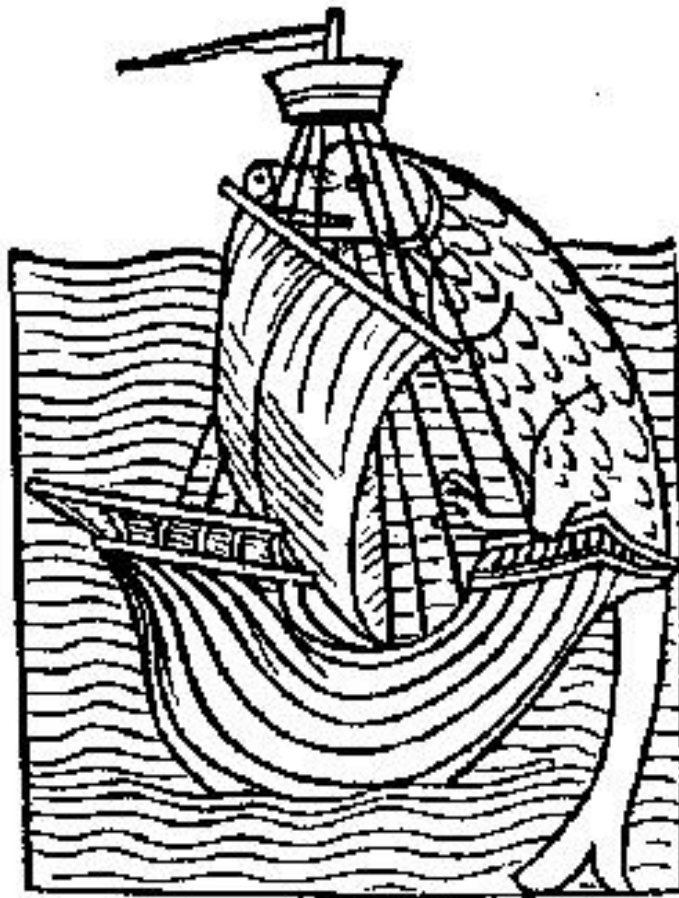


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FROM his excellency

Good evening to the good people of Jararvellir

Back in January we held a Yule Moot. I am happy to report the following people received awards for their service to the Barony.

Elashava bas Riva: Order of the Golden Scales

Speranza de Rauvenna: Order of the Golden Scales

Gunther Kegslayer: Order of the Golden Scales

Jose Sao Pacian: Order of Alistair's lamp

Gráinne Fhionnabhair inghean Fhaoláin: Order of the Zephyrus

Nils Hjortnaes: Order of the Zephyrus

Ronin: Order of the Zephyrus

Giles Devon: Order of the Wellspring

Vivant to these good Gentles!!

I want to give an update on the Baronial Succession. In January, I notified Their Majesties, Their Highnesses, and Sir Toramasu (the Northshield Seneschal), of my plans to step down as Baron in 2016. Toramasu will be having Anne, his successor to handle the process. I will be contacting Anne to determine our timeline for the succession process.

Finally, the Barony has been invited to a couple of demos: The Madison Knitter's guild on 2/21-22, and another half-time show with the Mad Rollin Dolls on April 4th. Please contact me if you are available for either of these demos.

Stay warm!

Robert the Stout
Baron of Jararvellir

GENERAL MEETING minutes

Present: Ryes, Gwen, Speranza, Client, Kaydian, Lance, Ambrose, Jois, Toussaint, Eiric, Robert the Stout, Svein, Grainne, Aesa

Aesa: here for the money

Ryes: historian chatelaine, open

Gwen: nothing to report

Ambrose: rapier beginning class starting next week Feb 11. We need sopranos for the choir.

Kaydian: For Tis but a Scratch there were about 20 fighters and at least 56 people came through. We made \$501 total and since site was \$500 we made \$1 in profit.

Jois: Fletcher's guild just got some more equipment now the time to go.

Robert the Stout: Would like to look over the Baronial charter. Feb 21-22 kitting demo at Alliant Energy center for fiber arts from 2-5pm. Admission would be free. Also Mad Rollin Doll demo April 4 for armored and rapier. Contact Trystan if interested.

Lance: Sol would like to thank Gerald Loosehelm to helping out with the waivers. There will also be two day for jewelers guild this month contact Gerald if interested

Speranza: At Yule Moot we had an attendance of 28 people and made \$39 in donations.

next general meeting

General meetings are usually booked for the first Sunday of every month unless noted in 116 Predolin Hall at Edgewood College.

The next meeting will be held 3.1.2015 at 7:00PM.

LOCAL NEWS

EUROPEAN DANCE PRACTICE

Details for those new to the dance practices: We do period dances of Italy, France, and England from the 15th and 16th centuries, as well as later dances upon request. The dances range from extremely easy to rather complex. Dances are for couples, trios, and larger groups. One does not need a partner to attend dance practice. No experience necessary, all dances are taught. If you can walk, you can dance.

Time: 1st & 3rd Sundays 3-5PM, 2nd & 4th Thursdays 7-9PM Please keep an eye out on the Jararvellir email list or Facebook group for updates on if practice will be held or if circumstances entail canceling.

Location: Capitol Lakes Retirement Center, 333 W. Main St. Center (Two blocks off the capitol square. Parking on the street is free on Sundays and after 6PM.) The room is the exercise studio that is part of their Aquatic & Wellness Center. There will be a roster waiver set up for everyone to sign when they show up. Please sign in. Please, no street shoes in the room. Either bring a pair of shoes specifically for dancing or plan on dancing in socks or bare feet. There are cubby holes for shoes across from the room.

If you have questions, call me at 608.213.1107 Hope to see you there!

Elashava bas Riva (justShava®), OL

instrumental music

Interested in playing an instrument beginner or advance come play music with the guild. They meet Mondays at 7pm for more information about location contact: Lord Nikolaus der Ausländer (Clint Hotaling) at n_auslander@hotmail.com11

STOCK PAVILLION DATES

Dates when we do not have use of the Stock Pavilion:

Sunday, April 12
Wednesday, April 15
Sunday, April 19
Sunday, May 3

Dates when we have practice scheduled but may encounter penned animals:

Wednesday, February 11
Wednesday, March 11
Wednesday, April 8
Wednesday, May 13

EVENTS

OUT AND ABOUT

For more information visit the individual group's website:

<http://www.northshield.org/Events/List.aspx>

February

- 7 [Fighting in the Shade V Barony of Jararvellir](#) (Madison WI)
- 21 [Haire Affaire - A March to War Shire of Falcon's Keep](#) (Auburndale WI)
- 28 [Fighter's School Barony of Windhaven](#) (Fond du Lac WI)

March

- 6-8 [That Moot Thingy XV \(15\) Canton of Coille Stoirmeil](#) (Tomah WI)

BARONIAL MEETINGS, ACTIVITIES, AND CONTACTS

Please call the contact person to verify when & where an activity is held!

Archery Practice Sun. 12-2PM, Wed. 6:30-8PM. UW Stock Pavilion Contact: Aoifé Cnó Capaill (Gretchen Tischer)
archery_captain@jararvellir.org

Armoured Combat Sun. Noon UW Stock Pavilion; Wed. 6:30-9PM, UW Stock Pavilion Contact: Svein Tunheim (Alec Tunheim)
608.216.4219, please no calls after 10pm, knight_marshall@jararvellir.org

Armor making by prior arrangement, please contact Giles. 3314 Ridgeway Avenue Contact: Master Giles (Ed Gilbert) 608.244.2845, horsebows@gmail.com

Bardic Night Second Fri. of the Month. Jose's house (e-mail or call for directions) Contact: Jose São Pacian (Stephen Rodrigues-Pavao) 608.217.5096, ltopera@yahoo.com

Brewing & Vintning Various locations (call for info) Contact: Robert the Stout (Robert Trefz) 608.441.6150, rtrefz@tds.net

Calligraphy & Illumination Tues. 7PM. Call for location. Contact: Lady Eile (Alicia Cronk) 608.244.9054, leleth.faery@yahoo.com;

Clothier's Guild Thurs. evenings, bi-monthly. Meetings held at rotating sites of member's homes. Contact: Jois Corbet (Deena Patterson) 608.838.4092, corvusjoyous@gmail.com

Cordial Guild Contact: Lady Cianna Kharleen (Carrie Wilkey) 608.220.1947, ciannakharleen@teadame.com

Equestrian (not currently active but information available) Contact: Alissende de Montfaucon (Tammy Thompson) 608.212.5433, alissende@centurytel.net

Fletching Fri. 6:30PM 5418 Imagine Street Madison, WI 53718 Contact: Lord Toussaint de Caluwe (Tyson Patterson) 608.838.4092

Fool's Guild Contact: Lady Sarah T Foole (Sarah Bloy) 608.215.1407, berserker.prime@gmail.com

General Business Meeting Usually 1st Sun., 7PM, Edgewood College, Predolin Hall — call to verify meeting date and location. Contact: Rhys ap Owein ap Gwyn (Jeff Peterson) 608.345.8617, barony_seneschal@jararvellir.org

Instrumental Music Mon. 7PM-Beginners, 8PM-Advanced. Call for location. Contact: Lord Nikolaus der Ausländer (Clint Hotaling) 608.846.0859, n_auslander@hotmail.com11

Jewelry Guild Second Tues. of the month or by apt, 5:30PM. Call for location. Contact: Gerald Loosehelm loosehelm@yahoo.com

Middle Eastern Dance and Drumming Contact Lady Kenya for information.
Contact: Lady Kenya (Heather Cushing) 608.203.5739, onlyinkenia@charter.net

Needle arts Tues. 7:30PM. Call for location. Contact: Lady Helena Caxton (Sara Andrews) 608.957.2392, helenacaxton@gmail.com

Pottery Guild Contact Annora for information. Contact: Annora (Wendy Nelson) 608.438.6530, wendybyrd42@yahoo.com

Rapier Practice Wed. 6:30-9PM, UW Stock Pavilion Contact: Ambrose von Pasau (Ambrose Paust) 608.523.1119 calls after 9:00PM please leave a voicemail with your name and number, rapier_marshall@jararvellir.org

Social Practice Wed. 9PMish. Call to verify location. Contact: Mistress Eithni (Jean Hetzel) 608.628.7782

Stock Pavilion Liason Contact: Sol (Chris Reyes) sol@taifa.info

Thrown Weapons Scheduled Sun. 2PM. UW Stock Pavilion. Contact: Lord Toussaint de Caluwe (Tyson Patterson) 608.838.4092

Vocal Music Contact Sarah for more information. Contact: Lady Sarah T Foole (Sarah Bloy) 608.215.1407, berserker.prime@gmail.com

Youth Boffer Combat Practice Wed. 6:30PM, UW Stock Pavilion Contact: Jack Flanders (David Hall) 608.658.5802, jbf@pobox.com

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Monthly Meeting:

First or second Sunday of the month at the Nest in Tomah