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BARONY OF LOCHMERE

Helpful Websites

Barony of Lochmere Homepage:
lochmere.atlantia.sca.org

Baronial Facebook Page
facebook.com/LochmereSCA

Baronial Facebook Group:
facebook.com/groups/Lochmere

SCA Kingdom of Atlantia:
atlantia.sca.org

Kingdom Event Page:
atlantia.sca.org/events

The Acorn, Atlantia's Official Newsletter:
acorn.atlantia.sca.org

Official SCA Homepage:
sca.org

Google Group:
groups.google.com/g/lochmere

Chatelain AKA new person liason:
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Activities Calendar

Regular monthly / Weekly Events

Populace Meeting

Last Monday of every month 7:00 pm

Meetings are hybrid (in-persons and online)
Current Location and Google Meeting Links
location are announced on the
Lochmere Facebook page
and in the google email group.

Archery Practice

Thursdays 5pm

Available during daylight saving time
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

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Words from Their Excellencies



The Baronage of Lochmere

BARON Melchior zum Grauen Wolf & BARONESS Kade Tatter Skirt

GREETINGS LOCHMERE,

It was wonderful to see everyone that could make it out to Night at the Port! Thanks again to the whole staff, and to everyone who joined us, for the fantastic effort that led to a beautiful day. It is a day that we will carry with us in our hearts.

A good event day is a great thing but those days can only happen because of the work done behind the scenes, to keep a group thriving. Thank you to all the Baronial officers, new and experienced alike. The work you do gives us the opportunity to experience The Dream with our friends.

Speaking of events! We are planning on attending some and we'd love to catch up with you there too! Our immediate upcoming schedule is:

- 5/30: Skewered
- 6/6: On Target (Obviously)
- 6/27: Royal Archer Tournament
- Pennsic!

Be on the lookout for information about upcoming A&S / Stuff days, too. There are a LOT of projects to see to between now and Pennsic with some great events along the way. We look forward to seeing you soon!

Thank you again to everyone who has shown your support for us as we've taken on this new journey.

Yours in Service, Ciphers, Swording, and little clay ponies,

Melchior
Baron

Kade
Baroness

A Final Message FROM the FORMER BARONAGE Letia & Linhart

We have spent many years writing a letter from the baronage - this one will be our last, this time as a letter from the former baronage.

We wanted to take a moment to say thank you for having us serve as your baronage for the past several years. The ability to honor those of Lochmere has created some incredibly poignant memories. We have learned much more about Lochmere and expanded what we do as Scadians because of serving. We have sadly said goodbye to friends that have moved and friends we have lost, but joyfully gotten to know many many new ones.

Thank you to everyone for an incredible 5 years and we very much look forward to Melchoir and Kade leading the crabby barony of Lochmere forward.

And don't worry, our vacation will still have us coming out to all the fun things - you can't get rid of us that easily!

Vivat Lochmere and the new Baronage

Be Well,

Letia & Linhart



Lochmere Business Meeting April 27 2026



Officers Reports

Baronage

Their Excellencies Thanked everyone for a wonderful investiture. Since stepping up as Baronage they attended Storvik novice. Thank you everyone for helping me figure out the baronial day shade. They thanked Mistress Arianna for the MOAS items and for helping to locate future A&S sites. Their Excellencies will be hosting a table at the Children's feat at Pennsic. Her Excellency will be creating coloring books and will be requesting help to assemble when we are closer to Pennsic. Looking for Volunteers for the Children's fete table at. Reach out to Mistress Glenis for other volunteer opportunities within the Kingdom. She is pulling together a list of people who would be interested in volunteering.

Seneschal

There was a seneschal meeting last Tuesday. Mistress Edan will be taking over as the next Kingdom Seneschal at Gem Joust. They requested that if there are issues to first try and handle things in house before getting regional and Kingdom involved.

The future Kingdom Seneschal is looking to develop a process step before banishment called a Letter of reprimand. Process is in the works currently. Only the person and the officers involved will know what the letter is about. Letters will be held and used for future banishments to show pattern.

May 28th is the next seneschal 101 and 201 training.

When updating information to the populace try and remember to post information into the Atlantia Announcement email account along with facebook and discord.

Storage Unit – New location needed. His Excellency of Lochmere is working on finding a new location. The price for the current location has increased and is now \$100 per month.

VOTE for increase of storage unit from \$85 to \$100 per month. Approval of increase of funds with a vote of 11-0 with no abstains.

Two Kingdom level positions opened. Emergency Deputy Senechal and Kingdom Chatelaine

Exchequer

Night at the port 159 people. Waiting for the final report on event profit. Account balance \$11,591.85

Kingdom Exchequer sent an email reminder that ALL EVENTS may use PayPal at the Gate. Any group that wishes to own a PayPal box of their very own is welcome to purchase a PayPal approved card reader.

MOAS

Warrant approved for 3 years. Going out of the country for 3 weeks but will host a Pre pennsic sewing day in June. Dun Carriage has an event on July 15th that has a sewing day.

Webminster

Not Present

Chronicler

VACANT

Herald

Nothing to report.

Knight Marshal

Warrant approved. Waivers. Need someone to take rapier and heavy loaner gear. Who can attend Tuesday night practice. 17 at the last archery practice. People shot royal rounds.

Chatelaine

Get access to the email. Had people at Night at the Port. Possible newcomer meeting in June.



EVENTS

Night on the Port

Event Report coming. There were 159 people in attendance.

On Target

Targets being produced.

Pennsic

Sign up. June 15th please register a ghost space. If you can show up the first weekend please show up to help. Holly is driving the truck. Please reach out to Mistress Adrianna if you have any questions.

Battle on the Bay

Scores to be submitted after the crown.

Midwinter Revel 2027

Budget increase approved with a vote of 11 yes and 0 no.

Night on the Town 2027

Noble Ragnailt stepping up as the autocrate for the event.

UP COMING SCA EVENTS

May - 2026

- 05-09 - 05-09 : Tir-y-Don Baronial Birthday :Newport News VA (Tir-y-Don)
- 05-09 - 05-09 : Not Quite Quarterly Bragging Rights VI :Aiken SC (Ritterwald)
- 05-15 - 05-17 : Hawkwood Baronial Birthday XXII - The Lily and the Crescent :Balsam Grove NC (Hawkwood) (Q)
- 05-15 - 05-17 : BAWT V :Culpeper VA (Ponte Alto) (K)
- 05-22 - 05-25 : Gem Joust :Hanover VA (Caer Mear) (Q K Pr P)
- 05-29 - 05-31 : Curly Cross II :Apex NC (Nimenefeld) (Q K)
- 05-30 - 05-30 : Skewered! 6 :Gaithersburg MD (Roxbury Mill)

June - 2026

- 06-05 - 06-08 : Rumors of War- Part Tres :Bryson City NC (Stormwall)
- 06-06 - 06-06 : On Target :Annapolis MD (Lochmere)
- 06-13 - 06-14 : Summer University of Atlantia (TBF) : (Atlantia)
- 06-13 - 06-13 : University of Atlantia :Raleigh NC (Atlantia) (Q K)
- 06-19 - 06-21 : Victory on the Vine :Culpeper VA (Ponte Alto) (Q K)
- 06-20 - 06-20 : Allthing :Garner NC (Windmasters' Hill)
- 06-26 - 06-28 : Royal Archer Tournament :Glen Arm MD (Bright Hills) (Q K)
- 06-27 - 06-27 : Atlantian Bardic Madness II :Roanoke VA (Atlantia)

July - 2026

- 07-11 - 07-11 : Kings Assessment :Big Island VA (Black Diamond) (Q K)
- 07-11 - 07-11 : Warrior's Games : Harleyville SC (Tear-Sea's Shore)
- 07-18 - 07-18 : Procrastinators Paradise- Last Chance Authorizations and Sewing Day :Waldorf MD (Dun Carraig)
- 07-24 - 08-09 : PENNSIC LIII : ()

August - 2026

- 08-28 - 08-30 : Borders Without Walls : (Meridies)

September - 2026

- 09-05 - 09-06 : Known World Armored Combat Collegium : (Northshield)
- 09-11 - 09-13 : Ancient Embers: Sacred Stone Investiture :Morganton NC (Sacred Stone) (Q K Pr P)
- 09-19 - 09-20 : Fall Atlantian University : ()
- 09-25 - 09-27 : Stierbach Birthday XXVIII :Culpepper VA (Stierbach) (Q K)
- 09-25 - 09-27 : Trial by Fire :Glen Arm MD (Bright Hills)

October - 2026

- 10-03 - 10-03 : Atlantian Fall Coronation (TBF) : ()
- 10-10 - 10-17 : War of the Wings (TBD) : (Atlantia)
- 10-23 - 10-25 : Battle on the Bay :Upper Marlboro MD (Storvik) (Q K Pr P)
- 10-24 - 10-25 : Harvest Market :Culpeper VA (Ponte Alto)