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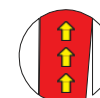
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A MISSIVE FROM OUR BARON AND BARONESS

As the snowstorm looms, warm greetings to you all!

The response to the Toys for Tots/Holiday Socks of Love tournaments has been wonderful so far, and we are moved by your generosity and enthusiasm. Our first-ever youth boffer tourney brought in 50 toys for donation, and the rapier tourney brought in 282 more. We'd like to thank you all especially for stepping up to the challenge of our new, local charity, Holiday Socks of Love: two of their representatives attended the rapier tournament and were thrilled to accept nine filled stockings plus a box of additional donations for fostered and adopted kids in Minnesota. And we still have one tourney to go! We're looking forward to the archery tourney on December 1 for our final total.

With the new month, our attention turns to the call for Twelfth Night volunteers. Please plan to give an hour or two of your time to make this event happen: visit <https://nordskogentn.wordpress.com/volunteer-signup/> to sign up. Please sign up early, for the sanity of the event staff! Without volunteers, we have no events.

Thank you to those who turned in award recommendations! Our Twelfth Night court is now full, but please keep the recommendations coming for the new year. The deadline to turn in stuffed toys created for the kingdom toy chest is the December 18 business meeting. If you'd like to participate but haven't had a chance, please contact Baroness Caoilfhionn or our Minister of Arts & Sciences, Lady Helena the Quiet, at moas@nordskogen.org.

This month we will both journey to Boar's Head to witness the transition of the baronial seats of Caer Antherth Mawr. Gabriel also plans to journey to Calontir for the renowned shopping event, Kris Kinder. We hope to see you on the road as well as at local activities! Winter weather is always a concern, so please watch social media and the Google group for activity cancellations in case of a storm.

*Safe travels and warm welcomes to you all.
Caoilfhionn and Gabriel,
Baroness and Baron of Nordskogen*



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.

12/04: **Room 106A:** Announcements & socializing **Room 107:** Rapier practice

First Wednesday: Scribal Arts Project Night!

12/11: **Room 106A:** Announcements & socializing **Room 107:** Rapier practice

12/18: **Room 106A:** Business meeting & socializing **Room 107:** Rapier practice

12/25: **CANCELLED FOR THE HOLIDAY!**

UPCOMING BARONIAL SPECIAL EVENTS

Period clothing will be required for these. Please note that the Barony has period clothing & feast dishes to loan.

TOYS FOR TOTS/HOLIDAY SOCKS OF LOVE TOURNEYS

Results for Boffer, Rapier, and Armored Tournaments Listed on p. 5.

Archery Tourney: Rescheduled to SUNDAY, DEC. 15, At Bwana Archery Range, Little Canada, 9-11 a.m.

Directions to Bwana Archery, 3015 Country Drive, Little Canada, MN, 55117 (I-35E and 694), 651-482-9866:

*Take your best route to I-35E and Little Canada Road (Exit 112).

*From I-35E Northbound: At the top of the exit ramp, turn left onto Little Canada Road.

Then turn right on the frontage road (Country Drive) on the west side of I-35E.

*From I-35E Southbound: At the top of the exit ramp, turn right onto Little Canada Road.

Then turn right on the frontage road (Country Drive) on the west side of I-35E.

*The range is about 1 mile up Country Drive. Look for the large yellow archery sign on your left.

Here's a link to a map: https://www.facebook.com/pg/BwanaArchery/about/?ref=page_internal

Due to the winter storm warning and accompanying icy/snowy roads, we have rescheduled the Toys for Tots archery tournament to Sunday, December 15, from 9-11 a.m. at Bwana Archery. This is the second to last day for Toys for Tots donations. **Garb is encouraged, but not required.** A potluck table for treats to share will be provided. The Baroness is bringing doughnuts! Fees will be covered by the Barony. There will be room to watch and sponsor archers, as well as loaner gear if you'd like to shoot but don't have equipment. Entrants and spectators are encouraged (but not required) to donate one or more toys at the tourney. The rules vary, but extra toy donations can be exchanged for rule changes, competitor choices, player challenges, and other complications for a fun and often hilarious tourney. If you don't have toys to donate but want to shoot or watch, please come: there will be extras!

Questions? Please contact Baroness Caoilfhionn at: baroness@nordskogen.org

The final deadline for Socks of Love donations is earlier than Dec. 15: please bring your Socks donations to Baroness Caoilfhionn at armored combat practice on Tuesday, Dec. 3, or to the Wednesday meeting on Dec. 4 at GPS, or arrange another handoff by messaging her directly at baroness@nordskogen.org

Gift Suggestions for Holiday Socks of Love

Holiday Socks of Love provides holiday stockings filled with small gifts for Minnesota kids in foster care. Choose gifts that will fit into a stocking such as card games, markers or crayons, Play-Doh, gift cards, socks, ear buds, Mad Libs and kids' books. Skinny paperbacks can be rolled to fit. Small board books and CDs (music or audiobooks) should also fit.

Gift Suggestions for Toys for Tots

We are once again emphasizing Toys for Tots donations for the youngest and oldest age brackets (babies and teens), as they are the most typically under-donated groups. Toddler books and toys are very welcome. For teens, Toys for Tots suggests sporting equipment, bags, and balls; books, backpacks, cosmetics, purses, watch/wallet gift sets, bath gift sets, board games, radio control cars/trucks, hand-held electronics, skateboards/helmets, curling irons, hair straighteners, and hair dryers. Music CDs of popular teen music are also a fun idea. CDs from the "Now that's what I call Music" series are a safe bet. **Realistic-looking weapons and gifts with food will not be accepted by Toys for Tots.** Thanks for your patience, and we're looking forward to seeing you there!

TWELFTH NIGHT

SATURDAY, JAN. 11, 2020—SUNDAY, JAN. 12, 2020 Lord of Light Church, 14501 Nowthen Blvd NW, Ramsey MN 55303

Event Stewards: Baroness Kateryn of Roseberry Topping, called Khadijah and Lord Irial Féasruadh ó hIarnáin

Fees: Registration (18+) – \$15; Registration for Members (18+) – \$10; Minors (0–17) – *Free*

Lunch: \$5. Go [here](#) for the lunch menu.

Please preregister so we know how much to make for lunch. Preregistrations are due by **January 4, 2020.**

Schedule is [here](#).

Please signup to volunteer [here](#).

Planned activities currently include armored combat, rapier combat, archery (on Sunday), the jumble sale, and a scavenger hunt.

UPCOMING BARONIAL SPECIAL EVENTS (con.)

SCHÜTZENFEST XIII

5 PM, FRIDAY, MAY 29, 2020--NOON, SUNDAY, MAY 31, 2020

Camp Singing Hills, 49496 193rd Ave, Waterville, MN 56096

Hosted by the Barony of Nordskogen in the lands of Rivenwood Tower **Event Steward: Mistress Rosanore of Redthorn**
Join us for a weekend packed with archery, thrown weapons, and the competition for the title of Schützenkönig, king of marksmen!

OTHER WEEKLY MEETINGS AND SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

For more information on these meetings, see the current version of our weekly newsletter, the Nib, at this [link](#).

GENERAL NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Last Minute Toy Making Session, Sunday, December 1

On Sunday, December 1, Lady Niamh ingen Dhonnail will be holding a last-minute cutting-and-sewing session for stuffies for the Toy Chest Work will begin about 10:30, and go until about 2:00 - or until we're done! Bring fabric scissors if you have them. And needles and embroidery floss if you have that, and want to contribute. Niamh will have some of those, and all other supplies will be provided. The space is in the Lowertown Underground Artists co-op gallery, Northern Warehouse, 308 Prince Street, Saint Paul 55102. We have a fridge, microwave, and there is a lovely cafe on site, plus other restaurants in walking distance. Please [comment](#) on Facebook with questions and to let Niamh know if you can come!

Canton of Nordleigh's December A&S Meeting—Making Small Twelfth Night Gifts For Friends

Nordleigh's December A&S meeting will be held on the second Thursday, December 12, from 7-10 pm at [St. Peter's Lutheran Church](#), 418 East Sumner St, Northfield, MN, 55057, in the Fellowship Hall. Enter the hall from the back parking lot. This month, we will be making a needle case while talking about other little personal or handmade gifts, and, for those who think they are non-crafty, how to put some small gifts together from inexpensive things that are bought. As always, if you prefer, bring your own craft project suited to the tables and elbow room in a church hall. Supplies will be provided so please RSVP to the MOAS, THL Ingeborg i Trondheimi, at: 443-813-2941 or at: lorraine.rovig@gmail.com or [leave a note on Nordleigh's Facebook group](#).

NOTE: If winter cancels Northfield's schools, then this meeting is canceled, too.

Due Date for Largesse Stuffed Animals

Our Minister of Arts and Sciences, Lady Helena the Quiet, has informed me that stuffed animals should be handed in at the December business meeting on Wednesday, Dec. 18.

Greetings To Stabbing Inclined Griffins!

We would like to officially invite our fellow Northshields out for a big fencing practice on Sunday, Jan. 5, from 2 pm to 4 pm at the [UW Madison Stock Pavilion](#), 1675 Linden Drive, Madison, WI, 53706-1284. (We have the pavilion starting at noon, so while the official rapier practice starts at 2, we can start earlier to make it more worthwhile for those traveling from out of town.) Come fight folks outside your usual group, review melee strategy in prep for Gulf Wars, and I am sure at least a few folks will be grabbing dinner afterwards. Spread the word! Hope to see you there! YIS, THL [Clydwyn Gwehydd](#)

TOYS FOR TOTS/SOCKS OF LOVE RESULTS SO FAR

Boffer Toys for Tots/Socks of Love Tourney, Tuesday, November 19

Nordskogen, your youth fighters met the first Toys for Tots/Socks of Love challenge with joy and enthusiasm, meeting each other in honorable combat and then defeating the terrible toy monster to bring the first **FIFTY toys** to the toy drive. Many thanks to our combatants for their efforts: it was a pleasure seeing your skill on the field! Thanks also to Tribaldi for marshaling and organizing the tournament; to Kristina for marshaling and wrangling; to Amary, Lewke, and Helena for general assistance as well as cheering; to His Highness for surprise marshaling as well as joining the festivities; and of course to all of the donors. --Baroness Caoilfhionn

Rapier and Armored Combat Toys for Tots/Socks of Love Tourneys, Wednesday, November 20

Thank you to everyone who came out to Wednesday night's Toys for Tots/Socks of Love tournament! Over the course of multiple challenges and, yes, occasional silliness, attendees and fighters donated **282 toys**, some of which filled nine stockings for Socks of Love as well as a box of extra stocking stuffers. Thanks to Tribaldi for running the tourney and marshaling, to Helgi for standing ready to marshal, to Niamh, Cynthia, Wolfstanus, and the other toy-sorters working their magic behind my back, and of course to all of the donors, fighters, spectators, photographers, and clean-up crew.

Our fourth and final toy tourney will be archery, on Sunday, December 15, at 9 a.m. at Bwana Archery. Come to shoot—we have loaner gear!—or just to watch and cheer.----- Baroness Caoilfhionn

Total Toys Donated So Far: 332. (Note: Last year's final total was 398.)

TWELFTH NIGHT NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dance Master: [THL Daffyd Arth](#) / Dave Lankford; davebearin@yahoo.com

We are pleased to be able to offer dancing again this year! Once again, our dance master will be [THL Daffyd Arth](#). This year, dancing will be held in the youth center room from 2-4 p.m. All skill levels are welcome to participate!

Proposed dance list for Twelfth Night:

Set 1

Gathering Peascods
Black Alman
Petit Riens
Montarde
Maid Peeped Out the Window
Vita di Cholino
Heart's Ease

Dance Game: Pinwheel

Set 2

Gelosia
Upon A Summer's Day
Black Nag
Contrapasso In Due
Horse Bransle
Whirligig
Ruffy Tufty

Dance Game: Clog Bransle

Set 3

Earl Of Salisbury
New Boe Peep
Picking of Sticks
Gracca Amorosa
Washerwoman's Bransle
Jenny Pluck Pears
Trenchmore

Jumble Sale at Twelfth Night

Hi, Jelena Pagani here! I'm ready for you to start thinking about donations for the Twelfth Night Jumble Sale and Silent Auction! I will begin accepting donations at the first Wednesday meeting of December! Promissory notes for services will be gladly accepted. Make 'em pretty! If you can't get it to Wednesday meetings, we can arrange for some other option. As last year, I will not be taking anything the day of the event, but we're setting up the night before, and if you can get it to me by then, that's would be swell! I'm also accepting offers of volunteer help! The easiest way to get me is to private message me [here](#).

Here are the hours for the Sale and the Auction at Twelfth Night.

Friday night, January 10th, 2020

Setup: 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Deadline for item drop-off: 7 p.m.

Saturday, January 11th, 2020:

8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.: Setup

9:30 a.m.: Item drop off deadline for out-of-towners **by pre-arrangement only**

10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.: Jumble sale

10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.: Silent Auction

3:00 p.m.: Bidding ends and the highest bidder (or their representative) has 15 minutes to come to pay and collect their item.

3:15 p.m.: 2nd highest bidders (or their representative) have 15 minutes to come to pay and collect for any item that has been defaulted by the highest bidder.

3:30 p.m.: 3rd highest bidders (or their representative) have 15 minutes to come to pay and collect for any item that has been defaulted by the highest bidder.

3:45 p.m.: All sales end and clean up / tear down begins.

Twelfth Night A&S Competition

The A&S Competition at Twelfth Night is on the theme for the event, 40th Anniversary - Rubies.

We would ask the artisans and craftspeople - cooks and bards, armorers and moneyers, scribes and weavers - all our artisans of all levels to create wonderful Accessories to complement the theme - which means, accessories in red, with red gems, using the word red, etc. And we leave it to you to define the word "accessory" - it doesn't have to be an item for garb; it could be a meal accessory, an award accessory, a song or poem that accessorizes a person, place or thing... completely up to you!

Documentation is encouraged, but is optional, but please be prepared to at least provide a short (100-200 word) description of your entry.

And please remember that the site is completely dry - no alcohol of any kind is allowed on the premises, and that includes the parking lot, or we risk losing the site. This rule will be strictly enforced.

No pre-registration is necessary, but we do encourage notification with what you are bringing so that we can display it properly. We will try our best to accommodate your display needs, but if you have a special or very large item, please notify us.

Judging will be by populace bead count. And we are working on prizes. If you would like to donate a prize, please contact Niamh.

Please contact THL Niamh ingen Dhonnail with questions and with notification of your items (including item size and any special display requests) at niamhnordskogen@gmail.com.

RATIFIED 2020 BUDGET

Administrative Expenses	
Seneschal	\$25.00)
Exchequer	\$50.00)
Event Emergency Reserve	\$1,000.00)
Baronial Regalia Maintenance	\$100.00)
Webminister	\$25.00)
Archery Captain	\$100.00)
Knight Marshal	\$100.00)
Minister of Arts & Sciences	\$25.00)
Youth Marshal	\$100.00)
Chatelaine	\$50.00)
Rapier	\$100.00)
Signet	\$100.00)
Thrown Weapons	\$100.00)
Largesse / Special Projects	\$100.00)
Quartermaster	\$200.00)
Total	\$2,175.00)

General Expenses	
Storage Unit (\$180@12)	\$2,160.00)
BWANA Winter Archery	\$1,200.00)
Hostgator Web Hosting (\$250+50/yr)	\$300.00)
Baronial Folk Moots	\$200.00)
GPS 107 Rapier (50@\$60)	\$3,000.00)
GPS 106 Bardic (12@\$24)	\$288.00)
GPS 106A Meetings (50@\$48)	\$2,400.00)
Total	\$9,548.00)

Projected General Income	
Donations	\$4,673.00)
Twelfth Night 2020 (Q1)	\$2,500.00)
Schützenfest 2020 (Q2)	\$2,750.00)
Officer & Newcomer Event (Q3)	\$1,000.00)
Sale of Tables (13@\$60)	\$800.00)
Total	\$11,723.00)

Balance Sheet	
Current Bank Balance 11/13/2019	\$21,660.76)
Projected Expenses	(\$11,723.00)
Projected Income	\$11,723.00)
2020 Profit / Loss	\$0.00)
Expected Bank Balance 12/31/2020	\$21,660.76)

This budget for FY 2020 was approved and ratified by the following committee members on 11/13/2019

Sarah Oldenburg Garcia (Sorcha)	Seneschal	11/13
Erin Ahlstrom (Lewke)	Exchequer	11/13
Nancy Cuno Schmitz (Anne)	Populace	11/13

NOTES FROM THE NORDSKOGEN BUSINESS MEETING, NOVEMBER 13, 2019

Baroness Sorcha Bhuidhe (Sarah Oldenburg Garcia) presiding
Lady Lewke verch Gwilim, called Lucky (Erin Ahlstrom) recording

Meeting called to order

Officers' Reports

Their Excellencies Baroness Caoilfhionn and Baron Gabriel:

Baron Gabriel & Baroness Caoilfhionn would like to say that Her Excellency had a wonderful time at SUN, while His Excellency was away on a trip, and both look forward to Boar's Head. They remind and encourage the populace to attend and support the Holiday Socks of Love/Toys for Tots tourneys, Tuesday, Nov. 19 (Youth Boffer) at Brackett Park, Wednesday, Nov. 20 (Rapier, Heavy) at GPS, and Dec. 1 (Archery) at BWANA.

Seneschal, Baroness Sorcha Bhuidhe:

Out of town next week due to a family bereavement. Please support tournaments, fight well and honorably, donate generously. Sorcha will be staying on as Seneschal through September in order that her deputy can get married. Questions and concerns to seneschal@nordskogen.org.

Exchequer and Financial Report

Lady Lewke verch Gwilim, called Lucky

September 2019 ending balance:	\$ 24,400.23
Income:	\$ 90.53
Expenditures:	\$ 2,830.00
October 2019 ending balance:	\$ 21,660.76
Balance Change:	(\$ 2,749.37)

Donations for the year 2019: \$3223.37

The best way to support the financial health of the barony is to plan future events, and to promote attendance. Please encourage others to attend Nordskogen events. Brief financial committee meeting to follow close of business meeting, to ratify the 2020 budget, discuss storage unit options.

Chronicler, Mistress Rosanore of Redthorn: Rosanore out with an illness. Deadline for the Quill is upcoming; please stay tuned for further details.

Herald, Lord Irial Féasruadh ó hIarnáin: Not present.

Minister of Arts and Sciences, Lady Helena the Quiet: Plenty of supplies are still remaining to create plushies and felt animals as largesse items for the Royal Toy Chest. Please keep making critters! Lots of resources are available for patterns online if you want to make something we don't already have a pattern for!

Knight's Marshal, THL Helgi Moosebane: Practices continue to be well-attended weekly at Brackett Park on Tuesdays. Please come to the tournament to support your fighters. No injuries are reported.

Boffer Captain, Lord Tribaldi de Gritti: 4 regular attendees. Some items being mixed in with kingdom supplies, so there is need for snowflake stenciling. Contact Tribaldi to help. Please come support the kids at their holiday tournament! No injuries are reported.

Rapier Captain, THL Sven Asvaldarson: Dwindling newcomers as season progresses. Come out for the tournament on Wednesday! No injuries are reported.

Chatelaine, Lady Jelena di Paganía: 6 newcomers, many of whom are returning for second and third visits. Database is being built up for Gold Key. Items are being solicited from the populace for the Jumble Sale at 12N.

Officers' Reports (con.)

Archery Captain, Meistari Sefa Farmansdóttir: 9:00–11:00 AM Sunday, Dec. 1 at BWANA for Holiday tournament. No injuries are reported.

Thrown Weapons Captain, Comtesse Guenievre du Dragon Vert: Not present.

Clerk of Precedence, Lady Cynthia the Innocent: Records are still being gathered and sorted, but we are approaching the stage where people will be able to check their awards. Stay tuned!

Signet, THL Amary Fairamay: Three scribes from Nordskogen taught classes on Scribal Arts at SUN. It was a good day to be from Nordskogen. Award recommendations for 12N are still coming in.

Quartermaster, Baroness Kateryn of Roseberry Topping, called Khadijah: Search for new storage location still ongoing. Please send suggestions and leads to the Quartermaster, cc: Exchequer and Seneschal.

Webminister, Lady Coelwen ingen Adaim: Posting 'did you know' and baronial awards on a continuing basis on social media and website.

Old Business

Twelfth Night 2020

Red theme for the event, and accessory challenge for A&S. Jumble sale items sought. Volunteers are being sought: get in touch with Irial and Khadijah to schedule. Of particular need, setup and takedown. Help your event stewards make sure we are off site in a timely fashion. Many hands make light work for all!

New Business

Socks of Love

Bring toys just as you would for Toys for Tots, items for babies through teens. The idea is to FILL socks, not to give socks.

WW

After the huge success of this summer's Warriors and Warlords, commentary is being sought on any potential benefit to WW becoming a Kingdom Event, versus remaining a split between Jara and Nord. Would it increase the donor pool? Would it raise the event's cache so that we could attract visitors from other kingdoms as for Lilies, GWW, etc.? Are we seeing any value from profit sharing? How would we deal with the potential loss of profit, and would Kingdom be willing to purchase assets from us? Please provide the "why" of your comment. Send comments, concerns to Baron and Baroness, Seneschal. Nothing has been decided, yet.

Announcement

Meeting space will be open on Wednesday before Thanksgiving, but will close at 8 if there are no attendees.

Meeting adjourned.