

# FEWMET

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## BARONIAL OFFICERS

### BARON & BARONESS:

Aquila de Athos & Bronwyn nic Gregor

### SENE SCHAL:

Genevotte nau d'Anjou

### CHRONICLER:

Padraig na Féasóige Ua Céileachair

### HERALD:

Elzbieta Traidenyte

### MARSHALLS:

Heavy Weapons: Gregorius

Fencing: Padraig na Féasóige Ua Céileachair

Archery: Edmund of Worcester

Thrown Weapons: Sigvaldi inn enski

### EXCHEQUER:

Alina Marie de Valenciennes

### MISTRESS OF ARTS & SCIENCES:

Adren cu Faol

### MINISTER OF THE LISTS:

Matilda Bosvyle de Bellaqua

### CHATELAINE:

Adelheid Grunewalderin

### GOLD KEY:

Nikki of the Swamp

### WEB MINISTER:

Eric Grenier de Labarre

### STEWARD:

Steffan Wolfgang von Ravensburg

### HISTORIAN:

Nezhah bint Saleem

### CHIURGEON:

Nikki of the Swamp

### CHANCELLOR MINOR: VACANT

(all officers can be contacted through the Baronial Webpage (<http://www.thescorre.org> ))

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## **Business Meeting 12/18/12**

Genevotte Nau d'Anjou brought meeting to order. 7:45

Number of Attendees: 11

### **Officer Reports**

Eric Grenier de Labarre – Web Minister

Website is up and updates are being made.

Padraig na Féasóige Ua Céileachair - Chronicler

Fewmet out early.

Padraig na Féasóige Ua Céileachair – Fencing Marshal

Practices are happening.

Next two weeks Rec Center closed.

Jan 7, 2013 next practice.

Adren cu Faol – Minister of Arts and Sciences

We have Arts and Sciences.

The people of the Barony are doing stuff.

It's easy to follow if you know Barony people on Facebook because it gets talked about.

There's dancing, drumming, scribal arts and sewing every month, as well as other things listed on the calendar.

January's social meeting is a Masquerade Pot Luck on the 8<sup>th</sup>. Genevotte is Coordinating. (Elzbieta also coordinating).

Edmund of Worcester – Archery Marshal

Archery on Hiatus

Regional Archery Practice being done by Delftwood January 6<sup>th</sup> 2013.

Question asked about the fee.

Elzbieta will check.

Sigvaldi inn enski – Thrown Weapons Marshal

On Hiatus

Lucius Avitus Gregorius – Knight Marshal

Baron gave report.

Practices are being done.

Possibly no practice on Dec 27<sup>th</sup> 2012

Matilda Bosvyle de Bellaqua – Mistress of the Lists

Nothing being done.

Elzbieta Traidenyte – Herald  
Working on updates of OP  
Will soon have update for Fewmet.

Alina Marie de Valenciennes – Exchequer  
Not Present – no submitted report.

Nikki of the Swamp – Gold Key  
2 bags of clothes from A Little Song..A Little Dance.  
Suggestion to set up table at 3 Ravens to give garb away for a donation.

Nikki of the Swamp – Chirurgeon  
Nothing

Adelheid Grunewalderin - Chatelaine  
Newcomers meeting cancelled on Jan 8,2013  
Have pictures of events,  
Still looking for a location for Newcomer's in South part of city.

Nezhah bint Saleem - Historian  
Not Present – no report

Steffan Wolfgang von Ravensburg - Steward  
Not present – no report  
We have stuff....etc.

Genevotte Nau d'Anjou - Seneschal  
Reminder to all officer's about submitting reports if not available for the meeting.  
Sending out an email to all Officers.

Baron Aquila de Athos and Baroness Bronwyn nic Gregor - Their Avian Excellencies  
Baron and Baroness went to Dinner/Demo  
Plan on going to 7 Deadly's, and College of 3 Ravens.  
Polling orders are coming out soon.

## **Guilds**

Caldron Bleu - Lady Bryn ni MacRose  
After the holidays

Raven Raqs Beledi - Dancers: Dehka, Drummers: Carlo  
Demo/Concert went great.

The Crow's Feet Dancers -Baroness Peregrine  
Cancelled.

Threadworker's Guild - Ysabelle Reynald  
A sewing meeting was held on previous Saturday. A few showed up.  
Questions asked about schedule for next year. Genevotte with send it out.

Scriptorium - Roberta McMorland.  
No one present.

### **Old Business**

January Social Meeting – Discussed during A&S report  
Adrian's mother, Barbara, had a great time at the Social meeting and wants to come again  
sometime. Invitation for anytime.

College of 3 Ravens – Nothing to report at this time.  
Classes are starting to be sent, but will do schedules after Holidays.

Dinner Demo-Alison not present, Demo went well that night Lots of fun.

### **New Business**

Regional Archery –Discussed during Archery Marshall report.

Reminder for Bid for Pax

Meeting was closed by Genevotte Nau d'Anjou 8:15 pm

**Good Khan Khalek**

*(To the tune of Good King Wincelas. Words by Megge Gormshuileach with assistance from She Who Would Not Be Named. Inspired by an Occurrence at Delftwood Yule.)*

Good Khan Kalek did step up  
To the tilt field ribbon.  
To the gentles gathered 'round  
Spake he bold and even:  
"Brightly shine these coins I hold,  
To keep them would be cruel --  
But you must win them from me,  
Fight me in a duel!"

First stepped up a charming squire,  
Lovely bold and spritely,  
Striving to be seen to fight  
In a way most knightly.  
Two hits she placed on his helm,  
Broad and bold and shining!  
She earned her coin with prowess keen  
Now in Valhalla dining.

Then there came a big bold lad,  
His axe was long and swinging.  
His aim was to hit the Khan  
'Til royal ears were ringing.  
Undaunted by this gifted soul  
The Khan would prove much bolder,  
He killed the man, took up his axe  
And swung it o'er his shoulder!

Drawing out quicksilver blade,  
The Khan challenged the fencers.  
Each one then fell into line  
To test royal defenses.  
Each one stood and did his best  
And each one earned his penny,  
Until the Khan looked around  
And found the list field empty.

Good Khan Kalek did step back  
From the tilt field ribbon,  
To the gentles gathered 'round  
Spake these words in closing:  
"Fairly fought and fairly won,  
The coffers have been lightened.  
By your courage, grace and skills  
Our fair Kingdom's brightened!"

## Valkyrjars Song

Fridrikr Tomasson

This poem is intended as a companion piece to a tale told by Mistress Morgana Bro Morganwg of Jarl Haakon and his skald, Haukr. In the tale, the Valkyries, led by Orðtruðr (“word-trust”), spare the Jarl and his men, while destroying their foes. This happens because of the war-song Haukr sings. I've heard and admired the tale; it is one of my favorites. Since neither Hauk's song nor the Valkyries' song appears in the tale, I have made bold to imagine them. The form is a variant of *togmælt* [journey-spoken] with four-to-five syllables per line, alliteration, half-rhymes, and full-rhymes as in *dróttkvætt*. The shortness of the lines makes the rhythm and rhymes work together more completely. You can find an example from Snorri [here](#). A careful reader will note that three verses are different from the others in their rhyme scheme. I freely admit to having borrowed them from the Eddaic poem, *Darraðarljóð*, a poem quoted in Njals Saga, chapter 156. It describes the Valkyries as weavers of man's fate.

Old Norse	English
Ríðum stríðum strjúka á fljúgjask Sigbragnum þegna þáttu kvattú.	Ride to battle! Join the blood-song! Sing of Victory Chieftain's thegns!
Gengr hildr vefa ok hjorþrimul sangríðr svipul sverðum svipul skapt mun gnesta skjöldr mun bresta mun hjálmgagarr í hlíf koma.	Go they weaving with swords drawn Hild and Hjorthrimul, Sanngrid and Svipul. Spears will shatter shields will splinter, Swords will gnaw like wolves through armor.
Orðtruð herjarn orrust hjortu til Freyja borit með blóði gollin. Rognis valdros reið um leiðir á býskips systur skeiðbrimi fimmtandi	Ortrudr warlike warriors' hearts with golden blood to Freyja carries. Slaughter goddess rides the hawks' paths on bee-ship's surf-steed summons sisters.
Ríðum stríðum strjúka á fljúgjask Sigbragnum þegna þáttu kvattú.	Ride to battle! Join the blood-song! Sing of Victory Chieftain's thegns!

## Old Norse

## English

Geðum heiðrs  
 Þungra hungrað -  
 skalt vera berþrek  
 blóðkorgr boðvar.  
 Hjálmrjáð dómsorð  
 hæfa hafstrandar.  
 fara til skera  
 framast malmrunnum

Þungra hungers  
 for honor's souls -  
 shall be bear-bold  
 battle's blood-dregs.  
 To sea-strands helm-trees  
 doom-words mete we;  
 go to mow down  
 boldest sword-trees.

Reyfarar riða  
 rafstráit of hafstrond  
 veiðifúss at líkar  
 líflauss ok drífvit.  
 Haukr heyrðr  
 hrylling frýja  
 hildar hjaldr  
 hinkrask, blindandi.

Above seastrand ambered  
 Ride the rievvers  
 hunt for bodies  
 snow white lifeless.  
 Haukr hears she  
 horrors cursing  
 battle's Hildir  
 halts, she staring.

Ríðum stríðum  
 strjúka á fljúgjask  
 Sigbragnum þegna  
 þáttu kvattú.

Ride to battle!  
 Join the blood-song!  
 Sing of Victory  
 Chieftain's thegns!

Vindum vindum  
 vef darraðar  
 þar er vé vaða  
 vígra manna  
 látum eigi  
 líf skalds britast  
 eigu valkyrjur  
 vals um kosti.

Wind we now  
 the web of war  
 where warrior banners  
 are forging forward.  
 Harvest we not  
 bright skalds' spirit  
 Valkyries only  
 choose the slain.

Svika þær tók  
 svartast hjartu  
 bálfrandar til helvítis  
 blak vatt gata!  
 Snefga gofgað  
 vítskáld Valmey -  
 hljómr líðinn  
 holrr ok gólligr.

Took they then the  
 traitors black hearts  
 pyrefiends to Hel's  
 black gates hurled.  
 Blessed then Valmey  
 wit-skald swiftest  
 gliding song-voice  
 true and joyful.

**Old Norse****English**

Ríðum stríðum  
strjúka á fljúgjask  
Sigbragnum þegna  
þáttu kvattú

Ride to battle!  
Join the blood-song!  
Sing of Victory  
Chieftain's thegns!

**Kennings:**

**Rognis valdros** > Rognir's [Óðin's] slaughter woman > Valkyrie  
**býskips skeiðbrimi** > bee-ship's surf-racer > air's horse > Valkyrie's horse  
**Þungra** > Freyja  
**berþrek** > bear-bold > warriors  
**blóðkorgr boðvar** > blood-dregs of battle > the dead  
**Hjálmtrjám** > helm-trees > warriors  
**dómsorð** > doom-words > justice  
**malmrunnum** > sword-trees > warriors  
**rafstráit** > rievvers > Valkyries  
**hildar hjaldr** > battle's Hildir > Valkyrie  
**skalds britast** > skald brightest > Haukr  
**bálfjandar** > pyrefiends > traitors  
**vítskald** > wit-skald > Haukr

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**Updated Rosters for the Baronial Orders**

**G**reetings! At the request of His Excellency, Aquila, I have finalized the rosters for all of the Barony Orders. Their Excellencies have requested that we recommend individuals to them for consideration for the awards. If you find that someone is missing from the list, please contact me.

In Service,

Lady Elzbieta Traidenyte, Ravenstongue Pursuivant

**Order of the Raven's Feather Roster**

The first is for the Order of the Raven's Feather. The ORF is awarded for service to the Barony. It is a polling order and is given for service in any form.

Bohemund Griefshaven 01-27-79  
 Alric Bowbreaker 07-27-79  
 Gisela die Geline 11-17-79  
 Annelise Dagfinsdattir 01-26-80



Austin Chadyoyck of Normandie 01-10-81  
Daedra MacBeth a Gryphon 01-10-81  
Fridrikr Tomasson av Knusslig Hamn 01-10-81  
Michaele del Vaga 12-19-81  
Sylvana Dagfinsdattir 12-19-81  
Thora Haakonsdagger 06-07-83  
Megryth Bowbreaker 06-07-83  
Sadira bint Wassouf 12-10-83  
Saleem ibn Alefan 12-10-83  
Gwendolyn of Basing 12-10-83  
Orianna Fridrikskona 07-20-85  
Roderic of Basing 03-01-86  
Ceridwyn of Raventree 02-07-87  
Guenevere Katherine of Trail's End 07-18-87  
Adrian du Saint Claire 08-12-87  
Elspeth y Gweledydd 08-12-87  
Morgan Silverlock 08-12-87  
Katryn du Reynard Argent 09-24-88  
Balatair Le Rodeur 09-24-88  
Lorimer MacAltin of the Garioch 09-24-88  
Devon Adair Bartholomy 05-13-89  
Creudyladd verch Ystwyth ap Twm 05-13-89  
Adren cu Faol 07-08-89  
Sine ni Moraig 07-08-89  
Jeunevere of the Mallo Rose 09-23-89  
Aelis Helene of Henganrode 07-14-90  
Charles the Black 02-02-91  
Cedric the Humble 07-13-91  
Alison of the Many Isles 07-13-91  
Corwin of Darkwater 07-13-91  
Kernand Aodhan of Dungarven 02-01-92  
Ivan ap Myrrdin 02-01-92  
Rian Gortyroyan 02-01-92  
Steffan Wolfgang von Ravensburg 05-31-92  
Nezhah bint Saleem 07-18-92  
Matilda Bosvyle de Belle Aqua 07-17-93  
Eric Brehattin 07-17-93  
Adelais Berengar 07-17-93  
Caryl Olesdattir 07-17-93  
Teresa Gabriela de Montoya y Sevilla 02-05-94  
Yasmin bint Shamli 02-05-94  
Kathira um Rashid 07-16-94  
Lydia Dianora Villoani D'Este 07-16-94  
Katriona of the Groves 03-02-96  
Meghan Corwinsdottir 03-02-96  
Wulfstan the Deadman 03-02-96

Peregrine of Thescorre 03-02-96  
Num bint Ba'ab 03-02-96  
Katja Davidova Orlova Khazarina 07-13-96  
Honnoria of Thescorre 07-13-96  
Gwendolyn the Graceful 07-13-96  
Patrick the Lost 07-13-96  
Bryn Ni MacRose 02-22-97  
Yasmina Alessandra Bentivegna 07-12-97  
Michael of Northwood 07-12-97  
Beatrice Hammeltoune 02-07-98  
Ekaterina Volkova 02-07-98  
Rhiannon y Bwa 04-25-98  
Alina Marie De Valenciennes 04-25-98  
Alessandro Devereux 04-25-98  
Gideon of Thescorre 07-11-98  
Eric Grenier de Labarre (Grendel) 07-11-98  
Donald Harefoot 07-11-98  
Cadifor Cynan 09-26-98  
Aine O'Muirghesan 09-26-98  
Ruaidri Gabhar 02-06-99  
Morgaine of Donegal 02-06-99  
Camillo Guinicelli 02-06-99  
Ulric Wulfricson 05-15-99  
Khalek Shuurag Od 05-15-99  
Katrina of York 07-10-99  
Elswythe Rosamond 07-10-99  
Mateo II Polizi Chiasa 02-05-00  
Otelia d'Alsace 02-05-00  
Caradawc Ciuin Treine 07-08-00  
Ardal of Antioch 07-08-00  
Pleasance de Coignieres 07-08-00  
Astrid Thorvaldidattir 02-03-01  
Lavena Knapp 02-03-01  
Timothy of Edgewood 02-03-01  
Una de Saint Luc 07-07-01  
Olivia D'Anjou 07-07-01  
Roberta MacMorland 02-02-02  
Meiglan na Shuil Gorm (Megge Gormshuileach) 02-02-02  
Cerridwen the Fiddler 02-08-03  
Bressal MacCulloch 02-08-03  
Carlo Gallucci 02-28-04  
Juliana de Beaujeu 02-28-04  
Dubheasa inghen Dubgaill 02-28-04  
Eldjarn of Thescorre 02-28-04  
Branwyn ferch Gwythyr 07/23/05  
Mairghread ni Stilbheard uu Coin 07/23/05

Nivah Catherine Rose of Bannockburn 07/23/05  
 Raibeart 07/23/05  
 Lionheart 2/25/06  
 Phillipe the Shamed 2/25/06  
 Dónal an Stràcair 7/8/06  
 Sorcha inghean Airt 7/8/06  
 Mailagnas maqqas Dunaidonas (aka Mick) 7/8/06  
 Collette de Paris 8/14/06  
 Sigvaldi Scatterbrained 2/24/07  
 Kadlin Sigvaldiskona 2/24/07  
 Aquila d'Athos 6/30/07  
 Richard von Tanner 6/23/2008  
 Dehka of Thescorre 8/4/2008  
 Padraig ua Chaelechair 2/28/2009  
 Bronwyn nic Gregor 2/28/2009  
 Dominic McMorland 6/27/2009  
 Mairead ni Mannin 8/3/2009  
 Folan the Wayfarer 8/3/2009  
 Elżbieta Traidenytė 5/29/2010  
 Torsten Lamport 7/10/2010  
 Nikki of the Swamp 2/26/2011  
 Andrew of Thescorre 2/4/2012  
 Gaius Sergio Vettius 2/4/2012  
 Edmund of Worcester 7/7/2012

### Order of the Broche Roster

The second is for the Order of the Broche. The Baronial Order of Merit for Arts and Sciences shall recognize accomplishments in the gentle arts within the Barony. It is a one-time, precedence-bearing award given by the Baronage based on nominations from the populace or the pleasure of the Baronage. Examples of the gentle arts include effort in cooking, brewing, sewing, needlework, lace-making, woodworking, dance, music, storytelling, metalworking, jewelry-making, spinning, weaving, etc.

Lavena Knappe 7/5/03  
 Matilda Bosvyle de Belle Aqua 7/5/03  
 Roberta McMorland 8/16/04  
 Eldjarn the Thoughtful 02/26/05  
 Colette de Paris 02/25/06  
 Pleasance de Coignieres 07/06/06  
 Una de Saint Luc 07/08/06  
 Peregrine of Thescorre 08/14/06  
 Bryn ni MacRose 2/24/07  
 Orianna Fridrikskona 2/24/07  
 Daedra McBeth a Gryphon 8/6/07

Otelia d'Alsace 2/23/2008  
 Dubheasa inghen Dubgail 6/23/2008  
 Juliana de Beaujeu 8/4/2008  
 Ruaidri Gabhar 8/4/2008  
 Cadifor Cynan 8/4/2008  
 Carlo Gallucci 8/4/2008  
 Sorcha ingen Airt 6/27/2009  
 Alessandra Bentivegna da Faenza 02/27/10  
 Branwyn ferch Gwythr 7/10/2010  
 Katja Davidova Orlova Khazarina 8/2010  
 Fridrikr Tomasson av Knusslig Hamn 11/13/2010  
 Caradwc Mendwr 11/13/2010  
 Kadlin Sigvaldakona 11/13/2010  
 Nezhah bint Saleem 2/26/2011  
 Portia de Sancto Lucianno 2/26/2011  
 Beatrijs van Cleef 2/26/2011  
 Alison of the Many Isles 2/4/2012  
 Thomas of Petersham 7/7/2012

### Order of the Black Talon Roster

The third is for the Order of the Black Talon. The Baronial Order of Merit for Martial Arts is a one-time, precedence-bearing award given by the Baronage based on nominations from the populace or the pleasure of the Baronage. Examples of the martial arts include effort in fighting, fencing, archery, thrown weapons, siege weaponry, and combat archery.

Saleem ibn Alefan 8/11/03  
 Khalek Shuurag Od 8/16/04  
 Aquila d'Athos 2/26/05  
 Nikolai 07/08/06  
 Spyke the Unshaven 07/08/06  
 Alessandra Bentivegna da Faenza (called Yasmina) 08/14/06  
 Cedric the Humble 08/14/06  
 Ulric Wulfricson 2/24/07  
 Timothy of Edgewood 2/23/2008  
 Gaius Sergio Vettius 8/8/2008  
 Sigvaldi inn Enski 6/27/2009  
 Eric Grenier de Labarre 7/10/2010  
 Eldjarn the Thoughtful 2/26/2011  
 Padraig na Féasóige Ua Céileachair 2/26/2011  
 Leslie of Fairford 7/9/2011  
 Thomas of Petersham 7/7/2012  
 Edmund of Worcester 7/7/2012  
 Octavia of Thescorre 8/6/2012  
 Gregorius of Thescorre 8/7/2012

**January - 2013**

- 5 Kingdom Twelfth Night  
Shire of Sylvan Glen (Martinsbutg, WV)
- 12 Debatable Lands Twelfth  
Night Celebration  
Barony-Marche of Debatable Lands (Allison  
Park, PA)
- 19 St. Swithin's Bog 12<sup>th</sup> Night  
Barony of St. Swithin's Bog (Jennerstown,  
PA)
- 25-26 Market Day at Birka  
Kingdom of the East
- 26 Steltonwald 12<sup>th</sup> Night  
Canton of Steltonwald (Sewickley, PA)

**February - 2013**

- 2 The Feast of the Seven  
Deadly Sins  
Barony of Delftwood (Syracuse, NY)
- 16 College of Three Ravens  
Barony of Thescorre (Rochester, NY)
- 23 Winter War 16  
Kingdom of the East (Potsdam, NY)

**March - 2013**

- 1-3 Tournament of the White Hart  
XVI  
Shire of Port Oasis (Barboursville, WV)
- 23 The Golden Donnan Party: A  
Beating Jubilee  
Shire of Ballachlagan (Wheeling, WV)
- 30 Festival of the Passing  
of the Ice Dragon  
Barony of Rhydderich Hael (Buffalo, NY)

**April - 2013**

- 13 Is the Pen Mightier than the  
Sword?  
Shire of Angel's Keep (Auburn, NY)
- 13 Iron Comet 2013  
Barony-Marche of Debatable Lands (North  
Versailles, PA)
- 20 Aethelmearc Spring Coronation Placeholder
- 25-28 Blackstone Raid XXII  
Barony of Blackstone Mountain (Ripley, WV)
- 27 Feast of Bacchus II:  
Penelope's Challenge  
Barony of Endless Hills

**May - 2013**

- 4 Aethelmearc Spring Crown Tournament  
Placeholder
- 11 Heralds and Scribes  
College of Silva Vulcani (California)
- 16-19 Aethelmearc War Practice  
Canton of Steltonwald (Slippery Rock, PA)
- 31-Jun 2 Melee Madness  
Barony of Endless Hills (Meshoppen, PA)

**June - 2013**

- 7-9 Northern Oaken War  
Maneuvers (Midrealm)  
Kingdom of the Middle
- 8 Aethelmearc Spring Aecademy Placeholder
- 15 St. Swithin's Bog Baronial Investiture  
Barony of St. Swithin's Bog (Summerhill, PA)
- 28-30 Tournament of the Wind-  
mill II: For the Glory of  
Rome  
Barony of Delftwood, (Cleveland, NY)