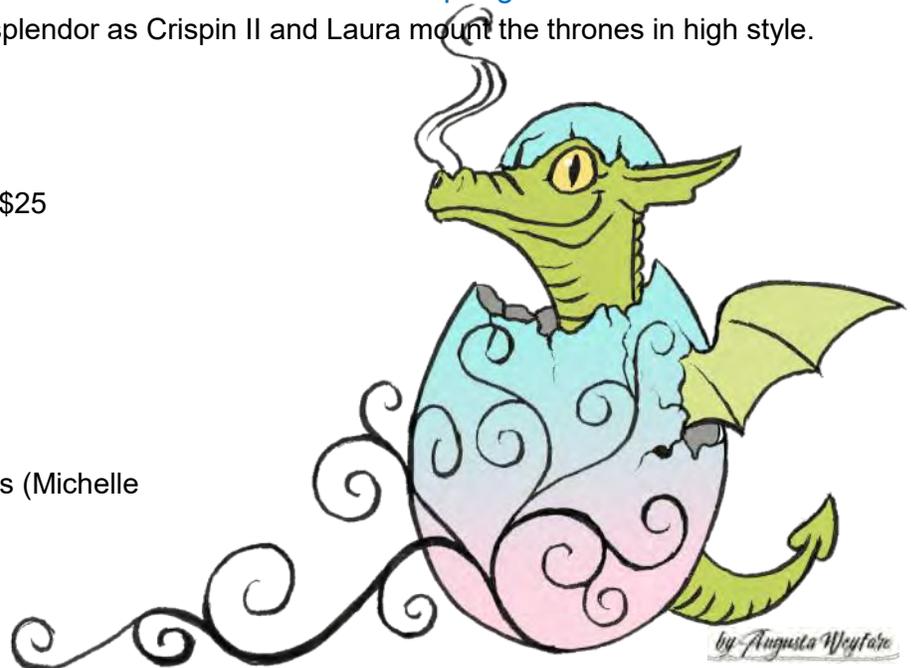
**Website:** <https://ealdormere.ca/bastille-du-lac/spring-coronation-2026/>

The line of the north continues in golden splendor as Crispin II and Laura mount the thrones in high style.

**Site:** Victoria Park Armoury  
 210 Kent St. W., Lindsay, ON, K9V 2Y8  
 Site opens: 9:30am Site Closes: 8pm  
**Adult Member Discount Registration:** \$25  
 Adult Registration: \$35  
 Youth under 18 free of charge

**Lunch:** \$10  
**Feast:** \$20 (servers \$10)  
 Feast Stewards: Trumbrand & Kaylah  
**Reservations:** Countess Isabel Atwyll  
[isabel.atwyll@gmail.com](mailto:isabel.atwyll@gmail.com)

**Event Steward:** Mistress Lucia d'Enzinas (Michelle Enzinas) [menzinas@gmail.com](mailto:menzinas@gmail.com)



Hosted by The Barony of Ben Dunfirth : **Bardic in the Barn**  
 May 2, 2026

**Website:** <https://ealdormere.ca/ben-dunfirth/bardic-in-the-barn-2026/>

All Welcome! Classes for beginner or aspiring Bards. Advanced classes for established bards.  
 Bardic circle around the fire in the evening.

**Site:** 35 Lane Rd., Dunville, ON N1A 2W1  
 Site opens: 10am Site Closes: 10:30pm  
**Adult Member Discount Registration:** \$15  
 Adult Event Registration: \$25  
 Youth under 18, free.

**Lunch:** BYO lunch, Water, Tea & coffee included.  
**Feast:** Lentil stew included in site fee.

**Event Stewards:** Noble Ascelyn of Ben Dunfirth (Michael McLaren) [12mrm8@queensu.ca/](mailto:12mrm8@queensu.ca/)  
 THL Fischer of Ben Dunfirth (Robin McConnell) [fischerofbendunfirth@gmail.com](mailto:fischerofbendunfirth@gmail.com)  
 \*This is a working farm. Animals will be present.  
 Dress accordingly.



The Canton of Bryniau Tywynnog presents :  
**FOOL XIX - Let the Games Begin!**

May 15 - May 18, 2026 Website: <https://ealdormere.ca/fool/>  
Join us for a weekend of arts, sciences, fellowship and friendly competition.

**Site:** Camp Impessa  
827559 Township Rd. 8, Drumbo, ON, N0J1G0

Site opens: Friday 15<sup>th</sup> at 4pm  
Site Closes: Monday 18<sup>th</sup> at noon

**Adult Member Discount Registration:**  
Camping: \$40, Day Trip \$20

Adult Registration: Camping \$50, Day Trip \$30  
Youth 14-17: \$20 weekend, \$10 day trip  
Children under 14 free of charge

**Event Stewards:** [fool.ealdormere@gmail.com](mailto:fool.ealdormere@gmail.com)  
Odette de St. Remy (Nina Bates)  
Rylyn Buchanan (Beth Patchett)



The Barony of Rising Waters presents: **Spring Crown Tournament**  
May 23, 2026

**Website:** <https://ealdormere.ca/barony-of-rising-waters/crowntournament2026/>

Come witness the Line of the North secured for Ealdormere's Crown Tournament Fifty-three as King Crispin Gildensteed and Queen Laura Battista eagerly await Their Heirs.

Ample indoor and outdoor space, with fully accessible building. In addition to the tourney, archery, fencing, and thrown weapons will be organized. Please, no open flames at the site and only Official Service animals.

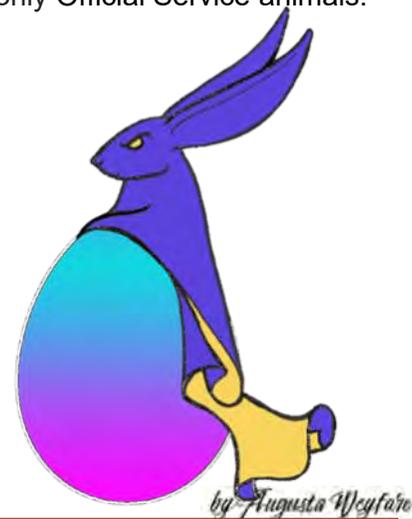
**Site:** West Niagara Agricultural Society  
7402 Mud St., Grassie, ON, L0R 1M0  
Site opens: 10am (9am combatants & consorts)  
Site Closes: 8pm

**Adult Member Discount Registration:** \$20  
Adult Registration: \$30  
Youth under 18 free of charge

Lunch: items available "a la carte"  
**Feast:** \$20 (\$10, youth under 13)

**Feast Steward:** Mistress Abhilin, reservations to  
[reservations.risingwaters@gmail.com](mailto:reservations.risingwaters@gmail.com)

**Event Stewards:** Sir Richard Larmer (Andrew Lowry [alowry2002@yahoo.ca](mailto:alowry2002@yahoo.ca))  
Lord lustus di Cordoba (Jay Farrar) [jayfarrar@hotmail.com](mailto:jayfarrar@hotmail.com)



The Barony of Ben Dunfirth presents :  
**Murder Melee in the Meadow XVI**  
June 4-7, 2026

**Website:** <https://ealdormere.ca/ben-dunfirth/murder-melee-coming-soon/>

New Location! Lakefront beach, showers!  
Archery, Armoured Combat, Fencing, Fun and Fellowship!

**Site:** Chippawa Creek Conservation Area,  
74646 Regional Rd. 45, Wellandport, ON L0R 2J0

Site opens Thur June 4: TBD  
Site Closes Sun June 7: TBD:

**Adult Member Discount Registration:** TBD  
Adult Event Registration: TBD  
Youth under 18: TBD

**Event Stewards:** Duchess Marion Golightly (Katherine Golightly)  
[kathygolightly1@aol.com](mailto:kathygolightly1@aol.com)

THhun Hespler (Glen Shilletto) [hun.hespler@gmail.com](mailto:hun.hespler@gmail.com)





The Barony of Havrø des Glacés in the Kingdom of the East presents :

## Beltaines XXXVI

June 11-14, 2026

**Website:** <https://www.eastkingdom.org/event-details/?eid=4557>

**Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/events/9425028630915022>

Join us in a magical setting of more than 200 buildings, the largest LARP site on the continent. Featuring two inns, merchant stall, and a natural amphitheater. Famous armoured & fencing combat town battles, archery from the fort, thrown weapons, A&S classes. Make your reservation now!

**Site:** Duche de Bicolline <https://bicolline.org/>  
1480 Chemin Principal, St-Mathieu-du-Parc,  
Quebec, G0X 1N0

Site opens Fri June 12: noon  
Site Closes Mon June 15: noon

**Adult Member Discount :-\$10** from pricing below  
Adult Registration: camping \$110 (daytrip \$60)  
Youth ages 12-17: camping \$40 (daytrip \$20)  
Youth under 12: free of charge

**Meal Plan:** \$40 by reservation by June 1st.

**Lodging and Reservations:** Sir Mohommad  
[100717@members.eastkingdom.org](mailto:100717@members.eastkingdom.org)

Rooms are available at the Inn, beds in the Inn's Dormitory, Cabins to rent on site. Period tents (and tents in garb) may be set up in the New City. Non-period tents may be set up near the Inn. RV space by reservation.

**Reservation form:** <https://forms.gle/kLRfnHQXz36RhTUF9>

**Event Stewards:** Ikhlas "Ike" Al-Chakib (Gabriel Levesque) [Simplement\\_gab@hotmail.com](mailto:Simplement_gab@hotmail.com), Syrine Al-Sakina Bint Houriya (Andrea Bernard) [228504@members.eastkingdom.org](mailto:228504@members.eastkingdom.org)



The Barony of Rising Waters presents:

## Lady Mary Memorial Tournament - Travel Across the World

June 20, 2026

**Website:** <https://ealdormere.ca/barony-of-rising-waters/lady-mary-memorial-tournament/>

Join the Barony of Rising Waters as we celebrate the Lady Mary Memorial Tournament! This event includes a prestige armoured combat tournament, prestige rapier tournament, archery and thrown weapons, and the scholar's tournament for artisans. Attendees will receive a passport upon entrance to the event, and stamps to attest to their visit to different locations at the event.

**Site:** Bled Hall  
4650 South Service Rd, Lincoln, ON, L0R 1B0  
Site opens: 9am  
Processional begins: 10:30am  
Site Closes: 8pm

**Adult Member Discount Registration:** \$25  
Adult Registration: \$35  
Youth under 18 free of charge

**Lunch included in event fee:** Foods from around the globe served mid-day.

**Tourney food coordinator:** Mistress Annabelle Makmyllane

**Event Steward:** Dame Sciath ingen Chaennai (Trudi Crumpwright) [gertrude.wright@gmail.com](mailto:gertrude.wright@gmail.com)

## The Mystery of the Broken Sword

His Majesty, King Tristham, has broken his sword! How could this happen? Choose your tale!





The Cantons of Ard Chreád and Pætræa Thulæ præsēt:  
**Trillium War**  
 June 30 - July 5, 2026



**Site:** TBD

Site opens: Tues June 30

Site Closes: Sun July 5

**Adult Member Discount Registration:** -\$10

Adult Registration: Camping TBD. Day Trip: TBD

**Event Steward:** TBD



The Canton of Northgætham præsēt:  
**Baron's Brouhaha**  
 July 17-19, 2026

**Website:** <https://ealdormere.ca/canton-of-northgeatham/barons-brouhaha-9/>

A laid-back camping event by tradition. Bardic circles! Blacksmithing! Socialize in a Great Hall .  
 Thrown Weapons, rapier and armoured combat. Brewer's roundtable following feast.

**Site:** 973 Concession Rd, 8, Tiverton, ON N0G 2T0

Site opens: Fri July 17 3pm

Site Closes: Sun July 19 4pm

**Adult Member Discount Registration:** -\$10

Adult Registration: Camping \$20. Day Trip \$10

Youth under 16 free of charge

Traditional Potluck feast on Saturday

**Event Steward:** Lord Wulfric of the Blackwood

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Tournament Tunes



Just in time for Bardic in the Barn!

Join in the spring "Tune-Up" with this month's issue of Vox Borealis,

**"Tournament Tunes".**

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# Summer Pre-View



## The Canton of Petra Thule presents : The Queen's Marquæ August 15, 2026

**Website:** TBA

A prestige tournament Mark's event similar to Tournoi. Fight for your Inspiration!

**Site:** Codrington Community Center  
2992 County Rd.30, Codrington, ON, K0K 1R0  
Site opens: 10 am Site Closes: 6 pm

**Lunch:** TBD

**Adult Member Discount Registration:** TBD

Adult Registration: TBD

Youth under 18: free of charge

**Event Stewards & Reservations:** Rowan Baarda  
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Lady Fairamay (Evelyn Pageau)

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## The Canton of Caldriithig presents: Ealdormerian Exhibition August 22, 2026

**Website:** <https://ealdormere.ca/ealdormerean-exhibition/>

Showcase your work, no judging! Network with fellow artisans!  
Talk about projects with like-minded individuals. Resource sharing.

**Site:** Tanglewood/Hillsdale Community Association  
30 Woodfield Dr., Ottawa, ON, K2G 3Y5  
Site opens: 8am Site Closes: 7pm

**Adult Member Discount Registration:** \$15

Adult Registration: \$25

Lunch \$10

No feast.

**Event Stewards:** THL Constance of Caldriithig  
(Heather Hanna)

Sadb ingen Ui Fhaoladh (Cydney Foote)

[ealdormereanexhibition@gmail.com](mailto:ealdormereanexhibition@gmail.com)



## The Canton of Bryniau Tynnogg presents: Middle Ages on the Green August 22, 2026

**Website:** <https://ealdormere.ca/bryniau-tywynnog/mag/>

All are invited to join Bryniau Twynnog's annual Demo/Picnic/Event!

**Site:** Tavistock & District Recreation Centre  
(Queen's Park Centre, behind the arena)  
1 Adam St., Tavistock, ON N0B 2R0

Site opens: 10am for set-up, event beings 11am

Site Closes: 7:30 pm

**Adult Member Discount Registration: Free!**

Donations accepted

Bring Your own Lunch.

Traditional Potluck feast.

**Event Steward:** Master Adnar Diondair

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## The Shirz of Bastille du Lac presents : Gwyl y Fflam August 27 - August 31, 2026

**Website:** <https://baronessmatilda.wixsite.com/-gwlyfflam>

Join us for a weekend of archery, fighting, fencing, camping and fun! We'll have showers.  
Site is dog friendly, discretely wet and there's loads of room to play.

**Site:** Moxley Meadows  
611 6th Line, Havelock, ON, K0L 1Z0  
Site opens: Thursday 27th noon  
Site Closes: Monday 31st 2pm

**Adult Member Discount Registration:**

Camping: \$50, Day Trip \$25

Adult Registration: Camping \$60, Day Trip \$35

Youth under 18 free of charge

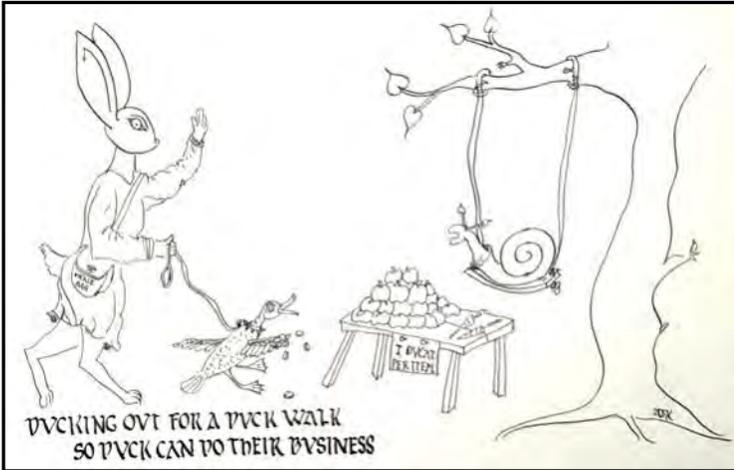
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*Boilerplate: A few things we're required to say...*

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