

From the Tower



Golden Flight II – Attack of the Mongols

Barony of Southron Gaard

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Chronic Ramblings

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Greetings all,

There is a lot in the way of events coming up over the next few months, with a Heavy Training weekend, Golden Flight II and the Christmas Revel all on before end of the (mundane) year.

I have put aside my plans for siege weapons for a time, and have been frantically making lamellar armour for the last three weeks, with the goal of having it done in time to attend the heavy training weekend. I promise an article on the armour making for a future edition.

Unfortunately, I will not be attending Golden Flight II so

please, please send me in your photos and comments about the event (please name participants and ensure they have given permission, or give me contact details so I can do this).

Please also take the time to note the various calls for service, from helpers for the Christmas Revel and Canterbury Faire to stepping up to an officer position. Your participation makes all the difference!

Yours in Service

Alýrún Johansdóttir

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Kingdom of Lochac



King & Queen: Cornelius and Elizabeth

Please send award recommendations to crown@lochac.sca.org with a courtesy copy to vicar@sg.lochac.sca.org. Additional information can be found on the Kingdom website: www.lochac.sca.org.

The Vicar Speaks

Can you believe that Canterbury Faire is only three months away? We are three quarters of the way there! Hands up all those who have done three quarters of the things they planned at the start of the year to have done by the end of it (the year starts and ends with Canterbury Faire, right?).

Yes, me neither. Still, there's nothing like a deadline to spur one on to action.

Here's one thing you can do to give yourself an instant sense of accomplishment: write award recommendations. The Crown relies on us to give them a picture of who within our

Barony is worthy of recognition. You can consult Canon Lore via <http://sca.org.au/canon/branch.php?show=op&id=39> to see who has already been awarded what.

Be careful to also consider who is missing from the list altogether! It is all too easy for people to slip through the cracks when it comes to receiving their Award of Arms because "they must already have one".

Kingdom award recommendations can be submitted through Canon Lore or by writing to the Crown directly.

Baronial award recommendations do not appear in Canon Lore. You can read about them at <http://sg.sca.org.nz/barony/traditions.shtml>

Although I am not empowered to give out Baronial awards, you may still submit recommendations to me and I will ensure they are passed on.

Amalie von Brisache

Vicar of Southron Gaard



THL Amalie at Canterbury Faire 2011

Seneschal's Comments

Hello everyone,

St. Kessog has decided after much discussion to become dormant, with its remaining members forming a household. We will discuss at Council the disposal and use of any items that were loaned to its people as members of a College. A quartermaster has been appointed, and it is known who shall be using and looking after loaner armour and archery supplies. As loaner items are now in the possession of individuals rather than a College, there is the expectation that they will eventually be replaced with purchases or made items, and be passed on to others who need them to get started in their chosen pursuits.

Thanks to Mýrún and Lady Edith, and all the other officers, for their hard work in running St Kessog and its events. They have done huge amount of work, though it may be difficult to see from this distance, its value remains, and they are truly loyal and dedicated members of the Society and Southron Gaard.

I look forward to their visits to us here in the north - I believe some are coming to the Royal Peer fighting class in November. I also hope that they will still be able to run events such as their fine First Feast and Fimbulwinter, and encourage you to attend them.

Additionally, we had a demo at the Ellesmere A and P show last weekend. Despite the indifferent weather, everyone says they had a good time, and I have received thanks and an assurance from the organisers that they went down well with the public. Thank you to everyone who gave of their time, effort and expertise to showcase us to the public.

The demo also brought out a small but important truth: in the SCA, people with vans and towbars are amongst your best friends. Be nice to them. You will need them for any undertaking of size.

It's not conspicuous, flashy service, but a demo will not happen at all without them if you want to put up a canvas

tent for a sunshade or display area. Camping under canvas would be a no-go. They ensure the SCA works - all our flash gear won't get anywhere without them.

Thanks to those who contributed or offered to transport the trailer for the demo, particularly Brett and Lord Jajiridai who stepped in at the moment of need. Every demo team ideally should have someone with access to a van or at least a vehicle with a towbar who is available at setup and takedown.

YiS,

Oswyn Carolus,

Seneschal
Southron Gaard



Ellesmere A&P Show - Demo

Sir Vitale and Lord Raffe are here shown giving a fighting demonstration at the Ellesmere A&P Show, with Richard marshalling behind them.

A big thank you to all of the people who helped out at this demonstration.

Huzzah!



Medieval Meals for Modern Cooks

White Leek Bruet

- 2 Leeks, white part only
- Pickled pork (salted) (around 1 kg)
- 1 cup blanched Almonds, ground finely
- Chicken or Vegetable stock
- Salt, to taste
- 1 cup Almonds
- 1 cup Water

Put the pickled port into a pot and cover with water. Bring water to the boil, then cook over medium heat until the pork is cooked through. Remove from the water, measure the remaining liquid and make up to 4 cups with chicken or vegetable stock. If it is too salty then add more water and less stock.

Slice leeks into rounds. Rinse well to remove silt and sand. Put leeks into the pot with the stock and bring to a boil. Reduce heat to medium and continue cooking until leeks are tender. Meanwhile, finely slice the cooked pork.

Reserving the stock, drain leeks. Mix ground almonds with stock and return the pork to the pot. Finely chop leeks then mash them in a mortar or use a food processor. Stir leeks into broth. (You can eliminate chopping if a food processor is used for this step.) Add almonds and water. Simmer 20 minutes.

Serve. Makes 8 servings.

Tips from a modern cook: I have rewritten the original recipe to reflect my adaptations, which cut down on the preparation time. Please consult the website for the original recipe (as listed below). I prefer this without the whole almonds, it is very tasty with rye or pumpernickel bread.

From 'The Historical Cookery Page', <http://www.godecookery.com/friends/frec96.htm>

If you've found some delicious medieval recipes that you've dusted off and made a regular addition to your 'mundane' menu, please share them with us, by sending them to chronicler@sg.lochac.sca.org



Heavy Combat Training Weekend



The Greater Moralez Beaumont Assimilation Project is proud to present **A Heavy Combat Training Weekend** with Duke Gabriel de Beaumont and Count Berengar of Nancy.

Kindly hosted by Sir Sigurds School of Hard Knocks in West Melton Christchurch, this is a two day event taking place over the **12th and 13th of November**.

This event is open to all interested in SCA heavy combat of any skill level and will largely be conducted "in armour" at "full speed".

Subjects to be covered include;

- Stance,
- Footwork,
- Defense,
- Attack,
- Shield Hooks and Presses,
- Feints and Deceit,
- Power,
- Knees - when you or your opponent are legged,
- Killing Polearms,
- Training Ethic.

Training is anticipated to run from **10am until early evening on the Saturday** and from **10am until early afternoon on Sunday**. Weather permitting there will be a BBQ at the conclusion of training on the Saturday.

This is a great chance to learn from a couple of the more prominent Knights from mainland Lochac.

If you intend to attend please email Rat at j.anderson@clear.net.nz, who will advise of the address and answer any other questions you may have.

Please note;

- You do not need to be authorised in heavy combat to take part,
- We have some loaner armour that may be available,
- This is not a garbed event (unless you count armour as garb, think of it as a very long fighters practice)
- Although this is a 2 day event it is **not** a camping event.

You'll notice up to now there has been no mention of costs. That's because the two trainers have volunteered to visit off their own back and Sir Sigurd has offered to host the event at his home. There will, however, be a certain amount of hat passing to fund the BBQ and associated refreshments.

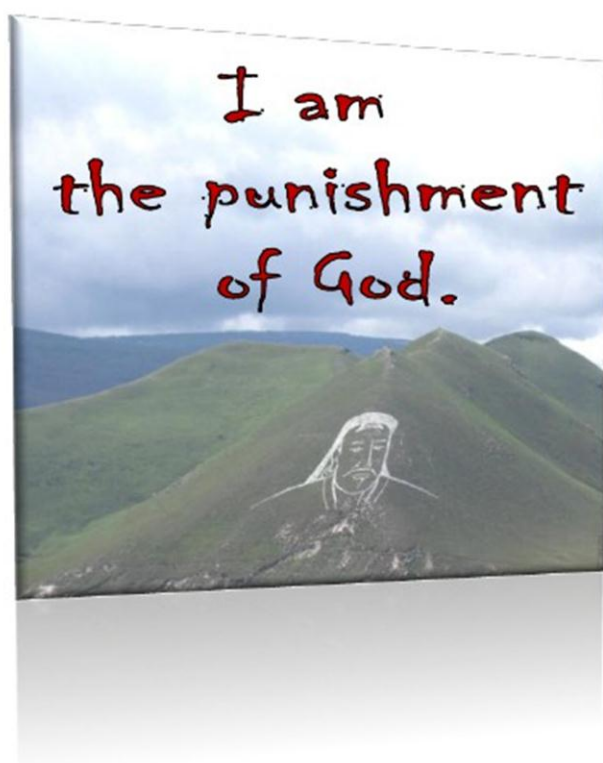
For those of you requiring rattan I now have a small supply of 30-35mm diameter rattan available at \$10 per single handed sword length (aprox 0.90m - 1.00m)

For those of you requiring plastic basket hilts or rubber thrusting tips as sold by Duke Gabriel at <http://armouredbadger.griffin-dor.org/>, he will have a small supply available.

Last year, at Golden Flight I- *The Mongol Menace*, the Mongols were beginning to follow Chinggis Khan as their leader. This year you are welcomed Golden Flight II- *The Attack of the Mongols!*

Muhammad II's governor has killed Chinggis Khan's ambassador. Chinggis is outnumbered 2 to 1, but upon receiving the head of his ambassador, he sent the following message to Muhammad:

You have chosen war. That will happen which will happen and what it is to be we know not; only God knows.



Join the horde for this three day event that will feature archery, heavy fighting, and the beloved outdoor pastime of Mongolian Wrestling!

When: 18-20 November 2011

Where: Rimu Park

Fees: Day trip (per day) \$15

Day trip + feast \$35

Feast only \$30

Meal Plan \$20

Full Event (camp, feast, meal plan) \$65

Camping (whole event), no feast \$25

Children 12 and under:

Child, Day trip, no feast \$5

Child, Feast only \$20

Child, Full Event (camp, feast, meal plan) \$55

Child, Camping, no feast \$15

Limited camping available- book early!

Crash space in the hall will also be available.

Breakfast provided for campers on Saturday, Sunday

Optional meal plan will cover Friday dinner, Saturday Lunch, and Sunday Lunch.

For questions or to book, please contact Lord Geoffrey and Lady Lucia at bmurie@clear.net.nz

Christmas Revel

This year the Christmas revel is a FREE event but requires volunteers (see Page 15)

When: Saturday 3rd December from 1:00pm.

Where: 'Heorot' 791 Sandy Knolls Rd, RD 5 West Melton.

Event Steward: Baroness Eleanora van den Bogaerde (Simone Hindin),
e: hindins@gmail.com, p: 03 3181561 (evenings before 9 please).

Bookings: not required.

Tentative schedule

Site opens at about 1:00.

Various tournaments and activities during the afternoon as per the desires of the populace.
Potluck dinner at around 6:30 to be followed by traditional 'Evil & Dangerous' plum pudding.

Activities

We have space and facilities for almost anything the populace could desire, however it will be up to YOU to make it happen. Want to fight? Then volunteer to run a tourney & we'll dig out the lists field for it. Want dancing, then front up to bring the music. Want to shoot at something? Let us know and we'll find the space if you can bring the target. Kids' activities, games... you get the picture.

Equestrian activities have been scheduled.

Christmas is a time of giving so...

Bring a non-perishable food item to donate to a good cause (TBD).

Bring a suitable wrapped gift for a child for under the Christmas tree.

Bring something to share with the Barony for dinner.

Christmas is a time for family

Bring your kids, bring a friend, bring your (friendly) dog - but keep an eye on them please, we will have horses around.



Can you help? Email Simone at hindins@gmail.com or ring me at 03 3181561 (evenings before 9 please).

CANTERBURY FAIRE

Saturday January 28th to Sunday February 5th 2012



Bookings are now open - <http://sg.sca.org.nz/cf/2012/booking.shtml>

PRICING

- Full Event, 10.00am Saturday 28 January - Sunday 5 February 2012:
 - before 1 November 2011 - \$87.00
 - before 3 January 2012 - \$97.00
 - on or after 3 January 2012 - \$107
- Children (12 and under); Saturday 28 January - Sunday 5 February 2012:
 - before 1 November 2011 - \$50.00
 - before 3 January, 2012 - \$55.00
 - on or after 3 January, 2012 - \$60.00
- Children under 5 years **free**
- Single day costs for adult/child: \$12.00 / \$6.00
- Single overnight costs for adult/child: (add) \$6.00 / \$3.00

FOOD

- Feast for adults/children: \$25.00 / \$13.00
- Repast for adults/children: \$15.00 / \$8.00
- Meal Plan for adults/children: \$75.00 / \$45.00

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Tent hire: \$30
- Bunk rooms available: Only \$1/night
- Mattress: \$1/night, \$5 for a full-event booking
- T-shirt: \$20

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 18th October 2011

PRESENT: Amalie (Amy), Angus (Alan), Richard (Richard), Callum (Bob), Sybilla (Hera), Chunegund (Joanne), Oswyn (Carl), Isabel Maria (Miriam), Jajirdai (Andrew), Betty (Lucia)

APOLOGIES: Eleanora (Simone), Max (Will), Agnes (Robyn), Niamh (Elena)

MEETING OPENED: 7.31 pm

SEPTEMBER MINUTES: Query re Customary sites Council resolution. Change to indicate and clarify requirement for walk-through of site to happen before November Council, and consensus and decision re campsites to be made at November Council at the latest. Oswyn to remind Ratbod and Raffé.

Moved Amalie, seconded Angus.

OFFICER REPORTS:

VICAR (Amalie): Baronial succession poll going to schedule. Submissions close 23rd October. Not a lot of discussion going on as a result of the single set of candidates. I have had a question about outstanding tokens for Baronial awards, I am not sure any were ever made, can we discuss in General Business. I have been informed that the King and Queen of Caid are planning to attend CF and I am getting some guidance from Catalina on what that will involve.

SENESCHAL (Oswyn): I haven't been doing very much, mundane commitments rather heavy. Correspondence with organisers of Ellesmere A and P show, and with participants in the demo. Thanks again to all of those who put in their time, effort and expertise to showcase us to the public.

Some correspondence with the CF stewards. Correspondence with officers - particularly the Chronicler and Webwright about correcting addresses, updating information and an event bid, which will be discussed later.

HERALD (Maximilian): Absent due to sickness.

MARSHALL (Callum): Have done virtually nothing this month.

Seneschal states we need to sight and inventory local loaner armour. Referred to use Fighter Auction tourney funds to fill in gaps re needed items. This has been discussed over the past 2-3 years; no orders have as yet been made.

ARTS & SCIENCEES (Amalie): I have distributed about 15 mouse guard pouch kits to members of the populace.

Seamsters' last month was poorly attended. Maybe more people would have come if they had known there would be cake. Have-a-go musical instruments session last Saturday was good fun. Classes for CF starting to come in.

REEVE (Richard): Meeting with CF stewards, have made arrangements for information sharing etc.

Dauid de Cochrane still signatory on Baronial account despite repeated attempts to have him removed. Chunegunde to contact Dauid to send signature and photo ID and request to be removed from signature. Online banking to be sorted by Oswyn.

The quarterly report has been sent to KE and I will get a cheque to pay the outstanding SCANZ and kingdom fees.

There are 3 cheques outstanding, i.e. not banked - Bethany, SCANZ/Kingdom, Cristia

CHRONICLER (Mýrún): The October issue was completed and placed online on the 1st of October. Only two correspondence's this month, one from Lady Chunegund with some advice regarding posting links to the FTIT along with the email notifications, one from Lord Lowrens giving positive feedback about the newsletter.

CHATELAINE

(Chunegund): Photographed one box of garb, labelled more garb, only 7 more labels to do.

Gave information to two UCMRS dancers re fighting.

Contact with Isabel Maria re flyers for demo, but it was too short notice and they made do with the ones from Archery.

Chatelaine to split stacks of the coloured flyers between Seneschal and Chatelaine to make available for demos. Richard and Lucia volunteered to copy and fold more of the black and white version.

WEBWRIGHT (Eleanora): It has been a quiet month with just a couple of updates, mostly to the calendar.

The Canterbury Faire stewards requested a change to the online faire site map but we hit a snag as the Photoshop document that I was given was not the latest version which unfortunately had been destroyed in the earthquake, so there is a significant amount of rebuilding to be done. Rotte was happy to put this off until the issues around customary campsites were sorted out. I had hoped to do some work on it this month but time and health have not allowed so it is still on my list.

Attended the Ellesmere Show demo. Comment was made that now that we have more information on the website the brochures could be re-written to have less text. We also need to adjust the layout to fold better – I think when Chunegund and I did them last they got normal Word-like margins but we weren't working from the master file which I do not have. Should be easy enough to recreate though... I am not sure whose portfolio these come under.

I have sent in and paid my membership renewal but have not received my card yet – my current doesn't expire until the end of November.

CAPTAIN OF ARCHERS

(Jajiridai): Practises continued, with some more newcomers. Held a fletching workshop to repair baronial arrows. Purchased foam for targets from Aim True - \$120, as discussed last council. Attended Ellesmere A&P demo.

RAPIER MARSHALL: report via phone: nothing to report.

QUARTERMASTER (Angus): Repairs complete on trailer.

Reimbursement for me for 2 items.

Wheel bracket from Trojan Trailer parts approx. \$14

Bolts/washers \$3 approx.

I will bring the receipts to council.

\$66.18 - repair of lighting plugs

\$34.50 - warrant

\$18.18 - repay Angus for parts purchased.

Council agrees to pay as needed to make trailer usable.

I will also require a cheque for Vantage Automotive (yes not Advantage) for the wiring repair to the trailer lights fitting. I will be picking up the A/C for this on Tuesdays so I will have the amount available for council.

One other cheque for Tower Junction Auto for the WOF. Again I will be picking up the A/C on Tuesday in time for council.

General QM activity:

Loaned sunshades to Calach.

This is now all back with the Baronial gear at showbiz.

Some gear went out for the AMP Demo. Re IM. Trailer issues were found re Trailer section above.

I have removed the ovens from the Baronial store in order to get them checked/repaired/certified as safe for use.

CONSTABLE (Agnes): report by phone, nothing to report.

EVENT REPORTS:

ELLESMERE A&P SHOW – Publicity from the organisers suggested a 'battle', which with our available numbers we cannot provide. Oswyn to inform organisers of this, and to ask if the publicity can be changed accordingly.

Isabel Maria – Suggested a small fee for public wanting photos with fighters/nicely dressed people, and/or wearing armour/helmets/holding swords, in front of a suitable background.

GOLDEN FLIGHT – MONGOL HORDE (Jajiridai, 18-20/11/2011): 25 bookings - some paid already. (Within 15 places of feast maximum).

BA - venue search this Tuesday.

CHRISTMAS REVEL (Eleanora) – Moved to accept proposal Isabel Maria, seconded Lucia, carried.

Suggested we collect non-perishable food or gifts for charity. 1st Saturday in December.

CANTERBURY FAIRE (Raffe & Rat, 28/01-5/02/2012) Bookings currently stand at 74 (there's an error in the spreadsheet which is causing some discrepancies between the stewards numbers)

44 Locals

8 Aucklanders

7 Australians

4 Wellingtonians

4 Nelsonians

4 Dunedinites

2 Scots (well they're locals really but they probably sound Scottish now)

1 Palmerston Northianeritethingee

Feast 38

Repast 13

Meal Plan 36

We're missing quite a few of the usual suspects who I know darn well will be attending, and I know about 9 Aussies who have told me they will be attending who have yet to book.

Money is starting to roll in, \$2500 approx. received so far. No expenditure out at present - None anticipated till end of Nov.

Publicity out to all SCA groups and Pegasus, also Naama website and other re-enactment groups. Working on more angles and pushing CF to Australian and USA groups.

Still looking for an on-site food wrangler.

Kotek started ball rolling for cooks.

War scenario's in from Darton.

We have been advised we will have the King & Queen of Caid visiting us!

GENERAL BUSINESS:

(Note from Chronicler, the following minutes have been edited for space and content. Please contact me for the full report).

From Minutes of the College of St Kessog AGM Meeting, held at 5:45pm on Friday 7th Oct 2011

ATTENDANCE: Unthor (Sean), Grace (Catherine), Edith (Tasha), Mielikko (Dan), Julio (Chris), Ursula (Ursula), Mýrún (Sandra, Seneschal)

SENESCHALS REPORT (Mýrún): In many ways, the 2010/2011 year was a good one for St Kessog, with members attending events and the college holding two of its own.

During the year, the club switched banks and undertook extensive fundraising via bake sales and a raffle. Thanks to Unthor, Grace, and Lord Mielikko for helping out at the stall, with baked goods also being contributed by Lady Edith, Ignatius and myself.

January also saw me travelling to the LOTS conference in Canberra.

Significant promotional work has been undertaken, with a promotional bookmark being produced for the university's Clubs Day, and Grace was an excellent spokeswoman for the group over this time, attracting many new participants.

The group held two events, the Feast of St Kessog and Collegium in March, and the Fimbulwinter camping event in August, both of which were well attended. We also travelled up for BA.

There were also challenging times through the year. After the great start, the group's makeup has changed from that usual in a college, mostly non-students and families. Hence I recommend the College be made dormant until more students are willing and able to participate.

Motion: That the Seneschals report be accepted. Moved: Edith Seconded: Mielikko

REEVES REPORT (Edith):

Incipient College of St Kessog (SCANZ)

Financial Statement for 1 October 2010 to 1 October 2011

Opening Balance: \$228.60

Income

Feast of St Kessog	\$526.00
Donations	\$45.00
Market Income	\$144.60
Raffle	\$145.10
Fimbulwinter Encampment	\$662.00
Total:	\$1522.70

Expenses

T-shirt reimbursement	\$65.00
Reimbursement to T Derrett	\$40.00
Feast of St Kessog	\$416.50
Fimbulwinter Encampment	\$517.24
Van Hire for Baronial Anniversary	\$181.00
2009 Venue Hire	\$150.00
Bank Fees	\$1.60

Total: \$1371.54

Closing Balance: \$374.96

Moved to accept the Reeves report by Mielikko, seconded by Unthor

Mýrún then advised the meeting that she had received a letter from OUSA requesting payment of insurance excess caused by the accident when St Kessog hired the van to travel to BA. Mýrún read the letter to the meeting (not published).

Moved: That \$376.94 be appropriated for the purpose of paying the OUSA van excess bill from the St Kessog bank account by Mielikko, seconded by Unthor.

Edith advised she will cover the remainder of the debt, and will make arrangements with OUSA to do so.

WEBWRIGHT REPORT (Unthor): The St Kessog site has been kept up to date except just recently as he has been busy with mundane affairs. Mýrún advised that the email addresses did not seem to be working, Unthor would look into this.

COLLEGE DORMANCY: Mýrún spoke to the meeting about the rationale behind making the college dormant. There was general support though Julio did express concern that the college might not get started up again.

There was discussion about a possible canton, and what occurred with the Canterbury University SCA group and Castelburn. Mielikko advised that the constitution of St Kessog had been written to avoid similar issues to the Canterbury uni group. All St Kessog gear goes back to Southron Gaard.

A new archery venue is needed. Julio advised he might be willing to arrange a venue.

Moved that the Incipient College of St Kessog be made dormant until such time as student numbers warrant reactivation of the group by Lady Edith, seconded by Julio.

Lady Edith advised that she will investigate what needs to take place in order to close the group's bank account.

Moved that the bank account belonging to the Incipient College of St Kessog be closed, with Lady Edith responsible for arranging this by Mýrún, seconded by Edith.

COLLEGE EQUIPMENT: The local group wishes to keep practicing archery, the gear will remain in its present location until the end of the academic year, then move to Julio's and Ursula's place to facilitate training.

Discussion turned to loaner armour. Mýrún advised that she had discussed this with Oswyn and Raffé, and there was general agreement that those local members who wished to undertake heavy fighting endeavour

to equip themselves with the remainder to be returned to Southron Gaard.

The remaining gear in the Clubs and Societies locker was serving and feast gear, much of it from Castelburn. After discussion 4 sets of loaner feast gear would be retained by the group for the use of future members.

Locals would pick over the remainder to fill out their own feast kits.

The remainder would be returned to Southron Gaard for either loaner feast gear during CF or sale at CF.

Serving gear would be retained locally for use at future events.

What little loaner garb we have is poor in quality and condition, some of it should be tossed out. The remainder would be moved to Julio's and Ursula's for storage.

A store of books and magazines are currently at Mýrún's place. She suggested these be added to SG's library, but that it be held in the 'Highland Branch', i.e. that it be retained by the local group for loan. There was general agreement to this suggestion. Unthor volunteered to be the custodian for the library.

HOUSEHOLD FORMATION:

Participants at the meeting resolved to form a household. Ursula volunteered as quartermaster. Mýrún will supply her with the asset lists once complete.

Julio volunteered to be in charge of archery, Mýrún for heavy fighting, Grace for Arts and Sciences. These are all informal roles.

Moved that the group formally thank Mýrún Johansdottir for her hard work through the year as seneschal by Edith, seconded by Mielikko

End St Kessog AGM.

Southron Gaard council pleased that a QM has been appointed to look after and inventory kit.

FLAGPOLES: From January minutes, ways were discussed of replacing the bamboo flagpoles with better ones. 2.4m pine/\$46 1.8m/\$34 4.5m/\$105.(Bunnings) These estimates out of date. Oswyn to make further inquiries to see what current prices are.

THRONES: Isabel Maria suggested refinishing thrones as they are delaminating/starting to deteriorate. Inquire in to having original maker refinish. Move Lucia, seconded Angus.

COUNCIL VENUE: Oswyn to inquire of Council whether/when original Upper Riccarton venue will be available. Richard and Lucia offer spaces similar to what we are presently using.

TOUR D'OR MEDALLIANS: Amalie asked for any progress on their being made. Isabel Maria - described issues encountered last time it was explored in 2008 (details available on request).

Isabel Maria to follow up and get quotes.

MEETING CLOSED: 8:50 pm



Help Wanted

I need a volunteer to act as drop-dead-deputy steward for Christmas Revel. This should be an easy event and I will do the pre- and post- organising but my somewhat erratic health recommends a back-up other than my husband. If you've been thinking about running something for a while but didn't know how to start this could be a good place.

Contact: Eleanora van den Bogaerde (Simone Hindin) hindins@gmail.com or phone 03 3181561 evenings before 9pm or weekends.

The Canterbury Faire Stewards are still looking for an **on-site food co-ordinator** and also an **on-site children's co-ordinator**. Please contact Ratbot von Borg & Raffe Demassard if you're interested in either roles or if you have any questions. **Contact at:** cf@sg.lochac.sca.org

Volunteers Wanted

Have you been wanting to run a tourney/contest/dance/games but didn't need all the hassle of organising a site, paperwork and putting in a proposal to council? Run your tourney at Christmas revel and I'll do all the boring bits for you! I'm looking for people to run single 'activities' at Christmas revel. Just get in contact and tell me what kind of thing you'd like to run. I'll sort out the site etc. and leave you to focus on the interesting bits.

Contact: Eleanora van den Bogaerde (Simone Hindin) hindins@gmail.com or phone 03 3181561 evenings before 9pm or weekends.

November 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5 Equestrian Practice
6 Fight Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	7 UCMRS Dancing	8 Stuff Night	9	10 Unofficial Heavy Practice	11	12 Heavy Fighting Training Day 1
13 Heavy Fighting Training Day 2 Fight Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	14 UCMRS Dancing	15 Council Meeting	16	17 Unofficial Heavy Practice	18 Golden Flight II FTT submission deadline	19 Golden Flight II
20 Golden Flight II	21 UCMRS Dancing	22 Seamsters	23	24 Unofficial Heavy Practice	25	26
27 Fight Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	28 UCMRS Dancing	29	30			

Officer Vacancies

Pending Vacancies:

The following officers are nearing the end of their terms and are seeking deputies and/or replacements. Please contact the officers if you would like more information, with a cc to the seneschal (or vicar in the case of the seneschal) and B&B.

Seneschal: Our noble Lord Oswyn Carolus has advised that he will be stepping down from his place as Baronial Seneschal at Canturbury Faire 2012. The Barony needs a new seneschal! For more information please contact seneschal@sg.lochac.sca.org

Arts and Sciences Officer: THL Amalie von Briache is seeking a replacement Arts and Sciences Officer. Please contact her for more details at arts@sg.lochac.sca.org

Captain of Archers: Lord Jijiridai (formerly known as Lord Geoffrey) has advised his term is up at Baronial Anniversary 2012 and calls upon one of the populace to step forth and take up his mantle as Captain of Archers. Please contact at archers@sg.lochac.sca.org

December 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2 Unofficial Heavy Practice	3 Christmas Revel
4 Fight Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	5 UCMRS Dancing	6	7	8	9 Unofficial Heavy Practice	10
11 Consultation Period and Poll Fight Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	12 UCMRS Dancing	13 Stuff Night	14	15	16 Unofficial Heavy Practice	17 Ellesmere A & P show
18 Fight Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	19 UCMRS Dancing	20 Council Meeting	21	22	23 <i>FTT submission deadline</i> Unofficial Heavy Practice	24
25 Fight Practice* Rapier Practice* Archery Practice*	26 UCMRS Dancing	27 Seamsters	28	29	30 Unofficial Heavy Practice	31

MARTIAL PRACTICES

Heavy Fighters' Practice* Sundays from 10am–noon at Jellie Park or Showbiz if wet

Fighters' Practice.* — Thursday from 6-8pm off Jasmine Place, Wigram

Rapier Practice* — Sundays from noon at Jellie Park from 12-2

Rapier Practice* — 1st, 2nd and 4th Tuesdays - in hiatus

Archery* — on fine Sundays from 2pm at Kirkwood Intermediate, (use Kirkwood Avenue entrance).

ARTS GATHERINGS

Stuff Night — from 7:30pm on the second Tuesday of the month. Riccarton Community Centre (opposite corner of Clarence and Dixon St). Topics or projects to be announced on SG list.

Dance — from 7:30pm on 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month at the Riccarton Community Centre (opposite corner of Clarence and Dixon St). In hiatus

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

Southern Swans (Singing

ORGANISATIONAL MEETING

Council Meeting — from 7:30pm on the third Tuesday of each month. Upper Riccarton Community Centre (71 Main South Road)

All welcome..

Email: archers@sg.lochac.sca.org

Practice) — from 7:30 every Thursday. Location to be advised on SG list each week.
Email: singing@sg.lochac.sca.org

Southron Gaard Regnum

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

Baron & Baroness:	Currently Vacant	bandb@sg.lochac.sca.org
Vicar:	Amalie von Briasche	vicar@sg.lochac.sca.org
Seneschal:	Oswyn Carolus	seneschal@sg.lochac.sca.org
Tour d'Or Herald:	Maximilian of Southron Gaard	herald@sg.lochac.sca.org
Reeve:	Richard d'Allier	reeve@sg.lochac.sca.org
Knight Marshal:	Callum Macleod	marshal@sg.lochac.sca.org
Arts & Sciences:	Amalie von Brisache	arts@sg.lochac.sca.org
Chronicler:	Mýrún Johansdottir	chronicler@sg.lochac.sca.org
Chatelaine:	Chunegund Screivogelin	chatelaine@sg.lochac.sca.org
Chirurgion	Currently Vacant	seneschal@sg.lochac.sca.org
Constable:	Agnes ðe Kyrri	constable@sg.lochac.sca.org
Crescents Officer	Veronica of Southron Gaard	crescents@sg.lochac.sca.org
Librarian	Amalie von Brisache	library@sg.lochac.sca.org
Quartermaster:	Angus de Sommerville	quartermaster@sg.lochac.sca.org
Webscribe:	Eleonora van den Bogaerde	web@sg.lochac.sca.org
Captain of Archers:	Jijiridai	archers@sg.lochac.sca.org
Captain of Rapier:		rapier@sg.lochac.sca.org
Lists Officer:	Currently Vacant	lists@sg.lochac.sca.org

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://sca.org.nz/mailman/listinfo>

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

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.

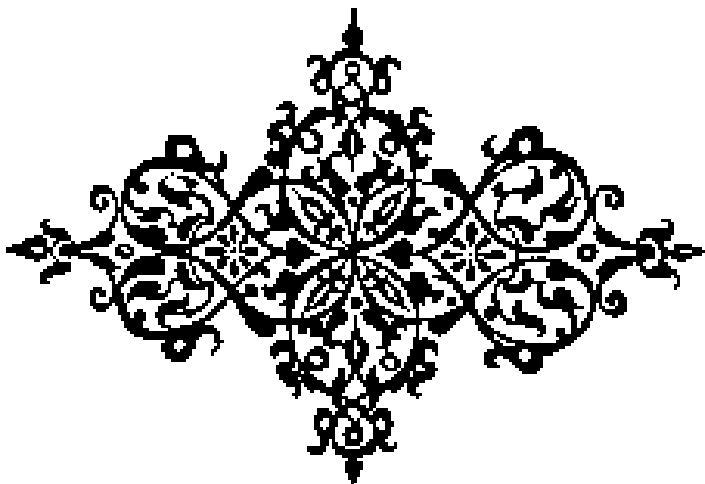
If the event has a cost, and it is not held by a College, the levy will be charged.

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



SCA Groups in New Zealand

(see websites for more details)

OTAGO

**College of St Kessog
(dormant)**

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

WELLINGTON

Shire of Darton

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

Thu & Sun: Fight Practice
Wed: Arts & Sciences

College of St Aemigdius

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

Mon: Arts & Sciences
Thu & Sun: Fight Practice

AUCKLAND

Barony of Ildhafn

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

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

College of St Dionysius

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

Sunday: Herbs & Sewing
Wednesday: Weekly Meeting

HAMILTON

Canton of Cluain

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

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)**	<input type="checkbox"/> \$15	<input type="checkbox"/> \$30
Membership + posted print Pegasus	<input type="checkbox"/> \$40	<input type="checkbox"/> \$105
Replacement for lost card	<input type="checkbox"/> \$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 38-9010-0099412-00. 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, Tamara Duran, at registrar@sca.org.nz. For urgent matters, phone the Registrar at (04) 238 4752 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, C/- P O Box 17258, Karori, Wellington, 6147