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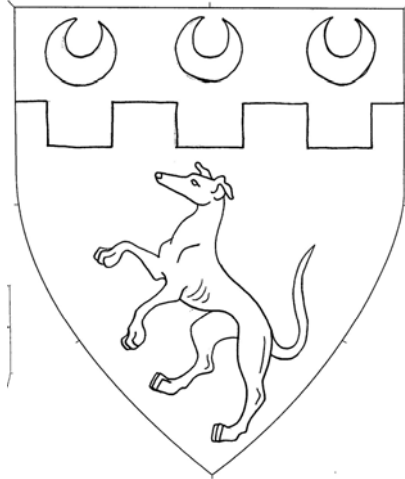
Ealdormere
Letter of Intent
15 November 2004

Unto Laurel, Wreath, Pelican and all members of the College of Arms and commenting heralds everywhere does Lady Cainnear inghen hui Chatharnaig, Seeblatt Herald send warm greetings. This being my first try at submitting a letter of intent I beg your patience and guidance as I promise to learn as quickly and effectively as I can. The Kingdom of Ealdormere presents the following items for registration:

*In all cases unless indicated otherwise, submitters will accept all changes and creation of holding names as required for their desired authenticity.

1. **Alana Greywood** (New Device
– Name submitted on July ELoI)

*Argent a greyhound rampant gules
on a chief embattled sable three
crescents argent.*

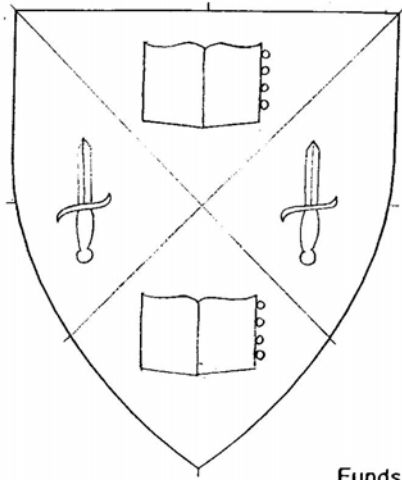


2. **Catriona inghen Ragnail**
(New Name) – seeking female
name authentic to
language/culture of 16th century
Scotland.

Krossa, Sharon L: Quick and Easy
Gaelic Name 3rd ed,
www.medievalscotland.org/scotnames/quickgaelicbyname/#simplepatronymicbyname specifically the
“Simple Patronymic Byname”
section. Krossa, Sharon L. Scottish
Gaelic Given Names – draft in
progress ed
www.medievalscotland.org/scotnames/quickgaelicgiven/women/caitrina.shtml and
www.medievalscotland.org/scotnames/gaelicgiven/men.shtml

3. **Eleanor of Huntingdon** (New
Device – Name registered in
Middle 10/98)

*Per saltire argent and vert two
daggers sable and two open books in
cross.*



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4. **Gwendolynn ferch Elydyr**
(New Badge)

(Fieldless) A winged continental panther sejant contourny sable incensed proper.



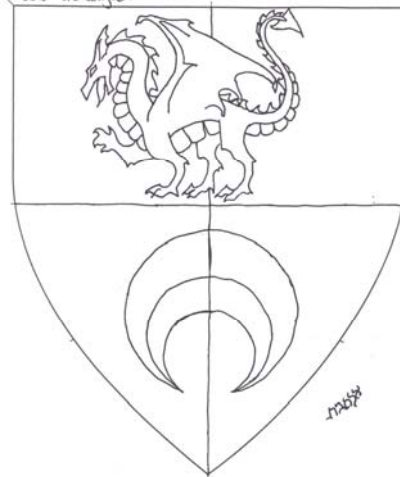
5. **Gwydion Merther** (New Name and Device) Wishes a male name with the sound, language and culture of Wales.

Gwydion – from Jones : “A Welsh Miscellany”, Men’s Given Names P31, col. 2 (CA #66)

Merther – found in Echwall, dated as Merthersithun to 1230; it says “Merther is identical with Merthyr in wales, which is Welsh merthyr

“martyr”: “(the church of) the martyr.”

Quarterly vert and argent in pale a dragon passant or and an inverted crescent counterchanged.

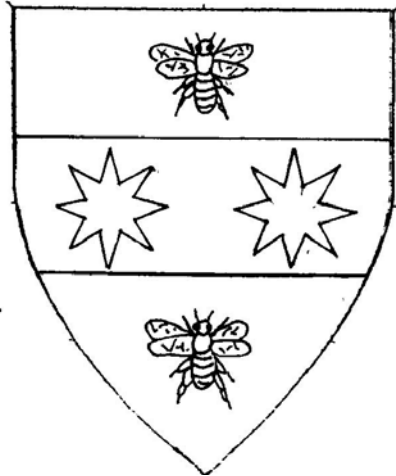


6. **Jullienne LaRousseaux** (New Name and Device) – Seeking female name authentic to French and caring about meaning.

Attached are copies of Given Names from Brittany, 1384-1600 from www.s-gabriel.org/names/tangwystyl/latebraton as well as a copy of the Black Pillar Pursuivant’s Internal letter of Comment, Kingdom of Artemisia dated July 24, 2003. This sites Rousseau++ (some –aux, –eaud, –eaux) as a widespread derivation of “de la Roux” – French byname [Dauzat, dictionnaire etymologizue des names de famille et prenomms de France, 1987 reprint, pp530-31 s.n. Roux]

Client further specifies meaning: The colour red or of red.

Azure between two bees proper in pale on a fess or two mullets of eight of the first.

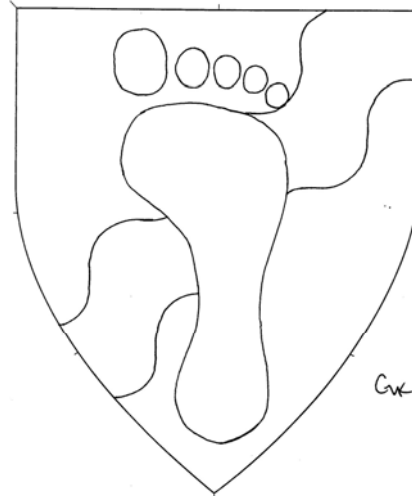


7. **Magnunnr Hringsdottir** (New Name and Device) – Seeking female specific name. WILL NOT accept MAJOR or MINOR changes.

Magnunnr – constructed feminine given name. Magn – Lind (Dipnamn) p753 on Magnhildr dates women with forms of the name magnhildr to 1288 to 1501 incl magnildr 1288-90. Unnr – Lind (Dopnamn) lists woman's names containing this element including Steinunnr p959, Ingunnr p642, Unnr p1062. Multiple dated forms of each of these names dated pre-1600 are given in these entries. Geirr Bassi lists names with these elemtnes Iorhildr p16, Iorunn p16, Steinunn p15, Ingunn p12.

Hringsdottir – Geirr Bassi p11 lists the masculine name Hringr.

Argent, a bend wavy sinister sable overall a human footprint gules.



8. **Mairghread Plonced** (New Name and Device) - Seeking a female name authentic to language/culture of 15th-16th century Irish.

Mairghread – Index of Names in Irish Annals by Kathleen M. O'Brien
[www.s-](http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/mari/AnnalsIndex/Feminine/Mairghread.shtml)

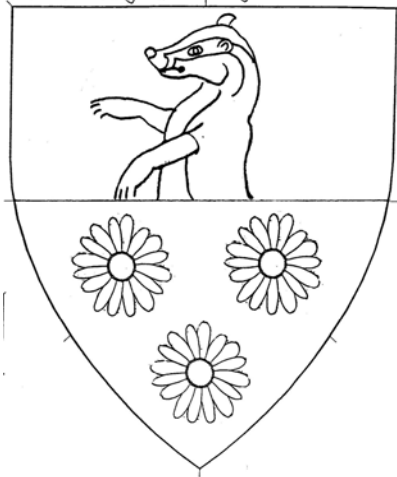
[gabriel.org/names/mari/AnnalsIndex/Feminine/Mairghread.shtml](http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/mari/AnnalsIndex/Feminine/Mairghread.shtml)

Plonced – Annala Connacht – compiled at University College, Cork, Ireland.

www.ucc.ie/celt/online/G100011/text230.html

Additional documentation from commentary: “ section of the Connacht Annals cited is from 1466 and the surname appears in Section 12.”

Per fess argent and purpure a badger rampant sable issuant from the line of division and in base three marguerite daisies argent.



9. **Meurug Taylor** (New Name and Device) – Seeking female name authentic to sound “Morag Taylor”. Will not accept MAJOR changes.

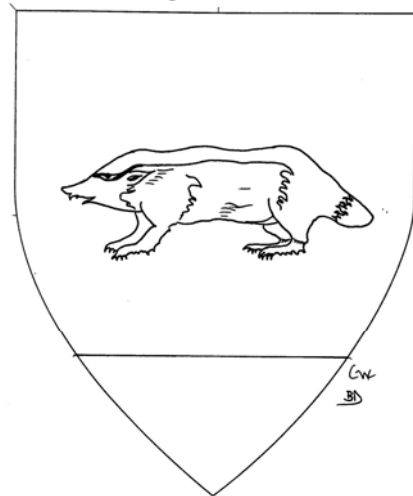
Will accept Morag in any language/spelling – sound most important.

Taylor – R&W s.n. Taylor p440; dated spelling Taylur c.1180.

Morag – Withycombe s.n. Morag p222, undated “Gaelic diminutive of Mor(a)”, the sun.

Meurug – Morgan & Murgan sn Meurig, state “Generally, when I and u or u (eu) and I follow each other, the first vowel (or diphthong) yields to the second and takes over it’s quality. The reverse may happen occasionally so that Meurig may become Meurug, WG112. This must be regarded as exceptional for the examples in most cases show ig, ic.” Gruffudd, sn Meurig p72 dates Meurig c.850.

Argent, a badger statant sable marked argent a base gules.

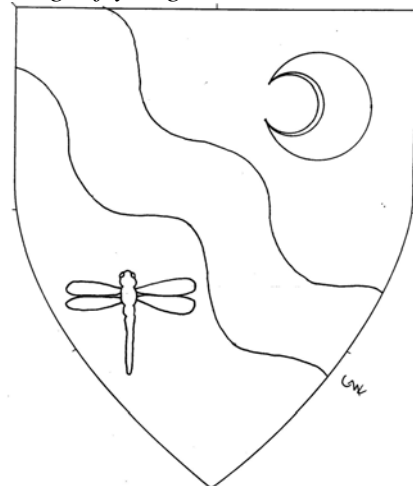


10. **Neamh inghean Fhearghail** (New Name and Device) – seeks female name authentic to sound.

Neamh – OCM, s.n. Nem lists it as a m & f name, name of a saint and daughter of a saga hero. This is post 1200 form.

Inghean – daughter of
Fearghail – OCM, s.n. Fergal, notes it as an extremely popular name and notes Fearghail as a late period genitive form. Lenited according to standard rules (Lenitim step by step). Early spelling: Nem ingen Fergail

Per bend purple and azure a bend wavy between an increscent and a dragonfly argent.



11. **Odette de Saint Remy** (New Name) – Seeking a female name authentic in language/culture to 16th century France.

Attached Academy of Saint Gabriel Report # 2858 available online at www.s-gabriel.org/2858

12. **Order of the Trillium** (New Order/Award) – Seeking Authentic to sound.

As per RFS 111.2.bii Names of Orders & Awards follows typical naming practice (as per FRS example Order of the Rose – Order of the <insert flower name here>.) Additional documentation from commentary: The Kingdom of Ealdormere has previously registered multiple badges (01/95 through 06/99, 5 instances) with trilliums and feel that the “grandfather clause” as well as the old and heraldically reinforced affiliation with this design should apply to this situation even though we haven’t tried registering a name element with trillium before.

13. **Ramshaven, Barony of** (New Badge)

No documentation attached

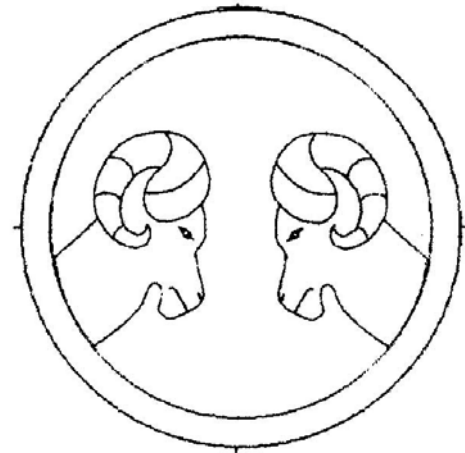
Gules, a ram’s head cabossed Or, within a bordure argent.



14. **Ramshaven, Barony of** (New Badge)

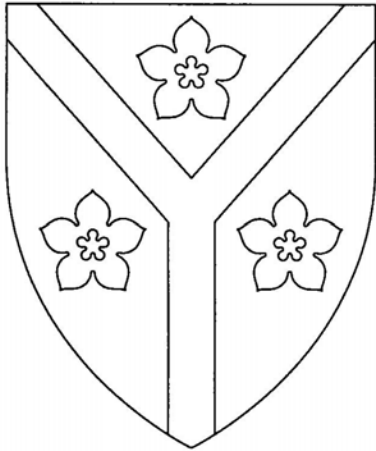
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Gules, two ram’s heads respectant argent within a bordure argent.



15. **Rosalynd of Thornabe on Tees** (Device Change – submitter releases previous registered device “Argent, a pall arrondy between three forget-me-nots azure.” Should this submission be successful) Name appears on the 04/94 LOAR via the Middle.

Or, a pall between three forget-me-not flowers azure



Here ends this November letter of Intent. Contained herein are: 8 New Names, 8 New Devices, 3 New Badges, 1 New Award/Order Name, 1 Device Change for a total of 21 items.

I do hope all is in order and look forward to a ruling on these items. I also would welcome suggestions and comments regarding my format and such so I might in future provide you with a most easy and legible letter.

I remain in service to the Crown, the Staff and the Dream,

Lady Cainnear inghean Hui
Chatharnaig
Seebblatt Herald, Kingdom of
Ealdormere