

The **Æstel**



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Bullying and Harassment may be **overt**, as in the following non-inclusive list of examples:

- Verbal abuse, including using racial, homophobic, transphobic, ableist epithets, etc.
- Non-consensual physical contact, violence, or threatening gestures.
- Displaying material that is offensive, degrading, or threatening to a protected class.
- Consistent demeaning remarks or malicious teasing - Stalking or predatory behavior

Covert:

- Spreading rumors or innuendo with malicious intent
- Deliberate exclusion, isolation, or alienation of an individual without just cause
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- Mutual arguments, disagreements, or fights.
- The termination, mutual or not, of a romantic relationship or friendship.
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Groups interested in hosting a meeting should contact the Executive Assistant (ea@sca.org) for information on meeting requirements and how to submit a bid.

2026 Quarterly Board Meetings (TENTATIVE)

~~January 25, 2026~~

~~April 25, 2026 – Hybrid – Location TBA~~

July 19, 2026

October 17, 2026– Hybrid – Location TBA

MID-QUARTER CONFERENCE CALL— TBD

Æthelmearc Royalty

Their Royal Majesties



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Their Royal Highnesses



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Æthelmearc Kingdom Champions

Queen's Rapier Champion:

Luminaria Salvadore de la Torres

Cut and Thrust:

Don Ferrucio Di Cossimo

Regalo de las Rosas

Mistress Gytha Oggsdottir

Heavy Weapons Champion:

Vital Visconti

Archery Champion:

THL Niall mac Rædwulf

Thrown Weapons Champion:

THL Kumagaya Kentarou Masamoto

Equestrian Champion:

Lady Jacklyn of the Debatable Lands

Shield of Chivalry:

Sir Joel de Grace

TRMs Bardic Champions

Master Filippo de Sancto Martino & Lady Lisbet

Hoefman

Kingdom Arts and Sciences Champion:

Lady Lartia Cerva

Youth Arts and Sciences Champion:

John Robert

Youth Combat Champion:

Dimitri & Vicky

Brewing Champion:

THL Kumagaya Kentarou Masamoto

Landed Barons & Baronesses of Æthelmearc

Barony Marche of the Debatable Lands

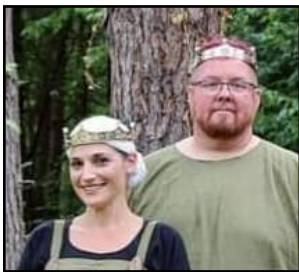
Violeta de Valencia and Aurelia Argentia Prima



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Magnus de Lyons and Thalia Papillon



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Baron@blackstonemountain.org,
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baroness@endlesshills.aethelmearc.org

Barony of St. Swithin's Bog

Jean Phillippe Dit La Barbe Rouse and Caterine de Troyes



Baron@stswithinsbog.aethelmearc.org
Baroness@stswithinsbog.aethelmearc.org

For more information on the Baronies of Æthelmearc, known as the "Seven Pearls" visit:

<https://aethelmearc.org/groups/local-groups/the-seven-pearls>



From Their Majesties

Oliver Sutton and Grainne Shionnach



Unto the Populace of Glorious Æthelmearc do Their Majesties Oliver and Grainne send greetings.

There comes a point every summer when Pennsic ceases to be a date upon a calendar and begins to occupy so much of our minds. We find ourselves looking at packing lists. We begin counting days rather than months. Nearly every conversation drifts toward camp preparations, travel plans, and those friends whom we see but once each year. The excitement grows almost without notice until suddenly we realize that... Pennsic is here!

For all that has been written and said about the War, it remains a difficult thing to describe to those who have never experienced it. For a brief moment, an empty hillside becomes a city. A city built not of stone, but of shared purpose. Thousands gather because they believe, each in their own way, that history, chivalry, artistry, courtesy, and fellowship are things worth pursuing in this world.

And then, almost as quickly as it appears, it vanishes again, leaving behind only memories, stories, and the hope that we can return after that 50-week town run. As We prepare to journey there once more, We hope that each of you takes a moment to appreciate how remarkable this thing we have built truly is. Pennsic is not merely a war. It is the largest expression of the Dream that binds us together, and each person

who attends contributes to it simply by being present. We appreciate each of you that can come and share your art, your service, your stories, or your fire. Should you find yourself standing upon the field with the Sylvan Host, We encourage you to wear the scarlet of Æthelmearc. Looking across the battlefield and seeing that sea of red gathered beneath Our banners is as awesome as it is inspiring. It serves as a reminder that while we may come from different regions, households, and groups, we stand together as one Kingdom.

Be sure to bring your AE Bingo cards! We suspect there may be no better place to check your boxes and earn a token during Our reign than amidst the wonders and opportunities of Pennsic.

Until We meet upon those fields, travel safely, prepare well, remember to hydrate, and don't forget to pack sunscreen! Know that We eagerly await the chance to see you once again.

In Service to the Dream,

King Oliver & Queen Grainne

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From Their Highnesses

Greetings fair Æthelmearc,

The drums of war can be heard on our borders. Sharpen your weapons, fletcher many arrows, don't forget garb and sunscreen because the time of war is upon us. Her highness reminds you to check your authorization card.



We look forward to seeing you at these last few events and then at pennsic war.

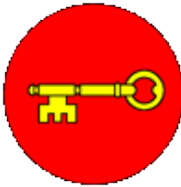
In service

Prince Gareth and Princess Juliana

From the Kingdom Seneschal

Greetings Æthelmearc!

First, I would like to announce that the Curia of King Oliver and Queen Grainne will take place via Google Meet on Wednesday August 19th at 6pm. In the week before the meeting, I will post the details about the meeting link via the Announcements mailing list and on the Æthelmearc Facebook Group, and you can of course contact me directly for it as well.



This will be my final opportunity to run a Curia Regis as Kingdom Seneschal. I hope to see a great many of you there.

Second, the drums of war ring through the hills of Region 2, and soon Kingdoms from across the Known World will descend upon us. They come to our lands for our many treasures, but the one they want most they cannot have: the deep culture of service that pervades every aspect of our people. It is everywhere from the list fields to the castle, in the scriptorium and the kitchen, forest and farm, meeting hall to market.

The war takes a great effort to make happen, and we must be a dominant force in that endeavor. Every aspect and activity happens because people volunteer. Our Kingdom's presence happens because we gather to put up pavilions, schedule activities, sit at desks, and run the back of the camp for our Royalty. Consider how much bigger the overall war is than our Kingdom's footprint in it. These things are easy to take for granted. Consider the many street signs that guide us across the site. Those are there because people spend their time

making them happen every year.

We need to be represented on all levels, from people volunteering for a shift at a desk be it Pennsic University, Registration, or any of the many places people go for information, all the way to the senior staff who spend the year planning and even the Mayor, whose signature adorns the contract that makes the event happen.

We are local. These are our lands. Please join us in making sure Pennsic remains the premier event in the entire Society with the gift of your time to help others.

In Service to the Realm,

Barún Pádraig Ó Branduibh

From the Kingdom Silver Buccle Herald

Greetings from the Silver Buccle Herald! We have some fantastic initiatives going on in the herald's office, some right now, and some ramping up in the next few months.



First: Perhaps you've noticed two, three, or four people trumpeting together as part of a court procession. This has been an ongoing project that began under jorundr, my predecessor, and has finally come to fruition. Under the guidance of Master Kieran MacRae, the college of heralds owns two "BFB Natural Trumpets" and some members of the populace also have them. This has enabled us to expand the "Æthelmearc Trumpet Crew" from Master Kieran alone, to several people. To further encourage this, I am creating a heraldic deputy for court trumpeting, the Howlings Wolf Herald and Master Kieran have agreed to be this deputy.

I would encourage all the local groups, particularly the Baronies, if they have interested trumpeters, to explore purchasing one. They are about \$225 each, and you can also get a low-brass mouthpiece for an additional \$35. The BFB trumpets also work with regular brass mouthpieces if you have one from a brass instrument you already own.

If you would like to get in on the fun, whether you can personally afford a BFB Trumpet or not, please contact me at herald@aethelmearc.org and we can get you on the trumpet crew list. As I mentioned before, we have some loaner trumpets - one with Master Kieran and one with myself - and we're always up for more musicians to add to the pageantry of court.

Second: We're following the successful lead of the East King-

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dom and the Midrealm and are looking to purchase a system where you can listen to court audio directly to your phone. This is still in the works, but watch this space for more details, including fundraising initiatives, since the system is an expense in the thousands rather than hundreds. It's worth it for the accessibility.

Third: Baron Sasson de Sancta Victoria had been named the Carnelian Herald, the deputy submissions herald. We believe that the submissions process will speed up again now that we have filled the vacant office.

Lastly, I'm officially naming the College of Heralds Exchequer the Golden Escarbuncle Herald because such an important deputy should have an official heraldic title. We thank Boyarina Zaritsa Zavodchikovna for her continued work in the office and her input into the heraldic title.

All in all, we're looking forward to an exciting summer with the heralds!

In Service,
Helena M.
Silver Buccle Herald

From the Kingdom Youth

Minister

The Youth of Æthelmearc are looking for adult volunteers for Youth Point on August 2rd, Monday of War Week. We need classes covered at 9am, 10am, 11am, and 1pm. Please reach out to me at youth@aethelmearc.org.

In your service,
Baroness Katherine Wert
Æthelmearc Youth Minister

From the Kingdom Youth

Combat Marshal

Pennsic is almost here and with Pennsic comes many opportunities for service. If you are a Youth marshal, Youth Sparring partner, MIT, or MOL, please consider volunteering at Youth combat during Pennsic. For MITs this is an opportunity to experience every aspect of marshaling.

Pennsic announcements:

Heavy Fighters volunteers are needed for the tag team tournament. You do not need to be a sparring partner. Prizes will be awarded.

Marshals and MOLs are needed for the Known World Baroni-

al Youth Champions tournament. Please let me know if you can assist.

Pennsic 53 Youth Combat will close if the heat index reaches 95 degrees

Pennsic 53 Youth Combat Schedule

Time are subject to change

Additional tournaments may be added before Pennsic starts

Wednesday 7/29

Open Sparring 12-3

Thursday 7/30

Open Sparring 8:30 -11

Battlefield Games 2-4

Friday 7/31

Open Sparring 8:30 - 11

Battlefield Games 2-4

Saturday 8/1

Open Sparring 8:30 - 11

Sunday 8/2

Open Sparring 8:30 - 11

Marshals Collegium 2-4

Marshal meet and greet 4-5

Tournament (placeholder)6-8

Monday 8/3

Open Sparring 8:30 - 11

Tag Team Tournament 2-4

Tournament (placeholder)6-8

Tuesday 8/4

KWBC tournament 12-4

Wednesday 8/5

Open Sparring 8:30 - 11

Open Sparring 2-4

Thursday 8/6

Castle Battle 11 - 3

Thank you

YIS

Baron Andriú Mac Domhnaill OP

Kingdom and Other Events

Bog 3 day Event + Investiture 2026

July 10th-12th 2026

Hosted by the Barony of
St. Swithin's Bog

Bog 3-Day Event & Investiture 2026:
When Eagles Fell: Twilight of Rome

Fri-Sun, July 10-12, 2026

New Germany Grove Hall, 1635 New
Germany Road, Summerhill, PA,
15958

Join us this year for a special 3-Day as
we prepare for the retirement of Their
Excellencies Jean-Philippe & Caterine
to their estates and invest Master Ian
Campbell of Glen Mor & Lady Eudoxia
Antonina to the Cattail Thrones.

The once-mighty Empire trembles.
The eagles of Rome falter beneath the
weight of corruption, invasion, and the
turning of fate's relentless wheel. The
roads crumbled, the legions waver,
and whispers spread that the Eternal
City itself may soon fall into shadow.

Will you stand with the legions to pre-
serve civilization?

Will you march with the barbarian
tribes to claim the riches of a dying
empire?

Or shall you simply revel as the world
burns around you?

Join us for yet another fun-filled week-
end of martial activities including
Heavy, Rapier, Thrown Weapons, and
Archery. We will again have A&S Ac-
tivities including the 17th Annual Iron
Scribe Competition! There are also
children and youth activities planned.
After feast this year we will have a tav-
ern in the Beer Hall open to bards!

The Site:

New Germany Grove Hall, 1635 New
Germany Road, Summerhill, PA
15958

Site will open on Friday, July 10th at
5:00pm and close Sunday, July 12th at
12:00pm. There is space for camping
at no additional cost. No shower facili-
ties are available, but please feel free
to bring your own amenities. The site
is discreetly wet and above ground
fires are permitted. Service animals
only please.

Event Fees:

Adult Member Pre-Registration:
\$15.00

Adult Member Day-of Registration:
\$20.00

Adult Non-Member Day-of Registra-
tion: \$30.00

Saturday Feast Fee (Ages 6+): \$15.00
Children 17 and under Event Registra-
tion: Free

Hours for Troll:

Friday 5:00pm to 10:00pm

Saturday 9:00am to 2:00pm

Reservations:

Reservations can be sent to Mistress
Aelfra Long (mka Sherry Meyers) 1284
Killiwhat Street, Johnstown, PA 15902.
The only good reservation is a paid
reservation. Make checks payable to
SCA-PA, Inc. Barony of St. Swithin's
Bog. Pre-Registrations must be re-
ceived by 07/08/26.

Royalty Liaison

Our Royalty Liaison is Baroness
Ragna Hakonardottir of Skara (Nicole
Sciscente, 711 South Street, Apt. 1,
Berlin, PA 15530), 724-322-6796 (Text
preferred) or ragnahakonardot-
tir@gmail.com

Feastocrat Crew:

Friday Dinner- TBD

Saturday Breakfast & Dayboard- THL
Arvik Hyttonen (Tim Johnson)

Saturday Feast- Baroness Catherine
de Troyes (Jamie Gillies)

Dietary/allergy concerns may be sent
to these individuals. Included in the
site fee will be Friday dinner side-
board, a breakfast and lunch on Satur-
day as well as leftovers for breakfast
on Sunday. You will not leave hungry!

Saturday feast will be limited to 64
people. Feast is \$15 per person, chil-
dren 6 & under are free.

Autocrats:

Questions regarding the event may be
directed to the Autocrats:

Autocrat: Lord Iollan Figge (mka Ryan
Dillon, 126 Dillon LN, Ebensburg, PA
15931). 814-341-8519, rgrantdil-
lon@gmail.com

Co-Autocrat: Baroness Ragna Ha-
konardottir of Skara (mka Nicole Scis-
cente, 711 South Street, Apt.1, Berlin,
PA 15530) 724-322-6796 (Text pre-
ferred), ragnahakonardot-
tir@gmail.com

DIRECTIONS:

From the West: Make your way to US-
22E/William Penn Hwy via the exit on
the left toward Murrysville (56.5 mi).
Take the ramp toward Ebensburg (0.4
mi). Turn slightly right onto W High St/
US-219 BR (0.5 mi). Turn Right onto
New Germany Rd/ PA-160. Continue
to follow New Germany Rd (5.3 mi.).
The New Germany Grove is on the
Right.

From the South: Make your best way
to US-219 N. Take the exit toward
New Germany (0.3 mi). Turn Right
onto Tower Rd (0.3 mi). Turn left onto
New Germany Rd-(0.3 mi). New Ger-
many Grove is on the Left.

From the East: Make your best way to
US-22W/William Penn Hwy. Take Exit

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28 toward Ebensburg/Hollidaysburg. Take the exit toward Loretto (0.4 mi). Merge onto Admiral Peary Hwy (0.1 mi). Admiral Peary Hwy becomes Rowena Dr (0.5 mi). Rowena Dr becomes E. High St (0.6 mi). Turn slightly left onto W. High St/US-219 BR (0.3 mi). Turn left onto New Germany Rd/PA-160. Continue to follow the New Germany Rd (5.3 mi). New Germany Grove is on the Right.

From the North: Make your best way to US-422 E. Take the US-422 E Exit toward Indiana. Turn slight right onto US-422/Indiana Rd/Benjamin Franklin Hwy. Continue to follow Benjamin

Franklin Hwy (50.5 mi). Turn right onto W High St/US-219 BR (0.3 mi). Turn left onto New Germany Rd/PA160. Continue to follow New Germany Rd (5.3 mi). New Germany Grove is on the Right.

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Pennsic War 53 (LIII) July 24th-August 9th, 2026

Pennsic War LIII (53)

July 24th—August 9th, 2026

For more information, please visit

<http://pennsicwar.org>

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Æthelmearc War Practice

XXXIV,

May 16-17, 2025

Murdoch II and

Ríoghnách II

Documented from the Rolls and Files of the Coram Regibus of Murdoch II Rex and Ríoghnách II Regina, King and Queen of Æthelmearc: Being a True Record of the Business of Their Royal Court at Æthelmearc War Practice XXXIV, 16-17 May, AS LX, in the Shire of Steltonwald. As recorded by Gwendolyn the Graceful, Meistr-ygân, Jewel of Æthelmearc Herald, assisted by Meisterin Helena Mutzhasen, Silver Buccle Herald, Mistress Gytha Oggdottir, Silver Sycamore Herald, lærifaðir jorundr hinn rotinn, Sigil of Æthelmearc Herald, Magister Casimir Zelený z Strášná skála, Master Kieran MacRae, Magdalena Txoperena, and Hersir Snorri skyti Bjarnarson.

Friday, 16th May:

On the field, Their Majesties requested the presence of Lord Porir of Aett Skyti.

Noting his skill and the undeniable growth in his prowess, They were well pleased to Grant him Arms and name him a Companion of the Noble Order of the Gage. Scroll: The Honorable Lady Lisabetta de Rossi.

Their Majesties bade the Order remain for one moment, while They called Baron Cunedda Kell to join Them. Finding that his dedication to the fighting field and his abilities had only continued to impress, They were also minded to induct him into the Noble Order of the Gage. Scroll: Baroness Katherine Kiersey.

Following this, Their Majesties sought The Honorable Lord Porfinnr Y Elsfiord and reminded His Lordship of the Crown's wish that he sits vigil to contemplate elevation into the Most Noble Order of the Pelican. With his confirmation, They requested that those Companions of the Order there present escort him away and give him counsel.

Next, Their Majesties wished to be attended by The Honorable Lord Thorstein Rifjabróttir. Likewise speaking with His Lordship of the charge he had received, to sit vigil in contemplation of elevation into the Most Noble Order of the Chivalry. Upon his assent, They called for the assembled members of the Order to take him to his place of

vigil, there to hear counsel. There being no further business at that time, Court was suspended.

Saturday, 17th May:

In the morning, once more upon the field, Their Majesties again received The Honorable Lord Porfinnr Y Elsfiord, to give his answer. Hearing that it was his wish to proceed, Their Majesties heard words in support of this achievement. Mistress Ottilige von Rap-poltsweiler, on behalf of the Laurel, attested to His Lordship's wide range of pursuits, especially in the way he worked not just to produce works for himself, but for everyone in his vicinity. Baron Hrothbjorn Lothbrook credited His Lordship with the assembly of His Excellency's first set of armor, with purchasing his first shield, and with helping countless others to find their path within the Society. Viscountess Lucilla Thersa de Courtenay, speaking as a Royal Peer, recounted the welcome she received upon moving to Hunter's Home, and of His Lordship's charisma, his warmth, his willingness to uplift others and his ability to build community. As both a Knight and a Companion of the Pelican, Sir Tarl MacLave called His Lordship one of the most chivalrous people he knows, whose prowess is even more impressive given that he has been fighting with his off-hand, and that his addiction to service has, if anything, simply gotten worse and worse, as long

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as he has known him, as he does more and more to the benefit of his Shire and the Kingdom. Hearing this testimony, and knowing His Lordship's worthiness, Their Majesties were pleased to continue, and so They requested to be joined by The Most Noble Order of the Pelican. His Lordship received the ancestral medallion, as well as a personal medallion, a hood, and a hat of maintenance, and gave his oath of service to the Crown, before also receiving the blessings of the Spirit of the Wood and being named by Letters Patent a Master of the Pelican. Scroll: Lady Tyra Snarfari, with words by "some guy in a hat" (aka Master Po Silvertop).

Next, Their Majesties recalled The Honorable Lord Thorstein Rifjabrótir into Their Presence. They asked whether the counsel he had received the night before had left him resolved to proceed. Upon his reply, They asked for testimony: Duke Gareth Kincaid declared that having known His Lordship since he was very small, His Grace had witnessed his whole journey and now sees the man he has become, a man of whom his father would have been proud. Mästarrina Astridr Vigaskegg, in contrast, imparted that she had not known His Lordship as long as many others, and not as "Thorgrimsson" but merely as "Ribbreaker" in his own right, but that she has witnessed his joy in making food and supporting those who cook by tending their fires. Baron Christian Goldenlock spoke from the populace, saying that His Lordship's compassion, his gentility, and his quiet but commanding presence, are an example, along with his prowess upon the field. For the Order of the Pelican, Mistress Mahin Banu Tabrizi reminisced about a boy who tossed a half-eaten apple into her camp, now grown to the sort of person who would arrange for people to go to Royal camp because "you might need help." And from the Order of Chivalry, Sir Rhys of Myles Ende, recounted meeting Thorstein while drilling and practicing footwork in the shieldwall, and that even then, His Lordship had been fighting longer than many and was a delight to watch and to fight alongside. Satisfied by these attestations, and knowing His Lordship to be worthy, Their Majesties invited the Most Noble Order of the Chivalry to join Them and bear witness. His Lordship

was draped by a coat and wrapped in the white belt presented by Mistress Katla (aka Mom) and bedecked with spurs. The ancestral chain, a lineage chain, and a personal chain were presented, whereupon His Majesty dubbed him Knight by Letters Patent, received his Oath of Fealty, and fixed the day in Sir Thorstein's memory with a blow. Promissory rock by Baron Halfdan Dansson with words by Master Kieran MacRae.

Court suspended.

In the late morning, heralded by lærifaðir jorundr hinn rotin and Magister Casimir Zelený z Stráshná skála: Their Majesties called forth Luminaria Salvadore de la Torres and named him Aethelmearc Cut and Thrust Champion. Scroll: Illumination by Caleb Reynolds, with text and calligraphy adapted by Magister Casimir Zelený z Stráshná skála. Court suspended.

In the early afternoon, heralded by Meisterin Helena Mutzhasen: Their Majesties stated their enjoyment at watching the Youth Heavy Weapons tournament, and that all the youth fought with ferocity and enthusiasm.

Their majesties called for Freyja and named her Division 1 Champion. Scroll illuminated by Baron Caleb Reynolds, calligraphed by Baroness Katherine Kiersey.

Their majesties sought out Demetri and named him Division 2 Champion. Scroll calligraphed and illuminated by The Honorable Lady Lisabetta di Rossi with words by Magister Casimir Zelený z Stráshná skála.

Their majesties sought out Morgan and named her Division 3 Champion. Scroll calligraphed and illuminated by The Honorable Lady Lisabetta di Rossi with words by Magister Casimir Zelený z Stráshná skála.

Their majesties then needed a Youth Champion, so sought out Morgan, the overall winner, and named her Aethelmearc Youth Champion. Scroll illuminated by Baron Caleb Reynolds, with text and calligraphy by Magister Casimir Zelený z Stráshná skála. Court suspended.

In the late afternoon, heralded by Meisterin Helena Mutzhasen: Their Majesties called upon Lord Skjoldr Bjorn and named him Their Archery Champion. Scroll illuminated by Baron Caleb Reynolds, with text and calligraphy by Magister Casimir Zelený z Stráshná skála. Court suspended.

In the evening, in the Great Hall: Their Majesties thanked everyone for their patience with the weather and the lack of power on site but said that it had been a wonderful day nonetheless.

Their Majesties welcomed the event staff, including Mistress Alessandra D'Avignon and The Honorable Lady Aaliz de Gant, who announced that the estimated power restoration was about four hours, and reminded all that the water pumps would not function while the power was out.

Their Majesties invited all the youth forward. While The Honorable Lord Porir of Aett Skyti carried the toybox, and the children went in pursuit, Their Majesties also announced the names of the Youth Champions, and that the winners could pick up their tabards following Court.

Their Majesties also requested that all newcomers come up to receive mugs, in the kingdom tradition of welcome.

Their Majesties also gave leave to Baroness Katerina McGilledoroughe, Pennsic Dean of Cultural Affairs, to address the populace to ask for assistance with Family Point, especially the teen evening programs and teen activities, as well as teachers. There are planned activities or volunteers can bring their own ideas. The Pennsic staff are also looking for deputies in the future to assist. Her Excellency also discussed the Mentorship Program and directed interested parties to the pennsicwar.org website for more information.

Their Majesties next understood Mistress Sadira bint Wassouf and The Honorable Lord Christofano Vecchione to have business with Master Morien MacBain. All three were invited before the populace, as well as those members of the Most Noble Order of the

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Pelican present, whereupon Morien was presented with a Pelican scroll in the form of a Mappa Mundi (or Mappa Morien) that they had created for him.

Upon releasing the Order and Master Morien, Their Majesties requested that Barun Pádraig Ó Branduibh remain a moment. Citing the unexpected and extraordinary efforts that had recently been required of him, Their Majesties declared that there could only be one appropriate action. In gratitude, They Granted him an Augmentation of Arms. Scroll: Dame Zofia Kowaleska upon words by Mistress Juliana Rosalia Dolce da Siena.

Their Majesties announced the welcome of two new subjects of Greater Æthelmearc: Ósvifr in harði and Brynjulfr Katarinsson, by mutual consent and treaty with Their Majesties Midrealm.

Their Majesties invited Lady Tara Bai, reigning Scarlet Apron champion, to announce the winners of this year's competition. For youth: Darwin; for Populace choice: Lady Eudoxia Antonia (no scroll); and overall winner: Lord Giovanni Alberici. Scrolls by Lady Tara Bai upon words by The Honorable Lady Elizabeth of Raybury.

Their Majesties received Baron Jehan le Blanc and his associates, who presented the Crown with one dozen long guns to be used for the Rapier Army at Pennsic.

Their Majesties also invited Baronessa Violeta, representing the Moneyers' Guild, to present Them with coins to be used through the reign.

Their Majesties announced the installation of Luminaria Salvadore de la Torres as new Cut and Thrust Champion, and Lord Skjoldr Bjorn as the new Archery Champion. Scrolls as above.

Following this, Their Majesties desired to speak with Lord Duncan MacAngus of Skye. Noting with joy his presence and increasing skill upon the field, They were pleased to name him a Companion of the Order of the Golden Alce. Scroll: Baron Caleb Reynolds.

Their Majesties next sought Lady Eliza Allison. Having heard good words of

her contributions to both the Shire of Hunter's Home and the Barony of St. Swithin's Bog, They were pleased to name her a Companion of the Order of the Keystone. Scroll: Lady Ædiva Cratorne.

Their Majesties asked to be attended again by Lord Giovanni Alberici. Word having reached Them about the numerous kitchens and events at which he has assisted, They declared it proper and right to name him a Companion of the Order of the Keystone. Scroll: Mistress Arianna of Wynthrope.

Their Majesties wished next to receive Ima'nishi-Jū shichi-i Gen'ichi le'sada. Being mindful of his efforts in the bardic arts, specifically storytelling, and serving as Baronial Bardic Champion, They deemed it suitable to name him a Companion of the Order of the Sycamore. Scroll: Baroness Katherine Kiersey.

Next, Their Majesties called Lord Eoghan of Ferns before Them. Noting that he recently attained the rank of Ranger in the Foresters Guild, thus demonstrating multiple talents, They felt it only proper to name him also a Companion of the Sycamore. Scroll: Illumination by Katharina of Twin Moons, calligraphy and text adapted by Magister Casimir Zelený z Strážná Skála.

Following this, Their Majesties requested to be attended by The Noble Order of the Gage. They shared Their pleasure that the Order has so many honorable and fearsome fighters, but yet, They had heard with clarity, and could not agree more with, the wishes of the Order to add one more to their ranks. Thus, They demanded that The Honorable Lady Sváva Jorudottir be brought before Them for induction, to the thunderous acclaim of both the Order and the populace. Scroll by Baroness Katherine Kiersey.

Their Majesties required that the Gage Clerk, Baron Halfdan Dansson, remain before the throne. Likewise, They had heard goodly reports of His Excellency, which They Themselves had had many occasions to corroborate. Therefore, They called before Them the Most Noble Order of the Chivalry and upon their assent, directed His Excellency to an-

swer Their Writ at a mutually convenient time and place. Scroll (not a rock!): Baroness Umbriana Campana upon words by Hersir Snorri skyti Bjarnarson. (Immediately upon showing Baron Halfdan a special glow-in-the-dark detail on his scroll, power was restored and the lights came on!)

At this time, Their Majesties granted the boon of Baron Brandubh Ó Donnghaile, who requested assistance with his "troublesome" protégé, The Honorable Lord Owen Tegg. His Excellency's complaint centered around the many hours His Lordship spends teaching, running scriptoria, and creating scrolls, as well as taking on the rôle of Baronial Signet, and that His Excellency could no longer craft sufficient challenges to set him. Their Majesties agreed and requested that His Lordship Owen join Them to discuss an appropriate new task. Declaring that His Lordship's service was in fact significant artistic accomplishment, They decreed that the new challenge His Lordship should undertake would be to contemplate elevation into the Most Noble Order of the Laurel, at a time mutually agreeable. Scroll: Magister Ceindrech verch Eilidir, upon parchment made by Mistress Abigail Kelhoge, using ink made by The Honorable Lord Owen Tegg, with words by Baron Brandubh Ó Donnghaile.

Thereafter, Their Majesties desired that Mistress Shirin al-Susiyya present herself to give answer to the Writ issued to her previously, in the matter of induction into the Most Noble Order of the Pelican. With her desire to continue expressed, They heard words of support. Sir Finn Marland O'Shannon, speaking as a member of the Chivalry, offered his eyewitness account of the many hours Mistress Shirin labored while Signet, and the coordination she continues to provide as Backlog Signet. On behalf of the Laurels, Mistress Graidhne ni Ruaidh attested to the artistry Mistress Shirin pours into every scroll, and the ways in which she made her efforts on behalf of the signet appear effortless, when it is anything but. From the Order of Defense, lærifaðir jorundr hinn rotinn praised her leadership and willingness to adapt the responsibilities of the office, including the creation and use of the Order placards used in Court. Royal Peers Duchess

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Juliana Delamere and Duke Gareth Kincaid, spoke of the ease that working with her brought, her quiet, gentle way of making magic happen, and that hers is a job that can burn one out quickly, that goes largely unnoticed if done well, but that is highly visible if it is not going well, and Their Graces attested that Mistress Shirin was able to do the job very well, even when the Crown threw unexpected awards and assignments to her with little to no notice, demonstrating her tenacity and her forbearance. Finally, Master Angellino the Bookmaker, representing the Order of the Pelican, described how her many actions, large or small, have been ripples that spread among the community and reveal her as an example to all. Hearing this testimony, Their Majesties pronounced Themselves well satisfied and called for the Most Noble Order of the Pelican to join them. Whereupon, Mistress Shirin was vested with a household medallion, the ancestral medallion, and a personal medallion, as well as a mantle of her own making, and renewed her Oath of Service. Scroll in progress by Nikolai Vasiliev.

Before releasing the Order, Their Majesties noted that They wished to add another person to their ranks and requested Baron Andriú mac Domhnaill to come before the throne. For his exemplary service to youth programs and to the Barony of Thescorre, and with the acclaim of the Order, They bid Their Excellency by means of Writ to choose an acceptable date upon which to sit in contemplation of inclusion in the Most Noble Order of the Pelican. Scroll: The Honorable Lady Gwen Cooke upon words adapted by Baroness Nuzhah bint Saleem.

As the Order dispersed, Their Majesties, spying Mistress Irene von Schmetterling among them, prayed her to approach, as They desired to speak with her. They reminded all of the many, many years of service she has rendered to the fencing community, including training youth, hosting book club, and her longstanding attention to the historical forms of fence. Further, they imparted that many others had expressed their regard for her skills as well. To that end, Their Majesties welcomed all members of the Most Noble Order of Defence there present, and

entreated Mistress Irene to return at a mutually agreeable date to give her answer, whether she would be inducted to join them. Scroll: Magister Ceindrech verch Eilidir, upon parchment made by Mistress Abigail Kelhoge, using ink made by The Honorable Lord Owen Tegg, with words by Master William de Montegilt.

Their Majesties addressed the populace regarding the anticipation of the new Peerage for ranged specialties: the Most Noble Order of the Mark. Each kingdom had been charged with choosing the three people who would head the Order. Before naming the individuals chosen to be Æthelmearc's principals, Their Majesties requested that all members of the Noble Orders of the Scarlet Battery, the Scarlet Guard, and the White Horn rise or raise their hands. They then asked for all who participate in Siege, Combat Archery, Target Archery, and/or Thrown Weapons to also signify themselves. They acknowledged the efforts of these gentles, over decades, and many others in the kingdoms of the Known World, who brought us a path to this Peerage.

Their Majesties then directed the heralds to read Their Writs of Summons for: The Honorable Lady Rosalia Iuliana Andre, The Honorable Lord Godzimir the Golden, and Master Morien MacBain. They directed all three to present themselves, if possible, at the Inn of the Scarlet Guard on June 7, that they may be created Companions of the Most Noble Order of the Mark on the same date as all other Principals throughout the Known World. All three scrolls by Master Kieran MacRae, using walnut ink made by The Honorable Lady Nichola Beese.

Their Majesties gave leave to Meisterin Helena Mutzhasen, Silver Buccle Herald, to conduct Heraldic business. She thanked the outgoing Golden Alce Herald, The Honorable Lady Dorothea Stark Schütz, for her service, and invested her replacement, Lady Arthes MacLeod, as the new Golden Alce Herald.

Her Majesty then named Master Kieran as Her inspiration of the day, for his discretion while entrusted with the top-secret task of creating the Mark writ scrolls and protecting their confidential-

ity right up to the final preparation for Court.

Their Majesties invited forward all scribes and wordsmiths who had contributed to the weekend's Court, to select supplies from the scribal toybox. His Majesty also presented those scribes who had not yet received one with a Titivillus talisman and further presented all the contributors with book charms for each scroll they had helped to create.

Finally, Their Majesties thanked all for their patience, wished all to enjoy the remainder of the event, and safe travels home.

There being no further business, Court was closed.

Faithfully Submitted,
Gwendolyn the Graceful, Brehyres (OL, OP) Jewel of Æthelmearc Herald

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