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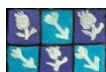
Thank you so very much for the work you've done, you are doing, and you will do in the future.

Mag Mor,

We know that everyone is deep in preparation for Cattle Raids, and we just wanted to take a moment to thank all of you for the hard work you have done and are doing. We know how hard it is to put on this event, and all the work you've done for the events we've been asked to run over the last several years. Mag Mor has been called on time and time again, and it has risen to the occasion every single time.

We hope that in addition to working hard this weekend, you take some time to look around and take pride in what you've done. The Kingdom now knows Mag Mor as amazing hosts of events with outstanding taverns and feasts, unique activities, and fun themes. None of that was us; all of that was you.

Yours in Service,



Lelia and Takauji
Baroness and Baron



Letter from the Seneschal

Mag Mor,

Cattle Raids is upon us! After that, our local events wind down for a while and we can all take a deep breath and just enjoy our own activities and events hosted by other groups for a while! There are a lot of great events coming up throughout the kingdom—I hope you will take the opportunity to get out and see new places and do new things (or see existing friends and do more of the activities you already do!).

Thank you for all that you do!

Asa

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Calontir Kingdom Events:

Aug 14-16	St. Augustine's Faire	Heraldshill	Grafton, IA
Aug 21-23	Cattle Raids	Mag Mor	Wahoo, NE
Aug 22	KWHSS	Calontir	Collinsville, IL
Aug 29	Kingdom A&S	Crystal Mynes	Carthage, MO
Sept 04-07	Raid or Trade	Coeur d'Ennui	Mingo, IA
Sept 05-06	Known World Armored Combat	Northshield	Stoughton, WI



Mag Mor Populace Meetings and Local Events:

Sept 02	Walt Meeting Room 1	Moot
Sept 09	Walt Meeting room 1	A&S
Sept 16	Gere Meeting Room 1	Farble
Sept 23	Walt Meeting Room 1	Project Night
Sept 30	Walt Meeting Room 1	Largess Night

Barony, Guilds, and Martial Arts announcements

Barony: Please submit award recs-both baronial and kingdom (but send to appropriate locations! Sooner is better than later to allow for scroll prep. Also, starting to get low on blank border scroll blanks. Also, please volunteer for CR! It's also time to schedule baronial archery championship/revel. Also need to reschedule headmaster tourneys that were canceled due to heat. Perhaps 3rd or 4th practice in Sept, will discuss at Sept 2 Moot, after CR.

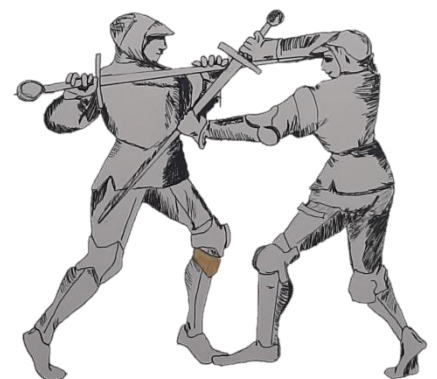
Music (HE Gwyneth): Practices are scheduled for Aug 6th, Sept 3rd, and Sept 17th at 7:30 PM, at Volkmar & Isadora's house. Contact Gwyneth or Isadora for more information. Please contact Azalaïs for more information about the instrumental group; the Melodians meeting will be Aug 30th, location TBD.

Scribes (Rosalyn): Preprints are available, finished ones can be turned in.

Armored Fighter/Cut & Thrust Practice: Summer practice schedule is every Tuesday at Woods Park, starting at 6:30 PM in May. BLT is still holding practices on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month, at 2:00 PM.

Archery and Thrown Weapons Practice: Continues, no throwing at the moment until the stumps get repaired. At least one light poundage bow (left and right) are available for loan. Starts at 7:00 PM at the Turpin center outdoor range.

Seneschal: Thank you for your reports! There is a plan in place for Asa's replacement. Azalaïs will be deputy for 6 months and then will take over. Asa working on extension approval.





Moot notes

Meeting held in Walt Library Meeting room 1, 05 Aug 2026 6:30 PM CDT.

Officer reports:

Exchequer (Isadora) – total in account = \$14,170.31. This includes the advance for Cattle Raids feast and \$111.00 deposit from Herdmaster donations.

Minister of A&S (Cera) – Aug 12 A&S was court etiquette and pointy hats with Uji. Accepting ideas for classes for 2nd Wednesdays.

Gold Key (Azalaïs) – all is good, in storage. Volunteers needed to oversee at CR, it's on the sign up sheet.

Chronicler (Tófa) – Runestaff standing deadline remains the 15th. Please submit contributions. Mr. Tófa is in the library!

Media Cryer (Tófa) – no activity lately—real life has been busy.

Herald (Istvan) – Three new baronial badges have been submitted, haven't received invoice yet. One consultation in progress. Keep being awesome!

Chatelaine (Laurencia) – Flyers created for Herdmaster are finally posted in libraries. BLT is planning on doing Anime Nebraskon demo Oct 16-18, would be excited to have help, expecting short shifts if enough volunteers.

Web Minister (Laurencia) – Cattle Raids website is up, info being added as it becomes available. CR volunteer roster is up. Please send photos, articles, etc. that you want shared!

Minister of Youth (Adel) – Working on Cattle Raids planning, need help, especially people with background checks. Will be recruiting from kingdom page, and CR event page. Could use trinkets for prizes.

Largess Coordinator (Martine) – Bring your stuff so it can go out at CR! We have a good pile accumulated.

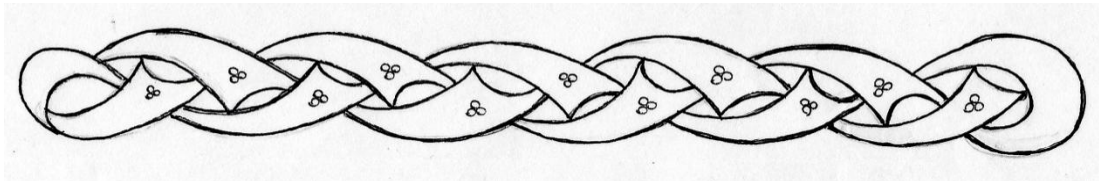
Knights Marshal (Volkmar) – Summer schedule continues-weather and marshals permitting, practicing Tuesdays at Woods Park, every week 6:30 PM. Practices continue to be small. Received an inquiry from someone from Three Rivers that will be moving to Seward for school and hopes to attend practices. Winter site discussion-some of the features of Northern Lighthouse that were problematic (microphone, podium) are being removed. But also, price is probably going up to \$100.00/night.

Archery (Yoichi) – Small practices continue, all archery until throwing targets repairs. Every Thursday except when JOAD competition, then practices held at acreage. There is always loaner gear available, please come! Thursdays 7:00 PM in Aug, 6:30 PM in Sept. October it's dark too early.



Other business:

1. Cattle Raids planning.
 - a. Wheelbarrows-Gerald bringing one, Natalya to bring Asa's.
 - b. Gyda getting straw bales from a private individual in Wahoo. Hoping for delivery.
 - c. Freezer access on Thursday is OK for ice.
 - d. Equestrians are working on their schedule.
 - e. Portapotties being delivered on Friday.
 - f. Archery is going to try new location, across road. Will ask if can remove some of the parking marking posts temporarily. Will need baronial living room for shade. Still short a prize. Will need another small sign or two.
 - g. Will safety tape off most potential access along road. Uji to work on MIT.
 - h. Cera in need of 1 more prize for A&S.
 - i. Marshal in charge of fighting not clear. Volunteer is MIT, so can't be totally in charge yet. Activity planning in progress, may include Jenga with steel!



Practice your illumination!

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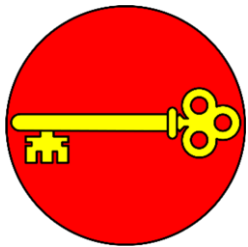
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