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Quote of the Month:

"A blazing fire makes flame and brightness out of everything that is thrown into it"

— Marcus Aurelius



A group known as the Society for Creative Anachronism (SCA) includes the Barony of Wiesenfeuer.

Our group is committed to being an inclusive community that studies and recreates preseventeenth-century arts, warfare, skills, and culture from all over the world.

Participants' lives are enhanced as we learn about history through events, activities, and demonstrations.

The breadth and depth of the "arts and skills" of the pre-seventeenth century are immense.

The arts encompass a wide range of activities, such as creating instruments, leatherwork,

calligraphy, and much more.

Everything created or accomplished during this time period is free game.

Throughout more than six hundred years of history, people have practiced and played a wide variety of games and talents, such as fighting, fencing, archery, throwing weapons, and much more.

The SCA is a participatory, hands-on historical education method. Learn to fire a bow like Robin Hood, or hit your (armored) buddies with sticks. Try a variety of handicrafts made by people who have honed their skills and methods for creating things the way they were done for centuries.

The SCA is all about having fun, even beyond the projects and tournaments, the royalty and rituals. The SCA is a fantastic opportunity to become engaged, meet new people, and share interests.

Therefore, to find out more, visit our website at https://ansteorra.org/wiesenfeuer/
Attend an event, or attend a meeting.

Do you want to have questions? Contact hospitaler@wiesenfeuer.ansteorra.org with any inquiries.

Welcome to Wiesenfeuer!
"Only Honor Can Withstand the Flame"

### Words from our Nobility

**Greetings Wiesenfeuer!** 

The fall event season will soon be upon us and it's never been a better time to give a bit back to the SCA by volunteering. There are many events coming up within two hours or so of the OKC Metro area that are always in need of help, from checking people in at the gate, to putting up pavilions, preparing food, or sweeping the floors, there's always lots to do for an event and many hands make light work. All of our local officers are looking for deputies to help assist with the office as well as teach what goes along with the office. Most of the time an office only takes up a few hours of time each week.

Last month we were able to attend Steppes Artisan in Dallas and not only got to see a bunch of good art but also took a variety of classes. While His Excellency was outside helping the people making combat crossbows create sawdust, Her Excellency was taking classes on tea, paper marbling, and drop spinning.

This month of September is looking pretty full, Elfsea in Fort Worth is having their Baronial College, a wonderful little event of classes on assorted subjects, Kingdom Arts and Sciences is being hosted by the Shire of Brad Leah in Burkburnett, Texas, The Barony of Raven's Fort will be having an investiture at their Defender of the Fort event in Livingston, Texas, Rosenfeld in Tyler, Texas is hosting a day of champions, festivities, fun and feasting, and Eldern Hills in Lawton, Oklahoma will be attending their local International Festival to demonstrate much of the SCA and Wiesenfeuer will have a small group at the OKC Science Museum's event Discoveryfest showing off some of the arts and sciences.

### Words from our Nobility

In October at Narmon's Protectorate event at Camp Will Rogers in Cleveland County, Oklahoma, we will be having a baronial camp.

Thank you to those that have submitted Baronial, Principality, or Kingdom awards through the AMP system. It's wonderful reading your words and talking to the Crown or Coronet about how wonderful our people are. If you need help with the system, please reach out to us. We're happy to help answer questions and even search for where that award you want to recommend is at, in menus.

Our current itinerary for September includes: Sept 13 - Kingdom Arts and Sciences Sept 19 - 21 - Raven's Fort - Defender of the Fort

In Service,
Isaac & Eadwyn
Baron & Baroness



## Meetings

#### **Wiesenfeuer Populace:**

The Populace meeting is on the first non-holiday Monday of each month.

Social 6:30 PM | Starts 7 PM

Location will be announced on Facebook

& Discord



Weekly meeting to discuss and work on various things related to recreating historical items and techniques.

\*Link will become available on Facebook and Discord\*

#### **Vindheim Passion Guild:**

The guild meetings of the Middle Eastern dance, drumming, and musical instruments guild for Wiesenfeuer and Namron.

Drum Practice - 2nd Thursday, 7 PM

Dance Practice - 4th Thursday, 7 PM

Held in Blanchard, OK.

Check the guild group on Facebook for new

events and contact information!



### Wiesenfeuer Virtual Officer & Financial Meeting:

This is the monthly officers meeting held virtually to discuss business on the last Monday of each month.

Any & all welcome.

Starts 7 PM with Financial meeting to follow.

#### **Firestorm Ink Scribal Guild:**

The weekly guild meeting of the Scribal Guild for Wiesenfeuer and Namron.

Virtual Tuesdays 7 PM 3nd Tuesday In-Person 6:45 PM Natural Grocer's on SW 89th & Penn

#### Wiesenfeuer Brewer's Guild:

Make tasty adult drinks!

Meetings will be announced on

Facebook & Discord



#### **Archery & Thrown Weapons:**

Thrown Weapons and Archery will run from 10 AM-12PM

5102 Woodhollow Rd in Oklahoma City.

No gear? No problem! We have plenty of loaner gear for anyone who needs it.

Closed toe shoes are recommended.

There are no restrooms on site but there is a fast food restaurant about 5 minutes down the road.

#### Rapier:

Joint Practice with Namron

Wednesdays Nights 6-8 PM Youth Rapier begins at 6 PM

Location will be announced on Social Medias

Please wear long pants, long sleeves, and closed toe shoes to CHIV AND RAPIER PRACTICE!!

#### **Chivalric:**

Joint Practice with Namron

Wednesday Nights 6:30 PM - 9 PM

Location will be announced on Social Medias

Email marshal@wiesenfeuer.ansteorra.org for more information.



Please watch Facebook and/or Discord for location announcements and possible weather cancellations!!

## Officer Kepurts

#### Seneschal

Greetings unto the Barony of Wiesenfeuer!

Our Populace Meeting for September will be on the 8th at the Belle Isle Library. This is the monthly meeting in which our group discusses upcoming activities, events, and business relevant to the entire populace. All are welcome and encouraged to attend. Medieval or Renaissance attire is encouraged, but not required. Social gathering begins at 6:30, and the meeting starts at 7:00pm. Our monthly meeting for Officers and the Financial Committee is September 29th, and will be virtual on Google Meet. This meeting occurs monthly and is for the officers to discuss business, though all are welcome to attend and see the inner workings of the group, and provide insight. The officer's meeting begins at 7:00pm and is followed immediately afterwards by the Financial Committee meeting.

Wiesenfeuer Yule 2025 will be December 6, 2025 at Quail Springs United Methodist Church here in Oklahoma City. Planning is in process! If you'd like to volunteer to help, please reach out to Her Excellency Isabella, our event steward!

The Barony is buying a shed! A quote was chosen that met our budgetary and shed size needs, and includes delivery and assembly. It will be housed on Aubrey's property.

## Officer Kepurts

#### **Seneschal Continued**

We have several volunteer opportunities available in the form of local offices. If you're interested in supporting the group and being involved this way, please feel free to reach out and express interest! Applications for officer positions are on the Kingdom website. You can also reach out to the local officer, or myself, directly to find out more about how you can help, or become a Deputy to start learning how the office works and how to do the various tasks!

Open Offices Include: Youth Chivarlic and Rapier Marshals, and our Youth and Family Officer.

If you ever have questions, ideas, or concerns, please reach out to me. I can be reached using the Seneschal email, or on Facebook and Discord. My phone number is also published in this newsletter and on the Baronial website. Texts welcome (and great for scheduling when possible).

With joy in service,
Maistres Lillias MacGuffin

## Officer Reports

#### Exchequer

Greetings Wiesenfeuer.

#### I Need You!

I am looking for deputies to train. If you have ever wondered what was involved in the Treasurer's office come check it out. I would love to train multiple people. Let's demystify the office

We have an open spot on the Financial Committee. If you are interested, please let me know. I can answer any questions that you might have.

YIS,

Aubrey Ericsdatter

Wiesenfeuer Treasurer

#### Webminister

Greetings from your friendly baronial webminister!

As webminister, it is my duty to ensure that the baronial website is running smoothly and providing all the information one might need. I'm happy to report that our website is current and running well! If you see any information that is outdated or if a link isn't working please don't hesitate to contact me at the webminister email,

Webminister@Wiesenfeuer.Ansteorra.org. I look forward to working with everyone to make sure our barony has a great flow of information!

Toriana Thornhill
Wiesenfeuer Webminister

# Officer Aepurts Greetings

The Baronial Chatelaine is the recourse officer for new, or recently moved members. The office is tasked with answering questions, and helping to teach the SCA culture and history to new members.

As I step into the office of baronial Chatelaine I want to start by thanking Lord Klaus for his work preceding me, and for his work supporting the barony as a whole. Its an honor to continue Klaus's work here.

This fall is proving to be a busy one for the barony. We have a large number of events and activities coming up, many of which with demo opportunities.

Discoverfest (Formerly Tinkerfest) at the Oklahoma Science Museum is

September 27th. We're looking for a contingent of people to showcase the SCA "maker space" community, and show off some of the crafts we love. Reach out to me, or any of the baronial leadership for questions. There is a Facebook event off of the Baronial Facebook Group.

October 10th, the Province of Mooneschaodwe will be sending a contingent to Lexicon, the Stillwater Public Library's free book-themed demo. And they are inviting their sister groups to come and help out. If you are interested, please contact Mooneschaodwe's leadership for details.

I'm going to be organizing a sorting day for the baronial loan garb kit. The plan to to go through all that we have, sort it, repackage it, and if any of our newer members want to come and help, there is an outstanding likelihood that we can send you back out the door with some SCA garb for yourself. Monitor the social media feeds for details.

And looking into the future a little, one of our friends from the south of Vindheim is looking to set up a demo in the Durant area in February. He's still in the early phases of that effort, but if anyone wants to help out, talk with me and we'll see what we can do to help out.

--HL Ivo Blackhawk

## Officer Reports

#### Chronicler

**Good Gentles!** 

PLEASE feel free to send me anything! History facts, stories, pictures, anything and everything along with appropriate releases!

Yours in Service,

-- Doamnă Vaduny cel Tradat

#### **Rapier Marshal**

Greetings Wonderful Barony!

Adult Rapier combined practice with Namron is Wednesday evenings at 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm at the 12th Ave Rec Center, 1701 12th Ave NE, Norman, OK 73071.

Loaner gear is available, but fighters are required to wear full-length clothes (shirts, pants, or equivalent). Male groin protection is also required for male practitioners.

I will post to the Barony of Wiesenfeuer Facebook page if there is a change in practice.

This is an Indoor practice location.

Useful site for rapier questions: https://ansteorra.org/martial-rapier/

My term is coming to an end at the beginning of December. Applications are now being accepted for the rapier marshal office.

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--Ld Irina Volkova

## Officer Repurts

#### **Archery Marshal**

Sept 6 is the Mark Missile Hang Out informal fun day + potluck early afternoon. The fun day is 11-5ish? Reach out to me for info if interested. There will be thrown weapons, archery, siege, combat archery, and good company, come learn about the peer path of missiles or just chill with cool folks and yeet pointy things. This is not an official practice, so no scorable royal rounds. Due to the hangout, Archery practice will NOT be held the next day (7th) as I will simply be too tired and burnt out, I apologize for any inconvenience.

Due to attending Ravensfort in TX and returning Sunday, no Archery practice Sept 21. If I had a deputy, they could assist with running practice when I'm unable to... \*cough cough\*

Practice the other two Sundays of Sept is weather-dependent as usual. The switch to afternoon practice times for Missile Practice maaay happen in Sept but it's heat-dependent. I or Ian will announce in the usual places if the change happens.

Missile practice occurs at 5102 Woodhollow Rd, OKC @ 10-noon.

If anyone is wanting/needing help with making or maintaining equipment, please reach out to me, and we can meet up when convenient for both of us, or host a weekday evening class to help multiple folks. Tasks would include making strings, fixing arrows, making new arrows, fixing/making arm guards, making string savers, etc.

Cera/Wolff
Archery Marshal
Barony of Wiesenfeuer

# Officer Aepurts Greetings all,

The rain and storms have finally made way for the sun and heat to return to the lands of Wiesenfeuer. The last few weeks of June we have finally been able to hold Thrown Weapons practice. As we move into July we are looking forward to many more practices on Sundays. With the heat of summer ramping up we will continue to hold morning practices for the throwing of all things sharp and pointy.

Wiesenfeuer Thrown Weapons Practice is held every Sunday (weather permitting) from 10 A.M. to 12 P.M. Please come join us for all the fun and shenanigans.

In service,

Thrown Weapons Marshal

-- Ian Thornhill Chisholm

#### **Knight Marshal**

We have a weekly combined fighter practice with the Barony of Namron each Wednesday at 6:30 pm.

Please check the barony Facebook page for location as it shifts with the weather and availability. We are also starting to have a Wiesenfeuer practice in Piedmont on Thursdays weather permitting.

To allow some of our more northern residents a closer place to practice. If you don't have armor or weapons, we do have some loaner gear available. You will just need to bring your own groin protection.

YIS

-- Centurion Torbein Ulfbrök

# Officer Kepurts

Good day, Wiesenfeuer!

Whether near or far, Baronial or Yule, the B and B are always looking for more award recommendations to recognize the service and skills of the populace. If you can think of someone who has been working hard or done cool things for the barony, please check the baronial awards page at https://ansteorra.org/wiesenfeuer/baronial-awards/to see what they might qualify for, and submit a recommendation through the google form, or by emailing the B and B at

Baron or Baroness@wiesenfeuer.ansteorra.org.

The Principality of Vindheim would also love if you sent in award recommendations so they may recognize the populace whenever the Prince and Princess are in attendance. I you think someone deserves a principality award, please visit

https://ansteorra.org/vindheim/awards/

to check the Vindheim Order of Precedence, and click the link on the page to find the submission's google document form. And last, but certainly far from least, the you may find the Stellar Kingdom of Ansteorra's Order of Precedence at

https://ansteorra.org/awards/

Their Stellar Majesties and Highnesses travel far and wide to celebrate with us and show their love to the populace, so let's make their jobs a little easier by pointing out those who have accomplished great things in the kingdom! As a reminder, any heraldic submission is still \$8 per item (name, badge, or device). You can register multiple name and badges if you want. If you have an idea for a name or design but don't fully have it nailed down yet, feel free to reach out to me to schedule an online or in-person consultation.

In service,

--Lady Guinevere Llywellyn

# Officer Reputs Minister of Arts & Sciences

Greetings!

Weekly A&S activities are on Mondays that aren't populace or officers. If there's not an in person class/meeting, It's a great opportunity to visit and make some progress on whatever you're working on! All are welcome and we're happy to help if you're stuck on a project.

If there is a special class you'd like to see, let me know and we'll find someone and get it on the schedule.

In Service,

-- Maestra Tatiana Verlioni

#### Social Media Officer

Hello there!

<insert Obi wan impression > I am Ashina Nobusada! The new Social Media
Officer! I have had some ideas for some new "I'm a Marshal" videos, and some newcomer oriented Meet the Barony videos! I can't wait to make content with such an amazing group of people!

**Yours in Service** 

--Lord Ashina Nobusada



#### Firestorm Ink

Our group consists of individuals from the Norman and Oklahoma City Metro area, gathering on a weekly basis to master and refine diverse skills utilized in creating medieval manuscripts, including calligraphy, painting, gilding, pigment paint production, and bookbinding.

The art we produce is primarily intended to honor the accomplishments of our fellow members across Ansteorra (OK and TX). We engage in crafting both completely original pieces and utilizing preprinted sheets that are ready to be painted.

Necessary supplies are generally available to assist newcomers in getting started. We convene in person on the first Tuesday of every month at Natural Grocers on SW 89th and Penn in Oklahoma City, and on the other Tuesdays, our meetings take place virtually. Everyone is welcome to attend, regardless of their interest in our activities. The link to the Google Meet is shared 30 to 60 minutes before the meeting begins on Facebook and Discord. If you would like a link to the meeting sent to you please contact Isaac Bane at isaacbane@gmail.com. Please put "Firestorm Ink Meeting Link request" in the Subject line of the email.

#### Vindheim Passion

This is a guild of Middle Eastern musicians and dancers from the Baronies of Wiesenfeuer and Namron. People from outside of those baronies are welcome to join. This guild meets twice a month on the second and fourth Thursdays of the month. Week 1 is music practice, and week 2 is dance practice.

We invite any and all to join and learn with us!



#### Brewer's Guild

Dear enthusiasts of fine beverages, It may be common knowledge for some and a surprise for others, that there exists a Brewer's Guild in Wiesenfeuer.

We have already experimented with several distinct brews. Frequently, we collaborate on the brewing process and subsequently divide the wort among the participants for fermentation at their respective homes. Meetings will be announced on Facebook & Discord

#### Woodworker's Guild

The Woodworkers' Guild serves as a hub for individuals eager to delve into the ancient craft of woodworking, offering both education and hands-on experience.

Attendance is open to all, and admission is complimentary. The host will supply all necessary tools, with the exception of those mentioned in advance. It's common not to wear specific attire, but participants are expected to be prepared for a potentially strenuous session and to expect a bit of sawdust. To find out about upcoming meetings and where they will be held, please get in touch with us through the Baronial Facebook group "The Woodworker's Guild of Wiesenfeuer," or directly contact Ivo Blackhawk, on Discord (Pikeman#7247), Facebook (Cisco Cividanes), or via email (engtrktwo@gmail.com).

#### Wiesenfeuer Fiber Guild

Do you have a fascination with all aspects of fiber? This includes everything from the origins of silk, to the cultivation of silkworms, the production of your own thread, the creation of various textiles, and much more. Have you ever pondered the source of linen or the process of coloring your own fabric? We're here to delve into the world of fiber, and we welcome you to join us on this journey. Should there be a specific area of interest you have, feel free to suggest it. Our community is active on Facebook.

## Open Offices

Greetings all,

One of the awesome ways you can support your Barony is by holding an office. We have the following Officer positions currently open.

<u>Exchequer (Treasurer)</u>- The Exchequer is the financial representative of the group. This vital role must be filled to keep our group active. This position does need someone who can be conscientious and consistent in doing paperwork. Familiarity with Excel is a big plus. Accepting applications through January 31st, 9:00 p.m. Central Time.

- We are also still seeking applications for the following: (These office positions require a background check through the SCA./You can apply for this at the time of application.)

Youth and Family Officer- work with the next generation of the SCA and show them all the cool things they can do.

<u>Youth Chivalric Marshal</u>- Organize and run youth armored combat activities.

<u>Youth Rapier Marshal</u>- Organize and run youth rapier combat activities.

All offices can be applied for at https://ansteorra.org/seneschal/apply-for-an-office/ Please contact me if you have any questions.

Yours in Service,
Lillias MacGuffin
Wiesenfeuer Seneschal

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September Varonial Calendar

Tuesday September 2
Firestorm Ink Scribal Meeting

Wednesday September 3
Chivalric and Rapier Joint Practice
with Namron

Thursday September 4
Combat Practice at Piedmont

Sunday September 7 No Archery Practice

Monday September 8

Arts and Sciences Meeting

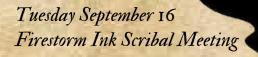
Tuesday September 9 Firestorm Ink Scribal Meeting

Wednesday September 10 Chivalric and Rapier Joint Practice with Namron

Thursday September 11
Combat Practice at Piedmont

Sunday September 14.
Missile Practice

Monday September 15
Arts and Sciences Meeting



Wednesday September 17 Chivalric and Rapier Joint Practice with Namron

Thursday September 18
Combat Practice at Piedmont

Sunday September 21
No Archery Practice

Monday September 22

Arts and Sciences Meeting

Tuesday September 23
Firestorm Ink Scribal Meeting

Wednesday September 24
Chivalric and Rapier Joint Practice
with Namron

Thursday September 25
Combat Practice at Piedmont

Sunday September 28
Missile Practice

Monday September 29
Officers and Financial Committee
Meeting

Tuesday September 30
Firestorm Scribal Meeting

### September Kingdom Calendar

Sept 6 Elfsea Baronial College 1959 Sandy Ln, Fort Worth, TX 76112

Sept 13 Kingdom Arts and Sciences
735 Davy Dr, Burkburnett, TX 76354,

Sept 19-21 Raven's Fort - Defender of the Fort 925 US-59 Loop N, Livingston, TX 77351

Sept 26-28 Event Cancelled Ffynnon Gath's War of Ages

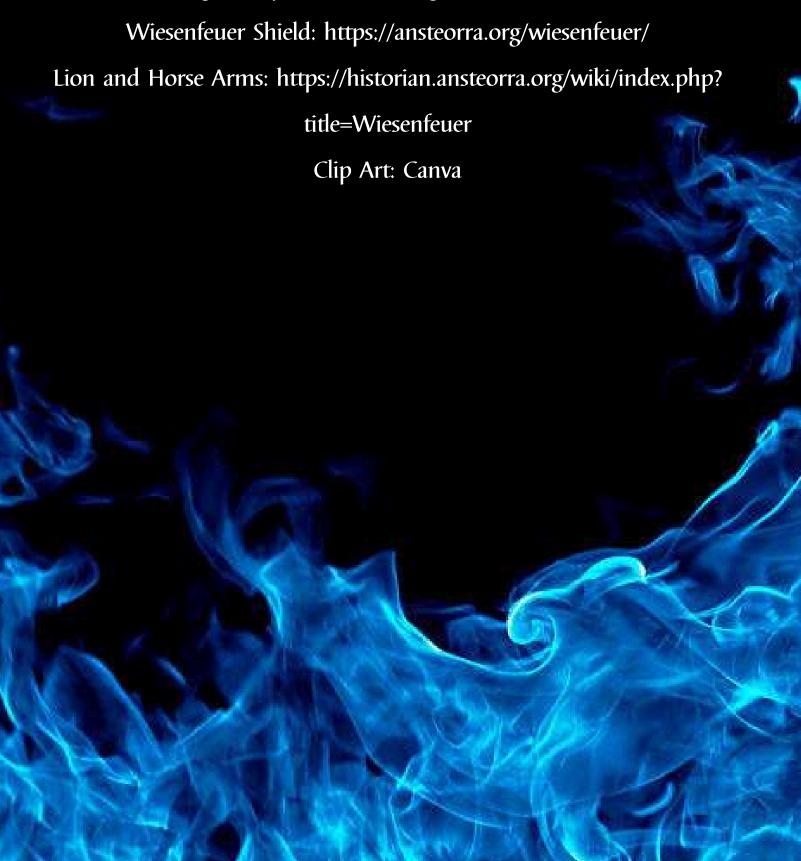
Sept 27 Rosenfeld Champions and Festivities, Fun, & Feasting 3030 New Copeland Rd, Tyler, TX 75701

Sept 27 International Festival Demo 501 NW Ferris Ave, Lawton OK, 73507

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