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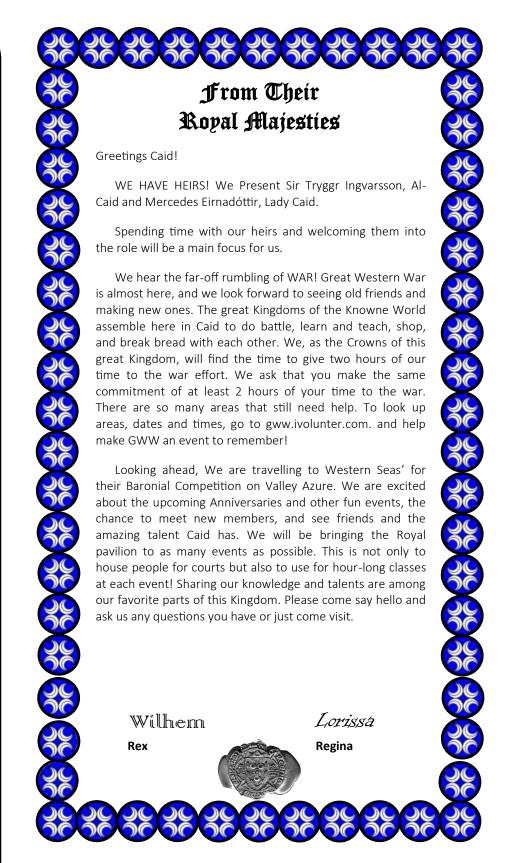
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From the Kingdom Seneschal

Greetings!

Welcome to October, a month that is marked as a time of change. Not only will we make the transition from Summer to Fall, but we have just determined who will be Caid's next Crown. I hope everyone had the time to attend Crown Tournament in the Barony of Starkhafn this past Saturday, Sept. 9 to witness feats of chivalry and skill.

In addition, Great Western War is only a month away! As always, the event can only happen with the hard work and hours of people volunteering their time and skills to the event. If you have a spare hour or two, please contact the Volunteer Stewards and see how you can help - volunteers.steward@gww.sca-caid.org.

In Service, Master Laertes McBride Kingdom Seneschal



From the Kingdom Chronicler

Greetings Caid from the Kingdom Chronicler!

Here's to wishing all Caid (and the rest of the Knowne World) an eventual cooling to our event times. Indeed, I was raised to believe that October is definitely Autumn. And yet, it sure as heck still seems to be wrestling with the tendrils of Summer.

Congratulations to the Heirs of Caid! We hope that they have all the success and support we could wish for them, and I personally look forward to seeing what wonderful things the Crescent Kingdom can do as both Crown and Coronet serve the populace!

We are charging deep into the busiest time of the calendar. Caid plays host to all the SCA at Great Western War, and then Nordwache Pirate Tourney. Calafia hosts Leif Erickson while Western Seas exerts the wonder of their Baronial Competition. Next, Altavia hosts the Agincourt Archery Championship and we end the month with Dreiburgen Anniversary (which will also play host to the second leg of the Bard of Caid competition). So many things to do, and only so many hours in the day!

Many thanks to the Forester's Guild and their article contained in these pages ethereal (and the few that are actually printed); they stepped up and saved you all from yet another article from me! Cheers!

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



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A Brief History of the Foresters Guild in Caid, and Beyond

By Fiachra an Doire

Let me start by saying that I did not create the Foresters Guild, but I did establish it within Caid.

The Foresters Guild was created in the East Kingdom more than a decade ago, as an Arts and Sciences guild focused on outdoor skills and activities. Several individuals who enjoyed backpacking, bushcraft, and primitive skills headed into the woods, in garb, and emerged as a Guild of Foresters. The guild was originally intended to portray late period English Royal Foresters, who were responsible for patrolling and securing Royal lands and apprehending poachers, bandits, and highwaymen. Today, the guild is open to any period and persona, with the emphasis being on portraying a forest user or dweller in some way, and the guild has spread beyond the borders of East Kingdom. There are Foresters Guilds in six Kingdoms, with Caid being the most recent addition.

The origin of the Foresters Guild of Caid is closely tied with my own origins in the SCA. I attended my first event about a year ago, and I was hooked. I knew the SCA would be a good fit for me, and I was ready to take a deep dive. I began to explore what activities were available, and none of the things I was seeing people do particularly resonated with me at the time. So, as most of us do, I began to research. I also began to ask myself, what do I bring to the SCA, and what would I enjoy doing if I can find people to with whom to do it?

I realized that what I brought to the SCA was knowledge- my father was an anthropologist, and my head was full of information about primitive tools and survival skills. I also realized that what I would like to do put that knowledge into practice.

I had found my first rabbit hole. I began to research and look for people with similar interests. I also began to create things. My first SCA A&S project was a pack frame loosely based on Ötzi the Iceman's pack. Today, this pack frame carries the entirety of my camp, with the exception of my cooler, my portable fire pit, and my firewood.

As I began to share the things I was researching, the things I was making, and the ideas that were bouncing around in my head (garbed hikes? Period camping and backpacking? Campfire cooking?), the response was a consistent and enthusiastic, "that's so cool! I wish I could

learn to do that!"

In October of last year, my research and rabbit holing led me to the East Kingdom Foresters Guild. I reached out to Vindiorix Ordovix, their High Warden and, asked if he had any suggestions on how to get something similar started here. He was thrilled to hear there was interest in the Foresters Guild on the West Coast, and he agreed to help me get something going here. That process basically consisted of 3 parts. First, do stuff. Hike, camp, have classes, practice outdoor skills. Second, share the stuff being done on social media so people are aware of what they can be a part of. And third, he offered all of East Kingdom Royal Foresters documents to be copied and/or adopted for use here in Caid. They have assisted fledgling guilds in a few other kingdoms, and they encourage the adoption of East Kingdom's structure, traditions, and ranks, so that there is uniformity and transferability within the Foresters Guild throughout the Known World.

I spent the winter months practicing my skills and assembling and testing gear, and sharing it on Facebook. A group of interested individuals quickly became a message group, and then a Facebook group. I also began teaching flint and steel fire starting at Dun Or's monthly Fun Or gathering/tournament.

The people in the message group had ideas... what about foraging? Natural dyes? Herbalism? Culinary arts? Are these things that could be incorporated into guild activities? My answer was yes. Any activities that involve the forest, the wilderness, or the outdoors can potentially be Foresters Guild activities.

Let me repeat that...

Any activities that involve the forest, the wilderness, or the outdoors can potentially be Foresters Guild activities.

In March, the guild had its first official event. We went for a garbed hike, and we discussed local plants and their traditional uses as we went. I believe we identified around 20 plants and their uses, which included everything from food, to medicine, to basket weaving, to bow making, to firewood. We had a total of 7 people attend this first outing.

From that first event, the guild has grown

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exponentially. At Dun Or Anniversary in April, we received a baronial charter, and I taught a fire starting class. At everyone can do long distance hikes or sleep on the Potrero War, I taught fire starting again, and we had a guild ground. Fortunately, Foresters tend to be generalists, not meeting where several people submitted applications, and specialists, and as we as a guild learn more diverse skills, two people who have been involved from the earliest days this will allow us to hold a wider variety of activities, which of the guild became sworn members- Novices in the guild. will provide opportunities for people with different Later that evening, we also had someone not only become interests and abilities to get involved. One of our members a sworn member, but also demonstrate that he meets the suggested making a raised fire platform to make fire requirements for promotion to the rank of Underforester.

and Queen Lorissa recognized the Foresters Guild as an the first of many ideas for accommodations that will make official Kingdom Guild, and an official charter document is guild activities and skills more accessible and inclusive. in the works.

- Guild Activities

camping. We, as a guild, are researching local plants that them into the group as quickly and seamlessly as possible. I can be used for food, medicine, and dye, with the intent of would love to see a wide variety of cultures represented planning a foraging trip at some point, once we know what within the guild, and rather than waiting to cross that to look for and how to use it safely. I have been learning to bridge when we come to it, I want to start laying the make cordage and baskets with collected/foraged fiber, foundations for that bridge NOW. and I'm looking into the feasibility of offering a class at - Membership, Ranks, and Houses of Merit some point. Some of our members have also discussed of boating trips-using modern safety equipment, of applications, but have not yet taken the oath. course... drowning might be period, but it's not fun. Two of a place to learn and hone the necessary skills, and to test guidance and improve their unsafe behavior. and refine their gear before the trip.

Guild activities.

traveler? Are you an outlaw who dwells in the forest to local level. avoid capture? Maybe you are an English Royal Forester location, and time period.

Another thing I want to emphasize is inclusion. Not starting easier for people who may have difficulty stooping At Spring Coronation, Their Magesties King Wilhelm or squatting down. I love the idea, and I'm hoping that it is Some of us are also experimenting with non-European and Stone Age technologies, so that when someone portraying The Foresters Guild is more than just hiking and a non-European persona joins the guild, we can integrate

As of today, we have a total of 7 sworn members. Of getting together to cook over open fires, make soap using those 7, 4 are women, and 3 are men. In addition to our traditional materials and methods, and even the possibility sworn members, we have 8 members who have submitted

The application is just a formality. Once an individual our members are planning to hike Hadrian's Wall from end submits an application, they are a guild member. No one to end next year, in garb, using mostly period equipment. will ever be denied membership or removed from the guild This is a trip they were planning before their involvement unless they have shown that they are consistently unsafe in with the guild, but they are excited that the guild provides the field or in camp, and they are unwilling to receive

The purpose of the application is to give the guild Again, Any activities that involve the forest, the leadership some basic information on members, including wilderness, or the outdoors can potentially be Foresters their SCA background, and what skills or activities interest them. This information can be used to help plan future Something I am emphasizing in the guild is persona events or guide guild discussions and research, to connect development. How does your persona utilize or interact individuals with similar interests, or to connect individuals with the wilderness and its resources? Are you an herbalist who reside within the same region or territory so they or dyer who forages for plant materials? A hunter? A can plan local outings and potentially organize at the

After members have submitted applications, there is a who has sworn to patrol and protect the royal lands from 90 day waiting period before they can swear the Forester's poachers and bandits... the emphasis in the guild is on Oath. Again, this is a formality. It's a trial period, a time of figuring out your persona's connection to the land, and contemplation. It's an opportunity for individuals to see if learning and developing skills appropriate for your persona, the guild is a good fit for them, and if they are a good fit for the guild. Again, our goal is to be as inclusive as possible,

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from participating.

to advance in rank or hold office within the guild, and if projects are quite involved, from the research behind there is a reason that someone is not able to swear the them, to the planning and execution of the project, and oath, due to personal religious beliefs, or other oaths that often take several years to complete. may be seen as exclusive or conflicting, or any other - Looking Forward circumstances, we can do an affirmation insted of an oath.

affirmation, they are ranked as a Novice and can begin in other baronies as well. I am always willing to work with working toward rank advancement. The ranks within the people at the local level to help get things up and running. guild are Novice, Underforester, Forester, and Master We are looking forward to Great Western War. It's going to Forester. The requirements of each rank are progressively be a busy war for the Foresters Guild. We're doing a more challenging and more involved, encouraging Constable shift on Friday, focusing on fire safety as we members to increase their knowledge, improve their skills, make our rounds. We hope to have another fire starting develop their persona, and improve both the efficacy and class. We are going to have a Forest Court(details TBA). We historical accuracy of their garb and gear. The ranks of have several members eligible for the oath or affirmation, Forester and Master Forester also require service or as well as a couple of rank promotions- possibly more than teaching, ensuring that the Foresters Guild is not only a couple, if people take advantage of the war as an helping its members to grow, but also giving back to the opportunity to demonstrate skills and get things signed off SCA community as a whole.

within the guild, and none should be perceived as more questions about fire safety and fire starting. prestigious than the others. No guild member may choose wisely which group they wish to be affiliated with.

enthusiasts, seasoned outdoor bushcrafters, supported journey over land, water, or both, we can just find an open weekend to make that happen. where candidates will face challenges involving flood, fire, and foe.

sustained combat challenge where applicants will face our Facebook group, Foresters Guild of Caid (Unofficial). adversity, inclemency, and vicissitude.

The final house of merit is the Order of St. John Gaulbert, known as the Woodwards, is focused on Arts, Sciences, and Service. This house of merit will appeal to those who enjoy creating, teaching, leading, and serving. The Woodward trial is more individual and less highly

and never to exclude anyone or discourage anyone structured than those of the other houses, and generally consists of a masterwork project and/or long-term service The Foresters Oath is only required for those who wish to the Guild or to the greater SCA. These masterwork

We have two groups organizing at the baronial level, After a member has taken the oath or given their in Angels and Starkhafn. There has been interest expressed on their rank checklists. Throughout the war, I have asked In addition to our ranks, the Foresters Guild has three that members of our guild who are knowledgeable and houses of merit. The three houses are equal in status comfortable make themselves available to answer

This is just the beginning. I'm looking forward to belong to more than one house of merit, so members must seeing the guild continue to grow and take on a life of its own. I'm looking forward to seeing the ideas that are The Order of St. Hubert, known as the Rangers, getting tossed around grow into outings and classes, if we emphasizes self-sufficiency, survival skills, travel over land can just find free weekends to make that happen. Another or by inland waterways. The Rangers will appeal to thing I'd like to see happen at some point is a Foresters and Weekend, filled with garbed hikes and classes focused on survivalists. The ranger trial consists of a multi-day, self- outdoor skills and meals cooked over open fires. Again, if

If anyone has questions about the Foresters Guild, about organizing a group in your barony or shire, or The Order of St. Eustace, known as the Regarders, suggestions for activities or classes that might be relevant emphasizes martial skill and prowess. This house of merit to our focus, please don't hesitate to contact me. I'm easy will appeal to those who are actively involved in any of the to find on Facebook, or I can be reached by email at martial activities in the SCA. The Regarder trial consists of a fiachra.an.doire@gmail.com. You are also welcome to join

> In service to the Green, Fiachra an Doire High Warden of the Foresters of Caid

Great Western War 25th Anniversary

When: October 3 through October 9, 2023

Where: The war is located at the Buena Vista Aquatics Park just outside of Taft, CA.

1003 Ironbark Rd. Taft, CA 93268

GWW has contracted to use the rear park entrance off of the Golf Course Rd. and Ironbark Rd intersection for our event. Only use the park's front entrance if you have reserved a full RV hook up campsite with Kern County.

Site Registration: Registration opens on June 5, 2023, and will close on Sept. 27, 2023 at 12:01AM. Click on the link below to go to the Google Form to Register.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe0K5QfgLVgevkBalodSCAJqtrRYOxQ6waeIcslOl09t_virw/viewform?fbclid=IwAR1swhOBa0g_XwmsMwbiS-ZtzWhzx7FbQWBRVE0eAh5V-TdtsdwESMuJPJE

Guests can also register during the event at gate on site. To assist our event Gate and Exchequer staff please consider using your credit card or bank card for event purchases. Thank you for your help. Checks will not be accepted at gate.

Event Stewards: Sir Gavin MacDhomhnuill (Mark Zitny) and Mistress Cara Michelle DuValier (Cara Zitny)

Contact Email: Main Event Stewards – stewards@gww.sca-caid.org

See the event web site for the contact information for the entire event staff.

Directions: This address does appear in Google maps.

From the West

Take US- 101 South to CA-126 East.

The CA-126 to the I-5 North toward Sacramento.

The I-5 North to CA-119 West

Turn left on Golf Course Road and then left onto

Ironbark Road.

Enter the Park from the West Gate.

From the North

Take your best route to CA-99 South.

Exit onto Panama Road and turn right. This is the CA-

119 Taft Highway West.

Turn left on Golf Course Road and then left onto

Ironbark Road.

Enter the Park from the West Gate.

From the East

Take your best route to the I-15 West.

Take CA-58 West to CA-223 West. Take CA-223 West to I-5 North.

The I-5 North to CA-119 West

Turn left on Golf Course Road and then left onto

Ironbark Road.

Enter the Park from the West Gate.

From the South

Take your best route to I-5 North.

The I-5 North to CA-119 West

Turn left on Golf Course Road and then left onto

Ironbark Road.

Enter the Park from the West Gate.

Nordwache's Pirate Tournament

WHEN: Saturday, October 14, 2023 9am – 5pm

WHERE: Hidden Valley Park, 2150 N 11th Ave, Hanford, CA 93230

Grab your cutlass and your crew and join us in the Barony of Nordwache on Saturday, October 14th for a fun-filled pirate-themed day!

SCHEDULE:

9:00am: Site opens.

9:30am: Gate and Lists open.10:30am: Opening court

(At Their Excellencies' pleasure).

4:00pm: Tear-down.

5:00pm: Site closes.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION: Adult Event

Registration (17 and over): \$10.00. Adult Member Discount Event Registration: \$5.00. Children (16 and under) are guests of the Barony. Cash & checks

accepted at site. Please make checks payable to: SCA,

Inc./Barony of Nordwache.

ARMORED & RAPIER COMBAT: There will be two tourneys. The first will be single weapon and shield Davey Jones Tournament. This will be a counted blow fight. Fighter will call good till three good hits are scored. The second tourney is single sword, ax, or mace only on a plank. The winner of the first tourney will not be allowed to fight in the second tourney. The winners of the two tourneys will then divide those who wish to fight in the melee into two equal teams and will lead those teams in a best-two-out-of-three battle to determine the next Captain. The winning melee team of both rapier and heavy weapons will together receive a bag of loot to divide amongst the winning sides.

A&S COMPETITIONS:

Baronial Championship (Adult) – All Hallows Eve

Children's Championship (12 years and younger) – All Hallows Eve

Throw the theme out the window – Item must have been made within 90 days of event.

Cooking – A dish made with Bacon. Documentation required for ingredients.

Brewing – Anything

Bardic – All Hallows Eve.

There will also be Arts and Science make-and-take classes as well as the usual Arts and Sciences.

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LUNCH: There will be a lunch fundraiser consisting of Tri-Cornered Hat meat pies and a drink for a donation of \$5.

SITE RESTRICTIONS: This is a dry site.

EVENT STEWARDS: Gurin Bodo and Klynton **EVENT EMAIL:** event.steward@nordwache.sca-

Leif Erickson (Calafia)

WHEN: Saturday, October 21, 2023

WHERE: Harry Griffen Park, 9550 Milden Street, La Mesa, CA. 91942

We are happy to once again host the Leif Erickson Tournament! The day's theme is: Journey to Valhalla. Come celebrate, wear your best 'Viking' garb, and – most importantly – there will be ice floes!

SCHEDULE:

Site Opens for set up- 7:00am
Opening Court- 10:00am
Lunch- 12:30pm
Site Closes- 5:00pm

EVENT REGISTRATION: Adult Event Registration, \$20.00. Adult Member Discount Event Registration, \$15.00. Children under 18 are guests of the Barony. Make checks payable to SCA Inc./Barony of Calafia.

COMBAT BREAKDOWN:

Armored Combat – 'Berserker Brawl' in the style of a Mad Dog tournament.

Rapier Combat – 'Round Raven' in the style of a Round Robin OR 'Norse Five' in the style of a Swiss Five (depending on number of fighters).

Ranged Weapons (if the site allows) – 'Odin's Trial' cutting the braids in Odin's beard for points. Further details pending.

Youth Combat: TBD

ARTS/SCIENCES: Kuub, Norse Pantheon Scavenger Hunt, and Make-Your-Own-Festoon Station.

OTHER ACTIVITIES: 'Best Dressed' Viking Garb Contest – come put on a fashion show for the Reeves of Calafia! Viking feast/food demo put on by the Hearth & Cauldron Guild.

EVENT STEWARDS: Lord Blackledge le Scott and Lord Fino di Giove

EVENT STEWARDS EMAIL: event.leiferickson@calafia.org

Western Seas Baronial Competition and Investiture

WHEN: Saturday, October 21st, 2023 9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

WHERE: Kula Botanical Gardens, 638 Kekaulike Avenue, Kula, Maui Hawaii, 96790

Come one come all to the Canton of Valley Azure as it is time to once again designate the Baronial Heirs through a Test of Arms. This year the Baronial Coronets will be decided by Heavy Combat with a round robin format with the top two in a best 2 of 3 finals. The victor of the day will be presented with the Baronial Coronets, with their investiture to follow.

Participants must meet the minimum requirements of:

- · Be a paid member of the SCA, blue membership card required
- · Heavy armor combat authorized, current fighter card required
- · Reside within the Barony for at least 6 months
- · Have attended at least 2 events within the year, a Baronial officers meeting can be substituted for one event.
- · Have a consort present on the day of competition who also meets above requirements, with the exception of the fighter authorization.

SCHEDULE:

9am- Site opens 10am- Lysts open 10:30am- Opening Court/

at Their Excellencies' leisure

11am- Tournament begins

Investiture to follow

3pm- Site closes and

gates are locked by 4pm

\$10, Adult Member Discount Registration \$10, Adult Member Discount Registration \$5 (must present membership card), all minors are guests of the Barony. Cash or checks accepted at gate. Please make checks payable to "SCA, Inc./Barony of Western Seas."

SITE INFORMATION: Competition will be held at the Kula Botanical Gardens Event Field. This beautiful grassy site has a covered pavilion for our use, however you are encouraged to bring chairs and/or blankets for lounging and comfort. The elevation off site is about 3500ft, so it can be a bit cool. A light covering if you get cold is recommended. Please bring your own water/drinks, cooler space will be available.

EVENT STEWARD: Mistress Kyrstyan de la Poole, Lara Demain **EVENT EMAIL:** seneschal.officer@westernseas.sca-caid.org

Agincourt Tournament and Feast

WHEN: Sunday, October 22 2023, 8am – 4pm

WHERE: Woodley Park Archery Range, 6331 Woodley Ave., Van Nuys, CA 91406

The Barony of Altavia invites you to join us at Woodley Park Archery Range for our Agincourt Tournament with thrown weapons, archery, and our fretted fork for cooking competition.

SCHEDULE:

8am — Site opens
10:00am — Opening court
3:30pm — Closing court
4:00pm — Site closed

EVENT REGISTRATION: Adult Event Registration \$15, Adult Member Discount Event Registration \$10. Youth under 16 are guests of the Barony. Cash and checks accepted at site. Please make checks payable to SCA Inc./Barony of Altavia

ARCHERY & THROWN WEAPONS COMPETITION: Archery and thrown weapons champions (adults, and youths) will be decided from the day's competitors. If you're planning on participating in thrown weapons, please wear closed-toed shoes.

COOKING COMPETITION: Fretted-fork: Altavia's culinary guild is hosting their cooking contest. Come bring your favorite dishes. We will have period and non-period categories. In the period category documentation is not required but appreciated. Look for the theme information to be posted at a later date.

FEAST: Feast information to be determined

SITE INFORMATION & RESTRICTIONS: Woodley Park is at 6331 Woodley Ave., Van Nuys, CA 91406 in the Sepulveda Dam Basin recreation area between Burbank Boulevard and Victory Boulevard. This is a dry site. Projectiles and alcohol do not mix. Extra long stakes are needed when putting up pavilions or popups. As a reminder, no pets are allowed inside of the range. Children are welcome, but must be supervised at all times by parents or guardians.

MERCHANT INFORMATION: Merchants are allowed within the confines of the range. Please contact the Stewards for merchant information and reservations.

EVENT STEWARD: Mistress Cecilia Medici **EVENT EMAIL:** cybalcecilia@gmail.com

DIRECTIONS:

From the 405 North Route: Exit Burbank Boulevard, turn left, and then turn left on Woodley.

From the 405 South: Exit Burbank Blvd, turn right, take a left on Woodley.

Follow our SCA signs, continue past the cricket field, all the way up till you reach the traffic circle. Follow the arch around at left up the hill. Please note that parking is limited, but there is parking near the range and off of the range behind the paved lot.

Dreiburgen Anniversary

WHEN: Saturday, October 28, 2023, 8am – 5pm

WHERE: Rancho Jurupa Regional Park, 4800 Crestmore Rd, Riverside, CA 92509

In ancient days lost in the mists of time, fantastical beasts and magical beings dwelled in the lands of Dreiburgen. In this past year, the return of dangerous dragons threatened our lands, which led to the Academia Draconis in defense. We now encourage the more benevolent of the magical creatures to return harmony to the barony.

Their Excellencies Baron Ramvoldus and Baroness Kungund would like to invite you to join us in celebrating the 49th anniversary of the Barony dressed as mythological figures. Elves and faeries, unicorns and dragons, we welcome you!

SCHEDULE:

8:00 am - Site Opens 10:00 am - Opening Court (at Their Majesties' pleasure) 15 minutes after the end of court - Lists Close Between Opening and Closing Courts - Turkish Cafe open Noon - Donation Lunch is served 5:00 pm - Site Closes

EVENT REGISTRATION: Adult Event Registration \$25, Adult Member Discount Event Registration \$20, Youth aged 17 and under are guests of the Barony. Payment using cash and checks only will be accepted on-site. Please make checks payable to SCA, Inc./Barony of Dreiburgen. There are no refunds.

LUNCH: Turkish Cafe. Even magical creatures need to relax! Come and chill at our Turkish style cafe! Amenities include:

- Donation lunch to benefit Dreiburgen (requested \$10)
- Donation snowcones to benefit the Kingdom (requested \$5)
- Beatrix Honeybourne's Starbee's hot drinks (Free, but she pays for it all herself, so tips are **GREATLY** appreciated!)

SITE INFORMATION: The park typically has an entry fee, which we will be collecting as part of your site fee. Please let the rangers at the gate know that you are with the SCA, and you should be allowed to enter without payment.

ARMORED COMBAT TOURNAMENT: Standard double elimination tourney. Then in the semifinals the fighters will pick a coin from the Cauldron of Fate. The coin determines the weapon each fighter will use in the match. Finals are best 2 out of 3.

RAPIER AND CUT & THRUST TOURNAMENTS: The spirits have been angered by all this celebrating! The Cairns have been disturbed and as blood falls on the ground, the spirits slowly wake. Join us for our Cut & Thrust and Heavy Rapier tournaments. Stay for shenanigans. Each combatant will have lives based on their ranking. MoDs will have 1 life, Argent Blades will have 2, Duelists 3, and unranked fighters will have 4. When (if) you are eliminated, you will become an angry spirit. Stand on the sidelines and seek vengeance on those that fell you by hurling your deadly spirit energy at the remaining combatants. All defeated fighters will

receive 3 projectiles. Once per combat, after the marshal announces "The spirits awaken!" you may throw your projectile, disabling any limb hit, and paralyzing your victim if you hit them in their torso or upper opening. Standard 120° engagement applies to the projectiles, so getting hit in the back will not harm any combatant. These spirits may be angry, but they still have some honor left. Finals for C&T and Rapier will be best 2 out of 3 with fighters bringing their best forms. Any spirits with energy left may stand at the sidelines as usual, as long as they do not stand in front of, or directly across from, Royal or Baronial seating.

MERCHANTS: Merchants are welcome, please contact the event stewards.

EVENT STEWARDS: Geral de Riera & Lynnette de Sandoval del Valle de los Unicornios

EVENT EMAIL: anniversary@dreiburgen.sca-caid.org

Dreiburgen Anniversary Continued

ARTS AND SCIENCES:

- The Hare Competition is open to everyone to submit their required, but perhaps tell us about lessons learned, trials first attempt at a craft completed within the last three overcome, and memorable mistakes. months. The Tortoise Competition is open to previous Hare • Bards share your stories, songs, and instruments at the previous year.
- Humble Beginnings A&S display: Most of us don't start makes you happy! out perfect in our A&S endeavors. Show us your A&S • Bard of Caid: We are pleased to host a round of items of your current wonderfulness. Documentation is not it that day.
- entrants with your best work in the same discipline as the Turkish Cafe throughout the day. Perhaps share items with Arabian Nights, fantasy, or mythology themes, or whatever
- humble beginnings, so we can understand and appreciate competition! Three words will be announced at your A&S journey. Display photos or items from your early opening court. Entrants must compose a piece (song, story, projects, flaws and all, to compare and contrast with your poem) on site using those three words and perform

ACTIVITIES:

- of Caid will open the course for a short time to give our hounds some exercise. All dogs are welcome to participate.
- Costume Contest: Lord Chartain Trevino will write a Shakespearean Sonnet based on the person with the best mythical /magical creature costume!
- Hound Coursing: After opening court, the Hound Handlers Silent Auction: Bring your cash and checks to score great stuff at our silent auction. Contact Juliana Romfare at auction@dreiburgen.sca-caid.org to donate your great stuff to the auction!!
 - Youth activities: Of course we'll have youth activities, bring your youths and prepare for them to be active!!

DIRECTIONS: Rancho Jurupa Park, 4800 Crestmore Rd, Riverside, CA 92509

From the 60 freeway: Take exit 50 onto Rubidoux Blvd (from 60E turn right, from 60W turn left), turn left onto Mission Blvd, right onto Crestmore Road, then left into the park.

From the 91 freeway: Take exit 64 (from 91E exit University Ave, continue straight then turn left, from 91W Mission Inn Ave, turn right) onto Mission Inn Ave, turn left onto Crestmore Road, then left into the park.

Once through the park gate: Continue past the parking lot on the right, then turn right into the next parking lot, then left, following the road and SCA signs until it ends at the lake picnic parking area. If the lot is full, you may unload at the curb, before parking your vehicle in the previous parking lot.













Kingdom Regnum

King and Queen: Wilhelm Skallagrimmson (Matt Jepson) and Lorissa du Griffin (Lora Boehm) Email: crown@sca-caid.org

Chamberlain: Duchess Tsyra tsheere Nanoop

Caid Great Officers

Seneschal: Master Laertes McBride OP, OD (Greg Wylie), seneschal.officer@sca-caid.org 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 Ruotolo), exchequer@sca-caid.org

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Other Kingdom Officers

Constable: Baron Quintus Aelius Ajax (Brian Cole), constable@sca-caid.org

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Social Media: Lady Kirivi Romani Aioli (Samantha Mann Hays), socialmedia@sca-caid.org Youth Activities: Lady Sorcha ingen Flaind (Joelle

Watkins), youth@sca-caid.org

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

Other Officers of Interest

Dolphin Submissions: Lord Séamus mac Neill Uí Chonchobhair (Mike Mallinson): 4043 Irving Pl #107, Culver City, CA 90232

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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: Sir Liam Mor Macgregor (Sean Bannister) and THL Fara Macgregor (Sarah Bannister)

SENESCHAL: Sir Padraic Fraochdha Idheach (Paul Ghezzo),

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: Sir Gamyl of Mottrum (Scott Motherhead), baron@calafia.sca-caid.org, and THL Danyel de Licatia (Danielle Motherhead), 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.scacaid.org

College of St. Artemas (dormant)

University of California, San Diego Website: none

For information, please contact the Baronial Seneschal at seneschal.officer@calafia.scacaid.org

> College of St. Isidore (dormant) San Diego State University

For information, please contact the Baronial Seneschal at seneschal.officer@calafia.scacaid.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-

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

BARONAGE: Lord Ramvoldus Kroll (Jeff Alcorn), baron@dreiburgen.sca-caid.org, and Lady Kungund Benehonig (Carly Alcorn), baroness@dreiburgen.sca-caid.org

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

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 draumspaki and Mistress Ida Haroldsdottir (Jon and Ginger Jen-

sen) 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-

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 Naevehiem

Northeast Kern County and Inyo County Website: places.sca-caid.org/naevehjem BARONAGE: THL Liam Maclan of the Bloody Foreland and Lady Anastasiia Bela Anatkina doch' (Stacy Anderson)

SENESCHAL: Lady Aesa Thorfinnsdottir (Terri McMechan) seneschal.officer@naevehjem.scacaid.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: Baron Jean-Jacques and Baroness Sara, 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.scacaid.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.

Society For Creative Anachronism, Inc.

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- President: John Fulton (John the Bearkiller) 901-452-9881 Please call before 9pm (CDT) president@sca.org
- 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.

Fourth Quarter 2023

Date: October 22, 2023 Please note: Agenda Deadline is October 1, 2023 Locale/Method TBA

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

Caid Calendar of Events

October

- 3-9 **Great Western War**
 - Archery Open at GWW (specific day TBA)
 - **Consort's Champion Equestrian (GWW)**
- **Pirate Tournament (Nordwache)** 14
- 21 Leif Erickson (Calafia)
- 21 Western Seas Baronial Competition and Investiture
- 22 Agincourt Archery Championship & Feast (Altavia)
- 28 **Dreiburgen Anniversary**

November

- **Calafia Anniversary**
- 11 **Naevehjem Anniversary**
- 12 **Calafia Equestrian Champion**
- Naevehjem Anniversary Archery Championship 12
- 18 **Isles Anniversary**
- 21 Harvest Arts (Carreg Wen)
- 25 **Medieval Marketplace**

December

- **Dun Or Yule**
- 2 Winter Arts (Calafia)
- Wintermist Yule 2
- **Dreiburgen Yule**
- 9 **Altavia Yule**
- **Gyldenholt/Lyondemere Yule** 9
- 9 Nordwache Yule
- Starkhafn Yule 16

Please check the kingdom calendar for the most recent information.