

40 FOR 40TH – A KINGDOM HISTORY LORE QUEST

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The Quest: Interact with 40 people and obtain their signatures. At least 10 must be from each Era. Deadline: September 21, 2020.

Additional Lore Challenge: Find Zubeydah or Alisandre, and tell a story or write a poem based on something you learned from an Era Ribbon wearer. Entries may be eligible to win a special prize donated by Mistress Alisandre.

1. LOOK FOR PEOPLE WEARING ERA RIBBONS! (Want one? You can get one from Zubeydah. Note: Questors are NOT limited to only talk to those wearing one!!)

⌘ **BLUE** ribbons = started SCA in the days when we were still part of Atenveldt, or in the Principality of Ansteorra (*creation up to 1979*)

⌘ **GOLD** ribbons = started in the first 20 years of our Kingdom (*1979–1999*)

⌘ **BLACK** ribbons = started in the most recent 20 years (*1999–now*)

2. SEEK YE THEIR WISDOM!

Ask them a question relating to *anything* Ansteorran – suggestions are below, but you can ask anything – and ask them to make their mark on your quest sheet in the appropriate column.

3. AIM HIGH!

- ★ The First 100 people to *complete* the Quest, gathering 40 signatures, win a special token!
- ★ Complete an additional **Lore Challenge** and have a chance to win an Extra-Special Prize.

Starter Questions – *But Use Your Imagination!*

Ask Blue Era Ribbons:

- ⌘ About old tourneys – Atenveldt Crown Tourneys held in our lands; Coronet Tourneys for the new Principality; Warlord Tourneys; etc. How were fighting styles different? Who won? Etc. What traditions did they have? Who are some of the Peers made by Atenveldt Crowns that still participate?
- ⌘ About the sovereigns of Atenveldt during their time. Who were they? Did they get any awards from them? Are they a member of a closed Order or Award?
- ⌘ Who are the people **they** think of as legends? What is the name of a peer, living or dead, that they respected? Is there anyone of a Gold or Black Era that they have word fame for?

Ask Gold Era Ribbons:

- ⌘ About early Crowns of Ansteorra. Who is the first one they met? Did they do anything then that they don't do anymore? How are things different?
- ⌘ Is there a famous moment of Ansteorran history that they bore witness to?
- ⌘ Learn the name of a Second Generation SCAdian – someone whose parents started, and who still participate as an adult.

Ask Black Era Ribbons:

- ⌘ What drew them to the SCA. How did they hear about it? What keeps them coming back?
- ⌘ Is there a “Dream” moment they can share?
- ⌘ Have they travelled to an event outside Ansteorra, and what did they enjoy most?

If they are Pelicans:

✂ Ask them what they feel is the most important type of service.

If they are Laurels:

✂ Ask which art form they enjoy teaching the most.... And the least! What have they tried, but never succeeded in mastering?

✂ Ask what their first art was, and what others they have learned and shared.

If they are Knights:

✂ What was the most “real” moment they’ve had on the field?

✂ What is the Knightly Virtue they have the most difficulty with? Or strive towards?

✂ Ask them who their personal role-models of the Chivalric Virtues are.

If they are Centurions:

✂ Ask who passed their cloak down to them, what wearing the cloak means to them.

✂ Ask them what their Centurion Shot is!

If they are a Royal Peer (county or duchy):

✂ Ask when they reigned, and where, if not here. What was a favorite moment from their Reign? What valuable lesson did they learn about the SCA from their time as Crown?

If they are Arc D’Or:

✂ Ask about their insignia – is it a legacy pass down? Can they name the first Thrown Weapons Arc, or the first Siege Weapons Arc?

If they are a White Scarf:

✂ Ask about the history of the Order. Who created it? When?

✂ Whose scarf do they wear (i.e. what Crown made them), or if their scarf is a pass-down relic. Does it have lineage?

Test their knowledge of KINGDOM TRIVIA! (Hint: You can check the Wiki or OP for answers)

✂ Which Fallen Star’s personal weapon is now the Ansteorran Sword of State?

✂ What early King of Ansteorra made a Royal Sceptre out of a toilet tank float?

✂ What is the oldest Barony in Ansteorra?

✂ What was the first Barony created after we were a Kingdom?

✂ How many times did Duke Inman win Crown Tournament?

✂ What named set of Royal Coronets were used in both Principality & Kingdom days?

✂ What was the “Royal Attire”?

✂ Who made the Royal Court Thrones currently in use?

✂ Who is the artisan that made the fleur-de-lys topped crowns?

✂ Who was the very first Princess of Ansteorra?

✂ Name one of the Kingdom Historians.

✂ Name someone who has served Ansteorra as a Kingdom Bard.

✂ Who was the first Star Principal Herald?

✂ Who came up with the name “Ansteora” ?

✂ Who were our first Triple Peers?

✂ Name one of the first 6 Centurions (all made at the same time).

✂ Who was granted the title of Centurion but wasn’t a member of the Order?

✂ Who is the NEWEST Lion of Ansteorra?

✂ Learn the name of an Amicitia of Ansteorra (and what the heck that is...)

✂ What was the Mustache War?

LEVEL UP! Turning in a completed Wiki Questionnaire (or already having a page) gets you one of your 40! Submitting PPI does, too!! Have a Wiki Table team member initial your form in the appropriate column.

40 for 40th Quest Sheet: (Your Name) _____

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HUZZAH!! You made it to 40! Now turn in your Quest Sheet to the Kingdom Historian, Baroness Zubeydah al-Badawiyyah. If you're one of the first 100, you'll get a prize!