

# GLAUCOUS



*November AS X2019*

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## Message from the Baron

Greetings Seagirt.

I see by the dimness of light and the crunch of leaves underfoot that it is November. And I can hear by the sighs of the ladies and gentle grumblings of our more bear-like warriors that the weather and the shortness of days have already begun to affect us. The wet winter season can be hard in Seagirt, camping events are long gone, and by now the pavilions and camping gear are stored away. Practices are forced indoors or into shorter hours to deal with the early dark and attendance can drop off rapidly as the unavoidable plagues of the season begin to take their toll. We are a soggy, rain lashed Barony at this time of year, and our skies are often dim and grey.

Fortunately, here in Seagirt, we have an easy remedy for our seasonal woes. It's not only because of the harvest that autumn is the season of feasts. Nothing picks up our spirits more than to socialize with friends with a drink in your hand and a hot meal inside you. With that in mind, her Excellency and I are looking forward to the Guy Fawkes Tavern later this month, where we will leave the official regalia at home and enjoy an evening of merriment with our friends and family in the Barony. We've even invited a few of our mundane friends to put on some garb and come investigate what we're about at an informal event, we shall see if they rise to the challenge.

Small events like these are among my favorites as casual social gatherings with no schedules and much time for conversation do more to build community at home than any number of large and busy events, exciting and important though they may be.

In December, we shall be looking forward to White Court and Seagirt Yule for more opportunity to visit with our neighbors and enjoy their good company, and of course for more feasting.

If feasting and socializing is not a sufficient remedy for fall, it's also traditional to make your hands busy during the long nights of autumn and winter. Personally, I find myself casting in pewter, which causes me to attempt to carve molds in soapstone, which causes me to grumble like one of those aforementioned bear-like warriors. However, there is no learning without making mistakes, and though my grumbling improves faster than my carving, I hope to have something to show for it by January when there is to be a Gentle Arts event showcasing the talented artists and artisans of Seagirt, as well as a number of trials for my scholar applicants.

I invite you to leave the cares of the season at your door and undertake a project or a new skill, to vent your grumbling on, to show us in January, and I look forward to greeting you over the cup of friendship at one of the upcoming events, where I shall grumble over my projects, and my Lady will explain how swearing was actually invented by a gentle lord, undertaking to learn to knit.

Yours,

Thegn Eideard of Oransay  
5th Baron of Seagirt.

## Officer Reports

From the Herald

July 2012

Personal Heraldry marked the Armour and the Encampments of those who attended SYG. Members of the Populace attended instructional sessions on a wide range of topics including Heraldry held by the members of the Sergeantry.

August 2012

Personal Heraldry marked the Armour and the Encampments of those who attended SST and Tir Righ Investiture.

Barony of Seagirt made a strong showing throughout the event at Tir Righ Investiture.

Members of the Barony were recognized for their service to the Principality and the Kingdom.

September 2012

Deserving Members of the Barony were recognized for their service to the Principality and the Kingdom at An Tir September Crown.

Three Cheers to those recognized by the Principality and Kingdom this quarter, they do the Barony proud with their service!!!

Huzzah!!!

Ladyship Anna-Jane Burd  
Coquille Pursuivant

From Master of Stables

No issues or incidents to report this quarter. July was a very slow month; there was an average of only one person at each practice! In August things began to pick up, helped by two of our regular participants returning from posting with the military. By September another alternate practice venue was adopted, Monday evenings from 6-8pm held at eagle ridge arena> The intention was to have a combined practice with rapier and target archery community. The practice has not proven with the heavy and rapier community due to cost, the first month introductory fee was \$5.00 then \$10.00 only a few members have attended practice for the purposes of heavy combat. The more Established regular practices are still going strong.

Past Events Photos



## Up Coming Events

Guy Fawkes Tavern

Event Steward: Hamish MacDonald of Skye

After Several years the Guy Fawkes Tavern is back!!!

I am pleased to invite everyone to the Guy Fawkes Tavern on 17 Nov 2012 at #9 3318 Oak St Victoria, BC. From 5pm-11pm.

**This Tavern is a LICENCED EVENT NO OUTSIDE ALCOHOL IS PERMITTED ON SITE.**

This event is being run as a fundraiser for the barony.

A potluck feast will start the evening starting promptly at 5pm followed by an evening of games and socializing with friends.

Please bring your feast gear and your own napkins

Gate will be:

\$10 for Adults

\$5 for Youth (13-18)

Free for Children under 12

### **Site Info:**

Name: Oak Street Centre

#9 3318 Oak St

Victoria, BC V9A4Y4

### **Directions to Site:**

From Sidney:

Head southeast on Patricia Bay Hwy/BC-17. Turn Right on to Cloverdale Ave. Turn Right on to Oak St. Site will be on left hand Side.

From Western Communities & up island:

Take best route to Trans-Canada Highway towards Victoria. Travel on the Trans-Canada Highway and make a Left onto Cloverdale Ave. Turn Left onto Oak St. Site will be on left hand side.

## Seagirt Yule

**Event Steward:** Else Birgesdatter

*Due to extenuating circumstances, Yule has been moved to Seagirt. Please read below for further updates.*

Date: 8 Dec 2012

Come one, come all to help Seagirt Celebrate Yule in fine fashion. Join us for a day of Tournament, Dancing, Court and a Guided Potluck. Start preparing for the Feast of The Immaculate Confection! Enjoy the company of friends and acquaintances while enjoying the sights and tastes that Seagirt has to offer.

Adult                      \$15      a \$5 NMS will be applied to all Adults who are not members of SCA Inc

Youth                      \$8

Children 12 and Under    Free

Please make checks payable to *Barony of Seagirt*.

Time: 2pm – 11:30pm

Guided Potluck: The Barony will be providing Roast Beef, Ham and Mulled Cider (non-alcoholic). Potluck contributions are as follows:

Those born in January, February, March: Breads

April, May, June: Cheeses/Pickles/Olives

July, August, September: Veggies/Fruit

October, November, December: Rice/Pasta/Starches

This applies to each person aged 16 and older. Please bring enough for at least 10 people

For those who wish to bring a gluten/dairy free or meat alternative may do so. You will not be obligated to bring something from your category.

For *The Feast of the Immaculate Confection*, there will be 4 categories: Best Tasting, Most Period, Best Subtlety and Children/Youth (the kids get to enter a dessert, we won't be eating them).

For all food brought, please bring an index card with a list of the ingredients. That way we can avoid accidentally poisoning someone :)

Tickets will be for sale at Council, A&S (Wednesday nights), Archery, Dance and Fight Practice (Sundays). To purchase or reserve tickets, please contact Morgaine ([morgaine@ramst.ca](mailto:morgaine@ramst.ca)). Any unsold tickets will be sold at the door but don't count on it; buy or reserve yours early!

Anna-Jane will have her Tavern there with alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages to purchase. No outside alcohol will be allowed.

**Site Info:**

Name: Oaklands Community Centre  
2827 Belmont Avenue  
Victoria, BC V9B 2M9

**Directions to Site:**

Directions:

From the Swartz Bay Ferry and Up Island: Make your way into Victoria. On Hillside Ave, turn left. Continue to Belmont Ave, turn right. The Hall is between Pearl St and Ryan St, on the left. Parking is on the street.

## Gentle Arts

January 19, 2013

Event Steward: Ysane La Gaillarde

**Site Info:**

Name: Eastern Star Hall  
3281 Harriet St.  
Victoria, BC V82 3S3

**Directions to Site:**

Last Event's Directions :

From Westshore and up island: Head up the Highway towards town. At outskirts of town, Turn Right onto Harriet st. About a minute down, there is a hall and grassy fields on the left. Turn Left into the Hall.

From Downtown: Head down Douglas towards Westshore, turn left onto Harriet and then left once more into the hall. Parking is limited.



## *What's happening in Seagirt?*

### *Dance*

*Every Tuesday except the first of the month  
7:00 PM at the Ukrainian Center  
3277 Douglas Street  
(On the corner of Douglas and Roderick)*

### *Rapier*

*Sundays at Rudd Park. 12:00 Noon.*

### *Heavy Combat*

*Sundays at Rudd Park 12:00 Noon.*

### *Archery*

*Mondays at 6pm  
6pm - 8pm 4409 Bennett Rd  
Moving to Eagle Ridge Community Centre in September for winter*

### *Youth Combat*

*3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each Month  
Rudd Park*

### *Art's and Science*

*Wednesdays, 7PM.  
1879 Kings Rd  
Thursdays 8pm  
105-1855 Quadra St*

### *Bardic*

*Friday 7:00 PM  
Location Changes please check the ROCKS or the website for current information*

### *Council*

*First Tuesday of every month  
7:00 PM at the Ukrainian Center  
3277 Douglas Street*

## Seagirt Council Minutes

### Seagirt Council

**August 7, 2012**

**Present:** Anastasia, Sebastian, Lenora, Eideard, Hamish, Anne, Janet, Lachlan, Morgaine, Tristan, Anna Jane, Inga, Yasmina, John, Connell, Magnus, Orianna, Kate, Liam, Makayla.

**Minutes:** July: Accepted

**Seneschal:** No major changes

Lenora is the new Event Reservation Deputy if you want to hold an event give the dates to her so she can reserve your dates on the calendar we can book up to 2 years in advance.

**B&B:** SYG was lovely there was a small turn out but was still a good event. Have decided to officially drop Championships from SST this event will now be just a prize tourney we will have one set of marshal champions decided at daffodil.

Baronial Pavilion needs replacing soon we will discuss this more in the fall.

B&B will be absent from Sept Council.

**Exchequer:** Account is low 1661.29 + GICs we need money ASAP.

Q: from Lenora as to who the deputy Exchequer is

A: we do not have one currently

Lenora is now the Deputy Exchequer.

**Chatelaine:** Not Present

**MOS:** Rapier is going great, Heavy combat not so much. Principality list mistress is stepping down soon if you would like to take on this job please contact the list mistress directly.

We have officially lost Naden as a practice location we are thinking of joining archery at their indoor location Orianna does not see an issue with fighting at this location motion to book site was approved by council 1<sup>st</sup> ¼ will be \$1178

**MOB:** Not Present

**Chronicler:** Nothing to report

**A&S:** Not Present. Bardic needs to be posted to the Rocks to make it official for insurance purposes

Practices are not to be held on weekends where we have events.

**Dance:** 114.58 from dance 13.32 from Council attendance is fluctuating we need to watch this in the fall. See if hall will hold our place over the summer months and do dance outdoors in the summer and keep an eye on income.

**Herald:** Kudos to Janet for banners we are being noticed

**Scribe:** Nothing to report

**Family Affairs:** Not Present

**Swanhaven:** not present

**EVENT BUSINESS:  
Reports**

**Seaside:** \$745 at gate

\$26 in classes

679.33 Expenses

91.67 Profit

Issues: Archery, Signage, Grass

Event report accepted by council

**SYG:** Attendance was low not quite at the breakeven point. Loss of \$338.80

**Updates:**

**SST:** Happening Updates are continually being posted

**Daffodil:** no updates

**Bids:**

**Sealion:** seeking bids at Sept or Oct council. 1 bid in progress sites are either Cowichan exhibition grounds or mountaineire

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**Customary rewrite:** will be done over fall hoping to have new finished copy in November

**Calendar dates:** Sealion 2013 24-26 May

Sealion 2014 30 May-1 June

Daffodil 2013 9 March

Daffodil 2014 8 March

SYG weekend before BC day long weekend

SST weekend before investiture

**November Coronet:** given to Danescombe we can resubmit same bid to Feb investiture council approved

**Archery Champion:** as mentioned last council the champions are to be removed from SST however we will be moving the Marksman tourney to SST and remove it from daffodil.

Therefore

SST will have the Seagirt Marksman Tourney and a prize tourney for Rapier and Heavy combat.

Daffodil will have Captain of the Grenadiers and Seagirt defenders tourney and a Prize tourney for Archery.

**NO FURTHER BUSINESS, MEETING ADJOURNED**

## **September 4, 2012**

**Present:** Lenora, Hamish, Janet, Lachlan, Morgaine, Tristan, Anna Jane, Yasmina, Connell, Kate, Tom, Carolyn, Wulfgar, Alezzandra, Ulf, Gwenafel, Athelina, Aria, Mathieu, Jacques, Thorun, Tracy, James.

**Minutes:** August: Accepted

**Seneschal:** No major changes

Commentary is open for the inspirational wording on SCA.Org please view and make comments as you feel fit.

Rapier Peerage is being worked on by Grand Council commentary will be announced when open.

Seneschal's meeting: Do not go directly to corporate level with things, Start local, If you do bypass any step in the process you will be directed to your branch first.

Policy of minor waiver and minor medical Authorization. Gate needs to see both but only keeps the Waiver.

**B&B:** Not Present

**Exchequer:** not present report given by Morgaine. Account is low 553.28 + GICs we need money ASAP.

**Chatelaine:** Nothing new

Aria brought to council the idea of doing a demo for the Hobbit opening she will seek out more info.

Athelina Brought to council the UVic medieval club would like help with a demo, there will be follow up on the rocks.

**MOS:** is reaching his 2 year term and is seeking anyone interested in becoming his deputy.

Practice is moving indoors starting next Monday. \$10 each fighter we are committed to eagle ridge for quarter one however if a cheaper site comes available we can look into it for quarter 2.

Sunday practice will continue until the weather goes bad at Rudd Park starting at noon

Wednesday Practice will continue until it is too dark for practice.

**Q:** do we allow fighters at eagle ridge for \$5 to try out new site for one month. Approved by Council

**Q:** being that marshals are required to be at the practice can we allow for one marshal of each discipline to come at no charge as this is required? Approved by Council

**MOB:** Has 2 new fighting manuals if you would like to read them contact Mathieu.

Saltspring paperwork is now being submitted for practices.

**Chronicler:** Seeking input for newcomers page please send info to chronicler

**A&S:** Nothing to report

**Dance:** 111.11 from dance 86.10 from Council. Hall cost 224. Total loss of 26.79

**Herald:** Nothing to report

**Scribe:** not present

**Family Affairs:** Not Present

**Calendar:** Daffodil 2014 in conflict with Kingdom A&S we will need to book a new date.

Tier 1: we have 4 Tier one events on the calendar we are only allowed 3 we will ask for a variance for Sealion as it flip flops whose event it is.

**GOLDSTREAM:** working on getting archery allowance at goldstream site Lenora will do the paperwork for this to happen.

**Swanhaven:** not present an example of the last approved package has been viewed and we will build up the submission to that level and resubmit the paperwork for incipient canton status.

## **EVENT BUSINESS: Reports**

**SST:** emailed final report to Lachlan basic info is

65 Adults

2 Youth

11 Children

\$142.49 profit

## **Updates:**

**Masked Ball:** received by email from Anastasia

“Have a gate Keeper - Tristan

Have posted the dance list to the web site and the basics of whats happening

Will be posting in the next few weeks, that we are having a silent auction to support the hall and to get your stuff ready.

Will need a check for 200 to cover hall costs for October council in case I forget to ask.

Not sure if the Baron and Baroness are doing any sort of court there yet.

Will be working on Afternoon/ Simple Dinner food ( in other words, need to confirm if Morgaine is still interested )

Nuts and bread will be on the table as usual.

Will be getting in contact with Eringuiner to see if she wants to do some sort of classes from 3 - 6

Thanks

R  
Anastasia”

**Daffodil:** nothing really to report. Seeking volunteers please see Morgaine. We also need to discuss prizes/

**Bids:**

**Guy Fawkes Tavern:** Hamish has found a free site for a tavern night. The intent is to run a potluck feast and run games for the evening.

Financial basics

Chair rental 62.50 for 50 chairs

Insurance \$50

Expenses: 112.50

Gate \$10

12 person break even.

Council discussed giving a \$5 discount coupon for the tavern night at the UVic demo to encourage people to their first time event.

Council approved the tavern; Hamish is to seek info on maximum building occupancy.

**Sealion:** still seeking event steward

**Gentle Arts:** Tabled to October Council

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Lenora is the royal Liaison person for Ulf and Caoimhe

**NO FURTHER BUSINESS, MEETING ADJOURNED**

**Seagirt Council**

**October 2, 2012**

**Present:** Lenora, Hamish, Janet, Lachlan, Morgaine, Tristan, Kate, Tom, Athelina, Aria, Mathieu, Anne, Inga, Anastasia, Sebastian, Eideard, Mogg, Magnus, Else, Finn, Jacques, Ysane.

**Minutes: September:** Accepted

**Seneschal:** We have won the bid for Feb Investiture, Calendar Cutoff is the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month Crier Cutoff is the 28<sup>th</sup> of Each month, If you wish for items to be in either ensure these dates are met.

**B&B:** Nothing much to report there will be Court at Yule and we need Award Recommendations, His Highness will be present at yule.

**Exchequer:** Account is still tight Account is sitting at approx., \$900 after Checks Clear.

**Chatelaine:** Not Present

**MOS:** Nothing to report Sunday Practices are going well and will continue, Wed Practices are starting to die off for the winter.

**MOB:** With only 2 Fencers coming to eagle ridge for practice we are seeking a different venue for indoor practice.

**Chronicler:** After one year in office I am seeking a deputy, who I can train over the next year and who would be able to fill in as required in the New Year once our baby arrives.

Glauous cut off is 1 Nov 2012 needs content.

Newcomers page is up and running only issue thus far is membership cost this was clarified at council that in Canada we require the international membership.

**A&S:** Has been slow on Thursdays Wednesdays are up and down in attendance, Working on a needle felting workshop.

There will be a mask workshop at Magentas,

Tutr credits are available for A&S workshops for info on how to run a Tutr workshop for A&S please talk to Aria.

Kate is a new A&S Deputy

Feedback forms for Dance and Bardic will be going out shortly.

**Dance:** Attendance varies 75.27 from dance 23.70 from Council. Total loss of 125.03

**Herald:** Not Present

**Scribe:** not present

**Family Affairs:** Not Present

**Swanhaven:** Not Present

## **EVENT BUSINESS:**

### **Updates:**

**Masked Ball:** Is Happening 20 Oct 2012, 3pm Doors open,

Essex Eatery will be open,

Looking for Auction Items

Tristan is Head Gate Merchants confirmed 2.5 (one working until 6pm mundanely)

**Daffodil:** nothing really to report

**Guy Fawkes Tavern:** 17 Nov 2012, Event is on the Antir calendar, Change to Budget, in calculating cost for event Hamish forgot to include taxes causing a change greater than 10% from the initial bid would like approval from council to increase the proposed budget by 12% to cover taxes. Approved.

Tables are confirmed from house of Sigis and Hamish; I have 5 other tables that I am following up on.

Chairs are booked at Galavan rentals a Deposit is required either Cash or Credit Card, Hamish does not have a Credit card for this, Lachlan will use his credit card for the deposit but will not pay for chairs, Checks for chairs will be requested at Nov Council once final total for rentals has been received.

Hamish has been to hall with Anna Jane and Morgaine we met with Jamie things look good just need to move some things around a bit in the bay, Setup will take place the morning of the 17<sup>th</sup>.

Gate Tristan

Event Steward Hamish

Tavern Anna Jane

**Bids:**

**Gentle Arts:** Ysane has a bid- This is an event for Scholars as well as A&S and Bardic Championships, 1 Day event at the Eastern star hall 9AM-11PM 19 Jan 2013

Estimate of 40 People 5 Youth = \$425 hall cost \$200

Judges are needed for the championships will have a tavern,

Bid Approved

**Sealion:** Janet has a bid- 24-26 May 2013 at Mountaineer Campground and RV park, est. cost \$1425, Est. income based on (Weekend) 100 Adults x \$20 8 Youth X 10 + (day fee) 20 Adults X \$10 2 youth X 5 = \$2290

Bid Approved

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Customary Update: Amendments Officers check your office description and send in recommendations for changes to Lachlan

Financial policy changes must be done by 10 Jan 2013 there will be an email meeting to address things starting.

**Other Business**

**Mathieu-** Thanksgiving day practice is cancelled

Turkey shoot at Archery on The Thanksgiving Monday

**Archery-** Last month Archery was short \$96.20

**Lenora-** 50/50 can now span over time we are not required to draw a ticket same night as tickets are sold.



NO FURTHER BUSINESS, MEETING ADJOURNED

**Used Seagirt (Classifieds)**

The populace has nothing for this section at time of publication.

The next issue of The Glaucous will be published in Nov 2012 and editors need your input please submit anything you would like to see in future issues to the Chronicler at [jrallan333@shaw.ca](mailto:jrallan333@shaw.ca)

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