



Additional Information

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*Listed below are several sources for additional
information about the SCA and SCA activities.*

SCA Corporate Website
<http://www.sca.org>

Kingdom of Northshield Website
<http://www.northshield.org>

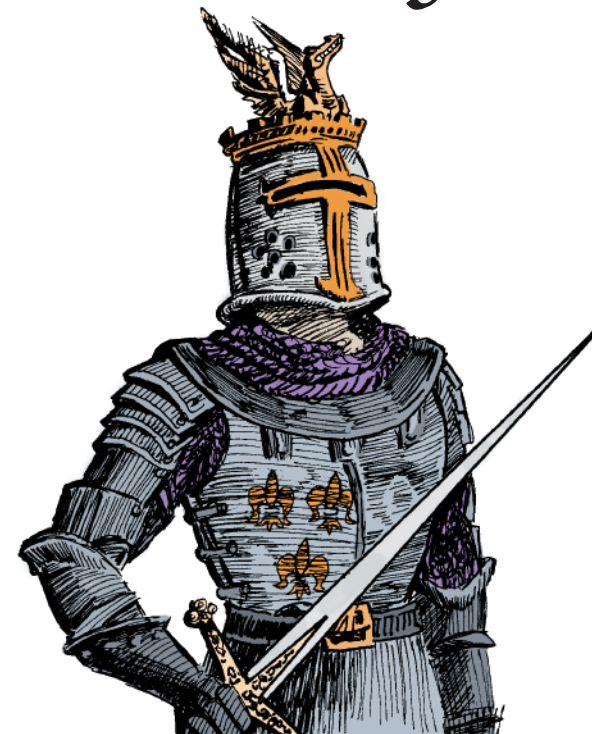
Barony of Windhaven Website
<http://www.baronyofwindhaven.org>

*In addition to these sources, listed below are
e-mail addresses for Windhaven's officers*

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*the society for
creative anachronism*

and

The Barony of Windhaven





Welcome to the Society for Creative Anachronism (SCA) and the Fox Valley / Green Bay chapter known as the Barony of Windhaven.

Pageantry

Just as in your favorite fairy tale, the pageantry of the SCA is something to behold. A proud King and His lovely Queen, the Royal Prince and Princess surrounded by their Barons and Baronesses, members of the Order of the Chivalry (Knights), their hardest working servants (known as Pelicans), and the best artisans in the lands (the Laurels) make life merry while the gentle subjects pay fealty and do honor to the Royalty at Court.



As in the days of Camelot, Knights of Bold fight for the hand of their Lady Fair in tourney, the King and Queen rule with a just and even hand, the notes of the musicians are fluid and melodic, and the dancing is dramatic and wild.

History

The SCA is an international, not-for-profit organization dedicated to re-creating the Middle Ages. Founded in 1966, it encompasses 19 Kingdoms around the world. Our members come from all walks of life. Everyone is welcome who has a desire to recreate the modern Middle Ages (as they should have been...we don't recreate the Plague).



We recreate the Middle Ages through wearing of appropriate clothing and by our participation in medieval activities. We choose to uphold the code of chivalry and the Arthurian values of honor and courage.

As a member of the SCA, we choose a persona (an alternate identity) to be used at SCA functions. Our persona recreates how we might have lived prior to the 17th century. We attempt to learn and practice how a person would have lived during our selected time period. We learn about what they ate, what they wore, how they made a living and how they celebrated their special events.

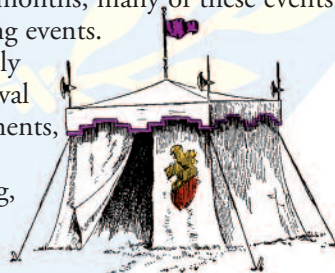
Activities

There are several levels of participation in SCA activities. At the local level, in the Barony of Windhaven, regular administrative (business) meetings are held monthly. Several "moots" are also held, usually having specific "themes".

Larger events will focus on a theme such as a Feast of Fools, Tournament of Chivalry, Twelfth Night, Fighter School, Bardic Madness, Arts and Sciences Faires. Most will include a fabulous feast in medieval style comprised of several removes (courses), each comprising of multiple dishes.



During the summer months, many of these events are multi-day camping events. These events can really help bring the medieval feeling...the tournaments, campfires, singing, musicians, drumming, period pavillions, classes...all help in making you feel like you really are in a medieval encampment.



Local Activities

Several areas of member interest, as listed below, hold regular meetings to discuss techniques, learn from their peers, and show off their work. In the Society, everyone is encouraged to work on what they are interested in and share their knowledge and endeavors with those of similar interests.

Dancing

Bardic Performance

Brewing and Vintning



Tournament Fighting

Period Rapier Fighting (fencing)



Armor and Weapon Manufacture

Stained Glass

Heraldry

Cooking

Leather Working

Blacksmithing

Calligraphy

Illumination

Embroidery

Garbmaking (costuming)

Woodworking

