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“Saint Michael and the Dragon “  
Spanish (Valencian) Painter Spanish ca. 1405

# Calendar of Upcoming Events

<https://www.outlands.org/events>

## January

20-21 **Kingdom of the Outlands**  
*"Winter Coronation"*.....Barony of Aarquelle

## February

17 **Shire Of Bryngalou**  
*"Feast of St. Brigid"* .....Llywus ap Alan  
 17 **Barony of Unser Hafen**  
*"Winter Oasis"*.....Lady Elsbeth the Dark & M'Lady Corrie Lia  
 24 **Barony of Dragonsspine**  
*"Dragonsspine Candlemas and Multi-Baronial A&S Championship"*.....Master Timothy O'Brien

## March

2 **Shire of Plattefordham**  
*"Feast of the Valkyries"*.....Ailith Dreki  
 23 **Kingdom of the Outlands**  
*"Kingdom Arts and Sciences Competition, A.S. LVIII"*.....THL Hannah de Avila

## April

20 **Kingdom of the Outlands**  
*"Spring Crown Tournament & Spring Faire"*.....Safiyya bint Faris al-Dani

## May

22-27 **Barony of al-Barran**  
*"Grand Outlandish Tournament"*.....Constantine, Genavive, Trevor

## Upcoming Kingdom Events 2024

January 20- 21	<i>"Kingdom of the Outlands Coronation"</i> .....	Barony of Aarquelle
March 23	<i>"Kingdom A&amp;S Competition"</i> .....	Barony of Caerthe
April 20-21	<i>"Kingdom of the Outlands Crown Tournament"</i> .....	Barony of Unser Hafen
July 4 <sup>th</sup> (Week of)	<i>"Battlemoor"</i> –.....	Kingdom of the Outlands
July 20-21	<i>"Kingdom of the Outlands Coronation"</i> .....	Barony of al-Barran
September- 21	<i>"Kingdom A&amp;S Collegium"</i> .....	Barony of Dragonsspine
October 19-20	<i>"Kingdom of the Outlands Crown Tournament"</i> .....	Barony of Caer Galen

To get your events listed here, please refer to the Submission Guidelines below.  
 Local populace gatherings are listed with the local group information on pages 14.

### **How to list an Outlands Event in order to have official business:**

Begin your journey at <https://www.outlands.org/resources/members/resources-for-events/>

You must submit the Submission form complete and it it's entirety to the Kingdom Calendar Deputy.

Next please use <https://portal.outlands.org/forms/event> which will submit your event to the Kingdom Chronicler, Kingdom Webminister and the Social Media Deputy.

**To Publish in the Outlandish Herald:** The event article is due **NO LATER** than the **1st day of the month BEFORE** the article is to run. For example, an article for the September *Outlandish Herald* is due no later than August 1st. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**

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[www.outlands.org](https://www.outlands.org)



Outlands Royalty  
Fjolverker & Melissa  
King and Queen  
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Wishing a fantastic February to the mighty Outlands, From your King and Queen!

We hope the New Year is finding all of you well, and full of goals met, learning, growing, and warmth from the cold!

We are so excited to be attending War of the Phoenix and while preparing for it we discovered we are in a leap year! that means we get the pleasure of being your Royalty for one extra day!

Her Majesty enjoyed attending war practice and seeing the excellent fighters that our great Kingdom boasts.

We are excited to see that Winter oasis and Candlemass are on the calendar and hope that much fun and revelry is had at those events.

Looking forward to helping everyone with preparation for Gulf Wars in March!

Much love to our whole Kingdom from your Majesties Fjolverkr and Melissa.



# Royal Household

## King's Champion

Count Barekr Pasha

## Head of House

Her Honor Safiyya Bint Faris Al-Dani

## Head of House Left Hand

HE Maria Castelana

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Lord Agmunder

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Lady Cecilia Juetta

## Kingdom Arts and Sciences Champion

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(including Royal Halflings)

Lady Dagny in oda

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Lady Rhiannon Wolfe

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## Shield of Chivalry

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## Rapier of Chivalry

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Sir Utchred

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## Words from the Officers

### From the Office of the Seneschal:

People of the Outlands,

One of my goals for the Kingdom during my time as Kingdom Seneschal has been to be as transparent as possible in this office. As an invested member deeply committed to the principles of transparency within our not-for-profit 501(c)(3) organization, I wish to address a critical concern regarding officer changeovers when officer warrants expire.

Transparency stands as an indispensable pillar of our organization's ethos, particularly during transitions in leadership roles. The expiration of an Officer Warrant signifies a pivotal moment, demanding explicit communication and openness to uphold the trust and confidence of our stakeholders.

In light of our organization's unwavering commitment to transparency, I stress the imperative need to implement a clear and open protocol for officer changeovers. This protocol includes:

1. **Mandatory Notification:** Timely and explicit notifications to all stakeholders regarding the impending expiration of Officer Warrants, ensuring everyone is informed and prepared for the transition. This includes when a warrant will not be extended past the active date.
2. **Non-negotiable Selection Criteria:** Following the SCA Governing Documents and the Outland's Kingdom Laws.
3. **Letters of Intent:** Inviting interested individuals from our community to openly apply for officer positions, fostering inclusivity, and ensuring that stakeholders actively participate in the process.
4. **Engagement and Participation:** Arranging forums or meetings where candidates can introduce themselves, articulate their visions, and engage directly with the Shire or Barony. This not only upholds transparency but also encourages community involvement.
5. **Immediate Announcement of New Officers:** Swiftly announcing the selected officers to the community, accompanied by comprehensive details about their roles and responsibilities.

Upholding transparency during officer transitions is not just a guideline but an absolute necessity within our 501(c)(3) organization. It's integral to maintaining integrity, accountability, and the trust of our community and Kingdom.

Having any change, let alone a change in officers can be a difficult process. It can be hard to apply for a new role, or let go as your warrant comes to an end. I am a firm believer that we all rise together, sharing our knowledge, wisdom, and strengths.

Be Kind,  
Baroness Ays,e al-Rumiyya, OSO  
Outlands Kingdom Seneschal

### From the Web Ministry:

Greetings Outlands!

Keeping the many pieces of technology not just running, but improving, takes a lot of diligent effort. The Web Ministry is looking for contributors to help make finding events, volunteering, and community building better for everyone.

Content Team

We need 3-4 people to work on general content for the kingdom website, at least 1 hour per week. This would be an on-going team with a lot of creative control, helping our different offices and activities create both resources for current participants and enticing marketing content for new people. You don't need to know anything about programming; the main skills to be successful are a willingness to seek out content and a desire to make it be effective and look good.

Special Projects Teams

We need contributors to special projects, covering anything from helping build new participant or officers services to creating a style guide to unify kingdom marketing resources. These would typically be more intensive, short term opportunities, where some specialized experience is extremely valuable. Special projects almost always involve collaboration with one or more other offices; these are the requests that come from all corners of the kingdom. I'll be making the Technology Roadmap public soon, and plan to include calls for support.

In Service to the Outlands,

Iohann  
Kingdom Web Minister



## Words from the Officers

### From the Ministry of Arts & Sciences:

Greetings beloved Outlands:

What a thoughtful and productive time we have during these cold, wintery months. January brought us so much community and camaraderie during our 12th night celebrations and of course we have welcomed our newest sovereigns. This month of February we have many populace members who will be journeying to visit our friends and neighbors in Atenveldt at the War of the Phoenix. I encourage our sojourners to seek out new knowledge and art in your travels. We have many populace members up in our northern regions who will have a multi-baronial arts and sciences competition at Dragonsspine's Candlemas, February 24th. This is such a great opportunity for our northern friends to participate in a regional scale event. Also at Candlemas we are going to be holding a round table discussion about improving the Arts and Sciences competition experience by focusing on things we can do moving forward. If you would like to give us input, please join us during this discussion or by sending suggestions to [artsandsciences@outlands.org](mailto:artsandsciences@outlands.org) with "A&S Competition Suggestions" in the title.

I would like to direct our arts and sciences community toward our coming Kingdom A&S competition next month on March 23rd. Entrants need to pre-register their entries by February 23rd and that can be done on the Kingdom A&S page of [Outlands.org](http://Outlands.org). Any members of the Outlands populace that would like to compete for the Kingdom Championship will need to have 3 projects completed and entered to be considered, all the rules and specifications can also be found on our Kingdom A&S portal. I greatly look forward to celebrating the return of spring and seeing the depth of creative achievement our Kingdom has to bring. You do not need to be competing for the championship to join us and bring an A&S entry for all to see and appreciate. We will be having arts and sciences displays at other events in the coming year so please stay tuned for that. Keep being inquisitive my fellow Outlanders. Seek knowledge and share it when and where you can.

Yours in camaraderie and service:

Mistress Rannvaeig



## Events

### Winter Coronation

*Kingdom of the Outlands*

Site Opens: January 20, 2024 9:00 am  
Site Closes: January 21, 2024 9:00 pm

Pueblo West High School  
661 W. Capistrano Avenue, Pueblo West, CO 81007

Event Steward: Baron Teiger & Baroness Audrey

Adults: \$25 ‡ Adult Member \$20

17 and under: Free

**Site is Bone Dry**

### Winter Oasis

*Barony of Unser Hafen*

Site Opens: Saturday, February 17, 2024 2:00 pm  
Site Closes: Saturday, February 17, 2024 9:00 pm

Senior Center (Prairie Sage Rooms)  
1200 Raintree Dr, Fort Collins, CO 80526

Event Stewart: Lady Elsbeth the Dark (Jennifer Cullor)

M'Lady Corrie Lia (Skye Sutherland)

chatelaine@unserhafen.org

Adult \$25 ‡ Adult Members \$20

Youth (15 and under)

**Site is Dry**

A Traditional Coronation Weekend schedule— modified by the desires of TRMs/TRHs

#### **Saturday**

8:00 Setup time

9:00 Site Opens

10:00 Final Court for Cyning Mordygan & Cwyne Ymanie

Noon-ish Curia Meeting— 1½ hours— for Kingdom Officers only.

Around the site we will create a day of the Arts & Sciences where Individuals, Shires, Baronies, Households, and Guilds will be encouraged to set up classes, displays, demonstrations, provide entertainment, etc....

4:30 First Court for Their Majesties KING & QUEEN

#### **Sunday**

Tournaments and other activities will be held Pueblo West High School

661 W. Capistrano Avenue, Pueblo West, CO 81007

— the same location as Aarquelle's Weekly Gather. They will last pretty much all day.

### Feast of St. Brigid's (Imbolc)

*Shire of Bryngolau*

Site Opens: Saturday, February 17, 2024, 10:00 am

Site Closes: Saturday, February 17, 2024, 6:00pm

Los Alamos Sheriff's Posse Lodge  
650 North Mesa Road, Los Alamos, NM 87544

Event Steward: Meistr Llywus ap Alan

Feast coordinator: Wulfila Raedwulfs sunu

Adult: \$25 Adult Members: \$20

Youth (17 and under): Free

**Site is Wet**

Brigit was a pre-Christian Celtic Goddess and was celebrated in late winter with Imbolc, loosely translated as "ewe's milk" and indicates that the sheep are lambing and a new season has begun. St. Brigid was a 5th century Irish woman adopted as a patron saint for dairy workers & farmers, blacksmiths, poets and midwives & healers.

We will make St. Brigid's crosses, have games and ask the populace to entertain during feast with a song or poem. A feast will feature spring foods. A menu will be published to social media and our web site once it is settled on.

This promises to be a day of fun, food and friends so don't miss this chance to visit the Shining Hill for our first feast since the dark years.

Unser Hafen welcomes you in from the cold to enjoy the warmth of music and revelry at Winter Oasis. Join us as we dance and dine on flavors from across the Middle East. Bring your pillows and throws to relax amongst friends. There will be classes throughout the afternoon as well as gambling! During the potluck and the 'Not Baklava' dessert competition, the floor will be open for music and dancing alike. We can't wait to see you there!

### Dragonsspine Candlemas and Multi-Baronial A&S Championship

*Barony of Dragonsspine*

Site Opens: Saturday, February 24, 2024 8:00 am

Site Closes: Saturday, February 2024 9:00 pm

Eastside Church of Christ,  
5905 Flintridge Dr, Colorado Springs, CO 80918  
Event Steward: Master Timothy O'Brien (Tim Buxton)  
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Adult \$20 ‡ Adult Member: \$15 ‡ Adult Feast \$15

Child (17 and under): Free † Child Feast \$5

*(Feast space is limited, and reservations are strongly encouraged. If we have enough interest, the feast may be expanded.)*

**Site is Dry**

Dragonsspine's traditional Winter Feast Event has been expanded to include the competition for the Baronial Arts & Sciences Champion— and we thought, why not invite some friends? Details are still in the works, but we are hoping to have Arts & Sciences from Caerthe, Caer Galen, Unser Hafen and Aarquelle as well! There is sure to be something fascinating for almost anyone to view and discuss with its creator.

Additionally, as is traditional, Candlemas will feature heavy and rapier (and possibly cut-and-thrust) fighting for those hearty souls willing to brave the winter weather. (Some combat may be held indoors if the weather requires it.) There will be space for games during day, so bring them along.

## Events

Pre-registration available, but not required.

**Lunch:** A lunch of stews, soups, and this mysterious thing called “chili” will be served to help keep the cold away. Hot beverages will also be provided. Donations will be accepted and split between lunch costs and the Kingdom Travel Fund.

**Schedule (as always, subject to adjustments and the will of the Crown/Coronets):**

8:00 am: Site Opens

Schedule TBD

9:00 pm Site closes

**VERY IMPORTANT NOTE:** This site is also a school, and it is 100% completely dry and non-smoking / non-vaping (not even in your personal vehicle). Anyone found with alcohol will be immediately escorted off of site and not allowed to return. Anyone found smoking will be given a single reminder to immediately stop and then escorted from site if a second violation occurs. Service dogs are the only animals allowed on site.

Pre-registration is not required, but there are a limited number of seats for feast, so we highly recommend registering if you want to reserve your spot! You can pre-register through PayPal.

### Feast of the Valkyries

*Shire of Plattefordham*

Site Opens: Saturday, March 2, 2024

Site Closes: Saturday, March 2, 2024 6:00PM

Mills Senior Center,

401 Wasatch Ave Mills, WY 82644

Event Steward: Ailith Dreki (Kelly Christian)

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Adult \$10 ‡ Adult Member: \$5

Child (15 and under): Free

SITE IS WET

This will once again be a potluck feast where the Shire will provide the meat/fish dishes. We ask only that you bring a side dish and your coin purse as we will be bringing back the dessert auction to benefit the Kingdom Travel fund. There will be both a chess tournament and a cribbage tournament as well as great fellowship, old and new faces, and maybe some dancing and music.

### Kingdom Arts and Sciences Competition, A.S. LVIII

*Kingdom of the Outlands*

Site Opens: Saturday, March 23, 2024 7:30 am

Site Closes: Saturday, March 23, 2024 5:30 pm

Deer Creek Middle School

9201 W. Columbine Drive, Littleton, CO 80128

Event Stewart : THL Hannah de Avila

scahannah@gmail.com

Adult \$25 ‡ Adult Member: \$20

Youth (15 and under): Free

**Site is Dry**

**Site has a zero tolerance NO WEAPONS policy**

*(An off-site location is available for judging brewing and crafted weapons entries.)*

Come join us as the Outlands celebrates our artisans and scientists and we shall see the best that the Outlands has to offer. This event is open to anyone who creates and everyone who loves to celebrate those who do. Help us showcase all the beauty that the Outlands can create AND celebrate the next Outlands Arts and Sciences champion!

Lunch is included in your site fee. A medieval Egyptian day-board will be provided by the talented Mistress Liepa! We will have a brass bowl for optional donations to benefit the Kingdom Travel fund. If you have special dietary needs or expect to be exceptionally busy you are encouraged to request a labelled sack lunch. Please email Liepa at: lyndyn29@gmail.com

#### Competition Registration Deadline February 23, 2024.

Competitor pre-registration is required to compete in the Arts and Science competition - please register here: <https://www.outlands.org/resources/kingdom-arts-sciences-competition-information>

Note: if you are entering a research paper you must submit that paper to the Kingdom Minister of Arts and Sciences by March 1st, 2024 at [artsandsciences@outlands.org](mailto:artsandsciences@outlands.org)

If you are not entering, please consider volunteering to be an entry judge by March 21, 2024

Site pre-registration via SCORES opens December 15th, 2023 and closes March 4th, 2024. The event website will be updated with that information soon.

\*PLEASE NOTE that the SCORES site pre-registration is separate from the competition entry registration. Site fee is not included in competition entry and entrants are required to be in attendance for the event.

#### Preliminary Schedule

7:30 AM Site opens

9:00 AM Opening court

9:15 AM Entrant Meeting

9:30 AM Judges Meeting

10:00 AM Judging Starts

2:30 PM Judging ends

4:00 PM Court

5:30 PM Site Closes

Note: All events and times are subject to change

#### Directions:

From the North: Go South on I-25 ◊ Take exit 209B toward Lakewood and merge onto US6 West ◊ Exit US 6 West at CO-391, Kipling Parkway South ◊ Take S. Kipling Parkway 4.9 mi to W. Geddes Ave. Turn left onto W. Geddes Ave ◊ In 0.2 miles continue onto W. Columbine Drive ◊ In another 0.2 miles, Deer Creek Middle School will be on your left

From the South: Take I-25 North to exit 194 for CO-470 West toward Grand Junction ◊ Exit CO-470 West at exit 15, CO-75N, Platte Canyon Road ◊ At the traffic circle, take the 3rd exit onto W. Chatfield Ave ◊ Turn R. onto Wadsworth Blvd. ◊ Turn left onto W. Columbine Drive ◊ In another 0.2 miles, Deer Creek Middle School will be on your left

## Events

### Spring Crown Tournament & Spring Faire

*Kingdom of the Outlands*

Site Opens: Friday, April 19, 2024 12:00 pm

Site Closes: Sunday, April 21, 2024 8:00 pm

Southeast Weld County Fairgrounds

7758 CR 59 Keenesburg, Colorado. 80643

Adult\* All Weekend \$40 ‡ Adult Member All Weekend \$35

Adult Day Trip\*\* \$25 ‡ Adult Member Day Trip \$20

Merchant Fee - \$35

*\*Adult fee applies to all attendees aged 16 or older. Any one 15 and under gets in FREE.*

*\*\*Day Trip fees valid for entry on one day ONLY.*

Event Stewart: Safiyya bint Faris al-Dani (Joshi Solomon-Freville)

baroness.safiyya@unserhafen.org

Andreas Von Meissen (Andrew R. Mizener)

andreas.von.meissen@gmail.com

#### Site is Wet

Gather one and all to bear witness with Their Majesties as stalwart combatants test their skill to become the next Heirs of the Stag Throne. Stay for games, revelry, archery, arts, the Princess Protector Tourney and a War Practice!

Site fee includes meals! A potluck dinner will be hosted on Friday evening, a Feast on Saturday evening, and breakfast/lunch buffets available through the weekend.

A full activity schedule and details for Merchants are in the works so please keep an eye on our website or follow this event on Facebook for further developments!

Event Web Page

<https://unserhafen.wixsite.com/unserhafen/aprilcrown>

### Grand Outlandish Tournament

Barony of al-Barran

Site Opens: Wednesday, May 22, 2024

Site Closes: Monday, May 27, 2024

Ten Points General Store,

10484 NM 337 Tijeras , New Mexico. 87059

Event Steward: Constantine Cortez (Jeremy Gonsalves)

kahrne@gmail.com

Co-Stewards: Genavive Meyer (Jenn Martinez)

llama\_mmama\_2001@yahoo.com

Trevor Erikkson (Ford Nelson)

erickfn@aol.com

Adult \$30 ‡ Adult Member: \$20

Child (17 and under): Free

#### Site is Wet

Join us as we watch displays of martial prowess on the tournament fields or take in the arts and sciences displays of our talented artisans. There will be classes for those who have a thirst for knowledge, and children's activities for the next generation of SCAdians. Experience the hospitality the Outlands is known for as you meet your new chosen family and reconnect with long-time friends. We look forward to a truly GRAND Outlandish in 2024!

## REQUEST FOR COMMENTARY – CHATELAINE AND DEIB OFFICES

The Board of Directors is currently considering changes to Corpora. It invites commentary from the membership and participants. These changes aim to enhance recruitment and member retention in the SCA. They also aim to further support these goals. They elevate the Society Chatelaine to a greater Society Officer. They align local and regional chatelaines to this same structure. It is a strategic move. It aims to support the implementation of comprehensive recruitment and retention strategies. It also aims to align the office to a clear vision.

The Board also approved proposed wording. It supports the creation of a Society Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Belonging (DEIB) Officer. They also approved aligning local and regional DEIB officers into one structure. Like the proposed Chatelaine changes, it aims to support an aligned Society vision. It also aims to support the implementation of strategy in this space. Finally, the Board approved changing the name and scope of the Corporate Diversity Equity Inclusion and Belonging Office. It is now the Office of Inclusive Programs. This office will handle the implementation of large scale, heavy-lift projects. This work will move inclusivity in the SCA forward. It will also transition leadership and management of game-facing DEIB work to the newly created Society DEIB Officer. This office will support all corporate and society officers. It will also serve as a primary DEIB advisor to the Board.

Note: Changes to corporate offices don't require changes in Corpora or public commentary. Understanding the changes to the Corporate DEIB Office will add context for the proposed changes to Corpora. It will also provide clarity for the realignment of responsibilities among these offices. This restructuring aligns with better practice for organizations that aim to improve recruiting and retention by creating welcoming and inclusive environments.

Recruiting and Retention structural changes for member commentary and verbiage change to Corpora.

- Section VI. Society Officers

- o Add:

- I. Chatelaine:

The Chatelaine is responsible for promoting and supporting recruitment initiatives and guiding retention practices.

- J. Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Belonging Officer:

The Society DEIB Officer is responsible for overseeing the development, implementation, and maintenance of game-facing DEIB initiatives and education.

Change:

Renumber I. Reservations to the Board, to K. Reservations to the Board, with no changes in content  
Corpora, including the By-Laws, can be found in its entirety can be found here:

<https://www.sca.org/resources/document-library/govdocs/>.

Please email all commentary to [SCA-Comments@sca.org](mailto:SCA-Comments@sca.org) and use the title "Chatelaine and DEIB Changes" in the subject line.

NOTE: Do not use attachments in your commentary. Attachments will mark your message as spam and it will be rejected by the server.

You can also send commentary by mail, Postage-Prepaid, to:

Society for Creative Anachronism, Inc.

RE: Chatelaine and DEIB Changes

P.O. Box 611928

San Jose, CA 95161

Commentary regarding this proposed Corpora change, must be received by the Board no later than March 1, 2024.

# Announcements

**Job Posting:**

**Position:** Branch Seneschal – al-Barran

**Responsibilities:**

- Provide administrative leadership in accordance with SCA policies and guidelines
- Oversee the smooth functioning of branch activities, meetings, and events
- Support officers in their roles and help maintain accurate records
- Uphold SCA's core values and maintain compliance with organizational standards
- Act as a liaison between the branch and SCA Kingdom representatives by monthly reporting

**Requirements:**

- Active membership within the SCA for 2 year term
- Strong organizational and communication skills with internet connection
- Knowledge of SCA structure, policies, and procedures (preferred)
- Monthly report out via Outlands Service Portal and attend monthly Zoom meetings

**How to Apply:**

If you're ready to make a meaningful impact and guide our branch toward continued success, please submit your Letter of Intent detailing your SCA experience and vision for the role to Kingdom Seneschal Baroness

Ays,e seneschal@outlands.org Baron Harduin baron@al-barran.outlands.org, Baroness Gwenlyn Aldwyn baroness@al-barran.outlands.org and Sir Hrolleif Harrbjorn at southseneschal@outlands.org by March 1st, 2024.

## Currently Schedule Board of Directors Meetings

*\*PLEASE NOTE: The Board of Directors is considering the possibility of a return to live meetings in late 2023. Groups interested in hosting a meeting should contact the Executive Assistant (ea@sca.org) for information on meeting requirements and how to submit a bid.*

- January 28, 2024 Quarterly Board Meeting – Virtual (Tentative)
- April 21, 2024 Quarterly Board Meeting – Virtual (Tentative)
- July 21, 2024 Quarterly Board Meeting – Virtual (Tentative)
- October 20, 2024 Quarterly Board Meeting – Virtual (Tentative)

**SOCIETY FOR CREATIVE ANACHRONISM, INC.**

P.O. Box 611928, San Jose, CA 95161,  
800-789-7486 or 408-263-9305,  
fax: 408-263-0641

**DIRECTOR FOR THE OUTLANDS**

Jennifer Krochmal  
Kalisa Aleksandrovna  
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## Local Groups and Their Activities in the Outlands

To publish local activities published, please send information to the Kingdom Chronicler at [chronicler@outlands.org](mailto:chronicler@outlands.org).  
By publishing this information, the Crown or Baronial Coronet may bestow awards at these activities.

### **Aarquelle** (Barony), Pueblo, CO

**Seneschal:** THL Unna Farulfsdottir (aka Jaye Sudar)  
[aaarquelle+seneschal@gmail.com](mailto:aaarquelle+seneschal@gmail.com) 719-680-6249

**Combat Practice:** SUN, 11AM @ Mineral Palace Park,  
1500 N Santa Fe Drive, Pueblo

**Populace Meeting:** Our Folkmoot (business meeting) is  
on the 2nd Wednesday of the month. We hold it at  
6:30pm via Zoom.

**A&S** WED 6-8 at the Pueblo West Library

### **al-Barran** (Barony), Albuquerque, south to Belen, east to Moriarty, north to Algodones, NM

**Seneschal:** THL Kaz De Rhode, [seneschal@al-barran.outlands.org](mailto:seneschal@al-barran.outlands.org)

**Fighter Practice:** Sunday, 10am - 2pm, Altura Park (4249  
Aspen Ave NE, ABQ, NM) Wednesday, 5:30pm - 8pm, Inez  
Park (2027 Wisconsin St. NE, ABQ, NM)

**Populace Meeting:** Summer: Third Sunday of  
the month November thru Spring: Third Saturday of the  
month

**Archery:** Contact [archerycaptain@al-barran.outlands.org](mailto:archerycaptain@al-barran.outlands.org)  
Details of all A&S, Martial practices, or any meeting dates,  
times, and locations, or changes to the above can be  
found published on --- <https://al-barran.emmw.net/>  
Activities

### **Blackwater Keep** (Shire), Clovis/Cannon AFB and Por- tales, NM

**Seneschal:**

**Populace Meeting:** contact Seneschal

**Fighter Practice:** contact Seneschal

### **Blaiddwyn** (College), University of New Mexico, within al-Barran

**Seneschal:** Sayyida Zahira bint Ali CTO: [SCA@unm.edu](mailto:SCA@unm.edu)

### **Bryngolau** (Shire), Los Alamos, NM

**Seneschal:** Meistr Llywus ap Alan (Bryan L Bennett), [seneschal@bryngolau.org](mailto:seneschal@bryngolau.org)

**Populace Meeting:** First Tuesday of the month, Mesa  
Library meeting room

### **Caer Galen** (Barony), Boulder County, CO

**Seneschal:** Mistress Asta Olafsdottir (Kari Hammons)  
[seneschal@caergalen.org](mailto:seneschal@caergalen.org)

**Populace Meeting:** First Tuesday of the month

**Folkmoots:** Second Tuesday of the month

**Fighter Practice:** Tuesdays, 6PM;

Fall/Winter @ Boulder County Fairgrounds, corner of Nel-  
son and Hover, Longmont;

Spring/Summer @ Roosevelt Park, SW corner, 700 Longs  
Peak Ave, Longmont, CO 80501

**Equestrian Practice:** 3rd SUN, 10AM; HBarC Ranch, 2400  
Blue Mountain Ave, Berthoud, CO

**Archery:** Sunday 9AM—11AM at Empty Quiver 7180 W  
117th Ave Unit C Broomfield CO 80020

### **Caerthe** (Barony), Denver metro area, CO

**Seneschal:** Lady Roanna Campbell (Cory Wagner)  
[seneschal@caerthe-sca.org](mailto:seneschal@caerthe-sca.org)

**Populace Meeting:** 1st MON, 6:30 PM, see [www.caerthe-sca.org](http://www.caerthe-sca.org) for rotating location

**Fighter Practice:** Thursdays 6pm until dark

Centennial Park 4630 S Decatur St, Englewood, CO  
80110

Populace Gathering concurrent with practice on  
every 3rd Thursday

**Collegi:** 1st Monday of each Month @ Fighter Practice: A  
monthly semi-formal gathering. All are welcome! Come in  
garb!

### **Citadel of the Southern Pass** (Barony), El Paso & Hudspeth Counties, TX

**Seneschal:** Domina Julia Alexandria

MKA Jesse Honaker [seneschal@southernpass.org](mailto:seneschal@southernpass.org)

**Populace Meeting:** 3rd SUN, 10:00 AM @ Album Park,  
3001 Parkwood, El Paso

**Archery Practice:** On hold

**Fighter Practice:** SUN, 10:00 AM @ Album Park, 3001  
Parkwood, El Paso

**Officer Meeting:** Currently on-line more information  
<http://southernpass.org>

### **Draca Mor** (Shire) Grand Junction, CO

**Seneschal:** Annys Wolf of Wharram Percy (Hope Allyson  
Dwiggins) [annyswolf@gmail.com](mailto:annyswolf@gmail.com)

**Populace Meeting:** 2nd WED private home

**Fighter Practice:** TBD

**Dragonsspine** (Barony), Colorado Springs, CO

**Seneschal:** Lady Sorcha MacGillavrey 719-494-5938 (Text preferred) [seneschal@dragonsspine.org](mailto:seneschal@dragonsspine.org)

**Dragonmoot:** (A&S/Dance/Classes): 2nd and 4th Wednesday 5:30-7:30, East Library, 5550 N Union Blvd, 80918.

**Populace Meeting:** 2nd Monday via Zoom. Please see website for link

**Martial Practice Sundays:**

**Winter:** Heavy/Rapier/Archery: 5:00 - 7:00 pm Archery School of the Rockies, 2110 Busch Ave, Colorado Springs, CO 80904.

In the event of inclement weather, cancellations will be announced on the Facebook page.

**Equestrian Practice:** 4th Sunday, 10-2. Held on private property. Please contact the seneschal for the address.

**Drygestan** (Shire), Santa Fe, NM

**Seneschal:** Thorgrimr of Rivenoak (Dana Gorbet)

tubatitan8888@gmail.com, (530)403-7440 Text preferred

**Populace Meeting:** 1st WED, 6:30PM — Southside Santa Fe south side Library

**Fighter Practice:** TUE—contact Knight Marshal for location

**Arts & Sciences:** Time and Location varies—contact Seneschal

**Fontaine dans Sable** (Shire), Farmington, NM

**Seneschal:** Mistress Alamanda de la Roca

fontaineseneschal@gmail.com

**Populace Meeting:** 1st SUN, 1PM, Brookside Park, 1801 Brookside Dr, Farmington, NM

**Fighter Practice:** SUN @ 1PM, Brookside Park, 1801 Brookside Dr, Farmington, NM

**Nahrn Kabirun** (Shire) Las Cruces, NM

**Seneschal:** Lady Arnora Ulfvaldsdottir

(Sarah Mesler) [velniratanke@gmail.com](mailto:velniratanke@gmail.com)

**Populace Meeting:** first THUR, 7:30PM, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 518 N Alameda Boulevard, Las Cruces

**Fighter Practice:** check [www.nahrnkabirun.org](http://www.nahrnkabirun.org) for the most current info.

**Arts & Sciences Gatherings:** THUR, 6-9PM, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 518 N Alameda Boulevard, Las Cruces

**Archery Practice:** SAT, 9AM (summer), 11AM (winter), San Andres High, 2355 Avenida de Mesilla, Mesilla

**[www.nahrnkabirun.org](http://www.nahrnkabirun.org) for any updates or changes.**

**Plattefordham** (Shire), Casper, WY

**Seneschal:** Lady Sharon of the Roses

[Seneschal@plattefordham.outlands.org](mailto:Seneschal@plattefordham.outlands.org)

**Populace Meeting:** 3rd Friday of the Month

**Fighter Practice:** SUN, @ 2pm in Casper, WY, location dependent on weather,

**Rio de las Animas** (Shire), Durango, CO

**Seneschal:** Mistress Geua filia Guy (Gloria Macht), 970-264-5664, [gloriamacht@gmail.com](mailto:gloriamacht@gmail.com)

**Populace Meeting / Fighter Practice:** 1st SUN, 1PM @ Riverholde — contact Seneschal

**Saint Goliath** (College), Socorro, NM (New Mexico Tech)

**Seneschal:** Reinhard [es.golias.senechal@gmail.com](mailto:es.golias.senechal@gmail.com)

**Faculty Advisor:** Maria Theresa Sanchez de Garcia (Theresa Boracci) [tboracci@gmail.com](mailto:tboracci@gmail.com) (575) 835-1632

**Populace Meeting:** 1st & 3rd SAT 10 am on the lawn by the NMT library

**Fighter Practice:** Most SAT on the lawn by the NMT library 10ish to 2ish

**Unser Hafen** (Barony), Larimer/Logan/Morgan/Weld Counties, CO

**Seneschal:** Eithne ingen Fhaelain Duib (Claire Turney) [seneschal@unserhafen.org](mailto:seneschal@unserhafen.org)

**Unser Hafen Fighter Practice Sundays**

Jan 28 thru Mar 24, 2024, Sundays 2 to 5 pm CSU Glenn Morris Fieldhouse, 901 S College Ave, Fort Collins There is something for everyone. Heavy, Rapier, and Cut & Thrust at the same practice. Artisans and courtiers are encouraged to attend.

**Unser Hafen Archery** is held in Fort Collins or Windsor on the third or fourth Saturday of the month

**Populace & Planning meeting (third Wednesday of the month)**

Virtual meeting through Spring 2024

**Please check the Unser Hafen calendar for location, dates, and times for all of our meetings, activities & events.** <http://unserhafen.org/calendar>

**White Mountain** (Shire), Alamogordo, NM

**Seneschal:** Lord Mingus O'Brien (mka Brian Magee)

**Populace Meeting:** 3rd SUN@ Alameda Park, White Sands Boulevard, Alamogordo

**Fighter Practice:** SUN 2-4PM (winter) or 4-6PM (summer) @ Alameda Park, White Sands Boulevard, Alamogordo

**Archery Practice:** 2nd and 4th SUN, contact Lord Kevin, [kevin@2slow4u.info](mailto:kevin@2slow4u.info)

**Windkeep** (Shire), Cheyenne, F.E. Warren AFB, Laramie County and Albany County, Wyoming

**Seneschal:** Aldyth Trefaldwyn

(Deborah Hammons) [Mistressaldyth@gmail.com](mailto:Mistressaldyth@gmail.com)

For all meetings, contact the Seneschal.

