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Baronial Facebook Group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/LochmereSCA>

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Official SCA Homepage: <https://www.sca.org>

You can also contact the Barony of Lochmere's Chatelain at:
chatelain@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org

LOCHMERE ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

Populace Meeting

First Monday of every month
7:15 pm Via Google Meet or live at the Odenton
Library

Archery Practice

Every Thursday
Lord Ivan's Home
511 Chad Avenue, Severn, MD 21144

Fighter Practice (Heavy & Rapier)

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

Arts and Sciences

Contact Lady Eilionora
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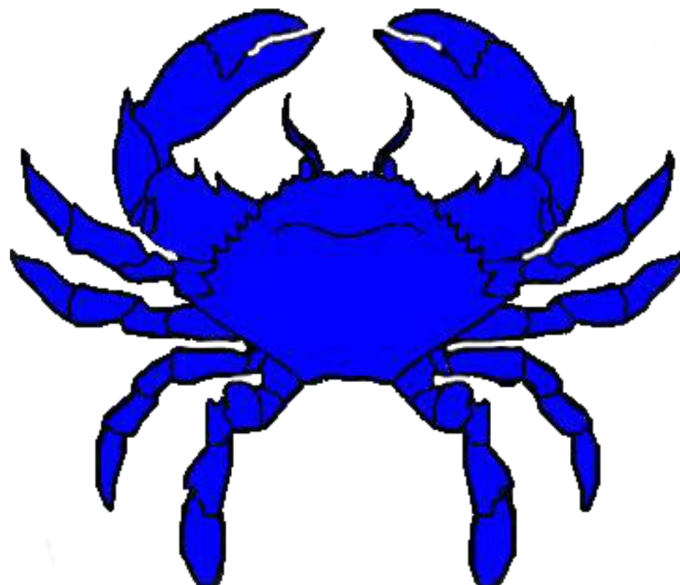
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Thank You!

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Words from Their Excellencies

Greetings, Lochmere,

We are just returning home from the Holiday Court of Volodymyr the Great. There is so much splendor about which to write. We partook in the eating of diverse breads and saw an array of arts on display at the pan-Slavic competition. The halls was beautifully decorated, and we would like to thank Marcus for his work as hall steward. The feast, orchestrated by Katla, was divine, and for those who missed out, you truly missed out.

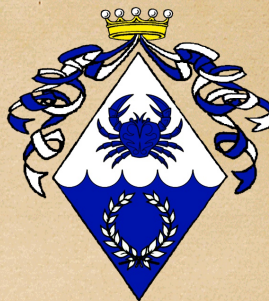
We also had the joy of recognizing some outstanding newer members of our barony who have put in incredible work and enthusiasm. Both Godwin and Reginald received the Order of the Sable Branch, as they have helped our barony grow. We also recognized Mistress Scholastica for her excellence as a member of Lochmere for many years.

Art, as you know, is very dear to our hearts, and we were fortunate to be able to honor two skilled artisans - Eilionora and Anne - for all they have done for the Barony of Lochmere.

In addition to having an amazing event this weekend, we also have great news. We will be staying on as your baronage, with our plan to accept officially the new term at Night on the Town on April 20th!

We have had an amazing time serving as your baronage, and we are glad to be joining you for another term. We hope to see everyone there!

- Baron Linhart and Baroness Letia



Lochmere Business Meeting

2/5/2024

Officer Reports

- Baronage: We had a great time at Midwinter's Revel, enjoying the classes, feast, and recognizing members of the barony with awards. As a thank-you to our scribes, we will begin having a grab-bag similar to the children's bag at events. If you would like to donate to the basket, please reach out. The baronial reinvestiture will occur at Night on the Town. In addition to Night on the Town, we are going to Bright Hills Baronial Birthday, Defending the Gate, and likely Aadult Swim and Gulf Wars. There have been a number of recent updates to matial policies, so check your handbooks.
- Seneschal: Nothing to report that will not be addressed during new business.
- Exchequer: The account balance is \$11,988.85, pending final expenses from Midwinter's Revel. To work at gate at events, you now must have taken Exchequer 301.
- MOAS: We had a good turnout for arts and sciences entries at Midwinter's Revel. The quarterly report has been submitted. Please let Eilionora what you are working on and displaying at events so she can include it in the next report. The barony will be hosting an open arts and sciences day on March 9th from 1:45-4:15 at the Edgewater Library. Please contact Eilionora for more information.
- Webminister: Not present
- Herald: We have received confirmation from Golden Dolphin that they have received submissions for the new baronial award names.



Officer Reports, Continued

- Knight Marshal: Nothing to report
- Missile: Practices restart in March following the start of Daylight Saving Time. The new archery backstops have been purchased.
- Chronicler: Lord Godwin submitted an updated version of the January issue of the Dredgings following the month's populace meeting. The February deadline is tonight, so he will submit the month's issue following the meeting.
- Chatelaine: The position is available, but Lady Aine will remain in office until a successor is chosen and trained.
- Youth Chancellor: The position is vacant.

Event updates

- Midwinter's Revel: The event went well, including classes and arts and sciences entries. The feast was excellent, though somewhat lightly attended due to the resurgence of illness within the area. Despite this, the event still turned a profit, and the fundraiser lunch raised \$321 for the benefit of baronial loaner gear.
- Night on the Town: The event will be held at Severn Christian Church on April 20th, with setup occurring on April 19th. This date has been spiked. Staff recruitment is ongoing, and we are looking for a head cook, marshals, and other staff members. The head cook will have access to the facility's grills, sinks, and counter space, and the facility staff is willing to consider opening other tools for use depending on the head cook's certifications. The theme of the event will be the Italian "Palio," and the event will feature competitors from four "districts" competing to earn points for the overall competition. The event will feature Lochmart.
- On Target: The motion to approve the budget passes 18-0.
- Battle on the Bay: The site has been reserved for the weekend of September 9th. As Lady Aine has had to step down as event steward, we are looking for another one. Please contract Lady Marta within the next week if you are interested.

New Business

- Baronial Storage: As current the baronial storage location has become unusable, the barony has been looking for new space. A climate-controlled 5'x10' unit at CubeSmart has been located that will begin to address the issue. The motion to approve an allocation of \$80/month (\$960/year) passes 17-0.
- Equestrian Practice: There has been interest in co-hosting an event with Storvik within Lochmere's borders on at least a yearly basis. Lochmere would bear the cost of insurance of \$200 per year. After discussion, the matter was tabled until further details are gathered.

Next Meeting: March 4th, 2024, 7:15, Severn Library



Help Wanted: Open Officer Positions

- Historian: A deputy chronicler who assists the baronial chronicler by compiling and publishing the history of the barony.
- Chatelaine: The officer charged with leading recruiting efforts and ensuring new and prospective members are welcomed into the SCA.
- Deputy Minister of Arts and Sciences: An officer who assists the minister of arts and sciences in promoting the study, teaching, and reproduction of period arts and sciences. Duties may include organizing and teaching classes, competitions, and displays at events.
- Minister of the Lists: The officer responsible for organizing and administering martial tournaments and authorizations.
- Chancellor of Youth Activities: The officer who organizes activities focused on the youth of the society.
- Knight Marshal: The officer who oversees combat-related activities within the barony and organizes practices.
- Rapier Marshal: The officer responsible for the promotion and practice of fencing within the barony.



Upcoming Events

February - 2024

- 02-09 - 02-11 : Barony of Marinus Investiture: Spring Grove VA (Marinus)
02-10 - 02-10 : Bright Hills Baronial Birthday: Manchester MD (Bright Hills)
02-10 - 02-10 : Sir Walter Raleigh Costume Ball II: Durham NC (Buckston-on-Eno)
02-17 - 02-17 : Celebration - de Medici: Ashland VA (Caer Mear)
02-17 - 02-17 : Competitions & Displays Workshop: Spartanburg SC (Nottinghamhill Coill)
02-17 - 02-18 : AEdult Swim (Aethelmearc)
02-23 - 02-25 : Ymir 49: Ellerbe NC (Windmaster's Hill)

March - 2024

- 03-02 - 03-02 : Kingdom A&S/Tir-y-Don Investiture: Newport News VA (Tir-y-Don)
03-09 - 03-17 : Gulf Wars 2024: Gleann Abhann
03-23 - 03-23 : World Turned Upside Down - Attack of the Killer Rabbits: Wellford SC (Falconcree)
03-23 - 03-23 : Defending the Gate/Stierbach Investiture: Spotsylvania VA (Sudentorre)
03-29 - 03-31 : Hidden Mountain Baronial Birthday: Bennettsville SC (Hidden Mountain)
03-29 - 03-31 : Missile Madness: Monroe VA (Seven Hills)
03-30 - 03-30 : Barony of Ponte Alto Investiture: Vienna VA (Ponte Alto)

April - 2024

- 04-05 - 04-07 : Spring Coronation - The Master of Game: Nanjemoy MD (Atlantia)
04-12 - 04-14 : Storvik Novice Tournament: Upper Marlboro MD (Storvik)
04-13 - 04-14 : Eastern NC Ren Faire Demo: Kinston NC (Raven's Cove)
04-13 - 04-13 : Festival of Elvegast: Hillsborough NC (Elvegast)
04-18 - 04-21 : BAWT IV: North Myrtle Beach SC (Moorhaven)
04-19 - 04-20 : Night on the Town: Severn MD (Lochmere)
04-26 - 04-28 : Revenge of the Stitch IX: Chestertown MD (Spiaggia Levantina)



You can find the full Atlantian calender at
<https://atlantia.sca.org/events>

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