

Barony of Namron - Populace Meeting 9/7/2017

Officer Reports

- Their Excellencies – *H.E. Andrew Turnbull and H.E. Kyna Terricsdottir (mka Andy and Kylie Steely)* baron@namron.ansteorra.org and baroness@namron.ansteorra.org
 - Protectorate is coming up quickly and the Crown will be in attendance. Don't forget to send in your award recommendations.
 - Kingdom Awards: Fill out the nomination form online. Also email Andrew and Kyna so they know who you nominated and for what.
 - Baronial Awards: Email Andrew and Kyna directly with the person's name, the award you are nominating them for, and why you think they deserve the award.
 - Baronial Work Day: September 9th, 10 am at TE's house.
 - Braggarts War: A big thank you to everyone that helped with set-up, the potluck, and tear down!
 - Upcoming Events:
 - September: LPT this coming weekend, Triumphe next weekend, Ada demo on September 30th
 - October: Protectorate, Coronation, Bottles and Bards
- Seneschal – *Lady Uliana Haiduk (mka Julia Haiduk)* seneschal@namron.ansteorra.org
 - Open Offices:
 - Chronicler's office has been filled. Congratulations to Diarmud (Jer)
 - The Minister of Arts and Sciences office is open. Applications are due 10/19/2017. A description of the office as well as application instructions and additional questions are at the end of the meeting minutes.
 - MOC office is also open.
 - Protectorate Tavern and Feast Bids
 - Tavern: Incipient Canton of Wyldwode (Tahlequah, OK)
 - Feast: Cat, Orlando, Donnchadh, Emma
 - Bottles and Bards Tavern Bids
 - We are accepting bids for tavern at Bottles and Bards.
 - Tavern bids are due by 8:00 pm on Monday September 18th.
 - Please send all bids to the financial committee and the autocrats at the email addresses listed below. Preference will be given to bids with the proceeds going to the barony for the dedicated fund for the members in Ada (Oak Spring).
 - baron@namron.ansteorra.org
 - baroness@namron.ansteorra.org
 - seneschal@namron.ansteorra.org
 - treasurer@namron.ansteorra.org
 - aibhilind@gmail.com
 - wilowsky34@att.net
 - Bottles and Bards will be held October 20-22 at Longmire Lake in Stratford, OK.

- Please provide a bid including breakfast, lunch, and dinner tavern for Saturday of the event. Please include the menu, tavern budget, meal prices, and proposed profit in the bid.
- The site does not have a kitchen. There is water at the bath house building and limited power at the pavilion.
- Beltane
 - We are now accepting bids for Beltane autocrats! Bids are due 10/5/2017. Please see me or any one that has run an event before if you have questions. Beltane will be May 4-6th at Camp Dakani in OKC.
- *Important note from the Kingdom Seneschal – Baronial Reviews*
 - Greetings,

At the last Round Table, a new addition to the Kingdom Seneschal's Handbook was signed. The Kingdom Seneschal has been tasked to initiate a baronial opinion survey on behalf of the Crown every three years after every major change of Landed Nobility. This is a chance for members of a baronial populace to provide any and all thoughts and feedback directly to the Crown on the health of their group. It is not a formal action, nor are there any formalized follow-up actions.

The first batch of baronies to be surveyed will be Namron, Bonwicke, and Bjornsborg. More will follow at a later date.

I am asking the seneschals of these three groups to post this missive to your local e-lists and Facebook lists, and to publish it in your next local newsletter. Please send all feedback directly to the Crown ONLY at crown@ansteorra.org. Please be sure to put the words "Baronial Survey - [name of your Barony]" in the subject line of your missive. Your opinions and feedback will be held in the strictest confidence by the Crown. The feedback period is open immediately, and runs until the end of September.

Modius, Kingdom Seneschal

PS. Please send all feedback ONLY to CROWN@ANSTEORRA.ORG.

- Photo and Model Releases:
 - I am putting together a list of blanket model releases and photographer releases to help make using photos in the Plume, on Facebook and on the website a little easier. I know some of you have signed releases in the past, but I am asking that you do a new one so that we can put them in a central location accessible by the chronicler, seneschal and webminister. If you are ok with us using

any picture of you in one of these locations or using any picture you take, please fill out the appropriate release form(s) and return them to me. If you do not want a picture you take or a picture of you used in these locations, please do not fill out a release. Copies are available at the links below or at the end of these meeting minutes.

- <http://www.sca.org/docs/pdf/ReleasePhotographer.pdf>
- <http://www.sca.org/docs/pdf/ReleaseModel.pdf>
- October Populace Meeting
 - Rescheduled to the 2nd Thursday and will be at or near the amphitheater in Andrew's Park (near the downtown Norman library at the corner of North Webster and West Daws).
 - This will be a post-Protectorate celebration (along with general populace meeting).
 - It will start around 6:30 pm.
 - The barony is providing hot dogs and hamburgers. Please bring a side and drinks!
- Treasurer – *H.E. Adena Terricsdottir (mka Adena Hudson) exchequer@namron.ansteorra.org*
 - Please be sure to turn in receipts and cash checks as soon as you get them.
 - \$350 in dedicated Gulf Wars Shower Fund
 - \$11, 071 in general fund as of 7/31/2017
- Herald – *H.L. Aibhilin inghean Daibhidh (mka Bethany Rowlings) herald@namron.ansteorra.org*
 - No report.
- Chronicler – *Lord Diarmuid Map Brain (mka Jeremy Metz), chronicler@namron.ansteorra.org*
 - Let Diarmuid know if you have any submissions for the Plume!
- Arts and Sciences - *Lady Kersten Merliainen (mka Sara Day) moas@namron.ansteorra.org*
 - OPEN OFFICE. This position is currently accepting applications. Applications are due 10/19/2017.
 - Classes are typically at 7:30 pm on the 2nd Monday of the month and take place at West Wind.
 - We are still needing future classes. If you are interested in teaching a class or have something you would like to learn, please talk to the MoAS!
- Webminister - *Yancy Alfsson (mka Yancy Hoyle) webminister@namron.ansteorra.org*
 - The Webminister is wanting to add a more detailed baronial history including stories, etc. to the website. If you have information that can be included, please talk to Yancy.
- Hospitaler – *Kolfinna Egilsdottir (mka Kara Hoyle) hospitaler@namron.ansteorra.org*
 - Our Senior Pages Monthly Gathering will be celebrating its first birthday this month! Participation has been steadily increasing, and we have had some fantastic workshops and presentations this year. We are currently looking for a second coordinator.
 - The coordinator will assist with the following:
 - -Recruit and schedule presentations or workshops
 - -Attend monthly gathering to assist with projects

- -Post timely event announcements on the email list and Facebook
 - -Track attendance
 - -Gather feedback from presenters
 - -Prepare and present Senior Pages activities at local events when available
 - The coordinator MUST do the following:
 - -Attend MOC Warranting Class at Round Table (good for two years)
 - -Successfully complete SCA background check (good for two years)
 - For more information, or to volunteer, please contact Kolfinna Egilsdóttir at hospitaler@namron.ansteorra.org.
- Ada Med Fair
 - September 30th
 - A great demo opportunity and a good way to support the group of people in Ada.
- Rapier Marshall – *Christina of Namron (mka Rebekah Valencia)*
rapiermarshall@namron.ansteorra.org –
 - Practices Tuesdays 7pm at Sellers Center in OKC.
 - Sellers started collecting \$2 per person weekly.
 - There is a new rapier deputy – Emily Dewitt.
- Knights Marshall – *Centurion Micolay Haiduk (mka Brendan Haiduk)*
knightsmarshall@namron.ansteorra.org
 - Practices Wednesdays 6:30 pm at Sellers Center in OKC.
 - Youth practice is hosted by Wiesenfeuer Wednesdays from 7-8 pm at Sellers Center in OKC.
 - Sellers started collecting \$2 per person weekly.
- Minister of Children – *OPEN OFFICE, moc@namron.ansteorra.org*
 - OPEN OFFICE. This position is currently accepting applications. Applications will be open until one is received and then a closing date will be announced.
- Archery Marshall - *H.L. Cian Rhys Gravenor (mka Cecil Hudson)*
missile@namron.ansteorra.org
 - Archery practice is Sundays from noon-3pm at 4200 E. Franklin in Norman. All ages are welcome and there is loaner equipment. Be sure to check Facebook to make sure practice is happening because it is often canceled due to event schedules and weather.
 - Likely no archery practice this coming Sunday (9/10/2017)
- Thrown Weapons Marshall – *Lord Captain Savage (mka Ryan Landers)*, thrown-weapons@namron.ansteorra.org
 - New targets are ready and will make their debut at Protectorate.
- Oak Springs
 - Bottles and Bards – see below
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- Skorragardr
 - Leather and Lace and Populace meeting is this Friday 9/8/17

- Working on Axeman, pavilion poles, arts and sciences activities.
- Axeman is in November at Camp Dakani
- Several open officer positions:
 - Webminister, Chronicler, Hospitaller, Knight's Marshall, Thrown Weapons

Other Business

- Protectorate, "A Pirate's Ransom"
 - The event will be October 6-8 at Camp Graham Ball.
 - Event Stewards: Captain and Yancy, with Dark Horse
 - If you are interested in assisting with site and list heralding, please contact Donnan (Robert Schafer).
 - If you are interested in helping with Waterbearing, please contact Vaduny Cel Tradat.
 - Champion Baskets and Prize Donation Requests (Contact Uliana Haiduk to make a contribution.)
 - I would like to have all contributions (or at least know if people are contributing something, but not done with it yet) by the September business meeting (9/21) so that I can find other items as needed.
 - Shed load out will be announced on Facebook and the email list.
 - Casting site tokens on Sunday 9/10/2017 at 9 am at Cat and Orlando's house.
- Bottles and Bards:
 - Hosted by Oak Springs with the support of the Barony
 - Bottles and Bards –October 20-22.
 - Lake Longmire (between Paul's Valley and Ada)
 - Tavern bids are being accepted (see seneschal section for more information).
 - We are taking class submissions for both tracks of classes - please contact aibhilind at gmail dot com to teach a class! (or Facebook message Bethany Rowlings) Planning meeting coming soon.
 - We are seeking patrons for challenges. Patrons run the challenge and provide tokens for participants as a thank you for doing their challenge and trying something new! If you are interested in being a Patron, please contact Aibhilin (Bethany Rowlings).
- January 2018 Crown Tournament Bid
 - Hosted by the Canton of Skorragardr with the support of the Barony of Namron.
 - Event Stewards: Lady Villana and Mistress Bea
 - It will be held January 13, 2018 in Ardmore, OK.
 - Planning meetings will be at Skorragardr's gathers.
 - 2nd planning meeting will be announced soon.
 - Sideboard bids are due at the end of the month. Contact Bea or Villana for more information.

Open Offices

- Please let the seneschal or Their Excellencies know if you have any questions on applying for an office.
 - Minister of Arts and Sciences (closes 10/19/3/2017)
 - Minister of Children (ongoing)

Upcoming Events

- September
 - 9/1-9/4 Braggart's War (Chico, TX)
 - 9/9 Laurel's Prize Tourney (Temple, TX)
 - 9/15-9/17 Defender of the Fort (Raven's Fort)
 - 9/15-9/17 Triumph of the Eclipse (Mooneschadowe)
 - 9/22-9/24 War of Ages (Ffynnon Gath)
 - 9/29-10/1 Fall Baronial (Bryn Gwlad)
 - 9/30 Elfsea Baronial College (Fort Worth, TX)
- October
 - 10/6-10/8 Namron Protectorate (Camp Graham Ball - Holliday, TX)
 - 10/6-10/8 Gates Edge Fall Event (Houston Area)
 - 10/13-10/15 Coronation (Fort Worth, TX)
 - 10/20-10/22 Bottles and Bards (Stratford, OK)
 - 10/20-10/22 Diamond Wars (Hot Springs, AR)
 - 10/20-10/22 Chaos in Constantinople (San Antonio, TX)
 - 10/27-10/29 Samhain (TBD)
 - 10/27-10/29 Seawinds Defender (TBD)

**Namron Champion Preferences
Champions from Protectorate 2016**

Chivalric

Name and titles: *Lord Bjorn Hauksson*
Home Barony and Kingdom: *Steppes, Ansteorra*
Device Registered: *Four white horses in a cross on green field.*
Preferred Colors, Animals, Items, Etc.: *White horses, green.*
Other SCA Activities: *Musical entertainment (violin)*
Persona: *9th century Norse in Mercia*
Preferred types of gift basket item (trims, food items, etc.): *Any!*
Allergies: *Bananas, melons, tree nuts*



Rapier:

Name and titles: *Don Trevor MacRae*
Home Barony and Kingdom: *Brad Leah, Ansteorra*
Device Registered: *None yet, will have wolves.*
Preferred Colors, Animals, Items, Etc.: *Wolves, green, books, anything sharp and pointy (I'm a fencer...lol)*
Persona: *1300's Scottish mercenary that has been to the holy land*
Preferred types of gift basket item (trims, food items, etc.): *Anything.*
Allergies: *no*

Brewing:

Name and titles: *Honorable Lord Karl Thorgeirsson*
Home Barony and Kingdom: *Northkeep, Ansteorra*
Device Registered: *Per pale engrailed argent and gules, a pole-cannon azure hafted sable enflamed gules and a quarrel Or.*
Preferred Colors, Animals, Items, Etc.: *Blue.*
Other SCA Activities: *Archery, arts and sciences, rapier.*
Persona: *1000 CE Icelandic*
Preferred types of gift basket item (trims, food items, etc.): *Anything.*
Allergies: *mushrooms*



Arts and Sciences:

Name and titles: *Lady Masina Da Ferrara*
Home Barony and Kingdom: *Haldtre, Ansteorra*
Device Registered: *Not registered – in progress. The Winged Lion of St. Mark, which stands on the top on the silver mountain.*
Preferred Colors, Animals, Items, Etc.: *White, Royal Blue, Black.*
Other SCA Activities: *Archery.*
Persona: *15th century Italian lady from Ferrara, Northern Italy*
Preferred types of gift basket item (trims, food items, etc.): *DMC embroidery floss, linen fabric, trim. Prefers no food items.*
Allergies: *no*