

Grapevine January 2012



Chronicler



Unto the worthy populace of Bordescros and to all of the friends of the Shire, Greetings.

The beginning of another year and a very busy year at that, we have a lot to organise between now and the beginning of winter but it looks like it is going to be a good year and a very interesting year. Please read some of the emails circulating Lochac I have included them in the grapevine for those who do not receive them.

Congratulations to our new Seneschal and we all look forward to working with him over the next couple of years.

Please send me any articles you might have, if you have missed this month the next Grapevine will be coming out in the next few weeks, I hope to have it out by the first of February with all details about what needs doing before Border War.

Yours in Service,
Arnora BloodAxe



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The Crown



Greetings to the fair Kingdom of Lochac,

Over the next several months Siridean and Margie, 20th Crown of Lochac, will endeavor to bring some theater/drama to the Crown. There are times that things of this nature can be easily misunderstood, and confusing, when people do not have the context of the storyline. In an effort to try and avoid confusion and misunderstanding of the 'drama' that will occur during the reign We wanted to share the storyline with everyone so you can follow along as the story unfolds during the reign. We hope you enjoy the show and participate in the fun!

The Story:

The Saxon Kingdom has long suffered from raids from the Viking Kingdom and Their Majesties have charged the Prince of the Southern Domain to find a solution so that the Kingdom may know peace. The solution is to merge the Saxon House of Lachlan with the Viking House of Glen More; the union seems simple enough, a Saxon Prince and a Viking Princess. However, this union will mean that the Lord of Lachlan and the Lady of Glen More must set aside personal claims in their houses to serve the greater good of the Kingdom.

This will work for a time, but you will note that during the reign Siridean will salute the Queen and his Lady and child that he had to forsake to take the Crown. You will see Margie have questionable contact with her Knights Counselor who happens to be her 'former' lover. Rumors will be spread, letters sent to Pegasus, etc., and it will all come to a head at festival where the Kingdom will be split and must declare for the House Lachlan (Blue, Gold and White) or House Glen More (Green and White).

Siridean and Margie ask the Baronies, Cantons, Shires, Colleges, Households, Noble Free men and women) be ready with Banners to declare for one side of the other at Rowany Festival. This rift will be pit kinsmen against kinsmen and will only be resolved when an heir is chosen....but there is sure to be as issue or two before the final resolution at Midwinter.

Kind Regards,

Lady Glen More and Lord Lachlan

Greetings fair people of Lochac,

Our Kingdom of Lochac consists of larges swaths of land and wide seas with green islands. Each area having its own unique landscapes, cultures, customs and dreams....yet the people of this land all stand united under the Lochac banner and Her Southern Cross. Ever present in our night sky, the Southern Cross has 5 stars and so too does the Kingdom of Lochac have five shinning stars! Since man first looked to the heavens the stars have been used to aide in finding ones way and so too would We, the Crown of Lochac, name the 5 stars of Lochac to aid in the navigation of Our Kingdom.

The Crescent Ilse shall represent the lands the island natives call New Zealand

The Northern Reaches shall consist of lands known as Queensland

The Central Marches shall be comprised of the mundane state of New South Wales

The Southern Domain shall be the combined areas of South Australia, Tasmania and Victoria (Bordescross is in the Southern Domain)

The Western Shores will be the namesake for Western Australia

We did make this proclamation in Our Coronation Court in Shire of Dragons bay on the Western Shores and did display the 5 banners representing each of the Stars of Lochac. We would ask that the names outlined above are used during Our Reign.

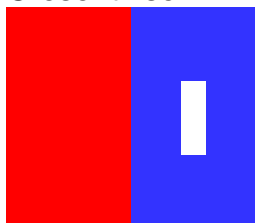
We would like to further state that this is meant to enhance game play by providing some rallying points, names and banners, as the story line for Our Reign unfolds. We hope that each of the Stars of Lochac will be able to use these to generate themes for events over the next several months. We plan to have the banners flown at all events We attend and possibly lead armies into battle! So we encourage everyone to have fun with this and take it in the light hearted manner in which it is meant.

Below I have included a 'crude' representation of the banners. The white area represents the 6 pointed star and you will note that the star's location shifts based on the cardinal direction location of each named area.

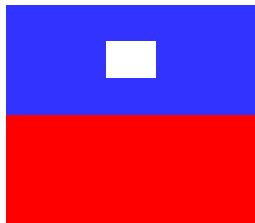
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Siridean and Margie
20th Crown of Lochac
House Lachlan and Glen More

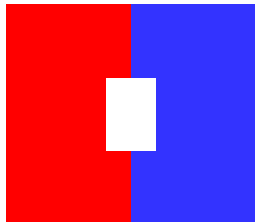
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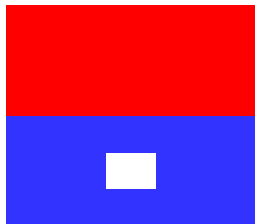
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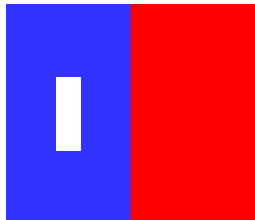
Central Marches



Southern Domain



Western Shores



Positions Vacant

ARTS & SCIENCES OFFICER

Role:

The A&S Officer is tasked with encouraging the arts and sciences in the Barony through classes, workshops, informal gatherings and competitions.

Requires:

Current SCANZ inc membership

Be warranted (2 years, 4 max under exceptional circumstances – this is handled by your Kingdom officer when you take on the office)

Membership in the A&S officers email list, if you have email.

Workload:

Encourage and organize A&S workshops and competitions in the Barony. Get reports from workshops and events in the Barony that hold an A&S competition (for quarterly reporting purposes). Send quarterly reports to Kingdom A&S Minister. Run or organize someone to run the Kingdom Arts and Sciences competitions IF the Kingdom Coronation or Crown Tourney is being held by the Barony AND the Kingdom A&S Minister cannot attend the event.

Reporting Channel:

The A&S Officer is required to report to the Kingdom A&S Minister quarterly. Copies of these reports are sent to the Baronial Seneschal and the Baron & Baroness.

Resources:

The Lochac Arts & Sciences handbook, along with other pertinent materials, can be found at:

<http://www.sca.org.au/artsandsciences/index.html>

There is a Lochac A&S officers email list.

The Kingdom A&S Minister is always there to help.

CONSTABLE

Role:

Responsible for site and event safety, indemnities/waivers (where required -- generally *not* required in New Zealand) and lost property.

Requires:

Current SCANZ membership

Preferably own transport, and the ability to remain on site later than most

Workload:

Principally at events: ensuring a site is inspected, safe and secure and advising attendees on issues such as marking of tent ropes and other sensible precautionary measures.

At the end of an event, gathering any lost property and publishing a list (including updating the online copy). Bringing lost property to events or meetings where appropriate, auctioning off or otherwise disposing of long-term unclaimed property.

By default, responsible for the Barony's storage unit at the Canterbury Faire site, but a deputy can be appointed for this as the event approaches.

Reporting Channel:

Baronial Constables are required to report to the Kingdom Constable on the 15th February, copies to Seneschal and B&B.

Resources:

Subscribe to the Constables list via <http://www.sca.org.au/constable>

The current Constable's Handbook is also linked from the above location.

CHIRURGEON

Requires: SCANZ Membership, Current first aid certificate, desire to help out.

Workload: Being responsible for first aid at events you wish to volunteer at, paperwork for each event, and quarterly reports to kingdom.

Reporting Channel: Kingdom Chirurgeon

Resources:

- Chirurgeonate emailing list (chirurgeonate@sca.org.au)
- <http://www.chirurgeon.org/>
- <http://www.sca.org/officers/chirurgeon/welcome.html>
- Chirurgeons handbook - <http://www.sca.org/officers/chirurgeon/ChirurgeonsHandbook2004.pdf>
- Local helpers

LISTS

Role:

The Lists officer is a deputy to the Knight Marshal and is responsible for coordinating the running of lists at all fighting events (heavy and rapier tournaments, war, also boffer tournaments if so inclined). This does not mean you would always be expected to do the lists yourself, but you would be expected to perform the task or find a deputy to do so, if asked in advance by an event steward or marshal-in-charge.

Because the Lists officer must sight fighter and marshal authorisation cards and handle the associated paperwork, they are also usually asked to also handle SCANZ sign-ins at informal events at public venues (e.g. Musters) where those entering the "controlled space" of the list-field are the only ones required to sign-in.

Requires:

A current SCANZ membership, and a willingness to learn how to handle different tournament formats and style. The Lists officer should be familiar with the relevant rules governing the checking of authorisations, whether established via an authorisation card or a completed still-current copy of an authorisation form.

Workload:

Handling lists, filing reports, handling paperwork as required by the Kingdom Lists Officer and attending Baronial Council meetings (about 2-4 hours a month in total).

Reporting Channel:

The Lists officer is required to report to the Baronial Council monthly, and the Kingdom Lists Officer quarterly, with a copy to the Knight Marshal.

Resources:

SCA Marshallate Web pages:

<http://www.sca.org/officers/marshal/>

Lists reporting page (for reporting tournament results):

<http://www.sca.org.au/lists/report.php3>

Current tournament results:

<http://www.sca.org.au/lists/listkeeperreports.htm>

There should be a Lists folder containing pre-prepared forms for running round robins and other useful paperwork such as sign-in forms, spare authorisation forms etc.

Marshall



Fighter practice

The Albury and Loch Alba Practice will be for heavy combat training and rapier training if sufficient authorised marshals are available for each discipline



Loch Alba The last Sunday of each month between 2pm and 5pm.

Confirm with James Douglas as to where.



Bordescros The 2nd Sunday of each month from 2pm until 6pm (i.e. sunset if that keen!) at The Albury Wodonga Sport fishing Club Riverina Hwy.



Archery Archery Training can be done at the club rooms on either day, Fighter Training & A&S or on our Tourney Day. Please ensure that the safety barrier is up before you start and is put away afterwards.

Please ensure all SCA rules and regulations are adhered to.

Loch Alba

Good Greetings all,

I have been asked by Defence Community Organisation if we would be willing to participate in a "Welcome to Wagga" information evening for new defence families to the area.? This would be in the form of a demo and stall of our activities, so a heavy demo and rapier demo, plus a table of some of our gear, and a couple of bubbly types to man it.? If anyone is interested in participating, please let me know by the 14 January so that I can put a proposal back to them.? The event would be held on the 10/02/12 at Kapooka Family Centre, 600pm til 800pm.

Also, our monthly bash will recommence on the 04/02/12.? A couple of options here, tournie and dinner at Douglasses, or a workshop making T Tunics for the group (read- basic garb for new people, esp those coming to Borderwar 14).

Further notice nearer the date.

And finally, we have 2 large SCA events in the first couple of months this year: Borderwar 14 and May Crown.? Both will be held at Camp Kurrajong, along the Oura road, about 15 minutes from Wagga.? For details, go to our FB page (?

<https://www.facebook.com/events/190719707677393/>) for a look, or contact Sir Jon Dai on s.davis_1969@hotmail.com

Cheers,

James Douglas

Bordescros

News

Information

LOCATION: Sport Fishing Club,
Hinckler Drive (Lockheed Dr) off
Borella Road, ALBURY 2640

START TIME: 2pm

COST: **FEAST & TOURNEY**
\$10.00 Members
\$12.00 Non-Members
Children Free
First Visit - \$2 each
A&S & FIGHTER TRAINING
\$2.00 per person
SCA YEARLY MEMBERSHIP
\$25.00 per year

WHAT TO WEAR: **Feast and Tourney only**
Medieval Garb
(The group have loaners for newcomers)

WHAT TO BRING: Medieval Food to share
(Food for Feast & Tourney only but some of
us bring afternoon tea for A&S)

Festival 2012

Book now for Festival 2012, the earlier
you book the cheaper you have to pay.
http://festival.lochac.sca.org/?page_id=65
then complete and email a booking form ...
you will still have 14 days to pay from
your receipt of the reply email with
payment details.

In service,

Sorle Maknicoll
Booking Officer
Rowany Festival 2012

Border War 2012

As per the last couple of outdoor events, Master
Sui and I will again be
casting bronze at Border War (subject to fire
restrictions).

We would like to offer the populous the
opportunity to cast some small
objects in bronze. If you make the wax item, I will
finish the moulds and
do the casting at Border war. Each item does need
to be small, with a Max
of 15g to 30g in weight of the finished wax.

Would prefer bees or other period types of wax. I
will need them by 15th
Feb.

Costs will be, if you're at Border War, time on the
bellows or drinks
otherwise a gold coin donation towards the metal
costs.

I will be at A&S over the next few weeks if you
want to chat or you can
contact me via email.

Disclaimer if it don't work @it happens

Owen.

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15 TH APRIL	BORDESCROS FIGHTER TRAINING AND A&S
21 ST APRIL	BORDESCROS TOURNEY AND FEAST
5 TH MAY	LOCH ALBA TOURNEY AND FEAST
11 TH - 13 TH MAY	MAY CROWN
19 TH MAY	BORDESCROS TOURNEY AND FEAST
2 ND JUNE	LOCH ALBA TOURNEY AND FEAST
10 TH JUNE	BORDESCROS FIGHTER TRAINING AND A&S
16 TH JUNE	BORDESCROS TOURNEY AND FEAST
7 TH JULY	LOCH ALBA TOURNEY AND FEAST
15 TH JULY	BORDESCROS FIGHTER TRAINING AND A&S
21 ST JULY	BORDESCROS TOURNEY AND FEAST
4 TH AUGUST	LOCH ALBA TOURNEY AND FEAST
12 TH AUGUST	BORDESCROS FIGHTER TRAINING AND A&S
18 TH AUGUST	BORDESCROS TOURNEY AND FEAST
1 ST SEPTEMBER	LOCH ALBA TOURNEY AND FEAST
9 TH SEPTEMBER	BORDESCROS FIGHTER TRAINING AND A&S
15 TH SEPTEMBER	BORDESCROS TOURNEY AND FEAST

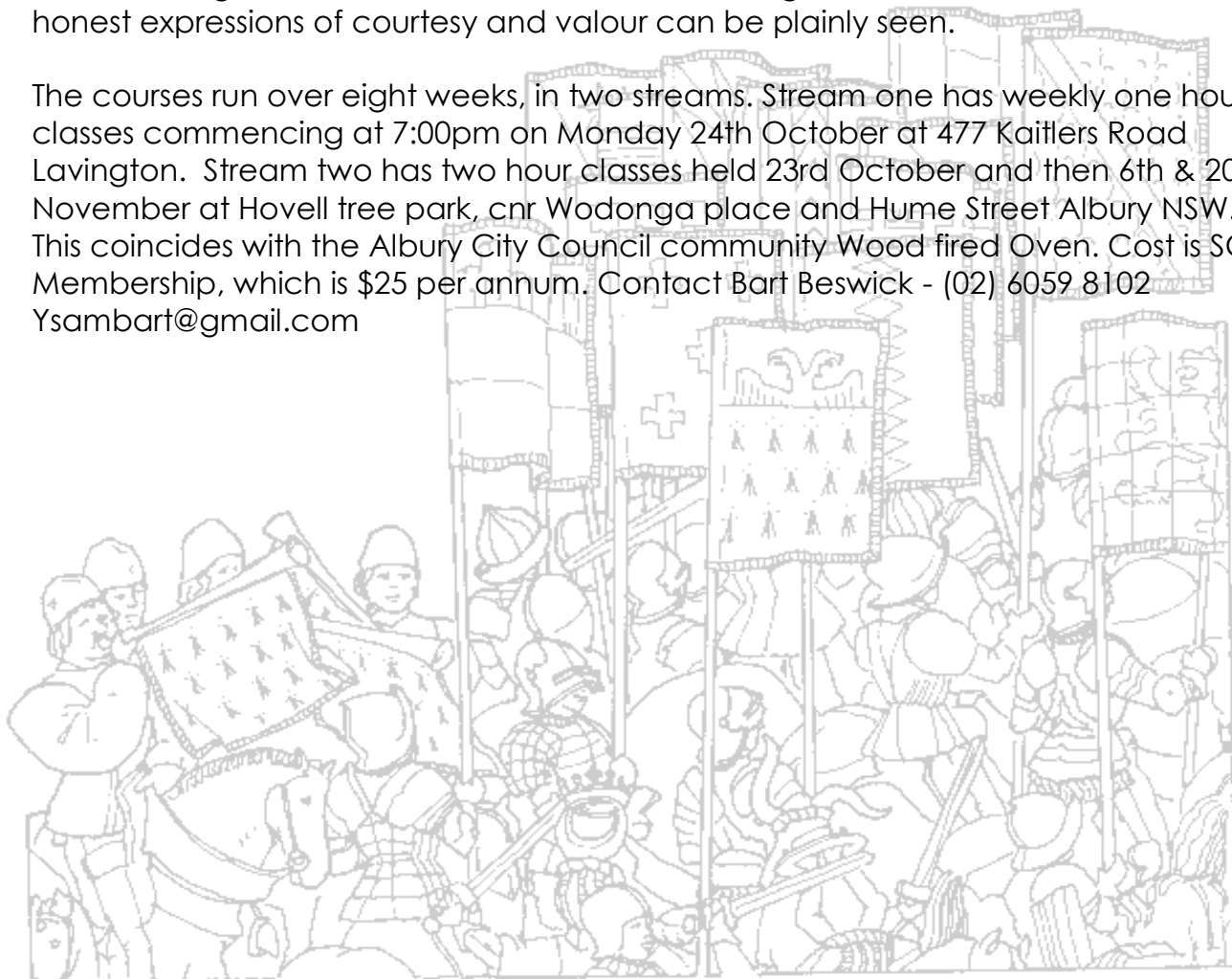
6 TH OCTOBER	LOCH ALBA TOURNEY AND FEAST
14 TH OCTOBER	BORDESCROS FIGHTER TRAINING AND A&S
20 TH OCTOBER	BORDESCROS TOURNEY AND FEAST
3 RD NOVEMBER	LOCH ALBA TOURNEY AND FEAST
11 TH NOVEMBER	BORDESCROS FIGHTER TRAINING AND A&S
17 TH NOVEMBER	BORDESCROS TOURNEY AND FEAST
1 ST DECEMBER	LOCH ALBA TOURNEY AND FEAST
9 TH DECEMBER	BORDESCROS FIGHTER TRAINING AND A&S
15 TH DECEMBER	BORDESCROS TOURNEY AND FEAST

Armoured Combat Preparation Course

The *Bordescros Armoured Combat Preparation Course* aims to introduce the basic principles and techniques of tournament combat, construction of swords and shields along with some of the etiquette and culture of SCA tournaments.

Few activities can match the colour, romance, and excitement of the medieval tournament of chivalry. Knights, Squires, and Lords, compete with one another in their displays of prowess and honour; their skills and their character. Ladies escort their Lords to the field, watchful of their performance as the combatant fights for the honour of their consort. Some Ladies fight as well, displaying their own chivalric conduct. In addition to the entertainment, spectators can observe the combatant and challenger in a milieu where character is brought to the surface and the honest expressions of courtesy and valour can be plainly seen.

The courses run over eight weeks, in two streams. Stream one has weekly one hour classes commencing at 7:00pm on Monday 24th October at 477 Kaitlers Road Lavington. Stream two has two hour classes held 23rd October and then 6th & 20th November at Hovell tree park, cnr Wodonga place and Hume Street Albury NSW. This coincides with the Albury City Council community Wood fired Oven. Cost is SCA Membership, which is \$25 per annum. Contact Bart Beswick - (02) 6059 8102 Ysambart@gmail.com



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Mystery Bag

Spices

Because we would no longer use the spices as part of our 'Plague Doctor' plan, as a nosegay or pomander, we decided to use the spices – cinnamon, nutmeg, pimento/allspice and star anise – in creating food and beverages.

Cinnamon and nutmeg were used in medieval cookery and they can be found in ingredients lists in many extant recipes. However pimento/allspice was a 'New World' spice which was brought back from the Caribbean to Spain by Columbus. Columbus, realising the value of pepper, brought this spice back having incorrectly identified it as pepper. (Not surprising really as Jon and I initially made this mistake too.) The word 'pimento' means pepper in Spanish. The more common name of 'allspice' came into common use in the 17th century.

Star Anise is native to China and Vietnam and was not introduced into Europe till the 17th Century, hence we cannot find medieval recipes with star anise listed as an ingredient. However, a very similar flavour comes from anise.

"Anise has been cultivated in Egypt for at least 4,000 years. A reference was found in an Egyptian papyrus dating around 2000 BCE. Pharaonic medical texts indicate that the seeds were used as a diuretic, to treat digestive problems, and to relieve toothache.

Anise is mentioned in the works of Hammurabi. Hippocrates recommended it to clear the respiratory system. Dioscorides listed it as a medicinal plant and wrote, in the 1st century CE, that anise "warms, dries, and dissolves".

Although mainly used in food, its licorice flavour has been used medicinally as a treatment for abdominal upsets and intestinal gas, as well as for a breath freshener. William Turner recorded in 1551 that "anyse maketh the breth sweter and swageth payne".

Although rooted historically in the Mediterranean area, it is widely available in South America. Spanish colonists brought it to the New World in the 16th century. Its fragrance was said to have been as valuable as a perfume. In medieval times, anise was used as a gargle with honey and vinegar to treat tonsillitis.

Pliny recommended chewing it upon awakening to get rid of "morning breath", but he also advised keeping it near the bed to stave off bad dreams. The Romans used it as a form of currency; and Hippocrates used it to treat coughs, as did the healers before him. In the 16th century, Europeans discovered mice were attracted to anise and baited their traps with it."¹

The similarity of star anise to anise means that it is not anathema to substitute one for the other in medieval recipes.

¹ <http://www.innvista.com/health/herbs/anise.htm>

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After a great deal of research and perusing medieval recipes and their more modern redactions we decided to use our mystery spices in 3 culinary items. All spices were crushed and used in a crushed or ground form in



our recipes.

Spiced apple juice for which we used a PotusYpocras recipe from Gode Cokery, 14th century England, as the inspiration.² We decided to make spiced apple juice for two reasons: non alcoholic so anyone can drink/taste and can be consumed pretty much straight away and does not require storage time as Ypocras does.

We have made 2 variants of the spiced apple juice. Both were strained through cloth 4 times after sitting for about 36 hours. We could not use either of the fabrics provided as the weave of both the calico and the synthetic blend was too close to be an effective strainer.



Recipe 1:

750 ml commercial apple juice, 1 tablespoon cinnamon, 1 tablespoon nutmeg, 1 tablespoon star anise, ½ tablespoon ginger, 1 tablespoon cloves, 1 tablespoon white pepper.

Recipe 2:

750 ml commercial apple juice, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 1 teaspoon nutmeg, 1 teaspoon allspice, 1 teaspoon star anise.

Unlike Ypocras recipes we did not add sugar as apple juice is already extremely sweet.

They could be drunk cold or warmed.

The spice ingredients were also used in a fried 'rissole' recipe and a baked pie recipe.³

Rissoles au Common from Menagier de Paris, 14th century, is a sweet dish of fruit and spices wrapped in pastry and fried. There are a number of references to such dishes supplied in our research and resources appendix. We worked from the original references and also from a redaction. However we did make some further changes to the recipe as well.

² See appendix on spices and recipes.

³³ Ibid

RISSOLES AU COMMON

Margie's Redaction

Resources: Menagier de Paris 1393 - Rissoles. Redaction by Jacques Bouchut (internet Maitre Chiquart)

Ingredients:

(20 rissoles)

Dough:

½ kg flour

100g butter

1 egg

~200 ml water to mix

Make dough and rest for at least 1 hour – up to 3 hours – in a cool place, covered with a towel.

Filling:

2 large apples, I used Pink Lady

15 or 16 soft dried figs

60g raisins

50 g walnuts

¼ - 1/2 tsp **star anise**¼ tsp **pimento/allspice**

½ tsp ginger

½ tsp **cinnamon**¼ tsp **nutmeg**

Cook grated apples with a little water. Add chopped figs and raisins, and continue to cook. Add chopped nuts and spices. Mix well.

Roll dough very finely. Cut strips 7cm wide. Cut each strip into 8cm rectangles. Place small spoonful of filling on each rectangle and press the moistened edges together around the filling.

Fry in hot oil until golden. Drain on paper towel and dust lightly with icing sugar.



Feedback was provided, though have to say Anora's is the favourite – “Leave the plate here please!”

The fruit and meat pies I made were inspired by medieval recipes such as Lombard Pasties, 14th century, and Pies of Parys, 15th century. I did not use an extant recipe but made up my own based on the recipes above.

Fruit and meat pies

Redaction by Margie of Glen More

Ingredients:

1 large apple grated

300g minced beef

½ onion, finely diced

1 jar fruit mince (but could make own)

Cinnamon

Nutmeg

Pimento

Pepper

(Spices were added to taste, about a teaspoon of each.)

Brown meat and onion. Add apple and cook till soft. Stir through fruit mince and add spices and pepper to taste. Remove from heat.

Pastry:

500g flour

200g butter

Rub butter into flour. Add water as necessary to form dough. Let stand at least one hour. Roll dough out thinly. Line muffin tins. Place dessertspoon of mixture into each. Top with pastry circles and seal. Glaze with beaten egg if desired. (Makes 2 dozen.)

(NB this could also be made as one large pie rather than individual ones.)

Cook at 180oC for 20 mins.

(The fruit mince I used was "Socomin" brand and contained currants, sultanas, apple, citrus peel and undisclosed spices.)

We made some of these pies in a patty cake tray rather than muffin tray and these were very popular as they were more bite sized.



Up Coming Events

Border War



he Shire of Bordescros did here the words of King Cornelius when he appointed the Baron Politarchopolis as the Warden of the South and the words to which this could be overturned. Their Highnesses Siridean and Margie did hear the veiled words of war spoken at November Crown and set forth their challenge. A gathering in the borderlands has been declared. If you come in peace or dressed for war, Bordescros opens its halls and extends its hospitality for BORDERWAR XIV.

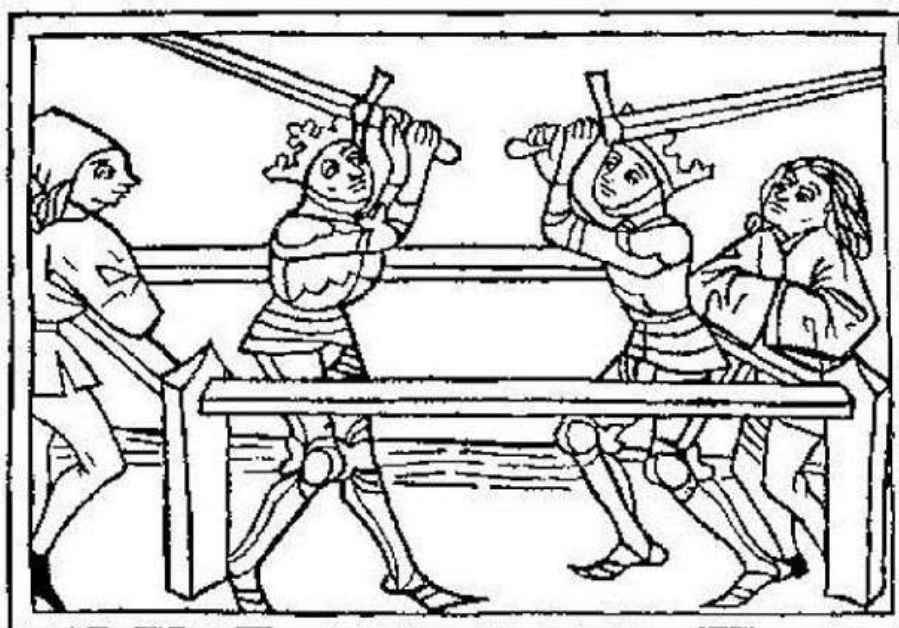
Dates: 24 – 26 February 2012

Where: Camp Kurrajung Scout Camp Oura Rd Wagga Wagga NSW

For a fully catered camping weekend of war, tourney, equestrian, arts & sciences-

Cost Members \$80 non members \$85. There are 60 dormitory bed spaces available at an extra \$30 for the weekend.

Bookings to Sir Jon Dai at s.davis_1969@hotmail.com



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May Crown

The Royal heirs have been chosen for the 20th Crown of the Kingdom of Lochac. But as is written in the laws of the land they too must have a successor. To those who wish to challenge for the right to wear the 21st Crown of Lochac, sharpen your weapons, strengthen your shields and polish your armour. May Crown will be held in the borderlands on 11-13 May 2012 and bookings are now open.

Cost till 12th Night Members \$70, Non members \$75

From 12th Night till Easter Members \$75, Non members \$80

From Easter, gate prices apply \$80 and \$85. Dorm accommodation is available at an extra \$30 per head.

The event is a fully catered camping event at Camp Kurrajung Scout Camp Oura Rd Wagga Wagga NSW
Bookings can be made via Sir Jon Dai at s.davis_1969@hotmail.com

IV Suth

The lands of the southern part of the Kingdom of Lochac (the sinister part thereof) welcome you to attend Suth Moot.

Suth Moot is a low-key, family friendly, relaxed event that we hope will offer those who wish to avail themselves of the opportunity over the long Easter break to do medieval stuff. Knowing, as we do, that other Living History events are also geographically remote, we also invite members of those groups to attend.

With a full children's activities stream, Arts & Sciences Collegia & workshops, Archery, Guild of Defense and Heavy Combat streams all tastes are catered for in a convivial and comfortable environment offering period camping, modern camping, cabins and day tripping.

Dates:

Friday 6th April to Monday 9th April, 2012
Clifford Park Activity Centre, Wonga Park VIC (Melway 24 J6)

Open for setup from noon Thurs 5th April and cleanup til 10am Tues 10th April

For more information Please contact

Nicolette Dufay (mka Lillian Johnston) - auntienic@gmail.com



Festival <http://festival.lochac.sca.org/>

Rowany Festival 2012 [Booking Form](#) (requires Adobe Acrobat 7+). Bookings close 1 March 2012.

PLEASE NOTE: If you do not see a purple banner at the top of the form, and a “**Submit Form**” button on the right side of that banner, please **save the form** to your computer and open in **Acrobat Reader**. Some people have reported problems when completing the form in-browser (**particularly Mac OS/Safari users** – it seems to be whenever the PDF file is rendered by something other than Adobe Acrobat).

Booking Information

Booking for Rowany Festival is highly recommended. This will ensure that the Stewarding Team can better prepare for you and will see you pay a lower rate for entry than you otherwise would.

Rates for Rowany Festival 2012 are:

Cut-off Date for Bookings (Post marked on or before)	Adult		Child	Family	
	SCA Member	Event Member		SCA Member	Event Member
31 Dec 2011	\$110	\$115	\$65	\$285	\$295
1 March 2012	\$120	\$125	\$70	\$310	\$320
At the Gate (unbooked)	\$140	\$145	\$90	\$370	\$380
Date Rate (per day)	\$15	\$20	\$10	\$40	\$50
Overnight Rate (per night)	\$40	\$45	\$30	\$110	\$120

Or <http://www.facebook.com/events/217175921627545/>



Lochac Australia Events

January

Early Australia Day	Twelfth Night Surveying Expedition	Kingdom Stormhold (Melbourne VIC) Long weekend
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February

Mid (near the 14 th)	St Valentine's	Politarchopolis (Canberra, ACT)
Mid (near the 14 th)	Red & White	Willoughby Vale (Ipswich, QLD)
Last full weekend	Border War	Bordescros (Albury, NSW)

March

2 nd Weekend	River Haven Baronial (North Brisbane, QLD)	River Haven
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April

Easter	Rowany Festival	Rowany (Peats Ridge, NSW)
Easter	Suth Moot (SE Melbourne, VIC)	Krae Glas
Easter	Autumn Gathering	(Any WA Group)

May

Early 3 rd Weekend	Autumn Crown Radburne Anniversary Feast and Tourney	Kingdom Radburne (Dubbo, NSW)
3 rd Weekend	Destrier Equestrian Event	Okewaite (Goulburn, NSW)
Late	FlameTree Ball	Adora (Illawarra, NSW)

Recipes



Coke's Guilde & Receipts
By Lady Thomasina Coke

Arts and Sciences

Shire A&S Competitions

Kingdom A&S Competitions

May Crown XLV11 (2012) hosted by

An item of furniture -
including stages of construction

An item of any kind,
specifically for Equestrian
activities

A scribal work on behalf of
your Barony, Shire (e.g. a letter
to the crown, a challenge to a
neighbouring group, etc) in a
historic style

Midwinter XLVII (2012) hosted by

An item of any kind, made from wool

An item of armour, for man or beast

Food that travels well- Ideally to be presented at the event, however photos and comments from tasters will be accepted.

BORDESCROS ARTS & SCIENCES COMPETITIONS FOR ASXLVI

- Unless indicated otherwise, all competitions are to cover all regions of the world 600 CE to 1600 CE.
- Items do not have to be new, but must be made by the person/s submitting them to the competition.
- They should not be entered into a competition at the Shire level more than once, unless it was incomplete at the first occasion.
- Documentation is not essential, but will result in extra points.
- Points are awarded up to 10 for each of documentation, authenticity, creativity/presentation, complexity and workmanship

Children's Page

If you have any activities that would suit children or just information aimed at children please send it to me and we will include it here.

I will try and include a web site as well to check out, so if you know of any please send me the links ...

Alexander III (1241 - 1286)

http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/historic_figures/alexander_iii.shtml

<http://www.coloring-book.info/coloring/> check out this page for more pictures for your children to color in.



Ninth-century Soldier and Pilgrim

Left: The soldier wears metal chain mail armor over a long sleeved tunic. The boiled leather cuirass, another type of defensive armor, is worn over the chain mail. On

his head is a boiled leather hat. **Right:** The pilgrim is wearing an early version of the cote-hardie over a b্লাউদ (bliaud) accessorized with a felt hat.

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Bordescros A&S Entry Form

(to be completed by the Entrant and retained by the Bordescros A&S Officer)

Event: _____

Date: _____

Name of Competition: _____

SCA Name: _____

Legal Name: _____

Entry No: _____

Contact Details: _____

(Address or Email) _____

Time Frame / Location in Period: _____

Have you included Documentation with your entry?

☐ Yes ☐ No

I agree to have a photo of this entry added to the Bordescros A&S Web Site:

☐ Yes ☐ No

I agree to have a photo of this entry and documentation published in
Bordescros Grapevine:

☐ Yes ☐ No

INFORMATION FOR JUDGES:

Is this your first attempt at this type of item / skill ?

☐ Yes ☐ No

I would consider my experience level in this skill to be:

☐ Beginner ☐ Intermediate ☐ Advanced ☐ Professional

(A&S Officer, please check the Entrant's skill level is noted on the A&S Competition Judging Form).

Signed: _____ (date)

Bordescros Regnum



King & Queen

King Cornelius and Queen Elizabeth



Prince & Princess

Crown Prince Siridean and Crown Princess Margi



Seneschal

Lord Jon Dai of the Lane



Hospitaller

Position Vacant



Herald Pursuivant

Lady Lowry



Reeve

Lord Crimthann MacFiachac



Knight Marshal

Magnus



Arts & Science

Emmy



Constable

Position Vacant



Chronicler

Lady Arnora BloodAxe



Web

Position Vacant

