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Information on the Dredgings

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Front cover

Additional 27695 f. 14 Gluttony Miniature of a scene in a tavern illustrating Gluttony with men drinking, and below a cellarer passing up a drink. Origin: Italy, N. W. (Genoa) <u>https://www.bl.uk/catalogues/</u> <u>illuminatedmanuscripts/</u> <u>ILLUMIN.ASP?Size=mid&IIIID=24291</u>

New Member Information

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

Barony of Lochmere Homepage: <u>http://</u> www.lochmere.atlantia.sca.org

Barony of Lochmere Facebook Group: <u>https://www.facebook.com/</u> groups/LochmereSCA/

Kingdom of Atlantia Homepage: <u>http://www.atlantia.sca.org</u>

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

The Acorn, Atlantia's Official Newsletter: <u>http://</u> www.acorn.atlantia.sca.org

Atlantia Event Calendar: <u>http://</u> www.acorn.atlantia.sca.org/ <u>calendar.htm</u>

You can also contact the Barony Chatelain: <u>chate-</u> lain@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org

Lochmere Business Meetings will take place at 7:15 pm at the Odenton Public Library 1325 Annapolis Rd, Odenton, MD 21113 January 7, February 4, March 4, April 1, May 6, and June TBA

Jochmere Calendar of Events

Monday January 7—Populace Meeting Tuesday January 8—Fighter Practice Friday-Sunday January 11-13—12th Night (Sacred Stone)* Tuesday January 15—Fighter Practice Saturday January 19—Ice Castles (Black Diamond) Tuesday January 22—Fighter Practice Friday-Saturday January 25-27-Nottinghill Coill's Investiture and Baronial Birthday Friday-Saturday January 25-27—Birka (Stonemarche) Saturday January 26—Midwinter's—Road to Compostela* Tuesday January 29—No Fighter Practice Saturday February 2—Winter University (Caer Mear)* Monday February 4—Populace Meeting Tuesday February 5—Fighter Practice Saturday February 9—Bright Hills 25th Baronial Anniversary* Tuesday February 12—Fighter Practice Saturday February 16—Ponte Alto Baronial Birthday* Tuesday February 19—Fighter Practice Tuesday February 26—No Fighter Practice

*Indicates Their Excellencies will be attending

B&B Corner

Greetings Lochmere!

We have enjoyed the tidings of the season and now turn to a new year with a renewed energy. We hope that the holidays were as enjoyable and restful as ours - and that you found some time to connect with friends and family. In three short weeks our barony will be hosting The Road to Compostela - Midwinters Revel! We will get to enjoy a pilgrim's experience, and the feast is looking wonderful as well. We hope to see as many of you as can come out, it promises to be a good time.

We are always looking for award recommendations for those who should be recognized. Please submit them to either of us via email: baron@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org or baroness@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org.

Fighter practice is going to start getting more interesting! We are going to host a tournament once a month to let fighters get some tourney practice, and to allow Ministers of the List the ability to practice running tourney formats. The date will be announced in the first week of January, so look to our social media page and e-list for more information!

We thank you all and look forward to a prosperous and exciting 2019!

In service we remain, Cormacc and Sarra Baron and Baroness Lochmere

Jochmere Baronial Progress

12th Night: A 1001 Atlantian Nights—January 11-13, 2019 Barony of Sacred Stone, Virginia Beach, VA Both His and Her Excellency will attend No Hospitality needed The Road to Compostela—January 26. 2019 Barony of Lochmere, Lothian, MD Both His and Her Excellency will attend No Hospitality needed Winter University — February 2, 2019 Barony of Caer Mear, Mineral, VA Both His and Her Excellency will attend No Hospitality needed Bright Hills 25th Baronial Anniversary—February 9. 2019 Barony of Bright Hills, Manchester, MD Both His and Her Excellency will attend No Hospitality needed Ponte Alto Baronial Birthday—February 16, 2019 Barony of Ponte Alto, Fairfax, VA Both His and Her Excellency will attend Hospitality needed

Attention Lochmere Officers

Make sure your information in this newsletter and website is correct. Contact Lady Katla Flokadottir at lochmere.chronicler@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 Sir Aelfred of Cres at ttoich@verizon.net and the Chronicler, Lady Katla at lochmere.chronicler@gmail.com. Thank You!

If you are interested in retaining for Their Excellencies, please contact Duchess Simone at sjtoich@gmail.com.





Poetry submitted by Duchess Simone de Barjavel

http://www.bl.uk/manuscripts/ FullDisplay.aspx?ref=Add MS 61823

Content: The only known copy of the mystic, Margery Kempe's autobiography, telling of her life and travels in England and on pilgrimage to the Holy Land and Santiago de Compostela. The original was dictated by her to a priest of Lynn and this is probably a copy made from the original, perhaps under Margery's supervision. Decoration: Initials in red with decoration, including human faces. Nomina sacra, marginal rubrics and highlighting in red.

For more information: https://d.lib.rochester.edu/teams/ text/staley-book-of-margery-kempeintroduction

http://journal.oraltradition.org/files/ articles/19ii/Nelson.pdf

And ebooks:

https://www.amazon.com/Book-Margery-Kempe-Classics-ebook-dp-B002RI97XO/dp/B002RI97XO/ ref=mt_kindle? _encoding=UTF8&me=&qid=

The Cell of Self-Knowledge: Seven early English mystical treatises https://www.gutenberg.org/ ebooks/4544

Carmina Et Oratio

The Book of Margery Kempe MS 61823 Date c. 1440

'Here begins a short treatise and a comfort for grateful sinful wretches, wherein they may have great solace and comfort to them and understood by the high and unspeakable mercy of our sovereign Savior Christ Jesus, whose name be worshipped and magnified without end.'

Thus begins the autobiography of the philosopher and mystic Margery Kempe. She lived in England but travelled on pilgrimage to Compostelo. It was this pilgrimage that brought her to my attention this month. The copy quoted is in the British Library and several modern translations are available. But I find this is not unreadable in the middle English. Take the time to read this aloud and you too will find it vibrant and lively. There was a remarkable movement of female mystics in England during the 13th-15th c. Most famous today is Julian of Norwich but Margery was well known in period and her story survived. Below is the beginning of her book followed by a few links for more research.

Here begynnyth a schort tretys and a comfortabyl for synful wrecchys, wherin thei may have gret solas and comfort to hem and undyrstondyn the hy and unspecabyl mercy of ower sovereyn Savyowr Cryst Jhesu, whos name be worschepd and magnyfyed wythowten ende, that now in ower days to us unworthy deyneth to exercysen hys nobeley and hys goodnesse.

Alle the werkys of ower Saviowr ben for ower exampyl and instruccyon, and what grace that he werkyth in any creatur is ower profyth yf lak of charyté be not ower hynderawnce. And therfor, be the leve of ower mercyful Lord Cryst Jhesu, to the magnyfying of hys holy name, Jhesu, this lytyl tretys schal tretyn sumdeel in parcel of hys wonderful werkys, how mercyfully, how benyngly, and how charytefully he meved and stered a synful caytyf unto hys love, whech synful caytyf any yerys was in wyl and in purpose thorw steryng of the Holy Gost to folwyn oure Savyour, makyng gret behestys of fastyngys wyth many other dedys of penawns.

And evyr sche was turned agen abak in tym of temptacyon, lech unto the reedspyr which boweth wyth every wynd and nevyr is stable les than no wynd bloweth, unto the tyme that ower mercyfulle Lord Cryst Jhesu havyng pety and compassyon of hys handwerke and hys creatur turnyd helth into sekenesse, prosperyté into adversyté, worshep into repref, and love into hatered.

Thus alle this thyngys turnyng up so down, this creatur whych many yerys had gon wyl and evyr ben unstable was parfythly drawen and steryd to entren the wey of hy perfeccyon, whech parfyth wey Cryst ower Savyowr in hys propyr persoone examplyd. Sadly he trad it and dewly he went it beforn.

Than this creatur, of whom thys tretys thorw the mercy of Jhesu schal schewen in party the levyng, towched be the hand of owyr Lord wyth grett bodyly sekenesse, wher thorw sche lost reson and her wyttes a long tym tyl ower Lord be grace restoryd her ageyn, as it schal mor openly be schewed aftyrward. Her werdly goodys, whech wer plentyuows and abundawnt at that day, in lytyl whyle after wer ful bareyn and bare. Than was pompe and pryde cast down and leyd on syde.



All roads lead to Compostela! Come journey with us along the pilgrim road from Venice across northern Italy, through the south of France, and into Spain traveling north to our final destination at the Shrine of Santiago de Compostela. Are you fulfilling a sacred vow? Doing Penance for your sins? Seeing the World? Avoiding your pesky family or escaping persecution? Regardless of your motivation for embarking on this arduous journey, you will experience the hospitality afforded every pilgrim in terms of nourishment, shelter, and entertainment. For to deny hospitality to a pilgrim is a grievous sin and therefore will not be tolerated! The "way" is well-marked and you will have many opportunities to visit lesser shrines along the way, collect relics and badges, sample regional cuisine, and swap stories with your fellow pilgrims.

There will be a fund raiser lunch available for \$5, if you plan on purchasing lunch please fill out form found at: Lunch Poll

Competitions: Pilgrim Bags, Scrips, and Almoner's Pouches, Food encountered on Pilgrim Road, and Brewing

Classes: How to make a Pilgrim Bag, Sing Like a Pilgrim, Pewter Casting, Pater Nosters, and History of Medieval Pilgrimages

Also: Open Display, Games, and Performing Arts

For more information: http://lochmere.atlantia.sca.org/midwinters/

feast Menu

first course-Italian

Syr Christan Darmody Platter of cheese, olives, assorted dried fruits and nuts (V) Bread and herbed butter (V) Chicken in Dill Turnips and Carrots (V) Winter Squash Soup (V)

Chird course-Spanish/Catalonian

Master Vladimir Vladimirovich Vladimirov Pork stuffed Pork Loin Spiced Asparagus (V) Saffron Rice (V)

Second course-french

Master Reynard de la Rochefouchauld Raw Oysters on half shelf shell with balsamic vinegar Broiled Oysters (contains nuts) Peas in broth and garlic (V) Venison Pie with dates, pistachios, etc (contains nuts) Grilled salmon marinated in wine

fourth Course Dessert (V)

Lemon Ricotta with Pomegranate reduction (Italy) Bunyols (Catalonia/Spain) Bread pudding with cherries (France)

(V) - vegetarian

"The demons of the sin of throat animate the banquet", miniature taken from the 'Breviari d'Amor' (first quarter of the fourteenth century), British Library, London.

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 Cres <u>ttoich@verizon.net</u>

Arts and Sciences Baroness Greer Jonsdottir ladygriffinhowe@yahoo.com



Baron and Baroness:

- Unevent- attended marshal meeting
- Holiday party this weekend
- Curia polling orders are in latest Acorn send in thoughts to majesties
- Seneschal:
- ♦ Have meeting space at Library for next year through May nothing for April though
- Maybe have meeting at fighter practice for April to try and get more people to attend
 - Chatelain thinks it would be a great idea to have the populace meeting at the fighter practice
 - \Diamond $\;$ Have it before the fighter practice
 - \diamond Gabe does such a great job cleaning up at Church that they have given us more time
 - Otentially have meetings in Serverna Park as well, to move the activities around to get more people involved
 - \diamond $\,$ Maybe have populace meeting once a quarter at the church with the fighter practice
 - \Diamond $\;$ We will try it once and see how it goes in April
- Arianna says people don't like to attend our populace meetings because they are boring
- If it works we will discuss it further
- Willing to take ideas from populace about the meetings

Chronicler:

• Newsletter out on time

Exchequer: (emailed report)

- Ledger Balance is \$9,294.87
- The only known remaining expenses for 2018 are the paint for the Baronial Pavilion and payment for the new loaner armor
- The check from Storvik in the amount of \$1,006.35 was deposited for the BoTB split
- There were no requested changes to the draft budget submitted in Nov. however, I made some changes
 - \diamond The 2019 Budget is ready for vote
 - I removed the amount set aside for paint for the Baronial Pavilion because the painting did take place and the expense is a 2018 expense
 - \Diamond $\;$ I increased the amount for Baronial tokens from \$100.00 to \$150.00 $\;$
 - ♦ Final budget passed out to be voted on motion to approve budget was passed
- If we stay on budget, we are predicted to be in the black by \$119 at the end of 2019.
 However, I left all fund raisers blank, so I expect to do better

Minister of Arts and Sciences:

- Little rough start with Tues. nights will start in January with dance (skipping first Tuesday), starting at 7:00 pm along with fighter practice (for four weeks)
 - May or may not have live music (trying to get) invited Storvik dancers and musicians
 - Will have donation jar available
- Looking for artist in residence for Feb Will be making arrows and other things to do with archery

Chatelain:

- Was not at Unevent, talked with Kingdom Chatelain they would like to have yearly demos with all the baronies
- Invited back to the event we did last year at the school can do Awesome Con as well, after holidays get back in touch
- Still need a replacement stepping down at Midwinters feast
- ♦ Willing to help and guide someone who is interested
- Great office for first timer or first office



Populace Meeting Minutes Continued

- Holiday Faire made three contacts (transplants)
 - ♦ Forgot to write down names
 - A Baron has contact info for the transplants

Herold: (emailed report)

- I attended the Herald's office meeting at Unevent this past Saturday
- The office of our Kingdom Triton Herald will changeover in morning court at Twelfth Night
- The new Triton, Master Eldred Aelfwald a former University Chancellor, has a focus on education
- Let me know if there are any heraldic topics of interest for which classes or other methods of education would be appreciated
- Puran bint al Daylami, our Ansteorran archer transplant, has had her name and device passed Society in August and September, so Atlantia has not let her down
- I have let my friends down and I still have one name, one device, and two badges to finish, though I have made a bit of progress on one of the badges
- My warrant expires on 11/30/2019

Minister of the Lists:

- ♦ Last event worked was at Dun Carig Jubilee, helped Kinder out
- MOL at Unevent, a lot of electronic updates drop down list can enter fighter authorizations right on line – bringing it into the 21st century
- Still some bugs in the system but seems to be running smoothly
- Looking for Kingdom MOL
- MOL track of classes at upcoming University

Knight Marshal:

- Ordered and received two sets of loaner armor need to add padding to them
- At Unevent Heavy marshal's meeting everyone needs to turn in reports for all events with what worked, what didn't, etc. in the report
- Kingdom marshal warrant is expiring soon
- At Unevent rapier marshal meeting new rules coming out soon
- Society Marshal said an experiment with blunted blades is currently running
 - ♦ Is full combat only certain people are doing it
 - ♦ An experiment right now -developing concerns, rules, etc.

Archery Marshal:

- ♦ Target and combat were combined at Unevent because of scheduling conflicts
 - Reporting needs to be detailed like the above more specifics, who marshalled, incidents, concerns etc.
 - What worked and what didn't complete reports
 - Combat archery having major changes coming separate authorizations for different styles of fighting
- No local stuff to report off season (no practices) arrow making classes in Feb. with A&S
- His Highness recommended a concept of a grand tournament that is yearlong
 - ♦ You get points throughout out the year for the different activities
 - A Have an award at the end of the year
- Archery numbers down, but thrown weapons up
- Web Minister:
 - Attended Unevent Web meeting and discussed updates
 - Set up a way for Chronicler to upload newsletters to website
- Working with Marta has account and getting her ready to take over when Cassair steps down
- Minister of Youth: Noting to Report Equestrian: Noting to Report



Populace Meeting Minutes Continued

Battle on the Bay:

- ♦ Gabe went to Nov. meeting have co-autocrat
- Arranging for people to sit overnight to reserve the site
 - \diamond Baron volunteered to sit until Gabe can get there

Winter Bardic:

- Saturday, 5-10 pm, need help setting up downstairs for gaming upstairs for bardic
- Parking out front and on the sides
- May be able to park at church across the street
- People need to bring food to share
- Is there going to be plugs for crockpots? Yes will have power strips
- Alcohol is allowed
- Garb is optional
- Looks like snow will not happen

Road to Compostela (MidWinter):

- ♦ Going well will be posting schedule soon
- List for volunteers going around
- Greer is accepting reservations tonight
- Looking forward to a fun event
- Getting together soon to put passports together, you'll get a stamp for the activities you
 participate in
- Need to get write ups for the website to Cassir

Night in Navarre (Night on the Town):

- April event, paperwork is in for budget, need to tweak some stuff
- On schedule site will not discuss confirmation for site until January but there is a contingency plan
- Queens Rapier paperwork is turned in

On Target:

- Site is confirmed working on budget
- Spring Crown Bid: Nothing to report

Old Business:

- Pavilion painting
 - Been all drawn out painting it as soon as the people that are involved are ready to do it
 - Will need three full days to complete will look really nice when it is done
- Put out on Facebook for ideas of things we can do as a group
 - ♦ Combo night was suggested
 - ♦ Get together before or after populace meetings
 - Baronial potlucks, picnics in the summer (Baron will organize a summer picnic will float some dates to choose from and figure it out from there)
 - An idea of a demo picnic was brought up possibly at Elkhorn

New Business: Nothing new brought before the Populace

Next Meeting: January 7, 2019, Odenton Library at 7:15 pm

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.



Jochmere Officers Tisting

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Do you have a special skill and or talent you would like to share with the Rarony?

Please submit your recipes, art, photographs, ideas to Lady Katla Flokadottir.

Amaze your friends and see it in print!

Barony of Jochmere



Lochmere Baronial Champions

Rapier Fighting: Lady Letia Thistelthueyt

Equestrian: Lady Aine d'Alton

Arts & Sciences: Baroness Greer Jonsdotir

Archery & Thrown Weapons: Ethan of Lochmere

Armored Fighting: Lord Marcus Galmsson

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