# Máenach na Cailled Barony of Dragon's Laire, An Tir

#### **Offices**

- Barony of Dragon's Laire Webminister. July, AS LI (2017) to present
  - o Rebuilt the Baronial web site twice: once to modernize our old site, and again to migrate onto Wordpress as the site migrated onto the new "antir.org" hosting
  - o Provide tech support to officers during Office 365 setup and migration
  - o Manage Baronial calendar of events
  - o Coordinate announcements with Seneschal, Social Media Officer, event stewards, etc.

#### **Events and Service**

- Culinary Guild demonstration, June Faire 2015-present
  - o Assist in preparation and presentation of various food items using medieval techniques, including cooking on an open brazier
  - o Explain techniques, ingredients, and culinary/medical traditions to modern and SCA attendees of all ages
  - o For June Faire 2018 & 2019, demonstrate and explain the production of almond milk, starting with blanched almonds and ending with finished almond milk, and encourage kids of all ages to participate in the process
- Camping coordinator, June Faire 2017
  - o Accept camping reservations by email
  - o Coordinate with campers, households, etc., when reservations are incomplete, unreasonably small or large, or otherwise require further discussion
  - o Arrange layouts for two large camping areas filled nearly to capacity while leaving room for several vigils, household parties, etc.
- General assistance, Kingdom Feast and Bardic Celebration 2015 & 2016
  - o Help meal teams with loading, unloading, and carrying
  - o Provide basic kitchen help with chopping, cleaning meat, stirring, etc.
  - o Make emergency supply runs as needed
  - o Event tear down, primarily decoration pack-up and kitchen cleaning
- Assist with setup, teardown, and cleanup of most events hosted by Dragon's Laire
  - o Load and unload vehicles, carry boxes, etc.
  - o Assist decorations team as needed (extra hands, climbing ladders, etc.)
  - o Make emergency supply runs when necessary, especially for missing feast ingredients

## **Guilds and Groups**

- Dragon's Laire Culinary and Spirit-makers Guild
- Dragon's Laire Scribal Guild (occasional)

### **Recognition and Awards**

- See also <a href="https://op.antirheralds.org/?who=9139">https://op.antirheralds.org/?who=9139</a>
- Kingdom
  - o Award of Arms: June 6, 2015 (AS L), by Savaric Coeur-de-Lion & Dalla in Fagra
- Baronial
  - o Bumblebee: December 9, 2017 (AS LII), by Conchobar MacEoin & Eilidh Keldeleth
  - o Snapdragon: February 2, 2019 (AS LIII), by Conchobar MacEoin & Eilidh Keldeleth

## Projects, Current & Future

- Webminister:
  - o Audit all factual information on the Dragon's Laire website, especially lists of award recipients.
  - o Finish migration of Dragon's Laire website to antir.org hosting & deprecate the old site
  - o Provide informal Office 365 training and tech support for officers of the Barony.
- Provide technical assistance to Culinary Guild & Scribal Guild as we make new cookbooks.
- Work with the author of DrawShield.net and various SCA heralds to create either an independent SCA-focused version of DrawShield.net or an SCA "mode" for it.

#### **Interests**

- Target archery
- Recipe redaction
- Siege cooking
- Mythological beasts
- Medieval cartography
- Languages, cultures, and religions as diverse perspectives on the world
- The development of math & science through the SCA period