



**Minnesota Renaissance Festival Vol. 30 Number 3**

**H**uzzah & Cheers for 30 years of the Minnesota Renaissance Festival. Through the years, the Festival has gone through changes and additions, but one thing has stayed true: the spirit and merriment of the 16th century.

**K**ing Henry requests all guests of the village join in this 30th anniversary celebration with full-contact armored jousting, an all new Puke & Snot show, the Washing Well Wenches, Minions of Mud, and food to satisfy any appetite. Discover the adventure at the 2000 Minnesota Renaissance Festival.

**A Highland Fling ~ August 26 - 27**

**SCOTTISH HEAVY EVENTS**

Talented athletes from across the United States will compete in seven feats of strength. The events are Scottish in origin and include the Caber Toss, Stone Put and Hammer Throw. Sponsored by Green Mill and the Double R Bar, Grill & Lounge.

**HIGHLAND DANCE COMPETITION**

Kick up your heels at the 6th Annual Highland Dance Competition. The Minnesota Scottish Celtic Dance Association will compete on Saturday and hold an exhibition on Sunday at the Special Events Pavilion.

**JUNIOR CABER TOSS**

Lads & Lassies can compete in a Junior Caber Toss at 11:00 in the Children's Realm.

**MINNESOTA COALITION OF SCOTTISH CLANS**

The organization's goal is to put people in touch with their Scottish roots and their heritage. Visit their booth at the Party Tent and ask questions about their ancestry and your own.

**VILLAGE TUG OF WAR**

Watch as villagers challenge the Highland Games competitors for a tug of war in the meadow at 4:30 on Saturday.

**SHEEPHERDING**

Watch in wonder as the traditional skill of shepherding is demonstrated in Sheperds Green Meadow near the Irish Cottage at 11:30, 2:30, and 5:30. Visit the sheep and border collies at the Ballina Knob Petting Farm.

**TREASURE HUNT**

Treasure Hunt maps are available at the Front Gate and at the Children's Realm. Children who find all five treasure stations will be rewarded when the King dubs them official Knights of the Realm. The Knighting Ceremony takes place daily at 4:00. Meet near the information booth at 3:45 to participate.

**LIVING HISTORY TOURS**

Take a free guided tour with our very own village tour guide, Duchess Seymour, and learn the best kept secrets of the Realm. Tours are approximately 30 minutes long and begin at 9:30, 10:30, 11:30, 12:30, and 2:00. Meet at the information booth, near Bad Manor.

**HALL OF MASTERS**

The Hall of Masters features a showcase of the arts and crafts represented at the Festival. This weekend's featured media are Astrology; Candles; Glass; Jewelry; Paintings, Prints & Wallhangings; Plants; and Perfume & Potpourri.

# ~ Stages ~

## FOLKESTONE HALL

10:00 Gaylord  
10:30 Decantus  
11:00 Shenanigans  
11:30 Cahill  
12:00 McDermot  
12:30 Haymarket Minstrels  
1:00 Mark Pilon  
1:30 Mark Pilon  
2:00 Gaylord  
2:30 Cahill  
3:00 Lady Gwendolyn  
3:30 Tatiana Stewart -  
Harper & Songstress  
4:00 Reve du Faun  
4:30 Potso the Minstrel  
5:00 Tatterdemallions (Sun.)

## FOLLIES STAGE

9:30 The Magic Jester  
10:00 Allen-A-Dale  
10:30 The Magic Jester  
11:00 Allen-A-Dale  
11:30 The Magic Jester  
12:00 Masque  
12:30 Haymarket Minstrels  
1:00 The Magic Jester  
2:00 Masque  
2:30 DeCantus  
3:00 Allen-A-Dale  
3:30 Marco  
4:00 Masque  
4:30 Allen-A-Dale  
5:00 Masque  
5:30 Gustavus Vasa

## CROWN STAGE

10:00 London Broil  
10:45 Tortuga Twins  
11:30 London Broil  
12:15 Tortuga Twins  
1:00 London Broil  
2:00 Tortuga Twins  
2:45 London Broil  
3:30 Tortuga Twins  
4:15 London Broil  
5:00 Tortuga Twins

## SHEPHERDS GREEN

Saturday  
10:00 Bramer Stone  
10:30 Open Stone  
11:00 42lbs. for Distance  
11:45 28lbs. for Distance  
12:30 Hammer  
1:45 Caber Toss  
2:30 Stone Carry  
3:15 42lbs. Weight for Height  
4:30 Village Tug of War  
5:30 Chess Match

## Sunday

10:00 Open Throwing Event  
10:30 28lbs. for Distance  
11:00 Hammer for Accuracy  
11:30 Caber Toss  
1:00 Open Throwing Event  
1:30 Caber Toss  
2:15 42lbs. for Height  
5:30 Chess Match

## THE BEAR

10:00 Piper Fraser (Sat.)  
10:30 Royal Strings (Sun.)  
11:00 Royal Scottish  
11:30 Country Dance Society  
11:50 Morris Dancers  
12:00 Terpsichory Dance Troupe  
12:30 Morris Dancing  
12:50 Villification Tennis (PG)  
1:00 Royal Scottish  
2:00 Country Dance Society  
2:30 Parade Jam  
3:00 Haymarket Minstrels  
3:30 Morris Dancing  
4:00 Terpsichory Dance Troupe  
4:30 Royal Scottish  
5:00 Dance Society  
6:00 Morris Dancers  
6:30 Haymarket Minstrels (Sat.)  
7:00 Tatterdemallions (Sun.)  
7:30 Terpsichory Dance Troupe  
8:00 Thieve's Circle  
8:30 Tatterdemallions (Sun.)

## GYPSY / ROBIN HOOD

10:00 Robin Hood  
10:30 Thomas O'Dison Genius  
11:00 Robin Hood  
11:30 Thomas O'Dison Genius  
12:00 Raqs Bedawia  
12:30 Marco  
1:00 Raqs Bedawia  
2:00 Thomas O'Dison Genius  
2:30 Raqs Bedawia  
3:00 Thomas O'Dison Genius  
3:30 Robin Hood  
4:00 Raqs Bedawia  
4:30 Robin Hood  
5:00 Lyonesse

## PUB

12:00 Lyonesse  
12:30 King's Shilling  
1:00 Reve du Faun  
2:00 Mistress Bawd (PG)  
2:30 Vagabond  
3:00 Mistress Bawd (PG)  
3:30 Shenanigans  
4:00 King's Shilling  
4:30 Court Revelers  
5:00 Cahill  
5:30 Mistress Bawd (PG)  
6:00 Pub Sing

## GROVE STAGE

10:30 Lady Gwendolyn  
11:00 Storyteller's Tale of "Nobody's King"  
11:30 Tuey  
12:00 Mark Pilon  
12:30 Tuey  
1:00 Storyteller's Tale of "Nobody's King"  
1:45 Allen-a-Dale  
2:00 Tuey  
2:30 Reve du Faun  
3:00 Tuey  
3:30 Haymarket Minstrels  
4:00 Tuey  
4:30 Mark Pilon  
5:00 Storyteller's Tale of "Nobody's King"  
5:30 Vagabond  
6:00 Decantus

## BOARSHEAD INN

10:00 Morris Dancing  
11:30 Royal Scottish Dancers  
12:30 Terpsichory Dance Troupe  
5:30 Piper Fraser

## NEW/MARKET JOUST TRACK

10:00, 12:00, 2:00, 4:00  
Quintain & Ring  
11:00, 1:00, 3:00  
Full-Contact Armored Jousting

## ROYAL FALCONER

11:15, 12:45, 2:45, 4:15  
Birds of the Gauntlet

## LEGEND STAGE

Pub & Snot will perform "Hog Wild", "Nagapa", and "Pirate" throughout the day. Check Nook at Legend Stage.  
10:00 Monkey Boye the Pirate  
10:30 Puke & Snot  
11:30 Monkey Boye the Pirate  
12:00 Puke & Snot  
1:30 Monkey Boye the Pirate  
2:00 Puke & Snot  
3:00 Monkey Boye the Pirate  
3:30 Puke & Snot  
4:30 Monkey Boye the Pirate  
5:00 Puke & Snot

## FOLKESTONE WELL

10:00 Minions of Mud  
11:30 Washing Well Wenches  
12:00 Minions of Mud  
1:00 Washing Well Wenches  
2:00 Minions of Mud  
3:30 Washing Well Wenches  
4:00 Minions of Mud

## KING'S ARBOR

11:15 Royal Agenda  
12:00 The Three Musketeers  
12:30 Royal Strings (Sun.)  
1:45 Post Parade Presentation  
3:00 Court Revelry  
4:00 Children's Knighting Ceremony

## ROUNDABOUT GLEN

11:00, 12:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00  
Maypole Dancing

## SPECIAL EVENTS PAVILION

Saturday  
10:00 - 2:00  
Highland Dance Competition

## Sunday

10:30 Highland Dance Exhibition  
11:30 Royal Strings  
12:30 Highland Dance Exhibition  
2:30 Royal Strings

## ZODIAC PAVILION

11:00, 12:30, 2:30, 4:00  
The Great Debate of the Astronomers

## BAKERY STAGE

9:30 Brother Paul Partly  
10:15 Dew Drop Jugglers  
11:00 Brother Paul Partly  
11:45 Dew Drop Jugglers  
12:30 Brother Paul Partly  
2:00 Dew Drop Jugglers  
2:45 Brother Paul Partly  
3:30 Dew Drop Jugglers  
4:15 Brother Paul Partly  
5:00 Dew Drop Jugglers

## Daily Costume Contest

at 9:00  
outside the Front Gate.



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# Grand Marche Parade - 1:30



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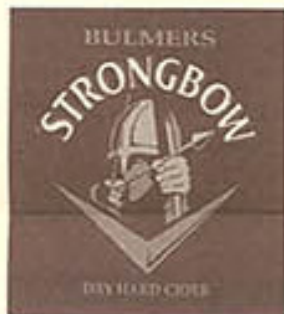


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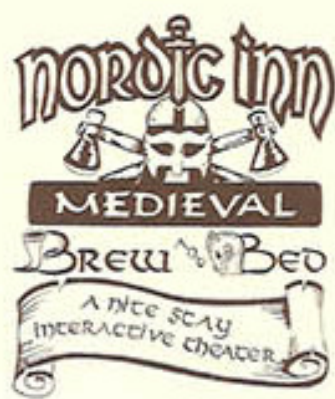
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### THE HALL OF MASTERS

The Hall of Masters is a showcase that features arts and crafts representing artisans at the Festival. Exhibits rotate every weekend, with new and different featured media. The staff is helpful, knowledgeable attendants that will be happy to answer questions and direct you to the shop of the creator of any piece that catches your eye.

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### FOLKESTONE HALL

The home of the Renaissance Collection. The Collection represents exceptional work of Festival Artisans in all media. Each year the Festival purchases new pieces from craft participants, making the exhibit a historical review of the artistry of the Festival, as well as a unique and delightful gallery experience.

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# ~ Craft Demonstrations ~

A complete listing and schedule can be picked up at the Information Booth.

## Hall of Scribes, Shop 1205

Uncial Alphabet 10:03  
Gothic Alphabet 11:15, 4:00  
Decorated Letters 3:15,

## Wind Rose Mill, Shop 120

Paper Making 10:00, 11:00, 1:00  
Printing 10:15, 11:15, 1:15  
Book Binding 10:30, 11:30, 1:30

## Oulu Glass, Shop 447

10:00, 12:00, 2:00, 4:00

## Rock Hard Stoneware, Shop 433-434

11:30, 1:30, 3:30

## Makers' Place, Shop 604

11:00, 2:00, 5:00

## Ye King's Glass, Shop A1810

11:00, 1:00, 2:00, 4:00, 6:00

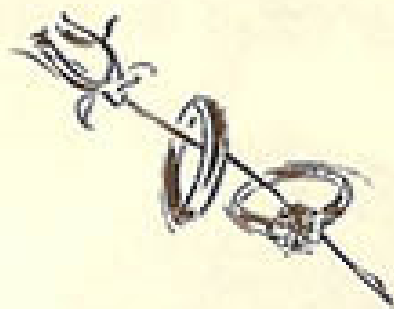
The following shops feature just a few of the artisans who will be working on pieces throughout the day: Jewelry Making, Uncommon Adornment, Shop A1725, Leather, Craig Craft House, Shop 847, Doll Making, Ye Old Doll House, Shop 842, Candles, Wax Werks, Shop 718

### Weddings - Saturday

Katie Maruska & Troy Montour  
Arditn Brooks & Don DuBord  
Terri Shaw & Steven Harteau

### Sunday

Alysia Ferguson & Tim Larson



### Special Guests

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### Photo Competition

His Royal Majesty doth know that your magic boxes capture the special spirit of the Minnesota Renaissance Festival. He is offering rewards for the finest of pictures returned to his court for judging.

### Recipe Contest

The Queen is busy compiling her chef's finest recipes and requests your help. Please submit your favorite recipes. If she and her court choose your dish, you will win fabulous prizes.

**For complete details and entry form, please visit the information booth or contact Mid-America Festivals - 1244 S. Canterbury Rd., Suite 306 Shakopee, MN 55379 • 1-800-966-8215.**

Coming Soon from the Producers of the Renaissance Festival:  
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