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# Griffintayle

# December

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D E C E M B E R	9	10	11	12	13	14 THE ONE KNIGHT INN + TOURNEY	15
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						18	19
						20	21
J A N U A R Y	23	24	25 NEW YEAR	26	27	28	29
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**To the people of Politarchopolis.**

Are you interested in finding wild adventure and performing feats of bravery? Fight monsters and rescue fair maidens? Would you like to work in a tavern or use magic to keep things at arms reach? How about calming savage beasts with music and then sing for your supper or tell tales to avid listeners?

If any of these things interest you then Yseda is willing to help make your imagination turn into reality.

Yseda is a Live Roleplaying organisation who will be running an event in the Politarchopolis area for all those who are interested in participating.

The initial scenario includes a tavern with spit roast lambs as well as providing a ploughman's lunch. NPC's are needed as well as adventurers. So if being a monster is what you are interested in doing then we have an opening for you.

For further information please contact; Ian Leithhead  
(06) 297 7904.

**PROMISES**

I need ARTICLES not PROMISES!!!

The deadline for the 12th Night issue of Promises is the 1st week of January.

Please send your articles/artwork ASAP to:

Kymerleagh of Greyoaks  
(Kim Fisher)  
16 Eppalock St  
Duffy ACT  
2611

ph: (06) 288 4758

Charles of the Park and John of the Hills wish to announce, for your eating pleasure, that the

**South Somerset Bakery**

will be baking again at the Rowany Festival. Fresh bread will be available every morning and Baroness Buns will be sold during the fighter auction. Cheese rolls will also be available during the Little Rock War. Other goodies (pastries?!!) might be baked as well.

Due to its great success last year we are providing a pre-order service for those who would like to ensure that they will obtain loaves for each morning of the festival. There will be only fifty loaves available for pre-orders. Orders will be supplied in the same sequence in which they are received. Please send payment with the order. At least eight loaves will be available each morning for sale to those who have not made an order on a first come first serve basis.

Order Form..

Name:

Camp site (if known):

	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tues	Total
Number of normal loaves						
Number of special white loaves						

Cost for normal (non white) loaves is 2gp and special white loaves 5gp.  
Please make cheques payable to John Stewart.

Send the form with payment to: The South Somerset Bakery  
C/o The Orchard  
13 Sampson Close  
Melba 2615



# ROWANY FESTIVAL AS XXVI

This is it, the TENTH Rowany Festival (although there is discussion on this depending on who you talk to) five days of fun, mayhem, fighting, collegia and exhaustion (probably a good deal of rain as well, but would it be the Rowany Festival without it - people complained that there wasn't enough at the last one). So now that your absolutely in a raging frenzy to send in your money so that you won't miss out I'll give you the pertinent details, you can fill out the form supplied, send it to us so that we have lots of advance payments so that everything can be made ready for you and we'll see you at Easter.

**DATE:** 17th to 21st April 1992

**PLACE:** "Fairholm Park" Ashwood Road, Wilton, NSW

## COST

	MEMBERS	NON-MEMBERS	FAMILY RATE
Until 12th Night	\$35	\$45	\$100
Until 20th March 1992	\$40	\$50	\$110
Before arrival	\$45	\$55	\$120
At the gate	\$50	\$60	\$130

Children 0-4 free, 5-15 half price, 16+ full price

Family rate is 2 Adults and as many Children

Hardship cases will be most courteously heard

## PROPOSED SCHEDULE

**FRIDAY 17TH APRIL - Faire day**

Opening Court, Market Day, Games, Archery Tournament, Passage of Arms, Feast

**SATURDAY 18TH APRIL - Tournament Day**

Fighter Auction and Tourney, Laurel Prize Tourney, Quest, English Country Dance

**SUNDAY 19TH APRIL - WAR**

Little Rock War, Collegia, Bridge Battle, Feast

**MONDAY 20TH APRIL - WAR revisited**

Field Battle, Collegia, Fort Battles, Pot Luck Feast

**TUESDAY 21ST APRIL - Last Day**

Boar Hunt, Closing Court

On payment or request a full and fascinating information package will be sent to you.

## Rowany Festival ASXXXVI Registration Form

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ MEMBER NO. \_\_\_\_\_ AGE(if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

SCA GROUP: \_\_\_\_\_

SCA NAME/S: \_\_\_\_\_

Group Camping With(self or group name): \_\_\_\_\_

If your group needs a specific area contact the autocrat ASAP.

WILL YOU/YOUR GROUP REQUIRE EQUIPMENT HIRE? Y / N

(If yes contact the autocrat by 12th Night)

WOULD YOU BE PREPARED TO TEACH A COLLEGIUM? Y / N

(If yes, please contact Rowany A&S, Lord Maelgwyn ap Gwilym

(02) 560 4814 ah)

**PLEASE NOTE: THERE WILL BE ABSOLUTELY NO SMOKING OF FILTERED CIGARETTES ON SITE.**

The livestock eat the filters and become very ill, they are also extremely unsightly as noone ever picks them all up. So only roll your own or pipes. If you insist on ignoring this 'request' you will be warned once, if it occurs a second time you will be evicted from the site with no refund.

Please send this form with cheque or money order (NO CASH) to:

**THE AUTOCRAT**

**Rowany Festival AS XXVI**

**P.O. Box R477**

**Royal Exchange**

**SYDNEY NSW 2000**

Make cheques payable to: Rowany SCA

If you have any queries, suggestions or concerns please contact the Autocrat, Mistress Marguerite de Rada y Sylva (Meaghan Waters) on (02)318 1291

Just when you thought it was safe to look scruffy on the battlefield.....

Yet again at the Rowany Festival Lord John of the Hills is sponsoring

### The Third Annual Best Looking Unit Competition.

This year first prize is two dozen bottles of Strongbow White while second prize is one half dozen bottles of Strongbow dry cider.

The prize is for the best looking unit that forms up at the main eric and then marches off to the field battle site with the two armies. A unit consists of at least three people and at least one of them must be going to fight (either Heavy or Light Infantry) in the field battle. The nonfighters could include banner bearers, weapon carriers, musicians, etc. Just use your imagination. May the best looking unit win.

### December 14th, THE ONE KNIGHT INN & ST NICHOLAS TOURNEY, Politarhopolis

There is to be a tourney and catered picnic held at Flint's Crossing, Paddy's River Rd, ACT (near Tidbinbilla), from 3pm. Cost is \$7 (members) and \$10 (non-members). Cheques payable to 'SCA Politarhopolis'. Cost is for site and food. Drinks available for a small sum. Entry fee to tourney is a child's toy, to be donated to charity for Christmas. Autocrat: Charles of the Park (Charles Dean), 13 Sampson Close, Melba ACT 2615, (06)258-3868.

### January 10th to 12th, TWELFTH NIGHT CORONET, Ynys Fawr

Two (and a bit) days full of Combat, Pageantry and Entertainment are to be held at the Wirksworth Sport and Recreation Camp, South St Bellerive, from Friday evening till Monday morning. Costs:

After Dec 1st -	\$70 (members) and \$75 (non members),
At Door -	\$110 (all),
Day Rates -	\$20.

Cheques payable to "SCA Convention". Cost includes three nights accomodation in small bunkhouses, and all meals from supper Friday to breakfast Monday, including the Investiture Feast on the Saturday night. Sunday has the Cornet Tourney and the Quarter Court. Autocrat: Martin de Mont Blanc (Alex Tewes), 120 Summerleas Rd, Fern Tree TAS 7054, (002)39-1427.



# Island Games

18<sup>TH</sup> - 19<sup>TH</sup>  
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After 12<sup>TH</sup> Night Investiture,  
why not hang around Ynys  
Fawr for a week? And what  
better way to end it than to  
don a kilt, put on your brogue  
and come to SAINT  
HELENS for two days  
of friendly competition  
and revelry?

\$10 Members, \$12 Non-members  
(Includes Bonfire Feast)