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Upcoming Kingdom Events 2024

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How to Place an Event on the On-Line Calendar: Email the following information to the Kingdom Calendar Deputy Seneschal: Event Date, Description, Location and Event Steward Information. Email: kingdomcalendar@outlands.org

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Outlands Royalty Mordygan and Ymanie Cyning and Cwyne crown@outlands.org



We, Mordygan and Ymanie, Cyning and Cwyne Utenweard send warm tidings to you, great and wonderful populace of The Outlands!

As We write these letters We have begun Our journeys to the various Yule, Midwinter, and Twelfth Night celebrations throughout Our lands. We were lucky to begin this journey in the wonderful hospitality of Windkeep, where We had a great time. al-Barran Midwinter will be quite full with camaraderie and joyous times, along with tasty food. Caer Galen's Midwinter will also see the ascension of the Righ Tuatha, Bryn and Ronan, to the thrones of Caer Galen. We want to thank Shoshanah and Hayashi for their dedicated and long service and wish them well in their free time! Caerthe will host Us well for their Twelfth Night celebration, where once again, the friendships shared and created there will last a lifetime!

As this is Our final letter to you, fair people of The Outlands, We wish to write words of gratitude to several people, who have made Our time serving this kingdom easier through their own great efforts. Firstly, We could not have done so well and been so efficient with Our courts without the voice of Our Cwyne, Blue Iris Herald, Countess Matilda. She was more on top of everything than either of Us could have asked for and kept Us well in her service. Baron Jorundr, Cwynes Huscarl, has traveled far and wide to accompany Our Cwyne and keep her safe. Sir Zachariah, Cyninges Huscarl, ever the stalwart companion, helped to keep the Cyning's heart light and full of laughter, and always there to serve and follow Us into ridiculous battle tactics. Duchess Anna Mactaggart, Cwynes Weardgeréfa, whose companionship was valued more than she might ever know, cunning warrior, skilled with spear and needle, making us both look regal, thank you. Baroness Safiyya, noble Stigweard, worked hard to keep us informed and to keep Our Meadhall running smoothly. To Our head attendants, Mistress eKaterina and Sir Hrolleifr, who tirelessly gave of their time to make sure that We were well attended, and most importantly, that Our Cwyne was well stocked with snacks, We thank you tremendously! Countess Mariana, whose organizational and communication skills were extremely appreciated as you worked to keep Us clothed in the finest that all the wonderful artisans were able to make for Us, Our deepest gratitude for this effort. Lastly, to all the guards and attendants that joined Us as We traveled both near and far, without your work We could not have done any of this and it is you that shined through, allowing Us to serve this wonderful kingdom. Huzzah to all those that worked with Us throughout Our reign. We are assured that The Outlands passes to the next generation of servants with Our Heirs, Fjölverkr and Melissa, who will continue to work to make The Outlands the shining example of grace, valor, and hospitality that it is known for.

Please remember to listen with empathy and speak with kindness.

Mordygan Cyning Ymanie Cwyne



Outlands Royalty Crown Prince and Crown Princess Fjolverker the Red and Melissa of Monster Hall heirs@outlands.org



Happy New Year to the greatest Kingdom in the Known World from your Dread Lord and Lady of Argonia!

Our hope is that you embrace the chance for fresh beginnings, aspiring to carve a narrative woven with joy, resilience, and boundless possibilities. May each dawn be a promise of opportunities, and every sunset a canvas painted with the hues of gratitude and growth. Cheers to the unwritten chapters and the unwavering hope that accompanies the journey into the unknown year ahead.

Attending al-Barran and Caer Galen's Midwinters alongside Caerthe 12th night allowed Us to take in the delight of Winter's beginnings while basking in the happiness of a Kingdom full of love!

And then there's a little Coronation something or other we're supposed to attend...oh and a Queen's Champion heavy combat tournament too! But We digress...

Within Our embrace, We wish to nurture the environment of fellowship within these great lands. Together we can flourish like a garden of diverse blooms. Every soul, a unique petal contributing to the vibrant tapestry of unity, forging bonds that withstand the test of time and adversity.

Thank you for believing in Us, as We do in YOU

Fjolverker and Melissa Dread Lord and Lady of Argonia

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From the Office of the Seneschal:

Joyous Winter Season and Greetings to the Good People of the Outlands,

As I sit and reflect on the events that occurred this month, I am thankful to live in a wonderful kingdom with amazing talent, dedication, and creativity that is the Outlands. I have also witnessed what can go wrong when people have problems communicating. Finding the office in need of an additional Special Projects Deputy, Master Juan Balthazar Tegero joins the Seneschalette to assist in researching and investigating the Bullying, Harassment, and Retaliation claims. All bullying complaints are confidential and will follow the SCA's Investigation policy.

What is bullying?

When someone says or does something <u>unintentionally</u> hurtful and they do it once, that's RUDE.

When someone says or does something <u>intentionally</u> hurtful and they do it once, that's MEAN

When someone says or does something <u>intentionally hurtful</u> and they keep doing it even when you tell them to stop or show them that you are upset, that's BULLYING.

As always, I will be hosting Open Office hours via Zoom the 2nd Thursday of each month from 7-8pm. Feel free to pop in and ask any questions about the office, kingdom, or myself. The link will be posted on Facebook, or you can reach out via email for more information.

Be Excellent to one another.

In Service to the Kingdom of the Outlands, Baroness Ays,e al-Rumiyya, OSO Kate Tingley Regional Vice President SCA, Inc

From the White Stag Principal Herald:

Greetings unto the Outlands from Æðeluulf munec, White Stag Principal Herald.

The Midwinter season is upon us, and we will soon welcome a number of new peers across the kingdom, and the changeover of the Barony of Caer Galen. I hope to see all of you, and share in the cheer this season brings, with Midwinter, Twelfth Night, and soon enough the Coronation of Their Royal Highnesses Fjolverkr and Melissa, the Dread Lord and Lady of all Argonia.

Within the College of Heralds, we are anticipating the publication of the Sixth Edition of the Heralds' Handbook this month, and we will make sure that all branch heralds have an electronic copy. We are also celebrating the promotion of a number of heralds within the ranks of the College; I would like to thank each and every one publicly and personally for their contributions to the Outlands over the past year.

Finally, the time has come to open letters of intent for my successor. I have greatly enjoyed my time as White Stag, but my time must come to an end. We will be soliciting applicants for the position of Palmer Herald (Herald-Elect) through 28 February 2024.

The duties and responsibilities of Palmer Herald are generally the same as that of White Stag (see below). It is also a great opportunity for a herald to see if Principal Herald is a job for them. Success in this position (and in the position of White Stag) is mostly keeping track of projects and shepherding them along, not being the single point of authority.

As the chief executive of the College of Heralds, White Stag works with the Crown of the Outlands, the Greater and Lesser Officers of State, as well as Laurel Sovereign of Arms and their deputies Wreath, Pelican, and Palimpsest. They are ultimately responsible for the timely processing of heraldic submissions, notification of registration decisions, and recording of awards issued by the Crown and Their Coronets. They are to inspect and confirm the proper display of emblazons of armory on official documents, and to put their seal and or signature to correct displays. They are also charged with the creation and education of new heralds to support the continuation of the College of Heralds.

If you are interested in the administration side of the College of Heralds, or want to see what being a Kingdom Deputy Officer is all about, please reach out to <u>whitestag@outlands.org</u>. Your letter of intent should include SCA Name, Mundane Name, Membership Number, previous heraldic and administrative experience, and a brief statement about what you want to see the College of Heralds do under your tenure.

I remain, in service, Æthelwulf munec White Stag Principal Herald



From the Ministry of Arts and Sciences:

Greetings beloved Outlands

I hope you had a beautiful holiday season and as we move into winter and the time of Epiphany, I want to encourage you to take up and continue your arts and sciences! We will be holding our Kingdom Arts and Sciences Competition at the end of the winter season on March 23rd, 2024 in the amazing Barony of Caerthe. To that end, there have been some changes to the Arts and Sciences competition that I encourage you to explore early. I and the Web Ministry office are diligently working to update all of our Arts and Sciences information, please see what's new at <u>https://www.outlands.org/resources/kingdom-arts-sciences-competition-information/</u>

I have 4 new deputies that I am honored to introduce to the kingdom. First are my regional deputies. In the North your Arts and Sciences resource is Countess Martine de La Rochelle and in the South Baroness Gwenlyn Aldwyn. These are my representatives in your more immediate areas and I encourage you to reach out to them if you need anything. Finally we have a rockstar team that is assisting me with both Competition and Collegium. Your Kingdom A&S Competition Deputy is Countess Richenda de la Selva, OL and your Kingdom A&S Collegium Deputy is Countess Aria de Chatillon, OL. These amazing women are all dedicated leaders in our A & S community and I am blessed to have them at my side as we update and build.

Keep learning and growing. Know your fellow artisans and scientists are cheering you on. I look forward to seeing you all this winter and in the coming spring. Stay inquisitive.

Yours in service and camaraderie:

Mistress Rannvaeig

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Events

Caerthe 12th Night 2024: The Hajj of Mansa Musa

Barony of Caerthe Site Opens: Saturday, January 6, 2024 9:00 am Site Closes: Saturday, January 6, 2024 9:00 pm

Adams County Fairgrounds, Waymire Dome 9755 Henderson Rd Bldg. 1, Brighton, CO 80601 Event Steward: Lianor da Costa (Sarah Thomas) <u>sarah.brilliant.thomas@gmail.com</u> (435)850-8926 Adult (18+) \$30 ‡ Adult member (14+) \$25 Child (5-13) \$10 † Feast included in fee Vegan and allergen free options available.

Site is Dry

More Info: <u>https://caerthe.outlands.org/caerthen-12th-night-</u> 2024/

The year is 1324, and our most Noble Mansa Musa, ruler of the Mali Empire, is heading out on pilgrimage to Mecca. He will bear so much gold with him that it will crash the economies of cities he travels through. Mansa Musa travels with a large entourage, who will both give and receive generous gifts at every stop. Will you travel with us from Mali through Timbuktu, Cairo, and Medina to see the great city of Mecca?

Feast is included in the admission; you will have tokens and can choose dishes and snacks at any stall in the food market. Food allergies and special diets are accommodated! If you have trade goods you are willing to part with, such as feast gear, fabric, beads, or anything else, please bring it for the trading contest. Wear your best African, Egyptian, Arabian, or 1324 garb to enter a fashion show. View the Arts & Sciences display, participate in belly dancing, and retire to the Quiet Room when you need some peace.

Come celebrate the history of Africa, the source of Medieval Europe's gold!

Directions:

From the north:

Take I-25 south to Exit 229 (CO-7 East). Turn left onto CO-7 East, right on Quebec St, left onto 128th Ave, right onto Riverdale Rd, left onto Henderson Rd. At the traffic circle take the 3rd exit onto Park Blvd. Turn left onto Campground Rd, then follow signs to the Waymire Dome.

From the south:

Take I-25 north to exit 216A-B, I-76 West. From I-76 take Exit 12 (US-85 North toward Greeley). Turn left onto CO-22. Continue onto Henderson Rd. At the traffic circle take the 3rd exit onto Park Blvd. Turn left onto Campground Rd, then follow signs to the Waymire Dome.

Winter Coronation

Kingdom of the Outlands Site Opens: January 20, 2024 9:00 am Site Closes: January 21, 2024 9:00 pm

First United Methodist Church 310 W 11th Street Pueblo, CO 81003 Event Steward: Baron Teiger & Baroness Audrey Adults: \$25 ‡ Adult Member \$20 17 and under: Free **Site is Bone 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 in nearby Mineral Palace Park 1500 N Santa Fe Ave, Pueblo, Co 81003— the same location as Aarquelle's Weekly Gather. They will last pretty much all day.

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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.

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 Sutherlin) chatelaine@unserhafen.org Adult \$25 ‡ Adult Members \$20 Youth (15 and under) Site is Dry

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 vou 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) tbuxton@gmail.com Co-Steward: Master Adelrich Falke (Darrell Newman) d j newman@yahoo.com 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.

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.



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

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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 dayboard 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-sciencescompetition-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 If you are not entering, please consider volunteering to be a 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 \diamond Take exit 209B toward Lakewood and merge onto US6 West \diamond Exit US 6 West at CO-391, Kipling Parkway South \diamond Take S. Kipling Parkway 4.9 mi to W. Geddes Ave.Turn left onto W. Geddes Ave \diamond In 0.2 miles continue onto W. Columbine Drive \diamond 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 \diamond Exit CO-470 West at exit 15, CO-75N, Platte Canyon Road \diamond At the traffic circle, take the 3rd exit onto W. Chatfield Ave \diamond Turn R. onto Wadsworth Blvd. \diamond Turn left onto W. Columbine Drive \diamond In another 0.2 miles, Deer Creek Middle School will be on your left

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

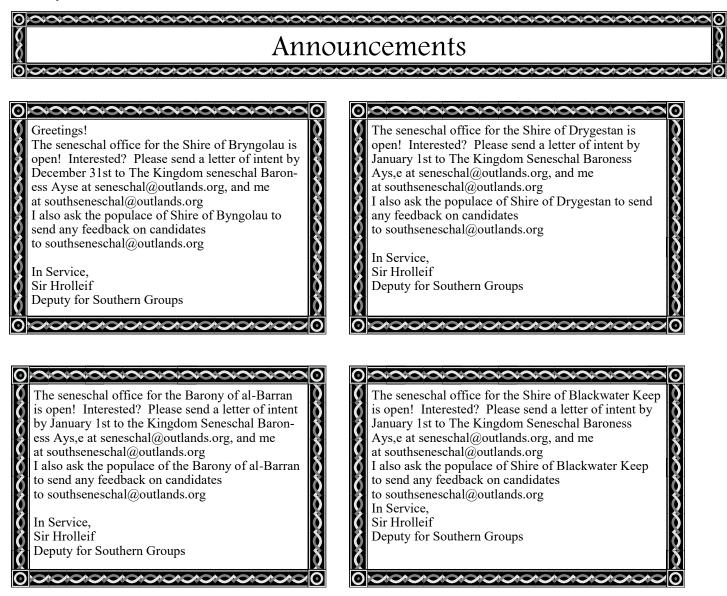
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Gather one and all to bear witness with Their Majesties as stalwart combatants test their skill to become the next Heirs of the Stag Throne. Stay for games, revelry, archery, arts, the Princess Protector Tourney and a War Practice!

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





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)

Local Groups and Their Activities in the Outlands

To publish local activities published, please send information to the Kingdom Chronicler at *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) aarquelle+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@albarran.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 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 Portales, 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

Bryngolau (Shire), Los Alamos, NM **Seneschal:** Meistr Llywus ap Alan (Bryan L Bennett), seneschal@bryngolau.org **Populace Meeting:** First Tuesday of the month, Mesa Library meeting room Caer Galen (Barony), Boulder County, CO Seneschal: Mistress Ekaterina Kirkovna Holopova (Kate Poore) seneschal@caergalen.org Populace Meeting: contact Seneschal Fighter Practice: TUES, 6PM; Fall/Winter @ Boulder County Fairgrounds, corner of Nelson 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

Caerthe (Barony), Denver metro area, CO
Seneschal: Lady Roanna Campbell (Cory Wagner) seneschal@caerthe-sca.org
Populace Meeting: 1st MON, 6:30 PM, see www.caerthe-sca.org for rotating location
Fighter Practice: Centennial Park
4630 S Decatur St, Englewood, CO 80110
Thursdays 6pm until dark
Populace Gathering concurrent with practice on every 3rd Thursday
Collegi: 1st Mondays 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 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 Populace Meeting: 2nd WED private home Fighter Practice: TBD

Dragonsspine (Barony), Colorado Springs, CO Seneschal: Master Geoffrey Bourre

seneschal@dragonsspine.org

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

Business Meeting: 2nd Monday via Zoom. Please contact the Seneschal or the Facebook page for the link.

Martial Practice Sundays:

Archery: 12-2 pm May 15 - Oct 15: Sir Ton's Field at the Corner of Hungate and McFerran.

Heavy/Rapier: 5:00 pm-dark Nancy Lewis Park **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

Nahrun Kabirun (Shire) Las Cruces, NM

Seneschal: Lady Arnora Ulfvaldsdottir

(Sarah Mesler) velniratanke@gmail.com

Populace Meeting: first THUR, 7:30PM, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 518 N Alameda Boulevard, Las Cruces **Fighter Practice:** check www.nahrunkabirun.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.nahrunkabirun.org for any updates or changes. Plattefordham (Shire), Casper, WY Seneschal: Lady Sharon of the Roses 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 Populace Meeting / Fighter Practice: 1st SUN, 1PM @ Riverholde — contact Seneschal

Saint Golias (College), Socorro, NM (New Mexico Tech) Seneschal: Reinhard es.golias.senechal@gmail.com Faculty Advisor: Maria Theresa Sanchez de Garcia (Theresa Boracci) 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

Unser Hafen Fighter Practice Sundays

Nov 2023 thru Jan 14, 2024, Sundays Noon to 3 pm *Edora Park*, Pavilion #1, 1420 E Stuart St, 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. <u>http://unserhafen.org/calendar</u>

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

Windkeep (Shire), Cheyenne, F.E. Warren AFB, Laramie County and Albany County, Wyoming **Seneschal:** Aldyth Trefaldwyn (Deborah Hammons) Mistressaldyth@gmail.com For all meetings, contact the Seneschal.

