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Unto The College of Heralds of the Kingdom of the West in the Crown Principality of Lochac From Thorfinn Hrolfsson , Crux Australis Herald

Greetings My Lords and My Ladies

The College of Heralds of the Kingdom of the West in the Crown Principality of Lochac met for its June meeting at the North versus South on the 7th of June, present were Thorfinn Hrolfsson, Crux Australis Herald; Gereint Scholar, Frette Rouge Pursuivant; Rowan Perigrynne, Pursuivant at large; Haos Windchaser and Gwynfor Lwyd, Pursuivants Extraordinary at Large; Eleanor Lytelhaylles, Acting PE for Saint Bartholomew; and Ysabeau Chanteuse, Douglas MacLuine, Cristoval Gitano, Morgan ap Idris and Lochlainn Taidhg. After the meeting to consider submissions a commenting session was held without most of the fighters and marshals.

The next meeting is planned for July the 5th, contact me for location. Projected dates for August is the 9th, for September is the 13th and for October is the 11th. These may change if a particularly interesting event appears.

Prices (on 9 June) at \$A1=\$USO.705 are:ume and device \$US8.50 \$A12.05

Name and device \$US8.50 \$A Device only \$US7.50 \$A

.50 \$A10.65

Name only

\$US5 \$A 7.10

The exchange rate has been varying rapidly lately so please watch carefully, and remember that the rate that you can get \$US at is usually a half to one cent below the number quoted.

As of 6 July there is a price rise in all new device submissions. This is a $\underline{\text{SCRIBES TAX}}$ and all of this money will go to the scribes to assist in paying for materials for scrolls, none of the increase will go to the heralds.

We ask that those who already have registered devices to volunteer to pay this "tax".

The new fees operative of all submissions received	after my	July	meeting.
Registration of name only	\$US	5.00	\$A 7.10
Change of registered name	\$US	5.00	\$A 7.10
Registration of a badge only (name registered)	\$US	7.50	\$A 10.65
Change of registered device or badge	\$US	7.50	\$A 10.65
Registration of name and badge	\$US	8.50	\$A 12.05
Change of registration of name and device	\$US	8.50	\$A 12.05
Registration of a device only (name registered)	\$US	9.50	\$A 13.50
Change of registered badge to device (no previous device)	\$US	9.50	\$A 13.50
Registration of name and device	\$US	10.50	\$A 14.90

QUARTERLY REPORTS

An apology to Baron Gereint for listing Innilgard in the groups that had not reported in last months letter. I had received his report before Rowany Festival. It was missed when I went through my pile of incoming mail.

Many quarterly report for the period upto the Rowany Festival are still outstanding, and the next quarter is almost up. I want your reports for the period upto the beginning of July by the next meeting of the College of Heralds on the 5th of July. Your seneschal must get a copy of your report. Canton and College heralds may report directly or through their baronial herald. If you report directly you should send a report to your baronial herald. I have yet to receive reports due at Rowany Festival from Nan Soar Sporiad, East Ridge, Stormhold, Saint Bartholomew, Saint Swithun. I only need one report due at my July meeting.

COMMENTING MEETINGS

Commenting Meetings are on every Monday at House Cranleigh (2 Sherwood Street, Mt. Waverley), this is very close to Mt. Waverley railway station. These have been peripatetic lately, so check with me before embarking.

MINUTES OF THE KINGDOM MEETINGS OF THE COLLEGE OF HERALDS
The minutes of the College of Heralds of the Kingdom of the West are available for \$US10.00 for rostered heralds from the College of Heralds at 2322 Russell Street, Berkeley, California 94705, U.S.A., I highly recommend these to all heralds.

LIBRARY ACQUISITIONS

Would you all please look in second-hand bookshops for copies of Ottfried Neubecker - "Heraldry, sources, symbols and meanings" 288 pages with colour illustrations on most pages about A4 sized and Charlotte Young - "History of Christian Names", MacMillan.

SUBMISSIONS

River Haven, Barony of; Badge for the Order of the Pierced Anvil > resubmission Azure, a needle Or, between two flaunches Argent, the whole surmounted by an anvil Or. This is returned for non heraldic style, the surmounting of the flaunches is not correct as flaunches are subordinaries similar to bordures and chiefs, and these do not have charges spilling onto them from the field.

Hugh of Oak; East Ridge> new name and device Or, a chevron embattled Gules masoned Sable between three armoured arms fesswise each maintaining a sword erect Gules. Hugh is the submittors mundane name and listed in Withycombe on p157 with a first noted use of 1273. Oak is a common noun. The device is returned for colour on colour as the masoning is Sable on Gules. Also the masoning is in trian aspect. Otherwise the device appears to be clear of conflict.

<u>Kirielle du Papillion</u>; Politikopolis> new name and device Gules seme of hawk's bells Or, a butterfly Argent between two scarpes Or Kiriel has been registered in February AS XX to Kiriel of Windhover Cliff and Kirielle is the female form of the name, the SCA Armorial is very poor documentation. 'du Papillion' is French for 'of the butterfly'. The device appears to be clear of conflict.

I remain My Lords and My Ladies your servant in Lochac

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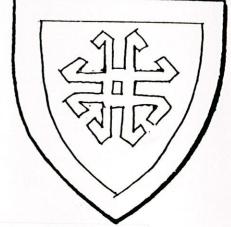
Tako Jiro

Name registered, device resubmission to Kingdom.

Sable, a cross miller parted and fretted and a bordure argent.

This was originally submitted in March XXI as a badge, and was tied to a device which was found to be in conflict. However, it was not submitted to Laurel at that time since he did not want the badge registered without the associated device.

The design is close to the device registered to Gwilym y Fferill o Caer Lleuad: "Sable mulletty, a cross patty sarcelled within and conjoined to an annulet, all within a bordure argent". We feel that the addition of the annulet is worth a point, and that the combination of the mulletty field and the type of cross is worth another. We have asked that Laurel compare the emblazons.



Aislinn de Valence. Badge. Azure, a mascle Or, a bordure argent.

Arianwen de Lynn. Name only (see RETURNS for device).

Charles of the Park. Name only.

Heather of Stormhold. Holding name and device (see RETURNS for name). Argent, a decrescent azure between in fess two heather branches leaved and flowered proper, all within a bordure invected azure.

The name was submitted as Genna Gaireacdaic a Froac.

John of the Hills. Name and device. Or, on a pall purpure between three swepes sable, a tower Or, enflamed in chief gules.

Kenneth ap Howell. Blazon correction. Or, a dragon's gamb erased bendwise vert,

The tincture of the gamb was omitted when this was accepted in October, 1986.

Llewen the Unruly. Name only.

The given name appears as a variant of Llywen in Early Welsh Geneological

Osgot of Corfe. Device. Per chevron argent and barry wavy argent and azure, a pall inverted vert between three ram's heads cabossed gules.

Arianwen de Lynn. Device. Quarterly azure and gules, a hind courant and a bordure

Conflict with Liesel von Blauen Donau ("Azure, a winged stag springing argent, winged, attired and unguled Or, within a bordure argent."). There is only a minor point of difference between the fields and the difference in posture between the deer courant and a deer springing as depicted on Liesel's device was not so pronounced that the cumulative changes to the deer could be considered to equal a clear major and minor point of difference.

Genna Gaireacdaic a Froac. Name only.

Although Genna might be considered a valid orthographic variant of the preseventeenth century West Cornish name Jenna (see Names for the Cornish, p. 29), the remainder of the name does not seem to be properly formed Irish for the meaning "laughter of the heath" which the submittor desired. Moreover, this is not the sort of byname that was generally used in the Irish world for actual (rather than epic poetic) use. Since the submittor forbade any changes to the name, the name as a whole had to be returned.