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The Barony Of
Unser Hafen
The Gatekeeper

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Baronial Buzz

Felicitations to the Stone Wolves of Unser Hafen,

Recently we were able to hold a tournament to determine the next archery champion of Unser Hafen. Lady Euphemia after many years was ready to see the mantle passed on. We had a lot of fun with a Monty Python themed shoot with many entrants. Alas, only one could win the honor of joining our court as our archery representative. The gentle with the highest scores for the shoot was Jarl Freana. All hail our new Warden, Jarl Freana, whose might with the bow and arrow has gained him the right to stand in our court.

As many know, Their Majesties have made offers to the various peerages, but due to the limited number of events during the Reign, it has been difficult to hold those ceremonies. It is the duty of the Baronies to respond to the need, and host events at which their Majesties will have the opportunity to honor our populace. On that note, we have the great honor to host an event for the elevation of THL Ronan in which he will give his answer on joining the Chivalry. Mark your calendars, the event will be Sunday - December, 5th in Loveland. The event is called Jötunnstaðr and is stewarded by THL Uctred Leifsson and Lord Folcwin the Red. More details will be coming soon!

We will have the opportunity to hold court that evening. This means we need you! We need each of you to send us award recommendations. The baronage cannot be everywhere, cannot see everything. Please tell us who you have seen doing good works, representing The Dream as it should be. Send your recommendations to baronage@unserhafen.org. While the turn around is short, we will also need scribes, who in our wonderful barony are always willing to answer the call.

Thank you all for your flexibility and willingness to follow ruling changes in this ever changing landscape. We are proud to be able to tell our Crown that the barony of Unser Hafen has heeded Their words well and is prospering and growing in these times.

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

Seneschal's Sentiments

Greetings Good Gentles!

As you may be aware, our Scribe Lady Alana Ramsey, recently relocated to another area of the kingdom far from our baronial lands. The weight of this loss is overshadowed by the knowledge she has accepted an opportunity to pursue her dreams. We can do nothing other than wish her the best as she embarks upon this new chapter of her life.

However, her leaving creates a vacancy requiring fulfillment. Another incredible Gentle has put herself forth to take upon this office. I hope you all will extend congratulations to her Ladyship Anne Elizabeth Morley, our new Unser Hafen Scribe. I have no doubt she shall utilize her prodigious skills and artistic creativity in this role. We offer our warmest welcome to your Ladyship!

There is yet another topic I desire to expound on. Once more upheaval darkens our and faraway lands. New policies have been enacted for the populace's protection and yet many chafe at the new laws' implementation. Some have even made the egregious error of behaving in a less than chivalrous manner in order to relate their displeasure of these new policies. It is understandable that fatigue and frustration should abound when confronted with protocols we believed long past. Regardless, this does not justify a departure from our code of conduct.

Fortunately, I am able to relay with a heart full of pride, the populace of Unser Hafen has been most gracious and supportive in light of the new restrictions. Our members do all within their power to assist this barony in keeping our game alive and thriving. To do so is no mean task, especially whence a variant of the plaque threatens to destroy all progress made towards eradicating it. Unser Hafen, you repeatedly demonstrate how aptly named we are, for we are home or family, striving to make this game the best it may be. We encourage each other, aid each other, and work together just as the wolf pack which symbolizes us.

Humbly, all I can say is, Thank You!

In Service,

Lady Vigdis Knarrarbringa
Proud Seneschal of Unser Hafen

Arts & Sciences

Stone Wolf Mentoring Opportunity

Do you have a project you've been yearning to tackle but you just don't know how? Put your project out there and seek a mentor who is willing to meet and share their experience and knowledge to help YOU take the next steps towards your longed for creation! Please send an email to aands@unserhafen.org with:

- Your modern and medieval preferred names
- Your preferred contact method and info (text, email, phone, social media)
- What you hope to achieve (make a leather belt pouch, build your own shoes, weave a basket, etc)

Things to remember! Keep it 'finite'. This is not intended as a long term teaching commitment. Try to make it something that can be done in 2 months at most (negotiate with your mentor a specific time commitment). Have specific skill goals. Ask yourself how historically accurate do you want to be in your methods and final product.

What you can expect:

- Your mentoring request will be shared in our newsletter and in our Baronial Populace group on Facebook.
- You and your mentor will be asked to submit a project plan with a timeline and proposed meeting frequency.
- Once every two weeks for 1 month, you and your mentor will receive a check in email from me, Domina Liliana (A&S minister of Unser Hafen), requesting an update on your project and any progress pictures you might be willing to share with your Barony and Kingdom. You may continue on beyond the check in period and may voluntarily submit future unprompted updates.

In Service,
Domina Liliana Isabella Arioldi dell'Edera
Unser Hafen Minister of Arts and Sciences

Build your WARdrobe

For those of you wishing to build or expand your WARdrobe! Here is your chance to have custom patterns to use over and over again and guided cutting and assembly for basic Roman, Norse Viking, or Ottoman garb! You will obtain measurements that will be used to generate your pattern. You can print the paper patterns yourself or get in on a group order. Based on your pattern, fabric estimates will be provided. A group fabric order will be available for those who'd like to combine shipping but you are welcome to raid your stash. If you want the information but aren't able to get your printed pattern and fabric at this time, consider 'auditing' the workshops or volunteering to help others so that you learn the skills to use later.

- Measurements at Sundays at the Field House through the end of November, submitted via Google Form (coming soon)
- Optional group pattern and fabric orders through December. Specific dates to be announced.
- One WARdrobe workshop a month January through September.
- Participate in all 3 garments from one region, or all 3 regions or pick and choose what you have interest in.
- Participants are responsible for the printing of their paper pattern (or pre-paying to be part of the group order), obtaining their fabric (or pre-paying to be part of the group order), and providing suitable sewing thread and fabric shears for their own use at the workshop days.

The planned WARdrobes are:

Roman

- January - Tunica (handout instead of pattern)
- February - Braccae trousers (custom pattern)
- March - Chlamys cloak (custom pattern)

Viking

- April - Tunic (pattern generator site)
- May - Apron Dress or Russ pants (custom pattern)
- June - Hood (custom pattern)

Ottoman

- July - Shalwar pants (custom pattern)
- August - Gomlek under tunic (custom pattern)
- September - Kaftan long coat or Zibin vest (custom pattern)

Skilled volunteers to help with cutting paper patterns, cutting fabric, serging/zig zagging fabric edges, assembly, and finishing are very welcome! Loan of sewing machines and sergers is also appreciated.

In Service,

Domina Liliana Isabella Arioldi dell'Edera
Unser Hafen Minister of Arts and Sciences

What's Going on in our Barony?

****Society rules concerning COVID now require photo ID and either a) proof of vaccination or b) a negative COVID test within 72 hours of the event. Masks are required at all indoor events. This includes practices, meetings, guild gatherings, etc. ****

Although the SCA complies with all applicable laws to try to ensure the health and safety of our event participants, we cannot eliminate the risk of exposure to infectious diseases during in-person events. By participating in the in-person events of the SCA, you acknowledge and accept the potential risks. You agree to take any additional steps to protect your own health and safety and those under your control as you believe to be necessary.

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.

We welcome any and all Arts & Sciences activities, and general SCA socializing!

Archery Practice **note time change**

Windsor Archery Range (outdoor)
Colorado 257 & Poudre Trail Road,
Windsor, CO

Saturdays, 11:00am-1:00pm

November 6th

November 20th

[Click for Map](#)

Visit the [Website](#) for more info and directions. Find us in the "Unser Hafen Archers" group on Facebook for any short notice changes to the schedule.

Equestrian Practice

Contact: Lady Cecelia O'Connor

970-420-6652

Rams Keep Fencing Practice

ALL ARE WELCOME

Mondays, 6:30-9:00 PM

Newsom Hall

CSU Campus

Fort Collins, CO 80521

[Click for Map](#)

Dance

On hold until further notice

A&S Gathering

Join us at Armoured and Fencing Practice on most Sundays! See column to the right for more info. Updates can be found on the Book of Faces.

Also, check the Unser Hafen website or The Book of Faces for additional upcoming A&S events and locations.

Calligraphy &/or Illumination

Contact: The Honorable Lady Anne

Elizabeth Morley

970-227-9273

(Scribal Guild and Embroidery Guild have been cancelled)



Virtual Populace Meeting

Wednesday, November 17, 2021

6:30pm

Link for the business meeting: meet.google.com/fbz-auqx-iqi

Join by phone: (US) +1 929-282-1162 PIN: 667 226 830#

Kingdom Calendar

Date	Group	Event	Royal Progres Autocrat s
November 2021			
13	Kingdom of the Outlands	<u>StagsCon</u>	Q Mistress Melodia Shaw
14	Barony of Aarquelle	<u>Aarquelle Defender</u>	P/P Seamus
21	Barony of al-Barran	<u>Nock On Wood</u>	K/Q Lady Onyx Haven
December 2021			
4	Barony of Caer Galen	Caer Galen Midwinter	K/Q P/P Don Triffin
5	Barony of Unser Hafen	Jötunnstaðr	K/Q THL Uctred Liefsson
11	Kingdom of Ansteorra	<u>Vindheim Coronet Tournament/Investiture</u>	Q
11	Barony of al-Barran	<u>Winter Guild Moot</u>	Baron Rowland De Grey
18	Barony of al-Barran	<u>Al-Barran Midwinter</u>	K/Q P/P Duke Artan macAilin
January 2022			
8	Barony of Caerthe	Caerthe 12th Night	K/Q P/P Sir Pai Wei Lung
29	Barony of Dragonsspine	<u>Dragonsspine Candlemas</u>	Altani Seehen
June 2022			
28-3	Kingdom of the Outlands	BattleMoor	

The Court of Unser Hafen



His Excellency
Baron Aegeon the Actor
baron@unserhafen.org

Her Excellency
Baroness Miriam Volpe
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Court Herald - Lady Perryn Coelbrant
Defender - Lord Fjölverkr
Protector - Lord Windfred (of Unser Hafen)
Warden - Jarl Freana Geardson
Equerry - Lady Kezran Wynthyria
Arts & Sciences Champion - Lady Euphemia de Argyll
Pencerdd Bard - Lady Vaeltaja of Unser Hafen
Barbican Persuivant - Baroness Safiyya bint Faris al Dani
Guard Captains - Lady Sagaris, Lord Murdoch MacAlister
Head of Household - Lady Vaeltaja of Unser Hafen

Baronial Officers

Officers and Responsibilities

Seneschal - President
Chancellor of the Exchequer - Treasurer
Barbican Pursuivant Herald - Submits name and armory applications
Chatelaine/Hospitaller - Assists Newcomers

Knight Marshal - Oversees combat activities
Marshal of Fence - Oversees fencing activities (Rapier, Cut and Thrush)
Captain of Archers - Oversees archery activities
Minister of Arts and Sciences - Oversees all art and science activities
Scribe - Coordinates creation of award scrolls
Equestrian - Oversees activities involving Horses
Chronicler - Editor of the Newsletter
Social Media - Oversees social media postings of events/communications
Webminister - Oversees the running of the websites of the barony
Quartermaster - Maintains, inventories and stores physical property of the barony

Seneschal:

seneschal@unserhafen.org

Lady Vigdis Knarrarbringa
Deputies: Lord Iago Martyn
THL Cecilia Caterina da Firenze
Secretary: Lady Euphemia de Argyll

Chancellor of the Exchequer:

exchequer@unserhafen.org

Mistress Ursula d'Arcy
Deputy: THL Elyse Joulle

Barbican Pursuivant Herald:

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Her Honour Safiyya bint Faris al Dani (Joshi Solomon-Freville)

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Jarl Freana Geardson

Copy/paste versions of embedded website links:

Map for Fighter Practices at the CSU Fieldhouse:

- <https://www.google.com/maps/place/Glenn+Morris+Fieldhouse/@40.5759683,-105.0804869,16.25z/data=!4m5!3m4!1s0x87694af8454685b7:0xa7707acaf6edc2ab!8m2!3d40.5751081!4d-105.0780963?hl=en&authuser=0>

Map for Rams Keep Fighter Practices:

- <https://www.google.com/maps/place/Newsom+Hall,+Fort+Collins,+CO+80521/@40.57201,-105.0915134,16z/data=!4m5!3m4!1s0x87694a519089f561:0xa4dd43169a1dd754!8m2!3d40.5715206!4d-105.0888625?hl=en&authuser=0>

Fencing Website:

- <https://unserhafen.wixsite.com/unserhafen/rapier-heavy-winter>

Map for Archery Location:

- <https://www.google.com/maps/place/Windsor+Archery+Range/@40.4494476,-104.8905096,17z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m5!3m4!1s0x876eaf088f3b0d29:0x6872892ba62a35ab!8m2!3d40.4494476!4d-104.8883209?hl=en>

Archery Website:

- <https://unserhafen.wixsite.com/unserhafen/archery-summer>

Kingdom Calendar:

- <https://www.outlands.org/events>

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