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The majestic culture and artistic movement known as the "Renaissance" began in Florence, Italy during the 14th Century and encompassed Europe by the beginning of the 17th Century. The spirit of optimism that this historic movement represents is preserved and emulated here at the Minnesota Renaissance Festival.

MERMAID COVE - Check out the Mermaid Cove, located by the Children's Realm. Open 10am - 4pm

Q & A WITH THE ROYAL COURT - Join the Royal Court at 12:00pm on the King's Arbor Stage.

HERALDRY - What do all of the different parts of a coat of arms mean? The colors and symbols all have distinct meanings on the Pavilion Stage at 10:30

KNIGHTS AND KNIGHTHOOD - Meet the Royal Guard, the Men in Red at 10:30 in the Guard Encampment.

PAPER MAKING - Visit the Paper Mill to learn how to make Paper - ALL Day!

BOARD GAMES - of the Period at MacGregor Games at booth # 636

IRISH COTTAGE - Stop by and see what life in a small family home was like

RENAISSANCE MUSIC - Learn about the history of Renaissance Music on the Arbor Stage at 11:00

SPICES OF THE SILK ROAD: Join Alice the Cook by Como Cottage at 1:00am, 1:00, 3:00 & 5:00pm to learn about the new tastes and smells from distant lands.

COMEDIA DEL ARTE: Will explain theatre groups and the history of Comedia as an art form in the Renaissance, on the King's Arbor Stage at 10:30am.

SWORDS AND WEAPONS - Learn about the history of weapons on the Bad Manor Green at 12:30 and 2:00.

JOUSTING: Full Combat Armored Jousting will take place at 11:00, 1:00 and 4:00. The knights are available after jousts to explain their armor and techniques of Jousting.

HISTORY OF THE JOUST - The Jousters will explain the art and history of Jousting, on the joust track at 11:30.

COMO COTTAGE: See and touch reptiles of all types and learn about their diets and habits from the Herpetological Society

STREET PERFORMING - Talk about the skills needed for street performing at 12:00 on the pavilion stage.

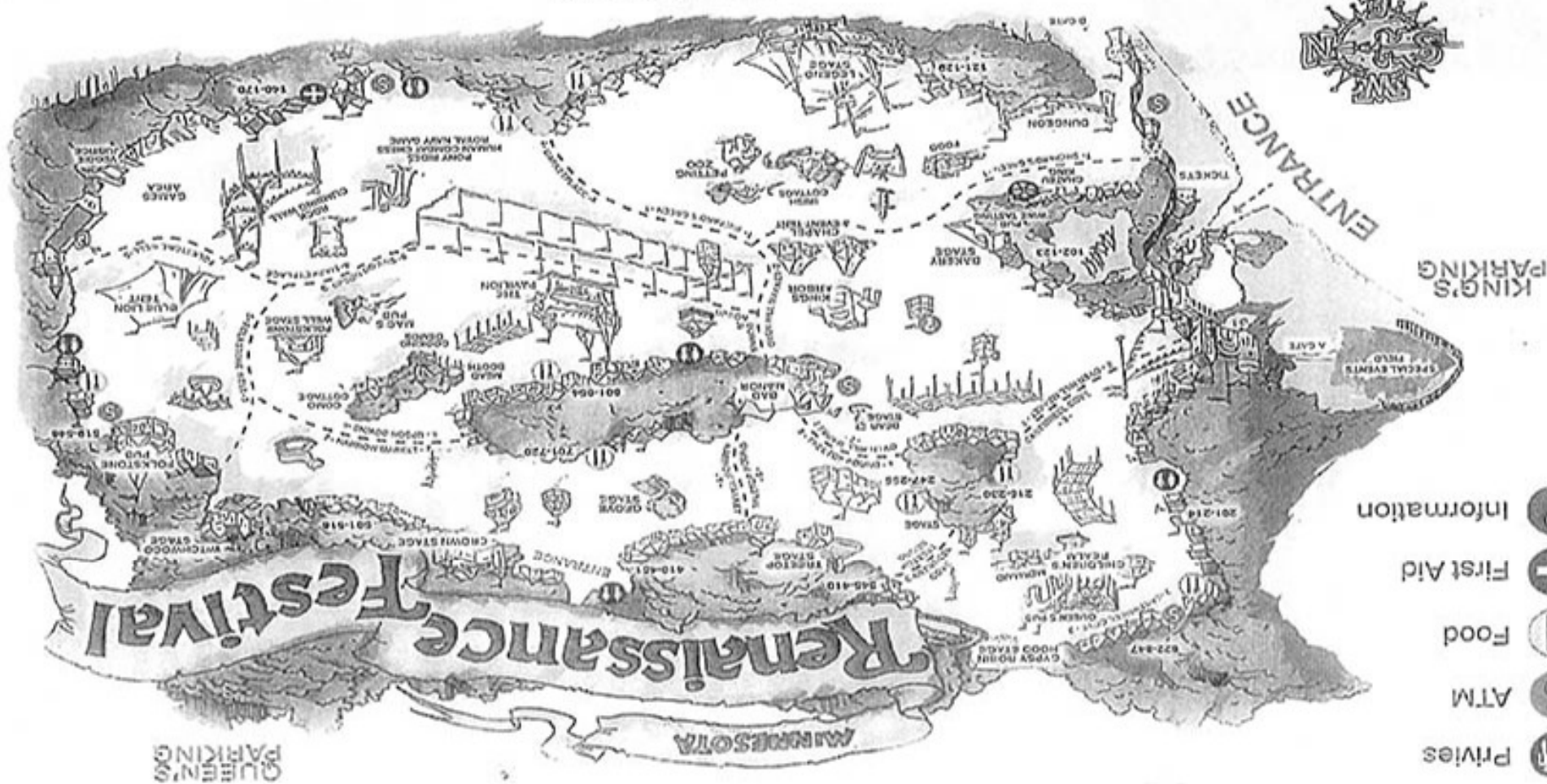
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FIRST AID: MEDICAL STAFF IS AVAILABLE AT ALL TIMES. STATIONS ARE LOCATED ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE VILLAGE IN THE MARKET PLACE AREA.

LOST CHILDREN'S AREA: MEET AT THE INFORMATION BOOTH.

SAFETY SERVICES: THE QUEEN'S GUARDS ARE AVAILABLE IN ANY EMERGENCY. THEY WEAR YELLOW TUNICS WITH A RED CROSS AND CARRY FLAGGED POLES.

PRIVES: REST AREAS ARE LOCATED THROUGHOUT THE VILLAGE.



The Royal Wine Tasting and Smoker at not available today.

Stage Schedule

LEGEND STAGE

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

BAKERY STAGE

- 10:00 Danger Committee
- 11:00 Danger Committee
- 12:00 Danger Committee
- 1:00 Danger Committee
- 2:30 Danger Committee
- 4:30 Danger Committee
- 5:30 Danger Committee

CROWN STAGE

- 10:45 Tortuga Twins
- 11:30 Johnny Phoenix
- 12:15 Tortuga Twins
- 1:00 Johnny Phoenix
- 1:45 Tortuga Twins
- 2:30 Johnny Phoenix
- 3:15 Tortuga Twins
- 4:00 Johnny Phoenix LC
- 5:00 Tortuga Twins LCI

WITCHWOOD STAGE

- 12:00 The Wacky Chickens
- 1:00 The Wacky Chickens
- 2:00 The Wacky Chickens
- 3:00 The Wacky Chickens
- 4:30 Cale the Juggler

GROVE STAGE

- 10:45 The Magic of Will
- 11:45 Tuey-Juggling
- 12:30 The Magic of Will
- 1:00 Tuey-Juggling
- 2:00 Tuey-Juggling
- 2:45 The Magic of Will
- 3:15 Tuey-Juggling
- 4:15 Tuey-Ropewalker
- 5:00 The Magic of Will

FOLKESTONE WELL

- 10:45 Moonie
- 11:30 Washing Well Wenches
- 12:15 Moonie
- 1:00 Washing Well Wenches
- 1:45 Moonie
- 2:30 Washing Well Wenches
- 3:15 Moonie
- 4:30 Moonie

TREETOP STAGE

- 10:00 Zilch the Tory Steller
- 10:30 Franko The Hypnotist
- 12:00 Franko The Hypnotist
- 1:00 Zilch the Tory Steller
- 1:45 Franko The Hypnotist
- 2:45 Zilch the Tory Steller
- 3:30 Franko the Hypnotists
- 4:30 Zilch the Tory Steller
- 5:15 Franko The Hypnotist

SHEPARD'S GREEN

- 9:15 Shepherds Arrival
- 12:30 Shepherding Demo
- 3:30 Shepherding Demo

GYPSY STAGE

- 11:00 The Merry Men Show
- 11:30 Fandazzi
- 1:00 The Merry Men Show
- 1:30 Fandazzi
- 3:00 Fandazzi
- 3:30 The Merry Men Show

JOUST TRACK

- 11:00 Joust
- 11:30 History of the Joust
- 1:00 Joust
- 4:00 Joust

Grand March

Parade

11:30 AM

LCI= Loose Cannon

This show may contain material not suitable for young children

PAVILION STAGE

- 10:30 Heraldry and Crests
- 12:00 Street Performing

KING'S ARBOR

- 10:30 Comedia Del Arte
- 11:00 Renaissance Music
- 12:00 Q & A with the Royal Court
- 3:30 Children's Knighting

ROYAL GUARD ENCAMPMENT

- 10:30 Meet the Royal Guard

ALICE THE COOK

- 11:00 Historic Cooking
- 1:00 Historic Cooking
- 3:00 Historic Cooking
- 5:00 Historic Cooking

BAD MANOR GREEN

- 12:30 Weapons & Armor
- 2:00 Weapons & Armor

MERMAID COVE

10am - 4pm

ARTISAN DEMONSTRATIONS

STRUCTURED DEMOS

- WIND ROSE MILL SHOP 120
Papermaking 10:00, 11:00, 1:00.
Printing 10:15, 11:15, 1:15
- Book Binding 10:30, 11:30, 1:30
- GOBLET OF FIRE SHOP 1233
Hand Blown Glass 11:00, 1:00, 3:00, 5:00
- YE OLDE CANDLEMAKER SHOP 133
Candles 11:00, 12:00, 1:00, 2:00, 3:00
- COCK & DRAGON SHOP 215-216
Printmaking 11:00, 2:00, 5:30
- FELLOWSHIP FOUNDRY SHOP 217-218
Pewter Casting 10:00, 12:00, 2:00, 4:00
- VIOLET'S CREATIONS SHOP 402
Hand building with clay 11:00, 1:00, 3:00, 5:00
- ETHEREAL THREADS SHOP 445-446
Rug Weaving on Loom 11:00, 1:00, 3:00
- OULU GLASS SHOP 447
Blown Glass 10:00, 12:00, 2:00, 4:00
- OUT & TORCH GLASSWERK SHOP 448
Making Glass Marbles 10:30, 12:30, 1:30, 3:30
- THROUGH THE LOOKING GLASS SHOP 631
Wax model carving 9:30, 11:00, 12:00, 1:00
- MACGREGOR GAMES SHOP 636-637
Wood Turning 10:30, 1:00, 3:00
- NAMLLOC BRASS RUBBING SHOP 744
Rubbing 10:30, 1:30, 4:00
- SQUEAKY WHEEL POTTERY SHOP 822
Hand throwing pottery 9:10, 11:10, 2:10, 4:10, 6:00
- LEGENDARY CREATIONS SHOP 827
Magic Demonstration 11:00-1:00
- RUTH CRAIG-CRAIG CRAFTHALL SHOP 847
leather tooling 12:00, 4:00

- RAVEN'S GLASS SHOP A1720
Making glass figurines 11:00, 1:00, 5:00
- YE KINGS GLASS SHOP A1800
Glass Art 11:00, 1:00, 2:00, 4:00, 6:00
- CHIME-A-LOT SHOP P-13
Windchimes 11:00, 12:00, 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00
- WORLD PORTRAITS BY NAN C SHOP P-14
9:30 - Live Demonstration
10:00 - Draw Along with Nan C
10:15 - Charcoal Lessons

WORK IN PROGRESS DEMOS

- COURTIERS & COURTESANS SHOP 104
Lydia Perlick- Spinning Fiber
- K. DOPIT & STUDIO SHOP 152-153
Kathy Dopita - Medallion Workshop
- FACES IN WOOD SHOP 220
Doug Hicks-Wood Carving
- THE ALCHEMIST SHOP 335
Kimberly Groves - Perfume & Potpourri/Distilling
- BEAVER TRACKS SHOP 444
Bob Sawyer-Leather foot wears construction
- ELANDAH LEATHER SHOP 450
Erik Kask - Leather Crafting
- DHYSARA CHAINMAILLE JEWELS SHOP 451
Dawn Gilllette-Kircher - Jewelry Making
- HAMMOCK CHAIRS SHOP 504
Diane Koi Thompson - Hand weaving of chairs
- MACGREGOR GAMES SHOP 636-637
Charles & Beth Knutson - Historic Games
- NAMLLOC BRASS RUBBING SHOP 744
Marilyn Leach - Brass Rubbing
- HAIR WRAPS SHOP P-61
Kim Kollman - Hair Wraps

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Thursday Oct 18th - Friday Oct 19th
Open to youth ages 9-18
 all experience levels - Scholarships available
 Workshops from 9am - 3pm. Performance in
 the afternoon. Lunch provided.
 register today at
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All Day Long
Riddle Booth
Board Games at MacGregor Games
Como Cottage
Irish Cottage
 Paper Making at the Mill
 Glass Blowing and other Crafts
 Children's Realm - Free Wand Making