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From Their Royal Highnesses

Greetings, Caid!

As We write this, We sit in Drachenwald amid the lightly falling snow. By the time of publication, We will have arrived home to complete Our final preparations for Our Coronation, and, presumably, stepping up amid an appropriate and enjoyable level of pomp and fanfare. We hope that the remainder of the holiday season was somewhat more restful for you than it was for Us!

We will be thrilled to be your King and Queen, and We look forward to the spring bringing a lively calendar of baronial events along with Her Majesty's Queen's Champion tournaments, War of the Phoenix, and Gulf Wars. While currently there are many exciting preparations being actively made for these events, We cannot wait to be among you all again and enjoying the fruit of the labor of so many Caidans who pour their hearts into making Our Kingdom run. We are so grateful for those who do such labor and all members of the populace who volunteer, support, create, or otherwise facilitate such activities for Us and the Kingdom to enjoy.

We look forward to a joyful reign and thank you for being a part of Our great Kingdom. Long live Caid!

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From the Kingdom Seneschal

Greetings!

It's the beginning of a new year and a new reign! The days are now getting longer and the kingdom calendar is starting to fill up once again. This year there are many opportunities for artisans and combatants to highlight their skills, spend time with friends and tackle new challenges.

Goals for this office for the coming year include bringing kingdom law up to date, working with the kingdom officers to build out their ranks and, most importantly to me, eventually finding a successor. :)

If you are interested in the current status of the kingdom, its officers and the territories, I encourage you to attend Privy Council on Sunday, January 7 in the Barony of the Angels. Details are in the Kingdom Calendar.

In Service,
Master Laertes McBride
Kingdom Seneschal



From the Kingdom Chronicler

Happy New Year Caid!

Did it get cold? I can't tell, it's still 75 degrees where I am. Though, I did start wearing a hoodie, for about an hour at a time, before having to remove it before suffering heat exhaustion.

We hit the ground running this month: Coronation and the Privy Council, Winter Weekend, Althing, the Consort's Champion Tournaments, Unbelted, and begin February with Her Majesty Mercedes' Festival of the Rose. It would not be hyperbolic to suggest there is something cool to do every weekend. And, I must confess that I love it!

I look forward to seeing many of you in the coming weeks. And, as always, if you have poems, stories, articles, artwork, or fun tidbits about Caid, please, send them my way!

In service to Crown and Society, I remain,
Beorn of the Northern Sea
Chronicler, Caid



What IS Twelfth Night? (or, "I've had an Epiphany!")

By Beorn of the Northern Sea

Hail and well met fellow people of Caid! As you read this (if you read this [do you really? Or, do you just say you do so as not to hurt the ol' feller's feelings?]), it will be about as cold as it gets in a land that is, according to land mass, mostly desert. For that reason, it is a bit unusual that we get all into the festive winter activities when, and this is true, the average January temperature for Southern California and Las Vegas is 59°. Does it get colder at night? Sure, but that is hardly "winter weather" and more like, "Woot! Time for hoodies and board shorts! Now I get to wear my Christmas flip-flops!"

So, the time in and around the New Year doesn't seem all that different than any other. Add to that we, as a collective, no longer live our lives encumbered by the whim of the Church, and days like Twelfth Night seem purposeless. In fact, we used to have

Twelfth Night celebrations in Caid every year, a different day from Coronation. But, our attempts to make the winter and summer reigns more equal required shuffling events, schedules, and traditions around and now we have Coronation and Twelfth Night on the same day. I hear tell they may switch it back at some point in the future, but that ain't the way of things at present.

The more astute of you may think Twelfth Night and "The Twelve Days of Christmas" have something to do with each other, and you would be right. The Council of Tours in 567C.E. (not the ones in 461, or 813, or 1054, or 1060, or 1163) decreed that the time between Christmas and Epiphany was just one long party called Christmastide (that Twelve Days of Christmas we were just talking about). Of course, they also said that married clergy were no longer allowed to sleep with their wives. I



Disclaimer for All Events

Although the SCA complies with all applicable laws to ensure the health and safety of our event participants, we cannot eliminate the risk of exposure to infectious diseases during in-person events. By participating in the in-person events of the SCA, you acknowledge and accept the potential risks. You agree to take any additional steps to protect your own health and safety and those under your control as you believe to be necessary.

What IS Twelfth Night? (or, "I've had an Epiphany!")

suppose the Council giveth, and the Council taketh away.

After fasting for all of Advent (and I mean the religious form of fasting [don't eat meat, dairy, or consume alcohol and be mindful of your portions] not the "you have to get bloodwork done" modern form of fasting), a 12-day celebration between the birth of the baby Jesus and the arrival of the Magi with their gifts for said same was a welcome addition to the calendar. Since then, we have added all manner of superstitions, traditions, and activities from "now it is time to take your holiday decorations down," (also known as "now we leave the tree on the lawn to annoy the neighbors") to "let's bake a bean and a pea into a cake and serve it to our friends, and whoever breaks their tooth on said hardened legume shall be King and Queen of the evening!" So, that's it. This is just a celebration for funsies as declared by the people in charge of making sure you didn't have too much funsies.

As for the song itself. This very post-period song (the earliest record we have is a broadsheet published in 1780) racks up an impressive amount of poultry and 'people just trying to get by in the gig economy' and if you tally it all up, you would be required to, over the course of 12 days, give to your true love 12 partridges, 12 pear trees, 22 turtle doves 30 French hens, 36 'calling birds' (which were "Colly Birds" in the original song¹), 40 gold rings, 42 geese (not ganders, since they are laying eggs), 42 swans, 42 milk maids, 36 dancing ladies, 30 leaping lords, 22 pipers, and 12 drummers. In 2023 money and assuming current market value for poultry and all the performers (and the dairy workers) were union, such an extravagant outpouring of affection would set you back over \$300,000! That's a lot of love, especially in this economy!

¹- You thought you'd gotten away from my end notes, didn't ya? Ha! NEVER! <ahem> The "colly" of Colly Birds is a reference to coal (as in the color of coal, or black). And since we know that the English have a long tradition of taking blackbirds and doing all manner of things with them for sport (four-and-twenty baked in a pie? Savages!), just giving them seems quite tame.

Winter Coronation



WHEN: Saturday, January 6, 2024, 9:00am-9:00pm

WHERE: Church of the Good Shepherd, 400 West Duarte Road, Arcadia, CA 91007

The Barony of the Angels invites you to celebrate with us as Their Royal Majesties Wilhelm Skallagrimmson and Lorissa du Griffin welcome Their Heirs, Their Highnesses Tryggr Jarngeir Ingvarsson and Mercedes Eirniardottir. Come and revel with your Kingdom and surrounding friends as we celebrate this glorious day. The event site will be in the city of Arcadia near the 210 freeway, hotels and motels, and many local restaurants. There will be entertainment throughout the day, scroll displays and more.

SCHEDULE:

9:00am - Site opens

10:00am - Opening Court (At TRM's pleasure)

Intermission - A Donation Lunch will be offered

Feast start time will be determined after the closing court

9:00pm - Site closes (please be off site)

EVENT REGISTRATION: Adults- \$25, Adult members- \$20. Children 17 and under are guests of the Barony. Please make checks payable to SCA, Inc./Barony of the Angels

There will be a suggested donation lunch available made by Baroness Katerina Magdalena Stoianovna and THL Jason ap Griffin. Menu will be posted via Facebook group.

The Coronation Feast will be administered by THL Bernard Stark and Baron Beorn of the Northern Sea. The cost of the feast payable at Gate is \$20. Menu will be released on December 1 and reservations for feast will be open on December 3rd. Feast is limited to 100.

Reservations will be taken via this link:

(https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdpg_jOnVtQrzWwoTtPSfF1Fkuc13700bDuQhjoeOWpPcAAPg/viewform)

SITE INFORMATION/RESTRICTIONS: This is a DRY site. NO open flames in the sanctuary and chapel, but will be allowed in the dining hall. NO smoking on the premises, including the parking area. Water is only allowed in the sanctuary and chapel. Handicap accessible. Service animals are also allowed.

EVENT STEWARD: Baron Liam Mor MacGregor

EVENT EMAIL: coronation@angels.sca-caid.org

Privy Council (Angels)



WHEN: Sunday, January 7, 2024, 10am – 2pm

WHERE: City of Hope, Cooper Auditorium, 1500 East Duarte Road, Duarte, CA 91010

Following this year's Coronation, the Barony of Angels is proud to be hosting their Majesties and the Officers of Caid at their Privy Council meeting. They will be discussing Kingdom business; if you have any, please contact the Kingdom Seneschal at seneschal@sca-caid.org.

SITE INFORMATION: The Auditorium is located 4.5 miles down the way from our coronation venue. Parking is located inside City of Hope, no parking is allowed on Duarte Road. Food will be provided.

Please note all food and drinks must stay in the hall.

SITE FEE: No gate fee will be charged for attendees

EVENT STEWARD: Baroness Fara MacGregor

DIRECTIONS:

- 210 Freeway
- Take exit 35 for toward Buena Vista
- Turn South onto Buena Vista
- Turn right onto Village Road
- Continue down to Parking Lot E

The Auditorium is located on Duarte Road. There is no parking allowed on Duarte Road and cars will be towed.

Winter Weekend



WHEN: January 11 - 15, 2024

WHERE: DeBenville Pines Conference Center in the San Bernardino Mountains, 41750 W. Jenks Lake Road, Angeles Oaks, CA

The Barony of Calafia is proud to host Winter Weekend 2024. The event starts Thursday, January 11, 2024, 5 PM and ends Monday January 15, 2024, 12 noon.

Since this site can only accommodate a limited number of attendees, all are welcome but RESERVATIONS are required.

Reservations can be made by the attached Google Doc. Please fill out one form for each attendee. <https://forms.gle/cnS4QnxnpL5XPaDR8>

EVENT INFORMATION: The cost for the four nights lodging and meals is \$220 per adult, \$150 per child (6 - 12 years). Attendees aged 13 and over, pay the adult price. However, there is a \$5 discount for adult members (\$215).

If you come up after Thursday the cost is \$180 per adult, \$115 per child. There is a \$5 discount for adult members (\$175).

Only after your reservation is confirmed:

Please make checks payable to – SCA Inc / Barony of Calafia.

Send to the event Steward:

Francena Sherburne
4142 Adams Ave, Ste 103-127
San Diego CA 92116

If you have any questions, you may contact the event steward at: WinterWeekend@calafia.sca-caid.org or (760) 747-2071 before 10 PM.

EVENT STEWARD: Francena Sherburne

EVENT EMAIL: WinterWeekend@calafia.sca-caid.org

Starkhafn Althing

WHEN: Saturday, January 13, 2023, 9am-2pm

WHERE: Whitney Mesa Recreation Center, 1575 W. Galleria Dr., Henderson, NV 89014

Do you have a grudge? Do you believe you've been wronged and seek retribution or some sort of recompense? Then Their Excellencies, Baron and Baroness of Starkhafn, invite you to come out. There will be multiple ways to seek retribution. If you seek the chance to see if the fates bless you, then there will be games of chance, there will be games of skill, and, if needed, you can seek out a trial by combat. You might even be able to have a champion fight for you if the price is right. So come on out, have some food, and have some fun. We hope to see you soon!

SCHEDULE:

Site Opens – 9am

Site Closes – 2pm

REGISTRATION INFORMATION: Adult Event Registration \$15, Adult Member Discount Event Registration \$10, Children 17 & under Guests of the Barony (Free). Cash and checks accepted at gate. Please make checks payable to “SCA Inc./Barony of Starkhafn”.

EVENT STEWARDS: Sir Sigvaldr Bjarnarson & THL Ástríðr Elínudóttir

EVENT EMAIL: event.steward@starkhafn.sca-caid.org

DIRECTIONS: Don't take the Galleria Exit, as Galleria is not connected all the way from the Hwy to the park. It is divided by a flood channel.

From the North,

- Take Hwy 93/95/515 South
- Exit Russell Rd. (Exit 65)
- Turn Right onto Russell
- Turn Left onto Whitney Ranch Dr.
- Turn Right onto Patrick (the next main road)
- Turn Left onto Galleria Dr.
- The Whitney Mesa Recreation Center will be on your Right.

From the South,

- Take Hwy 93/95/515 North
- Exit Sunset Rd. (Exit 64A)
- Turn Left onto Sunset,
- Turn Right onto Whitney Ranch Dr.
- Turn Left onto Galleria Dr.
- Pass the Whitney Mesa Park Recreation Park.
- The Whitney Mesa Recreation Center will be on your Left.

Queen's Champion



CONSORT'S CHAMPION MARTIAL & RANGED (AL-SAHID)

WHEN: Saturday, January 20, 2024, 8:00am – 5:00pm

WHERE: Helendale Community Park, 15425 Wild Rd, Helendale, CA 92342

The Shire of al-Sahid hopes you will join us at both the Martial and Ranged Consort's Champion for our Queen, Her Majesty Mercedes Eirniardottir. There will be tournaments for determining Armored, Rapier, Cut & Thrust, Archery, Thrown Weapons, and Youth Champions.

SCHEDULE:

- 8:00am - Site opens
- 9:00am - Lists open (close 15 minutes after court ends)
- 10:00am - Opening court
- 5:00pm - Closing court

EVENT REGISTRATION: Adults \$15, Adult Member Discount \$10, Youth aged 17 and under are guests of the Shire. Payment using cash and checks only will be accepted on site. Please make checks payable to SCA, Inc/Shire of al-Sahid.

EVENT STEWARDS: Dame Teka Turmanov and Kenari Aldgytha of Ashwood

EVENT EMAIL: eventalsahid@gmail.com

DIRECTIONS:

From CA-58: Turn south onto Helendale Road, then left onto Wild Road.

From I-15: Exit Avenue D, go west onto National Trails Hwy, turn left onto Vista Road, right onto Helendale Road, then right onto Wild Road.

From CA-395: Turn east onto Shadow Mountain Road, left onto Helendale Road, then right onto Wild Road.

Unbelted Tournament (Gyldenholt)



WHEN: Saturday, January 27, 2024, 7:00am – 6:00pm

WHERE: Cedar Grove Park, 11385 Pioneer Rd, Tustin, CA 92782

The Barony of Gyldenholt invites you to join them in celebrating the skill, valor, and the honor of the Unbelted Armored Combat Fighters of Caid. The theme of the day is Arms & Armor! Show us your impressive weapons, armor, or heraldic arms! The populace is encouraged to decorate their pavilions, showing off the might and beauty of combat in the SCA.

Combat will be a single elimination style tournament. A second life may be gained with submission of an Arts & Sciences entry or a period bardic piece. Entries will be on display for the populace to enjoy in a static display. After submission, fighters will be given a token to give to the list officer, redeeming their second life (If you plan to take your entry into combat, please provide a photo and a brief description of the piece for the display).

There will be a “Most Well Rounded Fighter” of the day competition. The winner will be selected from among the fighters who enter in the most of the day's events (A&S, Bardic, Chivalry). Sign up at the List table.

There will also be a People's Choice "Fighter Edition" competition. The populace will be able to vote for fighters based on their combat prowess, chivalric behavior, their beauteous armor, or even how well they die. Votes can be cast during or immediately following any fight throughout the day.

While Unbelted is a celebration of the Kingdom's fighters, all are welcome to participate in the events of the day. The theme of the day is Arms and Armor.

- A&S Display
- Bardic judges await to hear your songs, poems, and prose celebrating Arms & Armor.
- Pavilion Displays! The populace is encouraged to show off their shields, armor, heraldry, and weapons.

Food!

Both a donation breakfast and lunch will be available.

Breakfast will be hosted by the Rapier Community.

Lunch is being coordinated by Lady Elishava.

Unbelted Tournament (Gyldenholt) Cont'd



SCHEDULE:

- 7:00am- Site opens
- 8:00am- General set up
- 9:00am- Lists open
- 10:00am- Opening Court (at TRM pleasure) followed by the Tournament
- 4:00pm- Closing Court and site clean up
- 6:00pm- Site Closes

SITE RESTRICTIONS: Parking is extremely limited at the park. Additional parking is available at the nearby Pioneer Middle School. Carpooling is encouraged. This is a dry site. Please take all your trash off site.

EVENT REGISTRATION: Adults \$15, Adult Member Discount \$10, Youth aged 17 and under are guests of the Barony, but parents must still sign the minor waiver or present a valid membership card. Please make checks payable to "SCA, Inc/Barony of Gyldenholt."

EVENT STEWARDS: Lord Brynjólfur Brandsson

EVENT EMAIL: unbelted@sca-gyldenholt.org

DIRECTIONS:

From the North- Take your best route to I-5 South. Exit 101A Tustin Ranch Rd. and turn left. Go approximately 2.5 miles and turn left onto Pioneer Way. Turn right onto Pioneer Rd. The park entrance will be on the left.

From the South- Take your best route to I-5 North. Exit 101A Tustin Ranch Rd. and turn left. Go approximately 2.5 miles and turn left onto Pioneer Way. Turn right onto Pioneer Rd. The park entrance will be on the left.



Kingdom Regnum

King and Queen: Tryggr Jarngæirr Ingvarsson (Aaron D Johnson) and Mercedes Eirniardóttir (Mercedes Schuessler)

Email: crown@sca-caid.org

Chamberlain: THL Keinvryd ferch Talan (Stephanie Lockoff)

Caid Great Officers

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Arts And Sciences: Master Rebecca Mary Robynson, OL artsandsciences.officer@sca-caid.org

Chronicler: Baron Beorn of the Northern Sea, OL (Marc Barber) chronicler.officer@sca-caid.org

Crescent Principal Herald: THL Tachiba'na no Kitsugoro Takayoshi (Richard Burns), herald.officer@sca-caid.org; court business requests to courtbiz@sca-caid.org

Earl Marshal: Sir Davin Kinnard MacAilean, marshal.officer@sca-caid.org

Exchequer: Master Rycharde the Bowman (Rick

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Webwright, Office of Electronic Communication: Lord Magnus Bjornsson, webwright.officer@sca-caid.org

Other Kingdom Officers

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Chatelaine: THL Madelena Leonor Hidalgo de Figueres (Mayra Dallape), chatelaine.officer@sca-caid.org

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Youth Activities: Lady Sorcha ingen Flaind (Joelle

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Youth Combat: Lady Melles Erzbet (Beth Bird) marshal.youthcombat@sca-caid.org

Other Officers of Interest

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Secretary for the Order of the Pelican: Master Rowan Killian (Owen Shribman), pelican@sca-caid.org

Territories of Caid

For more information on the SCA in your area, please contact the person listed as Seneschal, or check the local website. For more about the SCA: www.sca.org

Shire of al-Sahid

Barstow/Victorville

Website: places.sca-caid.org/al-sahid

SENESCHAL: Sir Killian MacTaggart (Jay Anderson), seneschal.officer@al-sahid.sca-caid.org
Council Meetings: Third Wednesday of the month. Contact seneschal for information.

Barony of Altavia

San Fernando Valley, Santa Clarita Valley area

Website: places.sca-caid.org/altavia

BARONAGE: THL Griffith von Bremen (Jahaziel Berumen), baron@altavia.sca-caid.org, and THL Amabel Radleigh (Amanda Clay), baroness@altavia.sca-caid.org

SENESCHAL: Lady Sibylla de Haze (Tanya Knipprath), seneschal.officer@altavia.sca-caid.org
Council Meetings: 2nd Tues. of the month, 7:00 p.m., via Zoom

Barony of the Angels

San Gabriel Valley, through downtown Los Angeles, to the UCLA area

Website: places.sca-caid.org/angels

BARONAGE: Lord Jethro de Calce des Excortynyx, THL Katerina Magdalena Stoianovna
SENESCHAL: Sir Padraic Fraochdha Idheach (Paul Ghezso), seneschal.officer@angels.sca-caid.org

Council Meetings: 3rd Wed. of the month, 7:30 p.m., Villa Catrina Mexican Restaurant, 251 N Santa Anita Ave, Arcadia, CA 91006.

College of Voyagers (dormant)

Caltech

Website: none

For information please contact the Baronial Seneschal at seneschal.officer@angels.sca-caid.org

Barony of Calafia

San Diego and Imperial Counties

Website: places.sca-caid.org/calafia

BARONAGE: Lord Þorsteinn Arngeirsson (Jason Green), baron@calafia.sca-caid.org, and TH Lady Asa Askmaðr (Tonya Green), baroness@calafia.sca-caid.org.

SENESCHAL: THL Mattea Morelli (Melinda Morelli), seneschal.officer@calafia.sca-caid.org

Council Meetings: Every 3rd Thursday at 7:00pm at Allied Gardens Recreation Center, 5155 Greenbrier Ave, San Diego, CA 92120. Fighter practice Wed 6 pm and Sunday noon, 5155 Greenbrier Ave, San Diego, CA 92120.

Canton of Summergate

North San Diego County

Website: places.sca-caid.org/calafia

SENESCHAL: THL Carrie Bear (Carrie Bear), seneschal@summergate.org.

Canton of Tanwayour (dormant)

San Diego South Bay Area

Website: none

For information, please contact the Baronial Seneschal at seneschal.officer@calafia.sca-caid.org

College of St. Artemas (dormant)

University of California, San Diego

Website: none

For information, please contact the Baronial Seneschal at seneschal.officer@calafia.sca-caid.org

College of St. Isidore (dormant)

San Diego State University

For information, please contact the Baronial Seneschal at seneschal.officer@calafia.sca-caid.org

Shire of Carreg Wen

Lompoc and Vandenberg AFB

Website: places.sca-caid.org/caid

SENESCHAL: Lady Alice le Sage (Alice Laufer), P.O. Box 105 Lompoc, CA 93438 seneschal.officer@carregwen.sca-caid.org

Shire Meetings: 1st Sunday of the month at 4:30 pm. Locations vary; please see www.carregwen.org for details.

Shire of Darach

Ventura, Oxnard, Ojai, Pt. Hueneme, Camarillo, Thousand Oaks, Simi Valley

Website: darach.sca-caid.org

SENESCHAL: Dame Catherine Ainsdale (Kim Thaler-Strange), seneschal.officer@darach.sca-caid.org

Shire Meetings: First Wednesday of the month at 6:45pm, 1141 Callas Dr., Oxnard, CA. More information is on our website.

Fighter Practice: See our website.

Barony of Dreiburgen

Riverside and San Bernardino Counties

Website: www.dreiburgen.org

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SENESCHAL: THL Hallr brjost Starsson (Joe Belcher) seneschal.officer@dreiburgen.sca-caid.org

Council Meetings: 2nd Tuesday of each month, 7:30 pm, via Zoom.

Canton of Gallavally (dormant)

Hemet/San Jacinto, Idyllwild, Winchester/Temecula areas

Website: none

Canton of Mons Draconis (dormant)

Greater Riverside area

Website: none

Stronghold of Steinsee (dormant)

Morongo Valley, Yucca Valley, Landers, Johnson Valley, Joshua Tree, and the 29 Palms Marine Base and surrounding area

Website: none

Contact Dreiburgen Seneschal.

Barony of Dun Or

Lancaster and Palmdale areas

Website: places.sca-caid.org/dunor

BARONAGE: Lord Fadl ibn `Abd al-`Aziz al-Qahiri and Ragnailt inghean Mhaoil Sheachlainn (Richard and Dena Springer)

SENESCHAL: Lord Richard atte Valeye (Nathan Rick), seneschal.officer@dunor.sca-caid.org

Council Meetings: 3rd Sunday of the month at 2pm, at a private residence. Contact the Seneschal for the address.

Barony of Gyldenholt

Orange County

Website: places.sca-caid.org/gyldenholt

BARONAGE: Master Jens inn draumpaki and Mistress Ida Haraldsdottir (Jon and Ginger Jensen) B_and_B@sca-gyldenholt.org

Baronial Mailing Address: Barony of Gyldenholt, PO Box 1849, Tustin, CA 92781

SENESCHAL: Mistress Dýrfinna Valsdóttir (Stephanie Stone Williams), seneschal.officer@gyldenholt.sca-caid.org

Council Meetings: Second Thursday of each month, 7:30pm start time, 614 North Bush Street, Episcopal Church of the Messiah, Santa Ana, CA, 92701

Shire of the Isles

Santa Barbara County

Website: places.sca-caid.org/isles

SENESCHAL: Paul Fitz Denis (Paul Tevis), seneschal.officer@isles.sca-caid.org

Shire Meetings: 1st Tuesday of the month at 6:30, 7263 Georgetown Rd, Goleta CA 93117.

Barony of Lyondemere

Coastal area from Long Beach to Malibu

Website: places.sca-caid.org/lyondemere

BARONAGE: Baron Gareth Nikodemos Somerset (David Randrup), baron@lyondemere.org, and Baroness Alatiel de Beaumont of Readingwood (Rise Randrup), baroness@lyondemere.sca-caid.org

SENESCHAL: Dame Eilidh Swann (Cat Ellen), seneschal.officer@lyondemere.sca-caid.org

Council Meetings: 1st Monday of the month at 7:30 on Zoom conferencing. See Discord, Facebook, or email seneschal@lyondemere.org for the Zoom link.

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Barony of Naevehjem

Northeast Kern County and Inyo County

Website: places.sca-caid.org/naevhjehjem

BARONAGE: THL Liam Maclan of the Bloody Foreland and Lady Anastasiia Bela Anatkina doch' (Stacy Anderson)

SENESCHAL: Lady Aesa Thorfinnsdottir (Terri McMechan) seneschal.officer@naevhjehjem.sca-caid.org

Council Meetings: 2nd Wednesday of the month at 6:30p.m. Contact Seneschal for place.

Barony of Nordwache

Fresno, Madera, Kings, and Tulare Counties

Website: places.sca-caid.org/nordwache

BARONAGE: Lord Cormac Macleod of Ostaig (Thomas Grant Lott) and Lady Midfjardar-Dalla (Belinda Lamb), baron.officer@nordwache.sca-caid.org,

baroness.officer@nordwache.sca-caid.org

SENESCHAL: Baron Ragenald de Holecumb, seneschal.officer@nordwache.sca-caid.org

Council Meetings: 7:30 p.m., Dates/ Locations vary; contact Seneschal for more information.

Barony of Starkhafn

Southern Nevada, including Las Vegas

Website: www.starkhafn.sca-caid.org

BARONAGE: Lord Thomas Chisholm (Ralph Chisum), baron@starkhafn.sca-caid.org, and THL Catylyn verch Morgant ap Llewellyn (Cheri Morgan Chisum), baroness@starkhafn.sca-caid.org

SENESCHAL: THL Alexandra Sinclair (Alexis Stevens), seneschal.officer@starkhafn.sca-caid.org

Populace Meetings: 4th Thursday of the month at 6:00 p.m., on Zoom. Links are posted to the Baronial Facebook page prior to meetings.

Monthly Tourneys: Various Sundays of the month at 10am, location posted on the Baronial Facebook page and website calendar.

Barony of Western Seas

The Hawai'ian Islands

Website: places.sca-caid.org/westernseas

BARONAGE: Sir Edward Castleguard and Mistress Kyrstyan de la Poole, barony@westernseas.sca-caid.org

SENESCHAL: Lord Olafr inn mikli Sveinsson (John Schell), seneschal.officer@westernseas.sca-caid.org

Baronial Meetings: 3rd Wednesday of month, 7:30 pm, Windward Community College – Room 112, or via Skype conference

Canton of Bard's Keep

Western O'ahu

Website: none

SENESCHAL: Lord Andrew of Fairburn (Andrew MacKenzie), bardskeep@westernseas.org

Canton Meetings: Contact the Seneschal

Canton of Castlenorth

Northeastern O'ahu

Website: none

SENESCHAL: Sir Marco Valerio di Bartolomeo (Marco DiBartolomeo), contact Baronial Seneschal

Canton of Farhaven

Big Island of Hawai'i

SENESCHAL: Lady Shea Vonquinlan (Shea Quitevis), Contact Baronial Seneschal

Canton of Peridot Isle (dormant)

Kauai

Website: www.peridotisle.org

For information, please contact the Baronial Seneschal at seneschal.officer@westernseas.sca-caid.org

Canton of Torvald (dormant)

Southeastern O'ahu

Website: www.sca-torvald.org

For information, please contact the Baronial Seneschal

Canton of Valley Azure

Islands of Maui, Molokai, Lanai

Website: www.valleyazure.org

SENESCHAL: Sir Edward of Castleguard (Keith Demain), seneschal.officer@westernseas.sca-caid.org

Barony of Wintermist

Kern County, west of Lake Isabella

Website: places.sca-caid.org/wintermist

BARONAGE: Lord Quintus Aelius Ajax (Brian Cole) and THL Fabia Vera (Toni Cole), baronage@wintermist.sca-caid.org

SENESCHAL: THL Mico Zane seneschal.officer@wintermist.sca-caid.org

Council Meetings: 2nd Wed. of month, 7:00 p.m. Various locations, Bakersfield, CA. Contact Seneschal for current location.

Fighter Practice: Combined armored, rapier, combat archery, thrown weapons, and youth combat, Monday evenings from 7pm to 10pm at Polo Community Park. Please contact the Seneschal for more information.

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- **Society Seneschal:** Lis Schraer (Elasait ingen Diarmata) 314-941-0831, seneschal@sca.org
- **Caid Ombudsman:** Pug Bainter (Phelim Gervase) 512-329-6908 pbainter@director.sca.org

QUARTERLY BOARD MEETINGS

9:00 A.M. START TIME

Note: Attendees are asked to wear modern clothing to Board meetings.

The BoD is considering the possibility of a return to live meetings in late 2023. Groups interested in hosting should contact the Executive Assistant at ea@sca.org.

First Quarter 2024

Date: January 28, 2024 – Virtual (Tentative)

Second Quarter 2024

Date: April 21, 2024 – Virtual (Tentative)

Third Quarter 2024

Date: July 21, 2024 – Virtual (Tentative)

Fourth Quarter 2024

Date: October 20, 2024 – Virtual (Tentative)

PLEASE NOTE: 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.

Board of Directors

- **Chairman:** Mark Faulcon (Martin Lochner) rroegner@director.sca.org (President, Society Seneschal, Corporate Office, Executive Assistant, Financial Officers, Financial Committee, Census Committee)
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- **Director:** Krista Capps (Bricca di Ghelere) kcapps@director.sca.org (Atlantia, Meridies, Middle, Ealdormere)
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- **Director:** KT "Shep" Sheppard (Ulrich von Brandenburg) 256-223-3656 ksheppard@director.sca.org (An Tir, Ansteorra, Gleann Abhann, Trimar, Marshal, Peerage Committee)
- **Director, Seat C: Open**

A complete list of society officers can be found here: <http://www.sca.org/contact.html>

Caíd Calendar of Events

January

- 6 Coronation/Twelfth Night (Angels)
- 7 Privy Council (Angels)
- 11-15 Winter Weekend (Calafia)
- 13 Althing (Starkhafn)
- 20 Queen's Champion (al-Sahid)
- 27 Unbelted Tournament (Gyldenholt)

February

- 3 Festival of the Rose (Nordwache)
- 5-12 War of the Phoenix (Kingdom of Atenveldt)
- 16-19 Red Star Rapier War (Wintermist)
- 17 Western Seas Anniversary
- 24 Chivalry Tournament (Nordwache)
- 24 Lyondemere Arts and Archery

March

- 2 Crown Tournament (Wintermist)
- 9 King's Hunt (Carreg Wen)
- 9 Summergate Anniversary (Calafia)
- 9-17 Gulf Wars (Kingdom of Gleann Abhann)
- 15-17 Academia Draconis (Dreiburgen)
- 23 Angels Melee
- 23 Practicum of the Sword (Starkhafn)
- 30 al-Sahid Anniversary

Please check the kingdom calendar for the most recent information.