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A MISSIVE FROM OUR BARON AND BARONESS

Good people of Nordskogen, Nordleigh, and Blachemere, the time is nearly here! As we write, Warriors and Warlords careens toward us like an emperor's unmoored party barge on a storm tide. Are you prepared? Tents aired? A&S entry in progress? Weapons checked? Coolers bleached? Garb ironed...

Nah, let's not go too far.

We are both looking forward to a weekend of challenges, classes, court, and cheer. Nordskogen has reserved a block of camping near the battlefields, and everyone is welcome to join us there. The baronial pavilion will be open as a hospitality space with water and shade all weekend, and on Saturday from 1-3 Lord Madoc will host an A&S display and competition there for the baronial championship. Please enter your work, finished or not, so that we and the kingdom may see the many talents of the barony!

We also hope that each one of you will give an hour or two of time as a volunteer to keep the event running. As of this writing, more than a hundred shifts remain to be filled. As co-hosts, we share responsibility for making this event fun for all, and we can do it with only one volunteer shift per person! Activity schedules have been posted, so you can plan your weekend and sign up at <http://warriorsandwarlords.org/volunteers/>

We are also pleased to welcome our new officers! Lady Lewke verch Gwilim is our new Exchequer and has passed the role of Chatelaine to Jelena di Paganian, and THL Helgi Moosebane has officially taken over as Knight Marshal. We are so happy to have all of you on board! Our great gratitude goes to Wolfstanus for his years as exchequer and to His Highness Melrakki for his work as knight marshal.

Stay cool, drink water, and have fun!

*Yours in service,
Caoilfhionn and Gabriel,
Baroness and Baron Nordskogen*



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 XXVI, 9 A.M. THURSDAY, JULY 11—NOON, SUNDAY, JULY 14, 2019

Tomah Recreation Park, 1625 Butts Ave, Tomah, WI, 54660

Event Stewards: [THL Matthias of Rolling Oaks](#) and [THL Bazyli Boleslaw z Krakowa](#)

Hosted by the Baronies of Nordskogen and Jararvellir

For more information,

see the [WARRIORS AND WARLORDS NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS](#) pages below.

WEEKLY WEDNESDAY MEETING SITE AND SCHEDULE

Folks begin gathering between 6:30 & 7:00 p.m. Announcements are generally at 7:30 p.m.

Meetings end around 9:00 p.m.

Our weekly Wednesday meetings are held in: The Geek Partnership Society's Event Horizon

In the Waterbury Building, the big red building at Jackson St. NE & Broadway St. NE,
(1121 Jackson St. NE, Minneapolis, MN, 55413.)

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

Enter the building on the **TRAIN TRACK (EASTERN) SIDE**.

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

To get to the big parking lot near our entrance door:

From Broadway St., go north on Jackson, drive 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 Twelfth Ave. NE., and take the next right into the parking lot. If you go over the railroad tracks, you've gone too far!

Note: Metal Parking slots are always off limits.

07/03: Room 106A: Announcements & socializing

Room 107: Rapier practice

First Wednesday: Scribal Arts Project Nite! More info. under GENERAL NEWS below.

07/10: Room 106A: Announcements & socializing

Room 107: Rapier practice

07/17: Room 106A: Business meeting & socializing

Room 107: Rapier practice

07/24: Room 106A: Announcements & socializing

Room 107: Rapier practice

Making Largess For Pennsic—Need many hands, not skills!

07/31: Room 106A: Announcements & socializing

Room 107: Rapier practice

WARRIORS AND WARLORDS NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Current As of Time Of Printing

When On Site, Check Info. Point and Privy Press For Updates.

MAIN SCHEDULE

10 July 2019, Wednesday

*Merchants can arrive during the day to set up.

*Legacy groups can start to set up their camps and claim land if they have not done so yet.

4pm: Gate opens

Tee Shirt & Totes Sales open

8pm: Gate closes

Tee Shirt & Totes Sales closes

11 July 2019, Thursday

9am: Gate opens

Info Point opens

Tee Shirt & Totes Sales opens

4pm: Tee Shirt & Totes Sales closes

6pm: Info Point closes

8pm: Gate closes

12 July 2019, Friday

9am: Gate opens

Info Point opens

Tee Shirt & Tote Sales opens

3pm: Tour for the general public starts at Gate

4pm: Tee Shirt & Tote Sales closes

6pm: Info Point closes

Brewing & vintning challenge starts in the Class Pavilion

7pm: Court on Armored Combat Field

Brewing & vintning samples for the public starts in the Class Pavilion

8pm: Gate closes

Bad Baroness Tournament

13 July 2019, Saturday

9am: Gate opens

Info Point opens

Tee Shirt & Totes Sales opens

Noon: Tour for the general public starts at Gate

1pm: Exchequer Ice Cream Social

2pm: Gate closes

Info Point closes

3pm: Family Faire, at the Class Pavilion

Tour for the general public starts at Gate

Tee Shirt & Totes Sales closes

5pm: Hair of Northshield in the Class Pavilion

6pm: Court

After court: Dance Ball (in same location as court)

One hour after court: Badminton tournament on the Rapier Field

14 July 2019, Sunday

Site cleanup

Dismantle showers

WARRIORS AND WARLORDS NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (con.)

New Site This Year!

As you may have noted, we are moving to a new site this year: Tomah Recreation Park, 1625 Butts Avenue in Tomah, WI. The [Monroe County Fair](#) happens here every year (July 24-28 this year) as well as Coille Stoirmeil's annual event, That Moot Thingy.

Bad Baroness Challenge

The Baronesses of Nordskog ([Kellie Hultgren](#)) and Jararvellir ([Deena Patterson](#)) have observed that the "baddest" among us must be adept at encouraging and leading others into shenanigans. This year the entire event is their playground: Who will take home the traveling coronet? Therefore, for this year's competition:

Any baroness (landed or court) may assemble a team of up to five people (not including the baroness) to represent them and earn points for their team. If you wish to enter the challenge, please notify the scorekeeper, Meistari Sefa, that you intend to participate.

To preregister (encouraged!), email your name and the names of your team members to baroness@nordskog.org. To register at the event, please visit Irontree Works in the merchant area to fill out a form and put it in the mailbox and then pick up scoresheets.

People are absolutely welcome to participate in the Bad Baroness Tourney and Baronesses' Whim without joining the larger challenge!

Scoring:

- Each team member will receive a scoresheet and record any points they earn on it.
- Participants must ask the marshal or organizer of an activity to initial their scoresheet to verify their participation. Should the marshal/organizer/teacher happen to be that team's baroness, another marshal/organizer/teacher present must verify the points.
- Use one sheet for each day of the event that you participate. Sheets from Thursday and Friday may be turned in before Saturday.
- These sheets must be turned in to the scorekeeper, Meistari Sefa, or delivered to the mailbox at the Irontree Works merchant booth. The baroness may collect them for the team, or participants may deliver them directly.
- All scoresheets must be turned in by 4:00 p.m. Saturday for tallying.

Baronesses themselves may not earn points for their team. However, each baroness may award one point to a team or team member who inspires them. Award inspiration points by giving them to the scorekeeper or dropping them in the mailbox.

Points are earned as follows:

10 points: winner of Baronesses' Whim Rapier Tournament or Bad Baroness Armored Torchlight Tourney

5 points to the runner up of each of these tourneys

3 points: winner of any other tournament/competition scheduled at the event (armored, fencing, archery, thrown weapons, equestrian, youth combat, A & S)

3 points: teach a class

2 points: volunteer at least 1 hour (includes all standard volunteer shifts plus marshalling, list minister, heralding, etc.)

1 point: Any of the following:

- Participate in any organized tournament, shoot, equestrian challenge, or throw (e.g., not pickups, open range, etc.)
- Participate in an A&S display
- Take a class
- Perform at bardic

Participants may only earn points ONCE PER DAY in each activity category. Show the breadth of your talents! However, if you score for one activity (e.g., participate in a shoot, 1 pt.) and then earn a higher point value in the same activity later in the day (e.g., win a shoot, 3 pts.), fill in the higher-scored activity in the blank lines at the bottom of the sheet and then cross out the lower-value one. (Score only once: this example earns 3 points for the archery category, not a total of 4.)

Their Excellencies Caoilfhionn and Jois encourage baronesses to inspire their team members with tokens or small gifts showing who they represent and encouraging those persons to have a fun WW. When possible, we encourage baronesses to watch their team at tournaments, to cheer them on and further encourage them, and, as appropriate, to boast them in or introduce them to the crowd.

The winner of the Bad Baroness Challenge will receive the traveling coronet plus a prize shareable with team members.

Badminton Tournament

The Orphanage de Lyon is sponsoring a Badminton Tournament on the Rapier Field beginning one hour after court ends on Saturday. All are invited to come and cheer for the teams of two as they battle it out under the stars. Snacks and beverages will be served. Those wanting adult beverages will be carded.

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Bardic Activities Organizer: Dahrien Cordell (cell #: 414-467-1335 (unlimited calls/texts/data))

You CAN share bardic arts *anywhere*, really, as long as you're polite about where, when, and what—so if you want Dahrien's help announcing or to reserve the bardic area, let him know!

Planned Activities

- Bardic circles round the fire: Each night at dark until the last person abandons the circle!
- Daytime bardic circles: 3pm Friday (Bring snacks & drink to share if you like!) ... and 10:00am Saturday (Bring breakfast/brunch food & drink to share if you like!)
- Note: Friday afternoon 1:00 - 3:00 pm, there is a 2-hour drumming class at the bardic area; it makes sense to host a noisy activity there.
- An opportunity: Dahrien is happy to teach "Fitting Your New Words To An Existing Tune," to one or a group; just arrange time with him. It can be quick, 10 or 15 minutes fast run-through or an hour or more with work.
- Workshopping: Let's see if we can help each other with pieces in progress. Friday 10am, AND any other time you can get someone to work with you.
- All event! Ahead of the event, learn a story about Tyl Eulenspiegel, a fun trickster character — or about Nasrudin (spellings of this name vary) — the wisest of fools and most foolish of wise men. Check online and your local library! Then pick random polite times & places around site to just stop and tell the story! See who stops to listen to a part or the whole thing! You can do it as many times as you wish! (If you get any fun stories about those times, share them at the circles!)

Bardic Champion Competition—In the Bardic Area

Their Majesties will be holding the competition to choose Their Bardic Champion at WW! Round #1 will happen from noon until 1pm on Friday, Round #2 will happen from 9am until 10am on Saturday, and the conclusion will happen at evening court on Saturday.

Brewing Challenge Sponsored by Master Sigeric Unsiker In the Class Pavilion

I am pleased to announce we will be hosting a Brewing Challenge again this year at the Warriors and Warlords event. This is open to all Brewers/Wine Makers/Cordial Makers/Mead Makers to showcase your skills and talents. Judging will take place on Friday evening starting at 6pm, and will consist of the main 4 categories (Beer, Wine, Mead, and Cordials). All entrants will need to submit one bottle for judging. The bottle should include your name/sca name, category and a list of main ingredients. For those of you not entering the challenge, we will also be hosting a hospitality table Friday night (at the Pavilion), starting at 7pm. Here you will have a chance to meet other brewers and share samples of your creations with the populace. Please label your bottles and remember to bring your ID's if you want to do any sampling. If you know someone that makes your favorite beverage, please pass this information along.

Classes: The class schedule is up! Go [here](#) for the schedule and [here](#) for the descriptions.

Courts—Joint Royal/Baronial

Friday--8:00 pm on the Armored Field

Saturday--6:00 pm in the Class Pavilion

Dance Ball in the Class Pavilion And More

The dance ball will be on Saturday night, 30 Minutes post-Court. Please also check the class schedule for a variety of dance offerings.

Early Arrival

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.

Electricity Fee

There is no electricity fee! There are multiple electrical hook ups all over the fairgrounds. You are responsible for providing your own adapters, splitters, and cords. The adapter that you will need is: 30 amp male to 15 amp female. Generators are not allowed at WW for any reason.

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Emergency Room—Directions To Tomah Memorial Hospital, 321 Butts Ave., 608-372-2181

Get to the main entrance of the event, just past Gate.

Turn right (east) on Grassman St.

Take the next left (north) on Butts Ave.

Proceed north for eight blocks. The hospital and emergency room will be on your left.

Exchequer Ice Cream Social in the Class Pavilion—Saturday, 1pm-2pm

Saturday--1:00 - 2:00 pm

Come meet the kingdom exchequer and deputies. Ask questions about the jobs, forms or anything you have ever wanted to know about the office of Exchequer.

Family Cap and Registration

Families pay for two adult registrations and for the first minor child. All other minor children in the family are free. ***In order to qualify for the Family Cap, all family members must pass through gate together unless they have pre-registered. Please note that all children must be registered even if not paying for attendance.*** You can speed up your check-in process by printing off and completing the appropriate forms: [Minor Medical Waiver](#); [Minor Waiver](#); [Family Minor Waiver](#)

Family Fun Faire in the Class Pavilion

Saturday 3:00 - 4:00 pm

There will be several fun activities with for kids and their families! Face painting, fun photos, make your own sand art token, a Children's Garb Exchange, and more! Please bring clothes for the Garb Exchange to the Welcome Inn or Info. Point.

Fees

Adult Weekend Registration (18+): \$40; Adult Member Weekend Registration (18+): \$35

Minor (ages 6 to 17) Weekend Registration: \$15 (children 5 years old and under are free)

Adult Day Registration (18+): \$20; Adult Member Day Registration (18+): \$15

Minor (ages 6 to 17) Day Registration: \$10 (children 5 years old and under are free).

Fires and Fire Safety

The following rules apply **ONLY** if there are no other burning restrictions in place.

Fires are allowed but must be in off-the-ground fire containers. Cold ash and cinders should be disposed of in a designated dumping area. Unattended fires will be extinguished. All flames (including candles) must be contained in non-flammable containers and have a bucket of water or fire extinguisher on hand in case of emergency.

Food

Hang Around Café will be providing a menu that includes fry bread (plain and with cinnamon sugar); fry bread with fruit topping; fry bread with ham and cheese; a fry bread taco; and roast beef sundaes; plus, coffee, iced tea, and lemonade.

Garb Consultation Table—Hosted by the Welcome Inn (more info. on the Welcome Inn below)

The Garb Consultation table offers direction to anyone seeking guidance regarding garb from different centuries or cultures. There are books available showing garb, information on appropriate fabrics, and resources for patterns.

New to the SCA or just interested in something different, all are welcome.

Gate Hours

Wed., July 10: 4pm to 8pm; Thurs., July 11: 9am to 8:00pm; Fri., July 12: 9am to 8pm; Sat., July 13: 9am to 2pm.

Hair of Northshield--In the Class Pavilion—Gather at 5pm, Begin at 5:15 pm

This is a contest to determine who has the best Hair in all of Northshield. Securing your place as either a judge (the panel of judges has been filled) or contestant is done with a \$25 donation to the Kingdom endowment fund.

Heraldic Volunteers Needed For WW!

Due to my schedule and physical limitations, I am looking for help heralding at the event. Specifically including the Bad Baroness Tourney, which will require two or three experienced folks to shout over the din of battle, and Baronial Court on Saturday evening. It would also be great to have a couple of extra heralds for announcements during the days, particularly Sunday, as I will not be on site that day at all. Please respond to [me](#) or to the [Baron](#) and [Baroness](#) and Their Excellencies and I will work out a schedule with any and all help we can get, to make sure you have a great time at the event and all the necessary shouting gets done.

Thanks! Lord Irial O'Hearnon, Nordskogen Herald

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Horses!!!!

For the first time in 26 years, there will be horses at WW. Since the horses will be moving from their barn to their activity area each day, we all need to be aware of the rules and will be required to read them as part of gating in. Go [here](#) for those rules and for more information.

Ice and Firewood To Be Sold On Site By 4H

The Valle-Ville 4H club will be selling ice and firewood out of the Monroe County 4H stand which is on the south side of the grandstands. Hours of sale will be Noon to 9 pm, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. Exact pricing hasn't been set yet, but we're told that their prices will be less than anywhere off site! The ages of this club range from kindergarten to 15 years old with the majority in the 9 to 11 age bracket.

Info. Point Hours

Thursday, July 11: 9am to 6:00pm; Friday, July 12: 9am to 6pm; Saturday, July 13: 9am to 2pm.

Martial Activities

The martial activities schedule is up! Go [here](#) for the schedule.

Merchants At WW—More information on their products is available [here](#).

7 Hens (In Blacksmith Row)	Griffin's Rose	Kraken Press
Bear Leathers	Hands of the Healer	Lokissons Bargain Loot
BeeAttitude Apiary and Iarnvidia Craftwork	Hang Around Café	MacGregor Historic Games
Blu Clover Studios (In Blacksmith Row)	Heartfelt Aromatics and Henna	Output Sales
Blue Anvil Forge (In Blacksmith Row)	HoBO Rose	Rhians Feathers
Broom and Crow	Imps Cottage	Thistlewood Manor Soap
Essentially Eiya	Ingrid the Crafty	Tosten's Pots
Faust Blades	Irontree Works (In Blacksmith Row)	Ursula's Alcove
Forge of IHM (In Blacksmith Row)	Kit Designs by Kithandra	White Stag Jewelry
Grey Goose Bows		

Nordskogen's Next Baronial A&S Champion Search, 1-3pm, Saturday, July 13, in the Nordskogen Baronial Pavilion

Nordskogen's interim A&S champion here, Lord Madoc ap Jones, excited to announce:

Their Excellencies of Nordskogen are bringing their search for the next baronial A&S Champion to WW. Bring your best work to display for the kingdom! Unfinished projects encouraged. Written and/or oral documentation is welcome, but not required. At minimum, please come prepared to fill out a 3x5" card (supplied) with the 5 W's: who, what, when, where, why. Drop off your entries and fill out your card between 1pm-1:30pm. Entrants may display without being considered for the championship, but all those gentles who are active within Nordskogen, Nordleigh, and Blachemere and are willing to champion the growth of the arts and sciences in our Barony and Cantons are encouraged to compete. The search will take place from 1-3pm on Saturday, July 13th in the Nordskogen Baronial Pavilion. Any questions please let me know [here](#), with a PM, or via email at madocapjones@gmail.com

Pets

Pets are allowed at this new site. No large animals except for horses are allowed. Pets will not be allowed in areas where food is being prepared or sold. If there are a lot of rules violations, pets may not be allowed on site in the future. See this [link](#) for the rules.

Radio Use

Please use channels 1, 2, and 10-14 for personal communications. Channels 3-9 are in use by event departments.

Rules

The rules for this event can be found [here](#).

RVs

There are lots of RV hookups at this new site. If you are planning on bringing an RV, please contact [THL Matthias of Rolling Oaks](#) directly. The only extra charge is \$10 for electricity if your RV has air conditioning. There is **NOT** a dumping station for use on site.

Shade At The New Site

There is not much shade. While the Event Stewards are coming up with various ways of dealing with this, please be prepared to bring some of your own.

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Tee Shirt and Tote Sale Hours and Location

Tee shirt and tote sales will be located next to the Gate. The hours are:

Wednesday: 4:00 pm-8:00 pm

Thursday & Friday: 9:00 am-4:00 pm

Saturday: 9:00 am-3:00 pm

They will also be available before Saturday Court if there are any left.

Volunteers

Without the service of our volunteers, no event in the SCA could happen. Many hands make the task easier, and with the largest event in the kingdom there are many, many tasks. So please help out where you can. Go [here](#) to find the sign up roster to see what shifts need filling and [here](#) to find descriptions of the various tasks. To volunteer, please send an email to: ldhprahl@gmail.com. Your email should include: your modern name, sca name, a cell number so we can contact you, and the shift(s) you wish to sign up for as well as which department.

Warriors and Warlords Work Week Meal Plan—Last Call, Sunday, June 30, AT NOON

It is that time of year again for Warriors and Warlords. Again, this year Baron Ed the Tall will be running Strawboss and will be having a meal plan for Work Week. The cost is \$5 per meal and will be running from lunch on Monday, July 8 through lunch on Wednesday, July 10. If you wish to participate in this meal plan, please contact Lord Daniel the Dangerously Devoted at dan@toppstorm.me so they can plan for numbers at meals. **If you have allergies, please let them know no later than the 30th of June at noon.**

Water Hookups at WW 26

In order to make use of these, you will need garden hose and hose splitters (with shut offs).

The Welcome Inn

The Welcome Inn is a place for newcomers to get information. Those attending their first event are especially encouraged to visit. The Inn will be open from 3pm to 6pm on Thursday and then 10am to 4pm on Friday and Saturday. It will be located in the same Pavilion as the A&S classes and Court. Visitors, New SCA Members or those talked into attending their first event/ first camping event are all encouraged to stop by to enter the newcomer PRIZE DRAWINGS. AND, those who brought a new person to their first event/first camping event can enter a different drawing for... wait for it... FABRIC! The Welcome Inn is sponsoring three classes and has brought up Vincent De Vere from Calontir (vincent.devere.calontir@gmail.com) (www.starsandgarters.org) to teach them. Look for "Welcome Inn" on the class schedule. The Welcome Inn is also hosting the Garb Consultation Table (more information above).

Welcome Inn Class Descriptions

Making the Sale, Ver. 2.0, 2019: Friday 10am to 11am

Vincent De Vere, Axed Root, Calontir (vincent.devere.calontir@gmail.com) (www.starsandgarters.org)

This presentation uses the model of sales and marketing to discuss recruitment and retention efforts for groups and regions. This covers topics like opening discussions on your target market and market environment, training for people who are doing the recruitment, organizing your recruitment materials and forming a more coherent recruitment strategy.

The SCA Iowa Project: (Recruiting 101), Ver. 1.0, 2019: Friday 11am to Noon

Vincent De Vere, Axed Root, Calontir (vincent.devere.calontir@gmail.com) (www.starsandgarters.org)

This is an introduction to a project to create and improve recruitment and retention infrastructure and strategies as used in the state of Iowa. The introduction covers the creation of recruitment materials, recruitment infrastructure such as social media and linking together the materials, strategies and people into coordinated efforts to improve the rate of return on recruitment efforts.

Adjustable and Flexible Clothing (Loaner Garb). Ver. 1.0, 2019: Saturday 10am to Noon**

Vincent De Vere, Axed Root, Calontir (vincent.devere.calontir@gmail.com) (www.starsandgarters.org)

This class covers modifications made to three classic SCA costuming styles to produce adjustable fitted garments as well as highlighting other styles that have a flexible fit and extend the usefulness of the gold key. Originally intending to produce fitted and flattering garments for a range of body shapes and sizes for loaner clothing, others have used these for younger members who are growing and members who are fluctuating in size. This covers a modification done to Cotehardies, basic SCA Hangeroc (Norse apron dresses) and Bliaut as well as highlighting other flexible styles we have used like the Eura dress, chiton, stola and peplos. The class includes patterning of a fitted dress and demonstration of construction of one style. The target audience is those new to the SCA and those who help those new to the SCA.

** Vincent will stay with the class until 12:30pm to support those making an advanced pattern or a new piece of garb.

ONE LUCKY CLASS ATTENDEE WILL RECEIVE A COMPLETED ADJUSTABLE GARMENT TO KEEP OR CONTRIBUTE TO THEIR LOCAL GROUP'S GOLD KEY LOANER GARB.

GENERAL NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Seeking An Autocrat For Twelfth Night in 2020

Even though we have left the winter months, we must look to our future winter wonders. Before we know it 12th Night will be upon us again. Who among you will take on the mantle of autocrat to run this wonderous event of joy and warmth as we celebrate with our chosen family? Please email both the [Baron](#) and [Baroness](#) of Nordskogen and the [Seneschal](#), if you are interested in taking on this position.

Monthly Scribal Arts Project Night, Wednesday, July 3

This is an open project night for those interested in the scribal and book arts to come learn, share, teach or show off their projects.

More Information On Project Nights

All are welcome to all project nights! If you want to host a project (embroidery, fabric cutting, wood carving, etc., it's up to you!) please let Lady Niamh ingen Dhonnail know by messaging [Robyn Beth Priestley](#) on Facebook and she'll get things scheduled.

Nordskogen Webminister Seeks A Successor

Our Webminister, THL Cecily of York, wishes to step down in July 2019 and is seeking a successor. If you are interested in applying for this position, please contact [THL Cecily](#). Your letter of interest is due to our [Seneschal](#). Please cc [THL Cecily](#) and our [Baron](#) and [Baroness](#). Please include what you consider to be your qualifications (mundane and SCA), and why you would like the job, or what you would hope to accomplish. A candidate has stepped up: Lady Ceolwen ingen Adaim. The election will be held at the July business meeting on Wednesday, July 17.

New Nordskogen Knight Marshal!

At the June business meeting, our new Knight Marshal, THL Helgi Moosebane, was confirmed. Thanks to THL Helgi for volunteering and to His Highness Melrakki for his service.

New Nordskogen Chatelaine!

At the June business meeting, our new Chatelaine, Jelena di Pagania, was confirmed. Thanks to Jelena for volunteering and to Lady Lewke for her service.

New Nordskogen Exchequer!

At the June business meeting, our new Exchequer, Lady Lewke verch Gwilim, called Lucky, was confirmed. Thanks to Lady Lewke for volunteering and to Lord Wolfstanus for his service.

A New Community Sewing Space

[Treadle Yard Goods](#), 1338 Grand Avenue, St. Paul, 651-698-9690, now offers a Sew Together Space: a community gathering space for groups or individuals to sew and socialize!



The space is available during Treadle store hours at no cost. Feel free to drop in with no reservation, or call ahead to reserve a time to ensure the space will be available for you.

There is room for 4 to 6 people, depending on the project. Bring your sewing machine, project, and supplies. Cutting table, iron, and ironing board are provided. Please be courteous and limit your time to 3 hours and clean up your workspace when you are done. Occasional special events in the store and group reservations may make space unavailable. Please check the [events calendar](#) or call the store for availability.

NOTES FROM THE NORDSKOGEN BUSINESS MEETING, JUNE 26, 2019

Baroness Sorcha Bhuidhe (Sarah Oldenburg Garcia) presiding

Mistress Rosanore of Redthorn (Susan G. Henry) recording

Approx. 27 in attendance

Call to order

Officers' Reports

Their Excellencies Baroness Caoilfhionn and Baron Gabriel:

WW is coming up in July and hope you, like us, are going. Award recommendations for WW are closed. However, They are still accepting recommendations for the future. They are still looking for people to watch over the Baronial Pavilion at WW. Please note that we do have two volunteers for shifts. The Pavilion is where the A&S Championship and Display will be. Notecards will be available for entrants. Unfinished projects are welcome. If you are looking for a Baroness to be part of their team for the Bad Baroness competition, Their Excellencies can help. Note: you can participate in the Baroness's Whim without taking part in the larger challenge. At the Wednesday, July 24 meeting, They will be hosting a largesse making activity for Pennsic. More hands than skill needed. Note: if the Baron looks lonely at WW, please feel free to go up and talk to him.

Exchequer and Financial Report

Lord Wolfstanus Lightfote

April 2019 ending balance:	\$ 23,615.34
Income:	\$ 81.82
Expenditures:	\$ 1,058.00
May 2019 ending balance:	\$ 22,639.16
Balance Change:	\$ (976.18)

Donations for the year 2019: \$693.78

Please note that a donation of \$3-10 per month per person would help us cover expenses. Exchequer wishes to step down by July 2019. One candidate so far. The candidate is Lady Lewke verch Gwilim, called Lucky and we voted on this at the June 26 business meeting and confirmed the candidate.

Seneschal, Baroness Sorcha Bhuidhe: Having a meeting on 7/3 and 7/10. Business meeting next month: 7/17.

Knight's Marshal, Sir Refkell Melrakki Einarsson: Deputy THL Helgi Moosebane reporting: No injuries. Proposing that we donate three of our redundant helms to Avonwood. No paperwork needed for such a donation. Donation approved. Since Sir Melrakki is the new Prince of Northshield, there was an election at this business and THL Helgi was confirmed.

Boffer Captain, Lord Tribaldi de Gritti: No injuries to report. 13 kids at Castle Fever and finally had to put an end to it as it went all day. Hope for a good turnout at WW. Restocked our gear. Taking a break for the summer and will start up again when school starts.

Thrown Weapons Captain, Comtesse Guenievre du Dragon Vert: There have been some practices, covered by Lord Wolfstanus Lightfote. Currently the time is Sundays from 10-noon at Lord Lachlann's (MiT) and THL Muirenn's house. Summer schedule is set up. New folks have come. Maintenance and upkeep of equipment ongoing. Some equipment went to Castle Fever, brought by Lord Wolfstanus. No injuries.

Signet, THL Amary Fairamay: Scribes are busy and we have new volunteers. Please include some more information about yourself and your persona in your Kingdom profile. Send award recommendations. No injuries.

Minister of Arts and Sciences, Lady Helena the Quiet:

From Lady Niamh ingen Dhomnail: Lady Helena is working tonight. Scribal Night is continuing on first Wednesdays. Largesse making for Pennsic will be Wednesday, July 24. Let her know if you want to do a project night.

Quartermaster, Baroness Kateryn of Roseberry Topping, called Khadijah: We still have stuff. It's still in the shed. We have a new cooler! Parking signs from 12th Night have been put away!

Officers' Reports (con.)

Chatelaine, Lady Lewke verch Gwilim, called Lucky: 7 inquiries. New folks coming to meeting and events, too. This position was voted on at the business meeting and the candidate, Jelena di Pagania, was confirmed.

Webminister, Lady Cecily of York: Still have a website. No injuries. A candidate for this position has stepped forward: Lady Ceolwen ingen Adaim. The election will be held at the July 17 business meeting.

Rapier Captain, THL Sven Asvaldarson: No injuries or problems to report. A couple of new people tonight. Rapier is happening outside tonight and it's hot out there.

Clerk of Precedence, Lady Cynthia the Innocent: Not present. Sent a report. Award records taken off website, about to be replaced by a searchable spreadsheet. No injuries to report.

Herald, Lord Irial Féasruadh ó hIarnáin: Nothing to report. No injuries.

Chronicler, Mistress Rosanore of Redthorn: All is going well.

Archery Captain, Meistari Sefa Farmansdóttir: Not present. Reported by others that 8-12 consistently attend this practice. An "equestrian" practice was held last week. Running the Aquila shoot consistently.

Old Business

WWXVI

Please volunteer and get your friends and their friends to do so as well.

Children's garb exchange at WW. Dropoff: Welcome Inn or Info. Point. Wash them please.

New Business

Schützenfest

Budget presented and questions answered.

Meistari Katriona ni Chonarain: Daniel Serra here in September. Want to have him do a workshop? What nights are good? Weekdays? Weekends? Interest in all of these alternatives was expressed. Will probably be held at Meistari Katriona's.

Still seeking an autocrat for 12th Night in 2020. A mentor can be found if they've never done an event before.

Announcements

Dance next week, on July 4!, 6:30-8:30 pm, in the rapier practice room (107).

House concert by Warwick Consort at Geoff and Anne's. this Saturday, June 29, 1-3pm.

Mistress Rosanore is seeking a ride to WW, leaving on Wednesday, July 10, and returning on Sunday, July 14.

Meeting adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

If you have any questions about anything in this newsletter, please feel free to contact the Chronicler at: (651)-699-0714 (before 10 p.m.) or at chronicler@nordskogen.org