

Muirgen member# 192814 exp 10/31/2018
Kathryn Fisher

We've had a good month of rapier in Hartwood with attendance between 3 and 9 rapier fighters for the Monday night practices in Nanaimo. No incidents to report.

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Chatelaines report

- Lots of newcomers have been showing interest in our A&S nights.
- Still working on possible demo for Mini-golf in Black Creek,
- A&S workshop scheduled for this weekend, April 14th. Will update online.
- As we get ready for eventing season will work with event stewards to ensure facilities for newcomers.

John Macandrew

Hartwood Reports April 2018 - Thrown Weapons

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Harold of Hartwood

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SCA number and expiry

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Nothing to report this month other than we started to refurbish the range and targets. The targets were drying out but recent weather has put a stop to that. I hope to start the TW season next week.

I hope to get a word or two in at the newcomers afternoon on Saturday.

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Harold

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Chief Archer's report, ending March 31, 2018

Thanks to some good team work, the butts are refurbished, and John has some target faces on order. (Team included: John, Harold, Geoffrey & Nona, Adelheid & John, Elphin, Susan, and Daniel!)

The upcoming TUTR in April has some archery classes, and you should go!

yours in service,  
Halima al-Rakkasa  
Chief Archer  
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Chief Scribe's report, ending March 31, 2018

I hear there are still Tir Righ charters being painted, ready for passing back this month; well done, all. Let's keep it up!

Look for upcoming educational scribal activities, such as the scribal classes at TUTR in April, and the Scribal-Only days, which is in the planning stages (with possibly importing an instructor from the south). Up your game in painting techniques with gouache, give you opportunity to learn and practice new calligraphy hands, and get your feet wet with designing scrolls/charters from the ground up.

Also, I'd like to have a deputy. This office is less about having the skills, but more about ensuring that learning happens, scheduling and assigning production, encouraging volunteers, tracking charters and volunteers, and reporting on office activities. (I am currently doing the digital aspect of combining calligraphy with design, and sending the result to the printer.) I am developing a manual for the office, and am available to my successor when I step down. Talk to me if you'd like more information.

yours in service,  
Halima al-Rakkasa  
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Exchequer Report, Shire of Hartwood  
as of March 31, 2018

As of March 31, 2018, we have \$6579.10 in the regular account, and no change in shares.

I am seeking a replacement exchequer; Symonne is currently not in a position to be able to do so. If you are interested, please contact me for a link to the exchequer manual (or get it online from the exchequers website), have a look at it, and contact me for further discussion. Remember that the exchequer must be willing to be financially responsible with our money because it belongs to SCA, Inc., and any question can lead to the suspension of the branch. I am willing to train, and willing to stay on as deputy, should the new exchequer desire it.

Yours in Service,  
SCA: Halima al-Rakkasa, OP  
Apprentice to Mistress Gudrun  
Member of GdS, JdL, Carp, Etoile d'Argent, Red Flame, Silver Pillar,  
Beacon of Insula Magna  
Shire of Hartwood  
Principality of Tir Righ  
Kingdom of An Tir

## **Arts and Sciences Report for April 15th.**

Written by Lady Freydis Mannaskelfir, A&S Deputy

Activity is going strong in Nanaimo, Courtney/Comox, Duncan and Campbell River. Port Alberni activity is sparse.

### **Shire Projects**

#### Table bunting:

Large banner to be draped over the head table is 90% done all thanks to Lady Aspasia Bevilaqua who is finishing off all the needed sewing. 6 smaller banners need to have the painting finished before the back pieces fabric sewn on. The fabric to sew on the backs has been cut out. Freydis intended to do the paint herself but is now considering a group painting evening.

#### Court Herald Tabard

Freydis looked at some period examples court herald heraldic tabards as well as some modern branch versions for inspiration. The tabard will be made out of the previously purchased polyester brocade.

### **Meetings**

Nanaimo hosted by Lady Freydis Mannaskelfir

Tuesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>. 5pm at the Harbour Front Library

6 attendees. 3 newcomer. Naalbinding, knitting, fabric cutting, largess embroidery

Tuesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5pm at the Harbour Front Library

6 attendees, 1 newcomer. Fabric cutting, largess embroidery, knitting, garb planning.

Port Alberni hosted by Lady Gwynafel ben Madhudhain

Arts and Sciences meetings have not been attended except by the host.

Courtney / Comox hosted by His Lordship Kjartan Kraka

Wednesday, March 21<sup>st</sup> 6:30pm at Games and Grounds

So looks like 8 people tonight including 1 fresh new person. Weaving, sewing, Norse garb layout, eating, and lots, lots of TUTR.

Wednesday, March 28<sup>th</sup>. 6:30pm at Games and Grounds

Looks like the magic number was 7. Weaving, sprang, sewing, kumihimo, pattern layout.

Wednesday, April 4<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm at Games and Grounds

We had 8 people out tonight, sewing, weaving, more sewing, and TUTR discussing.

Wednesday, April 11<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm at Games and Grounds

Looks like 10 tonight. Sewing, carving, bow demo, weaving, TUTR.

Duncan hosted by (Cash Heiland)

Thursday, April 5<sup>th</sup>

So we had 8 people show up for our first A&S in Duncan. 7 were registered members. There was representation from Victoria through to Nanaimo. We talked about the amount of interest in both A&S and fighting in the Cowichan Valley. We talked about venues to hold both. We have a location for A&S and will be holding our next one on the 26th of April.

**Campbell River** hosted by Lady Adelheid von Barental

Thursday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>

We were 7 folks, Research for Landsknecht garb, working on wee books, leather cutting, looking at heraldry cards and books, sewing on woolish trousers for Willy (he got his hat), research into paper-making,

Thursday, April 5<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm at Merecroft Mall A&W  
4 people. Sewing, Norse garb discussion.

Thursday, April 12<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm at Merecroft Mall A&W  
2 people, largess discussion

MoS report for April 2018

Practice has been well attended in whole, average of three heavy's a night with as many as 5 some nights. we have had two youth fighters coming that have participated in Rapier and are interested in Heavy as well, lack of serviceable kit is holding them back. there have been no injuries and no incidents to report. Donations have picked up I will be depositing \$122.40 on Monday.

Ulf tTretelgjar MoS

Chamberlaine's report

Nothing really new to report, one tote of gold key was given to Freydis and one was received back into stores, this is for the fund raising auction. The weather has been to bad to pull stores out and get the pictures done.

