

Unto Their Royal Majesties Kjartan and Sha'ya, His Excellency Evrard, Mistress Sara de Bonneville, and the wonderful populace of the Barony of Wyewood, do we, Master Martyn Baxter and Baroness Alessandra da Montefeltro send our warmest and most humble greetings. By this letter we wish to notify you of our intent to put ourselves forward for consideration as candidates to serve as Baron and Baroness of Wyewood.

To that end, we acknowledge and can accept the commitment of three years of service to the Barony of Wyewood, of which we have seen the responsibilities as laid out in Corpora and in the baronial customary. If chosen, we intend to make ourselves available to the populace through all means be that in person, phone, email or social media.

Service and expanding knowledge is very dear to both of us. We recognize that it is unusual for a seated Baroness to run for a second consecutive term with a new partner, but believe it is the right and proper thing for the barony. It is our feeling that this speaks to the amazing individuals who make up the officers and populace of the barony. Wyewood is known for its dedicated service; hospitality; open welcome of visitors, old friends, and new members; and their support of each other and the barony.

Our vision for the future of the barony is to foster growth. Growth not only through creating a welcoming environment for any newcomers, but also by encouraging all of our populace to explore the many opportunities available within our barony, kingdom, and Society. It would be our goal to inspire others to find their path, wherever it may lead. Guiding gently, maintaining the Baronial tradition of fun and welcome, we will continue to foster the feeling of community.

Wyewood is full of amazing individuals and the Baron and Baroness are nothing without them. As such, we intend to support our officers and populace to the utmost of our abilities. We will also rely on them to help make our vision a reality. As representatives of the Crown, we will be open to our populace; listening to them, their thoughts, their feelings, and relaying those opinions to the Crown as well as communicating the wishes of the Crown to our Populace.

We remain in service,

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Alessandra da Montefeltro
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Name: Alessandra da Montefeltro (registered May 2005)

Arms: Azure, an open book and on a chief Or a quill pen fesswise between two lozenges Gules
(November 2013)

http://wiki.antir.sca.org/index.php?title=Alessandra_da_Montefeltro

Current Affiliations

Barony of Wyewood; Sep-2011 to Present

Member of Clan Carn; Aug-2010 to Present

Protege of Countess Elisabeth de Rossignol

Offices Held

Baroness of the Barony of Wyewood, Sep-2016 to Present

Crier Listings Editor, Feb-2011 to Present

Subscribing Member, 1996 to Present

Seneschal of the Barony of Wyewood, Apr-2015 to Sep-2016

Deputy Seneschal of the Barony of Wyewood, Apr-2013 to Apr-2015

Kingdom Lists Minister (KLM), Jan-2003 to Jan-2007

First event - September Crown 1995 (AS XXX)

Kingdom Awards

Order of the Jambe de Lion (Ieuan Gower & Gwyneth Gower), Sep-14-2013 (AS XLVIII)

Order of the Goutte de Sang (Thorin Njalsson & Dagmaer in Hvassa), Sep-4-2004 (AS XXXIX)

Award of Arms (Skepti Ravensfury & Asa Starradottir), Jul-22-2000 (AS XXXV)

Guild Memberships

Madrone Pewters Guild

An Tir Lampworkers Guild

Royal Company of the Sable Rose

Madrone Sewing Guild

Embroiders and Embellishers' Sub-Guild

Interests

Marshal: Warranted Junior Armored Combat Marshal in Aug-2013

Retinue: Royal and Baronial beginning in Jul-2011

Embellishment, especially blackwork

Lists, local to kingdom level

Pewter casting

Glass etching

Silk painting

Non-Armigerous Awards

Forget-me-not; given by HRM Helene d'Anjou, Sep-2018 (AS LIII)

Forget-me-not; given by HRM Helene d'Anjou, Jan-2018 (AS LII)

Queen's Favor; given by HRM Sha'ya Kjartanskona, Jan-2017 (AS LI)

Forget-me-not; given by HRM Mary Grace of Gatland, Jan-2016 (AS L)

Order of the Jeweled Ring (Gleann Abhann); given by HRM Joan of Ooc, Oct-2015

Forget-me-not; given by HRM Dalla in Fagra, Jul-2015 (AS L)

Bountiful Hand; given by TRM Savaric Coeur-de-Lion & Dalla in Fagra, May-2015 (AS L)

La Compaignie de la Forche (Wyewood); given by Their Excellencies Baron Robert de la Trinitie and Baroness Gabrielle Lepinay, Mar-2015 (AS XLIX)

Bountiful Hand; given by TRM Ieuan Gower & Gwyneth Gower, Jan-2014 (AS XLVIII)

Princess' Knot of Avacal; given by HRH Sadb ingen Thuathail, Aug-2013 (AS XLVIII)

Forget-me-not; given by HRM Caoimhe ingen Domnaille, Jul-2013 (AS XLVIII)

Forget-me-not; given by HRM Astrid av det Fjord Landskap, Jan-2013 (AS XLVII)

Forget-me-not; given by HRM Dagmaer in Hvassa, Jan-2012 (AS XLVI)

Princess' Talon of Favour of Tir Righ; given by HRH Katherine Moore, Mar-2011 (AS XLV)

Prince's Favour of Tir Righ; given by HRH Alden ap Owain, Mar-2011 (AS XLV)

Princess' Knot of Avacal; given by HRH Bryjna Lovisdottir of Axewater, Feb-2011 (AS XLV)

Green Leaf of Madrone

Companion of the Royal Company of the Sable Rose, Argent

Star of Eisenmarche, Mar-27-1999 (AS XXXIII)

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- Started in the SCA 1992, Kingdom of Calontir
- Started Rapier 1994, Kingdom of Drachenwald
- Moved to the Kingdom of the Middle 1996
- First authorized in youth rapier 2001, Kingdom of the Middle
- Award of Arms 2003, Kingdom of the Middle
- Award of the Cavendish Knot 2003, Kingdom of the Middle
- Authorized as a Rapier marshal 2003, Kingdom of the Middle
 - Transferred cards 2015, Kingdom of An Tir
- Order of the Bronze ring 2007, Kingdom of the Middle
- Gallant of Wyewood 2017, Kingdom of An Tir (Gallant Emeritus 2019)
- Elevated to the Master of Defense 2019, Kingdom of An Tir

Offices Held

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| • Pentamere Regional War Commander | 2005-2006 |
| ○ Commanding a unit of 30 or more during Pennsic | |
| • Baronial Rapier Marshal for the Barony of Andelcrag | 2012-2013 |
| • Pentamere Regional Rapier Marshal | 2013-2015 |
| • Middle Kingdom Rapier team leader for Pennsic Champions Team | 2008-2009 |
| ○ In charge of training and choosing the best fighters for the annual Pennsic Rapier champion tournament | |
| • Rapier Marshal for the Barony of Wyewood | 2015-2017 |
| • Kingdom Youth Rapier Deputy for An Tir | 2018-to present |
| • Seneschal for the Barony of Wyewood | 2019-to present |

I am a second-generation participant of the SCA and have been a part of it for going on 30 years. Throughout my time in the SCA I have taught and volunteered for many different SCA events including Feast of St. Bubba, Collegium, and many more coming up in An Tir. In other kingdoms I have taught at Middle Kingdom Academy of Defense and Pentamere Academy of Defense in the kingdom of the Middle. I have also run a successful Baronial event for Wyewood, and have coached or been seneschal for others with great success. Currently I am working on raising the retention of the second generation participants in the society. I am coordinating discussion panels to better share the understanding of what it is like to grow up in the society.

Within my modern life jobs and education, as well as my volunteer work in the SCA, I have grown as a leader. I have learned to delegate specific tasks to others to make sure everything runs smoothly. I am also able to encourage others to do a great job, even if they have never done it before. I really enjoy watching people succeed and hope to keep being a good leader and grow new leaders.