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Happy New Year
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From Their Highnesses

Tournament format and requirements for Tir Righ June Coronet.

Each entrant and each consort will be required to provide a heraldic banner representing themselves upon the field. Banners are not required to be passed by the College of Heralds, however, the banners must be acceptable to the Coronet. Banners will be presented during the tournament processional and will be proudly displayed around the "erics" during the tournament.

Standard double elimination tournament open to any fighting style as per the An Tir Book of Combat. Shield size will follow traditional An Tir standards. Please contact His Highness for any needed clarification. All thrusting tips must provide the legal 3/8" give that the An Tir Book of Combat requires. Please ensure that if a thrusting tip is being used that it passes this requirement. Upon inspection, if any thrusting tip is deemed questionable, it will be inspected by His Highness for approval.

Please contact Their Highnesses if you need further clarification.

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Their Highnesses Royal Progress (RP)

May Crown

Sealion War

Lionsdale Champions

June Coronet

AT War

From the Chronicler



Happy New Year One and All!

May 1st we entered the 47th year of the society (anno societatis). As each day passes we lose more and more of our heritage, and the beginnings of it all. Take the time to talk to the people who have been around for a long time. Listen to their stories of the time now passed.

While you are at it, we could use stories to include here in the Northern Sentinel. We are always willing to accept stories, songs, poems and other creative works from the vast array of talented people that are Tir Rìgh.

Do you have a great story, or maybe a tale of a great event that happened? Share your moments with us. This month let me share with you a piece that I wrote many years ago for the event "Triumphs of Orianna" held in the shire of Dragon's Mist.

Seasons

A poetic duet in anapestic tetrameter to be performed by an old man and a young woman sharing their life's point of view at this moment.

By Master James Llewellyn ap Gruffydd

Both:

Through the glen, over hills, 'pon my horse I shall ride,
With the breeze on my face and a friend by my side.

Young Girl:

All my senses, they reel while spring unfolds anew,
Inhaling sweet Lilac, feel the soft touch of dew.

A husband I seek, strong and brave..handsome, sure.....
Hazel eyes pierce my soul and a heart sweet and pure.

Ah, sweet life, such a thrill as I dance through the days,
Oh the things I will do as I wander life's maze.

Old Man:

Harsh Winter envelops as my life nears its end,
Lost memories foreshadow, nothing left to defend.

I recall with a tear when I last saw her face,
To touch her, to hold her, now an empty embrace.

I'm alone, darkness falls, my whole life behind me,
As I pass to the next, I pray you will find me.....

Both:

Through the glen, over hills, 'pon my horse I shall ride,
With the breeze on my face and a friend by my side.

The Tir Righ Calendar of Events

- Tir Righ follows the Kingdom of An Tir's calendar policy and procedures.
- All Date Reservation and Event Information forms for events within Tir Righ need to be submitted to Tir Righ's [Calendar Deputy](#).
- Any information for your event can be submitted to the Tir Righ [Web Team](#), who can create a simple page for you. You can also have them link to your existing information page, or host pages you've created.

Note: The official calendar within the Kingdom of An Tir is the [Kingdom Calendar](#). Any discrepancies between this calendar and the Kingdom's should be resolved in favour of the Kingdom's, and reported to the Principality.

Italicized and Bold events are held outside of the Principality's borders.

May 2012

12	LVL 2	Tir Righ	Antioch Invitational
18-20	CROWN	Dregate	May Crown
25-27	LVL 1	Lions Gate	Sealion War

June 2012

01-03	LVL 1	Lionsdale	Lionsdale Champions Tourney
08-10	CORONET	False Isle	Tir Righ June Coronet
21-24	KNOWN WORLD	Columbus, Ohio	Music and Dance Symposium
22-24	PRINCIPALITY		Tir Righ/Avacal War

July 2012

06-08	LVL 1	False Isle	Stranded Mermaid
27-29	LVL 2	Seagirt	Sergeant's, Yeoman, and Gallants
July 27-Aug 12		Slippery Rock, PA	PENNSIC WAR 41

August 2012

03-06	LVL 1	Lions Gate	Tournament of Armies III
10-12	LVL 1	Hartwood	Armada
17-19	LVL 1	Seagirt	Summer Tournament
17-19	LVL 2	Lions Gate	SYGC
24-26	Coronet	TBD	Tir Righ Investiture

The Society for Creative Anachronism
invites you to a time when chivalry and
sword play ruled...



Step Back in Time For a Day



ANTIOCH is your chance to see and explore our current Middle Ages

- Demonstrations of arts and war throughout the day
- Medieval merchants hawking their crafts and wares
- Try your hand at historical calligraphy and other hands-on skills
- Learn about the costumes and harken to the roaming minstrels!
- Sword, Rapier and Archery demonstrations throughout the day
- NEW this year! Give WITNESS to our Barony's Defender's Tourney!

Saturday
May 12th
9am-4pm

Memorial Peace Park, 224th street in Maple Ridge
in conjunction with the Haney Farmers Market
Admission is *FREE for ALL*, come *RAIN or SHINE!*

For more info visit: www.lionsdale.net/antioch/

Sealion War

May 25, 2012 to May 27, 2012 Lions Gate

Vancouver, BC

The Grene Wode, 25133 0 Avenue, Aldergrove, B.C., VHW 2H4
Event Steward: James Wolfden mka James Welch; jameswolfden@yahoo.ca

Event fee: \$20/adult; \$10 youth (13-18); children under 12 are free. \$5 NMS applies

To be or not to be, that is the question. Oh hell, it is not much of a question at all.

Of course, you want to be at the Sealion War in the Barony of Lions Gate when Lions Gate's finest take on the street gang ruffians from across the water. Baron Eideard, Seagirt's new and young Baron, wants to prove his mettle against the old and ornery Baron James. Will the calm and gentle voices of the lovely Baroness Mogg and the beautiful Baroness Margaret soothe these two war dogs or will steel clash and blood spill on the Grene Wode of Lions Gate.

The theme for this year's War is everything Shakespeare and the war points will be built around that. For the war fields, we are thinking a street fight that starts with just a few fighters but grows as the Houses of Seagirt and Lions Gate hear about the fight. For archery, do we go with slings and arrows of outrageous misfortune or Henry V inciting his army to victory at Agincort. Bards should practise their sonnets. The artisans will be asked to create something inspired by a Midsummer's Night Dream. The scientists can bring their best medieval stage props or effects. We will be looking at doing a youth point showcasing period teenage angst.

So come practise your forsoothing with us.

Merchants welcome. Site does not allow pets. Please pack out your own garbage.

Site Info:

Name: Donatello's Farm
25133 Zero Ave.
Aldergrove, BC V4W 2H4

Lionsdale Champions Tourney

(June 1-3 2012) Lionsdale

As summer draws nigh the Shire of Lionsdale prepares to choose champions once again for armoured combat, target archery, and missile combat. These longer days and warmer skies also provide us with opportunities to show your prowess with a rapier, in the arts, and in bardic pursuits.

Details on the following activities will be provided soon:

Championships: Armored Combat Target Archery Missile Combat

Non-championship competitions: Arts and Sciences Heraldry Rapier
Combat Bardic

Other Activities: Equestrian in the SCA information session (before event)
Equestrian Games Opening and Closing "Court" Frying Pan Toss

Merchants: Pre-registration for available merchant space is necessary; please contact the autocrat. Schedule details to be posted on the Shire of Lionsdale website (www.lionsdale.net) as the event draws nigh. We look forward to welcoming one and all to frolic in the Grenewode with us.

Fees: Adults \$15. Youth (12-18) \$8. Children (12 and younger) free.
\$5 NMS applies to adults without proof of membership. Cheques payable to "Shire of Lionsdale"

Site: "The Grenewode", 25133 0 Avenue, Langley, BC. Opens at 4pm on Friday and closes at 5pm on Sunday.

Site Owner's Rules: NO pets, smoking only within designated areas (this does not include your encampment), beware of farm equipment, animals, and water hazards (this is a working farm).

Directions: Canada: Make your best way to exit #73 on Highway #1 (264th Street) in Langley. Continue south on 264th Street. Turn west (right) onto 0 avenue. The Grenewode will be in approximately 3 km, on the north side of the road (right).

U.S.A.: Make your best way to the Aldergrove Border crossing. Proceed to 0 avenue and head west. The Grenewode will be in approximately 2 miles, on the north side of the road (right).

Autocrat: Danielle van Pelt 219 – 9655 King George Boulevard, Surrey, BC, V3T 0C7 Phone: 604-653-8946 Email: danniellevanpelt@hotmail.com

Royal Summons

Greetings unto the Heralds and Populace of the glorious Principality of Tir Righ!

I can't believe there are only a few months left of my term but time flies when one is having an awesome time and once again I am having to learn to spell my last name or find another Heraldic title<grin>. I will be stepping down at June Coronet 2012. Thus, we are putting out a call for applications for the Silver Yale Herald of Tir Righ. Applications will be accepted until May 15th, 2012. The successful applicant will be announced May 30th.

The term of Office is 2 years, beginning June 2012.

Applications should include an SCA and mundane resume (cover letter optional) be sent to myself atherald@tirrigh.org. Please also cc the following:

prince@tirrigh.org princess@tirrigh.org seneschal@tirrigh.org

Applicants are not expected to know anything and everything about Heraldry. Basic requirements for the position are:

- * Good organizational and administrative skills.
- * Excellent interpersonal skills.
- * A general understanding of the Administrative Handbook.
- * An expectation to attend both Coronet Tournaments and Investiture events per year.
- * Requirement to report quarterly to the Black Lion Herald of An Tir.

I would encourage anyone interested to contact me for further info. As stated above, you are not expected to know everything. We have a live document that encompasses the duties and procedures of each Herald within our College at your disposal. This has been a very rewarding position for me personally; we have an amazing group of people who feel more like a family than a College. Good luck to all applicants!

In Heraldic Service,
Caitrina Silver Yale

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"Quarterly gules and sable, a winged fox sejant argent."

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