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Guild Newsletter Feb 2014

Event: Date: Feb 8th **Load for HRM Homecoming** Feb 9th Her Majesty's Homecoming Feb 22nd

Guard practice

Location: Time: **Holyrood Castle TBA** Modesto, CA See below

El Dorado Hill Comm. Park Noon



Join Her Majesty as She returns to Scotland from Her childhood in France. Welcome Her home, make sure She knows who you are and is duly impressed!

> Sunday Feb 9 Martin G. Petersen Event Center 720 12th Street Modesto, CA

Load Up Sat Feb 8 Time TBA Set Up Feb 9 9AM-11AM Dress to Impress 11AM-Noon (dressing rooms available) Her Majesty enters the Great Hall at Noon

This is a potluck event: Annual Feast of the Clans



Highlanders – Hot Side Dish
Ladies in Waiting – Main Dish
Nobles – Dessert
Royal Guard – Cold Side Dish
(In Disposable Containers Please, crockpots are also encouraged)

Eating and serving utensils, and plates shall be provided As well as water, coffee, and tea



Prithee doth remember thyne own cup or goblet As well as any beverage of thyne own choosing.

As you arrive place your potluck item in the fridge if needed, otherwise place your item on the buffet table. No one is going to do this for you.

Tables will be decorated with a white table cloth and a runner. You are welcome to bring additional table decorations for your table if you wish.

Each and every member will be presented to Her Majesty by Household. Your Head of Household will give a brief introduction (ie. Lady SoandSo), at which time you will have the opportunity to further introduce yourself to Her Majesty, explaining who you are and why you are in Her Court.



Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall.

A SCENE FROM THE PHOTOPLAY.

Mary Pickford Edition.

You may make any presentations following the meal. This is another opportunity for you to impress Her Majesty. Her Majesty would certainly enjoy your gift of poetry, toast or song.





And of course, if not already paid, your annual taxes are due. Checks should be made payable to "St Andrew's Noble Order of Royal Scots"

Under 18 - no dues Returning adult members - \$120

Adult Members who joined at Santa Cruz Faire 2013 or later - \$60 Full time adult students \$60 (see Sir James Mosman to see if you meet the criteria)

Your 2013 Event Committee:

Taniste Isabella Campbell, Lady Mary Fleming, Dame Brittah Sutherland H'elie, Chieftain S'ara MacBride, Mistress Maggie MacDuff, Dona Isabeau de Tejelo, Lady Morna MacGregor



A Missive from Captain Craig: PRAY HEED !!!!!!!!!

To start 1562 (2014ish) off this next season. We are announcing a <u>Mandatory</u> Royal Guard practice/training day *Saturday on Feb 22, at 12pm in the shire of El Dorado*. Capt Innes hosts this at El Dorado Hill Community Park, which is located at the intersection of El Dorado Hills Blvd & Harvard Wy. We hope to have 3 training/practices days this year. A second before summer and 3rd

right after summer. As our household grows and becomes more active, we will try to bring back more traditions. We hope to put together weapons related training and safety classes, as well as shield/targe and leather craft work days. It's all being discussed still. I hope this helps! Capt., Sir Craig







Tentative Guild Schedule for 2014

March 7th ,8th & 9th Sonora Celtic Faire, Sonora Fairgrounds April 5th, Tartan Day, Ardenwood Historic Farms, Fremont June 7th, Modesto Scottish Games, Tuolumne River Park, Modesto August 2nd & 3rd Monterey Scottish Games, Monterey Fairgrounds August 30th & 31st, Pleasanton Scottish Games, Alameda Fairgrounds Sept 27th & 28th, KVMR Celtic Music Festival, Nevada County Fairgrounds October 25th & 26th All Hallows Fantasy Faire, Sonora Co Fairgrounds November 15th Winter Feast, Tracy Community Ctr, Tracy, CA.



Guild House Meetings

Thursday, February 13h^h 7pm Antioch Guild House Antioch

Antioch@saintandrewsguild.org

Thursday, February 13th ~ 6:30PM Lowlands Guild House Escalon Modesto@saintandrewsguild.org

Join Her Majesty and Lord Cullen, in Escalon, Sir James and Dame Mariota in Antioch. 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 16th 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*.

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