

The Horn

July XVII

With the beginning of July so does begin the period in which the elections for the officers for the Barony of the Sacred Stone shall be held. In this issue of The Horn, and the next, there shall be found a copy of the election ballot. After being filled out this ballot should be mailed to Master Robin of Mannefeld (Bob Ide, 2933 Wycliffe Rd., Raleigh, NC 27607). Master Robin should receive all ballots by Sept. 1. Each gentle should submit only one ballot. Please, lets keep this a fair and honorable election.

The topic of Emanon becoming a barony is to be dicussed at the Curia Regis at Diamond Joust on July 18. Details on this shall be available at Diamond Joust.

It is with regret that this editor wishes to announce the resignation of Baron Gavin Reynes as Baron of our neighbor, the Barony of Nottingham Coille (S.C.). We wish the best to Baron Gavin in his future affairs in the Knowne World and to the Barony of Nottingham Coille.

Our Shire has maintained a close and honored friendship with Nottingham Coille and we wish to see this continue to grow and strengthen. In keeping with our close relation the Canton of the Sacred Stone wishes to invite all gentl from Nottingham Coille and Hidden Mountain to The Feast of Julius to be held on the 24th day of July. (See detail inside)

The WAR approaches! Be prepared and start planning now. Its dates are August 20-22. The site is Coopers Lake, due north of Pittsburgh, Pa. For Details see the August War Issue of THE HORN.

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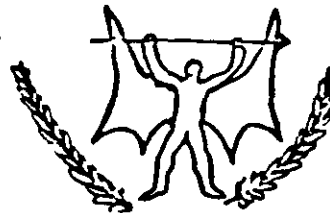
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(See CHRONICLER!)



THE GUARDIAN CALENDAR

Meeting times, etcetera



July
A.S. XVII

Cooking Guild
Workshop: 7:30
at Ken's. 3500
B-3 Taurus Dr.

Canton Meeting:
7:30 at Jasons'.

Feast of Julius:
Queens College.

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	Cooking Wkshop 13	14	15	16	17
18	Canton Mting 19	20	21	22	23	Fst of JULIUS 24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

Upcoming Events

Note **: info. this issue

JULY

- 10: Lunar Madness- Elvegast** (Raleigh)
- 17: Diamond Joust- Caer Mear** (Richmond)
- 24: Feast of Julius- Sacred Stone** (Charlotte)
- 31: 5th Annual Sut-lomde Trny & Crafts Faire- Fnaedhom** (Clinton, SC)
Dog Days' Tourney & Feast- Tlr-y-Don (Hampton, Va)

AUGUST

- 7: Summer Session of the University of Atlantia- Yarnvid (VCU)
- 20-22: Pennsic XI- East Kingdom (Pittsburgh to be exact)

SEPTEMBER

- 21-26: SCA participation in Festival In The Park- Charlotte, N.C.
- ?: Corronation

OCTOBER

- ?: Crown Tourney

NOVEMBER

- 20: Fall Session of the University of Atlantia- Kappellenburg (UNC)

W-1300
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The Canton of Elvegast plans to celebrate the return of the Moon from her predicted eclipse with food for all, fighting, games, and water sports. Practice for Diamond Joust and the War, relax, and get wet with us!

A contest for art work with medieval or fantasy themes will be run by Vespario Gericconica Kordize (Denise Whitman, 4712 Connell Drive, Raleigh NC 27612, 919-787-8421). Medieval style is not required. Favors, cloth tokens given by a lady to her lord or vice versa, will be judged. Merchants, storytellers, and minstrels are welcome.

We'll have active and quiet games. We may have skill booths and a medieval raffle. There are five cones in which a serenading contest and other strange things can happen, and plenty of room to swim. (Lifeguards, please send us copies of your certificates! the site requires copies.) If some DM's were to bring short, strictly-medieval scenarios, a room could be found for D&D, C&S, etc. Late in the evening, there'll be dancing, a small feast, and a bardic circle.

The site is "moist". Bring beverages in innocuous containers, nothing distilled, and of course no discourteous conduct.

The site, Camp Durant, has 21 beds with mattresses (first come first served) and plenty of floor space. It will be open from noon Saturday to noon Sunday.

From Raleigh, go north on US-1 about 7 miles from the Bellline; turn west on Durant Road at the Kerr Warehouse. From Richmond, go south on I-85 and US-1 about 7 miles past Wake Forest; turn west on Durant Road at the Kerr Warehouse. About a mile down Durant Road, after crossing railroad tracks, turn left at the Caer Durant sign, down a rough gravel road. When you get to the camp, turn right and park.

The donation to cover our expenses is \$6.50 for adults, \$4.50 for age 10 and under, and \$2.50 off-boarder checks payable to Susan Lee. The autocrat is Lady Allastondrea de Fano (Susan Lee), but as she is moving, write in care of Master Robin of Mansfeld (Rob Ide, 2933 Wycliff Road, Raleigh NC 27607; 919-787-2960).

Diamond Joust ~ Caer Mear ~ July 17 (4)

This year the Diamond Stud shall be awarded to the most courteous fighter of the day. There shall also be an alternative List with a prize.

Arts & Sciences Competitions in the following categories shall be held:

1. Banners (Only those with conditional or Laurel approval)
2. Armor (judged on appearance, safety, craftsmanship, and authenticity)
3. Decorative needlework (except banners)
4. An entertainers competition during feast.

\$7.00 until July 12 (\$10.00 thereafter if space available)
\$4.00 for children under 12 (babes in arms free)
\$5.00 offboard (limited to 15)

Reservations limited to 100 on a first paid basis.

send to: Pat Tomlin, 2220 W. Main St., Richmond, Va. 23220

Directions to site: I-95 to Richmond. Take Boulevard (South) Exit. Proceed South on Blvd. Follow road to right after Downtown Expwy. Turn left at "T" intersectbn (Unitarian Church on right, Carrillon on ahead). Cross toll bridge (10¢). This road becomes Belt Blvd on the south side of the river. At second traffic light after river turn left onto Forest Hill Ave. Continue 1 1/2 mile and watch for SCA signs into Forest Hill Park. SCA signs lead to parking.

On the weekend of July 30, A.S. XVII, will be held in the Canton of FnaedHom in the Barony of Nottingham Coill (mundaene Clinton, SC) the fifth annual Sut-londe Tourney and Crafts Faire. The site will be the American Legion Hall of Clinton, as is customary. Crash space will be in the hall, both the night before and the night of the event. The fee for the day's activities, site rental, the feast Saturday, and two light breakfasts, will be as follows: \$10 if reservation is postmarked by July 15; \$13 till the day of the event; \$15 by Friday at the door; \$5 for munchkins under 12; and \$3 off-board. Lunch will be hawked on Saturday. All proceeds will go to reimbursing Baron Gavin Reynes for previous Sut-londes and to Les Gardiens de Politesse (the new baronial courtesy guild). NO PHONE-IN RESERVATIONS, PLEASE; the autocrats need money ahead of the event!!!

(checks payable to Carole J. Connor) at University Apts. #11-B, Clemson, SC 29631. Or you may call her at 803-654-6626 between noon and midnight--unless you think you can make "pay-later" reservations, which is straight out. A no-no.

DIRECTIONS: From CHARLOTTE, DURHAM, RALEIGH, VIRGINIA, D.C., or MARYLAND, take I-85 South directly to Spartanburg, SC. Take I-26 East for approx. 34 miles to the second Clinton exit (SC-72), and (these directions come word for word from our baron...) turn right for 1.4 miles. Rosemont Cemetery will be on your right, and the site will be in a triangle to your left.



Sut-londe

BARONIAL ELECTION FOR THE BARONY
OF THE SACRED STONE

BALLOT

Instructions for use: To complete this ballot simply check the box next to the persons' names you wish to vote for. Please do not vote for more than one person for each office. Each gentle may only submit one ballot to be counted.

BARON/BARONESS

- Lord Jason My-kull/Lady Susan of the Far Stars
- Lord William the Wolf/Lady Bethany Siobhan of Wiltshire
- Aristion the Mercenary

BARONIAL SENESCHAL(E)

- Lord Karl Moennich von Nord Mark
- Lady Helene of the Great Northern Gardens

BARONIAL MINISTER OF ARTS

- Lady Katrin von Blauberg
- Lord Ciarin of Kells
- Kjersta de Vaimland

BARONIAL MINISTER OF SCIENCES

- Thouas the Tale-Spinner
- Garreth of Kilborne

BARONIAL HERALD

- Lady Rowena of Rushlight
- Garreth of Kilborne

BARONIAL KNIGHT MARSHALL

- Lord Karl Moennich von Nord Mark
- Lord William the Wolf
- Arthur the Sinister

BARONIAL CHIRURGEON

- Arthur the Sinister

LISTMAKER of the BARONY

- Lady Bethany Siobhan of Wiltshire

Please mail this ballot to Master Robin of Mannefeld to be counted. Master Robin should have all ballots in his hands by September 1, A.S.XVII. Simply fold this ballot in half length wise and tape or staple the ends. Master Robin's name and address are on the back so all you have to is apply a stamp.

Tape
(A)

- Fold - - - - -

FROM: _____

20¢ stamp

FIRST CLASS

TO: Master Robin of Mannefeld
c/o: Bob Ide
2933 Wycliff Road
Raleigh, N.C. 27607

(A)
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ON THE USE OF RUNES

by Alzerich of Meklenturg

History:

The term Rune comes from a root word meaning 'secrets' and refers to the letters of a Germanic system of writing. The Rune system was developed for use in carved inscriptions, partially from the Greek and Roman alphabets. The Hávamál tells us that Odin gained knowledge of Runes by sacrificing himself to himself and then gave them to mankind. The use of Runes was a closely guarded secret as they were thought to hold powerful magic. They were often inscribed on swords and staves, as well as on monuments.

The earliest runes are the Pan-Germanic Futhark, named for the first six letters. There are 24 characters in the basic Futhark and their use was spread throughout Europe, north of the Roman Empire.

The Danish Futhark consists of only 16 characters and was used by the Scandinavian peoples of the Viking Era, who apparently found a shorter alphabet more convenient.

The Anglo-Saxons added letters to meet the needs of their language which resulted in the Futhorc with 31 characters. Some sources list more than these, but they should be discounted as they are found only in works about Runes, and never in actual inscriptions.

Usage:

Punctuation is by dots, usually one or two (-or:). They are used to separate words, phrases, clauses, or sentences. Where dots aren't used, words should be run together; spaces are never used.

Rounded forms can be used on stone or paper, but not on wood.

The digraph (th) should be written Þ ; never TH , except when pronounced (t).

ȝ was seldom used in England; in Continental Europe it was only used to end a word.

ƿ was a vowel similar to the German (ü) on the continent; in England it was variously (y) as in yield, or (g) as in gift.

* and * are guttural forms not found in modern English.

Those familiar with the works of J.R.R. Tolkien will note discrepancies as he was rather 'creative' in his usage.

Basic Futhark: F N Þ R < X P H T I S C J Y E T B M H G O M A :
: f v (h) a r k g w h n i j p ü - r s t b e m L (g) d o :
Danish Futhark: F N Þ R R Y * T I X N T B Y T A :
: f v (h) a r k h n i a s t b m L r :

Anglo-Saxon Futhorc:

:F R A S W H N I J P X S + b e m L (n) d (w) a (q) Y (a) j k R :

Anglo-Saxon false Runes: * J K Y H T B M N T X H R F R A Y X A * ;
ca r G ST

A sample:
(basic)

:R N T M E : F R A S W H N I J P X S + b e m L (n) d (w) a (q) Y (a) j k R :

A compromise suitable for Modern English:

:F R A S W H N I J P X S + b e m L (n) d (w) a (q) Y (a) j k R :

Source:

A Brief Introduction To Runes by Lord Darkwolf Dreewyrd

Hi Ladies,

I had the good fortune to live in Germany for a couple of years and I couldn't help noticing the lovely complexions on most of the population, especially the women. The high humidity, fresh air, and natural diet all play a part in producing clear skin. One thing that shouldn't be overlooked is the pampering and nurturing. I learned that these ladies use herbal teas of Rosemary, Peppermint, and Chamomile. Sometimes these teas are used separately, other times together. The steam from the tea opens the pores while the herbs penetrate the skin with their special healing properties. This is simple to do at home. Boil a couple tablespoons of herbs in about 2 cups water. After it boils let the tea steep while you put a towel over your head, leaning over the pot, letting the tea do its wonders.

Steam your skin for longer than 5 minutes. Only 3 minutes if you're just starting.

Follow the treatment with cold water splashed on the face to close the pores, then apply a light moisturizer.

Lady Helene of the Great Northern Gardens

LADY Helene



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Announcing the Second Annual Feast of Julius

July 24

OYEZ, OYEZ!! All Gentles from the Shire of Emanon (the Incipient Barony of the Sacred Stone), and the Barony of Nottingham Hill Colle are most cordially invited to a day of merriment and feasting to celebrate the joyous midsummer month of July.

To be held in the cool of the morn, in celebration of our noble warriors, shall be a Shire/Baronial Champion Tournament to choose the most noble and skilled warrior of our land. To be held in conjunction shall be an alternate list to honor our neighbors not in Emanon. Due to the fierce heat of Julius both Lists shall BEGIN promptly at 10:00 AM. Armour inspection shall be held prior to the beginning.

Roughly the same time as your stomach demands there shall be held a feast of the pot-luck variety. All gentles attending are asked to bring a dish to serve 6 Gentles. A hearty soup and fresh bread shall be provided for all. Cool and refreshing iced tea shall be available for all throughout the day. Heating facilities are available but limited. A cooking contest shall be held, so strut your stuffings!

Reservations are a dizzying \$3.00 except for those under the age of twelve who shall be deemed unchargable due to innocence. Contact Diedra (Lindy Midyette, 5101 Park Rd. Apt. 245, Charlotte, N.C. 28209) for crash space and reservations.

The site is The Web at Queens College in Charlotte, N.C. .

To get there take your best route to I-77. Take I-77 to Charlotte. Take the Woodlawn Rd. East exit. Take Woodlawn, go thru 6 traffic lights, past the A&P and Holly Farms Chicken. The next intersection is Selwyn Ave. Turn Left onto Selwyn and proceed thru 2 traffic lights. Follow Selwyn to Queens College. The first street before the campus is Welesley Ave. Turn left onto Welesley Ave. Turn into the first parking lot on the right. The Web is the last on the right of the small houses off to your left. You can't miss us!

The sight is moderately wet. Wine & Beer only.



At the June Canton meeting a new Herald was selected for the Sacred Stone. Robin Hicks was elected to the office by a majority vote by those present. She shall be taking over the office from Dante di Amore. We wish her the best in the new position and offer Robin the help of this journal and its many pages.

The next Canton meeting shall be held on July 19 at the home of Lord Jason. The time the meeting shall begin is 7:30. Topics to be discussed are the Barony and the WAR to name a few.

A Cooking Guild Workshop is to be held at the home of Garrett of Kilborne on Tuesday, July 13th at 7:30 PM. The topic shall be Oriental Cuisine. The address is: 3500 B-3 Taurus Dr., Charlotte. Also at this workshop there shall be further planning for workshops by the cooking Guild.

The next Guardian fighter practice shall be announced at the July canton meeting at Lord Jasons'. For further details contact the Knight Marshall, Joseph of Klairidge.

This is The Horn, the newsletter of the Canton of the Guardians of the Sacred Stone. The Horn is not an official newsletter of the SCA, nor does it delineate any of the policies of the SCA. The Horn can be gotten by a subscription for a paltry \$5.00/year. This is to be paid to the chronicler (see page 2). Articles, artwork and any information that may interest SCA members should be submitted to the chronicler by the 3rd weekend of each month. The Horn is mailed 1st class during the first week of each month (barring unforeseen circumstances).

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