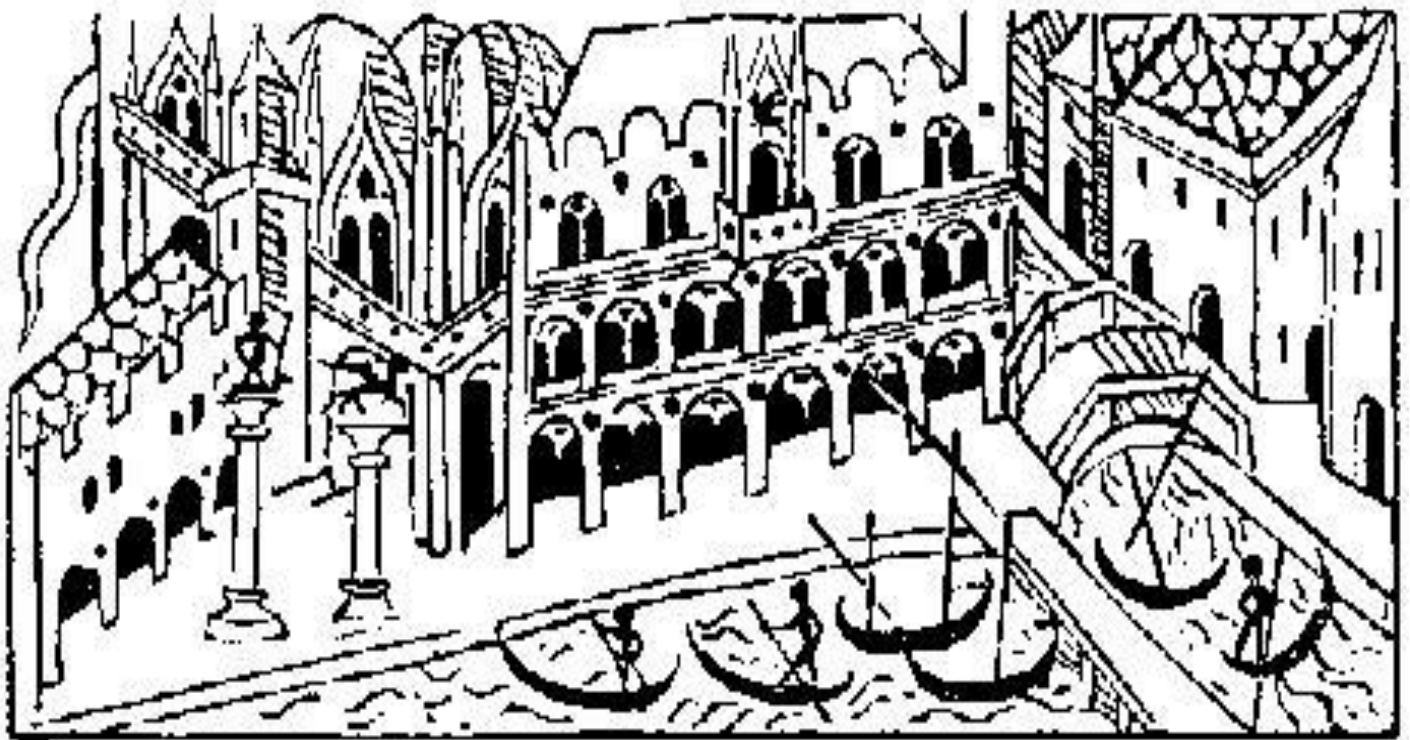


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FROM his excellency

Good Evening Jararvellir, and happy Fall-

Last Sunday Jararvellir had its Harvest Moot. Thank you to Speranza and Jose for stewarding. It was very good to see so many members of the Barony enjoying the day together.

At the moot, we held the Armored Combat Championship Tournament. I am happy to announce that I have chosen Mistress Jois Corbett as Jararvellir's new Armored Combat Champion. Thank you Gwen for holding the office. During Court, Sarah Loring was awarded the Liason Poisson for her work in coordinating SCA demos at Geek Con for the last few years. Congratulations all!

I have some additional news regarding the Baronial Succession. Ballots were mailed out to paid members on October 1st. Members should be getting the polls shortly, and responses are due by October 20th. The polls will have a comment section. It is very important that you use this. Their Majesties will use these comments to help them decide on the next Baronage. Finally, at general meeting we decided against allowing non-members to have official polls. If you are a non-member, you are more than free to contact the TANG (tang@northshield.org) with your opinions. The Barony decided it is simpler this way.

Finally, Northshield desperately needs a new Chronicler and Exchequer. Both people have been in the position for over two years, and we need replacements. If you are interested in either position, feel free to contact the current kingdom Chronicler and Exchequer for more information regarding the duties of these positions.

Stay warm!

Robert The Stout
Baron of Jararvellir.



GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

Present: Jose, Guillaume, Istani, Theodoric, Moria, Gujiwana, Robert the Stout, Elinore, Gwen, Rhys, Arwa, Jois, Daven, Aesa, Toussaint, Speranza, foltlen

Jose: Event went well. We filled up 2.5 sheets at sign in. He would like to encourage guilds to partake in showing or demonstrating their skills at the moots. Also chorale guild is going okay.

Speranza: Adding on about the Harvest Moot we had 61 people sign in and made \$124.28 in donations.

Arwa: Had a mock up business cards if was agreed to get a 2,000 card for \$102

Rob: Discussed the polls. See the section 'From His Excellency' from details.

Istani- Have had a consent show up of 18 new people in the barony recreation activities. The next event to push for new people to show up will be Boars Head in December.

Moria: Needles is meeting every Tuesday night contact Moria for location.

Toussaint: Eiric has agreed to be Deputy Seneschal. Also for the Known World Cooks and Bards it was agree to go back to the original split for 50% to the barony, 25% to kingdom, and 25% to society. It was also decided the money going to kingdom go toward a arts and sciences event or a future SUN event.



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 11.1.2015 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!

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EVENTS

OUT AND ABOUT

For more information visit the individual group's website:
<http://www.northshield.org/Events/List.aspx>

October

- 10 [Fall Crown](#) Shire of Midewinde (Minot ND)
23-24 [Griffin Needle Challenge](#) Shire of Falcon's Keep (Marshfield WI)
31 [The Fifth Annual Rhythm & "Boos"](#) Shire of Korvag (Moorhead MN)

November

- 7 [Stellar University of Northshield](#) Barony of Windhaven (Menasha WI)
14 [KWAR and KWCS](#) Kingdom of Middle (Mundelein IL)

December

- 5 [Boar's Head – A Traditional Yule](#) Barony of Caer Anterth Mawr (West Bend WI)



2016 NEWSLETTER SUBSCRIPTIONS

Greetings folks!

It's that time of year again! This month's issue of *The Skein* will be the last issue of the 2015 subscription year (and last printed quarterly of this year) which leads us to the 2016 run. We will be continuing on the monthly electronic pdf format hosted at <http://www.jararvellir.org/skein.php> and announced on the Jara Hall and Facebook groups as well as the quarterly printing every 3 months. (March/June/September/December)

As a refresher every month the notes from the Baronial Business meeting are posted therein as well as any local announcements and articles or stories from your fellow Fish. In the quarterly issues we have all this same content as well as archived previous months letters, information, and stories in a condensed format for those that wish it in a physical copy.

Much like previous years subscriptions for 2016 are free, but there is a recommended donation of \$3 per issue to cover postage and printing (Full year=\$12). Please make checks payable to "SCA-Barony of Jararvellir" with "The Skein" noted on the check.

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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 (not currently active) Contact: Lady Sarah Luring (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.com

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 (Not currently active but info available) Contact Lady Kenya for information.
Contact: Lady Kenya (Heather Cushing) 608.203.5739, onlyinkena@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

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Monthly Meeting:

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