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Greetings Namron

I will be your camp daddy for Gulf Wars this year, organizing our encampment and assisting his excellency Donnchadh with Namron land planning. I'll need a lot of help with keeping our site in shape, and keeping that as FUN as it can be. With all this in mind, I wanted to remind everyone that early registration for Gulf Wars will end January 31, 2019. After that you'll have to pay the higher "At the door" price.

Below are some important sites to keep up to date on Gulf Wars information

Official Gulf Wars website

<https://www.gulfwars.org/>

Namron Gulf Wars Encampment Facebook group

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1180731108758434/>

Namron Gulf Wars Planning site

<https://sites.google.com/a/baronyofnamr.../gulf-wars-planning/>

I am sure there will be more as we progress but if you have any questions or information you'd like me to pass along, please email me at jimcouch@gmail.com or PM me.

Senor Lorenzo Martin

Camp Daddy..

We are now accepting bids for tavern at Beltane! Bids are due to financial committee by the March business meeting (March 21st).

Submit bids to the following email addresses.

*baron AT namron DOT ansteorra DOT org

*baroness AT namron DOT ansteorra DOT org

*seneschal AT namron DOT ansteorra DOT org

*treasurer AT namron DOT ansteorra DOT org

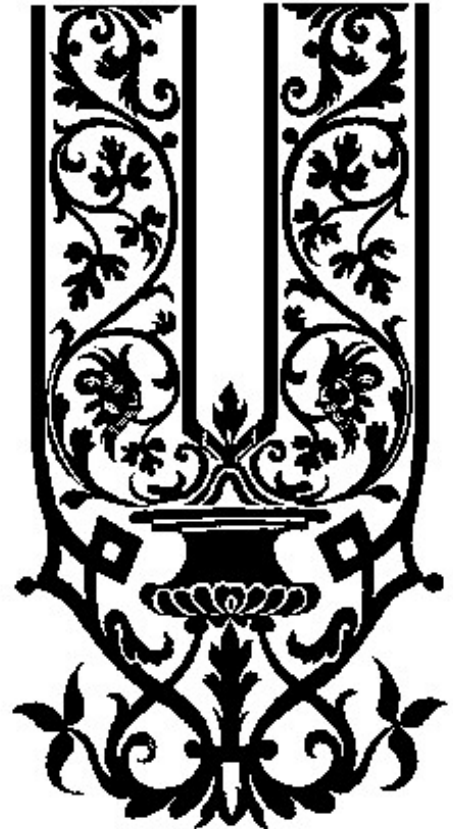
We are looking for bids that includes breakfast, lunch, and dinner on Saturday. Beltane will take place May 3-5th at Camp Dakani in Oklahoma City. There will not be a kitchen or kitchenette available, but there is water, electricity, and a large grill. Preference will be given to a tavern that benefits the Barony, then another official SCA group (another barony, canton, etc.), then anyone else.

We are limiting the event to one tavern food vendor, but the financial committee may consider a bake-sale type fundraiser if requested. Please email me if you would like an example of what needs to be included in the bid. Don't forget to include things such as paper goods and propane. You are also welcome to include recipes or any additional information that might help your bid stand out.

If you have any questions, please let me know either on Facebook or by email at seneschal AT namron DOT ansteorra DOT org.

Your incoming Baronial Seneschal

Señor Lorenzo Martín



Hola Barony.. Announcements came today that kingdom is looking for bids for Queens Champion which is on May 11th, and Coronation which is on April 13th. I realize that there is a lot going on between now and then with Gulf Wars, Med Faire, and Beltane but if you wish to bid on these awesome events please submit your bids to myself at seneschal@namron.ansteorra.org and their Excellencies at baron@namron.ansteorra.org and baroness@namron.ansteorra.org.

Señor Lorenzo Martín
Seneschal

Good Evening Namron!

We are in search of a site for Protectorate and need your help. We have used Graham Ball in the past, but are hoping to find something closer to Norman. Dakani and Will Rogers both have their own events Protectorate weekend. We will check back with them periodically in the future, but they are events that they plan to keep in place. Please email or message myself or Their Excellencies if you have any ideas or leads.

Some of the basic criteria:

- *Required: Room for 300+ people, running water, restrooms and showers, ample parking, some type of hall for bad weather. Protectorate really needs a kitchen (or a feast steward excited to do a primitive feast :))
- *Strongly Preferred: Large hall with kitchen, not a dry (no alcohol) or non-smoking site.
- *A site with cabins would be ideal.
- *Budget: Around \$1000 with kitchen, hall, restrooms, etc. Less with fewer amenities. We know we may have to spend more, but our past sites have been around this (or less). A low site cost helps with gate registration prices.

Someone previously mentioned the baseball camp in Chandler - I checked with them and they do not rent to outside groups. I also have pricing for the various state park group camps.

Thank you in advance!
Uliana



Greetings Namron

I was asked a few things to pass along to the Populace, First was asked if anyone has gently used garb in a extra large or larger please forward it to Ophelia Warde or Katheryn Cranesgrove. Secondly on the behalf of your Library Coordinator:

As your library coordinator,(otherwise known as Kelnan the Librarian" I am asking pretty please for any book donations that you think Our Namron Library would or should have. I have a few choices that I believe are essential, The red book of chivalry, The book of five rings, or The Ansteorra Book of Chivalry are what I have in mind, If anyone has a copy of these books and would like to donate them, I would be very grateful! Also, if you are a discount book shopper, please keep Our library in mind! We would like A&S types of How-To books, appropriate history books or anything related to the SCA. Bring your donations to any pop meeting and the hospitaler team will see they get to our library. Thank you!

Ragnar Kelson aka Kelnan the Librarian
Helloooo Populace!

Medieval Fair Info Tent Coordinator here.

I am hoping some of you fine people will be willing to give just 2 hours of your time, to help our wonderful barony and SCA. Let me be clear...it is just 2 hours for ALL weekend!! How easy is that! I can even guarentee that you will be relieved on time so you are not stuck at the booth.

What will you be doing you ask? Handing out information brochures, business cards for our barony and surrounding baronies/Canton and Shire. Giving general information about what we do. Don't let this scare you...you don't have to give a dissertation on everything the SCA and our barony stands for. Keep it simple. We want you to have fun!!

I will be posting the shifts on a future email. Please be thinking on how you can help!

The Hospitaler Team Thanks You!!

YIS,

Katheryn Cranesgrove

Deputy Hospitaler

Greetings Namron. I am grateful to be able to serve as your new Seneschal and thankful to my predecessor who left this office in such great shape.

Important: Due to a scheduling conflict, March Populace will be located at the Norman Schools Admin building, 131 S Flood Ave, Norman, OK 73069-5463, United States, on March 7th, 2019 at 7:30pm. Please let others know.

War is upon us! My hope is that you have already pre-registered and designated that you will be camping with Namron. However, you still have an opportunity to complete your registration at the door pricing. You can still count towards Namron's allotted land and be able to camp with us as long as your online PayPal registration is completed by Feb 15, 2019. Please see refund and registration policies at <https://www.gulfwars.org/registration/> The importance of registration is that land allotment is determined by completed registrations. Therefore, if you do not complete registration by the prementioned date, then Namron will be allotted less land and therefore you will not be allowed to camp with us. There is FUN in numbers, and we want you with us!

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The coming spring also brings many activities to participate in. The Medieval Fair of Norman (April 5-7) and Beltane (May 3-5) to name a couple. My hope is we can raise a glass together at each of these events.

Many hands make light work and I look forward to working with you all.

Senor Lorenzo Martin

Seneschal

Unto the people's of the known world and those yet to perceive, I messenger unto you the plans in place to honor our friend
Lucais du Belier mka Larry Bishop.

PLEASE SHARE and FORWARD this to EVERYONE via group elist, kingdom, FB wall and FB group on which doing so would
be appropriate. #lucaismemorial

In Chronological Order of Occasion:

Occasion 1:

Larry's personal family, cordially invites ALL of us, in SCA garb or mundane attire; to a Memorial Service Saturday, February
2nd, 2019, at the LaVern Veasy Performing Arts Center (Luther's Public School Auditorium), 18955 NE 178th Street, Luther,
OK 73054 at 2pm. The high school cannot accept flowers, so please consider a donation to the American Cancer Society or
Blaze's Tribute Equine Rescue, Inc. in Jones, OK. Larry served on the Board for Blaze's for many years, and was an active
member and volunteer. Flowers can be delivered to Jennifer Bates c/o OMVC at 4334 NW Expressway, Suite 183, Oklahoma
City, OK 73116 (M-F only). Please join us to celebrate together and share our best memories and moments of his wonderful
life.

Occasion 2:

Lucais' SCAdian family Wolfstar, invites you to Lucais' Memorial at Wolfstar's Winter Melee 11a.m. to Noon on February 23rd,
time to be determined at Camp Fire Heart of Oklahoma: CAMP DAKANI 3309 E Hefner Rd Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73131.
Wolfstar's Winter Melee event at which Lucais' Memorial shall be held is NOT AN SCA EVENT. We Welcome Everyone who
would like to attend Lucais' Memorial come join us and enjoy the fellowship (during the Memorial). On Saturday tell the gate
you are here to be at the memorial. THERE IS NO GATE CHARGE TO ATTEND THE MEMORIAL. (To attend the entire event,
GATE Fee AND an INVITATION by a Member of House Wolfstar or a Nightwolf is REQUIRED). {If I got any of that wrong an
Alpha's gonna put me in the dreaded Dog House, yes that's a real thing}.

Occasion 3:

Lucais' du Belier's Liveliness and Lovingness shall be celebrated during a Memorial at Ansteorra's Fortieth Year Celebration
happening September 19th - 22nd, 2019 at Will Rogers Boy Scout Camp in Cleveland, Ok. THIS IS AN SCA EVENT with all
volunteerism, responsibilities, and celebratory joyousness there to appertain. Here is the website;
[40th\(dot\)ansteorra\(dot\)org](http://40th(dot)ansteorra(dot)org)

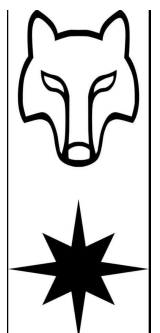
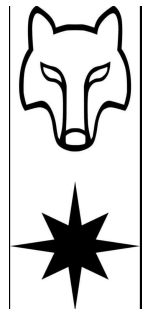
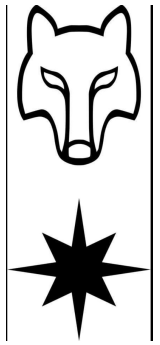
Occasion 4:

Lucais' du Belier's Grandeur, Resolve, and Inspiration shall motivate the hearts of each and every fighter at B.A.M.
Bordermarch Autumn Mellees or is it called War of the Rams ! ! ? ? POOKY not sure... There shall be a Memorial for Him as
well. Do fill the hearts and share your Lucais stories with everyone there gathered and slaughter your friends and enemies
with your heart filled with Lucais' Love!! Keep a look out at [ansteorra\(dot\)org/events/](http://ansteorra(dot)org/events/) for all the BAMbastic details.

With a weeping heart overflowing love upon my smile, I'll say, "I love you Lucais, rest well and thank you."

Your Beloved Pooky

Post Scriptum: Seriously for all his friends, make DoubleDouble sure EVERYONE has an opportunity to find out about His
memorial(s). PLEASE SHARE and FORWARD this to EVERYONE via group elist, kingdom, FB wall and FB group on which
doing so would be appropriate. However you can, share the Lucaisious Love. #lucaismemorials



Medieval Fair Free Lecture Series this Friday!

Friday Feb. 1, 6:15pm-7:30pm, WEST Norman Public Library (300 Norman Center Ct.)

"Medieval Japan: An Age of Faith and War" presented by Joshua Frydman, Assistant Professor of Japanese, Department of Modern Languages, Literatures and Linguistics, University of Oklahoma

Medieval Japan - In 1192, the first Shogunate, or warrior government, rose from the ashes of war to dominate Japan. Over the next 400 years, as the aristocratic culture of classical Japan withered away, vibrant new forms took hold in everything from art and clothing to religion and warfare. Much of "traditional" Japan was in fact born during these centuries--Japan's own, tumultuous Middle Ages!

The Medieval Fair Free Lecture Series is cosponsored by the OU Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies.

Come learn more about the middle ages just for the fun of learning! No papers, no test, just interesting information about life long ago.

More Medieval Fair Events:

April 5,6 & 7, 10am-7pm, Medieval Fair, Reaves Park (Parking will be \$10 this year to help Medieval Fair survive.)

May 3, 6:15pm, Lecture Series – the Archeology of the Night Sky: Star-Gazing from the Renaissance to Now presented by Kerry Magruder & Brent Purkale, West Norman Public Library

Ann Marie Eckart, Medieval Fair Coordinator, OU Outreach

Phone 405-325-8610 Cell: 405-209-1576 ameckart@ou.edu www.medievalfair.org

The poster is a vertical rectangular design. At the top, a black banner contains the text "Medieval Fair Free Lecture Series" in yellow, followed by "FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2019, 6:15-7:30 p.m." and "Norman Public Library West, 300 Norman Center Ct." in white. Below this is a yellow banner with the title "MEDIEVAL JAPAN, AN AGE OF FAITH AND WAR" in a stylized, red, blocky font. The center of the poster features two side-by-side images: on the left, a close-up of a golden Buddhist statue with a serene expression and a halo; on the right, a traditional Japanese ink wash painting depicting samurai warriors on horseback in a dynamic battle scene. Below the images is another yellow banner with the text "Presented by Josh Frydman" in red, and "Dept. of Modern Languages, Literatures, and Linguistics, OU" in black. At the very bottom, a black banner contains small white text: "Co-sponsored by OU's Center for Medieval & Renaissance Studies", "The University of Oklahoma is an equal-opportunity institution: ou.edu/eoo.", "Printed and distributed at no cost to Oklahoma taxpayers.", "For accommodations on the basis of disability: www.medievalfair.org.", and "Contact: (405) 325-8610; ameckart@ou.edu".

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Hear Ye! Hear Ye! Good People Here be where you can find others of like and new

Populace Meeting

First Thursday of every month at 7:30 PM Norman Unitarian
Universalist Fellowship
1309 West Boyd
Norman, OK 73069

Chivalric Fighter Practice Every Wednesday at 7:00 PM - 9:00pm.

This is a combined practice with
The Barony of Wiesenfeuer
1441 West Indian Hills Road
Norman 73071

Rapier Fighter Practice

Every Tuesday, 7:00 PM - 9:00pm. This is a combined practice with
the Barony of Wiesenfeuer. (Practice is hosted by Namron on even
months and Wiesenfeuer on odd months.)
737 SE 89th in OKC. It's at Frontline Church's South location in
"The Den"

Youth Practice

Wednesdays at 6:00-7:00 at one of the public libraries - see Youth
Rapier and/or Baronial Facebook page

Archery and Thrown Weapons Practice Every Sunday 11:00 PM to 2:00 PM (weather permitting)

4200 E. Franklin
Norman OK 73026

Namron Arts & Sciences Meeting Second Monday of every month
from 7:30 PM -9:00 PM Norman Unitarian Universalist Fellowship
1309 West Boyd Norman, Ok 73069

Open Arts and Sciences Gathering Every Monday, 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

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Illumination Night (Firestorm Scribal Guild Meeting) Every Tuesday,

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Natural Grocers
2120 SW 89th Street Oklahoma City, OK 73159

Business Meeting

3rd Thursday of the Month, 7:30 pm
Norman Public Schools Admin Building
(NW Entrance)
131 S. Flood Ave, Norman, OK 73069

February 2nd

PROVINCIAL GAMES

Payne County Expo Center 4518 Expo Cir E, Stillwater, OK
74075

February 2nd

CANDLEMAS

Burnet Community Center 401 E Jackson St, Burnet TX
78611

February 9th

KINGDOM ARTS AND SCIENCES

American Legion Post 539 14410 FM 1346 St Hedwig, TX
78152

February 15th -17th

WAR COLLEGE

The Stones 189 Four Notch Rd, Huntsville, TX 77340

February 19th-25th

ESTRELLA WAR XXXV - OUT OF KINGDOM

February 22nd-24th

ROBIN HOOD'S STAND ON THE STONES - GATE'S EDGE

The Stones 189 Four Notch Rd, Huntsville, TX 77340



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