

# La Fontaine des Nouvelles

The Official Newsletter of the Barony of  
Fontaine dans Sable

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*Master Duncan (this year's autocrat), Mistress Mary and Her Excellency, Elizabeth last year of wardens.*

# Fontaine dans Sable

Baron and Baroness

*Their Excellencies, Angus & Elizabeth*

## Baronial Retinue

Sable Warder

*Sir Devon Drakeson*

Azure Warder

*Lord Caelan MacKinnon*

Argent Warder

*Lord Wilhelm de Risen*

Vert Warder

*Lady Melangell Dun*

Wee Warder

*Maddie*

Bard Of Fontaine

*Lady Seika*

Black Fountain Pursuivant Herald

*TJL Anna MacTaggart*

Head Lady In Waiting

*Lady Emily MacRae*

Captain of the Guard

*TJL Argyle MacGreggor*

Companions

*Don Estevan de Sepultura*

*Lady Isabella di Francesco*

*Ambrosini*

*Syr Michael Patrick MacBain*

Quarter Mistress

*TJL Anna Katherine von Feljge*

Captain of the Golden Paus:

*Lord Gaylon de Sepultura*

Ladies in Waiting

*Lady Juliana Craye*

*Lady Angelina of Fontaine*

*Lady Seika*

*Lady Eibhlean*

Baronial Guard

*Lord Soren McKinney*

*Lord Gaylon de Sepultura*

*Lord William*

*Lord Conaire*

*Seperoth de Sepultura*

*Lord Lingorm Gympé inn Eykr*

*(reserve)*

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# HEAR THE WORDS OF THE BARON & BARONESS OF FONTAINE

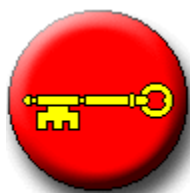
GREETINGS UNTO THE FINEST POPULACE IN THE KNOWN WORLD!

LONG HAVE OUR WARDERS LABORED...GUARDING THE WESTERN GATE ON OUR BEHALF SO THAT THE BARONY AND INDEED THE KINGDOM CAN BE SECURE. THE TIME HAS COME TO ALLOW THEM TO REST AND TIME FOR OTHERS TO STEP UP TO TAKE THEIR PLACE. A GRAND EVENT IS PLANNED, INCLUDING A TOURNAMENT FOR OUR ARMORED COMBATANT (SABLE), OUR RAPIER FIGHTER (AZURE), OUR ARCHER (ARGENT), AND OF COURSE OUR ARTS AND SCIENCES CHAMPION (VERT), TO REMIND THE OTHERS OF WHAT THEY FIGHT FOR. THE VICTORS OF THESE TOURNAMENTS WILL INDEED BE THE NEXT WARDERS OF THE WESTERN GATE!!! IN ADDITION TO THESE WARDERS, A TOURNAMENT WILL BE HELD TO FIND A NEW BARD OF FONTAINE...ONE WITH THE ABILITY TO RECORD THE JOURNEYS OF OUR FINE NEW CHAMPIONS AND SHARE THEM WITH THE REST OF US IN THE FORM OF MUSIC AND POETRY!

SO GO FORTH AND PREPARE YOURSELVES!!! REPAIR YOUR ARMOR, YOUR SWORDS, AND YOUR ARTISTIC INSTRUMENTS!!! MAKE YOURSELF READY! FOR THE TIME HAS COME TO ASK YOURSELF "DO I HAVE WHAT IT TAKES TO BE THE NEXT WARDER OF THE WESTERN GATE?"

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU THERE!

IN SERVICE,  
ANGUS AND ELIZABETH  
BARON AND BARONESS OF FONTAINE DANS SABLE



## News from the Seneschal

Greetings Unto the Populace of Fontaine dans Sable,

This past month has been full of fantastic events. First there was Battlemoor II. I had a blast shooting archery all week. Congratulations to Lord Seamus for making the top 16 archers for the Royal Archer Tournament.

Then there was Rio de las Animas Defender. FANTASTIC. I had so much fun. I loved the siege A&S competition. The armored combat and rapier tournaments were fun to watch. I loved the octagon list field. I had a great time shooting the archers duel. Baroness Leona provided an amazing lunch.

Last weekend Their Excellencies, Lord Seamus and I ventured to al-Barran for Nock on Wood. We all had a blast. Lord Seamus really kicked butt in all of the shoots. Let me just say that I will never be able to go up against Her Excellency and not remember this event. Way too much fun! Also His Excellency and Lord Seamus made it to the top 4 in the archers duel.

Events that are coming up are the Mancos Renn Fair and Warders of the Western Gate. Bids for Toy Box are due by September 30th. Bids for 12th Night are due by October 31st.

At this time I am opening up the office of Seneschal for letters of intent. I have had the honor of serving this Barony for the last 2 years and a couple of months. Those who are interested in holding this office need to submit letters to myself, Their Excellencies and the Kingdom Seneschal. Please include your qualifications for this office and why you wish to serve in this capacity. If you have any questions concerning this office please contact me.



Yours in Service,  
Lady Lasairfhiona inghean an Seanchaidhe  
Seneschal

# HEED THE WORDS OF THE KNIGHT MARSHALL



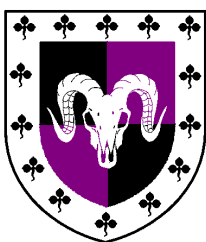
GREETING ALL,

ALL ARE ENCOURAGED TO MAKE THE MOST OF THEIR EFFORTS TO ATTEND **WARDERS**. **T**HIS COULD BE A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO SHOWCASE THIS **BARONY**'S PROWESS AND HOSPITALITY. **M**ANY OF US HAVE AGREED TO BE ACTIVE COORDINATORS; WITH THAT, WE SHOULD EXPECT THE MOST FROM OURSELVES AND THOSE WE ARE ASSISTING. **P**LEASE REMEMBER THAT IF IT IS NOT FOR OUR EFFORTS OTHERS SHALL MISS OUT ON THE **DREAM** OF THE EVENT.

**I** HAVE BEEN VERY IMPRESSED, OVER THIS SUMMER SEASON, AT THE ATTENTION TO ARMOR AND COMBAT CONVENTIONS DISPLAYED BY NOT ONLY THE COMBATANTS AND MARSHALS, BUT THE POPULACE AS WELL. **I**T DOES APPEAR, **F**ONTAINE, THAT MANY OF YOU ARE BECOMING MORE AND MORE KNOWLEDGEABLE OF THE MARTIAL ARTS. **T**HIS IS VERY ENCOURAGING AND IT WILL DO NOTHING BUT HELP ALL WHO ARE A PART OF OUR ENDEAVORS. **T**HANK YOU ALL FOR THE SUPPORT YOU HAVE CONTINUOUSLY SHOWN TO THE MARSHALETTE.

**I** WILL AGAIN ENCOURAGE ALL TO STAY HYDRATED AND PROTECTED FROM THE ELEMENTS OF SUMMER. **O**NE DOES NOT HAVE TO FEEL THIRSTY TO BE PARCHED AND IN NEED OF LIQUID. **S**AME TO SAY ABOUT FEELING OVERHEATED TO BE SUFFERING FROM MILD HEAT EXHAUSTION/ EXPOSURE. **P**LEASE BE ADVISED TO TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION THE ELEMENTS OF ANY EVENT YOU MAY ATTEND THIS TIME OF YEAR.

**W**E HAVE A NEW **KINGDOM EARL MARSHAL**, **SIR ALEXANDER**. **I**F YOU HAVE REPORTS TO DO, PLEASE GET THEM DONE. **T**HERE SHOULD BE SOME INCREASED DEMANDS FROM THE **MARSHALETTE** REGARDING AUTHORIZATIONS, WEAPONS STANDARDS, AND COMMUNICATION. **I** WILL AGAIN REMIND THE POPULACE THAT **GRETIN** IS A CONFIRMED **D**EPUTY TO MY OFFICE AND SHOULD BE ENGAGED AS SUCH. **D**O NOT BE ALOOF IF SHE MIGHT COME TO YOU FOR INFORMATION IN THE COMING MONTHS.



PREPARE AND BE SAFE  
SYR MICHAEL MACBAIN



## Missives from the Captain of Archers

We had three good gentles shoot in the Royal Archery Tournament:  
Her Excellency, Elizabeth, Lady Lasairfhiona, and Lord Seamus.  
Lord Seamus made it to the 13 Round. The Honorable Lord Ian Mac Rae  
took the Rio challenge. Next month we will have rankings and results  
from Nock on Wood. All of the archers that came to Battlemoor and  
to Rio's challenge made an outstanding showing on the field of archery  
and we should be very proud of them!

Lord Lingorm  
Captain of Archers



*Our Current Argent Warder, Lord Wilhelm*

# *Announcements of the Exchequer*



*Greetings unto the Populace!*

*It is hard to believe, but we are more than halfway through the year already! Financially we are solid, and are even managing to make a little bit of money for the Barony! Below please find an update of the Financial Report.*

*If you have any questions about the financial report or the office of the Chancellor of the Exchequer, I'll be happy to answer them!*

*In service,*

*Allamanda de La Roca*

*Chancellor of the Exchequer*

## Fontaine dans Sable Financial Report 2011

### INCOME

	1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter	2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter	3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter	YTD
Fundraising					
Royal Travel Fund	\$500.00	\$0.00			\$500.00
Baronial Travel Fund	\$140.00	\$0.00			\$140.00
Direct Contributions					
Stale Checks	\$16.00	\$0.00			\$16.00
Activity Related					
Site Fees	\$1440.00	\$1080.00			\$2520.00
Funds fr. Other SCA					
Rio for Mancos	\$200.00	\$0.00			\$200.00
Interest	\$0.50	\$0.58			\$1.08
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	<b>\$2296.50</b>	<b>\$1080.58</b>			<b>\$3377.08</b>

### EXPENSES

	1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter	2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter	3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter	YTD
Equipment	\$0.00	\$417.06			\$417.06
Food					
Activity Related	\$692.02	\$0.00			\$692.02
General Supplies					
Office/Admin	\$19.90	\$0.00			\$19.90
Activity Related	\$526.07	\$146.04			\$672.11
Fundraising	\$0.00	\$68.33			\$68.33
Occupancy					
Activity Related	\$475.00	\$0.00			\$475.00
Other Expenses	\$0.00	\$131.40			\$131.40
Travel	\$0.00	\$169.51			\$169.51
Transfer to Kingdom	\$0.00	\$578.00			\$578.00
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$1,712.99</b>	<b>\$1510.34</b>			<b>\$3223.33</b>

NET INCOME (Total Income- Total Expenses) YTD:

\$153.75

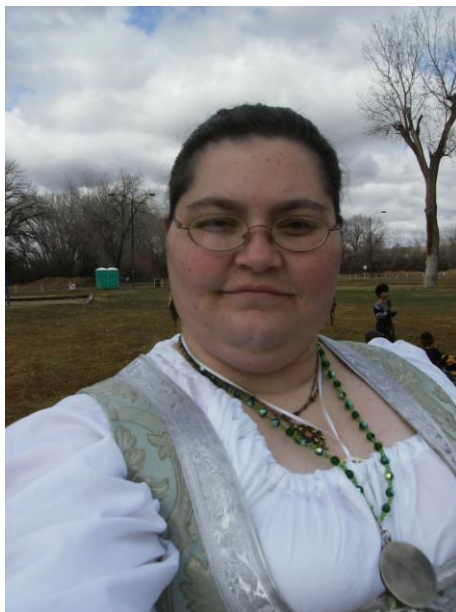
# Greetings From The Chronicler



Hail Fontaine!

I hope this missive finds you all well. As our summer begins to wind down, we look toward our Barony's largest event of the year, **WARDERS!!** I know that Master Duncan and his team of autocrats and coordinators have been hard at work to make this year's event run smoothly and to provide more fun for everyone! I hear rumors of more in just about every aspect, more fighting, more archery, and more A&S. Also, as your Vert Warder, I have heard many rumors of those from without our borders plotting, scheming and planning to take our precious warders outside our Barony. Check your armor and your blades, string your bows and finish your projects! We have the talent in this Barony to keep these warders here at home. Whatever field you fight on; **PREPARE!**

YIS,  
Lady Melangell Dwn  
Chronicler



# August 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
			Officer's Meeting 6:30 PM Populace Meeting 7 PM	Archery Children's 4 PM Adults 5 PM		<b>Fighter Practice</b> Heavy 11 AM Rapier 11 AM
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Archery 11 AM				Archery Children's 4 PM Adults 5 PM		<b>Fighter Practice</b> Heavy 11 AM Rapier 11 AM
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Archery 11 AM				Archery Children's 4 PM Adults 5 PM		<b>Fighter Practice</b> Heavy 11 AM Rapier 11 AM
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Archery 11 AM				Archery Children's 4 PM Adults 5 PM		<b>Fighter Practice</b> Heavy 11 AM Rapier 11 AM
28	29	30	31			
Archery 11 AM						

# September 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
				Warders of the Western Gate begins		
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Warders of the Western Gate ends		Officer's Meeting 6:30 PM Populace Meeting 7 PM	Archery Children's 4 PM Adults 5 PM	Crown Tournament	<b>Fighter Practice</b> Heavy 11 AM Rapier 11 AM Crown Tournament
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
				Archery Children's 4 PM Adults 5 PM		<b>Fighter Practice</b> Heavy 11 AM Rapier 11 AM
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Archery 11 AM				Archery Children's 4 PM Adults 5 PM	Champions Of Al-Barran begins	
25	26	27	28	29	30	
Archery 11 AM	Champions Of Al-Barran ends			Archery Children's 4 PM Adults 5 PM	Toybox bids due	

# WARDERS OF THE WESTERN GATE

come one come all to the one of the best end of summer events in the outlands. warders of the western gate will be held september 1<sup>st</sup> through september 5<sup>th</sup>.

there will be armored fighting, rapier fighting, archery, a&s, parties, a quest, and as his excellency said so well at outlandish "and we have slaine".

we will be holding tournaments for all the baronial warders (champions) as well as fun tourneys and we are planning some melees as well.

**where:** 1951 CR 120 hesperus, CO. 81326

**when:** site opens noon on sept 1<sup>st</sup> 2011 and closes noon on sept 5<sup>th</sup> 2011

**how much:** site fees will be \$20 per adult, \$10 per child with a \$60 family cap. all non member charges will apply.

**site restrictions:** no potable water on site, fire restrictions will depend on county fire restrictions at the time, site is wet.

## **DIRECTIONS TO SITE:**

### **FROM THE NORTH:**

follow hwy 160 into durango (from pagosa springs)  
turn left (west) toward mancos, CO to follow hwy  
160 (double tree hotel on northwest corner)  
turn left (south) on CO 140 (hesperus, CO)  
about  $\frac{3}{4}$  mile past mile marker 17 turn right onto  
CO RD 120 (second entrance to CO RD 120)  
(mile marker signs going south are on the left side  
of the road)  
on CO RD 120 (west) go 2.2 miles  
turn left (south) on to CO RD 122 (dirt road)  
go 1 mile, road will t (dead end sign in front of you)  
turn left (west), you are now on RD 122a (no RD  
sign)  
go 0.2 mile and straight ahead go through gate.

### **FROM THE SOUTH:**

turn left (west) in bloomfield onto hwy 64  
stay on the hwy 64 truck bypass (murray dr)  
through farmington  
hwy 64 will come to a t at Broadway, turn left to  
stay on hwy 64  
turn right (north) onto hwy 170 (La Plata hwy, just  
past fire station one)  
hwy 170 turns into hwy 140 at the CO border  
turn left (west) just past mile maker 16 onto CO RD  
120  
on CO RD 120 (west) go 2.2 miles  
turn left (south) on to CO RD 122 (dirt road)  
go 1 mile, road will t (dead end sign in front of you)  
turn left (west), you are now on RD 122a (no RD  
sign)  
go 0.2 mile and straight ahead go through gate.

Final Reminders:

Offices open: Seneschal

Deputies needed for: Captain of Archers

Bids open for: Toybox ends September 30<sup>th</sup>

!2th Night ends October 31st

Of Interest to the Barony

**Websites of Interest for the  
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Fontaine dans Sable's Website: <http://fontainesca.org>

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Outlands' Website: <http://www.outlands.org>

SCA Website: <http://sca.org>

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