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# THE BLUE STRAND

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The Official Newsletter of the Barony of Krae Glas,  
November A.S. LIX

## **Krae Glas November Activities**

**Saturday 2 til Sunday 3 November - Dirty A&S (SH)**

**Thursday 7 November - Fighter Training + A&S**

**Saturday 9 November - Crafhall + Potluck +**

**Skjoldehamn Hood Class**

**Sunday 10 November - A Day of All Things Rapier (SH)**

**Tuesday 12 November - Zoom Council Meeting**

**Thursday 14 November - Fighter Training + A&S**

**Thursday 21 November - Fighter Training + A&S**

**Sunday 24 November - Ironbeard Archery Challenge**

**Thursday 28 November - Fighter Training + A&S**

November brings a very special annual event to Krae Glas!

On the 24th, we'll be hosting the third memorial Ironbeard Archery Challenge in honour of Lord Roland Ironbeard! This will run from 1pm at Noble Park Secondary College & is a garbed event. We will be deciding our Archery Champion at this event, so you won't want to miss out!

From 2pm on the 9th we have Crafhall at The Dolphin's Keep (aka the scout hall at 24 Mons Parade, Noble Park). This month Baroness Margie will be teaching us how to make Skjoldehamn hoods (which, she assures us, are ideal for folks with very little sewing experience!), followed by a Potluck dinner around 5pm.

Our Council Meeting will be held via Zoom on the 12th at 7:30pm. Zoom details & link will be available closer to the date.

As always, every week at the Dolphin's Keep we have our Thursday Night Gathering & Training from 7pm! Come along for rapier, heavy fighting, casual A&S or just socialising!

None of the Krae Glas November events require booking & (aside from the Ironbeard Challenge) they are ungarbed, so just come as you are!

Over in Stormhold they have the Dirty A&S weekend on the 2nd & 3rd of this month, as well as A Day of All Things Rapier on the 10th - if you missed (or are missing!) the Fencing Fiesta earlier this year, you'll definitely want to attend this!

For further details on any of these events, please see their respective event pages or our (or Stormhold's) website!



Lord Roland Ironbeard's arrows ready for action at last year's Ironbeard Archery Challenge. Photo by Julia of the Ravens.

## **Ironbeard Archery Challenge, 24th of November A.S. LIX**

To honour the great Lord Roland Ironbeard the populace is invited to attend a festival dedicated to combat archery pursuits.

Activities will include:

A double elimination combat archery tourney

Spectators 'Agincourt Run' archery shoot with blunt arrows at combatants

Target archery practice with blunt arrows at static targets, if time permits.

Pot luck lunch: Attendees are requested to please bring food and drinks to share.

Bookings not required.

Members: \$10

Non-members: \$20

Members (concession or student card): \$5

Children under 5 years are free but must be supervised by a parent or authorised guardian.

Timetable (preliminary)

1.00-1.45pm: Gates open, sign in and site set-up.

1.45pm: Brief opening court then commence armour inspections.

TAM supervised target archery

2.15-3.45pm: Combat archery tourney (double elimination).

3.45-4.15pm: 'Agincourt Runs' for spectators

4.15-4.30pm: Presentations and closing court.

4.30-5.00pm: Event end and pack up.

Event Steward: Maude atte Weylete ([michelle\\_kurrle@hotmail.com](mailto:michelle_kurrle@hotmail.com))



Way back in Stab- uhhh, I mean \*January\*, we were graced with a visit from some of the finest fencers in Lochac! We are thrilled to announce that the photos from that weekend are finally finished! 🏆

As part of the Innilgard Incursions series, the Fencing Fiesta was an epic 3 day training event with classes for everyone from complete beginners picking up their first swords all the way up to experts fine-tuning their skills! We had a great turnout, including several brand-new fencers, a few non-SCAdians trying out our fighting style, some non-combatants showing off their Arts & Sciences projects & even a Crown contender's Secret Spear Society™!

We are extremely grateful to the Innilgard Incursions crew for sharing their vast rapier knowledge with us & we hope they had as much fun as we did!

If this has you reminiscing about all the fun you had there (or feeling jealous that you missed out), check out Stormhold's A Day of All Things Rapier on the 10th of November!



The Innilgard Incursions crew at Fencing Fiesta. Photo by Julia of the Ravens.

## September Baronial Awards

Maryn Applewood received the Baron's Cypher at Days of Honour.

All other awards in September were Kingdom awards. No Baronial awards were given in October.

Correction: The September edition of The Blue Strand stated that no awards were given in August or September, when it should have said that no awards were given in July or August.

Know someone deserving of an award? Reach out to our Baron & Baroness at [barony@kraeglas.lochac.sca.org](mailto:barony@kraeglas.lochac.sca.org) to let them know!

## Krae Glas Council

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Fencing Fiesta  
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