



# The Compass Rose

## The Pennsic War Cometh!

### Upcoming events:

#### May

10-13 Barony Wars & Bazaar V

11 Rhydderich Hael Baronial Champs

17-19 Defenders Tournament of Sylvan Glen

18 Tournaments thru the Ages/Kingdom Equestrian Championship

25 Endless Hills Baronial Picnic

25-26 Hartstone Celtic Fire Festival

#### July

1-3 Known World Dance Symposium—Bloomington, IN

8-10 Pax Interruptus

9 Misty Highlands Birthday Picnic

9-10 A Day Out of Time II (demo)

15-17 St Swithin's Bog 3 day

16 Fantasy Faire Demo

30-Aug 13

PENNSIC WAR XL

For Complete Details see the Aethelmearc webpage

Beginning July 30 and continuing through August 13 is the Premier event of the SCA—the *Pennsic War!*

Kings Crossing has a shire camp there for all shire members and guests. But the amount of land available to a camp is strictly regulated according to how many gentles are *Pre-registered* for the camp. More pre-reg's means more land and a larger, more comfortable home for the War.

If you're planning to attend *Pennsic*, please pre-reg for the shire camp. Not only will the camp get more land but you will get a \$10 discount off the site fee. Plus, you can set up a tent or shelter and drop off your garb, equipment, etc. Then, even if you drive in each day and park (across from the shire camp!!!) you can change and pick up the stuff you otherwise would have to carry around!

'nuff said. Pre-reg for *Pennsic NOW!* Do it online at:

<http://www.pennsicwar.org/penn40/prereg.html>

**Before JUNE 15.**

Come share in the fun. Take classes. Engage in contests of skill and combat. Discover why Nandi will have flavored whipped cream in camp.

**Pre-reg now!**

Call for letters of intent for A&S officer and Chronicler. Election for Chronicler will be at the shire camp at Pennsic.

## *Meeting notes of the shire of Kings crossing for June 6, 2011*

*(aka the continuing story of Nandi's World Domination Tour)*

*Herald cried the meeting open after doffing his latest hat*

### *Seneschal*

*Seneschal report is in. Herald's report is due 6/15 and Exchequer's 7/31.*

### *Marshal*

*Still fighting at 2p on Sundays.*

*Nandi has a new thrown weapons MIT—Mary Ellen*

*Sylva Vulcani has combined heavy and fencing practices on Thursdays at 7pm.*

*Faelan is now a warranted archery marshal awaiting his card. He is looking for an economical source of equipment—e.g., targets, stands.*

### *Herald*

*(mmmmmbbbllle, mmm, fff, mm...) Translation from mouthful of chocolate Honey Buns speech to the vernacular:*

*Daria, Peter, and Magnus's name and device have passed. Several others are awaiting results.*

### *A&S*

*Office vacant*

### *Chronicler*

*Sionn resigned as Chronicler effective the publication of this newsletter. Letters of Intent for the position are requested and the election will take place at the shire's Pennsic meeting.*

### *Exchequer*

*Ballachlagan funds are still in the Kings Crossing account.*

*Any fundraising by Sylva Vulcani/Kings Crossing now requires the money raised to be given to the Exchequer who will deposit it in the Kings Crossing account. It may then be disbursed as appropriate.*

*\*non-profit organizations are being closely scrutinized to verify they are, indeed, non-profit. The rules and regulations must be scrupulously followed to retain non-profit status.*

### *Chirurgion*

*Not present*

### *Webminister*

*Not present*

### *Chatelaine*

Another of Nandi's astounding number of acquaintances and friends, this one from West Virginia, will be joining Kings Crossing when he can.

A local family is considering becoming new minions, uh, that is, shire members. With Lady Nandi's neighbor being browbeaten into submission that brings the possible new members to 6!

The Chatelaine will be bringing flavored whipped cream to Pennsic. (don't ask. You'll need to be there)

### *Land agent*

To date, there are 14 gentles pre-registered for the Kings Crossing camp at Pennsic. Several others are possibilities but have not pre-reg'd yet.

There will be a small donation (probably \$10) for propane (yea! Hot showers) and firewood.

### *Old Business*

An Ling and Nandi checked out the Girl Scout camp off I-79 for the shire Birthday event. It's a very large area with full kitchen, showers, bunk beds, rooms for classes and lots of parking. Of course, as a Girl Scout camp, the site is dry.

### *New Business*

Nandi will check into making Aethelmearc patches for the shire to sell as a fundraiser.

In the past Marian made a number of Kings Crossing baldrics and favors. Those which survive are worn out. **Please consider** contributing to the making of new and spiffy stuff to show Kings Crossing pride! It's especially good for when the shire presents gift baskets to royalty, runs an event or generally wants everyone to know "We are the Shire of Kings Crossing".

*Next meeting is Sunday July 10*

Herald cried the meeting closed. Really, he did. He cried. Loud and clear.

## *Officers of the Shire of Kings Crossing*

*Seneschal...Sven Tyrvisson mka James Boyd*

*Herald...Willahalm Barenjager*

*Knight Marshal...Sven Tyrvisson mka James Boyd*

*Minister of Arts & Sciences...vacant*

*Chronicler...vacant*

*Exchequer...Katryn of Ayre*

*Chatelaine...Lady Nandi of Kings Crossing*

*Webminister...Yamamoto no Satataro Hikaru mka McPherson*

*Pennsic Land Agent...Lady Marian O'Neill*

*Kings Crossing holds its monthly meetings at the Scenery Hill Community Center @ Hillstop School St, Scenery Hill, PA at 6 pm the first Sunday of the month.*

*Heavy weapons practices are on alternate Sundays beginning 2 pm at the Community Center.*

*Thrown weapons practices are at noon at the Community Center with the exception of June 12. (check with Nandi for confirmation)*

*College of Sylva Vulcani heavy weapons practices are held on Thursday during the summer at Cal U*

*Fencing practices are held at California University (Cal U) beginning 7 pm each Thursday.*

*Arts & Sciences meetings will be announced in the near future.*

*If you need to confirm a time or date please post your query on the Shire of Kings Crossing email list or the Kings Crossing Facebook page*

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