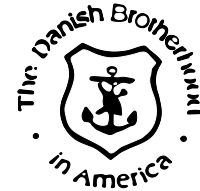


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SEATTLE DANISH LODGE NEWSLETTER

Danish Brotherhood Lodge 29 and Danish Sisterhood Evergreen Lodge 40
Meets at 7:30pm every first Wednesday on the month except July and August
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●●● HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO DB 29 & DS 40 LODGE MEMBERS ●●●



MAY: Erik Bodholt; Thomas Buus; Egon Calundann; Harold Hansen; Anita Henriksen; Hans B.Jensen; Sharon Kinder; Norma Jean Layer; Erik S Nielsen; Michael O.Nielsen; Kenneth Olsen; Birthe Ostergaard; Nadine Paulsen; Nan Stavnshoj; Jan Syberg

JUNE: Melanie Berg; Hans Christiansen; Mia Greenshields; Carley Kromann; Dean Larsen; Madison Larsen; Ruthi Jensen-Larsen; Rasmus Madsen; Rikke Maudslien; Tina Prægel; Katrina Royal; Lexie Sorensen; Tove Lise Sorensen; Kole Turcott; Sofia Windelev

JULY: Greta Ballard; Matthew Emmick; Lise Evans; Peyton Jacobsen; Konrad Klippert; Caitlin Larsen; Ellen Olsen; Leif Sorensen; Danny Stavnshoj; Derek Stavnshoj; Freya Stavnshoj; Dana Svitavsky; Sami Todoroff



...SEATTLE DANISH COMMUNITY CALENDAR...

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



at DCC	♥	Wed	5/16	Noon	Onsdagsklubben RSVP to NWDA 206-523-3263
		Mon	5/28		<i>Memorial Day</i>
1st Fri.		Fri	6/1	7:30pm	Fredagscafen at THE DANE--8000 15th Ave NW, Seattle, WA 98117
	♥	Wed	6/6	7:30pm	DB & DS Lodge Meetings
		Sat	6/16	Noon	Danevitational Golf Tournament Noonish @ Auburn --info Tage
		Mon	6/11		Newsletter Deadline - Monday following Lodge meetings
at DCC	♥	Wed	6/20	Noon	Onsdagsklubben RSVP to NWDA 206-523-3263

Remember to **call NWDA** office to reserve a meal for the next Onsdagsklubben.

It will be Smørrebrød for lunch at 12 o'clock, followed by a program.

Call us by Monday morning 6/18 at 206-523-3263 to reserve lunch on June 20.

See you then. Edith Christensen 206-523-3263 Northwest Danish Association

Save the date June 16, 2018 noon for 6th Annual Danevitational @ Auburn Golf Course. Tentatively meeting early for Breakfast & the World Cup Match: Denmark/Peru @ 9:00am

Details in soccer news attached

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



called the May 2, 2018 meeting to order with the flag salute at 7:37PM. There were 11 members and no guests in attendance. Preben Petersen, Annelise Kromann, Carley Kromann, Frank Poulsen, Hanne Poulsen, Tove Lise Sorensen, Corey Blackburn, Al Holl, Melanie Berg, Gayle Emmick, and Maija Hammond were present – everyone else was not.

There were no new applications for membership. Corey moved to approve the minutes as written, but there was no second. The Secretary read the minutes. Tove Lise moved to approve the minutes and they were approved as read.

Correspondence – A thank you was received from the Museum of Danish America for our membership renewal. A thank you was also received from the Nordic Museum for the Lodge's \$10,000 contribution. A letter was received from the Scandinavian Hour suggesting members of the Danish community apply for scholarships to help send them to Denmark to collect new music and interviews for the radio show. A letter was received from the NWDA requesting donations for the dishwasher that is falling apart and needs to very badly be replaced – moved to new business and will be discussed at next meeting with more members in attendance. The Assured Life Association is hosting a Scramble to End Hunger. Similar to the bowling tournament, teams pay an entrée fee and play scramble style golf. Melanie Berg moved that for teams who participate, the Lodge will pay the registration fee, but the golfers must pay their green fees. Motion approved. Tove Lise moved that the golfers must also donate 5 cans of food for the food drive. Motion approved. Registrations must be received by June 1, 2018. Team scores must be submitted to home office on or before August 1, 2018.

Treasurer's Report – Frank Poulsen is sitting in for Lexie who is at the Nordic Museum. Frank read the current financials. Tove Lise moved to approve them as reported. Melanie seconded. Motion carried.

Committee Reports Bowling – Tove Lise has volunteered to chair bowling and the tournament. No date set yet, but she will be scoping out some places for the tournament and the banquet after.

Soccer – No update.

Picnic – Scheduled for August 12th. Henning Buus will help. Be sure to order extra hot dogs for the picnic, so we can have them for the September meeting dinner.

Anniversary Party – Frank Poulsen reported on the 130th Anniversary Party at Washington Hall. He thanked everyone for coming and we thank Frank for the hard work he put into the celebration. Frank reported that there was a \$130 profit. Tove Lise mentioned that it was a great time, it was fun to get a tour, and it was great to see the guys who once lived there together in the hall.

By-Laws Committee – The President can appoint a new chair, but will wait until the next meeting.

Convention – Melanie Berg reported that the District Convention in Enumclaw was a great event. Seattle Lodge won Best Civic Event for the donation to the Nordic Museum.

Golf – Danevitational is June 16th.

Unfinished Business – Frank and Gayle visited the Nordic Museum early in the day and they say it looks great. Lola Pitzner's pretzel from her bakery is in the display for Denmark, which was displayed front and center.

New Business - Annelise will bring food in June

For the Good and the Welfare/Announcements – Our thoughts are with Anker Sorensen for the loss of his wife Ruth. Melanie Berg will send flowers on behalf of the lodge.

Small Pot winner – Corey Blackburn

Big Pot – Ken Kromann, Lexie Sorensen, Annie Kromann (just kidding) – Kimiko Turcott was drawn, but Frank Poulsen won the big pot!

Meeting adjourned at 8:26PM.

Respectfully submitted by Secretary Annelise M Kromann

DB LODGE 29 NWDA DANE CAMP \$75 GRANTS for kids ages 5-10—to apply, children age 5-10 must write a note to Lodge or draw a picture and send to Sec. Annelise Kromann: 202 S 197th St, Des Moines, WA 98148 PH: 425-329-5083. Dane Camp is held in August.

We hope to see all campers at our Sept. 5th Lodge meeting to tell the lodge about your Camp experiences and receive their camp grant checks at that time.

CAMP GRANT APPLICATION DEADLINE - DB29 MEETING WED. JUNE 6, 2018

LODGE DB29 HIMMELBJERGET CAMP \$250 GRANTS: \$250 grants awarded to children who are Lodge 29 juvenile members themselves (pay no dues) *AND* whose parent or grandparent are also members (kids do not pay lodge dues until age 18 or under 25 if full time student and request exemption)
\$175 grants awarded to children of adult members (parent or grandparent) if applicant is not also a juvenile lodge member of Seattle Lodge #29 themselves).

After enjoying their camp experience, campers are encouraged to attend the September 5th Lodge meeting to tell members about their camp adventures.

To apply for a Himmelbjerget Campership: Campers, age 10 to 18, must write a letter to the Lodge to Sec. Annelise Kromann: 202 S 197th St, Des Moines, WA 98148 with details about your membership, name of parent, include a little about yourself and why you want to attend Himmelbjerget this summer. DB29 Scholarship application Deadline is Wed. June 6, 2018.



SISTERHOOD EVERGREEN LODGE #40: The meeting was called to order at 7:42 p.m. on May 2, 2018. Officers present were Past President Anne Blackburn, President Patti Olsen, Vice President Lisa Svitavsky, Secretary/Treasurer Karen Favero and Marshall Emily Olsen. Five members were in attendance.

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

Trustees' Report: There is \$68.00 in the Trustees account.

Sick and Needy Sisters: Patti got a voice mail from Ruthe Jensen. She reported that she was in the hospital for a week and then in a nursing home for a month for rehab. She's home now and a therapist comes to her home. Fortunately, Ruthe has wonderful neighbors and family who watch out for her and visit often. Ruth Sorensen passed away. There was a lovely memorial service for her on April 16. Anker is doing well.

Unfinished Business: The 130th anniversary party for DB Lodge #29 was held on April 15 at Washington Hall. The party was well attended and everyone had a wonderful time. We were taken on a tour of the building. Everyone we met thanked us for building Washington Hall. The building has been lovingly renovated and is being used by many organizations. It was wonderful to be back there again.

The PNW District Convention was held in Enumclaw the first weekend in April. The meals were held in the Danish Hall and the meetings were held in the basement of the church across the street. The format was changed a bit. Most people missed the social time to catch up with friends that we are used to.

Portland lodges will host the convention in 2019 at Hood River, Oregon. More information will be coming.

At the meeting in June, we will honor our past presidents. Vice President Lisa will be sending out the invitations. We will have cake and flowers for the past presidents.

At the next meeting, we will discuss dates for a weekend lunch gathering in the south end, possibly Des Moines or Kent. Please contact one of the officers with any suggestions or comments you may have.

We have now received the Sisterhood heart calendars. If you want one, please come to the next meeting or contact Karen Favero.

PLEASE CONTINUE TO BRING ITEMS FOR YOUTHCARE FOR HOMELESS TEENAGERS AND CHILDREN. SUGGESTIONS INCLUDE SOCKS, GIFT CARDS, SNACK ITEMS, SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND TOILETRIES.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:29 p.m. until June 6, 2018.

Respectfully submitted, Karen Favero, Secretary/Treasurer