

Oldentales



Missive from your Baron and Baroness

unto the Populace of the Barony of Oldenfeld and all who see these words, do we, Miklos and Marie offer greetings in these fell days of long nights and War.

The borderlands are on fire and War is upon us! Having led a successful top secret diplomatic mission to our Meridian allies to the north, preparations are being made for the western campaign to come!

If you are keeping

the home fires burning, the quiet time is great for projects and planning for upcoming events.

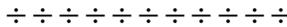
Marie and I are grateful to those of you who have submitted award recommendations in the past season; if anyone has questions about this process, please let us know; remember, you are not required to hold any rank or title to make award recommendations for anyone and you can make a recom-

mendation either to us or the Crown directly, via the Kingdom website.



Hail Oldenfeld!

Miklos and Marie



Upcoming Events in 2016:

- Gulf Wars XXV
March 13-20
- Spring Coronation
April 1-3
- Meridies' Fools War
April 7-10
- Oldenfeld Anniversary
April 29- May 1
- Trimaris Memorial Tourney
May 20-22

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Missive From Your New Seneschal

Greetings from your new seneschal! I'm excited to undertake this opportunity and look forward to working with everyone to continue Oldenfeld's legacy as the Land of Big Fun! As I begin my tenure, I want to let everyone know that while I always aim to do my best and stay organized, I am sure that sometimes things may slip through the cracks. Please help keep me accountable and let me know if you think I've dropped the ball or forgotten about something. No one person (or small group of officers) can keep the Barony going alone, so I welcome all your help and suggestions. As you are all aware, this is a volunteer organization, and it really does require a group effort to thrive!

I have a few goals I'd like to achieve while I hold this office. First, I really would like to create an online

directory for files that's a little easier to navigate than Yahoo Groups. I envision having our bylaws, meeting notes/summaries, guidance documents for event management, Oldenfelds, and possibly some electronic resources for period recipes, clothing, etc. I started trying to gather information for this endeavor already, but I will probably need assistance—especially with older baronial materials that some of our more seasoned members may have or know where to find. I can also assist with digitizing documents of import that we may wish to keep. Another goal I'd like to try to accomplish is finding a more centrally-located meeting space (hopefully with better parking). We discussed a few possible locations in previous meetings, but if anyone else has ideas, I welcome them! I realize we are lucky to have the space

at Publix now, though, so I will not cancel our current arrangement without ensuring that another site will indeed work for our needs. One other item I will be working on is securing a site for our future local events. As most (if not all) of you are aware, the camp we have used for years is in a state of management/ownership flux. Although I am not abandoning hope of using the site in the future, we are exploring other options. If you are interested in helping with or at least weighing in on this effort, I encourage you to attend upcoming baronial meetings, as we will likely be discussing this topic in at least the next few meetings.

As many of us are packing for war, one final thing I'd like to impress upon those attending Gulf Wars XXV is the importance of volunteering. I'm sure many of us have heard this, but if each

attendee picked up a single four-hour shift at war, there would be no volunteer shortages. I know many of us are very aware that our events can't happen without us and are happy to help where we can, but at war, reporting your volunteer time is also important. For every volunteer hour you put in for Oldenfeld, a small wage comes back to the Barony in exchange for your efforts. You also receive a raffle ticket for every two hours, and there are tokens and prizes for those who put in more time. Volunteer hours also count toward a war point. The volunteer opportunities are vast, and some overnight shifts count for double hours. Let's all do our part for Trimaris! See you at war!

Yours in service to
the dream,
Aurelia Cassia

Oldenfeld Anniversary 2016

THE BARONY OF OLDENFELD PROUDLY PRESENTS
ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION: THE MONGOL INVASION

April 29 - May 1, 2016

Compass Lake in the Hills

645 Compass Lake Drive, Alford FL 32420

Scouts have reported that the Mongol Horde is advancing, slashing and burning its way through Eastern Europe. Join us in defending The Barony from these invaders, and compete to become one of our Baronial Champions. Fabulous feasting, fierce fighting, and unforgettable entertainment in The Land of Big Fun!

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Fees

Feast	\$10
Daytrip	\$10
Weekend	\$15 – includes lunch on Saturday!
Cabin	\$130 for weekend (up to 6 adults)
RV Hookup	\$20 for weekend

Non-members add \$5. Make reservation checks payable to SCA Inc., Barony of Oldenfeld.

No immediate family will be charged more than three full adult fares, and children aged 12 and under are admitted for free per Trimarian Kingdom law. Each person participating in feast must pay the published per person cost. Cabins are private and have two double beds, mini fridge, bath/shower, and shared porch. There is room for cots/air beds. RV hookup sites have power and water and can be reserved for RV or tent camping. Open tent camping is also available and included in site fee.

Event Website: <http://oldenfeld.net/anniversary>

Upcoming Events:

Oldenfeld Related Events in 2016:

Gulf Wars XXV Mar 13-20

Oldenfeld Anniversary Apr 29-1

There are no more Oldenfeld events scheduled at this time, as we seek a new site to hold events.

Other Event Dates of Note 2016:

Spring Coronation April 1-3

Fools War-Meridies April 7-10

SCA 50th Year June 17-27



Personal picture taken by Scott Humphries, on view from the Oslo Viking Jøkstad museum

Historical June Happenings

752 BC - Romulus, first King of Rome, celebrates the first Roman triumph after his victory over the Caeninenses, following the Rape of the Sabine Women.

161 - Roman Emperor Antoninus Pius dies and is succeeded by co-Emperors Marcus Aurelius and Lu-

cius Verus, an unprecedented political arrangement in the Roman Empire.

321 - Roman Emperor Constantine I decrees that the dies Solis Invicti (sun-day) is the day of rest in the Empire.

537 - Goths lay siege to Rome

1455 - First record of Johann

Gutenberg's Bible, letter dated this day by Enea Silvio Piccolomini refers to the bible printed a year before

1522 - Marten Luther begins preaching his Invocavit Sermons in the German city of Wittenberg



Historical information provided by www.historyorb.com

Missive from the Chronicler

It was a darn shame to no longer have access to Indian Springs campground. Many of us have some very fond memories of the campground. There are even some of us who grew up only knowing Camp Indian Springs. My lady Athel-yna and I were married there in 1991, so of course it holds even more special memories for

us. I do hope that it can be made available to us again at some point in the future. I have a good feeling that we will be able to use it again, hopefully soon. I'm keeping my fingers crossed.

Now on to this missive. This newsletter represents Oldenfeld, and as such, I'd really

love to feature more information about goings on around the group. Please drop me an email and give me some ideas what you'd love to see in the Oldenfeld newsletter.

YIS to the Dream

#L Umble the Mumbler

"Please drop me an email and give me some ideas of what you'd love to see in the Oldenfeld Newsletter."
From your Chronicler...

Oldenfeld Baronial Officers

-  **Seneschal:**
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-  **Constable:** #L William Ulf
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-  **Minister of Children:**
Rohese Abel
-  **Heralds:** Lord Coileach and #L William Ulf
-  **Rapier Marshal:** Lord Coileach

-  **Heavy Marshal:**
Lord Gyphen von Kindermann
-  **Art/Sci Minister:**
Lady Perrine du Couer Joyeux
-  **Combat Archery:**
Vacant
-  **Exchequer:**
Lady Katarina Krista
-  **Chronicler:**
#L Umble the Mumbler
-  **Historian:** Lady Daedra Forbes the Traveler

-  **Webminister:**
Lady Braya of the Wood
 - Cornets:**
Baron Miklos von Baeker &
Baroness Marie le Mains
- Learn more at Oldenfeld.net, or feel free to attend our meetings (first and third Thursdays of every month) upstairs at the Publix on Ocala street. Address:
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