

# The Dancing Moon

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“ ... And off to war we go!”

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## Shire Announcements

With great sorrow we join with our esteemed Geneschal in mourning the loss of her mother. Shared sorrow is lessened.

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HL Paul is now our prized Kingdom A+S – Huzzah!

Website	<a href="http://shireofcalanaisnuadh.org">http://shireofcalanaisnuadh.org</a>
Group List	<a href="http://groups.yahoo.com/group/calanaisnuadh/">http://groups.yahoo.com/group/calanaisnuadh/</a>
FaceBook	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/shireofcalanaisnuadh">https://www.facebook.com/shireofcalanaisnuadh</a>

### A Riddle -

A crature came where there sat many wise men in the meeting-place. He had two ears and one eye, two feet and twelve hundred heads, a back and a belly, a pair of hands, two shoulders and arms, a neck, and two sides. Now tell me his name.

**English Trivia:** How many queens have reigned over England?

If THIS knocks at your back door some dark night ...

... RUN ...



## Minutes for 11 April 2016

### Officer Reports

Meeting chaired by Exchequer in lieu of Seneschal

Spring Spears Event Steward and Marshal in Charge being not present, Event follow-up will be at a later date.

**Exchequer:** \$3,607.25 on hand.

Does NOT include Spring Spears payouts or storage shed. However, Event site HAS returned deposit.

**Fighter Marshall:** Quarterly Report filed. No injuries.

**Archery Marshall:** not present.

**Chronicler:** Pictures are always welcome. Deputy Historian Flicker account information has been made available. Need to have a localized Waiver on file.

**Web Minister:** Site in not yet updated.

**Arts & Sciences:** Sheet for local members to provide updating information passed during the meeting.

April Class: Gulf Wars de-brief. May Class: Lillies Prep. June Class Lillies de-brief.

Minister will be un-available approx. 2 – 20 May

Lebanon group associates as well as local members would like Viking Dress Instruction.

### New Business

Congratulations to HL Paul on now being Kingdom Arts & Sciences

- Kingdom is searching for a Master Scheduler. Interviews will be at Lillies.

- Site for Queen's Prize will be Coeur d'Ennui.

- Bids are being sought for CalonCon 2016 and Queen's Prize 2017.

Autumn Arrows in coming. We are contemplating a new site.

## Shire Officers

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Seneschal</b>  <b>Lady Catin of Edington</b>  glueckc@yahoo.com</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Archery Marshal</b>  <b>HL Thomas Fleischacker</b>  glueckc@yahoo.com</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Knight Marshal</b>  <b>HL Paul Adler</b>  Vince Zahnle  11413 Upton Rd; Plato, MO 65552.  417-967-1034  vince.zahnle@gmail.com</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Minister of Arts &amp; Sciences</b>  <b>Baron Jon Tristram</b>  John May,  417-458-1046  jontristram@yahoo.com</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Exchequer</b>  <b>Lady Disa of Calanais Nuadh.</b>  Denise Howard  disadenise@yahoo.com</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Chronicler</b>  <b>Lady Ascellina Bethell</b>  Sharon Ponzer  shrnznr@yahoo.com</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Chatelaine</b>  <b>OPEN!</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Minister of Youth</b>  <b>OPEN!</b>  There are many requirements for this office.  Contact Kingdom MoY for complete information.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Herald</b>  <b>Crespin de Laon</b>  Christopher Cureton  <a href="mailto:cscureton@gmail.com">cscureton@gmail.com</a>  573 -201 -8060 [Cell#]</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Web Minister</b>  <b>Margery of Penrith</b>  Calls or texts at 573-201-9938  <a href="mailto:margeryofpenrith@gmail.com">margeryofpenrith@gmail.com</a></p>

Riddle answer: A One-eyed Man Selling Garlic

## Spring Spears XIII – Feast of Fools

Kitchen and Crew of the happy event ...



Put your backs into it!!



Fearless Stewart



and beautiful Troll



She who serves ...



Here's looking at you .... And back atcha.

All photos these two pages by Howard of Yles.



### Tournament Crew ...



They who organized and ran the tourneys ... HL Jon at the Archery Field, Sir Erik the MiC, Ascellina was 1 of 2 on the List, HL Paul the Herald and "Jess" the brains of the List ...

The other half of our Kitchen ...

And the Winners of the Tournaments ...

**Fighters' Tourneys:**

- |                     |                                       |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Novice:             | Deo McCillian                         |
| Leashed Mace:       | Oswald                                |
| Spear:              | Cedric                                |
| 3-Man Bridge-fight: | "Eitzevoix" - Ostwald, Swayne, Maxen. |
| Thrown Weapons:     | HL Attila Gyori Sandor                |



### April, 2016

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
10 2 PM Archery Practice Fighter Practice TBD Beaver Creek Conservation Area, Rolla, MO	11 6:45 PM Shire Weekly Meeting Business Meeting and Pot Luck Dinner, St Robert Municipal Building	12	13	14	15	16  Unslung Heroes, Aston Tor
17 2 PM Archery Practice Fighter Practice Beaver Creek Conservation Area, Rolla, MO	18 6:45 PM Shire Weekly Meeting Project Night, St Robert Municipal Building	19	20	21	22	23  Phallus Fractus, Vatavia
24 2 PM Archery Practice TBD Fighter Practice TBD Beaver Creek Conservation Area, Rolla, MO	25 6:45 PM Shire Weekly Meeting Class Night, <b>Lillies debrief</b> St Robert Municipal Building	26	27	28	29	30  Melon Wars, Flint Hill

### May, 2016

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1 2 PM Archery Practice / Fighter Practice TBD Beaver Creek Conservation Area, Rolla, MO	2 6:45 PM Shire Weekly Meeting Project Night, St Robert Municipal Building	3	4	5	6	7  War College, Amlesmore
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30/1		Melon Wars, Flint Hill

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14/15		St George & the Dragon, Oakheart

## Answer to “English Trivia” from page 3:

QUEENS of England: 7 with one disputed.

	<a href="#"><u>Jane</u></a>	10–19 July 1553, disputed, never crowned
5 yrs	<a href="#"><u>Mary I</u></a>	19 July 1553–1558
45 yrs	<a href="#"><u>Elizabeth I</u></a>	17 November 1558–1603
5 yrs	<a href="#"><u>Mary II</u></a>	13 February 1689–1694
12 yrs	<a href="#"><u>Anne</u></a>	8 March 1702–1 May 1707
	And <a href="#"><u>Queen of Great Britain and Ireland</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>1 May 1707</u></a> –1 August 1714
64 yrs	<a href="#"><u>Victoria</u></a>	20 June 1837 – 22 January 1901
64+ yrs	<a href="#"><u>Elizabeth II</u></a>	6 February 1952 – present

### **Driving Directions:**

**Archery Practice:** Beaver Creek Conservation Area: No Crossbows. No Archery if temperature is below [32° F] or above [95° F]. Temperature is based on Weather Cannel Reports. If forecast is in these extremes, a decision will be made in a timely fashion to allow for driving. If rain is forecasted follow rules for temperatures. From Rolla, take Highway 63 south for several miles. The range gate will be on your left, immediately across the highway from the VFW post. Drive through the gate to the top of the hill, park and take the line!

**Fighter Practice:** Will be held in conjunction with Archery Practice. Unless contrary information is promulgated via Facebook and/or Yahoo Group.

### **Shire Meetings: Shire Meetings**

**Driving directions:** If you are traveling south on Missouri Ave. after coming into St. Robert on Exit 161, turn left at the first stoplight onto Eastlawn Ave. (look for the Arby's). After passing Paul's Furniture and the dollar store, take the first right to turn into the gigantic parking lot of the municipal center.

**Room Directions:** Our new meeting space is Room H of the St. Robert Municipal Center (aka City Hall). When you enter the building from the main doors, walk down the central atrium toward the police station. Take the first hallway on your right, immediately after the VA office, and follow it to the end. This is the same room that is used for driver license testing during the weekdays.

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