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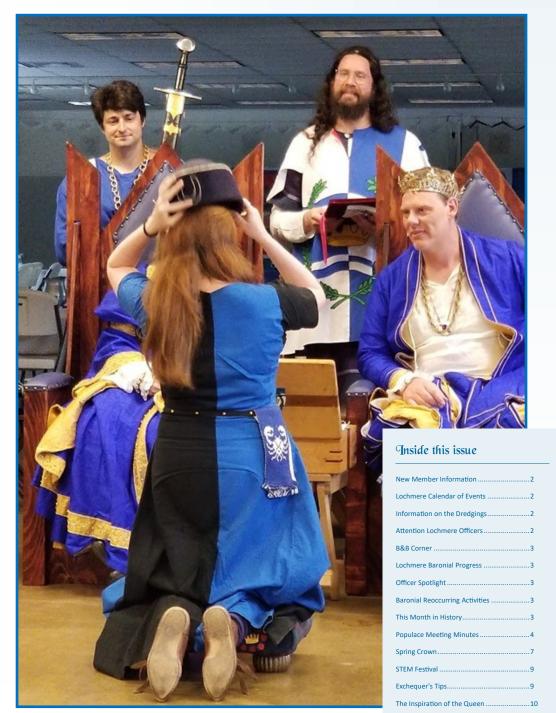














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# **Attention Lochmere Officers**

Make sure your information in this newsletter and website is correct. Contact Lady Katla Flokadottir at <a href="mailto:chronicler@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org">chronicler@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org</a> for The Dredgings and Lady Marta De Lyon at

webminister@lochmere.atlantia.sca. org for the website.

Please submit your Baronial Report in advance of the business meeting via email to Sir Aelfred of Cres at <a href="mailto:seneschal@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org">seneschal@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org</a> and the Chronicler, Lady Katla at <a href="mailto:chronicler@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org">chronicler@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org</a>. Thank You!

# Front cover

2019 Spring Crown Court, photograph by Lady Brynhildr Grimkellsdottir.

# 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

Barony of Lochmere Facebook

Group: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/">https://www.facebook.com/</a>

groups/LochmereSCA/

Kingdom of Atlantia Homepage:

http://www.atlantia.sca.org

Official SCA Homepage: http://www.sca.org

The Acorn, Atlantia's Official News-

letter: http://

www.acorn.atlantia.sca.org

Atlantia Event Calendar: <a href="http://www.acorn.atlantia.sca.org/">http://www.acorn.atlantia.sca.org/</a>

calendar.htm

You can also contact the Barony

Chatelain: chate-

lain@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org

June 3rd's Populace Meeting will take place at 7:15 pm at the Odenton Public Library 1325 Annapolis Rd, Odenton, MD 21113

# Jochmere Calendar of Events

Monday June 3—Populace Meeting

Tuesday June 4—Fighter Practice and A&S

Thursday June 6—Archery & Thrown Weapons Practice

Tuesday June 11—Fighter Practice and A&S

Thursday June 13—Archery & Thrown Weapons Practice

Tuesday June 18—Fighter Practice and A&S

Thursday June 20—Archery & Thrown Weapons Practice

Tuesday June 25—Fighter Practice and A&S

Thursday June 27—Archery & Thrown Weapons Practice

# Atlantia Calendar of Events

Saturday, June 1—<u>Leather and Wire Working Workshop</u>—Canton of Falconcree Friday-Sunday, June 7-9, <u>Journey Through the Nine Realms</u>—Barony of Raven's Cove\* Friday-Tuesday, June 7-11, <u>Known World Historical Combat Studies Symposium at War of the Lillies</u>—Kingdom of Calontir

Saturday, June 8, Skewered! - The Shire of Roxbury Mill

Thursday-Sunday, June 13-16, <u>Known World Dance and Music Symposium</u>—Kingdom of Ansteorra

Friday-Sunday, June 14-16, Trial by Fire—Barony of Bright Hills\*

Saturday, June 15, Summer University—Barony of Black Diamond

Saturday-Sunday, June 21-23, Old School War Practice—Barony of Marinus

Saturday-Sunday, June 21-23, <u>Known World Costume and Fiber Arts Symposium</u>—

Kingdom of Meridies

Saturday, June 29, Another Foolish Event—Canton of Middlegate

Saturday, June 29, Storvik Novice and Unbelt Tournament - Barony of Storvik\*

\*Indicates Their Excellencies will be attending



Greetings Lochmere!

Your Baron and Baroness have been busy over the last couple of months and now we've finally hit a stretch of events that we can feasibly day trip to. Please coordinate with Duchess Simone for hospitality at the events we intend to attend

Pennsic is coming! We are doing our standard Pennsic projects getting ready for the big event. If you would like, you could come to the fighter practice site on Tuesdays and work on your projects together! We would love to see you out!

We have scheduled a picnic on the 13th of July so the Barony can have an opportunity to get together as a group that isn't tied to a SCA event. We are hoping that we can have a nice, relaxing day on the shore of the Severn river (Lady Bryn!). We would like to start around 10:30 am or so - and we have the site reserved for the entire day. So bring boardgames, bocce, bardic (if you wish) and have fun!

The address is Bieman's Point on Naval Support Activity Annapolis. (GPS COORDINATES: 38.987789, -76.474869). There aren't any requirements to show an ID on this part of the base - so getting on shouldn't be a problem. We have to warn you that while driving on base that you should strictly obey the speed limit - the Shore Police view speeding tickets as sport sometimes. Please don't bring anything that can be construed as a weapon - including but not limited to: archery, thrown weapons, rapier swords, armored fighting equipment, and I can't believe I have to say this - especially NO siege weapons! :)

Sarra and I are providing hot dogs and hamburger meat and we need others to bring buns, drinks, condiments, plates, plastic cutlery, and side dishes. We also recommend bringing enough chairs for whoever you are bringing with you - there are picnic tables under the hard pavilion but it doesn't hurt to be prepared. Please coordinate with either Sarra or myself on what you intend to bring. Look for further info - I plan on posting/emailing everyone with pictures to explain how to get there once you are on base.

Keep having fun! We are having a blast!

Cormacc and Sarra

Baron and Baroness, Lochmere

# Lochmere Baronial Progress

**Highland River Melees—June 1, 2019**Barony of Highland Foorde, Hagerstown, MD

Hospitality needed

Journey Through the Nine Realms—June 8, 2019
Barony of Raven's Cove, Apex, NC
Hospitality needed

Trial by Fire—June 15, 2019

Barony of Bright Hills, Glem Arm, MD Hospitality needed

Storvik Novice and Unbelt Tournament

-June 29, 2019

Barony of Storvik, College Park, MD Hospitality needed

If you are interested in retaining for Their Excellencies, please contact Duchess Simone at  $\underline{sitoich@gmail.com}.$ 

# Officer Spotlight-Chatelaine



Photo by Ric Brown

Lord Angelo DiMarino at your Service. I am the Chatelaine of our wonderful Barony. I play Garbie Dolls with newcomers who don't have anything in the way of their own garb yet, and I act as the Welcome Wagon, inviting them to come and play with us. The purpose of a chatelaine is to make new comers to the SCA feel comfortable with the goings on at an event, introduce them to people, and see to them having a good time to keep coming back. Outside of the office of Chatelaine and the SCA, I work at a perennial Plant nursery as my mundane job, as well as an on cast at the Maryland Renaissance Festival doing spinning demonstrations for their living history program. My primary interests revolve around the fiber arts, especially spinning. It's a very zen experience, especially when working on the drop spindle.

# **Baronial Reoccurring Activities**

## **Populace Meeting**

First Monday of every month 7:15 pm 1325 Annapolis Road Odenton, MD 21113

## Fighter Practice (Heavy & Rapier)

Every Tuesday 7:00 pm Severn Christian Church 8132 New Cut Road , Severn, MD 21144

## **Archery Practice**

Every Thursday (til time change) Lord Ivan's Home 511 Chad Avenue, Severn, MD 21144

## **Equestrian Practice**

10:00 am till? Meeting and potluck follows 2361 Rutland Rd , Davidsonville, MD 21035

# Lochmere Vocal and Music Group

Please contact Sir Aelfred of Cresttoich@verizon.net

## **Arts and Sciences**

Lady Anne d'Evreux moas@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org

# This Month in History

# June 1

193 Roman Emperor Didius Julianus is assassinated.

794 Charles the Great opens general synod in Frankfurt

1204 King Philip Augustus of France conquers Rouen

1283 Albrecht I van Habsburg becomes ruler of Austrian/Bull market

1459 Pope Pius II opens congress of Mantua 1495 First written record of Scotch Whisky appears in Exchequer Rolls of Scotland, Friar John Cor is the distiller

1533 Anne Boleyn crowned Queen of England

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455 King Gaiseric & the Vandals sack Rome -Rome looted for 14 days

575 Benedict I begins his reign as Catholic



Yours in Service, Lord Angelo DiMarino



# This Month in History, continued...

657 St Eugene I ends his reign as Catholic Pope

350 Roman usurper Nepotianus, of the Constantinian dynasty, proclaims himself Roman Emperor, entering Rome at the head of a group of gladiators

1098 After 5-month siege in First Crusade, the Crusaders seize Antioch (now in modernTurkey) 1539 Hernando de Soto claims Florida for Spain 1540 Hernando de Soto crosses Appalachian Mountain, 1st European to do so

#### June 4

1039 Henry III becomes Holy Roman Emperor 1070 Roquefort cheese created in a cave near Roquefort, France

1487 Lord Lovell and John de la Pole's army land at Furness. Lancashire

#### June 5

70 Titus and his Roman legions breach the middle wall of Jerusalem

754 Friezen murders bishop Boniface & over 50 companions

1305 Archbishop Bertrand the Got of Bordeaux elected Pope Clement V

1507 England and Netherlands sign trade agreement

# June 6:

1002 German King Henry II the Saint crowned 1242 24 wagonloads of Talmudic books burned in Paris

1391 Inhabitants of Seville, Spain, massacre 5,000 Jews

1520 France and England sign treaty of Scotland

# June 7:

555 Vigilius ends his reign as Catholic Pope 1099 1st Crusaders arrive in Jerusalem 1420 Troops of the Republic of Venice capture Udine, ending the independence of the Patriarchate of Aquileia

 $1520\,Field\ of\ the\ Cloth\ of\ Gold;\ meeting\ begins$  between English Henry VIII and King Francis I of France at Balinghem, France

1557 England declares war on France

# June 8:

65 Jews revolt against Rome, capturing fortress of Antonia in Jerusalem

68 Rome Senate accepts emperor Galba 452 Italy invaded by Attila the Hun 793 Vikings in long ships from modern-day Norway plunder St Cuthbert's monastery on

# Populace Meeting Minutes

## **Baron and Baroness:**

- ♦ Sarra we've been busy in the last couple of weeks with Night in Navarre and Crown
- We will attend On Target this weekend, Highland River Melees and Journey to the 9 Realms Seneschal:
- ♦ The group has been really busy past 30 days and we are not done yet
- Night on the Town 2020 is spiked still calling for autocrats (we have a couple of people who
  are interested)

## Chronicler: (not in attendance)

- ♦ Feeling under the weather today—Duchess Simone toke notes tonight
- Got the newsletter out on the 25th but a slight mistake got through—missed changing Tuesday to Monday, but it did have the correct date of the 6th
- Attended first Crown and had a great time serving the delicious bounty (and sampling it) that was provided by Mistress Lissette—If anyone took pictures of the event please submit them to <u>chronicler@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org</u>—it would be much appreciated!
- Will see everyone at On Target next Saturday with cookies in hand for the fundraiser bake sale for American Cancer Society

Exchequer: (emailed report)

- ♦ Ledger Balance is \$7,347.48
- ♦ The Q1 report was submitted to Kingdom on 26 April and it has been accepted
- ♦ Night in Navarre event report:
  - ♦ 204 paying adults

  - ♦ Event Profit will be over \$800.00 but I have not received all of the receipts yet.
  - ♦ Lunch raised \$605.00
  - ♦ Lochmart raised \$37.00
- Crown report we had 257 on site (maybe a profit of \$500 each and \$100 for Kingdom)
- Pennsic water fundraised \$20.73 and another \$20 from Night in Navarre I'll take the jar to On Target
- ♦ It is time for inventory again.
  - Please let Mistress Ariana Morgan know what items belonging to the Barony you may have and how many items you have
  - For instance, if you are the marshal and have loaner armor, how many complete sets of loaner armor do we have?
  - ♦ Include where the items reside

# Minister of Arts and Sciences:

- ♦ Night in Navarre had 2 competitions went really well
- We are doing smocked apron classes at A&S fighter practice
- ♦ June will be psanky egg workshop, more details on that to come
- Revenge of the Stitch- Scholastica had a team that dressed her Excellency of Ponte Alto
- ♦ Demo this weekend at STEAM on Crofton

# Chatelain: (not in attendance)

- ♦ We had a great month 8 newcomers at Night in Navarre that we dressed plus about 24 drop in passersby
- ♦ 4 newcomers at Crown
- ♦ Demo on the 11th

# Herold: (emailed report)

- The baronial court reports for both Night in Navarre and Spring Crown Tournament have been submitted
  - Ocongratulations to Lady Marta de Lyon as the newest member of the Order of the Sable Branch, to Lady Letia Thistelthueyt as the newest member of the Order of the

# Populace Meeting Minutes Continued

Crab's Claw, to the fine autocrats for both events and any winners in contests those days

- Mistress Wynne graciously hosted a heraldic consult table at Night in the Navarre inside where I endeavored to assist as I was able
  - $\Diamond$  We met with and helped at least seven people and I will try to keep an eye out for the progress on those items that were submitted
  - ♦ It was a great learning experience
- Lisette's badge has finally belatedly been submitted
- ♦ I'm still working with a newcomer on items for him
- My warrant and membership both expire on 11/30/2019
- ♦ Don't hesitate to ask if I can be of some service.

# Minister of the Lists: (emailed report)

- ♦ 51 rapier fighters took the field
- 3 authorizations
- 2 helpers
- ♦ I've asked for warrant renewal extension to 3/31/2021

#### **Knight Marshal:**

- Practices going well
- ♦ Will move outside the end of May
- Practice tourney at the end of May 21st
- ♦ Will do an inventory of the marshal stuff this month
- ♦ Will probably do a 'last authorization' before Pennsic

## **Archery Marshal:**

- Practice is getting a good turn out
- On Target this weekend

# Web Minister: (not in attendance)

- ♦ She made changes for Night in Navarre
- Dep-Webminister (Aelfred) made updates to website for On Target

# Minister of Youth:

- Night in Navarre we had between 6 and 15 youth Vicki and Megan Suggs made the egg hunt happen for me—was very thankful for their help
- ♦ We had 4 activities—Talked about folklore around eggs and we colored plastic eggs
- ♦ Jacintha asked for the lesson plans so she can share them
- Crown Olas made a maypole for the kids and it was a big success / 27 people participated (about half kids)
- ♦ Dealla did thrown weapons for kids —also very successful 6 kids and parents
- ♦ Also played relay races / red rover/ mother may I

# Equestrian:

Nothing to Report

# Battle on the Bay:

- ♦ It's happening
- Will be working on flyers and updating the website next week

# Winter Bardic:

Nothing to report

# MidWinter:

- ♦ Aine has contacted a few places
- ♦ We might have some fighting depending on site and weather

# Night in Navarre (Night on the Town):

- ♦ Night in Navarre- Simone
- Thank you again to everyone that helped and turned up to support the Barony

# This Month in History, continued...

Lindisfame Island, off the northeast coast of England

1191 King Richard I of England arrives at Acre in modern day Israel to join the Siege of Acre during the Third Crusade

#### June 9:

68 Roman Emperor Nero commits suicide, imploring his secretary Epaphroditos to slit his throat to evade a Senate-imposed death by

#### flogging

1456 23rd recorded perihelion passage of Halley's Comet

1534 Jacques Cartier 1st sails into mouth of St Lawrence River

1549 Book of Common Prayer is adopted by the Church of England

1549 England enforces Act of Supremacy

#### June 10:

1190 Third Crusade: Holy Roman Emperor Frederick I Barbarossa drowns while crossing the Saleph River (modern Turkey) leading an army to Jerusalem

1539 Council of Trent

1540 Thomas Cromwell arrested in Westminster

#### June 11:

1144 Basilica of St Denis is dedicated near Paris, the first fully Gothic church

 ${\it 1429\, Hundred\, Years'\, War: The\, start\, of\, the\, Battle\, }$  of Jargeau (France)

1517 Sir Thomas Pert reaches Hudson Bay 1578 England grants Sir Humphrey Gilbert a patent to explore and colonize North America

# June 12:

28 Roman General Gaius Carrinas' triumphant procession through Rome, awarded for fighting in Gaul

1381 Peasants' Revolt: in England, rebels arrive at Blackheath

1418 An insurrection delivers Paris to the Burgundians

King Edward VI accepts Archbishop Cranmer's "42 Articles"

# June 13:

1325 Ibn Battuta begins his travels, leaving his home in Tangiers to travel to Mecca 1373 Anglo-Portuguese Treaty of Alliance (world's

1392 Assassination attempt on Pierre de Craon Van Clisson of France fails

oldest extant) signed in London

1547 King Ferdinand of Austria subjects himself





# This Month in History, continued...

on Ottoman Sultan Suleiman the Magnificent

1381 Richard II in England meets leaders of Peasants' Revolt on Blackheath. The Tower of London is stormed by rebels w1535 Emperor Charles V's fleet sails under Andrea Doria to Tunisho enter without resistance 1565 Catharina de Medici and Duke of Alva discuss Calvinism 1597 At 4:30 AM Willem Barents leaves Novaya

# June 15:

Zemlya for Netherlands

923 Battle of Soissons: King Robert I of France is killed and King Charles the Simple is arrested by the supporters of Duke Rudolph of Burgundy 1094 Rodrigo Diaz de Vivar [El Cid] occupies

Valencia on the Moren 1184 Magnus V Erlingsson, King of Norway, dies in the Battle of Fimreite

1215 King John signs Magna Carta at Runnymede, near Windsor, England 1246 With the death of Duke Frederick II, the Babenberg dynasty ends in Austria 1567 Battle at Carberry, Scotland: Protestant troops beat Earl Bothwell's army 1567 Republic of Genoa expels Jews from its whole territory

# June 16:

632 Origin of Persian [Yezdegird] Era 1487 Battle of Stoke, Nottinghamshire: Henry VII beats John de la Pole & Lord Lovell 1567 Mary, Queen of Scots, imprisoned in Lochleven Castle prison, Scotland

# June 17:

653 St Martin I ends his reign as Catholic Pope 1119 Charles the Good becomes earl of Flanders 1462 Vlad III the Impaler attempts to assassinate Mehmed II forcing him to retreat from Wallachia 1497 Battle of Deptford Bridge - forces under King Henry VII soundly defeat Cornish rebels led by Michael An Gof

1579 Anti-English uprising in Ireland 1579 Sir Francis Drake lands on coast of California at Drakes Bay, names it "New Albion" 1580 Battle at Hardenberg: Spanish troops beat rehels

# June 18:

860 Rus Vikings attack Constantinople 1155 Pope Adrian IV crowns Frederick I Barbarossa Roman-German Emperor

# Populace Meeting Minutes Continued

- We had a good turn out for set up and thanks to those that stayed to help clean up as well
- ♦ The feast was fabulous
- Approx profit is \$785 plus \$55 in donations and \$605 from the lunch fundraiser by Wulfshaven
- ♦ Lochmart plus the auction by Galmr raised \$217

## **Spring Crown Bid:**

- ♦ Anne we got our first 10000 steps in the first 15 minutes!
  - ♦ Couldn't have done it without everyone's help
  - It was definitely a success
  - ♦ 257 at the event and feast was almost sold out
  - ♦ Spiaggia members really were workhorses
  - ♦ Everyone who said they would do something did it and then did more
- ♦ Sarra- we appreciate all the support we got

#### On Target:

- ♦ We have sprayed once for poison ivy and will do again tomorrow
- Sign up sheet going around
- ♦ Folks should come out around 2 pm Friday for set up and Saturday 7:30 am
- Reynard needs someone there at 6 to put the pig on the fire
- Arianna- Volunteer bake sale needs donations as well

#### STEAM Demo:

♦ This weekend—see the posts online

# Old Business:

- ♦ Summer BBQ:

  - ♦ We will have a hard Pavilion and couple of grills
  - ♦ Croquet or Bocce?
- Request from Kingdom donate money to help the kingdom break the 12th night contract:
  - Vote was against donating to the Kingdom. Personal donations may be made to the kingdom exchequer

# New Business:

- Replacing the poles for the wall hanging was discussed- Olas will submit ideas
- ♦ 15th c classes for Coronation German classes Tatiana will be coordinating classes at the
- Sept 24th through the 26th Harvest Wars triathalon to prepare for Fall. Contact Tatiana as autocrat – looking for Fencing Marshal. Will be Denton MD
- New kitchen equipment need aprons/ towels/ and big cooking pots after we do an
  inventory we will have a better idea
- ♦ 44 days to prereg for Pennsic

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

Next Meeting: June 3, 2019, Odenton Library at 7:15 p.m.

# Spring Crown





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Photo by Tatiana Ivanovna of Birchwood Keep



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# This Month in History, continued...

 ${\bf 1178} \ {\bf Five monks \ at \ Canterbury \ report \ explosion} \\ {\bf on \ moon \ (only \ known \ observation)} \\$ 

1178 5 Canterbury monks report something exploding on the moon shortly after sunset

1264 The Parliament of Ireland meets at Castledermot in County Kildare, the first

definitively known meeting of this Irish legislature 1538 Treaty of Nice: ends war between Emperor Charles V & King French I

1541 Irish parliament selects Henry VIII of England as King of Ireland

1574 Polish King Hendrik of Anjou secretly leaves Poland

1580 States of Utrecht forbid catholic worship 1583 Richard Martin of London takes out first life insurance policy, on William Gibbons; premium was £383

## June 19:

987 Louis IV, crowned king of France 1205 Pope Innocent III fires Adolf I as archbishop of Cologne

1269 King Louis IX of France decrees all Jews must wear a yellow badge in public or be fined 10 livres of silver

1306 The Earl of Pembroke's army defeats Robert Bruce's Scottish army at the Battle of Methyen

1464 French King Louis XI forms postal service 1502 Emperor Maximilian I and England sign treaty of Antwerp

1586 English colonists sailed from Roanoke Island, North Carolina

1588 Spanish Armada heavily destroyed in storm at Coruna

# June 20:

451 Battle of the Catalaunian Plains: Roman and Visigoths forces defeat Attila the Hun in north east France

1212 French and Spanish crusaders unite against the Almohaden at Toledo

1214 The University of Oxford receives its charter 1567 Jews are expelled from Brazil by order of regent Don Henrique

# June 21:

68 Roman General Vespasian conquers Jericho during the Great Jewish Revolt

524 Godomar, King of the Burgundians, defeats the Franks at the Battle of Vézeronce 996 Pope Gregory V crowns Otto III Roman Catholic German Emperor of Elzas





1128 Battle of Akspoele: earl Willem of Normandy beats Diederik

1307 Külüg Khan is enthroned as Emperor of China and seventh Great Khan after defeating rival factions and succeeding his uncle Temür Khan

1498 Jews are expelled from Nurenberg Bavaria by Emperor Maximillian

1529 Battle of Landriano: Imperial-Spanish forces under Don Antonio de Leyva, Duke of Terranova, beat a French army under Francis de Bourbon, Comte de St. Pol

1529 Queen Catherine Of England [Catherine of Aragon] speaks against her marriage's annulment at the Blackfriars Legatine Court

1582 The Incident at Honnō-ji takes place in Kyoto, Japan

#### June 22:

431 Council of Ephesus (3rd ecumenical council) opens

533 Ferdinand of Austria and Ottoman Sultan Suleiman the Magnificent sign peace treaty 816 Pope Stephen IV, [V] elected to succeed Leo

1377 Richard II succeeds Edward III as king of England

1559 Jewish quarter of Prague burned and looted 1593 Battle of Sisak: Allied Christian troops defeat the Turks

1596 Cornelis de Houtmans fleet reaches Banten Java

# June 23:

930 World's oldest parliament, the Icelandic Parliament, the Alþingi (anglicised as Althing or Althingi), established

1295 Pope Boniface VIII enters Rome

1305 French-Flemish peace treaty signed at Athis -sur-Orge

1532 Henry VIII of England & Francois I of France sign secret treaty against Emperor Charles V

# June 24:

451 10th recorded perihelion passage of Halley's Comet

843 Vikings destroy Nantes

972 Battle of Cedynia, the first documented victory of Polish forces; Mieszko I of Poland decisively defeated Odo I of Lusatia

1314 Battle of Bannockburn; Scotland regains independence from England

1322 Jews are expelled from France for 3rd time 1340 English fleet destroys the French at the battle of Sluys (the Hundred Years War)

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# Spring Crown



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# **EXCHEQUER'S TIPS**

Income categories always include Full Price, Member Discount, Youth with optional categories of Feast, Camping, and Merchant fees.

In order to decide what you will charge for site fee, you should know what the event is going to cost. The cost of the event is all your expenses, without feast, added together. If feast is not a separate option, then you must include it in the cost of the event. The expense section of the Event Budget lists the possible expenses.

Once you know what the event will cost, use your best estimate of how many people will attend. Your Exchequer should be able to provide previous years attendance. Remember there will be a mixture of adult and youth.

Divide the number of adults you expect by the total cost of the event to find your base event fee. Then round up to something that makes sense and helps you reach your target profit goal.

You must have enough attendees to cover the site fee and all expected expenses. You will have to juggle the site fee and expenses until you have the right mix.

Do the same with feast. Discuss the menu ideas with your cook and what it will cost per person. Decide how many people will stay for feast and multiply people by cost per person.

Approximately 2 weeks prior to the event ask the reservationist how many people have reserved for feast so you and the cook can adjust up or down accordingly. Normally, the cook does not shop until the week of the event so feast can be flexible.

Next Month: Who gets to attend an event on the Barony's dime and how does it get worked into the event budget?

# This Month in History, continued...

1396 Crusaders under Earl of Nevers reach Vienna

1441 Eton College founded by Henry VI 1497 John Cabot claims Eastern Canada for England (believes he has found Asia in Nova Scotia)

1497 Comish traitors Michael An Gof and Thomas Flamank are executed at Tyburn, London

1509 Henry VIII is crowned King of England in Westminster Abbey

1529 Zürich and catholic cantons sign Peace of Kappel

1540 English King Henry VIII commands his 4th wife, Anne of Cleves, to leave the court 1597 Cornelis de Houtman's fleet reaches Bantam. West Java

#### June 25:

253 St Lucius I begins his reign as Catholic Pope 524 Battle of Vézeronce, the Franks defeat the Burgundians

1080 Wibbert of Ravenna chosen as anti-pope

1096 1st Crusade slaughter Jews of Werelinghofen Germany

1298 Rindfleisch Persecutions, 250 Jews killed in Rothenburg, Germany

1530 The Augsburg Confession where Germany's Protestant princes force Holy Roman Emperor Charles V to hear their Confession of Faith

# June 26

363 Roman Emperor Julian is killed during retreat from the Sassanid Empire. General Jovian is proclaimed Emperor by troops on the battlefield. 1284 According to the Lüneburg manuscript, a piper leads 130 children of Hamelin away 1483 Duke of Gloucester succeeds as King Richard III of England after Parliament declared Edward Villegitimate

1498 Toothbrush invented in China using boar bristles

1553 Christ's Hospital in England granted a charter

# June 27:

678 St Agatho begins his reign as Catholic Pope 1358 Republic of Dubrovnik is founded 1542 Juan Rodríguez Cabrillo sets sail from the Mexican port of Navidad to explore the west coast of North America on behalf of the Spanish Empire





# Bards of Olde Presented by Duchess Simone de Barjavel

At the recent Crown Tournament in Spiaggia Leviantina I was amused and heartened to hear several performers, including His Highness Prince Cuan, sing from the modern musical Camelot. For many of us, the music of Camelot invokes old memories of our Society and it's inspiration in the original May Tourney. Lest we forget the muse that drew so many to this land of Atlantia I call upon you to seek out inspiration, whether it is our fair Queen Adelheit or a lord or lady of your choosing.

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Image: Cropped King Arthur's sister Morgan shows him the room where Lancelot had painted his relationship with Queen Guinevere in Évrard d'Espinques' illumination for the Vulgate Cycle's La Mort du roi Arthur (1470) https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Guinevere#/media/File:Arthur discovers the frescoes painted by Lancelot in Morgan% 27s castle.png

# The Inspiration of the Queen



Guinevere is the wife of Arthur in the legends of Camelot and the Knights of the Round Table. She is both an inspirational figure and a classic deceiver, significant in some tales about the fall of Arthur. We still have no answer to the question of who the 'real' Arthur was but the legends have spawned numerous works and played a significant role in our own Society. Guinevere's story is reported in the Welsh Trioedd Ynys Prydein, Geoffrey of

Monmouth's 12th c Historia Regum Britanniae, Chretien de Troyes' Lancelot and Malory's Le Morte d'Arthur. All of these contain references to the wife or Queen of Arthur. Seek out the original tales, they still tell stories that can inspire and perplex us. Below is a bit of Lancelot or The Knight of the Cart by Chretien de Troyes. (Vv. 31-172.) Upon a certain Ascension Day King Arthur had come from Caerleon, and had held a very magnificent court at Camelot as was fitting on such a day. After the feast the King did not quit his noble companions, of whom there were many in the hall. The Queen was present, too, and with her many a courteous lady able to converse in French. And Kay, who had furnished the meal, was eating with the others who had served the food. While Kay was sitting there at meat, behold there came to court a knight, well equipped and fully armed, and thus the knight appeared before the King as he sat among his lords. He gave him no greeting, but spoke out thus: "King Arthur, I hold in captivity knights, ladies, and damsels who belong to thy dominion and household; but it is not because of any intention to restore them to thee that I make reference to them here; rather do I wish to proclaim and serve thee notice that thou hast not the strength or the resources to enable thee to secure them again. And be assured that thou shalt die before thou canst ever succour them." The King replies that he must needs endure what he has not the power to change; nevertheless, he is filled with grief. Then the knight makes as if to go away, and turns about, without tarrying longer before the King; but after reaching the door of the hall, he does not go down the stairs, but stops and speaks from there these words: "King, if in thy court there is a single knight in whom thou hast such confidence that thou wouldst dare to entrust to him the Queen that he might escort her after me out into the woods whither I am going, I will promise to await him there, and will surrender to thee all the prisoners whom I hold in exile in my country if he is able to defend the Queen and if he succeeds in bringing her back again." Many who were in the palace heard this challenge, and the whole court was in an uproar. Kay, too, heard the news as he sat at meat with those who served. Leaving the table, he came straight to the King, and as if greatly enraged, he began to say: "O King, I have served thee long, faithfully, and loyally; now I take my leave, and shall go away, having no desire to serve thee more." The King was grieved at what he heard, and as soon as he could, he thus replied to him: "Is this serious, or a joke?" And Kay replied: "O King, fair sire, I have no desire to jest, and I take my leave quite seriously. No other reward or wages do I wish in return for the service I have given you. My mind is quite made up to go away immediately." "Is it in anger or in spite that you wish to go?" the King inquired; "seneschal, remain at court, as you have done hitherto, and be assured that I have nothing in the world which I would not give you at once in return for your consent to stay." "Sire," says Kay, "no need of that. I would not accept for each day's pay a measure of fine pure gold." Thereupon, the King in great dismay went off to seek the Queen. "My lady," he says, "you do not know the demand that the seneschal makes of me. He asks me for leave to go away, and says he will no longer stay at court; the reason of this I do not know. But he will do at your request what he will not do for me. Go to him now, my lady dear. Since he will not consent to stay for my sake, pray him to remain on your account, and if need be, fall at his feet, for I should never again be happy if I should lose his company."

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# This Month in History, continued...

1580 Duke of Alva's army occupies Portugal June 28:

1098 Fighters of the First Crusade defeat Kerbogha of Mosul.

1119 Battle of Sarmada - Emir Ilghazi defeats French Crusaders

1245 1st Council of Lyons (13th ecumenical council) opens

1389 Ottomans defeat Serbian army in the bloody Battle of Kosovo, opening the way for the

Ottoman conquest of Southeastern Europe 1461 Edward IV crowned king of England

1485 Gent/Brugge/leper recognize Maximilian of Austria as regent of Netherlands

1519 King Carlos I elected Holy Roman Catholic **Emperor Charles V** 

1524 Duke of Bourbon occupies Province

1575 Spanish troops conquer Buren

1583 Duke Frans de Valois returns to France 1593 Earl Mauritius conquers Geertruidenberg

512 A solar eclipse is recorded by a monastic

chronicler in Ireland.

1072 Former Byzantine Emperor Romanos IV Diogenes blinded by rivals and exiled

1149 Raymond of Antioch is defeated and killed at the Battle of Inab by Nur ad-Din.

1312 Holy Roman Emperor Henry VII crowned 1428 Jacoba of Bavaria signs cease fire with Philip

1529 Emperor Karel V & Pope Clemens VII sign Treaty of Barcelona

1534 Jacques Cartier discovers Prince Edward Islands Canada

1540 Former Lord Privy Seal and Chancellor of the Exchequer of England Thomas Cromwell indicted as a heretic

June 30:

296 St Marcellinus begins his reign as Catholic

350 Roman usurper Nepotianus, of the Constantinian dynasty, is defeated and killed by troops of the usurper Magnentius, in Rome 833 Louis crowned King of Austria

949 Otto I the Great gives away bishopric of

Utrecht "foreestrecht"

1294 Jews are expelled from Berne, Switzerland 1371 Arnold II of Horne chosen bishop of Utrecht 1397 Denmark, Norway and Sweden sign Union of Kalmar under Queen Margaretha

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**Equestrian:** Lady Aine d'Alton **Archery & Thrown Weapons:** 

Ethan of Lochmere

**Armored Fighting:** Marcus Galmrsson

**Arts & Sciences:** 

Lady Brynhildr Grimskellsdottr