



# The Argus



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*“The Heart of Artemisia”*



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# *Welcome to the Current Middle Ages!*

From the SCA website, found at: <http://socsen.sca.org/what-is-the-sca/>

The Society for Creative Anachronism (SCA) is an international non-profit volunteer educational organization. The SCA is devoted to the research and re-creation of pre-seventeenth century skills, arts, combat, culture, and employing knowledge of history to enrich the lives of participants through events, demonstrations, and other educational presentations and activities.

Members of the SCA study and take part in a variety of activities, including combat, archery, equestrian activities, costuming, cooking, metalwork, woodworking, music, dance, calligraphy, fiber arts, and much more. If it was done in the Middle Ages or Renaissance, odds are you'll find someone in the SCA interested in recreating it.

What makes the SCA different from a Humanities 101 class is the **active** participation in the learning process. To learn about the clothing of the period, you research it, then sew and wear it yourself. To learn about combat, you put on armor (which you may have built yourself) and learn how to defeat your opponent. To learn to brew, you make (and sample!) your own wines, meads and beers.

You will frequently hear SCA participants describe the SCA as recreating the Middle Ages "as they ought to have been." In some ways this is true – we choose to use indoor plumbing, heated halls, and sewing machines. In the dead of winter, we have more to eat than King's venison, salt pork and dried tubers. However, a better description is that we *selectively recreate* the culture, choosing elements of the culture that interest and attract us.

For more information about the SCA, please go to: <http://socsen.sca.org/what-is-the-sca/>

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

<https://www.artemisia.sca.org/>

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<https://www.facebook.com/barony1000eyes/>

## *Please join us at any of our local events!*



## *We would love to get to know you!*



*Unto the Populace of One Thousand Eyes, do We, Stephan and Amber, Baron and Baroness, send Greetings and Salutations!*

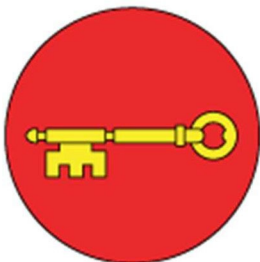
*To the great Populace of 1000 Eyes, and to all unto the fine lands of Artemisia, do We, Stephan and Amber, the Baron and Baroness of 1000 Eyes send greetings and salutations.*

As we sit and enjoy the warm sun, we cannot help but notice that the days are shorter, the evenings are brisk and biting, and the leaves are exploding with gold, reds and brown. We see the workers toil in the fields and return with their carts overflowing with the bounty of a harvest blessed with abundance. This is always our favorite season. We embrace a little longer now, as we share the bittersweet knowledge that this is our last harvest as Baron and Baroness of 1000 Eyes, in the heart of Artemisia.

When we assumed the mantle of responsibility for this office three years ago, no one could have forecasted that we would soon plunge into the plague and so much of what we had taken for granted would be gone. We had assumed that we would always be able to assemble in great numbers, hug our friends, and break bread together. The sickness that consumed the known world persisted and took the lives of loved ones and scared many others. Those were times we hope to never suffer through again. But even through the worst of it, the Barony persisted. 1000 Eyes found a way to have a virtual feast, where others could not. We continued to meet, through new virtual means. We were first to have an event in person when the world allowed it. We would not die! From all who continued to participate in the Barony, We thank you. Supported by the strength that is all of Artemisia, we remain a healthy heart.

We would like to thank all of our officers and all those who have served on our retinue for all of your hard work and dedication. We would not still be here without all your contributions of time, effort and love for what we do. We would also like to thank all our champions for taking the extra effort to show your prowess on the field or in the Arts and Sciences. You are the reason the Barony shines so brilliantly. To our predecessors, we profoundly thank you for your wisdom, guidance, and continued kindness. You served us with your words and by example. And we would especially thank all the newcomers, you breathe new life into us, and are the hope for the Barony's future.

Stephan, Baron      Amber, Baroness



## *From the Office of the Seneschal*

*THL Reynhard von Reutte*

The Barony continues to be very busy. As you read this, we will be in the final days before Baronial

Birthday. This year, it will be an especially exciting event as it will also be an Investiture for our new

Baron and Baroness as well as the Kingdom sponsored Queen's Prize A&S display. Maybe most exciting for me is that Baronial Birthday also marks the return of feasts at our events! This year, the feast is being prepared by Her Excellency Ariel of York, and promises to be something amazing. If you have not yet experienced food prepared by Her Excellency, you are in for a real treat. Do not miss it!

I am also personally excited to see the entrants for Queen's Prize. Queen's Prize has always held a

special place for me because it is such a relaxed A&S event where newer artisans have the opportunity to show off their talents in a venue that is less intimidating than a Kingdom A&S competition. It is also a wonderful opportunity to receive friendly feedback from some of the best Artisan's in the Kingdom. If you have been sponsored to display, I give you my best wishes that it is an enjoyable and fulfilling experience for you. If you are still contemplating the world of A&S, I highly encourage you to come and see the environment that is Queen's Prize. I won't be surprised if it inspires you to enter the next one.

Most of you are probably already aware that this will be my last communication as your Seneschal. I will soon be stepping down. It has been an exciting and eventful two-year term for me. I have learned a lot and really enjoyed my time as Seneschal. I especially wish to thank Their Excellencies, Stephan, and Amber, for being so supportive. This job becomes much easier when the Baron and Baroness give you Their support, advice, and encouragement. Stephan and Amber have provided all of this and more for me. I appreciate that and want to take this opportunity to publicly thank Them both. I also want to thank all of you – the Populace - for supporting me and, more importantly, the Barony through these past few years. A Barony is only as strong as the people who are in it, and our populace continues to show the Kingdom the strength of 1000 Eyes. We have been through a lot these past two years; probably most notably, the COVID pandemic that brought the SCA to a grinding halt for over a year. Even faced with that, we continued to push on and work within the Barony. Because of that, we remained active virtually, and were ready and able to run an in-person event immediately after SCA opened back up. We already had our calendar and events planned a year out, and because of all of this we have been able to host and continue to host multiple Kingdom events. This is no small feat! And it has all been possible because we have an amazing group of people here in 1000 Eyes! For that, I thank each and every one of you.

# Kingdom Calendar of Events





# Toys for Tots 2022

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**Group:**

[Arrows' Flight](#)

**Date:**

Saturday, November 12, 2022 - 09:00 to 20:00

Toys for Tots 2022

You have perhaps heard of the untimely death of the Marquis Beau de Corps? A wake is being held in his honor on the 12th of November in the Shire of Arrow's Flight. The macabre entombment festivities include; tournaments of armored and rapier fighters, a competition display of artisans, and dirge-filled midday bardic. It is said in lieu of flowers, mourners should bring toys to donate to the Toys for Tots drive, which was a favorite of his late lordship. However, it is rumored that his assassin will also be present at the solemnities. Perhaps you can discover who inhumed the Marquis? Join the Shire for a day of mystery as we look for a CLUE to who did in De Corps.

Spend the day looking for clues at the Shire's Toys for Tots drive. We'll be collecting toys for the Marine Corps Toys for Tots Program. Last year we raised over \$3000 online and gathered more than 600 toys. We can top that. As part of the day, we'll be playing Clue, and you and your fellow attendees will receive clues to see if they can solve who murdered the Marquis. There is a reward if you can solve the murder before anyone else. An additional 100 toys will be added to your group's total, so it's a race to see who did it. Clues will not only be handed at the gate. Clues can also be found throughout the site and by doing various activities during the event, including attending classes, watching tournaments, and voting for shire champions in both the bardic and A&S completion. We are always competing to see who the most generous group in the Kingdom is, and donations will be accepted both online and in person. The group with the highest count will be declared most generous in Artemisia and get to display the banner of generosity for the following year. We hope you'll join us.

Toys for Tots will take place at the Historic Peteetneet School and Museum in Payson, Utah. 10 N 600 E, Payson, UT 84651

Site opens at 9 AM and Closes at 8 PM

Directions: Make your ways to the King's Highway ( I-15) and take Payson exit 250. Travel South to 100 North and turn left (East) Traveling to 600 East. Turn right (South) the Peteetneet School is on your Right. The event will be in the auditorium. Look for the signs.

Adults \$10 (+\$5 Non-member Surcharge Fee)

Children 17 and Younger are guests of the Shire.

The site is dry and only service animals are allowed.

A Soup Lunch will be available for \$5 per person. The soup lunch Includes a selection of Soups, bread or chips, and soda or water.

Event Steward: Annis De Provence (Heather Schenck)

Email: [harpegri@gmail.com](mailto:harpegri@gmail.com)(link sends e-mail)

Find out more information at [www.arrowsflight.org](http://www.arrowsflight.org)(link is external)

Donate online to Toys For Tots here:

<https://marinetoysoftots.salsalabs.org/2022marinetoysoftotscrowdfundin...>(link is external)

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This Event is held and managed by the Kingdom of Artemisia, a branch of the Society for Creative Anachronism, Inc. and is considered the official presence of this group here. Questions regarding its content should be directed to:

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[socialmedia@Artemisia.sca.org](mailto:socialmedia@Artemisia.sca.org)(link sends e-mail)

or to [socialmedia@sca.org](mailto:socialmedia@sca.org)(link sends e-mail).

Any discrepancies between the electronic version or any information and the printed version that is available from the originating office will be decided in favor of the printed version.

**Event Type:**

Event



## BARONIAL BIRTHDAY/ INVESTITURE/QUEEN'S PRIZE

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**Group:**

[1000 Eyes](#)

**Date:**

Saturday, November 19, 2022 - 11:00 to 20:00

BARONIAL BIRTHDAY/ INVESTITURE/QUEEN'S PRIZE

NOVEMBER 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Greetings unto the great lands of Artemisia, do we The Barony of One Thousand Eyes announce the Investiture of their 14th Baron and Baroness.

We are honored as well to be hosting the Kingdom Queen's Prize! Stay tuned to social media for more details as the day draws near

Site: B.P.O.E. (Elks Lodge) #1416 Blackfoot, Idaho, 83221. Site opens at 10:00 a.m., and closes at 9:00 p.m.

This is a dry site. Smoking is allowed on the grounds and in the designated areas throughout the building.

Registration: Adult Event registration: \$15.00 Adult member discount event registration: \$10.00. People aged 17 and under are the guests of the Barony. Feast (if allowed): \$8.00 per adult, \$6.00 for youth ages 6-

17, and children 5 and under are free. Feast is limited to 75 people.

Please pay at the gate or on-line through SCARS. Make checks payable to the Barony of 1000 Eyes, Inc. Directions to site: 123 Ash St., B.P.O.E. (Elks Lodge) #1416 Blackfoot, Idaho. Please take your best route on

King's Highway towards Blackfoot / Idaho Falls I-15, from either direction. Take Exit 89, I-15 business loop..

Turn East (toward town, left from the north; right from the south. Continue east on Judicial Street to Maple

Street and turn left for three blocks. There is parking on the Southeast corner of Maple St. and W Idaho St.

As well as limited parking in the front of the building on Ash St.

Event Steward: HE Sheelaegh mac Cathail (Jeanne Warr) Phone: 208-604-4121

email: [jeanne533@yahoo.com](mailto:jeanne533@yahoo.com)(link sends e-mail)

Feast Steward: HE Ariel of York (Barb Parris)

email: [barbarie117@yahoo.com](mailto:barbarie117@yahoo.com)(link sends e-mail)

(depending upon Society COVID restrictions for feasting at events at the time)

Court will begin at 11:00, with the stepping down of Their Excellencies Denise of Amberly and Stephan,



and

the stepping up of Their replacements! Following morning court, there will be an armored combat and rapier tournaments. Other games will be available for those wishing to participate, i.e., cribbage.

The polling for the Peacocks Pride will be held throughout the day, Baronial members please make sure to

cast your vote for whom you think deserving of this most auspicious award.

If allowed, we will have a fundraising light luncheon. A delicious feast is planned pending COVID restrictions

permitting. Menu will be announced at a later date.

Plus, we may be having our Silent Auction of donated items, should there be enough interest. Please watch

for updates and further information on the auction.

Evening Court will start at (5:00 p.m.) We will be paying our Baronial taxes. This is a wonderful opportunity to

display the artwork and largess of this most beautiful Barony and its people! We will have a space for classes,

if you are interested in teaching a class please contact the Baronial MOAS, THL Helena Handbasket.

email: [moas@baronyof1000eyes.org](mailto:moas@baronyof1000eyes.org)

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# Solstice Court

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**Group:**

[Loch Salann](#)

**Date:**

Saturday, December 10, 2022 - 09:00 to 20:00

Come join the Barony of Loch Salann in the time-honored tradition of Solstice Court. We'll be playing period games, dancing, courting, holding a baronial fundraiser auction, catching up with old friends, and making new ones too.

Date: December 10, 2022

Time: Site opens at 9am and closes at 8pm

This event brought to you by the Barony of Loch Salann

Location: Prophet Elias Greek Orthodox Church

5335 S Highland Dr.

Holladay, UT 84117

Your friendly and always helpful autocrats are Vuhs and Violetta (aka Chad and Kristen Rapier)

Please feel free to contact either at 801-882-8801 or 801-440-4481

Pre-register on SARS, or pay at the gate. Please make checks payable to: SCA-Barony of Loch Salann. No Paypal/Venmo/other electronic payments will be taken.

Site fee:

Adult event registration = \$20

Adult member discount event registration = \$15

Children 17 and under are free

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-Take the best route to Murray UT, I-15 & 215 interchange.

-Head East on 215 -3.0 mi

-Use the right 2 lanes to take exit 8 toward UT-152/2000 E – 0.3 mi

-Use any lane to turn left onto S Highland Dr – 0.5 mi

-Slight right to stay on S Highland Dr – 0.1 mi

-Slight Left to stay on S Highland Dr – 187 ft

-Turn Right to stay on S Highland Dr-0.9 mi

-Destination will be on the right

Prophet Elias Greek Orthodox church  
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**Event Type:**

Event



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