



Skraeling Althing Chronicle

Letter to the Barony From the Quill of their Excellencies of Skraeling Althing

Greetings unto the noble populace of Skraeling Althing
from Baron and Baroness Shahid and Catherine.

This past Feast of the Hare marked the end of Our fourth year as Baron and Baroness. Holding the High Seats of Skraeling Althing truly is an amazing experience, and one of the best 'jobs' you can have in the SCA. We would encourage any gentles who are considering this position to seek us out. We would be happy to answer any questions you might have.

In Service,
Shahid and Catherine
Baron and Baroness of Skraeling Althing

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Feast of the Hare

From the Quill of their Excellencies of Skraeling Althing

Greetings unto the industrious populace of Skraeling Althing
from Baron Shahid and Baroness Catherine.

This autumn we had the pleasure of attending another fine Feast of the Hare. This is a special event for Us, and We were not disappointed with the wonderful turnout and activities. We held two ferocious tournaments, one for armoured combat and one for rapier combat. Congratulations to Lady Gwendolyn of Aldburg and The Honourable Lady Brennait La Belle Fleur, Our new armoured and rapier champions.

We would also like to congratulate the following people who were given awards in Their Majesties court. Congratulations to The Honourable Lady Brennait La Belle Fleur on becoming a member of the Order of the Wain, Lord Dalen Caulder on an Award of the Scarlet Banner, and Lady Tanneken of the Meadows on her Award of Arms.

During Our afternoon court, We were pleased to award the following:

- Order of the Hare Salient: Mistress Alais de Poitiers
- Order of the Hare Valiant: Baron Duncan gabha MacLachlan MacLeod
- Order of the Black Hare: The Honourable Lady Marina Anastasia Ozeroski
- Great Chalice of Skraeling Althing: The Honourable Lady Pesha
- Order of the Black Hare: Lady Dubhease ingen Laoidheach
- Bunny Tail: Derdriu ingen Lochlan
- Bunny Tail: Elizabeth of Caldrithig

We always love hearing about the good things people are doing in this Barony. We would encourage anyone who feels a gentle is deserving of an award, either Kingdom or Baronial, to please write them in. Skraeling Althing has an online form [here](#), and the Ealdormere form is [here](#).

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Fall Crown and Wassail

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Greetings unto the noble populace of Skraeling Althing
from Baron Shahid and Baroness Catherine.

His Excellency had the opportunity to travel to the Barony of Rising Waters too attend Their Majesties Fall Crown Tournament. While there, he had the opportunity to fight as Her Majesty's Champion as part of the honorable opposition. During this trial, he participated and witnessed many strong candidates meet each other in honorable combat and vie to become the Heirs to the Throne of Ealdormere. During a well fought final between Skrael's own Sir Baldric Leeman of Newcaslte Emlyn and Baron Tannon, he was proud to witness Sir Baldric's victory. His Highness of course, named his most beautiful and kind inspiration, Lady Breyla as his Princess. We wish a most heartfelt congratulations to Their Royal Highnesses, Prince Baldric and Princess Breyla. Waes Hail!

The following weekend Baron Shahid traveled again to the distant reaches of the kingdom, and attended the Wassail event if the Barony of Ramshaven. Here again he attended Her Majesty and fought in the tournament of the day. Many toys were collected that day and provided for children in need. Many good and satisfying fights were had, and purchases made from many of the merchants attending this market. It was an event that His Excellency had never attended before, but will again. At the end of the day, Their Majesties elevated Mistress Catriona to the Order of the Pelican, and admitted Our dear friend, Baron Penda to the Order of Thorbjorn's Hammer. Waes-Hail to Both Mistress Catriona and Baron Penda.

The next event that we look forward to attending will be Skraeling Althing Twelfth Night, on January 6th, held in the Canton of Caldrihig. Event info can be found here. We look forward to seeing you there.

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Twelfth Night

Hear ye, hear ye! Come one and all to Twelfth Night!

Join us for:

- King and Queen of Misrule
- Court of Misrule, including a visit from Black Peter
- Silly A&S contest
- Dance
- Pillow fighting
- Bunny Twister and Bunny Bowling
- Debut performance of i Conigli (Skraeling Althing's youth Commedia troupe)
- Macbeth with finger puppets

Please bring:

- A potluck contribution
- Any games you would like to play

Date: January 6, 2018, 11am to 9pm (Potluck)

Site: Rideau Park United Church, 2203 Alta Vista Drive Ottawa, Ontario K1H 7L9

Site Fees: \$15 for adults; \$5 for teens (12-17); children (11 and under) free

Autocrats:

Dubhease ingen Laoidheach and Derdriu ingen Lochlan
(MKA Diana Laing and Kelly O'Sullivan)

Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/events/1909610005923209/>

Silly A&S Content Rules:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1HKKy6tmHDkWGr0VbSk452s9akz3X0yAGooKvf0d8GY/edit>

Baronial Openings

Did you know that all of our activities, from the events and feasts, to the local fighter practices, business meetings, and workshops and classes, are all run by volunteers? Service is an integral part of Honour and Chivalry in the Society.

For every job/task that one takes on, there is a very personal impact for someone else.

Our Barony is made up of many individuals who hold offices to ensure things happen in accordance with the rules. Several of these offices are now seeking applications for their replacement.

- Baronial Chatelaine
- Caldrihig Armoured Combat Marshal
- Caldrihig Pursuivant (Herald)
- Tor Brant Arts & Sciences Minister
- Tor Brant Clerk-Register (Webminister)
- Tor Brant Pursuivant (Herald)

We would encourage members of Our barony to take a look at the listing of open positions, and consider applying.

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Officers of the Barony

Landed Baroness:

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Events Around the Kingdom

50th Birthday Bash Barony of Ben Dunfirth	January 6, 2018 Event Website
Skraeling Althing Twelfth Night Barony of Skraeling Althing	January 6, 2018 Event Facebook Page
Septentrian Twelfth Night Royal City of Eoforwic and Canton of Vest Yorvik	January 13, 2018
Tournoi du Coeur de Glace Shire of Bastille du Lac	January 27, 2018 Event Website
Step Spritely Canton of Vest Yorvik	February 3, 2018
Rapier Tournament of Renown Bryniau Tywynnog	February 10, 2018
Practicum 2018 Barony of Skraeling Althing	February 24, 2018
Winter War XX Shire of Trinovantia Nova	March 3, 2018
Break the Back of Winter Stronghold of Greyfells	March 10, 2018 Event Website
Kingdom A&S Barony of Ben Dunfirth	March 24, 2018



More details on Kingdom events can be found on
the Kingdom of Ealdormere web page at
<http://www.ealdormere.ca/>

Baronial Gatherings

Practices and Meetings

Please contact the local group to confirm details for specific scheduled gatherings.

Caldrithig

Canton Meetings

Second Sunday of the month at 5 pm

Dance Practice:

Tuesdays at 8 pm

Armoured Combat Practice

Wednesdays at 7 pm

Rapier Practice

Thursdays at 8 pm

Instrumental Practices

Sundays at 12:00 pm

Choir Practice

Sundays at 2:00 pm

Scribal Nights

Varies from month to month

Subscribe to Facebook Group [Skrael Scribes](#)
for up to the minute details

Greyfells

Canton Meetings

Held at the Canton Fight Practice and A&S
Day

Harrowgate Heath

Canton Meetings

First Sunday of the month

Scribal nights

7:00 pm on the first Tuesday of every month

7:00 pm on the third Wednesday of every month

Sewing Nights

7:30 pm on the second Tuesday of every month

7:30 pm on the fourth Wednesday of every
month

Armouring & General A&S

7:30 to 9:30 pm every Monday

Armoured Combat Practice

Thursdays at 7 pm

Archery

Schedule varies month to month

Tor Brant

Gatherings vary from month to month.

Please contact the group to confirm the
next scheduled activity