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Scarborough Celebrates Chivalry & Moms this Weekend - May 11 &12!

Dallas/Fort Worth, TX (May 6, 2019) Scarborough Renaissance Festival's Chivalry Weekend, May 11 & 12, 2019, celebrates the chivalry and romance of the Renaissance along with Mother's Day!

In celebration of Mother's Day, Scarborough Renaissance Festival® invites visitors to treat Mom like a queen with the Mother's Day Brunch for the whole family. The scrumptious Scarborough Mother's Day Brunch Buffet will include Quiche Lorraine, ham, roasted potatoes with rosemary, mixed fruit and fresh baked breads along with Mimosas*, coffee & tea. There will be lively Renaissance entertainment and members of the Royal Court will make a special visit to honor all the mothers. The Mother's Day Brunch will take place 12:00 noon – 1:00 pm at the Crown Pavilion both Saturday, May 11th & Sunday, May 12th. This is a separate ticketed event (in addition to Festival admission) - \$20 for adults (ages 13+), \$10 for children (ages 5-12) and children 4 and under are free. The Brunch sells out fast so get your tickets on-line today at www.SRFestival.com. *Must be 21 to consume alcohol.

"Chivalry in today's world is a lost art" says Coy Sevier, General Manager of Scarborough Renaissance Festival® "but here at Scarborough Renaissance Festival® we strive to bring some of the honor, courtesy and courage that embody Chivalry back to our 21st Century visitors. It's just a little bit of the age-old magic and majesty that makes Scarborough such an amazing place!"

In the spirit of chivalry and romance, visitors are invited to celebrate their own modern-day romances with a Renaissance flair by participating in the Vow Renewal Ceremony. Each day at 11:30 am couples can join us in the Festival's picturesque Wedding Garden to renew their vows and commitments to each other in this lovely, romantic ceremony (free with Festival admission). For many of our patrons this is an annual tradition that simply cannot be missed!

At 3:30 pm each day at the Festival's Royal Marquee (where the Knighting Ceremony is held) visitors can join the Knights of the Noble Cause for some lessons in chivalry. You are sure to see proof that chivalry is alive and well in today's world!

Scarborough Renaissance Festival® is interactive fun for everyone, 16th Century Style. Visitors will enjoy full combat armored jousting, Birds of Prey exhibitions, 25+ stages of interactive and unique entertainment, the Mermaid Lagoon, Renaissance Combat competitions and Knighting ceremonies. There are also Renaissance rides, games of skill, food & drink fit for a king and so much more!

Don't miss the limited engagement performers on May 11th & 12th: *Dr. Judas Lynch & Ms. Magnolia Strange* a crew of escape artists with fantastical narratives and death-defying stunts, *Sir Guy and the Dragon* a heroic hero with tales of heroism, the *Pride of Ireland* bringing the mirth and magic of the Emerald Isle through songs, jokes and banter, and the *Stonhenj Players* a mixed a cappella group singing shanties, Celtic ballads, English traditional and comedy originals.

The wines featured this weekend at the Daily Wine Tasting Events will be wines of Spain and the Daily Beer Tasting Events will feature American Craft Creative beers. The Tasting Events have limited seating available and require a separate ticket, so get yours today! You must be 21 or older to attend.

Explore the creations of this weekend's guest artisans: Living Art & Lanterns, Fuglyware Pottery, Masquerade Life Castings, Gnome & Fairy Pottery and Sculpted – Connie Colten Jewelry. And you don't want to miss the all new Grand Labyrinth Game (a giant-sized version of the classic children's game) in the Pecan Grove area of the Festival.

Upcoming themed weekends include Live the Fantasy Weekend (5/18 & 19) and our final weekend of the 2019 season, The Last Huzzah (5/25, 26 & 27). Each weekend also has a variety of special events.

Scarborough Renaissance Festival® is open Saturdays, Sundays, and Memorial Day Monday, now through May 27, 2019 from 10 AM to 7 PM rain or shine. Located in Waxahachie, Texas, Scarborough Renaissance Festival® is just 30 minutes south of the downtowns of Dallas and Fort Worth on FM 66 off I-35E at exit 399B. From Austin or Waco, follow I-35E north to Exit 399.

Admission is \$28 for adults and \$13 for children, ages 5-12. Children age 4 and under are admitted free. Parking is free compliments of Waxahachie Nissan. Tickets are available on-line and discount tickets can be purchased at North Texas Tom Thumb & Albertsons stores. Discount coupons can be found at Waxahachie Nissan. Sponsored by Dr Pepper.

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