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**Guild Newsletter** 

July 7 & 8 Monterey Scottish Games & Celtic Festival Monterey July 14 & 15 Shaver Lake Renaissance Faire Shaver Lake

## ~ Monterey Scottish Games & Celtic Festival ~

http://www.montereyscotgames.com/

Saturday, July 7 9AM – 6PM & Sunday July 8 9 AM – 5 PM Monterey County Fairgrounds

2004 Fairgrounds Road, Monterey

July 5 ~ Load up 6PM

July 6 ~ Setup Time TBA



This will be our third year at this event as the Royal Court. We will be at a new location at the Monterey County Fairgrounds. The gates for the Monterey Games open Saturday and Sunday at 9:00 AM, so please be at our encampment by 9:00 AM for household notes, in character and in garb. This is a great event where play with Clan Galbraith, SCA, and patrons. Lord and Lady Lundin will be Handfasted on Saturday afternoon, with friends and family from far and wide in attendance. On site Actors Camp is available, RV camping may still be available on the fairgrounds as well

<u>http://www.montereyscotgames.com/formload.php?name=camping.html</u> Some of our members have stayed at the fairgrounds RV campground in

the past, found it lacking and will instead be staying at Marina Dunes RV Park <u>http://www.marinadunesrv.com/</u> Tickets for admittance will be mailed to those members who are gate listed. We will not unload from this event, but instead sprint to the next event at Shaver Lake.

## ~ Shaver Lake Renaissance Faire ~

<u>http://shaverfaire.org/</u> Saturday, July 14 & Sunday July 15 Shaver Lake Community Center 41344 Tollhouse Road, Shaver Lake, Fresno County 93664

July 15 ~ Setup Time TBA

Unload July 16 ~ Time TBA

We will once again portray the Court of Mary, Queen of Scots at this wonderful event. We will have a full weekend of activities and gigs in Court and the faire site. There is no Load Up for this event, as we will not unload from the Monterey Games. Set Up is on Friday July 15 and Unload Monday July 18 (times to be announced). Household Notes are at 9:00 AM, with Guild notes at 9:30 AM both days. Gates open at 10:00 AM, the faire closes at 6:00 PM on Saturday and 5:00 PM on Sunday. Promoters have again amped up publicity and coordination with local businesses and the Chamber of Commerce. This will be at the height of tourist season, vendors and guilds are signing up, and we expect the faire to be well attended by locals, and area tourists. *We are the focal point of this faire and we need you in attendance*. Many of you met Breshelle at Modesto Games; she will be portraying Queen Elizabeth while

we portray MQS and her Court. This will be a friendly interaction between monarchs and their subjects. Local hotels fill up fast and can be pricey, so if you plan on hoteling it, it is suggested you make your reservations sooner than later. One hotel has a Bunkhouse that may interest some

http://shaverlakevillagehotel.com/bunkhouses.html Some with RVs are staying at Ponderosa RV Park http://ponderosatrailerpark.com, some tent campers are staying at Dorabelle Campground http://www.fs.fed.us/r5/sierra/recreation/camping/campgrounds/dorabelle.shtml. Last we heard Camp Edison was full, although you may want to check for yourself.

http://www.sce.com/CommunityandRecreation/CampEdison/default.htm There is also more hotel and cabin information on the faire FaceBook page

https://www.facebook.com/?ref=tn\_tnmn#!/groups/22107970661/. Actors Camp on site will also be

available to those who are Gate Listed. We expect the weather to be warm during the day and cool at night. You may want to check the weather forecast as the date draws near. http://www.nws.noaa.gov/ For RV and tent campers – be prepared for bear and wild life activity. Last vear Lady Beaton had a nighttime encounter with Smokey.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Fresno, take Hiway 168 East to Shaver Lake, the Community Center on the left. If you reach Dinky Creek Road on the right, you've gone a hair to far, if you reach the Lake you've gone too far. The Musick Creek Inn & Chalet is across the road from the Community Center/Library. Please be warned there are many



"Tollhouse Road" crossroads as you travel, don't be misled and turn off. Hiway 168 becomes Tollhouse Road. Search Engine Maps or your GPS may not know the way. Here's a link for directions -

http://www.shaverfaire.org/directions.html Let the adventure begin!

## ~ Guild House Meetings ~

| Tuesday, July 10 ~ 7PM              |
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| East Bay Guild House                |
| San Leandro                         |
| LadiesWaiting@saintandrewsguild.org |

Thursday, July 26 ~ 7PM **Antioch Guild House** Antioch Antioch@saintandrewsguild.org Wednesday, July 11 ~ 6:30PM **Lowlands Guild House** Escalon Modesto@saintandrewsguild.org

Join Her Majesty and Lord Cullen in Escalon, Lady Fleming in San Leandro, and Sir James and Dame Mariota in Antioch at any or all of their Guild House Meetings. These members have generously opened their homes to fellow guild mates and those interested in learning more about St. Andrew's. Join them for an evening of socializing and learning about garb, history, language and other exciting aspects of 16<sup>th</sup> Century life, and about Renaissance Faires! Bring a snack to share and your favorite beverage. Please contact the Guild House Lairds and Chatelaines at the above listed email addresses prior to attending a meeting to verify the above dates, times and locations.





**July Natal Days!** 2 – Lady Maggie MacDuff 7 – Squire Teage Seaton

24 – Madame Guyonne deBreuil 26 - Lord Robert Foreman

## ~Looking Forward to August ~

~ August 18 ~ Guild Picnic & Games ~ Garb is Hunts ~ Niles Canyon Trailhead & Staging Area, 720 Old Canyon Rd in Fremont www.SaintAndrewsGuild.com

