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Northern Realms War

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June 18-21, 2015

Elk Creek Campground and Resort 8220 Elk Creek Rd, Piedmont, SD 57769 http://www.elkcreekresort.net/ Read our Tales of War unfolding at http://www.noiregarde.org/NRW/ Be part of the final chapter!

Come enjoy

the hospitality of the Outlands, the beauty of Northshield, and the cameraderic of the Northern Realms.

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Site Fee

Adults \$10, Children 5-16 \$8
<u>Camping Fees</u>

Adults \$20, Children \$5 with \$20 Children's Cap

- Rapier Combat
- Heavy Combat
- Archery
- Thrown Weapons
- Siege Weapons
- · Arts and Science Competition
- Arts and Science Display
- Children's Activities
- No Merchant Fee
- · And So Much More...

The Barony of Caer Anterth Mawr cordially invites you to our Fortieth Anniversary Event:



Sir Gawain and the Green Knight

A 14th Century Immersion Experience

Ledge County Park P4703 Park Road, Horicon, WI 53202

Activities will include a Pas d'Arms Tournament, Questing, Feasting, and More.

Admission Fees:

Site Fee (Saturday Daytrip) \$15 (Adult), \$5 (Child 7-17) \$5 (Students with ID)
Site Fee (Camping) \$5 per person (covers up two nights), Tent Fee (per night): \$15
Family Cap of \$45 on site fees and camping tent fee
Non-Member Surcharge \$5
Feast Fee: \$20 (Adult), \$10 (Child 7-16)

<u>Pre-Registering is encouraged for camping. The deadline is September 1, 2015.</u>
Visit our website for details on Pas d'Arms Tournament, off-site lodging, and additional details.

http://caeranterth.org/Calendar/green_knight

NOTES FROM THE NORDSKOGEN BUSINESS MEETING, MAY 20, 2015

Freiin Jutta van der Bruegghen [known as Ivetta] (Kay Mead) presiding and Mistress Rosanore of Redthorn (Susan Henry) recording! 30 folks in attendance

Meeting was called to order.

Announcements

Green Valley Greenhouse certificates in paper form were put on back table. Green Valley Greenhouses can be found at Cub Foods.

Azizah Hatun bint Da'ud brought to the meeting the purple and tan plaid wool fabric lost at Quest. Azizah Hatun bint Da'ud said that archery will be at Bwana this Sunday, May 24.

Lord Faelan MacMillan: Tour de Cure will be happening on Saturday, May 30. He is looking for donations and volunteers.

Meister Albrecht Waldfurster: Tol-Con, a Tolkien convention, will be held Nov. 4-6, at The Ramada MSP Airport at the Mall, 2300 East American Boulevard, Bloomington, Minnesota 55425. There will be three feasts: in Elvish, Dwarvish, and Hobbit style. For more information, go to: http://www.tol-con.com/

Ivetta asked us to consider going to the WW workdays. The autocrats Baron Frederick de Fulbert and Syr Gunther KegSlayer wish it to be known that several work days are being scheduled for the month of June in order to prepare the Osseo site for the big event. Those who wish to come and prepare their campsite, or assist with site improvements should plan to come and work during one of the following timeframes: Sunday, June 7; Saturday, June 12–Sunday, June 13; Thursday, June 18–Sunday, June 21. If there is sufficient interest, Syr Gunther could organize a further work period, over the July 4 weekend. Please contact the autocrats directly with any questions you may have.

We will have a Baronial Birthday party at next folkmoot.

Event Updates, Recaps, and Bids

Azizah Hatun bint Da'ud on Coronation: Total attendance: 310 (including 38 children who were not charged a site fee). The net profit was \$1618. This was split 50/50 with the Kingdom, so \$809 to the Barony and \$809 to the Kingdom. Total site rental: \$1155. The site wants us back and they want us to do archery there. Should we do a demo at their Dec. medieval fair? The kitchen is a catering kitchen, for warming only. So we can't bring raw meat there. In the cold season, we really could only do A&S there. Ivetta noted that there actually are adult size chairs in the classrooms.

Lord Bazyli Boleslaw Krakowska on THACO: Total attendance: 80 people (11 nonmembers). \$29.83 profit.

Schutzenfest will be happening in spring because of conflicts this fall.

Nordleigh is having a Michaelmas event on the first Saturday in October.

Ivetta: We need a Twelfth Night bid really soon. It is possibly already too late for usual site?

Requests for Funding and for Borrowing Baronial Equipment

Master Geoffrey of Warwick wants to borrow the archery net and the some loaner archery gear for the Inspirational Invitational and Fall Coronation. The Barony voted "yes"

THL Crispin Fletcher would like to borrow some archery loaner gear for That's Amare. The Barony voted "yes".

Freiin Jutta van der Bruegghen [known as Ivetta]: 1. Is there any one group that borrows our stuff more often than any other? 2. Should we pass on older gear? Actually, the groups need a Marshall more; the gear is a bonus that the Marshall brings along.

OFFICER VOTES

Herald Vote and Questions for the Candidate

Lady Checheyigen Oyugun's statement: I have the volume, I love my hobby, and I want to give back. Questions:

Are you a book herald as well? I have some knowledge but would probably be mostly subcontracting that out. The Kingdom Staff research herald does live in the Barony, for instance, as well as other experts. Results of Vote: The Barony voted "yes".

Seneschal Vote and Questions for the Candidates

Lady Idonea le Lakere's statement: I have been a Baronial officer before (MOAS) and have experience running meetings, etc.

Questions:

Do you think that the Barony needs money or does it have money? I'm in favor of fund raising and happy to defer to Exchequer and the Financial Committee for advice. Will your tenure last longer than six months? Yes. How do you feel about the recruitment of new members? The Barony should do more targeted recruitment like cons, working more with college groups, such as history or fantasy groups at colleges. What should the Barony's relationships be with the cantons? We should be a mentorship relationship with them. How do you see your relationship with the Baron and Baroness? It should be a team effort; working together to solve problems. I have experience handling strong personalities (herding the butterflies). I handle team stuff at work, keeping them on task, broad spectrum of ages.

Lady Niamh ingen Dhomnail's statement: It has been many years since my previous experience as an officer because of running other people's non-profits. I have some extra time now and would like to give back to my favorite non-profit.

Questions:

Do you think that the Barony needs money or does it have money? The Barony needs funding, yes, but not a huge surplus. There are many ways to raise fund and I've done them all. Raising event prices is not a good idea. It's great to have little kids free. I would like to survey the Barony about this. How do you feel about the recruitment of new members? It is important. In Caer Anterth Mawr, we did tons of demos but didn't get a lot of members for the effort. We need mentors for new folks, for retention. What should the Barony's relationships be with the cantons? It should be a mentorship relationship. New folks will be less intimidated by the smaller size of the cantons? I need to learn more about how this works. How do you see your relationship with the Baron and Baroness? It should be a team effort; much closer than that with a Board of Directors. This relationship will vary from individual to individual. I have experience handling strong personalities (herding the butterflies) by running the St. Paul Art Collective for over ten years with over 450 artists.

Results of Vote: The Barony chose Lady Niamh. Thanks to both of you for applying!

Other Items

Ivetta has created a Deputy Seneschal of Historical Stuff: Lady Helena the Quiet will take the Seneschal's file cabinet and scan it into an external hard drive. Some of the items may go to the groups that they pertain to and/or to the Kingdom Historian. No deadline has been set for the completion of this project. A big external hard drive will be bought because she will be storing these items as jpegs.

There will be a talk with the Baron and Baroness about officially handing off the Herald's job.

Meeting was adjourned.

OFFICER CHANGEOVERS IN NORDSKOGEN

Both our Seneschal, Freiin Jutta van der Bruegghen (Ivetta), and our Herald, Lord Faelan MacMillan, wish to step down and are seeking successors. The votes on these two positions were held at the May 20 business meeting. Our new Herald, Lady Checheyigen Oyugun, will step up in June and our new Seneschal, Lady Niamh ingen Dhomnail, will step up after WW in July.

Our Baronial Exchequer, Baroness Amalia St. Edmund, will also be stepping down at the end of this August. For anyone interested in learning more about this officer position, please feel free to contact Baroness Amalia at: exchequer@nordskogen.northshield.org with your questions. A Transition Team consisting of Baroness Amalia (day-to-day, bank), Her Grace Anne Geoffreys of Warwick (Finance Committee), THL Sefa Farmansdottir (Reports) and probably one more (events) will help the new Exchequer learn the job. Those who are interested in applying are asked to submit notice of intent to apply to the Baronial Seneschal, Their Excellencies Nordskogen and to the Exchequer by the July 15 business meeting at which the vote to fill this position will be held.

Our Knights Marshall, Sir Edwin Atte Bridge, would also like to step down. If you are interested in the position, please contact Sir Edwin at: armored@nordskogen.northshield.org and our Baronial Seneschal at: seneschal@nordskogen.northshield.org We would like to be able to vote on this position at the June 17 business meeting.

DANCE PRACTICE RETURNS!

Thanks to Lady Isabetta, the provost, dance practice will resume in Nordskogen every other week on Sunday evenings Room 107 of the GPS's Event Horizon (where rapier happens on Wednesday nights). Baroness Isabella Beatrice della Rosa (Belle) and Lord Tarien Dane from Silfren Mere will be teaching the classes.

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 9-12, 2015

Whispering Pines Campground, S Prairie Rd., Osseo, WI, 54758

Hosted by the Baronies of Nordskogen and Jararvellir

Thursday/Friday Arrival: Adults (18+) \$30; Children (6–17) \$15; Babies/Toddlers (under 6) Free; Family Cap \$75 Saturday Arrival or Day-trip Rate: Adults (18+) \$15; Children (6–17) \$7; Babies/Toddlers (under 6) Free The non-member surcharge of \$5 per full-price adult fee applies on all days.

Optional Charges: Collected at gate but paid to site owner:

Electrical outlet for the full event \$20; RV hookup – per night \$25, RV request to be sent to autocrat in advance. WiFi (Price coming soon): Paid directly to owner.

PAS DES ARMES, FRIDAY, AUGUST 21, 9 AM THROUGH SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, NOON Bellringer Estates, 19848 East Bethel Blvd NE, East Bethel MN 55011 Sponsored by the Shire of Blachemere

Site is handicapped accessible. However, the ground is very sandy.

Steward: Baron Frederick de Fulbert (Warren Barrows), Barrows.Pronto@gmail.com, 763-250-9819
Site Fees: Adults \$15 (+ app. NMS); Students w/ ID \$7 (+ app. NMS); Minor \$5 (+ app. NMS); Kids under 5 free.
Family Cap \$35 (+ applicable NMS); Non-Member Surcharge is \$5.

Feast Fee: \$15 per person; Kids under 5 (Lapsitters) free.

Make checks out to: The Canton of Blachemere

KNOWN WORLD METAL AND GLASS SYMPOSIUM, THURSDAY, SEPT. 3, 9 AM THROUGH SUNDAY, SEPT. 7, 2 PM

Hosted by the Canton of Blachemere and the Shire of Rivenwood Tower McGowan's Farm, 20001 T-198, Mankato MN 56001

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Steward: Meistari Katriona ni Chonarain

Thurs./Fri. arrival: \$20 adult; \$10 age 7-17; age 6 & under free; Sat./Sun. arrival: \$10 adult; \$5 age 7-17; age 6 & under free

\$20 fee per tent for the weekend; \$5 fee for all non-members; Merchants free Checks payable to: SCA Inc., Shire of Rivenwood Towers

DEMO OF THE SCA FOR CAPONI ART PARK, SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 11 AM-4 PM

Here is a link to Nordskogen's site for demo volunteers: https://www.facebook.com/events/1411154775854907
Here is a link to the Caponi Art Park's site for the demo: http://www.caponiartpark.org/programs/medievalfair/
Here is a link to directions to the park: http://www.caponiartpark.org/visit/hours

MICHAELMAS, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3

Hosted by the Canton of Nordleigh

Claudine de la Tour's Home, 10922 E. 270th St., Elko MN 55020 \$5 fee/person (+\$5 non-member surcharge); Free for children under 13 Outdoor event; Potluck meal; Alcohol allowed; Free camping; Goats and chickens on site Archery (walking shoot); Bardic Activities; Dancing

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.

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 and Broadway 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

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,

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.

6/3: Room 106A: Folk moot and potluck! Court!
 6/10: Room 106A: Announcements & socializing
 6/17: Room 106A: Business meeting & socializing
 Room 107: Rapier practice
 Room 107: Rapier practice

6/24: Room 106A: Announcements & socializing Room 107: Rapier practice

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