

The background is a complex stained glass design. It features a central shield with a green field containing a white eagle with spread wings, perched on a cypress branch. Above the eagle is a laurel wreath. The shield is set within a circular frame with red and blue segments. The entire design is surrounded by a network of black lines forming a web-like pattern, with green vine motifs and small yellow flowers interspersed.

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FROM THE BARON & BARONESS:

Happy New Year to the wonderful folks in Sacred Stone!

We just got back from Ice Castles up in Black Diamond, where we welcomed a new Baron and Baroness and a new Laurel. What a wonderful event!



This month we will be attending Ymir for Windmaster's Hill Baronial Investiture and then to Ponte Alto for their 20th birthday. If you feel creative, perhaps you could make something for the gift baskets for the new Baron and Baroness. Their Royal Majesties will be needing items for the Gulf Wars gift baskets also. Let's get together and help fill these baskets and show off the talent of all our artisans. If you can't think of what to make, I will be sending out a letter on the Baronial list very soon.

March is going to be a very good month. On March 3rd we have University here in Sacred Stone. I want to see everyone out to take advantage of not having to travel to the ends of the Kingdom. I understand that there are going to be lots of martial classes too! Gulf War is going to be awesome as well. I am excited to be going this year and Lady Murinne tells me we are camping in a Sacred Stone group within Atlantia. See you there!

Have fun and be safe,

FROM THE OFFICERS:

From the Minister of the Lists: Lady Amye Barrington

The Minister of the List roster for the Barony has shrunk slightly. In an effort to help it grow I would like to put out the following advertisement:

Would you like a ringside seat at many heavy and rapier fighting events?

Would you like to know the score of the tourney before almost anyone else?? Do you enjoy doing a small amount of paper work and helping the fighters fight safely? Would you like to site under a shady tent and have the fighters come to you??? If you answered YES to at least ONE of the following questions Then I have the perfect job for you! Become and MOL and find out how to do any and all of the above! But wait! There's more! If you act now You can begin training as soon as the next university! (or sooner if I can get a teaching MOL to come down and host a class). Yes folks this job has it all! Hits, blows, fighting, money, and the ability to see into the future (at least to the end of the tournament). The barony needs MOLs and The kingdom needs you! Thank you and I now return you to your previously started article.

Baronial MOL,

Amye Elizabeth Barrington



From the Chronicler: Lady Caitlin MacDonoughue

Greetings to all. Thank you to all who have submitted photos and articles for the newsletter. Please keep them coming. I would like to see the Phoenix become another method of communication for the barony. I am looking for articles on A&S projects, ongoing or complete, upcoming events, new-comer activities, anything you would like to share. Please send them to my email address with permission to put them in the newsletter. I need permission forms signed from each officer whose picture I have posted in the newsletter in both written and electronic form.

In service,

Lady Caitlin



From the Webminister: Lady Annora Hall

Greetings Sacred Stone,

January brought several changes to the Webminister's Office.

First: I'd like to thank Lady Alexandra Scott de Northumberland for her assistance and counsel during my first year as webminister. She has decided to resign as a deputy of the webminister's office to pursue other interests. My office and I wish her well and best of luck with her new endeavors.

Second: The Kingdom Webminister's Office received a notification that portions of our FTP/SFTP webpage passwords had been compromised. As a result of that notification, all passwords were updated and I updated our webpage access using SecureFTP. This should not affect your access to the information on the site.

Third: As many have been discussing on the yahoo groups list, the Barony has launched a discussion group that is hosted by the Kingdom. The web page for users is: <http://seahorse.atlantia.sca.org/listinfo.cgi/sacredstone-atlantia.sca.org>. You can subscribe here or by sending an email to sacredstone-subscribe@atlantia.sca.org. List archives can be found at <http://seahorse.atlantia.sca.org/private.cgi/sacredstone-atlantia.sca.org>. Both lists will run over the next couple of months. We are currently discussing options regarding the migration of data stored in the yahoo folders.

More changes are coming to improve our communication of events and activities within the Barony. Please stay tuned and let the office know if you see any areas needing improvement.

In Service,

Lady Annora Hall



Meeting Minutes

The baronial business meeting was held on Sun. January 22nd.

The meeting went as follows:

Coronets' Report: Baron Oshi and Baroness Sine attended Versus of the Stone and had a great time and a great feast. They praised Middlegate for such a great event and encouraged the cantons to continue to develop interesting and different activities.

Seneschal's Report:
Quarterly reports are due from all Seneschals

Exchequer's Report:
Current checkbook balance is \$10,091.89. Still have some outstanding checks from WoW war points. 4th Quarter and Doomsday reports have been submitted.

MOL's Report:
No report. She will be MOLing at St Urhos.

Heavy Marshal's Report:
We have a new Deputy Marshal, Lord Simon de Ipswich.

Archery Marshal's Report:
Not in attendance—no report

Rapier Marshal:
Still looking for someone to fill this position

Minister of the Arts and Sciences Report: A lot of A & S activities are going on at local and baronial levels. Quarterly reports are due from local MoAS Officers.

From the Officers:

Chronicler's Report:

If for some reason you are not able to receive the Phoenix on-line and wish to have a hard copy mailed to you, please send your mailing address to me and I will be happy to mail you a copy. I am still looking for articles for upcoming editions so please send me your information.

Web Minister's Report

The calendar is due by the end of next week for the website. Passwords will be sent to the canton Seneschals. They will be able to add events and meetings to the calendar. They will be adding baronial meetings and activities first to the Events page.

Chatelaine's Report: We were very happy to have several newcomers at Versus of the Stone. We still need men's loaner garb for the Baronial Gold Key.

Chancellor of Minors Report

Versus of the Stone had fun children's activities. There were 5 children participating.

Chirurgeon's Report: Anyone wishing to become a Chirurgeon should contact Lady Elizabeth (Shrewlet) for assistance. Fighters should be mindful of fighting outdoors with the colder temperatures.

Canton Reports:

Charlesbury Crossing: A&S is on pause for three more weeks. All their reports are in on time. They are still working on an archery site, waiting on issues to be resolved. They will be hosting the lunch at Winter University.

Baelfire Dunn: Drums of War is coming soon. See our flyer in this edition for more info. Acceps should be up soon so you can register on line. If you would like to make sure you get a spot for Murienne's fantastic feast, feel free to go ahead and mail a check to the event registrar.

Aire Falcon: We are still meeting. We had more members at the last meeting. We are considering possible demos for the future.

Crois Brigitte: A&S is gearing up for each Wednesday. We had 15 people at the last business meeting. Our next project is SADD.

Salisbury Glen: We are working on upcoming St. Urhos. We will be having fighter practices for both adult and youth and will be announced when they will occur.

MiddleGate: Versus of the Stone was a very successful event We had 94 people in attendance. The silent auction to raise money for the Baronial Regalia Fund raised \$518.

We are working on a demo for a school in Greensboro.

Old Business:

The Sacred Stone trim will be available soon. We have a sample that Baroness Sine will bring to the next meeting for everyone to see and further discussions will be had as to how much we need to order and how to order it.

Middlegate raised \$518 at Versus of the Stone to donate to the Baronial Regalia Fund. The first purchase will be feast gear, protective sleeves and a carrying case for high table.

Old Business: (cont.)

A lengthy discussion was allowed and encouraged on the topic of moving the baronial e-list from a yahoo group to the kingdom server. Everyone had an opportunity to ask questions and voice their opinions on the topic. Public archives would be available. The ability to add attachments would be enabled. It would eliminate the possibility of the Yahoo group being cancelled by the owner of that list. A vote was taken by the populace. It was approved with one person objecting. Reminders will be sent out of the move date and instructions on how to sign up. The baronial policy will be amended to reflect this change.

Leisure Fabrics: Lady Nuala is working on organizing a trip to Leisure Fabrics in High Point in February. The owners have agreed to open it's doors to SCA members on a Saturday other than their normally scheduled 2nd Saturday of the month, provided we have enough people who want to go. Please let Lady Nuala (dalande AT [gmail.com](mailto:dalande@gmail.com)) know if you are interested in shopping for fabric on either of the last two Saturdays in Feb. She will then talk with the owners and announce which day the trip will be.

Practice Site: That topic has been tabled until further notice

New Business:

Gulf Wars: The Baroness is attending Gulf Wars. There will be a Sacred Stone encampment and any who wish to camp with Sacred Stone needs to let Lady Murienne know in advance.

Barony of Sacred Stone 2011 Doomsday Comparative Worksheet

Version: AS XLV TO MEDJUM Locked To 6.01



THE SOCIETY FOR CREATIVE ANACHRONISM, INC. FINANCIAL REPORT

Branch: Barony of Sacred Stone

Period: 1/01/2011 to 12/31/2011

COMPARATIVE BALANCE STATEMENT

For **Cumulative** Quarterly Reports, use **last year's** Comparative Balance Sheet (End) amounts for the (Start) amounts.

For **Sequential** Quarterly Reports, use **last report's** Comparative Balance Sheet (End) amounts for the (Start) amounts.

For **Year-end** Reports, the (Start) numbers will be provided to you by the Kingdom Exchequer. The numbers may have changed from what was submitted last year because of transfer reconciliation between your account and other accounts.

The Year-end Report must be signed by the person preparing the report.

(START) FIGURES MAY NOT BE CHANGED UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES!

		USD \$	USD \$
I. ASSETS	(from page)	Start	End
a) Undeposited and Non-Interest Bearing Cash	(3,5a)	13,084.36	9,902.56
b) Cash Earning Interest	(3)		0.00
c) Receivables	(5a)	0.00	286.00
d) Inventory For Sale (Major Inventory)	(6)	0.00	0.00
e) Regalia & Non-Depreciated Equipment	(7)	800.00	800.00
f) Depreciated Equipment	(8)	3,154.84	3,154.84
g) MINUS Accumulated Depreciation	(8)	(1,972.95)	(2,310.73)
h) Prepaid Expenses	(5a)	0.00	0.00
i) Other Assets	(5a)	0.00	0.00
j) TOTAL ASSETS	Add a through f, subtract g,	15,066.25	11,832.67

II. LIABILITIES			
a) Newsletter Subscriptions Due	(15)		0.00
b) Deferred Revenue	(5b)	0.00	0.00
c) Payables	(5b)	0.00	0.00
d) Other Liabilities	(5b)	0.00	0.00
e) TOTAL LIABILITIES	Add a through d	0.00	0.00

III. NET WORTH	Line I.i minus Line II.d	15,066.25	11,832.67
Proof:			
Change in Net Worth	III(End) - III(Start) (A)	(3,233.58)	(A = B) ? If NO,
Net Income	Income Statement Line 32 (B)	(3,233.58)	the report is
			incomplete.

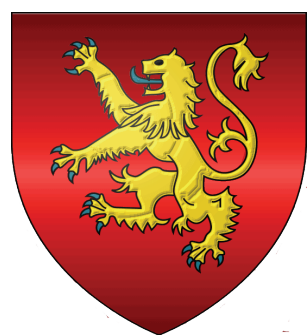
Legal Names:

Print

Sign

Exchequer:	Bailey Harris		Date:
Seneschal:	Nikole Harrington		Date:

Signatures below certify that the information on this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge.



DRUMS OF WAR III

APRIL 6-8TH, 2012



The drums of war have sounded.....

The year is 1412. Europe is immersed in the battle for France. The House of Valois and the House of Plantagenet are waging war for control of the French throne. The House of Valois has claimed the title of King of France, while the Plantagenets have claimed the thrones of both France and England. The country is torn. The camp is divided. Which side will you support? Will you choose to fly the French Feur de lis or display the English lion. You must choose your allegiance when you arrive on site and step back into this war torn time in history known as The Hundred Years War.

On the fields of Elchenburg Castle, these epic battles will continue. Melees of grand proportions in both heavy and rapier will offer opportunities for practice and authorization. Archers will have opportunities to hone their skills as well. Thrown weapons, siege weapons and more will be there.

Website: <https://sites.google.com/site/drumsowar2012/>

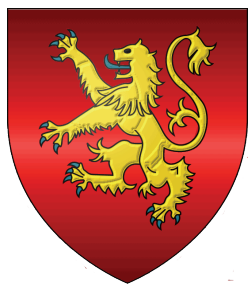
Martial Activities: Heavy melees, rapier melees, archery and thrown weapons, siege demo and authorizations.

Arts & Sciences Activities: [See the website for rules and more details](#)

- *Back by popular demand, the Fighter Fashion Show will occur again this year.
- *There will be a baronial banner making competition in the French or English style, with a prize for the winner. It is encouraged but not required that entries be donated to the barony to be displayed at future events.
- *There will be a brewing competition with prizes for each category as well as brewing classes.
- *Lady Murienne will sponsor a French vs English dessert competition. Bring your best period dessert from either of the warring countries, they will be judged twice, once for how period they are (yes documentation is required), and once for how tasty they are! There will be a prize for each!
- *Since it is Easter weekend, there will be a Easter Bonnet competition with prizes- Best period head wear documented to the time of the theme.
- *There will be a "Best Decorated Egg" competition. Eggs do not have to be real eggs, just egg shaped. Documentation as to history, method and style of decoration will be given extra points.
- *There will also be a scroll blank competition in the French or English style with prizes. Her Highness is also sponsoring a backlog scroll competition.
- *There will be a drumming competition with Master Achbar. He will be providing a special prize.
- *There will be French and English dancing in the castle after the feast. Check our website for a list of classes.

Pre-Reg. Cost:

Adult, Member:	\$10.00 Day-Trip	\$5.00 Feast	\$0.00 Camping
Adult, Non-Member:	\$15.00 Day-Trip	\$5.00 Feast	\$0.00 Camping
Youth (7-17):	\$7.00 Day-Trip	\$5.00 Feast	\$0.00 Camping
Child (0-6):	\$0.00 Day-Trip	\$5.00 Feast	\$0.00 Camping



DRUMS OF WAR III

APRIL 6-8TH, 2012



Cost At the Gate:

Adult, Member:	\$12.00 Day-Trip	\$5.00 Feast	\$0.00 Camping
Adult, Non-Member:	\$17.00 Day-Trip	\$5.00 Feast	\$0.00 Camping
Youth (7-17):	\$7.00 Day-Trip	\$5.00 Feast	\$0.00 Camping
Child (0-6):	\$0.00 Day-Trip	\$5.00 Feast	\$0.00 Camping

Site: Elchenburg Castle 2239 Center Road, Boonville, NC 27001 Gate will open at 2:00 pm on Friday, April 6th and close at 2:00 pm on Saturday, April 7th.

Feast Information: A 5-course feast will be prepared with dishes from both sides of the war. French and English will join together for a hearty feast in celebration of the spring, and in hope of a time of peace. Feast will be available for the first 50 people to reserve a seat. For Dietary concerns please contact Lady Murienne l'aloiere at dragonfly78[AT]gmail.com. The fee for feast will be a mere \$5.00 per person.

Merchanting Information:

Merchants are welcome and encouraged. Please contact Till Campbell, Seneschal, Baelfire Dunn at tillfirehorn[AT]yahoo.com for information or caitlinofbaelfiredun(AT)yahoo.com.

Other Information:

Children's Activities: Easter Egg Hunt, egg coloring, Archery.

Newcomer's Point will be available to educate and assist all who are interested in learning more about the SCA.

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You won't want to miss this Event. It has something for everyone,

Events:

Atlantian Winter University— March 3rd, 2012. Winston Salem State University.

We will need help with gate and clean-up.

St. Urhos—March 10th. Feast, fighting. We will need Marshals. We are working on a web page for the event.

Drums of War— April 6-8th Castle Elchenburg, Theme is Hundred Years War—French vs. the English . A&S activities, fighting, archery, thrown weapons, siege weapon and authorizations, Easter Egg hunt, and a fantastic feast by our own Lady Murienne.

Day in the Park—April 28th. Free event at the park in Pineville where it was last year. Potluck, A&S, Fighting. A great event for newcomers.

Herbal Collegium— June 2nd, 2012 Elchenburg. SCA cooks will do lunch. Classes on ground fire cooking, distilling, herbs.

Flight of the Falcon—August 18th, 2012

30th Year Baronial Birthday—Aug 31—Sept 1st., 2012

To be held at Hidden Mountain State Park at Camp York on Labor day weekend. There will be dancing, games, fighting, rapier and other activities. Hope to keep the weekend at \$30 or less for the weekend including food. Some possible ideas for evening activities were to allow the cantons to host taverns to sell food. They will announce at the March meeting which cantons will be the ones who will be allowed to host the taverns on Friday and Saturday night. They are looking for period games of all types that could be used at the event.

SADD- Sept 7-9th. At Elchenburg. Archery day, “Create your own target”

competition, “Bubba Goes to Scotland” theme. Middlegate will be offering a lunch. Merchants are welcome.

WoW VII- Oct. 10-14th. Marinus vs. Nottingham Coill. Sacred Stone will host. Contact Lady Murienne to volunteer.

Pennsic: Atlantia and Ethelmearc are teaming up against the East and West and the Middle kingdoms. Her Highness has decided to sponsor backlogged scrolls as her project. There will be a display of backlogged scrolls that have been created at all of her progress events.

February Schedule of Events for the Barony of the Sacred Stone

Meetings

Baronial Meeting– Sunday February 19th, 2:00 pm

Golden Corral Restaurant 1080 Mall Loop Rd., High Point, NC 27265

Aire Faucon - Tuesday, Feb. 14th.

Baelfire Dunn - N/A

Charlesbury Crossing - Monday, Feb. 6th.

Crois Brigitte - Wed., Feb 1st.

Middlegate - Friday, Feb. 10th.

Salesberie Glen - Sunday, Feb. 12th.

A&S

Aire Faucon - Tues evenings at rotation locations

Baelfire Dunn - N/A

Charlesbury Crossing - Location to be announced.

Crois Brigitte - Dates and locations will be published

Middlegate - Tues 6-9- contact A&S Officer for address

Salesberie Glen -Wed. night every other week

Practices

Aire Faucon - Will be held on canton nights as location allows

Baelfire Dunn - Rapier practice Sundays at Bunker Hill HS

Charlesbury Crossing - N/A

Crois Brigitte - Archery Practice on Sundays at rotating locations

Middlegate - Wed and Sunday Heavy Fighter Practice

Salesberie Glen - N/A

Baronial Regnum

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Regnum (continued)

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