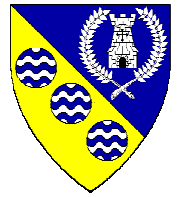




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August 2010, AS XIV

## Upcoming Events

### August

13-14 August Radburne War IV (Dubbo NSW, p8)  
28-29 St Vitus Dance & Music Weekend (Joanna p8)

### September

4 Feast of St Augustine (Rowany NSW, p9)  
11 Saxon Feast (St Aldhelms, Adam, p7)  
18-19 [Ilka Moor War](#) Okewaite (Goulbourn NSW)  
24-26 [La Prova Dura](#) Innilgard (Adelaide SA)

### October

1-4 Great Southern Gathering ([Innilgard](#))  
1-4 Spring War ([Mordenvale](#))  
16 Feast of St Malachy (Wollongong, p9)  
30 Baronial Changeover Feast (Alex, p6)  
31 Novelty Archery Shoot: Siege the Day!

### November

5-7 November Crown [Aneala](#) (Perth WA)  
6 *Proposed Black Powder Event* (Alex)  
13 Baronial Championship & Feast (Brooke, p7)

### January 2011

15-16 Twelfth Night, Politarchopolis

### April 2011

21-25 [Rowany](#) Festival incl. May Crown

## Activities

### Baronial Council Meeting:

Last Wednesday of each month at 7pm: Haig Park Scout Hall, Turner.

### St Aldhelm College Meeting:

Monday 5:30 pm G029 Copland Building, ANU

### Arts & Sciences

#### Arts and Sciences meeting:

Sundays 3:00 pm, Scout Hall, Haig Park, Turner

#### Arts and Sciences Meeting:

Wednesday 7:00 pm, Haig Park, Turner

### Baronial Dance Classes:

Sundays, 2:00 pm, Haig Park, Turner

### Scriptorium:

2nd Sunday of each month, 2:00 pm, Haig Park

### Baronial Dance Classes:

Sundays, 2:00 pm, Haig Park, Turner

### Choir Practice:

1st Sunday of the month 4:00 pm, Haig Park, Turner

### Pot Luck Feast:

1st Sunday of the month 5:30 pm, Haig Park, Turner

## Combat Activities

### Armoured Combat Practice:

**Main Practice:** Sundays 3:00 pm, Haig Park, Masson St, Turner

**Alternative Practice:** Tuesdays 6:30 pm, Park in Edwards St, Higgins.

### Rapier Practice:

Sundays 2:00 pm, Haig Park, Masson St, Turner

### Archery

#### Practice:

Sundays 10:00 am till 12:00 pm  
(1st Sunday of the month is an Inter Kingdom Archery Competition)

#### Novelty Shoot:

31st October  
"Siege the Day"!





## **Meeting Minutes** 27th July 2010.

*College Herald (Bryan)* — 1 registration to hand up to Baronial herald (conflict check okay), 2-3 in progress.

*Deputy College Seneschal (Bryan)* - College War was Awesome. Completely kicked butt at group heraldry comp. Looking at running more college classes.

Callig & Illum will be making samples as Baronial invites to the other Lochac B&Bs.

*Baronial Changeover (Alex)* - William (Stuart) to cook for the event. Will be at Majura Hall in Dickson. Lots of help has been offered, slowly getting through it all.

*Baronial Herald (Catherine)* - more consults happening. Elizabeth's received from college herald.

*Black Powder (Owen)* - the licence prices have risen in new financial year. Will try and see if safety day can be run again soon.

*Marshal (Matthew)* - hitting and smashing has been happening. Plans for twilight tourneys in warmer months, to be held in different public parks to help raise awareness/recruit. Will be a semi-demo, garbed, social. Food will not be organised but if people want to bring that is good. Will talk to Jatz. Will advertise and keep a leaders table and use to promote upcoming events like St Valentines.

*A&S (Gwen)* - thinking of having classes run in the gap on baronial days (between 4-5). Also considering a Bunch of Classes for St Valentine's weekend.

*Reeve (via Ian)* - \$2365m more patronage received. If people transfer money in please email the Reeve as well!!!

*Archery (Ian)* - Lochac is 2/3rds of a point off 3rd Place in IKAC. Sigmund is scoring wonderfully. Combat archery is still planned for after the new lease at the Club.

*St Vitas (Joanna)* - planning going well, advertising blitz to start soon. Have several teachers lined up, still looking for a few more.  
*Seneschal (Bart)* - The K&Q will be running the Baronial decision making of here and St Florian's in the same way. That is they will review all of the commentary themselves and

will make a decision from what is received. Remember this is not a vote, just a way to help inform the Crown for their decision. Going to Haig Park planning night, Georgia can no longer attend, Miesje might instead. Will review plans for park and make suggestions.

*Next College Feast 11 Sept Saxon Feast* (Adam to run).

## ***Politarchopolis Succession***

Hello Politarchopolis,

Here is the law: "The barony's opinion on the matter must be requested and received in writing, and the appointments must not be substantively opposed by the populace of the barony."

How are we doing this in Politarchopolis this time? By setting a poll. This is not a vote. It is a method wherein your opinion is gathered.

Methods of Delivery:  
email to [royal@lochac.sca.org](mailto:royal@lochac.sca.org) (the preferred option)

or

A paper poll form filled out and sealed and submitted to the Seneschal, Ysambart Courtin (Bart Beswick)

or

A paper poll form filled out and submitted to:  
Ms Carolyn Fraser  
148 Douglas Street, OXLEY QLD 4075

Please talk to the candidates, and pass on your free and frank thoughts to the crown.

Yours in Service,  
Ysambart Courtin.

(For Form see next page, following that is letters from the candidates —Ed.)

## ***Timetable:***

*18th August A&S Wednesday - Meet the Candidates.*

*22nd August Allesandro and Isobel return from Pennsic War*

*28th August Closure of comment and presentation of recommendations.*

*11 September Announcement of successors (@ Saxon Feast, see p7)*

*30-31 October Changeover Event.*

# BARONIAL SUCCESSION POLLING FORM

Mundane Name:  
Group you reside in:

SCA Name:  
SCA member: Y/N

Membership No:

Please provide the following information to assist the Crown to determine the most appropriate choices for your next Baron and Baroness. Please mark 'No' for any candidates that you could not support. Please give reasons for 'yes' and 'no' choices.

Please circle your support and/or ranking preference.

Francesco di Falco di Petro Avanti Vinattiere and Honoré Corbeau (Andrew & Georgia Winter)	Support: Yes/No	Rank: 1, 2, 3
Wee Jamie Blackhart and Isabella di Millefiora (Jamie Bunsell & Bonnie Hanwright)	Support: Yes/No	Rank: 1, 2, 3
Gwen Verch Greigor and Aonghus Mac Greigor (Carina and Nathan Merrit)	Support: Yes/No	Rank: 1, 2, 3

Any other comments (additional paper may be folded within this ballot if required):

Signed:

Date:

## **Baronial Candidates**

### **Francesco di Falco di Petro Avanti Vinattiere and Honoré Corbeau (Andrew & Georgia Winter)**

To the populous of the Barony of Politarchopolis do we, Francesco di Falco di Petro Avanti Vinattiere and Honoré Corbeau, offer to serve as the Crown's representatives as Baron and Baroness.

Francesco is involved in heavy fighting, a bit of fencing, and has dabbled in some A&S – he very much likes to promote more pageantry and heraldry for fighters. He is currently Politarchopolis' Constable.

Honoré is deputy Politarchopolis Seneschal, deputy Kingdom Chronicler, assistant editor for Cockatrice (Kingdom Arts & Sciences magazine) and can't seem to say no to jobs! Her interests are in late period costuming and embroidery, some fencing (though not enough), cooking and event stewarding. She heads the stewarding team for Twelfth Night 2011.

We welcome the opportunity to represent the Barony. We'd like to promote and encourage greater learning in the barony and the sharing of skills and stories. We think that Politarchopolis has amazing people and resources, from the Arts and Sciences to all forms of combat. We bring a genuine interest in the Barony and its surrounding regions and would like to encourage newcomers and old hands alike to try new things and stretch their skills to further themselves and the barony through 'show and tell', knowledge sharing and other activities.

There are a number of peers and citizens with a wealth of knowledge and skills in the Barony, and we'd like to engage them to ensure their needs are also being met, be it with demonstrations, storytelling evenings about the history of this Barony, and regular prize tourneys across all skill levels for the combative and the creative Arts and Sciences.

We'd like to help players old and new discover and rediscover the magic of the SCA – what keeps us all playing, and brings us back year after year to recreate past times.

Francesco and Honoré

### **Wee Jamie Blackhart and Isabella di Millefiora (Jamie Bunsell & Bonnie Hanwright)**

Unto the populace of Politarchopolis do Wee Jamie Blackhart and Lady Isabella di Millefiora send greetings. Please allow us the opportunity to introduce ourselves.

Jamie joined the SCA early 1995 and was drawn in by the pageantry, fighting and the social aspects of the SCA.

Wee Jamie is best known for running the Salty Bint Tavern for many years at Rowany Festival, where he has welcomed many people and organised the tavern to be used for social interactions such as Market Day, Fighter Auction, the St Ursulan auction, the Boars Head Theatre and the Laurels Prize Tourney. He was Torlyon Constable, has autocrated events and worked in many feast kitchens.

Bonita joined late 1996. "It was amazing. To feel part of something that included people who loved history and wanted to not only learn more, but put it into practice as well. I enjoyed the finer parts, singing and dancing and creating things, whether it be garb or armour."

Isabella has been chirurgon of Mordenvale. She has autocrated events and has been feastacrat as well as helping in many kitchens as well. She fought for Mordenvale, was involved in singing, dancing and theatre. She has sewn not only for herself but for others and taught sewing to newcomers.

We know that the strength of the Barony lies in the diverse talents and loyalty of the populace and believe that together we have a range of useful skills and some knowledge of most areas of endeavour within the Barony. We also understand the great responsibility we would have in continuing to maintain Politarchopolis in its position as one of the Premier Baronies of Lochac.

We believe a Baron and Baroness should be an example to the populace, expressing the core values of the society, courtesy and service, and learning.

We believe we can provide this example through the following:

Courtesy  
treating everyone with respect  
a sense of pageantry  
a sense of fun, enjoyment and humour,  
keeping things in perspective  
Seeking feedback, taking advice and counsel  
from others  
Being resilient enough to accept that people  
can be harsh critics and not taking things  
personally  
Being calm under pressure and reassuring to  
others in times of stress

Service  
Giving time, energy and support to all the  
activities of the Barony  
Encouraging and empowering others in their  
diverse efforts and activities  
Attending events and generally participating in  
the activities of the Society as fully as we are  
able  
being available to the populace day to day  
being of service to the Kingdom and Crown

Leadership  
Providing a focus and rallying point both on and  
off the warfield  
being comfortable in a position of authority,  
willing to make decisions and engage the  
support of the populace  
balancing the needs of different groups within  
the Barony  
giving a sense of cohesion and direction for the  
Barony

Specific plans  
As Baron and Baroness we would like to see the  
populace grow, to support their ideas and  
encourage learning. We feel it is important to  
have a unified war unit of heavy and light  
combatants on the field.

We would like to see workshops displaying the  
talents and skills of people so that others who  
may have similar interests may learn and grow  
more confident in these areas, such as  
autocrating and feastcrating of events.

We would also like to focus on the continued  
growth of the Barony, by fostering newcomers  
and by inspiring the return of long-standing  
members of the populace who may have had  
less involvement in the Barony in recent years

Wee Jamie and Isabella

## **Gwen Verch Greigor and Aonghus Mac Greigor (Carina and Nathan Merrit)**

A little bit about Gwen Verch Greigor and  
Aonghus Mac Greigor. We are originally from a  
small shire near Rowany and have been living  
in Politarchopolis for the last 18 months.

Aonghus, mundanely known as Nathan has  
been in the society for about 8 years. He is  
very involved in the fighting & social side of  
things and loves learning new techniques and  
helping others learn to fight. He is always there  
to help out when household and his missus run  
events, as well as generally being very helpful  
and enthusiastic.

Gwen, mundanely known as Carina has been in  
the SCA for about 5 years. She has been a  
college seneschal, college chronicler and college  
A&S Officer as well as Arts and Science officer  
for the Politarchopolis barony and fencing  
Marshall for the Shire of Adora. She likes the  
satisfaction of helping out and the extra  
motivation to do stuff.

As a couple we love travelling, we love meeting  
new and interesting people and we love going  
to events far and near.

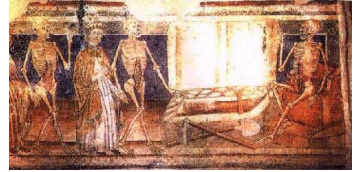
In terms of where we hope to bring the Barony  
we both agree that the Barony seems to be in a  
good place at the moment. It seems to have a  
large number of members but retains a close  
feel of community and from an "outsider's  
perspective" as such, for such a large number  
of people doesn't seem to be too embroiled in  
"SCA politics". Having had experience in the  
aforementioned issue, when moving to  
Canberra we decided that neutral in the SCA  
was the best way to be and think that would  
help in being in a position such as B&B.

So we'd have to say, more of the good,  
(events, recruiting, baronial Sundays, A&S, etc)  
and maintaining no bad (non attendance, non  
involvement etc etc). Maybe a bigger and  
better Politarchopolis unit on the field, maybe  
some more A&S classes, maybe a spot of  
recruiting here and there, but more than happy  
to listen to the populace, and not upset the  
status quo.

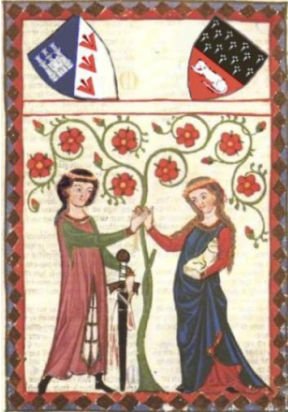
Aonghus and Gwen

# Politarchopolis 5<sup>th</sup> Baronial Changeover

## Saturday 30 October 2010



On the Hallowmas we dance with death, honouring the year past and celebrate the year to come.



This day also signifies the changeover of our Baron and Baroness to their chosen successors. So let us gather and honour their years of leadership of Alessandro and Isobel, and celebrate the start of the new reign of their successors.

**Bookings** to the Autocrat: Alexandra Hartshorne  
[the\\_menagerie@optusnet.com.au](mailto:the_menagerie@optusnet.com.au) or 0423 658 386

A&S competitions on the night will be

- (1) a Memento Mori
- (2) Soul Cakes
- (3) Performance of a Prayer/Poem/Song to honour the dead.

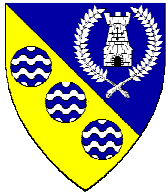
Costs:

Day Only:	Evening inc Day:
Member – \$1 Non-Member - \$3	Member - \$40 Non-Member - \$45
Archery will cost \$5 on the day for temporary membership, equipment hire is extra.	U16 Half price, U5 free Family and Hardship cases on booking

Times & Locations:

Day	Evening
Canberra Archery Club, Mouatt St Lyneham	Majura Hall, Northside Community Centre, 2 Rosevear St Dickson
12:00noon – Event Opens 12:30 – Lists open for rapier and heavy 13:00 – Archery & Tournaments start 17:00 – Day events close	18:00 – Hall Opens 23:00 – Event Close
(market stalls available for interested parties at own cost, contact Steward)	





***Saxon Tournament and Feast -  
College of St Aldhelm. 11  
September 2010.***

Come and join the members of the College of St Aldhelm to help celebrate the great things of the Saxon way of life—fighting and feasting!

Heavy and Fencing Tourney's at Corroboree Park.  
Feast at All Saints Anglican Church Hall at 11  
Cowper Street in Ainslie.

Cost: Members - \$15  
Non Members - \$18  
Unbooked Surcharge -\$5

Lists open and Armour inspections for the tournament at 1.30 fighting starting at 2.  
Doors open for the feasting hall at 4 with the first remove around 6.30.

For Bookings (with any dietary requirements)  
contact Adam the Renegade via email:  
tourist48@hotmail.com; After hours mobile  
0400299760.



Picture found on the Ancient Web:  
<http://www.theancientweb.com/>

***Kingdom A&S Competitions:***

November Crown XLV (2010) hosted Aneala -  
Lace making  
Glass - an item of glassware or stained glass  
Aprons for working people (i.e., craftspeople,  
smiths, cooks)

Worshipful Company of Broiderers Competition:  
Couched and Laid work  
Griffintayle



***Baronial Championships -  
Heavy Tournament and Feast***

Saturday 13th November 2010

*First event of the new B&B after their coronation!*

Tournament time and location TBA. More details  
on the format of the event to be announced soon.

Feast from 6pm at the All Saints Anglican Church  
Hall at 11 Cowper Street in Ainslie

Cost:  
Tournament and Feast (or Feast only)  
= \$25 members  
= \$30 non-members  
= \$14 Minors 6 to 16  
= Free for children under 6

Tournament only  
= \$4 for members  
= \$5 for non-members  
= \$2 for minors 6 to 15  
= Free for children under 6

Bookings to Brooke Perkins at  
u4122747@anu.edu.au. Bookings will be capped  
so book early to avoid disappointment. Payment  
for the feast will be via direct deposit and  
payment is required to hold your place (unless  
arrangements are made with the bookings officer  
well in advance).

Please email the full mundane name/s of all you  
are booking for, any special dietary needs and  
which part of the event you are booking for. You  
will then be emailed a booking reference, the total  
cost and the bank details for payment. Once the  
correct amount has been received your booking  
will be finalised.

As bookings determine the amount of food  
available you need to book and pay by the 31st  
October 2010. Any bookings made after this date  
may not be possible and will be required to pay  
an extra \$10 per person or if the cap is reached  
for the feast you will be turned away. Remember  
that this booking deadline and price rise is only  
relevant to those wanting to attend the feast.



## *The Tenth St Vitas' Dance and (5th) Music Weekend, Politarhopolis, 28-29 August*

Yes, St Vitas' is at it again! Two days of all kinds of dance and dance related classes as well as music classes,

plus food and more music and dancing.

There will be a Feast, a Little Masque and Ball on the Saturday night and lunch will be served on both days.

Full Weekend: \$39 Members & College Members.  
One day plus F&B: \$28. F&B only: \$24.

Non-members pay \$2 extra, Not Booked add \$5 if feasting and \$1 per lunch.

Bookings by 22 August. Contact Joanna about family discounts and short stays.

Please let us know any special dietary requirements as possible.

Steward: Joanna of the Beechwoods [Joanna Keenan] (02) 6296 2193  
joannaandmurray@homemail.com.au 12 Shipard Place, Kambah ACT 2902.

Starts 10am Saturday (F&B 6:30pm) and 10am Sunday, Lake Tuggeranong Sea Scouts Hall, Mortimer Lewis Drive, Greenway, ACT, on the shores of Lake Tuggeranong. Parents are reminded that they are responsible for their .

## *Radburne War IV, 13-15 August 2010*

Come and join House Radburne for a weekend of war and fun! Bookings now open!

This is now an annual event for House Radburne! Activities include A&S, Target Archery (including IKAC), war scenarios, Combat Archery Tourney and a Heavy Tourney. Don't forget all the yummy food including our now famous camp feast cooked by Terence of Radburne.

Site opens 12 midday 13 August 2010 and closes Sunday 15 August 2010 approximately 1pm.  
Location: 'Dragon Hill', Dubbo NSW Australia

Camping space available on site for no extra cost or a variety of accommodation is available in Dubbo, a short ten to fifteen minute drive from the site. Toilets will be provided and there is a 'bush' shower on site or bring your own shower if you are able too. There is no town water however drinking water will be provided.

Bookings required for catering purposes and to ensure enough amenities available.

Please contact the Steward to make arrangements for last minute bookings—we will do our best to accommodate you! Payment required with booking - contact Steward for payment options or to make arrangements.

Fully catered (Friday evening to Sunday lunch)  
\$50 per person member, Fully Catered per person non member \$55, 6-15 years \$25.00, under 6 free

Feast only \$25 per person member, \$30 per person non member, 6-15 years \$15, under 6 free.

Weekend rate (no meals) \$15 per person, 6-15 years \$10, under 6 free. Families POA

Contact Katrijn van Delden (Karen Hocking) on 0419 850067 or [katrijn.van.delden@gmail.com](mailto:katrijn.van.delden@gmail.com) for further details and to book.

Further details will be announced as they come to hand - check our website at <http://lochac.sca.org/radburne>.

PS Yes, we have changed the date to a week later than usual to avoid clashes with a number of things :-)



The Singing Lesson; from *Spiegel des menschlichen Lebens*, Augsburg, about 1475-76.  
[www.godecookery.com/clipart/people/clpeop11.htm](http://www.godecookery.com/clipart/people/clpeop11.htm)



## *Feast of St Augustine, 4 September 2010*

After a long absence the Feast of St Augustine will again be held in the Barony of Rowany. Come, help us celebrate our patron saint with feasting, drinking and merry making

When: 6.30pm, Saturday 4th September  
Where: St Peters Public School Hall, Church St

Cost: Prebooked-\$15/\$20 member/non-members  
At the door-\$20/\$25 members/non-members  
(Members includes college members)  
Bookings: Katherine Rischer  
Email: st.aug.feast@hotmail.com

Prior to the evening's feast there shall be held a Collegia on "The Running of an SCA Feast – Planning, Preparation and Execution".

Members of the populace wishing to attend this collegia MUST book prior to attending. Attendees will be expected to assist with hall set-up, pack up and cooking during the event subject to negotiation with the steward. This will not be a class on period cooking. All welcome!



Anglo Saxon Feast Scene from Gode Cookery:  
<http://www.godecookery.com/afeast/feasts/fea017.html>

### **Patronage Support Needed**

There are two levels of patronage, to go towards the hall hire.:

The first level is a Benefactor, with a fee of \$40. Benefactors will receive a certificate.

The higher level of patronage is a Partisan, with a fee of \$100.

To register any payment for Patronage email [ysambart@gmail.com](mailto:ysambart@gmail.com) to ensure you are noted. Patronage should be paid for by cheque or cash to SCA Politarchopolis, PO Box 6876, Charnwood ACT 2615 or receipted cash payment to the Reeve. Any queries or requests for clarification should be addressed to [ysambart@gmail.com](mailto:ysambart@gmail.com).

## *Feast of St Malachy and Steel Rose Tourney, 16 October*

Friends, Allies, Lochacians (Lochacs? Lochies?)  
lend me your ears,

The time has come to once again celebrate the anniversary of our college at the Feast of St Malachy and their annual Steel Rose Tourney. Come help us choose our new Champion and celebrate their victory in a slightly different Feast of St Malachy. This year our anniversary shall be done in Ottoman style!

So join us for feasting and fun with an Ottoman theme. Themed garb is encouraged but not required (and no we aren't making you sit on cushions).

Date: Sat 16th October

Place: Bulli Masonic Hall, (286 Princes Hwy, Bulli)  
Steel Rose Tourney: 1pm armour inspection, 2pm start

Feast: Doors open at 6pm with first remove served 7pm

Cost: \$15 member (SCA or college) / \$18 non-member (please state when booking)

To book: Contact Lady Elvira of St Malachy - [mountain\\_gal\\_4eva@hotmail.com](mailto:mountain_gal_4eva@hotmail.com)  
Please advise of any dietary requirements (vegetarian, vegan, lactose or gluten intolerant etc) and these will be passed on to Lucrezia.

Please book before 9th October. Especially if you have dietary requirements -they will not be guaranteed to be catered for if you book after this date so please book :)

Steel Rose Tourney:

This will be a heavy tourney and will not only decide the College champion from it's own members but also award the winner from the non-college members. This is also a rose tourney with ribbon roses to be given out throughout.

Arts and Sciences Competition:

A&S competition will like-wise be Ottoman themed, so anything will be accepted whether it be textile, jewellery or other! (Brief documentation to be submitted with the piece).

Hope to see you there!

Lady Elvira of St Malachy and Lucrezia Tuviani e Cavazza of St Malachy

## Your Chronicler's Musings...

Greetings,

Wow! So much information!

Please submit your comments on the Baronial Changeover (though not to me, see notes p2).

Very much looking forward to the great deal of events coming up! I believe we'll be quite busy 'til well into the New Year!

Yours, *Zanobia*

*Argent a cross bottony sable  
and on a chief azure three  
mullet argent.*



## Contacts

### Lochac:



King: Edmund [royal@lochac.sca.org](mailto:royal@lochac.sca.org)

Queen: Leonore [royal@lochac.sca.org](mailto:royal@lochac.sca.org)

Details about each reign, including their intended itinerary can be found at <http://www.lochac.sca.org/royal/>

**Seneschal:** Bartholomew Baskin  
[seneschal@lochac.sca.org](mailto:seneschal@lochac.sca.org)

### Politarchopolis



Politarchopolis is the branch of the Society for Creative Anachronism based on the Australian Capital Territory and surrounds

**Baron and Baroness:** Alessandro von Florenz and Isobel le Bretoun (Simon and Kate Price)  
The Baron and Baroness oversee the general activities and operations of the Barony and act as the regional representatives of the Crown.  
[politarchopolis@lochac.sca.org](mailto:politarchopolis@lochac.sca.org)



**Seneschal:** Ysambart Courtin (Bart Beswick)

The Seneschal is the representative for the Barony in the outside world and acts as the chief administrator, similar to a group president.  
[ysambart@gmail.com](mailto:ysambart@gmail.com)

**Deputy Seneschal:** Honore de Corbeau (Georgia Winter) [honorecorbaut@gmail.com](mailto:honorecorbaut@gmail.com)



**Reeve:** Aeeveril of Ambledune (Danni Crawford)

The Reeve is responsible for the financial affairs of the Barony. Email:  
[danianha@hotmail.com](mailto:danianha@hotmail.com)



**Arts and Sciences Minister:** Gwen ferch Greigor (Carina de Morgann)

The Arts and Sciences Minister coordinates the study and practice of the medieval arts and sciences within the Barony.  
[beaniebaby\\_777@hotmail.com](mailto:beaniebaby_777@hotmail.com)



**Herald:** Catherine of Glastonbury (Catherine Conner)

The Herald is responsible for all forms of announcement within the Barony and is assumed to be speaking on behalf of the Crown. Heralds are also responsible for assisting the populace with submissions, such as when devising names or heraldic devices such as coats - of - arms.  
[paladin\\_c55@hotmail.com](mailto:paladin_c55@hotmail.com)



**Marshal:** Rauf le Brewer (Matthew Sutton)

The Marshal maintains the safety of the populace during Society combat activities, both those who are actively involved in addition to those who are spectators. The marshal is also responsible for ensuring that each combatant is authorized to participate and will adhere to the Society conventions of combat.



**Rapier Marshal:** Issarn e Tankard dzo Bordonia (Jason Tankard)

The Rapier Marshal coordinates the group's fencing activities and maintains their safety standards. [Jason.tankard@gmail.com](mailto:Jason.tankard@gmail.com)



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The Chandler loans out garb and feasting utensils to newcomers. She also stores the Barony's banners, tablecloths, cooking and serving equipment for the Barony to use at our events.

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