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The Province of Malagentia is a local chapter of the Society for Creative Anachronism. The Society for Creative Anachronism (SCA) is an inclusive community pursuing research and re-creation of pre-seventeenth century skills, arts, combat and culture. The lives of participants are enriched as we gain knowledge of history through activities, demonstrations, and events. Malagentia is a branch of the East Kingdom, located in Southern Maine. If you are new to the SCA or just want to learn more about this non-profit organization please contact the Chatelaine at chatelaine@malagentia.eastkingdom.org for more information or visit the newcomer's website at eastkingdom.org. Malagentia holds monthly business meetings on the first Thursday of the month virtually. Please visit the website for the meeting link. Please be sure to check the calendar at malagentia.eastkingdom.org/main/calendar for more activities taking place in the province.

From Lady Shyvan Floyd, Chronicler of Malagentia



At the December province meeting, we did accept a nomination and second for Mat Wyck (Matt Wickenheiser) to stand for election to the role of Seneschal to fill out 2021. No other nominations were made, but write-in candidates remain acceptable for the election. All paid Malagentian members will receive a postcard with basic election information. The election period will be open for 1 week, from January 8 through 15. No ballots will be accepted after 11:59 PM, Jan. 15. Paid members over the age of 14 are asked SCA email their vote and member number cler@malagentia.eastkingdom.org. The chronicler shall identify two members not running for this office to verify the ballot count. All involved in the counting process shall consider the information gathered to be confidential, except for the ultimate numerical count. Put simply – no one outside of this process is to share information about who voted for whom. The Chronicler shall announce the winner no later than 5 p.m. on January 17 via Malagentia's official FaceBook page, www.malagentia.eastkingdom.org and through the Malagentia email list. In the case of a tie, the Chronicler will announce the results and, following consultation with the Provincial officers, determine how to proceed with a runoff election.

Malagentian Event Fee Assistance

Once upon a time, the Province of Malagentia held Great and glorious events, and gentles from across the Kingdom would grace our lands and feast from our Harvests. But then, near the end of A.S. LIV, a great and terrible plague swept across the Knowne World, and all the people locked themselves away in their homes to avoid the miasma. The Province appeared to grow quiet and still. To those who dared to walk in the open, Malagentia looked empty and abandoned, but little did they know, all the Malagentians sat safe in their homes, rebuilding their armor, repairing their garb, storing the bounty of their gardens, weaving their fiber into cloth. Their skills did not grow rusty. Their minds did not lie fallow. They knew that one day soon, the skies would clear and it would be safe once again to mingle in the sunshine, to share in the drink of neighbors near and far and to take up arms in honor and deeds. And they knew they would all gather again.

The past year has been a rough one for many of us. And when we do all gather again, we do not want money to be an obstacle. A fund has been created to assist Malagentians in need of assistance in paying for local event fees. The Fee Assistance for Malagentian Events (FAME) fund is in no way connected officially with the Province, and will never be funded with Provincial monies. Donations from individuals are of course welcome and encouraged, and may be made online at paypal.me/Vinland1982 or in person to Lady Wynefryd Bredhers (m.k.a., Kim Ballard).

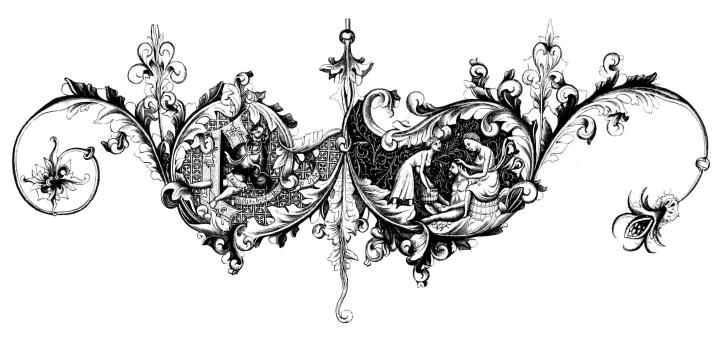
When it is safe to gather again, if any Malagentian needs help in paying local event fees, they can contact me confidentially at winland1982@gmail.com. This fund will work on the honor system, first come, first served, no questions asked.

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So that we all may live happily ever after, I ask you to please stay safe, wash your hands and wear a mask. And until we meet again, I remain,

Yours in Service,

Lady Wynefryd Bredhers, OSC, OBT, Company of the Pennon



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Fig. 41. Marginal illumination of very beautiful and refined style from a manuscript executed for King Wenzel of Bohemia about the year 1390.

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Officers

Interim Seneschal - Lord Mat Wyck

Chatelaine - Lady Adrienne d'Evreus

Archery Marshal - Lord Aloysius Sartore

Chronicler - Lady Shyvan Floyd

Exchequer - Mistress Molly Schofield

Herald - Master Alexandre St. Pierre

Knight Marshal - Lord Matthew MacGyver

Minister of Arts & Science - Lord Nicol mac Donnachaidh

Minister of the Lists - Propreatrix Ilulia Baebiana

Quartermaster - Master Samuel Peter DeBump

Rapier Marshal - Lord Mat Wyck

Web Minister - Lady Tessa Maria da Siena

Chancelor Minor - Vacant



Giggleswick - Seneschal Master Steffen Of Silverforge

Ravensbridge - Seneschal Don Magnus Morte

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