

# Oldentales

The Barony of Oldenfeld's Official Newsletter

Third Quarter of 2021

## Seneschal's Message

Greetings Oldenfeld;

The summer is drawing to a close and we're turning our eyes toward getting back to in-person events, despite the risk that COVID still presents to the unvaccinated. Please stay informed and get vaccinated if you have not yet done so; get your data from the CDC, get your analysis of the data from doctors and scientists, and get your vaccine info from the CDC and medical professionals.

There is no amount of ideology that can save your life from this virus.

The SCA is cautiously moving toward in-person events again, provided there is full compliance with the guidelines provided by Corporate:

[SCA Corporate Guidelines as of August 1, 2021](#)

Ultimately, the decision to play or not remains in your hands; always keep your best interests in mind; this is a game and it isn't going anywhere - play when you're ready.

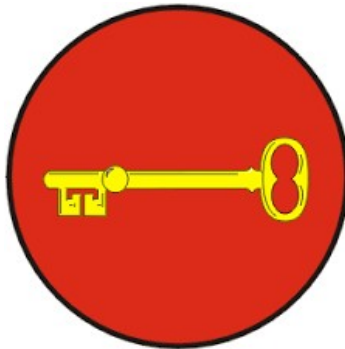
## Seneschal's Message (continued)

I would like to welcome the newest members of Oldenfeld, whether you've joined in the past year (or more) and still waiting for that local event to come out and play, if you've joined more recently and seeking the first in-person event to meet other members, or ongoing members who have moved to Trimaris recently!

Keep up your practice of whichever Art currently has your attention, keep supporting your friends, and we will all raise a toast around the fire again, to remember those who were prevented from joining us by this plague.  
Thank you all, for making Oldenfeld the northern gem of Trimaris!

In Service to The Dream,

Master Miklos  
Seneschal



## Coronets' Message

Greetings! As always, We hope this missive finds you and yours hale and healthy!

First off, another hearty congratulations to Our successors, Duke Ardien and Duchess Lisa! We know they will do a stellar job of leading Oldenfeld in the coming years. While We *should* have handed off the baton at the beginning of May, all parties thought it best to hold off until the in-person events can resume. We are currently pursuing a Yule Investiture, which will hopefully allow enough time for some semblance of “normalcy” to return. Current SCA event guidance for events can be found on the SCA.org website. However, with larger events (such as the rescheduled Gulf Wars in October) tentatively scheduled for later this year, the guidance will likely change based on both Society and local government recommendations. While it is Our sincerest hope that we will all be able to safely gather, feast, and camp together by that time, the officers and event staff will be planning several contingencies to ensure that the event is thoughtfully executed and FUN, regardless of the yet-unknown safety protocols that will be in place at that time.

And speaking of safety protocols, I think we all know at this point that many of us have varying levels of comfort as we begin to consider eventing again. We would like to implore you all to have open, honest, and respectful conversations about your personal comfort level. Mundanely, going back to our physical office buildings has been an interesting journey, but many of us are finding that open discussion with coworkers truly helps ease the transition from home office to shared office space. If someone isn't yet comfortable with being unmasked, We ask that you be respectful of that decision. Similarly, as the CDC relaxes official guidance, you may find that some of your friends and acquaintances are more comfortable with the relaxed protocols than you are, so We ask that you respect those who may have different comfort levels than you. Of course, if you believe there are violations of the protocols in place, seek out the Seneschal. We all need to do our best to navigate the changing guidance, and having open and respectful conversations will be one of the best ways to do that while hopefully avoiding much of the discomfort and strife that can arise from disagreements. We expect many more happy reunions than disagreements, though! It's been a long time since we have seen many of our dear friends, and many are excitedly looking forward to hugging friends again. Just remember it's ALWAYS a good idea to receive consent before physical contact, and please don't be offended if someone declines. Respect and kindness will go a long way in helping us gather and socialize in person again, and We sincerely look forward to seeing you.

## Coronets' Message (continued)

Finally, as Oldenfeld looks to resuming in-person activities again, including our business meetings once an acceptable venue is secured, We would like to remind the populace that a great many of the Baronial officers lack deputies, and many are at or approaching the end of their terms. All of the greater offices (Seneschal, Exchequer, Art & Sciences Minister, Chronicler, Marshal, and Chatelaine) **must** be filled for our group to continue being a Barony, so please consider volunteering and help reduce office fatigue for some of our long-serving officers. Duke Ardien, our A&S Minister, especially is in need of a successor deputy, as he will soon be required to step down from the office and step into the new role of Baron. Most of the offices require only fairly painless quarterly reports and check-ins with Kingdom counterparts, but there are no requirements for officers (other than Seneschal and Exchequer) to attend events, either locally or at the Kingdom level, so if you are looking for a way to become more involved but aren't yet sure about in-person activities, We especially encourage you to consider volunteering. In closing, We are very excited about the coming resumption of activities, and We very much so look forward to seeing you all again when events resume, and you and your family are comfortable with returning to in-person activities. Take care and be excellent to one another!



## Upcoming In-Person Events:



### Pilgrim to Crown List Kingdom Event

Saturday, September 4th, 2021, 8am - 8pm (Day trip only)  
Easter Seals Camp Challenge  
21600 Camp Challenge Rd, Sorrento, FL 32776

Event Steward: HL Kaðlín Kahlan Stertikona mka Candice McLendon, 863-860-1851  
(text first), seneschal@ruins.trimaris.org  
Reservations Steward's: HL Sorcha Tri Abhinn mka Sara McFarland, 863-220-3614 (no  
calls between 8am-5pm Weekdays)

Please register here: [Reservation for Trimaris Crown Lyst Event 2021](#)

***THIS WILL BE A FREE EVENT!!!***

Lunch will be provided by all the Baronies, so make sure to register so they can plan accordingly.

Events to include: Champion of Trimaris, Queen's Heart Rapier Tournament, Art/Sci Classes, Pilgrimage Scavenger Hunt and Mystery Escape from the Tabard Inn

# Village Fair

Hosted by the Barony of Darkwater

**Date:** September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021

**Where:** Don Knight Park at Lake Golden  
2301 E Airport Blvd, Sanford FL 32773

**Time:** Site Opens at 9AM and closes at 7PM

**Event Steward:**

**Reservation Steward:**

HL Iohannis MacSuibbne, mka Ian Hobbes    Margarita Di Rossi, mka Rita Miller

lazyfalcon@gmail.com

ritaandgeorgemiller@yahoo.com

***THIS WILL BE A FREE EVENT!!!***



More information can be found here: [Village Fair](#)

The Barony of Oldenfeld presents:

# Vivat & Fire



The Investiture of  
Duke Ardien & Duchess Lisa

On

Saturday, December 11, 2021

**Event Steward:**

Lord Bastian of Oldenfeld

Email: [basianofold@gmail.com](mailto:basianofold@gmail.com)

904-553-9770

**Reservations:**

Lady Katerina Von Klein

Email: [mykaha@ymail.com](mailto:mykaha@ymail.com)

850-300-8147, no calls after 9 pm

**Feast Steward:**

Mistress Mairi Ceilidh

Email: [jjterlouw@earthlink.net](mailto:jjterlouw@earthlink.net)

**Where:** Wakulla County Community Center

318 Shadeville Road

Crawfordville, FL 32327

**Fees:** Daytrip only— \$20.00

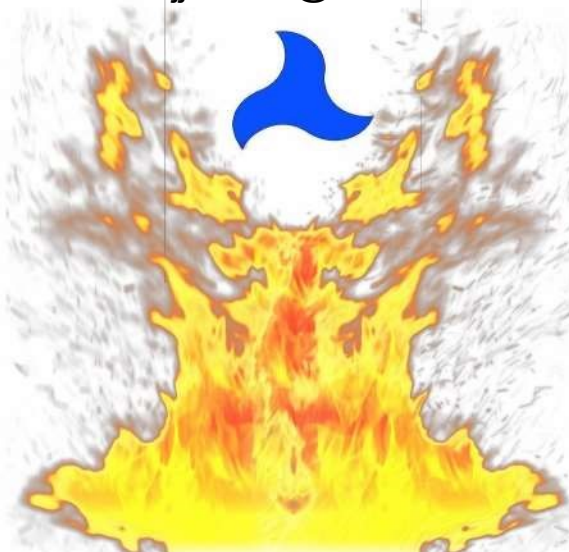
Feast—\$10.00

\$5.00 discount for paid members

Make checks payable to SCA Inc.—Barony of Oldenfeld

\*Please include driver license number on check. When sending in a pre-reservation kindly include the following information for all you are reserving for; a copy of SCA Cards and Names (SCA & Mundane).

\*\* No family will be charged more than 3 full adult fares, children 12 and under are free.\*\*



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## **Business Meeting Information**

Our business meetings have been changed from in-person meetings to online Google Meet virtual meetings the first Thursday of the month. Please check the Face Book Oldenfeld Populace page for current information on how to attend these meetings, as the credentials may change each time.

## **Fighter Practice Information**

Due to the on-going pandemic, the Oldenfeld Fighter Practice must follow SCA, State and local guidelines for social distancing and gathering limits. There are no formal fighting practices at this time.

There are several YouTube channels available for your viewing pleasure. There is an ongoing 100 Day Pell Challenge 2.0 which can be achieved in your own home. If interested, please feel free to contact our Seneschal for any requested details.



# Baronial Officers

Baron:	Baron Charles Ashton
Baroness:	Baroness Aurelia Cassia, OP
Seneschal:	Master Miklos von Baeker, OD
Exchequer:	Lord Bastion of Oldenfeld
Herald:	Aine of Oldenfeld
Minister of Arts and Science:	Duke Ardien Dochesefford known as the Irontower
Heavy Weapons Marshal:	- vacant -
Rapier Marshal:	THL Nicolo di Leone
Chatelaine:	THL Elizabeth Na Darach
Baronial Ranger:	THL Kolbrandr Haukr
Chronicler:	Mistress Marie le Mains, OP
Historian:	- vacant -
Chamberlain:	Duke Ardien Dochesefford known as the Irontower
Constable:	THL William Ulf
Minister of Children:	Lady Anneke the Small
Web Minister:	Mistress Philomena Wensley, OP

Please see our website: <http://www.oldenfeld.org> for more information.



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