

# The Pale

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# Submission Guidelines

**ARTICLES** on period topics, history, art, puzzles, SCA life, bardic stories and the like are welcome additions to *The Pale*. A 500- to 1000-word article will usually fit in one issue; longer articles will be split into multiple parts to appear in successive issues. Submit the file in MS Word .doc format along with an SCA Creative Release form. Send the images used in the article as separate files using the format described below.

You must cite all references, quotations and sources in your article using the Chicago Manual of Style format. Sample citations are located here: [www.chicagomanualofstyle.org/tools\\_citationguide.html](http://www.chicagomanualofstyle.org/tools_citationguide.html). Citing sources is very important to avoid accusations of plagiarism and legal action for copyright violation.

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# From Their Royal Majesties

## Greetings Midrealm!

In the glow of a truly magnificent Crown Tournament, Our hearts are filled with joy. We offer Our most enthusiastic congratulations to Their Highnesses Rutgur and Ceinwen, whose skill, grace, and unwavering spirit have rightfully lifted them to the honor of the Heirs' Coronets. The Dragon Throne will flourish beneath their wisdom and virtue, and We invite all good gentles to join Us in celebrating their well earned triumph.

This past weekend also shone brightly with the splendor of the Kingdom Arts & Sciences Faire, a testament to the boundless creativity and dedication of the artisans of the Midrealm. From the humblest stitch to the most intricate illumination, the ring of the forge and the resonance of song, you have shown once more that the Dragon's spirit is brilliant in craft, scholarship, and imagination. We thank every entrant, judge, volunteer, and supporter who breathed life into this magnificent display of skill.

As the seasons turn and the great drums of Pennsic War begin to echo

across the horizon, We call upon the strength and unity of Our Realm. Let the Dragon Army rise with pride - fighters, fencers, archers, artisans, scouts, cooks, water bearers, camp mates, and cheer bringers alike. Each of you is a vital thread in the tapestry of Our success. Whether you take the field in armor or uplift the Kingdom through service, song, or support, know that you carry the honor of the Midrealm with you.

Let us go forth to Pennsic with courage in Our hearts and the fire of the Dragon blazing bright. May this War bring triumph, joy, and memories that will echo through the years to come.

Stand tall, Middle Kingdom. The Dragon rises!

In service to the Dream and to you,

*Louis & Sadb*

**Rex et Regina**



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# From Their Royal Highnesses

**UNTO THE NOBLE AND STEADFAST POPULACE OF THIS GREAT MIDDLE KINGDOM DO RADAGAISUS AND CEINWEN, HEIRS OF THE DRAGON THRONES, SEND JOYOUS GREETINGS:**

Our most heartfelt gratitude to Their Majesties for a wondrous Crown Tournament, and to those who cheered for their friends and fellows. We salute the noble combatants who would advance the favor of their consorts – blessed is a life in harness. You were truly inspired. Pageantry and camaraderie graced the day.

The bounty of the summer is upon us. Celebrate with Us, as We begin a new journey with Their Majesties. Revel in the beauty of the countryside and the air, fresh with the scent of new growth. Watch the sun rise through the mists in the forests and the sunset over the inland seas. Take in the beauty of each new day.

We admire your dedication to the Dream, and your passion for the arts & chivalry, by whatever means you pursue them.

Soon, Their Majesties summon the Kingdom to War. Though you may not think of yourself as a member of the Dragon Army, you may still contribute by demonstrating your artistry or service – and there are so many numerous ways to participate. Please consider a shift at the Gate (like Us) or contribute your time to any of the various and sundry activity points. Retaining for Their Majesties is also appreciated. Pennsic holds endless opportunities and have a fun time doing so.

In the meantime, We are proud to serve the people of the Kingdom once again and are eager to meet you as we travel the Five Regions of the Midrealm.

**In service to the kingdom,**  
*Radagaisus et Ceinwen*  
**Tanist and Tanista of the Middle Kingdom**



## Exchequer

### Unto the Populace of the Mighty Midrealm, greetings.

Effective immediately, we are now required to comp gate fee including NMR for Direct Support Professionals (DSPs) attending to facilitate accessibility for a client. For insurance reasons, they are still required to sign the waiver. The official Society Financial Policy language is: “Non-members registration fees may not be waived with the exception of disability service providers; disability service providers who are attending solely to provide disability-related services will not be charged a registration fee. This registration fee waiver does not extend to food and lodging.”

We’re still accepting applications for the Pentamere Regional Exchequer position. If you’re interested, please send me a resume/CV listing any relevant experience, both SCA and “real world”. More information can be found on the Kingdom Job Openings page at [www.Midrealm.org](http://www.Midrealm.org).

If you are interested in becoming Kingdom Exchequer when my term ends in 2028, please contact me and we can discuss the requirements and the possibility of serving as a deputy until that time. It seems like a long way off, but those two years can go by very quickly, and I’d love to have a robust succession plan in place well ahead of time.

I’ll be continuing Exchequer Round Tables at various events throughout all regions. If you are unable to meet with me in person, please feel free to email me at [exchequer@midrealm.org](mailto:exchequer@midrealm.org) with any questions, comments, or suggestions.

As always, be kind to your local exchequer (well, be kind to everyone) and enjoy the summer event season made possible by your hard working gate staffs!

**In service,**  
*Dai Gerdur*  
**Exchequer of the Middle Kingdom**



## Minister of Arts and Sciences

### Cześć Midrealm!

As I am writing this, we just completed the Kingdom A&S Faire, and it was amazing!

Congratulations and thanks to the Faire Staff for a very enjoyable day!

The Tournament of Arts will be taking place on June 27 at Black Swamp War Games. Entrant sign-up will be closed by the time this is published, but if you are a Laurel interested in meeting with the entrants and haven't seen the sign-up, please reach out.

Finally, this year there will be a Patronage Point for the A&S Champions Competition at Pennsic! The side that has the most members of the populace come through to see the entrants will receive a War Point. All you have to do is come through the A&S Champions on the Monday of War Week and mark yourself down as supporting the Midrealm (look for the signs for where the tally is being taken). Then take some time to look at the entries and talk to the entrants if they aren't being scored. I hope to see you there!

**Have fun, make stuff, and share what you've learned,**

*Baronowa Alzbeta Michalik*

*Minister of Arts & Sciences of the Middle Kingdom*

### Greetings Midrealm!

Pensic A&S has amazing news. We have a new War Point! The Patronage War Point

As the name suggests, it requires participation by more than just the Artist and Staff. It is about members of the populace coming to view and support the Artisans. The art displayed is well worth experiencing!

How can I help you Say?

Step 1: On Monday of War Week come to the Grand Hall and view the art.

Step 2: Check in at the Patronage table and have yourself counted toward the War Point.

Step 3: There is no Step 3. It's that easy!

Come one and all for the Midrealm and her Allies to see fabulous art entries. The principal kingdom and allies which have more Crowns and Populace attend the A&S competition, wins the war point!

**In Service,**

*NE Anne Mulligan, O.L.*

*Midrealm Patronage War Point*

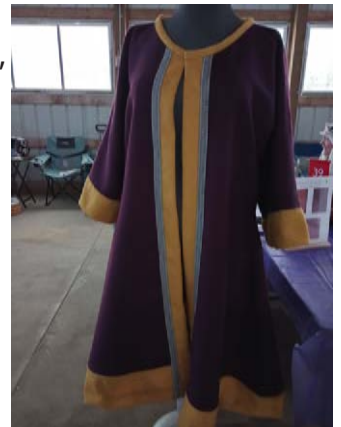
## Middle Kingdom Arts and Sciences Faire A.S. LXI (2026)

I had the privilege to sit down with each of the single-entry participants in this year's Kingdom A&S Faire, so I thought I would not only share information and photos for each, but also include one of the things I learned during our conversation. Unfortunately, the five entrants for the Pentathlon were so busy, I didn't have a chance to talk with them. But, I still have information and photos for their entries to share. If you are interested in learning more about any of the entries, reach out to me at kmoas@midrealm.org, and I will put you in contact with the entrant. Enjoy!

Baronowa Alzbeta Michalik, OP, OL, KMOAS

*At right is one of the pentathlon entries, a wool coat in the made object category, entry from Alianor "Aliyah" bat Asriel. Other entries include: Research: Aliyah's Closet - I Have Nothing to Wear; Food and Beverage: Called "Dibs" - Grape Syrup: Vinegar's Sweet Cousin; Demonstration: The Chicken of Forgiveness; Research: Pooh, Pooh, Pooh! The Influence of Ayin Ha'ra (Evil Eye) on Jewish Communal Practice.*

*Please see page 9 for photos from the Faire. All photo from the Faire courtesy of Baronowa Alzbeta*





## Dragon Herald

### OYEZ!

Good Gentles, Pennsic is nearly upon us! Pennsic is an amazing opportunity to display your heraldry on shields, banners, and badges. If you have not already, there is plenty of time to bedeck your camp and person with displays of your heraldry! Don't have heraldry? The kind heralds at Pennsic Herald's Point will be happy to help. Some of the most skilled heralds in the Society travel

to Pennsic and are happy to spend their time volunteering to help you find your perfect name, device, or badge. Herald's Point is near Newcomer's Point.

While heraldry is never needed to play in the SCA, it can be a fun way to deepen your immersion in the SCA, and engage with your persona. We hope to see you there.

**Fimbriated argent,**

*Kallinikos Gaurus*  
**Dragon Herald**



## Chronicler

### Unto the populace of the Middle Kingdom, greetings.

Now that July is here, at every event or meeting I attend I see people working on projects in preparation for Pennsic. While there, many will serve on the field, on the range, in the more peaceful arts, or behind the scenes to make the magic happen. The behind the scenes parts are an essential component of what we do.

Holding an office is a wonderful way to help keep things running smoothly, and to serve the Kingdom through one's time and talents. That is why I am writing to you. We are still in need of someone to serve as the South Oaken Regional

Chronicler. Prior Chronicler experience is useful but not required. Being organized, having basic knowledge of office software, and project management skills would all be extremely helpful. If you are interested in serving the Kingdom in this capacity, please send me a resume/CV listing any relevant experience, both in the SCA and in the modern world. If you aren't sure and would simply like to know more, I am happy to answer questions about what being a regional chronicler entails. If being a Chronicler doesn't sound like the right fit, there are several other open roles as well. Please consider serving behind the scenes by volunteering for an office. Service breathes life into the Dragon!

**In service,**

*Mistress Elwynor ferch Alwyn*

## Congratulations

to these Midrealm Peers celebrating milestone anniversaries this month:



### 30 Year Anniversary

Master Jhondo Oakenshield, Order of the Pelican – June 22, 1996  
Sir Curnan Wesley Macleod, Order of the Chivalry – June 29, 1996

### 15 Year Anniversary

Mistress Helewyse de Birkestad, Order of the Pelican – June 25, 2011

### 10 Year Anniversary

Viscount Kith Von Atzingerk, Order of the Chivalry – June 21, 2016  
Mistress Bianca Rosamund, Order of the Pelican – June 25, 2016

For more information on the History of the Middle Kingdom (a work in progress) please visit <https://history.midrealm.org/>

— Forester Cadfan of the Autumn Wood, Middle Kingdom Historian



## Chatelaine

### Greetings to all Midrealmers, far and wide!

I'm excited to announce some amazing people joining Team Chatelaine - please put your hands together for these truly impressive volunteers coming on board as Regional Chatelaines. In the western corner, representing the Midlands, we have Baroness Epona Brodin! She's got the plans, she's got the knowledge, and she's going to take things to a whole new level. Joining from North Oaken we have Warder Fatima bint Malik, flexing their skills that pay the bills to support that region so well they won't even know what hit them. And for South Oaken, Mistress Katarina Peregrine is going to step up and show us how it's done. An expert documentarian, she'll be leading the effort to create new guides and templates to help chatelaines do their best work. They'll all be joining forces with The Honorable Lord Oscar Von Lindau, the newly minted, but always fabulous, Constellation Regional Chatelaine, and the super spectacular Baroness Soffke Stoterogghen of Pentamere.

But wait, that's not all! The Honorable Forester Saradwen Ariandalen is joining as Special Deputy for Senior Engagement to be the voice of our

senior populace and potential members as we try to find more ways to support them. To that end, we will also be launching a Kingdom survey later this year to better understand who the populace of the Midrealm really is at this moment in time, how they actually found the SCA, and what keeps all of you active so we can communicate and engage people where they really are. Organizing that effort with me is Special Survey Deputy Ollamh Brendan O'Corraidhe, OL, MoSS.

If this sounds like a dream team to you, you could join us in our noble quest. I'm still looking for a few other positions: Baroness Soffke would like to step down as Pentamere Regional and I'd like to find special deputies for family and young adult (18-25) engagement. See the job description for Pentamere Regional Chatelaine in this issue. If any of these sound like roles you could rock, contact me to ask questions or apply - chatelaine@midrealm.org

A tremendous thanks to the outgoing Regionals, and to the incoming and long-serving chatelaines. It can be an overlooked position, but what you do matters so much to the Midrealm's present and future states - thank you.

### Stay tuned for more exciting updates!

*Claricia de la Mere*  
Chatelaine of the Middle Kingdom



## Diversity, Equity Inclusion et Belonging

### Greetings to all, from the Midrealm Assistive Listening System Team,

The Midrealm Assistive Listening System is a tool for any individual who wishes to utilize it and continues to travel with the Royal Progress to help make Courts more accessible and easier to hear.

The system creates a local Wi-Fi network at the event. Attendees scan a QR code, connect through the free ListenWIFI app, and hear the speaker directly through their phone, earbuds,

or compatible hearing devices. It does not require internet access and is completely opt-in.

Signs and QR codes will be posted near Court and team members can help onboard your device. Please use headphones, earbuds, or hearing aids rather than phone speakers so the system helps without adding extra noise to the room.

Event staff or volunteers interested in helping with setup, signage, or attendee assistance, may contact the



# Middle Kingdom Job Openings

## Office of the Kingdom Seneschal

- *Midlands Regional Seneschal*

## Office of the Kingdom Earl Marshal

- *No openings at this time*

## Office of the Kingdom Minister of Arts & Sciences

- *No openings at this time*

## Office of the Exchequer

- *Pentamere Regional Exchequer*

## Office of the Dragon Herald

- *Fenris Signet*

## Office of the Kingdom Chatelaine

- *Pentamere Regional Chatelaine*

## Minister of Youth

- *Pentamere Regional Youth Officer*
- *Dean of Page School*

## Office of the Kingdom Chronicler

- *Deputy Webminister*
- *South Oaken Regional Chronicler*

Find additional information about job postings on the Middle Kingdom website: <https://midrealm.org/jobs/>

## Job Descriptions

### Pentamere Regional Chatelaine

#### *Reports to Middle Kingdom Chatelaine*

Regional Chatelaines serve as coordinators, communicators, and support officers for the local Chatelaines within their region. Acting as a bridge between Kingdom and local groups, they help keep information flowing, resources accessible, and local officers supported as they work to welcome and retain members across the Midrealm.

Core responsibilities include:

- Collecting and assembling quarterly reports from local Chatelaines within the region
- Submitting regional summaries and updates to the Kingdom Chatelaine
- Sharing Kingdom information, policy updates, and resources with local groups
- Providing guidance, troubleshooting, encouragement, and administrative support to local Chatelaines as needed
- Helping connect local officers with ideas, tools, and best practices related to recruitment, newcomer support, and retention
- Maintaining awareness of the needs, challenges, and successes of groups within the region

For those who would like to take a more active hand in shaping the future of the Kingdom, these positions will have the option to assist with or lead special projects, according to the officer's interest and abilities. If you have ever had ideas around updating our recruiting efforts or improving how we keep our people involved, this could be a great opportunity to make a difference.

Consistent access to email and ability to respond within a timely fashion are required. Familiarity with social media and interest in community-building is encouraged.

This role is especially well suited for organized and communicative people who enjoy helping others succeed, connecting ideas and resources, solving problems, and helping keep the wheels of the Kingdom turning behind the scenes. Planners, spreadsheet enthusiasts, and "let me organize that for you" types are warmly welcomed.

Please reach out to the Kingdom Chatelaine, Baroness Claricia de la Mere, with any questions or to submit your application at [chatelaine@midrealm.org](mailto:chatelaine@midrealm.org) Thank you!



Clockwise from top left:

1. Hillary of Langeford- Research: Politics, Society and the Medieval Feast

2. Achille d'Aurelio da Firenze

3. Melike bint Nikola- Research: Islamic Inspired Books of the Mediterranean

4. Mikhaïl of Lubelska- Made Object: Psalm 97 based off the Luttrell Psalter

5. Roberto Jose Alfonso Cayetano de San Fernando Toledo Ruiz y Escalante- Research: A Season of Early Colonial Settlement in San Juan: Recreating Peninsular Land

6. Runa Eikbrandrskona- Demonstration: Oseberg Sheep to Trim

7. Gaius Titius Aquila- Made Object: Toy Horse

8. Renaude Delunany- Food and Beverage: Stream to Table a Fish's Tail

Pentathlon Entrants:

9. Kathleen Redrider

Research: Carrying Sorrow: The Equine Burden in Medieval Funerals; Research: Equine Snowshoe; Made Object: Fly Whisk; Food and Beverage: Horsebread; Research: Horsehair Fishing Line (pictured)

10. Mieczko the Swift of Jaroslaw  
 Demonstration: The Birth of the Serpent (pictured);  
 Research: Music in the 16th Century Danish Royal Court; Made Object: The Renaissance Rackett;  
 Performance: Songs from the Court of the King;  
 Performance: Two Alta Capella Songs from the 15th Century

11. Zuriel Aurelius Nightshade  
 Food and Beverage: Blackberry Melomel (Morath);  
 Made Object: Brickstitch Pouch (Embroidery); Food and Beverage: Cyser/Cider (Apple Mead); Made Object: Mary, Queen of Scots – Zydrach; Research: Study of Mary, Queen of Scots prison embroideries (pictured)

*Not pictured AnneLyse van Gavere. Research: Examination of female attire and its influencing factors in early Anglo-Saxon Kent; Caristonia Ainslie, Food and Beverage: Aqua Vitae; Sa'id Al Absari, Made Object: The Tale of the Champion Delivered; Vladimir Igorevich, Food and Beverage: Sharab al-Sha'ir*

## **Court Report for Royal Court of Their Majesties Sascha and Kemma at The Coronation of Louis II and Sadb II in their Barony of Sternfeld, on 04 May 2026 (AS 61).**

**HERALDS:** Kallinikos Gavras, Andreas Blacwode, Meadhbh Ballach ingen Eochada, Edward the Stranger

**SIGNET:** Helena Sibylla

King: Louis LeCoffrier

Queen: Sadb ingen Donnchadha

Order of Defense: Diego Matias de Vargas

Court Barony: Sigismund Skjaldarberi

Order of the Red Company: Kelmain Nightstalker

Grant of Arms: Kallinikos Gavras

Award of the Purple Fret: Dana Crochenydd

Award of Arms: Eloise St. Martin, Hazel St. Martin, Maggie St. Martin, Olwyn of Lynby

Award of the Doe's Grace: Andreas Blacwode, CuMhara of Holyhead

Order of the Royal Vanguard: Almaric of Rouen Jalida al-Hasanah, Mako Hammar-Hjarta, Rom of Darkmoon

Award of the Grove: Royal Clothiers of Sascha and Kemma

Royal Augmentation of Arms: Zahra Tesfaye

## **Court Report for Royal Court of Their Majesties Louis and Sadb at The Coronation of Louis II and Sadb II in their Barony of Sternfeld, on 04 May 2026 (AS 61).**

**HERALDS:** Kallinikos Gavras, Andreas Blacwode, Meadhbh Ballach ingen Eochada, Edward the Stranger, Friedrich Wolf-eram von Danzig, Isadore Bosch

**SIGNET:** Helena Sibylla

County: Sascha St. Martin, Kemma of The Three Rivers

Order of the Rose: Kemma of The Three Rivers

Order of the Bronze Ring: Parzival Angist

Award of the Doe's Grace: Anne Mulligan, Cerian Cantwr, Tonis van Driele

Award of Arms: Bjorn Dansson, Caleb of Saint Brutus, Clovis of Sternfeld, Donte of Saint Brutus Johan of Sternfeld, Maya of Saint Brutus, Pierre de Challiol

## **Court Report for Royal Court of Their Majesties Louis and Sadb at the Constellation Academy of Defense in their Barony of Shadowed Stars, on 09 May 2026 (AS 61).**

**HERALDS:** Siobhán an Einigh of Connacht

**SIGNET:** Maedhbh Ramsey

Order of the Bronze Ring: Maximillian Fassnacht

Award of the Purple Fret: Cristiana de la Vega

Award of Arms: Archer of Mynydd Seren, Endris of Shadowed Stars, Haroldo Celestino

## **Court Report for Royal Court of Their Majesties Louis and Sadb at the Kingdom Arts and Sciences Fair in their Barony of Andelcrag, on 23 May 2026 (AS 61).**

**HERALDS:** Meadhbh Ballach ingen Eochada, Jalida al-Hasanah

**SIGNET:** Alianor bat Asriel

Order of the Dragon's Heart: Octavia Callide, Runa Kirri, Ulrich Eisenhart

Order of the Evergreen: Ceinwen ferch Elidir O'Denbigh, Hillary of Langeforde

Award of the Willow: Genovefa Gueinnere

Award of the Purple Fret: Catherine of Deva

Award of Arms: Achille d'Aurelio da Firenze, Fiona Fabhcun, Iago of Rivenvale, Roland van Overijse

## **Court Report for Royal Court of Their Majesties Louis and Sadb at Their Crown Tournament in their Barony of Andelcrag, on 24 May 2026 (AS 61).**

**HERALDS:** Edward the Stranger, Charite Lelievre, Ezra de Barcelona, Meadhbh Ballach ingen Eochada

**SIGNET:** Alianor bat Asriel

Crown Prince: Radagaisus Vidigoia Balthus (called Rutgur)

Crown Princess: Ceinwen ferch Elidir O'Denbigh

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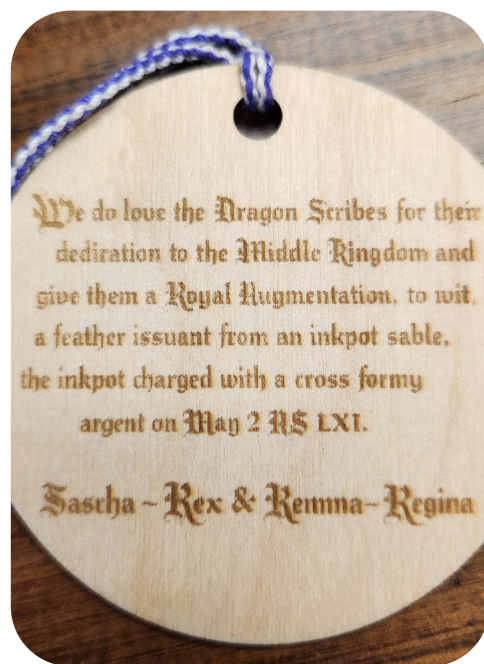
Award of the Dragon's Barb: Danahild nic Cholium

Award of the Grove: The Crown Tournament Praise Poetry Project

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(a feather issuant from an ink-  
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## JULY

**FRI. JULY 3-5**

### A Simple Day in the Country

Barony of Sternfeld  
1900 E Main St, Danville, IN 46122

**SAT. JULY 11**

### Push for Pennsic

Marche of Havenholde  
650 N County Rd 25A, Troy OH 45373

### Tyger Hunt 40

Barony of North Woods  
3633 W. Big Beaver. Troy MI

## AUGUST

**SAT. AUGUST 22**

### Known World Heraldic and Scribal Symposium

Barony of Shattered Crystal  
307 W Clay St, Collinsville, IL 62234

### Melee of the Knave VIII

Marche of Alderford  
First Christian Church 6852  
Market Ave. N, Canton, OH 44721

**FRI. AUGUST 26-28**

### Reign of Arrows

Riding of Hawkland Moor  
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**SAT. AUGUST 29**

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Feast for 40 / \$10 per person

No vendor fees

Site hours 9 am to 10 pm

<https://northwoods.midrealm.org/activities/canton-and-baronial-events/tygerhunt/>

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September Pale: Due by Sat July 25

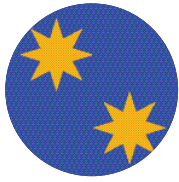
October Pale: Due by August 25

Why are the deadlines so early? Early deadlines gives the team (mostly just me) time to contact event stewards for corrections, collect letters from curia and royals, do all layout and formatting, find photos and obtain photographer and model release forms, send to the proofreaders, make those edits, and then send it to Society. Once at Society, they usually release it within 5 days if not sooner. Society has a release date of the 15th, which also allows any hard copy version of the newsletter to land in mailboxes before the beginning of the month. All of this work is fueled by volunteers while we are living our real lives.



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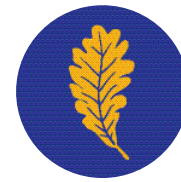
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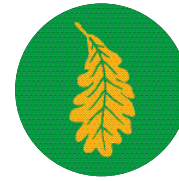
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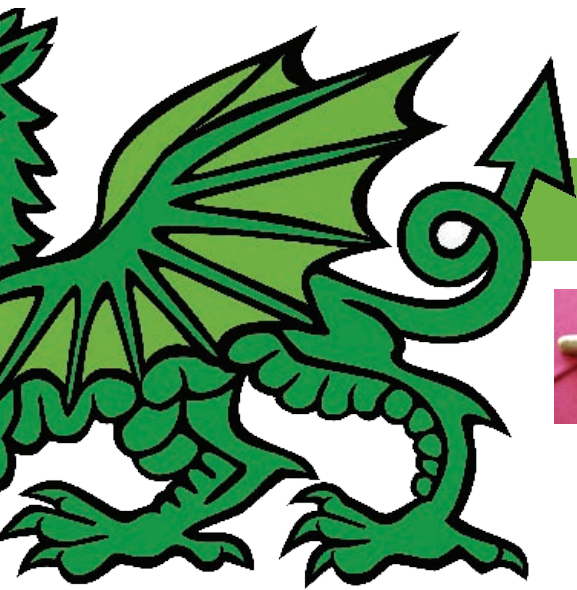
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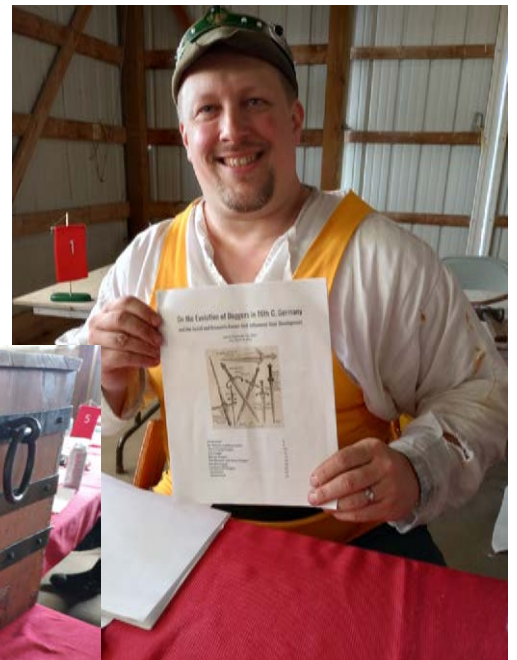
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## The Tail End



In the end, one winner of the Pentathlon was named: Reinhold von Glier!  
His entries were: Made Object: Byknife and Accessory Tools for a 16th Century German Dagger; Research: Evolution of Daggers in 16th Century Germany; Made Object: Iron Binding for a 6-Board Chest; Made Object: Metallic Scabbard for a 16th Century German Dagger; Performance: Unser Liebe Fraue