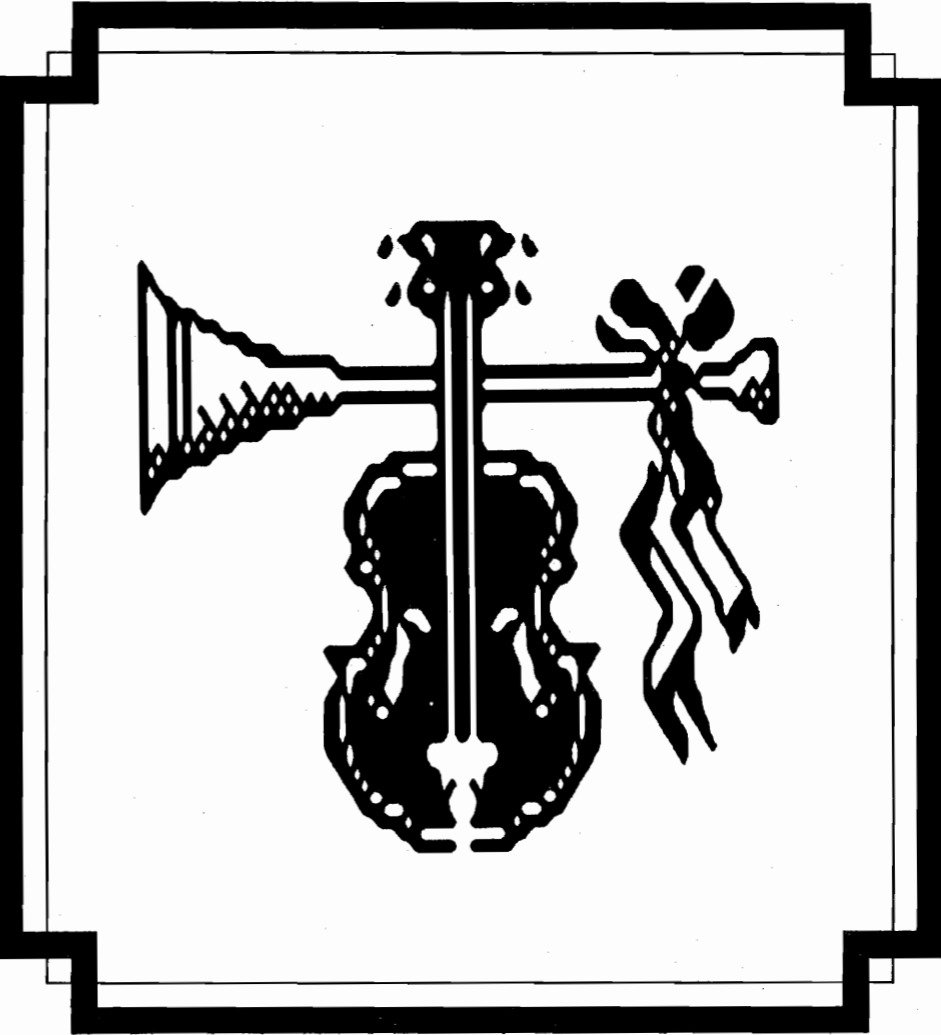


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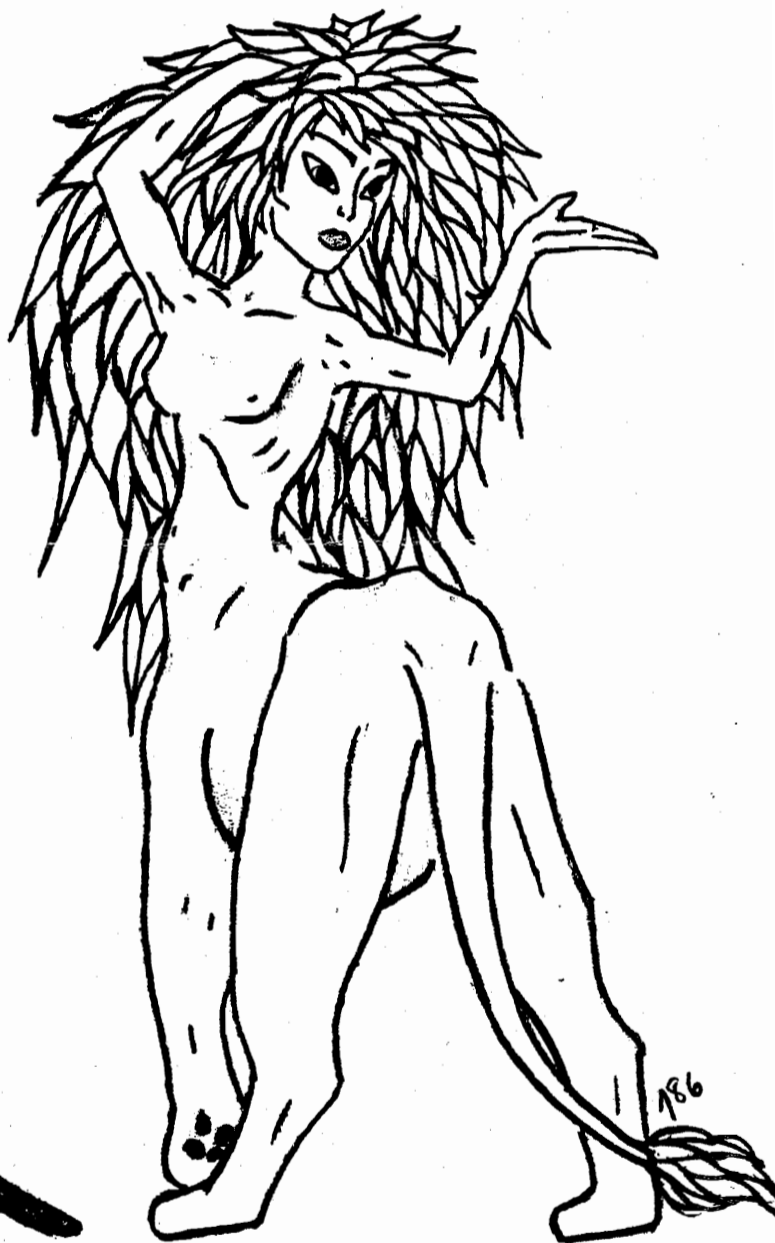
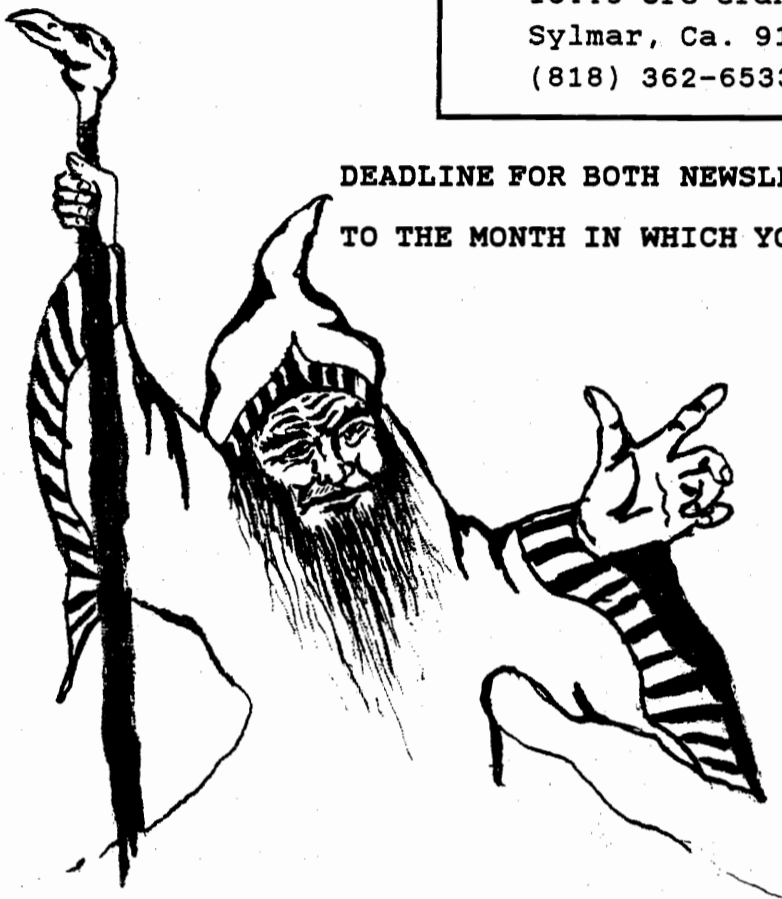
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# DO YOU HAVE ANYTHING TO PUBLICIZE?

If there is anything you would like to send to either the Crown Prints (Caid) or The Page (West) you can send submissions to either:

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DEADLINE FOR BOTH NEWSLETTERS IS THE FIRST DAY OF THE MONTH PRIOR TO THE MONTH IN WHICH YOU WANT THE ARTICLE TO APPEAR!!!



## Acknowledgements:

To All The Artists Thank you for your submissions. Your art keeps this newsletter from becoming ordinary. Please keep the art coming. Thanks to Paul "Lord Luc" for his typing & help.

# Medieval Fact, Fantasy, and Fiction

**FACT;** Charlemagne died in 814 within the palace he built at Aachen. Charlemagne soon became a legend and remained as the solid basis for much that became part of the very fabric of medieval Europe. Something in every facet of life, territorial, economic, education, political, cultural, ecclesiastical and social was touched by his views and ideals. Thus the term, "The Age of Charlemagne" was born. "Carolingian" refers to King Pepin who was Charlemagne's father who later called his soldiers "Carolingian." Closely related to this name was "Carolinian" meaning of Charlemagne or his period.

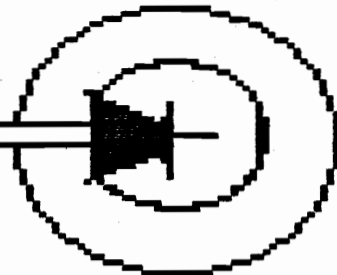
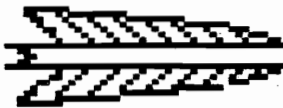
**FANTASY;** "Richard the Lionheart" Around \$39.95 A new Medieval skirmish game from Alan Paull. Simulation of man-to-man combat. Live the Crusading times by arrow, bow and sword.

**FICTION (NON;** "Life in Medieval Times" \$6.95 by Marjorie Rowling. 220 pages. Illustrated, well written accounts of the Middle Ages. Lord, Vassals, townsmen, women, pilgrims, Crusaders, monks, schools, scholars, church, builders, artists, doctors, technology, and a chronology of the rulers and popes, artistic and literary people from 489-1402. Bibliography section in back extensive.

Dallan Righ De'Dannan



# From the Captain of



## ARCHERS

April A.S.XXIV

Greetings fellow archers:

This month we have a total of 13 archer's to report scores on. But first I would like all to welcome back two members Mandrake and Lady Jocelyn. Also I would like to welcome Gareth Straitarrow, Dalen, B.J., Wm. George Ashworth who comes to us from the WEST. To all of the new members of archery WELCOME.

In April we also have to report that Gareth Darkwood has achieved the rank of Yeoman and Gareth Straitarrow achieved the rank of Bowman. CONGRADULATIONS goes to these archers and keep of the good work.

Now the scores from April:

<u>ARCHER</u>	<u>R/R</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>ARCHER</u>	<u>IKAC</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Peter	105	04/09	Peter	269	04/09
Ulliam	103	04/07	Ulliam	268	04/17
Stephen	90	04/23	Simon	242	04/11
Simon	88	04/11	Stephen	222	04/23
Cara	82	04/16	Cara	174	04/16
Gwenevere	71	04/16	Marty	162	04/30
Marty	63	04/30	Gwenevere	158	04/16
Gareth D.	55	04/23	Gareth D.	116	04/23
Gareth S.	52	04/23	Jocelyn	104	04/30
Jocelyn	48	04/30	Gareth S.	89	04/23
Caitlin	42	04/09	Caitlin	84	04/09
Wm. George	29	04/23	Wm. George	69	04/23
Mandrake	17	04/23	Mandrake	37	04/23

Congradulations to Ulliam of Riesling for being the first archer of Ciad to break the 100 Royal Round for A.S.XXIV. Keep up the good shooting.

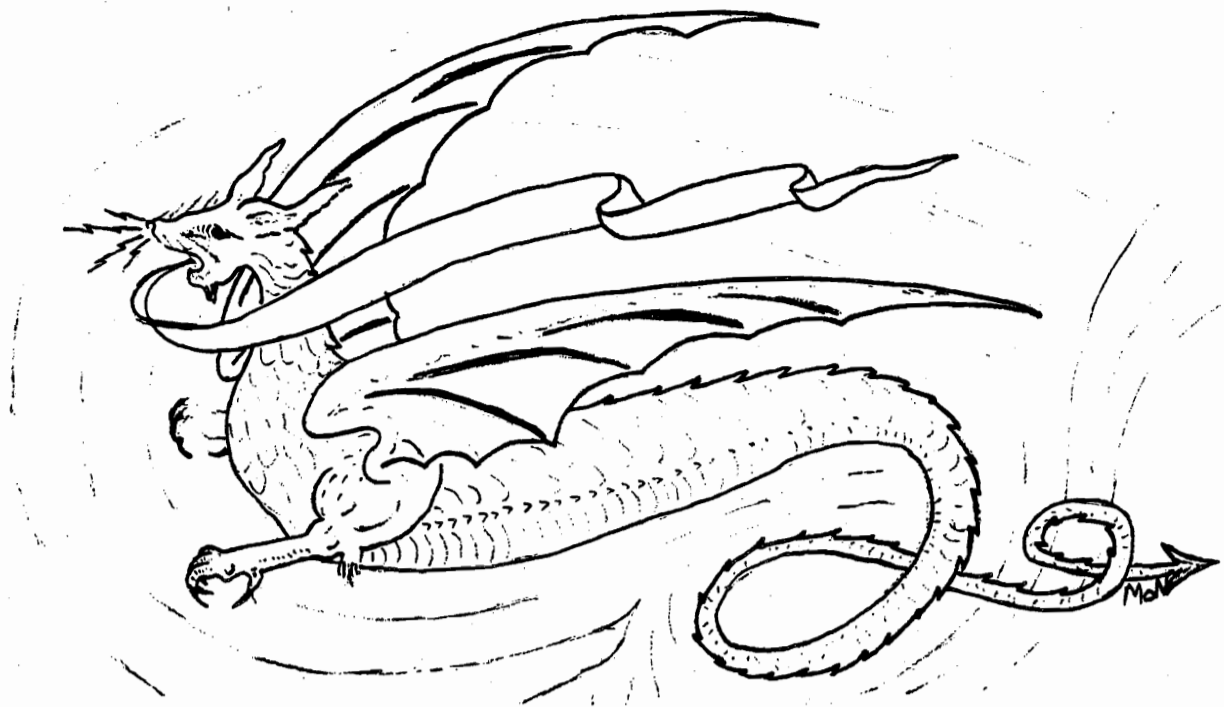
Also to update the populace of Nordwache, for those who knows Paganus Grimlove of Driebergen, I received news by carrier pigeon that he now has a 101.3 Royal Round Average shooting a 103, 103 and a 98. If you see him at an event, you may wish to congradulate him for this achievment. NICE SHOOTING PAGANUS!!!

Until next month Happy Shooting.

Peter Bentarrow  
Captain of Archers-Nordwache

### WE NEED AN AVANT COURIER

The position of Baronial Avant Courier is currently vacant. The avant courier is the person that is the liason between the society and the mundane world. The avant courier's duties include: public relations, getting our events publicized to the mundane world, and more such activities. If you would like to fill this position please contact the baronial seneschal for further info.



I wish to extend my deepest appreciation to all who attended the Reislingshire Friendship Tourney. The autocrats deserve special praise for the fine job they did. Without their hard work (and excellent cooking skills) it would have been "just another party at which the Baron did his fire dance". We look forward to another year of many celebrations with all our friends in the known world.

From the northern most lands  
To the southern most realms  
From the eastern most point of the rising sun  
To its final resting place in the west  
and to all who dwell therein:

Good health  
Long life  
and much joy.

Long live the dream,  
Lord Lewis of Torhelia  
Seneschal of Reislingshire



A dragon's flight  
A maiden's plight

A knight's quest  
A mage's test

A dragon dead  
A couple wed



*From the Chronicler:*

*Greetings Nordwache! Your chronicler is feeling neglected. It's not anything to worry about for my sake but, the Phoenix sure is feeling sickly. Our newsletter is real hungry. It likes poetry, art, more articles (thanks for the ones I got, especially the Medieval fact, fantasy and fiction that comes monthly), jokes, diagrams, confusing maps to nowhere, a story. You know what would be great would be for your persona to tell the rest of us about your country, family or what happened to you on the way to the castle. Gosh, I'll take anything. I'm not trying to be pushy. O.K. I'm trying to be pushy but, if there is nothing to print I'm "gonna" start interviewing people and then you'll have to put up with my rambling on in more than my "From the Chronicler" (I knew that would get you.) Meanwhile, this month I'm going to share with you some of the art that I do have from our local talent.*

*See You Soon Everyone  
Seryana Who me?*



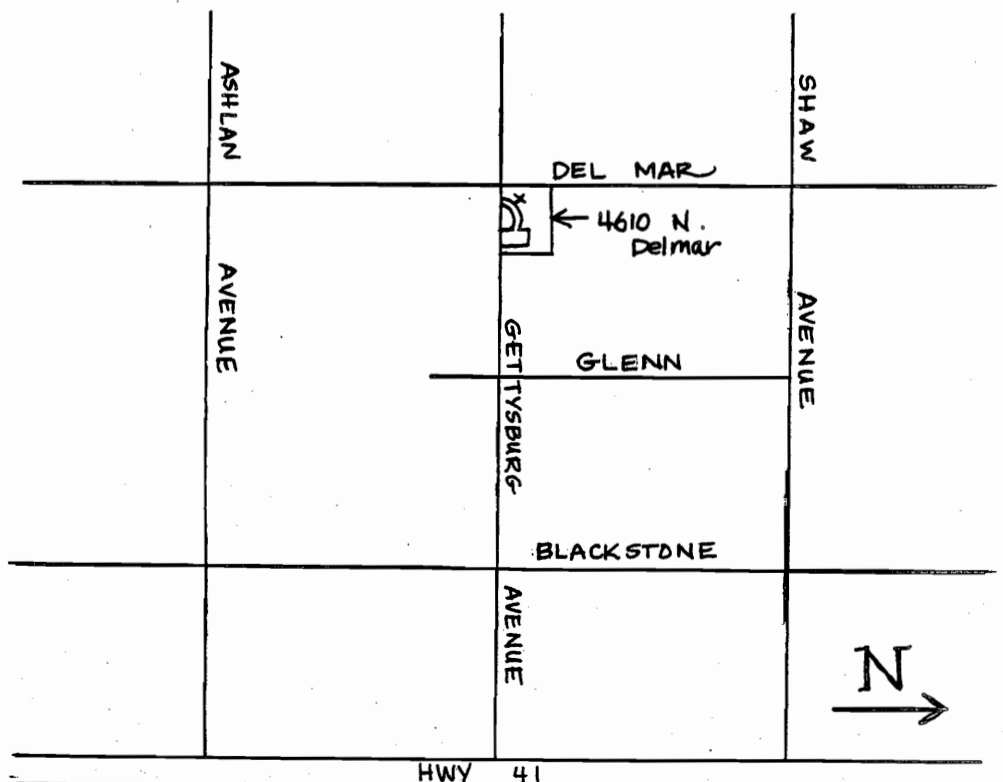
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- A. Baronial Council Meeting (See Below).
- B. Thursdays. 12th Night Meetings. (Ad in Phoenix).
- C. Sundays. Fighter and Archery Practice.  
Contact the Marshal and/or the Captian of Archers for time and location.
- D. The 3rd Tuesday. Reislingshire Meeting.

Remember the deadline for the Phoenix is the 15th of the month before the month you want it printed.

**Baronial Council Meeting**

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# 12th Night Needs YOU!!!

*All those interested (Hey that's us) the barony needs help for 12th Night. Meetings are held every Thursday at 7:00 p.m. at Lord Lewis of Torhelia's house. We need workers and people to be in charge of certain things. Lord Lewis says that if the event goes right it your fault and if it goes wrong it's his fault. What a deal.*