

The Bicranial Bear

Official Newsletter for the Barony of Adiantum, Principality of the Summits, Kingdom of An Tir, Society for Creative Anachronism



January 13, 2018

Mid-Winter's Feast January 20, 2018



The Twelfth Night Coronation of King Savaric and Queen Dalla has come and gone but still it is a time for joy and good cheer. Come join us in the Barony of Adiantum to celebrate the winter months with fighting, fun and the most important 'F' of all: Feasting!

Midwinter's Feast will host the Barony of Adiantum's Arts & Sciences and Rapier combat championships. In addition to these championships we will also be hosting a variety of classes, demonstrations and discussions.

And after a day of fighting and learning, what could be better than relaxing with friends sharing a wonderful feast prepared by HL Naible Martyn, newly returned home to Adiantum from the high eastern lands of the Summits. Nai has been hard at work planning a multi course feast that will be remembered fondly for years to come.

Luncheon Day Board

Crusty bread rolls, sliced deli meats, various cheeses, mustards, fresh cut vegetables and fruits.

Midwinter's Feast

First Course Stuffed eggs, Hard cheese & Olives Second Course Meat Soup & Fresh Barley Bread (w/alt veg soup option) Main Course Viking apple bacon stuffed hens, Garlic mushrooms & salad oxogarita. Final Course Berry Patties with honey'd cream

Site fee: \$20 for Adults (\$5 member discount applies), Youth 17 and under free. Feast fee: \$15

All persons vying for either of the championships must be 18 years or older and paid members of the Society for Creative Anachronism. https://www.facebook.com/events/81 9045658273559/?active_tab=discussi on



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Officers Needed:

We have vacancies! The offices of Lists and Youth Combat Marshal have lay dormant for too long, and the office of Family Activities Coordinator is also vacant. If you are interested or just curious about what the job entails, contact our Seneschal, William Jakes, at <u>williamjax@yahoo.com</u>.

Practices and Guilds:

Rapier Fighting Practice is held every Wednesday, 7pm – 9pm, at Maple Elementary School, 21st and J streets, in Springfield. Come, learn the Art of Defense with the sword, dagger, cloak, and buckler. Loaner gear is available.

Armored Fighting Practice is held every Wednesday, 7pm – 9pm, at Maple Elementary School, 21st and J streets, in Springfield. Learn and Practice the style combat used by armored combatants in warfare and duels throughout the middle ages.

Cut & Thrust Fighting Practice is held every Wednesday, 7pm – 9pm, at Maple Elementary School, 21st and J streets, in Springfield. Come, learn the Art of Defense with the sword, dagger, cloak, and buckler. Loaner gear is available.

Archery Practice is on seasonal hold due to the closure of our indoor facility. Please contact Iurii Levchenich at <u>yuriilev@yahoo.com</u> for questions.

Thrown Weapons Practice (Darts) is held on the second and fourth Wednesdays of the month from 4:00pm - 7:00pm at the Wetlands Brew Pub & Sports Bar, 922 Garfield St. in Eugene. Darts will be in the back room, down the hallway to the left after you enter, so we will not be interfering with other activities or be interfered with by other patrons, as well. There is no fee, and loaner darts will be available. Closed-toe shoes are required to participate in all thrown weapons forms. Traditional thrown weapons (Knife, Axe, Spear) are on seasonal hold. Please contact Kevin Sorok, kevkid11@yahoo.com for details.

Baronial A&S Guild is held the first and third Tuesdays of the month, 7pm – 9pm, at 3025 Neslo Lane, in Eugene. There well be no meeting the first Tueday in October. All are welcome to join us to work on projects, learn new skills, or to simply enjoy good company. Please contact Yseult of Broceliande at pam@bobwhitman.com for details.

Thingmakers Guild is held the fourth Tuesday of the month from 6:00pm – 8:00pm. Apply your artistic skills to the pageantry and largess of the Barony. Contact Ayla Roth at <u>cafskp@gmail.com</u> for details.

Scribal Guild meets as need and interest requires. Please contact Antonia Crivelli at <u>masherwood48@gmail.com</u> for details.

Baronial Council Meetings are held the fourth Monday of the month from 7:00pm – 9:00pm at the Sizzler, 1010 Postal Way, in Springfield, in the West (toward the left as you enter) meeting room. There is no obligation to purchase food or drink.



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From the Chronicler:

Populace and Officers of Adiantum, this is your newsletter! Please send your inputs for the October Bicranial Bear to Murchadh Monaidh Chraoibhe at wesley.c.worley@gmail.com.

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