

MoonLite

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The off-month supplement of *The Moonstone*

Province Notes

From the Seneschal: Many thanks to the outgoing officers for all the time they dedicated to running the Province. A moment of silence was called for Don Jehan Fitzallen. People looking to submit bids for events will find details on how to do this on Malagentia's website, www.malagentia.org. The word of the month is ~~coco-knuckles~~... loquacious.

From the Herald: Muirenn Ban is now deputy Herald for Malagentia under Lord Conall. Malagentian heraldic submission statuses will be updated as they become available. The name and a device for Tyger and Bucket Tavern has been submitted.

From the Archery Captain: Winter. Cold. Damp. Ugh. Lord Deormund is in talks with Lakeside Archery in North Yarmouth to provide us with an expanded location for shooting that also allows for novelty shoots and woods walks.

From the Chatelaine: Volunteers are needed for the Falmouth Middle School's Annual Medieval and Renaissance Festival on Thursday, April 3. This short demo is usually held in the morning. If you are able to assist, please contact Lady Odelina. Maine Boffer Games has also requested a demo which is scheduled for August.

From the Minister of Arts & Sciences: February Dance Practice had 8 people so they were able to do some of the more complicated dances. Next dance practice is March 20. Bardic Brunch, held on the third Sunday of the month, continues to be a success. The puppet theatre construction is progressing nicely. Contact Lord Frederick or check out the Malagentian Bardic Group Facebook for more details. Scribal workshops are being planned. Music Practice is scheduled for Wednesday, March 26. Location to be determined. Pennsic is coming and with it a need for many Queen's favors. The design will be announced as soon as it is made available.

From the Chancellor Minor: Hiding children are hiding from winter. Working with Q to get GNEW youth fighting

organized. There is a need for replacements and repairs to youth loaner gear. Contact Q or Lady Thalia if you have an interest in helping with this project.

From the Knight Marshal: Practice is held every Tuesday from 6-9 PM at the USM Sullivan Gym in Portland. Outdoor practice is anticipated for sometime around the third week of May, unless winter decides to continue for the rest of the year. Heavy List University is April 12 at the Eliot Baptist Church. The list of instructors is quite impressive, so fighters will not want to miss this. Please be sure to wear non-marking shoes as we want to be able to continue to use this very fine venue. Balfar's Challenge is April 19 in Dragonship Haven (CT). This is a multi-marshallate competition for teams of three fighters, fencers, or archers with prizes for the best team in each martial category. Folks looking for teammates or carpooling opportunities should post to the Malagentian Yahoo Group or Facebook.

From the Minister of Fence: Practice is held Tuesdays from 6-9 PM at the USM Sullivan Gym in Portland. There is a cut & thrust loaner gear project in the works. Workshops in specific techniques are now being offered at practice. A dagger workshop with Scamus will be held on April 1. No foolin'. A Fencer's Colloquium has been proposed for someplace comfortable, perhaps on Sunday afternoons to provide an opportunity for folks to discuss rapier topics and tactics. If you have interest in participating in such an event, contact Baroness Mylisant or check out the [Malagentian Rapier Google Group](#).

From the Exchequer: There is \$9000 in the Malagentian coffers, including monies set aside for the Giggleswick and Hadchester budgets. There will be no Exchequer available at the April Province meeting. If you need reimbursement for expenses, please contact Lady Tiernan to make arrangements.

From the Chronicler: Deadline for spring Moonstone articles and artwork is

Malagentian Mayhem

It is with great sadness that Malagentia notes the passing of **Don Jehan Fitzallen** of Endewearde. Jehan was a friend and teacher to so many Malagentians over the years. His gentle, easy-going nature and his delightful sense of humor will be sorely missed.

An official election was held for the new Knight Marshal position. Final results were **Feng (4)**, **Lord Richard Crowe** (the rest). Congratulations to Lord Richard, our new Knight Marshal.

Welcome to **Josh Newton**, a new fighter in the area. Please help him feel at home.

Anna Serena's heraldry, *Per chevron purple and argent, three daisies counterchanged*, has been accepted by the College of Heralds.

A man claiming to be **Master Julien de LaPointe** has been seen at fighter practice with our beloved **Mistress Carolyne**, however, he looks nothing like our esteemed fighter and master jeweler. When asked to comment, Mistress Carolyne only smiled serenely. Keep your eyes peeled for this handsome rogue. 

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April 5. The theme is camping, although submissions on any topic are welcome. A Malagentian history project is in the works and will be made available online upon completion.

From the Minister of the Lists: The Minister of the Lists is unable to make it to fighter practice while she tends to our recovering Quartermaster. If you need paperwork or cards from Lady Wynefryd, please make arrangements with her.

From the Web Minister: Updates are being made to the GNEW site.

From the Quartermaster: (as quoted by Lady Wynefryd) Hello. I miss you. Come and visit. I'm off the pain meds. If you need stuff from storage, please give me a two week heads up so arrangements can be made. (*Chronicler's Note: Get well soon, Speedbump! We miss you too!*)

In Other Business

The **Tyger and Bucket Tavern** will be open for business May 3 at the Ossipee Snowmobile Club. The rather racy but delicious-sounding menu has been posted.

Archery Marshal reports are due. Please send them to Lady Adrienne d'Evreaux at archer.north@eastkingdom.org

GNEW officer reports are due to Syr Marcus by March 14. Please be sure to CC the deputy autocrat, Baroness Astrid at garouguru72@yahoo.com on all GNEW correspondence. There are 21 war points up for grabs, including several around youth activities.

Discussion continues on the **Malagentian merit badges**. If you have thoughts on the matter, please contact Lord Boden or Baroness Mylisant.

From Giggleswick

The next **rapier practice** in Eliot is on Friday, March 21.

Heavy List University is April 12.

The next **Riding Business Meeting** is on Wednesday, March 26 at the Eliot Baptist Church at 7:15 PM.

Spring Winds: Giggleswick Bardic

Symposium is May 3. Teachers are still needed for anything performance related. Interested parties should contact the Event Steward, Beatrice Buontalenti da Firenze.

For more information about Giggleswick, check out the Giggleswick Facebook.

From Hadchester

Caristia II was a success. Lady Agatha Wanderer won the A&S competition with her springerle. Syr Arlof and Lady Ellice won the limerick challenge.

The Hadchester Business Meeting is scheduled for Sunday, March 16. Details on the Hadchester Yahoo Group.

Shire Sing is March 17 from 6-8 PM at Over The Rainbow Yarns in Rockland. Contact Verthandi for details.

In a Pretty Pickle in Hadchester: A&S Food Preservation via Salt, Pickling & Fermentation is March 20 at 6:30. Contact Lord Foner for more details and directions.

The next **fighter practice** is Monday, March 24 from 5:30 to 7:30 at the Union Elementary School.

For details about Hadchester events, visit <http://hadrianskeep.webs.com/> or the Hadchester Facebook or Yahoo Group.

From The North

The **proposed Riding of Ravensbridge** continues its journey. The East Kingdom Cartographer is looking into the zip codes now. Saturday **crafting days** and Sunday **armor workshops** are being held in Lewiston. Check the Central Maine SCA Facebook for dates and times. A **gathering** is in the works for Sunday, April 13 in West Gardener. Contact Baron Kyppyn for details.

From Endewearde

A **largess challenge** for the Barony of Endewearde has been announced for Jehan's Fighting and Fencing at the Fort on April 19. Interested parties submit 12 items. The winner of the competition receives one item from each submission and the remainder go to the Barony. Contact Agatha Wanderer for more details.



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For the latest goings on in Malagentia this month, please visit our website <http://malagentia.eastkingdom.org>

HEAVY LIST UNIVERSITY

Fighters of the North! Gather your arms and come refine your skills! This is a full day of workshops and fun. Classes in conditioning and strategy, footwork, period polearm, sword and shield for beginners and intermediates, and how to analyze a fight video plus cut-and-thrust demos are just some of the offerings. Have skills to teach? We're still looking for instructors. Contact the Autocrats, Mistress Honig and Lord Michael if you're interested. A light dayboard will be offered. **Please, be sure to wear non-marking sole shoes.**

More information at <http://www.eastkingdom.org/EventDetails.html?eid=2615>

Entry fee is a mere \$5 (plus \$5 surcharge for non-members.)

April 12 • 9:30 to 5 • Eliot Baptist Church

Tyger and Bucket

No Pants? No Problem! Our Spring tavern celebrates all kinds of garb, but especially the kinds that eschew pants.

Site Fee \$5 • \$5 Non-member surcharge.

This is a pay per plate tavern so bring cash because those pickles do not dance on their own.

Feast Gear Required. More information at:

<http://www.eastkingdom.org/EventDetails.html?eid=2628>

May 3 from 5pm to 10pm

