



The Gatekeeper

Barony of Unser Hafen February 2019

KINGDOM CALENDAR



Date	Group	Event	Royal Progress	Autocrat
February 2019				
2	Shire of Windkeep	Tri-Baronial	K/Q	Kaleria
9	College of Saint Goliath	Goliath War Practice	K/Q	
19-25	Kingdom of Atenveldt	Estrella War	K/Q	
March 2019				
9-10	Barony of al-Barran	Outlands Crown Tournament	K/Q/P/P	Sir Marc-Antoine, Mistress Bianca, Lady Phaidra
9-17	Kingdom of Gleann Abhann	Gulf		
15-17	Barony of the Citadel of the Southern Pass	A Hunt for Mythical Beasts		Julia Alexandria
April 2019				
6-7	Barony of Caerthe	Golden Thimble 2019		Lady Zephine
13	Barony of the Citadel of the Southern Pass	Kingdom A&S Competition	K/Q	Aimee Mack
27	Barony of Aarquelle	Aarquelle Defender		Florie
27	Shire of Blackwater Keep	Blackwater Keep Collegium & Defender		Curran
May 2019				
17-19	Shire of Nahrin Kabirun	Clan Wars		Tuathlaith
18	Barony of Unser Hafen	Brewer's Fest and Social		Lady Gwenllian MacDonald & Lady Kathryn of Southwick
23-27	Barony of al-Barran	Grand Outlandish XLVI		Grainne Shocair
24-27	Barony of Caerthe	Jocivus - A weekend of fun and merriment		Robert Magnus
June 2019				
7-9	Barony of Dragonsspine	Dragonspine Champions		Altani
13-16	Kingdom of Ansteorra	Known World Dance and Music Symposium		Baroness Myfanwy ferch Eifion
18-23	Kingdom of Northshield	Northern Realms War		Birna fra blakksholum
July 2019				
5-7	Kingdom of Calontir	Known World Heraldic and Scribal Symposium 2019		
9-14	Kingdom of the Outlands	Battlemoor X		Elisee & Dubhghail
August 2019				
9-11	Barony of Caer Galen	Caer Galen Defender		Finn ua Brian
16-18	Barony of Dragonsspine	Archery Collegium		Altani
30-2	Barony of Fontaine dans Sable	Warders of the Western Gate		Wyolet Bertrem

Northern Calendar

February 2 - Tri-Baronial Arts and Science - Windkeep
April 6-7 - Golden Thimble - Caerthe
April 27 - Aarquelle Defender - Aarquelle
May 18 - Brewer's Fest - Unser Hafen
May 24-27 - Jocivus - Caerthe
June 7-9 - Dragonsspine Champions - Dragonsspine
June 18-23 - Northern Realms War - Kingdom of Northshield
July 9-14 - Battlemoor X - Outlands
August 9-11 - Caer Galen Defender - Caer Galen
August 16-18 - Archery Collegium - Dragonsspine

What's Going on in our Barony?:

- **Armoured and Fencing Practice** - Sundays 2:00 - 5:00 @ CSU Glenn Morris Fieldhouse -
- **Rams Keep Fencing Practice** - Mondays 6:00 - 9:00 Newsome Hall, CSU
- **Equestrian Practice** - Contact Lady Cecelia O'Connor, 970.420.6652.
- **Archery Practice**
 - Sat February 9 - 4-6 PM
 - Sat February 23 - 4-6 PMAll are at Rocky Mountain Range, 4518 Innovation Dr, Fort Collins, Colorado. Range fee is \$7 with your own gear or loaner. We will bring some loaner gear, but you can also rent for \$15 including the range fee.
Find us in the "Unser Hafen Archers" group on Facebook!
- **Craftsman Guild**
 - See Facebook [Unser Hafen Craftsmans Guild](#)
- **Embroiderers Guild** - No meeting this month
- **Scribal Guild** - No meeting this month.
- **Baronial Business Meetings** - Meeting February 15, 7:00 PM at a new/old site (used to be a Perkins) Lola 's Diner, 6020 Stallion Dr, Loveland
- **Steward's Guild** - Meeting February 15, 6:00 PM prior to Business Meeting.

Want to know more? Check out our [Website!](#)

Greetings to the mighty populace and friends of Unser Hafen!

I want to thank everybody who showed up at our Yule! It was a good time with friends, from near and far. A special thanks to His Majesty Hrorek for making the journey to join us in our lands. The event of course, would not have been possible without our wonderful Baron Nicolaau and Baroness Safiyya for opening up their home to all of us.

My time as your Seneschal is coming to an end, and I need to find a replacement. Although you may have trepidation about taking this position, I want to assure you that it is easier than you think. Being Seneschal is an important job, and does have great responsibility in helping things run smoothly. If you have questions please reach out to me. If you are interested in this position please send a simple letter of introduction/ intent to: Seneschal@unserhafen.org, Baron@unserhafen.org, Baroness@unserhafen.org and seneschal@outlands.org.

This month we are going to try a new place in an old location for our monthly business meeting. Lola's Diner is a new restaurant located where the Perkins we used to meet at (two Perkin's ago) We will meet on the third Friday, Feb. 15th. Our Stewards Guild meeting will begin at 6pm, with our Business meeting starting at 7. Everybody is welcome to join us for this even if you only buy a cup of coffee, we want to see your smiling face and hear your input into the future of our Barony! Lola's Diner, 6020 Stallion Dr, Loveland, CO 80538, www.eatlola.com

My last request is to see if you are interested in being our event steward for our Champions' event this summer. If you have ideas of a site we can use, please let myself or their Excellencies Nico & Safiyya know.

Yours in service,
THL Soren Thorvaldsson

From the Baron and Baroness:

Greetings Unser Hafen,

We spent an amazing day in Shire of Windkeep for the Tri-Baronial Arts and Sciences. There were many amazing works to be viewed by such talented individuals. To all who chose to display or compete, regardless of experience level, know that we were so proud to see the results of your passion and skill. Unser Hafen, your collective talent and industry is a force to behold. Thank you all, and please keep art-and-sciencing!

Please join us in congratulating our new Arts and Sciences Champion, Lady Alana Ramsey, whose calligraphy and illumination was nothing short of impressive. We also want to congratulate those recognized as Companions of the Salt Bearers of Unser Hafen. This is an award given to those who provide noteworthy service specifically to the newcomers of our Barony. We added Don Ageon the Actor and THL Miriam Volpe to their ranks. We were also pleased to be able to present a backscroll to Sirs Mavrikii and Kaleriia - admitted to the same order more than two years ago.

It is our hope that at least one of us is able to attend Kingdom Art and Sciences down in the Barony of Citadel of the Southern Pass in April. It's a long trek, but our Cousins of the Far South are well known for their warmth and hospitality. We hope some of you choose to journey with us.

Some late words on our Yule Revel - it was a greater success than we had hoped. We are grateful to His Majesty and our Cousins from Caer Galen and Dragonsspine for taking the time to join us. Thank you to all who came to share food, warmth, drink, song, and laughter around our fire - the generosity and camaraderie of the Outlands is well known yet still humbling every time we see it in action. We had a small court in our front yard that was beautifully transformed by Master Freana, Mistress Richenda and Lord Arn. Lady Fionnghuala was made a Gold Ring of Unser Hafen. THL Soren and Lord Aodhan were made Keepers of the Portcullis. And this year's Stone Mason, a travelling award given to those of singular and commendable service to the Barony was awarded to Lady Ruth of Birkenfeld. His Majesty warmed our hearts by honoring Lady Bryn with an Argent Heart and granting Lord Namlos his Award of Arms.

We look forward to seeing more of you all as we move towards the camping season. Our Baronial Progress is listed below for your convenience.

Baron Nico and Baroness Safiyya

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Mar 9-10 Crown al-Barran - Nicolaau + Safiyya  
Apr 6-7 Golden Thimble - Safiyya  
Apr 13 Kingdom A&S - Safiyya (hopefully)  
April 27 Arquette Defender - Nicolaau + Safiyya  
May 4-5 Coronation TBD - Nicolaau + Safiyya  
May 18 Brewer's Fest - Nicolaau + Safiyya  
May 24-27 Jocivus - Nicolaau + Safiyya

## A Call for Baronial Officer Volunteers:

Currently the following offices are looking for replacements (training provided, could start as Deputies with a future time to take over negotiated). If interested in these positions or want to help in other offices, please contact the current Baronial Officer and Baron and Baroness (see website) and provide them a letter of intent. Include your name, contact information, membership number, and any pertinent information.

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*The court of upser hafen*



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**Court Herald** - Lady Perryn Coelbrant

**Largesse Coordinators** - Lady Madeleine de Seraucourt and Lady Rachel Russell

**Defender** - Lord Uthred

**Protector** - Lord Soren Thorvaldsson

**Warden** - Joseph

**Equerry** - Lady Cecelia Juetta

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

**Pencerdd Bard** - Lady Vigdis Knarrarbringa

**Barbican Persuivant** - Lord Ruadri mac Batin

**Baronial Guards** - Lord Iago Martyn (captain of the guard), Lady Dagrún Ljufudóttir, Lady Bryngerðr, Lord Ruadri mac Batin, Lord Martin Cuniga

**Lady in Waiting** - Baroness Meadhbh (head lady in waiting), Lady Lisette,

Lady Saikhan Nasan, Katherine of Windkeep, Baroness Arianwyn Sweet,

Alesonne McClellan, Lady Jazlynne Faraday

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