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THE PLUME



THE BARONY OF NAMRON

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FROM THEIR EXCELLENCIES:

Greetings unto our Stormy populace!

As 2026 unfolds, we celebrate our GOLDEN year, with Protectorate 50 shining brightly. We look forward to our barony's pride and unity. We hope to do many fun activities together as well, and to repair and replace equipment in the barony to put our best foot forward this year.

Please note, January meetings are shifted due to holidays: populace on January 8th at the Norman East Library and the business meeting at Natural Grocers in Norman on January 22nd. Check the calendar for details.

We eagerly await seeing everyone at Vindheim's Winter Coronet Tournament on January 10th in Stillwater. Join us in supporting our principality!

On January 17th, during Winter Roundtable, Princess Caterina and Maestro Orlando will host a workday to begin repairing and making new lyst field dags as well as walls for populace encampments. Space and weather permitting we may also do some painting.

We're also excited for Gulf Wars, Norman's Medieval Faire demo, and Beltane. Stay tuned for planning meetings and volunteer opportunities - your participation keeps our community vibrant.

Our goals include supporting Skorragardr's rebuilding, aiding Oak Spring's growth, finishing the Gwyneth Pavilion, revitalizing youth programs, and advancing missile activities. Above all, we remain committed to helping our barony thrive: empowering officers, celebrating successes, and honoring all who dedicate their passion and spirit.

Yours in Service,

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FROM THE SENESCHAL:

Greetings unto the great populace of Namron,

With the new year approaching, we have many opportunities to prepare for the 50th Protectorate and showcase our efforts to the Kingdom and Principality.

To all officers, I encourage you to ensure you have a deputy in training to assist with your duties. To the populace, if you are interested in supporting an officer or learning more about a specific office, please reach out to them to get involved.

If you are traveling during the holiday season, please stay safe. May the new year bring you joy and prosperity.

In Service,

Seneschal of Namron
Adria Lorelle, OP
Seneschal, Barony of Namron

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Open Officer Positions:

Thrown Weapons Marshal
Archery Marshal
Silent Herald
Social Media Deputy
Youth Armored Combat Marshal
Youth Rapier Marshal
Siege Weapons Marshal
Equestrian Activities
Historian
Minister of Children

FROM THE CHRONICLER:

I hope everyone had a good holiday season.

Here in the depths of winter, I was reminded of a time when I lived in the tropics when I spent literally most of Christmas day outside in shorts tending the smoker. The only real difference was that it wasn't quite as green in my back yard this time. It was also over 70 degrees today, so while I would normally advise everyone to be weather aware from the cold temperatures...it seems the planet had something else in mind for this Winter.

However, the weather is at least letting me work on things in the shop that it would normally be far too cold to do, so I guess there's an upside to the unseasonal weather. Guess that gives me more time to prepare for Beltane (not so subtle hint that you may want to start as well if you have something planned...).

Hic est nos, et quos velut nos

Laird Fearghus MacLeod

FROM THE QUARTERMASTER:

Happy New Year!!!!

Another year has come and gone and with it some good times, great stories and memorable events. This new year, like always, has the potential to be the greatest year yet.

What are some of your New Year's goals? What projects will you be working on this year? Will you be trying something new? The fun part about the new year is setting yourself new goals, aiming high towards your dreams and working toward making them happen. Don't let the weirdness of the world slow you down.

Thank you for making Namron the greatest barony in all the land! Let's continue to grow and have fun for many years to come.

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Serena Oddrskona
Quartermaster
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Stephanie Ilaoa

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	7:00PM First Thursday	Norman East Library 3051 E Alameda St., Norman OK
Fighter Practice	6:00PM—8:00PM Every Wednesday	12th Ave. Recreation Center 1701 12th Ave. NE, Norman OK
Rapier Practice	6:00PM—8:00PM Every Wednesday	12th Ave. 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:

January 2026

10—Jan
Vindheim Winter Coronet
2707 W McElroy Road, Stillwater OK

17—Jan
Winter Round Table
Virtual Event

27—Jan
Sable Soldier 7—Even Sabler
1706 Polk St, Wichita Falls TX

31—Jan
Winterkingdom
11106 E. 7th St., Tulsa OK

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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/>

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>.