Unto the College of Heralds of Lochac,

From Thorfinn Hrolfsson , Acting Crux Herald

Greetings

The November meeting of the College of Heralds for Lochac was held at the picnic following the Viceroy Tournament and feast. Present were Thorfinn Hrolfsson, Acting Crux Herald, Daniel Windchaser Pursuivant Extraordinary for Innilgard, Edward of the Apple Tree, Acting Pursuivant Extraordinary for High Reaches, Dafydd ap Donal ap Gwillam, Acting Pursuivant for Politikopolis and Hrolf Herjolfsson Pursuivant at Large.

Next meeting December 5 in the shire that was Stormhold.

Brusi of Orkney , resubmission of a badge , this is a redesign : Sable, a leopards face caboshed clasping in its teeth a chevron couped or . This shall be submitted to Kingdom.

Dafydd ap Hywell , resubmission appealing my decision to reject his device , however , Vesper returned his name for conflict with Dafydd Sean ap Hywell . This submission will be held until a suitable name is submitted.

Deowulf Rathbrand , resubmission to Kingdom , this is a new name and documentation on translation is supplied . His device is unchanged at : Per chevron argent and sable , three crosses each of four mascules cojoined counterchanged and a chief gules . This shall be submitted to Kingdom.

Fletcher Trueflyte , a new submission of name and device : Or, bend sinisterwise an arrow between two bows sable . The name Fletcher is a job description and surname it is not mentioned in name .

Malak Boga , a new submission for name and device : Quartely or and ermine, an arrow point upwards proper surmounted by a bull's head caboshed sable, and in chief a mullet vert . This submission will be sent to Kingdom.

Robert of Starmount , resubmission of a badge : Per pale and per chevron azure and argent . This will be sent to Kingdom.

Lucreza Lorenz , a new submission for name and device : Sable , an enfield passant between a chief and a plain point or. This will be sent to Kingdom.

Siobhan MacDonald , a new submission for name and device : Per pale gules and argent , three cross crosslets fitchy each within an annulet counterchanged . This will be sent to Kingdom.

Toyve Woolmongere of Innilgard , resubmission to Kingdom with much documentation as requested by Vesper .

William Blackstone of Blackmoor , a new submission for name and device: Argent in sinister canton three spears two crossed in saltire surmounted by the third . The device appears to be an augmentation of the device Argent, the name is alright . The name to be submitted to Kingdom , The device returned to submittor.

Shire of Riverhaven , a new submission for name and device: Barry wavy argent and azure, a sea-horse within a laurel wreath or. The name may conflict with Riverhold , the device is clear . The name and device will be submitted to Kingdom , however there is no petition from the populace so it will not procede further until this supplied .

Shire of Politikopolis , a resubmission to Kingdom appealing the rejection was forshadowed and a new device : Argent , two chevronnels gules between in chief two gryphons azure armed and beaked or combattant and in base a triple towered castle sable within a laurel wreath vert . This also is missing the petition provided all documentation is with me by posting date then this shall be submitted to Kingdom.

Submissions to be posted on November 23 AS XIX.

 ${\tt IMPORTANT}$ for a submission the following documentation is required to be sent to Crux Herald

 $\,$ 3 copies of the history sheet and any other supporting documents.

4 copies in colour of the emblazon sheet.

The fee necessary for the submission .

I have received some disturbing comments that several of you are hard to find and not coming to meetings of your branch. If you are no longer interested in being your branch's herald then say so , that someone else , who is interested can take over as your branch's herald.

Enclosed is a new history sheet , destroy all copies of previous information sheets . Also enclosed is the West Kingdom commentary on the rules of submission and the administrative guidelines , of special note is point 4.

The Armorial has only been paid for by one branch , the cost is \$11 . I shall be sending the first update to the Armorial out shortly.

I have purchased a few copies of the Precedents of the College of Arms . Available for \$15 posted or \$13 hand delivered. This is a collation of the decisions and associated comments of Laurel Soverign of Arms. Thus describing the basis for the current rules of submission.

I have produced an Ordinary of Australian Corporate Arms this will be available in December. The personal Arms will take a while.

No Lochac submissions were before Laurel King of Arms in last two meetings.

This is the Lochac entries in Vesper Principal Herald meeting for October.

> Anne de Heugett New, name only. The surname is a traditional family name.

New, name and device.

Vert, a dragon segreant and on a chief Or three leeks proper. The leeks have large green tops, and white bases. We felt that there was sufficent green for contrast with the chief.

Eamon Deimne James Hennessy New, name and device. Vert, a stag trippant argent, on a chief Or three pairs of arrows in saltire sable.

Eamon is a common Irish name. The submittor states that Deimne is also Erse, and that it was one of the names of Finn MacCool. We do not have the references available to substantiate this, and ask the College's assistance.

Frederik Ludovicus van der Meer Name submitted August XIX, new badge. (Fieldless) On a cushion argent, a cross of ermine spots sable.

Isolde of the Northern Marches New, name only, see Returns for device. Isolde is a form of Isolda, Withycombe p.166.

Jonathan Havoc New, name only, see Returns for device. Jonathan is common, and we have registered an Edwin of Havoc.

Rowany, Barony of Name passed, badge resubmission to Kingdom. (Fieldless) Three rowan berries gules dependant from and conjoined to two rowan leaves vert.

This will be an all-purpose Baronial badge. The previous submission was in January XVII, and was rejected for conflict. This is a complete redesign.

Sean the Wayfarer to Kingdom.

Name submitted July XIX, device resubmission

Sable, two lightning bolts in saltire argent between four estoiles of eight points Or.

His latest submission, in July XIX, was "Sable, two lightning flashes in saltire between four mullets of eight points, four straight and four wavy, argent". This was in conflict with the device registered to Adelicia of Cumbria: Sable, four swords in saltire conjoined at the points proper, overall five mullets in cross argent.

Steveg Stevegsson

New, name and device.

Per chevron argent and azure, a swan displayed gules issuant from an egg in

base argent.

The name is in Norse form, and is based on his mundane name, Stephen. The ending is similar to the Norse ending "-veig", which is found in the names Solveig, Thorveig etc. To the best of our knowledge, this is a made-up name.

Thorfinn Hrolfsson

Name passed, device resubmission to Kingdom.

Gyronny of six in pall argent and azure, a tricorporate lion gules.

This was originally submitted in March XVIII, and was found to be in conflict with Roger FitzLion: Tierced in point azure, vert, and sable, a tricorporate lion argent. A more complex version was returned July XIX for the same-reason. However, Thorfinn has requested and received permission to conflict with Roger's device.

Wulfwine Grimwald The name is Anglo-Saxon. New, name only.

The following names, devices, and badges were returned for further work:

Dafydd ap Hywel

Name only returned.

This perfectly correct name is being returned because it is in conflict with one

"Dafydd Sean ap Hywel", whose name was submitted on the East Kingdom Letter of Inten dated 28 July XIX. The addition or subtraction of a middle name is not enough to differentiate between two names, by the current Rules.

Isolde of the Northern Marches

Name submitted to Laurel, device returned.

Vert, on a pile argent, a rose gules within an annulet of ivy vert. This is in conflict with a device registered to Nicolas of the Hill Folk: Vert, c a pile argent, a dragon rampant gules. (There is only a minor point of difference, for the change in the charge(s) on the pile.) Her second choice, "Argent, three roses gules, each within an annulet of ivy vert", is in conflict with the arms of Cullane: Argent, three roses gules. Also, the annulet of ivy is too reminiscent of the laurel wreath which is restricted to branch devices.

Jonathan Havoc

Name submitted to Laurel, device returned.

Azure, on a fess between two unicorn's heads argent crined Or, three roses sable seeded argent.

This is in conflict with the device registered to Muirean nic Ruaidhri: Azure, on a fess between two harps argent, three marigolds proper. (There is a point for the difference in type of secondary charges, but only a minor for the difference of the charges on the fess. They are both basically round flowers, and differ only in color.)

Stormhold, Shire of

Name and device returned.

Argent, on a lozenge azure within a laurel wrath gules a tower Or, in chief two pairs of lightning bolts gules.

The name is too close to the registered name of the Shire of Stormgate. The lozenge is an inescutcheon of the arms of Towers: Azure, a tower Or. Also, the entire device is complex. Branches are being encouraged to design good devices, to serve as examples to those who live in them.

Further, the required petition was not sent to us.

Turgar the Pathfinder

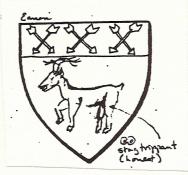
Name submitted July XIX, device returned.

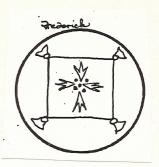
Or, a fir tree proper, on a chief vert, two spears in saltire Or.

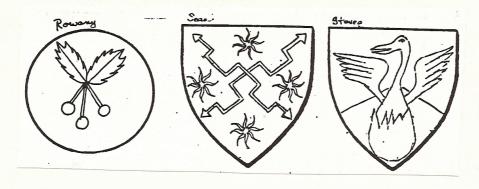
This is in conflict with the device registered to Orwic-skell Hosfelt a Jarneberg:

Or, the prow of a drakkar reversed, on a chief a serpent ondoyant to sinister vert, fimbriated Or. (There is a full point for the difference of the main charge, and a minor for the charge on the chief. However, there is no color difference.) His alternate, which changes the spears to argent, is in conflict with the same device.











Yours in Service to Heraldry Lochac and the West.

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Thorfinn Hrolfsson, Acting Crux Hreald

As far as heraldic regalia, in the West we use baldrics for Cornets, sleeveless tabards for Cornets and PEs, and for Pursuivants-at-Large, sleeved tabards for branch Pursuivants and Heralds, and cloaks for Heralds. They must be green, and must have the crossed trumpets of the College on the front and back. On baldrics, put a large pair of trumpets front and back. The tabards should have large trumpets on the back. These may be repeated on the front, or you may use a small set over the left breast. Sleeved tabards would have the Principality arms on the right sleeve and the branch arms on the left sleeve. For a Principality Herald, the Kingdom arms would appear on the right sleeve and the Principality arms would appear on the left sleeve. A cloak would have the trumpets on the back and over the left breast, with the Kingdom or Principality arms on the right breast, if desired. Any herald may make personal regalia, if s/he so wishes, and heralds of any rank may wear baldrics or sleeveless tabards.