

## Atlantian Letter of Decision, October 2015

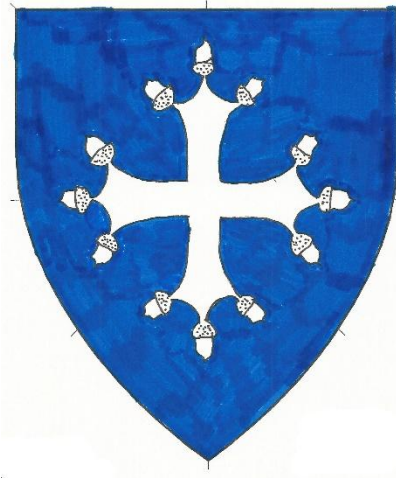
Unto the College of Atlantian Heraldry, does Lady Seraphina Delfino, Golden Dolphin Herald of Atlantia, send Greetings. Here all the items intended for our October 2015 Laurel Letter of Intent.

I would like to thank the following individuals for their commentary this month: Alys Mackyntoich (Ogress), Andreas Lucernensis, Beatrice Shirwod (Opal), Brunissende Dragonette (Wreath), Cecily Goshawke, Christian Jorgensen af Hilsonger, Deirdre O'Bardon (Northern March), Dorcas Whitecap (Harrier), Ealasaid MacDonald (Finsterwald), Gawain of Miskbridge (Green Anchor), ffride wllffsdotter, Maridonna Benvenuti, Mark Lothian, Matilda Wynter, Modar Neznanich (Volk), Ragnar Leifsson (Red Shark), Rowyn the Bardd (Avacal Submissions), Sabine Berard, Subetei of Tir-y-don, and Wynne ferch Rodhri (Blue Shark),

### Acceptances

#### **Adele Lachlan -New Name & New Device**

*Azure, a cross glandular argent*

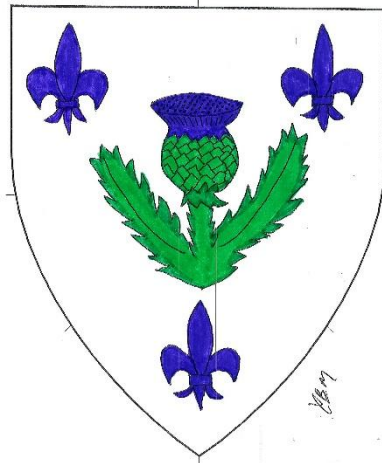


Name Consulting Herald: Aryanhwy merch Catmael, Schwarzdrachen Herald

Device Consulting Herald: Thora Edelweiss

#### **Adelina MacLeod -New Device**

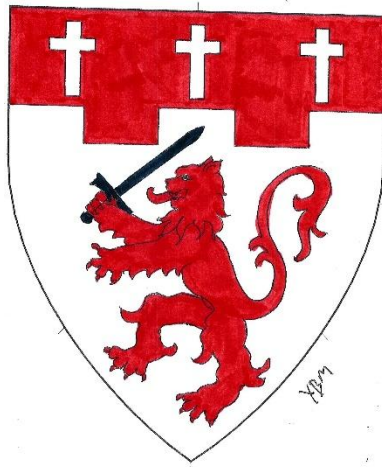
*Argent, a thistle slipped and leaved proper between three fleurs-de-lys purple*



Consulting Herald: Jeanne de Robin, Blue Alaunt

**Alaric Messer -New Device**

*Argent, a lion gules maintaining a sword bendwise sinister sable and on a chief embattled gules three Latin crosses argent.*



Consulting Herald: Ryllyn Buchannan

**Álfdis Þórsdóttir -New Name**

Consulting Herald: Konrad Mailander, Rouge Scarpe Herald

**Allastar Ravenwood -New Name & New Device**

*Vert, on a tree blasted and eradicated argent a raven sable, in chief a compass star argent*



Consulting Herald: Alisoun MacCoul of Elphane, Metron Ariston

**Aurora Perouty -New Name**

Consulting Herald: Juliana de Luna, Siren Herald

**Caisséne ingen Fháeláin -New Device Change**

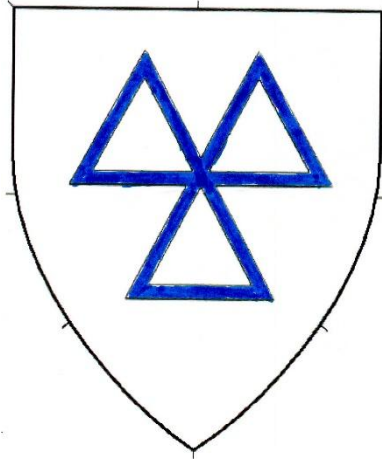
*Sable, on a pale azure fimbriated Or between in chief an increscent and a decrescent argent two triquetras each interlaced with an annulet Or*



Consulting Herald: Alisoun MacCoul of Elphane, Metron Ariston

**Diterich Krieg -New Name & New Device**

*Argent, three triangles voided points conjoined in pall azure.*

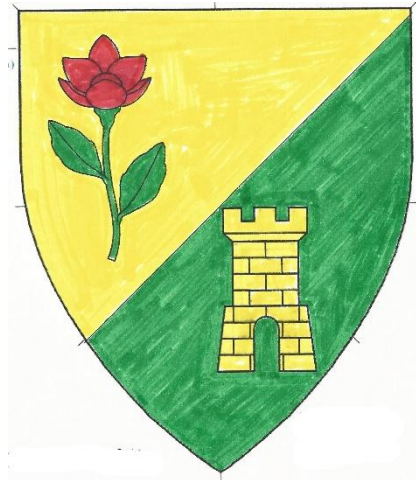


Name Consulting Herald: Ranolfr Rosamon

Device Consulting Herald: Herveus d'Ormonde, Morsulus Herald

**Dorothea Manuela Ponçe -New Device**

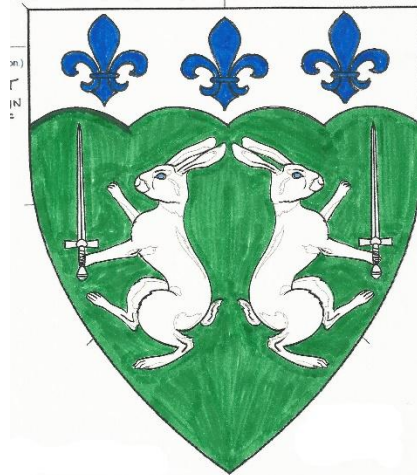
*Per bend sinister Or and vert, a lily gules stemmed vert and a tower Or.*



Consulting Herald: Lothian ap Lyonesse, Ravens' Cove Primary

**Elizabeth Caton -New Name & New Device**

*Vert, two coneys rampant addorsed holding swords, on a chief engrailed argent three fleurs-de-lys azure*



Consulting Herald: Lothian ap Lyonesse, Ravens' Cove Primary

**Esa Kirkepatrike -New Badge**

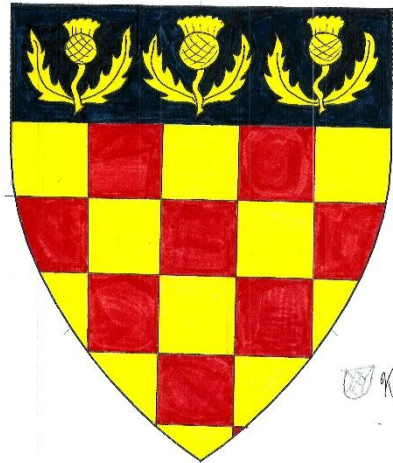
*Gules, in fess a goblet conjoined at the forepaw to a greyhound rampant crowned of a ducal coronet Or, the goblet charged of a crescent sable*



Consulting Herald: Daniela Schwartzhaupt, Pursuivant Extraordinary

**Finnech inghean Labhrainn -New Device**

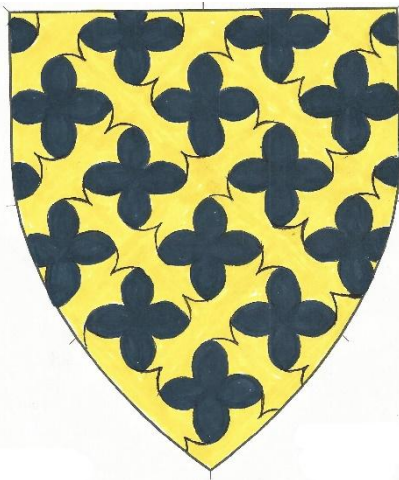
*Checky Or and gules, on a chief sable three thistles Or*



Consulting Herald: Muirenn ingen Dúnadaig of Concordia

**Giles de Nablus -New Name & New Device**

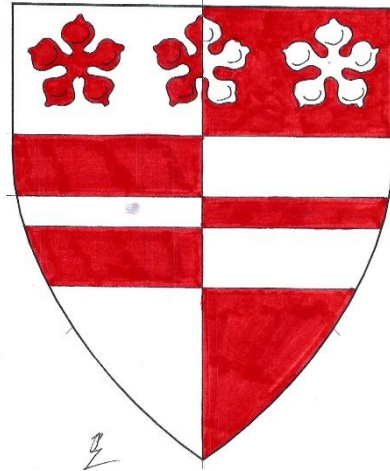
*Sable, fretty engrailed Or*



Consulting Herald: Ealasaid MacDonald, Finsterwald Herald

**Giovan Donado -New Device**

*Per pale argent and gules, a bar gemel and in chief three cinquefoils counterchanged*



Consulting Herald: Michael Langely

**Grace Ivelchild -New Device**

*Argent, a pithon erect sable and an orle vert*

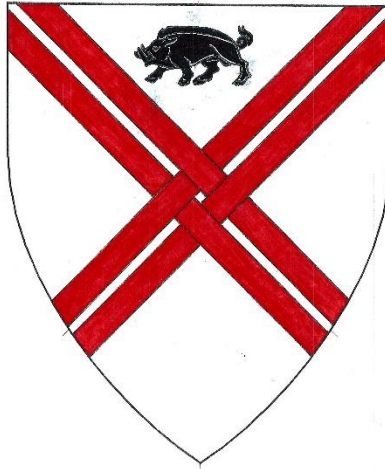


Consulting Herald: Rilyn Buchanan

**Gunnar Birkibeinn -New Device**

*Argent, a saltire parted and fretted gules and in chief a boar passant sable*

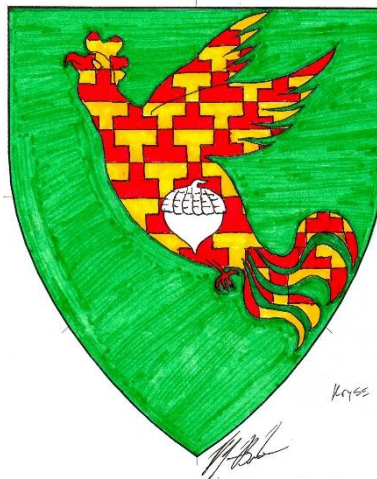




Consulting Herald: Eral of Alwoodley

**Hrutr Herjolfsson -New Name & New Device**

*Vert, on a rooster rising potency gules and Or an acorn argent.*



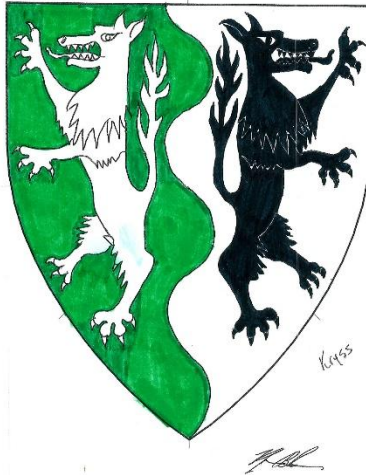
Name Consulting Herald: Deirdre O'Bardon, Northern March Pursuivant

Device Consulting Herald: Konrad Mailander, Rouge Scarpe Herald

**Jocelyn O Faolain -New Name & New Device**

*Per pale wavy vert and argent, two wolves rampant addorsed counterchanged argent and sable*



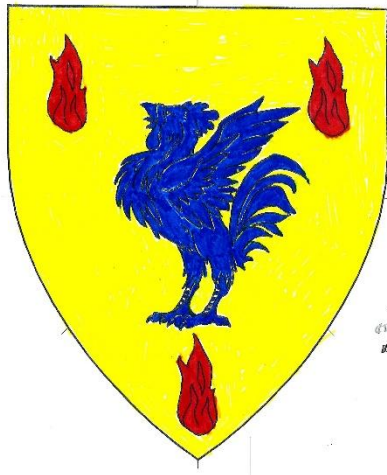


Name Consulting Herald: Godefrey de Lisieues

Device Consulting Herald: Yehuda ben Moshe, Blue Tyger Herald

**Lothar of Atlantia -New Name & New Device**

*Or, a cock wings addorsed azure between three flames gules*



Name Consulting Herald: Richenda du Jardin, Black Lion Herald

Device Consulting Herald: Jeanne de Robin, Blue Alaunt Pursuivant

**Marion Nick Galen -New Name & New Device**

*Or, a cat sejant erect in dexter chief a compass star and a chief enarched sable*



Consulting Herald: Alisoun MacCoul of Elphane, Metron Ariston

This device is a resubmission of the November 2014 Atlantian Return of "Or, a cat sejant erect in dexter chief a compass star and a chief enarched sable"

"Unfortunately, the device must also be returned because the device cannot be forwarded with a name to attach it to and only Laurel can assign holding names for devices to be registered. Once the name problem is resolved, the device can be resubmitted without any changes. The device currently appears conflict free."

#### **Merewen de Cotesmore -New Badge**

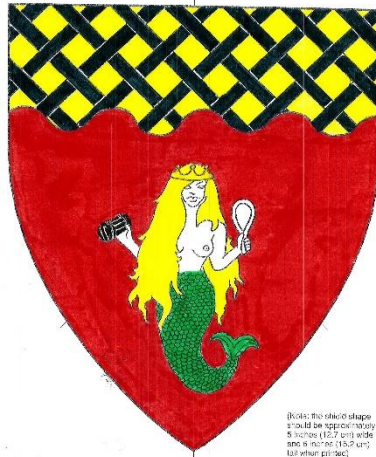
*Per pale gules and sable, a linden tree eradicated between two crescents Or*



Consulting Herald: Eral of Alwoodley

#### **Oriana of Xylina -New Device Change**

*Gules, a blonde mermaid proper crowned with a pearled coronet Or maintaining a casket and mirror all proper, a chief wavy Or fretty sable*



Consulting Herald: Juliana de Luna, Siren Herald

**Ragi Snarfari -New Name & New Device**

*Per bend sinister gules and azure, a futharc Rad rune argent and a Thor's hammer Or*

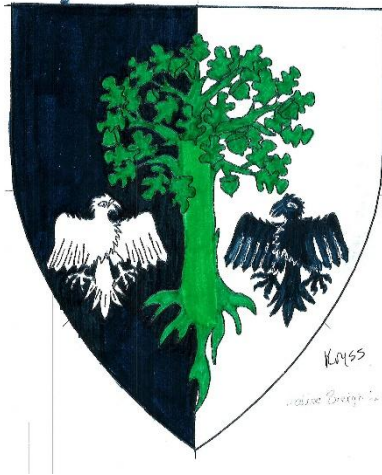


Name Consulting Herald: Florian du Pommier, Gage Pursuivant

Device Consulting Herald: Yehuda ben Moshe, Blue Tyger Herald

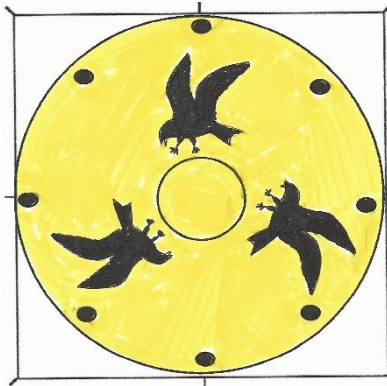
**Rathnat inghean ui Bhroin -New Name & New Device**

*Per pale sable and argent, an oak tree eradicated vert between two ravens displayed heads respectant counterchanged*



Name Consulting Herald: Thomas Haworth  
 Device Consulting Herald: Edith of Winterton

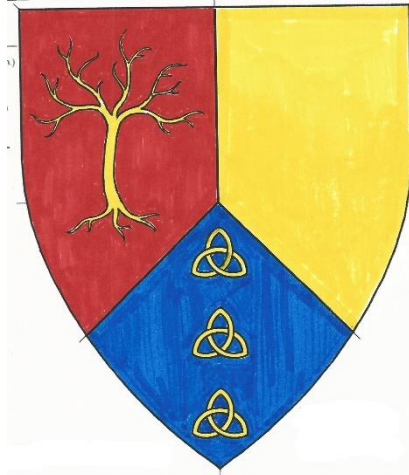
**Cove, Barony of -New Badge**  
*Or, three ravens rising in annulo sable*



This submission is to be associated with Order of the Golden Buckler  
 This badge is a resubmission of the April 2013 Atlantian return of "(Fieldless) On a bezant a raven sable."  
 "This name is intended to be used for the barony's higher level award for rapier fighters, the Order of the Golden Bucker, hence the use of the buckler commonly used in rapier combat."  
 "Unfortunately, in the rush at the end of the consult night, we missed the conflict with Isabella de Corbie, whose device registered in May of 1999 (via the Middle) is Or, a corbie close sable, a bordure embattled per pale sable and gules. Because a charged simple shape (a circle) is considered a 'field of display', the badge must be returned."

Consulting Herald: Lothian ap Lyonesse, Raven's Cove Primary Herald.

**Robert Carswell -New Device**  
*Per pall inverted gules, Or and azure, a tree blasted and eradicated in dexter, three trinity knots in pale in base Or*



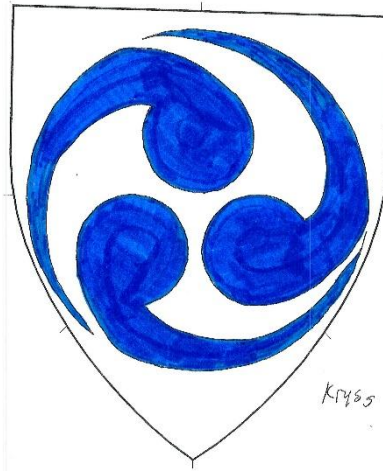
This is a resubmission of the July 2015 Atlantian Return of "Per bend sinister gules and Or, on a bend sinister azure between two trees blasted and eradicated, three triskelions sable"

"This device must be returned for redraw because all elements of the design must have good contrast with one another. Without documentation for an individually attested patterns, we cannot have a black tree on a red background or black triskelions on a blue field as this is color on color."

Consulting Herald: Lothian ap Lyonesse, Raven's Cove Primary Herald.

**Samukawa Mantarou Yukimura -New Name & New Device**

*Argent, three tomoe in annulo azure*



Consulting Herald: Konrad Mailander, Rouge Scarpe Herald

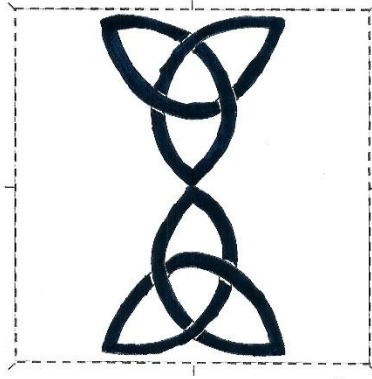
**Séamus Blaer de Maxwell -New Household Name (See Returns for Badge)**

*Company of the Panther Fierce*

Consulting Herald: Juliana de Luna, Siren Herald

**Seán Sreamach mac Tomáis -New Badge**

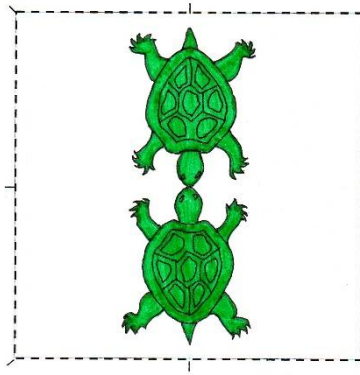
*(Fieldless) A triquetra inverted and a triquetra conjoined in pale sable*



Consulting Herald: Edith of Winterton

**Seán Sreamach mac Tomáis -New Badge**

*(Fieldless) In pale two tortoises, heads to center conjoined at the mouth vert*



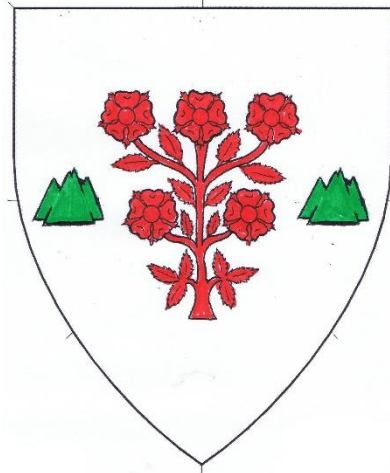
Consulting Herald: Jeanne de Robin, Blue Alaunt

**Subetai al-Katib -Resub Name Change**

Consulting Herald: Juliana de Luna, Siren Herald

**Symonne Red Bush -New Device**

*Argent, a rosebush gules between in fess two mountains couped vert*



Consulting Herald: Alisoun MacCoul of Elphane, Metron Ariston

**Tessa da Verona -New Name & New Device**

*Or, a trillium purple barbed vert and a bordure purpure*



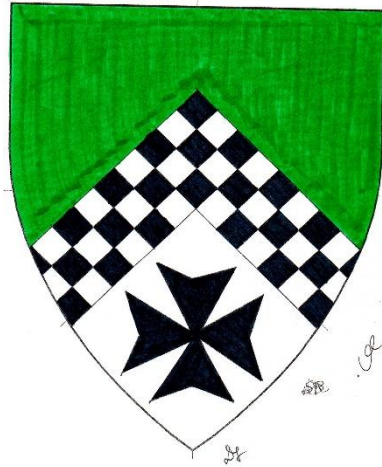
Name Consulting Herald: Richenda du Jardin, Black Lion Herald

Device Consulting Herald: Michael Langely

**Werner der Fromme -New Device Change**

*Per chevron vert and argent, a chevron checky sable and argent and in base a maltese crosses sable*

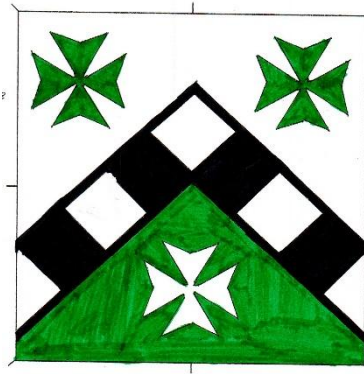




Consulting Herald: Michael Langely

**Werner der Fromme -New Badge**

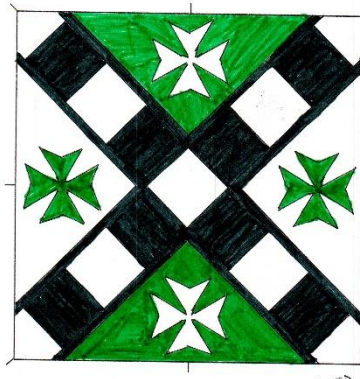
*Per chevron argent and vert, a chevron sable billey argent between three Maltese crosses counterchanged*



Consulting Herald: Illuminada Eugenia de Guadalupe y Godoy, Chanson Pursuivant

**Werner der Fromme -New Badge**

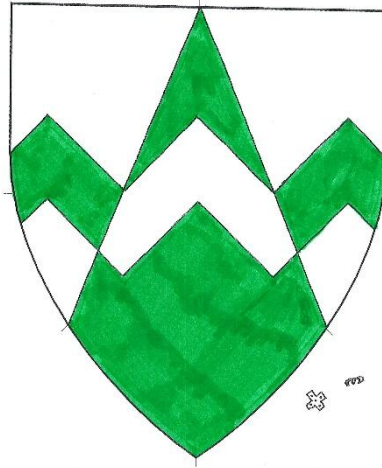
*Per saltire vert and argent, a saltire sable billey argent between four Maltese crosses counterchanged*



Consulting Herald: Illuminada Eugenia de Guadalupe y Godoy, Chanson Pursuivant

**William Garrett -New Device**

*Per chevron throughout argent and vert, a dance counterchanged*

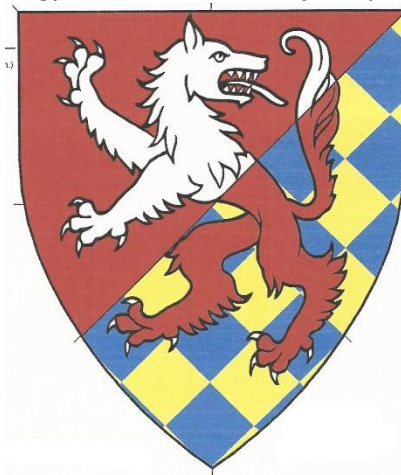


Consulting Herald: Jeanne de Robin, Blue Alaunt

**RETURNS**

**Grimkell of Bright Hills -New Device**

*Per bend sinister gules and lozengy Or and azure, a wolf rampant regardant argent and gules*



This device unfortunately must be returned once more for conflict. It is now in conflict with Niall an Eich Gil's device, "Per bend sinister gules and argent, a wolf salient counterchanged." There is one DC for changes to the field but the wolf is the same color.

This device is a resubmission of the July 2015 Atlantian return of "Per bend sinister gules and lozengy Or and azure, issuant from the line of division a wolf rampant regardant argent.

This device must be returned again for conflict with Johnathan Crusadene Whitewolf's badge "Quarterly sable and gules, a demi-wolf rampant erased argent." As per SENA A5G7a, changes to the position of the head or tail do not count for difference. The only change made to the device is the position of the head, there for the device is still in conflict. Also please advise the submitter that a demi-wolf does not include the tail and hind legs.

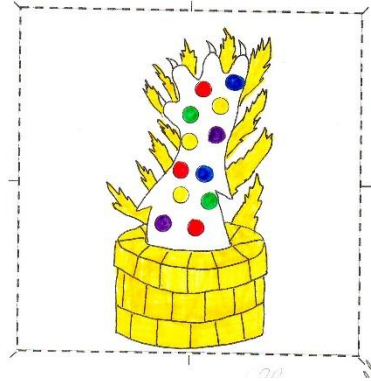
and the March 2015 Atlantian return of "Per bend sinister gules and lozengy Or and azure, a demi wolf rampant issuant from a line of division argent."

Unfortunately, this device was returned for conflict with Johnathan Crusadene Whitewolf's badge "Quarterly sable and gules, a demi-wolf rampant erased argent." There is distinct difference for changes to this field but there is no difference between the two wolves. Any proposed device must two distinct changes from any registered armory in order to be registered. Please advise the submitter that a demi-wolf does not include the hind legs.

Consulting Herald: Wynne ferch Rhodri ap Hywell, Blue Shark Herald

### **Séamus Blaer de Maxwell – New Badge**

*(Fieldless) In pale a panther's jambe argent spotted of diverse tinctures enflamed issuant from a well Or.*



Consulting Herald: Juliana de Luna, Siren Herald  
The submitter is withdrawing this submission.

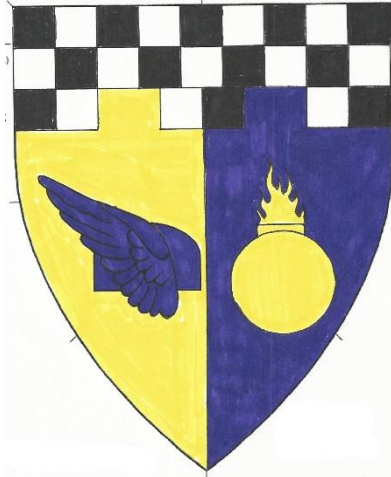
The badge is a resubmission of the January 2015 Atlantian Return of "(Fieldless) In saltire, two panther's jambes argent spotted of diverse tinctures."

"The badge is being returned for conflict with "Gules, two dragon's jambes erased in saltire argent" registered to Wolfgang Neuschel der Grau. There is a distinct change for the fieldless but there is no distinct change between Dragon's jambes and Panther's jambes."

"As per the March 2010 LoAR, R- Justin de Leon. Badge. (Fieldless) In fess a lion's jambe issuant from a sinister wing Or. This badge is returned for conflict with the badge of Ragnarr ulfheðinn, reblazoned in August 2005 and associated with the name Gregor von Drachenstein, (Fieldless) In fess a dragon's jambe inverted and conjoined to a dragon's sinister wing Or. We do not grant difference between bat (dragon) wings and bird wings, nor do we grant difference between a lion's jambe and a dragon's."

### **Seamus Tremayne of Argyll -Resub Device**

*Per pale Or and purple, a Thor's helm and an exploding grenade counterchanged a chief embattled checky sable and argent*



Unfortunately, this device must be returned for rework. As this is the defining instance of a Thor's helm in the society, documentation must be provided that this a period charge. It could be blazoned as a winged helm, however the charge must be identifiable as a helm when the wings are removed. It was suggested in commentary that more helmety parts be added to make this more identifiable as a helmet. This device is a resubmission of the March 2013 Laurel Return of "Per pale Or and purpure, a Latin cross bottony and the sinister half of a horned Corinthian helmet affronty counterchanged, a chief embattled checky argent and sable."

"This device is returned for redraw, for violating SENA A2C2 which states "Elements must be drawn to be identifiable." The half-helmet here is not readily identifiable."

"The submitter provided documentation of heraldic charges in period divided per pale, either the sinister or dexter half. However, all of the charges thus cited are very common ones: fleur-de-lys, mullet, and wagon wheel. Their very familiarity makes identifying a dexter or sinister half possible. The horned Corinthian helmet, on the other hand, is a charge completely unattested in period armory."

"The submitter also mentioned charges dimidiated in per pale marshalling contexts. While this did occur in period, it was fairly uncommon, most likely due to the inherent problems with identification.

Appealing to the types of dimidiation seen only in marshalling forces us to consider this as a design with the appearance of marshalling, which is not allowed under SENA A6F as being presumptive."

Consulting Herald: Lothian ap Lyonesse, Raven's Cove Primary Herald.