

# VOX CYNAGUAE

The Newsletter for the Principality of Cynagua,  
Kingdom of the West—Fall Coronet AS LV



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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### OCTOBER

10/30-11/1 Cynagua Virtual Coronet

### NOVEMBER

11/29 Cynagua Officer's Meeting



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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.

# HELP WANTED

This is a list of Officers who need a deputy or a successor. Please consider volunteering; it is 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.

**Chatelaine:** Deputy

**Chronicler:** Deputy

**Constable:** Deputy/Successor

**Copper Spoon:** Successor ASAP

**Exchequer:** Deputy/Successor

**Equestrian:** Deputy

**Lists:** Deputy

**Minister of the Bow:** Deputy

**Seneschal:** Deputy

**Sable Swan Scribe:** Clerk of the College

**Regalia:** Deputy/Successor

**Youth Point Minister:** Successor/Deputy

The Laws of the Principality of Cynagua have been updated  
You can find them online at [cynagua.westkingdom.org](http://cynagua.westkingdom.org)

## FROM THE PRINCE AND PRINCESS OF CYNAGUA

Warmest Greetings unto the Cynaguan Populace,

As we near the end of this year, we harken back to just how much we love and miss spending time with everyone. It feels strange to remember that this time last year, we had the opportunity to share our excitement in person while attending one of our favorite events, Cynaguan Fall Coronet.

We are both very thankful to have been able to attend the amazing West Kingdom Virtual Events, for which the populace have worked so hard to arrange. These virtual events have helped many of us continue to be part of this amazing society during a time where physical separation for safety is necessary.

We are also very proud and thankful for an Autocrat that was able to organize a 2020 Virtual Fall Coronet. We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible attend and support the wonderful classes and competitions provided by our talented populace.

We are very excited to announce a special three-round Bingo Event with His Highness and me! Thanks to a few members of our esteemed populace, the winning Bingo gifts are top notch, so be sure to mark this time into your attendance schedule.

## FROM THE PRINCE AND PRINCESS OF CYNAGUA (CONTINUED)

We so miss being able to walk around site and visit around a fire, and we look forward to now taking this time with you virtually. Unto this, we will be arranging some Virtual Campfire Chat Time with us during the event as well. Grab your cup, pull up a chair and come visit!

Further, unto the populace we ask: Do you know someone who is awesome? We really enjoy giving awards and we need your help! As you, the populace, are our eyes and ears, we need your award recommendations. You can find the link to send recommendations on the West Kingdom website and although it may seem easier to verbally recommend someone, it is much more direct for us to keep track of them this way. We do not want any recommendations slipping through the cracks! You are all important to us and we want your hard work and good deeds to be rewarded.

Please join us for this wonderful event! On a personal note, His Highness and I are very passionate about the arts and sciences. We both enjoy garb making, cooking, illumination and armoring, and we invite you to join us in the amazing classes being offered.

## FROM THE PRINCE AND PRINCESS OF CYNAGUA (CONTINUED)

Lastly, we humbly ask that you share with us one of your favorite stories about your time in the SCA. We love and appreciate each of your experiences during your time spent within our wonderful society, and we would love to hear why you love the SCA!

YIS,

Ragnarr and Brynhildr  
Prince and Princess of Cynagua



# FROM THE ARTS AND SCIENCES MINISTER OF CYNAGUA

Hola!

My goodness, two years goes fast. My term as Arts & Sciences Officer for the Principality is almost over. I am looking for a successor to take over the office in January. Probably, at Winter Investiture. If you are interested in serving your Principality here is some information.

## **What we do:**

- Collect quarterly reports from all the Arts & Sciences Officer in the Principality and report about what the Principality is doing.
- Set up and host four Arts & Sciences Competitions at the Principality events and maintain the records of who won each competition and their points.
- Set up and host, at least, one day of classes at Spring Coronet (this year we are doing Virtual Fall classes).
- Responsible for office regalia and maintenance (i.e. discussing new ropes for the Day Shade with Regalia or making sure the Day Shade is back in the Principality Regalia trailer at the end of the event)
- Supports the Arts & Sciences officers of the Principality and reports to the Kingdom Arts & Sciences Officer.

# FROM THE ARTS AND SCIENCES MINISTER OF CYNAGUA (CONTINUED)

## What makes a good Arts & Sciences Officer?

- Loves the Arts & Sciences in the SCA! Willing to be a cheerleader for our Artisans!!!
- Able to maintain organization of Official records, regalia, and reports.
- Work with local A&S officers to get reports in, aka communication skills.
- Able to work with Principality Social Media and Website Officers to get information out regarding official events or set up websites
- Time management skills a plus... Lots of hurry up and wait in this office.
- Ability to attend the four Principality events each year (or arrange to have a deputy step in an emergency).
- Work with Financial Committee to establish yearly budget based on office needs (If we spend \$50-100, it has been a big year.)
- Ability to set up Arts & sciences events (i.e., contacting teachers and judges, working with autocrats).

If you are interested in being the Minister of Arts and Sciences or the Principality of Cynagua, send an SCA resume and letter of interest to THL Agnes berengarii de Girona, e-mail: [peggy.viney@gmail.com](mailto:peggy.viney@gmail.com) . Please have your resume in by December 15<sup>th</sup>.



# CYNAGUAN VIRTUAL CORONET OCTOBER 30-NOVEMBER 1

Greetings Cynagua and West Kingdom. Harvest is done and now is time to get together before winter gets going.

Their Highnesses Prince Ragnarr and Princess Brynhildr of Cynagua Wish to invite you all to a virtual fall Coronet.

There will be classes, contests, and competitions. This will be a Coronet of fun and Fellowship. [Virtual gate will be on Saturday Oct 31](#)



## CYNAGUAN VIRTUAL CORONET ARTS AND SCIENCES CLASS SCHEDULE

**10:00 - 11:00 am**

**SCA Appropriate Pottery Forms: A Demonstration** by  
Dame Gwen the Potter

**Double Face Weaving** by Lord Ciaran

**Applique using Couching** by Lady Linnet Hatfield

**Figure Drawing with Mousse** by Viscountess Else  
Hunrvogt

# CYNAGUAN VIRTUAL CORONET ARTS AND SCIENCES CLASS SCHEDULE

**11:00 - 12:00 am**

**Q&A for Embroidery** by Lady Cristeane Regan MacNab

**Courtly Etiquette for Newcomers** by Viscountess  
Genevieve de Vendome, OL

**Graduals, Psalters, and Antiphonaries, oh My! What to expect in Period Manuscripts** by Kit Weller, guest speaker.

**1:00 - 2:00pm**

**How to make net the speed course** by THL Agnes  
berengarii de Girona

**Setting Yourself Up for Sewing Success: Fundamental Concepts** by Viscountess Genevieve de Vendome, OL

**Tarpus Construction or A Turkish Hat for the Win** by HE  
Brigit Ni Sheachnasigh

**Blackletter Capitals** by Douglas d'Champclair

# CYNAGUAN VIRTUAL CORONET ARTS AND SCIENCES CLASS SCHEDULE

**2:00pm - 3pm**

**Building Rattan Tournament Swords** by Sir Thomas Logan

**Painting the Heavens** by Lady Jocelyn d'Orleans

**"The Making of Çapraz" (Ottoman Button Straps)** by Lord  
Ali ibn Karīm al-Ghanī



## CYNAGUA BUSINESS MEETING NOVEMBER 29

Greetings, Principality of Cynagua, it is time for our Officers meeting. Members of the populace are welcome to attend, especially if you are considering taking an office at any level in the SCA. Please forward this information on to anyone who may be interested.

Time: 11:30-4:30 to include Finance and Regalia Meeting

\*Meeting of the Purse and Regalia (Financial committee)  
All are welcome to stay for the purse meeting. Please remember that if you need reimbursement you must have a receipt or an invoice.

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**\*\*Principality of Cynagua Officers — If you cannot attend the meeting in person to give your report please send your report ahead of time to me at [seneschal@cynagua.westkingdom.org](mailto:seneschal@cynagua.westkingdom.org), or with a trusted Messenger/Deputy to the meeting.**

For principality Officers reports, please provide the following:

- Both Your SCA and Mundane names
- Email address
- Best contact phone number
- Warrant expiration date
- Names of deputies
- Recent activities in your office
- Challenges for your office
- Requests for action
- Commendations

Feel free to contact me with questions or concerns at [seneschal@cynagua.westkingdom.org](mailto:seneschal@cynagua.westkingdom.org), or by private message on Facebook.

In Service,

Lady Brigid O 'Connor  
Seneschal, Principality of Cynagua



### **Prince and Princess**

Ragnarr and Brynhildr

(Jacob and Michelle Cropper)

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There is a strong and deep history of bardic excellence in the people of Cynagua.

Now is the time to put those skills into service.

Please send your articles, stories, songs, poems, drawings, photos (or anything else that you think might be of any use) to the Chronicler of Cynagua. [chronicler@cynagua.westkingdom.org](mailto:chronicler@cynagua.westkingdom.org)

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