Principality of the Wists



Gempus Rebularum

Fall Coronet, AS LIV 20—22 September, 2019

From Our Prince and Princess



Populace of the Mists!

Coronet is on the horizon! We greatly look forward to meeting our new heirs!

Coronet list details:

- Each round shall be fought best two out of three.
- Finals shall be best three out of five.
- Each fight shall take place in a 20 x 20 list field.
- Bye fights will be fought by Our honored Cynaguan guest Ragnarr Walerichsson.
- The tournament is open to all residents of the Mists.
- Residents in the Northern and Southern Marches are encouraged to fight in the list with prior approval. Please message us at royals@mists.westkingdom.org.
- Lists will close at 10:00AM sharp on Saturday morning.

Long live the Mists! Long live the West!

> *Ulfr* Prince

Thyri Princess

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West Kingdom Equestrian Group on Facebook

https://www.facebook.com/groups/406297362743872/



Getting started in SCA Rapier

by Saionji no Hana, Branch Marshal, Province of the Mists



Photo by Lisa Joseph, West Kingdom War College January 2016

Find your local practice: The Mists has five active rapier practices. Join the practice's Facebook group, tell them you're interested and ask about loaner gear as most have some available.

Caer Darth (Santa Cruz, Thursday), <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/129274067163523</u> Cloondara (San Francisco, Sunday), <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/204532949612803/</u> Hawks Haven (Gilroy, Sunday), <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/235252793232329/</u> Lakewood Park (Sunnyvale, Tuesday), <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/250755895116228/</u> Rockridge BART (Oakland, Thursday), <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/BARTfppractice/</u>

Go to your local practice: Wear clothing and shoes you can move comfortably in (e.g., tee shirt, sweat pants or jeans, socks, sneakers). Athletic cups are required for participants having external genitalia. Bring your own water.

The Branch Rapier Marshal is your point of contact. The Marshal will have you sign a waiver, then they will put you in loaner protective equipment: mask, gorget, gloves, puncture resistant jacket. During your first practice, you can expect to be taught the parts of a rapier and how to hold it, basic footwork, what a valid blow feels like to give and to be hit with, and some simple drills.

Getting started in SCA Rapier

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LET YOUR MARSHAL KNOW IF YOU HAVE ANY PHYSICAL LIMITATIONS! We do not want you to hurt yourself. It is possible to develop a fighting style that works with your individual abilities – I started fighting in my 50s with a bad knee and an old elbow injury, so you can fight too, but be honest about your abilities and physical conditioning.

Expect your arm to get tired – two pounds doesn't sound like much, but after you've held it out in front of you at nearly arms-length, you'll notice.

Expect your brain to get full quickly. Your teacher will probably tell you ten things, you may be able to remember three and perform one of them. This is normal. Be patient with yourself. It's part of being a beginner.

"I'm hooked, what's next!" Keep going to practice!

Read the rules: Society Rapier Rules can be found at <u>https://sca.org/officers/marshal/docs/</u> <u>rapier/rapier_handbook.pdf</u> Additional standards for the West Kingdom are at <u>http://www.westkingdom.org/sites/default/</u> <u>files/130930_Rapier_Combat_Standards.pdf</u> Yes, it reads like stereo instructions. You will have questions. Ask your rapier marshal questions! They are there to help you.

You need to know the rules as part of the process of authorizing to participate in tournaments and melees at events. With regular practice, you may be able to authorize in a couple of months, it varies based on individual experience. Under supervision of a marshal you will be expected to demonstrate against an opponent that you know the rules and are not a danger to yourself or other fighters.

Start thinking about equipment: You'll need a mask with a puncture resistant hood, a gorget, gloves that overlap your sleeves and a puncture resistant garment that covers your body. A modern fencing jacket can be worn under SCA period garb, however, they tend to be hot. If you plan to make something to wear instead of a fencing jacket, ask your marshal if they can test your fabric for puncture resistance.

The last thing you will invest in is the sword. If you are inexperienced, you don't know what "right" feels like yet. Ask permission to try different swords. Blade length, overall weight and balance are all factors that you will need to consider before you choose. Writing from personal experience, a cheaper weapon may get you on the field faster, but you may not be able to grow with it as a fighter. It may be worth your while to wait a little longer and save up for a better sword that will serve you in the long run.

Castille Armory <u>http://castillearmory.com</u> and Darkwood Armory <u>http://darkwoodarmory.com</u> are the two best providers of quality weapons and other equipment.

Gipsy Peddler makes rapier legal garb and accessories, if you're not the sewing type. <u>http://www.gipsypeddler.com/shop.html</u>

As always, talk to your marshal about what they can recommend.



Duchess War

Duchess War; The Shire of Wolfscairn June 15, 2019 - Finley Park, Santa Rosa

Reporter: Lady Arganteilin filia Elfin

It was a beautiful day for the Duchesses of Estate to call their bands of fighters to war.

The weather was perfect, the prizes were set out and the inspections were happening. Everyone was gearing up for a day of battles. You couldn't have asked for a more perfect day for all of us to gather and enjoy the friendships and food.

Lady Eddie made her traditional sticky buns and everyone seemed to enjoy them very much. Rebecca Redarrow had her game board out and people were enjoying the life size game.

All in all a marvelous event, low-keyed and fun.

Game of Wolfscairn Wolf Paws

The medieval board game *Game of Goose* turned into the *Game of Wolfscairn Wolf Paws* when Rose of Wolfscairn (Audrey Skelly) and Rebecca Redarrow (Rebecca Whitten) made it a live game using people as the playing pieces! Starting at the Kingdom of the West Demi-sun, you win when you reach home at Wolfscairn's castle. Roll the big wooden dice (made by James the Unhinged (Jim Whitten)). If you land on a wolf paw, you get to move forward again. If you land on the Wolfscairn sunshade, you lose your turn because the beer and conversation are too



good to move on! If you land on Death, you have to start over. It's a load of fun! The game will travel to the next AnTir/West War – come find it at the Odd Bodkins camp. Thank you Kendra Michelle for the photos.

Getting started in SCA Cut and Thrust

by Saionji no Hana, Branch Marshal, Province of the Mists



Photo courtesy of Carl Chamness.

How is it different from heavy rapier?

1. "Cut and thrust rapier also includes the use of percussive cuts as a valid blow. Percussive cuts must always be delivered with sufficient control so as not to injure the opponent while still delivering the necessary impact for a valid cut." (p. 2, Society Rapier Handbook, March 2018 revision.)

2. "...valid blows to the leg or foot are considered incapacitating, rendering the fighter incapable of further combat." (p.3) Instead of fighting legged, a leg/foot blow is currently considered a "death."

3. "Cut and thrust rapier may not be used in melees."

Armor requirements:

1. "...the back of the head must also be covered by rigid material....sufficient to protect against percussive cuts." (p.8)

Rigid material is defined on p. 7 as puncture resistant material that will not significantly flex, spread apart or deform under 12 kg of pressure applied repeatedly to any single point. Examples are 22 gauge stainless steel, 20 gauge mild steel, 16 gauge aluminum or copper or brass, a layer of 8 ounce hardened leather. This may be accomplished by attachment to a standard 12kg fencing mask or a rapier legal helmet.

Getting started in SCA Cut and Thrust

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2. "...elbows must be further protected by a minimum of an athletic pad or equivalent materials." (p.13) This is bare minimum. Rigid protection of elbows and knees is not a bad idea and can be done with a set of skateboard pads.

3. "... hands and wrists require additional protection from being struck by percussive blows: a. Areas of the backs of gloved hands, fingers and thumbs, to one inch above the wrist of both arms not protected by a hilt, parrying device, or rigid armor must, at a minimum, be protected by an additional layer of 1/4" open cell foam or equivalent resilient padding.

b. If any combatant is using a two-handed weapon, all combatants in the bout must have rigid protection for areas listed in 2.D.v.a. Examples of acceptable protection include (but not limited to): i. Gauntlets or demi-gauntlets made of rigid material covering areas not protected by the weapon's guard. ii. Commercial products such as Koning gloves, SPES Heavy gloves or hockey gloves which satisfy these requirements. (Note: Blatantly modern gloves are discouraged at official events and practices without attempting to cover logos and modern materials.)" (p. 13)

All blades must flex a minimum of $\frac{1}{2}$ with 6 ounces(170 grams) suspended one inch or less from the tip. (Heavy rapier is 1.")

Dagger, single sword and two-handed sword dimensions are the same as for heavy rapier.

ANY weapon longer than 60" total or with a handle longer than 18" which is not configured and used like a sword is considered a spear and requires a separate combat authorization.

https://www.sca.org/officers/marshal/docs/rapier/rapier_handbook.pdf).

This document is based on current SCA standards as of the March 2018 manual version. Kingdoms may add additional restrictions to the above, which could affect your participation in cut-and-thrust activities at interkingdom events. When in doubt, consult that kingdom's rapier rule-set and prepare accordingly.



Do you enjoy being loud?

Do you like it when people listen to you talk?

The Mists need YOU to become a herald! Training, tabard, flag and book provided.

For more details, stop by Herald's Point at Coronet or e-mail <u>herald@mists.westkingdom.org</u>.

Get Consent Before you Engage!



STAND YOU BOTH PREPARED?

- Do not engage in intimate activity without affirmative consent from your partner.
- Consent is a clear and freely given "Yes," not the absence of "No."

SAFETY AND HONOR COME FIRST!

- There are no marshals! It's up to you to check in on the safety and comfort of your partner.
- It's wise to check your calibration. If you're not totally sure something's good, ask.

CALL HOLD!

- Circumstances can change in the middle of an exchange.
- Look, listen, or ask to be sure you still have affirmative and ongoing consent.
- Either party may stop the engagement at any time, for any reason.

No Unauthorized Participants.

- People under 18 cannot give consent.
- Those who are incapacitated by alcohol or drugs cannot give consent.

You Don't Have to Engage.

- Do not feel obligated to do anything you do not want to do. "I do not want to" is always a good enough reason.
- If you start to feel concerns about a person or a situation, trust your instincts and try to remove yourself as quickly as possible, even if it is someone you know and even if it feels awkward to leave.

As a society we aim for nobility and honor, but we know there are those who fall short of the mark. No one should do anything to you without your clear, unequivocal, positive consent, and if they have, *it isn't your fault*.

In case of emergency you can:

Go to Base Camp in Merchant's Row | Find any staff member with a radio | Call 911

A Day at West Kingdom Collegium

By Katira al-Maghrebiyya

Today I attended the West Kingdom A&S event. The day was warm but not sweltering and an occasional soft breeze was lovely. I spent the morning watching a couple of rapier technique classes and working on Viking knit chain in the shade of a large umbrella. I believe I learned enough about what a rapier fighter does to prepare for a shot that I can watch a fight and really have some sense of what they are doing even though what they do is so fast most of it is a blur to me.

The cook's play date was down the field from the rapier class and I walked over a couple of times to taste L some AMAZING things. Wulfric had a dried sausage for tasting. Cariodoc made flat breads that were a wonderful base for the cheese goo I watched being made with LOTS of butter and brie cheese. YUM! There were braised meatballs made by Her Highness of Cynagua. The Lady of the Swan made a delicious dish of braised venison in an onion/bacon/vinegar pepper sauce. There was mushrooms and onions to put on slices of bread. Cariodoc layered flatbreads with a cheesy (I think) filling while in the frying pan. Then rolled it around on it's edge to seal in all the melty goodness. Later he topped it with HONEY. Unfortunately I didn't get a taste of that. Juana made little fried cakes with elderflowers which I also didn't taste. AND Juana fried butter on a spit.....yes....she...did. The big fat glob of butter was skewered and rolled in a mixture of breadcrumbs and sugar. Then supported on a holder over a bowl. Behind it was some charcoal doing its best to melt the butter. She spooned more crumb/sugar on the big fat glob....turned it a bit and repeated until the heat started to soften/melt the butter. Then she instruction anyone with a spoon to scrape off some. Reminded me of Heidi and the wheel of raclette in front of the fire. Everyone exclaimed about how good it was. As some point she velled down to the rapier field that there was good stuff to eat. When I went back over I repeated the offer. A little later a young man said he was going to try the butter. By the time I headed back to the cook's area, he was coming back with a BIG butter eating grin in his face and he said "that butter was really GOOD".

I knew from a FB post that Hilary of Serendip was coming to the event and most likely with a tin of her WONDERFUL gingersnaps as her contribution for the potluck which I did not partake in. But later I wandered down to see if there was one left. The tin was already gone. Alas. Later someone said she had gone downstairs and had 2 cookies left which would of course be gone if I ran into her after that. Now I must say here that I had responded to her post with an "I remember the tin I bought at Ducal! YUM!".

A fter lunch I taught my new class on Birka Chains and was pleased and a little intimidated by the room FULL of people including my own Prince and Princess of the Mists. Only 6 or so could participate in the hands on portion due to my 6 sets of tools but with lots of sharing, and the extra time I was able to get for the class, about a dozen were able to make a short chain with great success. A couple of small glitches on my part will be ironed out for the second go around at Northern Marches Collegium. One student asked me if she could teach the hands on chain making to her household and I said YES! The come...learn...do... teach cycle in action! I was thrilled!





B y the time I got the sunshade I loaned to the cooks, the umbrella I shared with the rapier fighters, all my class materials into the car I was exhausted but well satisfied with a wonderful day.

went back inside to say some goodbyes and Hilary came up to me carrying the TIN and said she had saved one for me!! It was as good as I remembered. The perfect ending to the day.

If you couldn't be there, the class materials for the aforementioned Birka Chains class are in the files on the West Kingdom A&S FB group (and WESTAS yahoo group).

Debarchery

Debarchery, Shire of Cloondara July 20, 2019 – San Francisco Archers, Pacifica. Event Steward Michael O'Foley

Reporter: Lady Arganteilin filia Elfin



What a beautiful tucked-away site, plenty of sunshine and a light breeze to make the day really comfortable. There was a potluck lunch that had such an amazing assortment of lovely foods, candies, salads, chickens, sausages... too many to mention, but all of it very yummy!

The archery was fun to watch. I am not an archer and I have never been to this

event before; let me tell you, I will be attending from now on. Fun filled day with throwing of the fish, shooting targets, eating good food, laughing with friends and Bardic! WOW, the Bardic had three strong competitors. So much fun, I hope to see more people attend this event in the future.



Here are the day's winners:

Bardic Entries

Khalil: Story of the Two Brothers

Nasrine: belly dance

Bardic Winner : Firefly sang "I am a child of the Universe" (original composer Seize the Day)

"I am old as the universe and I have been here before.

And I will be here again.

I am the child of the universe part of all women and part of all men."

Archery Champions

Royal Round champs: Master: Michael of Boxwood; Bowman: Rebecca Redarrow; Archer: Michael of Westermark; Novice: Clayborne Lister.

Novelty champs: Master: Michael of Boxwood; Bowman: Rebecca Redarrow; Archer: Michael of Westermark and Rose of Wolfscairn; Novice: Clayborne Lister.







Principality and Kingdom Events Calendar

September 2019

14 Westermark Madness	Westermark (Half Moon Bay)
20-22 Mists Fall Coronet	Vinhold (Napa)
27-29 Autumnal Crown	

October 2019

5 Turkey Tournament Hawk's Haven (Morgan Hill)
8-14 GWW CAID
18-20 Kingdom A&S Tournament West
26 Mists Bardic Mists

November 2019

9 Mists Fall Investiture M	ists
16 Borgia Feast College of St. Da	ivid

December 2019

7 Darkwood's Baroness Masked Ball	Darkwood
15 Boar Hunt	Beacons Gate

January 2020

4 Twelfth Night	Teufelberg (San Ramon)
11 Dockside Feast	Westermark
18 Dead of Winter	Teufelberg

February 2020

8 Archery Tourney Hawk's Haven
9 Wargy Vinhold
17-23 Estrella War Atenveldt
29 Crosston Ball Crosston

Words From the Society

The SCA Harassment and Bullying Policy

From the Society Seneschals Handbook:

XXIV. SOCIETY SENESCHAL POLICIES & INTERPRETATIONS

4. Harassment and Bullying

The SCA prohibits harassment and bullying of all individuals and groups.

Harassment and bullying includes, but is not limited to the following:

•offensive or lewd verbal comments directed to an individual;

•the display of explicit images (drawn or photographic) depicting an individual in an inappropriate manner;

•photographing or recording individuals inappropriately to abuse or harass the individual;

•inappropriate physical contact; unwelcome sexual attention; or retaliation for reporting harassment and/or bullying.

Participants violating these rules are subject to appropriate sanctions. If an individual feels subjected to harassment, bullying or retaliation, they should contact a seneschal, President of the SCA, or the Kingdom's Board Ombudsman. If a participant of the SCA becomes aware that someone is being harassed or bullied, they have a responsibility pursuant to the SCA Code of Conduct to come forward and report this behavior to a seneschal, President of the SCA or Kingdom's Board Ombudsman.

The following statement must be posted at gate/troll at every SCA event in a size large enough for people to see it as they enter our events. This language must likewise be quoted in ALL site handouts at every event a site where a handout is made available.

•THE SCA PROHIBITS HARASSMENT AND BULLYING OF ALL INDIVIDUALS AND GROUPS.

•Participants engaging in this behavior are subject to appropriate sanctions.

•If you are subjected to harassment, bullying or retaliation, or if you become aware of anyone being harassed or bullied, contact a seneschal, President of the SCA, or your Kingdom's Board Ombudsman.

Per the Society Seneschal July 17, 2017



Silver Spoon Competitions

The 2019 Principality of the Mists Silver Spoon Competition uses as its inspiration the people who might have had a hand in growing, preparing, or producing food in period. All competitions are participant judged, so please be ready and available to talk about your dishes and to taste the other dishes.

The remaining themes are:

Fall Coronet: From the Farmer – ingredients grown or gathered by the farmer; eggs, milk, orchard fruits.

Fall Investiture: From the Baker – baked goods; breads, pastries, sweets

Da'ud ibn Ali Silver Spoon Minister



Saltatoris Nebularum Schedule

September 20-22; Fall Coronet October 18-21; Kingdom A&S Dance Competition November 9; Fall Investiture

For more information about local dance practices join the West Kingdom College of Dance and Music on Facebook <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/WestKingdomDanceAndMusic/</u>

Crystal of the Westermark Saltatoris Nebularum Minister



Westermark Madness

Saturday September 14th, 2019, 9am to 6pm Barony of Westermark – Half Moon Bay, California

Knights versus Pirates? MADNESS! Westermark Madness, in truth. But there's no Pirates here, perhaps some Privateers, a few honest merchantmen. Join the crew for a day of fighting, quests, bardic and food! We will

have a quest (for the knights) and a treasure hunt (for the pirates). Knights will run the Thug and Champion tournaments and Sailors (Commodore DeGuzman) the fencing. John Theophlous offers prizes for young and old, Knightly and Pirate in a bardic contest in the afternoon – Bring your best Knightly (Balladic) or Piratical (Chantey) song. We will have a group sing of "To the West" and "Westermark's Privateers" (so those can't win).

Arts and Sciences: Paint your own Pirate Or Knightly fan, taught By Cilean Stirling. \$5 to keep fan or free if donation to Kingdom .

Learn about the ancient Persian art of



block printing on fabric. This one hour workshop will cover a brief historical overview of the art followed by hands on opportunities for participants to practice printing. Participants will leave with a small sample of their own. Cost is \$0, all materials will be provided. Workshop will be facilitated by Mistress Aurelia d'Ouessant. See Lady Rew Payne for all the details your brain can contain!

Potluck feast: Bring your best Knightly foods or Pirating deserts or High seas dishes to share! Sea Serpent – I mean Tri-tip – will be provided by the Baron and Baroness of Westermark, cooked to perfection by our very own Balthazar!!

Children on leashes and dog running wild – oh... wait, that's... those heathens!! Children welcome and PETS ON LEASHES (please bring doggy bags for unmentionables). Please try to carpool – there is limited parking . We want many people to come so join the day trip together! Bring sun shade and chairs and tables . There's no water on site . Bring what you need. Porta pottys will be available (We are not that heathenish!)

Event Steward: Rew Payne, rew@westkingdom.org, 510-505-0575

Site Information: 3500 Higgins Canyon Rd, Half Moon Bay Ca 94019-2586

Site Fee: Donations accepted but not expected. Cash or checks only . No pay pal or credit/debit cards.

Directions: Don't trust GPS - best route to Hwy 1 at Hwy92. South on Hwy 1 to Higgins Canyon Rd. Go 3.5 miles up Higgins Canyon Rd. ENTER. There is another 1/2 mile or so of private small road to site . We will post signs on Hwy 1 and then at the address . We can not put signs on Higgins Canyon Rd.

Westermark Facebook page: <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/47777827918</u> Web site:<u>http://westermark.westkingdom.org</u>

hawk's haven Turkey Tourney

Saturday October 5th, 2019, 9am to 6pm Canton of Hawk's Haven – Morgan Hill, California

The tournament format this year will be a Bear Pit Tourney for both Heavy and Rapier (Turkey Prizes for the Winners) Armor inspection at 10:00 a.m. Fighting to start at 11:00 Prompt. Fighting from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Bottle cutting contest begins at 2:30pm.

Prizes for fighter with highest points on the Heavy Field and Rapier Field as well as for the winner of the bottle cutting contest will be awarded at the end of the day. Please bring empty 2L bottles for the cutting contest. If you have live steel to use for the cutting, please leave it in your car until the time of the cutting contest.

A&S Classes and times TBD. If you are interested in teaching a class, please contact the Event Steward

If you have any questions please contact the Event Steward, Margaret Grym, at <u>Maggie.grym@westkingdom.org</u> or (408) 623-8872

Site Information: Machado School, 15130 Sycamore Drive, Morgan Hill CA 95037.

Site Fee: Adult non-members: \$15. Adult members: \$10. Children 17 and younger are free.

Directions: Take Highway 101 to the Tennant Ave exit in Morgan Hill. If you are northbound on 101, turn left and cross the overpass. If you are southbound, turn right on Tennant. Tennant becomes Edmundson when you cross Monterey Road. Turn left on Sunnyside. Turn right on Sycamore. Machado School is on the left after you cross a narrow bridge.



West Coast Blue Feather

Good Tidings and Belated Happy Pride, Mists! We hope you joined us at out Root Beer Social at West/AnTir and thank you again to the Honey Badgers for hosting us! Sugars were consumed and a grand time was had by all. Look for us again at Great Western War with our SECOND ANNUAL BIG GAY HAPPY HOUR!

New to the SCA and want to know more about West Coast Blue Feather? Join us on Facebook at <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/1453524661457713/</u> or e-mail <u>damir@westkingdom.org</u>





Her Highness Princess Thyri with the Blue Feather of Alaska at June Crown 2019

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help Wanted

Principality Event Stewards Needed

Spring Coronet 2020 Spring Investiture 2020 Mist/Cynagua War June 2020

Contact: mommadeguzman@westkingdom.org

Mists Equestrian Minister

Looking for a replacement Contact: Luthold von Altstadt / Gregory Lutz email: <u>gs_lutz@yahoo.com</u>



Ermine Company War Unit

Ermine Company War Unit is always welcoming fighters to join them in battle a s they defend the West against all that would attack her! Not a fighter? Come support the fighters and the kingdom!You need not camp with the company but must be ready for muster at the Ermine Flag by 8:45am.

For more information on how to fight with the Ermine Company at Great Western War, contact Catherine of Wessex at <u>https://www.facebook.com/</u> <u>catherineof.wessex</u>



Principality Regalia Officer

Greetings unto the Principality of The Mists,

It is time that I look for a successor for the position of Regalia officer. The Job involves a two-year commitment and will need to be Warranted starting November 9th 2019.

This position, per the officer description on the Principality Web page, "Makes sure that all regalia gets to and leaves events intact and is stored appropriately." In addition to this, the person in this position will need to:

- maintain the regalia inventory and will be responsible for making sure that the awards box inventory is maintained as well.
- work closely with the Prince and Princess and the incoming Royalty.
- collaborate with the "Regalia Committee" for all additions and subtractions to the Regalia inventory.
- give a report on the status of the inventory and any projects that are being worked on, twice a year at the Mists Management meeting (currently held on the Sunday of Coronet)
- conduct an inventory of all regalia, including its location and condition, to be completed immediately prior to its transfer to the incoming Coronet Sovereign and Consort.

For additional details about the job, please email me at kelsy.aylesworth@westkingdom.org. Any letters of intent with a brief resume should be sent to Their Highnesses at royals@mists.westkingdom.org the Principality Seneschal Angelitta DeGuzman at seneschal@mists.westkingdom.org and myself.

In Service,

Kelsy Aylesworth, OP Principality Regalia Officer

If you are in need of a deputy, event steward, head cook, or just volunteering in general, this is where you place your Ad! Contact :Lady Argenteilin filia Elffin – <u>chronicler@mists.westkingdom.org</u>



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