

# The Compass Rose

## Kings Crossing Birthday

### Upcoming events:

November 13

Aethelmearc Fall  
Academy

November 13

Fasching

November 19-21

Festa Venezia

November 19-21

Fighting, Fabric, Fencing  
& Fishing

December 2010

Nothing scheduled

January 2011

January 8

Kingdom 12<sup>th</sup> Night

January 15

BMDL 12<sup>th</sup> Night

January 22

St Swithin's Bog 12<sup>th</sup> Night

January 29

Steltonwald 12<sup>th</sup> Night

February 19

Masque of Courtly Love

Midrealm-Canton, OH

February 26

College of Three Ravens

Complete details may be  
found on the Aethelmearc  
webpage.

November 6 saw the Scenery Hill Community Center overrun with gentles in garb bearing food...and weapons...and dance music.

Taste treats of every type arrived following a potluck format. While the dishes were being prepared and set out two fencers and a number of heavy fighters stepped onto the field under skies that were...not raining or snowing!

Following the fighting and feasting the tables were pushed back and the dancing began! Perhaps a dozen or more Kings Crossing gentles (and one from Vulcansmede) dared to step out on the dance floor for fun and entertainment (theirs and the spectators')

All in all, a wonderful time was had by all due to the hard work of all under the always all right dictatorship...uh, leadership of Autocrat Nandi of Kings Crossing.



Bylaw changes will be voted on at the next shire meeting on December 5, 2010 at the shire's normal meeting site—the Scenery Hill Community Center

## Meeting notes of November 5, 2010

### Officers' reports

#### Herald

Submissions are pending

Vulcansmede Herald will be submitting a new name for the College

Exchequer (via Creador)

Money was received for the sale of a shire t-shirt. Also, \$30.89 was donated to the shire.

The rent for September and October has been paid.

An Ling will follow up with Steltonwald about the money still owed for the War Practice breakfast last summer.

#### Marshal

Lothar reports to Gabby—the Vulcansmede Knight-Marshal—when he runs the VM heavy practice Mondays in Gallagher Hall at Cal U.

Youth fencing will begin at Vulcansmede soon.

Faelan will test for Archery Marshal soon. Meanwhile, he is looking for indoor archery practice sites.

#### Arts & Sciences

**This was Master Creador Twynedragon's last meeting as A&S officer. A replacement is needed.** (note: any Kings Crossing shire members, including those at the College of Vulcansmede, can become officers of the shire)

#### Webminister

Yamamoto has continued to update the shire site, including the addition of event dates to the calendar and new links on the Chatelaine page.

He wants to do a "Who's Who in Kings Crossing" with a picture and short bio of shire members.

**\*\*\*\*\*To Whom It May Concern\*\*\*\*\*Or Anyone Else\*\*\*\*\*Gabby Knows Technical Jargon!!!!**

#### Chatelaine

Has had contact with several potential fighters. If practice is changed to Sundays it may be easier for them to participate in heavy weapons.

She has spoken with her counterparts at Gryffin's Keep, Misty Highlands and BMDL to further her Chatelainic education.

Master Huon is now Chatelane of our sponsored shire of Ballachlagan.

Vulcansmede's Chatelaine reports 52 new contacts—most fencers but 9 fighters and 2 A&S

Nandi wants the contact info for the local media outlets.

Zulu will be speaking with the Washington library and the art gallery.

#### Seneschal

*Officers' reports continued*

*Seneschal*

*Ballachlagan's report is available at the shire's email group.*

*Vulcansmede—Gabby for Aurelia—having spoken to Syr Bear it only remains to register an acceptable name (the College's device is ready to go now) to move out of incipiency.*

*Sven advised that both our incipient groups are close to exiting incipiency. (to exit incipiency all SCA members in the effected area must be contacted and polled. A super majority must approve the move)*

*Gryffin's Keep will get ready and provide info re: Kings Crossing annexing Monessen and Belle Vernon.*

*New Business*

*Ballachlagan has presented 3 event bids:*

*A 12<sup>th</sup> Night celebration similar to the KC Birthday.*

*The Donnan Party—a reprise of last year's event.*

*Ian's Inn is to be a 3 day event in Sept 2011.*

*All bids were passed with no nay votes...and one abstention...in each case.*

*It was moved and approved to move heavy practices and shire meetings to Sundays. The first meeting on Sunday will be December 5<sup>th</sup>.*

*Bylaws*

*This is a discussion meeting.*

*Possible changes to the bylaws include:*

*Changing the Kings Crossing Exchequer position to include responsibility for the College's Exchequer duties. This is intended to provide continuity and efficiency for the College.*

*Revisions to the terms of shire Officers*

*Permitting proxy voting*

*It was moved and approved to move further discussion of bylaw changes to the Vulcansmede meeting and the shire email list.*

*A complete copy of the current bylaws with possible changes noted will be posted to the shire email list. The original bylaws are available on the shire website.*

***ALL MEMBERS SHOULD BE PRESENT AND PREPARED TO VOTE ON NEW BYLAWS AT THE NEXT SHIRE MEETING TO BE HELD SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2010.***

*\$62 was donated to the shire at the meeting by those present.*

## *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...Master Creator Twynedragon mka Douglas Dillon*

*Chronicler...sionn, the lost mka John Kyle*

*Exchequer...Lady Anling*

*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 7 pm the first Sunday of the month.*

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

*College of Vulcansmede heavy weapons practices are held on Mondays beginning at 7 pm 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.*

**Times for Sunday meeting and fighter practices are tentative. Please watch the shire email list for confirmation.**





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