



THE RUNESTAFF

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The words of Their Excellencies:

Mag Mor,

When you read this, we will all be deep in preparation for Kingdom A&S. The barony has just had the planning meeting at weekly gathering, and we are both in awe of how much you all are volunteering to make this happen. As the Baronage and the event stewards, we cannot thank you enough. Mag Mor puts on some of the best events in the Kingdom, and it is because of all the hard work that you all do.

The next few months will be somewhat less exciting, and we have some time off before we need to begin preparing for coronation. But it is never too early to start working with our event stewards for that event, and if you have something you'd like to help with please let them know!

As always, know how much we appreciate everything you do, and that it is our sincere pleasure to remain,

Lelia and Takauji
Baroness and Baron



Letter from the Seneschal

[Please enjoy this border in place of our Seneschal's normal letter. Tofa]



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Calontir Kingdom Events:

Sep 19-21	Gryphon's Fest	Three Rivers	Elsberry, MO
Sep 27	Kingdom A&S	Mag Mor	Wahoo, NE
Oct 03-05	Autumn Arrows XXXIII	Calanais Nuadh	Laquey, MO
Oct 03-05	Fall Brawl	Villa Fumentaria	Peterson, IA
Oct 09-13	Chilies 2025	Forgotten Sea	Smithville, MO
Oct 25	Robin Hood	Westumbria	Raymond, KS
Nov 01	Heraldic, Scribal, and Dance Symposium	Axed Root	Ames, IA



Mag Mor Populace Meetings and Local Events:

Sep 24	Walt Library Meeting Room 1	Farble
Oct 01	Walt Library Meeting Room 1	Moot
Oct 08	Gere Meeting Room 1	A&S
Oct 15	Anderson	Project Night
Oct 22	Walt Library Meeting Room 1	Farble
Oct 29	Anderson	Largess Night

Barony, Guilds, and Martial Arts announcements

Barony: Kingdom A&S signup is available, please help as you can. Kingdom A&S Minister Gyda says planning is under way. Entries and judges are needed. Signup closes soon.

Music (HE Gwyneth): Upcoming singing practice the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of September. Time & place is 7:30 PM at Volkmar & Isadora's house. Contact Gwyneth or Isadora for more information. The Mag Mor Melodians will resume practices again, please contact Azalaïs for more information.

Scribes (Rosalind): Not available.

Armored Fighter/Cut & Thrust Practice: **September is the last month outside.** 6:30 PM every Tuesday at Woods Park. Exploring possibility of alternative outdoor site. Lighthouse has been a great resource but some of their equipment needs have reduced safe practice space to a point where alternative would be good. Uji has an idea and will follow up. Please contact Graf Volkmar for more information.

Archery and Thrown Weapons Practice: Kings Company is this weekend, but baronial shooters are limited. Archery and throwing continue to have limited attendance. Baronial championship will be Oct 5 at Turpin Center outdoor range, will look into renting space for potluck. Will be based on seasonal archery shoot–diamond grid of numbers at 20 yards.

Note from Tófa:

Greetings, Mag Mor! If you would like to contribute your announcements, event flyers, book reviews, other writings, or art to future issues of the Runestaff, please email them to me by the 15th of each month. If you owe me a report for the Runestaff and don't send it to me by the deadline, I will use Google to badly translate some nonsense into Latin that I will then attribute to you. The verbal warning was issued at Moot; this is the written warning. Thank you.

Yours in Service, *Tófa*

Moot notes

Meeting held Sept 02, 2025 at Walt Library, 6:30 PM CDT.

Officer reports:

Exchequer (Isadora) – Checking balance is \$10,852.85. There are multiple outstanding checks. PayPal deposit is outstanding, expect ~\$2k. Still need \$200 for equestrian insurance snafu. Water bearers donation check is outstanding. Estimate ~\$1k profit from Cattle Raids is approaching.

Minister of A&S (Azalais) – A&S in September is the 3rd week (rather than the usual 2nd week), topic is what to expect from judging, led by Gyda. Melodians schedule to be announced soon.

Chronicler (Tofa) – Runestaff deadline remains the 15th. Late entries may be accepted but delay the newsletter. Encourage all sorts of submissions, incl art, commentary on events, book reports, etc.

Herald (Jean) – Nothing applicable in latest acceptance and return letter. Name and device and 2 badges submitted, consultation and another name in progress. Online process is working well!

Media Cryer (Jean) – Lost and found from Cattle Raids—minimal left! Kingdom Arts and Sciences flyers are doable—tbd.

Gold Key – had everything out at Cattle Raids. There are 72 pieces! Would like help culling so it fits on one rack, proposed the 3rd Wed after Kingdom Arts and Sciences (Oct 22).

Chatelaine (Laurencia) – upcoming demos—Walt library mini Renn Faire is Dec 6th 11:00 AM-3:00 PM. Would like info about likely activities. Also, Constellation is starting planning for 2026, March 6th-8th, so does not conflict with Gulf Wars this year. A planning meeting will be held by the con at Eisley library soon.

Web Minister (Laurencia) – Kingdom Arts and Sciences page is live, backlog of baronial awards has been obtained for entry into OP. Working on updates to newcomer sections of the website.

Minister of Youth (Adel) – four youth activities at Cattle Raids. D&D and water fight were best attended, and also best advertised. Kingdom Arts and Science activities are under consideration, but space availability is a concern.

Largess Coordinator (Martine) – Thank you goody basket from TRM to event staff still has items. Any largess items will be accepted—we're low. Discussion on largess night in October covered quite a few options that would be good for newcomers—cloak pins, pouches, belts, coifs, trim, books, jewelry. Belts are likely to be the main focus.

Knights Marshal – See guild reports.

Archery – See guild reports.

Other business:

Kingdom A&S – Leofwyna discussed needs for KAS inn, precook at St. Marks on Campus (Sept 6th, moved to Sept 7th due to Husker game)

Personal business – Leofwyna made personal request for garage sale assistance- both before and during (Sept 19th-21st).



Photos from Cattle Raids 2025



Pre-Registration for Kingdom A&S

Follow the PayPal pre-registration link below, to register for the event by 8:00 PM September 23rd.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSftZUiS323tF14ub8VA0I-xOpDk5B3gJninFCMXiLBcdvlytQ/viewform?usp=dialog>

All invoices must be PAID by Monday, September 24th at 8:00 PM. The A&S competition is September 27th.

Barony of Mag Mor Finance Committee Meeting
August 21, 2025
Email

On August 21, 2025, an emergency meeting of the Mag Mor Financial Committee was held via email. The single motion was proposed at 4:02 pm and all responses were received by 5:02 pm.

Due to having only sold 51 feast reservations via pre-registration, the feast steward proposed accepting feast reservation sales at gate since all feast supplies had already been purchased. Baron Uji moved that we accept feast reservations at gate in addition to those already received via pre-registration.

The motion was seconded by HE Gyda and HE Isadora.

The Baronial Exchequer sent an email to all the members of the Mag Mor Financial Committee, asking for a prompt Yes or No response to the question under consideration. Seven members (everyone) voted to open feast to gate reservations. No one voted to limit reservations to pre-registration reservations.

Respectfully submitted,

Cts. Isadora of Orange Woode, Exchequer, Barony of Mag Mor



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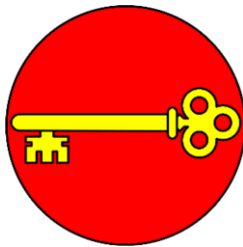
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