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A Note from Their Excellencies...



Photo credit: Barones Machteld Cleine

Greetings to Our most noble populace! November began with a bang at Crown Tourney. It was a gorgeous day, filled with pomp, pageantry and friendship. Not only did we see the crowning of the Kingdom's newest Heirs, Prince Anton and Princess Luned, we also were delighted to witness the Coill's own Mistress Brig's recognition as a member of the Order of the

Pelican. Their Royal Majesties were very sneaky and lulled her into complacency by first calling up Lord Alexander to receive a Silver Nautilus and asking his proud parents to come forward as well.

Though mundane matters kept Us from Falcon Cree's Heraldic Symposium, We were delighted to hear that the teachers there had well over a century of combined heraldic experience. On January 11, Falcon Cree is hosting a garb workshop at the same site, so make plans to join Us (or at least me) there!

The weather failed to cooperate for the Medieval Art in the Park. We applaud the decision to re-schedule the demo (new date still pending). Weather that foul was a guarantee that no interested individuals were going to venture out to see Us.

Much fun was had at Silver Chalice. Attendance was small, but the day was pleasant indeed and very relaxing.

Anticipation is reaching a fever pitch for Yule Toy Tourney. We expect this event to be incredible! I am so excited about the Mari Lwyd Bardic Smackdown! And We just learned this week that Prince Anton and Princess Luned are planning to attend. We very much look forward to getting to know Them better and showing off Our lovely lands and generous populace.

*Yours in Service,
Elphín and Delia, Baron and Baroness*

Baronial Progress:

Dec

14 Yule Toy Tourney

Jan

- 11 *Garb Workshop*
- 18 *Kingdom 12th Night (Delia)*
- 25 *Tourney of Manannan mac Lir XL*

Feb

- 14-16 *Nottingham Coill's XL-ent 40th Birthday*
- 21-23 *Ymir*

From the Seneschal's Pen...



Photo credit: Lady Diana of Windmasters' Hill

Greetings unto the Barony!

It's hard to believe that December is here already. This year has really flown by! I hope everyone had a good and restful Thanksgiving, and is looking forward to the upcoming holiday season.

Yule Toy Tourney is upon us! Lady Merewyn has been working hard to put on a wonderful event. Yule Toy Tourney has always been one of my favorite events. It's fun, it's relaxing, and it's for a good cause. Last year, we brought in 1099 toys. Let's see if you can top that this year! I hope to see everyone there, it's going to be a lot of fun!

Atlantian Twelfth Night is coming up in January, being held in Roanoke, VA. Hotel rooms are sold out, but there are rooms available at nearby hotels. Our friends to the east, the Barony of Hidden Mountain, are having the Tourney of Mannanan Mac Lir at the end of January. That's another fun, relaxing event that I always enjoy going to.

Don't forget that Nottingham Coill's XL-ent 40th Birthday Bash is coming up in February. A website is being worked on, I promise! It is on the Atlantian Calendar, so go ahead and send in your reservations!

We are still in need of someone to fill the Baronial Chatelaine position! Please talk to me or Their Excellencies at Yule Toy if you are interested!

I'll close out this month's letter with the word "Family". Family can mean many things to many people. To some, it's blood relations. To others, its people brought together by circumstances. It can also be chosen. In my 10 years of being in the SCA, I can truly say I have found my family. With the people in the SCA, especially those in Atlantia, and most specifically the people of the Barony of Nottingham Coill, I have my home. We are a family. That's what makes events like Yule Toy Tourney so much fun. We are all coming together and enjoying the day.

As this holiday season approached, however you celebrate it (or don't), know that your chosen family is always there for you.

*Maistir Cian mac Ceallachain h'Uí Dublaich
Baronial Seneschal*

Vivant, Hooray, and Congratulations!

There are no recognitions this month that I'm aware of, as we are between events. I'm sure there will be plenty in next month after Yule Toy Tourney.

Make sure to get recommendations in to their Excellencies and to Their Majesties!

I would like to commend Master Hagar the Black for autocrating the successful Heraldic Symposium back in November. There were quite a few heralds and scribes, and some great and enjoyable classes. I believe he told me there were about 135 years of heraldic experience teaching that day. It was quite impressive, and a good time!

See you next month!

*Maistir Cian mac Ceallachain h'Ui Dublaich
Seneschal, Barony of Nottingham Coill*

Baronial Officer Position Open!

Hear ye, hear ye!

We still have one Baronial Office open in the barony that we need to fill.

Chatelaine

Lady Altani is moving up to the Southern Regional Chatelaine position, and thus is leaving the Baronial Chatelaine office open for someone to step up and fill. She is leaving big shoes to fill!

The Baronial Chatelaine is the face of the Barony, helping with recruitments, demos, Gold Key at events, holding/encouraging Newcomer classes, and basically helping to get new people into the SCA and keep them here. If you are interested in either of these two Baronial officer positions, please send a letter expressing your interest to myself (cian@sc.rr.com) and to Their Excellencies (Baronage@nottinghillcoil.atlantia.sca.org) before Monday, November 25. If you have any questions about the position and the responsibilities, please reach out to the current officers or myself.

-Maistir Cian

Baronial Seneschal

Stained Glass 101 - Part One: Decisions

....by Cyneswith of the Quiet

Stained glass is a hobby for the fastidious person with no regard for personal safety. Broken glass, metal tape, caustic chemicals, molten lead, mixing water and electricity, it's got it all. Imagine if a painting spontaneously combusted because of a stray paint droplet on the corner - that's the level of feedback you get from your material. It's hard to have a finished piece that you got wrong.

Many decisions are made with each stained-glass project. At the start, one usually has a basic image and intent in mind, but one cannot even get to pattern drafting without making several key decisions.

The first decision is if you intend to paint/stain your glass or not. I do not recommend painting or staining for a beginner - the glass is fun and difficult enough on its own. It IS, however, the easiest way to get detail into your glass work. I have yet to do period-style painting on glass, aside from calligraphy, but my such project is in progress (so I can write THAT article when the time comes.) Glass painting is best done with enamel. While it is possible to do so with acrylic, it will end up flaking or peeling off with standard cleaning. Glass staining and firing is not only the most durable option, but it is also the period method. Unfortunately, it can be exponentially more difficult in terms of equipment access. Glass-staining requires dedicated kiln space, as certain glass stains interact very badly with certain ceramic glazes.

The second decision to be made when approaching a stained-glass project is the method of connecting your glass together. This affects what type of pattern you can use. The most common method for hobbyists is the foil method, as more detailed piecing is possible. Each piece has copper foil tape pressed along the edges, and the pieces are held together with solder. The more period,

and more architecturally-sound, method is leading. Lead came (H or C shaped strips of lead) is cut to length, glass pieces are slotted in, and the lead is soldered at the joints. Foil supplies are easier to find, as is foil instruction. We probably have the Tiffany company and their lamps to thank for that. There are considerably fewer steps with leading, but detailed piecing is difficult to attain, and errors in grinding/glass shapes are harder to assess.

The next decision is what type of glass to use. Is this a medieval project, or modern? For presentation or practice? My personal favorite glass is Youghioghney glass - made famous by its use in Tiffany lamps. Used artfully with the foil method, you can achieve highlights, shadows, the look of dappled light through trees, etc., just with the glass itself. Youghioghney, however, is blatantly non-period, being multi-colored, the wrong texture, and sometimes iridescent. Stained glass in the medieval period was a single color, made via blowing molten glass into a mold. The modern equivalent of this is called antique glass, and is harder to find than machine-made alternatives. I mostly work with cathedral glass or water glass, which are far cheaper and easier to find. There are three types of commonly available cathedral glass - seedy, rolled, and plain. Seed glass has tiny air pockets, giving the glass extra sparkle. In period, it would have been considered low-quality and re-melted, as it is more susceptible to breakage. Rolled glass originated in the 1800s, over 200 years out of period, and is marginally less predictable with cutting. Plain cathedral glass, with no texture to speak of, would have been ideal, though water glass is closer to what would have been available. Cathedral glass and water glass have another benefit - they are predictable. In my experience, multicolored, rolled, and textured glass tends to break in less predictable ways, sometimes leading to a piece that has one face intact, and a split or missing shard on the other.

Those decisions made, one can move on the first fun part: pattern drafting. But that is an article for another edition of the Nottingham Quill.

Nottingham Coill's 40th Baronial Birthday Arts and Sciences Activities

...by Cyneswith of the Quiet

Bardic Exchange: Come talk and practice with other bards in the main hall

Display:

Heraldic Display: show off your best example of heraldry, especially Nottingham Coill and cantons' heraldry, past and present

40 Years Forward: An example of your earliest and most recent attempts in any art.

...And Onwards: As we celebrate our illustrious past, we also celebrate our future with a display of arts created by our youth

Competitions:

Bardic Competition: featuring Nottingham Coil history/stories

Pieces of Eight Largesse Derby: Eight items, with the submitters name and branch attached. Winner takes one item from each entry

Vos In Obsequium Nutriamus: Nottingham Coill's unofficial motto is "we feed you into submission." Show your chops by competing for best bread, cheese, side dish, dessert, and/or subtlety. Popular choice vote.

Champion's Tourney: Rules TBA

Yule Toy Tourney Youth Activities

....by Lady Cyneswith of Lost Forest

Once again, we shall learn about the ancient practice of wassailing! There shall be music! There shall be food! There shall be mulled cider!*

Additionally, there will be a station to make a holiday gift for a loved one. Beading (earrings and bracelets), sun-catchers, and hobby horse barding will be available.

If weather permits, there will be an outdoor activity hour, with potato sack racing, three-legged races, and palio racing.

Activity pouches will be available, and we encourage children (or adults) to use them during court.

10:00 - Beaded Jewelry/YAJA Div 1 Lapidary class

10:45 - Storytime

11:00 - Suncatchers

11:45 - Break

12:30 - Barding your palio pony

1:30 - Story time and Wassailing

2:00 - Break

3:30 - Games (outdoors if weather permits)

4:30 - Go and prepare thyself for court!

**Please inform Lady Cyneswith of any food allergies - she is happy to accommodate.*

Local Event Flyers

Yule Toy Tourney XIV

December 13 (5:00 PM) - 15 (12:00 PM), 2019
Barony of Nottingham Hill

BYOYule! That's right folks! Bring your own persona's Yule/Winter holiday traditions! If your persona would have done/made/ate it to celebrate, please share! Help us learn all about the various Yule/Winter traditions of your persona's culture at this inclusive, fun event wherein we also help out a local charity to bring Christmas cheer to less fortunate children in the upstate SC area. Yule Toy Tourney is the Barony of Nottingham Hill's annual charity event. Admission to the site is 1 new, unwrapped toy, and there is a fee of 1 new, unwrapped toy for every tournament and competition that you wish to enter. All toys are donated to Country Santa, a local charity for children.

Website: <https://labyrinthine0ne.wixsite.com/byoyule2019>

Fighting Heavy, Rapier, Archery, Thrown Weapons

Arts & Sciences: To be announced soon!

Feast: To be announced soon!

Merchanting:

Other: If you are unable to stay on site, here are some alternatives: Table Rock State Park Cabins <https://southcarolinaparks.com/table-rock/lodging> For Reservations call 1-866-345- PARK Just off Hwy 11 near site Hampton Inn Easley 864-343-3636 8 Southern Center Court Easley, SC 29640 Quality Inn & Suites 864-859-7520 5539 Calhoun Memorial Hwy Easley, SC 29640 Baymont Inn & Suites 864-306-9000 211 Dayton School Rd Easley, SC 29642 There are also nice options in Travelers Rest and Greenville that may be a closer option for you in your travel route.

	Day-Trip	Feast	Camping
Cost: Adult, Member	\$0.00	\$14.00	\$20.00
Adult, Non-Member	\$0.00	\$14.00	\$20.00
Youth (8-17)	\$0.00	\$10.00	\$10.00
Child (0-7)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Make Checks Payable To: SCA, Inc., Barony of Nottingham Hill

Cost Notes: Make Checks Payable To: SCA, Inc., Barony of Nottingham Hill Cost Notes: Site fee is one new, unwrapped toy for entry plus one new, unwrapped toy per tourney fought or activity participated in. Children 7 years and younger are guests of the Barony and are free.

Site: Table Rock Retreat and Conference Center 125 Bethany Cove Dr, Pickens, South Carolina 29671. The site opens at 6:00 pm on Friday, 12/13 and closes at 11:00 am on Sunday, 12/15.

Site Restrictions: No alcoholic beverages are permitted on site. No smoking or vaping on site!

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Directions:

From Northwest (Asheville, NC) -Best Route to Interstate 26 E -Take exit 54 to merge onto US- 25 S toward US-176/N Carolina 225/Greenville Entering South Carolina (16.3 mi) -Take the exit toward S Carolina 11 S/Cherokee Foothills Scenic Hwy (0.2 mi) -Turn left onto S Carolina 11 S/Cherokee Foothills Scenic Hwy (4.5 mi) - Turn right to stay on S Carolina 11 S/US- 276 N/Geer Hwy Continue to follow S Carolina 11 S (12.2 mi) -Turn right onto W Gate Rd (1.0 mi) - Turn left onto Bethany Cove Dr Destination will be on the left From the East (Columbia, SC) Best Route to Interstate 26 W -Slight left onto I-385 N (39.9 mi) -Take exit 40A to merge onto S Carolina 291 N/N Pleasantburg Dr (1.5 mi) -Turn left to stay on S Carolina 291 N/N Pleasantburg Dr (3.0 mi) -Continue onto S Carolina 253/Paris Mountain Rd/State Park Rd (0.1 mi) -Turn right onto US- 276 N/Poinsett Hwy -Continue to follow US-276 N (20.8 mi) -Continue onto S Carolina 11 S/S Carolina 8 E/Cherokee Foothills Scenic Hwy - Continue to follow S Carolina 11 S (6.8 mi) -Turn right onto W Gate Rd (1.0 mi) -Turn left onto Bethany Cove Dr . Destination will be on the left From the North (Charlotte, NC) Best Route to I- 85 S Entering South Carolina -Take exit 72 for US-176 toward I-585/Inman/Spartanburg (0.3 mi) -Slight right onto US-176 W/N Pine St ,Continue to follow US-176 W (13.4 mi) -Slight left onto S Carolina 11 S/Pine S, Continue to follow S Carolina 11 S (22.6 mi) -Turn right onto S Carolina 11 S/US-276 N/Geer Hwy, Continue to follow S Carolina 11 S (12.2 mi) -Turn right onto W Gate Rd (1.0 mi) -Turn left onto Bethany Cove Dr. Destination will be on the left. From the South (Atlanta, GA) Best Route to I-85 N Entering South Carolina -Take exit 1 for S Carolina 11 (0.4 mi) -Turn left onto S Carolina 11 N/Cherokee Foothills Scenic Hwy (50.3 mi) - Turn left onto W Gate Rd (0.5 mi) -Turn left onto Bethany Cove Dr. Destination will be on the left.

Garb Workshop

January 11 2020 (9:00 AM - 6:00 PM)
Barony of Nottingham Coill

This workshop celebrates the art of garb! Classes will include: Sewing with Fur, Hand Stitching Hems, A Survey of Women's Surcoats (with bonus medieval velvet and modern equivalents), Japanese Garb, Backwards Russian Gores, Making the Leine, and more. If you have a garb related class that you would like to offer as well, please contact the class coordinator, Mistress Deirdre Morgan at cindy0120 at gmail.com.

Fighting

Arts & Sciences: Garb-related classes.

Feast: Donation luncheon, with proceeds going to the site's Community Food Pantry Ministry.

Merchandising: Only if the merchandise is directly related to the subject of the workshop. Please contact the autocrat for information.

Other: Reservations: Reservations not needed or accepted

	Day-Trip	Feast	Camping
Adult, Member	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Adult, Non-Member	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Youth (-)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Child (0-)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Make Checks Payable To: SCA, Inc., Barony of Nottingham Coill

Cost Notes: Site fee is a donation of non-perishable food items to the hosting church's Community Food Pantry Ministry.

Site: St. Matthews Episcopal Church 101 St Matthews Ln Spartanburg, SC 29301

Site Restrictions: No Styrofoam allowed on site.

Autocrat: Hagar the Black (Rich Coleman), 489 Rebel Ridge Rd,, Lyman, SC 29365, Phone: (303) 587-0345, E-mail:

Reservations: Send reservations to autocrat

Directions:

Take your best route to I-26 in Spartanburg, exit 21- B (U.S. 29). Go east on U.S. 29 appx. 1/2 mile to St Matthews Lane / Winchester Place Turn Left (north) and go 400 ft. The church is on your left.

Tourney of Manannan mac Lir XL

January 25 2020 (09:00 AM - 11:00 PM)
Canton of Tear-Seas Shore

What? Winter's got you down? Need something to tide you over after 12th night? Well, the Canton of Tear Sea's Shore has got just the tournament for you! And it is even extra large, befitting the 40th anniversary of the famous Mannanan mac Lir Tournament! Plenty of fighting will be available with the tradition Brooch of Mannanan Tourney, with bragging rights to the oldest continuously awarded tourney prize up for grabs. And just to make it more challenging, each competitor must come up with a boast about his or her prowess before taking the field, sponsored by Mistress Adendra! What, that's not enough fighting? Well, how about a Great Weapons tourney to help satisfy the need! And don't forget our Rapier Fighters, with their own Brooch Tourney, and a Cut and Thrust Tourney to follow. The youth of Atlantia will be pleased to know that they also are promised a fun tourney from Lord Robert the Banished!

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Arts & Sciences:

The more artistically inclined will find they will be challenged by a fiber arts competition sponsored by Mistress Alisoun, a largess completion benefiting our Baron and Baroness of Hidden Mountain, and a scroll blank competition sponsored by Master Geoffrey, with a Celtic theme, incorporating knotwork or zoomorphics. A fiber Solar will be running during the day, and it is rumored that a basket class may be occurring during the day. And of course, there will be a Bardic Competition!

Feast:

But wait, there's more! A feast to tempt your palate from the hands of the Three Barons! With plenty of good eats to top off your day! Contact Baron Ingvar Erlingson (mka Norm Smith) (email norm.e.smith@gmail.com) with any food concerns.

Merchanting:

Contact the autocrat if you wish to Merchant.

Other:

Cost:

	Day-Trip	Feast	Camping
Adult, Member	8.00	10.00	\$0.00
Adult, Non-Member	13.00	10.00	\$0.00
Youth (5-17)	5.00	10.00	\$0.00
Child (0-4)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Make Checks Payable To:

SCA, Inc., Canton of Tear-Seas Shore

Cost Notes:

Site: Where, you ask, is the location of this wonderful extra large event? The Harleyville Community Center will provide a lovely backdrop to the days activities. The address is 163 Railroad Ave, Harleyville, SC 29448.

Site Restrictions: No Camping is available at this site, but day shades are welcome. This is a dry site. No pets are allowed in the community center.

Autocrat: Mistress Aodh Adendra Marland (Brenda Butler), 1112 Grapevine Rd, Ridgeville, SC 29472, Phone: (843) 670-4855, E-mail: adendra@homesc.com

Reservations: Mistress Alisoun MacCoul of Elphane (E. L. Wimmett), PO Box 522, Mt. Pleasant, SC 29465, Phone: (843) 209-1425, E-mail: silverdragon@charleston.net

Directions:

Take best route to I-26 to Exit 177 - Harleyville, near Charleston, SC. If coming from the east, turn right onto SC-453 (Judge St) towards Harleyville. If coming from westbound, turn left onto SC-453 (Judge St). Go 1.3 miles and turn left onto W Main St, go 0.3 miles and take second right onto Railroad Ave. Site is 0.2 miles down on the left.

Nottingham Coill's XL-ent 40th Birthday

February 14 (5:00 PM) - 16 (12:00 PM), 2020
Barony of Nottingham Coill

Join the Barony of Nottingham Coill as we celebrate our 40th birthday as the verdant jewel in the Crown of Atlantia. Today, as we come together for fun, fighting, fellowship, and food, we look back fondly at 40 years of existence, from the humble start by Master Gavin Reynes, our founding Baron, to our current Baron Elphin and Baroness Delia. Come join us for lots of fun and excitement! Stay for the food, for in Nottingham Coill, we WILL feed you into submission!

Fighting Armored, Rapier, Archery, Thrown Weapons (maybe) Baronial Champions competitions

Arts & Sciences: Baronial Champions competitions. Other A&S to be announced soon.

Feast: Feast being provided by the Three Barons . Feast menu to be released soon!

Merchanting: Merchant's welcome!

Other:

	Day-Trip	Feast	Camping
Cost: Adult, Member	\$15.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
Adult, Non-Member	\$20.00	\$12.00	\$8.00

Youth (5-17)	\$5.00	\$5.00	\$8.00
Child (0-4)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Make Checks Payable To: SCA, Inc., Barony of Nottingham Coill

Cost Notes: There is limited cabin space and tent camping is allowed. Cabin camping is \$8, tent camping is \$5

Site: Camp Sandy Ridge, 3681 Girl Scout Road, Bennettsville, SC 29512 Site opens on Friday at 5 PM and closes Sunday at Noon. The cabins are 6 person cabins, with individual bunks and 2 inch thick mattresses. Electricity is available in each cabin, and the heaters work VERY well. Cabins are 6 person cabins, with beds and with very efficient heaters. Windows all have blinds on them.

Site Restrictions: No pets. Smoking in designated areas only. No open flame in feast hall. No ground fires. Wet site, but be discrete.

Autocrat: Maistir Cian mac Ceallachain hUi Dublaich (Craig Dooley), 181 Banbury Rd, Columbia, SC 29210, Phone: (803) 422-9534, E-mail: cian@sc.rr.com

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Directions:

From the South: Take your best route to Highway 52 south of Society Hill. Take Hwy. 52 North into Society Hill. In Society Hill, follow Highway 401, NOT Hwy. 52, which bears left. Follow Hwy. 401 straight through Society Hill (Gailey and Lord plant will be on the left as leave Society Hill). Go 7 miles, look for Hwy. 912. Turn LEFT onto Hwy. 912. Follow Hwy. 912 for 8 miles until ends at Hwy. 9. Turn LEFT onto Hwy. 9 and then turn RIGHT onto Ebenezer Rd. (you will see a church and a water tower). Follow Ebenezer Rd. for 3 1/2 miles. Sandy Ridge will be on the RIGHT.

From North of Bennettsville: take your best route to Hwy. 9 near Pageland/Cheraw. Take Hwy. 9 East towards Bennettsville. Look for water tower on LEFT of highway before Bennettsville. Turn LEFT onto Ebenezer Rd/water tower turn). Ebenezer United Methodist Church will be on your RIGHT after you turn onto Ebenezer Rd. Follow Ebenezer Rd. for 3 1/2 miles. Sandy Ridge will be on your RIGHT.

Upcoming Events in the Kingdom

Key

R: Royal Progress

K: King's Progress

Q: Queen's Progress

H: Highnesses' Progress

P: Prince's Progress

Pr: Princess' Progress

December 2019

7	UnEvent (R)	Atlantia	Waldorf, MD (Map)
13-15	Yule Toy Tourney XIV	Nottinghamhill Coill	Pickens, SC (Map)
14	Celebration of Yule	Ponte Alto	Fairfax, VA (Map)
15	Caer Mear Yule	Caer Mear	Richmond, VA (Map)

January 2020

11	Garb Workshop	Nottinghamhill Coill	Spartanburg,, SC (Map)
18	Kingdom 12th Night (R)	Atlantia	Roanoke, VA (Map)
25	Tourney of Manannan mac Lir XL (R)	Tear-Seas Shore	Harleyville, SC (Map)
25	Midwinter's 2020	Lochmere	Severna Park, MD (Map)

February 2020

1	Winter University	Dun Carraig	St Mary's City, MD (Map)
8	Bright Hills 26th Baronial Anniversary (R)	Bright Hills	Manchester, MD (Map)
14-16	Nottinghamhill Coill's XL-ent 40th Birthday	Nottinghamhill Coill	Bennetsville, SC (Map)
15	A Day of Love	Marinus	Virginia Beach, VA (Map)
21-23	Ymir 45 (R)	Windmasters' Hill	Ellerbe, NC (Map)

March 2020

7	<u>Kingdom Arts & Sciences Festival</u> (R)	Atlantia	Matthews, NC (<u>Map</u>)
14-22	<u>Gulf Wars XXIX</u> (R)	Gleann Abhann	
14	<u>St Patty's Day Blood Bath</u>	Ponte Alto	Vienna, VA (<u>Map</u>)
14	<u>Raven's Cove Baronial Birthday (Battle of Brunaburh)</u>	Raven's Cove	Richlands, NC (<u>Map</u>)
14	<u>A Day of Da Vinci</u>	Cydrllan Downs	Trenton, SC (<u>Map</u>)
21	<u>Caer Mear Baronial Birthday</u>	Caer Mear	Mechanicsville, VA (<u>Map</u>)
27-29	<u>Hidden Mountain Birthday and Investiture</u> (R)	Hidden Mountain	Bennettsville, SC (<u>Map</u>)
28	<u>Defending the Gate 2020</u>	Sudentorre	Spotsylvania, VA (<u>Map</u>)

April 2020

4	<u>Spring Coronation</u>	Atlantia	
17-19	<u>Night on the Town 2020</u>	Lochmere	Annapolis, MD (<u>Map</u>)
18	<u>Birthday of the Dragon</u>	Saint Georges	Easley, SC (<u>Map</u>)
24-26	<u>Mists of Atlantia: Gawain and the Green Knight</u>	Misty Marsh by the Sea	Bennettsville, SC (<u>Map</u>)
24-26	<u>Revenge of the Stitch VII</u>	Spiaggia Levantina	Denton, MD (<u>Map</u>)
24-26	<u>Royal Archery Tournament</u>	Bright Hills	Glen Arm, MD (<u>Map</u>)

May 2020

2	<u>Atlantian Spring Crown Tournament</u> (R)	Atlantia	Leesburg, VA (<u>Map</u>)
8-10	<u>Hawkwood Baronial Birthday</u>	Hawkwood	Booneville, NC (<u>Map</u>)
9	<u>On Target</u>	Lochmere	Annapolis, MD (<u>Map</u>)
15-17	<u>War College</u>	Sacred Stone	Boonville, NC (<u>Map</u>)
22-25	<u>Ruby Joust IX</u>	Caer Mear	Courtland, VA (<u>Map</u>)
29-31	<u>Highland River Melees</u>	Highland Foorde	Hagerstown, MD (<u>Map</u>)

June 2020

5-7	<u>SAAD - Oh, For Cog's Sake</u>	Crois Brigitte	Boonville, NC (<u>Map</u>)
6	<u>Skewered!</u>	Roxbury Mill	Gaithersburg, MD (<u>Map</u>)
13	Summer University	Atlantia	
19-21	<u>Tourney of the Sun</u>	Charlesbury Crossing	Apex, NC (<u>Map</u>)
27	<u>The Lochmere Arrow Shoot</u>	Stierbach	Spotsylvania, VA (<u>Map</u>)

July 2020

24-9	Pennsic War	Aethelmearc	
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August 2020

No scheduled events

September 2020

3-7	<u>Hastilude at the Hollow VI</u>	Black Diamond	Raphine, VA (<u>Map</u>)
4-7	<u>Battle on the Bay</u>	Storvik	Upper Marlboro, MD (<u>Map</u>)
12	<u>Fall University</u>	Atlantia	
18-20	<u>Trial by Fire</u>	Bright Hills	Glen Arm, MD (<u>Map</u>)
19	<u>Festival of Elvegast: Journey to Avallon</u>	Elvegast	Hillsborough, NC (<u>Map</u>)
25-27	<u>Midnight at the Oasis</u>	Nimenefeld	Apex, NC (<u>Map</u>)
26	<u>Stierbach Baronial Birthday</u>	Stierbach	Spotsylvania, VA (<u>Map</u>)

October 2020

3	<u>Fall Coronation</u>	Atlantia	
10-11	<u>The Wild Hunt</u>	Ponte Alto	TBD, VA (<u>Map</u>)
13-18	<u>War of the Wings XV Atlantia's 40th Birthday Party</u>	Atlantia	Boonville, NC (<u>Map</u>)

November 2020

7	<u>Fall Crown Tourney</u>	Atlantia	
13-15	<u>Red Mountain Mead Hall</u>	Isenfir	Charlottesville, VA (<u>Map</u>)

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Good evening friends and neighbors! I hope that this evening finds you all warm and comfortable! This is the perfect time of year to embark on new projects! We would LOVE to hear about what you're up to! Please think of writing up an article about your winter escapades! Yule Toy Tourney is right around the corner! Please share your experiences at the event with the Quill!

Should you choose to submit an article or work for the Quill, please include the appropriate release form or a clear statement in e-mail that your submission can be used in the Nottingham Hill Quill. Please send submissions to me at (chronicler@nottinghamhillcoill.atlantia.sca.org). You can find the release forms at <http://chronicler.atlantia.sca.org/Releases.html> Also, please do not send me submissions via Facebook because it is much harder to keep up with all of them there. A.K.A. I will most assuredly lose them and then we'll both be sad ☹️

*Yours in Service to the Dream,
Lady Merewyn Scharp, Baronial Chronicler*