



THE RUNESTAFF

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Welcome! The Barony of Mag Mor is the Lincoln, Nebraska branch of the Society for Creative Anachronism (SCA), an international non-profit organization dedicated to recreating and researching pre-17th Century European history. Mag Mor is located in the Kingdom of Calontir, modernly Missouri, Iowa, Kansas, and parts of Nebraska and Arkansas.



Mag Mor,

Everyone is in full swing preparing for Cattle Raids, and we are thrilled to see how much hard work is being put in to make the event successful. We hope that everyone has a tremendous time at our Barony's premier event.

If you see someone going above and beyond in any area, please remember to put in an award recommendation for them. This can be for Kingdom awards, Baronial awards, or both!

We are looking for someone to help coordinate the archery revel this fall. Please contact ourselves and our Seneschal if you are interested or have any questions.

Takauji and Lelia

Baron and Baroness



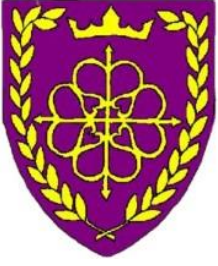
Populace Meeting:

ALL meetings will be in person, as well as on Zoom. --For a link, contact the seneschal. Wednesday evenings from 6:30 to 8:00 pm, Walt Library, 6701 S 14th Street

- 1st Wed. of each month—A & S night
- 2nd Wed.—Moot (business meeting)
- 3rd Wed.—Discussion night
- 4th Wed.—Philosophy night

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Sept 29-Oct 1---Griffins Fest, Elsberry, MO

Hosting Group: Barony of Three Rivers

Oct. 07—Fall Coronation, Malvern, IA

Hosting Group: Barony of the Lonely Tower

Oct 13-15— Autumn Arrows XXXI and the 955th anniversary of...

The Battle of Hastings, Laquay, MO

Hosting Group: The Shire of Calanais Nuadh

Site: Pulaski County Shriners Campground

Oct 21—Vetigo, St. Joseph, MO

Hosting Group: Shire of Lost Moor

Oct 21-- EAST MEETS WEST: FEED THE BEASTS ,Raymond, KS

Hosting Group: Shire of Westumbria

Nov 4—Kingdom Arts & Sciences, Auburn, KS

Hosting Group: Shire of Crescent Moon



Mag Mor Local Events Calendar

Music Practice--1st & 3rd Thursdays of each month (usually), 7:30 pm

Volkmar & Isadora's house, 441 Christenson Ct. Contact Gwyneth or Isadora for more information.

Arts & Sciences Sundays—1 pm every Sunday,

also available on the Baronial Discord server. Contact Morgana, A & S Minister for more information.

Scribes Guild—Kingdom pre-prints may be available from HE Gyda.

Brewers Guild—Contact Isabeau or Carlos.

Armored Fighter/Cut & Thrust Practice:

2nd & 4th Tuesday evenings, 6:30 to 9:00 pm at Woods Park, 27th & J St. Arrive earlier if you need time to gear up, to maximize daylight fighting time. Donations accepted to help defray site cost for fighters. Lonely Tower is having some informal, unofficial practices at varying times on weekends. For more about Lonely Tower practices, look for the BLT Lounge on Facebook Messenger.

Archery Practice:

Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 7:30 pm as weather permits NE Game & Parks Outdoor Rec. Ctr. at 4703 N. 44th St. (North side of Superior St., west of 48th St.) Loaner equipment is available to anyone who wants to try archery. If you are left-handed, please contact Lord Yoichi in advance so the correct equipment will be available. Baronial Archery Championship will take place in the spring



Letter from the Seneschal:

Greetings citizens of Mag Mor!

The days are getting shorter and a few leaves have already fallen in the mountain town where I am finishing the harvest season. I am looking forward to working on my hound's medieval kit and maybe create illuminated cards for the Scribe Ober trading card challenge when I go home next month. As busy as I have been, I have attended more events this summer than I did when my office was based in Calontir! Meeting new friends and greeting old friends at an event in a different kingdom (Hi Leofwyna and Etienne!) was the highlight of this trip.

I would like to remind everyone of an upcoming events and deadlines. We have the Archery Championship Shoot and Winter Yule Court to schedule, so please come to the next few business meetings to provide your input on the planning process. I am also seeking suggestions for 'philosophy night' (third Wednesday) discussions for November and December. The third quarter reports for officers are due October 15th. Thank you!

Yours in service,

Tófa in eldra Eiriksdóttir

As a reminder to all the Officers:

As stated in the Letter from the Seneschal and at several meetings, all Barony officers are expected to use the magmor.calontir.org address assigned to us for official communication.



Moot notes

Meeting held 9 August 2023. at the Walt Library at 6:30 PM CDT.

Officer reports:

- **Exchequer (Lady Lhiannan):** the barony coffers total \$9736.63. There are four outstanding checks, including one for \$75.00 to St. Mark's on Campus. Lady Lhiannan's acceptance of the Exchequer position means her spot on the Financial Committee needs to be filled. Lady Cera will be taking that spot. Storage unit, need 1 volunteer 10-2, 2-4.
- **Gold Key (Lady Morgana):** The rolling rack and bins for loaner gear = \$100.
- **Arts and Sciences (Lady Morgana):** Next A&S meeting (6 September) will be about garment decoration and embroidery.
- **Chronicler (Lord Carlos):** The revised Directory will be published 16 Aug 2023; please be sure your information is correct. Get your Runestaff contributions to him by 13 August.
- **Herald (Lord Fasti):** No report.
- **Webminister (Laurentia):** The online contact form is broken—and officer emails are still sent to magmor.net. The correct addresses end in magmore.calontir.org. Calontir Web Minister—no forwarding to personal emails.
- **Chatelaine (Lord Aurik):** Reinhart demo, Half-troll demo. A walkabout at UNL.
- **Minister of Youth (Lady Adel):** Working on schedule for Cattle Raids, need a few volunteers between 1-3 PM to oversee D&D.
- **Media Cryer (Lord Jean):** KSMC ads--Mia. Flyers for Cattle Raids, with activities highlighted. Regular library poster, schedule posted.
- **Archery (Lord Yoichi):** No report.
- **Largess Coordinator (vacant):** No report.
- **Marshall's report (HE Volkmar):** Will attempt to continue fighter practices indoors in October.

Guild reports:

- **Scribes (HE Gyda):**
- **Music (HE Gwyneth):** Music practices scheduled for 17 Aug, 7 Sept, 21 Sept.

Old Business:

- **Today's Cattle Raids discussion:**
 - **Iain's background check has been submitted.**
 - **The schedule is up.**
 - **Volunteers to arrive at noon on Friday. [Event steward, the Seneschal, or a deputy of either must be on-site at all times during the event.]**
 - **The Royal entourage may enter at 3 PM on Friday.**
 - **All other populace may enter the site at 5 PM Friday.**
 - **Lunch will be lentils and falafel. Please contribute individually-wrapped cookies. (Gwynneth)**
- **Aug 16 meeting: facilitated by Morgana and Gyda. Cattle Raids planning to continue.**
- **Aug 23 meeting: Cattle Raids planning to continue, facilitated by Morgana and Gyda; Financial Committee meeting for Tithe @ Cattle Raids, facilitated by Lhianan.**

New business:

- **Aug 30 meeting: facilitated by Morgana, Gyda, and Aurick. Cattle Raids wrap-up by Morgana and Gyda. Demo discussion by Aurick, there are three upcoming demo opportunities.**
- **Sep 13 is Moot. [Following notes by Tofa, not discussed at meeting: Facilitated by Tofa via Zoom. Please remember that it can be difficult to follow the conversation when people speak over each other, especially when they are far from the microphone. HE Gyda will help by taking notes. Topics for discussion include delegating responsibility to meeting leaders for Sept 27th and Oct 4th (A&S).]**
- **Sep 20 meeting: Laurencia will present an email discussion.**

Baronial Comments:

- **Thank you to all volunteers for your efforts in organizing Cattle Raids!**
- **Prepare to discuss plans for the Fall Archery shoot to choose a new champion (last year's Champion was Aurick) and for Winter Yule.**
- **As always, send their Excellencies any award recommendation**



Barony of Mag Mor Finance Committee Meeting:

August 23, 2023

Zoom/Walt Library

Committee members present: Baron-Matthew Parker, Baroness-Pam Cole, Seneschal-Stacy Lindblom-Dreis (Zoom), Exchequer-Lois Domek, Mickey Andersen, Jerry Harder, Chris Stuart, and Vivian Hancock.

Committee members absent: none

Meeting Began at 7:23 pm

Checking Balance: \$9,586.63

Old Business:

Item 1

- **Motion:** To affirm that the Adult Site Fee for 2023 Cattle Raids is \$25, with a \$5 discount for paid SCA members, to match the advertised rate in published flyers.
 - **Moved:** Matthew Parker
 - **Seconded:** Stacy Lindblom-Dreis
- **Motion carried:** with a vote of 7 in favor, 0 opposed.

New Business:

Item 1

- **Motion:** To issue a \$1000 donation to SCA, Inc., Kingdom of Calontir for the Baronial tithe.
 - **Moved:** Matthew Parker
 - **Seconded:** Vivian Hancock
- **Motion carried:** with a vote of 7 in favor, 0 opposed.

Meeting Ended: at 7:30pm.



Neither room at Walt Branch Library is available for the requested time of 6-8pm on 10/04/23 and 10/11/23.

I have submitted for a room at the Isley branch on these dates.

October 04, 2023

October 11, 2023

The following reservations at Walt Branch Library from 6pm-8pm, are now on the calendar:

September 13, 2023 - Room 1

September 20, 2023 - Room 1

September 27, 2023 - Room 2

October 18, 2023 - Room 1

October 25, 2023 - Room 2

November 1, 2023 - Room 1

November 8, 2023 - Room 1

November 15, 2023 - Room 2

November 22, 2023 - Room 1

November 29, 2023 - Room 1

December 6, 2023 - Room 1

December 13, 2023 - Room 1

Cera



Cattle Raides Court Report:

In Their Excellencies Court:

The Event Stewards called the various coordinators up to award prizes.

Gyda was given a GoldeLargesse was presented in the form of a Cow Pinata for the populace, followed by largesse presented to Their Majesties.

In Their Majesties Court:

Becca was given her AoA

Laurencia was given her AoA

Kera was given her Leather Mallet

Her Royal Majesty finished the Scavenger Hunt and was awarded the end prize.

Emma received her New Comer mug

Gyda



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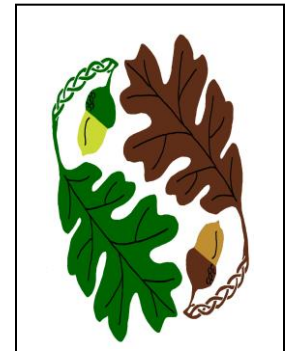


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