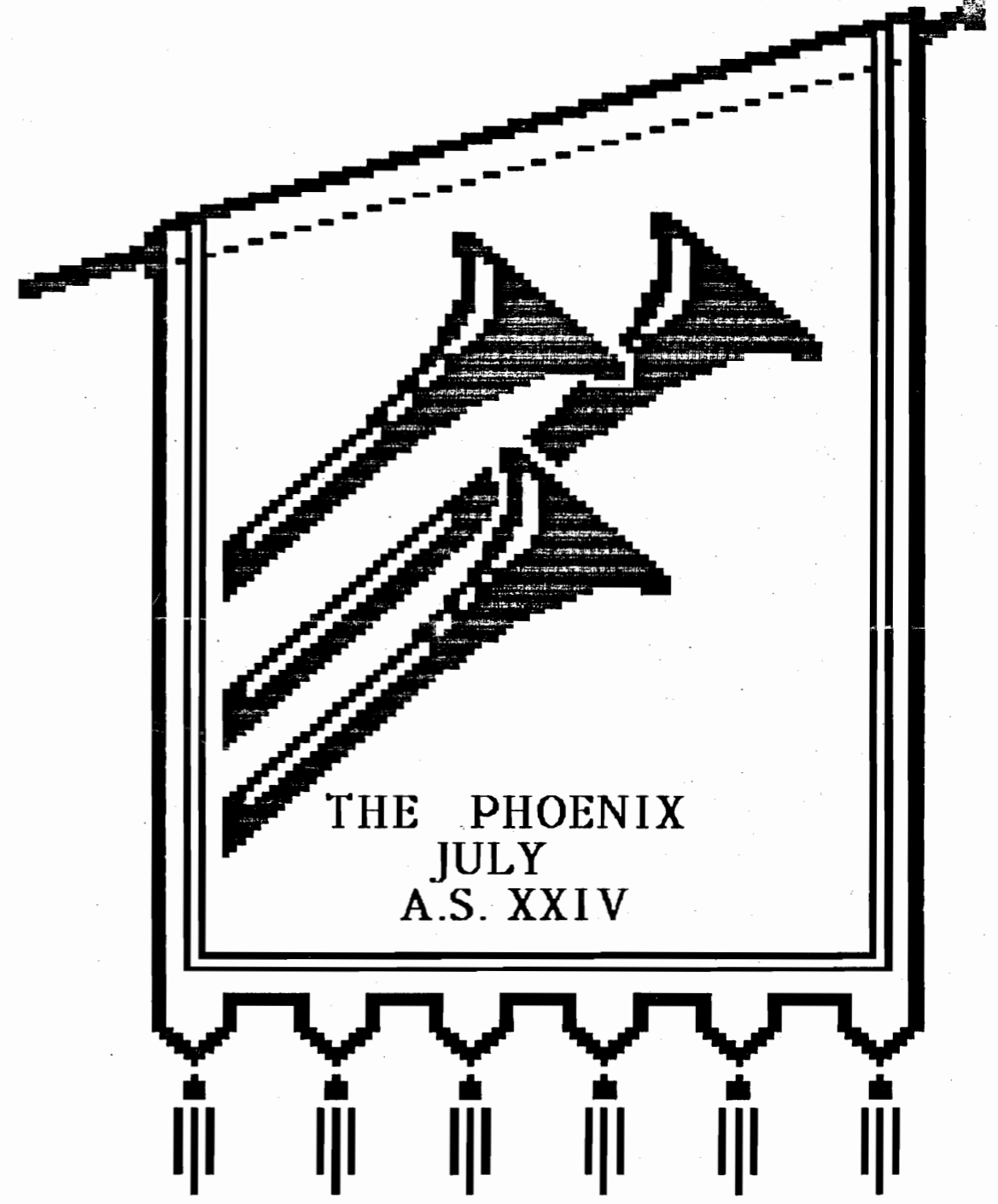


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Lady Sigrlin Ravnsdottir

**SEPT 8-10 Blanket Tourney/Revel
Chowchilla. Site opens Friday, 7pm**

COME ONE ! COME ALL! JOIN THE FUN!
Castillo de los Lobos is hosting a tourney and revel in Chowchilla, CA. Site fee is \$5.00 per person 12 and over (day fee \$3.00), \$1.00 per child 2-11 (to cover activities), children under 2 free. Site opens at 7pm Friday. Blanket tourney and archery competition Saturday. In the evening there'll be a feast for a \$5.00 donation. (Bring your own feasting gear). When the sun fades, the revel of the season will occur with many contests such as Ankle kissing, Best Battle Cry, Most original cloven fruit, best "No s--t I was there" story, and a huge bardic circle. For more information contact the team of autocrats, Head Autocrat- Adriana Ashworth (Becky Ashworth) at (209)665-4992; Tourney Autocrat- Otter Seareaver (Jamie Allen) at (209)722-9085; Archery Autocrat- William Ashworth (Bill) at (209)665-4992; Feastocrat- Alienor Flannabhra (Pam Step) at (209)665-3317, and Children's Activities Autocrat- Lady Jessica of the Greenwood (Jessica Scott) at (209)722-1284



DIRECTIONS: From the North or South take Hwy. 99 to Chowchilla/Robertson Blvd. exit. Go West on Robertson Blvd. Turn left (South) at first road- Chowchilla Blvd. Drive about 2 miles and turn right on Ave 24 1/2. Site is about 1/2 mile at Eagles Lodge and grounds. Roads will be well marked with SCA signs.

From the West take Hwy. 152 to Chwchilla/Robertson Blvd. exit. Turn left and go over the overpass and into Chowchilla (about 3/4 miles). Drive through town and over the railroad tracks. Turn right on first road (Chowchilla Blvd.) follow signs.

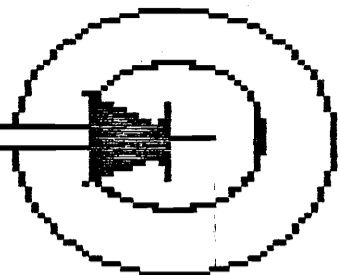
BLANKET TOURNEY- All fighters bring a prize (cost \$5.00-\$20.00) and 1st place get first choice, 2nd place gets second choice etc..

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES- organized activities for ages 2-11 will be on Saturday for approximately 2-3 hours including "period" games, music, crafts, and dancing. There will also be a magic show.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Mahmud Ali Ben Sinan for his great poetic verse
All the people that sent in submissions

From the Captain of



ARCHERS

June 14, 1989

Greetings:

Well it is hard to believe that another month has gone by already. I am happy to say that the Kingdom Archery Tourney in Wintermist I feel was a success! I will be submitting the scores of all competitors to Kyller of Wintermist and you should be able to see the results of the competition in the C.F. very soon.

Now for the local announcements for the month of May. First we have alot of advancements of rank during May. Congradulations go to the following archers: Caitlin Wayfarer-Yeoman, Dallan Righ De'Dannon-Bowman, Derek Blythe-Bowman, Garron the Gaudy-Bowman, Gareth Straightarrow-Yeomnan, Count Guy of Castle Kirk-Bowman, Jeff Roberts-Yeoman, Ulliam of Reisling-Yeoman (Just Kidding Ulliam), Mandrake Healingstone-Bowman, Thomas AF Shannon-Yeoman, Wm. George Ashworth-Bowman. Tip of the Hat to these fine archer's of Nordwache, and keep up the shooting.

Also, I would like to congradulate Lord Sigard Stormrider in shooting his highest scores ever at the Tourney of May 20, Sigard shot a 97 royal round, and a 250 IKAC. Sigard put on a fine showing at this competition after only pulling the bow 4 times in the last six months. NICE SHOOTING!!! Now for the scores for May:

Name	High	Royal	Name	High	IKAC
Peter Bentarrow	100	05/07	Peter Bentarrow	279	05/28
Sigard Stormrider	97	05/20	Sigard Stormrider	250	05/20
Stephen Trahern	83	05/20	Stephen Trahern	208	05/20
Marty Roberts	82	05/21	Gwenevere Vanessa	193	05/20
Ulliam of Reisling	79	05/04	Cara Leigh	191	05/07
Cara Leigh	78	05/07	Marty Roberts	191	05/21
Gwenevere Vanessa	70	05/20	Ulliam of Reisling	177	05/04
Jeff Roberts	67	05/21	Thomas AF Shannon	171	05/28
Thomas AF Shannon	63	05/28	Garreth Darkwood	138	05/07
Garreth Darkwood	60	05/20	Jeff Roberts	135	05/21
Gareth Straightarrow	54	05/25	Gareth Straightarrow	125	05/25
Count Guy	52	05/21	Caitlin Wayfarer	117	05/28
Caitlin Wayfarer	52	05/28	Wm. George Ashworth	103	05/25
Wm. George Ashworth	45	05/25	Mandrake Healingstone	88	05/27
Dallan Righ De'Dannon	39	05/28	Dallan Righ De'Dannon	83	05/28
Mandrake Healingstone	35	05/27	Count Guy	78	05/21
Derek Blythe	31	05/21	Derek Blythe	68	05/21
Garron the Gaudy	30	05/20	Garron the Gaudy	63	05/21

So until next month, keep up the shoot, and remember that a straight left arm (or right for those lefties) after the release will help insure the gold ring. Toot alew for now!

In Service to Nordwache
This is Peter Bentarrow
Captain of Archers
Signing off for now.....

RIESLINGSHIRE ANNIVERSARY JULY 7TH - 9TH

I Liam of Riesling being of sound mind do send greetings and respect to all the people of Caia.

The event will consist of games and revel for all. A champion tourney will be the Marshal event of the day. Feast will be made by Christina of Rieslingshire for the modest cost of \$5.00 per plate.

The site is at Texas Flats above beautiful Bass Lake in the majestic Sierras. Site cost is six dollars (\$6.00). The theme is based on old Rieslingshire, and the event is meant to honor our late brother and founder Lord Arthur of Glendower and his beautiful Lady. Please bring old Rieslingshire trivia and mementos

Pay close attention to the map and don't forget to bring a copy with you, since the site is remote.

Schedule:

Friday evening arrive for rpe-revel-revel

Saturday

11:00 Opening Court

12:00 Lists

02:00 Games and contests

06:00 Feast

08:00 Revel (Bardic Circle, etc.)

Sunday

09:00 Closing Court

02:00 Site closes (fond farewells)

Reservations are limited so please pre-register especially for feast.

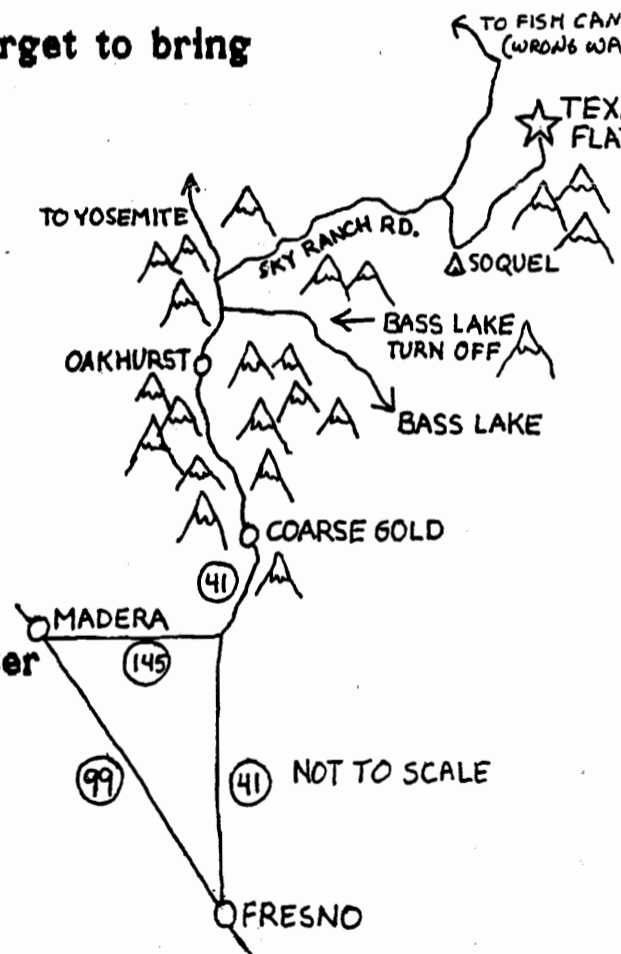
Autocrat: Liam of Riesling

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I Am The King?

On that day my arm was mighty
Many oppoints dropped to the field

And on my brow they placed a Crown
Now a kingdom to me must yield

A mire word from me and laws are made
All other lost in the past

But if the peers and knights disagree
Am I really King at last?

by Mahmud Ali ben Sinan

JUNE 6, 1989

June 14, 1989

To the Officers of Nordwache;

Re: T.C. War????

HELP!!

It has just recently been brought to my attention by Ulliam of Reisling (like today) that I volunteered to autocrat this event next year. I have yet to see the minutes???!@@###

If this is true then I would like to schedule a meeting of the Baronial Officers, NOT FOR RECRUITMENT OR VOLUNTEERS, but throw out some ideas and get some ideas from you. If you could call me and let me know what would be the best day for you so I can get a consensous of when would be the best day for this meeting, it would be most appreciated.

Thank you
Peter Bentarrow
Next years T.C. AUTOCRAT??##@@!

Greetings Everyone,

This is Seryana. I wasn't at the Baronial Council Meeting but, I understand that it was announced that I was leaving office. Therefore, I hope that I'm not being premature by explaining my intentions in this issue.

First, I've had a lot of trouble getting out "The Phoenix" during rough times at school so Lord Luc had to function as more of a Chronicler than a Deputy Chronicler. Next Spring, I will be finishing my formal learning and looking for a good Master to instruct me further. Lord Luc will be doing his Master's work at the same time. We will therefore not have the time to give "The Phoenix" the attention it deserves.

THE BARONY OF NORDWACHE, SERIANA SPECIFICALLY, IS LOOKING FOR A NEW CHRONICLER. BOTH SERIANA AND LUC WILL BE LEAVING OFFICE IN THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1989. ANYONE WHO WANTS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THIS OFFICE SHOULD CONTACT EITHER OF US AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. THOUGH THE NEW CHRONICLER COULD START ANYTIME BEFORE DECEMBER, I WOULD LIKE HIM/HER TO WORK WITH US ON AT LEAST ONE PHOENIX BEFORE HE/SHE TAKES OFFICE.

If you're considering this office, I would like you to consider a few things. The Barony of Nordwache depends on this newsletter. So be prepared to produce it every month. Things aren't all bad though:

-The transition will be much easier this time-

1. We've made monthly cash records and reports so Domesday Reports will be a snap. If you are in office by this time I will do my share of the report. Never fear.
2. Lord Luc has programed a subscription program for the Phoenix, which prints labels, makes expiration lists, and basically everything associated with keeping track of subscriptions and subscribers. He programed it for me a computer illiterate so its all menu driven and beautiful. It is designed to run on a IBM compatible machine and it is very helpful.
3. I have a working file with banks of art, calligraphy, and illumination.
4. Most importantly. We have kept orderly and thorough records so you won't get lost. And it won't be just dumped on you.

Please consider it.

Thank you very much.

Lady Sigrlin (209) 431-1678 or Lord Luc (209) 297-0789

Medieval Fact, Fantasy, and Fiction

FACT: By 1250 European cities were flourishing. In Julius Caesar's days of campaigning in Gaul there were very few places in northwest Europe one could call a city. Most of the region was too underdeveloped, commerce too scarce and religion too primitive to be called anything but a village of sorts. It was the Roman legions that built roads, provided markets for the local farmers and set up camps offering shelter to traders.

FANTASY: "Pool of Radiance" bySSI \$44.95 An adventure of Advanced Dungeons and Dragons. For the Commodore/Tandy. This is the first true AD&D game for computer games.

FICTION (NON): "Life in a Medieval City" by Joseph & Frances Gies. \$8.95 275 pages. Mapped and illustrated. A burgher's home, medieval housewife, weddings and funerals, small business, books and authors, doctors, cathedral, new theatre, disasters, town government, genealogy of the Counts of Champagne.

Dallan Righ De'Dannan

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16 A,B	17	18	19	20	21	22
23 A,B	24	25	26	27	28	29
30 A,B	31	<p>Baronial Council Meeting</p> <p>at the home of Peter Bentarrow and Cara Leigh 4610 N. Del Mar Fresno, CA 93704 (209) 222-8036</p>				



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

March 5th BCM

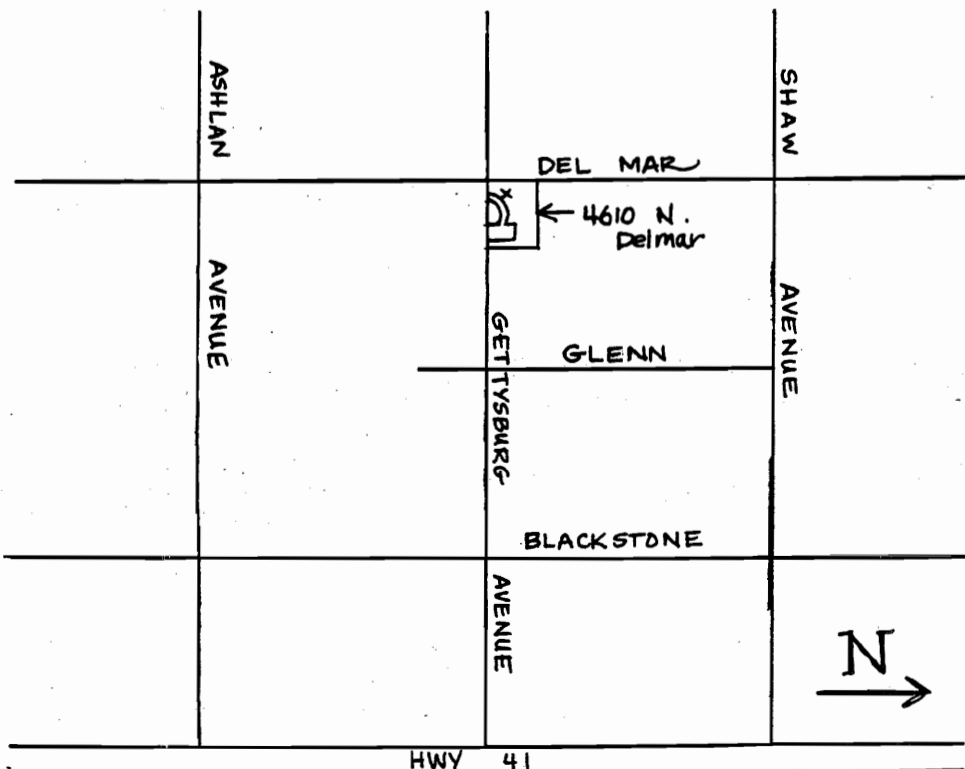
March 7-9th
Rieslingshire
Anniversary
(see add)

March 18th
Rieslingshire
Meeting/12th
Night Meeting
to follow

Sundays
10 am Fighter
Practice*
Radio Park

4 pm Archery
Practice*
Otherwood
Range

* barring major
events



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