

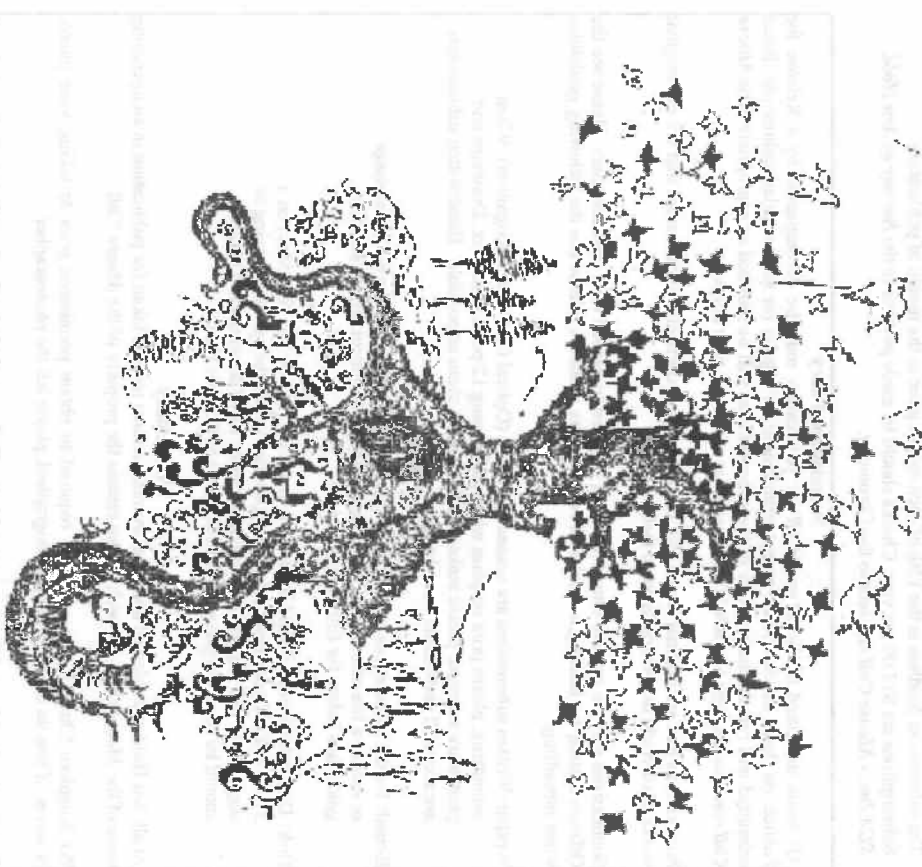
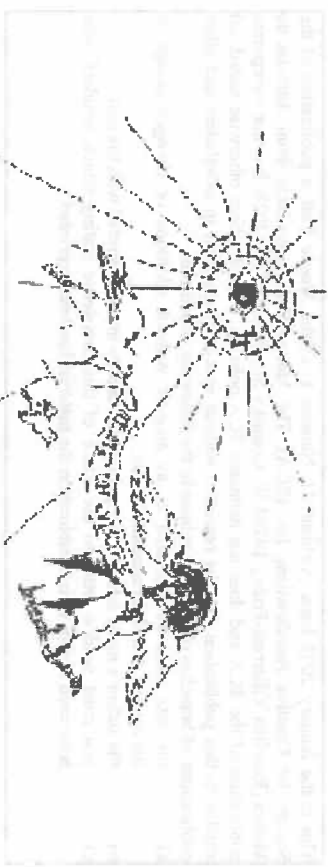


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The information below was taken from the December 2002 issue of the *Sage Advice* and the *Seneschal's calendar*.

Month	Event	Location	
January	1	All Corpse Day	Crystal Crags
	4	12th Night	Bronzehelm
	4	12th Night	Gryphon's Lair
	11	Baronial A & S	Sentinels' Keep
	11	12th Night	Otherhill
	18	Masked Ball	Castelleone
	18	12th Night	1000 Eyes
	25	Midwinter's Masked Ball	Arn Hold
	25	Birthday Bash	Silver Keep
	25	Shire A & S	Dael Beorht
February	1	TBA	Arrows Flight
	12 - 17	Estrella War XIX	Atenvelt
	22	TBA	Dael Beorht \ Draca Mor
March	1	Baroness' Champion	1000 Eyes
	8	Artemisian Coronation	TBA
	15	Treasures of the New World	Arn Hold
	15	Love Revel	Stan W'ynn
	15	Shire A & S	Otherhill
	15	St. Pat's Demo	Ard Raudh
	22	Spring Feast	Sentinels' Keep
	22	Birthday / Defender's Tourney	Loch Salann
	29	St. Pyres	Cote du Ciel

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THEIR EXCELLENCIES' MISSIVE

To the resplendent populace of the Barony of Arn Hold do Alric and Catherine, Baron and Baroness, send warmest greetings.

The cold of winter has settled into the farms and fields of our fair Barony, and the land lies fallow beneath the frost. Our hearts yearn for the early days of spring, which now seem far distant. However, we shall not languish in melancholy. We shall bask in the warm glow of the hearth fire, and revel with our Barony - our friends, our family.

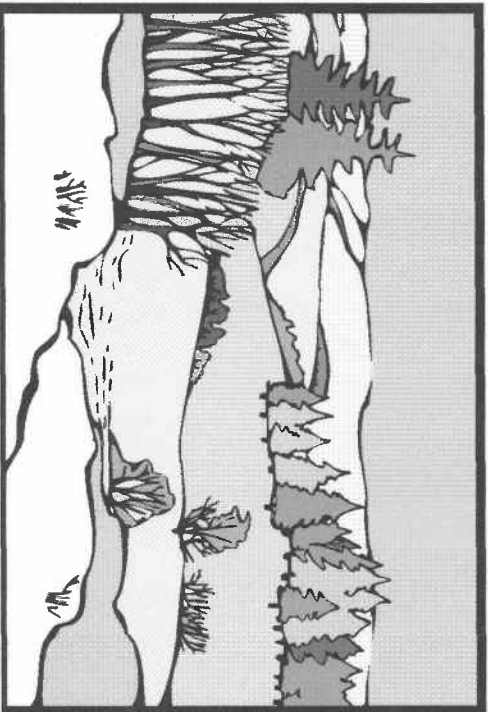
This month, we look forward to an evening of dancing and revelry at the Midwinter's Masked Ball. Mistress Pasha and Dame Kathelene have planned a wonderful event. Please join us in making merry and striving to drive off the winter's chill.

During the evening, we will be holding a competition to determine the new Bard of Arn Hold. The Honorable Lord Braden has done a wonderful job, although at times his choice of songs to sing has been...interesting. We give our thanks to his lordship for his excellent service as our Bard. For those who enjoy beautiful music, a rousing song, or a well-told tale, this competition should be an example of the best that our Barony has to offer. We would encourage all that would enter to prepare their finest works.

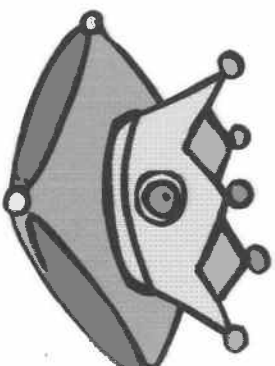
We look forward to seeing everyone and celebrating the crossing of winter's threshold, on our way to spring.

In Service to Artemisia and to Arn Hold,

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Baronial Coronation November 2, 2002



The Seven Wonders of the Ancient World

Series by Lady Elsidh GilleBrighde

The Great Pyramid of Giza

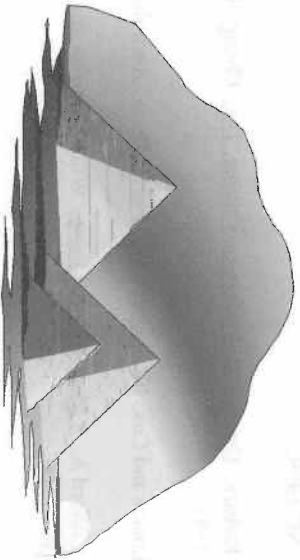
The first great wonder, chronologically, is the Great Pyramid of Giza. The pyramid is unique among the wonders as it is the only one that has survived time. There is an Arab proverb that says, "Man fears Time, yet Time fears the Pyramids". There is a misconception that all three Great Pyramids are among the list of wonders. This is not so, only the Great Pyramid of Khufu is on the list.

The pyramid is located at the city of Giza, today a part of greater Cairo. It was a part of the ancient necropolis of Memphis (and no, Elvis is not buried in this pyramid; but do you think there might be an alien conspiracy?). Built by the Egyptian pharaoh Khufu of the Fourth Dynasty (around 2560 BC), it is believed to have taken 20 years to build. When it was built, this Great pyramid was 481 feet high. Over the years it has lost 30 feet off its top. It was ranked as the tallest structure for over 43 centuries, and was so until the 19th century.

The structure is made of approximately 2 million blocks of stone, each weighing more than two tons. There is a theory that there are enough stones to accommodate St. Peter's in Rome, the cathedrals of Florence, Milan, Westminster and St. Paul's in London all combined.

The pyramids of Giza have fascinated men for centuries. They have been referred to as "The Granaries of Joseph," and "The Mountains of Pharaoh." When Napoleon invaded Egypt in 1798, he is quoted as saying: "Soldiers! From the top of these Pyramids, 40 centuries are looking at us." (translated, of course!)

The original list of these wonders was compiled in the second century BC. In the 5th century BC, Herodotus made reference to the wonders. The Chief Librarian, Callimachus of Cyrene (305BC-240BC), wrote "A Collection of Wonders around the World." Only the title survived when the Alexandria Library was destroyed.



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FROM THE OUTGOING SENESCHAL

A hearty Vivat to Lady Hanna, the new Seneschal for this fine Barony.

To the members of the Barony: Thank you for the support and help you have given me the last two years. Without your help, I would not have been able to do the job.

My final words are: Arn Hold is the best Barony in the Kingdom and we are able to accomplish this feat because of the support of all the members of the Barony!

Mistress Heather of Arn Hold

P. S. Now that I am retired, I can concentrate on my first love, football and bourbon.



FROM THE INCOMING SENESCHAL

Greetings to the populace of Arn Hold!

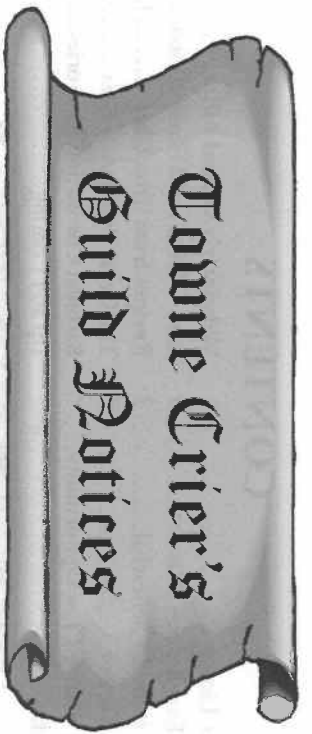
I would like to say thank you to those that have confidence in me to take on this position and I will fulfill my duties to the best of my ability. If there is anything you, the populace need, please let me know how I can help you. I would, however, like to ask that unless it is an extreme emergency, please no calls to my home after 9 PM. Thank you.

Wishing you the best New Year,

Lady Hanna Isabel Lowery

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ARCHERY GUILD

From the Outgoing Archery Captain

To the Archers of Arn Hold does your outgoing captain bid Holiday Greetings!

The time has come for me to step down as your Captain. I thought about this quite a bit before settling on my decision, but there are other items I want to turn my attention to-wards.

I have enjoyed the last two years very much, and am glad that I was blessed to see archery grow a bit in the Barony. I leave you in the most capable hands, however, and am pleased to leave the Barony's Archery in the hands of Lady Giliana Attewatyr, who also happens to be the current Baronial Champion. Quite fitting don't you think!

Lord Godwin fitzGilbert: GHA, OGGP

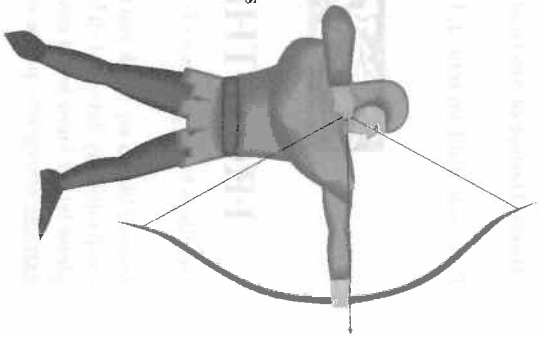
From the Incoming Archery Captain

Greetings good gentles of the fair barony!

I have the honor of following in good Lord Godwin's footsteps to be your new Archery Captain. I am very excited about this task, and that I will be able to contribute to the rich diversity of the interests in Arn Hold. I intend to continue the practices at the same place but, alas, must change the day to Sunday. Godwin and I will hold two practices a week until we wear him out. I plan to have fun and interesting shoots at the practices.

The first coming up will be Midrealm's Mid-Windter Challenge. This is a wonderful shoot designed to hone our archer's skills and not let us grow flabby and lose our aim due to winter's cold. I encourage everyone interested to attend!

Lady Giliana Attewatyr
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Broccoli Affogato
 Drowned Broccoli
 White onions, thinly sliced
 Broccoli, trimmed, stems slice lengthwise, broken into florets
 Salted anchovy fillets
 Imported black olives pitted and chopped
 Dry red wine

Extra virgin olive oil
 Fresh parsley leaves
 Provolone cheese
 Salt and pepper

Mushrooms with onion and herbs
 Sal-a bolets
 Olive oil
 Chopped parsley
 Salt and pepper

Crimini mushrooms
 Onion, finely chopped
 Coriander leaves
 Vinegar

Herb Stuffed Chicken
 Polastri Pini e Boni
 Ground blanched almonds
 Finely chopped mint
 Salt and pepper
 Cinnamon

Chicken
 Finely chopped parsley
 Finely chopped marjoram
 Ground ginger
 Olive oil

Millicium Cheesecake
 Ricotta
 Sugar
 Rosewater

Eggs
 Flour
 Parmesan

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