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The month of  
September;  
detail of a page  
from *Horae*,  
Paris, 1506.

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**IF you would like to see your work featured in next month's issue of *The Plume*, please submit your articles or other items to the Chronicler by September 26th!**

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## UNTO THE STELLAR BARONY OF NAMRON DO WE SEND OUR GREETINGS!



*This is Our last missive as Baron and Baroness of Namron.*

Not only are we saddened by our stepping down, but we are overjoyed to be stepping down! These last 5 and a half years have been some of the best and worst we have ever had. We have seen new members brought forth to become old timers, elevations of some of our closest and dearest friends and tornadoes destroy the very land we stood on. We have seen tignadoes, 110 degree days, earthquakes and even a snowpocalypse. We have seen family pass from this world and seen the joy in a mother's eye as she meets her new baby for the first time. These past years have seen many things, good and bad, as Namron has soldered on. The people of Namron, Skorragardr, and Oak Springs are some of the most resilient we have ever seen, and for that, we are better people having known you.



*We have many people to thank for helping us these last few years.*

*Baron Orlando and Baroness Caterina*

- Thank you for always being there when we had questions, needed advice, or just wanted to talk. You have been more valuable than you know.

*To Uliana and Micolay -*

You have courage, heart, enthusiasm and love for this Barony. We hope that we can be an ear to listen when ever you need it. Becoming the Baron and Baroness for Namron has not been easy, but has been one of the most joy filled times we could have ever imagined. We know that you will do GREAT things for Namron, and we can not wait to see them!

*Baroness Grandmommy, Mistress Adena and HL Cian -*

Thank you for everything you have done. You have helped us in ways we are not able to articulate. Thank you.

*To all current and past champions-*

Thank you! You have helped this barony become one of the greatest in the known world. Your dedication to your art, whether chivalric, rapier, bardic, brewing, arts and sciences, foolery, archery or thrown weapons, shows through every time one of you have worn the Baronial insignia. Thank you to each and every one of you.

*Lady Arianna -*

Thank you for being our head of entourage when Baroness Caterina had to step away. Scheduling a herd of cats is no easy task, and you jumped at the task. You have become family to us, and we can never repay you. Thank you.

*To each and every person that has come to either Phread or Phreadrica to help load and unload,* Thank you. You are the reason this barony continues to grow every year. Without you, we would not be able to have any demos, Medieval Fair, or host events. Thank you.



Through the years, We have been fortunate enough to have to loan of the Blue Ox from *Caterina and Orlando & Margherita and Vinny.*

Thank you for letting the barony use this giant trailer to not only haul things to local Baronial events, but to and from Gulf Wars as well. Also, thank you for all for those who have hauled this monstrosity for the Barony. Thank you.

*To the Pirates of the Dark Horse.*

Thank you, for a lot of things. I feel like we probably shouldn't mention most of them here, but We WILL say thank you for being there at the drop of a hat when needed.

*To all the members of Namron who have gone to Gulf Wars and camped with Namron.*

Thank you for showing up, working, volunteering, fighting and having a great time as a family. Namron has, more than once, had the most volunteer hours in the Kingdom at Gulf Wars! Thank you to every one of you for helping to make that a reality.



*To those that have volunteered their time and energy being either a feast steward, event steward, Medieval Fair liaison, demo coordinator, or event coordinator,*

Thank you. Each and every one of you have helped to make our events fantastic, from the decorations to the food, the pavilions to the sites. Thank you.

*To every scribe and calligrapher who has worked on a scroll, original or otherwise.*

These are things that make the SCA what it is, magical.

*We want to especially thank Mistress Nicolea, Baroness Shanna Camber and Baroness Ayesha for all of the years you have put in working on scrolls for Namron, Wiesenfeuer, and Ansteorra. Thank you.*

*To every man, woman and child that has been a member of Namron, Skorragardr, or Oak Springs.*

You have truly opened our eyes to the joys that are the SCA. Without you, we would literally be two people sitting on pretty chairs. You have helped us learn and grow not only as people, but members of Namron.

*Thank you for everything.*



*Andrew and Kyna*  
 BARON AND BARONESS OF NAMRON  
 LORD AND LADY OF SKORRAGARDR  
 WARDENS OF THE OUTPOST OF OAK SPRINGS





## From the Chronicler

### *Greetings unto the Populace.*

There is SO MUCH coming up for us to do!!! I'm excited that it's getting cooler so it is FALL EVENT SEASON! Now to decide what events I'm going to attend...

If you plan on attending Ansteorra's 40th Year Celebration and you haven't already pre-registered, you may do so [here](#). I am anxiously anticipating this event due to our new Baron and Baroness taking their coronets. I really hope that you're able to attend and be there for this part of Namron's history. If you DO attend, I would love to hear your stories from 40th Year, that way, we are able to share experiences with those who were unable to make the trek north to Mooneschadowe.

If you haven't already heard, I am working on getting everyone's waivers digitized. The Kingdom Chronicler and I have the same dream of getting everyone's waivers in a localized place so they are able to be used across the Kingdom, not only for the ease of those needing to use them, but for YOU, the populace, so we are not having to bother you with filling them out each and every time you go somewhere new within the Kingdom.

Namron's fall event, Protectorate, will be here before you know it. The autocrats have a lot of fun in store for us this year. Make sure to check out the missive from them as well as scope the delicious feast that is being offered to us this year! (I have it on good authority that Char-ri serves a pretty fantastic spread.)

As always, any submissions you would like to make for the October issue of *The Plume* are due by September 26, 2019. For submissions, please contact me at [chronicler@namron.ansteorra.org](mailto:chronicler@namron.ansteorra.org) or 405-532-5236. Also, please let me know if there is anything you would LIKE to see featured in *The Plume*.

Joyfully in Service,

*Bantiarna Cailleach Dhé  
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# ANSTERORRAN CALENDAR OF EVENTS



## SEPTEMBER 2019

### 06-08 Bryn Gwlad 40th Year

Barony of Bryn Gwlad; Austin, TX

Progress: Crown

Circles: Masters of Defense, White Scarves

Activities: Archery, Arts & Sciences, Camping, Children's Activities, Chivalric, Classes, Equestrian, Feast, Rapier, Youth Activities

<https://www.facebook.com/events/2199812680097614/>

### 14 Laurel's Prize Tourney

Shire of Seawinds; Victoria, TX

Activities: Arts & Sciences

<https://www.facebook.com/events/844508139241185/>

### 19-22 Ansteorra's 40th Year

Province of Mooneschadowe; Cleveland, OK

Progress: Crown, Heirs Circles: Arc D'Or

<https://www.facebook.com/events/1660292764051803/>

### 27-29 Three Centurions

Shire of Rosenfeld;

Progress: King Circles: Centurion



<https://www.facebook.com/events/448574322664889/>



# ANSTERORRAN CALENDAR OF EVENTS



## OCTOBER 2019

### 04-06 Protectorate

Barony of Namron; Holiday, TX

Progress: Crown

<https://www.facebook.com/events/2338727963008085/>

### 11-13 Fall Coronation

Progress: Crown, Heirs

### 18-19 Northern Border Skirmishes

Canton of Wyldewood; Park Hill, OK

Activities: Archery, Bardic, Children's Activities, Chivalric, Cut and Thrust, Feast, Rapier, Thrown Weapons

<https://www.facebook.com/events/377251726248945/>

### 18-20 Valkyrfelt II; Bjornborg Fall Event

Barony of Bjornsborg; Seguin, TX

### 25-27 Seawinds Defender

Shire of Seawinds

### 25-27 Samhain

Barony of Eldern Hills; Holiday, TX

<https://www.facebook.com/events/2421811184716994/>

### 26 Elfsea Baronial College

Barony of Elfsea; Fort Worth, TX

Activities: Arts & Sciences, Bardic, Children's Activities, Classes, Sideboard

<https://www.facebook.com/events/2334325479990860/>



## BARONIAL CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>1 Archery &amp; Thrown Weapons Practice 11-2*</p>	<p>2</p> 	<p>3 Protectorate Planning Meeting 7:30-8:30 pm  Firestorm Ink 7-9pm  Firestorm Skills Practice 6:30 - 8:30 pm*</p>	<p>4 Chivalric Fighter Practice 6:30-9:30*  Youth Chivalric Fighter Practice 7:00-8:00*</p>	<p>5 Webminister and Minister of Arts &amp; Science applications due; Populace Meeting 7:30-9:30pm  Youth Steel Combat 6-7pm Adult Steel Combat 7-9pm</p>	6	7
<p>8 Archery &amp; Thrown Weapons Practice 11-2*  Protectorate Work Day 10-4</p>	<p>9 Open Arts &amp; Science 7:30-9pm</p>	<p>10 Firestorm Ink 7-9pm  Firestorm Skills Practice 6:30 - 8:30 pm*</p>	<p>11 Chivalric Fighter Practice 6:30-9:30*  Youth Chivalric Fighter Practice 7:00-8:00*</p>	<p>12 Youth Steel Combat 6-7pm  Adult Steel Combat 7-9pm</p>	13	<p>14 FireStorm Honey Guild 9 am</p>
<p>15 Archery &amp; Thrown Weapons Practice 11-2*  Namron Cooks Guild Meeting 5 - 7pm</p>	<p>16 Newcomers Academy 7 - 8:30 pm  Open Arts &amp; Science 7:30-9pm</p>	<p>17 Firestorm Ink 7-9pm  Firestorm Skills Practice 6:30 - 8:30 pm*</p>	18	<p>19 <b>40th Year</b></p> 	<p>20 <b>40th Year</b></p> 	<p>21 <b>40th Year</b></p> 
<p>22 <b>40th Year</b></p> 	<p>23 Open Arts &amp; Science 7:30-9pm  Gate Class 7:30-9 pm</p>	<p>24 Firestorm Ink 7-9pm  Firestorm Skills Practice 6:30 - 8:30 pm*</p>	<p>25 Chivalric Fighter Practice 6:30-9:30*  Youth Chivalric Fighter Practice 7:00-8:00*</p>	<p>26 Youth Steel Combat 6-7pm  Adult Steel Combat 7-9pm</p>	27	28
<p>29 Archery &amp; Thrown Weapons Practice 11-2*</p>	<p>30 Open Arts &amp; Science 7:30-9pm</p>					

\*Weather permitting

**Archery & Thrown Weapons Practice** is held at 4200 E Franklin Rd, Norman, OK 73071

**Business Meeting** is held at Norman Public Schools Administration Building 131 S Flood Ave, Norman, OK 73069

**Chivalric Fighter Practice** meeting location is TBA (due to Oklahoma heat). Check the Facebook page for more information.

**Firestorm Armored Combat Training & Skills Practice** is held at 857 Cardan Pl, Moore, OK 73160

**Firestorm Honey Guild's** meeting dates & location are TBA. Check their Facebook page for more information.

**Firestorm Ink Scribal Guild's** meeting location is TBA. Check the Facebook page for more information.

**Firestorm Siege** is held at 406 S Mustang Rd, Tuttle, OK. Practice time & date TBA. Please make sure to check the Facebook page for more information.

**Namron Cooks Guild** is held at 729 Accipiter, Norman, OK 73072

**Open Arts & Science** is held at West Wind Unitarian Universalist Congregation 1309 W Boyd St, Norman, OK 73069

**Populace Meeting** is held at West Wind Unitarian Universalist Congregation 1309 W Boyd St, Norman, OK 73069

**Steel Combat Practice** is held at Old School Business and Event Center 201 N Broadway St, Moore, Oklahoma 73160



[Baronial Calendar](#)

[Baronial Facebook Events](#)

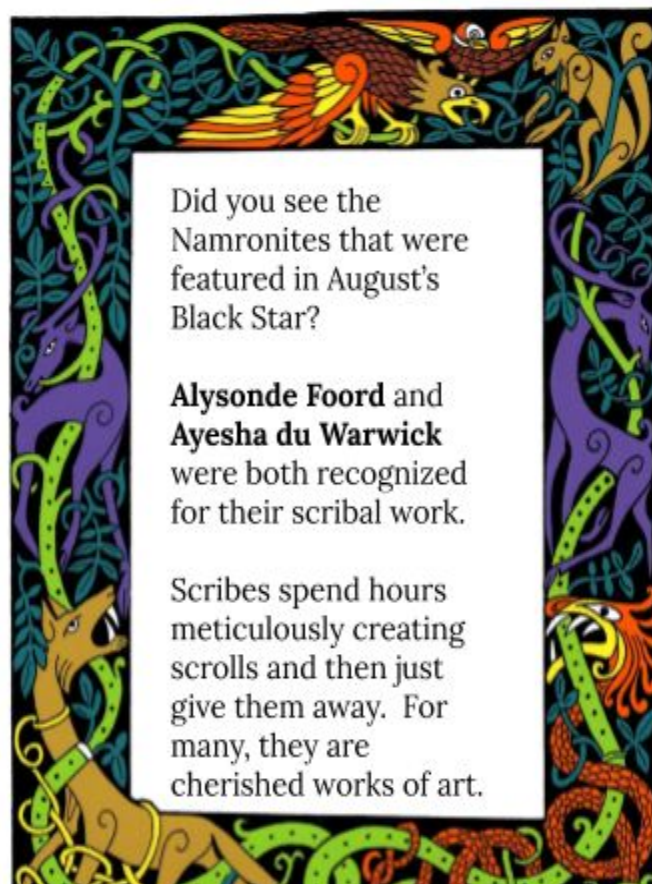
[Specialized Class Descriptions](#)

[FireStorm Armored Combat Training Facebook Page](#)

[Firestorm Honey Guild Facebook Page](#)

[FireStorm Ink Facebook Page](#)

[Namron Cooks Guild Facebook Page](#)





# NAMRON Champions:

## *Archery:*

ROLAND BLACKTHORNE

## *Rapier:*

ABD AL-MAHDI JAMAL  
IBN HAKIM

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LADY TESSA OF THE GARDENS

## *Thrown Weapons:*

LORD RAULFF SMEITHBERDE

## *Bardic:*

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INGHEAN BHRIAN

## *Youth Archery:*

ARI JONGEIRRSO

## *Brewing:*

LORD CAPTAIN RYAN SAVAGE

## *Youth Rapier:*

AILA STEPHENDOTTIR

## *Chivalric:*

SIR MICOLAY HAIDUK

## *Youth Thrown Weapons:*

ARI JONGEIRRSO

## *Foolery:*

CUAIS FLAVUIS VALENS





## FROM THE SENESCHAL

*Hola Barony~*

**The following officer positions are currently open:**

- Minister of Arts and Science
- Webminister
- Minister of Children

Applications are due by our September Populace meeting. If you would like to apply for any of these positions, please submit an application and ID/Blue Card to:

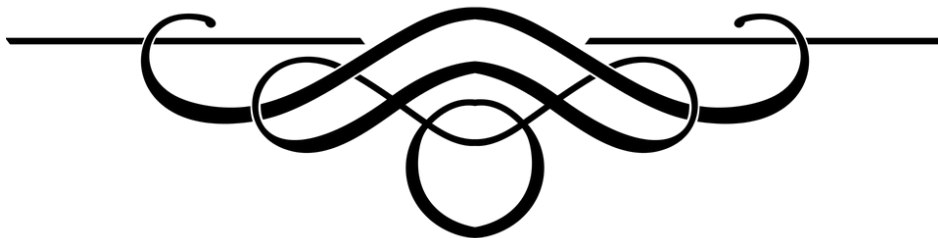
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and the northern regional or kingdom officer that supports these positions.

You can find the officer application [here](#).



There has been some discussion this last month regarding our social media policy. I summarized the *temporary policy* during the business meeting but I would like to restate it here for those that could not attend.

## The temporary policy for Namron is:

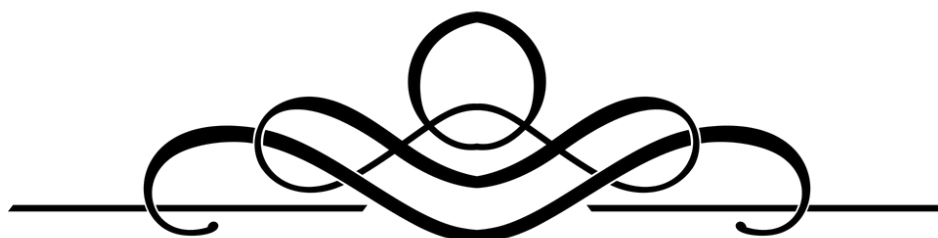
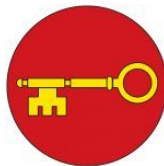
- If you want to post a photo or video on an official site, of persons other than yourself, then we ask that you either clear that with or send it to myself, my social media deputy, or the baronial chronicler so that we can make sure all persons in that media are okay with having that posted.
- If you want to post a picture/video of yourself or your immediate family, I am personally not going to delete that. This resembles the sort of the common "practice" that others groups seem to follow.
  - If the image does not have a person in it, you are free to post it as long as it is not violating copyright laws.
  - If the image of the person is not easily identifiable (for example if they are in armor or you cannot clearly see their face), you are free to post it.
  - If you are IN a photo or video and you do not wish to have that on official social media you can contact myself, the social media deputy, or the chronicler and we will remove it.

The primary concerns are that we want pictures and videos to be posted to our official social media presence, but not at the expense of someone who does not want their image posted. My social media deputy is working with kingdom deputy to clarify kingdom position in this matter. I am certain that soon this will all be resolved and I have no doubt that my social media deputy will seek to satisfy kingdom policy while managing our presence.

En servicio,

*Señor Lorenzo Martín*

NAMRON SENESCHAL





REMINGTON  
TURNBULL  
SEPTEMBER 11TH



ANJA BRYNJARDOTTIR  
SEPTEMBER 22ND



SEÑOR LORENZO  
MARTÍN  
SEPTEMBER 3RD



SEÑORA ANTONIA  
DE LA FUENTE  
SEPTEMBER 27TH

### *September Birthday Facts*

- September has several birth flowers—the forget-me-not, the morning glory, and the aster.
- September's birth stone is the sapphire and gives the wearer luck. Sapphire is usually envisioned as a blue stone but also comes in green, pink, purple and clear.
- A study from the University of Chicago found that those born between September and November are more likely to live to the age of 100 than those born in other months of the year.

The Kingdom of Ansteorra  
 &  
 The Barony of Namron  
 presents  
**Protectorate XLIII**

October 4-6, 2019

Camp Graham Ball

12442 FM 368, Holliday, TX 76366

Site Opens 5 pm Oct. 4th & Closes 11 am Oct. 6th

• Adult Event Registration:	\$15
Adult Member Registration:	\$10
Children 17 & Under:	FREE
Family Max:	\$45 Non Members \$30 Members

*Minor's must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian.*

*They may also attend with a 21 year or older adult with a signed and notarized Minor Event Waiver Form from the parents.*

Please make checks payable to The Barony of Namron

Leashed dogs permitted onsite, ONLY service animals permitted at gate.

*Directions to Site*

Take I-44 to US-277/US-82 in Wichita Falls  
 Take the US-82 W/US-277 S exit from US-277 S/US-281 S/US-287 S

Continue on US-277 S/US-82 W  
 Drive to FM-368 S in Archer County

*For any questions, please contact the autocrits:*

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## *Greetings Namron!*

Protectorate will be October 4-6 at Camp Graham Ball (12442 FM 368, Holliday, TX 76366).

The theme this year will be *Arabian Nights!*

Our next Protectorate Planning meeting is coming up on *September 3rd* from 7:30pm to 8:30pm at the Moore Library.

We also plan to have a Protectorate work day on *September 8th* from 10-4 @ 2712 SE 94th St, Moore OK, 73160.

Look for more information to come!

If you have *any* questions or would like to help, please contact either autocrat.

YIS,

*Señora Antonia and HL Villana*

*Namron Protectorate Autocrats*



# Arabian Nights Protectorate Feast

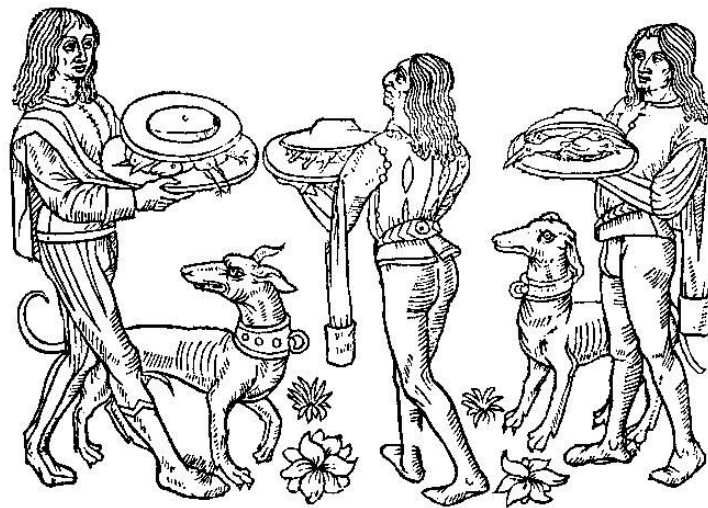
Presented by Char-ri Eby

**First Remove:** Lentil Soup and Rolls

**Second Remove:** Meatballs with Garlic Sauce, Cucumber Sauce and Balsamic Honey along with Cabbage, Fennel, and Apple

**Third Remove:** Greek Chicken Legs and Lemon Rice

**Fourth Remove:** Loukoumades [otherwise known as Greek donut holes (not really, but that is what I am calling them)]



Three servers; detail from King Arthur and his Knights at the Round Table, from Walter Map, *Le Livre des vertueux faiz de plusieurs nobles chevaliers*, Rouen 1488

**Allergy Information:** There will be **NO** onions or nuts in any of the food. Below is a list of all of the ingredients that will be used. If you have further questions please do not hesitate to contact me on [Facebook](#) (Char-ri Eby) or by [Email](mailto:charclary@gmail.com) (charclary@gmail.com).

## List of Ingredients:

Balsamic Vinegar  
Basil  
Basmati Rice  
Beef  
Beef Stock  
Breadcrumbs  
Cabbage  
Canola Oil  
Carrots  
Chicken  
Chicken Broth  
Cinnamon  
Cumin

Dill  
Eggs  
Fennel  
Flour  
Garlic Cloves  
Greek yogurt  
Green Apple  
Green Lentils  
Honey  
Lemon/Lemon juice  
Milk  
Olive Oil  
Oregano

Paprika  
Parsley  
Pork  
Powdered Sugar  
Red Bell Peppers  
Salt/Pepper  
Sugar  
Tomato Paste  
Turmeric  
Veggie Stock  
Yeast  
Yellow Potato

# The Arabian Nights

## Arts & Science Championship:

Good Greetings, Artisans!

In selecting the Art & Sciences Champion of Namron, The Barony of Namron seeks to encourage artisans who are experienced as well as novice to display their crafted items in competition, keeping in mind that goals are to educate \*and\* to have fun. Written critique sheets may be used by Judges, and if so, will be given to the artisans for their considerations. The following are some guidelines offered for entering A&S Championship Competition, suggested by Namron's 2018 A&S Champion, Tessa of the Gardens.

1. Theme as announced by Their Excellencies is "Arabian Nights"
2. There is not a limit to item type, medium, mode, or method used, provided it might have existed.
3. Any Artisan may display up to two (2) entries, each of which would be judged independently.
4. The Ruling Nobility will determine how many or specifically who the Judges are to be.

Some possible scenarios of Judging Team:

- A. Their Excellencies;
  - B. Laurels at event, using written critique forms – which may or may not include "Shadow Judges" such as Irises and/or other Artisans along with the Laurels, making constructive written remarks;
  - C. Populace Favorite without written critique, determined by count of beads and thereby giving the Populace a reason to be involved in observations, then the Favorite to be considered by Their Excellencies in making Their decision for Champion.
5. We want newer participants without competition experience to feel welcomed to participate in A & S endeavors, and we do welcome participation if as a learning experience for you. If one cannot feel

comfortable entering an A & S arena because the requirements are too exclusive, when might one ever?

HOWEVER, *documentation is strongly encouraged*. While a piece without documentation will not be turned away from display, an entry "with" primary and secondary resources researched is likely to score higher numbers than any entry that is not accompanied by documentation. A purpose of SCA is "education," yes?

A *bare minimal* documentation would be an index card naming the piece and listing the inspirational source, as has been traditional in several baronies before.

A more highly favored document would be a minimum of one page supplying research about the piece, method used, and listing the sources used.

6. Competition set-up place/time & pick-up time will be announced by the event planners.

7. The pass-along championship cloak and banner will be placed in the care of the next A&S Champion along with "bragging rights."

*Personal gifts to the winning Artisan may be retained. The in-coming A&S Champion will be asked to select the FORMAT for the next Championship Competition, about one year hence.*

## Arabian Nights Brewing Championship:

**Bring Your Best** – enter TWO (2) beer bottles of your best brew; beer, wine, mead, seriously your BEST brew. Judging will be popular choice by judges, chosen by Their Excellencies.

## Chivalric Format for Arabian Nights:

All fighters must present themselves and their consort for entry into the list.

**First Round: Swiss Five Tournament** with the prescribed weapons for each round being: sword and shield, two weapons, great weapons, six-foot slashing spears, and nine-foot spears. The highest ranked fighters will move on to the second round.

**Second Round:** Single elimination, best two out of three, bring your best tournament

## Rapier Format for Arabian Nights:

The format will have five (5) rounds.

At the beginning of each round, fighter pairings would be announced by the herald. The combatants would then meet at the table of the list mistress where each would roll a special six-sided die. The die faces read single rapier/rapier and dagger/rapier and buckler/two rapiers/rapier and cloak/ a heraldic rose.

The combatants would then face one another with the roll of the die. The fighting style for the heraldic rose will be determined by the choice of Her Excellency or the List Mistress (however they choose to decide). A double kill would be refought once; a second consecutive double kill would count as a loss for both combatants.

After the round of five, the top four combatants would be paired in a best two-of-three semifinals. The winners would then face one another in the finals. Fighting styles for each round will be fighter's choice ("Bring your best"). During these rounds, double kills would be refought until a point has been won by a combatant.





# We are now accepting bids for tavern at Protectorate!

**We are looking for bids for breakfast and lunch on Saturday.**

Bids are due to financial committee by September 10th..

Submit bids to the following email addresses.

- [baron@namron.ansteorra.org](mailto:baron@namron.ansteorra.org)
- [baroness@namron.ansteorra.org](mailto:baroness@namron.ansteorra.org)
- [seneschal@namron.ansteorra.org](mailto:seneschal@namron.ansteorra.org)
- [treasurer@namron.ansteorra.org](mailto:treasurer@namron.ansteorra.org)

Protectorate will be held at Camp Graham Ball in Holliday, TX.

\*\*\*There will be very limited use of the kitchen for tavern, as the feast crew will be using it all day\*\*\*

The barony does have a grill that can be used. (Propane for the grill will need to be included in the bid)

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.

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 feel free to message the autocrats or seneschal.

*Señora Antonia and HL Villana*

*Namron Protectorate Autocrats*

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## *Cabin Space Still Available*

Greetings,

I am the coordinator for reserving cabin space at Namron Protectorate. Please feel free to contact me via facebook messenger or email me at [Vallie.copley@gmail.com](mailto:Vallie.copley@gmail.com) with your requests. I have a couple of cabins still open. Each cabin has 8 bunk beds (16 beds).

Please let me know your needs and I will work on getting the list done for the autocrats. Thank you.

YIS,  
Margherita

# Herb Crackers

FROM THE HEARTH OF LADY HILDEGARD FOLKWARD

1 C. All Purpose Flour

½ tsp. salt or sea salt ( ¼ tsp if using salted butter)

¼ tsp. black pepper (ground pepper of choice)

**(When chopping herbs be careful not to bruise them)**

2 Tbsp. Fresh chives, coarsely chopped

1 Tbsp. Fresh Thyme, coarsely chopped

1 Tbsp. Fresh Oregano, coarsely chopped

4 Tbsp cold butter, cut in to pieces

14 C. Sour Cream

Salt to Sprinkle

## INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Preheat oven to 325°.
2. In a mixing bowl mix flour, salt, pepper, and herbs (careful not to bruise the herbs).
3. Add sour cream to mixing bowl mix until the dough looks like it has a crumb like texture.
4. Transfer to a lightly floured surface and divide into two halves. Roll each into a 10x12 sheet about 1/8<sup>th</sup> inch thick. Sprinkle with salt and roll dough lightly to press in the salt.
5. Cut into desired shape transfer to parchment lined baking sheet pierce each cracker with a fork. Bake for 12-14 minutes, just until brown and feel firm to the touch.
6. Cool crackers on rack (or plate) and enjoy with or without your favorite spread.

## Notes:

Herbs can be substituted for any herbs you like or you can add other spices in place of pepper.



A Royal family  
at dinner.

# A FINGERLOOP BRAIDING PROJECT FOR Multiple Braiders

Reported by HL Masina Da Ferrara (also known as Siriporn Peters)



This fingerloop braiding project is a collaborative project between local members in Norman, Oklahoma. The project was initiated by a group who attended a series of fingerloop braiding workshops in July 2019 at the Central Library in Norman, Oklahoma. The objectives are to promote fingerloop braiding methods and explore a design concept of multiple braiders. The main goal is to create a design prototype of a rainbow color strip lace or also known as an Iris ribbon (in Fig 1). This prototype is only a few inches long. It was created by Mistress Vigdis Gráfeldr (also known as Cynthia Teague), Baroness Annabelle Fitzsimmons (also known as Sheryl Epperson), HL Masina Da Ferrara (also known as Siriporn Peters), and Paul Moisant. This project was led by HL Masina (Fig 2-3). The 6 colors lace below was created on Tuesday, August 20 between 6:15 p.m. and 8:15 p.m.



Fig 1

A multiple persons braid, 21 loops for 3 persons or 6 hands. Each person holds 7 loops.



Fig 2

The working group tested a design concept, color placement and new directions. The left person of this photo is Mistress Vigdis. The middle person is Baroness Annabelle and the right person is HL Masina.



Fig 3

A three persons braiding method, the left person of this braid is Paul Moisant. The middle person is Baroness Annabelle and the right person is HL Masina.



Fig 4.

A 7-loop  
fingerloop  
braid by  
Baroness  
Annabelle.

The directions  
consist of  
Tollemache 23  
A brod lace  
party (T23) and  
Tollemache 21  
An open lace of  
7 bows (T21).

The group started learning how to braid a 7-loop braid on August 13, 2019. They learned how to braid this complex braid by applying the directions from the 15<sup>th</sup> century manuscript as follows:

Tollemache 23 A brod lace party (T23) and Tollemache 21 An open lace of 7 bows (T21) (Fig 4). After that, two braiders worked together to achieve a two persons/bodies work, Tollemache 54 Lace ray (Fig 5).



Fig 5. A Two persons braid, or 14-loop fingerloop braid by using the direction of Tollemache 54 Lace ray. It was braided by Mistress Vigdis, Baroness Annabelle and HL Masina.

## Group discussions

Based on the group's observations, the multiple fingerloop braiding is fun and easier than braiding solo. They got a lot more done and they braided faster than braiding solo. The group members agree that a bi-color bow/loop is easier to work with and helps the braiders to check their move sets and spot a mistake. The movements for tightening the braid are intuitive. A single color bow/loop is much harder to braid. It requires a lot of concentration while braiding. However, the idea was tested and braided solo by using a single color per person as shown in Fig 6.



Fig 6. A single color loop, a 14-loop braid, braided by HL Masina

## What is next?

These fingerloop braid prototypes will be displayed at the Ansteorra 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. HL Masina will teach a series of workshops again at this event. The multiple persons braid will be demonstrated. To join our braiding session for making this rainbow color lace during the Advanced Fingerloop Braiding workshop, you are required to have previous knowledge and skills of T21 and T23. The group would like to discuss how to set up a loop braiding guild in the kingdom in order to promote the multiple persons braiding methods and techniques in the near future. Please come and join the group or send comments and suggestions.

## For more information:

Contact HL Masina Da Ferrara at [siriporn.peters@gmail.com](mailto:siriporn.peters@gmail.com)

If you are interested in learning fingerloop braiding, you can access the directions at this link. <http://silkewerk.com/braids/index.html>.

You can also follow our work in progress at the Facebook Group, called Known World Loop Manipulation:

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



# Disby's Savory Toasted Cheese

## RECIPE FROM HANDOUT *(aka Cheese Goo)*

1/4 CUP BUTTER

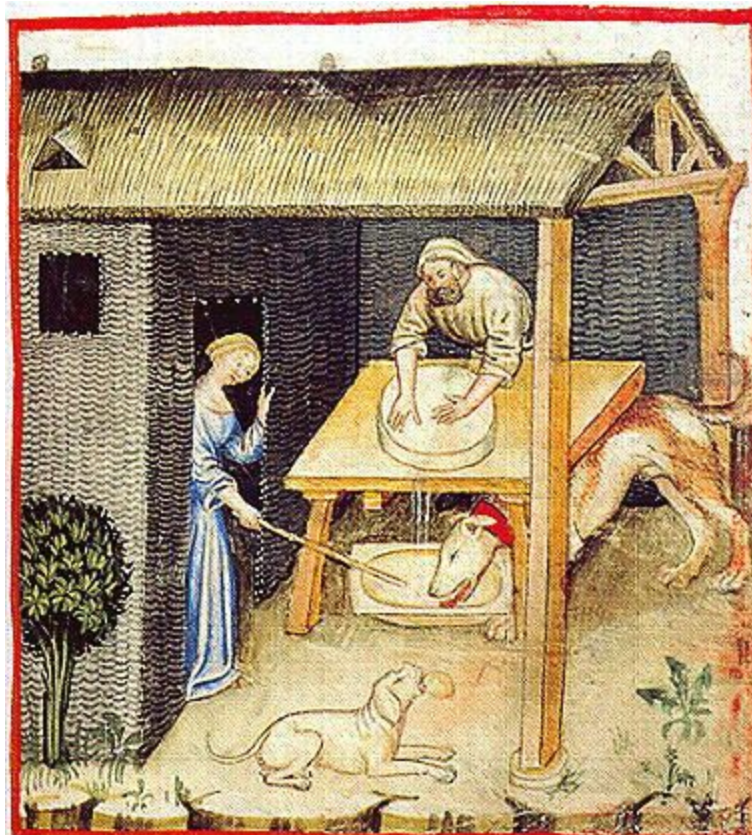
2 Tbsp. WHOLE MILK

1/4 CUP CREAM CHEESE

1/4 TSP. WHITE PEPPER

1/4 LB. BRIE OR FARMERS CHEESE

MELT BUTTER. MELT CREAM CHEESE IN BUTTER. ADD MILK. CUT UP THE FARMER'S CHEESE AND STIR IT INTO THE MIXTURE OVER LOW HEAT. YOU MAY WANT TO USE A WHISK TO BLEND THE TWO TOGETHER, THOUGH A SPOON WILL DO. WHEN YOU HAVE A UNIFORM, CREAMY SAUCE YOU ARE DONE. SERVE OVER TOAST, PUT ON TOAST AND BROIL FOR 30 SECONDS TO 1 MINUTE, MIX IN (OR SERVE OVER) THINGS LIKE ASPARAGUS, BACON, SAUTEED ONIONS, ETC.



Fresh Cheese;  
from the *Theatrum  
Sanitatis*, Library  
Casanatense, Rome

**SOURCE FOR RECIPE PRESENTED:**

From Sir Kenneth Digby's Closet Unlocked - Redaction by al-Sayyid A'aql ibn Ras al-Zib

Memorial Feast for Marion Zimmer Bradley <http://www.nmia.com/~ariann/mzbrecepis.htm>

The Closet of Sir Kenelm Digby Opened, published (posthumously) in 1669.

Notes and additional versions

Digby p. 228/177

Cut pieces of quick, fat, rich, well tasted cheese, (as the best of Brye, Cheshire, &c. or sharp thick Cream-Cheese) into a dish of thick beaten melted Butter, that hath served for Sparages or the like, or pease, or other boiled Sallet, or ragout of meat, or gravy of Mutton: and, if you will, Chop some of the Asparages among it, or slices of Gambon of Bacon, or fresh-collops, or Onions, or Sibboulets, or Anchovis, and set all this to melt upon a Chafing-dish of Coals, and stir all well together, to Incorporate them; and when all is of an equal consistence, strew some gross White-Pepper on it, and eat it with tosts or crusts of White-bread. You may scorch it at the top with a hot Fire-Shovel.

Florilegium Thread Digby's Savory Tosted Cheese recipe and variations. Similar melted cheese/fondue recipes.

Redaction from Cariadoc's Miscellany

Celtic New Years Massacre, Head Cooks Dutchie and Duncan for Savory Toasted Cheese over Broccoli

The history detective: the virtual trail of Sir Kenelm Digby

SIR KENELM DIGBY 1603-1665 Resources and References

British Cheeses

**LOVE TO COOK AND WANT TO LEARN ABOUT PERIOD COOKING AND RECIPES? PLEASE LOOK INTO JOINING THE NAMRON COOKS GUILD. MEETINGS ARE HELD THE 3RD SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH.**

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE NAMRON COOKS GUILD, PLEASE CONTACT CATERINA GIOVANNI THROUGH [FACEBOOK](#), [EMAIL](#), OR TEXT (850-529-0050) OR CHAR-RI EBY THROUGH [FACEBOOK](#), [EMAIL](#), OR TEXT (254-317-0145)

***The September Cooks Guild meeting is moved to September 15th due to Ansteorra's 40th Year Celebration.***

# HOSPITALER'S PEN & QUILL

The Hospitaller Team would like to invite Old and New to our Newcomer's Academy! (YOU DO NOT WANT TO MISS THIS ONE!)

## How To Support Diversity In the SCA

Special Guest Teacher:  
His Stellar Majesty Sultan Vladislav Strelec!

This class will be all about how we can support each other in the SCA.

When: September 16, 2019 at 7:00pm

Location: *Norman East Pioneer Library*  
3051 Alameda Street  
Norman, OK 73071

Contact Lady Ophelia for Questions 619-254-5403

### Words of advice to newcomers and veteran SCAdians from His Stellar Majesty:

"We were ALL newcomers once! Have fun playing! If you are not having fun, then try something else! There are so many things to do, you will definitely find something that fits!"



Get To Know Our Instructor:

# His Stellar Majesty Sultan Vladislav Strelec



Vladislav is of Romani heritage, settled in Wallachia. During the mid-14th century he was one among many that were captured in slave raids conducted by Wallachian traders and sold to the Ottoman court. Through the devşirme system, he was granted the choice to become a Janissary or to study in the Imperial Palace and earn a place in the Kapikulu Sipahis. As a lover of horses, he chose the latter of the two and later became a member of the Silahdar division. He was granted a timar fief near Istanbul and is a member of the regular army of the Ottoman Empire.



Balkan Slavic Akindzije in  
Central Hungary, 16th century

The Hospitaller team and I are very excited and humbled that His Majesty has taken the time out of his *very* busy schedule to teach this class. I hope to see you there!

YIS,

*Lady Ophelia Warde*  
Baronial Hospitaller





# Society Vocabulary Explained!

## General Terms, Part 1

- **Anno Societatis** (abbreviated “A.S.”) – The dating system we use in the SCA (translates to “In the Year of the Society”). May 1, 1966 was the first day of the year A.S. I, and May 1st is “New Year’s Day” for each Society year. The years are usually depicted in Roman numerals.
- **Arms** (or device) – the heraldic emblem that identifies a person or entity.
- **Award of Arms** – a Society-wide award given by the royalty. Recipients can use the title “Lord” or “Lady” before their names.
- **Arts and Sciences** – crafts and skills of the Middle Ages/Renaissance which we research and practice in the SCA. Also referred to as “A & S”.
- **Authorization** – the process that fighters and fencers go through to be allowed to participate in combat.
- **Barony/Shire** – types of SCA local chapters. Baronies are generally larger in size, and have a Baron and/or Baroness as their ceremonial heads. Sub-groups within a Barony’s territory are known as Cantons, or in some areas, Ridings or Strongholds. All these groups are officially recognized in the SCA and are administered by a slate of officers.
- **Bardic Circle** – an informal gathering for singing and storytelling. Anyone who attends is welcome to perform appropriate material, but you can just sit and listen if you prefer. A *bard* is a person who sings, tells stories, recites poetry, etc.
- **Blue Card** – an SCA membership card printed on blue cardstock, indicating that the card holder has a signed waiver on file at the SCA offices.
- **Court** – a gathering where the King and Queen of a kingdom make announcements and present awards. Rulers of principalities hold Principality courts, and landed Barons and Baronesses hold Baronial courts.

# The Bank of Namron

*Greetings Barony,*

The Bank of Namron has \$12,822.30 with \$765.30 dedicated to the Ada group, Oak Spring. I have included scanned copies of the balance and income pages of the financial report from Namron as required. Next month we will publish Skorragardr's pages!

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THE SOCIETY FOR CREATIVE ANACHRONISM, INC.  
FINANCIAL REPORT

Branch: Barony of Namron Period: 1/01/2019 to 6/30/2019

### COMPARATIVE BALANCE STATEMENT

For **Cumulative** Quarterly Reports, use **last year's** Comparative Balance Sheet (End) amounts for the (Start) amounts.

For **Sequential** Quarterly Reports, use **last report's** Comparative Balance Sheet (End) amounts for the (Start) amounts.

For **Year-end** Reports, the (Start) numbers will be provided to you by the Kingdom Exchequer. The numbers may have changed from what was submitted last year because of transfer reconciliation between your account and other accounts.

The Year-end Report must be signed by the person preparing the report.

**(START) FIGURES MAY NOT BE CHANGED UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES!**

		USD \$	USD \$	
		Start	End	Diff
<b>I. ASSETS</b>	(from page)			
a) Undeposited and Non-Interest Bearing Cash	(2,5a)	13,887.18	12,822.30	(1,064.88)
b) Cash Earning Interest	(2)		0.00	0.00
c) Receivables	(5a)	0.00	0.00	0.00
d) Inventory For Sale (Major Inventory)	(6)	0.00	0.00	0.00
e) Regalia & Non-Depreciated Equipment	(7)	1,000.00	1,000.00	0.00
f) Depreciated Equipment	(8)	10,018.09	10,018.09	0.00
g) MINUS Accumulated Depreciation	(8)	(9,569.26)	(9,569.26)	0.00
h) Prepaid Expenses	(5a)	0.00	0.00	0.00
i) Other Assets	(5a)	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>j) TOTAL ASSETS</b>	Add a through i, subtract g, then add h and i	15,336.01	14,271.13	(1,064.88)

		USD \$	USD \$	
		Start	End	Diff
<b>II. LIABILITIES</b>				
a) Newsletter Subscriptions Due	(15)	0.00	0.00	0.00
b) Deferred Revenue	(5b)	0.00	0.00	0.00
c) Payables	(5b)	0.00	0.00	0.00
d) Other Liabilities	(5b)	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>e) TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	Add a through d	0.00	0.00	0.00

<b>III. NET WORTH</b>		Line I.i minus Line II.d	15,336.01	14,271.13
<b>Proof:</b>	Change in Net Worth	III(End) - III(Start)	(A)	(1,064.88)
	Net Income	Income Statement Line 32	(B)	(1,064.88)

(A = B) ? If NO, the report is incomplete.

Legal Names:	Print	Sign	Date:
Exchequer:	Kelly McKinnon		8-15-19
Seneschal:	Jim Couch		8-15-19

Signatures below certify that the information on this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge.

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THE SOCIETY FOR CREATIVE ANACHRONISM, INC.  
FINANCIAL REPORT

Branch: Barony of Namron Period: 1/01/2019 to 6/30/2019

INCOME STATEMENT

USD \$

INCOME		(from page)	Gross	Cost	Amount
1a	Fund Raising: <b>Non-medieval</b> activities to earn	(11a)		INTERNAL	0.00
1b	income (raffles, car washes, bake sales, etc.)	(11a)		EXTERNAL	625.00
2	Direct Contributions/Donations: <b>No activity</b>	(11a)			0.00
3a	Activity Related: <b>Medieval</b> activities to earn income	(11a)	Income from Demos and Activity Fees		40.00
3b	(events, demos, heraldry fees)	(11b)	Adjusted Gross Event Income		2,440.00
4a	Funds Transferred In from Another SCA Account	(9)	WITHIN KINGDOM		566.64
4b		(9)	OUTSIDE KINGDOM		0.00
5	Interest Earned				
6	Net Inventory Sales Income	(6)	Gross-Cost=Net	0.00	0.00
7	Other Sales Income	(7)			0.00
8	Adjusted Gross Newsletter Income	(15)			0.00
9	Net Advertising Income	(11b)	Gross-Cost=Net	0.00	0.00
10	Other Income	(11b)			0.00
11	<b>TOTAL GROSS INCOME</b>		(Sum of Lines 1 through 9)		3,671.64

EXPENSES		(from page)	Office & Admin.	Activity Related	Fund Raising	Total
12	Advertising (NON-SCA)	(12a)		0.00		0.00
13	Bad Debts	(12a)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
14	Bank Service Charges		143.00			143.00
15	Depreciation	(8)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
16	Equipment Rental & Maintenance					0.00
17	Fees & Honoraria	(12a)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
18	Food			139.38		139.38
19	General Supplies		144.37	1,472.13		1,616.50
20	Insurance (NON-SCA)	(12b)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
21	Occupancy & Site Charges		353.00	1,915.00		2,268.00
22	Postage & Shipping, PO Box Rental					0.00
23	Printing & Publications		135.00			135.00
24	Released Equipment	(7)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
25	Telephone					0.00
26	Travel (Gas, Tolls, Airfare)			199.64		199.64
27	<b>SUB-TOTAL (Lines 12-26)</b>		775.37	3,726.15	0.00	4,501.52
28	Other Expenses				(12b)	0.00
29	Donations to Other 501(c)(3) [Nonprofit] Organizations				(12b)	0.00
30a	Funds Transferred Out to Another SCA Account			WITHIN KINGDOM	(10)	235.00
30b				OUTSIDE KINGDOM	(10)	0.00
31	<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>		(Line 27 TOTAL + Lines 28 to 30b)			4,736.52
32	<b>NET INCOME (MUST MATCH Change in Net Worth)</b>		(Line 11 Minus Line 31)			(1,064.88)

Legal Names:	Print	Sign	Date:
Exchequer:	Kelly McKinnon		8-15-19
Seneschal:	Jim Couch		8-15-19

If you have any questions pertaining to the reports, please email me [treasurer@namron.ansteorra.org](mailto:treasurer@namron.ansteorra.org).

I am excited to announce that I have an ER Deputy! Lord Oddr Marsson from Skorragnarðr has offered and stepped up to the position! He will be the one to take over should anything happen where I am unable to complete my responsibilities.

*Thank you Lord Oddr for helping!*

As usual, if you have any questions pertaining to the finances of the barony, I am more than happy to assist. I am always available via email or at populace or business meetings.

YIS,

*Boiarynia Koia Karasova*

EXCHEQUER OF NAMRON



Unicorn woodcut  
1465



# Submitting Award Recommendations

FROM LADY ULIANA HAIDUK

With fall event season approaching, it is a great time to nominate people for awards. While awards are given by the Crown and the Baron and Baroness, they rely on the populace members to be their eyes and ears for who is deserving of recognition. So much of what is done in the SCA happens behind the scenes – people’s service to the barony and kingdom, their arts and their other activities. Interested in submitting an award recommendation? Here’s how!

## General Tips

- **Anyone can send in recommendations.** The Baron and Baroness or Crown will take those nominations into account when they select award recipients. It is ok and encouraged to nominate your friends –you are going to know what they are involved with behind the scenes and are doing on a regular basis. The Crown and Baron and Baroness can’t be everywhere and see everything so they need populace members to be their eyes and ears with regards to awards.
- Do you think someone is deserving of recognition, but don’t know the appropriate award? Talk to more experienced members, people that already have the award or go online – there are descriptions of all of the awards. Also, **don’t assume someone has an award.** Check the baronial and kingdom order of precedence to see awards people have received. Often times someone will go years without getting an award just because people think they already have it.
- List additional people as references as well as events you know the nominee will be attending.
- Resubmit award recommendations after Coronation or when a new Baron and Baroness step up.

## Baronial Awards

Namron has several baronial-level awards, including the Torsade, Argent Fleur, Ascia Rossa and the Rising Storm. The Torsade is given to those that improve the Barony through service and is represented by a 6-color ribbon braid. The Argent Fleur is given to those that enrich the culture of Namron through the arts and sciences and is represented by a blue and white ribbon braid. The Ascia Rossa is given to those that bring honor and glory to Namron through the marshallate activities and is represented by a red fighting axe with a black Namron storm on it. The Rising Storm is the Barony’s youth service award, however it recognizes that service to the Barony can take many forms.

The Barony also has a polling order – The Order of the Heart of the Sable Storm. This is the only baronial level award that also includes an Award of Arms. Because of this it is signed by both the Baron and Baroness as well as the King and Queen. This award is given after years of service to the Barony. It is represented by a gold storm, typically worn as a pendant.

The final baronial-level award is the Kriegshelt. This is also a polling order. It is an award of great prestige, recognizing lifelong service to the Barony. It is represented by a silver storm, typically worn as a pendant.

Baronial award recommendations need to be emailed to the Baron and Baroness at [baron@namron.ansteorra.org](mailto:baron@namron.ansteorra.org) and [baroness@namron.ansteorra.org](mailto:baroness@namron.ansteorra.org). They need to be submitted several weeks before an event in order to give the Baron and Baroness time to decide and for the scribes to create the scrolls. More information on baronial awards, including a link to the baronial order of precedence can be found at: <https://ansteorra.org/namron/welcome/about-namron/baronial-awards>.

## Kingdom Awards

The Kingdom has a variety of awards for arts and sciences, marshallate activities, service and more – available on both the adult and youth levels. Youth awards include the Rising Star (similar to a youth-level AoA), Aquila Aurea (youth marshallate activities), Lillium Aureum (youth arts and sciences), and the Lyra Aurea (youth service).

Adult awards are divided into several levels – non-armigerous, armigerous awards, grant, patent/peerage, and nobility.

- **Non-Armigerous:** Sable Falcon (chivalric combat), Queen's Rapier, King's Archer, Golden Bridle (equestrian arts), Golden Star (service to the Crown), Sable Flur (arts and sciences), Sable Sparrow (service), Amicitia (service by residents of foreign lands to the Kingdom of Ansteorra), White Scarf (rapier combat, non-armigerous for recipients after October 15, 2018), Lion (Exemplifying the ideals of the Society and serving as an inspiration to others), Rose (those who have served as Royal Consort)
- **Armigerous Level:** Award of Arms, Sable Comet (service to shire or other non-barony), Compass Rose (exceptional work w/ children), Sable Crane (service to Kingdom), Sable Thistle (arts and sciences), Sable Talon (marshallate skill), King's Gauntlet (service to the King), Queen's Glove (service to the Queen)
- **Grant Level:** Grant of Arms, Star of Merit (service), White Scarf (rapier combat, grant level for recipients prior to October 15, 2018), Iris of Merit (arts and sciences), Arc d'Or (archery), Centurions of the Sable Star (chivalric combat), Golden Lance (equestrian arts), Blade of Merit (rapier combat), Court Barony
- **Patent/Peerage:** Patent of Arms, Pelican (service), Knight/Master of Arms (chivalric combat), Laurel (arts and sciences), Defense (rapier combat)
- **Nobility:** Barony if Fief (territorial Baron or Baroness), Viscounty (completing a reign as Sovereign or Consort of a Principality), County (completing a reign as Sovereign or Consort of a Kingdom), Duchy (completing two reigns as Sovereign or Consort of a Kingdom)

Kingdom level award recommendations are submitted online through a Google Form, which can be found [here](#). Once the form has been submitted, it is best to also notify the Baron and Baroness as the Crown may contact them for more information on the individual being recommended.

*More information on the kingdom level awards, including award descriptions (award constitutions link), the kingdom order of precedence, insignia descriptions and more, can be found at: <http://heraldry.ansteorra.org/honors>.*

### Torsade

The Torsade is the Barony's service award and is presented by the Baron and Baroness of Namron. The colors of the Torsade represent past Baron & and Baronesses. This award is given when an individual has worked to help the Barony at a number of events throughout the year and in other activities that help to improve the Barony of Namron. It is made of six 1/4" ribbons – one each of red, black, white, yellow, blue and purple.



### Argent Fluer

The Argent Fluer is an Arts and Sciences award and is presented by the Baron and Baroness of Namron. This award is given to those individuals who enrich the culture of Namron by their skill in the creation and or performance of period items. These skills can be for a wide range of activities and talent that cover all we see and do in the SCA. It is made of six 1/4" ribbons – three white and three blue.



## 6-STRAND BRAID INSTRUCTIONS\*

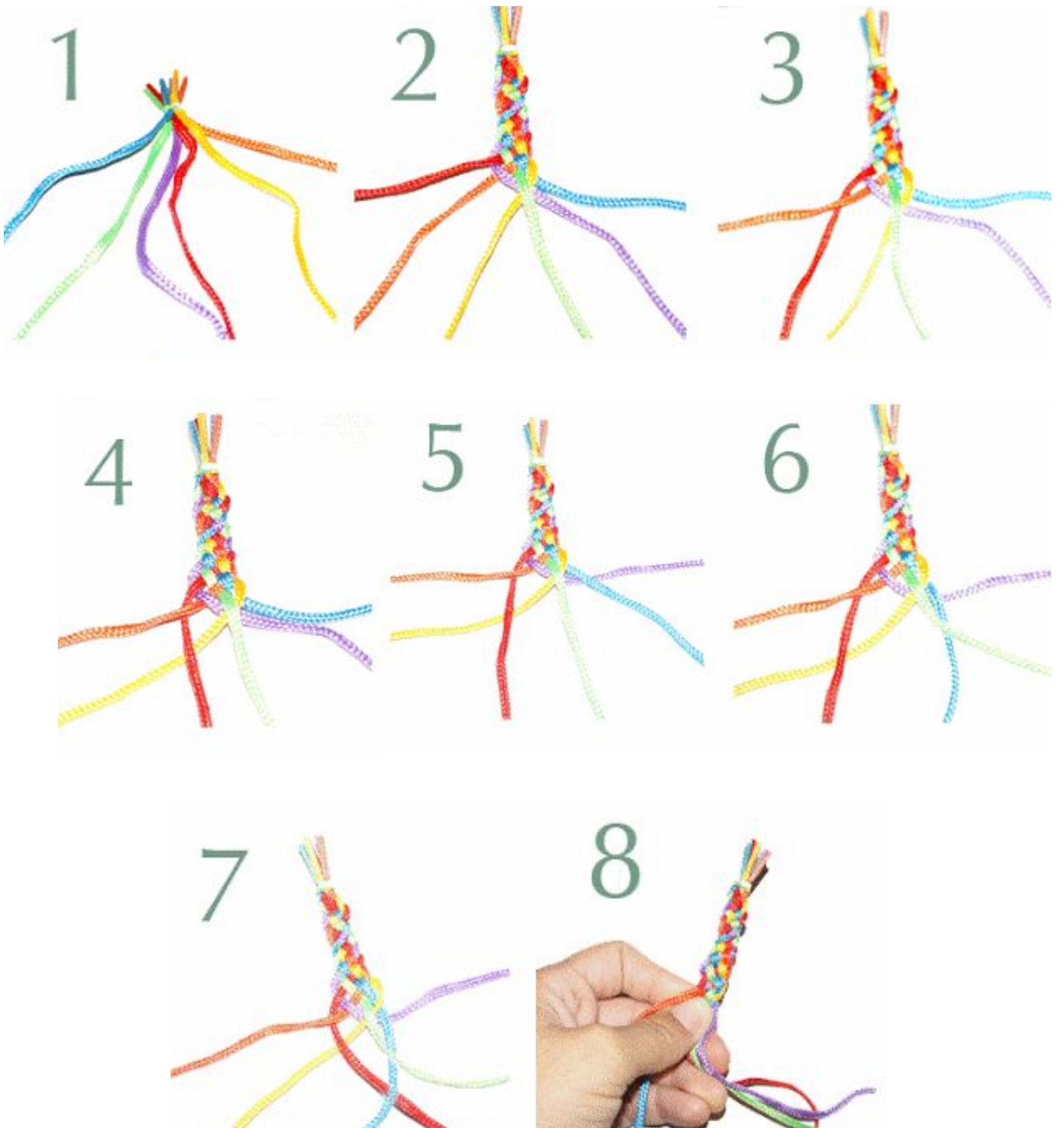
*From [thetrendytreehouse.blogspot.com](http://thetrendytreehouse.blogspot.com)*

1. Cut six equal pieces of ribbon, tie a knot at the end.
2. Pin to a cloth sofa or your pant leg. The knot can also be taped to a table.
3. Spread strands out.
4. Take the far left strand (red) and cross it to the *under* the orange.
5. Take the red strand and go *over* the yellow.
6. Take the far right strand (blue) and go *over* the purple.
7. Again with the blue, go *under* the green strand.
8. Again with the blue, go *over* the red strand.
9. Tighten and adjust the strands and repeat.

*\*Colors in the instructions match the graphic, not the actual award colors.*

### Tips

- An easy way to remember this: From the left...Under, Over; From the right...Over, Under, Over; Repeat!
- "Fold" the outside ribbons as you weave so that the strand will lay flat.
- Walmart tends to be the most reliable local source of all colors in the same size and appearance.





## FROM THE DESK OF THE KNIGHT MARSHAL

The heat is still a concern. Because of this, we have moved practice to the Moore public library. ( 225 S Howard, Moore, 73160). There has been a very good turn out for both heavy and youth fighters.



**September 25th is gonna  
be a park practice,  
weather permitting.**



It will be at The Station at Central Park (700 S Broadway, Moore, 73160) located at the corner of Broadway and 4th Street, near the amphitheatre.

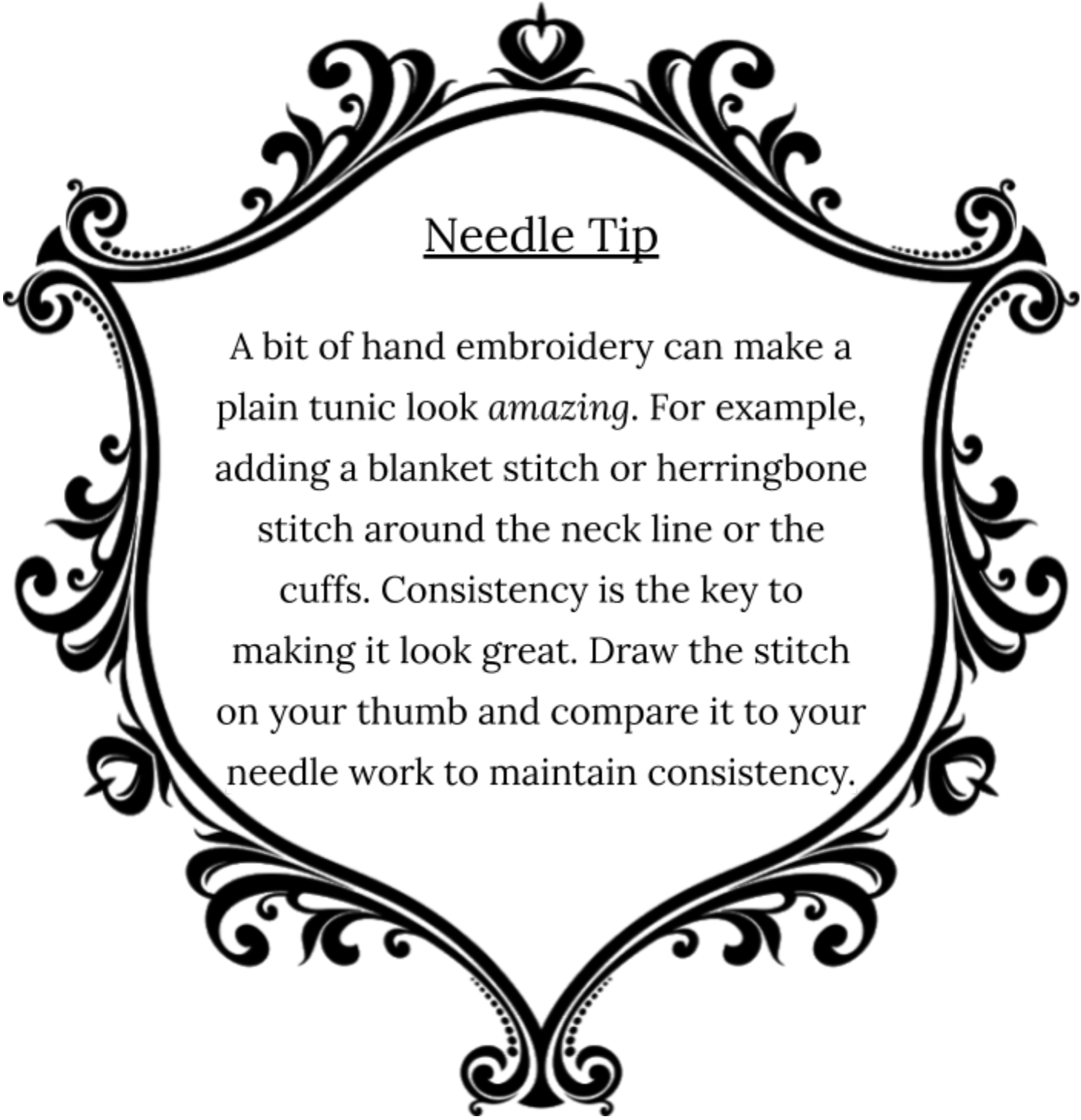
Please check Facebook for any changes.

YIS

*Ragnar Kelson of Durham*

KNIGHT MARSHAL OF NAMRON!





## Needle Tip

A bit of hand embroidery can make a plain tunic look *amazing*. For example, adding a blanket stitch or herringbone stitch around the neck line or the cuffs. Consistency is the key to making it look great. Draw the stitch on your thumb and compare it to your needle work to maintain consistency.

## FROM THE RAPIER MARSHAL

*Greetings Namron!*

August is flying by, and Braggarts War is fast approaching. Make sure your authorizations are up to date so you can join us for an extended weekend of tournaments and melee scenarios August 30th through September 1st!

If you need to get some practice in before or after Labor Day weekend, join us at 201 N. Broadway in Moore. We meet our friends from the Barony of Wiesenfeuer on Thursday night from 7 pm to 9 pm for a combined practice. Master Orlando holds youth practice at 6 pm in the same location. Loaner gear is available for Youth, Rapier, and Cut & Thrust. If you've never fought before, and you want to try something new, we love to teach people!

If you are working on new armor, Wiesenfeuer has a punch tester, so let us know you need it. I can pester their marshal to remember it!

We are discussing plans for practice during the week leading up to 40th year. Be on the lookout for changes posted on the [Barony Facebook page](#) as well as on the [Salle de Storm Weasels page](#).

Yours in Service,

*Lady Sabine Fulhaberin*

NAMRON RAPIER MARSHAL



Illustration from Douglas Gorsline's "What People Wore: What People Wore: 1,800 Illustrations from Ancient Times to the Early Twentieth Century", Dover Publications, 1980.

## General SCA Terms, Part One Wordsearch

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ANNO SOCIETATIS

ARMS

ARTS AND SCIENCES

AUTHORIZATION

AWARD OF ARMS

BARD

BARDIC CIRCLE

BARONY

BLUE CARD

CANTON

COURT

DEVICE

RIDING

SHIRE

STRONGHOLD



# FROM THE HERALD

## Greetings Namron!

We are routinely submitting things!

We still have several items that need resubmissions worked on, and more in the pipeline. I've discovered that you can go to [Oscar.sca.org](http://Oscar.sca.org) and click on the "Sub Status" tab to see where a submission is once it's advanced to society.

If you are contemplating submitting a name, but don't know where to start, I've got a resource you can use to start looking: <http://heraldry.sca.org/names.html>

Please reach out to me or my deputies for any help you may need for your name or device.

YIS,

**Lord Ryan Savage**

*ASKA* "Captain Savage"

Sable Storm Pursuivant

NAMRON HERALD



# FROM THE THROWN WEAPONS MARSHAL

*Greetings from the Thrown Weapons Marshall!*

We've not been able to frequent the range as often as we'd like to in the past months, but it seems the weather will be turning soon. Stay hopeful friends!

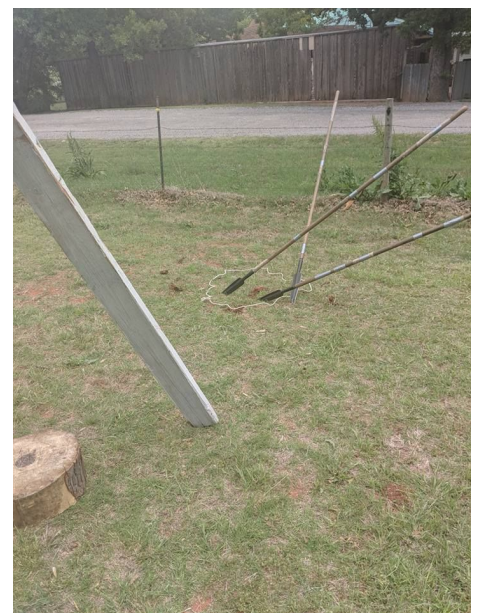
We are planning a weapons maintenance day. If you would like to be a part of this, please reach out to me at [thrown-weapons@namron.ansteorra.org](mailto:thrown-weapons@namron.ansteorra.org) OR keep your eye on the baronial [Facebook page](#) for more info.

I'll see you on the range

YIS,

*Bartiarna Órlaith inghean Uí hUallacháin*

NAMRON THROWN WEAPONS MARSHAL



## Medieval Fair Department Upcoming Events

**Tuesday September 10, 2019**

**OU Giving Day**

**One day. One purpose. One Sooner Family. Your chance to make a difference.**

Be a part of something BIG when Sooners around the world join together in September for the third annual #OUGivingDay.

<https://oklahoma.scalefunder.com/gday/>

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

**Medieval Fair Free Lecture Series**

"Seed to Cloth: Linen Production in Medieval Europe" presented by Cynthia Teague, Order of the Laurel, Society for Creative Anachronism  
Cynthia Teague will share her research on medieval linen production and firsthand personal discoveries made in the process of making linen from flax.

The Medieval Fair Free Lecture Series is cosponsored by the OU Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies and hosted by the Pioneer Library System. 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/378068262854468/>

**Sunday September 15,**

**1:00pm-5:00pm Oklahoma Memorial Union, Molly Shi Boren Ballroom, 900 Asp Ave.**

**Song & Dance Workshop**

An opportunity to learn the songs and dances of the Medieval Fair! This is also a great way to meet the cast, see what they do at rehearsals, and perhaps even contemplate joining them. This event helps cast polish their skills for the upcoming auditions.

Facebook event

<https://www.facebook.com/events/2313232958937892/>

**Sunday September 29,**

**1:00pm-5:00pm Oklahoma Memorial Union, Scholars Room (Third Floor, North End), 900 Asp Ave.**

**Improvisation Workshop**

This is just a casual (garb not required) get together to stretch our improvisational muscles a bit before auditions and before the real rehearsal season begins. If you're contemplating joining Cast this is a great opportunity to meet other cast members and see what our rehearsals are like. Wear comfortable clothes and shoes that permit you to move easily.

Facebook event

<https://www.facebook.com/events/354075188640230/>

**Friday October 4, 6:15pm-7:30pm,  
WEST Norman Public Library (300  
Norman Center Ct.)**

**Medieval Fair Free Lecture Series**

"Medieval Life and Monsters in the  
Margins of the Luttrell Psalter"

presented by Joyce Coleman, OU  
Bambas Professor of Medieval English  
Literature and Culture, Director,  
Center for Medieval & Renaissance  
Studies, English Department

Facebook event

[https://www.facebook.com/events/  
2903204713040006/](https://www.facebook.com/events/2903204713040006/)



**Sunday, October 6, 1:00pm-5:00pm,  
Oklahoma Memorial Union, Bartlett  
Room (near Crossroads Café), 900  
Asp Ave.**

**Cast Auditions for Medieval Fair  
2020**

Be more than just an observer,  
become part of the team that brings  
the Medieval Fair to life!

These are improv auditions. You don't  
need to prepare any audition  
materials ahead of time; that's the  
magic of improvisational theater.  
Come prepared to show off your  
loudest voice or quietest whisper, to  
sing a song or perhaps to whistle it, to  
delicately dance or trippingly tumble,  
to share what you love to do or to ask  
us why we do this. Everyone, veterans  
and novices alike, must audition.

Costumes are NOT required for  
auditions. If you are unable to attend  
this day, please contact Ann Marie  
Eckart by email at [ameckart@ou.edu](mailto:ameckart@ou.edu).  
Beggars, peasants, townspeople,  
nobles and others are needed. This is  
your opportunity to learn a lot about  
interactive environmental  
performance (street theater) and a  
little about medieval history,  
costuming, dances and more. You  
don't have to be an actor, just a good  
team player that is willing to learn and  
to have fun!

Facebook event

[https://www.facebook.com/events/  
881452668883198/](https://www.facebook.com/events/881452668883198/)

See you there!

Ann Marie Eckart,  
Medieval Fair Coordinator

[ameckart@ou.edu](mailto:ameckart@ou.edu)

## Ansteorra's 40th Anniversary Celebration is Coming

Join us to Celebrate the glory of our magnificent Kingdom and it's proud History!

Sept 19-22nd, 2019

Yes Thursday-Sunday! Four days of feasting, fighting, and festivities!



Will Rogers Boy Scout Reservation  
362369 OK-99  
Cleveland, OK 74020



There will be Chivalric, Rapier, and Cut and Thrust Tournaments, Melees, Competitions for Archery and Thrown Weapons, Equestrian Activities! Seige activities!

Enjoy the festive frivolities! Dance to live musicians during the Friday Night European Ball!

Witness the Arts and Sciences Tournament of Champions! As champions chosen from each Group in Ansteorra compete with their best work.

Join us Saturday Night after Grand Court for a Huge Late-into-the-Night party in honor of 40 years of Ansteorran awesomeness!

### ***Stary Olsa will be Performing!***

The Medeival Belarusian Band (you may have seen them at Gulf Wars!) will be on site all four days to entertain us. They are also teaching a class on medieval Lithuanian dances.

Shop at our fabulous Merchant's Row!

Take part in and partake in tasting (if you're 21 or over) in the Brewing Competition!

Experience the Medieval Herb Garden, and take a wide variety of classes in the Arts, Sciences, and Martial classes as well.

Eat the delectable Surft and Turf Feast! Also provided will be several Taverns, offering breakfast, lunch, dinner, and specialty beverage options (like the coffee bar!) throughout the event.

Walk through Ansteorra's Past in the Static Historian's Display, with artifacts from all across the Kingdom, and back through time.

There will be a wide variety of enjoyable and themed Children's Activities to keep the youth entertained as well. Have fun on Talk Like a Pirate Day! Get a medieval astronomy lesson! Make a fantastical mask and dance at the Queen of the Faerie's children's ball!

Talk with Ansteorra's History! Members of Community who experienced our past will be telling stories!

There will also be Youth Chivalric and Rapier Combat!

Sing, tell stories, and enjoy the fantastic comaraderie of Bardic Circles!

Sit in the shade and enjoy some time working on calligraphy and illumination at Scribe's Point!

Take advantage of the Heraldic Consultation Table to get assistance in working out your name and device! Already got those, how about a badge?



There will be a Newcomer's Point set up for the entire event to help with garb, other needed supplies, and to help introduce them to the SCA. Bring Friends!

We Will have a Merchant who specifically makes Ice Runs, so you can buy Ice for site!

For Camping you have the option of open field or shaded under-tree camping.

Site has a Bathhouse with Flush Toilets and showers, which will be supplemented with additional portable toilet facilities.

The Site is Well-behaved leashed pet friendly! They are welcome in the hall.  
Please no pets at Gate.

Children under 12 must remain within sight and sound of a guardian at all times. Minors under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian OR with BOTH a Signed & Notarized - Minors Event Waiver Form and Medical Authorization for Minors Form.

Site is Discretely Wet. Use period containers please. You must be 21 to consume alcohol.

Please see the Website for the following detailed Information:

Link to Paypal for Pre-Registration!  
Save time at Gate!

Site Rules and Land Policies  
Detailed Directions

Land Reservation if You're Camping as a Group  
Hotel and Nearby RV Park Information

Class Submission Form (Please Teach!)

Volunteer Form (We will have a Volunteer Point too!)

A List of Department Heads

A List of Merchants

A List of Classes Submitted So Far!



Event Stewards:

HL Lillias MacGuffin and HL Liliana Barnes  
event@40th.ansteorra.org

Details will be posted at <http://40th.ansteorra.org>

**40th Year Needs You!**

**Sign up to: Volunteer, Teach a Class, Merchant, Run a Tavern!**


Also available on the site is Contact Information for our Land Steward, Marshal in Charge, Feast Stewards, and our Group Liaison.

# THE BARONY OF BRYN GWLAD'S 40TH ANNIVERSARY

SEPTEMBER 6-8, 2019

THE BARONY OF BRYN GWLAD WILL BE  
CELEBRATING ITS 40TH ANNIVERSARY WITH A  
GRAND ROMAN CELEBRATION!

The year is 176 and Marcus Aurelius, for the Glory of Rome, has just stopped the invasion of the provinces along the Danube River by the Marcomanni tribe of Germania. In anticipation that the Senate will grant Marcus the title of Triumphator, if they find him worthy, celebrations will take place at one of our most treasured sites, Castleton! If you have never had the pleasure, in the shadows between a mountain and a winding river, Castleton village sits, boasting a Great Theatre for all manner of performers, a Marvelous Forum with Artisans and Merchants alike, and shaded fields for fighting & fun.



### EVENT STEWARDS


Vilhjalmr Thursprenger  
(William Willett)  
william.c.willett@gmail.com . 817-291-2545  
Ronan Fionn O'Dubain (Robert Cathbert)  
robert.w.cuthbert@gmail.com . 903-808-0541

[http://bryn-gwlad.ansteorra.org/events/  
baronial2019.php](http://bryn-gwlad.ansteorra.org/events/baronial2019.php)

### SITE

The Village of Castleton, 7400 Coldwater Canyon Dr. Austin TX 78730  
Site opens 5:00 pm Friday, September 06, and closes at 2:00 pm on Sunday, September 08.


Minors must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian. They may also attend with a 21-year-old or older adult with a signed and notarized Minor Event Waiver Form from the parents. Camping is available and encouraged! Swim at your own risk. Canine companions are allowed, with current papers and tethered to their people. Service animals are always welcome. Horse owners must provide proof of a negative Coggins test to be admitted to an event.



### REGISTRATION

- \$25 Adult Registration
- \$20 Adult Member Discount Registration
- \$10 Ages 12-17
- \$5 Ages 5-12
- Under 5 are free
- \$60 Family Max
- \$10 Feast

Make checks payable to:  
SCA Inc, Barony of Bryn Gwlad



### DIRECTIONS

From TX Loop 1 (Mopac Expy) and RM 2222, proceed west on RM 2222. After 4 miles, turn right onto City Park Road (first light west of Hwy 360). In 0.9 miles, turn left onto Bridge Point Pkwy. After 0.2 miles, turn left onto Coldwater Canyon Dr. After 0.1 mile, proceed through gates and continue on unpaved road to site. Please be careful due to limited sight distance on narrow road.



# Laurel's Prize Tourney

Saturday September 14, 2019

Hosted by the Shire of Seawinds

*Join us as we celebrate the Artists of our Kingdom as they display their skills and talents in the Arts & Sciences.*

Victoria Educational Gardens Pavilion

Located by the old Aviation Tower at the Victoria Regional Airport

283 Bachelor Dr, Victoria, TX 77902

Site opens at 8 am and closes at 8 pm

## Event Registration:

Adult Event Registration	\$17	Children 12 and under	Free
Adult Member Discount Event Registration	\$12	Family Max	\$36
Youth (13-17) Site Fee	\$6		

Make checks payable to SCA, Inc, Shire of Seawinds

**In order to encourage our Youth to display at Laurel's Prize Tourney, the event registration will be waived for all Youth (13-17) who choose to display.**

Minors must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian. They may also attend with a 21-year or older adult with a signed, notarized Minor Event Waiver Form from the parents.

The consumption of alcohol is prohibited in the hall. Artisans, however ARE allowed to have alcohol in their display. Arrangements will be made for any tasting of alcohol.

With the exception of Service Animals, no pets are allowed.

The Shire will provide a light breakfast of pastries, quiche, fruit, juice and coffee.

Lunch will be an assortment of finger sandwiches, salads, veggies, and desserts.

Drinks and snacks will be available throughout the day.

## Directions:

**From South:** Make your best way to Victoria to US 59 N, turn left on Holt Rd then left onto US 59 Business S, (**from north** take exit US 59 Business S) turn right on Big Bend Dr, then right at Aviation Dr, and left on Victoria Blvd which will turn slightly right and become Bachelor Dr. Victoria Educational Gardens and the Pavilion are on the right.

## Event Steward:

Mistress Caitriona inghean Mhic Lochlainn (Patty Randolph)

[prand@swbell.net](mailto:prand@swbell.net) 361-730-5868