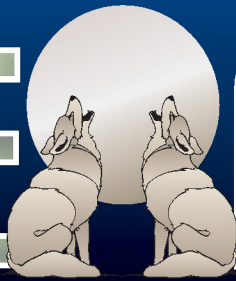


# THE AURORA



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## Officer Positions Needed

Please contact Adelheid if you are interested

Deputy Exchequer  
Deputy Seneschal  
Deputy Minister of Fence  
Family Activities Coordinator  
Web Minister  
Deputy Gold Key  
Deputy Knight Marshal  
Deputy Minister of Arrows

## A Note From the Chronicler

I'm always looking for contributions for upcoming newsletters, so if you have something you'd like to share please contact me.

-Isabel atte Grene

# July Tavern Report

- All visiting royalty exempt from Event Registration
- 3.05 AI 2 year + 1 year review term

Call to order at 19:38

Welcome Newcomers

## **Words from our Baron/Baroness: Reme and Divera**

-Congratulations to our new King & Queen; Their Royal Majesties Arnsbjorn & Inga. Please visit the Kingdom of Avacal homepage for event dates if you would like to follow through their reign.

-Congratulations to our newest peers; Guillaime de Gualle for Pelican and Sir Fergus for Knight.

-Congratulations to our new champions; Baldric (Archery), Somerland (Heavy), and Samael (Rapier).

-Baronial changeover; the time has come to seek another baronial couple:

All interested parties shall submit a letter of intent, SCA resume and mundane resume to Their Majesties, the Kingdom Seneschal, and the Baron and Baroness no later than mid December 2016 (exact date to be announced soon). Letters of intent will be published for populace review on the Borealis website.

Former Majesties Wernar and Helene supported by our current Majesties; Arnsbjorn and Inga have allowed that there will be a change to the Baronial term formats. The current term is 4 and 2 for a total of 6 years. There will now be a review after 2 years instead of 4. The intent is to remain a 6 year maximum with a potential of review every 2 years to make the position more approachable. The exact break down of the 6 year term and when polling would be required is still being reviewed to be placed into law by their current Majesties.

-Tonight we will review our Baronial Customary & Financial Policy – if you haven't taken the time to read these please do so, so you can add to the discussion.

## **Officer Reports**

### **Seneschal: Adelheid**

-Review of Customary & Financial Policy and proposed changes

- “Event Registration” name change

Motion for Financial Changes: Faelan

2nd: Rosalind

Motion Approved.

Motion for Customary Changes: Kseniia

2nd: Raffaello

Motion Approved.

-Upcoming Events:

Dragonslayer – 7/15 - Montengarde

AT War – 7/18 – 7/25 - Tir Righ

Quad War – 7/29 - Bordergate

-Still looking for the following officers:

Deputy Exchequer (October)

Family Activities Coordinator

Web Minister

Note to current officers: Terms are up to 4 years and you must reapply to a position after 2 years. Please check with the Seneschal when your term expires and post on Facebook/Yahoo that if you are in need of a Deputy.

-Hall Dates:

3 (dance 12-1pm, fight 1-3pm)

6 Tavern – food by Jean & Sadb

10 No Hall

13 No Hall

17 (dance 12-1pm, fight 1-3pm)

20 (fight 7-10pm & bardic)

24 (dance 12-1pm, fight 1-3pm)

27 (fight 7-10pm & bardic)

31 (dance 12-1pm, fight 1-3pm)

Next tavern is August 3rd.

### **Chatelaine: Raffaello**

- Getting lots of email from potential members  
Amtgard demo was a huge success; SCA members who attended the demo are considered honorary Amtgard members and can start earning points.

### **Gold Key: Armida**

- Tabbard sewing moved to July TBA.

Term is up, seeking deputy, please apply if interested.

### **Exchequer: Alena**

- Books to be balanced for the quarter

PO Box will be canceled & all mail forwarded to the Senechal.

### **Financial Meeting**

Rafaello reporting on Silverwolf:  
144 through gate (29 non-members)  
Income \$2805 / Profit \$657.74

Bank balance: \$12,177.46

### **Knight Marshal: Beoaed**

- Practices going well; no injuries and no equipment issues.
- Amtgard demo was great
- 2 year term is up in October, please apply if you are interested in being a Deputy.
- At Silverwolf Viscount Hjalti was put on vigil for Knighthood.

### **Youth Combat: Peregrine**

- Nothing to report.

### **Minister of Fence: Mika**

- Practices are going well; no injuries
- Seeing many new people.
- Officer term is up in October. Please apply if you are interested in being a Deputy.

### **Minister of Arrows: Baldric**

- Generous archery supply donation from Ragnar
- Practice going well, some cancellations due to lane closures.
- We had 17 archers and 3 vying at Silverwolf.
- Officer term expired in June. Please apply if you are interested in being a Deputy.

### **Minister of A&S: Quinn**

- A&S activities are healthy
- Branwaygn will be returning to Montengarde (boo) at the end of August, her deputy will be stepping up.

### **Herald: Johannes**

- New deputy: Roderick
- Thank you to Daniel and Faelan for helping at Silverwolf.

### **Chronicler: Isabel**

- Nothing to report

### **Scribe: Kora**

- Nothing to report

### **Webminister: Reginald**

- 410 likes on Facebook

- Record breaking 812 visitors to the website.
- Newsletters have been updated
- Silverwolf champions have been added to the website and a new blog.
- Replacement needed, do not need html or programming knowledge. Please apply!

### **Continued Business**

#### Silverwolf Close

- 144 through gate
- Thank you to all volunteers and the culinary guild.

#### August Crown Update

- Please see Oriana to volunteer for gate.
- Schedule is being worked on
- Site tokens are done
- Some of the site signs are made, others in progress.
- Site map and programs in progress.

#### Day of Dance & Heraldry Symposium

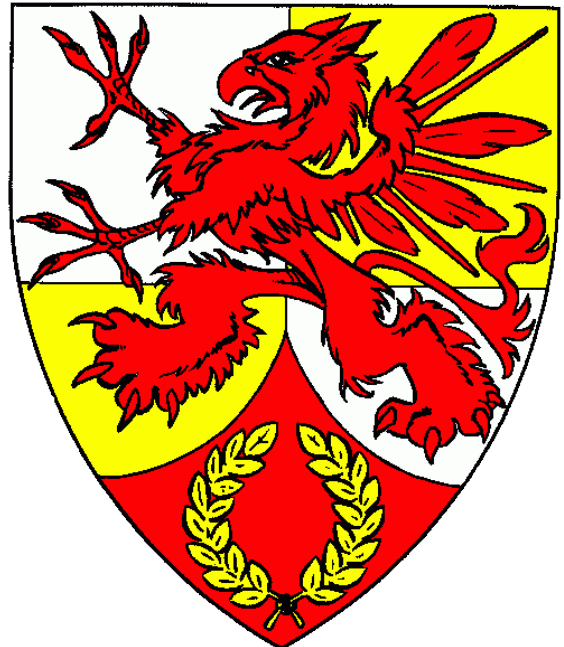
- October 14-16
  - Potentially 3 out of Kingdom instructors to visit.
- #### Yule
- We have a potential event steward, need position filled or there will be no event.

### **New Business**

September Crown – Event steward Adelheid & Divera will present a bid for 2017.

Oh by the way

Meeting Adjourned: 8:18pm



# Upcoming Events

## Summer Crown

Date: August 12 - 14th

Location: Near Thorhild, AB

## Avacal Sergeantry Trials

Date: August 26 - 28th

Location: Quad Site

## Bacchus to Rome

Date: Sept 2 - 5th

Location: Camp Morton, MB

## harvest Feast

Date: Sept 9 - 11th

Location: Condor, AB

## Vinfest

Date: Sept 16 - 18th

Location: Camp Tamarack, AB

## Day of Dance & heraldry

Date: Oct 14 - 16th

Location: Edmonton, AB

For more event details please check the event calendar at [avacal.org](http://avacal.org)

## Taverns – We need you!

Looking for volunteers to host upcoming Taverns.

September - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

October - Knights

November - Sergants

December - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

## Peach Tart

This is an incredibly easy pie to make. Boiling the peaches before putting them in the pie seems a bit odd at first, but it allows the use of slightly under-ripe peaches and also reduces the baking time.

5 peaches (4 cups)

1/4 cup red wine

3/4 cup sugar

1/2 tsp. cinnamon

1/2 tsp. ginger

1/4 tsp. salt

Peel peaches, remove pits, and slice. Parboil in water until just tender. Drain peaches well and place in pie crust. Make syrup of sugar, spices, and wine. Pour over peaches and cover with top crust, making a few slits in the top. Bake at 425°F for 10 minutes, then reduce heat to 350°F and bake until done, about 30-40 minutes more.

England 16th Century

Source [The Good Housewife's Jewell, T. Dawson]: To make all maner of fruit Tartes. You must boyle your fruite, whether it be apple, cherrie, peach, damson, peare, Mulberie, or codling, in faire water, and when they be boyled inough, put them into a bowle, and bruse them with a ladle, and when they be colde, straine them, and put in red wine or Claret wine, and so season it with suger, sinamon and ginger.

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Recipe by Daniel Myers

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# Monthly Calendar

**Practice will be in the regular hall:  
Alberta Avenue Community Hall  
9210 - 118 Ave**

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|--|---|--|
| Tavern Night<br>Hall<br>1st Wednesday - 7:00pm - 10:30pm<br>Cost: \$3.00 Members<br>\$3.00 Non-Members | Fighter Practice<br>Hall (Sundays)<br>1:00pm - 3:00pm<br>Cost: \$5.00 Members<br>\$5.50 Non-Members | Dance Practice<br>Hall (Sundays)<br>12:00pm - 1:00pm<br>Cost: \$3.00 (free if paying to fight) |
| Bardic Practice South<br>#403, 6149 Stanton Dr SW<br>1st Monday - 7:30pm - 9:30pm                      | A & S West<br>36 Brampton St, Spruce Grove<br>Thursdays - 7:00pm - 10:00pm                          | A & S North<br>10726 183 Ave NW<br>3rd Monday - 7:00pm - 10:00pm                               |
| A & S / Bardic Practice<br>Hall<br>3rd Wednesday 7:00pm - 10:00pm                                      |   | Fighter & Bardic Practice<br>Hall (Wednesdays)<br>7:00pm - 10:00pm                             |

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