

# From the Tower



War Scenario at Canterbury Faire AS XLIV

**Barony of Southron Gaard**

May AS XLV (2010)



# Chronic Ramblings

## Email Subscriptions for FTT are now available

Happy SCA New Year! I hope A.S. XLV will be good to you.

The New Year is always a good time to take stock of the previous year and to think about what is coming up. It is also an excellent moment to investigate those unfinished projects hiding at the back of the cupboard (yes Angus, I might have a few...) or tackle something new.

Maybe it is the year to tackle that fabulous but complicated piece of garb or explore a new area of the SCA such as heavy or archery.

It could also be the year to write that article for FTT or Steward that event you've been contemplating for some months

Whatever A.S. XLV brings for you I hope you further your adventure into The Dream and you continue to enjoy life in Southron Gaard

En servizio

**Elisabetta Foscari**



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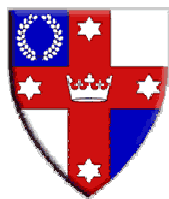
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# Kingdom of Lochac



**King & Queen:** Bran and Lilya

Please send award recommendations to [crown@sca.org.au](mailto:crown@sca.org.au) with a courtesy copy to [bandb@sg.sca.org.nz](mailto:bandb@sg.sca.org.nz)  
Additional information can be found on the Kingdom website: [www.sca.org.au/Lochac](http://www.sca.org.au/Lochac)



## Their Excellencies Speak

From the ramparts of Foxe Lodge, Christopher and Clare send greetings,

Christopher is taking a break from writing this month's missive and so I have stepped into the role. To all you who know that Christopher is not well, we are pleased to report the Physicians have pronounced him fit and able to take up his regular activities again.

To all those who attended and participated in Our Baronial Anniversary, in whatever task or service you provided, We thank you.

Now that we have started a new Baronial Year it is indeed encouraging to note we have events being discussed for many of the months of our calendar year!

Huzzuh!

It is the diversity of our populaces' ideas in creating events for all interests that gives Southron Gaard its unique standing within Locharc. You all are to be congratulated for the time

and effort you put into our events.

On that note, we look forward to our next ~~Courtesy~~ Quarterly day!

Yours in Service,

**Clare and Christopher**

Baron and Baroness of Southron Gaard

## Images from Baronial Anniversary



Cornucopia on Top Table



Top Table





## Seneschal's Comments

Greetings unto the populace and Their Excellencies

Hello. I hope this finds you all well.

BA was a fine success, I understand. I hope everyone enjoyed themselves. I was only able to get there for the cleanup and thanks to those who stayed behind to help. I have a tentative suggestion for new people who are keen to help, but who are unsure about how. They think they might not know enough to take up an office, or steward an event. And it can be a daunting prospect to do these things. We are short of applicants for officers and to steward. But we are also always short of people to help cleanup after events – it's always a case of the more

the merrier! Dishes, floors, toilets – any new person can do these without having to know the ins and outs of Corpora. It also frees up people with experience who know where everything goes to sort and return stuff to the baronial kitchen supplies and trailer, for instance. And everyone respects someone who's prepared to get their hands dirty, especially if you're a newcomer. They are the ones who make events happen. You will be remembered.

Also – if I am not mistaken, Her Excellency Katherine Kerr has won the kingdom A&S championship. Congratulations to Her

Excellency. I encourage all those of you out there with artisan skills to compete at the kingdom level – put your barony on the map.

At the same time, I also entreat those who compete at kingdom level, whether in fighting or in the Arts and Sciences, to enter competitions at the baronial level as well. The fields are not very large, and they could always do with more entrants!

In Service,

Oswyn Carolus

Seneschal of Southron Gaard

## CANTERBURY FAIRE

Stewarding Canterbury Faire is a huge, but rewarding undertaking.

So, step up and seize this opportunity to run *the* premiere SCA camping event in New Zealand

**Don't cut your preparation time short, bid now!**

Information on stewarding and bidding for baronial events can be found at: <http://sg.sca.org.nz/stewards>

## Introducing New Officers

### Lady Amalie von Brisache – Arts and Science Officer

I am Amalie von Brisache, your new Arts and Sciences Officer. In Southron Gaard we have a long tradition of excellence and enthusiasm in the arts and sciences, and I hope that I can help fuel that over the coming two years.

The most visible and ongoing part of my role will be to co-ordinate Stuff Night and Seamster's each week. If there is something you would like to see happen at Stuff Night please let me know. Likewise, if you would like to host Seamsters one month I would love to

hear from you.

Part of the role of the A&S Officer is to help people with common interests in the arts and sciences to find one another. If you have an interest in a particular activity but don't know who out there you can talk to, let me know and I will endeavour to find out for you, whether within the Barony or further afield.

A word on the Baronial A&S competition: you do not have to wait for next year's Baronial Anniversary to enter! Entries can be accepted

and judged at any time throughout the year. The scores from each individual's three best entries will be used to determine next year's champion.

If you have anything you would like to discuss with me, whether it be a project you're looking for guidance on or plans for an event with an A&S component, please do not hesitate to do so.

**Amalie von Brisache**

Baronial Arts and Science Officer

## Support Southron Gaard

Our Barony is one with a long and proud tradition. Be part of this tradition and support the Barony by contributing to more than just event attendance statistics.

- ♦ Hold an office
- ♦ Become a Deputy Officer
- ♦ Steward an event
- ♦ Help someone else make an event happen
- ♦ Contribute to FTT
- ♦ Teach a class at Stuff Night
- ♦ Take part in one or more of the Baronial Championship Tournaments

Help ensure the Barony stands tall and strong while developing a greater personal understanding of all aspects of the Society for Creative Anachronism and Barony of Southron Gaard.

**“Long May She Stand”**

## Lord Geoffrey Fitzwilliam – Captain of Archers



Unto the populace of Southron Gaard,

Mendchilgee ; Greetings

Having just stepped up at Baronial anniversary as the new Captain of Archers, I wished to introduce myself to the populace in this month's FTT. I am Geoffrey fitz William, and for me it is the 12<sup>th</sup> century and the Golden Horde races across Europe building Genghis Khan's great empire. I am a Norman who was lured by the promises of riches to be won in the Far East, made my way to the court of the Khan and joined in his service, adopting the customs and dress of the Mongol people.

I first became interested in archery a couple of years ago at a "give it a go" session at Canterbury Faire. Thanks to the enthusiasm of our local archers, specifically Lord Darius J'fa and Lord Ronan Mac Brian, I began to learn more of this martial art and became a regular at our weekly practice.

As the new Captain of Archers, I hope to continue the fine traditions of our Barony, and encourage any and all who would consider taking the line. Archery is a great activity, as participation is open to all ages. As we head into the winter months, keep an eye on the mailing

lists regarding outdoor practices (here's keeping our fingers crossed for good weather!) or indoor archery workshops. If you are an archer, and would like to teach a workshop, from how to maintain your bow to how to fletch arrows, please drop me a line.

Yours in service,

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

**Lord Geoffrey fitz  
William**

Captain of Archers

### **New Chatelaine**

Congratulations to Lady Chunegund Screivogelin who has been appointed the new Chatelaine. She will do a fine job in recruiting and supporting new members.



## News from Festival

### P.O.P. at Rowany Festival

Lady Isolde Guistiniani

While attending festival, I discovered a group that I was quite taken with.

P.O.P (Partners of Peers) - The group originated from the partners of those who have peerages in the SCA, realising that often they would be required to attend SCA events early, stay late or indeed find themselves quite alone at events while their partner ran around attending meetings and to peer business. So the group was formed to acknowledge this and hold supportive discussions.

"Brilliant!" I thought and headed along. In the tent, was a small jovial group of individuals who quickly embarked on conversations about old peers, new peers and those in the making. We talked about humorous events and serious stuff. We had a special guest who was an offspring of a peer, who was just over one years of age, we eagerly consulted him on important kingdom matters and drew off his wisdom in response to issues discussed. Problem is, I can't quite remember the content as I soon discovered after the group had consumed four litres of Cosmopolitan and five bottles of wine, that it was actually a drinking group! Oh well! I hope to attend next year.

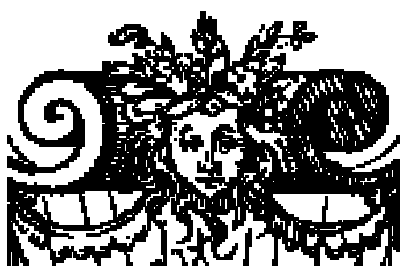


### Vitale's War

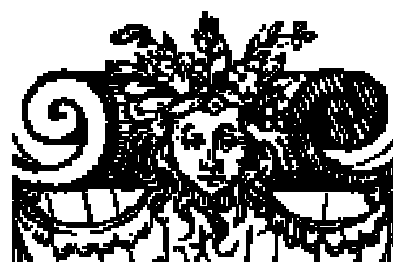
Sir Vitale Guistiniani

Golly Gosh - There I was.

The Rowany Festival woods battles had progressed throughout the day, through the tulgey-wood until the two shield walls formed up on the green-sward at the far end of the fighting area. With a great roar, the two sides clashed, shield against shield, sword against sword. Armed only with a pike I was stationed on our sides far left flank, a small unit then rushed forward and pressed our left flank. Wheeling to meet them a furious melee ensued. The tide of battle swept me towards the rear of the fighting area as I faced off against a pair of opponents, I was lucky against the first and after some short time I was finally able to sneak my pike in on his erstwhile companion. I turned around to find the rest of my side, slain. House Descartes were arrayed around me, resplendent in matching black crusader helms and surcoats. As the battle was clearly near it's finish, a call went up. Is there anyone left alive on the opposing side? "I am", I cried and the entire force of Descartes and their allies turned their steely gaze upon me. I braced myself, pike held steadfastly in front. They paused in the instant before rushing forth to glory and ... 'tink!' I looked down at the arrow that had just stuck my chest...



# Yule



Where: The Crown Masonic Centre – 74 Worthsworth St, Sydenham

Date: Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> June (provisional).

Timing: Site opens in the afternoon for games and closes late after the feast in the evening

Prices: \$22 for adults for full event, \$11 for children 12 and under.  
(Those wanting to just come for the games afternoon should contact the Stewards

Bookings open: 10 May

Contact Lady Maheshti al-Barran at: [agate.mps@gmail.com](mailto:agate.mps@gmail.com)

Come celebrate Yule with some tasty German food and play some Yule time games!





# Mind Your Manners

## A column to address matters of etiquette and fine manners

Court is one of our SCA traditions that can seem like a minefield of elaborate faux-pas just waiting to catch out unwary newcomers. This really is not the case. To help allay the fears of those who are not familiar with Court, we are devoting Mind Your Manners to the topic.

### *What is a Court?*

Court is the ceremonial backbone to our Society. Royal Court is, for example, where Their Majesties can conduct the business of the Kingdom, such as Crowning the new King and Queen, investing Their Champions or Officers, announcing changes to Kingdom Law, honouring Their Populace (by expressing thanks or conferring awards etc), receiving presentations from Their Populace and more. By Their gracious permission, Court is also an opportunity for people such as the Stewards and Officers to make relevant announcements.

### *What is a Baronial Court?*

A Baronial Court is where Their Excellencies, in Their role as Representatives of Their Royal Majesties, conduct Baronial business. Such business might include investing Their Baronial Champions or Officers, giving out Baronial awards and so forth.

### *Why attend Court?*

There are many reasons, including: it shows respect for the Society, the Kingdom, the Crown and the Populace; important information regarding the Kingdom or event may be announced, and; a friend may be called forward to receive

an award, which you would like to be there to witness

### *What do I do in the Audience?*

Your best guides will be the old hands around you, so follow their cues. You may also like to read

*Mind Your Manners* in the June 2008 issue of FTT. However, the following is brief overview of what you can expect.

### *Before Court*

Endeavour to get settled before Court is scheduled to begin. This may involve bringing a seat with you. If Court is expected to be unusually long / hot / cold etc, do bring any necessary supplies. (For example: a goblet of water, a fan, a cloak or a quiet toy for your child etc.)

### *When Their Majesties Arrive*

Most courts begin with a procession and when Their Majesties arrive at the location, the populace will stand. At the point where Their Majesties reach the row behind you, it is considered courteous to bow (or curtsey) as a demonstration of respect. Repeat this courtesy for any additional Royals or Territorial Heads of Baronies who also process it.

You should then remain standing until TRM's give permission to be seated.

Don't worry too much, just follow the cues of those around you.

### *During Court*

During Court is behoves all to pay attention to the proceedings and participate where appropriate e.g. the cheers. ("Hip Hip" cried by the Herald, and then the populace response of "Huzzah"). If you find it necessary to comment to your friends, do keep any commentary short, quiet and discreet.

There may also be times when you will find it is necessary to leave before Court is ended. If this is likely, try to be seated near a discreet exit before court begins, and to leave without causing a disturbance. Simply stand, move to the side, bow or curtsey, and leave. You do not need to ask for permission.

### *When Court Finishes*

At the end of Court Their Majesties will give the populace leave to go about their business. This permission may be given at the end of business, or after Their Majesties have processed out of Court. If it is the latter, the populace will stand and again bow/curtsey as the Royal Presence passes by.

Please note that although this column speaks in terms of Royal Courts and the King and Queen, it is also directly applicable to Courts held by the Prince and Princess of Lochac or territorial Barons and Baronesses.

These are *provisional minutes* of the most recent council meeting. These minutes have been edited for space and have not been accepted as a true and accurate record of the meeting. Send any corrections to the Baronial Seneschal.

# Southron Gaard Council Meeting

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> April 2010

**PRESENT:** Oswyn (Carl), Richard (Richard), Geoffrey (Andrew), Isabel Maria (Miriam), Calach (Bevan), Chunegunde (Joanna), Wei (David), Emilio (Ed), Elisabetta (Josie), Angus (Allan), Amalie (Amy), Maheshti (Agate), Robert (Phil)

**APOLOGIES:** Christopher (Dorian), Clare (Marian), Daid (David), Ginevra (Beth) Antonia (Colleen)

**MEETING OPENED:** 7:30pm

**LAST MINUTES:** Accepted

## OFFICER REPORTS:

**Seneschal (Oswyn):** Correspondence with Kingdom Seneschal, Kingdom Rapier Marshal, Baron & Baroness, Reve, Lists, Marshal, Crescents (past & present), a Journalism student, a TV presenter (see general business), HG Alfar, Chronicler, and various members of the populace regarding possible TV demo. Attended the BA cleanup.

**Reeve (Ginevra):** Account balances:

Holding Account: \$ 3,207.16

Clearing Account: \$13,887.57 including:

- ❑ CF 08 Fighter Auction: \$166.33 (released to general funds)
- ❑ CF 09 Archer Auction: \$327.00 (earmarked for loaner bows)
- ❑ CF 10 Fighter Auction: \$738.00 (earmarked for kitchen equipment)
- ❑ CF 10 Bardic Auction: \$310.00 (earmarked for Half Circle Theatre)

Outstanding Amounts: \$11,000.00 cheque for CF site fee, still unrepresented.

Domesday Report to be published in May FTT.

**Herald (Callum):** No Report

**Marshal (Raffe):** No Report

**Rapier Marshal (Ginevra):** Practices continue on Sunday and Tuesday. Applications have closed for successor, with one application. Thanks to everyone for all the help, and making it as much fun as it's been.

**Captain of Archers (Geoffrey):** Stepped up at BA. Archery took a break over Easter. Plans: will hold workshops during winter bad weather, e.g. making banners and flags to mark shooting range, making combat blunts (re Lord Luan's CF donation & challenge). Also need right hand bows for loaner gear (see general business).

**Arts & Sciences (Amalie):** Stepped up at BA. Helped judge the Baronial A&S championship at BA. Have introduced myself to KmoAS.

**Chronicler (Elisabetta):** FTT sent to subscribers & uploaded on 31 March 2010. Correspondence with: Seneschal re Officer Vacancy ads, contributors re articles, Webscribe re fixing the tracker site. Other Business: Deadline for May is 4pm, 23 April (week later than in FTT). Do we want copies of FTT for the April Tournament? If so, ideas on cheap places to print? Discussion ensued on a specialty recruitment publication "Welcome to the SCA". Chronicler to liaise with Chatelaine. Printstop (Armagh St) recommended by Isabel Maria based on CF booklet publication.

**Webwrite (Antonia):** No report.

**Chatelaine (Chunegunde):** Several newcomers from a family, doing rapier, dance and attended BA. Two sets of garb loaned (1 returned, 1 to come). Have organised people to hand out flyers at the Tournament of Roses, and dancers for possible TV demo. Chasing up fliers, should have details for approval by next council meeting. Received a request re attending a School camp – the day before the camp. Declined request. The school may be having a medieval fair in the future.

**Quartermaster (Angus):** Took gear out to & back from BA. Planning a tidy up of storage and gear. Discussing requirements for Tournament of Roses with Richard.

**Lists (Emilio):** BA lists details passed on to Kingdom. Thanks to Ginevra & James who ran lists on the day.

## EVENT REPORTS/UPDATES

BARONIAL ANNIVERSARY (27-8 March, Elisabetta & Angus). 72 people attended. Profit of \$515.44.

TOURNAMENT OF THE ROSES (24 April, Richard). Reasonable number of fighters. Formulating a wet weather plan. No changes to budget. No idea of attendance.

YULE (last weekend of June, Maheshti). Simple, hearty feast with board games at the Masonic Lodge (Sydenham). Amalie to cook. Break-even at 40 attendees, capped at 60. Bid approved (moved Elisabetta, seconded Richard, passed)

TAVERN REVEL Revel (Early July, Isabel Maria). Informal fund raising event at the Riccarton Scout Hall. Food & drink for "purchase", various entertainments on offer (board games, singing, dancing, etc) and more. Break-even at 32 attendees. Bid approved (moved Emilio, seconded Agate, passed) Bid since withdrawn to avoid splitting attendance.

COLLEGIUM (14 August, Elisabetta). Inexpensive event, site shopping. To bid next month.

WINTER BASH (winter, Emilio). Possibility of a fighting based fund raising event. Lots of fighting, and a hearty winter lunch.

#### **GENERAL BUSINESS:**

TV/CRUSADERS DEMO(unspecified date): Toa TV (most popular program on Maori TV) takes a Crusader to a different community group each month – want to bring Isaac Ross and another to an SCA practice. Date dependent on home games etc. Plans: Heavy Fighting - Vitale & Tycho, Rapier – pass (doesn't translate to TV), Dance – probably not (test?), Food – period nibbles, Other activities in background. Decorate site with obvious SG heraldry, large poster, possibly personal heraldry too. Organise graphics for inclusion in onscreen banners. Garb – Ross is 6'7". ACTION: watch show on Thursday evening.

CANTERBURY FAIRE DATES: 2011: 29/1 – 6/2 available - acceptable. 2012: have another booking they want us to work around (Fri 3/2 – Sun 5/2) leaving Fri 27/1 – Fri 3/2 or Sun 5/2 – Sun 12/2. Waitangi Day is Mon 6/2. Sat 3/2 – Sun 12/2 preferred dates for CF 2012. Site will not set prices until about June the year

before and cannot set discount as attendance fluctuates too much across event. Seneschal to contact and express we would like recognition of our recurring booking and work onsite so that a fixed price could be used to appeal to our membership and achieve more consistent attendance.

HALL OPTIONS: Oswyn or some kind person he inveigles into the job will ring and confirm prices. Richard suggested venue for Council Meetings only.

LOANER BOW: Money was raised in Archery Auction at CF 09. Geoffrey to price right handed bows for loaner gear. Aiming to purchase before CF 2011.

KITCHEN GEAR: Money raised in Heavy Auction at CF 10. Elisabetta suggests smaller plastic containers for storing kitchen equipment (currently too heavy and unwieldy for safety) in addition to inventory and discussion with cooks. Moved Calach, seconded Isabel Maria, passed.

CF AUCTION FUNDS: Richard suggests that funds from CF Auctions should be spent on the specified project within 12 months, and the purchases announced at the following CF. Also, that any funds above the amount spent be moved into General Funds. May require announcement to that effect at Auction. Moved Richard, seconded Emilio, passed.

FIRST AID COURSE: Lucia, a professional first aid & Health and Safety trainer is offering substantially discounted First Aid courses. 16 hours for \$36, additional cost for NZQA certificate. Ideal for marshals and fighters etc. Only 6 spaces available per course.

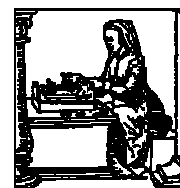
MINUTES PUBLICATION: Emilio requested that minutes be sent out via email quickly as waiting for FTT takes too long. Some discussion regarding publishing un/approved minutes. Angus suggested unapproved minutes go out on email asap, and then approved minutes are published in FTT. Moved Calach, seconded Maheshti, passed.

**MEETING CLOSED:** 9:25pm



## Congratulations

To Mistress Katherine Kerr



The new Kingdom Arts and Sciences Champion

**Huzzah!**

# May 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2 Fight Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	3	4 Dance Practice Rapier Practice*	5	6 Southern Swans N.E. Dance	7 <b>MAY CROWN</b> (ROWANY)	8 <b>MAY CROWN</b> (ROWANY)
9 <b>MAY CROWN</b> (ROWANY) <b>In Southron Gaard</b> Fight Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	10	11 <b>CRUSADERS</b> <b>DEMO (possible date)</b> Dance Practice Rapier Practice*	12	13 Southern Swans N.E. Dance	14	15
16 Fight Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	17	18 <b>Council Meeting</b> <b>Stuff Night</b> Rapier Practice*	19	20 Southern Swans N.E. Dance	21 <i>FTT submission deadline</i>	22
23 Fight Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	24	25 Dance Practice Rapier Practice*	26	27	28	29
30 Fight Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	31	June 1	June 2	June 3	June 4	June 5

## Events Needing Stewards

Run the sort of events you want to attend!



### How About a...

- Ball** - Winter is the season...
- Collegium** - learn new stuff
- Feast** - fine food and fine clothes
- Revel** - less formal than a feast
- Tourney** - heavy and / or rapier
- Archery Contest** - target or clout
- Camping Event** - tents or bunks



# June 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7 Fight Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	8	9 Council Meeting Rapier Practice*	10	11 Southern Swans N.E. Dance	12	13
14 Fight Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	15	16 Dance Practice Rapier Practice*	17	18 Southern Swans N.E. Dance	19 FTT submission deadline	20
21 Fight Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	22	23 Stuff Night Rapier Practice*	24	25 Southern Swans N.E. Dance	26	27  Yule
28 Fight Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	29	30 Dance Practice Rapier Practice*	July 1	July 2	July 3	July 4

## MARTIAL PRACTICES

**Heavy Fighters' Practice\***  
Sundays from 10am–noon.  
New location under  
investigation – see mailing list

**Fighters' Practice.\*** — Wed  
from 6-8pm off Jasmine Place,  
Wigram (in hiatus over winter)

**Rapier Practice\*** — Sundays  
from noon behind the library in  
Barrington Park, or nearby.

**Rapier Practice\*** — Tuesdays  
from 7:30pm. Methodist Hall,  
corner Clarence and Nelson  
Streets. Gold coin 1<sup>st</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>  
tues.

**Archery\*** — on fine Sundays  
from 1pm at Kirkwood  
Intermediate, (use Kirkwood  
Avenue entrance).  
Email: [archers@sg.sca.org.nz](mailto:archers@sg.sca.org.nz)

## ARTS GATHERINGS

**Stuff Night** — from 7:30pm on the  
third Tuesday of the month.  
Methodist Hall, corner Clarence  
and Nelson streets. Topics or  
projects to be announced on SG  
list.

**Dance** — from 7:30pm on  
Tuesdays (8:15 after Council  
Meeting). Methodist Hall, corner  
Clarence and Nelson streets.

**Seamsters Guild** — from 7:30pm  
on fourth Tuesday of the month.  
Location to be advised on SG list  
each month.

**Southern Swans** (Singing  
Practice) — from 7:30 every  
Thursday. Location to be advised  
on SG list each week.  
Email: [singing@sg.sca.org.nz](mailto:singing@sg.sca.org.nz)

**Near Eastern Dance Practice**  
— from 6:30pm Thursdays.  
Gold Coin. Watch the list for  
more

**Mini-Ball** — from 7:30, first  
Tuesday of the month. (Garb  
optional, bring potluck nibbles  
and a gold coin)

**Carousing Night** — from  
7:30pm on first Thursday of the  
month. Location to be advised  
on SG list each month

## ORGANISATIONAL MEETING

**Council Meeting** — from  
7:30pm on the second  
Tuesday of each month.  
Methodist Hall, corner  
Clarence and Nelson streets.

*All welcome.*



# Southron Gaard Regnum

(Being a list of the current Baronial Officers and their official email addresses)

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<b>Chronicler:</b>	Elisabetta Foscari	<a href="mailto:chronicler@sg.sca.org.nz">chronicler@sg.sca.org.nz</a>
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<b>Quartermaster:</b>	Angus de Sommerville	<a href="mailto:quartermaster@sg.sca.org.nz">quartermaster@sg.sca.org.nz</a>
<b>Constable:</b>	vacant ( <i>Replacement Sought</i> )	<a href="mailto:constable@sg.sca.org.nz">constable@sg.sca.org.nz</a>
<b>Webscribe:</b>	Antonia di Benedetto Calvo	<a href="mailto:web@sg.sca.org.nz">web@sg.sca.org.nz</a>
<b>Captain of Archers:</b>	Geoffrey Fitzwilliam	<a href="mailto:archers@sg.sca.org.nz">archers@sg.sca.org.nz</a>
<b>Captain of Rapier:</b>	Ginevra Isabella di Serafina Visconti ( <i>Replacement Sought</i> )	<a href="mailto:rapier@sg.sca.org.nz">rapier@sg.sca.org.nz</a>
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## Coming Events

### Near & Far



#### May Crown

Barony of Rowany,  
7-9 May 2010

For chivalry, honour and the  
Crown of Lochac.

<http://rowany.sca.org.au>



#### Midwinter Coronation

Barony of Ildhafn,  
10-11 July 2010

Book soon!

[http://www.ildhafn.sca.org.nz/  
MidwinterCoronation2010](http://www.ildhafn.sca.org.nz/MidwinterCoronation2010)



#### November Crown

Barony of Aneala,  
5-7 November 2010

See who will become the  
next King of Lochac?

<http://aneala.sca.org.au/>

## SCA Mailing Lists

Keep up to date with SCAdian happenings throughout Lochac and augment your participation with email:

Southron Gaard Announcements (SGannounce), Southron Gaard Discussions (SGdiscuss) and the NZ-wide email list (Althing) can all be accessed from: <http://www.sca.org.nz/mailman/listinfo/>

Lochac Announcements (Lochac-Announce) and Lochac Discussion i.e. the Shambles (Lochac) can be accessed from: <http://www.sca.org.au/mailman/listinfo/>

## Officer Vacancies

Comprehensive position outlines for each office are available on the Barony of Southron Gaard Website at <http://southrongaard.sca.org.nz/regnum.htm> under "Officer

### Baronial & a Deputy CONSTABLE

The Baronial Constable responsible for event safety and security as well as looking after the lost property.

If you are interested in taking this role please review the job outline for the Constable on the Southron Gaard website at <http://sg.sca.org.nz/docs/OfficerDescriptions.doc>

Email your application to:  
[seneschal@sg.sca.org.nz](mailto:seneschal@sg.sca.org.nz) &  
[bandb@sg.sca.org.nz](mailto:bandb@sg.sca.org.nz)

**Applications must be submitted by May 31<sup>st</sup>**



### Baronial CHIRURGEON

Applications for the position of Baronial Chirurgeon are open.

The Chirurgeon is a first-aid volunteer for the Barony.

If you are interested in taking this role please view the Kingdom Chirurgeon webpage:

<http://www.sca.org.au/chirurgeon/>

A job description for the office is available on the Southron Gaard website:  
<http://sg.sca.org.nz/regnum.htm>

In order to be accepted as an Apprentice Chirurgeon, a candidate must apply to the Kingdom Chirurgeon in writing.

The application must include:

- a statement of desire from the candidate to become an Apprentice Chirurgeon;
- proof of current first-aid certification or acceptable equivalent;
- proof of CPR certification;
- proof of age of majority;
- the candidate's SCA name, legal name, address, and telephone number; and
- proof of membership in the SCA.

Email your application to:  
[chirurgeon@sca.org.au](mailto:chirurgeon@sca.org.au)

with copies to:  
[seneschal@sg.sca.org.nz](mailto:seneschal@sg.sca.org.nz)  
and  
[bandb@sg.sca.org.nz](mailto:bandb@sg.sca.org.nz)

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## SCA (NZ) Inc. Membership

There are two different types of membership available to event participants in New Zealand:

### Subscribing Membership:

grants full rights of participation in the SCA (including voting, entering Crown Tournaments, holding office and affiliate membership with overseas branches).

Subscribing membership also includes a subscription to Pegasus, the Lochac Kingdom Newsletter in either electronic or paper form.

1 Year with E-Pegasus \$ 15.00  
3 Years with E-Pegasus \$ 30.00

1 Year with Pegasus \$ 45.00  
3 years with Pegasus \$105.00

### Event Membership:

for all non-members aged 18 years or over attending an event.

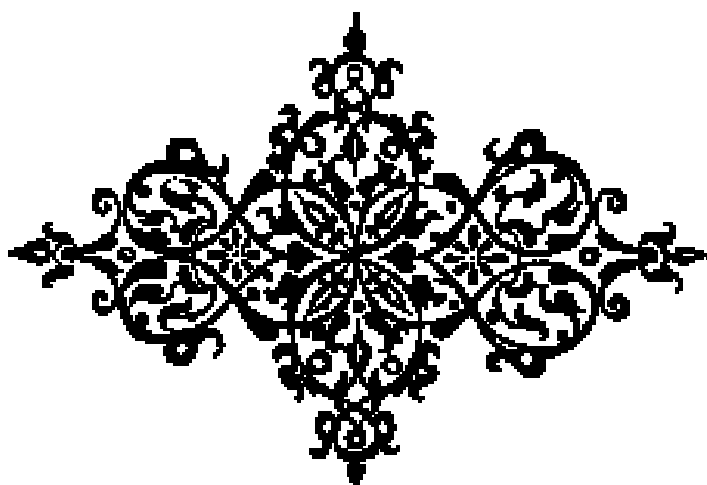
Event membership lasts for the duration of that event only and is not sufficient to hold office or fight in Crown Tournament etc.

If the event has a cost, and it is not held by a College, the levy will be charged.

Per event \$ 2.00

A SCA(NZ) Inc. membership form is included on the final page of this newsletter, or can be accessed on the SCA(NZ) website.

**For further information visit the official SCA(NZ) Inc. website at:**  
[www.sca.org.nz](http://www.sca.org.nz)



## SCA Groups in New Zealand

(see websites for more details)

### OTAGO

#### College of St Kessog

<http://kessog.sca.org.nz>

Saturday: Arts & Sciences  
Archery Practice  
Boffer Practice

### WELLINGTON

#### Shire of Darton

<http://darton.sca.org.nz>

Sunday: Fight Practice  
Wednesday: Arts & Sciences

#### College of St Aemigdius

<http://aemigdius.sca.org.nz>

Monday: Arts & Sciences  
Thursday: Fight Practice

### AUCKLAND

#### Barony of Ildhafn

<http://ildhafn.sca.org.nz>

Sunday: Fight Practice  
Fencing  
Monday: Arts & Sciences  
Wednesday: Fencing Theory  
Thursday: Dancing  
Saturday: Archery Practice

#### College of St Dionysius

<http://stdionysius.sca.org.nz>

Sunday: Herbs & Sewing  
Wednesday: Weekly Meeting

### HAMILTON

#### Canton of Cluain

<http://cluain.sca.org.nz>

Thursday: Fight Practice



## Society for Creative Anachronism (New Zealand) Inc. Membership application

If you prefer, you can use the online membership form linked from <http://sca.org.nz/membership.php>

☐ New Membership    ☐ Renewal    ☐ Replacement card    ☐ Change of information

### Please print clearly.

All information must be legible and filled out correctly for your membership to be processed. Please fill out one form per person.

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Membership number: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Suburb: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Post code: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation\*: \_\_\_\_\_

\* We are required to collect and keep your occupation on file by the Incorporated Societies Act 1908.

Telephone number (Home): \_\_\_\_\_ (Mobile): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Tick if under 18: ☐

Tick if you prefer to receive all future communications from us via post rather than via email: ☐

Society Name (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

Group name (closest geographical Barony, Shire, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

### Membership type and duration:

1 year

3 years

Membership + e-Pegasus (PDF)\*\*

☐ \$15

☐ \$30

Membership + posted print Pegasus

☐ \$40

☐ \$105

Replacement for lost card

☐ \$5

\*\* To receive e-Pegasus, you must provide a valid email address. You will be emailed directions to access your electronic subscription.

### Payment Method:

☐ Cheque Enclosed

☐ Internet Banking

### I declare that the information given is true and correct:

Signed (please use legal name): \_\_\_\_\_

### Payment information:

- Please do not post cash. Sorry, we are unable to accept credit card payments.
- Paying by cheque: make cheques payable to Society for Creative Anachronism (NZ) Inc.
- Paying by Internet Banking: make the payment to SCA (NZ) Inc, account number 06-0582-0264080-00. Place your surname in the reference field, then print out and attach the receipt page to this form once your payment has gone through. Failure to attach proof of payment can delay your membership being processed by as much as a month – so please don't forget!

If you have queries about this form or your membership, please feel free to contact the Registrar, Melissa Muckart, at [registrar@sca.org.nz](mailto:registrar@sca.org.nz). For urgent matters, phone the Registrar at (04) 976-6214 between the hours of 9am-9pm.

Information you provide on this form will be kept on file by the SCA (NZ) Registry according to the Privacy Act 1993, and may be shared with Kingdom Officers and affiliated SCA corporations as needed. If you believe we hold incorrect information, contact the Registrar directly for a copy of your details. Use this form to update your information by ticking the box labelled 'Change of information'.

Subscriptions other than to Pegasus, the Lochac Kingdom newsletter, are NOT available through SCA (NZ). Contact the US registry directly to subscribe to *Compleat Anachronist*, *Tournaments Illuminated* or other Kingdom newsletters.

### Send this form with payment to:

SCANZ Registrar, MB Muckart, 56 Beazley Avenue, Paparangi, Wellington, 6037