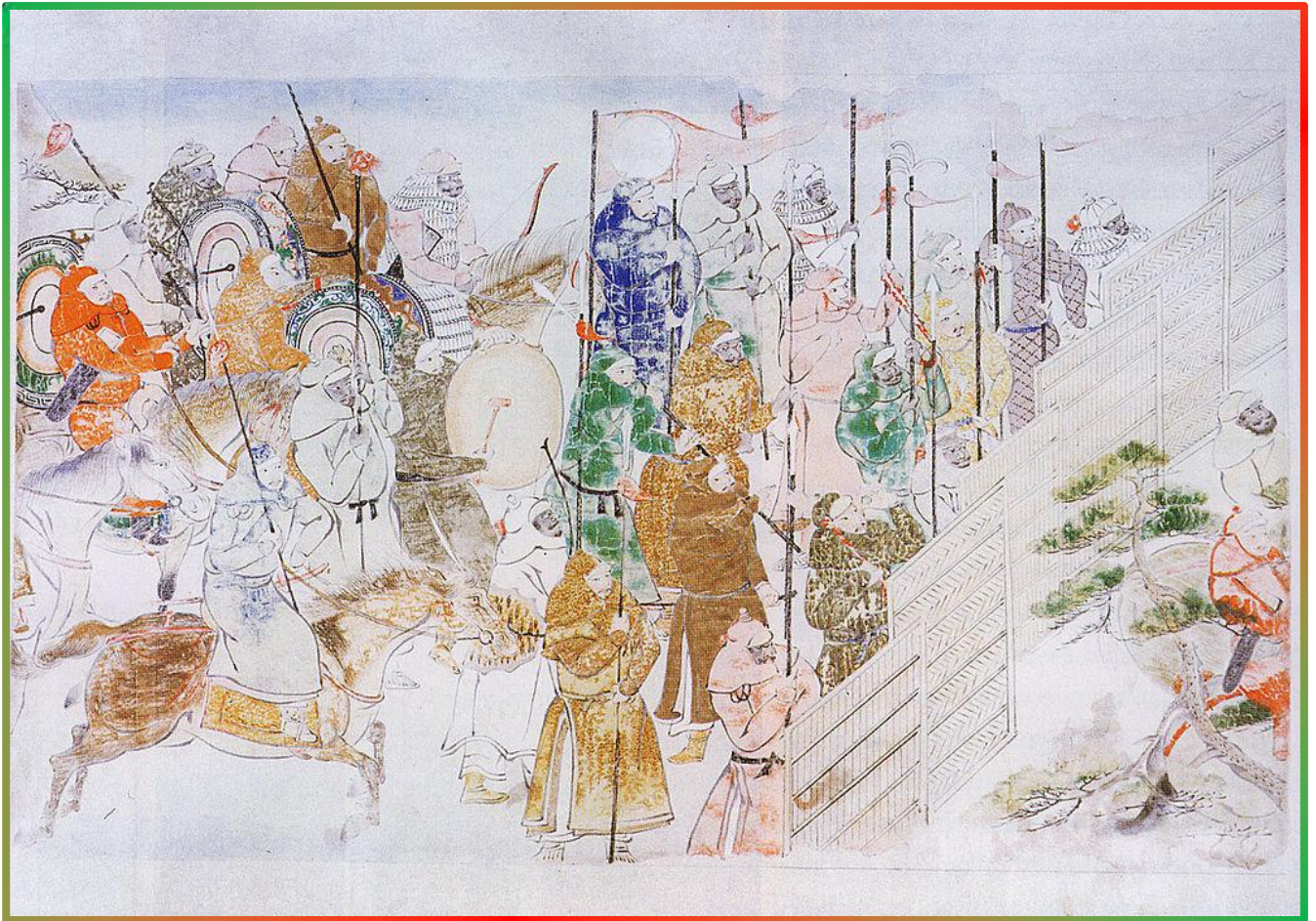


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Painting scrolls on the Mongol invasions (Japanese: Mooko shuurai e-kotoba), by Fukuda Taika, 1846 (copy of a 1293 work by an unknown artist). Ink and water colors on paper. Height 47 cm, length of the whole scrolls is 12.12 m (scroll 2) and 11.96 m (scroll 4). Tokyo National Museum, Inv. no. A-1637. The scrolls deal with the deeds of Takezaki Suenaga, who lived in southern Higo (now Matsubase municipality, Kumamoto prefecture) during the Mongol invasions of 1274 and 1281.

Barony of Southron Gaard

November AS XLIX (2014)



Chronic Ramblings

Greetings to you all,

This month there are two events happening. Golden Flight is just around the corner and is promising to shake things up as we know it. We see the end of Lady Mýrún Jóhansdóttir, and the birth of Lady Aveline Goupil.

At the end of the month there is the Baroness' Hunting Party, which I hope to see you there, at the trek or the picnic.

We are working up towards the end of the year and Canterbury Faire, we are really getting closer and "Remember,

Canterbury Faire is only two weeks away." On that note, there is some more information, to do with etiquette and fire safety.

Enjoy the warmer weather, hopefully the weather proves to be fine and sunny for the events this month.

Lastly there are no minutes for this month, so you will see them next month with this month's minutes.

YIS,

Eva y Bwa

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Kingdom of Lochac

King & Queen: Lord Niall inn Orkneyski & Lady Liadan ingen Fheradaig

Prince & Princess: Kinggiyadai Ba'atur and Altani Khalighu

Please send award recommendations to crown@lochac.sca.org with a courtesy copy to B&B@sg.lochac.sca.org

Additional information can be found on the Kingdom website: www.lochac.sca.org.



Their Excellencies Speak

Unto the good people of Southron Gaard,
do Oswyn and Isabel Maria send greetings.

It is great pleasure We announce the decision of Their Majesties, Niall II and Liadan II, King and Queen of Lochac, that Canterbury Faire AS 50 will be graced with all the pomp and ceremony that accompanies Lochac's Twelfth Night Coronation!

The last Kingdom level event held in Southron Gaard was November Crown back in 2009. Some quick arithmetic shows that will be a whopping six and a half years ago, by the time 2016 rolls around. The intervening years have been full of upheaval (both figurative and literal), but we hope that people now feel they are ready and that the Barony has recovered enough for a big event. It will combine both the Crescent Isles' biggest event with the splendour of a Crowning. We hope for both magnificence and pageantry, and the relaxedness of the camping event as a nice wind down from the

same. (Of course, it never really ends up being that relaxing, especially for the stewards . . .) We encourage you to start planning or it. Not least, getting your frocks in order. You too, gentlemen.

Meanwhile, We are very much looking forward to attending Golden Flight - Invasions of Japan later this month. Lady Mýrún and Lord Bjorn have organised a great many activities that promise to be both entertaining and educational. With a Kyudo demonstration, origami challenges, chess, go and mah-jong in addition to the expected martial opportunities and a Saturday night banquet, We hope to see many of you join us at Rimu Park.

Yours In service

Oswyn and Isabel Maria

Baron and Baroness of Southron Gaard

Seneschal's Comments

Greetings all,

The warmer months are certainly upon us and with them comes a busy time. I'm especially looking forward to Golden Flight and the Baronesses' Hunting Party in the next few weeks and then we get a small break from events before Canterbury Faire. Thank heavens it's not really only 2 weeks away.

I keep seeing more newcomers at practices and I know many of them will be coming to Canterbury Faire, which is great. As I'm taking bookings for Faire though I've noticed many names of local Christchurch people that don't appear to come along to anything else. For our Barony to grow we need to all make sure that everyone is encouraged to participate and contribute. As more people attend events other than Faire they may find additional endeavours to pursue within the SCA and can then contribute the knowledge and skills that they develop back to the group.

I'd like to congratulate Baroness Isabel Maria on submitting the successful bid for 12th Night Coronation 2016. This will be run in conjunction with Canterbury Faire 2016 and therefore a whole different level of preparation is required. I'd encourage any cooks- or stewards-in-waiting to contact Her Excellency to see if they can help out with any aspect of the event. In addition I would

encourage anyone that wants to run an event that would help us to prepare for Coronation to come forward. For example, a ball that encourages more people to participate in dance or music, or a feast that might allow us to trial dishes for the Coronation Feast would be good ways to get everyone thinking about lifting their own game.

We have not yet had any bids for Baronial Anniversary, and I'm sad to say but if I have to do it, it will be pizza in the park next to my house (BYO pizza, no one delivers to Kaiapoi). If you're entertaining ideas of running this event, please get in touch as soon as possible. Bids MUST be presented by December council at the latest.

Also, thank you to Lord James who has been selected by Kingdom to be our new Reeve. This job can be challenging, but it's also required for us to be a group. I'd like to thank Saidya Maheshti for her efforts in the role for the past couple of years.

Regards.

THL Richard d'Allier

Seneschal of Southron Gaard



Golden Flight The Invasions of Japan

Kublai Khan, grandson of the great Genghis Khan, has conquered China and founded the Yuan Dynasty. Ever hungry to expand his empire, he has sovereignty over Goryeo (Korea) and has turned his sights upon Japan.

The Yuan dynasty invaded Japan twice, each time massively outnumbering the defenders. Japan was saved each time by typhoons, the legendary Divine Winds that proved that Japan was under Heavens protection.

Event Stewards Lord Bjorn Svartsson and Lady Mýrún Jóhansdóttir call you to arms, to choose a side (China/Korea or Japan) and join us at the Rimu Park Scout Camp on Canterbury Show Weekend (Friday 14th to Sunday 16th November 2014) to refight these history making events and decide Japans ultimate fate!

Cherished from Mandate of Heaven, the Great Mongol emperor sends this letter to the King of Japan. The sovereigns of small countries, sharing borders with each other, have for a long time been concerned to communicate with each other and become friendly. Especially since my ancestor governed at heaven's command, innumerable countries from afar disputed our power and slighted our virtue. Goryeo rendered thanks for my ceasefire and for restoring their land and people when I ascended the throne. Our relation is feudatory like a father and son. We think you already know this. Goryeo is my eastern tributary. Japan was allied with Goryeo and sometimes with China since the founding of your country; however, Japan has never dispatched ambassadors since my ascending the throne. It is horrifying to think that the Kingdom is yet to know this. Hence we dispatched a mission with our letter particularly expressing our wishes. Enter into friendly relations with each other from now on. We think all countries belong to one family. How are we in the right, unless we comprehend this? Nobody would wish to resort to arms..



Team Based Scoring China vs Japan

Earn points by winning or participating!

Archery Tournaments

Heavy, Rapier & Boffer Tournaments

Origami Challenges

Chess, Go and Mah-jong

Sumo Wrestling

Kite Making and Flying

A&S Activities – Temari Balls and Anma Massage

Points awarded for volunteering at event also!

Meal Plan

Friday Dinner

Saturday Breakfast

Saturday Lunch

Sunday Breakfast

Sunday Lunch

Site Open 10 am Friday 14th Nov

Site Close 3pm Sunday 16th Nov

Bookings Close Friday 7th Nov

Contact Mýrún Jóhansdóttir

wheeles76@gmail.com

Book Now!

Event Costs: (All prices exclude non-member levy and Banquet)

Adult 3 days inc meal plan - \$50

Child 3 days inc meal plan - \$33

Adult 2 days inc meal plan - \$36

Child 2 days inc meal plan - \$23.50

Adult Daytrip inc meal - \$20*

Child Daytrip inc meal - \$12 *

*(this will be lunch or dinner, depending on the day)

Adult Daytrip no meal - \$14

Child Daytrip no meal - \$8

Adult Banquet - \$17

Child Banquet - \$9

Please add \$2 non-member levy to all Adult prices where the Adult is 18+ years and not a current SCA member

Off Board at Banquet only available with Daytrip entry

Children 5 and under are free. A child price is for ages 6-12 (inclusive)

No Booking required for daytrip only



Baronesses' Hunting Party

The pleasure of the hunt is one known to all of noble bearing. Join her Excellency for a mounted* hawking party in the morning of Saturday 29 November followed by a huntsman's picnic and an 'en pied' bow hunt in the afternoon.

*Limited numbers, conditions apply.

Mounted 'hawking' party

Horses were an everyday part of medieval life and nobles in particular enjoyed the hunt as one of their principle leisure activities. However riding is something that few modern people are familiar with. The goal of this event is to give us a taste of this popular activity through a one hour guided horse trek.

There are places for 8-10 riders and the ride is suitable for complete novices. The horse trek will be conducted by Rubicon Valley Horse Treks, costs \$55 (to be paid direct to them on arrival) and all their terms and conditions apply – please see their website for details <http://www.rubiconvalley.co.nz/horsetrek.htm>.

To book, please go to the online form at <http://bit.ly/1vyBF2E>. We will need details of your age and weight - the maximum weight is 120kg, if you weigh more than this we're sorry but the horses cannot take you. As there are only 8-10 spots bookings will be taken on a first in, first booked basis, however if there are later cancellations I will work back down the list.

You can ride if

- You are over 12 years of age;
- You weigh less than 120 kg.

What to wear

This is a garbed event – guidelines on appropriate garb for riders will be provided.

Picnic and 'en pied' bow hunt

We will complete the day with an outdoors lunch and archery at various hunt-themed targets, on a privately owned site adjacent to Kowai Bush, a beautiful remnant of native bush situated in the foothills of our Southern Alps. There are several lovely short walks through the bush.

Nota Bene

'en pied' is 'on foot'.

Illustrations notwithstanding please leave the hounds at home.

The picnic site is discreetly damp. Please don't drink and shoot, bush-walk or drive home.



When: Saturday 9 November, riders to meet at 11:00, picnic at 1:00. Site closes at 5:00pm

Where: Riding - [Rubicon Riding Centre, 534 Rubicon Rd, Kowai Bush.](#)

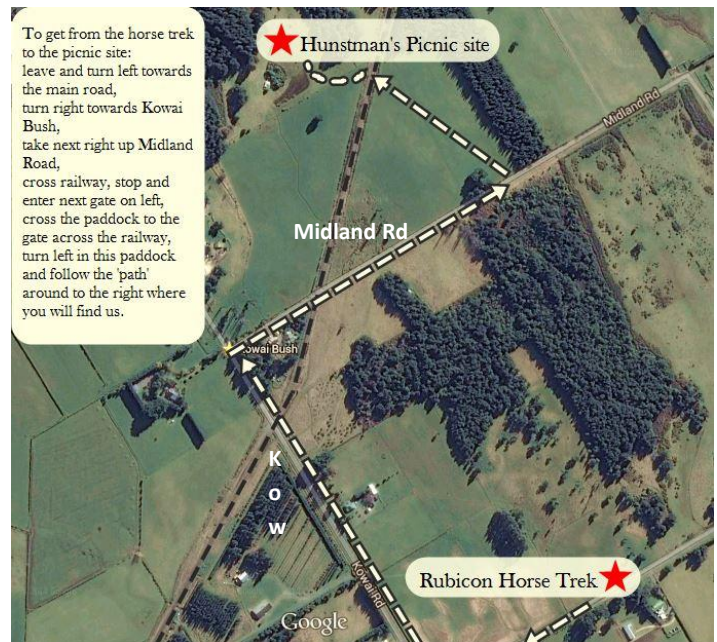
Take the West Coast road (SH 73) to the village of Springfield and turn right into Pocock Road. After a few minutes turn left into Kowai Road. Wind gently for a few minutes until you reach Rubicon Road. Turn right. We are just a few minutes down Rubicon Road on Rubicon Farm.

Picnic & Archery - [28 Midland Road, Kowai Bush.](#)

Take the West Coast road (SH 73) to the village of Springfield and turn right into Pocock Road. After a few minutes turn left into Kowai Road. Wind gently for a few minutes until you reach Midland Road. Turn right – enter the first paddock on the left (will have SCA signs on gate) and follow the 'path' across the paddock, through the gate, over the railway line and other gate, turn left over the little bridge and keep following the path... you are there. Please shut the gates.

Please note: you will pass over the railway lines several times – most of these crossings are not controlled so please exercise caution.

<https://goo.gl/maps/8pQJx>



Transport

I realise that this is a fair distance from Christchurch. Please consider offering others a lift out if you have room. If there are a number of people requiring transport we can investigate shuttles so please contact the steward (below).

Costs

Riders - \$55 to be paid direct to Rubicon.

Site – \$4 per person over 12 (+ \$2 event membership fee from non-members 18 or over), free for under 12s.

Catered Picnic (optional) - \$7 per person over 12 (half for kids).

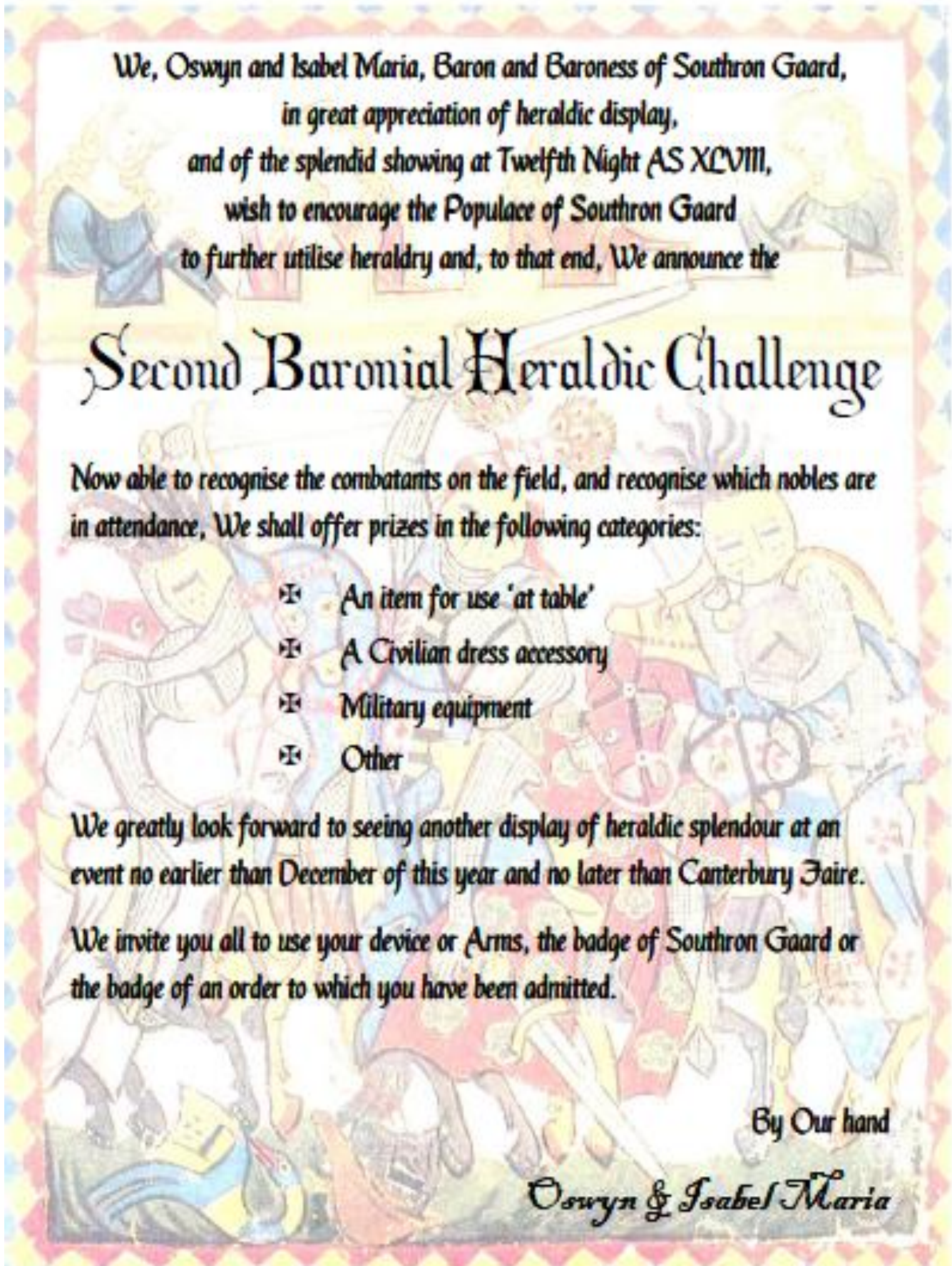
You are welcome to bring your own picnic. Please note there are no cooking facilities.

Bookings

Please book online at <http://bit.ly/1vyBF2E> for the riding by Sunday 16th November (last day of Golden Flight).

Please book for the catered picnic by emailing or phoning Baroness Eleanora by the evening of Friday 21st November.

Please direct all event enquiries to Baroness Eleanora van den Bogaerde (Simone Hindin) hindins@gmail.com, 03 3181561 (evenings only).



We, Oswyn and Isabel Maria, Baron and Baroness of Southron Gaard,
in great appreciation of heraldic display,
and of the splendid showing at Twelfth Night AS XLVIII,
wish to encourage the Populace of Southron Gaard
to further utilise heraldry and, to that end, We announce the

Second Baronial Heraldic Challenge

Now able to recognise the combatants on the field, and recognise which nobles are
in attendance, We shall offer prizes in the following categories:

- ✦ An item for use 'at table'
- ✦ A Civilian dress accessory
- ✦ Military equipment
- ✦ Other

We greatly look forward to seeing another display of heraldic splendour at an
event no earlier than December of this year and no later than Canterbury Faire.

We invite you all to use your device or Arms, the badge of Southron Gaard or
the badge of an order to which you have been admitted.

By Our hand

Oswyn & Isabel Maria

The Barony of Southron Gaard Presents

Canterbury Faire 2015

"Revenge of the Dauphin"

The nobility of France is hereby summoned to arms and is ordered to assemble at Reuen, wherefrom we will harry and assault the forces of the presumptuous brigand, Henry V of England until they are crushed beneath our sturdy horses' hooves or lay down their arms and surrender to the justice of our puissant lord, Louis, Dauphin of France.

All nobles should provide men, weapons, armour and provisions for a campaign not less than 3 months in duration, from August 1415 to October 1415, during which time we will assault the English forces from Harfleur to Agincourt, after which we expect Henry to be enjoying the accommodations of the Bastille.

Join the Barony of Southron Gaard for Canterbury Faire, the largest SCA event in the Crescent Isles, and a showcase of the talent of all of Lochac.

Dates: Saturday 17th to Sunday 25th January, 2015

Location: 137 Darnley Road, Waipara, New Zealand

Steward: THL Richard d'Allier, cf@sg.lochac.sca.org

Information and Bookings: <http://southrongaard.sca.org.nz/cf/>

Pricing (before 1 December):

Full Event: Adult \$125, Child (5-15) \$65

Individual Days (per day): Adult \$17, Child \$8

Individual Nights (per night): Adult \$8.50, Child \$4

Meal Plan: Adult \$75, Child \$45

Feast: Adult \$25, Child \$12

Repast: Adult \$12, Child \$7

Tent Hire: \$30 Bunkrooms: \$1 per night

Mattresses (2): \$2 per night or \$10 for whole event

T-Shirt: \$25 Script Bag: \$14

Etiquette of Camping

The etiquette of camping in the SCA is one of those delicate topics that can cause offence when raised and absolutely ruin an event when ignored. Generally it is simply a matter of common sense and remembering the ideals of chivalry and courtesy while going about your business. The following Golden Rules of SCA Camping Etiquette are followed throughout the Known World.

1. Never enter a tent or encampment uninvited.

While onsite a person's tent, bunkroom or encampment is their home. Don't wander through on your way elsewhere and use only the designated entrances. Simply call "hello the camp" (or knock or ring the bell) to establish if anyone is home and receiving visitors. (Remember, there are some things you don't want to walk in on!)

2. Never sit in someone else's chair uninvited.

If you do end up taking someone's seat, always vacate it when the owner returns. They have lugged this comfort to site so don't deny them the use of it. This is especially true of fighters. (Also, they are heavy, smelly and have limited vision if they haven't taken their helm off. Stay seated at your peril.)

3. Tents are only made of canvas.

Always remember that tents do not muffle noise and private discussions can be heard clearly for some distance. In a similar vein, keep your noise down in 'residential' areas. (Also remember that tents can conspire with lighting to make you the unwitting star of an entertaining shadow play for your neighbours.)

4. Always leave space between tents.

While this is primarily a fire safety issue, it is also one of privacy—for you and for them. (We refer you to rule #3, and the concept of things you don't want to know.)

5. Don't block other campers.

Avoid setting up between an encampment (or tent) and an arterial route without the agreement of the established campers. (Nothing wrecks a night faster than someone tripping over your ropes and falling through your tent as they sleepily make their way to the loo.)

6. Keep the 'mundanities' to a minimum.

For example, hide your camera when it's not in use, keep your laptop in your tent, turn your cell phone off (if you can) and put your sunglasses away after dark.

7. Be kind with lighting

Avoid flashing your torch in people's faces and remember that one seriously bright lamp can wreck the ambience of several encampments. Limit their use to set up/take down and inside tents if possible. (Don't forget rule #3 if you choose to use them. Trust me.)

8. Meal times are sacred.

It may often seem like meal times are the only times that stewards and officers can be tracked down, but unless it is an emergency, allow them to eat in peace. It may be the only time-off they get all day. (Also, a 20 minute delay is usually preferable to a frazzled officer with low blood-sugar.)

9. Pick up after yourself.

Not only will other attendees appreciate not falling over your stuff during the event but this is by far the best way to keep track of your belongings. (Nothing is more annoying than wandering around the whole site looking for some small and obscure (but vitally important) do-dah just before fighting begins.)

10. Leave the site tidier than you found it.

This is an SCA tradition, and one we take seriously. Once you have packed up your gear, do a grid-search of your encampment picking up all the rubbish before disposing of it properly.

11. No means NO

This really isn't that hard to understand and applies in numerous situations.

these 11 Golden Rules will stand you in good stead anywhere in the Known World.

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Of course there are plenty of other guidelines and rules that different groups (baronies, shires, households etc) follow in order to make camping more pleasant, but

Fire Policy

This is the provisional fire policy for Canterbury Faire 2015. If you have any questions about anything fire-related at Canterbury Faire, please contact the fire marshal - Angele Marie de Savigny (Kerry McSaveney) - seraphim@orcon.net.nz. Angele will liaise with the appropriate fire authorities before & during the event. **Fire Season:** The Waipara Boys Brigade Camp is located within a 1km fire safety margin of Department of Conservation land therefore DOC will decide what Fire Season applies in their areas.

Current Fire Season (as at 7 November 2014): Restricted

Predicted Fire Season for Canterbury Faire 2015: Restricted. This is of course weather dependant up to Canterbury Faire.

General: Event rules require each occupied tent to have fire-fighting materials (fire extinguisher or bucket of sand or water) close at hand, regardless of whether there are BBQs, or candles, or campfires being used nearby. The fire extinguisher in your tent may be needed to save someone else's. Bunkroom heaters should not be used to dry clothing, etc.

Barbeques: Gas barbecues, and gas or liquid-fuelled cookers may be used regardless of the Fire Season. Charcoal barbecues must follow the same rules as campfires. Site rules require that barbecues are used in areas that have access to taps, on the concrete pads provided, or similar non-flammable ground cover.

Smoking: Site rules state that smoking is prohibited in all buildings. Do not smoke near doorways. Use appropriate means of extinguishing cigarettes outside, and make sure your cigarette is fully extinguished before disposing of it in an appropriate receptacle. We have had ashtray fires in the past. During a Prohibited fire season please smoke away from vegetation on non-grassed areas such as the road behind the Mangy Mongol.

Candles, Lanterns and Tiki Torches: Site rules state that candles must be enclosed in lanterns, and not left unattended. Gas lanterns are permitted. Tiki torches are prohibited.

Campfires and Braziers: Department of Conservation rules state that campfires, including charcoal barbecues, (and braziers, and forges) must not be lit during a Prohibited Fire Season. If we are fortunate enough to have a Restricted Fire Season, campfires may be lit with the following restrictions:

- The fire must be sited at least three metres away from any tree, other vegetation, or structure (or tent).
- The fire must not be sited under any overhanging vegetation
- Firewood must be stored at least three metres away from the fire
- The ground surface must be cleared of all combustible materials within three metres of the fire
- Fires lit on the ground must have a stone (or concrete, or brick, or earth) surround
- The fire must not be lit when wind or other factors may cause it to escape
- There must be some method of extinguishing the fire close at hand.

Campfires should not be left unattended while burning. Extinguish them fully before going to bed. The fire doesn't have to have someone staring at it constantly to be attended. Ashes & coals must be disposed of carefully when completely cold.

Clay Oven: The clay oven may be used regardless of the Fire Season as it is not an open fire. There must be some method of extinguishing the fire close at hand and the oven should not be left unattended while in use.

Have you written an award recommendation recently?

Too often people who contribute much to the society are overlooked when it comes to recognition of their work. Sometime people assume they already have an award while others do not know that anyone can recommend people for awards.

Please take a few minutes to write a missive to bring the efforts and skills of someone you know to the attention of your local Baron and Baroness, or the King and Queen of Lochac.

For Kingdom awards: <http://lochac.sca.org/canon/recommend.php>

For Baronial awards: email BandB@sg.lochac.sca.org

To see what awards people already have, go to <http://lochac.sca.org/canon/>

Follow this link <http://lochac.sca.org/canon/award.php?show=index&init=Lochac> to see the awards Lochac have to offer.

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December 2014

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MARTIAL PRACTICES

Heavy Combat Practice* Sundays from 10am–noon at Redwood Scout Hall. Thursdays from 6pm–8pm at park at end of Jasmine Place, Wigram.

Rapier Practice* — Sundays at Redwood Scout Hall from noon.

Archery* — on fine Sundays at Redwood Scout Hall.

Email: archers@sg.lochac.sca.org

ARTS GATHERINGS

Stuff Night — from 7:30pm on the second Tuesday of the month. 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 third Tuesday of the month. Location to be advised on SG list each month.

ORGANISATIONAL MEETING

Council Meeting — Second Wednesday of the month, from 7:30pm. Upper Riccarton Public Library, 71 Main South Road.

All welcome..

Southron Gaard Regnum

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

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Officer Vacancies

If you are interested in taking one of these roles please review the job outline on the website here

<http://sg.lochac.sca.org/regnum.shtml>

Rapier Captain Wanted

Do you enjoy rapier? Do you attend the practices? Would you like to be the new Captain of Rapier? Our current Captain of Rapiers' term has ended as of now.

Email your application to: rapier@lochac.sca.org with copies to seneschal@sg.sca.org.nz & bandb@sg.sca.org.nz.

Constable Needed

Do you like smoothly run events? Would you like to be our next Constable?

Our current Constable term runs out this month.

Email your application to: constable@lochac.sca.org with copies to seneschal@sg.sca.org.nz & bandb@sg.sca.org.nz.

Herald Wanted

Would you like to help the B&B at court? Would you like to be our next Herald?

Our current Herald steps down at Golden Flight.

Email your application to: herald@lochac.sca.org with copies to seneschal@sg.sca.org.nz & bandb@sg.sca.org.nz.

Applications close 18th October.

Captain of Archers

Are you interested in Archery? Do you attend the practices? Do you want to see more Archery?

The current Captain's warrant has run out.

Email your application to: archer@lochac.sca.org with copies to seneschal@sg.sca.org.nz & bandb@sg.sca.org.nz.

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

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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>

**Incipient Canton of
Wildmoor**

WELLINGTON

Shire of Darton

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

Sun: Fight Practice

Tues: Arts & Sciences

**College of St Aemigdius
(dormant)**

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

AUCKLAND

Barony of Ildhafn

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

Sunday: A & S, Singing

Monday: Sewing

(biweekly)

Wednesday: Fencing

Thursday: Dance

**College of St Dionysius
(dormant)**

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

HAMILTON

Canton of Cluain

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

Wed: Fight Practice (non SCA)

3rd Sat: Hastilude

3rd Sun: Archery



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:

Membership + e-Pegasus (PDF) **

1 year

☐ \$15

3 years

☐ \$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.
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If you have queries about this form or your membership, please feel free to contact the Registrar, Elizabeth Kent, at registrar@sca.org.nz. For urgent matters, phone the Registrar at (03) 960 0452 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'.

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