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The baronial Missive

Warmest Holiday Greetings to You!

What a year it has been! One of the greatest Wars in our history is in our rear view and an extremely busy year is on the horizon with Barbearian Brawl and Gulf Wars just around the corning.

But for now it is the Holiday Season. Now is the time for reflection and good fellowship. At this writing, we are greatly looking forward to the Baronial Christmas gathering which this year will be held at the home of THL Archer and THL Fronicka. Bring a gift and join the fun!

We would also like to ask that you be sure to look around and include those that might not have closeby family. The Holidays are hard on some gentles. Considering opening your homes and lives a little to those that may not have anywhere to go. The gifts you receive from this are far better than anything that comes wrapped in paper.

So, may your hearthfires be blazing, your cups full, and your lives full of family and fellowship. And let us go into the new year happy and hopeful for what is to come.

Martin and Gwyneth, Baron and Baroness of Small Gray Bear

Business Meetings:

Business meetings are held at the St. Vincent's South Auditorium in the Education wing, 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month at 6pm. Officer Meeting (open to all) is the 1st Sunday; Event Planning Meeting (also open to all) is the 3rd.Sunday.

Directions to the room: Enter the St. Vincent's main campus from University; park in the parking desk (it is free) cross the street to the hospital. When you are crossing the street you will see a large water fountain; enter the double doors to the right of the fountain. Go to the hall on the right, first door on the left.

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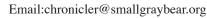


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THE RED-NOSED VIKING

A FILK BY THL MEDB

To the Tune of....well, you know.

Rudolph the Red-Nosed Viking Had a very shiny spear

And if you ever saw it, You would need to keep well clear.

All of the other Vikings Used to laugh and call him names.

They never let poor Rudolph Go on any summer raids.

Then one foggy Yuletide Eve, Odin came to say

"Rudolph with your spear so bright, I will help you use it right."

Then all the villagers feared him, And the Vikings said with glee,

"Rudolph the Red-Nosed Viking, please come and raid with me!









FIGHTER PRACTICES:

Tuesdays, 6pm Sundays, 2pm

First Presbyterian Church of Little Rock

800 Scott St.

Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Directions: Make your best route to I-630 in Little Rock. Take the Main St. Exit (Exit 1A) and once on Main St., head North into Downtown. Turn right onto 9th St. The next block is Scott St., and the Church will be on your left.

THE BARONY OF SMALL GRAY BEAR PROUDLY PRESENTS:

BARBEARIAN BRAWL: CONQUERING THE HORDE

JOIN TEMUJIN...BARBARIAN...AS HE FIGHTS...LOVES...AND CONQUERS...LIKE A BARBARIAN.
(DID WE MENTION FIGHTS?) JOIN US AS WE CELEBRATE THE MONGOL WAY WITHFIGHTING, THE BARONIAL WARLORD TOURNEY, FEASTING, AND MORE MONGOL SHENANIGANS THAN YOU CAN SHAKE A QUIRT AT.

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JANUARY 24, 2015

CAMP TALOHA

3300 TALOHA ROAD

PINE BLUFF, AR

SITE OPENS: 8AM SITE CLOSES: 11PM

DIRECTIONS TO CAMP:

1-530, EXIT 39., WEST ON HWY 79.

RIGHT ON HWY 54 (SULPHUR SPRINGS ROAD).

DRIVE 5 MILES, TAKE THE RIGHT FORK TO LEE

SPRINGS ROAD.

RIGHT ON CAMP TALOHA ROAD.

FOR MORE INFO, PILGRIM: WWW.SMALLGRAYBEAR.ORG

PRICING
\$15 WITH FEAST
\$8 NO FEAST
CHILDREN HALF PRICE
\$5 NONMEMBER SURCHARGE

RESERVATIONS AND CORRESPONDENCE MAY BE SENT TO:

BARONY OF SMALL GRAY BEAR, ATTN. BAR BEARJAN BRAWL, 707 SHAKER RIDGE, BENTON, AR 72015 PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO SCA INC., BARONY OF SMALL GRAY BEAR.

CASH ONLY AT THE DOOR.

PLEASE NOTE THAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH KINCDOM LAW, NO FAMILY SHALL PAY A SITE FEE HIGHER THAN THREE ADULT MEMBER, PRICES FOR ADMISSION TO AN EVENT AS LONG AS THE CHILDREN INVOLVED ARE ALL LESS THAN 15 YEARS OF AGE AND HAVE MEMBERSHIPS. ALSO FER KINCDOM LAW, CHILDREN THAT DO NOT COME WITH THEIR LEGAL CUARDIAN NEED TO HAVE THE NOTARIZED DESIGNATED ADULT FORMS CANALISATE AT THE KINCDOM WEIGHT AT TROLL.

