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The SCA prohibits harassment and bullying
Of all individual groups.

Society Law & Officer Policies may be found on the Society website:

<http://sca.org/>

Atlantian Kingdom Law & Officer Policies may be found on the Kingdom website:

<http://atlantia.sca.org/>

Please look there for the most up-to-date Society or Kingdom documents. If there is a discrepancy between any printed editions of Society or Kingdom Law/ Officer Policy or copies found on other websites and what is published on the Society or Kingdom website, precedence will be given to the most recent edition published on the Society or Kingdom website.

Event Specifics



The events herein have been registered in the Kingdom of Atlantia and have an event registration form on file with the Kingdom Chronicler.

For an event to be official, the following information must be published in the issue of The Acorn of the month the event takes place, **otherwise the event is declared unofficial** (i.e., registrations may not be collected, awards cannot be given, etc.):

- Group Refund Policy• Spell out your group's refund policy
- Date of event• Day, month, and Gregorian year that the event will take place.
- Group name• Name of the group hosting the event. Must be an official group.
- Location and directions• Name and directions to the legal address of the site.
- Event Steward• Event Steward's Society name, a contact phone number with area code, and email address. **Mundane name and address are no longer required.**
- Registration• Member & non-Member for event, with deadlines (for pre-registration) as necessary. If there is a Registration for the event, the following statement must be included beneath the \$ amounts: "Make checks payable to SCA, Inc./(group name)." If the event is free, say so!
- Activities• Brief synopsis of event—fighting, arts & sciences, merchants, et cetera.
- Site Restrictions—wet or dry, no animals, no smoking, et cetera,
- Accessibility—handicap parking & entrance/exit ramps, uneven terrain, et cetera
- Duration• Start and stop time of the event.

See Kingdom Chronicler policy in the Atlantian Book of Policy for more information.

Credits

Cover: Bishop Odo Rallying Duke William's Army During the Battle of Hastings in 1066
Bayeaux Tapestry

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Acorn Submission Guidelines

1. All submissions should be sent to the Kingdom Chronicler, by the 1st of the month.
2. Event flyers must be submitted through Spike.
3. Advertisements are to be emailed to the Kingdom Chronicler and will be printed at the Chronicler's discretion.

The Chronicler reserves the right to edit all submissions as necessary.

Chronicler
Lord Konrad Stahlh
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Kingdom Calendar

For any questions concerning the On-Line Kingdom Calendar or SPIKE submissions, please contact:
Lady Caissene ingen Fhaelain (Kathy Fletcher) calendar@atlantia.sca.org
or visit the calendar submission website at <http://spike.atlantia.sca.org/>





25—27 April 2025
Baronial Spring Camp
Barony of Windmasters' Hill

This is a multidisciplinary War Camp involving Armored Combat (including Combat Archery), Rapier, Archery, and Arts & Sciences. The theme will be the Greek myth of the Origin of Spring! The martial goal is to promote individual and team growth through emphasis on non-Peers in leadership positions. The A&S display is to promote improved camp appearances and function. There will be an intense quest for our younger attendees based on the theme of the day. Day board by the talented Patronne Murienne is included in the site fee. There is no feast.

Site opens at 5:00 pm, April 25, 2025 & Closes at 12:30 pm, April 27, 2025

Website: <http://wmhbaronialspringcamp.my.canva.site/>

Site Info: *Optimist Farm*, 2908 Optimist Farm Rd, Apex, NC 27539

Restrictions: Pets must be leashed and picked up after. Only service animals are allowed in the building. No ground fires or firepits. Fires must be in central firepit or on stone or gravel. Bricks can be used for this purpose. There is no trash disposal on site. Gentles are asked to take their trash with them when they leave.

Accessibility: This is a primitive site with grass and gravel. Handicap parking will be available. All buildings on site are single floor. There is a single step to access the gazebo. 50% of the porta potties contracted for will be ADA compliant. If you have any additional questions or concerns, please contact the Event Steward.

EVENT STEWARD: Timothy Nicholls

Email: timtfop@gmail.com

COST INFO

	Day-Trip	Feast	Camping
Adult, Member Discount Event Registration	20	0	10
Adult, Event Registration	30	0	10
Youth (6 - 17)	10	0	0
Child (0 - 5)	0	0	0

Reservationist: Dyrfinna Freyvidardottir

Email: aine0021@gmail.com

Checks Payable To: SCA, Inc., Barony of Windmasters' Hill

Cost Notes: To clarify the fee structure, Gentles day tripping will pay the Day Trip Fee only. Those camping will pay the additional \$10 per tent. Event Reservation Cancellations and Refunds; Event refunds will be provided as follows: i. Refunds may be requested for the following 1. Site Reservation 2. Camping Reservation Cancellations received at least 7 days prior to the start of the event will be refunded once the funds have cleared and may be processed at the Exchequer's earliest convenience regardless of the profit or loss of the event. No refunds will be given if the event does not make a profit in accordance with Baronial Financial Policy. No refunds will be given to those who have checked in with gate. The Exchequer must receive refund requests in writing no later than five business days after the close of the event. Exceptions may be made by authorization of the Exchequer in consultation with the Event Steward and the Seneschal. All refunds must be paid by check and shall not be issued until the event receipts have been received and all reservation checks have been deposited. No individual refund may be issued until that reservation check has cleared. All refund requests must contain the following information in order to be honored: 1. Legal name(s) for every person the refund applies to 2. The legal name to make the check out to 3. Mailing address for refund 4. What the refund is for (feast, site, camping, etc.) 5. Additional contact information (preferred, email or phone)

GENERAL ACTIVITIES

A&S: Display of methods of making camp look more authentic, either to your persona, SCA Period, or both. Includes efforts at making 21st century items look less 21st century. Displays will be primarily in Camp. Dame Mor the Merry is the Point of Contact at baronessmor22@gmail.com. There will also be a Bardic Circle on Saturday evening, and a Battlesong competition sponsored by Lord Dunstan.

Martial Activities: Armored Combat (including Combat Archery): Warlord Tourney that will culminate in a variety of melee scenarios limited only by the imagination of Lord Kalfr, our MIC. The only limitations is that Martial Peers may not assume command positions. Rapier will also have a Warlord Tourney. There will be

both Combat Archery and Target Archery. Lady Jenny Trent is our Archery MIC and has a variety of scenarios in the works, to include castle shoot, and others. There will also be Thrown Weapons. More information is on the Event Website.

Feast: A sumptuous Greco Roman Dayboard provided by Patronne Murienne and Fait Accompli. There is no charge for dayboard, but donations will be accepted. Please direct dietary concerns to her at dragonfly78@gmail.com. There is no feast.

Menu

- Akratismas:** Early Meal/Breakfast
 Teganites: small pancakes with sesame and honey
 Loukaniko: sausages flavored with orange and leek
 Froutosalata: fruit salad
- Arison:** Late Meal/Lunch
 Souvlaki: grilled chicken skewers
 Apaki: smoked pork ;oin
 Athenian cabbage: sweet and sour slaw
 Balela salad: chickpea Salad
 Moretum: garlicy soft cheese
 Epityrum: Greek olive tapenade
 Pita: flatbread
 Itrion: sesame honey candy
 Dolcia Domestica: stuffed dates
 Dolmadakia: stuffed grape leaves

Merchants: Merchants are most welcome and encouraged! There is no fee for merchenting. Please contact the Event Steward for further details at timtfop@gmail.com.

Directions: From the North via I-95S: In Nashville, NC, take exit 138 to merge onto I-87/US-64W. Travel 45 miles. Use the left two lanes to take the I-87 S/I-440E exit toward I-40/US-64 W/Durham/Benson. Travel .8 miles and merge onto I-440E/I-87/US-64 W and travel 2.6 miles. US-64W turns slightly right and becomes I-40/US-64W. Travel 3.5 miles and take the exit towards Lake Wheeler Road. Travel 9 miles on Lake Wheeler Road, then turn right on Optimist Farm Road. Site will be on your right.

From the South via I-95N: In Benson, NC, take exit 81 to merge onto I40W toward Raleigh. Use the left two lanes to take the ramp onto I-40. Take exit 312 toward NC -42W. Use the right lane to take the exit toward NC -42W. Keep left at the fork to continue to NC-42W. Continue straight on NC-42W for .5 miles, then turn right onto Cleveland Road. Turn right on NC-50N after 3.5 miles. Travel 7.1 miles and turn left on Ten-Ten Road. After 1 miles, turn left onto Johnson Pond Road. Travel .4 miles and turn right onto Optimist Farm Road. Site will be on your right.

From the East via US-70W: In Smithfield, NC, take exit 337 towards US-70 Business. travel 5.4 miles and turn left onto NC-210W. Travel 13.7 miles on Cleveland School Road. Travel 7.1 miles and turn left on Ten-Ten Road. After 1 miles, turn left onto Johnson Pond Road. Travel .4 miles and turn right onto Optimist Farm Road. Site will be on your right.

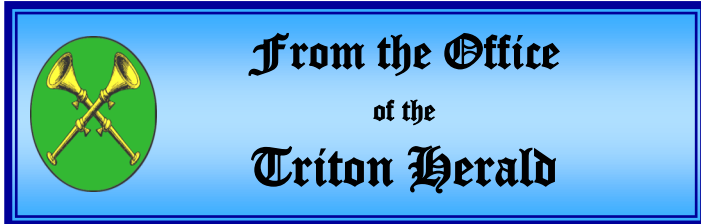
From the West via I-40E: In Raleigh, NC, take exit 295 for Gorman Street. After .3 miles, use the right lane to take the ramp to Tryon Road. After 8.9 miles, merge onto Gorman Street. Travel 1.2 miles and use the left two lanes to merge onto Tryon Road. Travel 5.5 miles and turn right onto Lake Wheeler Road. Continue straight 1.1 miles to stay on Lake Wheeler Road. Turn right onto Optimist Farms Road. Site will be on your right.



Kingdom Officer Opening
Youth Marshal

Atlantia is seeking a new Youth Marshal. All who are interested are encouraged to apply given the considerations of warranting and youth background checks. Please mail SCA resume to both Earl Marshal (earlmarshal@officer.atlantia.sca.org) and Their Royal Majesties (trm@atlantia.sca.org).

-Master Giacomo Luciano Saviour Vincènti di Firenze, EM.



Kingdom Officer Opening
Clerk Signet

Unto the populace, and most particularly, the scribes of Fair Atlantia, Greetings from Gisela Triton.

Our College of Scribes has been served marvelously by Ollam Failenn Chu ingen ui Fhaelain, Clerk Signet for four years. As is right and proper, she wishes to step out of this role. I wish to publicly thank her for the service she has given with such diligence, grace and affection. If you see her at an event or in the market, please do take the time to give her your thanks as well.

Following kingdom policy, she asked me to call for Letters of Intent from those who wish to follow her in this service as Clerk Signet. This position is an Officer of State and so her successor will be chosen by Their Majesties in consultation with Triton and others of Their counsel.

Clerk Signet is the administrative executive for the College of Scribes. Duties include, among others, the following: Coordinate with Triton, Court Secretaries, and the Scribal community; Track assignments of scribes across all skill levels, encouraging, correcting, and facilitating as needed; Organize and conduct Scribal meetings at UnEvent and other venues as needed; Ensure scribal education happens at Universities and other times.

Letters must be received within 30 days of the publication of this missive and include some explanation of the candidate's experience in the SCA and plans for the office.

They should be sent to:
clerksignet@atlantia.sca.org
herald@officer.atlantia.sca.org
trm@atlantia.sca.org

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out.

In service to Fair Atlantia,

Gisela Triton