



# THE ZEPHYR



October 2018- Anno Societatis 53

## Greetings from our Baron and Baroness



Greetings Ayreton!

With summer's end, fall encroaching and a new Dragon King ascending the throne, our thoughts return home to Ayreton. We'd like to encourage all of you to share your knowledge and skills with each other. We have seen many of you teaching classes at events, both home and away and sitting down in day camps to teach each other areas of interest. This is incredible, keep doing the thing! If there is something you wish to learn, ask questions, reach out to the gentles you see working on projects and ask them about it. Ayreton is a wealth of knowledge and talents and we love seeing that skill set grow.

People may have noticed the Ayreton Family Photos that have been taken at events that we attend. We love doing this and would encourage you to look for the opportunity to jump into photos at events. We can celebrate Ayreton together and show the Known Word, Ayreton rocking the road trips as we teach, learn and volunteer at events all around the Middle Kingdom and beyond. Usually photos are taken right before feast, or at the end of court, sometime close to the end of the day. Ayreton members who are at events that we aren't, take and share photos! Use the Facebook page and the email list to celebrate you!

We are creating a new version of the Passport Program that will simplify the procedure for everyone. We will be creating favors with an Ayreton heraldry. Starting at 12<sup>th</sup> Night we will be handing out those favors to anyone in attendance. At every canton event a star will be given out that participants can sew to their favors if they wish. At the end of the year people who attend all Ayreton events will have gained five stars for their favor. The favor also serves as a handy pouch. It's a win-win. If you can't attend all events because of life, you still can get a cool favor. If you can, you get a cool favor with stars representing the cantons, and bragging rights. No need to hang onto passports or have them signed. Just show up at events.

A few words about cantons. We'd like to dispel some misinformation and reasons for concern. No one in the barony may decide if a canton should dissolve other than the people in the canton. This will not be up for a general baronial vote. If cantons are concerned over their own sustainability in being able to meet the requirements set by the board of directors they may vote to dissolve at any time during their existence, but the choice is up to the individual cantons and the people who live in them. The only outside force with the power to dissolve a canton would be the BOD themselves if the requirements for maintaining a group are not being met. If canton members are feeling pressure to continue to hold offices and report the BOD of directors presents a potential solution called a hamlet. The information about hamlets per the kingdom seneschal is as follows:

A hamlet, if approved by the BOD, would need the appropriate marshals, a deputy A&S officer and a deputy chatelaine. A hamlet would divest their treasury to the administrating group. A hamlet is basically a place for a remote location to have supported outreach and activities in the community. Seneschal and Exchequer duties would be the administrating group's responsibilities. So basically, people to coordinate the fun and creative parts without the burden of being a full status chapter. Events would be in the name of the administering group Zip codes would cede to the administrating group. Groups that divest themselves would turn over their name and device as a badge of the supporting group.

This information is not in any way a suggestion for any groups, it is just an option. If cantons wish to continue as cantons, they will have our support. If they wish to move towards a hamlet, they will have our support. If a canton

feels that dissolution is in the best interests of the people within the group, we will support that decision as well, but in no way will a suggestion be dictated to any one canton by the barony.

The conversation that is occurring is not a bad thing; discussing options, concerns, and sharing those with others is how we move towards making ourselves stronger as a whole. Be willing to listen to each other and attempt to understand the motivation for each other's opinions. Discuss with respect and civility and we will all come out stronger for it. Be kind to each other, together we are the heart and soul of Ayreton. We chose as a group to come together to assist each other at events, to spend time together and to learn from each other and to celebrate each other. That hasn't changed, nor do we expect it to. Pro vi Ayreton!

Gareth and Hillary



## **Greetings from the Seneschal**

Greetings, Good Gentles of Ayreton!

First, I wish to thank the Barony for the chance to serve - at the most recent meeting, I was elected by unanimous voice vote to serve a full two-year term as Seneschal. I am gratified by the response, and look forward to helping lead the Barony!

The coming weeks are busy for the Cantons and the Barony, with Fox Hunt, All Souls, and a Kingdom 12th Night all on the calendar! I look forward to catching up with a lot of you at those events!

At the meeting, Mistress Sarafina Sinclair put forth the suggestion that at least some of the Cantons consider voting to fold into the Barony, for a variety of reasons. This has obviously generated a great deal of discussion, most visibly on Facebook. I realize that not everyone has a FB account, or is necessarily comfortable sharing their opinions there, so I implore all Ayretonians to let me know how they feel! Find me at an event (like any of the above-mentioned!), or email me ([Ayreton.seneschal@midrealm.org](mailto:Ayreton.seneschal@midrealm.org)), or contact one of my deputies (Sarafina or Andreas the Norman). The Barony cannot and would not take unilateral action, but it's an important topic to at least consider, and I need to know how people feel - especially those who strongly identify with a Canton!

Finally... I wish, again, to thank all of you. Ayreton is the only geographical home I've ever known in the Society, and it's been a pleasure and a privilege to get to know you all. When need be, Ayretonians step up, and do a wide variety of difficult tasks with aplomb and skill. I am continually humbled by the effort and skill that Ayretonians, be they affiliated with the Barony or one of the Cantons, bring to this thing, this Dream, we all treasure.

To quote a very silly movie, "I love you nerds."

Yours in service,  
THL Tieron Alainí

## Greetings from the Chronicler

Gentle Cousins!

In this issue, we have some Very Important News about conversations happening regarding cantons. Please read TE's and THL Tieron's columns for more information.

We also, excitingly, have the debut of our new column, Ask Sarafina! This is a response to the request for an Ask-a-Peer column. Mistress Sarafina graciously accepted the challenge of being the first Peer, but I invite others to contribute also. If you have questions to ask our Peers, please send them to me ([pegcookol@gmail.com](mailto:pegcookol@gmail.com)) and I will pass them on.

I am continuing my project of trying to get as many members of the Barony as possible to sign (at the least) an SCA Model Release form so that I can publish the wonderful "family photos" that Their Excellencies are organizing at various events. Despite these photos being freely available on social media, according to SCA Corporate policy I can't publish them here without signed release forms. I am bringing these forms with me to events and meetings. I've gotten a good start with the collection of them, but if you'd like to send me the form electronically you can find the Model Release form here--  
<http://sca.org/docs/pdf/ReleaseModelFillable.pdf>

It's a fillable pdf that can be e-signed and then emailed to me ([pegcookol@gmail.com](mailto:pegcookol@gmail.com)). Or look for me at an event soon!

Be safe and enjoy decorative gourd season!

In service,  
THL Evzenie (known as Zanie)

## Calendar of Events

Go to [www.midrealm.com/calendar](http://www.midrealm.com/calendar) for a complete list.

**Oct 5-7** Foxhunt IV: The Foxhunt Goes Dancing at Lughnasadh, Canton of Foxvale (Big Rock , IL )

**Oct 12-14** Rendevous at the Bridge, Riviere Constelle, (Terre Haute IN)

**Oct 19-21** Fall Crown Tourney, Barony of Brendoken, (Ashland, OH)

**Oct 27** Bardic Madness, Canton of Tree Girt Sea (Midlothian IL)

**Nov 3** All Soles, Canton of Vanished Wood (Roselle, IL)

**Nov 9-11** Crystal Ball XXXV, Barony of Shattered Crystal, Mulberry Grove, IL

**Dec 1** Boars Head, Barony of Caer Anterth Mawr, Kingdom of Northshield (Milwaukee WI)

**The November Baronial Meeting will be at the Bloomingdale Public Library  
101 Fairfield Way Bloomingdale IL  
1:00pm-5:00pm**

**There will be a potluck lunch at 1pm with the Baronial meeting to follow. Sign up for potluck contributions happening on the [Baronial Facebook Group](#)**



*Ask Mistress Sarafina*  
*An advice column for those in need*

Dear Mistress Sarafina,

How do I get involved in the activities of my local group? Lots of the other people are peers. Do I have to wait for them to give me a job?

Sincerely,  
Lots Of Free Time On My Hands

Dear LOFTOMH,

***Let me start by saying that you definitely do NOT have to be a peer to get involved and take on responsibility. I actually became a group officer at my very first business meeting about 19 years ago. I don't recommend that path to everyone, but it goes to show you that you don't have to be a seasoned player to help make things function. It takes a lot of volunteers to make a group like ours work. If you're trying to figure out where you can fit in, start by attending a business meeting to see how they work. Talk to all the officers to get an idea of what they do. If one sounds interesting, ask to be a deputy so you can get a sense of the job without having the reporting responsibilities.***

***Being an officer is not the only way to get involved. If you see something that needs to be done, you have an opportunity to make a difference. I operate under the line of thinking that says that it's better to ask for forgiveness than to wait for permission. Obviously, there are some boundaries to this, but you don't have to have an official title in order to make a positive difference. At the most recent baronial moot, it came out in discussion that some people think that awards are given by the Crown based, in part, on the reports from the Ministers of Arts & Sciences. I was surprised that people think this, but I realized that I could do something about it. So, I wrote a note in the baronial group explaining how award recommendations work and linked to pertinent parts of the kingdom web page. Additionally, I decided to organize award recommendation writing parties around the barony. This involved me reaching out to people to find hosts and then posting in the baronial Facebook group. I didn't have to get permission to do this; I decided that we have a gap in understanding and I could do something to fill it.***

***There will never be a shortage of work to be done in the SCA. Try different things and figure out what makes you happy. The populace oath of fealty says that we will "serve where serve I might." Teamwork makes the Dream work.***

***Helpfully,  
Sarafina***

**AYRETON BARONIAL CHARTER  
Adopted September 2018**

**Preamble**

Whereas the purpose of a Barony is to provide new opportunities for fun in the SCA and to create new traditions, let it be known that the Barony of Ayreton claims no jurisdiction over the internal activities of the Cantons, with respect to Canton events, officers, and financial decisions, as long as the Cantons remain sanctioned. The Barony of Ayreton will respect and honor the traditions and customs of the Cantons. All participation in the Baronial activities is strictly voluntary and cooperative.

**Article I. Baronial Curia**

- A. The duly designated representatives of the Crown, Their Excellency(ies) Ayreton, shall be referred to in this document as the Baronage. One person may be selected, or two individuals of any relationship.
- B. The Baronial Curia is composed of the Baronage, Seneschal, Exchequer, Pursuivant, Minister of Arts and Sciences, Knights Marshal, and Chronicler.
- C. A Quorum of the Baronial Curia shall consist of the Baronage, Seneschal, and two additional members of the Baronial Curia. A quorum is required for all decisions made by Baronial Curia. Written proxies may be counted to achieve a quorum for decisions.
- D. Additional officer positions may be established by the Baronial Curia, and such additional officers will not be members of the Baronial Curia. The Baronial Curia will define the qualifications necessary to hold additional officer positions they may create in their discretion.
- E. Officers
  - a. All Officers are expected to send copies of reports required by their office to the Baronial Seneschal and to the Baronage.
  - b. Officers are expected to present a briefing on their area of responsibility at every Baronial Meeting, either in person or through a designee.
  - c. All Officers are encouraged to select and train a deputy, that they may assist with the duties of the office, act as a successor should the officeholder need/desire to step down, and retain institutional knowledge of the position.
  - d. All officers must pass along all materials and files of the office to their successor, along with access to electronic accounts.
- F. Terms of Office
  - a. All Baronial positions will have a term of two years from their election.
- G. Officer Transitions
  - a. Officer selection will be done annually at the Summer Baronial Meeting. Those selected will take office at the next Baronial Curia Meeting.
  - b. Officer selection is done by either voice vote or a show of hands, at the Seneschal's discretion, unless someone requests a secret ballot. If a secret ballot is requested, a paper ballot will be collected and counted.
  - c. If an officeholder must step down voluntarily out of cycle, they may name their successor (generally expected to be their deputy), for approval by the Baronage. The replacement will then serve out the remainder of the term for that office, as subject to I.F.a-b.
  - d. If an officeholder is removed for cause, the Baronage may offer the role to the deputy. If the deputy is found to be unsuitable, or there is none, the Baronage will have the Seneschal issue a call for volunteers, and the Baronage will select from among the available candidates. The replacement will then serve out the remainder of the term for that office, as subject to I.F.i-iii.
  - e. Due to the additional legal responsibilities and possible liabilities incumbent in their positions, candidates for Seneschal and Exchequer **must** comply with I.G.g.i-iii, unless they are the incumbent officer seeking re-election
  - f. All other officers are encouraged to comply with I.g.i-iii, but if there are no candidates by the Summer meeting, nominations may be made at the meeting for immediate voting by the Populace, as long as the person being nominated is present or has sent a written proxy statement.
  - g. Members of the Barony interested in taking office or intending to step down from office should:
    - i. announce their interest/intention by the Spring Baronial Meeting;
    - ii. submit an application in writing to Seneschal, who will provide courtesy copies to the appropriate Baronial officer and the Baronage; and
    - iii. meet all requirements for the position they are applying for as defined by the Baronial Curia.

- h. Given their considerable responsibilities and requirements for training, the Exchequer and the Seneschal shall not be elected in the same year, with Exchequers being elected in odd years, and Seneschals in even years. All other officers positions may be on any schedule.
- i. The Barony acknowledges that the Crown and Kingdom Curia have the right to approve or disapprove any local officer. This procedure for selecting an officer is how we choose who we will recommend that Kingdom approve, but Kingdom has the right to accept or reject our recommendation without comment.
  - i. If Regional, Kingdom, or Society officers refuse to warrant a Baronial officer, then the Seneschal(or Baronage, if necessary) will immediately announce this to the Barony, and solicit applications for the office, to be voted on at the next meeting
- j. In accordance with Society Policy, the Seneschal and Exchequer may not live in the same household, nor may they deputy for each other.

#### H. Officer Conduct

- a. Concerns about the official conduct of any Baronial officer other than the Exchequer or Seneschal should be referred to the Seneschal and the Baronage for resolution.
- b. Concerns about the official conduct of the Baronial Seneschal should be referred to the Baronage. If the complaint is found to have merit, the Baronage may ask the Seneschal to step down, may terminate the Seneschal for cause, and will refer the matter to the Regional Seneschal, and the Kingdom Seneschal.
- c. Concerns about the official conduct of the Baronial Exchequer should be referred to the Baronage and the Seneschal. If the complaint is found to have merit, the Baronage may ask the Exchequer to step down, may terminate the Exchequer for cause, and will refer the matter to the Regional Exchequer, and the Kingdom Exchequer.

#### Article II. Decision making

- A. When a decision is required of the Baronage, it must be made with the agreement of both individuals, if appropriate. When both are not in agreement on a matter which requires resolution, either individual may refer the matter; to the Crown for resolution of an external matter, or to the Baronial Curia for resolution of an internal matter.

#### Article III. Meetings

- A. The members of the Barony shall meet at least quarterly.
- B. The Baronage will conduct the Baronial Meeting, or they may delegate the Seneschal to conduct the meeting on their behalf.
- C. Proxy voting
  - a. An officer or member of the Barony of Ayreton who wishes to vote on an issue when they cannot physically attend the meeting may provide a written proxy to a specific individual covering a specific topic. A proxy vote must be in writing. A hard copy of a written electronic communication is acceptable. The written proxy shall be given to the Seneschal for inclusion with the records of that meeting.
  - b. An officer or member of the Barony may also attend a meeting electronically, for example via telephone or video conferencing, if the officer or member makes the appropriate arrangements at his or her own expense.

#### Article IV. Changes and Amendments to the Charter

A. The Ayreton Baronial Charter shall be reviewed by the Seneschal or designated deputy at least once during each Baronial tenure. The review process should be scheduled so as to be completed prior to the Baronage investiture or renewal.

B. All proposed changes and amendments to the Baronial Charter must be published for comment at least once in the Zephyr. The commenting period must then be open for at least 30 days, and any changes or amendments must be discussed at a Baronial Meeting before being approved.

C. Approval of changes or amendments to the charter shall be by a 2/3 (two-thirds) majority of the members attending the Baronial Meeting at which it has been announced that decisions are to be made on proposed changes and amendments. Proxies will not be accepted for Charter change or amendment decisions.

## **Article V. Ceremony**

### **A. Awards and Orders**

- a. The Baronage will create, name and bestow awards and orders as they see fit. These awards and orders will be created primarily to encourage and recognize achievement, as well as to foster group identity and ceremony.
  - i. A Baronial Award may be given repeatedly to the same recipient unless otherwise noted.
- b. The Award of the Pleiades of Ayreton is given to an individual for any form of general service to the Barony.
- c. A Baronial Order may be given only once to a single individual.
  - i. The Order of Atlas of Ayreton is a high service honor, given to a person for any form of service to the Barony.
  - ii. The Order of Ursis of Ayreton is a martial arts order, given to a person who excels in any form of martial art.
  - iii. The Order of Leo of Ayreton is an arts and sciences order, given to a person who excels in any field of the arts and sciences.
  - iv. The Order of Scorpius of Ayreton is an archery order, given to a person who excels in the field of archery.
  - v. The Order of Réalta Ríáin (also known as The Order of Ríáin's Star) is a youth order, given to a person for service and dedication to the youth of the Barony and/or Society.

### **B. Champions**

- a. Baronial Champions are chosen by the Baronage and serve at Their discretion.

### **C. Regalia**

- a. The Baronage is responsible for the design of Regalia, with the sage counsel of the Baronial Curia.
- b. The Baronial Exchequer shall maintain an inventory of all Baronial regalia in accordance with Midrealm policy

## **Article VI. Events**

- A. Upcoming Baronial Events will be announced sufficiently in advance to allow all members of Ayreton the opportunity to submit an Event Bid for running the event.
- B. An Event Bid shall include the proposed date, location, Event Steward, Feast Steward, and budget.
- C. Baronial Events will be approved by a simple majority of members in attendance at a Baronial Meeting at which the final bid is presented.

## **Article VII. Guilds**

- A. The Barony of Ayreton supports its artisans in their Arts and Sciences endeavors. To that end, the Barony encourages the formation of Guilds. Approval by the Baronial Curia is required to use the name "Ayreton" in the name of any Guild.



## **A CHALLENGE FROM THE BARONIAL A&S CHAMPION**

*Greetings all!*

*As Baronial A&S Champion, I am issuing an A&S challenge to all within the Barony – The Challenge of Threes. This is a breadth challenge, to encourage you to try new things within A&S.*

*There are three parts to this challenge, each of which can earn participants a prize made by my own hands! Don't worry, they don't have to be completed in order. Enthusiasm and participation are prized here over precise periodicity, so please join in! This Challenge will run through the year! (and Pennsic is a perfect opportunity to do this!)*

### **Part 1 – LEARN 3 Things!**

*Learn about 3 topics in period, new to you, and tell me about them! Completion of this level will earn you a delicious homemade food or drink thing.*

### **Part 2 – MAKE 3 Things!**

*Make 3 things found in period, new to you, and tell me about them (does not have to be a physical object - performing arts, etc welcome as well)! Completion of this level will earn you a handmade cloth or jewelry craft.*

### **Part 3 – TEACH 3 Things!**

*Teach 3 topics to at least 3 other people, and tell me about it (or invite me to your class)! They don't have to be official classes, but at least 3 other people have to be present/learning for it to count. Completion of this level will earn you a leather or wood craft!*

*Now, who will meet my challenge?*

*THL Siobhán an Einigh of Connacht*

## **SOME SUNDRY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Canton of Grey Gargoyles presents:



**BARDIC MADNESS XX**



### **Be Part of the Ayreton Family Photos!**

**Their Excellencies Hillary and Gareth are taking this show on the road – And they hope you'll join them! As Ayreton travels around the kingdom (and beyond!), we will be organizing a group photo for folks from Ayreton to come out and represent. Details can be found with Their Excellencies or any members of their staff. (Look for their presence set up at the event!)**



## Upcoming Officer Reporting Schedule

Archery Marshal	December 1
Chatelaine	November 1
Chronicler	January 1
Exchequer	October 31
Herald	December 30
Knight's Marshal	December 1
MoAS	January 1
Baronial MoAS	January 15
Minister of Youth	January 15
Rapier Marshal	November 1
Equestrian Marshal	November 14
Seneschal	November 1
Baronial Sen.	November 15
Webminister	November 15

## Ayreton Activities

Always check with the organizer of an activity before attending. **DATES AND TIMES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE!**

### Sunday

*Silver Thimble Guild for Conspicuous Consumption*  
Contact Mistress Juliana – (773) 750.2180

*Ayreton Authentic Cooking Guild* (4<sup>th</sup> Sundays unless noted)  
Contact: [ayretoncooks@yahoogroups.com](mailto:ayretoncooks@yahoogroups.com)

*Grey Gargoyles Fighter Practice*  
Contact: Lady Susanna – [mickel14@att.net](mailto:mickel14@att.net)

### Monday

*Consort Music*  
Contact: Master Robyyan - (773) 764.1920

### Tuesday

*Thieves of Heart Fighter Practice*  
Contact: Lord Tedesco - [tedesco@ayreton.org](mailto:tedesco@ayreton.org)

*Renaissance Dance*  
Contact: Lady Margrett Norwoode –  
[mistressmargrett@ameritech.net](mailto:mistressmargrett@ameritech.net)

### Wednesday

*Court and Country Music Group*  
Contact: [CourtAndCountry@gmail.com](mailto:CourtAndCountry@gmail.com)

*Archery Practice*  
Contact: Forester Athelwulf of Dover -[Aethelwulf@Dizzywulf.com](mailto:Aethelwulf@Dizzywulf.com)

*Vanished Wood Sewing Circle*  
Contact: Mistress Katherine – [knwkfw@yahoo.com](mailto:knwkfw@yahoo.com)

*Mid Week Fighter Practice*  
Contact: Lord Kith - [kith3609@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kith3609@sbcglobal.net)

### Thursday

*The Pippins – Madrigal and Early Music Singing Group*  
Contact: Mistress Gianetta – (312) 259.6688

## Future Article Ideas – Your cool stuff **HERE!**

- Event reviews
- Recipes from events
- Movie/Book reviews
- “How to” articles
- No “kidding” there I was stories
- SCA administration reports
- Upcoming event ads
- History reports
- Poetry/stories/song lyrics
- Museum/exhibit reviews
- Newcomer articles
- My SCA Life stories
- Pictures of events
- Pictures of you, your family, your friends
- Other great ideas I haven't thought of yet

## Ayreton Groups Online

*If your group has an online presence, let us know and we'll list it here!*

**Barony of Ayreton:** <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Ayreton/> The Barony of Ayreton is the name for the Chicago area within the Society for Creative Anachronism (SCA), a non-profit historic research and educational organization devoted to the study and reenactment of past people and cultures, concentrating on pre-seventeenth century Europe during the Medieval, Middle-Ages, and Renaissance periods, and to reproduce the skills and arts of this era. This is in the Midlands region (Illinois) of the Middle Kingdom (Midrealm, the Great Lakes area of the Midwest of the United States). Go to <http://www.ayreton.org> and <http://www.sca.org> for more information.

### **Ayreton Archers:**

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/AyretonArchers/>

This is a group to help spread information to the Ayreton Area Archers. Practice times are listed under the Calendar link. Shooting hints and tips are under the Files link.

### **Ayreton Brewers Guild:**

[http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Ayreton\\_Brewing/](http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Ayreton_Brewing/)

This group is for all those gentles who wish to get together and pursue their interest in brewing and vintning. We are located in the Barony of Ayreton, in the Kingdom of the Midrealm. You do not need to be a member of the Barony to be a member of the group. Here we discuss all matters pertaining the brewing of ales, mead, wines or cordials. We share recipes and tips, support and encouragement. This list is also the primary method for the guild to plan and disseminate information about upcoming meetings and workshops. So whether you are an expert brewer or complete beginner, come join us, ask questions, learn, teach and share your experiences with those around you.

### **Ayreton Cooks Guild:**

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ayretoncooks/>

Our mission is to bring delicious, authentic, researched food to the eaters of Ayreton and beyond.

### **Ayreton Scriptorium:**

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/AyretonScriptorium/> This is a discussion group for scribes in the SCA Barony of Ayreton located in Chicago and suburbs.

## Group Information for the Barony of Ayreton

### **The Barony of Ayreton**

(Chicagoland area)

Website: [www.ayreton.org](http://www.ayreton.org)

Email list: [groups.yahoo.com/group/Ayreton](mailto:groups.yahoo.com/group/Ayreton)

Seneschal: Tieron Alainn

([seneschal@ayreton.org](mailto:seneschal@ayreton.org))

### **The Canton of Foxvale**

(Aurora IL area)

Website: [www.foxvale.org](http://www.foxvale.org)

Email list: Contact Banamhaighstir Hillary of Langforde for information ([jeffnaggie@aol.com](mailto:jeffnaggie@aol.com))

Seneschal: THL Yamamura Kitsune

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### **The Canton of Grey Gargoyles**

(South Side of Chicago and Southeast Chicago Suburbs)

Website: <http://midrealm.org/greygargoyles/>

Email list: [groups.yahoo.com/group/GreyGargoyles](mailto:groups.yahoo.com/group/GreyGargoyles)

Seneschal: Mistress Helewyse de Birkestad

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### **The Canton of Rokkehealden**

(Southwest Chicago Suburbs)

Website: [www.midrealm.org/rokkehealden](http://www.midrealm.org/rokkehealden)

Seneschal: Lady AElfreda aet Aethelwealda

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### **The Canton of Tree-Girt-Sea**

(North Side of Chicago)

Website: [www.treegirtsea.com](http://www.treegirtsea.com)

Email list: [groups.yahoo.com/group/SCA-Tree-Girt-Sea](mailto:groups.yahoo.com/group/SCA-Tree-Girt-Sea)

Seneschal: Mistress Gianetta Andreini da Vicenza

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### **The Canton of Vanished Wood**

(Northwest Chicago Suburbs)

Website: [www.vanishedwood.org](http://www.vanishedwood.org)

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