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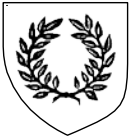
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The information collected is used for internal administrative purposes and shall not be sold or otherwise distributed absent permission or court order.

PROCESSING TIME: 4-7 WEEKS

The cutoff for each month is NOON of the last working day of the month. Forms that come in after the cutoff date are processed for the following month. Printed newsletter cycle is two months ahead: January payments are for March mailing labels, etc.

Please check membership type:

- Sustaining \$45.00
- Associate \$30.00
- Family (\$10 X # of members, up to \$30 maximum) \$ _____
- International (please use International Form)
- Tax-Deductible Donation \$ _____

MEMBERSHIP TOTAL \$ _____

Optional Monthly Printed Newsletters

- Artemisia \$35.00
- Æthelmearc \$35.00
- Ansteorra \$35.00
- An Tir \$35.00
- Atenveldt \$35.00
- Atlantia \$35.00
- Caid \$35.00
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- Middle \$35.00
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- Outlands \$35.00
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- West \$35.00

Optional Printed Quarterly Publications

- Tournaments Illuminated** \$20.00
Our member magazine featuring articles on how to thrive in the SCA, as well as works of research plus columns and reviews.
- Board Minutes** \$20.00
- The Compleat Anachronist** \$25.00 \$20.00
Our monograph series that focuses on one topic relevant to the time period 600 C.E. to 1600 C.E. in each 50-60 page issue.

Optional Publications Total \$ _____

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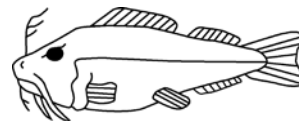
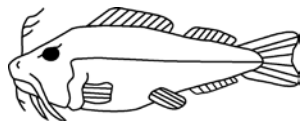
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WARRIORS AND WARLORDS, THURSDAY, JULY 10 THROUGH SUNDAY, JULY 13, 2014

WHISPERING PINES CAMPGROUND, 12788 S. PRAIRIE RD, OSSEO, WI 54758

<http://www.warriorsandwarlords.org/>

WW TURNS 21!



The Baronies of Nordskogen and Jararvellir are excited to host the twenty-first annual Warriors and Warlords, a four-day-long camping event in the heart of Northshield, in scenic Osseo, Wisconsin. This year's new event site features lush shade in both loud and quiet camping, an on-site restaurant, and RV amenities.

Join us for armored combat, rapier fencing, archery, thrown weaponry and a siege weapon competition! Arts and Sciences, Kingdom court, and the Friday Baronial Gathering will welcome all. The Baronies are hosting a derby and the Bad Baronesses are returning. Merchants, classes, and fundraising opportunities abound!

Fees

The non-member surcharge of \$5 per full-price adult fee applies on all days.

Thursday/Friday Arrival:

Adults (18+) \$25; Children (6-17) \$10; Babies/Toddlers (under 6) *Free*; Family Cap \$60

Saturday Arrival or Day-trip Rate:

Adults (18+) \$10; Children (6-17) \$5; Babies/Toddlers (under 6) *Free*

Optional Charges (*Collected at gate but paid to site owner.*)

- Electrical outlet – for the full event \$20
- RV hookup – per night \$20, RV request to be sent to autocrat in advance

Early Arrival Details

If you would like to arrive on Wednesday night (and are not a merchant), each adult in your party will need to have signed up for at least one volunteer shift and you **MUST** send an email to the autocrats listing every member of your party in order to be added to the early arrival list.

NOTES FROM THE NORDSKOGEN BUSINESS MEETING, JUNE 18, 2014

- We have been invited to share the Geeks at Pride table with the Geek Partnership Society on Saturday, June 28 and Sunday, June 29. Anyone wanting to go and hand stuff out can do so. Our Seneschal is making flyers to give to GPS to set out as a static item.
- We voted no on participating in Connie's Quantum Sandbox at CONvergence.
- Loaning out the Baronial shade fly was discussed. It is not needed at Pennsic. We approved loaning the shade fly to Known World Cooks and Bards over the Labor Day weekend.
- We approved loaning the Baronial banners to Known World Cooks and Bards.
- The 12th Night raffle money will be advertised as being partially for the Kingdom Regalia fund.
- Our new Knights Marshal will be Sir Edwin atte Bridge.
- There will be a webminister changeover. The vote will take place at the July business meeting.
- A baronial populace badge will be submitted to the heralds by the Baron and Baroness.

UPCOMING BARONIAL SPECIAL EVENTS

Period clothing will be required for these.

Please note that the Barony has period clothing & feast dishes to loan.

Warriors and Warlords, July 10-13

Whispering Pines Campground, County Hwy B at 12788 S. Prairie Rd, Osseo, WI 54758

Hosted by the Baronies of Nordskogen and Jararvellir

Co-Event Stewards: Sir Gunther Kegslayer and Baron Vidi Hovdestad

For more information, see above or go to: <http://www.warriorsandwarlords.org/>

Crispin's Archery Thing, August 22-24

Bellringer Estates, 19848 East Bethel Blvd NE, East Bethel, MN 55011

40TH Anniversary Twelfth Night Celebration, January 10-11, 2015

Lord of Life Church, 14501 Nowthen Blvd NW, Ramsey MN 55303

WEEKLY WEDNESDAY MEETING SITE AND SCHEDULE

Folks begin gathering between 6:30 and 7:00 pm, announcements generally start around 7:30 pm.

Meetings end at 9:00 pm.

This site is not free. Contributions toward the rent would be greatly appreciated!

All of our weekly Wednesday meetings are held at:

The Geek Partnership Society's Event Horizon in the Waterbury Building,

the big red building at the corner of Jackson St. NE & roadway St. NE,

(1121 Jackson St NE, Minneapolis, MN, 55413)

Enter at the **BACK** of the building.

Door 1121C is the one closest to the rooms we are in.

Link to a map: <http://tinyurl.com/geekpartnershipmap>

We will generally be meeting in Room 107 (big room for fencing) and Room 106A (everything else).

Room 107 is right next door to Room 106A!

To get to the big parking lot at the back of the building and near our entrance doors:

Go north on Jackson, driving past the little parking lot on the right (we don't park there), go to the end of the building, take the first right onto the street there which is 12th Ave. NE, and take the next right onto Van Buren St. NE and into the parking lot.

If you go over the railroad tracks, you've gone too far!

Please drive carefully over the bumps and pay attention to the signs on reserved spots in the parking lot.

Note: the slots with the STS signs are only reserved until 3 pm.

Metal Parking slots are always off limits!

7/2: Room 106: Folkmoot and potluck!

Room 107: Rapier practice.

7/9: MEETING CANCELLED DUE TO WW!

7/16: Room 106: Announcements and business meeting

Room 107: Rapier practice.

7/23: Room 106: Announcements and socializing.

Room 107: Rapier practice

7/30: Room 106: Announcements and socializing.

Room 107: Rapier practice

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