

SHIRE OF GLENN LINN
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Unto the people of the Not Yet Incipient Shire of Glenn Linn,
Greetings from Charlton du Rill, your Seneshal:

The season of Yule is now past, the haggling with merchants and money changers but a (not too) dim memory. It is time to think of ways to pass the long, cold nights of winter.

Besides sharpening your sword into a dagger or embroidering embroidery on your garb, consider that spring is soon to come with feasting and fighting every which way you look. There are many winter events but an hour or so travel from our fair Shire, some details follow elsewhere in this newsletter. It is time to prepare to feast, fight and flirt in your most chivalrous SCA-dian manner.

Starting January 12, we will be holding regular fighting practice. Contact our Shire's Marshall, Lady Lorin of the Dual Masque at 747-8439 for details. If you desire to fight in any spring events you must get started now.

I am pleased to announce that our first official event is to be held on Saturday, March 11 in Glens Falls. This all-day fighting event will have qualifying bouts in the morning and lists throughout the afternoon. Details will be published in the February newsletter.

His Royal Highness Prince Morguhn has lent us the use of some arrows, that we may begin archery practice. If you have an interest in pursuing traditional archery, contact Michal of the Waters at 747-8439 for times and places.

Lord Leod O'Skye will be having fencing practice shortly. Contact him at 747-8439 for more information.

Please do let me or the appropriate officer know if there is an interest you would like to pursue, a skill you have to offer or a suggestion of any kind. It will help us AND help us serve you (which, of course, helps us all).

Lastly, we are bidding to hold the King and Queen's Champions Tourney in early June. We need help in all phases. This is a major kingdom event and it would be a tremendous honor for our Shire to serve as host. Contact Lady Rowena at 783-1224 or 793-8137.

Before I close, I wish to offer a personal vivat to Lord Michal of the Water and Lady Lorin of the Dual Masque.

I drink a cup to this new year and to their Royal Majesties King Randal and Queen Katherine, their Royal Highnesses Prince Morguhn and Princess Mauryia, the East Kingdom and our fair Shire of Glenn Linn and all its members.

Charlton

In Service to the East Kingdom and the Shire of Glenn Linn
this 1st day of January, Anno Societatus XXIV

P.S. Please take note of our Chronicler's message later in this newsletter, or you may no longer receive our Shire's newsletter!

MEETINGS & OTHER SUCH THINGS TO DO

The date and site of our first, unofficial mini-event has been changed to Saturday, January 21 at the Comstock Community Center (details follow). This event will celebrate our new SCA-dian selves and offers everyone a chance to trial-run their garb and feasting skills, not to mention dancing, games and good cheer. This is a pot-luck dinner event, which means that everyone is requested to contribute some prepared food. Beth McCallister has graciously

assembled some simple period recipes for members to attempt. Just call her at 798-1972 for information and assistance. Our Minister of Arts, Jeanne die Spinnerin (mka Jean Long), is taking RSVPs to help us estimate attendance. Please call her ASAP at 639-5325.

Until then, our UPDATED meeting and workshop schedule follows:

Sat/Jan 7 at the Glens Falls National Bank Community Center, downtown Glens Falls. Going south on Glen St., turn right into the sidestreet between Achenbachs Jewelers and Associates of Glens Falls. The GFN Community Center is located off that parking lot, in the rear of same brick building that houses Associates of Glens Falls.

NOTE -- BRING YOUR STUFF TO WORK ON AT THE APPROPRIATE WORKSHOPS!

10 am - calligraphy workshop, bring felt-tip calligraphic pen or carpenter's pencil, paper will be supplied.
(Jeanne die Spinnerin)
12 pm - needlework basics workshop (Lady Lorin)
4 pm - cooking in the Current Middle Ages (Lord Leod)
4:30 pm - dance workshop (Lord Leod)
6:30 pm - MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING
7:30 pm - basic heraldry (Lady Rowena)
!!!! 7 pm - MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING
9 pm - site closes

Sat/Jan 21 POT LUCK SUPPER EVENT
at the Comstock Community Center. Travel north on Route 4 to Route 28 (that is the right hand turn to Great Meadows Correctional Facility). Go past the prison. The community center is to your left, clearly labled (look for SCA sign). Only two rules must be obeyed: lock your car and NO live steel. It is a DAMP SITE. This means that you may bring a little something alcoholic for your own drinking pleasure, as long as you are of age.

1 pm - site opens
----- period games -----
5 pm - SET-UP FOR POT LUCK SUPPER
6 pm - dinner - wear your garb and bring your feast gear
----- period dancing -----
10 pm - site closes

Sat/Feb 4 at the Glens Falls National Community Center, downtown GF
6:30 pm - MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
7:30 pm - heraldry workshop (Lady Rowena)

COMING EVENTS AND SUCH OF OUR BORDERING NEIGHBORS

The Brewers Guild is planning a Brewers Workshop for Sunday, January 8 at 1:30 pm in Clifton Park. For details contact Lord Geoffrey Featherstone at 371-8885.

The Barony of Concordia is having a Twelfth Night celebration, from 3 to 11 pm on Saturday, January 14 at St. Mark's Community Center, Route 146, Guilderland Center. The site for this pot luck event opens at 3 pm and closes at 11 pm. A donation of \$1 plus an edible contribution is requested. For advance reservations and information call the event autocrat Janique be Rennef (mka Jean Illiene) at 346-1016.

In February, the Barony of Concordia will be presenting the Crystal Snowflake Ball in Albany and the Shire of Anglespur will be presenting Winter Storm in Troy. All the necessary information was not available as this newsletter went to press, but you can call our Seneschal Charlton du Rill for their respective dates, times, etc. If you have become a sustaining member and have begun to receive the monthly newsletter of the East Kingdom (Pikestaff), this information will be listed there, as well. If you plan to attend, you may be interested in carpooling.

THE FOLLOWING CALENDAR information is from the December Pikestaff, the monthly newsletter of the East Kingdom that all sustaining (\$200) members receive. Because of space restrictions, we are only able to publish this in its list form. If you do not receive Pikestaff (which has complete information about each event in the Kingdom, and much more) you can contact any officer for further details. Remember, each event has a limited number of "on board" (includes feast) and "off board" (entrance to site, does not include meal) reservations, whether it be for 50 or 250. SCA events are popular and sell out fast, so sooner than soon is always better.

JANUARY A.S. XXIII -----

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| 7 | Setmout Swamp (New Jersey) | Winter Celebration |
| 7 | Vielburgen (Germany) | Twelfth Night |
| 21 | Carolingia (Massachusetts) | Duello and Chessmatch |
| 21 | Lions End (Long Island) | Twelfth Night *RP |
| 28 | Carillion (New Jersey) | Bellringer's Feast and Revel |
| 28 | Flintheath (England) | Twelfth Night |
| 28 | Quintavia (Massachusetts) | Generic Wedding |

FEBRUARY A.S. XXIII -----

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| 1 | bid deadline for the King and Queen's Champions Tourney | |
| 4 | Dragonship Haven (Connecticut) | University of Saint Agnus |
| 4 | Ravenhill (Connecticut) | Blacke Widow's Ball |
| 11 | Thescorre (New York) | University |
| 25 | Delftwood (New York) | Seven Deadly Sins *RP |
| 25 | Hartshorn-Dale (Pennsylvania) | Elizabethan Revels |
| 25 | Flintheath (England) | Arts & Sciences College |

MARCH A.S. XXIII -----

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| 11 | Glenn Linn (Glens Falls, NY) | (fighting/authorization event) |
| 18 | Malagentia (Maine) | Irish Bar Brawl |
| 18 | Rhydderich (New York) | Ice Dragon *RP |

APRIL A.S. XXIII -----

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| 1 | Debateable Lands (Pennsylvania) | Birthday *RP |
| 1 | Osgardr (New York) | 10th Annual Celtic Silliness |

*RP = Royal Progress of Their Majesties

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BANNS

Banns of Marriage are hereby announced between Michal of the Water and Lorin of the Dual Masque, this being the first time of asking.

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INTERESTED IN OBTAINING YOUR OWN "KNOWN WORLD HANDBOOK?" This is a 228-page official SCA publication offering all the basics and further insights into the Current Middle Ages. We will have a copy for you to look at during our upcoming general meeting if you wish to peruse one first. To purchase send a check for \$9.60 (includes first class or UPS shipping) payable to SCA, Inc. and mail to SCA, Office of the Stock Clerk, PO Box 360743, Milpitas, California 95035-0743.

Other official SCA publications are also available through this address. (If we get together and send out an order for 10 or more we can get a discount. If you are interested, call Charlton du Rill at 798-5373 after 7 pm and we will coordinate a bulk mailing.)

A LITTLE BIT OF WHO'S WHO & WHAT'S WHAT

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GREETINGS unto all good gentles from Dresden Pennello di Quadro Voce,
Chronicler of the Shire of Glenn Linn:

First, I would like to express special and many thanks to Lady Synthal of the Sands for creating the Celtic knotwork border on this newsletter, as well as her input and generosity to this office (and me!)

One more time for good measure:

Much as we would like to continue sending a newsletter your way, my pockets are emptying as our mailing list has already climbed to some 100 interested folk. This WILL be the last newsletter you will receive unless you forward an annual subscription of \$6 for 12 issues. Modest as it is, this is the only means of informing the members of our Shire of what's going on.

Also, I want to, again and always, encourage submissions of columns, artwork, poetry, and just general helpful hints on where you found an unusual and useful SCA something or other, so the newsletter will progressively grow.

Now the holidays are past, dig into your coffers and send your annual subscription of \$6, payable to "SCA, Inc. - Shire of Glenn Linn," for a 12-issue (monthly) subscription for our as yet unnamed (any suggestions?) newsletter to cover mailing and production costs.

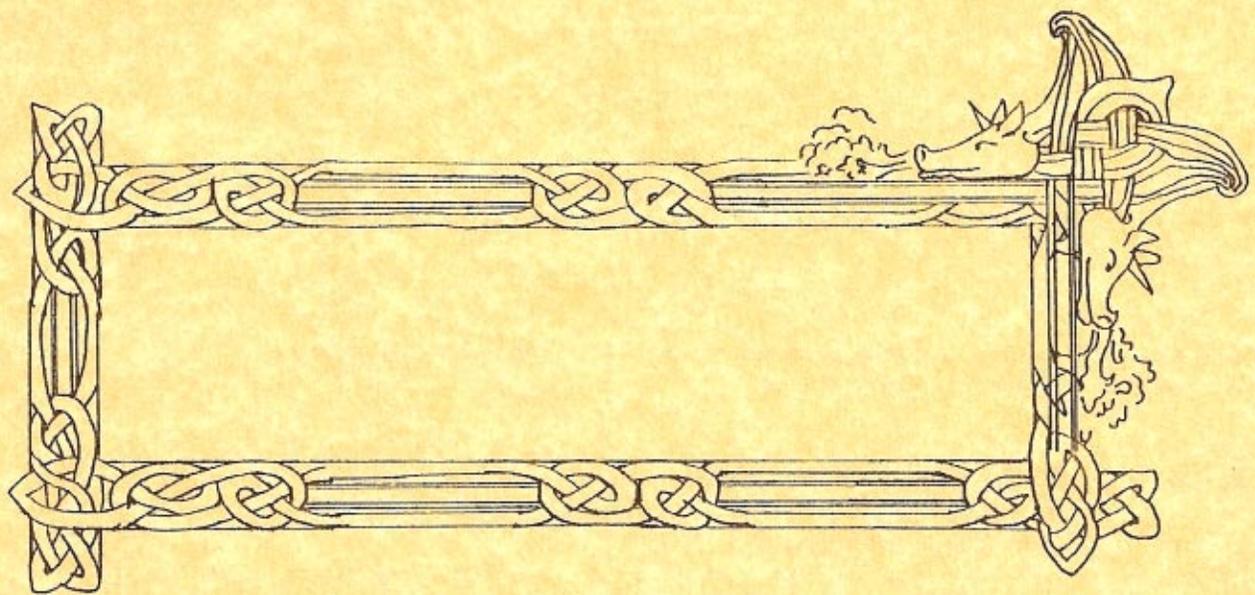
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This is clearly the Jan 1989 issue (AS XXIII) even though the Seneshal has dated it AS XXIV. He must have not known or failed to remember that the Society year runs from May 1 through April 30. So AS XXXIII would have started on May 1 of 1988 and it would end on April 30 1989. The Seneshal has dated this issue XXIV because it is the first issue of the new year (Jan 1989). Proof of this mistake is provided by the fact that this issue still has no newsletter name (this is the last issue without one) and that we have a copy of the actual Jan AS XXIV edition listed as Vol 2, Issue 3.

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(Sean Transue)
(03/13/2016)