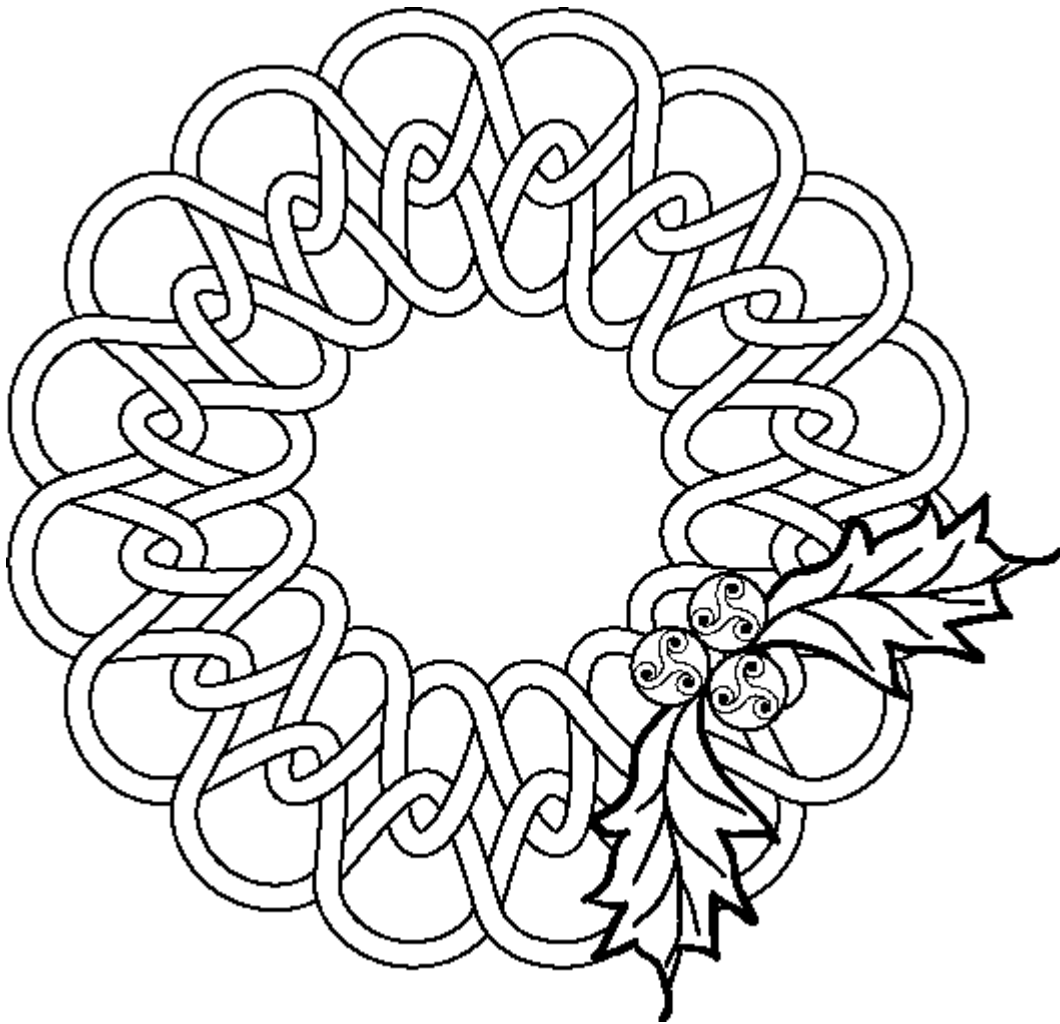


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FROM his excellency

Greeting unto the Barony-

Winter has come to Jararvellir. I hope everyone is staying warm, and has projects to keep them occupied during the upcoming months.

First of all, thank you all for your generosity in the toys for tots drive. I am humbled by how the members of the Barony gave so much for the drive. At the time of writing, we have donated 136 toys. This does not include the count from Boar's Head.

Second, I look forward to seeing everyone at the upcoming Yule Moot (January 4th). Please join us at Edgewood College for a day of games, a potluck dinner, and court.

Finally, I am happy to announce that Jararvellir will be hosting "It's but a scratch" on January 31st. This will be a full day of armored combat tournaments.

In Piscine strength

Robert The Stout
Baron of Jararvellir



DECEMBER MEETING MINUTES

Present: Gwen, Trystan, Svein, Terry, Nancy, Aoife, Jois, Toussaint, Kaydian, Gunther, Aesa, Nikolaus, Marian, Rhys, Ambrose, Robert the Stout, Speranza

Kaydian: The event Tis but a Scratch will be January 31 just needs to get a contract signed and will start advertising for the event.

Robert the Stout per Niles: He as SCA listed is listed in college organization fair for the spring semester. There is a demo opportunity for the soft arts: knitters, fiber arts, and etc. at the Alliant Energy Expo Center there would be free admission and parking for volunteers, but would not be able to attend the classes. Also, we had 136 toy donated for Toys for Tots.

Toussaint: There will be no throwing weapons this month but will have a schedule for January and February.

Aoife: No funds this month to turn in but will have two months of funds next meeting. Also, archery will do some festive games at the stock pavilion as part of the Yule Moot January 4th.

Ambrose: Rapier is going good.

Svein: Armored is going good.

Trystan: Two demo opportunities for the Mad Rollin Dolls at the Alliant Energy Center this year January 3, February 21, and May 9. He will post to see if armored combat people will be willing to help with this.

Gunther: There were 723 total people that attended WW. He is communicating with the site for next year.

Nikolaus: Music guild is happening will have a schedule for next year.

Rhys: Got the dooms day report in.

Gwen: Is still sorting through loaner clothing.

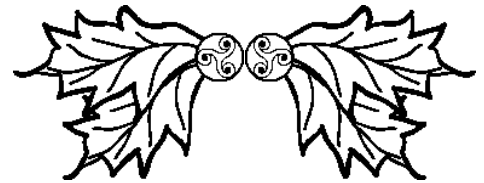
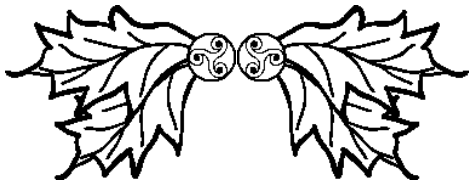
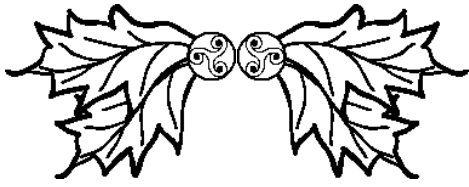
Speranza: Yule Moot is January 4th



NEXT GENERAL MEETING

General meetings are usually booked for the first Sunday of every month unless noted in 116 Predolin Hall at Edgewood College.

The next meeting will be held 1.4.2015 at 7:00PM at Edgewood College at the Yule Moot in the Washburn Heritage room in Regina Hall.



LOCAL NEWS

EUROPEAN DANCE PRACTICE

Details for those new to the dance practices: We do period dances of Italy, France, and England from the 15th and 16th centuries, as well as later dances upon request. The dances range from extremely easy to rather complex. Dances are for couples, trios, and larger groups. One does not need a partner to attend dance practice. No experience necessary, all dances are taught. If you can walk, you can dance.

Time: 1st & 3rd Sundays 3-5PM, 2nd & 4th Thursdays 7-9PM Please keep an eye out on the Jararvellir email list or Facebook group for updates on if practice will be held or if circumstances entail canceling.

Location: Capitol Lakes Retirement Center, 333 W. Main St. Center (Two blocks off the capitol square. Parking on the street is free on Sundays and after 6PM.) The room is the exercise studio that is part of their Aquatic & Wellness Center. There will be a roster waiver set up for everyone to sign when they show up. Please sign in. Please, no street shoes in the room. Either bring a pair of shoes specifically for dancing or plan on dancing in socks or bare feet. There are cubby holes for shoes across from the room.

If you have questions, call me at 608.213.1107 Hope to see you there!

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EVENTS

OUT AND ABOUT

For more information visit the individual group's website:
<http://www.northshield.org/Events/List.aspx>

January

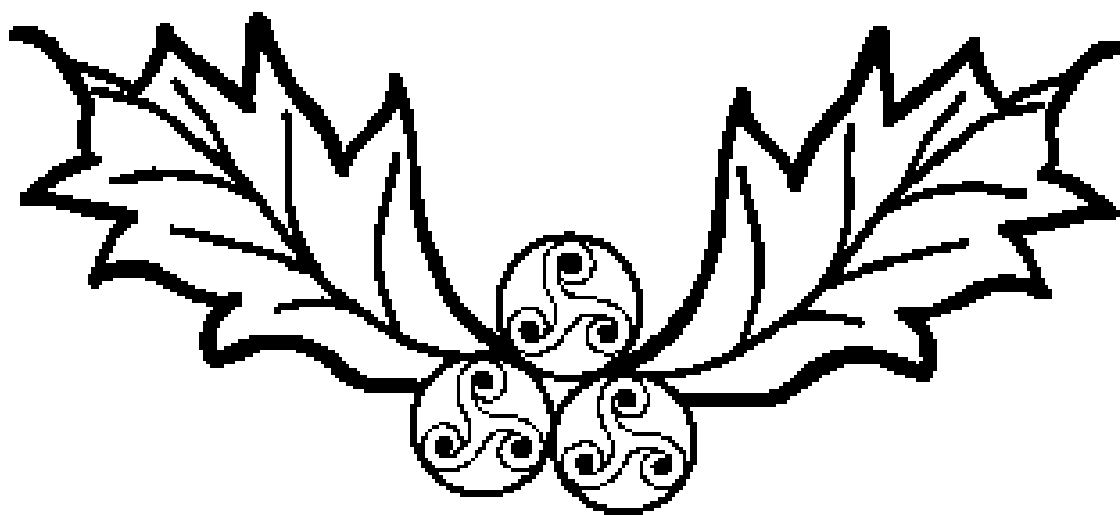
- 4 [Yule Moot](#) Barony of Jararvellir (Madison, WI)
1000 Edgewood College Drive, located in Regina Hall in the Washburn Heritage room
- 10-11 [Nordskogen 40th Anniversary Twelfth Night Celebration](#) Barony of Nordskogen (Ramsey, MN)
- 17 [Tree-Girt-Sea Twelfth Night – A Medieval Bestiary](#) Kingdom of Middle (Chicago, IL)
- 31 [Tis But A Scratch](#) Barony of Jararvellir (Jefferson, WI)

February

- 7 [Fighting in the Shade V](#) Barony of Jararvellir (Madison, WI)
- 21 [Haire Affaire - A March to War](#) Shire of Falcon's Keep (Auburndale, WI)
- 28 [Fighter's School](#) Barony of Windhaven (Fond du Lac, WI)

March

- 6-8 [That Moot Thingy XV \(15\)](#) Canton of Coille Stoirmeil (Tomah, WI)



2015 NEWSLETTER SUBSCRIPTIONS

Greetings folks!

It's that time of year again! This month's issue of *The Skein* will be the last issue of the 2014 subscription year (and last printed quarterly of this year) which leads us to the 2015 run. We will be continuing on the monthly electronic pdf format hosted at <http://www.jararvellir.org/skein.php> and announced on the Jara Hall and Facebook groups as well as the quarterly printing every 3 months. (March/June/September/December)

As a refresher every month the notes from the Baronial Business meeting are posted therein as well as any local announcements and articles or stories from your fellow Fish. In the quarterly issues we have all this same content as well as archived previous months letters, information, and stories in a condensed format for those that wish it in a physical copy.

Much like previous years subscriptions for 2015 are free, but there is a recommended donation of \$3 per issue to cover postage and printing (Full year=\$12). Please make checks payable to "SCA-Barony of Jararvellir" with "The Skein" noted on the check.

As the first printed issue will not be until March 2015 I will accept donations and address delivery submissions until the February business meeting. To subscribe, please print this page or remove from issue to fill out the information below (legibly!) and hand deliver or mail your form and donation to:

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Wherein are collected in the printed format the letters, articles, and stories of the Barony these previous 2 months in a condensed fashion from their original electronic publication.

For the full issues please see the pdf files archived at:

<http://www.jararvellir.org/skein.php>





LETTERS FROM his excellency

(Posted in the October Skein .pdf)

Greetings to the Barony-

Autumn has come quickly to Jararvellir. We are seeing lots of new faces from the University, which is wonderful.

First of all, I want to wish good luck to the members of the Barony who will be fighting at Crown next week. Fight well, and with honor.

Second, the Barony is looking for a new Historian. Paul Wickeden of Thanet no longer plays. The position is pretty simple, and requires minimal work. It is a great position for someone who wishes to server the Barony, but doesn't have much time.

Third, I want to thank Aodhan for being the Knight's Marshal for Jararvellir these past 2 and a half years. Svein Tunheim will be our new Knight's Martial.

Finally, we will be holding champion tournaments in the next month. The Armored Combat Tournament will be on Wednesday, October 15th, with the Rapier tournament being on the 22nd. These tournaments will be open to all who wish to participate, but to be considered champion, you must reside in Jararvellir or Coille Stormeil.

Robert, Baron of Jararvellir

(Posted in the November Skein .pdf)

Greetings to the Populace of Jararvellir-

Good November to the Barony of Jararvellir-

As some of you may know, the Baronies of Northshield are having a friendly competition. We are holding toy drives for Toys for Tots. We will be holding tournaments on 11/19. Furthermore, I will be stopping by the A&S guild meetings the week of 11/17 to see people, and pick up toys. While competition between the Baronies is fun, the important thing is giving toys to those in need.

On 11/1, Jararvellir hosted the 21st Northshield Dance seminar. I want to thank everyone who worked hard on making the event such a success. It was great seeing friends from distant places coming to Jararvellir to dance.

Finally, I want to congratulate Sir Tom and Sigrid as the new Heirs of Northshield. Vivat!!

Robert The Stout
Baron of Jararvellir



meeting minutes

(Posted in the October Skein .pdf)

Present: Annona, Aoife, Toussaint, Grainne, Svein, Robert the Stout, Ethini, Wren, Alessandra, Ginevra, Aodhan, Gwen, Rhys

Annona: Cooks and Bards had a huge profit and high turnout Shava had originally to split profits 25% to kingdom 25% to society 50 % to the barony since it was a great turnout would like to change the split of profits to 1/3 to each.

Aoife: has turned in the stock pavilion funds

Grannie: is looking to articles for website and has been searching the past Skeins looking for past championships to update the website. She would also like to add a scribal gallery for artwork and would like to add a directory to obtain populace modern name, SCA name, and device.

Svein: was voted in for Knights Marshall and would like to get more people on the armored field.

Robert the Stout: regional fighter had a good turnout with at least 30 people which included archery, rapier, and armored combat. We will also hold the armored championship October 15, 2014 and the rapier championship October 22, 2014.

Ethini: Griffin's Needle Challenge had 5 teams no one finished and would like to see if Flacons Keep will host it again next year.

Gwen: want to do a baronial garb closet clean out.

Ryes: sent out emails to specific people to host crown or coronation since has of now there are no bids. It was decided that if there was no bids by the next general meeting the barony may host it again. It was also decided to have everyone since a waiver each practice member and nonmember it will help with dooms day reports, keep track of attendance in numbers, and look back onto if there is an injury report and etc.

(Posted in the November Skein .pdf)

Present: Rhys, Gerald, Gwen, Nils, Rob the Stout, Marian, Nikolaus, Annora, Shava, Speranza, Svein, Toussaint, Ambrose, Cosimo, Meadhbh, Aesa

Shava: We had a good turnout for dance seminar. I was revived and Bell is willing to be the provost there were about 53 paid and 35 musicians and teachers.

Nikolaus: There 10 – 11 musicians that performed.

Speranza: The Yule Moot will be January 4, 2015 at Edgewood College.

Cosimo: The beginner rapier class is going well; we got a few new people in armor.

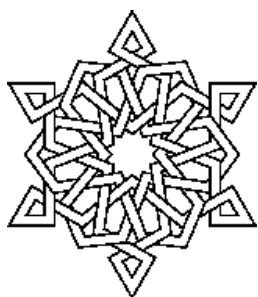
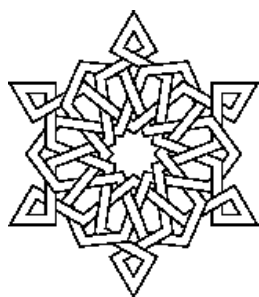
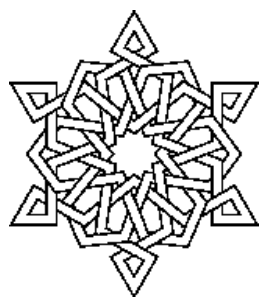
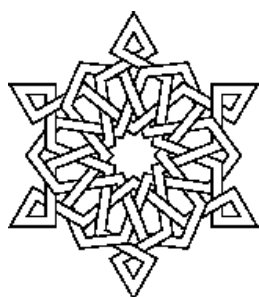
Ambrose: Choir is still going on Tuesday nights and still need a soprano.

Svein: A few new fighters got into armor. He will start bringing waivers to practice.

Robert the Stout: We will be holding a Toys for Tots tourney on November 19th.

Gerald: Went to a Tudor Tailor event and enjoyed it. The first jewelry guild went well had a few people. The Yule Moot will have an Arts and Sciences display.





BARONIAL MEETINGS, ACTIVITIES, AND CONTACTS

Please call the contact person to verify when & where an activity is held!

Archery Practice Sun. 12-2PM, Wed. 6:30-8PM. UW Stock Pavilion Contact: Aoifé Cnó Capaill (Gretchen Tischer)
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Armor making By prior arrangement, please contact Giles. 3314 Ridgeway Avenue Contact: Master Giles (Ed Gilbert)
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Bardic Night Second Fri. of the Month. Jose's house (e-mail or call for directions) Contact: Jose São Pacian (Stephen Rodrigues-Pavao) 608.217.5096, ltopera@yahoo.com

Brewing & Vintning Various locations (call for info) Contact: Robert the Stout (Robert Trefz) 608.441.6150, rtrefz@tds.net

Calligraphy & Illumination Tues. 7PM. Call for location. Contact: Lady Eile (Alicia Cronk) 608.244.9054,
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Instrumental Music Mon. 7PM-Beginners, 8PM-Advanced. Call for location. Contact: Lord Nikolaus der Ausländer (Clint Hotaling) 608.846.0859, n_auslander@hotmail.com11

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Middle Eastern Dance and Drumming Contact Lady Kenya for information.
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Rapier Practice Wed. 6:30-9PM, UW Stock Pavilion Contact: Ambrose von Pasau (Ambrose Paust) 608.523.1119 calls after 9:00PM please leave a voicemail with your name and number, rapier_marshall@jararvellir.org

Social Practice Wed. 9PMish. Call to verify location. Contact: Mistress Eithni (Jean Hetzel) 608.628.7782

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