

# The Society for Creative Anachronism, Inc.



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## Turning Back the Clock, by a Thousand Years

On DATE, LOCATION in CITY, STATE, will be transformed from its everyday existence as a DESCRIPTOR to a colorful medieval encampment for the pageantry, celebration, and mock battle of the EVENT.

*On October 2, 2004, Gopher Hill State Park in Hilldale, Montana, will be transformed from its everyday existence as a quiet recreational park to a colorful medieval encampment for the pageantry, celebration, and mock battle of the Shire of Podunk Brawl and Ball.*

This LENGTH-long gathering of the local chapter of the Society For Creative Anachronism ([www.sca.org](http://www.sca.org), [www.LOCALSCA.org](http://www.LOCALSCA.org).) brings together regional history enthusiasts from as far away as REASONABLE BUT IMPRESSIVE DISTANCE.

*This weekend-long gathering of the local chapter of the Society For Creative Anachronism ([www.sca.org](http://www.sca.org), [www.podunksc.org](http://www.podunksc.org)) brings together regional history enthusiasts from as far away as Beulah and Missoula.*

The SCA is an international not-for-profit organization devoted to bringing the Middle Ages and Renaissance to life through research and re-enactment, and employing their knowledge of history to enrich their lives and the lives of others. With over 100,000 participants worldwide, the SCA is one of largest living history societies in the world.

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For General Information on the SCA, Please see [www.sca.org](http://www.sca.org)

(AS IS)

The EVENT features (pick from this list) HISTORIC ARTS AND CRAFTS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE, CRAFTS DEMONSTRATIONS AND CLASSES, DEMONSTRATIONS OF ARMORED TOURNAMENT COMBAT, MOCK BATTLES, DANCING, FEASTING, AND MUSIC, with a special focus on PERIOD OR ACTIVITY.

*The Shire of Podunk Brawl and Ball features Historic Arts and Crafts available for purchase, dancing and music at the evening bonfires, with a special focus on demonstrations of armored Tournament Combat and 14<sup>th</sup> century Scottish mock battles taking place Saturday from 10am to 4 pm.*

(IF INCLUDING MARTIAL ARTS)

Wearing armor made as authentically as possible to emulate the mail, boiled leather, and plate steel used between the 10<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> centuries, combatants- who have been through rigorous safety training and equipment inspections to meet SCA armor standards- wield broadswords, maces, and clubs made of rattan to simulate the balance and handling of the original weapons, without the lethal qualities.

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(IF FOCUSED ON TEACHING)

Drawing inspiration from the guilds and great universities of the historic world, the SCA places a strong emphasis on teaching and sharing knowledge. Classes being offered at this event include (CHOOSE 3 LOOSE CATEGORIES IF AT ALL POSSIBLE- FOR EXAMPLE, COSTUMING, DANCING, AND COOKING. IF YOU MUST LIST SPECIFIC CLASSES, DO NOT INCLUDE BREWING>WENCHING< FLIRTING< RELIGION< HAND KISSING<CODPIECE MAKING- CHECK IF YOU ARE UNSURE.!)>

*(AS IS with listing of 3 class categories or individual classes)*

Event Basic Information- Use fact sheet info here, or (even better) attach fact sheet.

For more information on this event, go to [www.podunksca.org/bnb04](http://www.podunksca.org/bnb04)

For further information, including where to find your local SCA chapter, how to join, and events happening in your area, please see [www.sca.org](http://www.sca.org).

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