

Elfsea Tidings

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Greetings to the good gentles of Elfsea and Dragonsfire Tor,



We'll begin this month by adding our congratulations to Lord Peter Rhys Connor and Honorable Lady Sarah Fynn on becoming the next Baron and Baroness of the Steppes! We are very fond of them and are looking forward to the great things our two groups will accomplish in the upcoming years.

Lord Franklin coordinated a wonderful Boy Scout demo. Many people played an important part in this event. The Scouts seem pleased with our efforts and have made their sites available to us.

The next two months will be very busy for the Barony. We have Yule Revel, Tournament of Champions and the Baronial potluck just in December! January will be Steppes Twelfth Night and Baronial Investiture, Crown Tournament and Roundtable. These January events are a great time to make our Baronial presence known to the rest of the Kingdom. All are welcome to join us as we travel around the Kingdom.

This time of year is also for all of us to spend time with our families. They often keep us grounded and help us to recharge. Please be safe if you travel and know that we always wish the best for you and your family this holiday season.

William and Cassandra
Baron and Baroness

Baronial Progress

Dragonsfire Tor Yule Revel – December 3rd

Tournament of Champions – December 10th

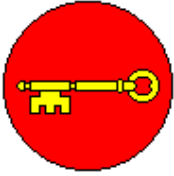
Baronial Party and Potluck – December 19th

Steppes Twelfth Night and Baronial Investiture – January 7th

Crown Tournament – January 14th

Roundtable – January 21st

Officer Reports



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(seneschal@elfsea.ansteorra.org)

Deputies: Oliver Blankenship, Aine inghen Aodh mic
Sheafred and Justin Eads



Greetings, Elfsea.

I'm honored to report I am the next Seneschal. It will be very hard to fill Lady Aiofe's shoes (well maybe not as my feet are bigger than hers). She did an outstanding job especially when you know she was only 6 months in the SCA when she assumed office.

If you have questions or concerns for me, send them to seneschal@elfsea.ansteorra.org. Unofficial notes can be sent there or to my facebook account. Please remember facebook is not currently an official communication method. The email list is for that.

Several Elfsea people recently attended the War of Rams (with the wonderful acronym of WAR). The weather was a bit cool, but not bad. Chivalric and Rapier fighters kept at it until they could barely stand up. I have pictures of them not standing up. There were many wonderful merchants. Sarah and Peter were named the next Baron and Baroness of Steppes, stepping up at 12th Night. And HG Britta stood on her horse (I have pictures)!

We will have DragonfireTor's Yule Revel with Lady Eleanor of Forth Castle as Head Cook on December 3rd. Come support our Canton, get a great meal, and have fun at their famous raffle.

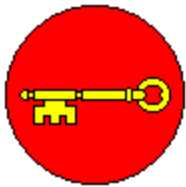
Next is the Tournament of Champions on December 10th. It will be professionally filmed and used for SCA marketing so wear your best garb and behavior. Support our champions (yes we have rapier too this time).

Elfsea Chiv - Sir Louis de Blaireau
Elfsea Rapier- Master Miguel Vallejo de Villa Joiosa
DFT Chiv- Sir Alejandro Mendoza
DFT Rapier- Lord Guyon Dupre

Then we have 12th Night, on January 7th, with a feast by our own Guyon Dupre and myself. The new Baron and Baroness will be installed and much socializing will be done.

On January 14th, Crown Tournament will chose our next Prince and Princess. Followed by Roundtable on January 21st for many classes.

In service,
HE Caelin on Andrede, OP



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Nothing new to report.



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Silvana Corwin

Nothing new to report.



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Nothing new to report.



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Hugi Orlanderson

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Nothing new to report



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Nothing new to report.



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Nothing new to report



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Nothing new to report



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This Office is Open For Applications

Please send any questions, additions, changes or comments regarding the Elfsea website to webminister@elfsea.ansteorra.org.



Chronicler: Lady Johanna da Verona (chronicler@elfsea.ansteorra.org)

Greetings my Elfsea friends,

I hope you enjoy the Tidings this month. I am open to suggestions on formatting and content. Just send me an email to the address next to my name above.

The Tidings production is a creative way to serve the Barony and the Kingdom. Please consider being a Chronicler Deputy!

In service,
Lady Johanna da Verona



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Nothing new to report



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Nothing new to report



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Nothing new to report.



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Lady Liaden Orlanderson

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Greetings Elfsea,

We have had a great couple of months. And with the weather cooperating so nicely we should have a great Holiday season too!

We have held childrens activities at Youth academy, Events (E.g. Baronial college, BAM, DFT Yule) and we will be adding Youth combat in the coming months!

I want to encourage All youth (Parents too) to email me with questions, Ideas or Interests! What to know how Romans had running water? Why did Persians like rugs? And why do Mongolian's put Butter in their Tea? I can help you find out....but only if you ask.

I also want to encourage everyone to start thinking of was to share your knowledge and passion for History with our youth, we need to continue learning as a group!

In service
Liaden Orlanderson
Elfsea Minister of Children

Guild Principal Reports



Principal Scribe

Lady Silvana Corwin

Nothing new to report



Academie Pedagogue

Jeanne Marie la Verriere

Nothing new to report



Principal Cook

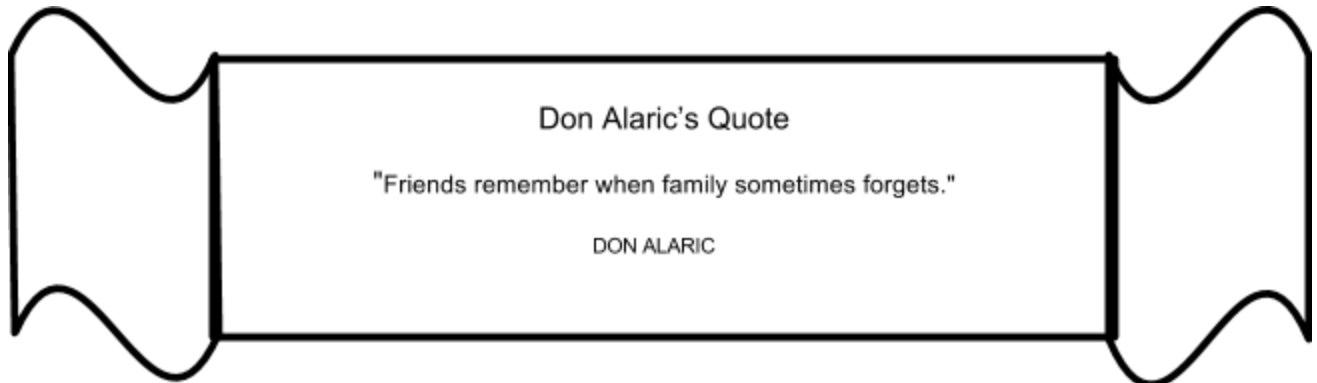
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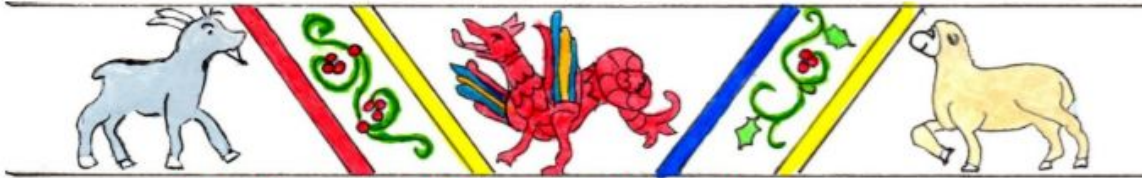
Nothing new to report



Principal Armorer

Currently vacant. Contact the Seneschal.





The Canton of Dragonsfire Tor invites you to Yule Revel XXVI

Saturday, December 3, 2016

Oakdale Park

1019 Northeast Barnard St., Glen Rose, TX
SITE OPENS 9:00 am ~ SITE CLOSSES 10:00 pm

Event Registration:

Adult Registration: \$15.00

Adult Member Discount Registration: \$10.00

Child Registration (6-17): \$5.00 Youth Registration (5&under): Free

Family Max will be from \$30.00 to \$45.00 depending on the number of Adult Registrations
(The Family Max price varies due to member discount. With 2 Adult family members
and proof of membership, the max you will pay is \$30.00 for Registration.)

To receive the Member Discount, you must be able to show proof of membership at gate.
Family Max does NOT include Feast.

Make checks payable to SCA Inc., Canton of Dragonsfire Tor

Feast:

Adults: \$5.00

Children: \$5.00

Activities

A&S Competition

Table decorating contest

Banner contest

Annual Fundraiser

Dessert Competition

Children's activities table and more....

Site Information:

Site is wet in period containers only and must remain inside the hall.

You must be 21 years old or older to drink alcohol. & Service animals only.

Event Steward

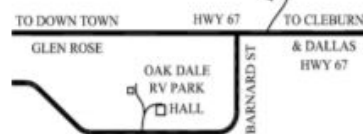
Franklin Whitenhale (Frank Warner)
6560 County Rd. 274
Breckenridge, Tx 76424
254-212-9144

franklin.whitenhale@gmail.com

Co-event Steward

Aoife Ruadh Inghean Ragnail
(Debra Carrejo)

Please, no calls after 9:00 pm



GPS 32.239250, -97.745050

Minors must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian. They may also attend with a 21
year or older adult with a **signed and notarized Minor Event Waiver Form** from the parents.

More information can be found on Canton of Dragonsfire Tor's website under Events – Yule Revel; or
on our Facebook group page at: <https://www.facebook.com/events/637825483040794/>

Canton of Dragonsfire Tor: <http://dragonsfire-tor.ansteorra.org/>



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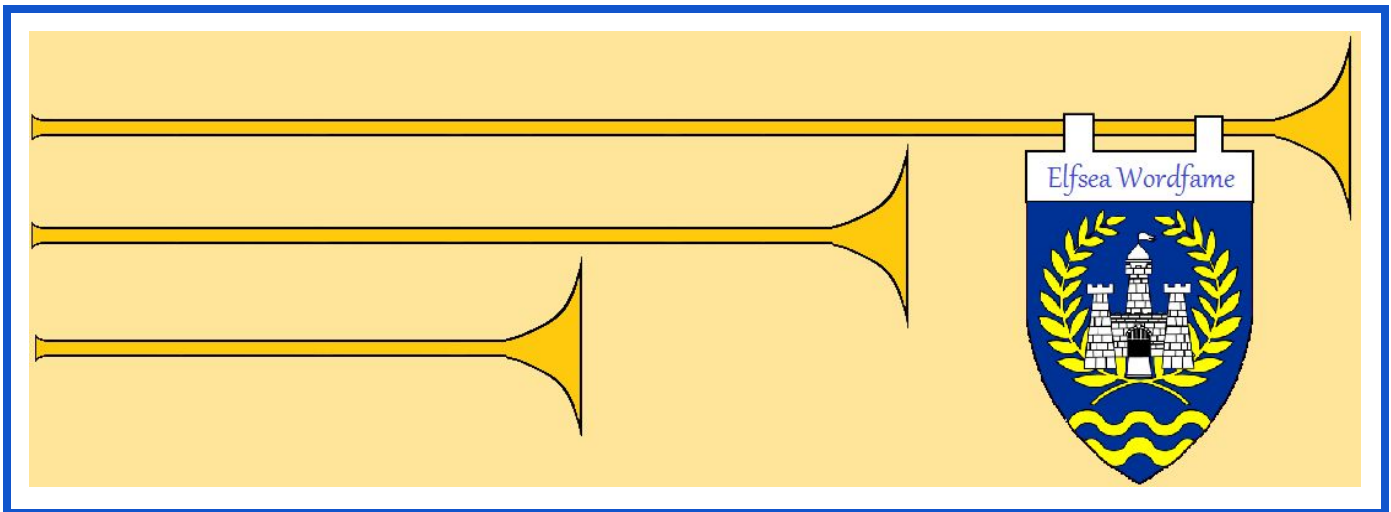
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of the dragonish kind.

The artisan may choose to create a piece featuring the dragon as subject.

The artisan may also use the substance of a dragon freely given*

* the documentation must explain the circumstance of the gifting as the people of the Cor have no wish to see harm done to dragons -- even in the pursuit of art.

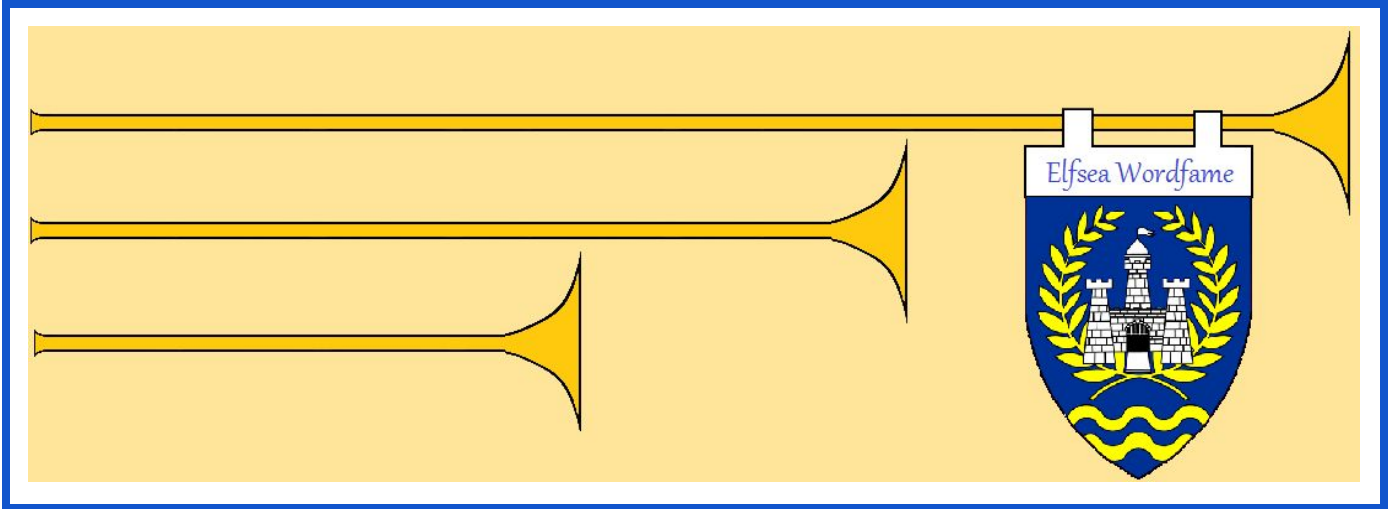


Wordfame is the common chivalry of the Barony as well as congratulatory messages. Please feel free to use the [webform](#) to submit wordfame.

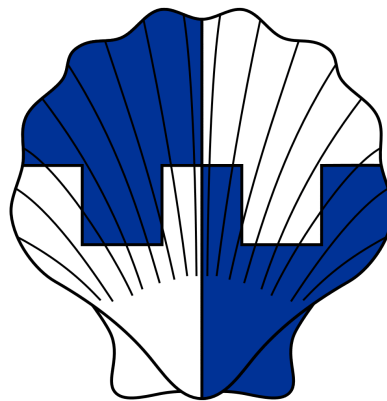
These good gentles participated in the Boy Scout Jamboree demo. They have the thanks of the Barony for giving of their time and sharing their talent with others. Here are the names of those participants:

Lord Franklin, Lord Kennard of Bath, Tamara, Baroness Ker Megan, Master Caelin, Lady Sidheag Sorcha, Lord Bearach Mac Sneachd, Lady Aureliana, Titus Severus, Lord Esteban de Leon, Mathieu de Montagu, Lady Marcelle, Lady Y'vette, Lord Absolon, Lady Silvana Corwin, Aila, Lady Astridr, Lord Thorbjorn, HL al AERYN, Vivian, Don Alaric, Don Sebastian, Lord Guyon, Lady Micola, HL Colleen, Sir Louis, Lord Edwin, Lord Justinian, Sir Arthur, Countess Sonja, Count Gabriel, Master Airaklee, Liaden Orlanderson, Lady Aaliz

- ★ Baron William and Baroness Cassandra wish to offer wordfame to Lord Franklin For coordinating the Boy Scout Demo. Thank you for a wonderful event.
- ★ Baron William and Baroness Cassandra wish to offer wordfame to Master Caelin for the 'on the spot' archery at the Boy Scout Demo. You came through when the BSA suppliers were flooded and nothing arrived.
- ★ Baron William and Baroness Cassandra wish to offer wordfame to HL Colleen for your time teaching the Scouts about your ballista and providing such a great activity.



- ★ Baron William and Baroness Cassandra wish to offer wordfame to HL al Aeryn and Vivian for your help on Friday with set-up for the demo. Thank you!
- ★ Baron William and Baroness Cassandra wish to offer wordfame to Lady Silvana and Lord Absolon for creating the scroll for the Queen's Hope award.
- ★ Baron William and Baroness Cassandra wish to offer wordfame to Lady Liadan for your time as our Minister of Arts and Sciences. Thank you for your service to the Barony.
- ★ Baron William and Baroness Cassandra wish to offer wordfame to Dona Rixende for making the Round of 16 at Queen's Champion!
- ★ Baron William and Baroness Cassandra wish to offer wordfame to Liaden Orlanderson for an excellent wax tablet class at fighter practice.



Barony of Elfsea Calendar - December

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thurs day	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
			1	2 Scribal Guild	3 Yule - Dragonsfire Tor (Stephenville, TX) Yule Revel & Kingdom Cut & Thrust Campion - Wisenseuer (Ok City, OK)	4
5 Elfsea Academie Buffalo Wild Wings 1933 Airport Freeway, Bedford 76021	6	7 Youth Academy and Fighter Practices Bedford Boys Ranch in Bedford 1301-1399 Shady Lake Dr. Bedford, TX 76021	8	9	10 Tournament of Champions & Stargate Yule - Stargate (Houston, TX)	11 Archery Practice 6500 Boat Club Road, FT. Worth, TX 76179
12	13 Cooks Guild	14 Fighter Practices Bedford Boys Ranch in Bedford 1301-1399 Shady Lake Dr. Bedford, TX 76021	15	16	17	18
19 Populace Meeting and Potluck: 6:30-8:30 pm, Bedford Library, 2424 Forest Ridge Dr, Bedford, TX 76021	20	21 Fighter Practices Bedford Boys Ranch in Bedford 1301-1399 Shady Lake Dr. Bedford, TX 76021	22	23	24	25
26	27	28 Fighter Practices Bedford Boys Ranch in Bedford 1301-1399 Shady Lake Dr. Bedford, TX 76021	29	30	31	1 of January

Barony of Elfsea Calendar - January

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thurs day	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
2 Elfsea Acadmie Buffalo Wild Wings 1933 Airport Freeway, Bedford 76021	3	4 Fighter Practices Bedford Boys Ranch in Bedford 1301-1399 Shady Lake Dr. Bedford, TX 76021	5	6 Scribal Guild	7 Steppes Twelfth Night - Steppes (Dallas, TX) First United Methodist Church Cedar Hill, 128 N. Roberts, Cedar Hill, TX 75104	8
9	10 Cooks Guild	11 Youth Academy and Fighter Practices Bedford Boys Ranch in Bedford 1301-1399 Shady Lake Dr. Bedford, TX 76021	12	13	14 Crown Tournament - Shadowlands (College Station, TX)	15 Archery Practice 6500 Boat Club Road, FT. Worth, TX 76179
16 Officer Meeting: 7 pm Tom's Burgers 1530 North Cooper, Arlington 76011	17	18 Fighter Practices Bedford Boys Ranch in Bedford 1301-1399 Shady Lake Dr. Bedford, TX 76021	19	20 Scribal Guild	21 Roundtable - Moonschadowe (Stillwater, OK) Highland Park Methodist Church, 524 N Stallard St, Stillwater, OK 74075-8219	22
23 Populace Meeting: 7pm, Buffalo Wild Wings 1933 Airport Freeway, Bedford 76021	24	25 Fighter Practices Bedford Boys Ranch in Bedford 1301-1399 Shady Lake Dr. Bedford, TX 76021	26	27	28 Sable Soldier Project II (Terrell, TX) Rafter J Cowboy Church, 10701 Co Rd 305, Terrell, TX 75160 Winterkingdom - Northkeep (Tulsa, OK) Bonwicke's 25th Anniversary Celebration and Ball - Bonwicke (Lubbock, TX)	29
30	31					

Name and contact information of the local branch's officers and guild principals:

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<u>Principal Scribe</u>	Lady Silvana Corwin	
<u>Principal Armorer</u>	Contact the Seneschal.	(seneschal@elfsea.ansteorra.org)
<u>Principal Cook</u>	Caelin on Andrede	

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