



THE MEWS

OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF
THE KINGDOM OF CALONTIR



Archers to the line!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

September 1

October Mews Deadline

October 1

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2022

ROYAL PROGRESS NOTED

September 10



King's Company of Archers

September 16



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October 1

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October 8



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October 22



Feed the Beasts: East meets West

October 29

CalonCon

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The Shire of Crystal Mynes invites you to
The King's Company of Archers

September 9th—11th, 2022
Kelsey Short Youth Camp

17980 Collins Rd
Smithville, MO 64809

Site opens: 5pm on Friday

Site closes: Noon on Sunday

Please Join us for a day of Archery and Comradery!

REGISTRATION:

Adult – \$20

Adult, Member Discount – \$15

Youth 6-16 – \$5

Children under 6 – free

Make checks payable to "SCA Inc. Sire of Crystal Mynes"

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The Barony of Three Rivers Presents

Gryphons at Sea

September 16-18, 2022



Registration

Adult - \$30

Adult, Member Discount - \$25

Under 18 - FREE

Make checks payable to:

SCA Inc. - Barony of Three Rivers

Location

Puddleford

18683 State Hwy CC

Warrenton, MO 63383

Site Opens: 5:00pm Friday Site Closes: 12:00pm Sunday

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Explore how the sea connected nations!

Equestrian

Archery

Combat

Arts & Sciences

Youth Activities

Auction

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Autumn Arrows 30: Fairy Tale Forest

Friday September 30th to Sunday October 2nd, 2022

Shire of Calanais Nuadh
Pulaski County Shrine Club
26920 Shrine Road, Laquey, MO 65534



Site opens: Friday at 5:00pm Free Camping, Bathrooms and Showers on Site Site closes: Sunday at 11:00 am

Activities:

All Archery All DAY!!!!

Thrown Weapons All Day TOO!

Other activities will be available.

FEES: Adult Event Registration: \$15 Adult Member Discount Registration: \$10 Youth (12-17): \$5.00 Child (11 & under): FREE Feast: Limited seating of 50 people. Fee: \$10 / person

For more information please visit: <http://www.shireofcalanaisnuadh.org/autumnarrows/>

Make checks payable to “**SCA, Inc.—Shire of Calanais Nuadh**”

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COVID-19 Safety and Compliance

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Fall Coronation

Saturday, October 8, 2022

The Relevant Center

21220 Elkhorn Dr

Elkhorn, NE 68022

Site Opens at 9am and closes at 10pm site is — DRY

Fees:

- ◆ Adult Member (Over 17): \$20 Make checks payable to SCA, Inc. BLT
- ◆ Adult Non-Member (Over 17): \$25 Pre Registration is NOT required but STRONGLY ENCOURAGED!
- ◆ Youth (5-17): \$5
- ◆ Under 5: FREE
- ◆ FEAST: \$20 — Feast is PRE REGISTRAION LIMITED TO 44 SEATS

Event Stewards:

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(402)-660-8931 NO CALLS AFTER 8 pm

Lady Jorunna Refsdottir (Bethany Melendy)
melendy09@sbc.edu
(319)-830-7590 NO CALLS AFTER 9 pm

Planned Activities: Largesse A&S Competition for Their (soon to be) Majesties, the theme is Ravens please contact HE Aleit de la Thomme at baroness@lonelytower.org for more information. Our Marshal in Charge is planning a "William the Marshal" Tourney.

As we draw nearer to the event please be on the look out for a website to go live, along with pre-registration and more information as it becomes available.

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CalonCon 2022

VIRTUAL! October 29, 2022

This flyer is a living document. Check back periodically for updates...

Meeting Schedule Link:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1pva5NVCZuYCoKXEiT1mC8CA6sB8NivwNS-NcPwVuS4/edit?usp=sharing>

Session Links:

Arts & Sciences Meeting:

Chatelaine's Meeting:

Chronicler's Meeting (10—11) Link to follow

Exchequer's Meeting

Herald's Meeting: (10 - Noon)

Lilies Committee:

Marshal's Meeting: (10 - Noon)

Seneschal Session #1: (11 - Noon)

<https://societyforcreativeanachronism.my.webex.com/societyforcreativeanachronism.my/j.php?MTID=mfd85ada0d077d4582b4a52d3c2daa945>

By Phone: 408-418-9388 ; Access code: 182 606 0738

Seneschal Session #2: (1 PM until finished)

<https://societyforcreativeanachronism.my.webex.com/societyforcreativeanachronism.my/j.php?MTID=mcc4b0056374651fb036fa05a4ae7feab>

By Phone: 408-418-9388 ; Access code: 2550 379 0604

Web Minister's Meeting:

Society Youth Programs Officer

As a family-friendly organization, the Society knows that young people are an essential part of a thriving SCA community. As such, the SCA is seeking applicants for the role of Society Youth Programs officer. This is a new volunteer position, charged with encouraging and facilitating youth and family engagement in the SCA. These activities will give young people the ability to have their voices heard, be involved in activities and events, and celebrate their contribution to the Society.

You will work with Kingdom Youth Officers, engaging with them regularly, holding meetings via video conference at least once a quarter or more as desired/required. You are passionate about the development of high quality, fun and educational youth programs and providing safe opportunities for engagement in the Society for children, youth, and families. Working as a Deputy to the Society Seneschal, you will develop resources and assist kingdoms to develop fit-for-purpose youth programs that are compliant with the Society's youth policies and local jurisdictions' requirements. You will report on a quarterly basis to the Society Seneschal and the Board.

The purpose of this office is to promote and encourage youth and family friendly activities within the SCA. We want our younger members to feel safe and to be involved in as many different aspects of the SCA as possible.

The successful candidate should have:

- Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- Ability to respond in a timely fashion to questions and concerns
- Familiarity with SCA policies on youth participation
- Experience in and enthusiasm for developing and delivering recreational activities with young people
- Experience as an SCA youth officer at some level (strongly recommended but not required)
- Knowledge and understanding of child/youth learning and development
- A current SCA background check (or obtain one before assuming the role)

Interested applicants should send a letter of interest, together with modern resumé and SCA qualifications, hardcopy to:

Louise Du Cray

Society for Creative Anachronism

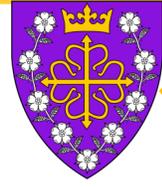
P.O. Box 611928, San Jose, CA 95161

with courtesy copies sent to resumes@sca.org and seneschal@sca.org.

Applications close August 31, 2022.



From Their Majesties Calontir



**Unto the hardworking and happy people of Calontir
Do Queen Magdalena and King Hirsch send these heartfelt
words**

**The heat of summer begins to wane, and gentle autumn
breezes stir among us, the gentlest of tailwinds as we journey to
see one another at events.**

**Check your bowstrings and arrows, and join Us at King's
Company of Archers! This event is one of the most enjoyable
days of shooting, and We are looking forward to it.**

**Come to Gryphon's at Sea, for the ponies! Also for archery,
armored combat, cut and thrust, youth activities, and don't
forget the ponies! It promises to be a fun filled weekend.**

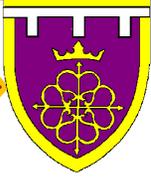
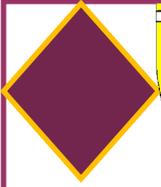
**We are so grateful for everyone's work that has made this the
most enjoyable summer in years.**

Thank you

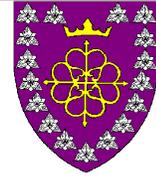
King Hirsch and Queen Magdalena

Peace. Love. Calontir.





From Their Highnesses Calontir



Greetings to the Citizens of the Heartland!

Kingdom Arts and Sciences was all that we expected it to be, and more. Calontir is indeed rich in talent, knowledge, and enthusiasm. Congratulations to the new Calontir Arts and Sciences Champion, The Honorable Lady Elaisse de Garrigues, and to all who entered and mentored.

Feast of Eagles has long been one of Our favorite events. It was full of wonderful people, activities, and...A Feast! The Feast was delicious and the entertainment provided by the servers (who allowed themselves to be auctioned for charity) and live music were most excellent. We are delighted that the restrictions which were brought upon Us by the Plague are continuing to lift.

As of this writing, many Calontiri have begun their journey East to the Pennsic War, and more will follow soon. We eagerly await the tales of honor, and Oafishness, which are sure to result.

In the heat of summer we look forward also to camping events held in cooler weather, which we hope to enjoy with as many of you as possible.

And speaking of future events, the Kingdom Calendar for January and February is very open right now. If your group is considering holding an event, it will make Our planning easier if we know about it sooner rather than later. Please contact the Kingdom Reeve, Lady Chiara di Paxiti, should you have any questions during the planning process.

Wishing good health and well-being for all,

Prince Logan and Princess Ylva



Greetings good gentles!

As we near my favourite time of year, we are also entering one of the busiest months of this year's calendar. King's Companie of Archers, Gryphon's at Sea, and Autumn Arrows all promise to be great events. I look forward to seeing you all there. Please be mindful of the continued outbreaks of plague. Those who have not been vaccinated are still at the greatest risk of succumbing to the ravages of this plague.

Calontir has adopted the SCA's COVIDSafe policy, meaning that anyone attending events within our borders must show proof of vaccination, or a negative COVID test, to enter. The efficacy of the vaccines continue to be proven, and they are readily available, at no cost, in all the states which make up Calontir for people 5 years of age and over. Vaccinations have been approved for children under the age of 5, but availability is more restricted.

Please consult your pediatrician for more information. I encourage everyone who can do so to please obtain a vaccine when you are able. It is the best defense for ourselves, and those around us. For more information about Calontir COVIDSafe, including vaccination and testing locations, please check out our website at <https://www.calontir.org/covidsafe/>.

In Service,
Galen



Greetings Calontir,

We are seeking volunteers to serve as the next kingdom webminister. The webminister is responsible for maintaining the kingdom website, coordinating the efforts of the deputy webministers to maintain the email and database services, and for overseeing the creation and maintenance of local group websites.

Candidates should be comfortable with computer technology. Experience with web technologies is desirable, however the ideal candidate must have strong project management and delegation skills.

Training in the use of Calontir's various web systems will be provided and you will inherit a skilled team of deputies to help manage our web presence.

Please send all Letters of Intent or inquiries to webminister@calontir.org. Letters should include:

- 1) A description of your relevant experience and skills
- 2) A description of your goals for your term in the webminister's office

Sincerely,
Master Gawin Kappler, OoD
Calontir Webminister



Greetings good gentles!

We are still seeking volunteers for the two submission herald positions. I am extending the deadline for Eyas Herald to the end of August. Interested but not sure if you have enough "experience"? Send me a message! Eyas Herald is mostly an administrative position. If you can sort mail, pay bills, and are reliable, you may be a good candidate. Please send all Letters of Intent or inquiries to goldfal-con@calontir.org. Letters should include any information or skills relevant to the position.

As a reminder, these positions are not only for the Experienced Heralds(™). Many heralds who consider themselves as "new" actually have the experience, knowledge, and ability to take on kingdom level positions.

One final note. These two positions are vital to our standing as a kingdom. Please think about volunteering.

S-ciao vostro,
Zaneta Baseggio.

Call for Applicants!

The Kingdom Advocates work as a team to address concerns, help bring about resolutions to disputes, and investigate reports of inappropriate behaviour. Our current Kingdom Advocates are Duke Tristram of Lindisfarne, Countess Conna ingen Ui Chearbhail, and Mistress Halimah bint 'al Abbas 'al Tanji. They have done a fantastic job under uniquely trying circumstances. Due to a combination of plague and corporate restructuring, they have been in their roles for a greater than expected period of time, and would like to retire to their estates to enjoy a well deserved rest. We announced the newest member of the team, Lady Eawynn ingen Broccain, in court last night. We will need others as well. If you are interested in serving Calontir in this capacity, please submit your letter of intent to Seneschal@calontir.org, and copy the advocates at Advocates@Calontir.org. Letters of intent are due by **August 20th, 2022**. If you have any questions about the office please let us know. Thank you.

In Service,
Galen



Greetings Calontir!

The current Emergency Deputy Seneschal for Calontir, His Lordship Saito Takauji, will be stepping up as the next Baron of Mag Mor at the end of August. This means that I am in need of a new Emergency Deputy Seneschal. My warrant is also up in November, which means that I am seeking a successor for my office.

If you are interested in serving the kingdom either as Emergency Deputy Seneschal, or the next Kingdom Seneschal, please submit your letters of intent to Seneschal@calontir.org by **August 17th, 2022**. If you have any questions about the office, please let me know. Thank you.

In Service,
Galen

Greetings good gentles!

The College of Heralds has two positions that need volunteers. Caitilin inghean Ui Lochlainn's term as Eyas Herald is nearing the end. My time as Saker Herald is winding down. We are looking for volunteers that would be interested in serving the Kingdom and College in these two necessary and important positions.

Eyas Herald is our Internal Submissions Herald. Saker Herald is the External Submissions Herald. These two positions handle the work necessary to keep Calontir in good standing as a Kingdom. These positions accept heraldic submissions, process payment, and publish monthly letters for consideration and registration. These positions require an active membership, an internet connection, access to a scanner, some familiarity with the OSCAR system, and the ability to be warranted by the Exchequer.

Please send all Letters of Intent or inquiries to goldfalcon@calontir.org. Letters should include any information or skills relevant to the positions. We are accepting letters for Eyas Herald until the end of July. We are accepting letters for Saker Herald until the end of August.

S-ciao vostro,
Zaneta Baseggio



Want to see what is up in the Kingdom? Please visit:

<https://www.calontir.org/>

The most current copy of the Laws of the Kingdom of Calontir can be found:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1bNWufznRKhf6NLFAPhDUbCPCuipwzZLS/view>

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EVENT FLYER GUIDELINES

For Their Majesties to hold Court, or any official business to occur, a complete flyer must be published in *The Mews*. Failure to do so means that the Crown can not hold Court at that event.

Before sending an event flyer confirm your event with the Reeve. *The Mews* **WILL NOT** publish an announcement if your event has not been approved or confirmed. Check the Kingdom Calendar at: <https://www.calontir.org/events/> For information on how to submit a flyer please visit: <https://www.calontir.org/chronicler/>

For an event to be considered complete and published, so official Kingdom business can be carried out, an event announcement **MUST** contain these **SIX ITEMS**:

- ◆ Dates of the event- day and month
- ◆ Event time: when site opens & closes to the populace
- ◆ Name of the sponsoring group or groups
- ◆ Location of the event. The name of the event site, and full address.
- ◆ Name, both SCA and Modern, of the Event Steward, including contact phone and email. (Needed if there an emergency / or issues arise)

- ◆ Details of Registration : Do NOT use “FEE” as a describer for registration cost.

Example of wording for Registration:

Adult Event Registration: \$25 / Adult Member Discount Registration: \$20 / Youth (6-17) \$5 / Children 5 & Under: FREE

Event Copies: An Editable version of your flyer **MUST** be sent. If you wish to send a PDF, you are more than welcomed. However, I need a version I am able to edit, because sometimes that PDF just will not convert correctly and I would like to keep your flyers looking nice.

Deadline: The Chronicler must receive event copies no later than the **1st of the month TWO MONTHS PRIOR to your event.** (e.g. if the event is in November, the flyer must be received by September 1st.) If there is an issue with meeting the deadline, please contact the Chronicler ASAP. There is no grace period the deadline is final and non-negotiable. The earlier a flyer is received the better!