<u>KINGDOM A&S TOURNAMENT RULES</u> -Online edition <u>Revised July 2020</u>

- 1. Kingdom of the Outlands' Arts and Sciences Tournament is open to all SCA members.
- 2. No item may be entered which has previously won or placed in any other Outlands' Kingdom A&S Tournament. Entries from Queen's Prize Tournament will be accepted.
- 3. Entries must be registered on the moas.outlands.org site. Make sure to select the current competition. Documentation, photos and videos must be uploaded by the registration deadline which is 2 weeks before the competition.
- 4. Each entrant must be available to video/ tele conference with the judges on the Saturday of the event. If there are special issues, please contact the Kingdom A&S Minister at artsandsciences@outlands.org
- 5. Any single item may be entered in only one category.
- 6. You may enter a maximum of two items,
- 7. The divisions are as follows:
 - i. Visual Arts Paint and Ink
 - ii. Fiber Arts Fiber Arts, Costuming
 - iii. Domestic Arts Brewing and Beverage, Cooking, Flora and Fauna
 - iv. Bardic Arts Performing Arts, Letters(non-research)
 - v. Sciences Sciences, Letters(research)
 - vi. Functional Arts Metal, Leather, Earthenware, Stone, Glass, Wood, Bookbinding
- 8. Categories are as follows:
 - i. Bookbinding
 - ii. Brewing
 - iii. Costuming
 - iv. Earthenware
 - v Fiber Arts
 - vi. Flora and Fauna
 - vii. Glass
 - viii. Leatherworking
 - ix. Letters Non-Research
 - x. Letters Research
 - xi. Metalworking
 - xii. Performing Arts
 - xiii. Cooking
 - xiv. Sciences
 - xv. Stone working
 - xvi. Visual Arts Painted & Inked
 - xvii. Woodworking

- 9. An entry's total score will be an average of the scores given by the judges in that division.
- 10. The five entries with the top overall scores (not including the champion) will be announced via e-mail and in the Kingdom newsletter.
- 11. A winner will be announced for each division unless there is only one entry in that division. The highest point score will determine the winner of that division. These winners will be announced via e-mail and in the Kingdom newsletter. They may also be announced at court, depending on the available time schedule. The final decision will reside with the Kingdom Arts & Sciences Minister. No prizes are awarded for division winners.

12. Champion rules:

- Each entrant wishing to compete for overall A&S Champion is required to enter two items. Each item must be in a different category.
- Overall scores will be tallied and the three Champion entrants with the highest overall averages will be reinterviewed on Sunday by a new panel of judges to decide the overall Champion. In the event of a tie in the averages, the entrant with the highest single score of the two will move on to the second round.
- If Champion requirements are NOT met, alternate Champion requirements will be determined by the Crown or the Kingdom A&S Minister, i.e., the highest single score.
- 13. Entrants will receive a copy of their rubric sheets by email after the competition.
- 14. All work on a submission must be finished prior to judging.
- 15. If the entry is a group effort, this must be clearly noted in the documentation.
- 16. Items manufactured from kits are not eligible for entry; templates, though, may be used.
- 17. The Kingdom Minister of Arts & Sciences and designated representatives reserve the right to combine any categories not receiving enough entries into a miscellaneous class.
- 18. The Kingdom Minister of Arts & Sciences and designated representatives reserve the right to make exceptions to the above rules on a case-by-case basis.