

The Barony Of  
**Unser Hafen**  
The Gatekeeper

October 2019



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**Baronial Buzz**

Felicitations to the Stone Wolves of Unser Hafen,

The summer has been a busy time for the entire pack. As the weather begins to cool and the days become shorter we banded together to raise funds for the Outlands Equestrians. At the September Allthing Unser Hafen raised \$420 to bring Arne Koets to teach the Equestrians about fighting from horseback. He will be here in November, and we will know that we supported the Equestrians in obtaining the training they need to continue to lead the Equestrian community in the Known World. Huzzah for the generosity of the Stone Wolves!

This past month, in Their great wisdom, our monarchs held Crown Tourney to find Their Heirs. It was a warm and sunny day, the combatants fought with honor and chivalry. There was good company to be had all day long. In fact, the small shade we brought for Unser Hafen to share literally overflowed with Stone Wolves! Sir Felix fought well and made it into the 6th round of the tournament. The final round was between Sir Baqu and Duke Bela. It was a fight to make you sit on the edge of your seat. In the end Duke Bela was the victor, fighting on behalf of Mistress Nerissa. Though Their Royal Majesties be in good health, all are pleased to know that the succession is secure.

The following day many rapier fighters came out to vie for the honor of serving the Princess as protector and companion over the coming months. There were no fewer than four Stone Wolves who fought in the tournament. Lord Winfred made it the farthest, into the second tier of the tourney. He is a force to be reckoned with!

In October we have the privilege and honor of hosting Kingdom Arts & Sciences Collegium. It will be a day full of learning and joviality. There are classes for everything from archery and dance to scribal arts, and so many more. October also begins the time we move into CSU's Field House for winter fighter practice. We hope to see everyone in the Field house starting October 1st. Last year we built an area for non-fighters to gather, work on A&S and chat - and we want to continue that tradition this year.

In November, we will make the long journey to Coronation. We are seeking others to join us for this journey if you are so inclined.

We are Unser Hafen, a Home that plays together, stays together. Stone Wolves have each other's back! So to our dearest Stone Wolves: know you are our pack; you are supported; you are cherished, and you are loved.

In love and service,

Aegeon & Miriam

Baron & Baroness of Unser Hafen

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**Senschel's Sentiments**

Good Gentles of Unser Hafen,

The sun shone, birds chirped to each other daintily, the mountainous terrain captivated the eyes, and we had arrived at The Mor You Know III.

My heart has been moved and I find I must expound upon that which has moved it. The weekend of September 20-22nd, a friend and I had the privilege of journeying into the mountainous region of Draca Mor. This humble shire took upon itself a great endeavor, an A&S Collegium. It turned out to be quite an intimate event allowing for a person to participate in a plethora of classes instead of rigorously prioritizing which could wait for another time. It was interesting to note that a small sampling of people traveled from many of the baronies/shires throughout our kingdom.

Unser Hafen is known throughout our kingdom as a most generous barony, and so I would encourage our populace to take that generosity and apply it towards the smaller events which abound in our kingdom. Whenever possible, venture forth into strange and exciting lands to experience what is being offered. In this way we can build stronger bonds and relationships with those not only in our barony but also in our kingdom.

Lady Vigdis Knarrarbringa

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## Chatelaine's Corner

Greetings from your humble Chatelaine.

I wanted to thank everyone who helped me come up with questions for the Newcomer's Bingo and also for everyone who donated or helped newcomers answer the questions. I had some new people come back to me and say they loved it and one young lady said it gave her an excuse to go up and talk to people who she wouldn't have been brave enough to do otherwise. While this was a small 'side activity' on a great day filled with activities, I would highly recommend we do this again next year.

Thank you,

Yngve Hjalmsen.

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## Artistic Musings

Watch for the return of the A&S Night, Scribal Guild and Embroidery Guild in November! Meanwhile, don't forget to attend the A&S Collegium, enter a project into Queen's Prize, and start on your Tri Baronial projects! Tri Baronial will be held February 29, 2020. Projects can be displayed (no documentation required) or submitted for judging (requires documentation of what was done and how it would have been done in period).

Yours in Service,

Anne Elizabeth

The Honourable Lady Anne Elizabeth Morley

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## All Things Allthing

### The Strengthening of the Pack!

Glenn Morris Field House at CSU

Sunday, October 6, 2019

2pm - 5pm

S. College Ave., Fort Collins, CO 80524

[MAP](#)

The October Allthing will be held indoors at the Glenn Morris Field House on Sunday the 6th. A fencing tournament has been organized for this event. Please see the [Facebook](#) page for more details.

Anyone is welcome to attend. Bring your A&S project and cheer on your favorite fighter or fencer!

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## Kingdom A&S Collegium

Kingdom A&S Collegium 2019

and

Queen's Prize Tournament

October 26th

Colorado State University Lory Student Center

1101 Center Avenue Mall

Fort Collins, CO

*Take a class or teach a class!*

Any gentles interested in teaching classes, or to learn more about A&S Collegium, click [HERE](#).

For more information on the Queen's Prize Tournament, click [HERE](#).

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**What's Going on in our Barony?**

### **Armoured and Fencing Practice**

Sundays 2:00-5:00 PM

CSU Fieldhouse

Fort Collins, CO 80525

[Click for Map](#)

Visit the [Website](#) for more info, directions and any changes to the schedule.

### **Archery Practice (Outdoor) - OCTOBER**

Saturday 10/5 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Saturday 10/19 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Fort Collins Archery Association Range

2825 Frontage Road

Fort Collins, CO 80525

Parking fee is \$5

There is no rental equipment available but there will be some loaner gear on site if needed.

### **Archery Practice (Indoors) - NOVEMBER**

Saturday 11/2 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Saturday 11/16 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Rocky Mountain Archery

4518 Innovation Dr

Fort Collins, Colorado

Find us in the "Unser Hafen Archers" group on Facebook!

### Rams Keep Fencing Practice

ALL ARE WELCOME

Mondays, 6:30-9:00 PM

Newsom Hall

CSU Campus

Fort Collins, CO 80521

[Click for Map](#)

### Equestrian Practice

Contact: Lady Cecelia O'Connor

970-420-6652

### Dance

On hold until further notice

### Scribal Guild

On hold until November

### Embroidery Guild

On hold until November

### A&S Gathering

On hold until November

### Calligraphy &/or Illumination

Contact: The Honorable Lady Anne Elizabeth Morley

970-227-9273

## Baronial Business Meeting

Friday, October 18th, 6:00 PM

Lola Diner

6020 Stallion Dr,

Loveland, CO 80538

There will be discussion at this meeting concerning changing the day and location of future business meetings. If you are unable to attend, but would like to provide your feedback, please contact [seneschal@unserhafen.org](mailto:seneschal@unserhafen.org).



# Kingdom Calendar

| Date          | Group                                      | Event   | Royal Progress | Autocrat            |
|---------------|--|---|----------------|---------------------|
| October 2019  |  |   |                |                     |
| 5             | Canton of Ravenhyrst                       | Festival of Fools                                 | K/Q/Prince     | Chealsea Webber     |
| 8-14          | Kingdom of Caid                            | <u>Great Western War XXII</u>                     | K/Q/Prince     |                     |
| 12            | Barony of Aarquelle                        | <u>Aarquelle Harvest Fest</u>                     |                | Godricke Friis      |
| 12            | Shire of Bryngolau                         | Mountain Pas & Highland Games                     |                | Lara                |
| 18-20         | Shire of Nahrn Kabirun                     | Siege of the City                                 | K              | Ilo de Faux         |
| 26            | Barony of Unser Hafen                      | <u>Kingdom Arts and Sciences Collegium</u>        | Q/Princess     | Miriam & Aegeon     |
| November 2019 |  |   |                |                     |
| 2-3           | Barony of Caer Galen                       | Arne Koets Historical Horsemanship & Sword Combat |                | Estefania           |
| 2             | College of Saint Golias                    | Feast of St. Golias                               |                | Gregor de Junger    |
| 9-10          | Barony of the Citadel of the Southern Pass | <u>Coronation</u>                                 | K/Q/P/P        | Julia Alexandria    |
| 23            | Barony of al-Barran                        | Day of Arts & Sciences                            |                | Gwenlyn Aldwyn      |
| 23            | Barony of Caerthe                          | Caerthe Yule                                      |                | Grace Dooley        |
| 24            | Barony of al-Barran                        | Toys for Tots Tournament                          |                | Cristin Sheibhleain |
| December 2019 |  |   |                |                     |
| 7             | Barony of Caer Galen                       | Caer Galen Midwinter                              |                | Venozza             |
| 14            | Barony of al-Barran                        | <u>Al-Barran Midwinter</u>                        |                | Frosti Grimmeron    |
| 15            | Barony of al-Barran                        | Al-Barran Midwinter War Practice                  |                | Frosti Grimmeron    |
| 19            | Barony of Dragonsspine                     | Dragonsspine Gypsy Christmas                      |                | Hrafn Corvin        |
| January 2020  |  |   |                |                     |
| 4-5           | Barony of Caerthe                          | <u>Caerthe 12th Night &amp; War Practice</u>      |                | Arndis Kyntir       |
| 11            | Barony of Aarquelle                        | <u>Viking Vinter Vunderlandt VI</u>               |                | Teigr & Haven       |
| 24            | Barony of Unser Hafen                      | Unser Hafen Yule Revel                            |                | Saffiya             |
| 25            | Barony of Dragonsspine                     | Candlemas   |                | Jeannette Delecroix |
| February 2020 |  |   |                |                     |
| 29            | Barony of Caerthe                          | Tri-Baronial                                      |                | Crestina            |
| July 2020     |  |   |                |                     |
| 1-5           | Kingdom of the Outlands                    | Battlemoor XI                                     |                |                     |

## The Court of Unser Hafen





His Excellency

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**Defender** - Lord Falki AsGierson

**Protector** - Don James Dubh MacPhearson (Haggis)

**Warden** - Euphemia de Argyll

**Equerry** - Kezran Wynthyria

**Arts & Sciences Champion** - Lady Alana Ramsey

**Pencerdd Bard** - Lord Aodhan Kincaid

**Barbican Persuivant** - Safiyya bint Faris al Dani

**Guard Captains** - Lady Sagaris, Lord Murdoch MacAlister

**Heads of Household** - Lord Arn Geirsson, Lady Vigdis Knarrarbringa

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