OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE MIDDLE KINGDOM



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_ citation guide. html. Citing sources is very important to avoid accusations of plagiarism and legal action for copyright violation.

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EVENT NOTICES (ads) must be published in *The Pale* for events at which any of the following occur: Crown and Coronet tournaments, coronations and investitures, appointment of Kingdom or Principality officers, presentation of awards and titles, proclamation of law, establishment or advancement of branches. These activities cannot take place unless a complete event notice appears in The Pale, the Middle Kingdom newsletter, at least once before the date of the event. The publication requirement may only be waived in extraordinary circumstances, such as a natural disaster.

Events must already be listed on the Middle Kingdom Calendar prior to advertising in The Pale, but an event listing on the Middle Kingdom Calendar does NOT constitute "official publication". Incipient groups must submit a scan of the sponsorship form to the Editor. Event submissions to the Kingdom Calendar should be submitted through the online form available on the calendar page. Contact the Middle Kingdom Calendar Secretary at calendar@midrealm. org with any issues. Middle Kingdom events receive free event ads that run in the next issue unless otherwise specified. Out-of-Kingdom events and merchants pay the listed rates.

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WITHOUT EXCEPTION, EVENT NOTICES MUST INCLUDE event name, sponsoring group, dates, times, site address, site registration, website URL, name (SCA & modern) of the event steward, and a contact email address of the event steward. Simple driving directions to the event site are useful but not required. All clip art images in event notices must have a source listed and be used in accordance with the terms of use. All artwork MUST include an SCA Creative Release form from the author(s) or artist(s). SCA Model Releases are required for identifiable persons in any image. Submissions are edited for grammar, spelling, space constraints, inflammatory or explicit language and compliance with Middle Kingdom Law. Editorial decisions are final. "Letters to the Editor" are not permitted per SCA Inc. regulations.

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Their Majesties at Their Coronation. Photo by Ursus of Vito's Minions (Brian Stoneman).

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From Their Royal Majesties

nto THE NOBLE AND WORTHY POPULACE OF THE DRAGON THRONE DO WE, SASCHA AND KEMMA, SOVEREIGNS OF THE MIDREALM, SEND GREETINGS AND MOST JOYOUS SALUTATIONS.

We stand humbled by the solemn charge laid upon Us and ever grateful for the welcome and trust of the Dragon's children, whose steadfast service ensures this Kingdom prospers in ways unmatched.

Our Coronation was a day of marvel, beyond the craft of mortal tongue to fully recount. The joy of Our Crowning was magnified by the throngs of noble gentles who gathered to share in that solemn and festive moment. Smiles, merriment, and the honoring of Our worthy populace shone forth, each soul a pillar upon which this great Kingdom stands. Truly, Our hearts are gladdened as We look upon the fair and fertile fields of Our Realm and behold the harvest of renown and goodly labor that Our people have brought forth in this year.

As We look now toward the gentler and more peaceful passages of Our reign, it is Our hope to kindle joy and fellowship within each heart. We bid all to join Us as We march forward into the winter, bearing with Us the strength and cheer of the Dragon far and wide. Ever do We rejoice to see the folk of the Midrealm walk beside Us in unity, their spirits bright, their courage steadfast.

Take heart, O most glorious Dragon Realm! For We are confident in the promise of a Midrealm renewed: eager in duty, joyous in spirit, and mighty in strength.

Thus do We remain, in humble service,

Sascha & Kemma

Rex et Regina Medii Regni

Letter from the Editor

Greetings, Pale readers,

You may notice that things look a little different around here. More modern and, dare I say, much more stylish? The incredibly talented and generous Captain Tariq Al Sanna Af Fjall has been working to redesign The Pale while ensuring the required information still fits. Not an easy task. Make sure to tell him that he did a wonderful job!

In additional delightful news, we have found our new editor! The Honorable Lady Norelle Thespiana has stepped in as Deputy Editor and will be taking over from me in a few months. She brings many years of newsletter and document wrangling experience and already has great ideas for content. Please welcome her by saying "hi" and sending lots of articles and pictures.

Happy reading!

Claricia



Norelle



Middle Kingdom Royalty et Great Officers of State



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DIVERSITY, EQUITY, INCLUSION & BELONGING

Duchess Runa Kirri diversity@midrealm.org

Letters from the Kingdom's Officers



Exchequer



Arts et Sciences

Greetings, all,

We're still accepting applications for both the Pentamere Regional Exchequer and the Kingdom Exchequer positions. 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.

Mistress Elayne, Domesday Deputy extraordinaire, will be holding a class at the upcoming RUM in Ayreton, and I would urge exchequers to attend.

Remember that if you are hosting a free or donationsonly event, you must still send in a non-member report. You'll still need to fill out the number of adults attending and number of non-members, but indicate that the event was free or donation-only in the comment section.

In service,

Aidan Blackstone

Exchequer of the Middle Kingdom

Hello!

Last month I was able to attend a wonderful Tournament of Arts. So many impressive projects and displays! And we have a Queen's Prize Tournament coming up this winter that will be exciting. I look forward to seeing what folks bring to share with us all!

I am working on reviewing and updating MoAS documents on the Midrealm website and the Documents Libraries. Please let me know if you see something that could use some attention!

Thank you!

Maîtresse Audette la Tricoteuse de Saint Denis

Minister of Arts & Sciences of the Middle Kingdom



Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, Belonging

My dearest friends,

It is with a heart full of gratitude and warmth that I address you today. Thank you for the incredible trust and kindness you have shown me over the past two-plus years as your Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Belonging (DEIB) Officer. Serving this community alongside you has been an truly marvelous and enriching journey.

The time has now come for me to pass the torch to a new, passionate leader who will continue this vital work. If you feel a calling to step into this role and help our Kingdom continue to be a place where everyone feels seen, valued, and safe to be their kind and wonderful selves, I warmly invite you to consider applying.

About the role:

This position is an opportunity to be a compassionate voice at the highest levels of our Kingdom. You will

 Collaborate closely with the Kingdom Seneschal and the Curia, offering essential perspective and

- guidance on all DEIB-related matters.
- Embrace the full, beautiful spectrum of diversity, equity, inclusion, and belonging topics.
- Nurture a network of dedicated deputies to advise and assist you, as well as build strong, supportive relationships with other Kingdom Officers across the Society.
- Help shape our future by working with the new Society DEIB Officer to roll out thoughtful initiatives and collaborating with your deputies to craft a loving and effective strategy for our Kingdom.
- Continue to foster an environment where every person feels welcomed and secure to attend our events, free from fear.
- If this speaks to your heart, please send an email sharing your interest to: diversity@midrealm.org

With so much love and appreciation for all of you,

Her Grace Runa Kirri

Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Belonging

Earl Marshal

Greetings, Midrealm!

On October 1, the Crown announced a changeover in the office of Kingdom Earl Marshal. Baron Robert Thorne has stepped down, and the Crown asked me to step into the role. I am honored and humbled by the trust that the Crown is placing in me, and I look forward to serving the kingdom. I also want to thank Baron Robert for his service and dedication to our kingdom!

His Grace, Duke Ullr, has been appointed as my deputy KEM. He and I will be working together closely, and you can expect to see information and announcements from us in the coming months. Duke Ullr and I have both served in the marshalate for many years, and both have served terms as KEM in the past. We are looking forward to meeting and working with all of you.

We are aware there has been some confusion in recent weeks regarding the new handbooks and rule changes from Society that have been announced for our martial activities and our authorization/warranting process. We will be providing as much information, transparency, and guidance as we possibly can in the coming days and weeks. Some of this information may come to you through your local, regional, or deputy

kingdom marshal for your activity. Our goal will be to make sure all information pushed out is consistent and coming from a single source of truth.

Finally, I want to take this opportunity to thank ALL of our hard-working marshals at every level, and especially our MOLs and Clerk of the Roster. When you see these officers at your local meeting and events, consider taking a moment to thank them as well; they work hard so we can all play hard.

Thank you all again and keep an eye out for updates on the Kingdom website as well as the Facebook pages of your martial activity for news and announcements.

In service to the Midrealm,

Sir Marcus Kingdom Earl Marshal, Middle Kingdom





Chronicler

Greetings from your new Kingdom Chronicler!

I would like to thank Her Excellency, Ollamh Sadb ingen Neill for her service in this office, and for her guidance and knowledgeable support.

Since I have transitioned to this role, we are now in need of someone to serve as the North Oaken Regional Chronicler. If you are interested, 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. Volunteering for a local or regional office is a great way to serve the Kingdom!

In service.

Mistress Elwynor ferch Alwyn Chronicler, Middle Kingdom

Congratulations

to these Midrealm Peers celebrating milestone anniversaries this month:

30 **Year Anniversa**ry

Sir Kelmain Nightstalker Order of the Chivalry - Oct. 14, 1995

Mistress Audrey Adelicia of Canterbury Order of the Laurel - Oct. 21, 1995

Master Zardrik Vansson Order of the Pelican - Oct. 21, 1995

10 Year Anniversary

Mistress Elizabethe Alles Order of the Pelican - Oct. 17, 2015

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

Unto the populace of the Middle Kingdom,

Good gentles, as we enjoy the fall and begin preparations for the holidays to come, I would like to take this time to discuss ways to become more involved. We are blessed to have such a pool of knowledge here in the Midrealm and I will encourage all of you to learn and share with others. For those that have been involved in making things happen over the years, I thank you. Pass on what you have learned. For those that have not yet had the opportunity to yet show what you are capable of, I ask you to step up and make your presence known. Learn and improve your talents and skills so that we may recognize your service and sing your accolades and become a better Kingdom for it.

A note on reporting: please keep in mind that all officers must report. We as chatelaines are no exception. Local and baronial reports are due no later than November 1. Any chatelaine who does not report on time will be removed from the warrant list. Also remember that the Office of Chatelaine is required for baronies, so please make sure you get your reports in.

Yours in service,

Gregory Bryant, OP
Kingdom Chatelaine



Baronial Polling

The Barony of Flaming Gryphon in the region of South Oaken is preparing to conduct a poll in order to provide counsel to the Crown regarding Their choice for the next Coronets. Polls will be available through the Barony's website for both residents and non-residents.



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

Míddle Kingdom Job Openings

Office of the **Kingdom Seneschal**

- Kingdom Diversity, Equity, *Inclusion, and Belonging Officer*
- Constellation Regional Seneschal

Office of the Kingdom Minister of A&S

- **Kingdom Minister of Arts &** Sciences
- Chancellor, Royal University of the Midrealm (RUM)
- Dean of Youth Education, RUM
- Consort's Prize Tournament **Deputy**
- **A&S Website Deputy**

Office of the **Kingdom Earl Marshal**

- **DKEM for Combat Archery**
- **DKEM for Siege**

North Oaken Regional Target **Archery Marshal**

Office of the Exchequer

Pentamere Regional Exchequer

Office of the Kingdom Chatelaine

- Kingdom Chatelaine
- First Deputy Chatelaine
- Midlands Regional Chatelaine

Minister of Youth

- Pentamere Regional Youth Officer
- Dean of Page School

Office of the Kingdom Chronicler

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

Middle Kingdom Court Reports

Court report for the Royal Court of Their Majesties Wigthegn and Neassa at Mounted War Games, 30 August 2025 (AS

HERALD: Alzbeta Michalik, Jalida al-Hasanah and Dai Gerdwr **SIGNET:** Meadhbh Ramsav **AWARD OF THE DRAGON'S BARB:** Leofric of Osprey - AWARD OF **ARMS:** Goudier the Farrier, Chase the Fox, Taran of Mynydd Seren, Tavish **MacIver • AWARD OF THE SILVER OAK:** Njord Asulf - AWARD OF THE **PURPLE FRET:** Cygnus Distellé, Irini al Kalabreea, Woad of Redspears **ORDER OF THE WHITE LANCE:** Helena Falkenstein • ORDER OF THE **DRAGON'S HEART: Oscar VonLindau** ORDER OF THE CAVENDISH **KNOT:** Briant du Ranc • ROYAL **AUGMENTATION OF ARMS - GULES.** A LLAMA STATANT CONTOURNY **OR:** Anne Mulligan • **ORDER OF THE PELICAN:** Crispin dela Rochefoucauld

Court report for the Royal Court of Their Majesties Wigthegn and Neassa at Harvest Days, 6 **September 2025 (AS 60).**

HERALD: Allegra Ginevra Soave da Napoli, Katherine Coscombe **SIGNET:** Brianne of Greenlea AWARD OF THE SILVER ACORN: Willow Auðinardóttir - AWARD OF ARMS: Colete de Harwode, Luka Radokovaia, Sara of Flame, Tracy of Flame, Cecilia Lock of Flaming Gryphon, Proinsias Mac Domhnaill AWARD OF THE WILLOW: Gunhilda Eir Filippini, Rowan hen Enaid, Ulrich Michael Schmidt, Magnus Refsson • ORDER OF THE **DRAGON'S HEART:** Fatima bint **Malik** • ROYAL AUGMENTATION OF **ARMS - GULES, A LLAMA STATANT CONTOURNY OR:** Raziya al-Zarqa', Thora Brandsdottir - ORDER OF THE MARK: Taliesin of Archenfield • ORDER OF THE PELICAN: Ragna stórráða Úlfsdóttir aka Hostilia Lupa of Vito's Minions • ORDER OF THE **LAUREL:** Wilhelm Michalik

Court report for the Royal Court of Her Majesty Neassa at **Baroness** Wars XII, 13 September 2025 (AS 60).

HERALDS: Kallinikos Gavras, Jalida al-Hasanah, Cheese Cheese, Ylva Tyrvadöttir, Canay of Ayreton **SIGNET:** Cvdeaux of Brittanv **AWARD OF THE BATON: Maximilian** Sponheimer, Nicodemus the Mask **AWARD OF THE DRAGON'S BARB: Gareth Ostwestly** AWARD OF ARMS: Shey Yamo, Dieudonne la Riote, Gabriel Goodfellow the Hermit, Peter Hart, Renard d'Lochmorrow **AWARD OF THE WILLOW: Kateryn** Styllyngflete - AWARD OF THE **SILVER OAK:** Meadhbh Ballach ingen **Eochada • AWARD OF THE PURPLE** FRET: Diego Matias de Vargas, Elaine Ladd • ORDER OF THE CAVENDISH **KNOT:** Siobhan an Einiah of Connacht ORDER OF THE DRAGON'S HEART: Reimar Erickson, Rue Brynne • ORDER **OF THE PELICAN:** Aethelwulf of Dover

Court report for the Royal Court of His Majesty Wigthegn at Pferdestadt Rapier Classic, 13 September 2025 (AS 60).

HERALDS: Milesent Vibert, Ferrus of Vito's Minions (registered name Peregrine Ferrex de Tours), Emma of Dernehelde

SIGNET: Chrysanthème des Prés

ORDER OF THE CAVENDISH KNOT:

Luzia de la Salamanca, Leofwyn Godwinesdohtir, Alli of Dernehealde, **Atreus Lofus • ORDER OF THE EVERGREEN:** Giovanni aus Innsbruck ORDER OF THE DRAGON'S **HEART:** Vladimir Grigorovich D'ragoun • AWARD OF THE **SAPPHIRE:** Vukasin Ullricr

Court report for the Royal Court of Their Majesties Wigthegn and Neassa at Fall Coronation, in the Barony of Red Spears, 27 **September 2025 (AS 60).**

HERALDS: Gilebert le braceeur de Dijon, Duke Dag Thorgrimsson, Andreas Blakwode **SIGNET:** Chrysanthème des Prés **AWARD OF THE OUEEN'S** FAVOR: Gianna Vettori - AWARD **OF THE PURPLE FRET: Rebekah** MacTiernan, Tamsin • ORDER OF **THE DRAGON'S HEART: Ceinwen** ferch Elidir O'Denbiah ROYAL **AUGMENTATION OF ARMS - GULES,** A LLAMA STATANT CONTOURNY **OR:** Sadb ingen Donnchadha, Wilhelm Michalik • ORDER OF THE ROYAL **VANGUARD:** Yoshida Takakage, Sigmund Grimborgh, Nicodemus the Mask, Maximilian Sponheimer, Dafydd Myddleton, Prudence of Colleah, Kobel "Sirius" Ladozhsky, Marellus Kilianus • **COURT BARONCY:** *Marellus Kilianus* ORDER OF THE MARK: Gwenyth Cole • ORDER OF THE LAUREL: Martin • QUEEN: Kemma of the Three

Angus Gordon • KING: Sascha St Rivers

Combatants of Fall Crown Tourney 2025

opulace of the Dragon Throne, attend! BEHOLD THE ROLL OF WORTHIES THOSE NOBLE COUPLES WHO SHALL CONTEND FOR THE RIGHT TO BE OUR
HEIRS AND THE NEXT SOVEREIGNS OF THE BELOVED MIDDLE KINGDOM.
FROM ROYAL PEERS OF RENOWN TO KNIGHTS, CAPTAINS, AND SARGENTS OF PROVEN VALOR,
WE ARE WELL PLEASED BY THEIR COURAGE AND DEVOTION, AND WE TRUST THAT ALL
CHILDREN OF THE DRAGON SHALL REJOICE LIKEWISE.

- Duke Palymar of the Two Baronies for Mistress Magrat Catte
- Count Radagaisus (Rutgur) Vidigoia Balthus for Countess Ceinwen ferch Elidir O'Denbigh
- Count Cadogan Blaydes for Contessa Ann-Marie Morgaine
- Earl Louis LeCoffrier for Countess Sadb ingen Donnchadha
- Viscount Kith von Atzinger for Duchess Arianwen Ferch Morgan
- Sir Ixtilixochitl for The Honorable Lady Norelle Thespiana
- Sir Gunnar Redboar for Mistress Finepopla Gunnarswif
- Pan Zygmunt Nadratowski for Her Excellency Maddie McRae
- Sir Crispin dela Rochefoucauld for Mistress Gianna Vettori
- Sir Criomhthann CuRua for Ollamh Sadb Ingen Neill
- Captain Dame CuMhara of Holyhead (Kope) for Sir Randolph Lee
- Sir Draenge Svenson for Baroness Nasira al-Zarqa bint Ivaz
- Sir Sivrid Brumbach for Forester Dorothea de Beckham
- Sir Victor loc Sant de Dormit for Mistress Keiley Duchem
- Master Immanuel von Brandenburg for Mistress Corasande of Starrhill
- Captain Vigfuss Mjoksiglandi for Barone Ginna Ígulfríðr
- · Captain Marellus Kilianus for Baroness Seonaid (Shonna) inghean Ghriogair
- Captain Brice Colquhoun for Mistress Brangwayn Snowden
- Captain Dyderich Wolfhart for Maîtresse Odette d'Amboise
- Captain Arnora in Skarpa for Captain Hjalmr Njalsson
- · Captain Hjalmr Njalsson for Captain Arnora in Skarpa
- Sergeant Dawood al Tayyib al Samari for Laureate Arianwen Triona Cerridwen o Wyndham
- Sergeant Padraig McLoughlin for Lady Töra Lutrlsgerdersdóttir

Sascha & Kemma

Rex et Regina Medii Regni



Images from Fall
Coronation: Gwyneth
Cole is elevated to
the Order of the
Mark (left) and the
rare sight of jousting
(right). Photos by
The Honorable Lord
Tarmach ben Yehuda
al-Khazari (Richard
Mandel).



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Sat. Nov 01

All Saints and Rívenstar 50 Year

Barony of Rivenstar 1406 Teal Rd. Lafayette, IN

Míd-Realm Bardíc Madness XXVII

Barony of the Flame 6500 W Orell Rd. Valley Station, KY 40272

Sat. Nov 08

Dancers Revolt

Riding of Hawkland Moor

3633 W. Bia Beaver Rd. Troy, MI 48084

Toys for Tots

Shire of Narrental

1029 W 200 N Peru, IN 46970

All Souls: The Wurst One Uet

Canton of Vanished Wood

202 E. Schaumburg Rd. Schaumburg, IL 60194

Cauldron et Cutlery: A Cooking Symposium

Barony of the Cleftlands

140 Richmond Road, Cleveland OH 44143

Sat. Nov 15

Midlands Academy of Chivalru

Host Group Unknown

1400 Primm Rd. Lincoln, IL 62656

Artisans' Day at Ravenslake

Shire of Ravenslake

37850 N. IL. Route 59 Lake Villa, IL 60046

Yule Feast (A Touch Early)

Canton of Hrothgeirsfjordr

1456 Harvard Blvd. Toledo, OH 43614

Sat. Nov 22 Better History Through Wargames

The Barony of Roaring Wastes 3961 12 Mile Road,

Berkley, MI

Sat. Nov 25 Pale Deadline for lanuary

Sat. Dec 06

Wassail

Riding of Hawkland Moor

495 Broadway, Davisburg, MI 48350

Christmas Tourney LIII

Barony of the Flame

404 S Mulberry St, Elizabethtown KY 42701

Sat. Dec 25

Pale Deadline for February



Midrealm Events

The Barony of Rivenstar invites you to

All Saints & Rivenstar's 50th Anniversary

November 1st, 2025

Located at Tippecanoe County Fairgrounds: 1406 Teal Rd, Lafayette, IN 47905

Site open 8 am to 10 pm. Site is Dry, indoor facilities, handicap accessible, close proximity to restaurants

Registration: Adults: \$30, Member Discount: \$10 Children (17 and under): Free

Activities: Heavy Armor & Fencing Tournaments, A&S Classes, Children's Activities, History Display

Autocrat: Enkara of Rivenstar (Ann Delchambre) (765) 543-1881, email: enkara.ronee@gmail.com

Reservations: Françoise Katze (Ann Nordmeyer-Longcor) Make checks payable to "SCA Inc. - Barony of Rivenstar" Address: 4955 State Road 26 W, West Lafayette, IN 47906, email: ldyfrancoise@netzero.net

Merchants: No fee, indoor space available

See our website: rivenstar.midrealm.org

The Canton of Vanished Wood presents...

All Souls: The Wurst One Yet

Come join us for a day of fighting, learning, and fun, including martial and A&S activities and a special lunchtime feast!

Saturday, November 8, 9:30 AM-4:00 PM St. Peter Lutheran Church, 202 E. Schaumburg Rd., Schaumburg, IL 60194

Cost: Adult: \$10 Members, \$20 Non-members; Child (6-17) \$5, 5 and under free.

Event Steward: Lady Thorunn Ivarsdottir (Emily Torricelli) ectorricelli@gmail.com

See https://vanishedwood.midrealm.org/allsouls/ for more details.

Mid-Realm Bardic Madness XXVII

Hosted by the Barony of the Flame November 1, 2025 9AM-9PM

A Day Filled of Bardic Fun and Community! With a variety of challenges for shared song, story, poem, prose, script & more, classes, a concert, followed by an evening social bardic circle.

All are welcome, no matter one's Kingdom or experience level, whether bard or not, to participate or just to enjoy the live entertainment.

(*note: The challenges are NOT competitions!*)

Location:

South Jefferson Christian Church 6500 W Orell Rd, Valley Station, KY 40272



Registration: Adult Member: \$15 Adult Non-Member: \$25 17 and Under: Free! Feast: \$20



Event Steward:

TH Ra'isa Raziya al-Zarqa' (Kim Garnett) scribalcoffee@gmail.com

Website:

https://sites.google.com/site/bardicmadnessmid/bardic-madness-XXVII

The Riding of Hawkland Moor Presents

Dancers Revolt

Saturday, 08 November 2025 10:00 AM – 10:00 PM

Northminster Presbyterian Church 3633 W Big Beaver Rd, Troy, MI 48084

Dancing, dancing, and MORE dancing!

Live musicians! Choral set! Italian, English Country sets! Modern music set!

There will be fighting after feast if there is time. Dinner will be flat bread with cheese (pizza)!

Registration: Adults \$20 (\$10 for members) Children (0-17) FREE

Steward: Master Gwenllyen the Minstrel MKA: Janet Scheltema

4262 Dickson Dr, Sterling Hts, MI 48310 hollyharpist@yahoo.com / 586-604-0873 Mail pre-reg to above address payable to: SCA, Inc~The Riding of Hawkland Moor

Or just pay at the gate

https://northwoods.midrealm.org/activities/canton-andbaronial-events/dancersrevolt/

lllidrealm Events

The Barony of the Cleftlands Presents



A Cooking Symposium

Join us in celebrating historical food! Enjoy cooking challenges, culinary classes galore, and more.

When: Saturday, November 8 2025 Gate opens at 9; site closes at 6 Where: Good Shepherd Family Center 140 Richmond Road, Cleveland OH 44143 Registration: \$20 for adults, \$10 for members, 17 and under are free; Lunch is included in site fee Event Stewards: Mela of Cleftlands (Mela Dixon) meladixon07@gmail.com; Claricia de la Mere (Karin Strippel) clariciadlm@gmail.com

Start your ovens and learn more on our website:

https://events.cleftlands.org/symposium/

The Shire of Ravenslake welcomes all to a fun-filled day of education & enjoyment of the arts & sciences at

Artisan's Day 2025

15 November 2025 from 8:30a - 6:00p

Lake Villa Township Community Center

37850 N. IL. Route 59 Lake Villa, IL 60046

Navigation app users: Type in the actual address or you may be misdirected.

Adult (16+): \$25; Member Discount: \$15 Youth (6-15): \$8; 5 and under: \$0 Family (2 Adult Members, 2+ youth): \$46

Event Stewarts: THL Margrett Norwoode of Bristol (Kerri-Ellen Kelly) and THL Metylda of Ravenslake (Julie De Reu) (metylda@gmail.com)

For the most updated information, please visit: http://www.ravenslake.org/events/artisans-day

Toys for Tots

Hosted by the Shire of Narrental

November 8, 2025 9:00am to 11pm Miami Co. 4-H Fairgrounds, 1029 W 200 N, Peru, IN 46970

Adult reg. \$20, Adult Member Discount reg. \$10 Children 0-9 free, 10-17 free, but donation of a new unopened toy would be appreciated.

Lunch is \$5, or \$3 with donation of a new, unopened toy.

Heavy and Rapier tournaments. Entry to each tournament is a new, unopened toy.

Event Steward: Sergeant Dawood al Tayyib al Samari (Frank Drake)

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Event website: https://placeforstuff.net/events/2025/TfT/index.html

The Canton of Hrodgeirsfjordr proudly presents

Yule Feast (a little early) Saturday November 15, 2025

Park Church 1456 Harvard Blvd., Toledo, OH 43614 Site opens at 9:00am closes at 9:00pm

Event Registrations:

Adult Registration (non-member) - \$20.00 Adult Member Discount Registration - \$10.00 Minors (0-17) - Free

Feast: \$15 (48 seats available)

- A&S classes, games
- **Armored and Rapier combat**

Feast by Baroness Bianca de Michaleto Event Steward: Sir Sivrid Brumbach (Ricky Becker), email: rhbricky@gmail.com phone: 269-873-3641 (no calls after 9pm Eastern time)

Day space is limited - Site is DRY https://hrodgeirsfjordr.midrealm.org/

Midrealm Events



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SATURDAY, NOV 29, 2025

NEWCOMER'S SYMPOSIUM



Engage in an online gathering for newcomers to the Society for Creative Anachronism (SCA)! This exciting event offers a mix of education and camaraderie for those new to the SCA. Participate in classes on historical arts, fighting, and so much more. There's something for everyone! Connect with seasoned members and peers, engage in discussions, and make new friends within this vibrant community. We look forward to seeing you!

To sign up for the event, or to propose a class to teach, fill out the Registration Form at:

https://www.atenveldt.org/kwns-2025/

Closer to the date of the event, you will receive an emailed link inviting you to the symposium, as well as a course book for the event. Class Proposal Registration ends October 31st.

Time: 8:00 AM to 12:00AM CST Sponsoring Group: Kingdom of

Atenveldt

Location: Held virtually on Zoom

Event Registration Fees: Free

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*Time subject to change

Better History Through Wargames

November 22, 2025, 10:00 am 9:00 pm Gatekeeper Games 3961 Twelve Mile Road Berkley, MI Sponsored by The Barony of Roaring Wastes http://roaringwastes.org/

An event (and demo) where we will play wargames, which are tabletop simulations of medieval or ancient battles and wars, played with miniature figures or paper maps and cardboard counters. More details will be available on the event web site.

There is no site fee for this event.

Event steward: Niall Milscothach mka David Lame. (baronniall@aol.com 248-543-1930)

Christmas Tournament LIII

Hosted by the Barony of the Flame December 6, 2025 9AM-9PM

Join us for a day of Armored Fighting, Rapier Fighting, Crafter's Green and Merchants and end your day with a cozy Feast.

Location:

Pritchard Community Center 404 S Mulberry St, Elizabethtown, KY 42701

Registration:

Adult Member: \$15 Adult Non-Member: \$25 17 and Under: Free! Feast: \$15



Event Steward:

Capt. Reichart von Drachenstein (Christopher Benitez) Neorune805@gmail.com

Website:

https://baronyoftheflame.org/christmas-tourney-2025/

Midrealm Events

Festival of Maidens 51: All in One

The Shire of Caer Gwyn cordially invites you to teach, learn, shoot, fight, or just be here with friends who love and have missed you this last year.

We're in a huge new venue with acres of indoor space. In addition to all the things you've come to love and expect from Maidens, we're also hosting a Queens Prize Tourney and will have all day target archery!

When: January 17th, 2026, 7:00AM – 8:00PM

Where: 2205 County Rd 3000 N, Gifford, IL 61847

Cost: \$30 (\$20 member), 17 and under free.

Web: https://caergwyn.midrealm.org/festival-of-maidens-51-all-in-one/

Event Stewards: Lucius Antonius Ursus (Andrew Marks) and Lena of Wurm Wald

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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.

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October 17 and 18, 2025 Quarterly Board Meeting (HYBRID) Barony of Three Rivers, Kingdom of Calontir Embassy Suites by Hilton St. Louis – St. Charles Two Convention Center Plaza Saint Charles, MO 63303

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A new knight receives his belt from the hand (and those sleeves!) of King Sascha - at the elevation of Sir Kadas Kadakov to the Order of Chivalry at Fall Coronation. Photo by Sir Bran Cuileann (Jack Blunt). The Tail End

A final look at the Midrealm from a different perspective.

