



NEWS OF THE REALM

SECOND WEEKEND

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38th Annual Minnesota Renaissance Festival Volume 38 Number II

World Amateur Highland Heavy Games Championship! Scottish Village!

HIGHLAND FLING WEEKEND - AUGUST 23-24

WORLD AMATEUR HIGHLAND HEAVY GAMES CHAMPIONSHIP

Cheer on competitors from around the world as they compete in this year's Highland Games! This Scottish themed world strength event includes the caber toss, hammer throw and stone toss and will be located in the Special Events Field.

HIGHLAND DANCE EXHIBITION

Kick up your heels and dance along with the Minnesota Scottish Celtic Dance Association during daily exhibitions at the Special Events Pavilion. Performances will be held at 1:30pm and 3:30pm Saturday Only!

THE SCOTTISH VILLAGE

Celebrate Highland Fling with over 20 vendors from across the area! Learn about Scottish organizations such as the Minnesota Coalition of Scottish clans, The Celtic Croft and more! The entrance to the village is located behind the King's Dungeon.

KILT COMPETITION

Come and enjoy a different competition! Based on the traditional dress of Scotland, this event will be on the Special Events Pavilion at 11:30am.

SCOTTISH COOKING DEMONSTRATION

Revel in the smells of Scottish food as you learn to cook one of Scotland's most popular dishes! This one time opportunity will begin at 3:00pm on the Pavilion Stage!

FLAT EARTH BEER TASTING

Join in a traditional Scottish tradition with **FREE** Flat Earth Beer Tastings on the Special Events Pavilion at 12:30pm, 2:30pm and 4:30pm. Seating is limited and will begin 15 minutes prior; everyone must have a valid I.D. by order of his

Majesty King Henry and the State of Minnesota. **No Exceptions!**

MASHED POTATO SCULPTING

The messier, the better! Kids will compete Scottish style for the most original sculpture in the Children's Realm at 1:00.

KING'S DUNGEON

Come visit the NEW King's Dungeon and see the eerier side of the Renaissance! Walk through the executioner's chamber; visit the catacombs of doom and more! Located near the Special Events Field, this new attraction is sure to entertain!

CHILDREN'S HULA HOOP CONTEST

Young princes and princesses are welcomed to swivel their hips to victory in the Hula Hoop Contest. Test your hula hoop skills at 1:00pm at the Children's Realm Stage for the chance to be named the Hula Hoop Champion and win prizes.

CHILDREN'S COSTUME CONTEST

Lads and lassies can compete in the Renaissance Costume Contest at 3:00pm on the Children's Realm stage. After the competition, the children will be invited to participate in the Children's Knighting Ceremony!

CHILDREN'S KNIGHTING CEREMONY

The King invites all children to become official Knights of the realm daily at 3:30pm held at King's Arbor. Please arrive at 3:15pm to participate.

PET COSTUME CONTEST

Think your pet has the best Renaissance garb? Bring them dressed in their best renaissance themed costume to the Fetch Delivers booth at 3pm daily to win prizes.

~ Stages ~

LEGEND STAGE

- 10:30 Puke & Snot
- 12:00 Puke & Snot
- 1:30 Puke & Snot
- 3:30 Puke & Snot
- 5:00 Puke & Snot

BAKERY STAGE

- 9:15 Br. Paul Partly-Magician
- 10:00 The Danger Committee
- Formerly Dew Drop Jugglers
- 10:45 Br. Paul Partly-Magician
- 12:00 The Danger Committee
- 12:45 Br. Paul Partly-Magician
- 1:30 The Danger Committee
- 2:30 The Danger Committee
- 4:30 The Danger Committee
- 5:30 The Danger Committee

CROWN STAGE

- 10:45 Tortuga Twins
- 11:45 Johnny Phoenix
- "Danger Comedy" LC
- 12:30 Tortuga Twins
- 1:30 Johnny Phoenix
- "Danger Comedy" LC
- 2:15 Tortuga Twins
- 3:00 Johnny Phoenix
- "Firewalk"
- 3:45 Tortuga Twins
- 4:30 Johnny Phoenix
- "Danger Comedy" LC
- 5:15 Tortuga Twins
- LC

TRACK

- 11:00 Quintain
- 1:00 Joust
- 4:00 Joust

MEAD BOOTH

- 11:00 Drunk & Disorderly
- 12:00 Bedlam
- 12:30 Bramble Bush
- 1:00 Misplaced
- 1:30 Bedlam
- 2:00 The Sidhe
- 2:30 Irish Volunteers
- 3:00 Reve Du Faun
- 3:30 All the Kings Men
- 4:00 O'Brennan
- 4:30 Vagabond
- 5:30 Renaissance Smoker

QUEEN'S PUB

- 10:30 Chirp
- 11:00 All the Kings Men
- 12:00 Shenanigans
- 12:30 Reve Du Faun
- 1:30 Shenanigans
- 2:00 All the Kings Men
- 2:30 Drunk & Disorderly
- 3:00 Bramble Bush
- 3:30 Vagabond
- 4:00 Misplaced
- 4:30 Reve du Faun
- 5:00 Court Revelers
- 5:45 Troll Shenanigans Pub Sing

TREETOP STAGE

- 10:00 Jamison Juggling Show
- 10:45 Nature of Mercy
- 12:00 Jamison Juggling Show
- Totally HOT
- 1:45 Jamison the juggler
- 2:30 Totally HOT
- 3:00 2 Children Left Behind
- 3:30 Nature of Mercy
- 4:15 Jamison Juggling Show
- 6:00 Mass - Saturday

WITCHWOOD STAGE

- 10:00 Michael Madden-Magician
- 10:30 Zilch the Tory Steller
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- 12:00 The Wacky Chickens
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- 1:00 The Wacky Chickens
- 1:30 Zilch the Tory Steller
- 2:00 The Wacky Chickens
- 2:30 Zilch the Tory Steller
- 3:00 The Wacky Chickens
- 3:30 Zilch the Tory Steller
- 4:00 Michael Madden-Magician
- 4:30 Zilch the Tory Steller

SHEPARD'S GREEN

- 9:15 Shepherds Arrival
- 12:00 Shepherding
- 3:00 Speedball
- 3:30 Shepherding
- 5:30 Uncle Fergus' Wake

GROVE STAGE

- 11:45 Tuey-juggling & Ropewalker
- 12:30 Black Velvet Band
- 1:00 Tuey-juggling & Ropewalker
- 2:00 Tuey-juggling & Ropewalker
- 2:30 Michael Madden-Magician
- 3:00 Tuey-juggling & Ropewalker
- 4:00 Tuey-juggling & Ropewalker
- 5:00 Black Velvet Band

TROUBADOUR STAGE

- 9:30 Allen-A-Dale
- 10:00 The Sidhe
- 10:30 Misplaced
- 11:00 Allen-A-Dale
- 12:00 All the Kings Men
- 12:30 Gaylord
- 1:00 Vagabond
- 1:30 Drunk & Disorderly
- 2:00 Black Velvet Band
- 2:30 Shenanigans
- 3:00 Allen-A-Dale
- 3:30 Chirp
- 4:00 Bramble Bush
- 4:30 Elizabethan Syngers
- 5:00 The Sidhe
- 6:00 Music Jam - Open to the public

PAVILION

- 11:30 Kilr Competition
- 12:30 Flat Earth Beer Tasting
- 1:30 Minnesota Scottish Dancers
- 2:30 Flat Earth Beer Tasting
- 3:00 Scottish Cooking Demo
- 3:30 Minnesota Scottish Dancers
- 4:30 Flat Earth Beer Tasting

BAD MANOR GREEN

- 10:00 Courty Dance
- 11:00 Royal Strings - Sunday
- 1:00 Royal Scottish Country
- Dance Society
- 5:30 Courty Dancing Lessons - Meet at the Info Booth
- 6:00 Courty Dance
- 6:30 Drum Jam

GYPSY STAGE

- 10:00 Fandazzi
- 10:30 Tastes Like Burning Fire Show
- 11:00 Sisters of the Sahara
- 12:00 Tastes Like Burning Fire Show
- 12:30 Sisters of the Sahara
- 1:00 Fandazzi
- 1:30 Tastes Like Burning Fire Show
- 2:00 Fandazzi
- 2:30 Sisters of the Sahara
- 3:00 Fandazzi
- 3:30 Tastes Like Burning Fire Show
- 4:00 Sisters of the Sahara
- 4:30 Fandazzi

FOLKESTONE WELL

- 11:30 Washing Well Wenches
- 1:30 Washing Well Wenches
- 3:30 Washing Well Wenches

KING'S ARBOR

- 10:30 Allan-A-Dale
- Court Revelers
- 11:15 Royal Reception
- 12:00 Unicorn Photos
- 12:30 I Arroganti Comedia
- Royal Strings - Sunday
- 1:30 Wedding Toasts LC
- 2:00 Augsburg College Medieval MN - Saturday
- I Arroganti Comedia - Sunday
- 2:30 Court Revelers
- 3:00 Black Velvet Band
- 3:30 Children's Knighting

BARE STAGE

- 9:30 Terpsichory Courty Dance
- 10:15 MN Traditional Morris
- Dancers
- 11:00 Royal Scottish Country
- Dance Society
- 11:30 Gypsy Jam
- 12:00 MN Traditional Morris
- Dancers
- 12:30 Villification Tennis
- 1:30 Terpsichory Courty Dance
- 2:15 Royal Scottish Country
- Dance Society
- 2:45 Terpsichory Courty Dance
- 3:30 MN Traditional Morris
- Dancers
- 4:00 Royal Scottish Country
- Dance Society
- 4:30 MN Traditional Morris
- Dancers
- 5:00 Terpsichory Courty Dance

MAC'S PUB

- 10:30 Bramble Bush
- 11:00 The Dreps
- 12:00 Hay Market
- 12:30 O'Brennan
- 1:00 All the Kings Men
- 1:30 The Dreps
- 2:00 Chirp
- 2:30 The Dreps
- 3:00 Misplaced
- 3:30 The Dreps
- 4:00 Bedlam
- 4:30 The Irish Volunteers
- 5:00 Drunk & Disorderly
- 5:30 Dreg-a-Long

FOLKESTONE PUB

- 10:00 Royal Strings
- 10:30 Elizabethan Syngers
- 11:00 Reve du Faun
- 11:30 Vagabond
- 12:00 Misplaced
- 12:30 DeCantus
- 1:00 Irish Volunteers
- 1:30 Bramble Bush
- 2:00 Renee Pilon
- 2:30 Bedlam
- 3:30 O'Brennan
- 4:00 Drunk & Disorderly
- 4:30 Gaylord
- 5:00 Shenanigans

FRONT GATE KIOSK

- 9:00 Royal Court
- 10:00 Gaylord
- 10:30 Black Velvet Band
- 11:00 Birch
- 12:00 Elizabethan Syngers
- 12:30 Puppet Photos
- 1:00 Nature of Mercy
- 1:30 Haymarket Minstrels
- 2:00 Elizabethan Syngers
- 2:30 Birch
- 3:00 DeCantus
- 3:30 Kelvin Nichols
- 4:00 Birch
- 4:30 Chirp
- 5:00 Nature of Mercy
- 5:30 DeCantus
- 6:00 Gaylord
- 6:30 Court Revelers

GUARD ENCAMPMENT

- Caldron Cooking Demo until 11:30
- Talks about Renaissance Spices & Cookery & Herbalism throughout the day

CHILDREN'S REALM

- Wand Making All Day!
- 10:30 Dragon Scales & Faerie Tales
- 12:00 Dragon Scales & Faerie Tales
- 1:00 Mashed Potato Sculpting
- 2:00 Story Time with the Queen

- 2:30 Dragon Scales & Faerie Tales
- 3:00 Children's Costume Contest
- 4:00 Dragon Scales & Faerie Tales

BALLINA IRISH COTTAGE

- 10:30 Maggie & Taiffy
- 11:00 Irish Volunteers
- 12:00 Maggie's Hearth Baking Demo
- Saturday: Soda Bread
- Sunday: Saffron Cake
- 1:30 Story Time
- 2:30 Maggie's Hearth Cooking Demo
- Saturday: Fat Chicken
- Sunday: Cobble Pot
- 4:00 Maggie & Taiffy
- 5:30 Uncle Fergus' Wake

FOLLIES AREA

- 10:30 Royal Navy Experience
- 1:30 Royal Navy Experience
- 4:00 Royal Navy Experience

WEDDING TENT

- 6:00 Celtic Compline (Evening Prayer)

PREMIER FENCE SPECIAL EVENTS FIELD

- 10:00 22lb Stone of Strength
- 10:45 16lb Stone of Strength
- 11:30 56lb Weight Throw
- 12:15 28lb Weight Throw
- 2:00 Caber Toss
- 3:00 Heavy Hammer Throw
- 3:45 Light Hammer Throw
- 4:30 56lb Weight for Height
- 5:30 Awards Ceremony

LC = Loose Cannon

this show may contain material not suitable for young children

GRAND

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PARADE

DAILY AT

11:30

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Daily Costume Contest at 9:00 outside the Front Gate.

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2008 DEMO SCHEDULE BY SHOP

WIND ROSE MILL - SHOP 120 - Jeff Dahlin	10:00 11:00 1:00	-Paper Making
	10:15 11:15 1:15	-Printing
	10:30 11:30 1:30	-Book Binding
K. DOPITA STUDIO - SHOP 152-153		
K. Dopita	11:00 12:00 1:00 2:00 3:00 4:00 5:00	-Medallion Workshop
WIZARD WAX WORKS - SHOP 206		
Dan Hirsig	11:00 1:00 3:00 5:00	-Wax Sculpture
COCK N' DRAGON - SHOP 215-216		
Gene Coon	11:00 2:00 5:30	-Printmaking
CRAIG CRSAFT HALL - SHOP 847		
Ruth Craig	12:00 4:00	-Leather
FELLOWSHIP FOUNDRY - SHOP 217-218		
Lance Moore	10:00 11:00 2:00 4:00	-Pewter Casting
THE ALCHEMIST - SHOP 335		
Kimberly Groves	11:30 2:30 5:30	-Perfume & Potpourri/Distilling
PHIL ECHERT POTTERY - SHOP 433-434		
Phil Echert	11:00 1:00 4:00	-Wheel & Decoration of Pottery
ETHEREAL THREADS - SHOP 445		
Karen Knierim	11:00 3:00 5:00	-Rug Weaving on Loom
OULU GLASS - SHOP 447		
Jim Vojacek	10:00 12:00 2:00 4:00	-Blown Glass
ANAM CARA - SHOP 604		
Angus Moss	11:30 2:30 4:30	-Wood
MACGREGOR GAMES - SHOP 636-637		
Charles Knutson	10:00 1:00 3:00	-Wood Turning
JESTER'S COURT - SHOP 639		
Jody Hunter	10:00 12:00 2:00 4:00	-A Jester's Life
JOSEPH'S CARPENTER SHOPPE - SHOP 717		
Joseph Zukosky	12:30 2:30 4:30	-Intarsia (wood)
CLASSIC GLASS - SHOP A1720		
Zach Rowan	10:00 12:00 1:00 2:00 3:00 4:00 5:00	-Lampwork Glass
LEGENDARY CREATIONS - SHOP 827		
Steven Paul Carlson	11:00 12:30 1:30 3:00 4:00	-Magic Demonstration
YE KING'S GLASS - SHOP A1810		
David Tate & Steve Palmer	11:00 1:00 2:00 4:00 6:00	-Blown Glass
CHIMELOT - P-13		
David Stanelle	11:00 12:00 1:00 3:00 4:00	-Windchimes
WORLD PORTRAITS BY NANCY - P-14		
Nancy Christensen	9:30 Demo 10:15 Free Charcoal Lessons 10:30 Draw Along	-Draw Along With Nan C

YE OLDE CANDLE MAKER - P-40		
Robert Mills	11:00 12:00 1:00 2:00 3:00	-Candles
VIOLET'S CREATIONS - P-08		
Violet Bifulk	12:00 2:00 4:00 6:00	-Raku Firing
LADYARTISAN - SHOP 605		
Barbara Mendiscala	10:00 11:30 2:30 6:00	-Bronze & Pewter Work
FLAME TREE GLASS - SHOP 845		
Andrew Roberts	10:00 1:00 4:00	-Lampwork Glassblowing
THROUGH THE LOOKING GLASS - SHOP 631		
Tish Doss	9:30 10:15 11:00 11:45	-Pewter Sculpture
GOBLET OF FIRE - SHOP 1233		
Scott Garver	10:00 11:00 12:00 1:00 2:00 3:00 4:00 5:00 6:00	-Glass Blowing

2008 WORK IN PROGRESS DEMOS

K. DOPITA STUDIO - SHOP 152-153		
Kathy Dopita		-Medallion Workshop
CLASSIC GLASS - SHOP 152-153		
Zachary Rowan		-Glass Demos
FACES IN WOOD - SHOP 220		
Doug Hicks		-Wood Carving
BEAVER TRACKS - SHOP 444		
Bob Sawyer		-Shoes & Boots
POTTERY DUDE - SHOP 433-434		
Phillip Echert		-Pottery Demos
THROUGH THE LOOKING GLASS - SHOP 631		
Tish & Jeff Doss		-Wax Carving
FARRIE HOUSE - P-42		
Frank & Reini Barr		-Farric Houses
VIOLET'S CREATIONS - P-08		
Violet Bifulk & Joe Bifulk		-Violet's Creations
BLUE CASTLE POTTERY - SHOP 424		
Judith Miller		-Blue Castle Pottery
DIRE ATRIUM - SHOP 110		
Alicia Moffitt		-Dire Atrium
PINK MOON HOLLOW - SHOP 640-641		
Brenda Brousseau		-Pink Moon Hollow
MACGREGOR GAMES - SHOP 636-637		
Beth & Charles Knutson		-Macgregor Games
CRYSTAL DRAGON - SHOP 128		
Doug Duncan		-Crystal Dragon
BRIDGET DONAHUE - SHOP 335		
Bridget Donahue		-Make your own Raku Pot
*Firing begins at 9am with the last firing at 5:30pm, 10% off piece if you come before noon.		
ANAM CARA - SHOP 604		
Angus Moss		-Anam Cara

2008 FEATURED MASTERS & ARTISANS

M-MASTER A-ARTISAN	
JEWELRY:	
106 Amber Moon M	
122 Earth N' Wire A	
127 Taylor Jewelry M	
232 Honorable Company Metal-smiths A	
435 Bronze Jewler M	
719-716 Illusions Into Reality A	
ORNAMENTALS:	
227 Porcelainly Yours A	
METALS:	
112 Ye Copper Burning A	
152-153 K. Dopita Studios M	
402 Ye Olde Iron Garden M	
725-726 Copper Sculpture A	
POTTERY:	
117-119 Banner Oak Pottery M	
125-AA James Johnson A	
126 Rivertown Pottery M	
211-212 What Cheer Pottery M	
316 Caulfield Clay Works M	
338 Bridget Donahue M	
406-407 Deneen Pottery M	
410 Prairie Pottery A	
421 Tom Chamberlain Pottery A	
818 Ash Coulee Pottery A	
CALLIGRAPHY & PAPER:	
120 Jeff Dahlin M	
PAINTING AND PRINTS:	
124 Dreamscape Artist A	
408 Bear Paw Paperworks M	
431 Ferreri M	
441 Mayfaire A	
821 Countryside Art A	
827 Legendary Creations M	
P-14 Portraits by Nan C A	
APPAREL:	
125 M'Lord & Tailors M	
215-216 Cock N' Dragon M	
445 Ethereal Threads A	
597 Steve Hynnek M	
TOYS:	
140-141 Doodletown Toys A	
636-637 MacGregor Games M	
GLASS:	
209-210 Timberwind M	
225 Dark Moon Designs M	
447 Oulu Glass M	
448 Outa Torch Glass M	
A1720 Classic Glass M	
A1810 Ye Kings Glass M	
A1810-AA Ye Kings Glass M	
WOOD:	
220 Faces In Wood M	
419 Tooling-A-Round M	
717 Josephs Carpenter A	
FIBER:	
344 Joan Gray Batik M	
CANDLES:	
340 Magic of Valmor Wax A	
CARICATURES:	
412 The Royal Caricature M	
LEATHER:	
440-441 Oh Susanna's Leather A	
609-610 New Pterodactyl A	
617 New Wineskins Leather A	
644-645 New Pterodactyl Leather A	
847 Craig Craft Hall M	
SCULPTURE:	
106 Amber Moon M	
333 Elementals A	
605 Lady Artisan A	
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS	
719 Bairds Music Shoppe M	
FURNITURE:	
739-741 Sky Chairs A	



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WEDDINGS & PARTIES

Wall Vow Renewal

Midwest Stone Company Party

Kathleen McNamara Celebration Party

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Coming Next Weekend...

ROYAL ALE FESTIVAL (AUG. 30, 31 & Sept 1)

- MN State Longbow Competition
 - Grainbelt Beer Tastings
 - Natl. Homebrew Competition
 - Queen's Birthday
- and much more!*



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