



Vikings of Lake Lodge #6-166 Newsletter Volume 15- Issue 5 Scandinavians United!!!

May- 2018



SUNDAY, MAY 20th—-1:00pm (note date change)

Heritage Dinner Party—Scandinavian Themed Meal!

Potluck of your favorite Scandinavian dishes with the recipe.

We will be parading and singing around the labyrinth following a very special awards ceremony for our lodge family!!

Chair: Kris Andre Stocker—call her with the name of the dish you are bringing. 279-8550

Saturday, June 2nd—10:00am—BPP** at Mary Beth and Carl Peter's home. Let them know if you would like to help prepare delegate bags, gifts, do vine bending, ribbon tying, etc for the Convention. Snacks/wine will be served. 987-2404

Ord fra Presidenten

News Alert: "They're sending VOL #6-166 a big bouquet of **Kudos*!**" Growing up, there was a big crossover country hit by the "Broadway Hillbilly", Eddy Arnold, entitled "I'm sending you a big bouquet of Roses." My "News Alert" is a paraphrase of that title using Kudos* instead of Roses, I have four Kudos in that Big Bouquet (Note: Fraternal, Foundation & Financial) as follows;



Kudo #1: Sons of Norway **Fraternal** to VOL #6-166 is named and saluted as one of 12 Lodges (out of 50) "Growing to 2020" Winners of the 2017 Recruitment Challenge (10% new members) for our outstanding member recruitment efforts for 2017. This special prize package achievement will be celebrated at our May 20th Heritage & Culture Day.

Kudo #2: Sons of Norway **Foundation** to VOL #6-166 (Mary Beth and Sharon Lewis). Approval and Grant Request check of \$400 for the "Helping Hands to Children" request earlier this year to help Cobb Elementary School Student Council members visit the CA State Capitol in Sacramento. **Kudo #3:** Sons of Norway **Financial** to VOL #6-166 (Insurance Benefit Members) Annual Sons of Norway Lodge Revenue Sharing Check (\$65.95).

Kudo #4: VOL #6-166 to District Six. Our own Mary Beth Ingvoldstad, D6 President and 2018 D6 Convention Chair, and her D6 Board for their two year efforts in developing and hosting the upcoming D6 Convention (June 10-14) at the Graton Resort & Casino in Rohnert Park. They are all to be commended and like the Convention Theme, they are truly "Aged to Perfection".

*Kudo n. Acclaim or prestige resulting from notable achievement; glory; recognition; renown Vennlig Hilsen, Carl Peter

Hurra, Hurra for Syttende Mai!

Typically, We Meet At:

Galilee Lutheran Church Community Center 8860 Soda Bay Road, Kelseyville, CA 95451

**BPP—Bag Packing Party

Usually every Second Sunday—-1:00pm
A Delicious Meal followed by a Very Special Program
Check our website at www.vikingsoflakelodge.org and/ or visit our Facebook page

Sunday, April 8—Tea Party & Quilts



Sharon Lewis chaired another GREAT Vikings Of Lake Heritage and Culture Day!



Wonderful teas and delicious bites!



Ellen Aasen and her special family heirloom as well as Robin (welcome back) Marsolek and her Mom, Theresa Contos. sharing a 4-generation quilt.





Mary Beth Ingvoldstad shared all the pieces she and Carl have received, made by Sis-in-law — Sharon Ingvoldstad.





Ole & Lena went to a lawyer to see about getting a divorce. "How old are you folks?" asked the lawyer. "Vell, I'm 96 and Lena is 92," said Ole. How come you are getting a divorce now? Asked the lawyer. Said Ole: "Ve vanted to vait till all da kids vere dead."

An old man lay awkwardly sprawled across three entire seats in the movie theatre. When the usher came by and noticed this, he whispered to the old man, "Sorry sir, but you're only allowed one seat." The old man didn't budge. The usher became more impatient. "Sir, if you don't get up from there I'm going to have to call the manager." Once again,

the old man just muttered and did nothing. The usher marched briskly back up the aisle and in a moment returned with the manager. Together the two of them tried repeatedly to move the old disheveled man but with no success. Finally, they summoned the police. The officer surveyed the situation briefly, then asked, "All right buddy, what's your name?" "Ole," the old



man moaned. "Where are you from, Ole?" asked the police officer. With a terrible strain in his voice, and without moving, Ole replied; "The balcony."



Tusen takk til:

Casper Howland, age 16, for requesting to be a delegate to our District Convention. His Grandpa, Kirby Aasen, is also a delegate. I know that the coordinators of the Convention will find much for Casper to assist with during the time he is there.

We have filled our allowed slate of three delegates.

WE ARE A STELLAR LODGE OF TALENTED PEOPLE!!

WANTED:



Yummy **Norwegian cookies** for the delegates at the District Six Convention! There is a need for 200 dozen cookies!!!

Or 67 batches of 3 dozen!! How many can Viking of Lake bring?

Please call our cookie chair, Jo Swenson at 279-4698, if you are able to provide some for our lodge to take. Do not package them in a tin you want back.

Bring them to Galilee on June 3rd between 11:15am and 12:00pm! Tusen Takk!!



TUBFRIM (<u>TUB</u>erculosis and <u>FRIM</u>erke/stamps)

The Tubfrim program has provided funds for

years to aid disabled children in Norway. The program was established in 1928 in the Norwegian town of Nesbyen, originally raising money to aid in the eradication of tuberculosis among children in Norway.

You need to trim stamps, leaving a quarter inch around the edges so as not to damage perforations. **Then bring them to the Lodge for Evelyn Robison** to send on to our District Coordinator, Jon Arild.



Hilsen til alle deltagere fra
Vikings of Lake Lodge
#6-166
Lake County, California
celebrating the
Heritage & Culture of Norway

District 6 and International Lodge of the Year--2007 **Home Lodge of District Six Presi**-

and all Nordic Countries!

Home Lodge of District Six President Mary Beth Ingvoldstad

Our ad
in the
2018
District
Six
Convention
Delegate
Book!

Save those BOX TOPS for Education!!!

Our Adopt-a-School Coordinator, Sharon Lewis, is collecting these. Please bring any you have to the next event and keep clipping.

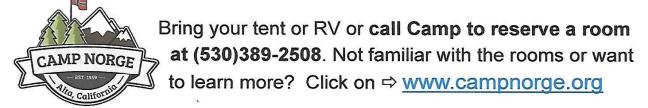


Celebrate Memorial Day at Camp Norge

May 26, 27 and 28th, 2018

The Camp Norge Board invites you to **Camp Norge** for a fun and relaxing three-day camping experience at your own recreation center, our *"Jewel in the Sierras."* Come celebrate this true American Holiday with us. There are a variety of fun activities for everyone to enjoy!!

- Our annual Field Trip on Saturday is the perfect way to begin the weekend!
- ♥ Brand new Disc Golf course
- Cocktail Party and Wine Tasting Saturday
- Family Movie Night Saturday night
- Scenic and energizing Hike on Sunday
- Annual Meatball Cook-off and Aquavit Tasting
- Plus craft workshops and more!



Delicious meals will be provided for the weekend and served in the **Heritage Hall**. The usual amenities will be available: swimming pool, horseshoe pit, games, the hiking trails and more!

We expect a big crowd this year so call and reserve early!

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Food Reservation Form

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Come celebrate this true American Holiday with us.

We will provide a delicious variety of meals. *Please complete this form and send with your check as soon as you can!*

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Saturday Breakfast Adult(s)	_ x \$6.00 = \$	Children	x \$3.00 = \$!						
Saturday Lunch Adult(s)	_ x \$8.00 = \$	Children	x \$4.00 = \$							
Saturday Dinner Adult(s)	_ x \$12.00 = \$	Children	x \$6.00 = \$							
Sunday Breakfast Adult(s)	_ x \$6.00 = \$	Children	x \$3.00 = \$	CAMP NORGE						
Sunday Lunch Adult(s)	_ x \$8.00 = \$	Children	x \$4.00 = \$							
Sunday Dinner Adult(s)	x \$12.00 = \$	Children	x \$6.00 = \$							
Monday Breakfast Adult(s)	_ x \$6.00 = \$	Children	x \$3.00 = \$							
 Or purchase the weekend package and save!										
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PRE-REGISTRATION of meals is imperative in order to allow for the purchase of the correct amount of food.										
The Registration Dead	line is May 18, 2018.	Questio	ns: fred.hymans	@campnorge.org						
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Hurray, It's the 17th of May!

As the nation's most celebrated holiday, Syttende Mai honors the anniversary of the signing of the country's constitution in 1814. Over time the day and what it represents to the people of Norway has evolved greatly. Historically, May 17 stood as a day of politics involving speeches and rallies; today it is filled with national pride, festivities and tradition.

Each year, thousands of people in Norway— and around the world—take part in waving. Norwegian flags, marching in city parades and professing their love of Norway. Many of today's festivities are centered on music, food, children and graduating high school students. The largest parade takes place in Oslo and consists of more than 75 schools and marching bands, and is even attended by the Royal Family.

For more facts about Syttende Mai and details on how the day is celebrated, check out the Sons of Norway blog at https://www. sofn.com/blog/2017/05/16/148/syttende_mai_10_fun_facts.

Also, while you're celebrating with family, friends or your lodge, remember to take lots of photographs. The Viking magazine's District Happenings Section is the perfect place to showcase your Norwegian celebrations. For information on how to take and submit photos for consideration in the Viking magazine District Happenings Section, check out the updated Viking Photo Guide found in the Member Resources section of the website: https://www.sofn.com/_asset/ wj4q66/District-Pages-Photo-Guide.pdf.

Ready, Set, Go!

The 2018 Sons of Norway new member campaign is underway.



Recruiting members will be recognized with this exclusive pin. The beautiful design celebrates Norway's mountains and Northern Lights.

Mai Fødseldager



- 1—Paul Ingvoldstad
- 2—Maryetta Andre
- 13—Elsie Voss
- 17—Kris Kiera
- 29—Karen Rae Madsen

Heritage

- 5—Alex Castillo (16)
- 8—Adam Astrup (11)
- 17—Bianca Baretto (11)



Coming in June—

Saturday, June 16: 1:00pm

Summer Celebration on Clear Lake!!

Bring a salad, dessert and beverage, if desired.

Polse med Lompe (Hot dogs with lefse) will be provided along with more!

AT EVA JOHNSON'S —-CHANGE OF VENUE

Hosts: Kirby and Ellen Aasen

SYTTENDE MAI WORD SEARCH

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Aasen

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www.sofn.com

Thanks to Susan Newsom of Peer Gynt #6-022





Thanks for Renewing Your Membership!!

Aimee McKenney

Our lodge is built on the continuing support and participation of our members.

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Special Days in May! **CELEBRATE!!**

Remembering on Memorial Day Thank You, Veterans!





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