

Oldentales



Missive from your Baron and Baroness

unto the Populace of the Barony of Oldenfeld and all who read this, do we bring long anticipated greetings;

The past event season has been unlike any we've experienced before in the decade that we've been playing. We are proud to report that we have been travelling throughout the Kingdom, delivering "The Land of Big Fun" road show far and wide to our neighboring Baronies and Shires!

We have dedicated our weekends since our Yule event attending: 'Hero of the Chalice', 'Trident Tourney & Kingdom Art/Sci', both weekends of the Hoggetowne Medieval Faire demo for An Crosaire, the Investiture of the new Barony of Castlemere at 'Cutlasses & Corsairs', 'Scots Welsh War' & the Bay Area Ren Festival demo, the Spring Coronation of Their Majesties, TMT, the Florida SuperCon demo in Southkeep, and the 'Bacon & Fire' revel in AnCrosaire, on top of our own awesome local events and the Curia!

We've already killed off one of our vehicles to represent Oldenfeld across the Kingdom... and we're not afraid to do it again!*

* (Which is why we got an extended warranty on our new SUV) :-P

We would like to congratulate the Oldenfeld Players on a funny, successful return to a new stage with the grand return of the Oldenfeld Puppet Show at Lion's Tourney, and thanks go to Sir Jean Paul Ruthendale for his patronage, knowledge, and assistance in creating the first of a new generation of puppets.

We also would like to thank everyone who supported the Barony and Trimaris while they were at Gulf Wars, from setup until we all packed up to come home. Many hands make for light work and we all enjoy War that much more, together both in our misery and fun. We missed out on Pennsic War this year, but we hope that those who did go,

enjoyed themselves. We look forward to seeing some of you there next year!

It has been exciting to see new members at our events and we encourage everyone to introduce themselves when they have the opportunity to do so. The greatest joy of the SCA is to be a part of someone's growth in the Society and to foster learning, creativity and fun.

We're grateful to those who made award recommendations to us, either in person, email or note; if anyone has any questions about how this process goes, please let us know - this applies especially for newer members. You are not required to have any rank or title to make award recommendations, either to us or the Crown via the Kingdom website - all you need is to want to make sure that someone's good deeds don't go unnoticed.

Hail Oldenfeld!

~ Miklos and Marie

Upcoming Events:

- Harbest Rebel
October 10-12
- Wynverwood's B-Wash
October 24-26
- Panhandle Skirmishes
October 31—
November 2
- MartinKlass Floot
November 14-16
- Oldenfeld Yule
December 12-14

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Missive from your Seneschal

Hello Populace and good people of the Barony,

As of this writing I have been serving as Seneschal for almost one year. I hope that it has been a good year for all of you and that this letter finds you all in good health and excited about another event season in the Kingdom of Trimaris and the Barony of Oldenfeld.

The long hot summer is finally giving way to fall and through it, in spite of the heat, we managed to remain active. On June 21st we had our annual Curia, which Ruth was kind enough to host at her home. We were able to talk through a whole host of topics, and I believe we came out of it with a sense of consensus regarding what everyone wants out of our group in the new season. I was very pleased to see so many new faces at our Curia. I cannot stress enough how good it is to see new comers taking a hand in the Barony.

Also this summer I was happy to attend the grilling and fighting at Wakulla Springs as it was a good day of camaraderie in fine Oldenfeld tradition. I fully endorse anyone who would like to organize such outings. The time spent

with friends without the rigors and duties of running one of our many events is a worthwhile Endeavour.

I am so very pleased to see archery practices continue all summer and to see so many new faces on the range. Mistress Mairi Ceilidh and Master Octavio along with Lady Christiana Hunter and our Baronial Ranger Lady Eadgyth of Oldenfeld have been doing an excellent job of keeping the range open through the hot weather months. As the days cool, I encourage others to make it out to Archery practice.

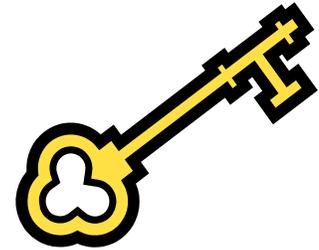
Lord Coileach has likewise been putting forth great effort on behalf of our Light Fighters for which I am very grateful. Monthly official practices have been happening and many fighters meet at Cascades Park during the week for unofficial, non-Barony practices.

I would like to bring the Barony's attention to the relentless efforts that Lord Solen ("Soultrain," as he is sometimes known) has been making in revitalizing Heavy fighting in the Barony. The number of people that have been in armor for the first time in the last six months has been

remarkable and I commend his efforts. I am gladdened to see such folks work so hard to promote and organize the activities of the Barony.

As many of you know, through no fault of our own, we hit a snag with Camp Indian Springs regarding the original date of our upcoming Harvest event. However, we have resolved the issue with the camp and this should not be a problem again. Speaking of Harvest, I hope everyone enjoys the mildly cooler weather that pushing the event date back should bring us. Fortunately, the Kingdom had a relatively free weekend for us to move the event to rather than cancel it or attempt to relocate to another event site. The event staff has been hard at work making this event exciting and memorable, and I applaud their efforts.

Coming up after Harvest, we have Panhandle Skirmishes on October 31st - November 2nd. This year it is being run by our neighbors in the Shire of Flintmarsh and will be held once again at Compass Lake in the Hills, the same location as the last two years. They have an ambitious plan for the event, and I am looking



forward to what they have in store for us. As of this writing I believe all of the cabins on site have been accounted for by both the Trimarian and Meridian blocks.

In closing, I must part with the sad news of the loss of one of our own - Marlo Whitfield Peck, known to us as Lady Maryell Redfearne. Nothing prepares us for such sad tidings. She was a remarkable Lady; her praise of my modest attempts at period garb will always remain as treasured utterances from a beautiful soul. I miss her already. His Excellency of Oldenfeld, Baron Miklos has begun a memorial fundraiser to assist with her final dispositions.

Thanks to you and All Hail Oldenfeld,

Yours in Service,

Lord Arsmund De Gardeyn



10th Baronial Anniversary T-Shirt Contest



Design Contest Rules:

Our Baron and Baroness has asked that the populace use their immense creative powers to design the 10th Baronial Anniversary T-Shirt. The winning submission will get something really cool, and the recognition of a T-Shirt design that will be worn for the next 20 years. So get your creative juices flowing.

Rules for T-Shirt:

1. It will be a single color, gold, on a green shirt.
2. Create a design and save in PDF file format.
3. A hardcopy scannable version.
4. Design can include front or back, or both.

Send your submissions direct-

ly to their Excellencies at:

Coronets@Oldenfeld.net



“When
Arthur sat on
England’s
throne, beside
the good
Queen
Guinevere...”

Master Jed Silverstar’s Album Re-Released

It has been reported to me that Master Jed Silverstar’s first album will soon be re-released for the general populace to purchase. All profits will go towards the Trimarian Land Fund. You can read more about it here:

[trimarianlandfund.org/
Merlins-Song](http://trimarianlandfund.org/Merlins-Song)

Purchasing a new copy of this CD would help show your support for the long running Trimarian Land Fund, and help you get some great music, from Oldenfeld’s past. The late

Master Jed passed away in 2005, and his sister has graciously agreed to allow Trimarians to have new copies of this wonderful album. His songs have been sung at Bardic circles for well over twenty years. Buy a piece of history!

Upcoming Events:

Local Event Dates 2014/2015:

Harvest	Oct 10-12
Panhandle Skirmishes	Oct 31-2
Yule	Dec 12-14
Lion’s Tourney	Feb 6-8
Anniversary	May 1-3

Other Event Dates of Note 2014/2015:

Wyvernwood B-Bash	Oct 24-26
Trimaris Duke U	Nov 8
Martinmas Moot	Nov 14-16
Long Nights	Dec 5-7
Trimaris Art/Sci	Jan 9-11



Personal picture taken by Scott Humphries, of stained glass from Cathedral of Notre-Dame, about 1280 ©Lermond-Ferrand, France

Historical October Happenings

I am trying to introduce a new section of the newsletter that highlights past historical highlights. If any of the populace has any suggestions, websites, or historically factual sources, I would enjoy shining a spot light on them.

I hope you enjoy this newsletter as much as I do.

959 - Edgar I, the Peaceful, becomes King of all England

1066 - Battle of Hastings, Duke William of Normandy and Norman army defeat the English forces of Harold II

1189 - Gerard de Ridefort, grandmaster of the Knights Templar since 1184, is killed in the Siege of Acre

1273 - Earl Rudolf van Habsburg becomes Roman Catholic-German King

1322 - Robert the Bruce of Scotland defeats King Edward II of England, forcing Edward to accept Scottish Independence

1492 - King Henry VII of England invades France

1604 - Supernova "Kepler's nova" first sighted

1614 - French King Louis XIII declared an adult at 15



Historical information provided by www.historyorb.com

Recent Oldenfeld Event

We just enjoyed a great Oldenfeld Harvest in the fall of 2014. Sigrun was awarded an Argent Estoille, and Lady Philomena Wesley was awarded a Beacon. Our Don "Doctor Warlord" Seamus mac Dhughhail won both the armored and rapier Frankenstein tournaments. Count Ardion Dochesefford was at

work in the Camp Indian Springs kitchen, whipping up a fantastic feast of fellowship. No one went away hungry. The food was fantastic, and tasty.

The event stewards were Aurelia Cassia Pelagia and Lord Caeden Bowen. Reservations steward was Lady Perrine du

Couer Joyeux. About 100+ gentles attended and much fun was had by all. The weather was still a bit muggy, but we enjoyed lighting up the Wicker Man. The Wicker Man was donated by the seneschal, Lord Aesmund De Gardeyn. The event theme was Samhain. Overall, it was a lovely event.

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Oldenfeld Baronial Officers



Seneschal:

Lord Aesmund De Gardeyn



Constable: #L William Ulf



Hospitaller: Vacant



Minister of Children: Lady

Aurelia Cassia Pelagia



Heralds: Lord Coileach

and #L William Ulf



Rapier Marshal: Lord Coileach



Heavy Marshal:

Lord Solen Trianezov



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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