Atlantian Letter of Decision, May 2015

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

I would like to thank the following individuals for their commentary this month: Alisoun MacCoul of Elphane (Metron Ariston), Alys Mackyntoich (Blue Tyger), Beatrice Shirwod (Opal), Cecily Goshawke, Christian Jorgensen af Hilsonger, Cian mac Ceallachain Ui Dubhlaich (Triton), Ealasaid MacDonald (Finsterwald), Eoin Mac Eideard (Morwch Rudd), Eridana Ambra Dragotta (Ambre), Etienne Le Mons (Vexillum), ffride wlffsdotter, Gawain of Miskbridge (Green Anchor), Gunnvor silfraharr (Orle), Jeanne Marie Lacroix (Noir Licorne), Juetta Copin, Magnus von Lübeck, Ragnar Leifsson (Red Shark), Reginald de Beauchamp (Green Shark), Sabine Berard, Taran The Wayward and NE Calontir commenting group, consisting of Lady Rohese de Dinan, Shadowdale Pursuivant, and Gawain of Miskbridge (Green Anchor).

Anna Charles - New Name & New Device

Sable, a cross formy fitchy and on a chief Or, three linden trees proper.



Consulting Herald: Cian mac Ceallacháin Uí Dubhlaich, Triton Herald

Cecily Goshawke - New Name (See Returns for Device)

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

Esnede O Murrin - New Name & New Device

Per chevron vert and Or, in base a pithon displayed head to sinister sable

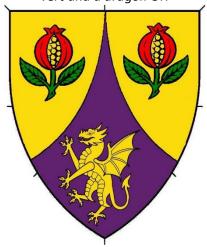


Name Consulting Herald: Alisoun MacCoul of Elphane, Metron Ariston

Device Consulting Herald: Etienne Le Mons d'Anjou, Vexillum Pursuivant

Giovanna de Aragona - New Name & New Device

Per chevron ployé throughout Or and purpure, two pomegranates gules seeded Or slipped and leaved vert and a dragon Or.



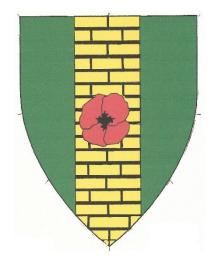
Consulting Herald: Etienne Le Mons d'Anjou, Vexillum Pursuivant

Helena de Berkeley - New Name

Consulting Herald: Eoin Mac Eadhaird

Janna of Falconcree - New Name & New Device

Vert, on a pale Or masoned sable a poppy affront gules.



Consulting Herald: Catguistl of Tintagol, Herring/Silver Shark Pursuivant.

Penelope of Foxedene - New Device

Azure, on a heart inverted Or a frog vert within a bordure wavy argent semy of dragonflies vert



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

Robert Shockley - New Name

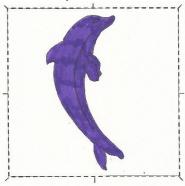
Consulting Herald: Ealasaid MacDonald, Finsterwald Pursuivant

Rónán mac Ímair - New Name

Consulting Herald: Agnete Köslin, Most/ Sea Stag Pursuivant

Seraphina Delfino - New Badge

(Fieldless) A natural dolphin haurient contourny purpure



Tala al-Zahra bint Imazighen - New Name (See Returns for Device)

The name is a resubmission after the November 2014 Atlantian return of "Tala az-Zahra"

"This name must be returned because the submitter has not provided the promised documentation for the name

Torfin blóð auga - New Name Change (See Returns for Device)

Consulting Herald: Isolda de Crosthwaite, Silver Osprey Pursuivant

Victor Maximus - New Name & New Device
Per chevron sable and argent, a decrescent and a wolf's head erased counterchanged.

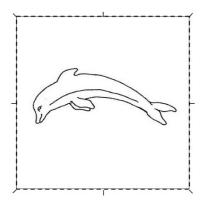


Consulting Herald: Alisoun MacCoul of Elphane, Metron Ariston

Viktor ormstunga - New Name

Consulting Herald: Cian mac Ceallacháin Uí Dubhlaich, Triton Herald

William Costello - New Badge (Fieldless) A natural dolphin argent.

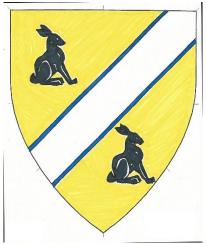


Consulting Herald: Alisoun MacCoul of Elphane, Metron Ariston

RETURNS

Cecily Goshawke - New Device

Or, a bend sinister argent fimbriated azure, between two rabbits sejant contourny sable.

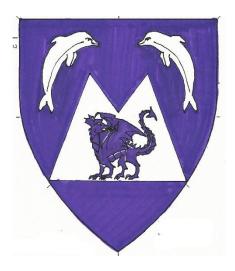


This device must returned for redraw because the fimbriation is drawn too narrow and may not be considered a fimbriation. If the submitter redraws the fimbriation twice as wide as it is now, it should solve any artistic issues with the fimbriation. As of the publication of this letter of decision, the device is conflict free.

Device Consulting Herald: Beatrice Shirwod, Opal Pursuivant

Hazel of Foxedene - New Device

Purpure, on a mountain of two-peaks couped between in chief two natural dolphins embowed respectant argent, a dragon statant reguardant purpure.

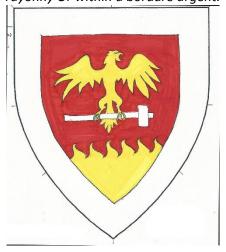


This device must be unfortunately returned for redraw because the dragon is unidentifiable, commenters mentioned that the head is hard to identify at a distance. According to SENA A.2.C.2 all elements must be drawn identifiable as it were being seen from across the field. It was suggested at the decision meeting that dragon might be more recognizable, if it has a longer neck. It was also suggested that the submitter not draw the mountain as close to the edge.

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

Justinian of Dun Carraig - New Device

Gules, an eagle head to sinister Or maintaining in its talons a hammer fesswise reversed argent, a base rayonny Or within a bordure argent.



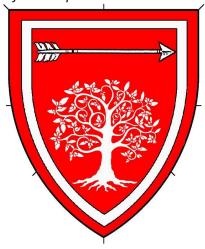
The device must be returned for redraw because the way the rayonny line is drawn as "wavy-crested" As per the Feburary 2012 LoAR, Sibry Thorne's device "Per bend sinister rayonny azure and gules, a crescent argent and a phoenix rising from the flames Or" was returned because of how the rayonny line was drawn.

"The rayonny line of division must be drawn in a much more regular and symmetrical fashion, not like the long-forbidden "wavy crested" as depicted here."

Consulting Herald: Isolda de Crosthwaite, Silver Osprey Pursuivant

Tala al-Zahra bint Imazighen- New Device

Gules, within an orle, an arrow fesswise points to sinister and an olive tree eradicated argent.



The device has to be returned for conflict with Silvanus of Ciltern, October of 1994, via An Tir "Gules, an oak tree eradicated within an orle argent." There is a distinct change for adding the arrow, however there is no difference granted for an Oak tree vs an Olive tree. In order to register armory, it must have two distinct changes with any previously registered armory.

Device Consulting Herald: Etienne Le Mons d'Anjou, Vexillum Pursuivant

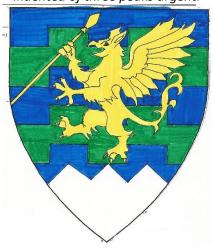
Torfin blóðauga - New Device Gules, on a roundel argent, an eye gules irised black.



Unfortunately, this device must be returned for conflict with Edwin Bersark, registered in January, 1973 "Gules, a roundel so drawn as to represent a round shield battered in long and honourable service, argent." There is one district change for addition of the eye as a tertiary charge. In order to be registered, a device must have two distinct changes from any registered armory. Please advise the submitter to draw the eye less like the CBS eye.

Wrade map Wyllys map Uthor - New Name & New Device

Barry bretessed azure and vert, a griffin holding a spear in its dexter claw bendwise sinister Or, a base indented of three peaks argent.



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

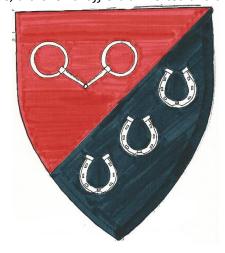
The name is being returned because the documentation provided does not match the name the submitter wants. Documentation could not be found to match the name the submitter wants during inkingdom commentary. In order to register a name, the documentation must prove the name was used prior to 1650. Also the structure of the name must be documented as used prior to 1650.

The Device must be returned because the name is being returned. In order for a device to be registered it must have a registered name or name in progress to attach to it. The device is also being returned for a style issue. Fields divided into more than four part, must have good contrast. Azure and Vert do not have good contrast.

PENDS

Mór ingen uí Dochartaich - New Device

Per bend sinister gules and sable, a broken snaffle-bit inverted and three horseshoes inverted argent.



This device is pending until the July decision meeting to the give the submitter time to submit payment for this submission. If payment is not received by the publication of the July external letter, it will be returned for lack of payment.

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

In Service,

Seraphina Delfino