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Night on the Town—Night of the Tartan 2017: Court Saturday Evening





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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](mailto: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

## **Spring Crown Tournament—May 5-7, 2017**

Baron Gabrell & Baroness Avice

Sharing Dayshade with Bright Hills, please bring something to share

## **Return to Camelot—May 12-14, 2017**

Baroness Avice

No hospitality needed

## **On Target—May 20, 2017**

Baron Gabrell & Baroness Avice

No hospitality needed

## **Ruby Joust—May 26-29, 2017**

Baron Gabrell & Baroness Avice

Dayshade will be provided, hospitality requested

## **Storvik Novice and Unbelt—June 3, 2017**

Baron Gabrell & Baroness Avice

Dayshade will be provided, hospitality will depend on attendance

## **Summer University—June 10, 2017**

Baron Gabrell & Baroness Avice

No Hospitality needed

## **Battle on the Bay—September 22-24, 2017**

Lochmere Investiture

Dayshade will be provided, hospitality requested



# Upcoming Polling



In the weeks to come, we here in Lochmere will be conducting a polling to find out who will take the place of our beloved Baron and Baroness when they step down later this fall. Although our hearts will be heavy as we take on this task, we must press on and diligently work through the process to get the best candidates in place to take up the mantle and assume the role that they vacate.

The first thing that each and every Lochmerian needs to do is to make sure their membership is in order. Your SCA membership must be up-to-date and your address must be correct or you will not receive a polling letter.

Next, candidates who want to run for the office must submit a Letter of Intent (LoI) to the regional Seneschal, amy.cunning@gmail.com and copy to the kingdom Seneschal, seneschal@atlantia.sca.org. Please send me a copy as well so it can be published in the Dredgings, on our Facebook page, and in our baronial email. There are no set requirements for the content of the LoI. Just do your best. By our timeline, LoIs are due to the regional Seneschal no later



## Upcoming Polling—Continued



than June 3rd, 2017.

The last thing I need to note here in this missive is that we do have a lot of people who are allies of Lochmere and who are members of our barony in their hearts, but who do not physically live within our borders. They will not receive an official polling letter because those are tied to our zip codes, however, they are free to send a letter or an email to their Majesties with their recommendations.

Here are the important dates from our official timeline:

- by June 3—Lols due to Regional Seneschal. Copies to Branch and Kingdom Seneschals.
- 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

Lochmere has started off the warm season with a bang. I see no reason not to continue our success with a successful polling and more great events. I look forward to spending more time with everyone.

Always In Your Service,

Baron Kryss Kostarev



## Lochmere Business Meeting Notes



Next Meeting May 1, 2107

**Baron & Baroness:** Had a good time at Coronation. Their new Majesties will allow their baronies to give out three AOA level awards. This will not be undertaken lightly. Ysaine, the regional seneschal, will be scheduling the polling and sending it out. (I have already released the schedule). The new Baron and Baroness, whoever is chosen, will be presenting Their Majesties with a box of dirt from the barony as a symbolic gesture. Then Their Majesties will give it back for safekeeping. Tatiana is working on making new banners. B will be in New Jersey for Father's day. We still have no inventory. Linhart and Cormac will inventory the Iron Key armor. [There was a motion to sell the old, too big, and too small pieces of armor and buy new materials to make new pieces. It was carried.] There was an incident during feast at a recent event. The peers have decided to get together and bring back courtesy. People need to be silent during performances. We are going to look into paying to have our website maintained.

**Seneschal:** I need membership information from Segehart, Bryn, Anne, and Greer. We need a volunteer for a new web minister, please. Don't make me beg. It gets ugly. Our new Chronicler got the Dredgings out. Yay! Good work! We have been asked if we would be interested in doing an archery demo for BritFest on June 10th. (The same day as University.) It looks



# Lochmere Business Meeting Notes—Continued



interesting. It is at the Maryland Polo Grounds and is a celebration of everything British in honor of the Queen's birthday. Bright Hills has also been asked but I don't know if they are going to do anything yet. I would like to set up some schtick to return Highland Forde's wayward child to them at NoTT.

**Chronicler:** Warrant expires: March 2019

Lady Katla was out on business. The Dredgings was published. Great job!

**Exchequer:** Warrant expires:

The Exchequer was just turned over officially to Bryn (Lady Brynhildr Grimkellsdottir). There are 4 more totes to turn over with pre-2007 stuff in them. The barony paid for practices in Dec, Jan, and Feb, but the exchequer needs to get with Linhart to make sure that we are not being charged for practices that did not occur. Segehart just wrote the check for NOTT. Got Pennsic stuff. Bright Hills need their half of deposit.

**Minister of Arts and Sciences:** Warrant expires: March 6, 2019

March 26th was a combo newcomers/A&S night. It seemed to go well. There was a scribal the week before.

**Chatelain:** Warrant expires: Maybe November 2018, never got back confirmation.

On March 26 we had a newcomer/A&S meeting that was well attended. Three new members (one brought by another SCAdian, two others made initial contact via Facebook. Another individual reached out via email. Both Hrefna and I have reached out and emailed him with lots of info- hopefully we will see him at NOTT. I now have business cards made, if any other would like to take a couple (or a lot) to have on hand to pass out, please let me know so I can give them to you.

**Herold:** Warrant expires: November 30, 2019

Though there was no procession, I had the honor of standing behind Their Excellencies at both Coronation Great Courts, adorned in the fine tabard Lady Genevieve made, beside Lady Anne, the Equestrian Champion. I have been contacted by a couple of folks for heraldic submissions that we're working on, as well as the three items I still need to do for the barony. Otherwise, all is well.

**Minister of the Lists:** Warrant expires: not sure, maybe started in past couple of months, 2019 sometime.

The Kingdom MOL put out an SOS for Crown Tourney. Any MOLs who can assist should go and help.

**Knight Marshal:** Warrant expires: Not present, nothing to report.



# Lochmere Business Meeting Notes—Continued



Will do inventory of Iron Key. Have had good turnout for practices. The Baroness asked that one practice a month be designated for combat archery. There was discussion of when the last chance for authorization for Pennsic would be and it was decided that July 25th would be the last chance for authorization in Lochmere.

**Archery Marshal:** Warrant expires: December 3, 2019

Absent in Chicago. Practices have been going well.

**Equestrian:** Has all the equipment needed for IKAC. Now has the targets for thrown weapons. Next Sunday will be the final workshop before riding practices begin.

**Web Minister:** Warrant expires: has already expired and no replacement.

Nothing to report.

**Minister of Youth:** Warrant expires:

Nothing to report.

## Upcoming Events:

**Night of the Tartan:** All is ready, but, we need a check for Elks Camp Barrett for \$1,460.00

Liquor license has been obtained. Guidance for future requests: include modern titles on form (Treasurer rather than Exchequer), have an address on the check (can be Exchequers), and if someone other than the applicants go to the board, have copies of driver's licenses.

Schedule will be provided at the meeting, followed by online

We will send around Volunteer list again at meeting

We are accepting pre registrations at the meeting. We currently have about 40-50 pre-registrations.

Just a reminder about A&S options:

A Novice Competition in two parts. One competition for folks in the SCA less than one year open to any form of entry (Newcomer). The second would be for folks who have started a new craft and have been doing it for less than a year (New to You).

An open competition of any medium incorporating a Celtic knot.



# Lochmere Business Meeting Notes—Continued



And of course The Lochmere signature cocktail. The rules are:

- 1) Taste – first and foremost.
- 2) The beverage must contain at least one main period ingredient. The more authentic, the better, but do not sacrifice taste for accuracy.
- 3) Bonus – catchy Lochmere themed name.

Additionally, since we would like the judging to be a blind taste test, please submit a sheet with the drink name, ingredients and any relative documentation without your name. The A&S coordinator will keep the list of names. with the drink name, ingredients and any relative documentation without your name. The A&S coordinator will keep the list of names.

We have the site beginning at 3:00 p.m. Friday for set-up.

**On Target:** Pig ordered. Have contract.

**Pensic:** Court Sunday with party. Their Majesties may be there. Thrown Weapons Champions Tourney will happen. It is scheduled for Tuesday Aug 8th at 3:30.

**Battle on the Bay:** Bryn got a copy of the contract. There will be equestrian. The manure is to be scooped and tossed into the woods.

**Mid Winter:** Gabe will be mentoring Anne.

**Old Business:** Nothing to report.

**New Business:**

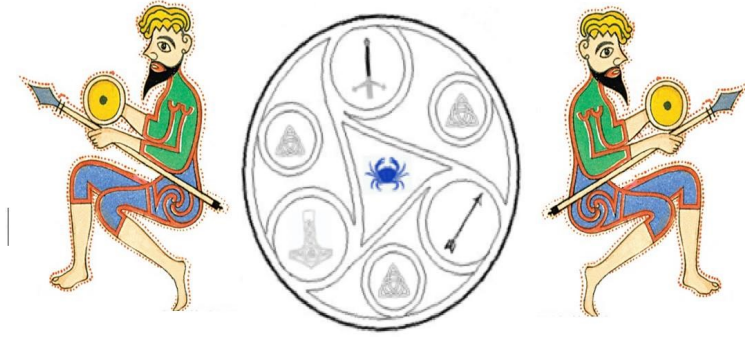
Fundraiser? No. It was decided to go ahead and buy a new pavilion, 20 X 30 with 7 foot walls.

Summer sewing will happen June 1st - early period stuff for cool summer wear.

Meeting adjourned.



# Night on the Town—Night of the Tartan



Unto their most noble Majesties Cuan VII and Signy, King and Queen of fair Atlantia and its most excellent populace does Baroness Wynne ferch Rhodri, Blue Shark Herald and fortunate citizen, send greetings and a report...

On a cloudy yet pleasant Saturday, the 15th day of that month, an event was held to test the mettle of Atlantia's rapier, archery and thrown weapon communities. Others were welcomed to participate in various games and contests, the favorite being the Lochmere Signature Drink contest, or peruse the wares of not too few merchants.

It was during the early evening, when all were ready to lay down arms, drinking vessels and close their purses, that Their Majesties called their people together so they might sit in state and dispense royal justice to all.

As soon as all were seated, Baroness Evelyn Merrymet of Black Diamond spoke about the upcoming Knowne World Dance and Music Symposium, 15-18 June to be held here in Atlantia; more precisely in the little mundane village of Timonium, Maryland. And as this Herald believes dancing is good for the heart, mind, body and soul, here is the ethereal site <http://www.kwds.org/>. This is the only time the Symposium will be held within easy distance of most of Atlantia and it is hoped that a mighty contingent of its populace will attend and enjoy.

With that said their Majesties welcomed all the Newcomers into court and invited the sitting coronets to also attend them in welcoming those who will fill our ranks with new blood, ideas and skills.

Their Excellency's of Lochmere were given leave to hold a baronial court and that will be reported by their own herald as will be the court of the Excellency's of Bright Hills.

Their Majesty's were now most ready to hold a magnificent royal court and started it off with the Pearl scroll for Baroness Avice. She had been welcomed into the Order of the Pearl at Coronation. There followed many awards for deeds and service...

- An Award of Arms to Angelo Di Marino, for teaching the fiber arts in both Lochmere and Bright Hills.
- A Hippocampus to Caius Balthazar Silvano an indispensable worker for the cooks as he hauls supplies, washes dishes, set-up and cleans up for his folk.
- An Opal for lady Anne d'Evreaux (Caius mother) for her contributions to the equestrian community.
- A Coral Branch to Lady Adriana Michaels. She has been Royal Baker, and her skills in baking, research and teaching has enriched the Kingdom and its waistline.
- A Coral Branch was also given to Lady Vadoma who won the Kingdom Arts and Sciences Pentathlon and for her skill in embroidery and the teaching of that beautiful skill.



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- Opals also went to the following: Lord Hannus Siltnen, who excels in bardic performances and archery; Lady Sanada Katsumi for not only running archery shoots but also hand painting 100 archery targets used by competitors; and Baroness Tatiana Ivanova, who provided the Kingdom with over 500 scroll covers and is ever present to assist at troll whenever needed.
- An Award of Arms went to Eryn Meadows, who retains for their Excellency's of Lochmere, sets up and tears down sites and sings most wonderfully in the Laydes Faire singing group.
- Katla Flokadottir also received an Award of Arms as she seems to always be in the kitchen for Lochmere, or acting as chronicler, or is learning to scribe and doing all these things with a smile.

A pause was taken in court as a mystical communication device was employed to announce this next award. As the recipient was not at the event and their Majesties dearly wanted to give this honor, the wondrous far-speaker of old was employed by Baroness Daniela and given with great reverence to their Majesty's. On the other end was Lady Katarzyna Witkowska and while all waited in breathless silence King Cuan and Queen Signy announced that she was to be a Baroness of the Court of Atlantia. I have it on good authority that there were tears shed by the new Baroness and all assembled gave good and hearty cheers for this fine lady. She has been Poeta Atlantiae twice, has led our children into a new appreciation of reading and writing poetry and provides children's activities in Atlantia and at Pennsic War.

These next two were to be brought up and given children's awards as the work ethic and cheerful dispositions have brought then to their Majesty's attention; Gabriel von Regensburg received a Hippocampus and Ysabel Aranda received the Arielle. But the Crowns of Atlantia were not satisfied with only those awards. Indeed after finding out that Gabriel serves his barony in fetching and carrying, clean-up and bad jokes with a smile and Ysabel has through her kind consideration of all, her completion of any and all tasks assigned to her especially the dishes both were ennobled with an Award of Arms. Both were cheered loudly and left court with broad smile and proud parents.

Now this last award...what can your poor Herald say...or type? Such a deed has not been done in her presence nor in anyone's in all of Atlantian memory, but it seemed meet and right to the monarchs of Atlantia. Baron Kryss Kostarev was called into court. We all know Kryss, he is every where; as a herald, a chirurgeon, an archery marshal, knows his way around numbers as an exchequer, and was chronicler for Stierbach. With all that service, it was only right that the Order of the Golden Dolphin be called in to welcome their newest member. There was a resounding AYE when asked to accept Baron Kryss and many hugs and back thumping, yet not satisfied with this honor, His Majesty then proceeded to call in the Order of the Pelican. OH MY you should have seen now-master Kryss's face. It was such a thrill to watch so deserving a subject receive his due. The medallion was from King Cuan himself and he stated that Master Kryss was to sit vigil at Ruby Joust so as to receive advice and encouragement from his fellow Pelicans.

With words of thanks and encouragement to attend a feast whose aroma was gently wafting on the breeze, Their Majesty's closed Their court and set about the enjoyment of the upcoming evening.

This is a true account to the best of my ability. If there are any corrections please contact me privately.

In service I am,

Baroness Wynne ferch Rhodri  
Blue Shark Herald



## Announcements



- We have been invited to participate and or provide a demo at BritFest Maryland 2017. [www.strongsidemarketing.com/events/britfest2017](http://www.strongsidemarketing.com/events/britfest2017)
- On Target is coming up fast on May 20, 2017:
  - Shooting will commence around 10 am on Saturday, May 20, 2017.
  - The main event will be the challenging walk-through shoot. The path climbs through some rolling hillside but is not particularly steep. It can still be somewhat difficult to get to some of the targets' locations so be prepared to climb, stretch, and twist to try and hit your mark. The challenges only make hitting the target that much sweeter! This year we will be making an extra effort to remove poison ivy around the archery targets and along the route shooters will hike. There are rumors of a mastodon lurking in the vicinity as well as a very strange sheep.
  - There will be a practice range set up for both target archery and atlatl. The Barony has lots of loaner gear for archery and atlats available as well.
  - If you do not shoot, the Barony encourages you to come for the food, the socializing with old and new friends and the time to work on small A&S projects. Musicians and singers are welcome as well. If you are a newcomer to the SCA, this is a nice, low key, no pressure event to learn about archery and some of the many A&S activities practiced in the Society.
  - More information can be found on the Kingdom of Atlantia Event Calendar and at our event page here: <https://www.facebook.com/events/685558108283972/> or [http://atlantia.sca.org/137-events/167-event-flyer?event\\_id=901417eb](http://atlantia.sca.org/137-events/167-event-flyer?event_id=901417eb)
- Volunteer bakers and staff are needed for our annual bake sale at On Target. The proceeds benefit the American Cancer Society. If you are interested and able to contribute some baked goods (or other non-baked sweets) or donate an hour or two to "staff the sale," for this worthy cause, please email Mistress Arianna [atchrissings@juno.com](mailto:atchrissings@juno.com) or message on Facebook. Items donated do not need to be "period."
  - Please be sure to let me know what you intend to bring so we can avoid duplicates. Also, items should be pre-packaged in baggies or plastic wrap, or on a small paper plate wrapped with plastic wrap in preparation for sale. If possible, please bring your items in a basket or other attractive container for the sale table. I will bring a few extra just in case we need them.



## 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

May 1	August—No Meeting	December 4
June 5 (tentative)	September 11	January 8 (tentative)
July 10 (tentative)	October 2	February 5 (tentative)
	November 6	



## Attention Lochmere Officers



Make sure your information in this newsletter and website is correct.  
Contact Lady Katla at [lochmere.chorronicler@gmail.com](mailto:lochmere.chorronicler@gmail.com) for The Dredgings  
and

Sir Aelfred of Cres at [ttoich@verizon.net](mailto:ttoich@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](mailto:seneschal@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org) and the Chronicler, Lady Katla at [lochmere.chorronicler@gmail.com](mailto:lochmere.chorronicler@gmail.com).

Thank You!



# Lochmere Calendar of Events



Monday May 1—Lochmere Business Meeting

Tuesday May 2—Fighter Practice

Thursday May 4—Archery Practice

Friday May 5-Sunday May 7—Spring Crown Tournament, Clarksville, VA\*

Tuesday May 9—Fighter Practice

Thursday May 11—Archery Practice

Friday May 12-Sunday May 14—Return to Camelot, Apex, NC\*

Tuesday May 16—Fighter Practice

Thursday May 18—Archery Practice

Saturday May 20—On Target, Annapolis, MD\*

Tuesday May 23—Fighter Practice

Thursday May 25—Archery Practice

Friday May 26-Sunday May 29—Ruby Joust, Amelia, VA\*

Tuesday May 30—Fighter Practice

Saturday June 3—Storvik Novice and Unbelt, College Park, MD\*

Saturday June 10—Summer University, Lynchburg, VA\*

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

\*Indicates Their Excellencies will be attending

If you are interested in retaining for Their Excellencies, please contact

Lady Gwen at [kanamidori@gmail.com](mailto:kanamidori@gmail.com)

## **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

Talbot Elementary School

9550 Basket Ring Road

Columbia, MD 21045

## **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



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# Lochmere Baronial Champions



Rapier Fighting—Leifr Skraveifa  
Equestrian—Lady Anne d'Evreux  
Arts & Sciences—Lady Sarra de Vicenza  
Thrown Weapons—Brian of Lochmere  
Missiles Weapons—Baron Kryss Kostarev  
Armored Fighting—Lord Ceawlin Silvertongue  
Bardic—Lady Gwen verch Llwelyn