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FROM THEIR EXCELLENCIES:

Greetings, everyone,

What an incredible month it's been for our beloved barony! Thank you all for making it such a joy to serve as your baroness and baronessa. We are truly proud of this wonderful populace, and seeing all the service, skills, and accolades out there fills us with so much pride. The events in June gave us many moments to celebrate, and we're excited to recognize all of this and more at this month's Populace Meeting.

Please join us at the Forgotten Labyrinth Game & Hobby Center in Moore on July 3rd at 7:00 pm. Let's come together to celebrate all the amazing things happening within and around our barony. There will also be a summertime swap, a great chance to pass along supplies you once thought you needed but now just sit unused in a forgotten corner. Come trade with friends and maybe find that perfect tool or item to inspire your next project.

Congratulations to Her Sanguine Highness Caterina Giovanni, our radiant new Vindheim Princess! The Coronet Tournament was a fantastic event, hosted by our dedicated friends in Oak Spring, led by Hu Zhen and Ian the Green. We've received so many compliments about that day, and we sincerely thank everyone who poured their hearts into making it such a memorable and successful event!

We have another wonderful announcement from Coronet: our beloved Canton of Skorragardr has been reinstated to fully active status! We're so excited about all the great opportunities this opens up. Thanks so much to Lord Hugo and everyone in Skorragardr for their hard work and dedication in making this happen. Stay tuned for details about the upcoming Axeman event!

Looking ahead to July, don't forget that the Ansteorra Roundtable is happening on the 19th. We hope to include a workday along with the virtual meetings, so keep an ear out for more details after the Populace meeting.

Roundtable is a fantastic chance to step into a role as a baronial officer, and there are many exciting ways to get involved. Please consider joining our ranks, your participation can help nurture others' dreams and shape the future of our wonderful community.

Yours in Service,

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Siege Weapons Marshal

Minister of Children

FROM THE CHRONICLER:

Welcome to July.

Stay inside.

The sun is trying to kill you.

Unless, of course, you're into that kind of thing. If you do choose to go out into the summer weather please make sure you're wearing sunscreen and staying hydrated. No one wants an impromptu visit to the emergency room for either of those things.

Speaking of visits to the emergency room, if you're celebrating the 4th with small explosive devices, please don't drink and firework. You'll appreciate keeping all of your extremities attached where they're supposed to be.

YIS,

Laird Fearghus MacLeod

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Throne bids:

No longer accepting bids as new thrones have been acquired!

BARONIAL WISH LIST:

Largess (matching sets of 12 are especially useful, but all largesse is wonderful).

Largesse for kids! Small toys that can help entertain our younger gentles during court or other event times.

Handmade artisan gifts for champions—please inquire with their excellencies for details.

Simple drawstring bags for storing rolled banners, black or gold (measurements are when laid flat):

10" x 54" (2)

10" x 24" (3)

8" x 45" (1)

Painted PVC tubes for banner transport.

Hard-shell knee and elbow pads for Youth Armored Combat.

EMBROIDERED MEMORIAL BANNER PROJECT:

We have a list of names. Next, we need someone (or many ones) to research devices. This is a daunting task, so multiple participants would be ideal. Once that is completed (as much as it's possible), we will be in need of artisans to embroider the devices.

BARONIAL CALENDAR

Activity	Time	Place
Namron Populace Meeting/ Shed Loadout	7:00PM, Thursday	Forgotten Labyrinth 1700 S. Broadway, Moore OK
Fighter Practice	6:30—9:00 PM Every Wednesday	12th Avenue Recreation Center 1701 12th Ave NE, Norman OK
Rapier Practice	7:00 PM Every Wednesday	12th Avenue Recreation Center 1701 12th Ave NE, Norman OK
Namron Arts and Sciences	6:00—8:30 PM Every Monday	The Well 210 S. James Garner Ave, Norman
Archery Practice	10AM—12PM Every Other Sunday	Sir Eadwulf & Mistress Kyna's Land 4200 E. Franklin Rd, Norman
Firestorm Ink (Calligraphy & Illumination)	6:45—8:15PM 1st Tuesday	Natural Grocers 2120 SW 89th, OKC
Middle Eastern Drumming	7:00—8:30PM Every other Thursday	Blanchard contact thunder- domi.as@gmail.com for location

ANSTEORRAN CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

July 2025

July 12

Kingdom Collegium

12301 US-87, La Vernia, TX

July 19

Summer Round Table

Virtual Event

July 25—Aug 10

Pennsic War (Out of Kingdom)

205 Currie Rd. Slippery Rock, PA

July 26

Herald Bootcamp

23019 FM-2100, Huffman, TX

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NAMRON: A BRIEF SYNOPSIS



The Barony of Namron is a local branch of the Society for Creative Anachronism, Inc. (a not-for-profit organization).

Our geographical area includes Norman, Moore and Shawnee, Oklahoma, but it has members throughout central and southwest Oklahoma. Learn a little more about our barony on our introduction page located on our website:

[http://
www.baronyofnamron.org/](http://www.baronyofnamron.org/)

The S.C.A. is an international educational organization dedicated to the study and recre-

ation of the European Middle Ages, examining and enacting the crafts, sciences, arts, traditions, heraldry, literature, etc. of western civilization during the years between 600 AD and 1600 AD. We have dancing and cooking, costuming and armoring, calligraphy and brewing, ... If they did it in the Middle Ages, the chances are that we have someone in the S.C.A. who does it too.

Yes! We have fighting. Our fighters attempt to (safely) recreate the fighting styles of the time period and one can find them battling it out with polearm and broadsword on one field while two others go after it with rapiers on another field.

The Kingdom of Ansteorra is composed of the modern day Oklahoma and most of Texas. The Barony of Namron formed. It grew and became a barony a few months after Ansteorra became a Kingdom. Namron has continued to grow, and now has a Canton centered in Shawnee, Oklahoma, as well as

a group forming in the Maysville area.

We recreate the Middle Ages, but not everything from that time. Participants in the S.C.A. are considered to be of noble birth: we chose not to re-enact the slavery and the hardships of peasant life. We also do not reenact the Plague, and we recognize that some of us need our modern bifocals and antibiotics. We do try to fit it all in to a more "period" setting, though, and part of the fun is trying to creatively hide the modern day items we take with us.

You can also learn much more about the Society for Creative Anachronism on the international website. A good introduction can be found at

<http://www.sca.org/scaintro.html>.