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November 12th



Ansteorra would like to invite you to

Kingdom Round Table November 12, 2022 8am to 6pm

Come learn what it takes to be an officer and run this kingdom. Officer discussions,

warranting class, and other training will happen throughout the day. After a day of classes, listen to the state of the Kingdom.

Round Table will be held virtually using Google Classroom for meetings and classes. Full details and schedule can be found on the web page.

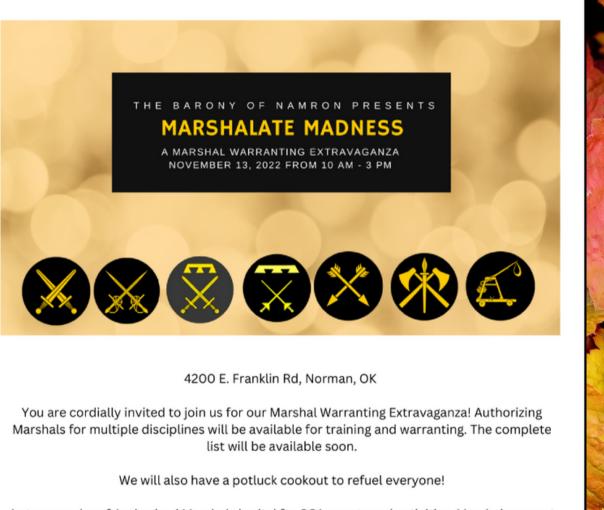
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Find all the event details, schedule, FAQ, and links online: https://ansteorra.org/events/round-table

November 13th



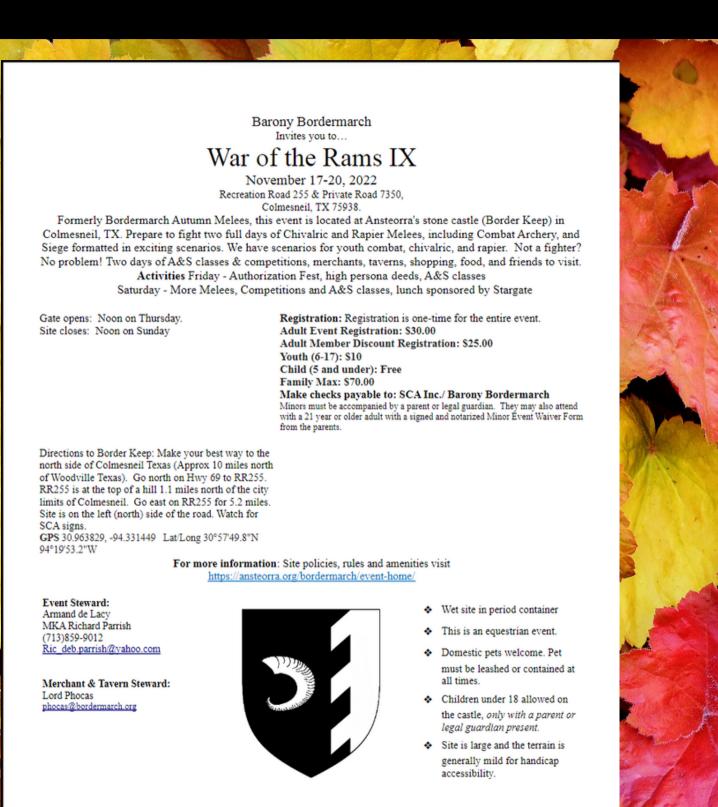
A strong cadre of Authorized Marshals is vital for SCA events and activities. Marshals are not required to be authorized fighters or group officers, although we will have information available for those opportunities, too!

Participants who just want to "do the thing" are welcome. Be aware that there may be breaks in the action while prospective Marshals practice setups, receive guidance, etc.

Youth Marshals are needed for running tournaments at events. All Youth activity volunteers must pass a background check. We will have the forms available for you to submit following training.

This event is sponsored by the Society for Creative Anachronism. More information can be found on our website here: http://www.ansteorra.org/

November 17-20th



From Their Excellencies

Baron Yancy Álffson and Hersirkona Kolfinna Egilsdóttir

Greetings, Good Gentles of the Storm!

October has been a busy month, with many wonderful things happening! Cooler fall weather has finally arrived, making events and workdays far more enjoyable. We had the distinct honor of delivering some awards on behalf of the Crown this month. Congratulations to Ian the Green (Sable Thistle- Calligraphy), Aela of the Hills (Sable Thistle- Fiber Arts), and Veronica du Sanguine (Sable Talon-Rapier Combat)! Vivat!

If you missed the October Populace Meeting, a vote was taken to officially decide the demonym for members of the Namron populace and, after an enthusiastic battle, "Namronian" won the day! We encourage you to attend the November Populace Meeting as we seek your counsel on slightly more serious matters for the coming year.

We had the opportunity to meet with the populace of the Canton of Skorragardr, both for Punkin'Chunkin' and Axeman planning this month, and had a great time with them! Please make plans to attend their annual Axeman event, November 4-6, at Camp DaKaNi in Oklahoma City. It is always a lot of fun.

A group of our populace members residing in the Ada area, have expressed their desire to form a separate group. We ask your support of the Proposed Shire of Oak Spring as they follow this path. We have met with them twice so far, and their enthusiasm is contagious. Watch for exciting things from them in the next year!

Several officer positions are currently open. If you are interested in applying for one, or just curious about the business workings of our Kingdom, Round Table is the event for you! Scheduled for November 12, it will be a virtual event with warranting classes and meetings galore. The following day, we will be hosting a Marshal Warranting Extravaganza in Norman! Opportunities for numerous Marshalate activities will be available. A potluck cookout will be happening, too. More details will be coming soon on social media and the email list.

The biggest event in November is War of the Rams, hosted by our friends in the Barony of Bordermarch, November 17–20. We will have a Baronial encampment and welcome you to join us there. There is a planning group on Facebook, and we will share updates through the email list. Let us know if you would like to camp with the Barony.

We are looking forward to seeing you all while we are out and about!

Vivat Mamron! Baron Yancy Alffson and Hersirkona Kolfinna Egilsdóttir





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Offices open for Application

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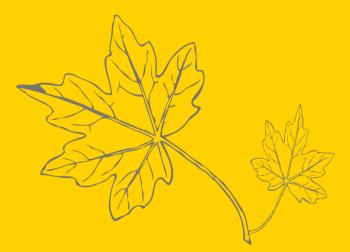
Officer Missives



Greetings unto the Populace!

Any submissions you would like to make for the December issue of The Plume are due by November 26, 2022. Please contact me at chronicler@namron.ansteorra.org with any artwork, ideas, songs, limericks, favorite recipes, games or challenges!







What's chillin Namron,

Your local herald here at herald@namron.ansteorra.org or on Facebook for all your heraldry needs! The cool of winter fast approaches our beloved barony, giving ample time to talk heraldry over warm drinks and fresh cookies! Do you want to work on a name or a device? Are you looking to add another badge or two to the mix? Whether you want to work on submitting your idea, don't even have an idea to start with, or just want to discuss the complete sentences you can make from a 16th century English name, I eagerly await your communications! Be on the lookout for a combined A&S Night + Heraldic Office Hours, date TBD, where we can discuss personal heraldry, design, and conflict checking in person.

A big shout out to all the heralds that stepped up to help at Namron Protectorate, you helped make a wonderful event go smoothly for everyone involved! If you would like more opportunities to volunteer, please reach out to Hu Zhen regarding heraldic needs at Skorragardr Axeman. Additionally, my term as the Sable Storm Pursuivant will be up in January.

If you or another gentle have received an award from this barony, at any point, and see that it is not in the OP, please reach out to me as soon as you can. Also, did you know you can recommend a member of our very own populace for an award? Let the rest of the Kingdom know how awesome our populace is by following the instructions on https://ansteorra.org/namron/officers/herald/awards/

YIS, Lady Áshildr inn Hárfagri Sable Storm Pursuivant



Greetings Namron

With the colder months approaching be sure to stay warm. We are looking for demo opportunities if you have any ideas please feel free to contact me. Either email, text, or Facebook.

YIS Laird Dairmuid Map Brain aka Jer





Greetings good gentles of Namron!

Exciting A&S news! We are going to be moving to a weekly meeting. Every Monday from 6-8:30pm (locations may vary, please check the Barony of Namron Facebook for updates). We will be doing open A&S night every week with the occasional combined class. I am so excited to see everyone more often! We will be starting our weekly meetings on November 7. We will not be meeting on October 31, have a spooktacular night!

If you are interested in sharing your passion with our populace, send an email to moas@namron.ansteorra.org with your information and what you'd like to show everyone!

Yours in service, Lady Halldóra Hrafnsdóttir





The Minister of Children

Greetings!

Tinkerfest and Protectorate were such wonderful events. It has been such a pleasure spending time with the youth of our kingdom! Axeman is just around the corner and we are going to have a lot of fun with the Viking Raid theme! We will be creating some "Viking bling" and have an archaeological Viking dig!! If the schedule allows we may even have an Illumination activity. It is sure to be an excellent time so I hope to see lots of kiddos there!

If you are interested in helping with any of our children's activities, please let me know! You do not need a background check to be a helper in a class. However, we are also looking for Deputy MOCs for Namron as well as MOC at Large. A background check does need to be completed for these positions but don't worry - it is easy and painless. Feel free to reach out to me on Facebook or via email moc@namron.ansteorra.org.

Also, if there are classes or activities you would like to see provided for our youth, please reach out and we can work on getting them on the calendar. Thank you to everyone for your support of the SCA's future: our children.

-Lady Emma O'Ruairc

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The Seneschal

Greetings Namron!

October has come and gone, and November is here! Cooler weather is coming, and you know what that means! NOTHING! We live in Oklahoma and we don't get fluffy snow for Christmas!

I want to welcome Baron Yancy and Hersirkona Kolfina as the new B and H of Namron! Protectorate was wonderful, and your investiture was for sure a highlight for all who attended. Many deserving Kingdom awards were given to members of the local populace: Congratulations!

We still have a few open offices, including the NEWLY opened Knights Marshal office (Closing January Pop Meeting) These offices are important to the health and well being of the Barony. If you are interested in any of these offices, please let me know. As Round Table is coming up (virtually) November 12th, now is a great time to step into a new position.

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We are accepting bids for new Baronial Thrones. The current thrones, while a wonderful piece of Baronial History, have seen better days. We are looking for a set of thrones that can pack down (somewhat at least), have a unique design, and represent Namron is the best way possible. If you are interested in putting in a bid, please let us know.

As I mentioned, Round Table is coming up November 12th. This is a virtual event filled with officer classes, warranting classes, and informational classes that are helpful for every office you can think of. If you have ever been interested in an office, or currently hold an office, please look at the schedule. There may be a class you are interested in, or a class you are required to attend!

YIS, KYNA TERRICSDOTTIR



Greetings Namronians!

As my term is nearing its end, I've been ramping up some adjustments to the site for you! Our <u>Baronial Order of Precedence</u> is now completely up to date and no longer shows occasional time stamps. I've moved all of our <u>newsletters</u> to <u>Google</u> <u>Drive</u> for more efficient storage of files. They are all still accessible and linked from our website. And they go back to 2011!

There are other big things in the works for the site and I'm hoping to get to them before moving on to other duties elsewhere. I'll still be here, however, to assist Namron with the site if needed.

The Barony of Namron is currently <u>accepting applications for the office of the</u> <u>Webminister</u>. Familiarity with WordPress is preferred, but training is available. Applications close November 17, 2022.

Submit suggestions, feedback or corrections for the website using our <u>Website Change Request Form... on our website</u>!

In service,

Koke Gan ši Webminister, Barony of Namron Modernly Known As: Jorje Axline Pronouns: she / her





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Namron Out and About Submissions from our populace

Hello Namron!

During one of my last work days, I was woefully unprepared for an accident caused by an equipment malfunction. While I didn't have my first-aid kit with me, His Saltiness supplied me with his and that patient lived and still has use of his right arm. So no Captain Hook yet...

The incident reminded me of how important it is to keep a first-aid kit handy. Most basic first aid kits are unfortunately not well equipped and the fancy kits can be pricey. I thought I should share with you good populace some tips/hacks to improve your kit in a budget-friendly manner. A list of what is in my kit is at the bottom.

First off, hand sanitizer. I recommend keeping a good size bottle in your car at all times and a small bottle with your kit. Second, saline to wash wounds. I go to the eye care section of any grocery store and get regular saline for contact lenses. Do not get the contact cleaner solution, but regular plain saline. My theory is if it's safe enough to go in your eyeballs it is safe enough to rinse out a wound. It is also a fraction of the price of a bottle of wound wash. A bottle of water will work just as fine, but a thirsty someone may drink it. In a pinch, anything absorbent will work in the place of flat gauze to apply pressure to a bleeding wound, such as napkins, paper towels, tissues, and sanitary pads. A weekly pill planner can be repurposed to store small amounts of common medications, acetaminophen, ibuprofen, antihistamines, nausea medication, and aspirin. Trash bags have several uses: spreading out for a clean surface, twisted into cordage, or impromptu gloves or poncho. Lastly, grab some friends, some resealable bags and divide the bulk items (like a box of gloves) amongst y'all.

Yours in service,

ALLENNBEANUIMAILLE

HAND SANITIZER GLOVES SALINE ROLLED GAUZE TRASH BAGS ANTIBIOTIC OINTMENT FLAT GAUZE PADS BANDAIDS ALCOHOL PADS PAPER TAPE ASPIRIN BABY WIPES COTTON SWABS TISSUE SPORT WRAP TWISSORS SCISSORS BENADRYL IBUPROFEN ACETAMINOPHEN NAUSEA MEDICATION

Namron Practices:

Please keep an eye on the Facebook Page & email list for updates on current practice dates and times

Mondays:

-6:45 pm to 8:30 pm Open arts and Sciences -Temporarily Suspended

Tuesdays:

-7 pm to 9 pm Firestorm Ink-Virtual

Wednesdays:

-6:30 pm to 8:39 pm Chivalric Fighter Practices are currently being held on Wednesdays at Moore's Central Park (Broadway between SW 4th and SW 19th) by the Farmer's Market Pavilions. Watch the Barony of Namron Facebook Group for last minute changes or cancellations.

-7 pm to 9 pm

Namron & Wiesenfeuer Rapier and Cut and Thrust Practice at the Southern Oaks Rec Center in OKC. (6818 S Walker Ave in OKC). There will be a \$2-3 cover charge per person. Watch the Barony of Namron Facebook Group for last minute changes or cancellations.

Events:

Calendar of Barony Events

- Namron Populace Meeting: November 3, 2022 at 7:30 pm
- Namron Business Meeting: The business meeting for November and December will be canceled due to the holiday season and will resume in January 2023.

Upcoming KingdomEvents

NOVEMBER 2022

12 FALL ROUND TABLE

A VIRTUAL EVENT

Progress: Crown, Heirs Type: Kingdom, PED

17 20 BORDERMARCH WAR OF THE RAMS

 Recreation Road 255 & Private Road 7350 Colmesneil, TX 75938
Progress: Crown, Heirs, Vindheim Coronet Circles: Centurions, Masters of Defense Group: Bordermarch Type: PED

DECEMBER 2022

CALONTIR CROWN 03

Progress: Vindheim Coronet Type: Out of Kingdom

O3 BARONY OF STARGATE'S 50TH ANNIVERSARY AND YULE

9 9600 S Gessner Rd, Houston, TX 77071 Progress: Crown Group: Stargate

03 **ELFSEA YULE** DEC

9 1518 Worth Ranch Road, Palo Pinto, TX 76484 Progress: Heirs Group: Elfsea

OFFICE HOURS FOR THE KINGDOM SENESCHAL 08

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VINDHEIM WINTER CORONET 10

DEC Progress: Crown, Heirs, Vindheim Coronet Type: Kingdom, PED

WIESENFEUER YULE REVEL 17 DEC

Group: Wiesenfeuer

Namron Champions:

Archery: Céra inghean Faolin Youth Archery: Ben of Brad Leah

Arts & Science: Annabelle Fitzsimmons Youth Arts & Science: Losaneta Valenta

Bardic: Ashildr inn Hárfagri

Brewing: Deinis O'Maille

Protector of Namron (Chivalric): John Drake Defender of Namron (Chivalric): not filled

Foolery: Titus Ivan Half Jaw

Hersirkona's Justice (Rapier): Lorenzo Baglioni Hersirkonas' Courage (Rapier): Zoey of Namron

Target Archery: Céra inghean Faolin

Thrown Weapons: Isaac Bane Youth Thrown Weapons: Ben of Brad Leah