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The Barony Of
Unser Hafen
The Gatekeeper

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Baronial Bite

Felicitations to the Stone Wolves of Unser Hafen,

Next month will mark Unser Hafen's thirtieth anniversary as a barony! To celebrate, Her Honor Helene is hosting Conviviality Feast. The event will be virtual, to include an ethereal court! Recipes will be provided for anyone daring enough to create their own feast. If you do not wish to cook we still desire your presence, we miss the faces of all our Stone Wolves.

Additionally, starting October 1 we challenge you to post your favorite memories of Unser Hafen through the years on the Book of Faces and use the tag #UnserHafen30. Let's share stories, photos, and videos to remember all the joyous times we have had in The Dream. Who over the years has inspired you? Has Unser Hafen inspired you to song and dance? Share it! Let the Known World celebrate Unser Hafen.

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

Good Populace,

It seems the world is in desperate need of balancing its humours. The plague continues its rampant progress across our lands and now, we must contend with dragon's smoke billowing over our provinces. Even the weather strives to compound matters with its mercurial moods. Some may

feel these imbalances, coupled with the absence of in person gatherings (at least until after the new year) behooves a pause in participation within this game of ours. I say HOLD!

****Everyone stops what they are doing and waits with bated breath****

Some would say participation in events/competitions/meetings using the sorcery of this modern age seems incongruent with the basic principles of our game, I say nay. We are simply delving into the creative aspect of our anachronistic society. In this way, we are furthering the basic tenets of the game we play.

A prime example of this are the Wolf Den Gatherings of our fair barony. Every other week, on Sunday from 6:30pm-8:30pm, the barony has set aside time for socializing with its populace members. We also use this time for classes which then get posted to our YouTube channel. These times have seen the arrival of brand new members as well as members from far away kingdoms such as Atlantia. The discourse is as varied as it is entertaining. I heartily encourage all to come socialize with us!

Do not give in to the turmoil surrounding us. Know the wheel continues to turn and better days are ahead. Join us in discovering our game afresh as we traipse along the ethereal vines of the sorcery of virtual gatherings.

Yours in Service,
Lady Vigdis Knarrarbringa
Seneschal of Unser Hafen

Artistic Musings

A&S Classes

Visit the Unser Hafen events [PAGE](#) on Facebook for upcoming classes

Instructors Needed

Would YOU be so gracious as to share your knowledge with our Barony through our virtual class time? We are seeking instructors! We would like to have one class a month. You can submit your class proposal to be considered by filling out the form [HERE](#)

Policy Changes

A new financial policy has been drafted for review. This draft will be discussed at the next populace meeting. Please read the draft [HERE](#) and [EMAIL](#) any comments/changes/additions that you feel would be helpful.

Oyez! Oyez!

Calling for Pictures of the Barons and Baronesses of Unser Hafen

Dear Stone Wolves,

I have a project in mind for our 30 year, and I need your help. If you have a picture of any of the past Barons and Baronesses of Unser Hafen, while they were B&B, please send them to me! Ideally, I would like pictures of/near their investiture, but any picture is better than none!

Please email the pictures to baron@unserhafen.org

In service and love,
Baron Aegeon

What's Going on in our Barony?

BARONY OF UNSER HAFEN 30TH ANNIVERSARY

JOIN US IN A FEAST OF CONVIVIALITY OCTOBER 17TH!!!
6PM-8PM MDT

But we can't have events yet!!!!

True, so this is a virtual feast.

Huh?

We sit down to feast with our friends [or by yourself] and we will meet
on screen — Ye Olde Zoom or whatever.

OK, so what do I eat?

You cook your own feast.

But I can't cook a feast!

Of course you can — recipes will be posted ahead of the
feast.

No, really I can't cook.

That's OK — each recipe will have suggestions for quick & easy
variations.

OK I guess. But I really don't cook!

You can do this! Here's an example of the 1st Course:
3 Cheese Spinach Pie — Jeweled Fruit — Barley Water

Sounds Complicated!

OK so Cheesy Bread pudding — Fruit — Mountain Dew
[shudder]

Still too complicated!

OK: Cheese Crackers & Gummy Bears with a beer

The important thing here is to join together and enjoy some
camaraderie, wear your garb and have fun!

Think! How many feasts have you gone to and criticized the food?
This way you can learn new recipes, pick what you want and eat your
perfect feast!

Helene of the Smiling Bull [easiest feast-o-cratting EVER!]

Ahem — a new way to join together with Good Gentles from your group or
people you know throughout the Knowne World!

For feast details, and the virtual link, click [HERE](#).

Baronial Business Meeting

Wednesday, September 16 , 2020

6:30PM

For the online meeting, click [HERE](#)

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

Kingdom Calendar

Date	Group	Event	Royal Progr ess	Autocrat
September 2020				
12-13	Barony of Dragonsspine	**Cancelled** Outlands Crown Tournament	K/Q/P /P	HE Seamus MacRae
19	Canton of Hawks Hollow	**Cancelled** Northglenn Pirate Festival Demo		Eric Morrison
October 2020				
3	Shire of Rio de las Animas	**Cancelled** Rio Defender		Thorvald Hilgedrick
10-11	Kingdom of the Outlands	<u>Kingdom Arts & Sciences - Plague Edition</u>		Mistress Richenda
16-18	Shire of Nahrun Kabirun	**Cancelled ** Siege of the City		Lord John Russell
17	Barony of Unser Hafen	Unser Hafen Conviviality Feast (Online)		Helene Boudain

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7	Barony of Aarquelle	<u>Harvest Festival - Virtual</u>		Solveig Stephenson
14	Shire of Drygestan	**Cancelled** Outlands Coronation	KQ/PP	Christine Bishop
15	Shire of Drygestan	**Cancelled** Outlands Coronation - Day 2	K/Q	Christine Bishop

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Arts & Sciences Champion - Lady Euphemia de Argyll

Pencerdd Bard - Lord Aodhan Kincaid

Barbican Persuivant - Baroness Safiyya bint Faris al Dani

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