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Greetings,

Medieval Fair is upon us and the Barony of Namron needs your help. We are looking for Coordinators for the following:

Archery Coordinator  
A & S-Coordinator for Saturday  
A & S-Coordinator for Sunday  
Games Coordinator  
European Dancing Coordinator  
Middle Eastern Drumming and Dancing Coordinator

And last but not least-A Coordinator for the Children's MOC Activities.

Please let us know if you can help so we can ensure a fun and productive Medieval Fair this year!

Thank you to those that have already volunteered! We appreciate you!

With Gratitude,

Ophelia Warde and Ellyn O'Ronowe de Graye

Greetings,

We are looking for a teacher for our March 4th class-Persona Development and Heraldry. If you are interested in volunteering to teach this class please let us know.

Thank you in advance.

YIS,  
Ophelia Warde  
Hospitaler for the Barony of Namron

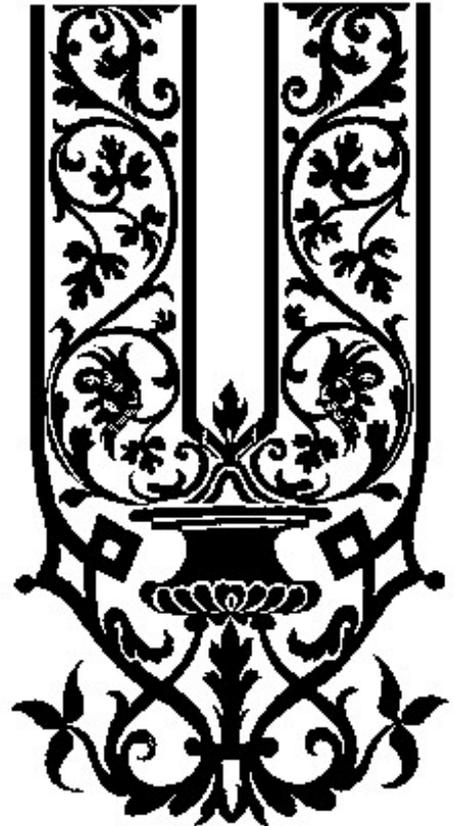
Greetings Namron.

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.

Bids are now being accepted for Protectorate event stewards. Please submit your bids to Their Excellencies, myself, and our treasurer. Bids are due by the April populace meeting.

Beltane tavern bids are still being accepted. Please submit those bids to Their Excellencies, myself, and the treasurer by the March business meeting. As the season changes from winter to spring I am looking forward to the upcoming events and creating memories.

Saludos,  
Senor Lorenzo Martin  
Seneschal



Greetings Namron! I am coordinating the living history area at the Medieval Fair demo this year. We will be having a period encampment area along with the pavilion for people to work on projects.

I would like to get an idea of how many people will be in the living history pavilion and what types of arts and crafts you will be working on. As this pavilion tends to be less static displays and relies more on people working on projects or discussing more specific arts, I want to make sure we have enough going on throughout the weekend. I know there is some overlap between this area and the costuming and arts and sciences tents which divides people's time, but if you plan on spending time in the living history area, please let me know!

Also, if you have other commitments for parts of the weekend, but have banners/tapestries or work-in progress type displays they would be great for this area as well.

We would love to have all types of arts represented - textiles and weaving, leather working, illumination, cooking (we can't actually cook, but can talk about the tools/processes), woodworking, stone carving, and more! I think some soft music would be nice as well - whether live or prerecorded.

The period encampment will have a couple of Viking-style wedge tents with some items outside. One of the tents will be set up with a bed, etc. for people to look at/take pictures. If you have things that would work well for this display area, please let me know!

The fair runs April 5-7, 2019.

YIS,  
Lady Uliana (mka Julia Haiduk)

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 guarantee 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



## Medieval Fair Upcoming Events

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

### Medieval Fair Free Lecture Series

"Cooperation Between Muslims and Christians During the Era of the Crusades" presented by Jacob Lackner, Visiting Lecturer, History Department, University of Oklahoma.

The era of the crusades (1095-1291) is often thought of as a time of violence and religious hatred between Muslims and Christians. However, not all relationships between these two religious groups were hostile. When Muslims and Christians weren't at war, they were often actively trading with one another. Even during times of war, it was not uncommon for Christian states to ally themselves with one Muslim state while fighting against another one. This talk will discuss these and other positive relationships between Muslims and Christians in the Holy Land.

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.

Facebook event <https://www.facebook.com/events/1569382099860542/>

Saturday March 2, 7:00pm, Downtown Norman – Medieval Fair at Mardi Gras Parade

Join the Medieval Fair Krewe as we celebrate Mardi Gras in our beloved Norman! Medieval Fair Cast, Volunteers, AOA, and SCA, will be mixing it up and lighting it up as we dance our way down Main Street. Be sure to cheer loudest for us - it impresses the judges ;-)

More parade details can be found at <http://www.normanmardigrasparade.com/>

(If you are looking for a warm place from which to view the parade, check out the Jazz In June Fundraiser, Meet Me On Bourbon Street

(<https://www.facebook.com/events/319402318686310/>) or the Norman Music Festival fundraiser, Brew Sessions

(<https://www.facebook.com/events/2195174887180309/>).

April 5, 6 & 7 – Medieval Fair! (37 days) 10am-7pm, Reaves Park, 2501 S Jenkins Ave., Norman, OK

Igniting the spark of curiosity that leads to lifelong learning through educational entertainment.

Over 100 performers, 200 artisans, and 40 food vendors help us bring the Medieval Fair to life! There is something for everyone at the Medieval Fair. (Please note that while admission remains free, nearby parking is increasing to \$10 at the request of the Fair to help us cover the costs of this event.)

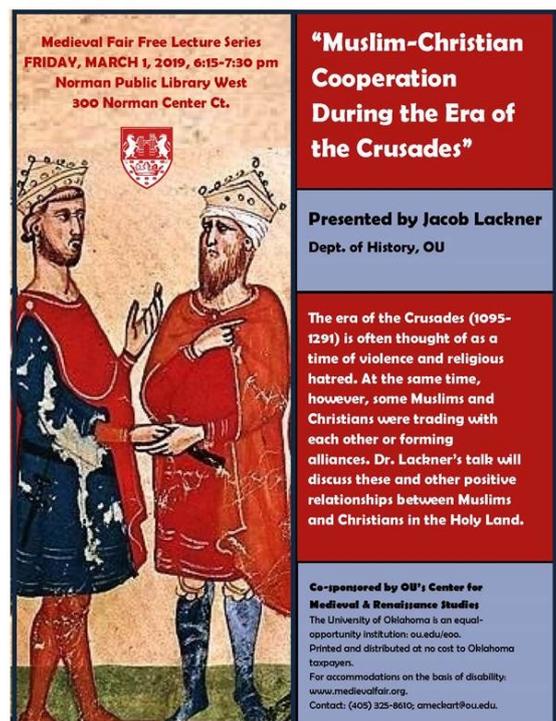
Website: <https://medievalfair.org/>

Facebook event: <https://www.facebook.com/events/508221749621838/>

See you there!

Ann Marie Eckart, Medieval Fair Coordinator

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The poster features a central illustration of two men in medieval attire, one in a blue and red tunic and the other in a red tunic, standing and talking. The background is a light, textured surface. The text is arranged in a structured layout with red, blue, and white backgrounds.

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**Norman Public Library West**  
**300 Norman Center Ct.**

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**Presented by Jacob Lackner**  
Dept. of History, OU

The era of the Crusades (1095-1291) is often thought of as a time of violence and religious hatred. At the same time, however, some Muslims and Christians were trading with each other or forming alliances. Dr. Lackner's talk will discuss these and other positive relationships between Muslims and Christians in the Holy Land.

**Co-sponsored by OU's Center for Medieval & Renaissance Studies**  
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Contact: (405) 325-8610, [ameckart@ou.edu](mailto:ameckart@ou.edu).

From the stewards of Ansteorra 40th Anniversary

Unto you, fair Populace do the Event Stewards of Ansteorra's 40th Year Celebration send Greetings!

We are writing to extend an invitation to be part of the festivities celebrating our Kingdom. It is our hope to have every group in Ansteorra represented and participating. If your group would like to sponsor or run an activity, volunteer, or loan or donate material goods, please let us know!

The event will be Thursday Sept 19th-Sunday Sept 22nd, 2019 at Will Rogers Boy Scout Reservation, Cleveland, Oklahoma.

There are many ways to contribute! Sponsor an Activity/Prizes for an Activity: We will have activities in the Arts and Sciences, Bardic, Chivalric, Rapier, Thrown Weapons, Archery, Equestrian, and Seige! There will also be activities for Children! A tea for the children has also been suggested.

Pavilions and Banners: We will need a large number of pavilions for use as Points and Classroom and Activity areas, and banners/wall hangings to make the entire site beautiful. Please reach out and let us know what you have that we may use!

The Kingdom Historian's Display - If your group has objects meaningful to its identification and history that you would like to have on display at 40th year, please contact the Kingdom Historian at [historian@chronicler.ansteorra.org](mailto:historian@chronicler.ansteorra.org) ! We would love the display to cover the full splendor of all of the groups in the Kingdom.

Luncheons: Care to sponsor a Luncheon for Royalty (we are inviting foreign royalty as well as our own), a Nobles and Newcomers Luncheon? Another gathering of a different sort? There is room on the schedule! (I have been asked by exchequers to remind groups that an event 'targeted' to a specific group of people cannot use group funds, but will need to be handled by donations).

Please fill out the following form and include the information that this is a sponsored luncheon in the "Notes to the Event Stewards" section at the bottom of the form:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSel-iqs8eZ3ODYa11PYUbqbfhPbFX2tJGOe9wKtQFapnJZikQ/viewform>

Taverns: We plan to provide food for meals from Thursday through Sunday. If your group is interested in hosting a meal or two, please consider submitting a Tavern using the form on the website! Taverns are encouraged to submit menus and pricing early for promotion/advertising. Taverns may also choose to run on donation.

Don't forget to say if your profits are going to support a particular group or effort. (application:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSel-iqs8eZ3ODYa11PYUbqbfhPbFX2tJGOe9wKtQFapnJZikQ/viewform>)



Parties: If you are interested in help support the Parties at 40th Year, we can put you in contact with their coordinators! We will have a European Ball on Friday night, and a large Hafla/40th year Celebration on Saturday night!

Support Services and Volunteering! We will have a Volunteer Point, Water-bearing, Chirurgeonate, a Watch, Gate, Lyst Mistresses, Site and Lyst heraldry, and Sanitation departments, that all need volunteers for staffing and use supplies! As a group, or as individuals, please volunteer a little of your time! If we all do a little, we all get to play a lot. (volunteer form:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdK9xR0Andu5JiTt9tBJ6nXZjyBu974RKYV54CHyQorzGCOuA/viewform>)

Material Goods/Additional funding: If your group would prefer to make a donation to the purchasing of general supplies, this is also absolutely welcome! Other ideas include camp showers, portable fire pits, bench cushions, seating/benches for around parties or list fields. If you have an idea for something that your group uses which might enrich our 40th year celebration, please let us know.

Please see the main page <https://40th.ansteorra.org/> for Contact information for the Event Stewards (us), the Groups Liaison, the Feast Stewards, the Marshal-in-Charge, and the Land Steward! If you are looking for a specific area in which to contribute we can point you to the right coordinator!

Thank you and we look forward to having everyone at 40th!

With joy in service,

HL Lillias MacGuffin and HL Liliana Barnes

Ansteorra 40th Anniversary Event Stewards

Greetings! For those that were unable to attend our kick-off meeting, we will be doing most of the planning through our Facebook planning group. We might have work days (or evenings) closer to the event if our coordinators are needing help with things. We still have a few coordinator positions we are needing help with (starred below). Please let us know if you have any questions or if you are able to fill one of these positions! Coordinators (or others that would like to help with the event) - If you didn't see this post in the planning group, let me know and I will add you!

\*Tavern (ideally Saturday breakfast, lunch, dinner - see Lorenzo's post for more info) -

\*Celtic Games (or Calendimaggio substitute) -

\*Site Maintenance (coordinate restroom and trash pick up)-

\*Waterbearing (less involved for this event than Protectorate)-

\*Site Herald (make or coordinate people to make site announcements)-

Gate Coordinator - Deb Allen

Royal Liaison - Event Stewards

Site Set Up/Tear Down, Trailer - Jordan Smith

May Pole - Michelle Collins (maybe with Adena's help)

Spang Hewing - Laurie Firestone Deshotel

Prize and Champion Baskets - Michelle Collins

May Queen/Spang Princess - Champions and Event Stewards

Quest/Challenge - Brendan Haiduk

Waterbearing and prize baskets will likely be looking for donations. Also, be on the look out for free greenery (ivy, leafy wreaths, etc.), flowers and red and blue ribbon and fabric. These can be incorporated into our decorations, but we don't want people spending money to purchase them.

-Uliana and Micolay

Beltane Event Stewards

# 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

March 1-3

B.A.D BLANK ACADEMY OF DEFENSE (HELD IN BJORNSBORG)  
Nolte Island 2220 FM 466, Seguin, Texas 78155

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

March 9-16

GULF WARS

March 29-31

HELLSGATE AND SHADOWLANDS PRESENT: THE MEAD WAR  
Dancing Bee Winery 8060 US 190, Rogers TX 76569

## 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

Norman Unitarian Universalist Fellowship  
1309 West Boyd  
Norman, OK 73069

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



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