

DEMI SUN DIGEST

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Note from the editor:

We're BACK!

With the resumption of in person activities I have something to share with you all. I'm so excited. It was so hard to find the inspiration to put issues together without the work of our amazing photographers.

I can't wait to see your smiling faces IRL, but until then, Caidans to dance with and fresh photos will do.



In the meantime, DSD started as a place to collect info on events to happen. Does anyone use the charts at the end or do you all just read the articles and look at the pictures? Let me know, because updates are time consuming and I want to focus that time on what readers find valuable.

By the Populace, For the Populace! Else Hunrvogt, OP 209.620.3828 Email FB (Photo from Nordwache Fighter Practice)

Errata Caveat: If there are mistakes in content, photos of or quotes by you that you would like removed, or anything else that needs correcting, let me know. It's easy to change and this is your newsletter. We try to get it right the first time, but don't always succeed.

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(Taken from recaps collected from Social Media)

ALL VIRTUAL EVENTS:

The West has been hosting a rich array of virtual events throughout the Plague break.. Some activities were purely social. Many of the Courts and Classes can be found on the Kingdom and related YouTube channels.

West Kingdom YouTube

Collegium 2020

Raid Delayed Collegium Playlist

Service Symposium

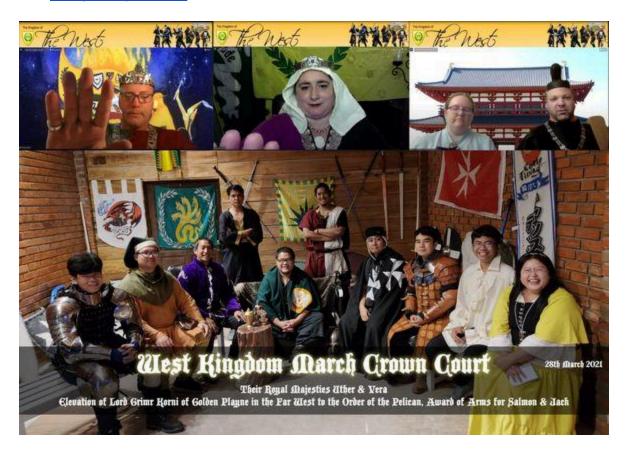
Cyangua YouTube

Ren Village

KW Salones of the Italies II Playlist

SCA Iberia

Colegio Playlist 2021



(photo from the Canton of the Golden Playne FB Group)

Since its introduction in late January, the Kingdom Zoom account has seen 3092 attendees for a total of 176,530 minutes. July sees the West host it's final VIRTUAL Known World event of the Plague break. KN Heraldic & Scribal Symposium will be July 9th-11th FaceBook Web. A few branches may be hosting virtual activities through the fall. Watch the Kingdom Calendar for information.

Local Highlights

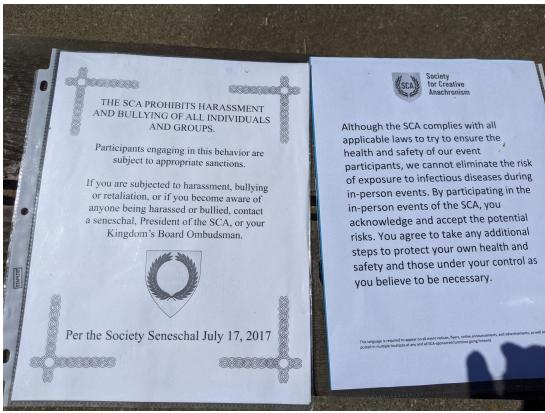
Wolfscairn Archery Practice

(photos from Sandy Lowry)









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Around the Web

Crapaud 303

DSD: Viva la Fleur!

(photos by Compass Star Photography)

From Sir Helga:

"TODAY (6/24/2021) IS THE 303TH CRAPAUD TOURNAMENT

THIS IS THE FIRST OPEN CRAPAUD IN 14 MONTHS!

We will be live streaming the fighting and look forward to many joining in and watching.

We are planning on starting toasts at 7:00 PM (Pacific) - Not live streamed.

Fighting to follow - Live Streamed (Live steam will be posted to my account)



List to follow - Format first 2 rounds will be best 2 out of 3, all rounds after that will be single fights.

Finals will be best 2 of 3 fights.

Closing toasts to follow"

"21 fighters in the list

Epic fights

Beautiful toasts

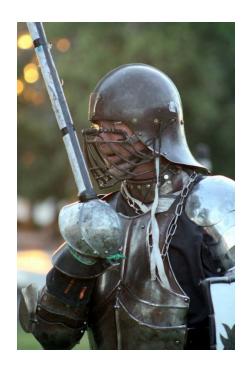
Crapaud: His Grace Fabian

La Fleur: Ghislaine."

















Newcomer's Hints

DSD: If you've joined the SCA during COVID and are looking forward to in person events, try checking out the West Kingdom History Site to get an inkling of what we did in the past OR reading back issues of Demi Sun Digest. We had coverage of almost a year's worth of events before the Plague Pause.

Service Secrets

From the Crew at Known World Entertainment Guide:

Unto the Known World and the wonderful gentles who have supported the SCA through COVID,

The SCA is just starting to open back up and many places are starting to see in person events. However, we expect to see an amazing assortment of online classes and content continue as it allows for a bigger audience and more shared knowledge across the society.

That being said, the steadfast crew at KWEG will be retiring soon. The plan is to run KWEG for another three weeks and then either hand it off to a new crew or no longer update.

--- OPPORTUNITY ---

IF you have interest in taking over the project, please contact us. It is ALMOST turn key and would be easy for another group to to step in and make it what they would like to see and or just keep chugging along with what we have going.

On average it takes 1 to 3 hours a week to update graphics, the web site, and Facebook.

There are pre-made self loading spreadsheets, a google drive, a google email, a website, and of course the FB page! We would be happy to hand over to the next crew.



The graphs are done by hand each week using Adobe Spark, someone would need to have a membership to that or an equivalent graphic creator.

If you or a group of people feel they would like to take on the task of keeping KWEG going the current crew would love to see that!

Thank you all for your support and contributing content to the KWEG! (*Photo from the FB group*)



Upcoming Events

(Information represents our reporters' best ability to gather it and is NOT official)

Cynehilde's VERY UNOFFICIAL West Kingdom Google Calendar



EPAY WEBSITE

	JULY	
Known World Heralds and Scribes July 9-11, 2021	Location: VIRTUAL Steward: Lord Domamir Vlatko syn	Website WK Webpage Facebook

	AUGUST	
Midsummer Picnic August 14-`5, 2021	Location: Kodiak Island. AK Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook
Hrafnafjordr All Thing August 28, 2021	Location: Kenai Pennisula, AK Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook Branch FB
VIRTUAL Madness August 29, 2021 SUNDAY	Location: VIRTUAL Steward: Lord Sean Tracy of Newberry	WK Webpage Facebook Branch FB

	SEPTEMBER	
Fall Crown September 3-6	Location: 560 Country Hollow Dr Fernley , NV Steward: Mistress Siobhan ni Sheagea	WK Webpage Facebook
Tourney for Commander of the Cavaliers September 4-6	Location: Fairbanks Area, AK Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook
Mists Coronet September 10-12	Location: Bay Area Steward: Lord Da'ud	WK Webpage Facebook
Mists-Cynagua War September 17-19	Location:Bay Area Steward: Viscount James Skalli	WK Webpage Facebook
Coronet September 25	Location: Alaska Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook
Championship September 26 (Sunday)	Location: Marval Stables, Lodi, CA Steward: Lady Rhiannon Boyle	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook

	OCTOBER	
Fall Coronet October 1-3	Location: Central Valley, CA Event Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook
Games Day October 5	Location: Marysville Area, CA Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook
Newcomer's Feast October 9-10	Location: Kodiak Island, AK Steward:TBA	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook
Turkey Tourney October 16	Location:Gilroy Area, CA Event Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook
Samhain October 19	Location: Anchorage area, AK Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook
Bardic October 23	Location: Bay Area, CA Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook
Fall Championships and Feast October 23	Location: Anderson, CA Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook
Samhain October 30-31	Location: Fairbanks Area, AK Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook

	NOVEMBER	
Masked Ball November 6	Location: Salinas, CA Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook
Autumn Picnic November 13-14	Location: Kodiak , AK Steward:TBA	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook
Colegium November 13	Location: Fairbanks Area, AK Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook
Fall Investiture November 20	Location: Bay Area, CA Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook
Hrafnasfjordr Yule November 20	Location: Kenai Peninsula, AK Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook
Borgia Feast November 27	Location: UC Santa Cruz Campus Steward: Kaitlyn Goodwin	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook

	DECEMBER	
Yule December 4	Location: Humboldt County CA Steward: Yrmengerdis of Allyshia	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook
Bi-Barionial Yule December 4	Location: Anchorage Area, AK Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook
Yule Feast December 11	Location: Chico/Paradise Area, CA Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook
Yule December 18-19	Location: Fairbanks Area, AK Steward: TBA	WK Webpage Facebook Branch Facebook