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Welcome to the Windlore!



Our beloved Baroness processes proudly through Pennsic

Greetings and welcome to the September 2007 issue of the Windlore, the newsletter for the Barony of Windmasters' Hill. This newsletter is distributed primarily in an electronic format and is accessible from the website www.windmastershill.org. If you desire to be sent a hard copy of the windlore via mail, please submit a written request to the Barony by coming to a monthly Baronial Meeting or by contacting the Baronial Chronicler:

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Letter from Their Excellencies

Greetings Everyone,

With the arrival of the fall our Baronial forces have returned from the war in the north victorious. We were very proud of all of our forces and support staff as they set out to secure as many war points as possible for Their Majesties and our allies. Our heavy troupes were ferocious, crushing elite and seasoned units beneath their heals. Our rapier fighters were insatiable in their search for the enemy and our archers were some of the most accurate on any field. Not to be out done our siege engineer literally shed blood to see the enemy pushed back and her sacrifice would live on in the battle cry of the Kitty Hawks through out the war! We were especially proud that Windmasters' Baronial forces were the premier recipients of the newest kingdom award Vexilium Atlantae for their prowess on the field of battle.

The recognition from the king for our prowess made us glad, but what warmed our hearts beyond measure was to see not only our forces muster in such amazing numbers, but in seeing how many of those fighters had come back and re-authorized or had worked extra hard and made the effort to cross over from their usual activities. It made us so proud to hear it said and to say our selves that "Windmasters' is" rather than say "Windmasters' was" or "Windmasters' used to be." Your combined effort has made Windmasters' once again the rock upon which any king may rely.

But our fighters were not the only stars that shown brightly in the Pennsic sky. Our artisans did very well in the Pennsic A&S display and the Baronial encampment was filled with music and song. We were very happy to see so many members of the Barony serving the Kingdom and Barony throughout the war. Thank you all. We would especially like to thank Magy, Talento, Lyneya, Philippa, and Leonetta for all your help at Pennsic. You guys made it possible for us to be everywhere we needed to be and we couldn't have done it without you.

As Atlantians, and members of the greatest fighting force within her borders it brings us great joy to say that war will soon be upon us AGAIN, eight months of nothing now three times in three months. Sadly our Cousins in Bright Hills call to us and say that the mighty East Kingdom threatens their very borders and at the same time closer to home our cousins in Sacred Stone say that Black Diamond has made claim to land that Sacred Stone says has long been under her care. We have consulted and sadly have decided that both wars are not in our future, therefore, we have decided to put our efforts to support the event closer to home.

When we heard the war drums this close to home we sat down to hear council from both sides. Our cousins Sacred Stone did invite us to fight along side them in an effort to unite the southern baronies against the northern threat. Our cousins Black Dia mond, impressed with the prowess that the mighty Kittyhawk showed at the Pennsic War, also made good attempts to lure our us to their side so that we can fight and claim the mountains that they say should be theirs by right. After careful consideration and sampling of their offering we have decided that no one that makes mead as well as Black Diamond can be wrong. We will take up arms and fight alongside our cousins Black Diamond and to help them reclaim the land that the old king had promised them.

We know many of you are interested in discussing new event sites and Ymir bids and we would like to encourage everyone to attend the Baronial Meeting. Please remember that Buckston has graciously volunteered to host the September Baronial Meeting and we are looking forward to seeing many of you there.

-Gaston and Rosalind

OFFICER'S Letters

Chronicler's Quill

Greetings to the Great and Glorious Populace of Windmasters' Hill-

Thanks to Lady Kateryn Rous for a nifty article on less common period names. Thanks also to Lady Magy and Lady Phillipa for giving me pictures of Pennsic to post. I sincerely hope that by putting them in this Windlore I will allow those who were not able to attend Pennsic to see some of what happened and allow those who did attend to relive a fond memory or two.

I am happily accepting pictures from pennsic for future Windlores as well, so please send 'em to me.

I have one general announcement to make;

Wistric's dance of dryness does not work.

That is all.

In service, Dunstan leHeryngmongere

From the Chatelaine's Chair September 2007

I sincerely hope that everyone who attended Pennsic last month had a great time. It is definitely the signature event in this part of the world and attending is a highlight of the year for most members of the SCA.

Thinking about Pennsic and my inability to produce a letter last month has gotten me thinking about balance. The SCA can easily become an all-encompassing hobby for many of us. For a lot of people, participation in the SCA is their most significant commitment outside of family and work. It is a rewarding hobby and it seems like there is always more to do than can be done. This perception fuels a lot of the devoted service to the Society, but it can also lead to burn-out and feelings of resentment. A lot of people in the Society go through cycles of activity and inactivity. This is a natural and healthy thing.

I'm not here to lecture anyone about setting priorities. My intention is to encourage everyone to remember that the SCA is supposed to be fun. If your real life starts to get overwhelming, remember that there are other people who can and will step in to help you with your SCA responsibilities. One of the wonderful things about the Society is the support and experience provided by the members. I hope that you will tap into that support whenever you need it.

There are lots of exciting events and activities planned for the fall in and around the Barony of Windmasters' Hill. I hope to see you at some or all of them.

YIS,

Lady Eibhlin inghean ui Chiarain Chatelaine Barony of Windmaster's Hill

From the Baronial Minister of Arts and Sciences

I hope everyone had a spectacular Pennsic. Now that that frantic activity is over, we have much excitement of our own on the horizon.

One of our own, Dunstan LeHeryngmongere, is being acknowledged by the Order of the Laurel as a peer of the realm at Sacred Stone's Baronial Birthday. Heartfelt congratulations to him. Also coming up, Coronation has a number of exciting competitions. There are too many to list here, in fact.

Also, please keep an eye on the list or an ear out at your meetings...there will be a Baronial A&S day focusing on helping and educating newcomers in September. Details to come. Please contact me if you have a particular interest you would like to address or if you are interested in helping.

In Service, Jehanette de Provins

String Thing is back!

The monthly meeting of practitioners of all arts de fabrique is back in effect!

September 30th is the next meeting. Meetings typically go from 2PM to 5PM

Contact Francesca at 471 2727 for details.

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Minutes for the Baronial Meeting in August

There was no Baronial Meeting in August. There are, therefore, no minutes for the meeting that did not occur in August. New business was not discussed. Old business was not debated. The canton seneschals were rumored to be involved in a highly competitive game of naked coed bocci. But that turned out to be just a rumor.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Here are events that are in the area, nearby or that might be of interest. Any item listed with a *** is NOT an official SCA event.

September

The Coronation of Logan and Rowan will be in Haymarket, VA the weekend of August 31-September 2nd

Celtic Cattle Raids has been cancelled and there is no event on september 22-24th. However, there is one heckuva fighter practice going on all weekend. See the announcement on this page for Attila the party.***

October

War of the Wings II will provide our faire barony with yet another chance to go to War with Sacred Stone. October 12th, in Booneville, NC

Fall University will be on October 20th in Amelia, VA.

Attila the Party

THIS IS NOT AN SCA EVENT

IT IS A VERY EXTENDED FIGHTER PRACTICE

September 21-23, 2007

Carolina Horse Farm

Near Raeford. NC

Boredom beware! Cower before the might of Attila the Party!

The Canton of Attilium will be extending its weekly fighter practice for the weekend of September 21-23 to an entire weekend's worth of fun and fighting. We will begin Friday night around 5:00 PM and conclude on Sunday when everything is cleaned up.

Our hosts are the fine folks of Carolina Horse Farm. This facility is located near Raeford, NC. It is a working horse farm. There are bathroom facilities (including showers) and running water at the stables. We will also be getting some porta-potties for additional comfort. Well tended ground fires will be allowed and attendees are encouraged to camp. Food will not be provided, so be sure to bring your own. The site is discreetly wet. Everyone is also encouraged to wear garb!

On Saturday, we will be holding our fighter practice and featuring armored and rapier melee. We will also have some A&S classes and workshops on camping related and newcomers related topics. On Saturday night we'll have music and dancing for anyone who is interested.

Everyone is invited to come and camp and share our fellowship. This would be a good opportunity to practice for War of the Wings. If you have any questions, please contact Oissene/Jay Ozment dementoj at myembarqmail dot com or Eibhlin/Jenn Kuntz moosewinkel at hotmail dot com

Directions and other info will be posted to the Keep and attached to the Calendar of Events.

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The list of quotes from Pennsic was compiled by myself, Dunstan leHeryngmongere, and I denied myself permission to print them but went ahead with it anyway.

For details, contact Keith Nealson at rangernealson at aol.com or 919678-0118





Rosalind and Guinevre

Directions to get to the next Baronial Meeting:

The next Baronial meeting is currently scheduled for 7:30 pm on September 18th at the Buckston meeting. This is the Pilgrim United Church of Christ located at 3011 Academy Road, Durham, NC 27707. Take I-40 to exit 270 (which is US 15-501). Take 15-501 North (away from Chapel Hill) for about three miles, following 15 business route (BR) when it splits from 15 Bypass. Turn right onto NC 751/Academy road. The church is almost immediately on the left.

In service, Dunstan LeHeryngmongere

The Baronial Contact List is waiting for you to make it bigger and better!

If you want to be one of the cool people, one of the networkers, one of the people who can actually be found in this crazy web-wise world, then go to the website

http://www.sinister.net/wh/wh
phone.htm
and let your info be known.
Many thanks to Master
Corwyn for putting it
together!

Some Less Familiar Elizabethan Names

Submitted by Kateryn Rous, herald at large

For those in search of a persona name (and for the idle amusement of others) here are some documentable English personal and surnames that struck my fancy. All are given in their original spelling. Page numbers refer to their appearance in *The Norwich Survey of the Poor 1570* (Norfolk Records Society vol. 40, edited by John Pound).

Come on, you want to be called Rosemond Bongey, you know you do...

Women's First Names	Men's First Names	Surnames
Annor (56)	Ambrose (89)	Acres (41)
Annys (88)	Awsten (75)	Beaver (30)
Audri (31)	Jherhom (29)	Bloker (26)
Avis (40)	Launcelot, Lancelot (70,71)	Bongey (43)
Benet (38,72)	Myhell (24)	Bundi (24)
(this is also a surname)		
Blythe (81)	Newel (78)	Dam (32)
Chrysten, Chrystian (34,44)	Quytyn (93)	Fen (29)
Crystobel (40)	Rosemond (48)	Glofer (26)
Curstance (30)	(yes, I'm sure it's a guys name)	Gose (36)
Emani (57)	Umphri (69)	Goslyng (28)
Eme, Emie (34,48)	Valentine (30)	Huggen (40)
Ezarde (63)		Hyll (36)
Fisdonia (58)		Lamas (29)
Hester (88)		Leche
Lettes (49)		Leke (30)
Miriel (25)		Love (39)
Olyve (91)		Malerd (36)
Philis (60)		Moulson (41)
Pleasance (32) also a surname		Mydelton (28)
Rebecka (34)		Onyons (38)
Thannzen (54)		Polter (26)
Thamison (62)		Rushbrok (38)
Wybrow (58)		Skyven (38)
		Starkyn (36)
		Tittle (30)
		Warloo (30)
		Whayberde (25)
		Wyse (30)

Editor's Note: Thanks very much to Lady Kateryn Rous for this excellent and informative list of names. It is interesting to note that if you take just about any first name from this list and add it to just about any surname on this list you are likely to have a name befitting characters in Harry Potter books. Go ahead, give it a shot . . . Audri Acres, second year hufflepuff with bad skin blemishes. Fisdonia Rushbrok, witch specializing in diseases of the less common shrubberies. Umphri Onyons, assistant skrewt keeper. Don't even get me started on Pleasance Beaver . . .

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Windmasters' Hill Baronial Calendar for September 2007

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 Coronation of Logan and Rowan Haymarket, VA
2 Attilium Practice (H) 1pm (JO) Elvegast Practice 1pm (CK)	3 Kappellenberg Meeting 7:30 pm (NS)	4 Buckston Prac (5:00) Meeting (7:30) (JK)	5 Nimenfeld Prac (7pm) (AR)	6 Elv Business 7:30 (AS)	7	8
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16 Attilium Practice (H) 1pm (JO) Elvegast Practice 1pm (CK)	17 Kappellenberg Meeting 7:30 pm (NS)	Buckston Prac (5:00) Meeting (7:30) (JK) BARONIAL MTG Will be held there	19 Nimenfeld Prac (7pm) (AR)	20 Elv Business 7:30 (AS) Kberg Ftr (5:30-rapier) (7:30- Heavy) (PM)	21	22
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This is a very basic calendar.

PLEASE NOTE:

A much more detailed one can be found at : http://sca.housebayard.net/calendar.htm

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Rise up Kittyhawks!

Magnus prepares to take the red belt from Sir Falcone. Vivant to them both!

"Once I take the helmet off, I just can't do a thing with my hair!"

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Do Fries come with that shake?

Sometimes when we touch the honesty's too much.



Rapier fighters, enjoying a rare moment of non-raininess on the field.

Pix from Pennsic XXXVI

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Approximately 5 minutes into her first battle as an authorized siege weapons combatant our own Mistress Ysolt was wounded with a blow to the finger and had to leave the field injured.

'By Ysolt's Wounded Finger' was a rallying cry for the Kittyhawks from then on.





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Quotable Quotes from the Pennsic Encampment

below is a list of quotes I gathered while camped in the Baronial Encampment. Names of the actual speakers have been withheld to protect the innocent. Who am I kidding, these people aren't innocent . . . but guilty people need protection, too! -Dunstan

"Dunstan, you have to hang around long enough to see the woman we purchased in action"

"It is conceivably possibly that the last 2 or 3 or even 7 beers I drank last night were not necessary for my health and well being."

"She churns too hard. It makes the crème come out the hole. I'm talking about butter, you sicko."

"I had to lube up to get this garb on. How did it find a place to enter?"

"What is Lucia's superpower? She can do ANYTHING with a ruler! ANYTHING!"

"I think that it is gross that you would pierce any body part that already leaks. It's so messy"

"I can tell you all about it, because I am the KINKY LIBRARIAN"

"Hey . . . there's a naked dude rubbing my wife . . ."

"Repeat after me . . . My penis is not a bookmark . . . My penis is not a bookmark"

"This is the nastiest drink I have ever tasted. It has no redeeming quality whatsoever. It has a flavor that is a combination of essence of jockstrap and liquid sweaty butt crack. Wanna try some?"

(In answer to the above question) "Sure, why not . . . I'm a Scadian . . . "

"Thank you, Wistric, for that lovely interpretive dance. My last pair of dry pants is now wet, because I have soiled myself."

"I've been brilliantly funny the entire war and now that you pulled that recorder out I can't think of anything to say"

