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BARON ALRIC & BARONESS CELLACH AT YULE ON THE BRIDGE

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## Il Tempo

Welcome to *Il Tempo* (The Times), the Newsletter of the Barony of Ponte Alto, one of the northern baronies in the Kingdom of Atlantia.

*Il Tempo* strives to be an informative read that you look forward to. To this end, we are always appreciative of any contributions to it, perhaps an article of a project you are working on or are interested in, how to make/play a period game, your experience at an event, how/what to prepare for a day trip, a recipe/ piece of garb that you've made, documentation on an item you've competed - a how to on

documentation, a few words on a historical person/event, photos, a book review, something to share with a newcomer - perhaps a short autobiography of your persona or how you came to figure out your persona.

The list can go on for ages - only limited by the speed at which our hands can write out what our minds can think of.

Come, share with us adventures in the great Barony of Ponte Alto, in the grand Kingdom of Atlantia, in this - the current Middle Ages!

## ARTS & SCIENCES IN THE SPOTLIGHT

*"To all the citizens of the esteemed Kingdom of Atlantia, present and future, Michel Almond de Champagne, Maistresse of Service and Arts sends greetings.*

*Let your whole community know that with the consent of her Royal Highness Una, I am issuing a challenge to all artists within the Kingdoms boarder.*

*From Saint Ansgar day to Saint Alphonsus day (February 1 to August 1) I am challenging each artist to create an item that benefits their barony.*

*By way of meeting this challenge, I am asking that a photo of the artistic gift be posted [here](#)\*. In exchange for this gift given to the barony, each person will receive name fame and a token of my esteem.*

*This challenge is made in the 2018th year of the Gregorian calendar.*

*That this challenge may be held firm and remain untroubled, I have strengthened the present confirmation with the impression of my seal."*



\* original post at <https://www.facebook.com/photo.php?fbid=10154923936431916>



## Business Meeting Minutes

Jan 7, 2018  
5:10 pm  
Adjourned at 5:50 pm  
19 attendees

Dogfish Head Alehouse  
13041 Lee Jackson Memorial Hwy  
Fairfax, VA 22033

### OFFICER'S REPORTS

**Seneschal** - Dwayne Eckman (Lord Seamus Ó Maoil Riain )

- ◆ Quarterly reports are due
- ◆ Next University will have a Conflict Resolution class
- ◆ Position for Kingdom Waiver Secretary is available

**Exchequer** - Katie Bischoff (Astrid)

- ◆ Balance forthcoming
- ◆ Awaiting PayPal info for Love & Beauty

**Arts and Sciences** - Marlene Martineau (Lady Vadoma)

- ◆ Gothic Fitted Dress session last month
- ◆ Planning to rename Sewing Circle meetings to Projects Nite, with the intention to encourage any sort of project, not just sewing/fabrics related. Hope to have classes as well.
- ◆ University is the 1st weekend of February I Kenansville, NC. There are Pontoon planning to go.
- ◆ Kingdom A&S (KASF) coming up 1st weekend in March, being hosted by Stierbach. Folks encouraged to do something for display even if not for competition.
- ◆ A&S Night planned for tomorrow (*Chronicler's note: canceled due to weather*)
- ◆ Two new people (who were at the last Newcomers Meeting) came to the last Sewing Circle.
- ◆ Starting Feb 1, and running until Aug 1, an open challenge has been set forth by Michel Almond de Champagne, Maistresse of Service and Arts for folks to create something that benefit their baronies.



## *Business Meeting Minutes (cont.)*

### **Herald** - Sarah for Richard Altstatt (Ricart Berenguer Falcón)

- ◆ 5 pieces of armory at Laurel, 3 for decision
- ◆ 2 names in commentary at Laurel
- ◆ Children's Award in commentary

### **Chatelaine** - Mary Dotson (Maria Chiara Datini)

- ◆ Maria stepping up as Chatelain
- ◆ 4 or 5 newcomers came out for Yule on the Bridge
- ◆ Next Newcomers meeting January 19th

### **Minister of Minors** - Eliisa Harman (Lady Annika Siltanen)

- ◆ Children still around
- ◆ Oliver won the youth bardic competition at Yule
- ◆ There was a Youth Choral performance at Yule of the 12 Days of Christmas
- ◆ Cookie making at Yule was a big hit

### **Minister of the List** - Austin Dalton

- ◆ no report for this meeting

### **Chronicler** - Ron Hanagan (Rónán mac Ímair)

- ◆ Chronicling continues
- ◆ Always looking for articles

### **Web Minister** - Ron Hanagan (Rónán mac Ímair)

- ◆ Web updates continue
- ◆ Hope to have preview of Google Calendar ready by next Populace Meeting

### **Knight/Rapier Marshal** - Jeff Williams (Lord Geoffrey ap Clywd)

- ◆ Continues, pending weather



## *Business Meeting Minutes (cont.)*

### **Baron and Baroness - Kari Kel Dalton (Cellach Mór)**

- ◆ Attended: Unevent, Yule on the Bridge
- ◆ Will attend: 12th Night, Lochmere's Midwinter's Feast

### **Events**

#### **Love & Beauty**

- ◆ Save the Date has been posted
- ◆ Registration form is up
- ◆ Feast menu in the works
- ◆ Need info for tournament formats (double elimination?)
- ◆ Change in format: winners of individual competitions will also be awarded
- ◆ Plans to give out tokens/awards for those who exemplify the spirit of Love & Beauty.
- ◆ In communications with merchants
- ◆ Awaiting PayPal info
- ◆ Barn set-up will be much the same as last year. To finalize at next meeting.
- ◆ Need MoL! (Austin to check his schedule)
- ◆ Window banners, 3 to finish, possibly next week

#### **Bloodbath**

- ◆ Budget drafted (and passed out)
- ◆ Additional \$25 on top of listed fees (special use permit)
- ◆ Discussion of gate fees
- ◆ Budget (w/ changes) passed
- ◆ Geoffrey to be MiC

#### **Old Business**

- ◆ No updates yet on coronets. Plan to be on maker's doorstep at Gulf Wars.
- ◆ (Drogo) List fence painting planned for after Bloodbath

#### **New Business**

- ◆ n/a

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- ◆ (Cellach) Thanks for those that taught at Unevent!
- ◆ (Annika) Thank you for all the help at Yule. Snow may have cost us some people, but overall folks enjoyed the day. Event report at next meeting.
- ◆ 1/28 next Populace Gathering. Location TBD



## Ponte Alto Profiles

This month we begin a new series, **Ponte Alto Profiles**, where we hope to put a spotlight on some of the people that make up the grand Barony of Ponte Alto. It seems only appropriate to start off our first profile on the Baron himself, Alric the Mad! We hope you enjoy reading!

### Profile: Alric the Mad

#### Who are you?

Alric The Mad, current Baron of Ponte Alto, Atlantia. Member, Order of the White Scarf, Order of the Golden Dolphin, Order of St Aidan.

#### How did you find the SCA?

It's complicated. I first met some folks from the Central NY group (Coppertree) at a restaurant. Later I ran into more at the NY Ren Faire. They told me they were going to something called 'Pennsic' after the faire closed. Someone a few years previous I played D&D with had mentioned this thing call 'Pennsic' and I asked questions. I re-connected with those

folks from the local group and that was my first event. Pennsic 23.

#### What hooked you?

The people I met and all the options. These folks were doing all kinds of crazy things like hitting each other with sticks and stabbing each other with rapiers. Doing first aid stuff, cooking, drinking home made adult beverages. It was amazing.

#### Tell us about your Persona:

Honestly, I don't have a well defined persona. I've been all over the map time-wise. Generally I consider myself a soldier, responsible to the K&Q to defend the Kingdom and her people as needed. Honestly, I am pretty much just myself.



Photo courtesy of Lady Sinn Larensdotter



## Ponte Alto Profiles (cont.)

### **Current/Next project:**

We are working on beautifying our household encampment at large events like Gulf Wars. To that end we are making some big silk banners and they will need a way to fly them. I'm going to be making some tall flag poles we can pack up fairly small and quickly set up.

### **Favorite SCA Event:**

Pennsic was my first favorite and now runs a close second to Gulf Wars. For both, it is an opportunity to test myself physically, as I fight in as many melee scenarios as I can fit in, and I get to see friends that I can only see at those events.

### **How do you stay busy at events?**

See above. In general, I can be found fighting on the rapier or armored field/lists most days. I do try and get to the A&S displays, especially if residents of Ponte Alto have submitted their works. I'm also trying to get to the archery range more often. At Pennsic, you will also find me at the Children's Fete running the Palio races.

### **What Activity do you *not* do that you would like to try:**

I've done a little of almost everything. The newest is Equestrian. I'd love to be able to make more time for that.

### **What advice would you offer someone just getting started?**

Try everything! Ask questions! *Everyone* in the SCA tries to be helpful in their own way. The first person you ask may not be the right person for you, but there is always someone who can be helpful in a way that works for you.

### **What is the SCA to you?**

Mostly, family of choice. I have made so many amazing friends (and some of those have passed on) and make more at every event I go to. Most of these people are a special part of my life and I'll choose going to events over many other entertainment options so I can spend time with them.

~ *finito* ~

*With many thanks to the Baron for taking the time to share with us this profile!*



## Business Meeting Minutes

Jan 28, 2018

5:10 pm

Adjourned at 6:24 pm

15 attendees

Dogfish Head Alehouse

13041 Lee Jackson Memorial Hwy

Fairfax, VA 22033

### OFFICER'S REPORTS

**Seneschal** - Geoffrey for Dwayne Eckman (Lord Seamus Ó Maoil Riain )

- ◆ n/a

**Exchequer** - Katie Bischoff (Astrid)

- ◆ Updated balance provided: \$7,772.46
- ◆ Need to set up new signatories, including for storage unit
- ◆ Almost broke even with Yule on the Bridge (weather to blame for lower turn out)

**Arts and Sciences** - Marlene Martineau (Lady Vadoma)

- ◆ Scribal tomorrow (planning to work on scrolls for awards)
- ◆ Projects Nite (formerly Sewing Circle) on Thursday, 2/1
- ◆ University on Saturday, 2/3
- ◆ Will be looking for new A&S and Bardic Champions at Love & Beauty!
- ◆ Kingdom Arts & Sciences Festival being hosted by Stierbach, 3/3
- ◆ Known World Arts & Sciences being hosted by East Kingdom, just outside Philadelphia (Plymouth Meeting, PA). Same weekend as Bloodbath.
- ◆ Revenge of the Stitch, 4/28. A team has been assembled and are putting together a project with the baron!
- ◆ KASF to feature performing arts this year.

**Herald** - Sarah for Richard Altstatt (Ricart Berenguer Falcón)

- ◆ Children's badge and names in commentary at Laurel
- ◆ 3 pieces of armory in proofing
- ◆ 1 device in the last letter



## *Business Meeting Minutes (cont.)*

### **Chatelaine** - Mary Dotson (Maria Chiara Datini)

- ◆ 9 attendees at last Newcomers meeting. 1 new, 1 returning.
- ◆ An opportunity has arisen for a demo at the Maker's Faire. A table has been registered for us. Discussion of possible display items, including kumihimo. A chance to profile our artisans. Maker's Faire moving locations as they've grown in size. Sunday, 3/18, from 11am-5pm. Thousands are expected to visit the faire.
- ◆ Next Newcomers meeting TBD.

### **Minister of Minors** - Eliisa Harman (Lady Annika Siltanen)

- ◆ no report for this meeting

### **Minister of the List** - Austin Dalton

- ◆ no report for this meeting

### **Chronicler** - Ron Hanagan (Rónán mac Ímair)

- ◆ Chronicling continues

### **Web Minister** - Ron Hanagan (Rónán mac Ímair)

- ◆ Web updates continue
- ◆ Ready to switch to Google calendar, calendar populated with our recurring and upcoming events. Consensus to make the new calendar live.
- ◆ Discussion of broken links and other web updates being made.

### **Knight/Rapier Marshal** - Jeff Williams (Lord Geoffrey ap Clywd)

- ◆ Continues
- ◆ No rapier practice on 2/22 (due to school event)

### **Baron and Baroness** - Kari Kel Dalton (Cellach Mór)

- ◆ Attended: 12th Night (enjoyed immensely), Diwali Midwinters Feast
- ◆ Will attend: University, Bright Hills Baronial Birthday, Love & Beauty, KASF, St. Paddy's Day Bloodbath, Gulf Wars, Night on the Town
- ◆ Looking for gift baskets for Love & Beauty and Coronation
- ◆ Calling for Award recommendations asap!
- ◆ Looking for new Rapier, Armored, A&S, and Bardic champion recommendations.



## Business Meeting Minutes (cont.)

- ◆ Possibly looking for a new Brewing champion

### Events

#### Love & Beauty

- ◆ PayPal is up!
- ◆ 22 Pre-regs so far. 20 for Feast. 6 Fighters registered.
- ◆ Photobooth planned.
- ◆ Site tokens should be done by next week.
- ◆ Will be a Royal Progress, so Thrones needed. Pop-up as well?
- ◆ Note that site's hot water is usually insufficient, recommendation to bring pots for boiling water to aid in cleanup. And lots of towels as well.
- ◆ Additional gifts & prizes added.
- ◆ Drogo needs help with loading wagon next weekend.
- ◆ More promotion/advertising of the event!
- ◆ Need volunteers for troll, etc. Adina volunteered for Hall Steward.
- ◆ Discussion of foodstuffs.
- ◆ Setup on Friday is allowed. Checking times. Watch the weather for best setup time.
- ◆ Note: there is heat in the hall, but not in the barn.
- ◆ Suggestion that the bread be pre-made (the night before), as it does take time for the hall to heat up.

#### Bloodbath

- ◆ \$100 advance for Troll (to make change). Added to revised budget.
- ◆ MoL will be Kender(?)
- ◆ MiC will be Geoffrey
- ◆ Baroness only, but also need throne for the Prince.
- ◆ Cooks Sofia, Adina, and Mary
- ◆ Need water bearers
- ◆ Discussion of fence stuff
- ◆ Discussion of the number of tents and tables needed. 4 tents, 6 tables.
- ◆ Discussion of site fees (\$50 or % of take)

#### Old Business

- ◆ No updates yet on coronets. Discussion of options. Will pursue with another inquiry, followed by visit at Gulf Wars.

#### New Business

- ◆ Lochmere source for laser cut A&S tokens for the Baronage to give out. If liked, may pursue Baronial tokens.
- ◆ Explore the possibility of new coronets/new supplier for coronets. Not a quick process.



## *Business Meeting Minutes (cont.)*

- ◆ Discussion of leather coronets. Already have 3 (in 3 sizes) for regular use. Discussion of adjustable coronets with replaceable plate, like Lochmere.
- ◆ (Kel) Coronation is coming up. There are cabins available. Option for a Baronial cabin? Discussion about decorating the space? Ottoman style.
- ◆ (Vadoma) Spring Crown bid rejected. Fall Crown deadline has already passed, but still needs bids.
  - ◆ Penciled in the Loudon Co. Fairgrounds if we want to make a bid.
  - ◆ A budget was drafted up (will need some adjustments).
  - ◆ Adina volunteered to autocrat with Vadoma as assistant.
  - ◆ Geoffrey inserted as MiC (as placeholder for bid).
  - ◆ Discussion of fees for attendees. \$15 at door. \$13 pre-reg. \$12 feast (reduced to \$10).
  - ◆ Adjust budget from \$800 to \$600, and 60 to 50 people.
  - ◆ Add an additional portajohn (1 to be accessible).
  - ◆ Balances out to roughly the same budget.
  - ◆ Need to add PayPal fees to budget.
  - ◆ \$200 troll advance. 260 break even.
  - ◆ Budget passed. Adjustments by Emergency Committee. Pkg to be submitted this week.
- ◆ (Aine & Kel) Possible joint Stierbach and Ponte Alto event?
- ◆ (Alric) Baron of Storvik has spiked a Spring Faire event. Possible event with responsibilities shared among several baronies. Each barony might pick/cover one activity. Same weekend as Queen's Rapier, and only 2 months to plan, so the event is only tentative. Suggestion that we host the archery activity?
- ◆ (Seamus) Discussion about the meeting place for the Populace Gathering.
  - ◆ Tysons-Pimmitt Library reserved potentially for next month (Mary to check). Have to do walk-thru. Have to book from 4:30 as that's the last reservation time. May conflict with another event at that location. Mary to discuss with Adina.
  - ◆ (Seamus) Dogfish Head at Seven Corners a possibility. Have a



## *Business Meeting Minutes (cont.)*

party room. Able to book months in advance.

- ◆ Discussion of concerns about hosting at restaurants where people may feel obligated to order food. People certainly welcome to attend, and then stick around for dinner/socializing, but no one should feel obligated to spend money to attend the meeting.
- ◆ The old place is still available. Point person still needs to be a church attendee.
- ◆ (Adina) Anita's (New Mexican cuisine) as a possible location. Near the old church site. Near 50.
- ◆ (Mary) The Nutley St. Safeway has a meeting room that could be used.
- ◆ (Mary) County District Center as a possible venue as well. Fairfax center is free. Arlington has a \$30 fee.
- ◆ (Alric) We need to be able to book locations at least 2 months ahead (and preferably 4 months ahead).

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- ◆ n/a



## Weekly/Monthly Events

	<i>SUNDAY</i>
Ponte Alto Baronial Populace Gathering	Populace Gathering and Business Meeting, <u>4th Sunday</u> of the month at 5:00 p.m. at a location to be determined. Details will be advertised prior to the meeting. Everyone is welcome to attend.
Outdoor Heavy Weapons and Rapier Practice	Weather permitting, 12:00 noon until dark, outdoors at Tysons-Pimmit Park, behind Tysons-Pimmit Regional Library, 7584 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church. Contact the Baronial Knight Marshal for information (see Regnum). (cancellations posted on the Ponte Alto e-list)  Directions: Take your best route to I-495. Get off at the exit for Route 7 East (Falls Church). Go about 1 mile; the library is on the left. Park in the library lot and walk down the hill to the park.
Ponte Alto Dance Practice & Ponte Alto Singers	6pm-8pm, dance practice with Lord Randall <u>every Sunday save the 4th</u> which is the Populace Gathering. For more information, contact Randall Clark via <a href="mailto:dancing@pontealto.atlantia.sca.org">dancing@pontealto.atlantia.sca.org</a> 7:30-9pm Ponte Alto singers, every <u>1st and 3rd Sunday</u> (following dance practice). Unitarian Universalist Church of Reston. 1625 Wiehle Ave, Reston, VA 20190. If interested in joining the Ponte Alto Singers, contact Lady Annika Siltanen (mka Eliisa Harman) at <a href="mailto:mom@pontealto.atlantia.sca.org">mom@pontealto.atlantia.sca.org</a> .
	<i>MONDAY</i>
Scribal and A&S	It is the day after the populace meeting, most always <u>the 4th Monday</u> , 6-10pm Fairfax, 22033 (contact <a href="mailto:chronicler@pontealto.atlantia.sca.org">chronicler@pontealto.atlantia.sca.org</a> for address; cancellations posted on the Ponte Alto e-list). Not to worry, any Arts and Sciences projects are welcome. Allergy alert:: cats.
	<i>THURSDAY</i>
Heavy Weapons Practice	Summer, outdoors at Tysons-Pimmit Park, (see Outdoor Heavy Weapons and Rapier Practice above). Winter, Lemon Road Elementary School cafeteria (7230 Idylwood Road, Falls Church), weather and school events permitting (cancellations posted on the Ponte Alto e-list)
Rapier Practice	Summer, outdoors at Tysons-Pimmit Park, (see Outdoor Heavy Weapons and Rapier Practice above). Winter, Shreveview Elementary school cafeteria (7525 Shreve Rd, Falls Church), 6:30pm-9pm (cancellations posted on the Ponte Alto e-list)
Projects Nite (formerly Sewing Circle)	<u>1st Thursday</u> , private residences. Address will be posted on a private site (Facebook: Ponte Alto Sewing Circle) to preserve the privacy of the hosting sewer. If you'd like to host or don't have a Facebook account and need the address, please contact Vadoma (mka Marlene Wells Martineau)
	<i>FRIDAY</i>
Stierbach/Ponte Alto Archery Practice	Winter, held at Bull Run Archery Center. 7700 Bull Run Dr, Centreville, VA 20121. 5:00pm until 7:00pm. Loaner equipment available (please contact archery marshals)!
	<i>MONTHLY</i>
SCA Newcomer Meetings	Newcomer Meetings are held once a month from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the home of various members of the Barony. Contact the Baronial Chatelaine for information ( <a href="mailto:chatelaine@pontealto.atlantia.sca.org">chatelaine@pontealto.atlantia.sca.org</a> ), or check out the Events/ Activities page on the website for the most recent information.

\*Note on school locations for activities: There will be no activities at schools during school holidays or on other days when Fairfax County schools are closed or all nighttime school recreational activities are canceled. Notification of cancellation or alternate site location will be posted on the web as soon as possible. You can visit the Fairfax County Public Schools Emergency Announcement page for school closure status: <http://fcps.edu/news/emerg.htm>

\* A reminder to those to attend marshal activities and practice at Fairfax County Public Schools:  
NO FORM of real weapons, even Swiss Army knives, box cutters, etc. are to be brought onto school property.\*



# JANUARY 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4 6:30-9pm Rapier Practice 6-9pm Heavy Weapons Practice 7-9pm Sewing/Projects Circle	5 5-7pm Ponte Alto/Stierbach Archery Practice @ Bull Run	6
7 12:4pm Outdoor Heavy Weapons Practice 5-6pm Populace Gathering 6-8 pm Dance practice 7:30-9pm Ponte Alto Singers	8 6-9 pm Scribal A&S	9	10	11 6:30-9pm Rapier Practice 6-9pm Heavy Weapons Practice	12 5-7pm Ponte Alto/Stierbach Archery Practice @ Bull Run	13 Atlantia 12th Night
14 12:4pm Outdoor Heavy Weapons Practice 6-8 pm Dance practice	15	16	17	18 6:30-9pm Rapier Practice 6-9pm Heavy Weapons Practice	19 5-7pm Ponte Alto/Stierbach Archery Practice @ Bull Run 7-10pm New-comers Meeting	20
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# FEBRUARY 2018

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# Baronial Progress

<i>Baronial Progress for July/August</i>	
Date	Event
2/3	Winter University
2/10	Bright Hills Baronial Birthday
2/17	Tournament of Love & Beauty

## *We really could use your help*

*There are several positions in our Barony that could use a Deputy; actually, all of the positions that we have could benefit by having at least one deputy.*

*Why a Deputy? Well, it is easy for any one of us to intend to do something if we don't take into account that the SCA is what we do with our time after we are finished doing what we do to pay the bills.*

*With deputies, the work load can be shared, allowing more work to be accomplished with less time and stress for any one individual.*

*Besides, it is a great way to work with others to do something different to help make your, and other's, SCA experience that much better!*





## Ponte Alto Notables

**Archery Champion:** Lord Rónán mac Ímair  
acherychamp@pontealto.atlantia.sca.org

**Youth Archery Champion:** M'lord Sebastian of Ponte Alto

**A&S Champion:** Lady Margaret Lad  
artisan@pontealto.atlantia.sca.org

**Bardic Champion:** Lord Hannus Siltanen  
bard@pontealto.atlantia.sca.org

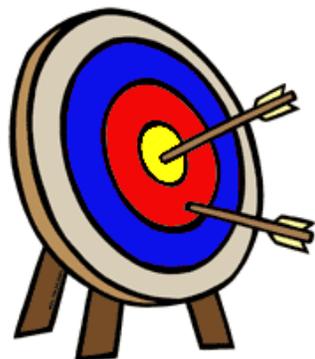
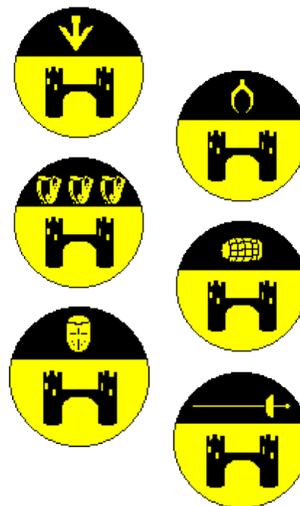
**Youth Bardic Champion:** M'lord Oliver of Ponte Alto

**Baronial Guard:** *(vacant)*

**Brewing Champion:** *(vacant)*  
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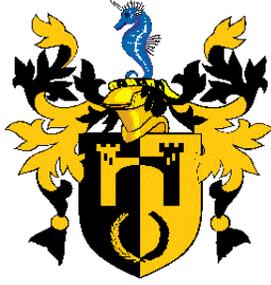
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