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Scroll by Myrrim de Lancastre for A&S competition, Sea Lion War ASXLIII
photo courtesy Master John Mail

Royalty of Tir Righ

The Prince and Princess
of Tir Righ are
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Court Reports

Court of Their Highnesses Owain ap Einar & Adwen Wrenn Prince and Princess Tir Righ

Coronet Tourney held in the Barony of Seagirt

Being the report of the Court of Their Highnesses, Owain, Prince of Tir and Adwen Wrenn, Princess of Tir Righ. Court held on April 13, 2008 being AS XLII at Coronet, in the Barony of Seagirt.

The autocrat, HL Morgaine Essex made a few announcements.

The following offices underwent changes:

Silver Yale Herald, Greater Office

- HL Duncan Darroch, outgoing
- Maestro Guidobaldo d' Auila, incoming

List Minister, Lesser Office

- Viscountess Gwyneth Gower, outgoing
- Lady Aldgudana Gunnarsdottir, incoming

Monseigneur Mathieu Chaudeau spoke of the Cadet's tournament. There was a total of 9 fighters, with the top three finalists being: Draven McRaith, Lucien de la Montage d'or and Molly Modine.

Her Majesty spoke words and gave out tokens to Her retinue for the day.

Faris Tariq Abu Zayd announced the results of the Squire's Tourney ~ Chiara la Fiamma was awarded the chivalry prize.

HL Duncan Darroch announced that he is writing a Tir Righ war song for the upcoming AT War and asked for populace input. He will present the finished song at May Investiture.

Desserts were auctioned off in between announcements with the proceeds going to the travel fund.

Thus ended the Court of Their Highnesses, Prince Owain and Princess Adwen Wrenn of Tir Righ.

The herald for court was HL Hraoi inn Rakki

Court report taken by HL Finna Kettilsdottir

[below: clash of the armies at Sea Lion War AS XLIII](#)



Court Reports

Court of Their Highnesses Owain ap Einar & Adwen Wrenn Prince and Princess Tir Righ

Sir Edward's Memorial Tournament XXX in the Shire of Shittimwoode

Being the Report of the Court of Their Highnesses, Owain, Prince of Tir Righ and Adwen Wrenn, Princess of Tir Righ. Court held on April 19 AS XLII being 2008 in the common reckoning at Sir Edward's Memorial Tournament, in the Shire of Shittimwoode.

Invited into Their Court were Tanist Savaric de Porte des Lions, ban-Tanist Safiye al-Konstantiniyye, Viscount Sir Edward Zifran of Gendy, and His Excellency Griffin ap Bedwyr, Baron of Lions Gate.

It was announced that the feast hall opens at 5:45 pm

HL Talia al Kabeelah presented largesse to Their Highnesses.

She then announced the following champions:

- Armoured - Viscount Ulfgar Hjartar bani Thorvaldsson
- Most chivalric - HL Conal Mac Allister
- Archery - Lord William Arwemakre
- Thrown weapons - Tacye Maple
- A&S - HL Donwenna la Mareschale
- Rapier - Don Pierce O'Briain

Ussel Otto (Shittimwoode) was awarded with Arms.

His Highness then spoke of war with Avacal. All of Tir Righ is requested to come to AT War the weekend of June 27-29.

Prince Owain also spoke of the importance of fundraising. He thanked those who have been generous and have asked for all to please be generous still.

HL Talia al Kabeelah then presented Their Highnesses with the proceeds of their silent aution for the travel fund.

Her Excellency, Alma Tea av den Telemark was then presented with Her Viscounty Scroll dated AS XI.

She then presented gifts to Their Highnesses and to Viscount Sir Edward Zifran of Gendy.

Viscountess Alma Tea av den Telemark also donated pictures of Sir Edward from days gone by for the use by the travel fund.

Freki of Al Khabeelah was awarded with Arms.

Thus ended the Court of Their Highnesses, Prince Owain and Princess Adwen Wrenn of Tir Righ.

The herald for court was Lord Domenico.

Court Reports

Court of Their Highnesses Savaric and Safiye, Prince and Princess of Tir Righ

Lionsdale Champions Tourney held in the Shire of Lionsdale

Being the Report of the Saturday Court of Their Highnesses Savaric and Safiye, Prince and Princess of Tir Righ. Court held on June 7, 2008 being AS XLIII at Lionsdale Champions Tourney in the Shire of Lionsdale.

Their Highnesses welcomed into Their Court His Royal Highness Owain ap Einar and also invited His Excellency Griffin ap Bedwyr, Baron of Lions Gate.

Their Highnesses' Herald called forth Geoffrey of Lionsdale (Lionsdale), who was presented with a Lion's Cub on behalf of Their Majesties Tiernan and Miranda.

Lionsdale Pied Piper announced that the children who had participated that day in Pied Piper activity created a "Lionsdale tapestry", the artwork representing what the SCA meant to the children. The artwork was presented to Their Highnesses.

The autocrat, Hlaefdige Thora Golvik of Al in Hallingdal, gave the results of the Heavy and Missile Weapons Champions; Thegn Ulf Bloodfoot Fallgrson was victorious in the Heavy Champions Lists and Lord William Arwemakere was victorious in the Missile Weapons Lists. Hlaefdige Thora spoke of His Lordship William's many terms as Lionsdale's Missile Weapons champion and, presenting him with a goodly length of linen twine, did challenge him to compete next year for Lionsdale's A&S Champion.

Lord William Arwemakere presented Her Highness with a handmade quiver, which he had won after being victorious in the lists at June Faire.

His Lordship Durant Caiaphas Ramberti announced that Dr. Carrus was the winner in the A&S Competition.

Hlaefdige Thora announced that the target archery and thrown weapons competitions would be held the next day.

Lady Kendra the Traveller made presentations to His Royal Highness Owain, and to Their Highnesses.

His Royal Highness Owain addressed the populace; saying He had found their generosity overwhelming, He called forth those persons who had served Him that day. Saying that in his period glasswork was more valuable than gold, He did then thank them and present them with handmade glass beads.

Remarking that part of serving as Royalty is getting and receiving gifts, and that sometimes they come back, His Royal Highness did make a presentation to Their Highnesses.

On behalf of Their Majesties Tiernan and Miranda, Their Highnesses presented Lady Elena the Innocent (Lionsdale) a Goutte de Sang.

Representatives from the Tir Righ Brewers Guild made a presentation to Their Highnesses.

Hlaefdige Thora, Seneschale of the Shire of Lionsdale, presented His Lordship Donatello Sanudo with the Shire's Scapula Leonis.

On behalf of Their Majesties Tiernan and Miranda, Their Highnesses presented a Jambe de Lion to Johanna Katarina Morgenstochter (Lionsdale).

His Highness Savaric spoke to His people, encouraging all to come to Avacal Tir Righ War, represent the Principality and clobber Avacal. Prince Savaric said They are looking to set a tradition, and both sides are looking forward to the event. So come and represent the Principality.

Baron Griffin of Lions Gate spoke of the upcoming Sealion War, to be held at the same site one week hence, saying it was an opportunity to bloody your swords against the armies of Seagirt in preparation for fighting in AT War.

Maestro Guidobaldo d'Aquila announced that \$1,165 was raised for cancer research in the name of Dona Laisairiona inghean Uilliam na Seoltadh. Don Pierce O'Briain was victorious in the lists, and was presented with a dagger from Prince Savaric, which Don Pierce did then present to his lady wife Lavinia.

Lady Aibinn Lockhard of the Clan MacBeighn spoke of Sealion War.

Lady Danika du Lenora announced that the Shire's Bardic Championship would take place immediately after court.

Members of Their Highnesses' retinue who had not yet sworn fealty were called forth and did duly kneel and swear fealty to Their Highnesses.

Members of the populace were invited to come before Their Highnesses and take an oath of support, and many did so.

Thus ended the Saturday court of Their Highnesses Savaric and Safiye, Prince and Princess of Tir Righ. The herald for court was His Lordship Hraði inn Rakki. Revised this twenty-fourth day of June, AS XLIII being 2008 in the Common Era,

Dame Elena de Maisnilwarin, OP, Royal Secretary and Court Reporter to Their Highnesses of Tir Righ

Below: scribes work on charters while drummer provides music to work by, Sea Lion war XLIII



Court Reports

Court of Their Highnesses Savaric and Safiye, Prince and Princess of Tir Righ

Lionsdale Champions Tourney held in the Shire of Lionsdale

Being the Report of the Closing Court of Their Highnesses Savaric and Safiye, Prince and Princess of Tir Righ. Court held on June 8, 2008 being AS XLIII at Lionsdale Champions Tourney in the Shire of Lionsdale.

Their Highnesses welcomed into Their Court His Royal Highness Owain ap Einar.

The autocrat, Hlaefdige Thora Golvik of Al in Hallingdal, thanked the populace for coming to the event, and gave the results of the event's championships and competitions:

Rapier Competition - Don Pierce O'Briain

A&S Competition - Dr. Carrus

Heavy Champion - Thegn Ulf Bloodfoot Fallgrson

Missile Weapons Champion - Lord William Arwemakere

Bardic Champion -Caemgen MacGarbith

Target Archery Champion - His Lordship Kenneth of Shaftesbury

Her Ladyship Sofia Marika Traum von Trifels presented Hlaefdige Thora with a scroll from the "Lionsdale Sweatshop" in thanks for her organization of the event.

Hlaefdige Thora covered some closing details for the site, and reminded those present that the site would be used next weekend for Sealion War.

Thus ended the Closing Court of Their Highnesses Savaric and Safiye, Prince and Princess of Tir Righ.

The herald for court was Caemgen MacGarbith.

Written this twenty-third day of June, AS XLIII being 2008 in the Common Era,

Dame Elena de Maisnilwarin, OP

Royal Secretary and Court Reporter to Their Highnesses of Tir Righ

Troll Stomp

July 11—13 AS XLIII (2008)

Shire of Frozen Mountain (event in Castlegar, BC)

Come frolic in the shadow of the Glacier as Frozen Mountain once again invites you to Troll Stomp at Pass Creek outside of Castle gar!

Leave the politics behind! (oh, except for that little WAR that Appledore declared on us) Smooth away your cares and come and enjoy the mellowness that is Frozen Mountain. Here we take revelry, feasting, singing, and waterfights seriously! There is a fabulous public beach swimming area adjacent to the site.

This is a camping site with no feast hall amenities. Above ground fires allowed pending fire season restrictions.

Autocrat:

Magdalen of Haphazard Manor , email sca@kics.bc.ca or call (250) 352 2532.

WAR - A little rapier, heavy, dance, a little seltzer in your pants! A potluck feast will bring together Shire members and guests on Saturday night, followed by a bardic circle at the great fire pit, conditions permitting. Bring your instruments and voices!

Gate opens 3:00 Friday, closes 3:00 Sunday.

Site fee:

Adults: \$15, day fee \$7, Minors \$7, Children sleeping in your tent: free!

If you do not hold a membership card for the SCA, there is an additional \$3.00 charge for adult weekend and day fees. Cash preferred, but cheques can be made payable to The Shire of Frozen Mountain. All minors must have correct SCA and NSCA minor forms signed by a parent or guardian or they will not be admitted.

Event Website:

<http://sca.kics.bc.ca/trollstomp.htm>

Site Info:

Pass Creek Park group use area, located 2 km North of Castlegar on the Robson highway.

Directions to Site:

From the West - take Highway 3 to Castlegar, BC. Take the exit ramp into Castlegar, and head for the city center (take a left on Columbia Avenue). Follow Columbia Avenue all the way through town and out the other side, where you will cross the Robson Bridge. The entrance to Pass Creek Park is well marked just at the East end of the Robson Bridge.

From the East - Taking Highway 3 to Salmo, then proceed through Salmo to Castlegar on Highway 3B, but take the 3A exit to Nelson and Airport before you enter Castlegar. Follow 3A for 4 km and take the Robson exit. "Pass Creek Park" is what you are looking for. NOTE: do not take Pass Creek Road - you'll end up miles and miles up a mountain road!

Feel free to write the autocrat if this is confusing!

The Stranded Mermaid

July 11—13 AS XLIII (2008)

Shire of False Isle (Powell River, BC)

Our Beautiful Mermaid sits high and dry, so please come and join the Shire of False Isle in celebrating her beautiful new home at our Stranded Mermaid. We will be having competitions for archery, rapier, heavy fighting, heraldry, A&S and bardic. Please note that this the new camping site and not our previous water-front site. There will be pre-registration available; the deadline for pre-registration is June 30th, 2008.

For up to date ferry schedules go to: <http://www.bcferries.bc.ca>

*Note about ferries: Please make sure to arrive an hour or two before your sailing, as this is a very busy time of year. Check out possible discount rates on their website.

SITE FEES:

Adults: \$15.00 for the weekend or \$10.00 per day.

Youths (ages 6 - 17) \$5.00 for the weekend or \$5.00 per day.

There is no charge for children under the age of 5.

Family cap \$40.00. Standard family rules apply.

Make checks payable to "The Shire of False Isle".

The NMS surcharge is applicable: \$3.00 Canadian, \$3.00 American.

SITE INFO:

Craig Park, (no street address) Sunshine Coast Highway, Powell River, BC, V8A 4Z2.

Site opens at noon. on Friday and closes at 2:00 PM. on Sunday.

Please note that all fires must be above ground & smoking is only in designated areas.

There will be a food merchant on site. There is no potable water on site so please bring your own.

Persons with RV's must contact the autocrat as there is limited space available.

Merchants are welcome and will only be charged their site fee, but must contact the autocrat to reserve a space.

Pets are welcome, but MUST be leashed at all times.

AUTOCRAT: HL Constance de Montbard (Connie Keiver),

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DIRECTIONS:

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The Stranded Mermaid (contd.)**Shire of False Isle (Powell River, BC)****DIRECTIONS:**

For all areas except Vancouver Island, make your best way to Vancouver BC.

From Vancouver BC, take the ferry from Horseshoe Bay to Langdale. Drive approximately 1.5 hours, easy driving time, to Earl's Cove ferry terminal. Take the ferry to Saltery Bay. Coming off the ferry follow Highway 101 heading north towards Lund BC, for 51.5 km, turn right at Craig Road and SCA sign, then left into Craig Park.

Note: There are two ferries to get to Powell River from Vancouver, but you only pay for one.

From the Vancouver Island (Comox) ferry, go straight off the ferry to Marine Avenue (2 blocks). Turn left; follow Highway 101 north towards Lund BC, for 19.8 km, turn right at Craig Road and SCA sign, then left into Craig Park.

Seagirt Sergeants Yeomen & Gallants Trials

July 25—27 AS XLIII (2008)**Barony of Seagirt (event in Sooke, BC)**

Autocrat: Ysane la Galliarde

Our annual trials to swell the ranks of the Baroness's guard are being held on July 25-27, at Camp Barnard in Sooke. We encourage you to come to the event and support our Yeoman applicant, Rashid al Qasim, as he strives to embattle, engage, entertain, and impress Seagirt's Seargency in an effort to join the elite group that protects and defends our fair Baroness.

There will be battles, archery, games, dancing, heraldry and songs of glory for all to enjoy. Come in great numbers to camp and play, to cheer and sing, and to visit with friends (or meet new ones!)

We will need volunteers, as always :) please contact me if you can spare some time before or during the event. There are always so many big and little jobs that need doing at any SCA event, and the service that we get from volunteers is what makes the dream possible. *** There are four cabins still available ***

Site Info:

The site is the Scouts Canada's Camp Barnard in Sooke BC 40 km (25 mi) west of Victoria BC. Canada.

NO PETS ARE ALLOWED (with the exception of Handicapped-assist animals). The site is DAMP. Flush toilets and showers on site. Garbage Dumpster on site at the park gate. Children under 18 MUST be accompanied by a certified Parent/Guardian with included SCA documentation. Fire regulations subject to Weather Conditions. Tiki torches are allowed, but must be carefully monitored. Candles MUST be in a CONTAINER of some kind, i.e., glass jar. Smoking butts must be put in an ashtray or some such unit, not on the ground please...and we are allowed a bardic fire of no more than three feet in diameter and height...

Directions on page following:



Seeagirt Sergeants, Yeomen & Gallants (continued)**Directions:**

From the Lower Mainland - Take the Tswaassen-Swartz Bay Ferry.
Take the Pat Bay Hwy 17 south towards Victoria. Take the Mackenzie turn off heading west towards the Trans Canada Hwy. Turn Right onto the Trans Canada Northbound. Then follow directions from Victoria

From Port Angeles - take the MV Coho ferry. Sailings are at 8:20 am, 12:45 pm, 5:15 pm, and 9:30 pm. In Victoria travel east on Belleville Rd to Douglas St. Turn Left on Douglas (northbound) into downtown Victoria

From Downtown Victoria - Follow Douglas St north as it turns into the Trans Canada Hwy #1. Take the Colwood Exit towards Sooke on Hwy 14 (Sooke Rd). Follow Sooke Road to Sooke (well, where else?) Turn right at stop light (only one in town) on to Otter Point Road. Stay on OPR for about 5 Km, turn right on to Young Lake Road. YLR leads right to Camp B. (3130 Young Lake Road)

From Up Island, Duncan and Further

Three different ways if you can understand my instructions

1... At the bottom of the Malahat there is a road off to the right, called Goldstream Ave, Take this road, Follow it along till you hit a set of lights, This being Jacklin Road, Turn right on Jacklin, Follow Jacklin down, you will go through a set of lights at Station/Dunford (same road, different side of street, typical Victorian street naming), You will go through a set of lights at Kelly rd, Continue past Belmont High School, till you hit the next set of lights, at Sooke rd, Turn Right, follow Sooke road all the way to Sookes city centre. At the lights, turn right, follow up to Young Lake road, turn right on Young Lake rd and follow straight to Camp Barnard. I believe that from the set of lights at Jacklin, The next set of lights is in Sooke city centre

2...Come down the highway, take the Millstream exit (off ramp to Costco etc). Turn right on to Millstream Ave, follow this down, through a set of lights(Can t remember street name) through a second set of lights at Goldstream, immediately following through Goldstream and Millstream, there is a road on your Right called Station, turn right here, follow this down till the next set of lights at Jacklin, Turn left on Jacklin, Follow Jacklin down till Sooke Road, Turn Right and Follow to Sooke, At Sooke city center, turn right at the light, Drive up this till Young Lake, turn Right, Follow till Camp Barnard

3...Follow the Highway down, pass by Millstream, The next exit is the Six Mile road exit(on the right). I believe the sign also says to Colwood, Thetus Lake exit, It will have one of the three on it, Take this exit, turn right on the Six Mile Road, Follow down to the Old Island Highway, Turn Right, Follow this road directly to Sooke, Yes is does the typical name change, same road, different name, turn right at Sookes Lights, Follow to Young Lake road, Turn Right and follow to Camp Barnard

Ravens War X

August 1st—3rd AS XLIII (2008)

Shire of Ravensley (Port Alberni, BC)

Hear Ye Hear Ye! Ravensley has been at war for a Decade. Come celebrate this milestone in our history. This year we have declared WAR on Hartwood. For intruding on the lands of Ravensley. Rumors have it Hartwoodians were seen pouching on these lands, which have been won by the Baron for his private Hunting reserve. As no dues were paid to Ravensley for the intrusion, nor Dues paid to the Baron for pouching, Ravensley Declares War! Ravensley invites all the kingdom to Ravens Key Castle for its 10th anniversary war. Show off your hunting skills in archery, axe, knife and spear. Accompany the Baron on his hunt, and enjoy the spoils at the Beast Feast Potluck Dinner. Home of the Barons Private Hunting reserve. Has Hartwood been Pouching in the reserve? Has Hartwood truly trespassed with out permission, enjoying our rich resources? Will there be war or celebration at our tenth anniversary? Will HI Zoran be rewarded or punished for his duties as the Barons Game keeper? We will not know until the War.

We will have small refreshments for the Saturday Afternoon and small snacks for lunch. Dinner will be a Potluck Dinner. Out of towners please bring cold foods / Breads / Cheeses & Desserts. Locals please help with providing Meat dishes. There will be some Beast Meat Supplement for the Potluck.

There will be: Hunting skill Test (archery, axe, knife & Spear) § Heavy Fighting war Senerios Archery Competition § Rapier: Phoenix Tourney (not confirmed) § Arts & Sciences § Kubb and YES EVEN BARDIC!! § Event closes on Aug.3th at 4:00pm. (people may stay camping for the extra day)

Site fees:

Adults \$10.00, \$5.00 per persons 13-17 years, free to anyone 12 years and under. NO SEPARATE DAY FEES (there's only one price) NMS fees will be in effect (must show blue card) Family fee for week-end is \$30.00 If there are any questions please contact Autocrats. Cheques payable to "The Shire of Ravensley"

Site Info:

Name: Ravens Key Castle Site § 5222 Kingston St § Port Alberni, BC

Directions to Site:

From Lower/Middle Island - From the Inland Island Hwy take the Port Alberni side of the Qualicum Beach/Port Alberni exit and merge onto Hwy 4.

From Upper Island - From the Inland Island Hwy take the Port Alberni exit and turn right onto Hwy 4.

Follow Hwy 4 as it enters Port Alberni and takes you past a Coombs Country Candy shop on your right. Pass this and continue to stay to the right until you reach the lights at the far end of the Walmart/Extra foods lot. Turn right at these lights onto Cherry Creek Road. Follow the road straight through the four way stop and past the store until you come to Cowley Road. Turn left onto Cowley and follow the road as it becomes Best Road. Follow Best until you come to Kitsuksis Road. Turn right onto Kitsuksis and then take the next left onto Kingston Road. Proceed to the end of this gravel road, slowing down as you reach the gate at the end. Proceed slowly as there are children and animals around. Go to the end of the winding drive and you will find the castle site.

Autocrat:

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Feastocrat: Lady Thorvia tommdool@telus.net

Clinton War

August 1-4, 2008

Barony of Lions Gate (Clinton, BC)

Lions Gate, Lionsdale and Eisenmarche will hold off maurauding forces at Clinton War. There will be battles for all. War points include combat, archery, rapier, service, youth, arts and science. We are planning on having castle battles, woods battles, the Baroness's walk and more. You can enjoy classes, star-gazing, the Tavern, Merchants Row and diverse entertainment.

To foster and display the multitude of talents in all of our illustrious Principality, the Arts and Sciences War Points will be a container and its contents. Documentation is required for at least one part of the entry, that is, either the container or the contents.

Mercenary entries are welcome.

The War begins at noon on Friday, August 1, 2008 and ends at 1pm on Monday, August 4, 2008.

There will be a special contest for the best Bunny and Duck story, sponsored by Her Excellency Vicountess Amanda Kendal. Stories are limited to under 10 minutes and potential judges should contact Her Excellency.

There will be classes to take. A list of classes and the class descriptions will be posted soon. All registration is on site.

The site, located near the village of Clinton in Central BC, is a beautiful valley with a creek running through it, a spring for water and pit toilets. There is no street address for this event as it is located on the Clinton Creek Ranch (the old Martin place), a few kilometers north of the village of Clinton. The closest groceries, gas and bank machine are in Clinton. The days can be hot and the nights can be cold and it is usually windy.

Because of the fire hazard there may be restrictions on open fires and smoking. Fires - only at the Bardic fire pit and in suspended braziers. Fires in encampments must have safety precautions in place ie sand or water or a fire extinguisher.

Smoking is allowed only at the Sir Walter Raleigh Memorial Bridge, and at the Bardic fire. Please use the butt buckets. Smoking in your encampment may be allowed if the fire hazard is not too high and your neighbours permit it.

There is no merchant fee. There is no merchant registration deadline. While most of the merchants locate themselves on the North Road and the Tavern Road, there is no allocated Merchants Row. Food merchants are required to contact the Merchant Liason HL Genevieve Barbota (gryphonshold@shaw.ca) regarding getting a food handlers permit and selling certificate well before the event.

There is only one way to reserve tent space at Clinton. It is on a first come basis. Either you or someone else puts down your tent or a labeled tarp in the space that you want. There is no tenting on the Combat and Castle Field.

Minors (18 and under) attending without a parent or legal guardian must have a signed NSCA minor waiver, a signed SCA minor waiver and two copies of a signed SCA medical authorization.



Site Fee:

Adult members \$15.00, Adult non-members \$18.00, Youth (13-18) \$7.00, Children (12 and under) free. Family cap \$40.00 plus applicable Non-Member Surcharge applies to modern related families only, maximum two adults. Cheques made payable to "The Barony of Lions Gate".

The Non-Member Surcharge of \$3.00 will be charged to those adults who are not a paid member of the SCA. Adults who are SCA members must show their SCA Membership card at the gate or they will be charged the Non-Member Surcharge of \$3.00.

The sponsoring group is the Barony of Lions Gate. Please make cheques payable to "The Barony of Lions Gate".

Americans are advised to change your US funds to Canadian funds before coming to Clinton to pay the gate fees. US funds are accepted at par at the gate.

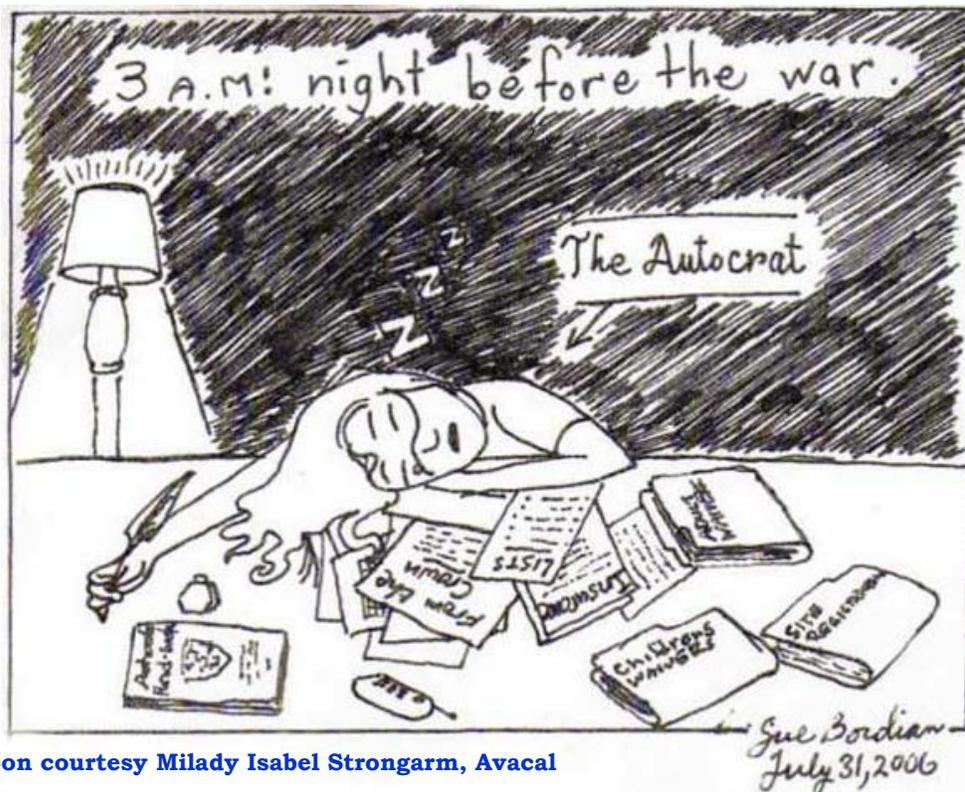
Use of the site structures is at your own risk. For more information, please visit the Barony of Lions Gate's website at www.lionsgate.antir.sca.org and then select events.

Autocrat:

Amanda Kendal of Westmoreland (Nancy Stevens), 595 E. 61st Ave., Vancouver, BC, 604-789-8305.

Directions:

Take Highway 97 to Clinton. From the south, travel to the other end of town and turn left onto MacDonald. From the north, turn right onto MacDonald. When the road forks, take the right hand fork that continues up the hill and turns into a gravel road. Follow the surveyors tape. Cross the railway tracks and the cattle guard. Just after the cattle guard, the road forks again. Take the left fork. Stay on this road and you will see a reservoir on the left. Just past this is the main gate. Please close the gate and continue until you reach the site proper.



cartoon courtesy Milady Isabel Strongarm, Avacal

Lions Gate Sergeantry Trials

August 15-17, 2008

Barony of Lions Gate (Vancouver, BC)

It is time once again for those gentles who wish to become Sergeants, Yeomen, Gallants or Courtiers of Lions Gate to prove their worth on the testing field. All applicants must prove their competence in the areas of dance, heraldry, courtesy, the medieval science of warfare, combat tactics, SCA armour and combat standards, bardic entertainment, and medieval games.

Sergeant applicants must show prowess in single and war combat; Yeomen must display skill at target archery, field archery, and thrown weapons; Gallants must be skilled rapier combatants, while Courtiers applicants are skilled negotiators and diplomats. A complete list of requirements can be requested from Her Excellency Baroness Caitrin. Anyone interested in applying for these ranks must submit a calligraphed petition to Baroness Caitrin before the close of Clinton War (Monday, August the 4th, 2008). All lords and ladies are invited to attend and view, test and encourage the applicants. Heavy, rapier, and archery combatants are requested to come help test the mettle of the applicants, as there will be enough tourney and war fighting for everyone, including war archery. There will also be dancing and bardic entertainment aplenty. Marshals of all levels, waterbearers and heralds are all in demand for this event. Please help out with what you can!

The event will be held on August 15, 16 and 17, 2008, at the Sons of Norway Country Club in Hatzic, BC. The site opens at 6:00 pm on Friday the 15th, and closes at 5:00 pm on Sunday the 17th. Opening Court will be Saturday at 10:00 am. All applicants must be at Opening Court, with their shields or other heraldry on display. Closing Court will be in the afternoon on Sunday. For more information, contact the autocrat Sgt Jayson Werner (bluephoenix@dccnet.com, ph. 604-591-1306).

Site Fee: Adult (19+): \$12.00 Youth (13-18): \$6.00 Age 12 & Under: Free
Family Cap: \$30 Family Cap: Max 2 Adults & all minor children, real-world family only.
Non-Member surcharge of \$3.00 applies

Site: Sons of Norway Country Club, 11901 Seux Road, Hatzic, BC.
(North of Hatzic Lake, aprox. 9 km East of Mission, BC).

Directions:

From Metro Vancouver; take the Lougheed Highway (Hwy #7 East), towards Mission; either through Port Coquitlam and Maple Ridge, or down the Hwy #1 to Abbotsford and up Hwy #11 across the Abbotsford - Mission Bridge. Continue East through Mission. Turn left approximately 9 km later onto **Sylvester Road**. (There is a Husky station at the corner) About 4 km later, the road will fork and intersect with Farms Road, but stay to the right and follow Sylvester. Turn left onto **Seux Road** after approximately 3.5 km. Seux Road will turn to the right. You will cross a bridge over a creek, and there will be a sign on your left reading "Sons of Norway, Sleipner 8". This is the entrance to the site.

From the East, along the #1: At either Hope or Agassiz make your way over the Fraser River and onto the Lougheed Highway (#7 East) towards Mission and Vancouver. After driving through the town of Dewdney, turn right onto Sylvester Road, and follow the directions as above.

From the US: Take the border crossing at Sumas / Abbotsford, along US Hwy #9. This will put you onto BC Hwy #11, which will take you across the Abbotsford - Mission Bridge and into Mission. Continue as directions above.

Warren War X

September 12-13 AS XLIII

Shire of Shittimwoode (Bellingham, WA)

Come one and all to the tenth annual Warren War, September 12th to 14th at Hovander Park in the Shire of Shittimwoode! Watch and participate as Aquaterra and Lions Gate battle for rights to claim this beautiful and bountiful Royal Hunting Preserve. War Points will be awarded for Field Combat, Archery, Rapier, Bardic, Arts, Sciences, and Service.

In the realm of Field Combat you will have the chance to cheer and participate in open field, bridge, and castle scenarios. Nimblefooted-fighters are welcome to enter the Torchlight Prize Tourney on Saturday night. Arrows and axes will fly in our Archery and Thrown Weapons competition, so be sure to come out and support your favoured barony for their right to claim the Shire of Shittimwoode as their own.

Learn a thing or two and flaunt your knowledge of agriculture and field crop production at brand-new Ithra classes, a Siege Cooking Competition, and a Brewer's Showdown courtesy of the Brewer's Guild. An Arts point will be awarded for the finest documented period headpiece. The Science point will go to he or she who presents the most outstanding documented period farm implement (livestock or animals are exempt from this competition).

And let us not forget those raucous annual pursuits, the Shire of Shittimwoode Tablero Championship, and the Kitsch Competition complete with prizes! Vie for the greatest song or tale in an agriculture theme at our Bardic Competition. Raise your pitchfork and tell those Nobles what you think of pomp and excess in the Peasant's Revolt! Support your Barony of choice through Service by casting aligning your volunteer hours towards the War Point for the most Service..

Period camping space will be designated around the edge of the war field. RV sites available. Merchants are welcome to contact the autocrats for registration - no additional fees required though a donation to the prize chest would be appreciated..

Site fee :

Age 18 and over SCA members - \$12.00 US; Age 12 and under - \$8.00 US;

Family Cap of \$40.00 US

We are required to collect a non-member surcharge of \$3.00 US for all non-members who are 18 or over.

Make checks payable to "Shire of Shittimwoode, SCA Inc."

Canadian cash will be exchanged for US dollars prior to paying site fee.

Sorry, no Canadian checks accepted

Site Information:

Gate opens at 4 PM Friday and closes at 4 PM Sunday. There will be no water available on site, so please bring all you need and a little bit extra to share. Plan for all weather in a freshly mown grass and hay field. All pets to be leashed and waste to be removed by owners.

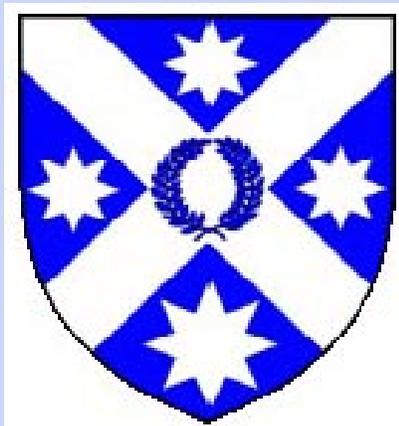
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Upcoming Events in Tir Righ

- July 11-13 The Stranded Mermaid, Shire of False Isle, Powell River, BC
 July 11-13 Troll Stomp, Shire of Frozen Mountain, W. Kootenenays, BC
 (event in Pass Creek Park near Castlegar, BC)
- July 25-27 Sergeants, Yeomen, and Gallants Trials, Barony of Seagirt, Victoria, BC
 July 25-27 Clinton Work Weekend
- Aug 01-04 Clinton War, Barony of Lions Gate, Vancouver, BC (event in Clinton, BC)
 Aug 01-03 Ravens' War X, Shire of Ravensley, Port Alberni, BC
 Aug 08-10 Armada, Shire of Cragmere, Campbell River, BC
 Aug 15-17 Sergeantry Trials, Barony of Lions Gate, Vancouver, BC (event in Hatzic Lake, BC)
 Aug 15-17 Seagirt Summer Tourney, Barony of Seagirt, Victoria, BC
- Sept 5-7 September Coronet, Shire of Eisenmarche (Coquitlam, Pitt Meadows, Maple Ridge,
 Port Coquitlam, and New Westminster, BC)
- Sept 12-13 Warren War, Shire of Shittimwoode, Bellingham, WA (event in Ferndale, WA)
 Sept 27-28 Tir Righ University at Kingdom Bardic, Barony of Lions Gate, Vancouver, BC



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