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

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

Contact Lady Eilionora
moas@lochmere.atlantia.sca.org



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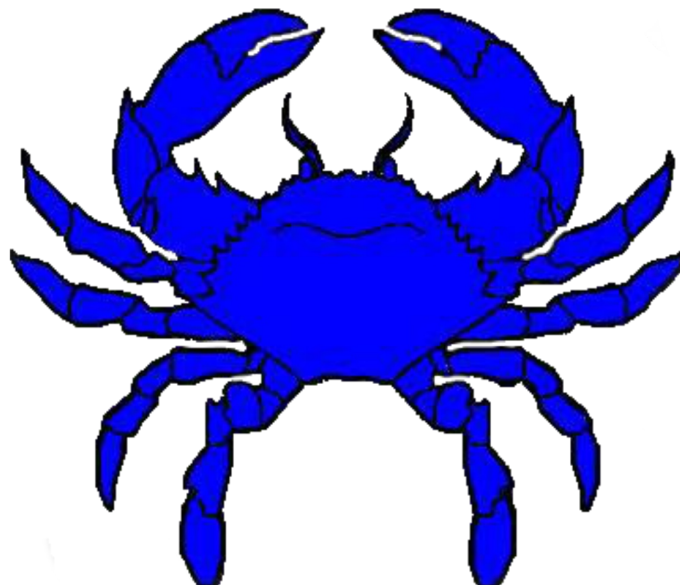
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Thank You!

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Words from Their Excellencies

Greetings, Lochmere,

We wanted to thank everyone who made On Target such a memorable and lovely event. We have so many folks to appreciate for all the work they do! Special thanks goes out to the event steward, Lady Kara, our MiC, Lord Randvithr, our pig and fire wranglers, Master Reynard and Baron Bacon, our A&S coordinator, Lord Michael, and everyone who contributed to making the day go smoothly - despite the sky attempting other plans.

We were able to recognize a number of people in our barony for their great works, including Mistress Talia Lady Iona with Eagle's Eyes for their poetry and translating work and Lady Eilonora with the Blasted Oak for all her service. Both Master Kryss and Lady Eilonora also were granted honorary citizenship of Lochmere as they prepare to depart our lands. We ended our court by inducting Master Kryss into the Order of the Silver Tortoise to recognize all his great contributions to Lochmere over many years. We also would like to congratulate our tourney winners. Lord Amleth won the overall tournament, Astrid won the youth portion, and Noble Li Yu won the A&S competition.

Their Majesties found fit to induct our Battle Wizard (Lord Reginald), Bantiarna Raghnaill, Lord Godwin, and Lady Iona into the Order of the Opal, Mistress Talia into the Order of the White Scarf, and His Excellency Linhart into the Order of the Pearl! Most notably, Baron Gabrell sat vigil and after a day of contemplation joined the Order of the Pelican, which was well deserved. We were delighted to be a part of that day and able to celebrate his accomplishments.

It is June, and a few short days are left for Pennsic pre-registration. Remember, if you would like to camp with the barony, in addition to signing up with Lochmere (just Lochmere), there are details on the website with an overview under the Events tab.

Currently, We are uncertain if we will have a truck driver this year. If anyone is willing and able to drive the truck, please reach out. Her Excellency and I are currently working on some contingency plans.

-Baroness Letia and Baron Linhart

Lochmere Business Meeting

6/2/2025

Officer Reports

- Baronage: Their Excellencies attended On Target. It was a busy court for Lochmeri, as His Majesty awarded four Opals, a Coral Branch, a Pearl, a White Scarf, and a Yew Bow to members of the barony, and the highlight of the day was Baron Gabrell's elevation to the Order of the Pelican. In baronial court, Their Excellencies bestowed honors of their own, including naming Master Kryss and Lady Eilionora Honorary Citizens of Lochmere. Their Excellencies thanked the event staff, particularly Master Reynard and Baron Bacon. Her Excellency will be attending Storvik Novice, and both of Their Excellencies will be attending Pennsic.
- Seneschal: Lady Iona thanks the On Target staff. There was nothing else to report.
- Exchequer: The baronial account has a balance of \$11,271.78, pending final checks from On Target. Lord Reginald submitted the event report for On Target, which earned about \$1,000 in profit for the barony.
- MOAS: Lady Eilionora will submit her final report in a few days. The barony needs a successor Minister of Arts and Sciences, as Lady Eilionora is moving out of the barony. On Target featured 13 participants in the arts and sciences competition.
- Webminister: Not present.
- Herald: Baron Gabrell continues to work with clients on names and devices. He is seeking a successor, and the position is currently open for applications.



Officer Reports, Continued

- Knight Marshal: Practices continue. Lord Randvithr is seeking a successor, as he and Lady Kara will be leaving the barony, potentially as soon as December. There is discussion about using the Ferndale site for practice on June 24, as the usual practice site has a conflict. Lord Randvithr encourages marshals, particularly for heavy and youth combat, to attend practice.
- Missile: Practices continue. Lady Kara is seeking a successor, as she and Lord Randvithr will be leaving the barony, potentially as soon as December. She submitted her report.
- Chronicler: Lord Godwin published the May issue of the Dredgings. Please submit content for the upcoming issues and reach out to Lord Godwin if you would like to donate books to the baronial library or become the baronial historian.
- Chatelaine: We had some newcomers at On Target. Baron Bacon is preparing his report.
- Youth Chancellor: The position is vacant.

Event Updates

- On Target: There were 47 archers, 13 A&S participants, and 108 total attendees at the event. Lochmere was represented well among the various winners.
- Pennsic: The barony needs someone to drive the equipment truck. Master Kryss is unable to drive the truck this year, and this is now a pressing need. Her Excellency will be designing this year's fundraiser shirt. Kingdom is seeking judges for A&S war points. Reach out to Her Excellency if you are interested but having trouble finding the form. Online preregistration ends June 8. If you want to camp with Lochmere, send an email to Master Reynard (reynard@juno.com) and Mistress Arianna (chrissings@juno.com). The barony needs help with setting up camp.
- Battle on the Bay: Storvik is hosting this year, with Lady Iona as deputy. There is no update at this time.
- Midwinter's Revel: Mistress Arianna and Lady Iona are co-stewards. The budget is approved with no opposition and one abstention. The only changes from the 2025 budget are a \$1 increase in attendance fees and that prizes will be donated.
- Night on the Town: Baroness Cellach and Lord Godwin will co-steward the event, which will feature a privateer theme. Planning has begun, and staff is needed. Baroness Cellach has reached out to a number of potential sites, but none are available that will meet our needs other than Severn Christian Church.

Other Business

- Lord Godwin's warrant request for a second term as baronial chronicler will be submitted to kingdom following his successful polling at this meeting.

Next Meeting: June 30, 7:00 at Maryland City Library

Open Officer Positions

- Knight Marshal: The officer who oversees all martial activities within the barony.
- Archery Marshal: The officer who oversees target archery within the barony.
- Rapier Marshal: The officer responsible for the promotion and practice of fencing within the barony.
- Herald: The officer who serves as the voice of the baronage at events and aids members with heraldic submissions.
- 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.

Upcoming Events

June - 2025

06-06 - 06-08 : Rumors of War- Part Deux: Bryson City NC (Stormwall)
06-06 - 06-08 : Royal Archery Tournament: Booneville NC (Sacred Stone) (Q K Pr P)
06-14 - 06-15 : Summer University of Atlantia: Virginia Beach VA (Marinus) (Q)
06-20 - 06-22 : Storvik Novice Tournament: Upper Marlboro MD (Storvik) (Q K Pr)
06-27 - 06-29 : King's Assessment: Callaway VA (Black Diamond) (K Pr P)

July - 2025

07-12 - 07-12 : Procrastinators Paradise- Last Chance Authorization and Sewing Day: Waldorf MD (Dun Carraig)
07-19 - 07-19 : Warrior's Games: Harleyville SC (Tear-Sea's Shore) (Pr P)
07-25 - 08-10 : Pennsic War (Aethelmearc) (Q K Pr P)

August - 2025

09-05 - 09-07 : Sacred Stone Baronial Birthday 2025: A Celebration of Mehregan: Booneville NC (Sacred Stone) (K Pr P)
09-05 - 09-07 : Battle on the Bay- Ride of the 4 Horsemen: Upper Marlboro MD (Storvik) (Q)
09-13 - 09-13 : Phoenix Rising: A Newcomers Nest: Charlotte NC (Charlesbury Crossing)
09-13 - 09-13 : Stierbach Baronial Birthday: Culpeper VA (Stierbach) (Q K)
09-20 - 09-20 : Fall University (TBD) : (Atlantia) (Q Pr)
09-26 - 09-28 : Trial By Fire & Lochmere Arrow: Alba gu bràth!: Glen Arm MD (Bright Hills) (K)
09-27 - 09-27 : Heralds & Scribes Workshop: Salem VA (Black Diamond)
09-27 - 09-27 : Silver Chalice Novice Tournament :Harleyville SC (Hidden Mountain) (P)



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

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Minister of Youth: Vacant

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BARONIAL CHAMPIONS

Arts & Sciences: Lord Randvithr

Armored Fighting: Baron Cormacc ua Rigain

Rapier Fighting: Lord Reginald Dormant

Archery & Thrown Weapons: Lord Amleth of Lochmere

Equestrian: Lady Aine d'Alton