

Dragon Taaeles

Drawn & Quarterly



Council meetings
are held at Wandu
Clubrooms at
12pm:

- 20 October
- 10 November
- 15 December

Watch our FB page
for more info.



Dragons Bay welcomes Spring with the
Barony of Aneala at their Championship event



"Spring has come,
Loudly sing cuckoo !
Groweth seed and blooms mead
And springs the wood now.
Sing cuckoo!"

- English Poetry from the Middle Ages

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Regnum



Royalty

Niáll III and Sabine I



Baron & Baroness of Aneala

Agostino Tamburri & Elizabeth Rowe



The Canton of Dragon's Bay



Seneschal: Devine Winter
Deputy: Avalon of the Isle



Reeve: Sarah of Dragons Bay
Deputy: Sigmund Gabrielis



Knight Marshal: Galen Wulfric



Arts and Sciences: Skjalddis Bragadottir



Herald: Blackglove



Chronicler: Gumuuinus de
Eggafridicapella



Group Constable: Liduina de Kasteelen
van Valkenburg



Web Minister: Gumuuinus de
Eggafridicapella



Chatelaine: Avalon of the Isle



Captain of the Archers: Andy of Dragons
Bay



List Keeper: Sláine inghean Uí Ruádhain



Chirurgion: Sorcha inghean Uí
Bhradagáin

Officer contact details are on the Dragons Bay website:
<https://dragonsbay.lochac.sca.org/contacts/>



Council Meetings and Minutes

Council is held at 12pm on the third Sunday of each month at
Wandi Community Centre, De Haer Road, Wandí,

Council Minutes are available on the Dragons Bay website:

<http://dragonsbay.lochac.sca.org/council-minutes/>

Calendar of Events

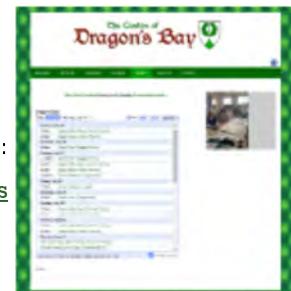
Date	Event	Hosting Group
Oct 12	Cooks Guild	Dragons Bay
Oct 19	Groat Street Demo	Aneala
Oct 26	Naragebup Festival Demo	Dragons Bay
Oct 27	IKAC and Novelty Zombie Shoot	Dragons Bay
Nov 2	Baldivis Country Fair	Dragons Bay
Nov 2	Dawn of the King	Dawn of the King
Nov 11	Einherjar (November War)	Aneala
Nov 17	Champion of the Bow	Dragons Bay
Nov 23	Rekkþing (Rekkþing)	Aneala
Dec 14	Green Dragon Games Day and Yule Feast	Dragons Bay
2020		
January	Annual General Meeting	Dragons Bay
Feb 15	Italian Feast	Dragons Bay
May 9	Boddington Medieval Fayre and Feast	Boddington
2021		
March	Roman Immersive Experience (Dum in Urbe)	Dragons Bay
TBA	A Knight to Remember	Dragons Bay



Calendar

Events are advertised on the Dragons Bay website:

<http://dragonsbay.lochac.sca.org/events>



From the Seneschal

I have been awe-inspired and touched by the gracious generosity of Dragons Bay populace over the past few months.

August saw the opportunity to celebrate the hard work of those whom served Dragons Bay prior, and the new panel of Officers at the Dragons Bay Officer Ovation (DBOO!).

At this event were graced with Their Excellencies of Aneala whom gave out Awards to one of our newest members, Talwen, and inducted Matthew of Dragons Bay and Daniella of Dragons Bay into the Companion of the Order of the Cygnet. Well done!

Dragons Bay then headed to Comet Bay College to assist with their Medieval Fair. Members of Dragons Bay gave their support by providing displays of armour, archery and Arts and Sciences.

I was touched by the generosity of the populace of Dragons Bay when they responded with grace to the call for assistance and stepped up without hesitation to assist Aneala at their Championship in the areas of breakfast and the second remove of the Victory Feast

Dragons Bay showcased their brand of chivalry when heavy fighters took to the field at the Highland Gathering in Armadale. Populace engaged with the public and eagerly showed spoon-carving, illumination and their garb.

We head now into Spring and Summer, supporting our local community further by attending the Rockingham Regional Environmental Centre's 'Naragebup Festival', giving back to them when they provided a place and assistance for our DBOO.

This is followed by the eagerly anticipated IKAC and Novelty Zombie Shoot. Prepare your combat blunts for a day of shooting at zombies! Later in November we have The Crown visiting the Western Shores for Rekrþing, so please send through your [Recommendations for Awards](#) for those amazing people who are deserving of recognition.

Your heartfelt and sincere generosity of spirit continues to astound and humble me. Please enjoy yourselves, support one another and I look forward to serving Lochac and our community alongside you.

Yours, in Service to the Dream,
Devine Winter



Their Royal Highnesses



Long live Niall inn Orkneyski and Sabine du Bourbonnais
King and Queen of Lochac



SCA Membership Fees

An abridged version of the email sent by the Chair of SCA Ltd Australia on 5 September 2019 follows:



Greetings all,

The SCA Ltd Board (Australia) would like to thank the large number of Members who provided feedback regarding membership fees.

Effective for fees collected from October 1, 2019:

- * SCA Ltd (Australia) Membership will be \$45.00 per year for adults and non-dependent minors
- * Family Minor Membership will remain free of cost to Members, for legal dependents of current adult members.
- * Adult Event Non-Membership Fees will increase to \$10.00 per event
- * Minors Event Non-Membership Fees will remain at \$5.00 per event
- * Event Membership (reciprocal) for SCANZ and SCA Inc members will remain at \$0.00 per event.

Yours in service
Georgia Winter
Chair, SCA Ltd. Australia



Dragons Bay Officer Ovation

Article by Devine Winter

Dragons Bay Officer Ovation (DBOO) was held on 18 August at the Rockingham Regional Environment Centre from 1-4pm. We were graced by presence of the Baron and Baroness of Aneala whom deemed it appropriate and timely to elevate m'lord Matthew and m'lady Daniella to the Order of the Cygnet. Matthew was recognised for his skills in the martial arena, particularly archery, and Daniella awarded for her service. M'lady Talwen was awarded a Black Feather for her enthusiasm and generosity since joining Dragons Bay.

The Office Ovation recognises the service of those volunteering their time and efforts to the group and is an opportunity to demonstrate appreciation of those who served before. It was an opportunity for the populace to witness their Officers stepping into their roles through ceremony. Acknowledgement was given to Lady Avalon and Mistress Liduina for their dedication and service to Dragons Bay over the last several years, ensuring our Canton survived with their tireless work and effort.



Lady Avalon regaled us with the Dragons Bay Anthem, and Lord Andy entertained with some insightful and inspiring poetry. We are indeed blessed with many bards of great note in our Canton.

We were honoured with a Fealty ceremony, with three of our noble Peers, Viscountess Rhianwen, Sir Peter and Mistress Liduina renewing, upon the Bow, their Fealty to the Crown.



Memories were shared of Angharad of Chester, second Baroness of Aneala, her influence as a founding member of the SCA on the Western Shores felt to this day. Her passing is a timely reminder to treasure time spent with family, both at home and your SCA family.

Viscountess Rhianwen regaled us with tales of Angharad and her personal memories of this time. Sir Peter shared a poem he wrote, honouring Lady Genevieve and Angharad.

Dragons Bay Officer Ovation

Article by Devine Winter

Those in attendance who could assist gave of their time and energies to ensure the DBOO was the great success that it was. The room was transformed into a glorious hall, befitting the attendance of Their Excellencies. Through the support of all the attendants, this was achieved with many banners flying proudly. Thank you to the Barony of Aneala for lending their banners and chair covers to enhance the pagentry and regalia for this ceremony of the Officers of Dragons Bay.

The potluck was a feast, with the groaning board indeed groaning under the weight of such generosity. Bellies were filled with hearty meals, including pies, stews, pasta, chickens and cakes. Whilst much was eaten, platters were also taken home, a sharing of culinary delights swapped between attendees. A signature dish was a subtilies created by Mistress Slaine, with cookies decorated with the badges of each office; thank you for such a creative and thoughtful creation. Even though you could not attend in person, you went out of your way to ensure we had these for our DBOO.



Thank you to Baroness Elizabeth and Baron Agostino for gracing us with their presence and wise words regarding service and volunteering for the betterment of the SCA on the Western Shores.

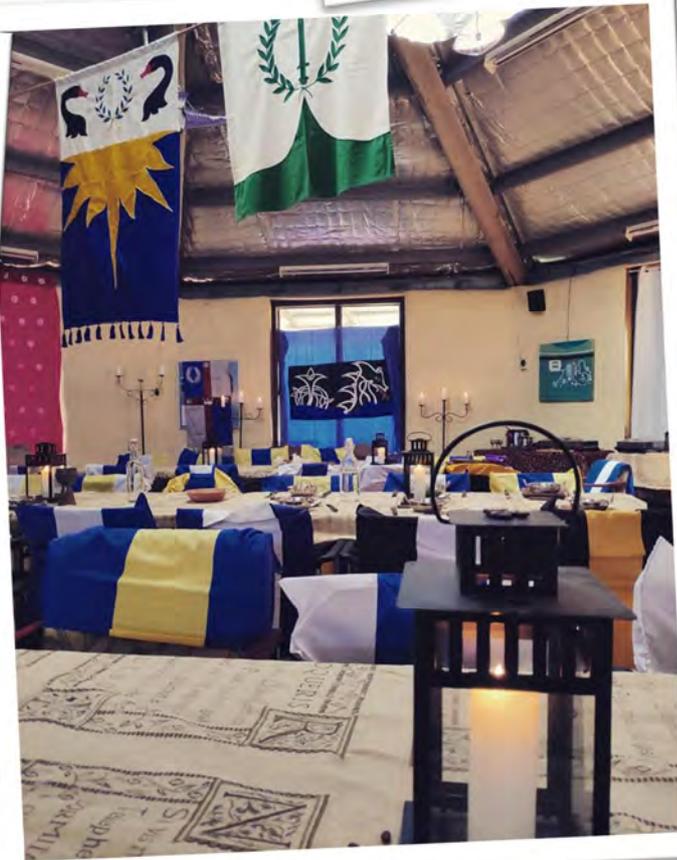
For the Peers of the Realm for honouring us with a Fealty ceremony and their words of wisdom and genteel guidance in courtly manners and matters and being the exemplar of where we strive to be, as members of the SCA.



To the Officers of Dragons Bay, thank you for stepping forward and putting your hands up to serve the populace of Dragons Bay. Your service, time and energy is and always will be greatly appreciated, as denoted by the tokens gifted to you.

To the populace of Aneala, thank you for your support and practical assistance in ensuring this celebration was the magnificent success that it was.

Dragons Bay Officer Ovation



Dragons Bay Officer Ovation

We remember you in mornings
We remember you in nights
We remember you in songs
We remember you in candles light.
We remember you in feasting
We remember you in hall
We remember you in court
We remember you in heralds call.
We remember you in dances
We remember you in laughter
We remember you in songs
& We will remember you here, ever after.



Canton of Dragons Bay Anthem

CHORUS:

The Canton of Dragons Bay
The Canton of Dragons Bay
Hail thy green dragon
Canton of Dragons Bay
The Canton of Dragons Bay
The Canton of Dragons Bay
Hail thy green dragon
Canton of Dragons Bay



Verse 1:

Betwixt Vallon D'Or rich and Aneala fair
We welcome all visitors, there's always room to spare
We're the carefree middle mob; our maidens have great hair!
So fill your mug, sit by the fire; make sure to bring a chair

CHORUS

Verse 2:

Norek rises every year, we party with a feast
Once again we prove to all, with food we tame the beast
Our archers strive to be the best, improve along the way;
Overcome their previous score, to finally beat Ray

CHORUS x 2

Cooks Guild—September

Article by Blackglove
Photographs by Devine Winter

Thank you to everyone who could make it to Cooks Guild on Saturday.

Ten gentles were present including our lovely visitors from Torlyon—Mistress Isabella de Bordeaux (green shirt) and Laird Torcail mac Leod mhic Iomhair (distinguished hat) both gentles hail from Torlyon ,a Canton of the Barony of Politarchopolis.

We greeted the latest member of the local Chapter of the Lochac Cooks Guild Brutus and with the tables laden with potluck food and drinks and four new recipe submissions we were all very full of belly.



Mistress Slaine inghean Ui Ruadhain presented a taste of Rome with Numidian Chicken from Apicus.
^ Zesty Mint Drink from "Scheherazades Feasts"

Lady Devine Winter presented a hat trick of Duck fat roasted Carrots and Radish, a Zesty Mint Drink and Muhommad's Wedding Cookies from Scheherazades Feasts.

I tabled a Kuskusu Yuz-bashi, an adaption of a Complete Tharid and Soldier's Couscous both from An Anonymous Andalusian Cookbook.



Our visitors remarked that any of the dishes submitted would stand up well against dishes served at royal feasts.

As an aside and drawing from too many memories and Lady Slaine's most recent experience - when transporting anything containing liquids a large plastic storage tub or esky to carry your tray or pan would be good insurance against pesky spillage.



> Good company,
good food



^ Kuskusu Yuz-bashi (Knight's Couscous) an adaption of a Complete Tharid and Soldier's Couscous both from "An Anonymous Andalusian Cookbook".

Cooks Guild—September



< Muhommad's Wedding Cookies from Scheherazades Feasts



> Fresh picked home grown Mulberries in Pastry (potluck dish from Lady Avalon)



< Numidian Chicken from Apicus (alas a substitute photo as Mistress Slaine's dish was eaten too fast to take a picture)

^ Mistress Slaine and Mistress Isabella (Torlyon) despite their cheeky grins it was a non alcoholic beverage



^ Gentle folk volunteering with fellowship and frivolity to help roll the wedding cookies

^ Duck fat roasted Carrots and Radish from "Scheherazades Feasts" (potluck Chicken from Brutus). There were more radishes and carrots but they too were yummy (smuggled in roast potatoes were also devoured post haste)

Viking Garb Workshops

Article and photographs by Devine Winter

Viking Garb Workshop Part 1 was on Saturday 17 August at 10-4 at Wandri Clubrooms and were well attended by Dragons Bay and Anealan populace. People started on their under dresses and tunics, with patterns drawn and cut and pinned.

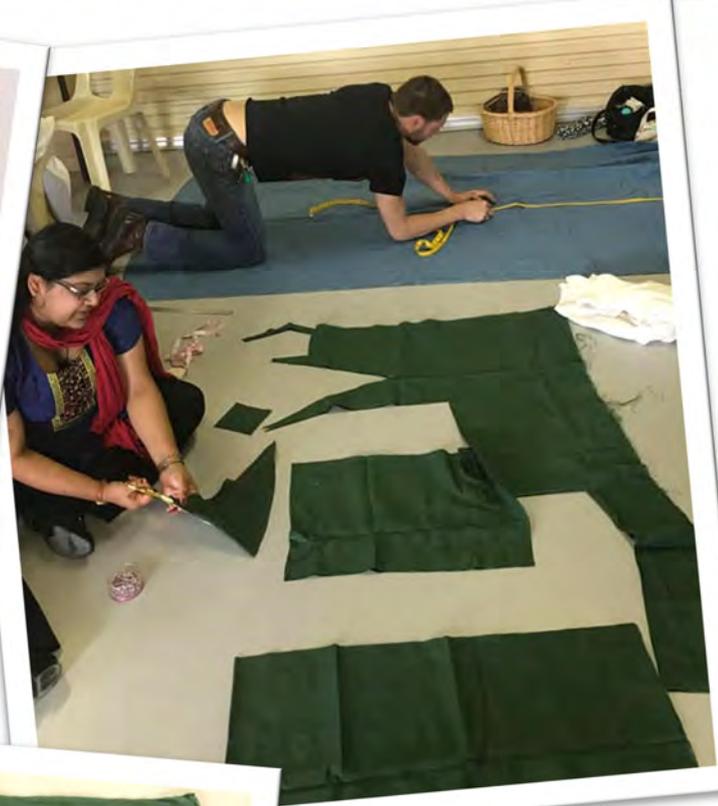
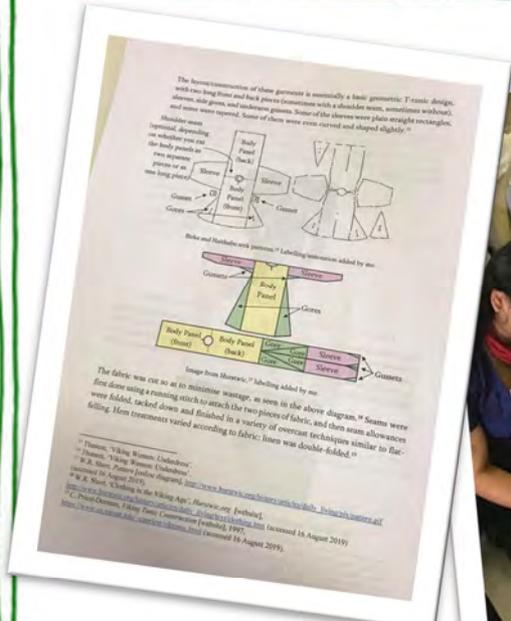
Lokki Rekkur brought examples of wool wraps, shoes, leather vest, hat and pants. Sussanah Scarlet sent Lola as a proxy to show us 4 layers of Viking women's clothing, complete with pleats!

Thank you to Baroness Elizabeth for organising the workshop and Skjaldadís Bragadóttir for teaching and guiding people in their dressmaking ventures. Thank you for providing the handouts. Many people left with garb well and truly on the way to being completed.

Part 2 of this workshop series was held on Saturday 14 September at Bassendean Community Hall with THL Ilaria instructing people on how to make Smokkr and lending her assistance to creating over-garments.



Viking Garb Workshops



Comet Bay College Medieval Fair

Article and photographs by Devine Winter

On Wednesday 25 September Dragons Bay had the opportunity to promote the SCA at Comet Bay College's Medieval Fair. Members of Dragons Bay gave their support by providing displays of armour, archery and Arts and Sciences. Some gentles were sewing and doing illuminations, whilst others assisted students in trying on armour. Dragons Bay folk took part in the festivities of the Fair, becoming involved in Maypole dancing, jousting and Medieval dancing.

It was wonderful to behold Rose Pennyngton as a Noble Lady of the Fair, swathed in her glorious Elizabethan gown and adding regality to the event as she addressed the crowds.

Our gentle folk wore garb of Viking, Italian, Irish and Asiatic origins, demonstrating to the school the variety of locations the SCA draws from.

As indeed the Kingdom of Lochac is chivalric, a bastion of courtesy, its banner did shield the gentle ladies from the inclement weather. The fighters were undeterred and performed displays of prowess for the gathered crowds, who cheered their favourite and hollered for more.

Many thanks are extended to those whom could set aside time to attend and assist me with enhancing this experience for the school:

Mistress Sláine inghean
Ui Ruádhain
The Honourable Lord Galen
Wulfric
M'Lord Nevers
Lord Robert
Sir Blackglove
Nobilis Gummi
Lady Susannah Scarlet
M'Lord Andy of Dragons Bay
Lady Avalon of the Isle



> *M'Lord Charles, a former student and friend of Dragons Bay, led the procession from the hall to the oval for an armoured combat demonstration for the students.*

Comet Bay College Medieval Fair

Photographs by Devine Winter



Aneala Championship

Anealan Championship was a wonderful way to welcome spring. Due to unforeseen circumstances, Dragons Bay had the opportunity to assist Aneala in the areas of breakfast and the second remove of the Victory Feast, both on Sunday.

The feast on Sunday night was a collaborative effort with the first remove being prepared by Lady Bella Romana Valori and third dessert remove provided by Mistress Leonie de Grey.

The planning and organisational skills of our members were showcased, with people resourced from across Lochac to source ideas for the menu and others traveling from as far as Mandurah to offer their assistance.

The strength of our unity, reliability and talent, topped with merriment and joy in the kitchen is testimony to the enthusiasm of our populace, who went above and beyond with their assistance of plating up for other removes, serving, retrieving platters and doing final clean up of the kitchen. It was noted how fantastic the kitchen crew looked in their livery as a cohesive unit.

Their Excellencies the Baron and Baroness of Aneala and THL Richard Ferrowre entered the kitchen following the Victory Feast to acknowledge the efforts made by the individual members of Dragons Bay.



Highland Gathering

Article by Gummi

We were afforded a beautiful day for a demo in Armadale at the Highland Gathering.

We started the day with banners held high in the Mayoral Procession.



Thank you all for your attendance and assistance. All whom lent a hand to set up created a beautiful presence created to draw in the crowds. Thanks to all whom engaged the public and shared their knowledge and enthusiasm.



Photographs by Susannah Scarlet and Devine Winter

Pet Owing in the SCA

Lady Avalon of the Isle has found that pet ownership in the SCA is fraught with difficulties. Here she prepares for pottery and finds that little paws get everywhere!



Naragebup Festival

This event is hosted by the Rockingham Regional Environmental Centre, with Dragons Bay forming part of the entertainment of the day, from 10am to 3pm.

Such entertainment may be in the form of rattan combat or rapier, demonstrating the SCA's unique brand of chivalry. A puppet theatre may be set up for plays, and bards are welcome to seduce the public with their tales and songs.

Static displays are welcomed, as well as archers, seamstresses and scribes, showing the public the vast array of research and interests the SCA caters for.

No set up or pack down is necessary by those whom attend, and we shall be fed!

Come down to support the community, demonstrate your skills, and engage those eager to join our ranks.



NARAGEBUP

Rockingham Regional
Environmental Centre



Regular Local Events

The following events are generally held every week, unless another SCA Official Event is on that day, or otherwise cancelled due to weather.

Check the [Dragons Bay Event Page](#) for further details.



Barony of Aneala

<http://aneala.lochac.sca.org/>

Armoured, Rapier and Archery Training

Sundays @ 10am — 12pm

Lake Monger Primary School, Dodd St, Wembley

Contact Richard: seneschal@aneala.lochac.sca.org



Dragons Bay

<http://dragonsbay.lochac.sca.org/>

Sundays @ Wandi Community Centre: 302 De Haer Road, Wandi

Armoured Training: 9am — 11:30am

Archery Training: 9am — 11:30am

Contact: seneshcal@dragonsbay.lochac.sca.org



College of Saint Basil the Great (University of WA)

<http://lochac.sca.org/basil/>

Armoured and Rapier Training

Wednesdays and Thursdays @ 5pm til late

Oak Lawn, UWA

Contact: dracolewaide@live.com.au



Kingdom Arts & Sciences Competitions

2019

Competition season ends: Spring Crown

Topics:

1. “Cheap & cheerful”
2. Wooden
3. Norse Culture

2020

Competition season ends: 12th Night

Topics:

1. A container
2. Stitched
3. Eastern Europe

Competition season ends: Autumn Crown

Topics:

1. For the home
2. Light
3. The Silk Road

Competition season ends: Midwinter

Topics:

1. A matched set
2. Musical
3. From the 16th century

For more information look up the [Lochac Arts and Sciences website](#).

Entries for interstate events need to be sent at least 2 weeks prior to be received for judging.



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