

# **Atlantia Letter of Decision September**

## **2020**

Unto Eldred Triton and the Atlantian College of Heraldry, Greetings!

Below are all items decided on at Kingdom level in the month of September. Items listed under "Acceptances" have been forwarded to Laurel for registration. Items listed under "Pends" will be decided on next month. Return notices will be sent out and will be available for resubmission.

My thanks as always to all those who took the time to comment in OSCAR. This month, our commentators were: Alisoun MacCoul of Elphane (Metron Ariston), Iago ab Adam (Coquille), Sabine Berard, Seraphina Delphino (Ragged Staff), Thomas Haworth, Beatrice Shirwod, and The Atlantian Online Commenting Group (AOCG) consisted of: Philomene de Lys, Simon de Spaldyng, Etienne Le Mons (Sea Stag).

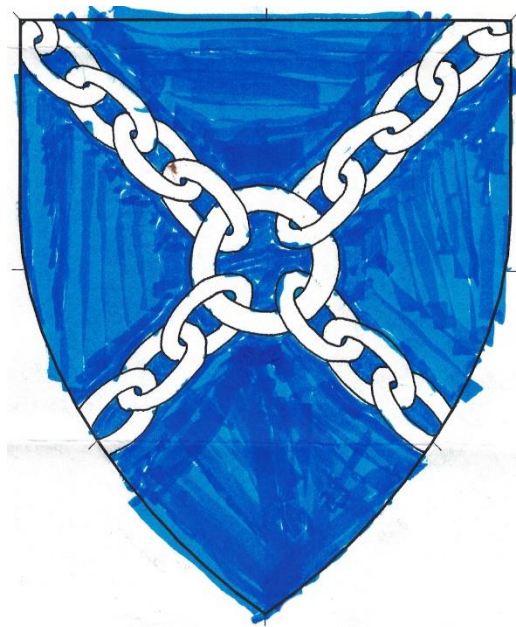
In service to College and Kingdom,

Lord Ragnar Leifson

Golden Dolphin Herald

### **Acceptances:**

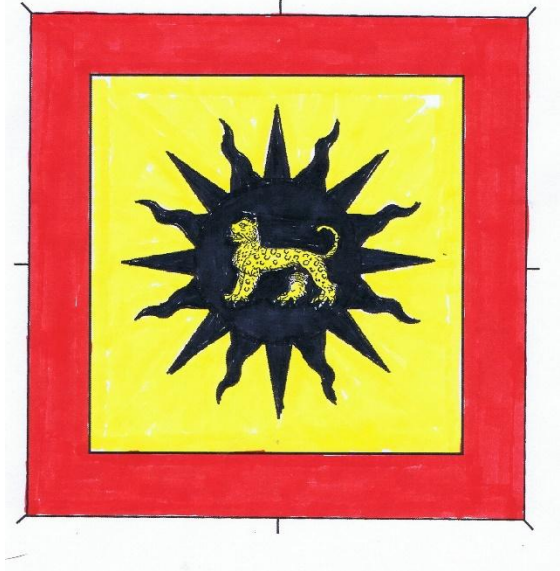
1. Elise Raine -New Name (see returns for device)
2. Herrad der Reiger -New Name
3. Iris Davidsdaughter -New Device: "Azure, a saltire of chain argent"



4. Julien de la Fontaine - New Alternate Name and New Badge

Alternate Name: Tahmuras al-Hajj al-Shirazi

New Badge: "Or, on a sun sable a natural leopard statant Or, a bordure gules"



## Returns:

1. Elise Raine - New Device

Sable, a dragon statant argent and in chief a mullet of ten points voided and interlaced Or.

This item must unfortunately be returned for: Mullets of more than 6 points voided and interlaced are not allowed to be secondary charges:

"Therefore, as both a default mullet, of five points, voided and interlaced and a mullet of six points voided and interlaced are easily recognizable and simple, we are hereby declaring their voiding and interlacing a part of their definition, and partially overturning the Feb 2011 precedent. That precedent will continue to apply with mullets of more than six points voided and interlaced, as being charges that are too complex [to be allowed in a non-primary charge group]". [Ariel Lovechild. November 2011 via Ansteorra]

The following "fixes" have been suggested: It would appear that substituting a mullet of either five or six points for the charge in chief would resolve the stylistic issue without introducing any obvious conflicts. So that would be either:

"Sable, a dragon statant argent, in chief a mullet voided and interlaced Or."

Or "Sable, a dragon statant argent, in chief a mullet of six points voided and interlaced Or."

Alternatively, if what the submitter is going for is a solar effect, an ordinary sun could be substituted.



There are no **pends** for this month.

