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Quarterly Newsletter for the Barony of al-  
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## **Rapier Marshal**

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Baroness Bronwen Blackwell

## **List Minister**

THL Johanna

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# From the Baron, and Baroness

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Greetings al-Barran!

The first weekend of January, many members of the barony headed down to 12th night in the Barony of Citadel of the Southern Pass. The weather was fairly pleasant especially for January. There were many fighters, drummers and spectators at the war practice and back at the main site there were classes, merchants, a silent auction, a scroll competition, A&S competition and court dancing taught and ran by our own Mistress Catriona. Court commenced where many gentles were honored including the knighting ceremony of Sir Patroclus and Their Excellencies Tariq and Elieth were both made Flowers of the Outlands. Our own Lady Phaidra placed second in the Scroll competition with her illuminated blank. Congratulations to her for her lovely scroll being recognized. After court we were served a delicious feast prepared by many members of al-Barran from the Old fabled Inn who traveled down to Citadel to help with the feast and vigil. It was wonderful to spend time with our southern cousins.

Later in January, we headed up to the Barony of Fontaine dans Sable for their 12th night. Thanks to Their Excellencies of Fontaine, the autocrats, feast crew and all the staff who put together a great event. The drive down was bright and sunny and we arrived in time for a crisp but pleasant start to the war practice. Members of our populace participated in war drumming, serving, making scrolls for kingdom and some of them even worked gate! We saw many deserving gentles recognized for their work for their barony and for the Kingdom. Septimus Marius Belisarius who is an honorary al-Barranian, came out victorious as the Captain of the Silver Tynes and was honored by being inducted into the Order of the White Scarf. We were pleased to see the large number of al-Barranians that made the trek to visit our Fontainese neighbors.

At Estrella this year, we had a great camp with much camaraderie and activity. Old Fabled Inn brought the yurt to war and we and many others who attended Estrella were welcomed and invited to drink at their bar, Tres Leches.

Thanks to the warriors who came out from al-Barran to answer their King's call and fight valiantly in battle beside him, leading us to victory and brave deed. Thanks also to the ladies who supported them and were given a token for this devotion in Guido Court. Thanks to Sir Trevor for the awesome new banners, they are just beautiful. Lajos was made the baby Guido and will carry the banner for the year. Matthias Killianson, Alyson Fychan and Pegjulio also received Guidos at the war. Lord Rados Schiavone, Lady Genevieve Santerre, Don Septimus Marius Belisarius

and Lady Lucretia de Carducci all received Cordons. Lady Lucretia was made the baby Cordon and also revealed to her al-Barran family the sex of her baby who will soon be joining our ranks. Finally Daniel Lindenmuth was called in to court to receive a token of our appreciation for his service at both of his first two events. His first event he orchestrated the feast at Citadel of the Southern Pass and this event he headed the meal plan for the Old Fabled Inn, which basically turned into the baronial meal plan. Thank you so much for allowing all of us to participate and eat the delicious food you and your crew cooked and for being so accommodating to schedule changes. Thanks, also, to Lady Ursula for making the Green Chili stew, for Guido Court, it was incredibly delicious!

Thanks also to all who worked the baronial security shift and also to those who worked other volunteer shifts in various places. It helps both the war run smoothly as well as helping to support our barony. Thanks to all for helping to set up the campsite and all the help given as well to our members to get set up. Thanks to everyone who contributed to the making of the party punch for the Outlands Party on Thursday or who brought or gave donations for Guido court. As always, thank you to our amazing retinue for helping to keep us on track during a very busy War!

In muster court, THL Harduin was offered admittance into the Order of the Laurel and will be giving his answer at Nahrin's Siege of the City. Congratulations for an honor well deserved!!!

The rapier fighters won the day, the heavy fighters were valiant in battle and had many successful campaigns, the archers shot true and also educated the public. We had so much fun, we fought, drummed, danced, sang, shopped, played, talked and drank till we were all worn out by the end of the week but we had a great time doing it.

Our barony had the great honor of hosting Crown Tournament for Their Royal Majesties, Jaxarticus and Anna. Thank you to Mistress Sabiha and Lady Phaidra who did an amazing job autocrating the event. From the weather, to the donation lunch, to the comradeship and fun, everything was absolutely perfect! After a day of honorable fighting, new heirs emerged victorious. Congratulations to Their Royal Highnesses, Bela and Anna! Mistress Catriona gave her answer to TRM in evening court and was elevated to the Order of the Laurel. As a final piece of business in evening court, TRM called the Baron of al-Barran into court and he was offered admission into the Order of Chivalry. His answer to be given at Sworded Affaire.

Our last event this quarter was Siege of the City hosted by the shire of Nahrin Kabirun. It was held in the City of Rocks state park, which was absolutely breathtaking. The fighters were allowed to fight among the large rocks which gave the fighting an incredible and realistic feel. The day was amazing. Filled with fun fighting, visiting with friends, shopping and ending with a late-night bardic. To top

it all off, THL Harduin gave his answer to TRM and was elevated to the Order of the Laurel. It was an incredible event. If you have the opportunity to go next year, it is highly recommended.

In Service to Stag and Scorpion,  
Marc and Bianca  
Baron and Baroness of al-Barran

# From the Office of the Seneschal

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Greeting al-Barran,

This month is our premier event Grand Outlandish Tourney or GOT. It will be the forty-fifth year we have put it on. That is a long time with a lot of history. When we ran GOT 40 I made up a quiz about the history. Please look for it in this Shaft. Remember the answers are from 5 years ago. I will give a prize to anyone who brings me the updated answers.

We have added the summer's al-Things dates. Please mark them on your calendar. I hope everyone can make it.

June 17th

July 29th

Aug 19th

Sept 30<sup>th</sup>

We still have a few events without autocrats for this year. These included Champions and Day of A&S. Anyone interested please let me know. The bid and budget forms are on the seneschal's page on the Website. There is also a handbook on running events. Please check it out if you are thinking about autocrating.

This year has started out great, with three awesome events. Huzzah to the autocrats and everyone who gave their time and knowledge! We have GOT, Nock on Wood, and Champions coming up, please help those running these event any help you can.

In Service

Mistress Melodia Shaw



## GOT XL Quest Adults (13 & up)

1. What site held Outlandish the longest?
2. What is the chorus of the Ballad of the Black Guard? Extra credit, sing it.
3. Who was the leader of the Black Guard who attacked the first Outlandish?
4. Who was the first person at Outlandish I?
5. What were the dates of the first Outlandish?
6. At which Outlandish was al-Barran made a Barony? Who was The first Baron?
7. What was the title given to the winner of Grand Outlandish Tourney IV?
8. Who gave out the Scroll to the first Lord of Outlandish?
9. What is the Toast to the Lord of Outlandish?
10. What Outlandish site is the farthest from Albuquerque?
11. Who was Baron and Baroness in 1998?
12. Who has won Lord of Outlandish twice?
13. How many Barons have presided over Outlandish? Baroness'?
14. How many Outlandish's have there been?
15. What does GOT stand for?

## GOT XL Quest Youth (12 and down)

1. Who was the first Lord of Outlandish
2. How many Sites has Outlandish been held at?
3. Who wrote the Ballad of the Black Guard?
4. How many Outlandish Archers have there been?
5. How many times has Outlandish been held at Land's End?
6. Who was the first Baron of al-Barran?
7. Who are the current Baron and Baroness of al-Barran?
8. Who is the current Outlandish Blade?
9. What does XL stand for?
10. Draw your own Outlandish Art work on the back.

# From the List Minister

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Greetings from your Minister of Lists.

On April 7, the Barony of al-Barran hosted a Rapier specific event, Sworded Affair. It was an amazingly successful event, with so many fighters participating; we had the unfortunate need to cut the last scheduled tourney as the first four took longer than time was scheduled, as well as modifying some of the tourney formats to single elimination rather than the desired double. Any folks not fighting in the tourney at a given time made good use by finding pick up fights, and everyone overall seemed to be having a good time. In SCA tradition, we may have started just a wee bit late as well. I would like to say a particular thank you to Mistress Catriona, who assisted me for the day. Having set out all the lists in the morning I could not have overseen them all by myself. She was also able to take over the list table while I needed to make a run away for a moment. I was the List Minister for all the tourneys this day.

The first tourney of the day was the Order of Defense Tournament, organized by Masters Angus and Siegfried. Numerous gentles Marshaled, including the organizers there was Aethelwolf, Elena, Don Dante, and Niccolo. I am not sure of the titles of all the named gentles, or if I have missed anyone. If I have, I offer my apologies. There were 43 fighters entered on the list with a somewhat complicated format. Fights were single elimination, while the fighters were drawn into random pools of about 8 or so. The Marshal recorded for each pool the results of a round robin, which then were collected and the top fighters from each pool were entered in a 16 person bracket.

The Final round came down to Don Robert and Master Adam, who fought a best 2 out of 3. Master Adam was the victor.

The next tourney was the Balance Tournament, 4 items are placed on a tray, and one point was awarded for each item that remained on the tray at the end of each fight. Two points were awarded for winning with a Max of 6 points possible, Max points for a loss was zero. This was a single elimination using a single point weapon, a sword or dagger. Lord Rados organized the tourney, while he and Nickolos Marshaled two fields, with Joe and Edmond running cards for me.

There were 28 fighters listed with Don Felix and Lord Giermund rising to the Final round, But it was Don Felix that took victory.

The third tourney of the day was the Novice Tournament, for those that have fought Rapier for 3 or less years. I'm happy to say we had 12 entrants. Gregor der Junger organized this tourney with Captain Rados Marshaling. This was fought as a single elimination and best 2 of 3 in each bout, bringing your best weapon. There were a final 3, Cinead, Dane, and Mathias, who fought a King of the Hill as a final round, with Mathias emerging as the winner.

The last tourney that could fit into our allotted time at the site was the Single Sword Tournament, 39 inch blade or less. We had 38 fight in this tourney, and due to time it was a single fight, single elimination, with the final round a best 2 of 3 by His Majesty's decree. HE Bronwen was the organizer, with herself and Don Dante Marshaling, THL Pettronella and Aethelwolf Heraldng, and Mistress Catriona running cards. The Final round was between Don Robert and Master Siegfried, with the final victory going to Master Siegfried.

Sadly, it was the Venetian Wine Shoppe Tournament that had to be cut. With teams of two facing off with the option of random items on a table that can be used as an off-hand weapon, it's a hilarious roaring fun tourney and I hope to see it another time.

In Service,

THL Johanna Morganstern

# From the Knight Marshall

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Good Day al-Barran!

Here is my report for January-March for the Barony of al-Barran:

Sunday practice: average 15 unbelted, 4 chivalries.

Wednesday practice: average 5 unbelted, 3 chivalries

Thursday practice: average 6 unbelted

Crown tournament was held on March 10th, with 17 entrants.

No injuries or incidents to report.

Lady Phaidra Thebaia

Knight Marshal

Barony of al-Barran

# From The Rapier Marshall

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Greetings to the populace of al-Barran

The last quarter has been quite eventful in your rapier community.

As a community, we continue to grow. We have begun training new rapier fighters who have approached us from the mundane world, and through the rapier community, are introduced to the SCA in general and the Kingdom of the Outlands, as well as our own fair barony, in particular. We have also welcome new rapier fighters from within the barony itself, so our numbers are increasing.

New authorizations are taking place frequently. The rapier community's authorizing marshals have been quite busy of late.

From Estrella War, we have heard nothing but amazing reports from the performance of the barony's rapier fighters, and in particular, the Condottieri, who distinguished themselves greatly on the field, bringing home the war points and generally, just making the Barony of al-Barran look good. Speaking as a rapier fighter, what else is there?

We have not experienced any injuries, flared tempers, or any measurable attitude problems in the rapier community of late. So that helps.

Recently, we also hosted Sworded Affaire. Lady Lucretia did an outstanding job, and those of you who were there, I hope that you have expressed this to her. A good time was had by all. If you didn't have a good time at Sworded Affaire, you weren't really there.

Simply put, things are developing in the rapier community. Moods are light, enthusiasm is in high gear, and the training of our newer fighters continues apace. Truly, this a rapier community worthy of its fine barony.

Semper Vigilans,

Don Michael M'Quilline  
Rapier Marshal for the Barony of al-Barran

# From the Arts and Sciences Minister

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Good Day al-Barran!

Your new A&S Minister here with the 1<sup>st</sup> quarters news, events, and all things A&S!

My name is Lady Róis inghean Uí Longáin and I started the game with my husband, Constantine de la Cortez, at the tail end of 2015 after moving back home to New Mexico. I am so happy to lead the charge of this wonderful barony to teach, develop, and share the joy of arts and sciences! On that note, this is what has been going on in al-Barran for the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter.

Scribal was not held in January or February, but Project night was held for both months. It was decided that Scribal will be joining Project night at Sandia Prep, which is at this time once a month on a Wednesday. Duchess Cecilia is now leading Scribal and has plans in the works for getting newcomers, or even those that might need help in specific areas of scroll work, better at this craft. We are excited to see more scribes! In March there was a bardic practice hosted by Lord Siegfried Stern and a backyard Bardic after Crown courtesy of Lord Aethelwulf munc. Thank you both and hopefully we can keep Bardic going consistently. Sewing Circle has been getting together most every Sunday lead by Lady Hette and if you are in need of help, it is a wonderful resource, many thanks to her and Sewing Circle. Towards the end of March, Sewing Circle made new loaner quivers for the archers of al-Barran and they look great!

Just a reminder that I am trying to write up a list of those individuals who would like to teach A&S classes at the al-Thing that occurs once a month. Every month I will send an email/facebook message call-out to those on the list to fill the time slots for classes at the al-Thing. It will entail what the time frame would be and if the spots fill up, there is always next month to teach! I will jot you down for the next month if this should be the case. Please contact me at [artsandsciences@al-barran.outlands.org](mailto:artsandsciences@al-barran.outlands.org), [rois.longain@gmail.com](mailto:rois.longain@gmail.com) , or you can message me on facebook (Amanda Gonsalves).

Another thing to keep in mind on your adventures in al-Barran is sharing the things you create with those unable to attend events or workshops. I would love to feature your pictures, articles, artwork, reviews, etc. in The Shaft quarterly newsletter. If you would like to contribute something, please get ahold of me at the above contacts. If you should need release forms they can be found at the Kingdom webpage: [www.outlands.org/library](http://www.outlands.org/library) . I want to thank everyone who has helped me

transition into this office and all the beautiful people of al-Barran, you make it a great place to be!

In Service,

Lady Róis



A&S Minister of al-Barran

**Sewing Circle:** Sunday evenings, 6:00pm – 09:00pm.

**Bardic Practice:** Sunday afternoon after fighter practice.

**Scribal:** Moving to Project Night.

**Project Night:** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays



# From Blaiddwyn

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Blaiddwyn got our A&S and Heraldic library back from Student Activities in late January, as well as our stash of loaner-garb fabric. It has been ensconced in our SUB office, and flipping through it while moving it we found a bunch of nifty things (including a very large library of the Compleat Anachronist)

At Fontaine 12th Night, Æðeluulf collected a Documentation handout from Mst. Monika von Zell, so I now have resources for people interested in prepping documentation for A&S research papers and/or displays.

Not much happened in February; we took the fabric stash to Golias for their Estrella Sewing circle, but no other Blaiddwyn students attended and we brought the whole bucket back. Æðeluulf donated a large plastic tub to store all the fabric so that it is protected from the next sewer malfunction above our office.

In March, with the announcement of the October Schola Science Faire, we now have a goal on which to focus our studies, for an A&S project which is may be less focused on kingdom or baronial competitions.

However, as the college will consist of two people after May, we are working more on recruitment ideas. The possibility exists of a more regular SCA presence on campus in the Fall Semester, so this may turn into regular A&S nights!

# Reminders for Grand Outlandish

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Because we're all pretty excited for this, a number of reminders regarding this year's Grand Outlandish. I'm sure to many of you this is not News, but to those new to the Barony, a few things to keep in mind.....

Welcome one and all to Grand Outlandish XLV! This is a big anniversary year, and we can't wait to celebrate it with all of you.

The Address is as Follows:

**Triskeles Farms**  
**171 Sundance Kid Road**  
**Edgewood, NM 87015**

## **Directions:**

Best route to I-40 Exit 175 (Tijeras).

Head South on 337 for 11.6 miles.

Turn left (East) on 217 for 1.7 miles.

At the Stop sign, continue straight (East) onto Martinez Road for .2 miles.

At the fork, keep Right onto Plant Road (South East) for .5 miles.

Turn left (East) on Velvet Drive for .9 miles.

Turn right (southeast) on Sundance Kid Rd for .3 miles.

Turn right (west) to enter site.

Continue West on the main road passing the white house to the event Gate.

## **Fee structure:**

Adult (18+) Pre-Reg \$30.00 (Member Discount of \$5.00 Applies)

Adult (18+) At Gate \$35.00 (Member Discount of \$5.00 Applies)

Adult (18+) Day \$20.00 (Member Discount of \$5.00 Applies)

Youth (8-17) Pre-Reg & At Gate: \$15.00

Youth (8-17) Day: \$5.00

Child (0-7) Pre-Reg, At Gate, & Day: Free

No Family Cap

This year we are offering Pre-Registration, please use the attached Pre-Registration Form.

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: SCA – AL-BARRAN.**

Mail completed Pre-Registration Form and Payment to:

Barony of al-Barran  
C/O GOT Registration  
PO Box 27676  
Albuquerque NM 87125

Registration and payment must be received by **May 11, 2018**.

**Event Description:**

In addition to the Lord of Outlandish and other well-known events held at Grand Outlandish, Building Workshops will be scheduled throughout the year where individual groups may come and work on-site to build your dream camp. All semi-permanent structures and plans for building should be approved by Countess Gilliana (gillian@processlocal.com). Official Building Proposal Forms and Building Regulations will be published and distributed. If there are any questions regarding the process of getting your Camp Building Projects Approved, please get with the Autocrats or Countess Gilliana

We will also be holding fund raisers for the General Site Improvements Projects which include: completing the showers, adding roadway lighting, graveling/mulching the road, ADA/paid parking, RV camping, trailer pull-through and general parking improvements. We plan on holding a “Most Inspired Project” Competition during GOT XLV where all of these site improvements would be voted on by the populace. This would be a friendly competition showcasing all the wonderful site improvements and honoring those who are “Building the Dream.”

**Site Roads:**

Please keep your speed at **5 mph** through the site for the safety of the site owners who and event attendees. There are several ONE WAY roads on-site that will be marked as such, please pay close attention to the site map and road signs.

**Parking:**

This year we are happy to announce that we have extended the parking areas for site and now offer paid parking for a \$5.00 fee. This will allow you to park one vehicle in the VIP Parking located on the old battlefield down Sol Road or in the very limited area at the end of Scorpion’s Sting. Please note, the area down Sol Road is also reserved for Handicapped Parking free of charge, please show placard to Gate for Handicapped Parking Pass. Please note that all vehicles need to fill out a Parking Pass and display it on their dashboards.

Parking is always an issue at such a well-attended event and we appreciate your assistance in parking in an orderly fashion. To aid the parking situation we have appointed volunteers to direct the parking efforts, if they ask you to relocate your vehicle, please do so. If you have any questions regarding where to park, please ask.

**RV's:**

There is a designated RV Loop with spots for RV camping (no hookups) but space is limited. Please contact the Land Coordinator Countess Gilliana leigh Galway ([gillian@processlocal.com](mailto:gillian@processlocal.com)) to reserve your RV spot.

Alcohol (Wet or Dry Site): **Wet**

**Fire Restrictions:**

No fires without an on/off switch/valve other than in preapproved designated areas. All flames are to be above 36" from the ground and should be accompanied by a fire extinguisher and shovel. Please, no smoking in Town Hall Tents and be courteous to non-smokers. Dispose of cigarette butts in fireproof containers.

**In Case of Emergency:**

Please go to Autocrat's Point, Security HQ, or Gate to immediately reach seneschal, autocrat, and security via Radio. All 911 calls are to be routed through the seneschal or autocrat so that our Emergency Procedures can be followed quickly and efficiently. Your safety and wellbeing are our main concern so that everyone has a safe and enjoyable event.

**Pets:**

All pets are to be on a leash and under total control of the owner. Owners in violation of this may be asked to remove their pet(s) from site.

**Snakes/Pests:**

Contact security to remove snakes or other unwanted visitors.

**Port-a-Potties:**

At the request of the vendor, no signs may be taped to the port-a-potties and please do not put trash/sanitary napkins in the Porta's. Please contact the autocrat if you would like a notice to be posted on the Privy Signs.

**Trash:**

Place your trash next to the port-a-potties each morning before 7AM. All trash is to be in garbage bags and tied tightly to keep debris under control. This service is provided by volunteers; please be courteous and help us leave the site cleaner than we found it.

**Parking:**

Guests are encouraged to move your vehicle to the parking area as soon as possible after unloading it. There is very little space to pass vehicles on the road so whenever possible, pull off the road to unload. Thank you!

**Site Cleanups/Building Workshops**

This year's Forty-Fifth Grand Outlandish Tournament's theme is "Building the Dream." Continuing on the work from last year's Grand Outlandish, this year we plan on making some Grand Improvements to the Site and Camps, showcasing the

pride and honor of the mighty Kingdom of the Outlands. We invite groups to build their dream encampments.

All Group Projects are to be officially approved by the Site Owners using the Building Proposal Form. For more information on submitting Group Projects for approval, please contact Lady Belatumara filia Disideri or Sir Fierien Greenholm, Autocrats (bellatumara@gmail.com; greenisgold50@gmail.com) or Countess Gilliana leigh Galway, Land Coordinator/Site Owner (gillian@processlocal.com).

We are excited to announce the official Building Workshop dates and Site Projects planned. These Site Projects will have Fund Raisers organized to support them, and while not all of these will be accomplished in their entirety before this year's Grand Outlandish, they represent the ongoing efforts we are taking to improve the Site.

### **Site Projects**

Shower Improvements

Roadway Lighting

Roadway Wood-Chips/Aggregate

VIP/Handicap Parking

RV Loop & Trailer Pull-Through

Battlefield Structures

### **Building Workshops**

May 12-13 2018

May 19-20 2018

Please note, all work performed on Saturday will be ran and supervised in efforts to direct volunteer crews in accomplishing the Site Projects, and all work performed on Sundays will be for individual groups to accomplish their approved Group Projects.

Please come prepared to the Building Workshops with gloves, sunscreen, and good work boots. If you can bring tools, we could use: Chainsaws, Loppers, Shovels, Trailers, and Trucks. We will ensure there is water available on-site, however, please plan on bringing lunch and snacks as we will not be able to provide lunch this year. There will also not be any facilities on-site, so please plan accordingly, and as always, be respectful to the Site and the Landowners.

Grand Outlandish is rapidly approaching and we look forward to seeing many of you once again. It will be held at Triskeles Farms, the same location as last year, and all merchants who attended last year, and vend again this year have the option to use the same location as last year. Last year we moved the merchants so they are all along the main roads and merchants loved the extra traffic.

## Merchant Information

All merchants (including their families and/or assistants) are required to Pre-Register for this event, please use the link at the top of the page to access the Pre-Registration Form. Merchants should plan on arriving on Wednesday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> after 10:00 am. Everyone is required to check in with the Merchant Coordinator, before proceeding to your assigned booth space. Please do not block the roadways and attempt to be set up by the time site opens at 12:00 pm on Thursday, May 24<sup>th</sup>.

### Fee Structure:

Small Merchant Space - 15'x15' \$15.00

Large Merchant Space – 15'x30', 20'x20' \$30.00

Merchant Fees DO NOT include gratis. Merchants and their assistants must Pre-Register for the event using the Pre-Registration Form and normal fee structure.

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Albuquerque NM 87125

Registration and payment must be received by **May 11, 2018**.

Our Main Objective is to enhance the experience of the SCA members and newcomers with the goods being sold at this event. Please make your booth as Period as possible. If you need to camp behind your booth, please get with the Merchant Coordinator so that we can plan accordingly (There are a limited number of spaces available with camping). If you are camping behind your booth, please also make your camp as period as possible. Any music being played must be kept low. Animals are allowed at your booth provided that the animal is leashed and under control at all times. Merchants not following these guidelines may be asked to leave site with no refunds.

- **NO ALCOHOL SALES OF ANY KIND**

- **NO SALE OF LIVE STEEL OR OTHER DANGEROUS ITEMS TO ANYONE UNDER 18. IF A MEMBER OF YOUR PARTY IS UNDER THE AGE OF 18, THEY MUST NOT HAVE LIVE STEEL OR OTHER DANGEROUS ITEMS IN HAND.**
- **ALL FOOD SALES OR DISTRIBUTION OF FOOD BY MERCHANTS ARE REQUIRED TO COMPLY WITH ALL STATE LICENSE REQUIREMENTS. CONTACT MERCHANT COORDINATOR FOR MORE INFORMATION.**

The Event Stewards and staff for Outlandish hope the event will be fun, safe and profitable for all concerned.

Please feel free to contact the Merchant Coordinators with any questions:

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Yours in Service,

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# Upcoming events

May 2018		
5-6	Barony of Caerthe	Coronation
12	Shire of Bryngolau	May Day Celebration
24-28	Barony of al-Barran	Grand Outlandish XLV
25-28	Barony of Caerthe	Condotierri
June 2018		
1-3	Barony of Unser Hafen	Colorado Medieval Festival
8-10	Barony of Dragonsspine	Dragonsspine's Champions
8-10	Kingdom of Aethelmearc	Known World Heralds and Scribes Symposium
8-17	Kingdom of Calontir	Lillies War
15-17	Barony of Caerthe	Academy of Grace & Valor 4
19-24	Shire of Plattefordham	Northern Realms War
22-24	Shire of Nahrun Kabirun	Clann Wars
23-24	Kingdom of Caid	Caid Coronation
30	Barony of Caer Galen	Caer Galen Defender - A Day in the Park
July 2018		
4-8	Kingdom of the Outlands	Battlemoor IX
14	Barony of Dragonsspine	Thynaire Pas d'Arms
20-22	Barony of al-Barran	Nock on Wood
27-29	Shire of Plattefordham	Here There Be Dragons



## Answers to GOT quiz

1. Cedro Peak
2. Down came the Black Guard out of the hills  
Their Weapons brandished high  
Down came the Guard in a coward's attack;  
The innocent were sure to die.
3. Lord Starkard of Maledon
4. Baldwin of Erebor
5. May 24-26 1974
6. Outlandish III, Raymond the Quiet
7. Prince
8. Stefan & Beau
9. All Hail the Lord of Outlandish  
All Hail the Lord of Outlandish  
(Ladys) – Ahhhhhhhhhhhh
10. Peacock Site
11. Kragon & Sarah
12. Hrothgar
13. 10 Barons & 8 Baroness'
14. 41
15. Grand Outlandish Tournament

1. Erick Blaxton
2. 7
3. Baldwin of Erebor
4. 3
5. 3
6. Raymond the Quiet
7. Otto & Elisée
- 8.
9. 40
10. Any drawing