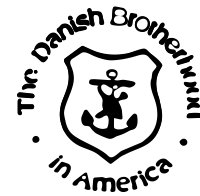


FEBRUARY 2018

SEATTLE DANISH LODGE NEWSLETTER

Danish Brotherhood Lodge 29 and Danish Sisterhood Evergreen Lodge 40
 Meets at 7:30pm every first Wednesday on the month except July and August
 NWDA Harmony Hall, Meridian Office Bldg., 1833 N 105 St. #205, Seattle WA



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●●● **HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO DB 29 & DS 40 LODGE MEMBERS** ●●●



FEBRUARY: Peter Aagaard; Birgit Andersen; Corey Blackburn; Karen Favero; Vibeke Iozzi; Aage Jensen; Margaret Karchesy; Preben Pedersen; Britt Pfaff-Dunton; Birgit Rolla-Lindvig; Lisa Svitavsky; Lisa Windelev

MARCH: Otto Brask; Robert Jensen; Peder B. Nielsen; Peter Pedersen; Sandra Pedersen; Zabrina Royal; Karlo Thornvig; Lillian Wolff

APRIL: Havannah Al-Khedairy; Tove Borg; Lars Clausen; Gayle Hollister

Emmick; Kai Hammond; Gurli Irene Jensen; Linda Jensen; Erik Laursen; Katrina Harley Miller; Cynthia Nielsen; Dana Nielsen; Kristoffer J Nielsen; Jennifer Remming; Peter Rossen; Shigeru Naramoto Stavnschoj

...SEATTLE DANISH COMMUNITY CALENDAR...

All activities are at the Danish Center (DCC), 1833 N 105 St., Seattle
 -- unless otherwise noted



	Sun	2/18	4:45pm	Bowling Practice (reserve w/Lexie flsorensen@msn.com ,206-285-3025 by 9am Sat) TechCity Bowl, 13033 NE 70th Pl., Kirkland
at DCC	♥ Wed	2/14	Noon	Onsdagsklubben RSVP to NWDA 206-523-3263 2nd Wed
	Sat	2/24	Noon	NW District Bowling Tournament-& Party--Eugene, Oregon--contact Lexie--206-285-3025
		3/1		MARCH NEWS
1st Fri.	Fri	3/2	7:30pm	Fredagscafen at THE DANE--8000 15th Ave NW, Seattle, WA 98117
at DCC	♥ Wed	3/7	7:30pm	DB & DS Lodge Meetings
	Mon	3/12		Newsletter Deadline - Monday following Lodge meetings
at DCC	♥ Wed	3/21	Noon	Onsdagsklubben RSVP to NWDA 206-523-3263
	Sun	4/1		Happy Easter – God Påske
at DCC	♥ Wed	4/4	7:30pm	DB & DS Lodge Meetings *** SPRINGO -- BINGO ***
1st Fri.	Fri	4/6	7:30pm	Fredagscafen at THE DANE--8000 15th Ave NW, Seattle, WA 98117
Enumclaw	Fr-Sa	4/6-7		NW District DB & DS Lodge Convention
	Sun	4/15	?	130th Birthday Luncheon DB Lodge 29 details soon

REMINDER TO DB LODGE 29 MEMBERS: WED. MARCH 7, 2018 7:30pm
PLEASE COME TO A SPECIAL LODGE 29 MEETING TO
VOTE ON DONATION \$\$ AMOUNT FOR NORDIC HERITAGE MUSEUM

DB LODGE 29 MEETING MINUTES: Meeting DB Lodge 29 Minutes: President Carley Kromann called



the meeting to order at 8:33pm on February 7, 2018. There were 28 members in attendance and one guest, Lisa Toftemark, who was there along with Eric Nelson from the Nordic Heritage Museum. They presented to the Brotherhood and Sisterhood before the meeting with an update on the progress of the New Nordic Museum, which will have its grand opening on May 5, 2018. They are still collecting donations in order to be debt free as soon as possible. There were no officers absent. There were no applications for membership. The meeting minutes were approved as written.

Correspondence: A thank you note was received from Ulla Younker for the Christmas flowers. Otto Brask stood to express his thanks for the flowers he received as well. Various newsletters were received from various lodges and the Sons of Norway. The PNW District Secretary/Treasurer letter arrived requesting a list of delegates and the annual district dues.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer reported on the current financials. There are still a few outstanding bills from the Installation. The report was approved as read.

Bowling There are 4 teams and 19 bowlers who are headed down to Eugene for the District Bowling Tournament on February 24th.

Picnic: The Danish Club is scheduled to host this year. Henning has emailed the President. No date is set yet.

Soccer: Kenneth Olsen reported that they are playing all over the place and winning. Teams of +40 and +50.

Golf: The Danevitational will be June 16 in Auburn.

Delegates: For the 69th PNW District Brotherhood Convention in Enumclaw on April 6 and 7, Melanie Berg, Gayle Emmick and Rasmus Madsen will be delegates. Alternates are Michael Emmick, Gitte McIntosh and Annie Kromann. Registration for the convention is due March 10th.

Unfinished Business: Discussion on the donation for the Nordic Heritage Museum was continued from the last meeting. Several motions were made. Gitte McIntosh moved to donate a \$1000 now and then can consider donating more later. There was no 2nd. Kenneth Olsen believes it is a donation to support the museum and we don't need to get anything for it. Annelise expressed that the Lodge donates to the museum every year. Donating this larger amount to go towards a plaque would create a lasting memory of Lodge #29 for many generations after we are gone. Frank Poulsen thinks it would be good to have a plaque for the same reason and to acknowledge the important role the Lodge held in the community since being founded in 1888. The final motion by Frank was to hold a special meeting in order for the members to vote for the option of \$10,000, \$5000, or \$1001 (as \$1000 can be approved in the meeting as Denise Jensen pointed out). Henning seconded and all approved. An official notification will be sent to all members reminding them of the special meeting that will be held at 7:30pm on March 7th. Members must be present to vote.

Frank reminded the lodge that we had wanted to hold a 130th anniversary party for the Lodge while the Danish Royals were in town. It took an exceptionally long time to get ahold of anyone from the embassy, and it was decided it would be much too busy during that weekend to hope to include a Royal guest. It was moved and approved that Frank would check availability at Washington Hall and the Executive Board would determine whether to hold a celebration in April depending on availability.

Clean up crew is always needed – Henning, Greta and Preben will help.

Henning will bring pizza next month.

Announcements Fastelavn is this Sunday at the NWDA.

Lisa Toftemark won the small pot and Flemming Sorensen won the big pot of \$100 after Tina Praegel's name was pulled.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:38PM.

Respectfully submitted by Secretary Annelise M Kromann

FINAL REMINDER NOTE FROM DB 29 TREASURER REGARDING 2018 DUES:

Don't risk being dropped from your Danish Brotherhood membership.

Please pay \$30 dues to DB Lodge 29 by March 1st 2018

Mail to Lexie Sorensen, DB29 Treasurer, P O Box 99769, Seattle, WA 98139

Please notify Lexie with updates to your address, phone and email info for NEW directory



SISTERHOOD EVERGREEN LODGE #40: The meeting was called to order at 8:32 p.m. on February 7, 2018 after a presentation by Eric Nelson regarding the building and grand opening of the Nordic Heritage Museum in Seattle. The museum is in the process of moving to their new location on N.W. Market Street in Ballard. The grand opening and ribbon cutting will be held on May 5, 2018.

All officers were present except Vice President, Lisa Svitavsky. Seven members were in attendance. Correspondence from the Scandinavian Hour thanking Lodge 40 for their continuing support was read by the secretary.

There was one bill from DB Lodge #29 in the amount of \$9.36 for the February newsletter mailing. The bill will be paid.

Secretary Karen Favero related that she had a phone call from John Kolash, the son of longtime member, Ellen Blendheim. John indicated that his mother passed away on May 17, 2017.

Helga Markussen indicated that she visited Agnes Mauritsen at Christmas time. Agnes is still active and very busy with many projects at 92 years old.

Unfinished Business: There was a good turn out for the installation dinner. Everyone enjoyed the wonderful meal that Connie prepared and a good time was had by all those attending.

New Business: Fastelavn is coming up. Patti and Emily Olsen will be helping with the event. The Pacific Northwest District Convention will be held on the first weekend in April hosted by the Enumclaw lodge. Our delegates will be Karen Favero and Anne Blackburn. Our lodge will put together a wine basket that will be in the silent auction to benefit the district Sisterhood. Please bring your items for the basket to the March meeting.

Karen will write a few words about our three members that have passed away since the last convention for the memorial service. Emily will write the lodge report.

SINCE WINTER IS COMING PLEASE REMEMBER TO BRING WARM ITEMS FOR YOUTHCARE FOR HOMELESS TEENAGERS AND CHILDREN. SUGGESTIONS INCLUDE SOCKS, MITTENS, SCARVES AND WARM CLOTHING ITEMS.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:07 p.m. until March 7, 2018.

Respectfully submitted, Karen Favero, Secretary/Treasurer

●●● 2018 SEATTLE BOWLING PRACTICES ●●●

All bowling practice sessions are on the Sundays listed below at TechCity Bowl, 13033 NE 70th Pl., Kirkland

Please reserve a spot on a lane with Lexie flsorensen@msn.com or 206-285-3025 by 9am Saturday before each session you plan to attend.

Please arrive at TechCity by 4:45pm

Pay Lexie \$20 per bowler (includes tax and shoes (mention Danish Brotherhood for free shoe rental)

Some dates may be cancelled if not enough bowlers reserve in advance.

Sun 2/18 4:45pm FINAL 2018 Bowling Practice

Sat 2/24 NW District Bowling Tournament-& Party--Eugene, Oregon Details will be announced later.

**Save the date June 16, 2018 noon for the:
6th Annual Danevitational @ Auburn Golf Course.**

Tentatively meeting early for Breakfast & the
World Cup Match: Denmark/Peru @ 9:00
More info later



DBIA Lodge 29 Seattle



130 Year Anniversary Lunch

Seattle Danish Brotherhood Lodge 29 was founded in April of 1888, and built Washington hall in 1908; calling it their home for many years. It was built, not only to host their meetings and parties, but also had rooms for rent for Danish immigrants that arrived in Seattle.

To celebrate our anniversary,
Lodge 29 is planning a luncheon in
the newly renovated landmark building,
“Washington Hall”

Save the date:

Sunday afternoon April 15 2018

153 14th Ave Seattle WA. 98122

More Details coming soon