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## LOCHMERE ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

### Populace Meeting

Last Monday of every month  
7:00 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

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## LOCHMERE BARONIAL OFFICERS

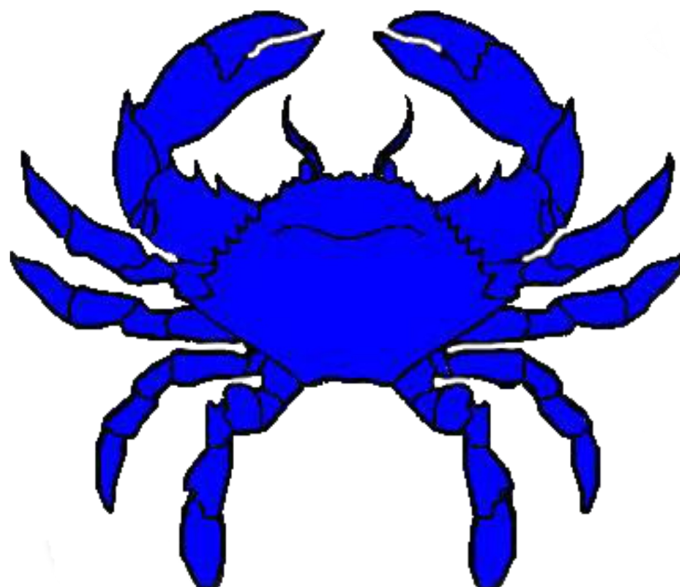
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Please submit your Baronial Report in advance of the business meeting via email to the Seneschal at [seneschal@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org](mailto:seneschal@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org) and the Chronicler [chronicler@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org](mailto:chronicler@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org).

Thank You!

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## *Words from Their Excellencies*

Greetings, Lochmere,

We have a lot coming up this month in the barony! Within the next week, the candidates for the next baronage will be announced, and there will be a special meeting to serve as a chance for the populace to ask questions to those running. These will be on January 10 and January 12, respectively. We also will be having our regularly scheduled business meeting on January 26.

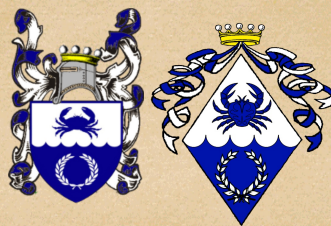
Finally for January, we will be having Midwinters Revel: The Way of the Pilgrim on January 31. Please check out the schedule if you have not yet, as there are plenty of interesting things going on. We also will be having a multi-part feast going on across almost the whole day. If you are interested in volunteering, please reach out to our event stewards, Mistress Arianna and Lady Iona.

The next event on our calendars is Bright Hills Baronial Birthday. We are excited to see our Cousins to the north take a well-deserved break and welcome our new cousins as they step into the role.

It is with a bittersweet excitement that we see Night on the Port is in only a few months. We hope everyone is able to join us for our last court. We know Baroness Kel and Lord Godwin have been working hard on the event.

Great praise for so many Lochmeri who have stepped up as event stewards lately. It is hard work and we appreciate you all.

- Baron Linhart and Baroness Letia





## Lochmere Business Meeting

12/15/2025

### Officer Reports

- Baronage: Baronial letters of intent are due December 20 and should be sent to the regional seneschal and Lady Iona. There will be a special baronial meeting on January 19 for a meet-and-greet with the baronage candidates. Check ESP and update your preferences for awards, courts, and titles, as there are numerous new options, including a list of events you plan to attend. Please submit award recommendations and record your continuing education classes from Unevent. Their Highnesses will be attending Midwinter's Revel. There will be a gift exchange at the event. Her Majesty wanted to address some confusion stemming from a miscommunication, intending only to begin a conversation about changes to polling/nonpolling orders; there are currently no planned changes.
- Seneschal: Lady Iona attended Unevent. Baronial polling will be coming soon.
- Exchequer: The baronial ledger has a balance of \$12,862. Timelines for deposits will be changing. New, complex draft of quarterly reports is open for comment. Check for the Battle on the Bay site fee has been sent.
- MOAS: The position is vacant.
- Webminister: Not present.
- Herald: Not present. Baron Gabrell is seeking a successor, and the position is currently open for applications.
- Knight Marshal: The position is open for applications. Lord Randvithr submitted his report.
- Missile: Practices have been completed for the year.



## Officer Reports, Continued

- Chronicler: Lord Godwin published the December issue of the Dredgings and will endeavor to have the baronial library at upcoming meetings and events. Please reach out to him if you would like to peruse the library or donate it to it. Per baronial policy, officers should be submitting their reports to both the seneschal and chronicler prior to the business meeting.
- Chatelaine: Nothing to report.
- Youth Chancellor: The position is vacant.

## Event updates

- Midwinter's Revel: Help is needed to pick up banners and poles the night before the event, as well as for setting up on the day of the event. Pilgrim passports and a scavenger hunt are planned. A&S will begin at the starting time of the event. Day boards will be served at 11:00, 3:00, and 6:00. Court will be at 5:00. The class schedule is in progress. There will be a night of decoration finishing at Mistress Arianna's house on January 9; please reach out via email or text message if you would like to help. On the day of the event, the small conference room will serve as the royal ready room, as the site library was unavailable.
- Night on the Town: Baroness Cellach and Lord Godwin are beginning to plan decorations and are still seeking volunteers for marshal in charge, target archery marshal in charge, and A&S coordinator.
- On Target: The budget is in progress, with the vote to occur at the upcoming special meeting. The expected expenditures are \$633. Expected attendance is 40-50 people. There will be no change from last year's gate fee, but there will be a \$5 fee for feast.
- Battle on the Bay: The site has been secured. This will be Storvik's investiture.

Next Meetings: January 12, 7:00 at the Russet Green Library (baronial candidate meet-and-greet), January 26, 7:00 at the Severn Library (business meeting)



## *Open Officer Positions*

- Herald: The officer who serves as the voice of the baronage at events and aids members with heraldic submissions.
- Minister of Arts and Sciences: The officer responsible for promoting the arts and sciences within the barony, including coordinating classes and competitions.
- Historian: A deputy chronicler who assists the baronial chronicler by compiling and publishing the history of the barony.
- 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.
- Rapier Marshal: The officer responsible for the promotion and practice of fencing within the barony.
- Thrown Weapons Marshal: The officer responsible for the promotion and practice of thrown weapons within the barony.

### Upcoming Vacancies

- Seneschal: The barony's legal representative. Ensures compliance with mundane, society, and kingdom law and administers baronial business.
- Chronicler: The baronial secretary. Publishes the baronial newsletter, maintains the baronial library, and publishes baronial history.
- Knight Marshal: The officer responsible who oversees all martial events and practices in the barony. The knight marshal also supervises the barony's discipline marshals.
- Archery Marshal: The officer responsible for the promotion and practice of target archery within the barony.



## Upcoming Events

### January - 2026

01-10 - 01-10 : Atlantian 12th Night: Trenton NC (Nimenefeld) (Q K Pr P)  
01-16 - 01-18 : Nottingham Coill Baronial Birthday XLVI: Bennettsville SC (Nottingham Coill) (K)  
01-24 - 01-24 : Highland Hearthglow: Thurmont MD (Highland Foorde)  
01-24 - 01-24 : Ice Castles 2026/Legend of Yuki-Onna: Lynchburg VA (Black Diamond) (Q)  
01-31 - 01-31 : Midwinters Revel: The Way of the Pilgrim: Lothian MD (Lochmere)  
01-31 - 01-31 : Epics of the Stone: Winston-Salem NC (Sacred Stone)

### February - 2026

02-07 - 02-07 : Bright Hills Baronial Birthday: Manchester MD (Bright Hills) (Q K)  
02-07 - 02-08 : Winter University 2026: (Atlantia)  
02-07 - 02-07 : Sir Walter Raleigh Costume Ball IV: Durham NC (Windmasters' Hill)  
02-14 - 02-14 : Tourney of Manannan mac Lir XLIV: Harleyville SC (Tear-Sea's Shore) (K)  
02-14 - 02-14 : Celebration Theodora: Richmond VA (Caer Mear)  
02-20 - 02-22 : Ymir 51: Tyr's Redemption: Ellerbe NC (Windmasters' Hill) (Q K)  
02-27 - 03-01 : Children of Loki, Raven's Cove Baronial Birthday: Richalands NC (Raven's Cove)

### March - 2026

03-07 - 03-07 : Kingdom Arts & Sciences: Newport News VA (Tir-y-Don) (Q K Pr P)  
03-14 - 03-22 : Gulf Wars 2026 : (Gleann Abhann) (Q K Pr P)  
03-21 - 03-21 : Ponte Alto Baronial Birthday Bloodbath: Vienna VA (Ponte Alto)  
03-27 - 03-29 : Hidden Mountain Baronial Birthday & Investiture: Bennettsville SC (Hidden Mountain) (Q K)  
03-28 - 03-28 : Defending The Gate: Spotsylvania Courthouse VA (Sudentorre) (Pr P)  
03-29 - 03-29 : Storvik's Performer's Revel: Cheverly (Hyattsville) MD (Storvik)



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



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Equestrian: Lady Aine d'Alton