



# THE UMBRIAN MUG

## **Greetings and Salutations!**

Welcome to this edition of the Umbrian Mug. This edition covers the month of August 2001. If you know of a Kingdom member who isn't getting the Umbrian Mug, please let the Royal Chronicler know so that the problem can be rectified.

needs LOTS of help on her project. Please see these wonderful folks to find out how your talents can assist them.

Remember the "Pocket Dragon War" is to be held at the Kingdom Tourney! The King's side are the protectors of these little creatures. The Queen's side is in favor of the total destruction of these pestulants. So....choose sides and FIGHT, FIGHT,FIGHT!!!!

Congratulations to all the winners of the tourneys, and archery shoots. Well done.

I, Sir Philippe, wish to express to all of Umbria and Adria how I feels about the treatment he received at the hands of the people of York and the other attendees of the Imperial Estates Meeting. As for the People of York, my companion, Countess Royal Dame Roawyn, and I were so well taken care of by the people of York that I am not sure how to applaud them for making me feel so welcome – or if my praise can do justice to them. I send them much respect and love.

To the attendees of the Estates Meeting that took up a collection for our ride back to the airport: I know not exactly who you are, but I have a good idea. Again, I know not how to thank you properly, save this: I send much respect and love. I owe you a debt of gratitude.

In Service,  
Their Royal Majesties  
King Philippe and Queen Justina

## ***Date and Time Changes***

PLEASE NOTE: Encanto Park will be closing at 9:45 p.m. from now on. Warning lights will go out at 9:15. (We have shifted to a 7:30 pm start instead of 8 pm.)

## ***Knightings!***

Three Huzzahs to Sir Keegan and Sir Ievan who have attained the rank of Knight Bannerrette! Congratulations!

## ***Imperial Estates Meeting***

Dame Serene was kind enough to take notes during the Court held last week and posted the results of the Meeting as given by HRM Sir Philippe on the Egroups. Please refer to an Agenda for the exact wording of the Proposals, and remember, nothing is official until 30 days after the Imperials publish any changes. (Contact Sir James the Red for information on the egroups if necessary.)

Thanks to Dame Serene for this effort!!

## ***Editorials***

*The editorials that follow express the personal opinions of the authors. They are not necessarily the feelings of the Crowns, Chronicler, nor Kingdom of Umbria.*

Knights without honor is what  
Some of Us choose, to the Empire portray  
With Actions, words and remarks  
We drive each other away.

A Kingdom divided  
Tattered and torn  
Not caring who we hurt  
Standing alone, forlorn.

How much more  
Will it take  
Until the Kingdom dies  
Before the final break?

My Heart is heavy  
With unshed tears  
My fondest dreams have  
Become my worst fears.

This is only a game  
Everyone says to me  
So, I beg you all  
To hear my plea.

-Dame Charricce

## ***Collegiums & Demonstrations***

*Unless otherwise noted, collegiums are held at Encanto Park Fighter Practice, beginning at approximately 8:00 p.m.*

**August 3, 3-5pm** – Dame Ekaterina, Dame Julianna McBride & Lord Temple: Catalina Ventura School Demo. 6331 N 39<sup>th</sup> Ave, Classroom #603. Combat, Archery, and Arts welcome!

**August 10, 3-5pm** - Dame Ekaterina, Dame Julianna McBride & Lord Temple: Sevilla School, 3801 N. Missouri. Combat, Archery, and Arts welcome!

August 7 - Demo – in order to participate in the Devonshire Faire. Meet at Los Olivos Senior Center

## **Royal Address**

We wish to thank Keara and Iella for their efforts in organizing the committees for the fundraisers and the Devonshire fair. We ask all of the populace to assist in these efforts to make them a success. Good things are in the workings already!!! But, the more help received the better.

We also want to thank Charicce for all the work she is doing to get "Hobbitville" up and running by Imperial War. She also



## Royal Minister Reports

### Office of the Steward

Membership Dues are due soon for the following members...If you have already paid, just smile as you read your name.

July
Gregory Raden Matthew Conlon Lisa Roberts Doug Thomas Victor Shaffer James Pilon David McGillam
August
Donald Adkins Jr. Jackie Ruhland Thomas Adkins Chris Arnell Alexandra Lentine-Ross Amanda Arnell Christine Ross Christopher Carter Jonathon Ross Renia Ligget
September
Danielle Haines Cassie Arnell Michael Palos Nathan Klun Ruth Heines James Wall John Poling Justin Wright Michael Atkins Deena Grady Christine Grise-Weaver Lee Janie Michael Strong Nathan Chiggs Stephen Leatherman Victor Grady Michael Zachary Christopher Grise

### Rolls Minister

No official reports were received to submit to the Mug at the time of publication.

-Dame Roawyn O'Riley

### Minister of Joust Announcements:

This is brought to you by the Royal Minister of Joust, Sir Puck. The following is how I would describe this last month's tournaments to be.

Canton of Thunar- After battle with flying fire that makes loud noises on the 4th a tournament was scheduled for the next week, the wind was slight (very gusty) but tameable. The rain and lightning was not far. But yet we still did hold the mass melee of blades. And the victor to emerge was nonetheless Sir Keegan, victor of Knight's Renn. Canton of Westraheim was cancelled due to Cornation, which in my opinion was quite grand except for some odd reason the didn't grant me immunities that night.

The Highlanderous Kingdom Event was quite beheading as well. With two lists ready to suit up and battle we only had one emerge from the depth of battle from the clash of steel swords upon steel armor. This man was glorious indeed; however I did forget his name. Ohh well on to the next battle, with more blades clashing we had the one with his head still intact walk into court to except his prize, The victor being Sir Pavo in Knight's Renn. Ohh and the winner for Knight's Steel was Her Majesty's own bed bauble, Sir Ievan.

Three Cheers to the Victors.

If there are any comments, concerns, ideas, or requests regarding combat in tournaments please direct them to either myself or Sir Logan the Crown Marshall. Thank you and hope to see you all out in the battle soon.

Sir Puck Lyttle  
Count of Dark Star  
Royal Minister of Joust

### Royal Hospitler

The Kingdom Fundraising Committee is sponsoring a Rummage Sale (Mundane) to be held August 25&26. (Location TBA) Please contact HRM Dame Justina or me to make a donation.

-Lady Knight Keara Craig, Hospitler

### Minister of Arts and Sciences

The June Canton of Thunar saw one entry – a charcoal drawing of a nude by Dame Serene.

Richard Corazon del Oso entered a poem at the Kingdom Event in July, and upon reading it in court was given a resounding Huzzah!

-Dame Kate, A/S Minister

### Revelry

I Called the Los Olivos Senior Center and spoke with the person in charge. The Devonshire Faire will be the weekend of November 17th and 18th.

The first Tuesday of August, they will be holding a committee meeting to start all the planning and such. I would like to have some people from Umbria to attend this meeting with me. If needed I shall provide a seat in my car to help with the "getting a ride problem". I can fit 3 comfortably, 4 a little tight, in my car other than me. So please contact me either by email or mundane phone 623-853-0692 to let me know if you want to go. If you don't need a ride please call me anyway and let me know that you are going. Also if you need directions please contact me as well. I hope to get some help on this.

Regarding the Faire itself:

Anyone wanting to sell or even perform something, please let me know so that way I can have an idea of what people want to do. Maybe we can arrange to have extra armour out there and maybe suit up mundanes and let them fight. I need IDEAS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

I would like to not have a tourney during that weekend. The weekend is to have fun, and try to raise money for the

kingdom. Yes I would like to have armour both steel and other stuff, and maybe even some of the combat arrows out too. Maybe do a dunking booth. But I would like Ideas from you, MY FELLOW UMBRIANS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! SO LETS DO THIS BETTER THAN LAST YEAR!!!!!!

Lady Iella, Mistress of the Revel

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## Colony of Trinacria

Though nothing over here is boring or humdrum I would like to recognize some of Trinacria's populace for their hard work over the last few months.

Now most of Adria wont recognize the names I would ask you to read along anyway. These are new members of a new subdivision in a new area and have done much to help Trinacria flourish. I want to thank and recognize:

Christal Gillman (Christa) She has come to Trinacria and just cleaned up. She sits for hours and makes/repairs armour so the combatants can keep combating. She takes on so much responsibility and follows through to the finish. Thank you!

Marshall Dean (Thomas Grim) As loyal as anyone I have ever known. I rejoice in his being here because he gives of himself freely and asks nothing in return. He has been a mediator and a friend. To all who rule small or large subdivisions, I hope that you have a mirror of Thomas Grim, He makes life easier. Thank you!

Steve Williams (Ragnall the Norseman) In an area that needs positive figures to give a good name to our Empire we have this tall blond warrior. He can play/act with the best of them. He has been with Trinacria from the start and I depend on his friendship and counsel. Thank you!

Charley Williams (Brina of Ireland) My Sergeant of the Guard. Brina is a thinker and a fighter. A true role model for the women of the game. She looks

beautiful in a Dress and can whollop the tar out of you with her Shanai.  
Thank you!

Jeff Smith (Jack Wolf) I like to have Jack around because he keeps me honing my skills with weapons. Because if I don't keep sharp he will let me know with the business end of a rapier. He also has given much of himself to Trinacria. Thank you!

Travis Hutchins (Captain Hucheon Blackheart) Captain Blackheart has brought so much to Trinacria. He has an air about him that makes people want to be near him and respect him. He is reliable and intelligent and really makes a difference in our game.  
Thank you!

Gina Turner (Lady Polgara) My wife. She has given up much to the game including me. She is supportive understanding and makes my life here (game and Mundane) wonderful.  
Thank you!

Tyler and Christa Turner (Gus and Jewell) My children who aren't children anymore it seems. They have both become great additions to the game and as Herald, Gus performs perfectly and as Hospitaler, Jewell meets and greets with style and grace. Thank you!

I have good to say about all the members here but the post would run too long. These are some of the members that keep things moving over here and I hope that you all in Adria get the chance to meet some of them.

Respects and Best wishes to all,  
Sir Ivan the Forsaken  
Viceroy of Trinacria

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If anyone knows how to get rid of this line, please tell me! They are everywhere and they won't go away! AAAAHHHHHH

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### August 2001 Events

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
			1 Canton of Thunar Encanto Park 7:30 pm	2	3 Demo –Catalina Ventura School 3-5pm	4 Canton of Westerheim Loma Linda Park 9 a.m.
5	6	7	8 Fighter Practice Encanto Park 7:30 pm	9	10 Demo - Sevilla School 3-5pm	11
12	13	14	15 Fighter Practice Encanto Park 7:30 pm	16	17	18 Kingdom Tourney Cactus Park 9 a.m. Pocket Dragon War!
19	20	21	22 Fighter Practice Encanto Park 7:30 pm	23	24	25 Archery Tourney Fiesta Archery 10 a.m.
26	27	28	29 Fighter Practice Encanto Park 7:30 pm	30	31	

### September 2001 Events

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
						1 Imperial War West Esperance
2 Imperial War West Esperance	3	4	5 Fighter Practice Encanto Park 7:30 pm	6	7	8
6	10	11	12 Fighter Practice Encanto Park 7:30 pm	13	14	15 Kingdom Tourney Cactus Park 10 a.m.
16	17	18	19 Fighter Practice Encanto Park 7:30 pm	20	21	22 Archery Tourney Fiesta Archery 9 a.m.
23	24	25	26 Fighter Practice Encanto Park 7:30 pm	27	28	29
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**Royal Ministers...**

*Their Royal Majesties have split the Ministers into "His, Hers, and Theirs." "His" and "Hers" are listed under TRM's names. "Theirs" are in the 3<sup>rd</sup> column.*

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