Newsletter for Dragons Bay

Summer 2022 AS LVI (56)







Next Event: Al Thing

30 January 2022

12:30pm

Wandi Clubrooms

Come and have input into the future direction of Dragons Bay.

\$4 ground fee for members.

Garb encouraged.

Please bring nibbles to share.









Dragons Bay participated in the Highland Gathering 2021, with Little Spoon helping to draw in the crowds with his spoon carving live demonstration.

Fighters took to the muddy arena to entertain the crowds, while Edith talked of illumination and Kilic crafted leathergoods.

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From the Seneschal

Unto the most glorious Dragonfolk of these most western shores of the biggest kingdom in the known world do I give warmest greetings.

To those but newly come to Dragons Bay, to those who return again, to those who faithfully dwelled within for many years, or counted amongst those who join with us through diverse means, be you a delight for our eyes every week or grace us with your presence but once a year matters not, for all that matters is that you know yourselves to be counted among the Dragonfolk and are dragon proud, be it displayed Gules, Vert or Or.

If you are a honey tongued bard, a husky voiced herald or a hushed whisperer of wisdoms let your words be heard in shaping what Dragon's Bay may become, for the voices of many create a place for many, a place for each of us and those yet to find us. Dragon's Bay belongs to all of us, it is us, and lives or dies, grows, or prospers only by our combined efforts, our sacrifice and most importantly our courtesy.

Whatever you level of skill or knowledge be proud of what you create, and we will be proud with you, share your knowledge if asked, and let us meet all together where we can to grow and strengthen the arts & sciences within our community. Everything we do as a canton is made medieval by the arts and sciences and without them our endeavours lack colour, depth, and glamour, without artisans we are but a pale imitation of what might have been.

For those warriors amongst us whether you wield a blade or a bow, your skill will improve and so will numbers if we come together whenever we can to practice our craft, share our knowledge and hone our skills. If you risk the hazards found upon the eric, archery range or war field be fierce and brave but caring, chivalry and courage are not the sole domain of warriors, nor do they only live in the contest or clash of arms. However, it is here we may more readily display the visible elements and be exemplars to all of the ideals that our kingdom cherishes and holds dear.

You are all invited and most welcome to participate, to contribute and to enjoy, as best you may at our very own Sunday practice at the Dragons Lair or the baronial monthly training in Spear Wood. Let your face be seen, renown displayed, council given, humour shared, and presence felt at workshop, tourney, feast, war, moot or althing.

It is a new year and a blank page upon which may be writ our story, our glory and our noble deeds.

In service to the dream

Viscount Peter D'Gaunt Noir





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Their Majesties



King Leofric Willoughby de Broke and Queen Sabine du Bourbonnais



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Officer Vacancies



Arts & Sciences Officer

Applications will be sought for this position soon.



Knight Marshal

Applications will be sought for this position soon.



Putting your hand up for an Officer position is one of the best ways to help your Canton to grow. All Officers are volunteers and become experts in their own fields. Assistance is provided by other experienced members of the group.

All Officers must:

- Be 18+
- · Maintain their memberships throughout their tenure
- Become members of the relevant mailing list
- Report to the Seneschal each month
- Report to the Seneschal and their Upline every quarter

For a Canton the Officer reports are due on 1st of January, April, July and October

This allows the Upline Baronial Officers a month to incorporate the reports from their subordinates in Cantons and Colleges.

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Regular Events

Check the Calendar for more details

Weekly Local Meet Up

Every Sunday @ Wandi Grounds (except every 2nd Sunday)

Archery: 830am-11am Heavy Combat: 9am-11am Arts & Sciences - all day in the clubrooms

Every first weekend of the month is Group Project Day! Help work on Dragons Bay regalia, Including loaner garb, chair covers, braids etc



Baronial Training and Arts and Sciences

Every second Sunday @ Spearwood Primary School 73 Gerald Street, Spearwood 9am start

> Archery, Heavy Combat, Rapier and Arts & Sciences

Combined training between Dragons Bay and Aneala.

Cost: \$5 per member Insurance indemnity applies to non-members

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Monthly Moot

Every 3rd Sunday @ Wandi Clubrooms 12:30pm start

Discuss and suggest ideas.

Officers provide a verbal report. Reeve provides update on finances.

\$4/member ground fee. + Insurance for non-members.

You can also join via Discord: #Dragons-bay-text #Dragons-bay-voice



Quarterly Al Thing

Third Sunday of January, April, July and October @ Wandi Clubrooms 12:30pm start.

Members gather for a quarterly discussion on the direction of the group, future events and hopes.

Garb is encouraged to show off your latest style.

Please bring nibbles to share.

Officers provide a written report.

\$4/member ground fee. + Insurance for non-members.

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Kingdom Arts & Sciences Competitions

A.S 56 Championship (2021-22)

Autumn Crown:

- 1. Islamic art/design
- 2. Musical
- 3. 16th Century



A.S. 57 Championship (2022-23)

May Coronation:

- 1. For a child
- 2. Carved
- 3. The British Isles

Spring Crown:

- 1. Heraldic
- 2. Edible
- 3. The Ancient World

November Coronation:

- 1. Maritime
- 2. Health
- 3. Beyond Europe

Autumn Crown:

- 1. Science
- 2. Threads
- 3. 14th Century



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Decorative braid Tough feasting gear Arrows made to order Archery supplies Arm bracers Quivers Devices painted Shield blanks made Rattan in 1m or 2m lengths



Event gear transported Table or bench hire

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