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Baronial Activities Schedule

Newcomers Night

1st Tuesday of every month at 7:30 PM – 9:00 PM TEMPORARILY CANCELLED IN PERSON – Virtual meeting

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church. 1489 Laskin Rd, Virginia Beach, VA

Business Meeting (Moot) VIRTUAL

2nd Tuesday of every month at 7:30 PM – 9:00 PM – Link to be provided Good Shepherd Lutheran Church. 1489 Laskin Rd, Virginia Beach, VA

Activities Night - VIRTUAL MEETINGS

The 3rd Tuesday is arts and sciences night. 7:30 - 9:00 PM TEMPORARILY CANCELLED The 4th Tuesday is scriptorium and game night. 7:30 - 9:00 PM TEMPORARILY CANCELLED If there is a 5th Tuesday night it is also arts and sciences night. 7:30 - 9:00 PM TEMPORARILY CANCELLED

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Baronial website

http://www.baronyofmarinus.com

Content changes can be address to our Web Minister.

Baronial Facebook Group

https://www.facebook.com/groups/BaronyofMarinus/

We share some informal announcements and share content on our Facebook group. It's another way to stay connected with those in the Barony.

Kingdom eNewsletters

https://members.sca.org/apps/#SignIn

Log in with your SCA Member Portal username and password. This requires at least an associate membership to access. Please contact SCA corporate with any log in issues.



Moot Agenda

October 13, 2020 at 7:30 o'clock, PM.

Virtual Meeting

Officer Reports

Baron and Baroness/Nexcellencies:

Thank you to everyone who participated in Unevent. Marinus was well represented across the meetings. Additionally, thank you to those who wrote up a summary of a meeting. These notes have been compiled and will be distributed.

As you may have heard, all events are canceled through 5/31/21. This means KASF and investiture will be entirely virtual. However, we can still make it an amazing event! Details will come soon including a Marinus A&S display and how champions will be selected.

Even though in-person events are canceled, we can still hold baronial virtual activities. Join us this weekend for a Court Virtual Watch Party. It will be a great time to ask questions about awards and the OP. Then on the 18 Dec is our next Bards, Brewers and Bakers, with Gingerbread Houses and other holiday sweets! More details from our MOAS and on the baronial website.

Hope to keep seeing everyone in the virtual world.

Chronicler: I will be stepping down from my office and will need a replacement. Elections will be held in February.

Officers – please remember to email at chronicler@marinus.atlantia.sca.org your inputs for the agenda by the third of the month.

Chatelaine:

As always keep an eye out for newcomers in our virtual spaces.

- Court watch parties are a great place to interact with Newcomers in a virtual space, the more people that participate the better!

Kingdom Social Media and Chatelaine offices are working on collaborative effort for how Newcomers interact with our official virtual spaces

- Work on branding for consistency across official pages and groups
- there is an initiative to use Tik-tok for recruitment, contact me if you would like to be a part of this project.
- -We have been given a go-ahead for an Instagram account, more on that later.

Social Media

Gold Key Deputy:

Herald: CONGRATULATIONS to all the Marinusians who received awards at the Leon Court at Castillo Ponferrada on 14 November 2020:

Lord Johannes von Hammersbach - Companion of the King's Missileers

Lady Cecily Shore - Award of Arms

Lady Antoinette Argentina - Companion of the Coral Branch



And CONGRATULATIONS to the next Baron and Baroness of Marinus, Their Excellencies Paganus and Delecta.

Upcoming: Known world Heraldic and Scribal Symposium, the bonus plague edition, held 22-24 January 2021, starts January 22 at 3 pm pacific time or 6 pm eastern time, and ends January 24 at 6 pacific/9 eastern time.

I officially step down as Baronial Herald. Thank you all for your support and I look forward to assisting as needed for the next Baronial Herald. Thank you also to Baronial Deputy Herald, Magnifica Seraphina. I appreciate all you do!

Exchequer:

- 1. All bills are paid and the Barony currently enjoys a bank balance of \$7,666.19. Account balanced 12/06/2020 after receiving the bank statement on Sunday,12/06 (!). (signatures required).
- 2. I just received the signatory cards from the Virginia Regional Exchequer and the Kingdom Exchequer. I am in the process of setting up an appointment with our banking advocate to finalize their implementation. I will soon need to revise these to include the new Seneschal but that will be a local process. Thank you all for coming forward and helping me out on this.
- 3 I have sent out the Barony's Financial Policies to be reviewed by the Financial Committee and the Virginia Regional Exchequer only to find out at the Exchequer's UnEvent meeting that I will have to revise them again. I needed to revise them anyway to change out the signature lines.
- 4. It is also time for us to conduct an inventory of all Baronial Property. This means laying eyes and hands on every piece of property the Barony owns including contents of the Baronial Storage unit, regalia, gold key, cooking equipment, Pennsic encampment accessories (that are local), loaner armor (both armored and rapier), archery equipment, camping equipment, office machines, etc.
- 5. Next thing on the agenda will be a Review of Books in preparation for office turn over.

Quartermaster:

If anyone needs into the baronial storage unit, please contact Baroness Siobhan McKlinchey. (Sharon Heller)

Knight Marshal:

- 1. No official practices held during November 2020 to include Armored Combat, Rapier Combat, Youth Combat, Combat Archery, and Thrown Weapons. Virtual events as alternatives continue to be a viable option.
- 2. Official Target Archery practice held in accordance Kingdom of Atlantia established COVID-19 mitigation measures until 19 November 2020. Due to increased COVID-19 positivity rate in our area, target archery has been temporarily suspended until after the New Year.

Minister of Arts and Sciences:

If you are interested in a class or teaching a class, please contact MOAS.

12th night, Tempore Atlantia has been extended to being due on the 13th of Dec not the 6th. Please get those entries in.



University classes proposals are due Dec 11th, Feb 13th is university. Registration will close on Feb 11th, 2 days before the event starts.

Web Minister:

If any officer or member of the populace has an upcoming event, please let me know at webminister@marinus.atlantia.sca.org with the Zoom link so that I may update the webpage as soon as possible.

Mistress of the List:

Updated rapier forms are allowed. Check with your marshals for more guidance.

Seneschal:

All in-person events canceled through 5/31/21

Unevent notes have been compiled and will be distributed.

Herald and Exchequer vote, results in regnum below

Old Business:

Investiture - see next page

New Business:

New World Proposal - Passed



INVESTITURE/KASF

The event has been approved by the Kingdom Seneschal and submitted to Spike.

Currently, here is the plan:

After 12th Night -as soon as we can get a webpage up, we will have subordinate pages for each competition so the competitors can show their work. The same type of page would be available for those doing displays, as well as a link to Marinus' Investiture page.

All competitors will have contact information listed which will enable those who view their work to send them observations and assistance. Some may not want that - we will ensure they have privacy if it is desired.

Uploads of displays or competition pieces end at 0001 Feb 20, 2021 but will be available for viewing until after the event. Judging will then commence. Video chatting for the judges can occur during the two weeks of judging so their scoring and feedback comments can be honed to be the most useful for the competitors, who will be able to see their forms after Royal Court.

Thurs, March 4 - Final scores are tallied.

Friday Night, March 5 at 7:00 we open a Bardic Circle. It'll end whenever the person hosting the zoom wears out. □

Saturday Mar 6 at 9:00am we open a general chat room along with various breakout rooms for classes & meetings, one of which will be the court of the outgoing Marinus Baron and Baroness, should they so wish.

1:00 - The beginning of the Gyrth Memorial Poetry Smackdown.

5:00 - Royal Court (assuming Their Majesties agree on this hour), which includes the investiture of the new Baron and Baroness of Marinus.

First Court of the new Baron and Baroness will be held in a break-out room following the end of Royal Court, again, should they so wish.

In the evening, IF IT WORKS OUT - a virtual ball. This is up in the air right now as an idea, not a done deal.

I am looking for someone willing to take on the job working with our Webminister Ian to design the Marinus Investiture page, which should highlight our outgoing Baron and Baroness and our incoming ones. I also think it'd be cool to have a history of our baronage, from the past to the present. The only other thing I'd like to make sure is shown is photos of the prizes our artisans have been creating for the soon-to-be new Baronial Champions, even though we cannot hold an event for them to be chosen until after May. Alternately, we here may want to discuss holding off on that until whichever event will encompass the competitions.



REGNUM Please, no calls after 8PM, Eastern time.

Baronage

Baron Jean Maurice (Curt Rhoades), Nov-20, baron@marinus.atlantia.sca.org baroness@marinus.atlantia.sca.org Baroness Catalina Riquel de Luna (Melissa Rhoades), Nov-20,

Seneschal

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Deputies:

Armored Combat: Master Donal MacRussairt Rapier: Baron Jean Maurice (Curt Rhoades) Archery: Lord Ivarr Thorgilsson (Samuel Peterson)

Thrown Weapons: Lord Paganus Akritas (Gregory Lemich)

Mistress of Arts and Sciences

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Deputy: Lady Alessandra di Monteriggioni (Monical Courtial)

Scriptorium:

Lord Kieran of Marinus (Kieran Williams)

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Deputy:

Baronial Minister(s) of the Lists

Lady Delecta Diana D'Averno (Jennifer Mitchell-Lemich) May-22

Deputy: Lord Paganus Akritas (Gregory Lemich)

Note: Officers, please send your updates and corrections to the chronicler at

chronicler@marinus.atlantia.sca.org



Key

R: Royal Progress **K**: King's Progress **Q**: Queen's Progress

H : Highnesses' Progress P : Prince's Progress Pr : Princess' Progress				
January 2021				
1	VIRTUAL EVENT: Windmasters' Hill Family Reunion	Windmasters' Hill	Raleigh, NC (<u>Map</u>)	
8-10	12th NIGHT / VIRTUAL ROYAL COURT: Catalan Court at Castell de Cardona (R)	Atlantia	Virtual, VA (<u>Map</u>)	
22-24	VIRTUAL ROYAL COURT: Andalucia Court at the Alhambra (R)	Atlantia	Virtual, SC (<u>Map</u>)	
30	CANCELLED The Feast of Manannan Mac Lir	Tear-Seas Shore	Harleyville, SC (<u>Map</u>)	
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February 2021				
13 20	ONLINE Winter University of Atlantia VIRTUAL EVENT: Bright Hills Baronial Birthday 26	Atlantia	of Atlantia, NC (<u>Map</u>) Virtual, MD (<u>Map</u>)	
20	Virtual Event Raven's Cove Baronial Birthday & Investiture	Raven's Cove	Jacksonville, NC (Map)	
20 27 28	Nottinghill Coill Baronial Birthday virtual event VIRTUAL: Ymir - The Giant Sleeps (R) Atlantian Kingdom Curia	Nottinghill Coill Windmasters' Hill Atlantia	, SC (<u>Map</u>) Virtual, NC Simpsonville, MD (<u>Map</u>)	
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March 2021				
5-6 13-14 26-27 27	Atlantian Kingdom Arts and Sciences Festival Webminister's Symposium VIRTUAL Defending the Gate VIRTUAL EVENT: Hidden Mountain Baronial Birthday	Marinus Atlantia Sudentorre Hidden Mountain	Virginia Beach, VA (<u>Map</u>) Virtual, MD Favorite chair, VA (<u>Map</u>) or Your Favorite Place!, SC	