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# VEGAS VIKINGS

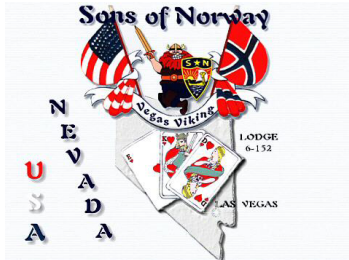
## NEWS



**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 to provide quality insurance and financial products to its members.*



### Ord fra Presidenten

God dagen, alle, (Good day, everyone),

The deadline for applications for the Vegas Viking annual scholarships is approaching soon. For many years our scholarship fund was bolstered by Maureen Anderson who moved away a couple of years ago. She tirelessly solicited gift cards and merchandise for raffle baskets that were given away at our meetings. She also organized a bake sale and yard sale which she held in the Alamo community; this routinely brought in around \$1000. We can't thank Maureen enough for her efforts to aid young people with their education! Doug Kittelson has chaired our scholarship committee for the past few years and he has information in our newsletter about the Vegas Viking scholarships along with other scholarships that are available through Sons of Norway. If you know someone in your family or other students with Norwegian heritage, let them know about the opportunities! Since Maureen left, our fund for scholarships has not been robust. Our board voted last year to give 10% of all money raised within our lodge to the Scholarship Fund. Many of you have made donations or memorial gifts as well. However, we still do not have what we would like in the account. Therefore, we are planning a yard sale for March 25 at the

home of Kristy McCumby-Hyland with all proceeds going to scholarships. As you begin your spring cleaning this year (you all do spring cleaning, right?), keep this in mind. Also consider helping Kristy with all the prep work too.

March is the month to celebrate St. Patrick's Day. I'm sure you all know that the Vikings raided Ireland and established many settlements there. So we need to remind the Irish of our presence on the Emerald Isle! We will be bringing our dragon boat, the Ormen Korte, (literally the Big Snake) to downtown Henderson on Saturday, March 11. Staging will take place at 9 a.m. with the parade starting at 10 a.m. Wear your Viking garb, anything Norwegian, or even green! You can ride in the boat or march along side—and remember to bring your Norwegian flags, too. We traditionally gather after the parade at Chef Flemming's Bake Shop on north Water Street for pastries and coffee. If you want to learn more, come to our March 2, 6:30 p.m. meeting. Rumor has it that we will be having a visit from a Viking and a Leprauchan! You may get a different perspective on St. Patrick's Day. As usual we will have a potluck supper prior to the meeting. Corned beef and cabbage, anyone?

Fraternally yours, Karen Holien Buehrer  
For information on the Vegas Vikings scholarship go to our web site.

Birthday Name	Month
Jose Zayas	March
Camilla Rorhus	March
Caroline Rorhus	March
Rhonda Lem	March
William Ogorzalek	March
Kari Bjoran	March
Julie Seidlinger	March
Richard Senzig	March
James Turner	March
Kimberly Roden	March
Tyler Colbrook	March



## Kalendaren

Date	Event
3-2	Lodge Meeting
3-11	St. Patrick's Day Parade
3-18	Board Meeting
3-20	Book Club
3-25	Lodge Garage Sale
3-31	Deadline for Art Contest

Lodge Meeting Thursday, March 2, 2023, at 6:30 p.m.

**Jaycee's Center:** There is an entrance gate with a code to enter. Someone will be stationed there to let you in between 6:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. If you are going to be late, please text 702-290-1324 for the code.

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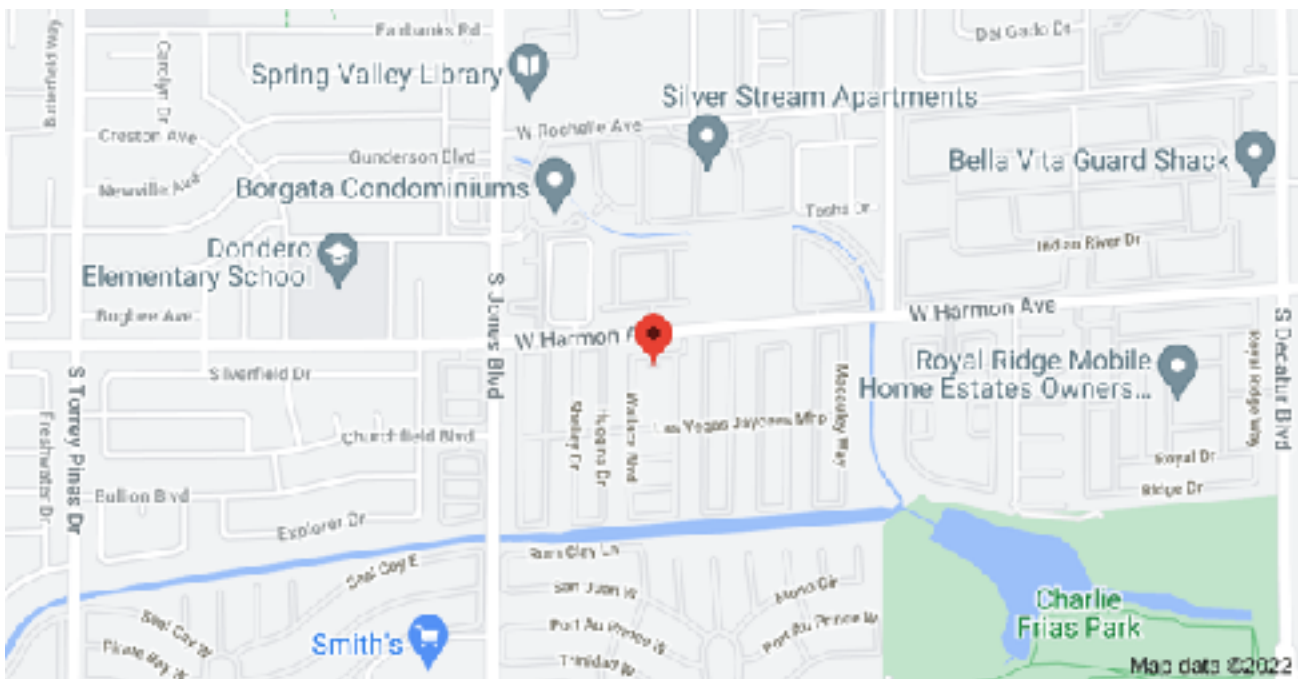
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# Lodge Meeting Thursday, March 2, 2023, 06:30 p.m.

## Jaycee's Center, 5805 W Harmon Ave, Las Vegas, NV 89103

Click this link for [Directions](#). It is located on the South side of the street. The gates will be open from 6:00 p.m.-06:30 p.m. If you are arriving after 06:30 p.m. please text 702-290-1324 for the gate code. This will be a potluck, please feel free to bring your favorite dish.



[Jaycee's Center](#)

**MEMBERSHIP**

Please join me in welcoming our newest heritage member: Fergus Fahy! As a reminder, all children and grandchildren of members are eligible to receive a free Sons of Norway Heritage membership. Information and sign up is available online or by contacting Nancy Paulsen at 818-421-5752 or Janelle Reed at 702-445-1188.

Janelle Reed, membership secretary

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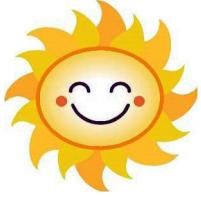
**BOOK CLUB**



Book club meets every third Monday of the month at 10 a.m. For more details and location of meet up please see Lisa Kershaw.

[Click here](#) to purchase a copy of May's book of the month from Amazon.

Date	Book	Author	Genre
March	Little Drummer	Knell Ola Dahl	International Mystery & Crime
April	The Resistance Girl	Mandy Robotham	WWII Historical Fiction
May	The Saboteur	Andrew Gross	Special Operations (military science)-fiction
June	Sixteen Trees of the Somme	Lars Mytting	Historical Fiction
July	No Meeting		
August	The Axe	Sigrid Undset	Fiction
September	Land of Dreams	Vidar Sundstol	Historical Mystery
October	TBD		Biographies
November	The History of Bees	Maja Lunde	Bees-Fiction
December	No book-watch movie		



**A Little Sunshine from Susan & Jeanette**



**Sunshine Report:**



- Wishing all our members who have COVID-19 a quick speedy recovery.
- Thinking of you card was sent to Ellen King.



My email is [grove7@aol.com](mailto:grove7@aol.com) and cell phone is 702 659 3225 Please contact me if you have news for Sunshine. Jeanette Grove

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**Name Badges**

I continue to order Name Badges for members as they place their orders with me. The Name Badges are \$7.00 each. Just see me at the lodge meeting or email or phone me and leave a phone message.



SuzanSibert  
email [arsibert@cox.net](mailto:arsibert@cox.net)  
phone 702-645-6666

**Pull Tops for Ronald McDonald House:**

Please continue to collect your pull tops off your food canned items and drink items. Just bring them to the lodge meeting and I will drop them off at Ronald McDonald House.

SPORTS MEDALS

# Link for sport activities while social distancing



Doug Kittelson, Sports Director

Sports medals earned:

- Lynelle Aanestad Idrettsmerke 8th Enamel
- Lynelle Aanestad Gangmerke Idrettshelt
- Douglas Kittelson Gangmerke Idrettshelt
- Vicdan Kittelson Gangmerke Silver

We have 9 members earning 12 medals. Remember for Gangmerke (walking) 2000 steps equals a mile. It is easy walk 2 miles while shopping. Many smart phones have an app that keeps track of your steps.

Submitted by Doug Kittelson



## Step up your game with our new sports medals



If you've been craving new fitness goals, we are here to help! These two medals are now available for anyone aiming to set the bar higher in the Sons of Norway Sports Medal Program.

Stay tuned to the [Sons of Norway website](#) for details on submitting points toward these pins!

The first of our new medals, **Idrettshelt** [*ee-dretts-hellf*]*—the sports hero pin—*is the 5<sup>th</sup> level within any sports medal category. **To earn this metal do double the enamel requirement.**

We've also added **Hederspris** [*hay-dersh-prees*]*—the outstanding sports achievement award.* This pin is for members who've earned the bronze, silver, gold and enamel medals in each of any **three** sports medal categories. **New to the Sports Medal Program? Get involved today.**



LUTEFISK DINNER PICTURES



MISCELLANEOUS



For more information on the Vegas Vikings scholarship, go to our website at <https://vegasvikings.org>

**\*\*MISSING\*\***

Our lodge is missing some aprons after the Lutefisk Dinner. We started with 22 aprons several years ago and are now down to 15. If you happen to have one at home, please bring it to one of our events or meetings. We had around 40 volunteers at the dinner, so don't have nearly enough to go around. Thank you!



**Rosemaling Spring Seminar  
Registration, April 28-30, 2023**

Hello, all!  
Our next rosemaling seminar at Camp Norge is scheduled for April 29-30. Hoping it won't be snowing in Alta by then! Just be aware that, as experienced in the past, "spring" in the Sierra can still mean snow, cold, and icy conditions.  
Our project is a four-hook cup holder/wall plaque. I am using a new email address, so please contact family and friends to make sure they have received the flyer as well. Also, be sure to add [PennysRosemalingSeminar@gmail.com](mailto:PennysRosemalingSeminar@gmail.com) to your approved contact list.

Check-in will be open at 1:00 p.m. on Friday. Remember that Friday night there is no meal service, but Karen will be offering her stroke class at 6:30 p.m.

I will be out of town until March 5th, but will check emails while I am away, so please drop me an email if you have any questions. Looking forward to painting with you, Linda Johnson

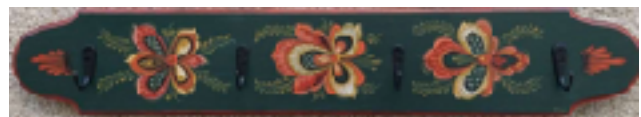
Classes are open to adults, 18 years and older. Class size is limited to twenty-one (21) students per class. Once classes are filled, a short waitlist will be established. NOTE: If you have been waitlisted but do not make it into class, your check will be shredded, not returned.

**SEMINAR COST:** The cost of the seminar is \$125, which includes instruction, base-coated wood piece, paints and mediums for use during class, design packet, and meals. Classes fill up quickly and there is often a waiting list. If, after you have registered and received confirmation, you are unable to attend please let me know as soon as possible so your spot can be offered to someone on the waiting list. Refunds will be made, minus a \$25 fee, for cancellations received before April 7<sup>th</sup> -- no refunds will be made after that date.

**PROJECTS & TEACHERS:** We will be painting a cupholder (wall rack with four hooks). Our teachers are Onya Tolmasoff and Karen Nelson, VGM.

Onya:

The Setesdal Roses, design by JoSonja Jansen. Setesdal style is from a small valley in the northern part of the Aust-Agder. Background is teal green.





## MISCELLANEOUS CONTINUED

Karen:

This project is in the Rogaland style, on a charcoal background.



Please note: the color of the images may not reflect the true colors of the projects!

**MEALS:** Saturday breakfast, lunch, and dinner; Sunday breakfast and lunch; coffee/tea during breaks. Melanie and Patrick Souza will again do our cooking. Family members who are not painting can pay \$50 for meals.

**COOKIES:** During the coffee/tea breaks, cookies and other refreshments are provided by the participants in the specified class (to be noted on your confirmation). Each participant is asked to bring one dozen or equivalent of cookies or other refreshments to share.

**ROOMS:** Lodging is not included in the registration fee. Please make your bed reservation at the time you register (see Registration Form) You will pay for your lodging when you arrive at Camp. Current Sons of Norway members pay \$27.00 per night; non-members pay \$37.80 per night (both include an 8% Placer County Occupancy Tax). We are obligated for both Friday and Saturday nights, so each person will pay a total of \$54.00 (SoN member) or \$75.60 (non-member). For people wanting to room together, please include that information on the registration form. Since there are a limited number of beds available, RVs and tents are encouraged. For RVs, members pay \$30 per night, non-members pay \$40 per night (limited to four people per RV). RV spots

have electrical and water, but no sewer hookups. For tents, members pay \$20 per night, non members pay \$25 per night (limited to four people per tent). Again, the obligation is for two nights (\$60 or \$80 per RV; \$40 or \$50 per tent). There is no occupancy tax on RVs or tents. Pets are \$2 per night. Pets are allowed only in specified areas and advance notice must accompany your registration form.

Registration form available at the end of the newsletter.

### **St. Patricks Day Parade**

March 11 is the time to get out the blade sharpeners for your sword blade, don your bunads and tunics and board our dragon boat, the *Orman Korte*, in the annual St. Patrick's Day Parade, March 11 in downtown Henderson.

We are asking for those who want to participate in the parade to be at our staging area at 9 a.m. You can board the boat or greet parade visitors by walking along side the boat. Information on our staging location will be released to the Lodge the first week in March and should be available at the March monthly meeting.

"We hope for a great representation from the Lodge," said Social Director Kristy McCumby-Hyland. "We love to remind those Irish, we conquered their lovely land in 800 A.D."

Due to lack of water on the parade route, Jim Turner will pull the boat behind his truck. The parade route traverses through the center of town and takes about an hour. It's a great day to be a Viking and help spread the word about the Lodge and our Norwegian culture.

MISCELLANEOUS CONTINUED

**Volunteer Program**

Starting in March the board of directors agreed to initiate a new volunteer recognition program. While volunteers have been turning in their hours for their participation in Lodge activities, there has not been formal way to recognize individuals for their efforts.



“We hope this new program will first encourage more members to participate in Lodge activities and second to use the local volunteer survey to match their interests in the lodge with the many opportunities we provide,” said Vicdan Kittelson, volunteer coordinator.

Members will be asked to turn in their volunteer hours to Secretary Roger Buehrer each month. Those members’ names will be entered to a drawing, and the winner will be recognized at the monthly membership meeting as “Volunteer of the Month”.

The “Volunteers of the Month” will then be entered into drawing for “Volunteer of the Year,” and be recognized at the December Christmas Party.

Roger Buehrer encouraged members to continue to turn in their hours each month as this helps the Lodge with recognition by Headquarters.

Here are a sample list of volunteer opportunities:

- \* The time spent traveling to and from the activity
- \* Time spent in setting up a meeting or activity

- \* Time spent at the cooking-baking day
- \* Time at the Renaissance Fair (setting up, tearing down, volunteering during the weekend
- \* Developing programs and setting up for Syttende Mai
- \* Volunteering time for set up, tear-down and during the annual Holiday Bazaar
- \* Volunteering preparing for and during the Lutefisk Dinner
- \* Participating in the annual St. Patrick’s Day Parade
- \* Presenting a program at a monthly meeting or representing the Lodge at an community event
- \* Coordinating a book club meeting

Roger Buehrer emphasized **members do not get to submit hours for attending a meeting.** However if they make a presentation at or help set up for the monthly meeting, those hours can be submitted.

“The most important thing is for members to turn in their hours,” Roger Buehrer said. “Last year the members



provided more than 2,000 hours volunteering, but it may have been even more if we had just known who and how many hours were really given.

**Wetlands Park**

A band of six Viking scouts descended on Wetlands Park in mid February to determine if the location deserved a full-fledged invasion by the Vegas Viking Lodge. The consensus was that it was indeed, but we need to either invade yet this spring or in the fall after the summer heat.

MISCELLANEOUS CONTINUED

Our band of scouts included President Karen Holien Buehrer, Vice President Lynelle Aanestad, Secretary Roger Buehrer, Board members Doug and Vicdan Kittelson, and Kathy Rothermel, who served as the group's official photographer. (She had a real camera.)

Upon arriving we captured a local native, Sheila, who served as our guide for the morning trek. After a brief discussion about letting her go free, we agreed that she



must give up an hour, to introduce us to some of the species of flora and fauna in the 2,900 acres that surrounds both sides of

the Las Vegas Wash before it dumps into Lake Mead. (The Lake would give us a perfect opportunity to sail the *Orman Korte* right up to the park. Unfortunately there would be about a ten-mile portage to the park. So we suggest driving our vehicles.)

On the first stop of our tour, the scouts were amazed at the siting of a *Great Blue Heron* preening itself in a tree along the waterway. Obvious somewhat used to humans this great bird sat there the 10 minutes we stayed in that location.

As we moved up the trail, we were introduced to what is believed to be the oldest tree in Southern Nevada. This *Goodings Willow* is believed to be at least 700 years old. We also tasted the leaves of what looked like scrub bush but is actually called a *Quail Bush*. This salty leave could be key in our invasion and setting up camp

there, as salt is critical to storage of foods that can spoil.

Wild life w a s abundant. In addition to the Blue Heron, we w e r e introduced to a large covey of



*Quail* that skittered from bush to bush trying to avoid being seen. We learned that the area has a wide variety of birds including the *Great Horned Owl*, (pictured above) one of which we saw nesting and a second sitting stately but almost hidden by camouflage in the top of a cotton wood tree. We also learned there are raccoons and even beaver in the park.

By this time, it was time to set Sheila free. She was accompanied by Secretary Roger Buehrer so she would not get lost returning to the Nature Center. The remaining scouts ventured on their own and observed a man fishing in the Las Vegas Wash. This could also serve as source of food on our invasion.

President Holien Buehrer, who headed up the tour will bring up the possibility of an invasion in later this year in March



during the bird migrations. Following the adventure we gathered at a local restaurant to further discuss the great morning and plan for the actual invasion. We don't think you will want to miss it.



MISCELLANEOUS CONTINUED

ICES reached out to our President Karen Holien Buehrer to see if anyone from our Vegas Vikings Lodge would be interested in hosting an [International Exchange Student](#). Please reach out to Amy Bauer at (702) 204-9274 for more information.



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## **Upcoming Reminder - Sons of Norway Scholarship Fund Yard Sale – Saturday March 25, 2023**

Are you doing some spring cleaning or de-cluttering around your house? Here is a great chance to get rid of those dust-catchers, duplicate presents, or extra items you no longer need or use.

Things that seem to sell well include:

- Small household appliances and lamps
- Soft goods—towels, sheets, pillows, blankets
- Clothing in good condition for men, women, and children
- Miscellaneous knick-knacks and books
- Kitchen items—pots, pans, utensils, dish ware
- Hand tools or small electrical tools

We do not have space or the ability to handle large appliances or furniture at this event.

On Saturday, March 25 from 8 AM to 4 PM we will hold a Sons of Norway yard sale at Kristy McCumby-Hyland's house at **2544 Boise St.** in Las Vegas with all the proceeds to support our Scholarship Fund.

Please drop off any items you may have for the sale at Kristy's house on Thursday or Friday, March 23 or 24 from 1 PM to 5 PM. If you have a suggested price for any specific item, please mark it on your donation, otherwise we will be pricing as we see fit. If you cannot make the donation dates and times listed above, please contact Kristy at 702-350-3892 or at [kmccumby1@yahoo.com](mailto:kmccumby1@yahoo.com) to come up with another option. All items that are left over after the event will be donated to a local charity.

We are also looking for Sons of Norway volunteers to:

- Help place prices on items and organize items donated on Friday, March 24 from 3-5 p.m. at Kristy's house.
- To set up tables and place items on them for the event at starting at 7 a.m. on Saturday, March 25
- To help customers during the event from 7AM-4 p.m., and to help clean up any left-over items at 4 p.m.

A sign-up sheet will be available at the next general meeting on Thursday, March 2. Or if you like, you can contact Kristy at the number or email listed above to volunteer.

So, please help support the Sons of Norway Scholarship Fund by donating items to sell and/or volunteering to work at this event.





**Vegas Viking Lodge 6-152 Lodge Meeting  
February 4, 2023 at Jaycee's Center, 5805 West Harmon  
Ave., Las Vegas, NV 89103**

The February meeting of the Sons of Norway Lodge 6-152 was held February 4, 2023, at the Jaycees Community Room, 5805 W. Harmon Ave. Following a potluck brunch and the singing of the American National Anthem, Vice-President Lynelle Aanestad called the meeting to order at 10:35 a.m. There were 25 members present. The January minutes were approved as printed. A picture was taken of the seven members who wore their Norwegian sweaters. There is a new gate code to enter the Jaycees Community. It will be published in the newsletter.

Treasurer Terri Anderson presented the financial report:

Wells Fargo Savings—	\$ 5,864.96
Headquarters Savings—	\$14,058.08
Scholarship Checking—	\$ 1,945.00
General Lodge Account—	\$21,420.25

Lutefisk dinner: Raffle earned \$1,622 after expenses. Cookie sales were \$472. A full report will be given at a future meeting.

**Directors' Reports**

Sports and Scholarships (Doug Kittelson) - Scholarship materials are being distributed to churches and schools. Applications for scholarships are available on the Lodge's Website and are due April 1. No sports medals were given out today. Kudos to Lynelle who has earned 14 pounds of sports and cultural medals.

Membership - No report.

Volunteers - No report.

Sunshine (Jeanette Grove) - Two charter members have February birthdays: Alice Salvesen is 95 on Feb. 9, and Gwen Knighton is 93 on Feb. 22.

Book Club (Lisa Kershaw) – We will be discussing A Coat Dyed Black by Don Pugnetti, Jr. at our February 20 meeting. Contact Lisa for more info.

Cultural Director Lene Thorsen-Peters asked members for ideas for future programs. She gave out Norwegian chocolates to two trivia contest winners from the last meeting.



## **CONTINUED-Vegas Viking Lodge 6-152 Lodge Meeting February 4, 2023 at Jaycee's Center, 5805 West Harmon Ave., Las Vegas, NV 89103**

Youth - All details of the inaugural Vegas Viking Student Art Contest can be found in the February newsletter. The theme this year is Sail Like a Viking, and the deadline is March 31, 2023.

### **Project Reports**

Wrap-up of Lutefisk Dinner: Bob Sturgeon thanked the Groves and their sons who helped a lot in the kitchen. We had the highest number of volunteers yet. Next year, dining room people can come at 11:00 a.m. and the kitchen staff at 10:00 a.m.

St. Patrick's Day Parade: Vegas Viking Lodge and the Ormen Korte will participate in the Sons of Erin parade in downtown Henderson on March 11, 2023. The parade is a 10 a.m. with staging at 9 a.m. More details in the newsletter.

Syttende Mai: Terri Anderson reported that the picnic will be held on Saturday, May 20, at Veterans Memorial Park, Gazebo #1 from 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. Setup will be 9 a.m. More details will be forthcoming.

Marketing Committee: Lynelle reported that the board is in the process of choosing a new logo for our lodge. When that is chosen, new business cards will be ordered. The marketing committee is working on a new brochure for our lodge to share with potential new members and others who are interested in learning more about us.

### **Business**

Yard Sale for Scholarships (Kristy McCumby-Hylands): Kristy is asking for volunteers before, during, and after the sale. The sale will be held on Saturday, March 25 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Kristy's home at 2544 Boise St. in Las Vegas. Checkout all the details in the February newsletter. **Note: The address is incorrect in the newsletter. The number is 2544.**

Succession Planning: All officers, directors, and committee chairs are requested to write up a brief itemized summary of their duties. A new procedure manual will be created this year. A nominating committee will be formed in November.



**CONTINUED-Vegas Viking Lodge 6-152 Lodge Meeting  
February 4, 2023 at Jaycee's Center, 5805 West Harmon  
Ave., Las Vegas, NV 89103**

Volunteer hours: Everyone is asked to turn in their volunteer hours at the end of each month to the secretary, Roger Buehrer. Volunteer pins are being ordered from National, and there will be a drawing for a pin each month from among all the people who submitted their hours to the secretary. You may count hours spent at a meeting if you did anything at the meeting; i.e., brought food, gave a report, took minutes, presented the program, ran the meeting, helped in any way. Example: The drawing in April will be for those who turned in their February hours. So, you have a month to get your hours turned in.

Clark County Wetlands Park Walk: The date of the Wetlands walk and tour has been changed. It will be held on February 18. (The Board meeting will be rescheduled.) Everyone will meet at the park's Visitors Center at 9:00 a.m. Bring your cameras and water to drink. The lodge will pay for the cost of the group tour. 7050 Wetlands Park Lane, Las Vegas, NV. 702-455-7522.

50-50 Drawing Proceeds: It was discussed that in the future, there is a possibility of designating the proceeds from the 50-50 drawing for scholarships now that we don't have to pay rent.

Lynelle handed out a sheet with all planned activities for 2023

Monthly Program

Lene Thorsen-Peters presented a program about Trolls in Norwegian culture and literature. She showed a You Tube video about trolls and brought along examples of trolls in both adult and children's literature. There are many videos on You Tube about the trolls of Norway. Lene said that the book *The Troll with no Heart in His Body* is available in the Clark County Library District. It includes many folktales about trolls.

Good of the Order

Vicdan brought gift baskets and ran a raffle for scholarships at the meeting. She made \$50.00 for our scholarship fund.

50-50 Raffle – Suzan Sibert won \$30.00.

Left-over cookies were sold for \$1/pkg.

The meeting adjourned at 11:45 a.m.

Minutes prepared by Kathy Rothermel



**Vegas Viking Lodge 6-152 Board Meeting**  
**Blue Ox Tavern, 5825 W Sahara Ave, Las Vegas, NV 89146,**  
**February 25, 2023, 9:00 a.m.**

No minutes at this time. Please enjoy these pictures from the cookie baking day for the Lutefisk Dinner.



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<b>Camp Norge Ambassador</b>	Arlon Sibert
<b>Sunshine</b>	Jeanette Grove



COMMITTEE CHAIR PERSONS	
Lutefisk Dinner Chairpersons	Bob Sturgeon Kitchen Chair
Scholarship	Doug Kittleson, David Nygaard, Lynelle Annestad, Lene Thorsen-Peters, Charlene Fuentes
Book Club	Lisa Kershaw (702) 556-0774
Holiday Bazaar	Lynelle Aanestad, Vikki Renneckar
Syttende Mai	Bob Sturgeon, David Anderson
Renaissance Fair	Terri and Dave Anderson
50/50 Raffle	Chuck Grove
SoN District 6 Convention 2024	Lynelle Aanestad, Nancy Paulson, Roger Buehrer, Chris Christensen, Lene Thorsen-Peters, Barbara Farmer

### Upcoming Calendar Activities

Please note that the days and times are subject to change.

APRIL-JUNE 2023	
4/1	Deadline for Scholarship Applications
4/6	Membership Meeting 6:30 p.m.
4/15	Board Meeting 9 a.m.
4/17	Book Club 10 a.m.
5/6	Membership Meeting 10 a.m.
5/15	Book Club 10 a.m.
5/20	Syttende Mai, Veterans Park, Boulder City, Time TBD
5/27	Board Meeting 9 a.m.
6/1	Membership Meeting 6:30 p.m.
6/17	Board Meeting 9 a.m.
6/19	Book Club 10 a.m.

# Penny's Rosemaling Seminar at Camp Norge

29-30 April 2023

## REGISTRATION FORM

ABSOLUTELY NO TELEPHONE or E-MAIL RESERVATIONS ARE ACCEPTED. Please complete a registration form for each person you are paying for (a single check is okay). Confirmation, class info, and supply list will be sent via email once registration closes. If you have questions regarding registration, please email me at [PennysRosemalingSeminar@gmail.com](mailto:PennysRosemalingSeminar@gmail.com)

Send your completed registration form(s) to Linda Johnson, 3180 Cloudview Drive, Sacramento, CA 95833. Please make checks payable to Linda Johnson.

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Name

Print first name as you would like it on your name badge

Address

City/State Zip Phone E-mail

Lodge SoN Membership #

My class preference: (mark 1<sup>st</sup> choice/2<sup>nd</sup> choice): Onya Karen

Class registration & meals: \$125.00 (Separate form for each person taking class but it is okay to send one check)

Extra meal plans: for my spouse and/or family – how many? \_\_\_\_\_ x \$50 = TOTAL

STROKE CLASS: Karen will be offering a stroke class from 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. on Friday. The cost of the class is \$5, payable directly to Karen.

Are you attending the stroke class at 6:30 p.m. on Friday? yes no

LODGING INFORMATION - to be paid to Camp Norge on arrival

I need a bed reservation: yes no I want to room with:

I need an RV site: yes no I need a tent site: yes no

I will be bringing my small pet (extra charge of \$2 per night) yes no

NOTE: PETS ARE ALLOWED ONLY IN SPECIFIED AREAS