

CULTURAL NEWS

March 2019 SONS OF NORWAY DISTRICT SIX Edition #003

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Greetings from your Cultural Director;

Days are getting longer, spring is approaching and it's time to start thinking about signing up for Camp Oldfjell. I currently have teachers for Tablet Weaving, Rosemaling, Hardanger, Viking Apron, Dance, Cooking, Music, and Literature. **I still need teachers for Carving and Viking Wire Knitting.** There will be 10 classes. Each class will have a total of 8 students per session. If I have more than 8 people sign up for a particular class(s), then I will try to schedule a second session.

Tablet weaving, which will be taught all 4 days in the morning, is filling up fast. There are only 4 spaces left. **Hardanger** will be taught all 4 days in the afternoon and has 6 spaces still open. **Rosemaling** will be taught in the morning all 4 days and has 6 spaces open. **Dancing** will be taught after dinner all 4 nights and there is room for 15 more students. **Carving** has 1 person signed up. **Music** will be taught each afternoon. **Cooking** will be led by 2 instructors and will involve cooking Norwegian food for the camp attendees. The **Literature** class will meet in the afternoon all 4 days. The book selections that need to be read ahead were listed in the Cultural News in December. I will also post those on the District Six website.

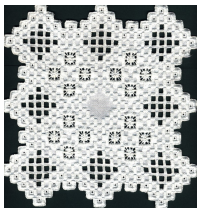
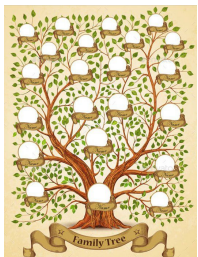
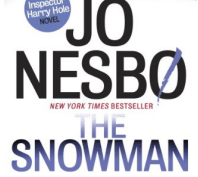
Viking Apron will be taught all day on Thursday and Friday. There are 6 spaces open. Viking Apron students will need to bring their own sewing machine and a basic sewing kit. There will be a \$50.00 material fee which will cover the fabric and pattern for the apron. Color selections for the fabric will be posted on the District Six website soon. Please make your color choice when you send in your reservation along with your material fee. (Please make the material fee separate from the registration fee.)

I do not have material fees information for the other classes at this time so that information will also be posted on the District Six website soon.

My hope is that many of you will complete the requirements to qualify for your level 1 cultural pins and if there is more to do to qualify, that you will complete those requirements on your own.

I also hope that we get enough participants and that we feel successful enough to make Camp Oldfjell an annual event. So, let's get those registration forms in and fill up those classes.

I look forward to meeting all of you and having a great time at Camp Oldfjell.



ARE YOU A ROYAL WATCHER?

Whether you answered yes or no, your thoughts immediately went to the British Royal Family. You can't go through a checkout line without seeing a picture of William & Kate or Harry & Meghan. They are not the only royals who deserve watching.

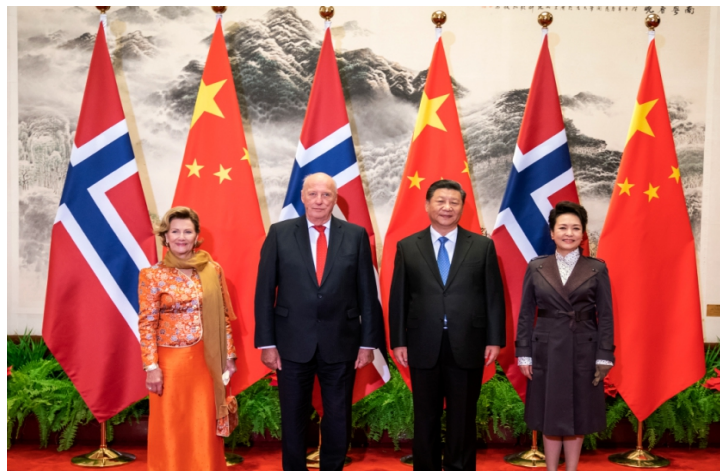
I stumbled upon a website — www.royalcourt.no. This wonderful site tells you everything you want to know about the Norwegian Monarchy — the history, the monarchy today, the royal family, and current activities. Did you know in the month of October, King Harald opened the 163rd Norwegian Storting (his 29th time) and delivered the Speech from the Throne on Oct 2nd, Then there was travel abroad.

Their Majesties King Harald and Queen Sonja began a State Visit to the People's Republic of China on October 12th. The King and Queen were accompanied on their visit by Norwegian Minister of Foreign Affairs Ms Ine Eriksen Soreide and Minister of Trade and Industry Mr Torbjorn Roe Isaksen, The delegation also included over 300 representatives of Norwegian trade and industry, the largest Norwegian business delegation ever on a State Visit. Their itinerary included visits to The Gansu Dunhuang Solar Park, touring the Mogao Caves (on the UNESCO World Heritage List), opening the first Sino-Norwegian Symposium for Social Disciplines, organized by the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences and the Norwegian Institute of International Affairs with a program directed at welfare for all. From there they discussed China's hosting the Winter Olympics in 2022 and the two countries will be signing a cooperation agreement expanding Norwegian~Chinese cooperation leading up to the Olympic Games.

On to Shanghai on October 17th. First on the agenda was a meeting with the city's Norwegian community. Since the mid-1800s, Shanghai has played an important role in Norwegian trade and shipping activities in this part of the world. The Royal Norwegian Consulate in Shanghai was established in 1906 as one of the very first diplomatic missions opened after the dissolution of the union with Sweden in 1905. Today, 300 to 400 Norwegians live in the Shanghai area. Many are still involved with shipping, but other business activities are also well represented, in addition to academia, art and culture. There are also a large number of Norwegian students at institutions in this area.

The following day, Their Majesties The King and Queen began their day at the Norway-China Business Summit 2018: An Ocean of Opportunities. King Harald gave the opening speech, emphasizing the ocean's enormous potential to provide economic growth and development around the world. But the King also stressed the need for sustainable use and measures to combat pollution. Norwegian companies and research groups are in an excellent position to share in the growing market for sustainable goods and green technology, and 11 new agreements were signed at the conference. Also, Norwegian seafood producer Marine Harvest was one of the Companies receiving particular attention. Headquartered in Bergen and with over 13,000 employees in 24 countries, the company opened its new seafood processing plant in Shanghai.

WOW! I think I am going to start following the Norwegian Royal Family. How about you? **Submitted by: Zone 7's Ruth DeLattre, Cultural Director from Overtro Fjell Lodge #6-153 in Mesa, AZ.**



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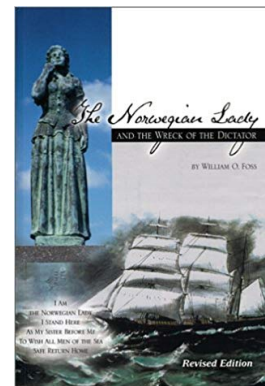
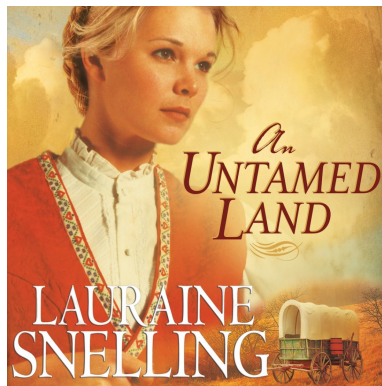
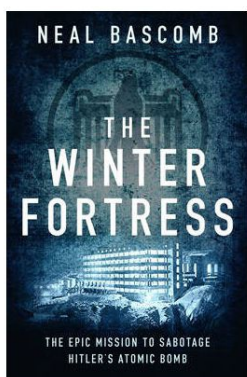
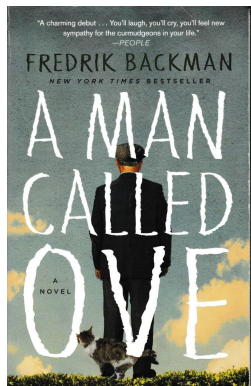
Have you read any good books lately? Ask any member of Solskinn Lodge Book Club that question and you will get a resounding "yes" and a willingness to tell you about some of the books they have read and discussed.

We have read a wide variety of books. Among the first reads were Lauraine Snelling's books *An Untamed Land* and *A New Day Rising* followed by Henrik Ibsen's play *Peer Gynt*. There have been books by Norwegian authors Dina's Book - Herbjørg Wassmo, *Out Stealing Horses* - Per Petterson and *The Book Seller of Kabul*- Åsne Seierstad to mention a few. We have also read several books about Norwegian topics by other than Norwegian authors such as *The Norwegian Lady and the Wreck of the Dictator* - William Foss, *Winter Fortress* - Neal Bescomb, and *A Man Called Ove* - Fredrik Backman. *Egil's Saga* translated by Bernard Scudder tells of tenth century warrior-poet and farmer Egil Skallagrimsson while Gaute Heivoll's *Before I Burn* recounts the summer of 1978 in a small town in southern Norway. Some of our selections have been novels read just for enjoyment and others while being enjoyable have given us some insight into Norwegian history or way of life.

How have we decided what books to read you might be asking. There have been a number of ways we went about doing that. Some titles came from the suggested reading list of the Sons of Norway to obtain a cultural arts pin, others from a list of books read by the Washington, D.C. Sons of Norway Reading Circle. Books were also chosen from Dea Brovig's list "Top 10 Norwegian Novels" as well as books suggested by members of the Solskinn Book Club. There has been everything from the Nobel Prize for Literature, *Growth of the Soil* - Knut Hamsun, to the fantasy *The Solitary Mystery* - Jostein Gaarder. Some of them have been a slow read, but still interesting, while others have been real page turners. Our unique method of selecting what to read has given us what we like to think of as a unique selection. Something for everyone.

Below is a list of books we have read since starting our Solskinn Book Club in the summer of 2017.

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| <i>An Untamed Land</i> by Lauraine Snelling | <i>A New Day</i> by Rising-Lauraine Snelling |
| <i>The Book Seller of Kabul</i> by Åsne Seierstad | <i>Peer Gynt</i> by Henrik Ibsen |
| <i>A Man Called Ove</i> by Fredrik Backman | <i>Dina's Book</i> by Herbjørg Wassmo |
| <i>Egil's Saga</i> translated by Bernard Scudder | <i>Winter Fortress</i> by Neal Bescomb |
| <i>Out Stealing Horses</i> by Per Petterson | <i>Shyness and Dignity</i> by Dag Solstad |
| <i>Growth of the Soil</i> by Knut Hamsun | |
| <i>The Faster I walk The Smaller I Get</i> by Kjersti Skomsvold | |
| <i>All That I Hold Dear: A Young Immigrant in New York 1911- 1916</i> by Helga Hansen | |
| <i>The Norwegian Lady and The Wreck of the Dictator</i> by William Foss | |



Submitted by Zone 6's Bev Nabors of Solskinn Lodge #6-150 in Palm Desert CA.

NORWEGIAN LAG WEEK

March 3 to March 9, 2019
March 1 to March 7, 2020
February 7 to February 13, 2021



Norwegian Lag Week is a time when persons interested in Norwegian genealogy meet together in Salt Lake City at the Family History Library to research and learn together. We work diligently to plan some special classes about Norwegian research and new developments to help with our research. There is time available for research and also time to learn together. Sunday evening our group gathers at the hotel to get acquainted so we can help each other at the library to make the experience more meaningful.

This will be our 14th annual Norwegian Lag Week. There were two lag weeks prior to this that were both exploratory and a pilot for this annual event. We have been fortunate to work with two organizations in planning our week. One is the Bygdelagenes Fellesraad (umbrella organization for the bygdelag) and Family Search (related to the Family History Library in Salt Lake City). Our event could not be planned without them. Information about our event is posted on the Fellesraad website www.fellesraad.org. Various bygdelag publish information in their newsletters. Family Search is our key help for organizing the activities in Salt Lake City.

Official days of the Norwegian Lag Week are Sunday, March 3 to March 9, 2019. Lag week follows a major genealogy/technology conference called Roots Tech. Hotel we selected is the Salt Lake Plaza Hotel which is next door to the library. A block of rooms is available by contacting Rich Williams at 801-606-2410. You must work directly with him. Room rates for the Norwegian Lag week are (\$92.00-\$102.00) plus tax for a single or double room. This block of rooms and special rate are available until February 4, 2019. If rooms are available after that they will honor our rate for the days relating to the Norwegian Lag Week March 3-9, 2019. Cost for the week will be your transportation, hotel room and food. The Family History Library and Family Search Center are open to the public at no charge.

For information about the Roots Tech Conference which is from February 27 to March 2, 2018, please go to their web page for further information. It has a separate registration fee. There are many hotels in the area and they have special Roots Tech conference rates. It is a huge conference so hotels fill up fast.

If you are planning to attend the Norwegian Lag Week, please let us know as it helps with planning our events. Last year we had an enthusiastic group and several are returning this year. Direct questions and whether you will be attending the Salt Lake City, Norwegian Lag Week to Marilyn Sorensen, e-mail to rddlagen@usfamily.net or Ginny Wegenast at vjwegenast@comcast.net. We need to know for space planning purposes.

Our FaceBook group is managed by Steve Hall (shall3307@gmail.com). Currently there are 51 members which anyone may request to join. The title is Norwegian SLC Annual Lag Week Group and the link is: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/245268492220695> You may post photos, files, events, successes and goals. Join us and have fun.

the HALLINGLAG:

Hallingdal is a rugged mountain valley in Buskerud County in Norway. Gol is midway between Oslo and Bergen on the railway. My mother's parents lived up on the mountain from Gol. Two other lodge members also came from this area, so we are "Hallings". Many people migrated from this valley in the 1800's to Canada and the northern US.

Submitted by: Zone 2's Joyce Morken from Solheim Lodge #6-069 in Stockton CA.



Joyce Morken attends the 2018 Hallinglag with her sister and 4 nieces

WHAT IS A BYGDELAG?

Bygdelaag are organizations comprised of descendants of emigrants from Norway to North America. Every "Lag" seeks to preserve and strengthen bonds with its home district or community-of-origin in Norway.

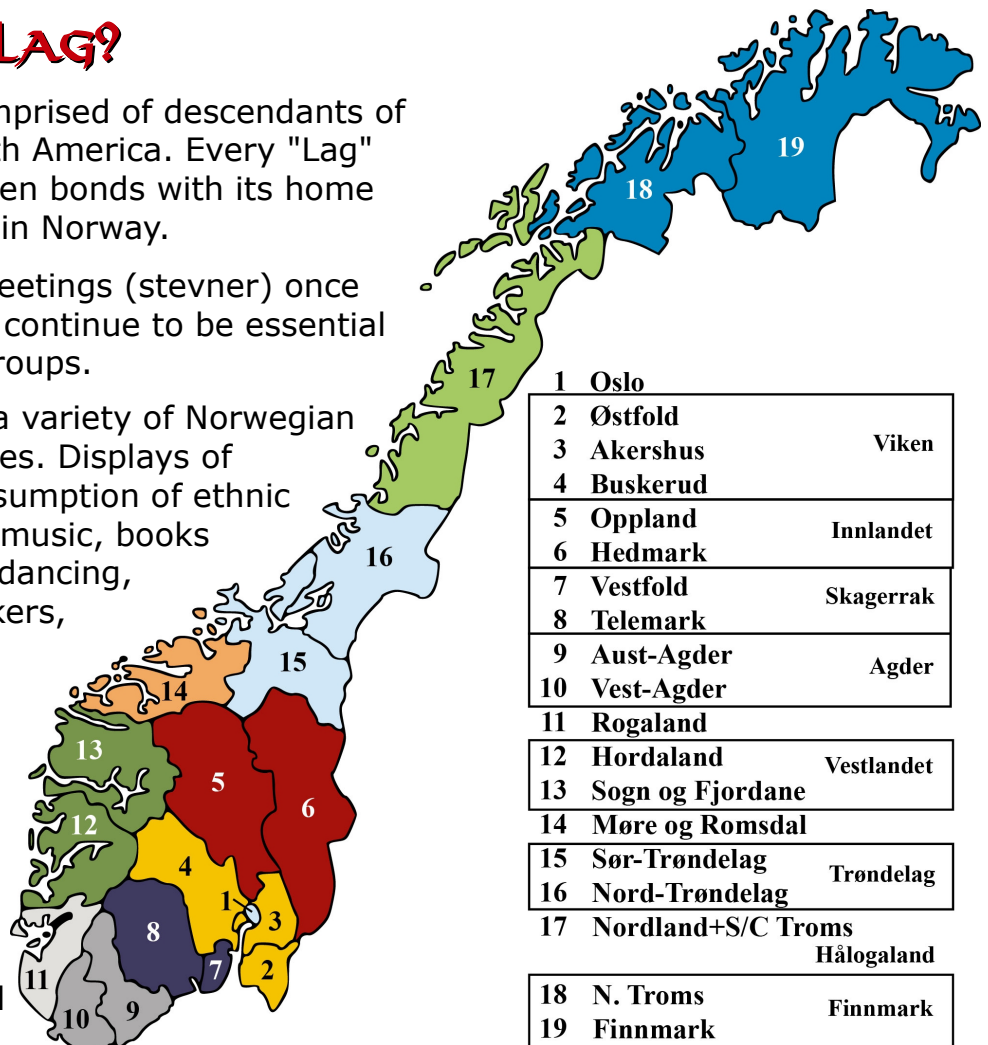
Because groups usually hold meetings (stevner) once each summer, Lag publications continue to be essential communication tools in most groups.

Stevne programs may feature a variety of Norwegian cultural and educational activities. Displays of Norwegian arts and crafts, consumption of ethnic foods, choral and instrumental music, books and readings, fiddlers and folk dancing, genealogy classes, noted speakers, video tapes, and Norwegian language in signs, songs or speech may be used.

Fun and fellowship-as well as help in tracing your ancestry and re-establishing contact with relatives is possible.

To see if there is an established lag for the area your ancestors emigrated from.

Visit the map at <http://www.fellesraad.com/agder.htm> to



20th ANNUAL NORDIC SPIRIT SYMPOSIUM

Hosted by the Scandinavian American Cultural and Historical Foundation
and California Lutheran University in Thousand Oaks, California on Feb. 8th & 9th, 2019

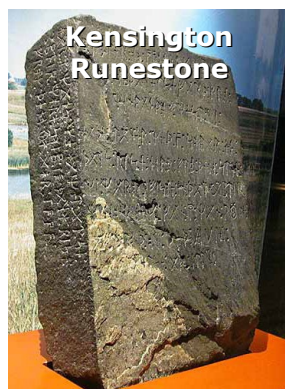
VIKINGS, SAGAS AND RUNESTONES: NEW FINDINGS CHANGE HISTORY

Neil Price, Professor of Archaeology at the University of Uppsala, Sweden, presented two recent findings. The first one is about Warrior Women as part of the Viking Image and the second one on The Salme Ships: Two newly-discovered hoat burials form the early Viking Age on Saaremaa, Estonia. Both presentations were possible because of the use of newer technology in the field of archaeology.

The Warrior Women as part of the Viking Image show how the use of DNA testing changed the long held belief that a warrior grave from the Viking Age in Birka, Sweden is that of a woman and not a man. The burial site was that of a warrior buried with weapons and two horses. The artifacts suggested that the warrior had high status. It was commonly believed that the burial site held the body of a male warrior. DNA testing was done on the remaining bones and proved that the body was not a male but a female. This changes the assumption that Viking Warriors were always men.

Dr. Price's second presentation was about the famous boat graves of the later Iron Age Scandinavia. These boat graves have been a focus of academic interest for nearly 150 years, but recently the corpus of examples has been substantially increased. Two remarkable boat burials were discovered during road work at Salme on the Estonian Island of Saaremaa. It was confirmed that they were unique in the entire field of Viking-age archaeology. A range of scientific analysis confirmed that the boats and their crew originated in central Sweden. The estimated time of the burial site is 725 AD, much earlier than the previously know date for the beginning of the Viking Age.

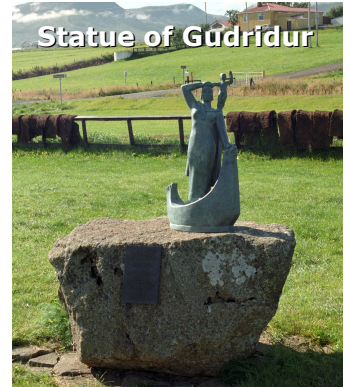
Another new technology has lead to the discovery of the fifth fortress of Harald Bluetooth in Denmark. LIDAR (light detection and ranging) which used laser sensors flown in a plane over and area gathers up data that once took months or years to collect. Researchers form Aarhus University and the Danish Castle Centre had been puzzled by a missing fortress. Four round forts were already know and the finding of the 5th one matched what was known about the other forts. The 5th fort matched the symmetry of the geographical locations of the four known forts which had indicated a missing link, thus completing the plan of Harald Bluetooth. This information was presented by Ernst F Tonsing, a Professor Emeritus at California Lutheran University.



CONTINUED: 20th ANNUAL NORDIC SPIRIT SYMPOSIUM

Runologist, Henrik Williams presented recent discoveries in the Swedish runic material which revealed new insights into the Viking world. Front-line research, some yet to be published, was presented about where authentic Rune Stones are found through out the world. Several hundred are in central Sweden and many more are located along the waterways of Russia. The Kennsington, MN rune stone appears to be more modern than Viking Age. Henrik Williams is a Professor at Uppsala University in Uppsala, Sweden.

A presentation in the form of a one woman play was presented about the Saga of Gudridur. The epic saga is one of courage and war and was told through traditional storytelling, comedy and music. Gudridur was the first white woman to settle in America. There is a book about the Saga of Gudridur, a must read if one is interested in Icelandic Sagas. This presentation was made by Thorunn Clausen, an Islandic Actress, Singer and Songwriter.



One other presentation was made about making Sagas into Viking Movies. This was presented by Agust Gudmundsson, a Feature Film Producer from Reykjavik, Iceland. He showed excerpts from his one of his early films called "Utlaginn, the Saga of Gisli" (The Outlaw) This film is still available today and looked quite interesting. It was made in 1981.

Submitted by: Zone 5's Judy Immel from Solbakken Lodge #6-064 in Orange CA.

LODGE MEETING IDEAS

MARCH: Host a St Patrick's Day Celebration in your lodge meeting. Have a member research Norwegians in Ireland and present their findings at your lodge meeting.



APRIL: Share a Norwegian Frokost/Brunch with a neighboring lodge. It could also be a Norwegian Dinner if your meeting time is in the evening.

MAY: Plan a public event to celebrate Norway's Constitution Day, Syttende May. Use Sons of Norway website's idea bank #36. Click on the link:

<https://www.sofn.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/11/ID36.pdf>

OR: Have members wear their bunads and parade around your meeting place. Then serve Pulse med Lumpe using the recipe for Small Potato Cakes from the recipe box on Sons of Norway website. Click on the link:

https://www.sofn.com/norwegian_culture/recipe_box/baked_goods_breads_and_desserts/small
Pulse med Lumpe means hotdogs in small potato cakes.





Camp Connection

Sat, March 30 – Sun, March 31 2019

Work Party

We are inviting hard working* volunteers for a fun weekend of teamwork to help get our buildings and grounds ready for a busy summer season. Projects include: landscaping, light painting, window washing, light repair work, kitchen cleanup, dusting, raking and sweeping, etc. Even better, meals and lodging are FREE! Lunch & Dinner on Saturday and Breakfast on Sunday are provided for all volunteers. Please contact Susan Winje today to reserve your room: (530) 389-2508 or susan.winje@campnorge.org

Fri, Apr 12, 2019 - Sun, Apr 14, 2019

Folkedans Stevne

Dancers of all skill levels are welcome to our spring stevne in Alta, CA, at District 6 Sons of Norway (SON) Camp Norge, where we will present dances from all levels of the Sons of Norway Cultural Skills program. During the weekend we will help interested dancers prepare their applications for the Cultural Skills pins and discuss additional activities related to the program. In addition to learning steps and dances, we will practice balance, rhythm, leading, following, and working with your partner (of whatever experience level). All of these skills contribute to the enjoyment of every dancing experience, both for you and for your partner. For more info contact Zena Corcoran zmcocoran@gmail.com or Meg Laycock meg@jstub.com

Sat, April 27 – Sun, April 28 2019

Rosemaling

Make your reservations for the Sixty-eighth Rosemaling Seminar at Camp Norge NOW! (For Adults, 18 and older) Our teachers are Karen Nelson and Carl Larson. We will be painting a 10" shallow bowl. Karen is teaching a Rogaland style on an olive branch background. Carl is teaching a Gulbrandsdal style on a blackberry background. Class sizes are limited to 21 per class. SEMINAR COST: The cost of the seminar is \$87, which includes instructions, the base-coated wood piece, hall rent, and meals. Classes fill up quickly and there is often a waiting list. For more details and the registration form visit: <https://www.campnorge.org/site/wp-content/uploads/2019-rosemaling-flyer-and-reg-form.pdf>

Sat, 25th Sun, 26th Mon 27th 2019

Memorial Day

Celebrate Memorial Day at Camp Norge. The Recreation Center 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. We have exciting plans for the weekend you won't want to miss! Bring your tent or RV or call Camp to reserve a room at (530)389-2508. Not familiar with the rooms or wish to learn more visit: <https://www.campnorge.org/site/accommodations/> Delicious meals will be provided for the weekend and served in the Heritage Hall. The usual amenities will be available: swimming pool, horseshoe pit and the hiking trail and more! 2019 Information coming soon at: <https://www.campnorge.org/site/memorial-day/>

June 23 through July 6, 2019

Folkehøgskule

District Six Language and Heritage Camp for youth ages 14 to 17 years old who want to learn

about their Norwegian Heritage, the language, culture, and daily living. Registration will open February 1, 2019 Camp Cost: Registration fee is \$900.00 per camper. (The following information is about the 2015 one-week program. Watch for information about this year's two-week program coming soon.) The Folkehøgskule will be limited to 18 students and there will be three areas of instruction:

- Culinary Arts – students will act as the School's Chefs as they learn to cook and bake Norwegian style foods.
- Carpentry – the Camp Norge Board of Directors will designate a particular project in which the students will engage as a benefit for the Camp in general.
- Handverk – activities in this area will be Norwegian in nature with particular emphasis on knitting and hardanger.

For more information visit: <https://sofn6.org/arv/trollfjell-folkehogskule/>

July 7 through July 20, 2019

Camp Trollfjell

District Six Language and Heritage Camp for youth ages 8-13 years old who want to learn about

their Norwegian Heritage, the language, culture, and daily living. The camp focuses on providing campers with a rich social experience that includes camping, hiking, swimming, Norwegian language skills in a safe, respectful environment. It is the intent of the Camp Director to accept all who apply if adequate staff is available, up to a maximum of 50 campers. Registration will open February 1, 2019 Camp Cost: Registration fee is \$900.00 per camper. For more information visit: <https://sofn6.org/arv/camp-trollfjell/>

Sat, August 31st

60th Anniversary

2019 is Camp Norge's 60th Anniversary! So keep a look out for news and announcements about our celebration.

There will be a Grand Banquet on Saturday, August 31st, (Kretstevne weekend) at Camp. So mark your calendars and join us for this special occasion!

Labor Day Weekend 2019

Kretsstevne

Zones 1,2 and 3 invite YOU to our "Jewel in the Sierras" for the "Gathering of the Clan"!! Come for the entire weekend

or play with us just part of the weekend! Delicious Meals provided by our lodges and/or catered will be served in the Heritage Hall. More details will be provided in the Summer edition of the newsletter. Be sure to mark your calendar!

Tue, Sep 10 – Sun, Sep 15 2019

Camp Oldfjell

New Event at Camp Norge!

New in 2019, Camp Oldfjell, Folkehogskule for Voksne (Folk School for Adults), Camp Oldfjell will be held at our beautiful Camp Norge. Cultural Skills classes will be offered in topics such as: Music, Literature, Hardanger, Vikings, Cooking, Tablet Weaving, Folk Dancing, Rosemaling, and more! Mark your calendar, submit your vacation request & join us for our first ever Camp Oldfjell! For updated info:

<https://www.campnorge.org/site/camp-oldfjell/>

DISTRICT 6 UPCOMING EVENTS

MARCH

- March 1 Scholarship applications for study in the United States are due
March 29 Recreation Board meeting
March 30-31 Camp Norge work party weekend

APRIL

- April 1 Concordia Language Camp scholarship application is due to District Six Scholarship Committee.
April 5-7 District Board meeting at Camp Norge, Alta, CA
April 14 Camp Trollfjell and Trollfjell Folkenhøgskule Half Campership applications are due to the Campership Committee.

MAY

- May 1 District Six Scholarship applications are due to the District Six Scholarship Committee.
May 15 D-17 and 990 tax forms (for Lodges who have property) must be completed and submitted to the IRS and due to District President.

SONS OF NORWAY EVENTS

Here is a list of some of some lodge events listed on the Sons of Norway website. These are all different districts.

<https://members.sofn.com/Events/public/search>

Sons of Norway Mission Statement

The mission of Sons of Norway is to promote and to preserve the heritage and culture of Norway, to celebrate our relationship with other Nordic Countries, and provide quality insurance and financial products to our members.



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BOOK REVIEW

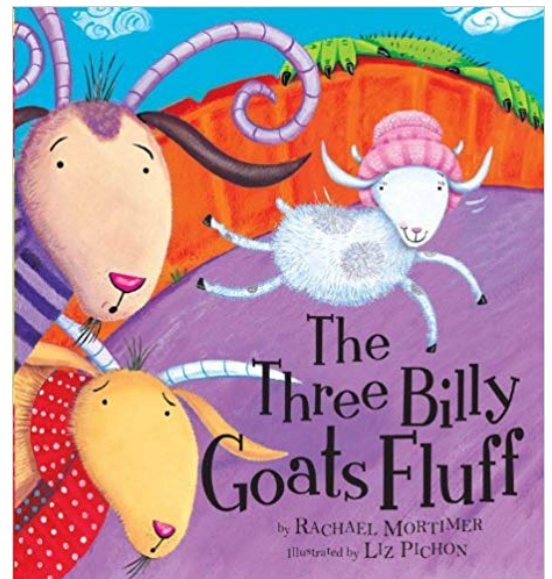
THE THREE BILLY GOATS FLUFF

by Rachael Mortimer (Author), Liz Pichon (Illustrator)

Trip-trap! Trip-trap! How is Mr. Troll supposed to sleep when the three Billy Goats Fluff keep trip-trapping over his bridge? Twice a day, they loudly cross it to eat the lush green grass in the field by Mr. Troll's home. (The grass makes their fleeces extra fluffy, important for Mother Goat's knitting business.) But when Mr. Troll threatens to eat them, Mother Goat has a fluffy plan to keep everyone happy in this funny twist on a classic fairy tale! You can buy this book at Amazon by clicking on the book cover.

Or you can watch the read-a-long with Mrs. Clark's Reading Corner on YouTube at:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JCix0jVos9A>







We Need You!

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Saturday and Sunday, March 30/31, 2019.

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Even better, meals and lodging are **FREE!**

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WORK PARTY WEEKEND

* We realize everyone works at a different pace and energy level. We have projects for every age and work capacity. Join us!



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Karen's Rogaland style; original design by
Original design by JoSonja



Carl's Gulbrandsdal style

SEMINAR COST: The cost of the seminar is \$87, which includes instructions, the base-coated wood piece, hall rent, and meals. Classes fill up quickly and there is often a waiting list. If, after you have registered, you are unable to attend, please let me know as soon as you can so we can offer your spot to someone on the waiting list. Refunds will be made, minus a \$25 cancellation fee, for cancellations received before April 7. No refunds will be made after that date.

MEALS: All participants pay for meals, which include Saturday breakfast, lunch and dinner; Sunday breakfast and lunch; and coffee/tea breaks. Melanie Souza will again do our cooking. Family members who are not painting can pay \$35 for meals.

COOKIES: During the coffee/tea breaks, cookies are offered. We ask that each participant in the specified class (to be noted on your confirmation) bring one dozen cookies to share. You have all been so very generous and cooperative with the cookies and it is greatly appreciated!

ROOMS: Lodging is not included in the registration fee. Please make your bed reservation with me at the time you register. You will pay for your bed when you arrive at Camp. Bring your current Sons of Norway membership card. Members pay \$16.20 per night and non-members pay \$27.00 per night, both include an 8% Placer County Occupancy Tax. For people wanting to room together, I need to receive the list of names with the first registration. Since there is a limited number of beds available, RVs and tents are encouraged. For RVs, members pay \$25 per night, non-members pay \$35 per night (limited to four people per RV). RV spots have electrical and water, but no sewer hookups. For tents, members pay \$15 per night, non-members pay \$20 per night (limited to four people per tent). There is no occupancy tax on RVs or tents. Pets are \$2 per night. Pets are not allowed in any of the buildings, pool area, or sleeping rooms at any time.

STROKE CLASS: Karen will be offering one stroke class at 6:30 p.m. on Friday. The cost of the class is \$5. You will pay her directly if you are attending.



Give the Gift of Heritage

CAMP TROLLFJELL

(ages 8 - 13) July 7 - July 20, 2019

TROLLFJELL FOLKEHOGSKULE

(ages 14 - 17) June 23 - July 6, 2019



For more information:

email
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September
10-15
2019

CAMP OLOFJELL

Folkehogskule for Voksne
Held at Camp Norge in Alta CA

CLASSES:

ROSEMALING: taught by Lotte Sather
District Six Zone 2 Director

HARDANGER: taught by Nancy Madson
District Six Board Secretary

TABLET/CARD WEAVING: taught by Bruce Fihe
District Six Board Vice President

VIKING APRON: taught by Michele Adler
Freya lodge in Santa Rosa, CA

LITERATURE: lead by Jackie Rush Warych
Norwegian/American author

MUSIC: lead by MaryBeth Ingvaldstad
District Six International Director

DANCING: taught by Jana Peterson
Trollheim Lodge Lakewood, CO

COOKING: taught by Karen Asker
District Six Zone 3 Director &
Kirby Assen
Recreation Center Board Vice President

VIKING KNITTING

WOOD CARVING



Registration forms can be printed and mailed to Judy Immel, District Six Cultural Director. (The address is on the form.)

Information about the cost and class sizes are on the registration form. If you have any questions, please direct them to Judy Immel c/o culturaldirector@sofn6.org

Registration and 1/2 half of registration fee is due no later than August 15, 2019

CAMP OLOFJELL

Folkehogskule for Voksne
Registration Form
September 10 – 15, 2019

September 2019	Program type	Price
Tuesday 10 th – Sunday 15 th	Full	\$300
Tuesday 10 th – Thursday 12 th	1 st Half	\$150
Thursday 12 th – Sunday 15 th	2 nd Half	\$150

Lodging: \$16.20 per bed per night for Sons of Norway members
\$27.00 per bed per night for non Sons of Norway members

Tent Camping: \$17.00 per night for 4 persons for Sons of Norway members
\$22.00 per night for 4 persons for non Sons of Norway members

RV Camping: \$27.00 per night for 4 persons for Sons of Norway members
\$37.00 per night for 4 persons for non Sons of Norway members

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Sons of Norway Lodge: _____

Classes: (class size limited to 10 per class except for music, dancing & cooking)

Rosemaling	_____	Hardanger	_____	Carving	_____
Viking Apron	_____	Literature	_____	Cooking	_____
Viking Knitting	_____	Music	_____	Dancing	_____
		Tablet/Card Weaving	_____		

Class material fees will be paid directly to the teacher and will depend upon material costs.

Mail form to: Judy Immel, Cultural Director
9331 Shannon Ave.
Garden Grove, CA 92841

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One registration form per individual please. Questions? culturaldirector@sofn6.org