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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,

We would like to thank the populace for an outstanding number of participants in the survey we sent out last month!

After going through responses it was decided to host virtual events every other Sunday from 6:30-8:30 PM. Most of these events will be open socializing time. We are aiming for one of them in a month to be a class or other special event, if you are interested in teaching there are more details in the Artistic Musings section on how to sign up.

Special events will include things like virtual bardics and virtual feasts.

The Unser Hafen website calendar and the Book of Faces will have all the details going forward.

The next event is July 12th, Baroness Hélène will teach us how to make Medieval Gatorade (Sekonjabin). Details below - I hope to see many of you in attendance!

There is no news to report about in-person events at this time. We will keep the populace updated as soon as we have more information.

Thank you for your patience as we all work through these unprecedented times. If you are struggling, please do not hesitate to reach out to your Pack. We are as strong as our weakest members and it is imperative that we take care of each other.

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

Stonewolves!

As you all are aware, the plague which continues to infest our lands has not yet abated. Therefore, in order for us to remain connected, we must rely upon alternate means of communication other than face to face encounters. Which means we must rely upon the sorcery of modern times. Specifically, I refer to the Book of Faces. Recently, I learned the difference between the purposes of a page and a group on this platform. A page is where one would go seeking information about a specific entity. A group is the arena for discussion and sharing of ideas. The barony has a page entitled: Barony of Unser Hafen, Outlands, SCA. This is where all pertinent communication for the barony, along with kingdom and society news, is placed. The barony also has many groups, one of the main ones being: Populace of the Barony of Unser Hafen (SCA). This is where members of the populace have discussions, share ideas, post pictures, etc. Many more gentles are connected with the group than with the baronial page. This means some gentles may be missing notifications regarding important events/news. To make sure this does not happen, dear populace, make sure you have clicked the "like" button on the baronial page. I look forward to seeing you at our next virtual event and in person once the plague has been washed clean of our lands.

Yours in Service,
Lady Vigdis Knarrarbringa
Seneschal of Unser Hafen

Herald's Call

On Skalds and the Coronets of Unser Hafen

During the Viking Age and into the Middle Ages, skalds (Norse court poets) were known for detailing the deeds of their patrons with lengthy and complex verse. In the Outlands this commemorative style of poetry is often adopted to pay tribute during Coronations and Baronial Investitures as a means of paying tribute to those who have worn Crowns and Coronets in service to our Society. For your enjoyment and nostalgic wanderings, please see the 'skaldic' portion of the Investiture Court for our most esteemed Baron and Baroness, Aegeon and Miriam.

In the 25th year of the Society, The Barony of Unser Hafen was created. Sir Kevin MacKinnon and Mistress Ismenia Joslyn Wyndemeer became the founding Baron and Baroness who brought a dream to life and called it Unser Hafen "Our home".

In the 29th year of the Society, Eques Titus Claudius Severus, and The Honorable Lady Hancarata Aethnen filia Cunneadea styled us into a family that was proud of our home as the second Baron and Baroness of Unser Hafen.

In the 32nd year of the Society Master Thorfinn Greybeard and Mistress Rosalind of WellMark traveled the kingdom and taught others about the gems of Unser Hafen as its third Baron and Baroness.

In the 34th year of the Society Gospodeen Tuman Elnikov and Mu'allima Rashiqah Amatulbarri bint Azhar al-Kehirawayyia united a barony and showed us our strength as the fourth Baron and Baroness of Unser Hafen.

In the 36th year of the Society Syr Deotrich Hiltipard and Mistress Leonora Kathryn de Provence inspired other kingdoms with the dream that is Unser Hafen as its 5th Baron and Baroness.

In the 39th year of the Society Syr Alexandyr Macandrew and the Honorable Lady Mardanah al-Hindiyyah inspired us to dance, smile, and play as the 6th Baron and Baroness of Unser Hafen.

In the 41st year of the Society, Sir Samuel de Grace taught the ways of the armory and clothed our warriors in steel as the 7th Baron of Unser Hafen.

In the 42nd year of the Society, Lord William de Kari and Countess Rosalind of Wellmark fueled the passions of artisans and made known the Glory of the Populace throughout the Kingdom as the 8th Baron and Baroness of Unser Hafen.

In the 45th year of the Society, Lord Arion Hawke and the Honorable Lady Helene Boudain shared hospitality and gave recognition, welcoming the new as the 9th Baron and Baroness of Unser Hafen.

In the 47th year of the Society, Sir Rand the Tracker of Oak Hollow and The Honorable Lady Meadbh Daingen int Slébhe carried the word fame of Unser Hafen with grace and warmth throughout the Known World as the 10th Baron and Baroness of Unser Hafen.

In the 50th year of the Society, Lord Nicolao Machado and Lady Safiyya bint Faris al Dani demonstrated support for their populace with playfulness and sheer joy as the 11th Baron and Baroness of Unser Hafen.

Their Majesties now call into court, Master Aegeon the Actor and the Honorable Lady Miriam Volpe that they may be added to this honored roll of names.

Baroness Safiyya
Barbican Pursuivant

Artistic Musings

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Hail Unser Hafen Friends!

Learn to make "Medieval Gatorade" the Persian way with Baroness Hélène of Unser Hafen

Join Baroness Hélène Sunday, July 12th at 6:30 for a virtual cooking lesson on Google Meet. (Google Meet link <https://meet.google.com/dan-ueuh-gfd>)

Supplies needed:

Water

Vinegar (cider, wine, or balsamic)

Sugar or honey

Fresh mint leaves or lemon balm

Jars or bottles

Non-reactive sauce pan

A&S Craft and Chat

Join us at our monthly gathering! Work on your project, get guidance or just come and socialize. More details can be found in the event [PAGE](#) on Facebook

Instructors Needed

Would YOU be so gracious as to share your knowledge with our Barony through our virtual class time? We are seeking an instructor for August! We would like to have one class a month. You can submit your class proposal to be considered by filling out this form <https://forms.gle/kwdYjRXZwQ2Q15o9>

What's Going on in our Barony?

Armoured and Fencing Practice

Suspended until the end of July.

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

Archery Practice (Indoors)

Suspended until the end of July
Visit the [Website](#) or Find us in the "Unser Hafen Archers" group on Facebook for more info or any changes to the schedule.

Equestrian Practice

Contact: Lady Cecelia O'Connor
970-420-6652

Rams Keep Fencing Practice

Suspended until the end of July

Dance

On hold until further notice

A&S Gathering

Check the Unser Hafen website or The Book of Faces for upcoming events and locations

Calligraphy &/or Illumination

Contact: The Honorable Lady Anne Elizabeth Morley
970-227-9273

Baronial Business Meeting

Wednesday, July 15, 2020

6:30pm

Google Hangouts Meeting

Visit the [Website](#) or

The events section of the Unser Hafen [Facebook Page](#) for details
The link to join will be posted there shortly before the meeting is to
commence.

Kingdom Calendar

Date	Group	Event	Royal Progr ess	Autocrat
July 2020				
1-5	Kingdom of the Outlands	**Cancelled** Battlemoor XI & Crown Tournament/Cor	K/Q/P /P	Lady Rowana Campbell, Master Tariq
19	Barony of Unser Hafen	**Cancelled** Unser Hafen Champions		Erin of Unser Hafen & Safiyya bint Faris al Dani
24-9	Kingdom of Aethelmearc	**Cancelled** Pennsic War 49		
August 2020				
1	Canton of Hawks Hollow	**Cancelled** St. Sebastian's Archery Tournament		Ailinn Shadowfox
21-23	Shire of Plattefordham	Here There Be Dragons		Lord Ryuu
September 2020				
12-13	Barony of Dragonsspine	Outlands Crown Tournament	K/Q/P /P	
19	Canton of Hawks Hollow	Northglenn Pirate Festival Demo		Eric Morrison

October
2020

3	Shire of Rio de las Animas	Rio Defender	Thorvald Hilgedrick
16-18	Shire of Nahrun Kabirun	Siege of the City	Lord John Russell

The Court of Unser Hafen



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Warden - Lady Euphemia de Argyll

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Arts & Sciences Champion - Lady Alana Ramsey

Pencerdd Bard - Lord Aodhan Kincaid

Barbican Persuivant - Baroness Safiyya bint Faris al Dani

Guard Captains - Lady Sagaris, Lord Murdoch MacAlister

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