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The Newsletter for the Principality of Cynagua, Kingdom of the West—January Investiture (2015)

Help Wanted

This is a list of Officers who need a deputy or a successor. Please consider volunteering; it's a lot of fun and a great way to keep Our Principality going. Please Contact the Officers directly for more information details on how to contact them can be found in regnum at the back of the Vox.

Chirurgion: Deputy

Chronicler: Deputy

Constable: Deputy

Exchequer: Deputy / Successor

Gold Key: Deputy

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Marshal: Deputy

Minister of the Mint: Deputy

Rapier Marshal: Deputy

Seneschal: Successor

Sable Swan Herald: Deputy

Sable Swan Scribe: Deputy

Web minister: Deputy



From the Prince and Princess of Cynagua

It is with heartfelt joy that We express Our thanks to the populace of Cynagua for helping to make Our reign successful. We have seen the inception of Our harp consort, that music may gently grace the ears of all attending Our courts. We have celebrated Cynagua's artisans with competitions and by hosting the Collegium Occidentalis this past autumn. We deemed Cynagua-Mists War a success and it was evident that the victor was the West Kingdom, for Cynagua stands mightily as the West will soon march to war in the desert lands of Atenveldt.

Our most noble Heirs, Bjorn and Hilarie, will continue to spearhead the edification of Our beloved principality and make Her even greater. Consider what you can personally do to become part of something larger. Teach, learn, fight, support, seek assistance and help one another. Take pride in making Cynagua your own!

It has been such a privilege to have been your Prince and Princess. Mere words can never convey our thanks. As We retire to Our respective country estates, We shall cherish Our memories in Our hearts. Again, Cynagua, We thank you!

With joy and in service to Cynagua and the West,

Jost and Isolte

From the Lord and Lady of the Swan

Greetings to all from the thrones of the Sable Swan! We want to express our gratitude to all of those fine folks who visited Us at our vigil at Twelfth Night, and all those who put in so much effort to make Our Investiture so successful. We are so proud and honored to be a part of Cynagua's rich history, and we will make every effort to visit as many of Our branches as possible during Our reign.

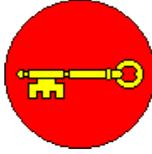
Our motto for the reign is "Bring It Forth," by which we mean that we want to see all of the grand efforts that all of Our populace are making towards the betterment of Our Society, especially in the arts and sciences. If you are an artisan of any sort doing work in our Principality, We would love to hear from you and see what you're working on--please make yourself and your fellow artisans known to Us during Our reign. Also, We ask that all of our branches make an effort to have some sort of arts & sciences meeting as part of your regular activities; whether it's a scribal night, sewing circle, armor workshop, or general project night, make sure your local branch has a gathering--and then bring that information to the head of our court so that We can schedule a visit!

Thanks again to all those doing such great work to enrich Our Realm--please send in those award recommendations early and often!

Yours in Service,

Bjorn and Hilarie

Princeps et Princepsa Cynaguae



From the Seneschal

Hello, Cynagua!

The lifeblood of the SCA is the newcomers, and the support structure to recruit, include, and maintain newcomers lies within our local branches. So, what do you need to sustain your own newcomer pipelines? How can I help?

This is an open question to all locals in Cynagua, and after all, we are all locals. To have this conversation as widely as possible, I have three pathways:

1) I will be visiting as many local branch business meetings as possible in the next few months. I look forward to meeting you on your home turf, and hearing your concerns.

2) I will be hosting an Open Forum for officers - past, present & future - at March Crown. Please join us to meet your fellow officers, answer questions you may have about your job, and hear some interesting ideas on how to get it done locally. The ultimate goal is for everyone to understand that we're all in this together, and nobody has to do this alone. Specifics on location and time to follow.

3) Contact me directly - seneschal@cynagua.westkingdom.org, or chaniwyrmsine@yahoo.com.

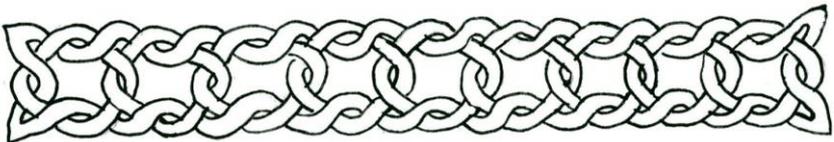
I will be filling in as Seneschal for the next few months. This means the position is open. If you are interested, please contact Their Highnesses, the Kingdom Seneschal and myself. Include your SCA resume, contact information and why you're interested in the job. I aim to have lots of mentoring time for the next candidate for this role – don't be shy, training is available.

Many thanks for the assistance I have already received from several of you, and from Viscountess Gwendwyn the Silent in particular. Cynagua is a most excellent place to be, with a populace that is dedicated, innovative, and growing. Keep it up, Cynagua!

Yours in Service,

Chaninai bint Ibrahim ibn Rashid

Seneschal of Cynagua





From the Arts and Sciences Minister

Unto Cynagua does Baroness Anastasia Grindstead of Raven Oak, OP send Greetings.

I have had a wonderful time holding the Office of Cynaguan Arts and Sciences. My term of office has ended. Thank you to all for the service to this office you provided during last the 2 years, because of the service you gave to me I was able to complete the proper and continued service required by the office.

I firmly believe it is the job of the artisan at any level to help all those interested to become a creator; aid and foster the arts and sciences; bring people and knowledge together, encourage all to communicate; share research and to teach each other, to write articles, to pass on the skills that have been gained, and try to see that worthy and honorable achievements are given worthy and honorable recognition. I leave this office in the capable hands of Lady Farleigh nic Laurie and look forward to entering competitions, learning, teaching and enjoying all the aspects of A&S in the SCA.

I will continue the occasional A&S Road Trips and will return to the Garb Dr. week-ends in a few weeks.

Yours in Loving Service,

Auntie



From the Chirurgeon

War Safety

With the returning of the longer days and change of seasons, also brings what we have been looking forward to all winter: War season. Estrella, then Mist/Cynagua War, will be here before you know it. There are many dangers in the war camp which are more fearsome than your enemies on the battlefield. Here are some reminders for safe camping.

Pavilion Site

Plan your trip so that you arrive at your site with enough daylight left to check over the entire site before setting up. Be sure to check the site thoroughly for glass, sharp objects, branches that could fall or are hung low. Tent ropes are a tripping hazard, so be sure to place them in out of the travel way and mark them with flags. Luminescent ribbons are a good idea for rope flags.

Fire

Place your fire in an area away from flammable objects and tent canvas, away from overhanging branches, and clear the area well around it. Whenever a fire is lit at the site, be sure that someone is assigned to watch it at all times. Always keep a fire extinguisher or water bucket available.

Sanitation and Food Safety

The number of people who get sick from food poisoning goes up as the weather warms. Wash your hands often, especially before handling food, and have plenty of hand sanitizer around. Always wash the plates and cutting boards that held the raw meat before using it again for cooked food. When you're packing the cooler, wrap raw meats securely to avoid their juices coming in contact with other foods. Keep your cooler temperature below 41 degrees. When serving food don't leave it out more than 2 hours.

Food and Drink

Fighters and non-fighters alike need to remember to keep up proper fueling of the body, taking in regular whole grains, fruits and vegetables, and protein in their diets to maintain energy and alertness. Caffeine and alcohol will increase your fluid requirements, so make sure you increase your water intake when drinking these beverages. Fighters should drink an extra two cups of water before a battle, as well as with each meal.

First Aid

Have your own medical kit with you. An adequate first aid kit may be as simple as basic bandages, topical antibiotic ointment and an Ace wrap in one large zip lock bags. Have few medications in your bag like Acetaminophen (Tylenol), Ibuprofen (Advil or Motrin), Diphenhydramine (Benadryl), Rolaids or Tums, any hydrocortisone cream, sunscreen. Imodium AD is also a good thing to have available. It is very uncomfortable to get diarrhea on a camping trip.

--Gregory of St. Albans



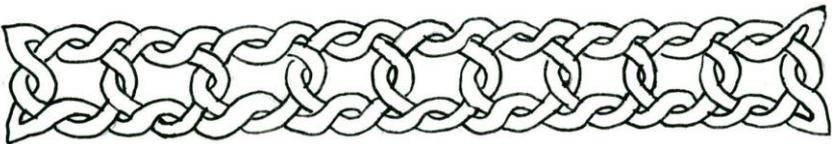


From the Exchequer

Greetings to all Group Exchequers and Seneschals. A reminder that the 4th quarter report is due at the end of January and the Domesday Report is due no later than February 15th. The quarterly reports should be sent (e-mailed) to Kingdom Exchequer Aldith and a copy sent to Principality Exchequer (me); quarterly reports can be submitted via electronically.

However, the Domesday report can be “forwarded” via electronically, but must be sent into Kingdom with original signatures (again with a copy to the Principality Exchequer). The numbers have been forwarded to each group’s Exchequer, but I have brought copies of the information with me. If you, as either the Exchequer or Seneschal, did not receive the information, find me during the day!

Tashi Falconsclaw,
Principality Exchequer





From the Web Minister

Greetings Cynagua,

Now that the holidays are behind us, the time has come to prepare for a busy year of going Tourneys, and Wars, and Feasts. When preparing your events for this year, please be sure to include the Principality WebMinister in the loop. Do not assume that when you send the information to the Kingdom Calendar that it will trickle down to Principality. It won't. Autocrats and Seneschals, any Event Dates and Site copy may be e-mailed to webminister@cynagua.westkingdom.org.

En Servei,

El Senyor Abrahe çaragoça

From the Culinary Guild

A discussion and update on the Culinary Guild Symposium coming soon. I'd also like to discuss what project we, as a group, foresee for this year's endeavor and start thinking about fund raisers to accomplish the goal. This will be a short meeting. At Coronet, there will be a meeting, probably on Sunday during the early rounds.

-Tashi Falconsclaw

From the Herbalist Guild

There will be a short meeting for Guild members and any wanting to know what our unique guild is. A discussion on upcoming needs for gift baskets (typically at our Investitures), and other areas in the guild.

-Tashi Falconsclaw



From the Sable Swan Needle Workers Minister

As I prepare to end my term as your friendly neighborhood Sable Swan Needle Workers Guild Minister, I reflect back on the past couple of years. This has been one of the best jobs I have had in the SCA and I am so grateful to have been given the chance to do it. I had dreamed of doing this at the Principality level ever since I lived in the Mists and it has turned out to be everything I had hoped for. This is a joy I would not have had however, without all the love, support and hard work of the Cynaguan populous and confidence that The Cynaguan Royals have had in me. At this time, I leave you in the very capable hands of Lady Clarice Walker and I hope you continue the show her all the love, support and hard work you have shown me. We live in a wonderful Principality here in Cynagua and it continues to be made great by all of you. As I step down as leader I do remain as a mentor to the Guild as does Baroness Sorcha Fhionn.

Thank you again,

Mistress Micheila MacCallum



From the Cynagua Needle Workers

We are pleased to sponsor a Dirty Dozen Donation Derby (aka 4D) at January Investiture. The 4D was created in the Principality of Tir Righ, Kingdom of An Tir as a way to encourage the creation of largesse through friendly competition. The concept has spread to the West via Ula Paulson and with permission we are jumping in with it here.

The basic rules for the Dirty Dozen Donation Derby

* All entrants must create 12 items based on a theme that are suitable for largesse

- 12 needle books

- 12 hats from different (or the same) period(s)

- 12 items suitable for a specific time period

- 12 children's toys

--- 12 socks would not be suitable as that is only 6 pairs

* All entries must be tagged and ready to be gifted the day of the competition.

* Items need not be documentable; this is not an Arts and Sciences competition.

* Items should not have heraldry on them as they are meant to be given to other areas.

* Judging is done by the populace. Each entrant display will have a cup placed next to it and anyone may put a provided token into the accompanying cup to denote their choice.

* The entrant with the most tokens in their cup at the end of Their Highness closing court chooses one item from any one of the other entries as a prize. Each entrant then chooses from the remaining entries according to how many tokens they received (largest to smallest number). Each entry may only be chosen once as a prize. Please be prompt to the table after court so the chest may be prepared and everyone still has time to enjoy their lunch.

* The remaining 11 items from each entry will be given to Their (soon to be) Highness' of Cynagua.

Please stay tuned for the exact location and hours for the Derby. I will post it to the appropriate groups as soon as I have finalized it.

In Service,

Mistress Micheila MacCallum, OP

Outgoing Sable Swan Needle Workers guild Minister.

Lady Clarice Walker

Incoming Sable Swan Needle Workers guild Minister



From the West Kingdom Moneyers Guild

A Moot has been called!! Come gather all Moneyers of the land to Cynaguan Investiture, that we might discuss the business of our guild, and carry out our honored duty to the Crown of Cynagua, and to our Kingdom.

The West Kingdom Moneyers guild will meet Saturday morning at 10am behind the Mason's Lodge in Woodland to discuss coming events, and to pound out the new Prince and Princess of Cynagua's coin.

Apprentices, Journeymen, Fellows and Masters are encouraged to attend. Any would-be initiates to the Moneyers guild are also welcome.

Anyone with questions may refer them to Master Leo Diogenes at Cilicianartisan@nctv.net or by farspeaker at (530)859-3430

-Master Leo Diogenes

From the Shire of Danegeld Tor

Mistress Micheila MacCallum is now accepting donations for Danegeld Tor's Annual Fund Raising Auction that occurs at their spring event.

Contact her at Kim@gallagherclan.net to make arrangements.

Thank you,

Mistress Micheila

West Coast Culinary Symposium

Once again, it's time for the West Kingdom to host the amazing West Coast Culinary Symposium, a gathering of people from at LEAST four kingdoms who are coming together to learn, teach and play with period food.

Cooking enthusiasts from An Tir, Caid, The West and beyond come together for a weekend exploration of food and culinary research. We invite all interested in historical cookery -- specifically, pre 1600 European (but we sometimes stretch the time frame and geography a bit) to join us. If you have an interest in foods as they were prepared and eaten in period, this is the event for you.

Classes? Oh my, yes. There will be a full day of classes on Saturday, and a morning session on Sunday. Want the fellowship of hanging out with people who understand your passion for pottages and think cooking in legged pots over fires is fun? We have that too.

And this year's keynote speaker is none other than Professor Ken Albala, esteemed Food Historian and author.

Think that February is too early to go camping in Northern California? You're probably right -- which is why your fully paid site fee includes a bed in one of our several dorms, and meals on Saturday and Sunday (Friday is the traditional pot luck, which is pretty amazing all on its own). And the event doesn't have to be over when it's over -- Mistress Juana Isabella is our minister of tourism, and will have some lovely suggestions for local food places to tour if you have Monday off too!

Primary Registration is through ACCEPS (ACCEPS.ansteorra.org), which closes January 30th.

Please also visit the event site to register your request for bed space (noisy, quiet, etc.)

For detailed information on the classes, event activities, and site, please visit

<http://wccs.westkingdom.org/as49/feb/west-coast-culinary-symposium-west>

You can also check out the chatter on Facebook (just search out the name of the event).

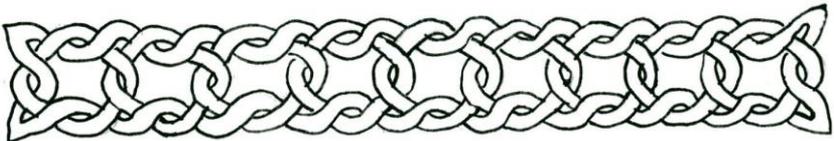
Come play with us!

Autocrat: Baron Gwyn Chwith ap Llyr (ggorsuch@gmail.com)

Class coordinator: Anna de Serra (stacy@fennelpatch.com)

Your pre-registration for the full event includes four meals and two nights lodging in one of the large dormitory halls, equipped with bunk beds, shower facilities and kitchens. If you need special accommodations, please contact us in advance for arrangements.

Meals: All meals are included in your registration for Saturday and Sunday (served buffet style), whether you are attending for the full event or can only be there for one day. Friday evening will be an opportunity to display your culinary talents in a potluck meal. Please feel free to bring your favorite dish, along with any serving items needed for it. Remember to bring your feast gear.



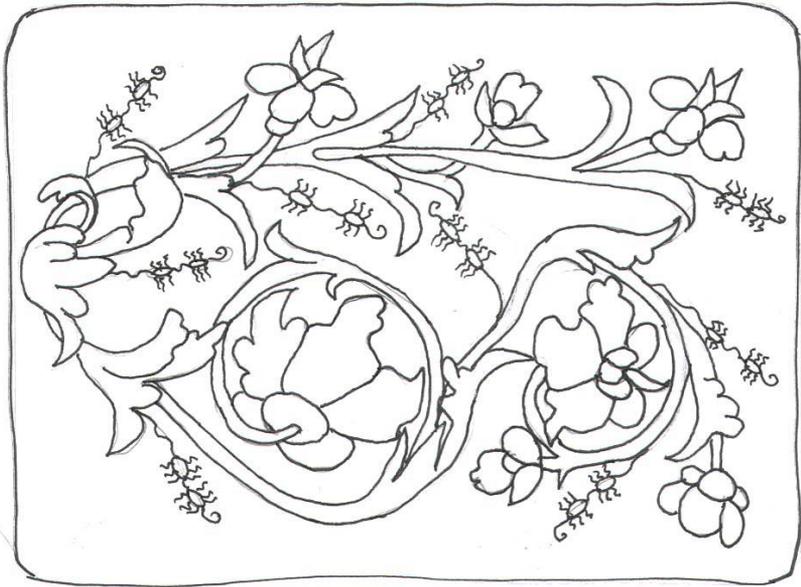
Fettburg Baronial Championship

Save the date-April 18, 2015!

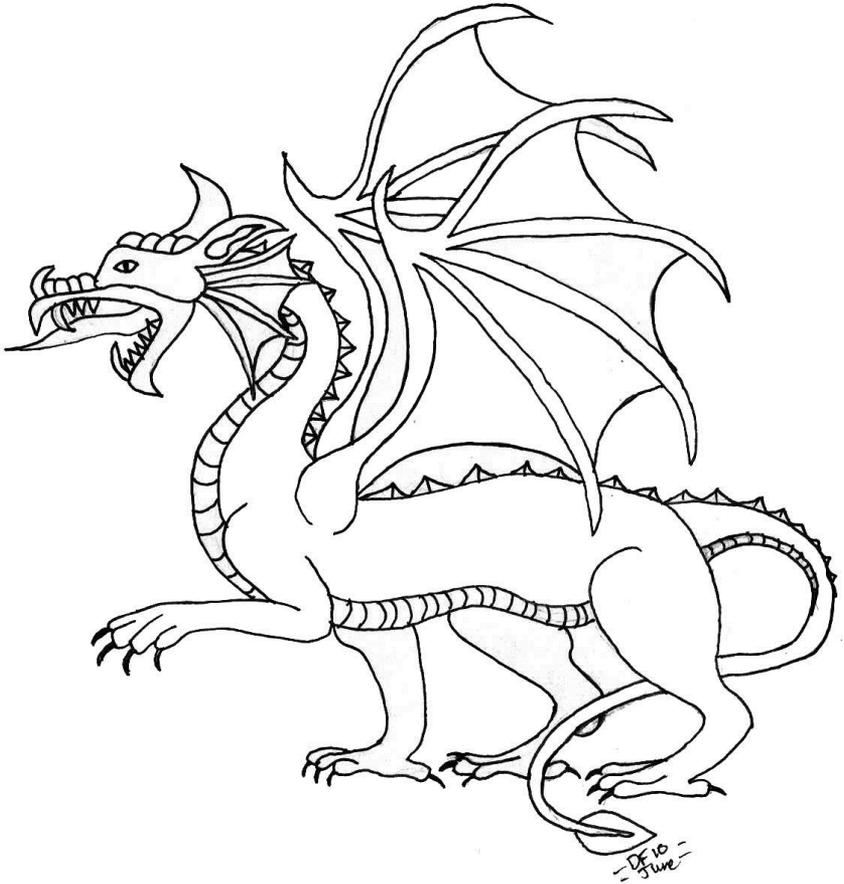
We're making plans for a day filled with lots of fighting that you won't want to miss.

More details as things get planned so look for the invite on Facebook soon!

Autocrat: Catriona Morgan (Cathy Oliver)



Children's Coloring Page





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(Brendan Lewis and Lynne Hackert)

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Groups and Guilds

Brewers' Guild: Stephen of Burgundy aka Tallon / T_crystalweaver@yahoo.com

Camerata Cynaguae: (period music performance, vocal and instrumental); rehearsals every Tuesday, 7:30-9 pm call for location. Contact: Gwenhwyfaer ferch Gwilym (Ginni Morgan) / (916) 799-3515 / ginni.morgan@doj.ca.gov
Camerata website: www.cameratacynaguae.org

Copper Spoon: Ashlean O Gallchobhair (Robin Burrget)/530-415-5365/
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(Note: All Seneschalate changes MUST be approved by the Principality seneschal prior to publication.)

Alpensee, Shire (Carson City and Douglas Co.): Rhiceneith ferch Rosamund (Cyndee Joncas) / 775-720-0664 / alpensee@cynagua.westkingdom.org

Bestwodeshire, Shire (Tehama and Shasta Co.): Cathal MacClay (Terry Shackelford) / 530-528-8832 / bestwodeshire@cynagua.westkingdom.org Meetings – contact Seneschal for time/date/location. Fighter practices are every Thursday at Anderson River Park 7 pm.

Canale, Shire (Southern Stanislaus and Merced Cos.): Adam de Lancaster (Bill Yorker) / 209-634-4034 / canale@cynagua.westkingdom.org

Mtg: 2nd Wed, call for location. Fighter Practice call the Seneschal

Champlclair, Shire (Eastern Solano Co.): Contact Principality Seneschal

Crystallmist, Shire (Siskiyou & Modoc Cos.): Nancy of Edgewood Castle / 530-921-3192 / crystallmist@cynagua.westkingdom.org

Meetings are monthly and fighter practice twice a week, times and locations are variable however, contact the Seneschal.

Dangeld Tor, shire (NE Sacramento and Placer Co) Malie ingen Cathail / 707-360-8553 / danegeldtor@cynagua.westkingdom.org Shire meetings every second Tuesday of the month, 7:30 pm, Carrow's Restaurant 100 North Sunrise Avenue Roseville, CA 95661-2905, on the corner of Sunrise Ave. & Douglas Blvd.

Fendrake Marsh, Shire (Churchill & Lyon Cos. NV): Douglas Scronce / 775-217-4718 / fendrakemarsh@cynagua.westkingdom.org / www.fendrakemarsh.org

Fettburg, Barony (San Joaquin and Northern Stanislaus Cos.): Alexandyr Sterling / 408-674-6813 / fettburg@cynagua.westkingdom.org

Baron and Baroness: Coronado and Aderyn / 530-400-9960

Meeting: 2nd Wed 7 pm at Manteca Sr. Ctr. Fighter Practice is Mondays, 6:30PM at 609 S. Stockton St., Ripon CA. Archery is by appointment only. www.fettburg.org for activities, practices and events calendar.

Golden Rivers, Province (Central Sacramento Co.): Gwendwyn the Silent (Kim Bulot-Smith) / 916-397-9850 / goldenrivers@cynagua.westkingdom.org / <http://www.goldenrivers.org> / Equestrian Practices, 3rd Sundays, contact Gwen: equestrian@goldenrivers.org

Mont d'Or, Shire (Nevada Co.): Fionnghuala of Cynagua (Krista Woodford) / 530-559-7874 / Montdor@cynagua.westkingdom.org

Mountain's Gate, Shire (El Dorado Co.): Michael of the Shire / 916-420-2459 / www.mountainsgate.org/ Fighter practice contact the seneschal. /Shire meetings every third Thursday see: <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/theshireofmountiansgate/>

Rivenoak, Barony (Glenn and Butte Cos.): Muirenn ingen Brain / 530-230-7437 (between 6:30 and 10:00 pm) / rivenoak@cynagua.westkingdom.org
Baronial Mailbox: PO Box 2343 / Chico CA 95927

Baron/Baroness: Roberto de Fonseca/ Monique de Fonseca (Bob and Monique Bird) / 530-809-2292 baron@rivenoak.westkingdom.org
Meetings: 2nd Tues at 7 pm - Flavor Falls: 20th St and Park Ave / Chico. Sunday Fighter Practice, Monday Archery Practice, Arts & Sciences and other activities:
Contact the Baron. Baronial Yahoo Group:
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/rivenoak>

St. Cassian of Imola, College (dormant) (Sacramento State U): Contact Principality Seneschal.

Silver Desert, Province (Washoe Co.): Africa nic Shiomha nic Gill'onfhaidh (Carol King) / 775-331-9226/ silverdesert@cynagua.westkingdom.org
EQ Contact: Siobhan ni Seaghda (Dianne Karp) 775-969-3258 / dkarp@hughes.net

Business Meeting is 2nd Friday at 7 pm, Fighter Practice is Sundays at 1 pm, contact Edward ap Flynt /nedchaney@msn.com/ 775-688-9970 for directions or see website - <http://www.silverdesert-sca.org>

Thistleorr, Shire (Colusa and Sutter Cos.): Stephen McAlpine / 530-755-0242 / thistleorr@cynagua.westkingdom.org

A&S Saturdays 10am to 2pm. Fighter practice Sunday 4pm to 6pm. Business meetings/potluck: 2nd Sunday at 5pm Sutter Youth Building

Vakkerfjell, Shire (Yuba Co.): Myfanwy verch Daffyd ap Madoc (Mandy D. Felion) / 530-635-6055 /

vakkerfjell@cynagua.westkingdom.org / Fighter practice Tuesday 6:30 pm at POW/MIA Park, Marysville

Windy Meads, Shire (Yolo Co.): Contact Principality Seneschal

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**Good people of Cynagua, we know
you have talent! Submit to The Vox!**

We know you can draw, we know you can take pictures, we know you can do unnatural things with those pictures in Photoshop. Further, we know you have writing talent as well.

We know there is a long history of bardic excellence in Cynagua and that only skims the surface. Out there, among her people, the skills of the swan lie dormant and now is the time to put those skills into service. If you have songs, poems, drawings, photos or anything else that you think might be of any use to the Chronicler of Cynagua, let her know. Email to: chronicler@cynagua.westkingdom.org. The Vox Cynagua is Cynagua's voice, not just that of her royalty or officers, but that of her people as well. Make your voice heard!

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