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With pride and great happiness do Baron Conchobar Proconsul & Baroness Eilidh Proconsula do send greetings to the most cherished, and valued populace of Dragon's Laire.

There are so many exciting things to be thankful for in Dragon's Laire. We are experienced. We are growing. We are vital. We are active. We are talented. We are Dragon's Laire!

Consider how you would finish that sentence "We are ____."? Consider how much stronger "We" is over "Me" or "I". The use of "We" is deliberate. "We" means unity, cohesion. "We work together." "We are stronger together." A simple, two letter word can have such strength and influence. We have seen the "We" of Dragon's Laire do amazing things, and We are certain "We" of Dragon's Laire will continue to do amazing things.

His Excellency Cohchobar Mac Eoin would like to invite everyone who may be interested to join in the Legio Draconis march and drills. You need not be a Legion member to join in. These are held on Sunday mornings at South Kitsap Regional Park (The train park) on Jackson Ave SE & SE Lund Ave in Port Orchard (weather and event attendance allowing). The goal is to get out, get some exercise, build comaraderie, work as a unit, and have a good time with your fellow fighters. Families are welcome. They can tag along on the park trails or there is a nice playground in the park.

Just one of the amazing things that is on our horizon is Kingdom Feast. So many members of the Barony have worked hard to bring this event to the Kingdom. The populace of Dragon's Laire can be found prepping, planning, cooking, cleaning, and volunteering their way through the entire event. If you are in attendance this coming weekend, please take a moment to look around at all the familiar faces around you who are lending their time, talents, and enthusiasm to the spirit of Kingdom Feast.

Speaking of talents, quickly to follow Kingdom Feast is Dragon's Laire's Arts & Science Day on November 15th. If you have never attended one of these gatherings, we encourage you to drop by. It is an empowering gathering of people with an amazing range of skills, and projects. The novice can sit with the experienced and learn new things, make new friends, expand their network of contacts, and really be energized by a huge community of people who love what they do. Please join us.

The next Baronial event is Dragon's Laire's Yule this December 5th. The event

staff has been working hard to make this a spectacular event. The feast sounds delicious and much has been planned for the days' activities. We will be hosting Ithra classes. Please look up the class list and sign up for a class or two. It is a great opportunity to learn a new skill or pick up a new obsession. We are also honored to host Their Royal Majesties at Yule. This is a perfect time to send in AWARD RECOMMENDATIONS. It is easy to do. Just go to the Kingdom of An Tir web page and click on the link that says "Award Recommendation Form". It has all you need to easily make an award recommendation. If you would like to drop us a personal email or message on FaceBook that you have sent an award recommendation in for someone, that would be most appreciated. We can add our voice and enthusiasm to the recommendation.

Not so very far on our horizon is Candlemas. We will be looking for a new Arts & Science Champion as well as a new Bardic Champion. Now is the time to start considering your entries. Ask questions of past Champions. Begin your research. The deadlines will be here sooner than you realize.

Finally, we would like to discuss June Faire. Her Ladyship Altaliana de Segna (Talia) is our new June Faire Board Chair person. We would like to offer her Our thanks for taking on such a big responsibility. We are confident she will do a splendid job. Please feel free to contact her if you would like to be a part of the June Fair Board, or would like to offer her your assistance.

The June Faire Committee has been meeting regularly and notes from those meetings are posted to the Dragon's Laire email list and to the Baronial Facebook page. If you have any questions or ideas, please don't hesitate to contact the members of the committee. Remember the Committee is separate from the June Faire Board and only serves in an advisory position.

We held our first June Faire Committee Town Meeting at last weeks Fight Practice and it was an amazing success. Thank you all who attended. It was exciting to see so many faces from many different groups and levels of experience. Thank you for taking an interest in the largest and most important event Dragon's Laire hosts each year. Your ideas, support, input, and individual perspectives will help make June Faire run smoother, be more effective, and less stressful for all involved. We know we left the meeting feeling excited and energized over the many useful, positive, and insightful ideas that were shared. The "We" of Dragon's Laire really came through that night, and we are eager to see it continue to gain momentum.



Seneschal's Report

The chill of the coming winter has reached our door, the wind blows heralding the coming of the rain and snow, winter is not far off.

But first, We shall soon make the sojourn to beautiful Ocean Shores for AnTir's Kingdom Feast and Bardic Celebration! On Friday night the Masked Ball and the Tavern will commence in the main hall of the convention center. With the music, the dancing and frivolity a great time will be had by all in attendance. On Saturday morning, at the hour of eight, the first course shall roll out to those awaiting breakfast in the feasting hall at the convention center, then Their Royal Majesties will hold court at 10. The next course will be served at 11, then more at 2pm, the 5 o'clock hour and then dessert after the seventh hour. The heavy armoured and rapier competitions shall commence at 11am. There is a full schedule of bardic activities that will be going on all over the convention center, along with the Arts and Sciences workshops. The Games room will be open shortly after breakfast for those wishing to teach and learn games from the SCA period.

AnTir's Fall Crown Council will be held at the Ocean Shores convention center on Sunday 8 November beginning at 9am.

The time will soon be upon us to celebrate with one another at our Yule event. Please join Their Excellencies Conchobar and Eilidh, as well as Their Royal Majesties of An Tir, King Havordh and Queen Mary-Grace, as we celebrate the Yule Season and the end of another glorious year for the Barony. This year Yule will be at the Silverdale Lutheran Church on Ridgetop, in "The Gathering Place". The Gathering Place has a large open room, kitchen, foyer, and six classrooms. It is handicapped accessible and has lots of parking. Because there is a lot of room at the site, we are planning lots of activities!

As the first "listening session" concerning June Faire 2016 concluded, the meeting room was a flurry of ideas and excitement. It was great to see so many people come to the meeting with their minds full of good thoughts for the upcoming event. With Her Ladyship Talia as the Chairperson soon the June Faire board will be sussed out and preparations will begin. Huzzah June Faire!

Busy is the Barony! Lucky are we to have such great people!

Renart
Seneschal



Minutes of the Finance Committee for the
Branch of the Barony of Dragon's Laire
Kingdom of An Tir, SCA Inc.
November 4, 2015

Those in attendance:

Randy Wagner, Branch President

Brenda Lyons, Branch Treasurer

Richard Kelso, Deputy Branch Treasurer/Recording Secretary

David Clough, Finance Committee

Checking Balance: \$25,349.73

Savings Balance: \$24,289.25

CD: \$10,216.94

Submitted this 4th day of November, 2015

Richard Kelso, Recording Secretary

Officer Reports

Seneschal: See above.

Exchequer:

Balances are as follows:

Checking: \$25,349.73

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CD: \$10,216.94



Baronial Steward:

1. Move-out of the heated Storage Unit is complete and empty space turned over to Reliable Storage. From here on out, all of the Baronial owned possessions under control of the Steward will be in the Unheated Unit at the Reliable Storage Unit at the corner of Waaga Way and Fairgrounds Rd.
2. Re-organization and inventory of Unheated Baronial Storage Unit still in process. My Deputy (Madrún) and I will be making this happen throughout the remainder of the year. A large number of items were pulled in support of the Culinary Guild and the Kingdom Feast. The remainder of the Culinary Guild supplies will be pulled in support of Yule Feast with the thought of re-organization and maybe the elimination of broken, damaged, and unusable items.
3. The current plan is to pull in Gold Key and the remaining Baronial Pavilions between Yule Feast and Christmas. This will help with year end inventory of stock.
4. If you need items out of the Storage Unit, please give me as much notice as possible so I can make the time to pull things out of the way as necessary to get to the items you need. Contact me at <arontius@comcast.net> if you need access or if you have any questions. Either myself or the Steward Deputy (Dame Madrún) can meet with you at the Storage Unit depending on schedule.

5. For anyone anticipating the need for items from storage in support of Yule Feast, please contact Dame Gwenllyn and Marquessa Laurellen as soon as possible to organize your needs. I'll be asking for a list of needed items to pull later in November in support.

Golden Dragon Pursuivant: There will be court at Yule Feast.

Countess Elisabeth is available for heraldic consultation at most fight practices.

Scribe: Dragon's Laire artistic scribes are painting and designing new charters for our deserving populace. Hazzah for their efforts and hazzah to the future recipients of these beautiful works of art. Yule is but a month away, don't forget to send in award recommendations to Their Excellencies for deserving members of the Greatest Barony in the Knowne World. Charter painting is a fun way to pass the time Tuesdays, so please pull up a paintbrush and join us in painting charters. Loaner equipment is available!

We will be hosting a beginning calligraphy lesson Tuesday November 10 at 6:30. I will have Carolingian ductus, loaner pens, nibs and quills with ink. Learning to write your name in beautiful script is a handy thing to learn, so please join us!

Please read our Baronial Scribal Guild Report for further news about our Arts and Science Day Camp, Ithra at Yule, and our largess scribal competition.

Baronial Marshal: With the oncoming darkness, attendance at our fight practices has fallen off some. Discussions have been taking place as to alternative sights and times for practice. For the time being, Dragon's Laire's "official" practice will remain on Tuesday nights. I will plan on arriving at 5:30 in order to take advantage of what little light there may be. We continue to search for a suitable long term winter practice sight. In the mean time, there are many opportunities to practice with our neighbors and fighters are strongly encouraged to attend. There are groups of fighters planning to ride share to these practices. See me for more information. And as always, fighters are encouraged to practice on their own amongst themselves as opportunity presents.

Heavy Armored

A few hearty Legionnaires were observed "marching up and down the square with the sergeant-major" at Brooks Park in Port Orchard. Learning to move as a unit is a small part of what is hoped to be the beginning of a more intensive war-band training regimen.

Heavy practice continues on Tuesday evenings at the VFW Hall in Silverdale. Practice is concurrent with the Baronial social, from 5:30 to 8:00 PM. Some fighters choose to optimize the time by arriving early to armor up and get ready.

Rapier

Rapier practices continue at the VFW Hall on Tuesday evenings in conjunction with the Baronial Social. Interest is good and we continue to draw new and guest fighters to our practices. In the failing light, practices will be moving indoors when available.

Archery

Archery practices have moved to Sunday afternoons at the VFW Hall. See the Baronial Archer's report for full details.

Thrown Weapons

Thrown Weapons practices are in suspension due to the failing light. See you in the Spring!

Equestrian

Practice opportunities are available with some of our Baronial Neighbors. See me if you would like more information.

Youth Armored

Lords Avangr and Myrik continue to manage our YAC program.

Siege

No major happens this month on the war front. It is now off season so things are turning to construction. I was introduced to a guy down the road that has been able to help create the torsion hardware that is needed for my new catapult. It is almost complete and is looking awesome. I am hoping by the end of the year to have it fully complete and operational to start testing.

Additional Practices

If you have an opportunity for additional practices you are strongly encouraged to take advantage of these. Please keep me informed so that I can include this information in my reports. Also, if you need or want the Barony to be more involved, don't hesitate to talk to me.

Chief Acher: Archery is being well attended. We have had some new shooters join us on the range. All scores for the 2015 Royal Round year have been entered. Practices: Sunday 1pm - 4pm at the VFW

Just a reminder: If it's Raining, not just a sprinkle, there is no archery. Watch the multitude of posting locations and the e-list for any cancellations.

Lists: No report at press time.

Minister of Arts & Sciences: Before I begin my report, I'd like to give a big 'thank-you' to Mateusz z Plocka, our outgoing Baronial A&S minister. Thank you so much, Mateusz, for taking on the office and leaving it in healthy, happy shape. I'd also like to thank Theodoric the Scholar for the work he did in putting together post-June Faire new comer classes these past couple of years.

There are quite a few things that continue to happen on a regular basis, here in the Barony. Scribal Guild usually has a presence each Tuesday Fight Practice/Social. Kassandra is continuing her Lace class on a regular basis. There was a "Entering A&S Competitions" panel discussion, last month, during the Tuesday Fight Practice/Social; this class was popular enough that we will be holding another one next month. Look for details here on the e-list and on Facebook.

The semi-annual Baronial A&S Day Camp will be held this month, on November 15th, at the VFW Hall, from 9AM - 5PM. This is an informal A&S get-together to meet other artisans, view their projects, bring your own projects, get advice, or

learn a new craft.

Candlemas and the Baronial A&S and Bardic Championships are right around the corner. As a reminder, if you are planning on entering, you **MUST** send a Letter of Intent to Their Excellencies AND myself no later than the Sunday of Twelfth Night. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to let me know.

For information on Guilds, see each Guild report.

If you are holding classes on a regular basis, please let me know. The Kingdom asks that we report what types of classes and how often we hold them, here in the Barony, and I would very much appreciate being able to include your class in my report. Also, if I have not listed your class/activity in this report, please let me know so that I can include it in my next report.

Gamemaster: It is with great honor that from this night fourth, I will be serving as the Baronial Gamemaster.

My first action as Gamemaster at A&S daycamp, I will have what period games I have available to play even tho I am still learning to play some of them and I will teach a class on "Fox & Geese". I am hoping with the Yule Autocrat's permission, to have games available at Dragon's Laire Yule also.

Librarian: Yes, we have books. There are lots of organized books, in fact, so please feel free to peruse our baronial library. You may contact me off list or send me an email to: claynisdewi@gmail.com to inquire a subject matter or arrange to visit our library. If you don't want to trip trap over the bridge to Bainbridge Island, I am happy to bring books to you at our Tuesday Social/Fight Practice. Now that the books are collected in their own corner of bookcases, Lady Diana Cartier will be able to continue on uploading our library data. My deepest thanks for her perseverance in this effort!




Chronicler: I would really love to feature more artwork from Dragon's Laire kids and teens on the cover of the "Flames"! I'd also love some content from the enormous amount of brainpower sparking throughout our barony. For those who would like to read the newsletter on .pdf, the URL is http://www.dragonslaire.org/flames/dl_flames.php. Please note that, while I have formatted the .pdf to download as a two-up document with cover page, I have discovered that most Preview programs still show it in single pages for some reason, so if you want to read the "Flames" in Preview instead of downloading it, you'll need to change your version's view settings if it doesn't look right.

I would really like to have a deputy. If you're interested, but have no experience, I'd love to train you! Desktop publishing skills are a great thing to have in the modern world too!

WebMinister: No report at press time.

Chatelaine: I continue to receive one to two email inquires about the Barony and SCA each month. One of these was from Jason, please welcome him and his family

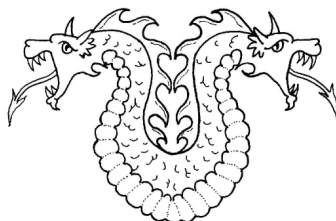


Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
22	23	24 FP & Social 6 p.m. at the VFW	
29 Archery 1-4 p.m. at the VFW	30	1 FP & Social 6 p.m. at the VFW	
6 Archery 1-4 p.m. at the VFW	7 	8 FP & Social 6 p.m. at the VFW	
13 Archery 1-4 p.m. at the VFW	14	15 FP & Social 6 p.m. at the VFW	
20 Archery 1-4 p.m. at the VFW	21 	22 FP & Social 6 p.m. at the VFW Textile Guild 6 p.m. at Madrun's?	
27 Archery 1-4 p.m. at the VFW	28		



Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
25	26 	27	28
2	3 Business Meeting 6:30 at the VFW	4	5 <u>Yule Feast</u> 10 a. m. - 10 p.m. Silverdale Lutheran Church
9	10	11	12
16	17	18	19 Tree Trimming & Open House 1-9 p. m. at Mattusz's & Rycheza's
23	24	25 	26 

Baronial Calendar of Activities
November 22-December 28, 2015



tonight at the meeting as I will be unable to attend.

I still have 4 Known World Handbooks for those who are interested. Cost is \$25 payable to the Barony.

Gold Key: As of now, everything is finished, & put away, waiting for someone to need it. The weather has turned to the ever popular Feast Season.

If anyone needs garb, please contact me 2 weeks before Yule, at: ladyanyamac58@yahoo.com.

Family Activities Coordinator: October was a quiet month on the Family Activities front, and I expect November will be as well. I have planned a branch decorating activity for Yule Feast in December. My deputy, Lord Emil, also plans to bring some games along.

Guild Reports

Bardic Guild: On hiatus until a new leader steps forward.

Costumers: Nothing to report.

Culinary: No written report received at press time, probably because they were too busy being awesome at Kingdom Feast.

Scribal Guild: This has been a busy year for our Guild, helping design new charters and exploring the scribal arts. Yule will be an exciting cumulation of newly honed skills and talents with a competition. I offer a challenge to our scribes to create original designs--5x7 inch note cards for largess. The rules are simple: create an original line drawing, with manuscript reference, to duplicate for largess; copy on cardstock and paint your design. Both the original line drawing and the painted copy will be displayed at our Guild table. Last month I asked for 4 original card designs, but as all our scribes are finishing baronial work on charters, I would like to announce that only 2 designs are needed for the competition. The winner will be by popular vote, tabulated and announced at Yule Court. The grand prize will be a pennier and inkhorn (inkwell), but all participants will receive a gift for their efforts!

There will be an Ithra Scribal Class at Yule! I will be teaching a class on basic quill and reed pen making. We will also have an ink-bar and time to practice your favorite script with your new toy. Please sign up at the Ithra website: <http://www.ithra.antir.sca.org/idisplay.php?topic=classes&it=5642>

We will have scribal activities at our Baronial A&S Day Camp on Saturday November 14. I will have charter painting from 11 to 2pm with discussion on painting drapery and creating knotwork designs. Please join me, I will have reference books for quilted Celtic designs, Celtic knotwork and zoomorph designs. Ductus for Uncial script will also be available.

Textile Guild: No report at press time.

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Event Reports

Yule: Dragon's Laire Yule Feast is approaching! Dec 5 is just a few short weeks away.

The feast *and* off board is full. If you want to attend feast, let me know and we will put you on the waiting list.

It's time to send in your feast fee...either find me, Mrq. Laurellen, or Master Arontius at fighter practice or business meeting to pay. Or, mail a check for \$8 per person for the feast, made out to "Barony of Dragon's Laire – SCA Inc.", to Wendy McComb, 10131 Frontier Place NW, Silverdale, WA 98383.

Deadline for paying your feast fee is November 24 (the Tuesday before Thanksgiving). If we do not have your feast fee by that date, your space will go to the next person on the waiting list.

Countess E will post the general feast menu shortly.

The Ithra is in the process, Dame Madrun will post information on it as it becomes available.

Dame Aelianora is heading up the A&S display. Please contact her to reserve your space to display.

We will have a Heraldic Consultation Room.

Ela will have scribal activities and a scribal competition.

Dame Angharad will head up Family Activities.

And...we will have Live Music and dancing!

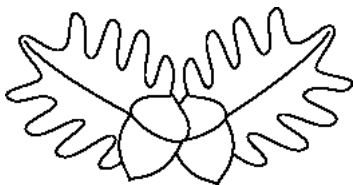
There will be both a Sock Drive and a Food Drive. We'll give a prize for the most imaginative display of socks for donation to the homeless...keep it clean!

We will have special guests...The head minister and his wife will be attending our event and be our special guests for the feast. Please make them welcome! They are really looking forward to it.

Our other special guests, of course, are the King and Queen. Now is the time to send in award recommendations! And, if you have largess to give them, it's a good time to do that too.

For the feast set-up, we will have a table reservation system. In the foyer, there will be a map of all the tables, and yellow stickies and markers. Feast-goers will be able to reserve their space by writing their names on the stickies, and placing them on the map of tables. Keep in mind, there are seven chairs to each table, and we will have to use all spaces. Please be friendly and considerate. If you know the group you want to sit with, you might want to get those names together and place them all at the same time at the tables. But, remember you may have to share your space! It's a great way to meet new people.

It promises to be a great event!



**Yule Feast
Barony of Dragon's Laire**

**December 5, 2015
Silverdale, WA (Kitsap County)**

Site: Silverdale Lutheran Church; 11701 Ridgepoint Dr NW; Silverdale, WA 98383 (driving directions are at the bottom of this event copy).

Hours: Site opens at 10AM, and closes at 10PM.

Please join Their Excellencies Conchobar and Eilidh, as well as Their Royal Majesties of An Tir, King Havordh and Queen Mary-Grace, as we celebrate the Yule Season and the end of another glorious year for the Barony.

Fees: Site fee will be \$10 per person, with youth 17 and under free. NMS of \$5 does apply for non-members. Make checks available to 'SCA, Inc.; Barony of Dragon's Laire'. There is no pre-reg for the site fee.

We will have both a sock drive and a food drive at the event, so please bring your new socks and non-perishable foods. A prize for the most unique presentation for the sock drive!

Note: This is a DRY site. Bone dry. No alcohol at all.

The Ithra schedule is done and ready. Please follow this link to the Ithra website to pre-reg: <http://www.ithra.antir.sca.org/idisplay.php?topic=classes&it=5642>. There will be registration on-site for those classes that still have openings.

The fabulous feast which will be prepared by Countess Elisabeth de Rossignol and Mistress Rafaella di Contino is now FULL. Off board space is also FULL. There are no spaces left for the Feast and off-board - but plenty of room for the event during the day! It is just the feast/off-board space that is full, with a waiting list.

If you have registered for the feast, but have had a change of plans and cannot attend, please let us know! There is a waiting list!

If you have a confirmed feast reservation, please send the Feast Fee of \$8 per person is due two weeks before the event (November 21, 2015). If the feast fee is not received by that time, we will offer the seat to the next person on the waiting list immediately! Mail feast fees made out to "Barony of Dragon's Laire – SCA Inc." to Wendy McComb, 10131 Frontier Pl. NW; Silverdale, WA 98383.

Lunch will be served which will feature soup (1 vegetarian, 1 not), homemade bread and butter (for a small fee - \$3. Exact change is greatly appreciated).

Questions regarding the feast menu are to be sent directly to the head cook, Countess Elisabeth at gulesandor@gmail.com

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Everyone is encouraged to bring your own table clothes and table decorations, to make your experience as festive as possible. The tables are round (except for head table), and will seat 7 people. Be prepared to be very friendly and share tables. The tables will not be set up until right before feast. There will be a table reservation chart in the lobby during the day before feast set up.

A three track Ithra is planned for the day, and is up on the Ithra website! Follow this link to register for the Ithra: <http://www.ithra.antir.sca.org/isplay.php?topic=classes&it=5642>

Registration will also be open the day of the event at 9:15 AM, for any classes that have space available after pre-reg.

More information can be found on the Dragon's Laire website: <http://dragonslaire.org/events/yule.php>

Event Stewards: Dame Gwenlllyn Potter and Marquessa Laurellen du Brandevin;

Contact information for the event: Gwen the Potter, gwen@dragonfirepottery.com
Phone: (360)698-5926.

Yule Feast Menu

(subject to sudden inspiration or market vagaries)

Herbed focaccia, stuffed eggs and olives

Chicken ambrogino
Rice with almonds
Onions with cinnamon

Roast pork with 3 sauces
Chickpeas with onions, apple, and sage
Carrots with greens

Almond candy
Ginger cheesecake
Marzipan dainties
Apples, pears, aged cheese



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Yule A&S Display

Remember everyone, Yule is coming up soon (the first weekend in December). And at Yule, the Dragon's Pearls are sponsoring an Arts and Sciences Display. Bring your recent projects and show them off. Type and kind don't matter, your project can be sewing, it can be woodwork, it can be metal work, it can be armor making, banner making, scribal work, anything. We want to see those projects, we'd love to learn about what you have discovered while doing 'your stuff'.

Please let me know beforehand if you are bringing something to show, so that I can make sure there is room for your display. You do not need 'documentation' unless you want to bring it. All that is really required is a 3x5 card with the project name, time period, location in period and your name (like... 'glass beads from northern England, 13th C, made by IwannaBlowGlass'. You can always add more information if you want, but it's not required.

Get in touch with me via email (my address is rgiles@centurytel.net) or via message on FB (I'm FoxDog Farm there), or in person..

Your Servant,
Aelianora de Wyntringham

Bring Socks!

We will have both a Sock Drive and Food Drive at Yule. So bring your non-perishable food donations, and for the Sock Drive...

We will have a contest for the Best Display of a Sock Donation...but keep it PG, folks! Prize for the Winner, determined by a neutral Panel of Judges (basically, whoever I can rope into it). Prize will be a piece of pottery, because, well...pottery!

I know how generous Dragon's Lair is... We've had very successful drives in the past. So we are counting on you!

See you at Yule!

Gwen "Sock Puppet" the Potter



News from An Tir Kingdom Feast & Bardic Celebration

Congratulations to **Inga Alreksdottir** and **Kloe of Thira**, who were each awarded a Goutte de Sang by the King and Queen of An Tir!

June Faire Listening Session Notes

Due to the sheer size of the document, the notes from the June Faire Advisory Committee Listening Session will be published in .pdf form as a “Flames” supplement on the baronial website.



Chronicle's Corner



Many thanks to Samantha of Blackberry Hollow, age 9, for the owl at the feast she drew for the cover this month! You want to be next? Well, if you're under 18 and can hold a pencil, I'm lookin' at you!

Grownups, what has been your most interesting experience in the SCA? Care to share it with "The Flames"?

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SCA Homepage: www.sca.org

SCA Facebook page: www.facebook.com/currentmiddleages?fref=ts

Academy of St. Gabriel (really useful name and heraldry site):

<http://www.s-gabriel.org/>

Romans of the SCA Facebook page: www.facebook.com/groups/romansofthesca/

Kingdom of An Tir Homepage: www.antir.sca.org

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Many groups within the Kingdom maintain e-mail lists; these are listed at <http://antir.sca.org/Lists/index.php>

An Tir Facebook page: www.facebook.com/groups/FriendsOfAnTir/

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