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New Member Information



If you are new to the Barony of Lochmere, these websites should be of interest to you:

[Barony of Lochmere Homepage](http://www.lochmere.atlantia.sca.org): <http://www.lochmere.atlantia.sca.org>

[Barony of Lochmere Facebook Group](https://www.facebook.com/groups/LochmereSCA/): <https://www.facebook.com/groups/LochmereSCA/>

[Kingdom of Atlantia Homepage](http://www.atlantia.sca.org): <http://www.atlantia.sca.org>

[Official SCA Homepage](http://www.sca.org): <http://www.sca.org>

[The Acorn, Atlantia's Official Newsletter](http://www.acorn.atlantia.sca.org): <http://www.acorn.atlantia.sca.org>

[Atlantia Event Calendar](http://www.acorn.atlantia.sca.org/calendar.htm): <http://www.acorn.atlantia.sca.org/calendar.htm>

You can also contact the [Barony Chatelain](mailto:chatelain@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org): chatelain@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org



Information on the Dredgings



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Lochmere Baronial Progress



Below is the confirmed Baronial Progress through the end of September 2017. Please contact Lady Gwen if you are interested in providing hospitality or retaining for Their Excellencies

~~Pennsic War~~ — July 28-Aug 13, 2017

Aethelmearc, PA

Both His and Her Excellency will attend

~~Trial by Fire~~ — September 8-10, 2017

Courtland, VA

Both His and Her Excellency will attend; hospitality TBD

~~Fall University~~ — Not on Kingdom Calendar Yet

~~Battle on the Bay~~ — September 22-24, 2017

Upper Marlboro, MD — Lochmere Investiture

Both His and Her Excellency will attend, Dayshade will be provided, hospitality requested



Polling—Letters of Intent



Here are the important dates from our official timeline:

- by July 8—Polling letters mailed to populace by Regional Seneschal
- by July 27—Pollings due to Their Royal Majesties
- by August 19—Their Royal Majesties notifies candidates, baronial, regional, kingdom seneschals of decision
- September 23rd Investiture at Battle on the Bay

The following candidates are running for office, they are by no means in any kind of order:

Syr Christian Darmody and Mistress Lisette La Roux :

Greetings unto Their most Regal of Majesties Cuan and Signy, cherished Monarchs of Our Fair Kingdom of Atlantia. We Syr Christian Darmody and Mistress Lisette La Roux do send warm greetings and heart felt wishes of serenity to You the crowned heads of Atlantia.

History has proven that the fate of Atlantia remains prosperous and viable beneath the hands of Your merciful rule. She has been kept well by Your Royal ancestors and protected by the yet fulfilled promises of destined heirs. No reminder is needed that Kings and Queens do rightly draw the leathers to provide direction of the Warhorse, yet the comfort and path of the steed is ensured by how well the stallion is shod. The metal of the shoe is not unlike the mettle of our Barons and Baronesses while they temper and guide the populace of their lands.

A Baron and Baroness speak for the people. They must protect the citizens; each artisan, warrior, and steward. They must provide solace yet temper injustice with truth. They demand order while encouraging joyousness. They offer humility while bolstering the pride of their folk. They are the chalice, the plate, and the blade of their people. They are challenged to



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serve, provide, and preserve all that is the Barony.

Lochmere has shone brightly among the gems that are the Baronies of Atlantia. She is a pearl set in the silver and gold of this Kingdom's crown. The moment of transition awaits our fair Barony. Fresh shoulders must bare the weight of Lochmere's coronets. Many worthy subjects stand ready to don this mantle of responsibility. We Syr Christian Darmody and Mistress Lisette La Roux stand among those willing to accept the obligation and commitment to our Barony as well as the Kingdom of Atlantia. We do so with sound mind and body. We know well both the burden and bliss that attends such a pledge.

I, Syr Christian, am one of the founding members of Lochmere. I have been her Warlord, her Herald, her deputy Exchequer, and autocrat on occasions. I have provided training for her warriors, I have cooked for her people and guests, I have provided knowledge and council for her populace and leaders, both in the times of glory and in times of strife. I have driven her cart and delivered her baggage to War on several journeys. I stand now as her financial counselor. I have stood strong and will remain standing for all things Lochmere. I am honored to be included in the order of the Crabs Claw, the holder of the Baronial Award of Excellence, and proud recipient of the Baroness' Award of Courtesy.

I am a Knight of this beloved Kingdom; I have served her as Queen's champion, Queen's guard, and Marshal upon her fields. I have served as a Chiurgeon. I have assisted in the organization of the shire of Brock Ore Abbey. I have proudly worn my Kingdoms livery in countless wars. I have been many things in these 30 years as a Scadian. I am Atlantian.

I, Mistress Lisette la Roux, have been proud of and served in the Barony since 2001. I have been her Exchequer, Minister of Arts and Sciences, and have shepherded those new to her realms as one of her Chatelaines. I have been her champion both on the field of battle and in the halls, ensuring the practice of her beautiful arts. I have been her autocrat. I have fed both the members and our honored guests in several feasts. I am honored to be included in the order of the Crabs Claw. I am one of the fortunate members of both the Eagle's Feather and the Blasted Oak. By the grace of our Baronage I have been humbled, receiving the Baronial Award of Excellence. I kneeled graciously as I was granted the Baronesses Award of Courtesy. I am a Pelican of our realm. I ring the bell as Kingdom University Chancellor where I continue to serve for the betterment of Lochmere, our Barony and the Kingdom of Atlantia. I have worn both Atlantia and Lochmere's livery proudly in the mire of battle armed with honed rapier. I am Atlantian.

As Baron and Baroness our efforts would push further the tireless achievements of all the Baronage who came before us. We wish to nurture the existing good relations within our borders. We would promote and fortify the bonds of friendship between those that call Lochmere home. We would continue to foster the good relations with our neighboring Baronies, while pursuing new friendships in lands beyond our lakes and hills. We will prosper from the lessons gathered along our path. We would impart our wisdom and knowledge to improve and strengthen our barony whenever possible. The members of our barony are more than worthy. They excel with talents and prowess. They deserve to be recognized beyond the corners of Lochmere's lands. We would promise to ensure each individual had access to opportunities, with chances to excel and show the rest of our Kingdom their gifts. We want to strengthen our martial force, providing all combatants support, and succor if in need. We will clear the path to the battlefield so that they might join the others to defend our sacred Kingdom of Atlantia. We are Atlantian, we are of Lochmere. We shall always remain proud members of this Barony and Kingdom. We trust in your decision. We ask that you measure us and find us worthy.

To whomever are chosen, we shall continue to serve and provide. We will assist in whatever capacity we are able.



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Yours in service and sincerity,

Syr Christian Darmody and Mistress Lisette la Roux

Members through 5/31/2020 & 6/30/2020

Griffin Warwick and Cassair Warwick:

Greetings,

We wish to state our intent as candidates for Baron and Baroness of Lochmere. We have resided in the barony for 17 years and Lochmere is our home. We feel we are ready to serve and give back to this wonderful barony.

Griffin has been involved in the SCA for over 30 years, including time spent restoring the now Barony of Red Spears in the Midrealm to an active group. He has also served Lochmere as Baronial Heavy champion several times.

Cassair has been involved with the SCA for 17 years. She has helped with children activities and served as Chatelain. She has also served the monarchs as retainer.

We would like to see the barony continue to grow in all aspects including fighting and the arts. We will work with the baronial officers and populace to ensure the barony is a welcoming place for all.

We will always do our best to represent the barony at baronial and kingdom events. We will provide sound advice to the crowns and their kingdom representatives.

Yours in Service,

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Griffin Warwick

Cassair Warwick



Cormacc ua Rigan and Lady Sarra de Vicenza:

Unto the King and Queen of Atlantia, Cuan and Signy, the populace and friends of the proud Barony of Lochmere We, Lord Cormacc ua Rigan and Lady Sarra de Vicenza send our warmest and most humble greetings. We submit this missive to state our desire for your consideration to become Baron and Baroness of our beloved Barony. We would be honored to be selected Baron and Baroness because, frankly, we love Lochmere. Since relocating to the area in 2012 we have found exceptional friendship and courtesy within our Barony and have been very excited to call Lochmere our home.

We actively participate at local, regional, and Kingdom level events. From fighting, being autocrat, helping in the kitchen, assisting with setup and takedown, running the MOL table and marshaling, we find a way to have fun. We both have held positions of responsibility within Lochmere - Lady Sarra serving as the Chronicler and autocrat for the first Kingdom level event held by Lochmere in several years; Lord Cormacc serving as the deputy Webminister, deputy Knights Marshal, and deputy Seneschal for our beloved Barony. Cormacc has also held the position as special assistant for social media in support of the Kingdom Seneschal and special assistant to the Society Publications Manager.

Lochmere has had the benefit of having strong leadership over the last several years. We recognize all of their efforts,



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commitment, and good works done in the name of promoting our baronial members and extolling the virtues of our Barony to the four corners of the Kingdom of Atlantia and beyond. Lady Sarra and Lord Cormacc intend to carry on in these endeavors and traditions. Through our leadership and working with our Baronial Officers and Champions we hope to continue the successes in Arts and Sciences, Martial Activities, and service to Atlantia.

Firstly, within Arts and Sciences, we see the need to re-establish an actual A&S night for Lochmere. We will reach out to Lochmere's Peers and other artisans to help and teach at our baronial A&S night and provide more of a structure to the meeting by offering classes that will be valid for University credit. Lady Sarra continues to beautify our Kingdom by creating Kingdom and Baronial level scrolls. She is still a young student of calligraphy and illumination but continues to improve her skill. Lord Cormacc continues to pursue his ambition to become an Atlantian Master Brewer and armorer.

Secondly, we as Lochmere need to continue to have a strong fighting presence on the list field. As an armored combatant, Lord Cormacc intends to represent the Barony on the field and act as leader of any Baronial armored fighting unit. He will facilitate starting up an ongoing class at practice where a skilled fighter, such as a Knight or a Master of Defense, will provide instruction on a topic of fighting. Lady Sarra is a novice combat archer and will continue to support the Atlantian army in being part of the most feared combatants on the field. She hopes to promote combat archery by having the Lochmere unit participating in the armored practice of Lochmere, and other Baronies, to improve their fighting prowess. We intend to continue participating in Lochmere's fighter practices and cultivate new fighters and archers to join our ranks. Both of us have supported and will continue to support target archery and have participated in various events losing - and losing - arrows. Our rapier fighters, thrown weapons, and equestrians will know that we as Baron and Baroness will support and advocate for them.

Lastly, for service, we intend to submit more bids for Kingdom level events. If there is one thing Lochmere is known for, it is our ability to host excellent events. We have great citizens of Lochmere and we want to show off our hospitality and service to the Kingdom that we love. We hope to further the commitment of friendship with our neighboring Baronies and forge new lasting alliances that will benefit Lochmere and the populace of Atlantia.

In closing, we hope that you will consider our candidacy for the Baron and Baroness of Lochmere. If you have any questions about us, please ask. We encourage open dialog in who we are and what we hope to do. It would be an honor and a great privilege to represent Lochmere as your Baron and Baroness.

Yours in Service,

Lord Cormacc ua Rigan

Lady Sarra de Vicenza



Master Kryss Kostarev and Dame Dealla Cohen:

Unto their Most Gracious Majesties, Cuan and Signy, King and Queen of Atlantia, and unto the populace of the fair Barony of Lochmere:



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We, Master Kryss Kostarev and Dame Dealla Cohen, do hereby submit our request to be considered for the positions of Baron and Baroness of this august barony and to represent your sovereign rule in these lands.

If we are selected to this office, we intend to work toward making Lochmere an even more fun place to be. We want to emphasize the theme of “Welcome”. We want to welcome newcomers. We want to welcome old hands. We want to welcome transfers in from other places. We want to try and bring back people who have “burnt out” or become discouraged from the SCA by encouraging them to begin again and try new things and helping them to avoid the things that drove them away before.

We want to boost or enhance the office of Chatelaine by reminding everyone that they are all Chatelaines. Newcomers are important; we want to continue to welcome them and help them learn more about the SCA. We would like to make sure that transplants don’t feel left out. We have heard and observed that newcomers often get a lot more attention than transplants because it appears to be more fun to introduce new people to the SCA than it is to welcome someone who knows about it already. We want to make sure that people who move here are not left out of the welcome and they get plenty of attention to get to know people and make friends.

We want to create new opportunities for the populace to learn new skills in the gentile and the martial arts. We would like to occasionally have a guest instructor come in for a practice or a class or for possibly an event. We would like them to teach their skills in A&S or in a martial art. We are not only looking at experts within Atlantia, but possibly at having visitors from other kingdoms as well. We don’t want to create another university, just a class or two once in a while.

We want to try to bring back some of the folks who became jaded with the SCA and dropped out or who did too much and burned out. We want to encourage them to come back and try again, but to try new activities, new arts, new fighting styles, maybe even a new persona, and to give it another chance. We will need to prepare our people and ask them to give these “reborn” Scadians room to recreate themselves and neither demand nor expect the past that they may be trying to leave behind. We also want to be on a sharp lookout for burnout in our current people and try hard to prevent it.

Between us we have nearly 65 years of experience in the SCA. During that time we have seen the Society grow and change. Though we don’t want to live in the past, there are aspects of it that we would love to share with our current friends.

As Baron and Baroness, representing the Crown, we feel we could better use our talents and experience to the Crown’s advantage in your Barony of Lochmere. We hope you feel the same way.

Yours, In Service,

Master Kryss Kostarev and Dame Dealla Cohen

Baron Master Phillip of Ghent and Lady Genevieve Dampier de la Marche:

Unto King Cuan and Queen Signy of Atlantia, Their Highnesses the Prince and Princess, Amos and Kara, Baron Gabrell and Baroness Avice, and the populace of the Barony of Lochmere, do we Baron Master Phillip of Ghent and Lady Genevieve Dampier de la Marche send greetings. With this letter we hereby announce our desire to become Baron and Baroness of our esteemed Barony of Lochmere.

As the Barony readies itself for another polling session, we realize the great accomplishments done by Their Excellencies Gabrell and Avice and know we have high standards and expectations to meet. Their example has illustrated to



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us how great Lochmere is, as well as all of those who help keep it moving forward.

We are particularly grateful to have been part of the Society for Creative Anachronism for many years and know in our hearts how incredible it is and all that it can be as we grow and work to become even better. Our collective years of being in this organization give us the understanding of the level of commitment, dedication, and enthusiasm required to hold such important and honored positions. Our objectives for the Barony are through encouragement for the continual growth of various Martial Arts and the Arts and Sciences communities. We seek to recognize and reward those who are in service to the Barony and the Kingdom. We endeavor to support the populace by increasing opportunities for teaching and learning activities across the Barony. What is most important to us is that everyone's perspective is heard as we make decisions and work together to provide a flourishing barony to better serve the Kingdom.

The duties of the Baron and Baroness of a group are many. The Baron and Baroness should be leaders with a vision, ready to guide the group on whatever path is necessary to help the group prosper and grow. They should be active in the SCA representing the Barony at many events, provide an ear for those who need it, offer a shoulder for their subjects to lean on, and be a guiding voice to provide direction. The Baron and Baroness present award recommendations to the Crown, in addition to recognizing worthy deeds by their populace and bestowing awards themselves. They should be able work closely with the Seneschal and other group officers, for although the Baron and Baroness are not technically officers, their influence on the group is a strong one. Our motto as well as our personal belief is 'Teamwork Makes the Dream Work', and we swear by the time and toil we have invested in the SCA, and by all that will be dedicated to the Barony of Lochmere.

About Us...

Baron Master Phillip, one of the founding members of Dun Carraig and having served three terms as its Baron, is a proven leader. He joined the Society in 1979 and has resided in Marinus, Tir-Y-Don, Caer Mear, and Storvik. Phillip has served at various times as a herald, chronicler, web minister, and seneschal in these groups. He is a Thrown Weapons marshal, and has autocratted and cooked for events. At the Kingdom level he was Clerk of Precedence, researcher on the Triton Herald's staff, and is a past Chancellor of the University of Atlantia. In recognition of this service he has been inducted into the Order of the Golden Dolphin and the Order of the Pelican.

Lady Genevieve began her SCA life in the Mid-Realm in 1992 in the Barony of Cynnabar. In the Kingdom of Atlantia, she has supported the Barony of Lochmere as its Baronial Chirurgeon, until the office's dissolution in 2015 and is currently the Baronial MOL. She is a strong advocate for the Arts and Sciences; she makes blown glass objects for which she has an Eagle's Feather, Coral Branch and is a Companion of the Pearl. Lately she has taken the field as a combat archer in support of the Martial Arts. She has autocratted and cooked for events, and can be found at baronial and kingdom events alike assisting in other capacities. For these efforts she has been recognized in being made a member of the Blasted Oak.

By our hand on this 14th day of May A.S. LII





Lochmere Business Meeting Notes



Tent painting – Baroness discussing with Reynard - pick a day and time to paint it before Pensic, July is good. Get ideas for design to Baroness and she can come up with some designs to send out to Barony for approval. Main color will be blue – once taped up others can help paint.

Meeting called to order

Next Meeting July 10, 2107

Baron: The Drunken Court will be the last long court for the Baron Gabe and Baroness Avic and it will be hard for their Excellencies.

Baroness: All LOIs are in and have been posted to the list and Facebook. Regional Seneschal will put together a Q&A and will get back to us with time and date. Current Seneschal is stepping down, but she will see ours done through to the end. Amos and Kara are now out and it is back to being Cuan—the investiture will be held at Battle on the Bay no matter what. This missive is sitting in Baroness' in box, she has been very busy with events and work but it will go out. One more event this month, Summer University, then things will settle down and project work can be done. We will shoot to have tent painted for Pensic. Designs will be sent out as soon as she has all the information needed and we can decide on which to use. Place to paint will be determined. Reynard suggests that it be painted before it is put up. If it doesn't get painted before Pensic then the other tent will be used instead. A message has been sent out to all the candidates and are welcomed to meet with the Baron and Baroness privately to answer any and all questions they may have about the positions. Pensic Court is at 7 pm on Sunday, and it is a Drunken Court led by the Baron. A bar will be set up and will need a bartender for it. As a side note you can have alcohol at the Battle on the Bay. The event announcement said it was a dry site – the autocrat fixed the announcement already. There are two volunteers for archery and names will be passed along. Cormack will be Marshal for entire event. As a heads up for next year's Battle on the Bay, Alereck wants to move the event to where Novice is held. That site is not capable of holding 400 people, parking, alcohol, horses, melee, etc.

Seneschal: We have lost many people due to life getting in the way which is to be expected, but we lost someone recently in our Barony due to courtesy. They were repeatedly insulted in public at events due to their political views. There is no place for this at SCA events. If tempers are flaring over subjects discussed at events then people need to either change the subject or walk away. Baroness wants to make sure that the Seneschal speaks with the people involved to make sure there was not a misunderstanding and or miscommunication.



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Chronicler: June's newsletter was published. LOIs were posted through the Yahoo group. They will be posted on Facebook as well.

Exchequer: from emailed report:

Ledger Balance is \$14,121.06 of which \$721.75 belongs to the Equestrian Funds. The Baronial Balance is \$13,399.31

Deposits in May include: \$520.00 for the lunch fundraiser at NOTT for the fighters, On Target event proceeds \$759.00, checks from the Barony of Storvik in the amounts of \$1,810.93 for BotB 2016 split and \$2,346.75 for the checks mistakenly deposited into their account in March and a \$10.00 donation to the equestrian fund.

Began working the On Target Event report

First Quarter report was completed and sent to the Kingdom Deputy Exchequer.

I received my warrant and it expires March 2019.

Wells Fargo received the Certificate of Authority from SCA, Inc to change the signature cards, Kryss and I signed the bank signature card and submitted it to the bank.

The Night on the Town event report has been started. I am waiting to the PayPal paperwork.

I've spent \$55.00 of the \$100.00 in my yearly budget. Aside from Pre-printed deposit slips I do not believe I will require anything else.

The autocrat for Battle on the Bay (me) was asked if we were going to accept PayPal at the door. I looked into it and we will need a PayPal Here triangle card reader. They cost about \$10 and are compatible with Apple, Android, or Windows phones/devices. The new Exchequer Handbook does allow the triangle swipe at the gate. Is cell phone reception onsite reliable enough to allow at the gate swipe? (At meeting: The PayPal triangle does conform to SCA PayPal policies, \$10 can come out of budget, no one object to buying one, just make sure we have back up power to keep phone charged)

To my knowledge all outstanding monies have been paid to or received from our neighboring baronies for joint events. All the past due invoices for fighter practice at Talbot Springs Elementary School have been paid.

I would like to remind Autocrats to send me a copy of the site contracts otherwise I have no proof of what the site costs to match the check I write. In addition, request your own site insurance when required. I had questions about insurance as autocrat for Battle on the Bay and I found a section in the Seneschal's Handbook to be very informative regarding when it



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is required and how far in advance to request it if needed.

Minister of Arts and Sciences: from email: The MoAS reports that we had A&S day at Connie's house with a focus on archery. Arrows and darts were fletched, targets were painted, and we got ready for On Target. There was no A&S contest at On Target. Mistress Arianna is hosting a Pennsic prep sewing day on June 25th in Galesville and there is an event created on Facebook. Baroness Avice continues to have semi regular scribal get-togethers (may be one in June, but most likely in July). We will resume monthly A&S/newcomer Sunday socials in July. If there is a class you would like to offer I would love to feature you!

Chatelain: There was an A&S/Newcomers combined event with 12-20 people attending throughout the day. The focus was archery to prepare for On Target. No brand new people attended. We did have someone who has been involved in the SCA for some time show up to help.

Herald: from email: The court report from Their Excellencies evening court at On Target has been submitted, though a bit late. I had the honor to herald Their Excellencies into Great Court at Spring Crown Tournament, which gave me a front row seat to witness Baroness Avice's Golden Dolphin, Lady Genevieve's Pearl, and all other evening awards. I'm still stalled on prospective name and device submissions because I'm rotten. I'm sorry.

Minister of the Lists: from email: worked at Storvik Novice, Lady Sarra was MOL in charge and has numbers of those who signed in/were in tournaments.

Knight Marshal: from email: The elementary school had us down for one more night than I originally booked us for, but one of the janitors was able to put in an internal cancellation so we wouldn't get charged for the extra night. All the fighters I've talked to so far are excited for the move to the new site. (From meeting – New location has been posted on Facebook, as well as in June's newsletter. Needs to be updated on website immediately, Web Minister will get with Gwen to make sure that it does. Cormack planned to go to old site to point people in the right direction for the new site. Will make sure new location is announced on all Facebook groups).

Archery Marshal: Lots of people had lots of fun at On Target. Have had several rainouts for archery practice lately but the ones that have been held have gone great. Quarterly report will be turned in shortly.

Equestrian: lots of people are interested! Please come out and support us in any way you can! Need weavers to help us, and painting as well that needs to be done.



Lochmere Business Meeting Notes—Continued



Web Minister: Baron wanted to make sure that the LOIs are posted on the Barony Webpage. Still does not have password for editing webpage. Been trying to contact Aelfred for access but has not heard back from him. Baron Frank has reached out to the Kingdom Webteam for help and they have tried to reach out to old Web Minister with no luck. Baroness said to ask Gwen to help publish documents on website. It was suggested that Baron and Baroness should also have access to edit website so this situation does not occur again. Once this is settled multiple people will have access to site.

Minister of Youth: No activities last month but there will be activities at Battle of the Bay.

Events:

On Target: Books are not closed yet. Need autocrat for next year. Lengthy discussion about On Target and whether or not to continue it, modify it, etc. Numbers were very low this year, though it was opposite other events going on. Not a lot of participation from our own barony this year with set up or attendance. It was suggested to maybe make it only a baronial picnic – but it is an archery event. Maybe combine it with something other than archery? It is a very small site, so it may not be feasible to add much more to it. On Target is the longest running archery event in the Kingdom and the only one in the North. Put aside until all other business is discussed. Dame Dealla volunteered for autocrat next year.

Pensic: Reservations are being made slowly by Barony. Don't wait till last minute – system always crashes. Thrown Weapons Tourney – August 8th at 3:30 pm.

Battle on the Bay: Walk through completed. Budget has been submitted and approved. Waiting on questions that were submitted along with it. Need a volunteer to create a webpage for event. A Facebook Event page will be created but need suggestions for it (Baroness will help fill in the details on page). Need help and or suggestions with a theme. Need to get with everyone involved to come up with a theme (feast, marshal, etc.). Need volunteer to take charge of parking. Baroness said to make sure to ask Storvik for help. Need to make sure all the work is balanced so both baronies feel like they are doing their fair share. We will have bardic. Kingdom calendar will be updated one last time with all the prices. Would like to set up a page with the event on it, just have to decide how to go about it, many options out there.

Mid Winter's: Looked into different sites and didn't get any calls back, St. Martin's in Severna Park did call back and seem to be most responsive. Did a site walk through of St. Martins. Looking at January 27th and we are plugged into calendar until they get an official yes or no. No theme yet – suggestions appreciated. Lisette volunteered to cook feast. The theme can be based off of the feast Lisette wants to create. Will discuss theme later offline.



Lochmere Business Meeting Notes—Continued



Night on the Town: Need autocrat. Volunteer – Lady Sarra de Vicenza (since has been retracted due to travel at that time). Needs to be posted first to make sure there are no objections to volunteer.

Old Business:

Sewing Day – is on as planned.

Pavilions – Tent – no stakes or ropes for the 14X14. Reynard has stakes. Last seen at Night on the Town – put in box for the 16X16. 14X14 will be on the trailer for Pensic. Will think about a work day for ropes and tent painting. Ropes have to be made by New England Ropes. May have rope to bring to sewing day so people can work on them then. July 15-16 would be a good day to work on tent.

New Business:

Plugs – Harvest Wars October 13-15, 2017.

Banners will be done before Pensic.

Known World Music and Dance Symposium! Ladies Fayre is preforming-probably will never be in our backyard again.

Calvary doing a fund raising lunch at Battle on the Bay! Need volunteers to help out.

On Target discussion picked back up – Baron's thoughts are that the current site is just too small, only has one bathroom, and need to be in a place that can attract more foot traffic. Seems that the numbers have been dwindling over the past several years whatever the reasons are. Since numbers are not what people want for the event perhaps we should consider moving it and adding more events to it in order to attract more people. The Baroness agrees that some sort of retooling is in order. The community needs to support the event or it becomes pointless. No problem making it an event for us only if needed. Reynard brought up the point that the current site is free. The event is not profitable, and never has been. When we are against Baltimore Bowmen we do bad, when we are not our numbers are better. If we can get Mother's Day weekend we should be good. Have we considered partnering with Bight Hills and using their site? Might get more buy in because it is a bigger site (It costs about \$900 for this site). Use the On Target site just for us? We are having problems getting people to the site, even within our own Barony. Issues: Lochmere needs to support it, as well as the archery community. We need to continue exploring the issue – maybe a polling and address it later. Many possibilities to look at.

Meeting adjourned.



Lochmere Business Meeting Information



Lochmere Business Meetings will take place at 7:15 pm
at the Odenton Public Library 1325 Annapolis Rd, Odenton, MD 21113

August—No Meeting
September 11

October 2
November 6

December 4
January 8 (tentative)



Attention Lochmere Officers



Make sure your information in this newsletter and website is correct.

Contact Lady Katla Flokadottir at lochmere.chorronicer@gmail.com for The Dredgings and
Cassair Warwick at cassair@verizon.net for the website.

Please submit your Baronial Report in advance of the business meeting via email to Baron Kryss at seneschal@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org and the Chronicler, Lady Katla at lochmere.chorronicer@gmail.com.

Thank You!



Lochmere Calendar of Events



Thursday July 6—Archery Practice

Sunday July 9—Equestrian Practice—Stellar Riding, Davidsonville, MD

Monday July 10—Barony Business Meeting (different location this month)**

Tuesday June 5—Barony Business Meeting

Tuesday July 11—Fighter Practice

Thursday July 13—Archery Practice

Tuesday July 18—Fighter Practice

Thursday July 20—Archery Practice

Tuesday July 25—Fighter Practice

Thursday July 27—Archery Practice

Friday July 28-Sunday August 13—Pensic War—Aethelmearc, PA*

Friday September 8-Sunday September 10—Trial by Fire, Courtland, VA *

Friday September 22—Sunday September 24—Battle on the Bay—Upper Marlboro, MD*

Business Meeting

First Monday of every month

7:15 pm

1325 Annapolis Road

Odenton, MD 21113

Fighter Practice (Heavy & Rapier)

Every Tuesday

6:30 pm

Severn Christian Church

8132 New Cut Road

Severn, MD 21144

Archery Practice

Every Thursday (til time change)

Lord Ivan's Home

511 Chand Avenue

Severn, MD 21144

Lochmere Vocal and Music Group

Please contact Sir Aelfred of Cres

Arts and Sciences—Please contact Seneschal

*Indicates Their Excellencies will be attending—** Barony business meeting will be held at 1100 Johns Hopkins Road, Laurel, MD

If you are interested in retaining for Their Excellencies, please contact Lady Gwen at kanamidori@gmail.com



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Arts & Sciences—Lady Sarra de Vicenza
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Missiles Weapons—Baron Kryss Kostarev
Armored Fighting—Lord Ceawlin Silvertongue
Bardic—Lady Gwen verch Llwelyn