# The Flamebearer



The Barony of Wiesenfeuer Anno Societatis LIV Being March 2020

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# A Statement from the Members of Wiesenfeuer

You may have heard about us from a friend, found us on a web search, saw our displays and demos at the Norman Medieval Fair or any number of local events or schools. Regardless of how you've found us, we're glad you did. The Barony of Wiesenfeuer is part of an organization called the Society for Creative Anachronism (SCA). It's an international organization dedicated to the researching and recreating the arts and skills of pre-17th century Europe. The "arts and skills" of Europe, and any people that Eu- ropeans had contact with, are far reaching in scope and depth. Arts include everything from making soap or butter, to making of instruments, woodworking, ... the list goes on. Anything that was made or done in the Middle Ages or Renaissance is fair game. Skills would include fighting, fencing, archery, thrown weapons, and all manner of games and talents played and practiced in six hundred years of history.

The SCA is a hands-on participation based way to learn about history. Hit your (armored) friends with rattan sticks, fence like a musketeer or pirate, or learn to shoot a bow like Robin Hood. Learn any num- ber of arts and crafts from people that have developed skills and techniques for making and doing things the way they were centuries ago.

Beyond the competitions and projects, the royalty and ceremonies, the SCA is all about having fun. The Society is a great place to meet people with similar interests, make new friends, and be involved. So come out to an event, go to a meeting, or contact our hospitaler at http:// wiesenfeuer.ansteorra.org.

Welcome to Wiesenfeuer!



# Message from the Seneschal

Greetings,

The following officer positions are open for applications.

Youth Rapier Marshal Web Minister Deputy Reeve (Exchequer)

Please contact the officer currently holding these positions or you may contact the seneschal if you have any questions.

Many of or populace are going to Gulf Wars. We hope that they have safe travels and enjoy their time.

As a reminder, I will be stepping out of the Seneschal's office soon and Don Elric Dracwin will be taking over.

Long live the Dream,

Aldric de Kerr

Wiesenfeuer Seneschal

# Message from the Archery Marshal

Greetings!

During the month of February we were able to hold two target archery practices. We had seven archers at each practice with several spectators in attendance as well.

Wiesenfeuer's Archery practice is open to archers of all skill levels and is on Sunday's between 3 PM and 5 PM at 5102 Woodhollow Dr, Oklahoma City. Children that can listen and follow instructions are also welcome. Remember to wear comfortable clothes and shoes, bring something for hydration and a chair for taking breaks.

For those interested, we do have a Facebook group for the Archers of Wiesenfeuer and Namron called: Firestorm Archers. Any cancellations due to weather or events will be posted to it and the Baronial Facebook page.

In Service,

Isaac Bane

# Message from the Chronicler

Greetings, good and gentle populace of our beloved barony:

I am officially announcing a contest for new cover art for the Flamebearer. Submissions will be accepted through May 31, 2020. The prize will be a \$20 Amazon gift card and your original artwork on the cover of our fine newsletter. Please submit articles, artwork, words of beauty, wisdom or war, and all other publishable material.

In service to the Dream,

HL Lynnette Le Long

# Message from the Reeve

We are getting ready for event season and especially for Baronial! I will need help with gate. If you have not had a gate class in the past year I will have quick gate class after the April Populace meeting. I will be starting gate worker sign-up at the March Populace meeting.

As of Jan 31, 2020 -- Barony of Wiesenfeuer \$10,263.53 - Canton of Haldrte 663.91 - Canton of Myrgenfeld 878.37 TOTAL for Bank Account \$11,805.81 Abigail Lylle mka Amanda Schaefer Treasurer for Barony of Wiesenfeuer

# **Baronial Polling Timeline Information**

• Monday, March 9 (one week later): All absentee opinion polls are due by email to the Kingdom Seneschal. All email with commentary about the baronial candidates is due to the Crown and Heirs.

• Monday, March 30 (Three weeks before Baronial): The Crown announce their final decision. This is to allow them enough time to read each and every one of the opinion poll forms and commentary emails.

• Saturday, April 18 (Wiesenfeuer Baronial): Their Majesties officially invest the new Landed Nobility. This is a big occasion and the populace is urged to attend to lend their support to their new Landed Nobility.

#### **Baronial Champions**

Chivalric— Lord Godfrey of Del Rapier—Honorable Lady Margaret MacDuff Archery— Lord Mateo di Genua Thrown Weaopons— Levi of Adlersruhe Middle Eastern Dance—Mistress Kajira Camber Middle Eastern Drum— Lady Emma O'Ruairc Arts and Science—Matthew Mac Gille Fhaolain

Bardic—Ermagerd de Tours

#### **Youth Champions**

Youth Rapier— Cainnear Lylle

Youth Chivalric—Cainnear Lylle

Youth Middle E. Drum—Isabella of Patrin Or

Youth Middle Eastern Dance— Lillian of Patrin Or

Youth Bardic— Haven O'Connor

Youth Arts and Science-Patrick son of Isaac Bane

Weasels (Baronial version of pages) Cainnear Lylle

Steven of Wiesenfeuer

#### **The Firewatch**

Ahlanna A'Becket

Aldric de Kerr

Godfrey of Del Tainah du Bois

Skjoldulfr Hildabjarnarson

HL Wilhelm Meis

#### **Royal Liaison** Meabdh inghean Rois

#### Ladies-in-waiting

HE Caterina Giovanni de Gilead Lady Ainier of Patrin-Or

> Sainte du Bois HL Shanna Camber

Lynnette le Long

Excerpt from <u>Y Gododdin</u>-Aneirin A collection of praise for brave warriors

# XVII

Support in the front line, Sunlight on the grass: Where can heaven's lord of Britain be found? Ford roiled by his rush, Shield for a shelter. Resplendent the lord In Eidin's great hall, Grandeur his glory. His mead made men drunk; He drank vintage wine. A reaper in War, He drank the sweet wine. Mind bent on battle, He reaped battle's leeks. Battle's bright band Sang a battle song Armed for battle, Battle's pinions, His shield was sheared thin By spears in the strife. Comrades were fallen In battle-harness. Stirring his war-cry, Faultless his service, Spellbound his frenzy, Before green covered Gwrfelling Fras' grave.

# EVENT STEWARDS:

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# **DRY SITE**

Service Animals Only

THE BARONY OF NAMRON PRESENTS

# S P R I N G C O R O N A T I O N

Jason & Margherita III

APRIL 11, 2020

Ardmore Convention Center 2401 N Rockford Ave Ardmore, OK 73401

Exit 33 off I-35 to OK-142/E Prairie Valley Rd. Drive East to N. Rockford Rd and turn South. Ardmore Convention Center is on the West side of the road.

Site opens at 8:30 am and closes at 7:30 pm

Minors 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. - Adult Event Registration \$20 - Adult Member Event Registration \$15 - Child Registration (17 & Under) FREE

Sideboard Lunch Included Feast Registration \$10 Make checks payable to: SCA, Inc./Barony of Namron



# APRIL 3-5, 2020, 10 AM - 7 PM DAILY Reaves Park, 2501 Jenkins Ave, Norman, OK 73072

The Barony of Namron cordially invites you to join us for this amazing weekend demo! Held annually since 1977, The Norman Medieval Fair is Oklahoma's largest weekend event & the 3rd largest event in the state. There are many opportunities for participation:



**Fighters** We are in need of both

Chivalric & Rapier

combatants (especially Friday

and Sunday).

Barony of Namron

presents

### **Displays & Demonstrations**

Archery, Armory, Arts & Science, Dancing, Drumming, & Siege Engines



This is a great recruiting opportunity for our entire Kingdom!

There is no site registration. There is both paid and free parking available near the fair grounds. There are no overnight accommodations on site.

The site is a public park. There is no smoking & dry by local ordinance. LEASHED pets are welcome but are not encouraged by the fair due to large crowds.

The Norman Medieval Fair is located on Jenkins Avenue between Lindsey St. and HWY 9 East. From I-35 take HWY 9 East to Jenkins Avenue. Turn north

Minors 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. To learn more about the fair itself, please visit medievalfair.org

<u>Event Stewards:</u> Josseline diMichele [MKA Char Eby] 254-317-0145 charclary@gmail.com & Brangwyn Steward [MKA Allyson Silkwood] 405-837-3132 branwen.stewart@gmail.com Please no Calls/Texts after 9 pm unless for emergencies

# **Meetings and Events**

There are many activities within the Barony. Whether you are interested in Fighting, Arts and Sciences, or Just learning about the times and people we are striving to recreate, there is always something to do. Many Friendly members in our populace are willing to show their craft or help out with whatever you may have interest in. See the calendar page and the meeting schedule list for the scheduling of practices, scribal nights, arts and science meetings, and other activities. Come out and join in the fun!

#### Populace Meeting:

First non-holiday Monday of each month 7:30pm

Ingrid's Kitchen, 3701 N Youngs Blvd., Oklahoma City, OK

Populace Meeting is the business meeting for all members of the barony and other interested persons. Meeting include officer reports, policy statements, announcements, general pomp, circumstance, and fun.

#### Officers Meeting:

First Monday of each month

7:00 pm Ingrid's Kitchen, 3701 N Youngs Blvd., Oklahoma City, OK

This is our group's business meeting. Non officers may attend. There will be an open floor at the end of the meeting

#### Arts and Sciences Meeting

2nd and 4th Thursdays 7pm Natural Grocers 7013 N. May Oklahoma City

### **Archery Practice**

Sundays 4-6pm

5102 Woodhollow Dr, OKC

Check baronial FB page and Firestorm Archers FB page for updates on weekly practice occurrence or cancellations due to weather, life, or event conflicts. Target archery practice open to all skill levels. Some loaner gear available, still growing loaner stash slowly but surely. Archery officer is happy to help with gear maintenance or helping you choose your equipment when you buy your first gear.

### **Chivalric Practice**

Wednesdays 6:30-9:00 pm

1441 W Indian Hills Rd Norman, OK . (Please check the barony's Facebook page, as the location is subject to change.)

SCA heavy weapons fighting is based on the medieval ideal of the knight. All SCA combat is real and unchoreographed. The weapons are made of rattan. Loaner gear is available. a donation of \$2 per person per session is requested.

#### Myrgenfeld / Wiesenfeuer Herbal Guild

The Herbal guild meets on the 3rd Thursday of the month. The meeting rotate between Crescent, Edmond, and South OKC. If you have questions please email - myrgenfeld.herbal.guild@gmail.com

# **Meetings and Events Continued**

#### **Rapier Practice**

Thursdays Youth 6-7pm Adult 7-9pm

Old School Business and Event Center201 N Broadway St, Moore, Oklahoma

Practices are sometimes cancelled due to weather or overlapping activities. Light weapons combat is an SCA form of combat used toward the end of the Middle Ages. Loaner gear is available. A donation of \$2 per person per session is encouraged.

#### **Scribal Meeting**

Tuesdays 7pm-9pm

Natural Grocers 2120 SW 89th St. Oklahoma City, Ok 73159

Check Facebook for locations Open meeting for all geed gentles interested in learning about Calligraphy and Illumination (painting). We offer assistance in both techniques and the history of creating medieval manuscripts so those skills can improve the SCA experience for award recipients & champions of local competition. Loander paints and brushes available. No fees are collected unless you want to take/keep the paint.

#### **Youth Combat**

Wednesdays 7pm - 8pm

1441 W Indian Hills Rd Norman, OK (Please check the barony's Facebook page, as the location is subject to change.)

Youth combat is for boys and girls are 6 to 15 years. They fight with foam-padded weapons. There are 3 age divisions within the program; 6-9 years, 10-12 years, and 13-15 years. The armor requirements and the strength of blows allowed increase as a child progresses through the levels.

Beginning Equipment for Youth Combat: Each new youth fighter should wear long pants, a long-sleeve shirt, closed-toe shoes, lightweight gloves, and groin protection. A parent or an adult designated by the parent needs to be present throughout the practice. There is some loaner armor but anything you can provide your-self is helpful. Armor requirements vary by age but all ages will need a helmet with face guard (such as a hockey or lacrosse helmet) and a gorget (medium-weight leather with 1/2 inch closed-cell padding). Knee and elbow pads are required for the older kids and helpful for the younger. The full armor and weapon requirements and rules for combat may be found in the Complete Participants Handbook. This is available on the Kingdom Earl Marshal's website at http://marshal.ansteorra.org/armored. Of course feel free to contact your friendly local marshal with any questions.

#### **Siege Practice**

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# **Our Lovely Canton**

# Myrgenfeld

Populace—1st Thursday of every month at 7:00pm.

We will be meeting at Natural Grocers in Edmond. (3325 S. Boulevard) .

Sunday Celebration—The 1st and 3rd Sunday at 2PM at Highland Park. This includes chivalric, rapier, and youth practice as well as other populace activities.



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On Hiatus at this time.

# **Upcoming Events**

# March 2020

# March 14-22-Gulf Wars

March 27-Hellsgate Commander's Crucible

# April 2020

April 3-5-Elfsea Defender/Medieval Fair in Norman

April 11–Coronation of Jason and Margherita III

April 17-19–The Annual Baronial Championship event

hosted by the eternally glorious Barony of Wiesenfeuer

April 24-26—Glaslyn-Defender of the Flame

# May 2020

May 1-3—Namron Beltane May 8-10—Spring Queen's Champion May 15-17—Northkeep Castellan May 22-25—Steppes Warlord



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