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From Their Excellencies



Hrothgar Ravensson and Isabella Arabella Daughter Baron & Baroness of Hidden Mountain

Greetings unto our most wonderful populous, the cold months are upon us in the frost giant breeds heavily down our necks so we must prepare. We have a lot of things going on over the next several weeks. Our time as baronage draws to an end, and we have decided to step down and retire to our cottage. This is not without heavy heart, however the fields and the herds need tending to. We believe it is time for other good gentles to be given the opportunity to serve, as we have. It has been a wonderful and beloved experience, and we will remember it forever. Letters of intent are now being accepted. Those wishing to put their name into the basket should do so according to the deadline posted. Here are our next couple of events: Castle Wars (his Excellency), Yule Toy Tourney (both), Ymir (both), Manannan, Gulf wars.

Our next Baronial event will be Manannan, in the new year. We look forward to seeing everyone there. As always if you know of good people in the barony that are doing good works of art, science, service, Marshall activities, please write in a recommendation for an award. You do not have to say it specific award, you can tell us of all of the Good deeds that this Scadian has participated, etc. If you need to send us a message or any information, please use the baronial emails provided. Thank you so much for everything you all do, we are so proud to be part of this wonderful Barony. Vivatz Hidden Mountain.

*Yours in Loving Service,
Baron Hrothgar & Baroness Isabella*



From the Chronicler



VACANCY HELP WANTED

The office of the Chronicler is in desperate need of help. There is currently no one in this position and we are backlogged. Please Notify the Seneschal if interested in helping fill this position, even if temporary to catch up the back log.

The office of the Webminister is also vacant, anyone interested should also contact the Seneschal if interested.



From the Seneschal

Baronial Seneschal

Greetings to the populace of Hidden Mountain,

November brings with it the turning of the season and the winds of change throughout our Kingdom. Congratulations to our new heirs, Prince Wilhelm von Bellatrix and Princess Genevieve of Hellsgate, who emerged victorious at Crown Tournament, may Their reign be filled with honor and glory. We've also heard tales of a truly epic War of the Wings, and I'm grateful to know that our friends and fighters have returned home safely. Here in Hidden Mountain, we have important business ahead. The office of Chronicler remains vacant, and it's vital we fill it soon to keep our records alive and catch up on the backlog of issues. In this newsletter, you'll also find information about the upcoming Polling for our next Baron and Baroness, a pivotal moment in our Barony's future. Please take the time to read and participate. Your voice matters.



Yours in Service,

Lord Geiffrid Wolfhart

Seneschal, Barony of Hidden Mountain



Baronial Polling Information

Letter from the Regional Deputy Seneschal of Atlantia

Unto the populace of the Barony of Hidden Mountain come Greetings!

Their Excellencies Hrothgar and Isabella intend to step down as Baronage at the end of Their current term, on March 28, 2026. Thus it is time to begin the process of selecting Their successors.

In accordance with the requirements found in the Atlantian Great Book of Law, those who wish to be considered as candidates must submit their Letters of Intent (LOIs) to me (Dame Morwenna Trevethan) at the following email address: depsenscga@atlantia.sca.org.

The LOIs must be received no later than Saturday December 6, 2025. These letters must include, at a minimum, the following information for each candidate:

- Full legal name
- SCA name and title
- Email address
- Membership number and expiration date
- Statement of Intent

All letters received by the due date, and subsequently approved by the Kingdom Seneschal and Their Majesties, will be published in The Mountain Mayhem. The actual polling will take place between January 10th through January 31st, 2026.

If you wish to have a choice in the selection of Hidden Mountain's next baronage, please ensure that your membership is active (and will be through February 14) and that your current postal mailing address and email address match the ones you used when you acquired or last renewed your membership. Do not wait until the last minute to obtain or renew your membership. Also, make sure that you have an AEL (Atlantian Enterprise Login) and an ESP (Electronic System for Pollings) login, in order to use the electronic polling. If you have difficulties getting these two logins, contact your baronial or canton seneschal for assistance. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Thanks also are due to Lord Seiffrid Wolfhart, baronial seneschal, for his help getting this information published.

Yours in service,

Dame Morwenna Trevethan
Regional Deputy Seneschal: SC / GA

AEL Sign on and Polling Set Up

Helpful Info on AEL and Polling

Here are some instructions to help ensure that you CAN participate in Hidden Mountain's Baronial Polling next year.

1. Confirm that your (the member's) SCA membership is active, via the SCA.org page.
 - Ensure that your membership is paid at least through the end of the Polling. (i.e. at least through the middle of February: 2/14/26) You will not have a voice / a vote in this process if you are not a current SCA member.
 - Verify that your mailing and email addresses are current. Go to the SCA.org Membership page and check the contact information listed there. Correct it, if needed.
2. Confirm or get an AEL.
 - If in the past 5 years, you have:
 - logged into the University of Atlantia
 - nominated someone for an award using the on-line Award Recommendation System
 - been a fighter who retrieved a copy of your authorization card from the Authorization Card Database, OR
 - been a member of a polling order (Pelican, Pearl, Kraken, etc.) and have responded to an electronic polling for that orderthen you already have an Atlantian Enterprise Login and can skip this section and proceed to section
 - However, if none of the above items are true, then do the following.
 - Go to <https://www.login.atlantia.sca.org/request.php> and complete the top and bottom portions (user information and password)
 - Click on 'Register Account'
3. Have your Atlantian Enterprise Login (AEL) connected to the Electronic System for Polling Orders (ESP).
 - Go to the Electronic System for Polling Orders (ESP) website: https://polling.atlantia.sca.org/account_register.php
 - Login using the information you entered for your AEL, and also enter your membership number
 - Click on 'I'm not a Robot', then click on 'Register Account'

Completing these steps will ensure that you can participate in the polling.

NOTE: Only people who reside in the zip-code-defined lands of Hidden Mountain are eligible to participate in this polling. Our recent former monarchs Abran and Anya instituted a change to Atlantian Law that will permit a non-resident to participate electronically by noting that he/she/they wish to claim Hidden Mountain as their home for purposes of the polling. However, I don't know if this change has occurred yet and where / how it should be noted. If a non-resident wishes to provide counsel to Their Majesties regarding any of the candidates, such a person always has the option of sending an email to Their Majesties with their words.

Upcoming Events

November 2025

11/07-11/09	Fall Crown Tournament	Courtland, VA (Marinus) (Q K Pr P)
11/14-11/16	Highland Havoc: Ride of Enbarr	Ijamsville, MD (Highland Foorde)
11/21-11/23	Buckston Birthday	Apex, NC (Buckston-On-Eno) (K)
11/22 –11/22	Holiday Faire	Fredricksburg, VA (Stierbach) (Q)
11/30	Barony Meeting	ZOOM

December 2025

12/6—12/7	Unevent 2025	(Atlantia)
12/12— 12/14	Yule Toy Tourney	Pickens, SC (Nottingham Coill) (Q K)
12/20	StroviK Yule Revel	Cheverly, MD (Storvik)

***** Check Facebook for updates on these meetings *****

Check with the Baronial calendar and the Kingdom calendar to see what has been added since the newsletter was published.

Regular Meetings



Barony of Hidden Mountain – In person meetings will be added soon, for the date and venue, contact the seneschal seneschal@hiddenmountain.atlantia.sca.org



Misty Marsh by the Sea - for the date and venue contact the seneschal seneschal@mistymarshbythesea.atlantia.sca.org.



Moorhaven—Typically have been meeting the 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month, at Panera in Carolina Forest. Fighter conversations on Sundays, depending on Availability of our Baron Hrothgar. karen1insc@aol.com.



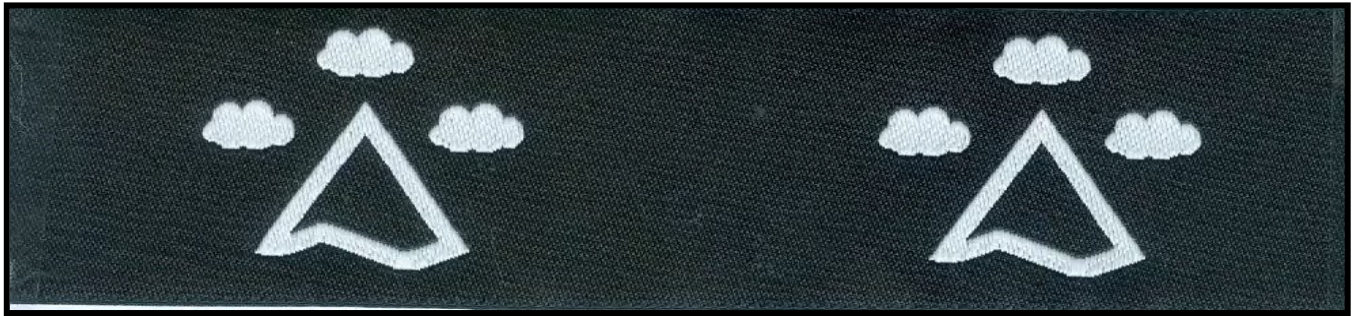
Tear-Sea's Shore - Typically at 6 PM on the 3rd Sunday of the month. Contact the seneschal for confirmation and details seneschal@tearsseashore.atlantia.sca.org



Important Notices

HIDDEN MOUNTAIN BARONIAL TRIM FOR

\$2.50 A YARD



To order, contact Baronial Exchequer Geoffrey d'Ayr of Montalban at Rob Himmelsbach, 199 Cabrill Drive, Charleston, SC 29414
Make all checks out to "SCA Inc, Barony of Hidden Mountain"

The Barony is in need of some officers.

Help Wanted

Exchequer

To learn about requirements of these offices or to apply, contact the Seneschal at seneschal@hiddenmountain.atlantia.sca.org

Award Submission How-To-Guide

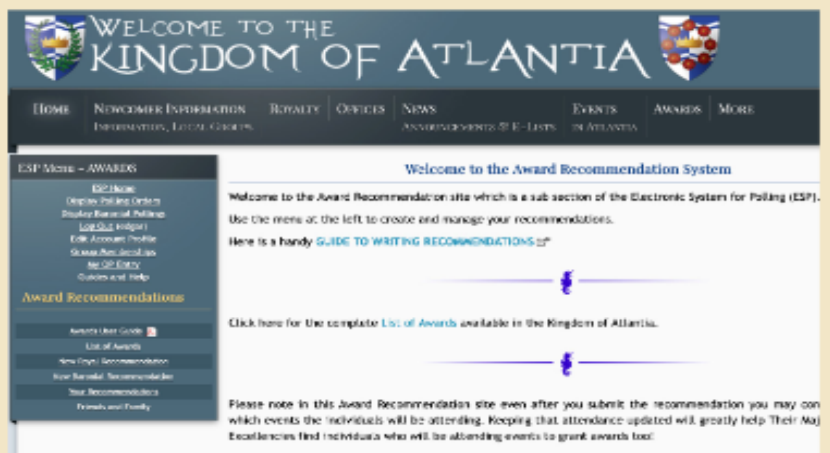
Award Submission Guide

The best time to submit an award recommendation is now! Your friends, family, and even distant acquaintances have likely done some work that is should be recognized by all. This small guide will help streamline the process and take out any guess work and help get people recognition that they have earned!

This guide is to help everyone, new and old alike, navigate the [Award Recommendation System \(ARS\)](#) and get those awards submitted for your Baronage and Their Royal Majesties to see.

Step 1: Log in

In order to access the ARS, you must have a log in. ARS uses Atlantian Enterprise Login (AEL) so if you've ever signed in for the University of Atlantia, Orders of the Laurel, Pelican, Pearl, or Golden Dolphin – you're ready to go! There is a chance you'll still need to connect your account with your SCA membership but that's super easy, you just type in your account number. For this process, I have logged in as myself. Here is what your screen should look like:



Step 2: Enter their name

This is to help find their entry in the Order of Precedence (OP). Why is this important? Some people have very similar names, some may have changed their name. All in all, it's to help make sure you are selecting the right person to get the right award. That could be awkward.

New Recommendation

Please enter one of the names of the person you would like to put in a new Award Recommendation for. This initial page is a search to see if the individual is already in the Order of Precedence, you may enter any of the three names or any part of the names if you are not sure of spelling.

Search Name	First	Last
Search Name	Middle	
Continue		

Information on Submissions



All Submissions are Due by the 25th of every month.

If you wish to submit models, art, poetry, or want to submit photos please complete and email the signed release forms to the Chronicler Email.

chronicler@hiddenmountain.atlantia.sca.org

- ◆ These forms **MUST** be signed, an electronic signature is OK.
- ◆ The Grant of Use Form is used by an author or artist for articles, poems, stories, songs, etc. or for original artwork (not clip art). Note that no form is needed for correspondence from officers or autocrats, for event notices, or for captions: <https://chronicler.atlantia.sca.org/ReleaseCreativeFillable.pdf>
- ◆ The Photographic Release Form is used for photographic materials: <https://chronicler.atlantia.sca.org/ReleasePhotographerFillable.pdf>
- ◆ The Model Release Form must be signed by any identifiable individual who appears in a submitted photograph or piece of artwork: <https://chronicler.atlantia.sca.org/ReleaseModelFillable.pdf>

Baron

Baroness

HROTHGAR RAVENSSON

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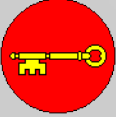
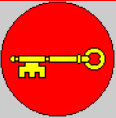
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Society Website: <http://www.sca.org/>

Society Newcomer Resources: <http://welcome.sca.org/>

Kingdom of Atlantia: Website: <http://atlantia.sca.org/>

Calendar: <http://atlantia.sca.org/events/atlantia-calendar-events>

Newcomer's Page: <http://chatelain.atlantia.sca.org/>

Kingdom Regnum: <http://atlantia.sca.org/ofces/ofcers/regnum>

Order of Precedence: <http://op.atlantia.sca.org>

Atlantian History: <http://history.atlantia.sca.org/>

Barony of Hidden Mountain Website: <http://hiddenmountain.atlantia.sca.org/>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/HiddenMountainSCA>

Canton of Tear-Sea's Shore

Website: <http://tearseashore.atlantia.sca.org/>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/tearsseashore>

Canton of Misty Marsh by the Sea

Website: <http://mistymarsh.atlantia.sca.org/>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/MistyMarsh/>

Canton of Moorhaven

Website: <http://moorhaven.atlantia.sca.org/>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/moorhaven>