

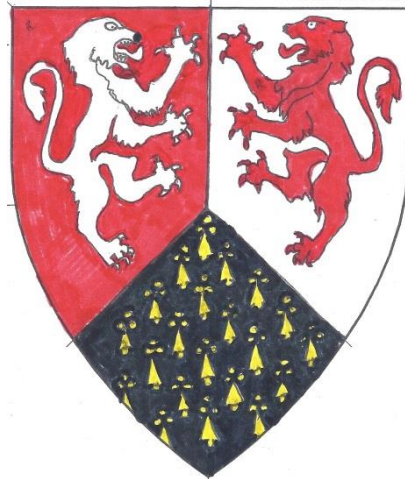
Kingdom of Atlantia Letter of Decision, January, 2013

Dame Hróðný Rognvaldsdóttir, Golden Dolphin Herald of Atlantia, sends soggy spring greetings to her fellow heralds. Here are the items submitted Laurel in our March 2013 Laurel letter of Intent. I wish to thank these nineteen heralds for their invaluable aid: Alisoun MacCoul of Elphane (Metron Ariston), Alys Mackyntoich (Eastern Crown), Catherine Ambrose, Emma de Fetherstan (Wreath), Etienne Le Mons (Vexillum), Gawain of Miskbridge (Green Anchor), Gunnvor silfraharr (Orle), Herveus d'Ormonde (Morsulus), Isabella Delfino (Black Trident), Mari ingen Briain meic Donnchada (Aldyrne), The Middlegate commenting group (Nuala, Murienne, Dreux, Etienne, Catherine, and Reginald), Odierne Lion (Red Hawk), Ragnar Leifsson, Sabine Berard, Sólvieg eyverska, and Sovany Barcsi Janos.

ACCEPTANCES

Andrew of Skye - New Name & New Device

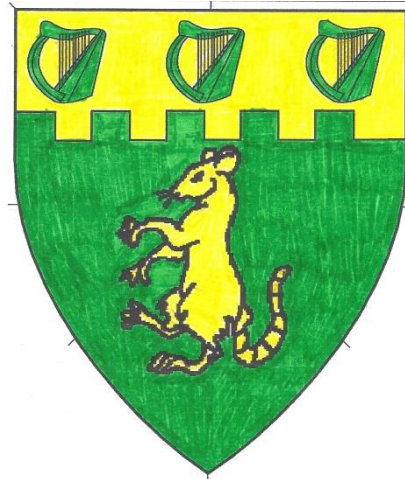
Per pale inverted gules, argent and pean, in chief two lions combatant counterchanged.



Consulting Herald: Isabella Delfino, Black Trident Herald

Domnall Ó Glacáin - Resub Device

Vert, a rat rampant Or, on a chief embattled Or three harps vert.



Dragos Potcoava - New Name

Consulting herald: Isabella Delfino, Black Trident Herald

Eoin Mac Éadbháird - Resub Name

Gundric Gunnarsson - Resub Device

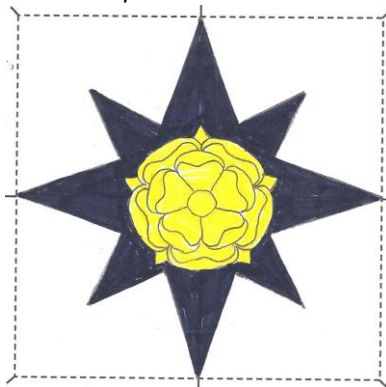
Or, a clenched gauntlet palewise between three axes in triangle inverted, blades inwards within a bordure sable.



Consulting Herald: Lochlainn hua Rigbarddain, Raven's Cove herald

Raven's Cove, Barony of - Resub Badge

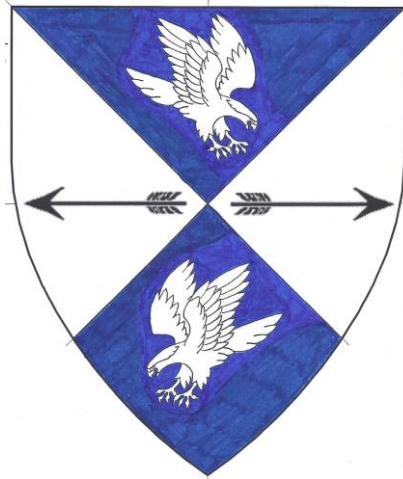
(Fieldless) On a compass star sable a double rose Or.



This submission is to be associated with Award of the Black Compass Rose. *The Order of the Black Compass Rose* was registered to the Barony of Raven's Cove in June of 2012 (via Atlantia) but was mis-named and in December, 2012, a request was submitted to Laurel for the designator to be changed to "award".

Ruadrí Facouner - Resub Name & Resub Device

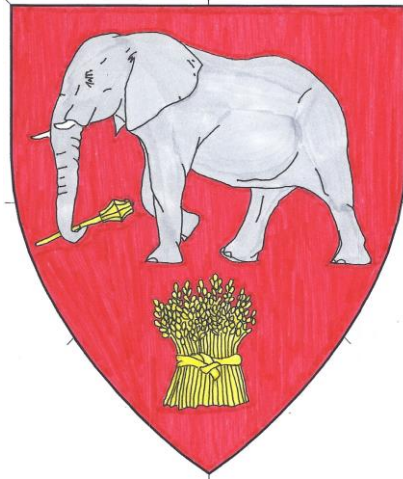
Per saltire azure and argent, two falcons striking counterstriking argent and two arrows fesswise addorsed sable



Consulting Herald: Vittorio Mezzadri

Sa'id ibn Yusuf ibn Ali al-Maghribi - Resub Device

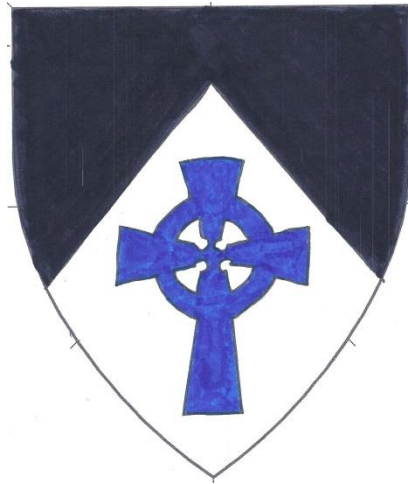
Gules, an elephant passant proper maintaining in its trunk a flanged mace and in base a garb Or.



RETURNS

Esa ingen Dhonnchaid - New Name & New Device

Per chevron sable and argent, in base a Celtic cross azure.



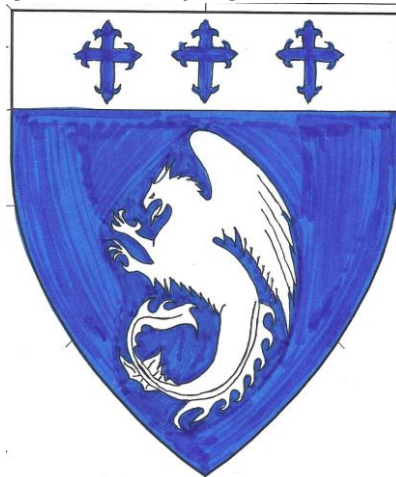
Consulting Herald: Sara van Eerde

Unfortunately, we cannot submit the name as formed so must send it back for reworking. For lack of a name, the device must be returned also but we are looking forward to seeing it resubmitted with a new name form.

This name combines both Scots and Gaelic languages, rendering it inauthentic for our purposes. If the client wishes to have a wholly Scots name, it could be "Esa MacDonald". If the client wished for a Gaelic name she'd need to change the given name. We don't have a lot of information about Scottish Gaelic naming because Gaelic was not the majority language in Scotland (unlike Ireland). She can look for what few given names we know were used by Scottish Gaelic women here: <http://medievalscotland.org/scotnames/gaelicgiven/women.shtml>. If she does find a personal name she'd like to substitute, the byname formation should be "ingen Donnchaid" or if post-1200, "either inghean Donnchaidh or inghean Donnchadha " as D- does not lenite following -n (The exception cases can be found in a grid at: <http://medievalscotland.org/scotnames/quickgaelicbyname/#descriptivebyname>).

Vittoria Cavalieri - Resub Device

Azure, a sea-griffon argent, on a chief argent three Latin crosses fleury azure.



This is a resubmission of the June 2012 Atlantian in-kingdom return of "Azure, a seagriffin and on a chief gules a winged scarab argent.", for violation of tincture rules and to correct the depiction of a sea-griffin. "This sea-griffin is not drawn as a fish-tailed demi-griffin but instead it has what appear to be bat-wings. These must be blazoned, then, making this Azure, a bat(or dragon)-winged sea-griffin and on a chief gules a winged scarab argent." There was also concern about the Winged Scarab forcing a return from Laurel. This is now being returned for a further redrawing of the seagriffin so it may have internal detailing to make it distinguishable from a sea-dragon.

Consulting Herald: Vittoria Cavalieri

in service,
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