# Thereby Hangs A Tale

## The News for the Canton of Lions End within the Crown Province of Ostgardr



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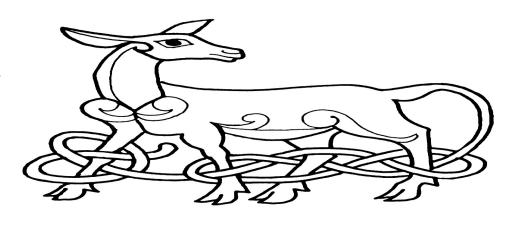
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## On Going Events

**Bardic Circle:** Tuesday evenings at Frances Avnet's. For more information contact Frances, her number's in the regnum.

## Canton Meetings

Meetings are on the first Mondays of the month in Community Room B of the Levittown Public Library. Starting Time: 8 pm. Phone: 516: 731-5728. *Directions:* Take your best route to Hempstead Turnpike. Turn onto Shelter Lane. (Look for a Veteran's Memo-



#### Mundane Happenings in the Medieval World

Harald, a Viking Themed Restaurant

By Frances Avnet.

Harald is a Viking themed restaurant with locations throughout Finland. I had the pleasure of eating at the Harald in Tampere.

Harald proved to be a fun place to have dinner. The wait staff is dressed in Viking garb, there are goblets and plates made from pottery on the table and Viking shields are on the wall. For added silliness the restaurant provides the stereotypical Viking helmet with horns that you can wear during dinner.

I tried their house beer, Harald, which they advertised as giving the drinker strength. I found the beer's taste unremarkable and it didn't make me stronger.

The food was spectacular. I had the Fowler's Cornfed Chicken and Partridge, which was tender and juicy. The waitress had warned me that the partridge was recently shot so I should be careful of my teeth. Luckily I had no need for a dentist.

Other menu items include: Ironside's Meat Pan which feature beaver sausage, Pepper Steak from the Bear Hunter's Court which is tenderloin served with bear butter and Runemakers Game Sword which has grilled partridge, reindeer tenderloin and beaver sausage skewered on a sword. For more information visit their website: http://www2.ravintolaharald.fi/ravintola?lang=en.





#### Upcoming Events

**September 8-10, 2017.** *Silver Anniversary of our Annual John Barleycorn Event*. Camp Morty / Mt. Lakes Campground, 201 Hawley Mtn. Road, North Salem, NY. Site Opens: 6pm Friday, site Closes: 11am Sunday. For more information keep on eye of the SCA event website.

September 15-17,2017. A funny thing happened to St. Andrew on the way to the forum- An Investiture . Estonian House,20 Middle Island Blvd ., Middle Island, NY 11593. Site Opens: 5pm. Site Closes: Noon. Investiture of the new baron and baroness. Martial Activities will include Fencing, Archery, Thrown Weapons, and Heavy List. Planned children's activities include a Making Mosaics, Building Rota Boards and learning to play Rota, and a Temple-based scavenger hunt. This is a camping event and fires will be allowed, weather permitting. Registration: Adults: \$15 Adult Member: \$10 .Proof of membership will be requested at Troll. Minors (5-17): \$5 . Baby in Arm (<4): \$0. Add \$10 for adults/ \$7 for children for feast Camping spots Available \$10 per tent. Feast: Pre-registration must be received by September 8, 2017. Feast is limited to 88 and will sell out. Make Checks Payable to: SCA NY Inc. Barony of An Dubhaigeainn. Send Reservations to: Send Checks to: Lady Helena Lundonie (Debra Pfundstein), 24 Skylark Dr., Holtsville, NY, 11742. debra.pfundstein@outlook.com

#### Upcoming Events

May 12-14, 2017. The Mongol Seige of Kiev: Silver Horde 20th Anniversary. Estonian Homestead Site, 20 Middle Island Blvd., Middle Island, NY. Site Opens: 6:00 PM Friday - please ensure you check in by 10pm if you are camping. All non campers must be off site by 10pm. Saturday: Troll Opens 9am. Site Closes: 11:00 AM Sunday. Registration: Registration: Site fee ("Day Trip") includes dayboard. Adult Preregistration: \$17 (Day fee only). Adult On-Site: \$20 (Day fee only). Adult Member Preregistration: \$12 (Day fee only) \*\*Proof of membership will be requested at Troll.\*\* Adult Member On-Site: \$15 (Day fee only) \*\*Proof of membership will be requested at Troll.\*\* Minors (5-17): \$8 (Day fee only). Baby in Arm (<4): \$0. Feast: (Add to Day fee). Adult: \$15.00 per person. Child: \$5

Camping (per tent): \$10.00 (Add to Day fee)

Please Note: In order to best accommodate your camping needs, please pre-reg with your tent info (no. of tents, size of tent/s, and location of your tent door). If you have a household wishing to camp together, please submit your info as a packet, if at all possible. Please contact the Autocrat after you have sent in your fees (including the camping fee) to finalize your reservation.

Pre-registration must be recieved by May 5, 2017.

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