

Syr Alexander Kyppyn Kirkcaldy called Kyppyn

Offices Held

Chatelaine of the Barony of Thor's Mountain	1992-1993
Deputy Knight Marshall of the Barony of Thor's Mountain	1993
Seneschal of the Canton of Dun Drumahaire, Barony of Thor's Mountain	1993-1994
Seneschal of Barony of Thor's Mountain	1994-1996
Kingdom Chatelaine of the Kingdom of Meridies	1998-2000
* Wrote Meridian Kingdom Chatelaine's Handbook	
Flaming Gryphon Baronial Chatelaine	2004 – July 2006
Flaming Gryphon Baronial Chronicler	2004-2005
Flaming Gryphon Baronial Marshal	2005- July 2006
Deputy Society Chatelaine	2005-2007
Battlefield Operations Commander- Midrealm Army	2006-2007

Classes Taught

Armor on a shoestring budget-	1994
SCA fighting 101	1994
Weekly Armor workshop classes from	1995-1996
Chatelaine recruitment classes/seminars	1998-2000
How to make Half Gauntlets	2006
Triads and melee tactics	2006
Proper Authorizations technique	2006

Other Service

Founded Canton of Dun Drumahaire, Barony of Thor's Mountain	1993
Autocrat for Holly & Ivy, Barony of Thor's Mountain	1994
Tavern feasterat for Canton of Dun Drumahaire	1994
Breakfastcrat Silver Hammer, Barony of Thor's Mountain	1994
Breakfastcrat Kingdom A&S	1995
Autocrat for Silver Hammer, Barony of Thor's Mountain	1995
Breakfastcrat Black Gryphon, Barony of Thor's Mountain	1996
Co-Feasterat for Kingdom Coronation	1998
Autocrat for Kingdom Spring Coronation	2000
Marshal in Charge- Ceilidh	2007
Marshal in Charge- Rose Tourney	2007
Pennsic 36 Land Reeve	2007
Autocrat Harvest Day	2007

Published Works

Kingdom of Meridies Chatelaine Handbook	1998
Fighting as a spectator Sport – Gryphon's Tale	Oct 2004
Chatelain Newcomer Packet Midrealm	2005
Flaming Gryphon Baronial Recruitment Flyer	2005
Spear Tip Assembly - Gryphon's Tale	Dec 2005
Demo in a Box Gryphon's Tale	Aug 2005
Gryphon's Tale Cover	Aug 2005
Fairie Queen- Gryphon's Tale	Sep 2005
Gryphon's Tale Cover	Dec 2005
Artwork for Pale Cover	Jan 2006
The Old Man- Gryphon's Tale	Apr 2006
Honor Before Victory Gryphon Tale	May 2006
Gryphon's Tale Cover	May 2006
Demo in a Box – Tournaments Illuminated	Fall 2006
Artwork for Pale Cover	Nov 2006
Spear Tip Assembly Article - Pale Middle Pages	Nov 2006

Royal Entourage

Count Brian and Countess Aeuirn
Gareth III and Sabine I
Gareth IV and Sabine II (Chamberlain)

Awards Kingdom of Meridies

6/24/2000 CKP Companion of the Sovereign's Pleasure Order unto which the Sovereign of Meridies may elect those persons who have personally served Their Majesty well, truly, and faithfully.

5/13/2000 CMM Companion of the Meridian Majesty Order unto which the Consort of Meridies may elect those Persons who have personally served Their Majesty well, truly, and faithfully.

10/23/1999 CBM Companion of the Order of the Bough of Meridies Order to which the Sovereign and Consort may elect those persons who have served Meridies well and faithfully, above and beyond normal expectation from the subjects of Meridies, and who have consistently displayed courtesy and chivalry in an exemplary manner.

1/9/1999 KSCA Knight of the Society of Creative Anachronism Knight of the Society of Creative Anachronism

5/2/1998 CAS Companion of the Argent Shield Order given by the Crown to fighters who have distinguished themselves in war, on the tournament field, and in the training of new fighters.

8/14/1997 GOA Grant of Arms Grants of Arms are given at the pleasure of the Crown to those persons of outstanding achievement to the kingdom. This is an award of special dignity and is not bestowed lightly.

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10/26/1996 CMC Companion of the Meridian Cross Order given by the Crown to individuals showing promise and skill in the Arts and Sciences.

10/28/1995 CSG Companion of the Sable Gryphon Order of the Sable Gryphon shall be given by the Baron/Baroness Thor's Mountain for outstanding service to the Barony. With an Award of Arms.

2/26/1994 AOA Award of Arms Awards of Arms are given at the pleasure of the Crown

Awards Barony of Thor's Mountain

10/1993 CAF Companion of the Argent Feather Service to Baronial Newsletter

10/1994 CRHS Companion of the Ram's Horn Baronial Service Award

10/1996 CSH Companion of the Silver Heart Chivalry to Baronial Women

10/1997 CRHF Companion of the Ram's Horn Baronial Fighting Award

Awards Barony of Flaming Gryphon

3/5/2005 OFB Order of the Flaming Brand Baronial Service Award

7/8/2006 OGP Order of the Gryphon's Plume Excellence in Arts or Sciences.

7/8/2006 OSS Order of the Sable Shield Authorized Heavy-Weapons Fighters.

6/21/2007 OGP Order of the Gryphon's Plume Excellence in Arts or Sciences

Society Awards

2005 William Black Fox Award - Best Layout

Middle Kingdom Awards

7/29/2006 APF Award of the Purple Fret - Given for long and devoted service to local group, Office, or Kingdom.

2005 Augustine Prize - Recognized efforts of Chroniclers and contributors to newsletters in the Middle Kingdom

Additional Skills/Interests

Leather craft

Woodworking

Armor construction

Embroidery

Illumination

Costuming

Heraldry