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Barony of Fontaine dans
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Fontaine dans Sable

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Their Excellencies, Qara Gan and Ceara

Baronial Retinue

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Lord Anthony Fantino

Vert Warder

Lady Lasairfhiona inghean an Sheanchaidhe

Black Fountain Pursuivant Herald

Lord Robert Moffat

Baronial Retinue

Continued

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Quartermistress

Lady Anna Katherine von Teltge

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Lord Seamus Able Johnstone

Lord Lingorm

Lord Dogan

Lord Soren

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Lord Arslan Batujin Cherbe

Lady Anna Katherine von Teltge

Lady Lasairfhiona inghean an Sheanchaidhe

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12TH NIGHT MASQUE

JANUARY 17TH

AZTEC SENIOR CENTER

101 S. PARK AZTEC NM

SITE OPENS: 2PM CLOSES: MIDNIGHT

SITE FEE: \$15 ADULT \$7 CHILDREN (5-12)

FEAST IS INCLUDED

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QARA GAN AND CEARA, BARON AND BARONESS OF FONTAINE DANS
SABLE, SEND FORTH GREETINGS. THEIR EXCELLENCIES INVITE ONE
AND ALL TO JOIN THEM IN A CELEBRATION OF THE TWELFTH NIGHT
WITH A MASQUE BALL. COME ENJOY FINE FOOD, GOOD FRIENDS,
LIVELY DANCING AND MUCH FUN.

WE INVITE ALL TO JOIN US IN A GRAND MASQUE COMPETITION.
PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN. WE WILL ALSO BE CROWNING A NEW
PRINCESS OF THE PEA AND LORD OF MISRULE. THE SCATTERED
GOLD GUILD WILL ONCE AGAIN BE HOSTING A SILENT AUCTION.

LADY ANNA KATHERINE HAS BEGUN PREPARATIONS FOR A FINE
ITALIAN FEAST. PLEASE RESERVE YOUR FEAST SOON. THERE ARE 120
FEASTS AVAILABLE. RESERVATIONS ARE DUE BY JANUARY 3RD. LET
LADY ANNA KATHERINE KNOW AT THE TIME OF RESERVATION IF
YOU REQUIRE A VEGETARIAN FEAST.

MENU

ON TABLE;

BREAD AND SEASONED OLIVE OIL FOR DIPPING
CHEESE & SALAMI

1ST REMOVE;

LINGUINI CARBONARA

LINGUINI PASTA WITH A PARMESAN BACON CREAM SAUCE

FRESH VEGGIE TRAY WITH DIP

MAIN COURSE;

CHICKEN BREAST WITH MARSALLA WINE GRAVY

ACORN SQUASH BAKED WITH BROWN SUGAR AND BUTTER

SEASONED GREEN BEANS WITH SUN DRIED TOMATOES

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING ALL OUR GOOD FRIENDS IN THIS TIME OF
CELEBRATION.

DIRECTIONS: FROM THE NORTH TAKE 550 SOUTH TO AZTEC. TURN LEFT
ONTO MAIN AVE. TURN RIGHT ONTO CHACO. AT THE STOP SIGN TURN LEFT
ONTO PARK AVE. THE CENTER WILL BE IMMEDIATELY ON YOUR RIGHT.
FROM THE SOUTH TAKE 550 NORTH THROUGH BLOOMFIELD INTO AZTEC.
TURN LEFT ONTO CHACO. AT THE STOP SIGN TURN LEFT ONTO PARK AVE.

THE CENTER WILL BE IMMEDIATELY ON YOUR RIGHT.

WAR PRACTICE

JANUARY 18TH

MINIMUM PARK

NORTH PARK AVE.

SITE OPEN: 11AM CLOSES: 3PM

WAR IS UPON US. COME JOIN US FOR WAR PRACTICE. LUNCH WILL BE
SERVED.

THE PARK IS ONE BLOCK NORTH ON MAIN AVE FROM THE SENIOR
CENTER.

Greetings to the mighty populace of Fontaine,
Congratulation is in order. This weekend at
Fontaine's Toy Box, the bravest and mightiest of
warriors competed on the field for the honor of
protecting the Barony's most treasured populace, the
children.

Each combatant was inspired by and carried the
favor of a child.

Lord Lochlan is the new Defender of the Children.
Lord Argyle is the new Protector of the Children.
Lord Dogan is the premier Sentinel of the Children.

Hazzah for the honor and chivalry shown by all
combatants,

Qara Gan and Ceara
Baron and Baroness of Fontaine

Greeting to the populace of the Back fountain

There has been and will be much excitement coming to us soon. With the Fontaine Toy Box finished I would like to thank Lady Anna Katherine for getting the needed information for the Toy Box web page. It seems to have done its job in getting the right things for the care packages to our very worthwhile event. Coming this month will be the website for Our Twelfth Night reveling. I will be working with Lady Louie to create a wonderful website to try to match the fun and excitement of this event.

Also coming this month will be a new link where Members of the Barony of Fontaine Dans Sable may purchase items to show their Baronial Pride. Viva Fontaine!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

I hope to replace the unused People tab on our site with a Pictures Tab, and so I am looking for photos and/or to place on the site to show some of the color of our wonderful Barony. If anyone has photos they would like to see on the website, or any questions please email me at webminister@fontainesca.org .

In service to the Dream
Lord Geoffrey Thatcher

Al-Barran Midwinter

“We Are al-Barran”

December 20th-21st, 2008

Site opens 9am

Site closes 10pm

Barony of al-Barran

Moriarity Civic Center

Alcohol is to be purchased on site

Autocrat: THL Bronwen Blackwell (Reta Bray, 505-550-4875,
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Site Fees:

17 years old and older- site \$10 (includes lunch)

5 - 16 years old - site \$6 (includes lunch)

17 years old and older -feast \$15

5 - 16 years old - feast \$9

4 years old and younger free

17 years old and older has non-member surcharge \$3

Make checks payable to -SCA, al-Barran

Unto the Known World, do Their Excellencies Sir Gregor and Lady Monika, Baron and Baroness of al-Barran wish to invite one and all to celebrate this yuletide season with Them at al-Barran's Midwinter.

Let us reminisce over all that makes al-Barran the great Barony it has become. From Sir Raymond the Quiet, Baron al-Barran to the two reigns of Sir Stefan and Mistress Beau, to our present Baron and Baroness Sir Gregor and Lady Monika.

The day is filled with activities for all ages. Along with a garb competition- don your persona's best garb and strut your stuff, a period table decoration competition, and in true German tradition a gingerbread house competition- be creative!!! For those who are a touch more daring there will be an outrageous codpiece competition

(REMEMBER TO KEEP IT KID FRIENDLY). For more information contact Lady Bianca TBiancaM1@aol.com.

This year there are 9 different site token designs. You will receive one when you check in at gate. You may purchase another for \$1.50 or all 9 of them for \$10. If you would like to pre-order, please contact: sitetokens@yahoo.com

His Excellency would like to share His table with all present with a sideboard lunch.

Menu:

Potato and Leek Soup
Fowl with apple and raisin stuffing
Seasoned meatballs
Celery root and apple salad

Lady Tessa and her crew have the most mouthwatering removes planned; one does not want to miss this outstanding feast.

Menu: Here are a few of the dishes planned!!

Empanadas
Sausage in Shallots
Welsh Rarebit
Fried Cucumbers with cream & dill sauce
Rosemary Pork
Andulsian Chicken

Kids Menu

Toad-in-the-hole
Cheese covered noodles (mac & cheese)

If all of this is not enough to entice you to join us---there will be merchants to help with any last minute holiday shopping that you might have. So don your best garb, get your reservation in, and come out to for a day filled with outstanding food and wonderous delights.

Reservations:

Please mail your PAID reservations by check or money order payable to "SCA, al-Barran", and include a note with the Legal and SCA Names, Member Numbers (if applicable) and the type of reservation

(youth or adult, site and/or feast) and any special site-token requests to the following address:

al-Barran Midwinter
P.O. Box 27676
Albuquerque, NM 87125

Directions to Moriarity Civic Center

From Interstate 40 exit 196 go south into town

Turn right (east) at the first stoplight and proceed 0.2 miles to Broadway.

Turn left (south) and proceed 0.2 miles to the site, on the left side of the road.

Greetings unto Fontaine!

That great American Holiday of Thanksgiving is now a memory. I hope each of you stopped for a moment to count your blessings and feel gratitude for all that we possess and experience in this great land.

But with the start of the Holiday season, many events are now upon us. Rio's Wule Revel is the 6th of December at Riverhold and always a great time had by all. Al-Barran's Midwinter is the 20th with a war practice the following day. Our own 12th Night is coming up on January 17th, with a war practice to follow.

And, speaking of WAR, as of this writing, we are 73 days from the great conflict on the fields of Adenvelt. The days are slipping by very quickly. We must prepare to be victorious once again!

Our fighter practices have been moved indoors for the winter season and are being held at Tibbett's Junior High. Our next (tentatively) scheduled fighter practice tournament is Dec 14th. Watch the list for any change to this directive.

I do apologize for being so out of touch recently. Mundane work issues are keeping me busy and often keeping me from seeing all of you. But be assured that you are in my thoughts and I am with you in spirit. Many warm welcomes to all our new players.

Sew your warmies, repair your armor and sharpen your blades for War is upon us! I encourage all that are able to go to Adenvelt in February for a glorious week. It will be an experience you will always treasure and never forget!

In Service to the Dream
Lady Elyenora Danyel de la Roche

Of Interest to the Barony

Websites of Interest for the Barony of Fontaine dans Sable

Fontaine dans Sable's Website: <http://fontainesca.org>
Fontaine's Discussion List: fontainedanssable@yahoogroups.com
Fontaine's Largesse List: fontaine-largesse@yahoogroups.com
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Fontaine's Player's List: Fontaine-Players@yahoogroups.com
Fontaine's Brewers List: fontaine-brewers@yahoogroups.com
Fontaine Belly Dancers' List: fontainebellydancers@yahoo.groups.com
Outlands' Website: <http://www.outlands.org>
SCA Website: <http://sca.org>

The Barony is in need of Deputies for the following Offices:

Scribe
Waterbearer
Webminister
Exchequer
Herald

Upcoming Events:

Yule Revel in the Shire of Rio de los Animas: December 6, 2008
Al-Barran Midwinter: December 20-21, 2008
Fontaine 12th Night: January 17-18, 2008

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