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Trollheim News

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Greetings to all members! I hope you are enjoying the warmer days after our Big snow!

Our long-awaited **GOLDEN 50th Anniversary Celebration** is almost here--April 20th! I hope that you have reserved or will immediately reserve with Barb Hessel as explained in the included flyer. Wear your Norwegian bunads, sweaters, etc.

The planning committee has this one-time event interactive and full of lodge and Norwegian heritage. Between 3 - 4 pm and as you snack, you will participate in a self-paced Troll scavenger hunt which will take you into various rooms and hallways of the lodge to find the answers to questions about the lodge. Additionally, special music is planned, and you will learn Norwegian line dancing.

As if this isn't enough celebration with family and friends, after a program and dinner, each household will receive a 50-year 48-page yearbook memento to take home! I believe the event will be an experience you will NOT forget! I expect to see you there. *Tusen takk to those members who have kept our lodge going strong for this GOLDEN 50th.*

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Calendar of Events 2024

April

Board meeting 11am 1

20 The Trollheim 50th Anniversary Celebration, 3-7pm Mav

- 4 Dameklubb Tea
- 6 Board Meeting 11am

June

- 14-16 Mid-summer Scandinavian Festival ** New Location- Parfet Park, Golden, CO.
- July

17-20 Rosemaling Retreat

Trollheim Members Only

You are cordially invited to attend the

50th Anniversary elebration

of the founding of Trollheim Sons of Norway Lodge 6-110 When: April 20, 2024 Where: 6610 West 14th Avenue Lakewood, CO 80214 3 p.m. doors open for social activities Time: 4:15 be seated for dinner and program Members: \$10.00 Non-members: \$30.00 (limited to 1 per household)

All RSVPs and payments are due by April 1, 2024.

Please fill out the information to choose your menu choice. Place an 'X' to indicate your choice of main dish. Fill out information for each Sons of Norway member and a non-member (if applicable) in your group. Send the completed form and payment with a self-addressed and stamped envelope to Barb Hessel, 953 S. Holland St., Lakewood, CO 80226. For questions call Barb Hessel at 303.989.4496

Member Name	Chicken	Salmon
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Member/Non-member name	Chicken	Salmon

Please note that this is a catered event. Seating is limited and payment is non-refundable

Lylah Sahlieh	1
Suzanne A Hauger	3
Nora Jacobson	3
Gabriel Ingebrigtsen	4
Mary E Kvamme	4
Virginia Kusek	5
Terrance Michael Ohnstad	6
Brent C Hauger	11
Todd Thorne	11
Tim Sandsmark	12
Betsy Murray	14
Trygve Berge	19
Kimberly Spahmer Nerheim	19
Jon E Chew	20
Barbara N Stover	21
Ron Thorne	21
Janet C Cunningham	23
JoAnn Bradley	25
Peter G Gunderson	26
George J Johansen	26
Sarah Holmgren	29



Sunshine

Crystal Olsen, Lodge and Dameklubb member, recently had both knees replaced. She is a brave Norwegian woman! She surprised the ladies of the Dameklubb by joining for their lunch meeting at Lynns Tea Shop. We hear she is now back to work and running circles.

The Dameklubb recently met at Lynn's Tea Shop for lunch and socializing. The group of fifteen ladies enjoyed tea, delicious sandwiches, tarts and big pieces of cake. A surprise for the group was seeing **Pat Geary** and **Dina Issern**, former members who were also lunching at the tea shop.



Norman Erick Waugh

Norm passed away peacefully at Lutheran Collier Hospice on February 21, 2024, at the age of 89. With an unwavering love for God, family, church, and friends, he ran the race well and finished strong! Norm was born on July 24, 1934 and raised on a farm in Great Falls, Montana. He moved to Colorado to attend college at the University of

Denver, where he obtained his Master's Degree in Business Management. He enlisted in the US Navy Officer's Candidate School in 1956. Serving in the Navy Reserves for 28 years, he attained the rank of Captain. While stationed in Hawaii, he met the love of his life, Lynn. He and Lynn were married in Hawaii in 1959. They returned to Colorado in 1961. He and Lynn settled in Arvada in 1974 where Norm was a Real Estate Broker for 30 years.

Norm and Lynn had two daughters, Karen and Norma. Karen passed early in her life, in 1997. Norm and Lynn shared 56 ½ glorious years together until Lynn passed of Alzheimer's in 2016. Norma and her husband, Luke, live in Arvada and have twin sons, Cameron and Kyren. Norm was very involved in the lives of his twin grandsons. He loved those boys!! He was passionate about his family, his church family and church involvement, stamp collecting, fishing, camping, mission trips to Naomi House in South Dakota, genealogy, jigsaw puzzles, and rock hounding. He was a loving father and grandfather. Friendly, outgoing, kind and loyal, he was loved by all and will be dearly missed until we see him again in Glory!

At our Lodge, Norm was active in the genealogy group. Once we learned he was a stamp collector, in the past years he graciously took clipped stamps that members dropped off by the boxful and delivered them to other stamp collectors! We'll miss you Norm! Rest in Peace!

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Joan's Norsk Butikk is OPEN! Please visit us in April!



The rose bearers for the 11 Trollheim members who passed in 2023

Diane Molter, Sons of Norway District 6, Zone 8 Director, conducted the memorial service for our recently deceased members. Those honored were: Coleen Rose, Susan Sanderson, Daryl Haagerson, Charles Brainard, Duane Hjerleid, Tamra Mohs, Carole Zablocki, Lorella Farmer, Peter Peterson, Inge Fox-Jones and Herbert Pallesen.

President, **Perry Monklien** presented service pins to the following members: 5 years- **Crystal Olsen**, **Terrance Ohnstad**, **Todd Thorne**, **Monta Lee Dakin**,

- Gabriel Ingebrigtsen, Elisha McDowell, Brenda Dunbar, Colin Servis, Mark Menghini, Jeffery Anderson, Hee Anderson.
- 10 years Shirley Downey, Mary Hagen-Drummond, Peter Gunderson
- 15 years Barbra Hooker, Sarah Hughes, Dale Hughes, Elizabeth Lyda, Jan Mason, Soren Robert Hansen.
- 20 years Dina Isern, Fran Pallesen, Robert Svenningsen, Jacquelyn Groe.
- 25 years Syrena Plakke, Linda Demarche, Carol Satersmoen.
- 30 years Albert Ehret, Garth Berkeland, Annette Kvamme, Jessica L. Turner, Jon E. Chew.
- 35 years Connie Bartram, Synnove Rognerud.
- 45 years Joy Folkvord, Hilmar Lund.
- 50 years Arne Jorgensen, Rudolf Bratt, Beverly Moe.
- 55 years Donald Peterson

Attendees enjoyed social time with music from the Labbe Soire'e, a flute and clarinet/saxophone duo. The group also enjoyed congratulatory cake with the snack and dessert potluck.





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Trollheims Annual Tea		
Bestemors Hus Sons of Norway, Trollheim Lodge 6610 W. 14th Ave.		
Lakewood, CO 80214		
Saturday, May 4, 2024 1:00 - 3:00 \$25 per person		
Please join us for tea, tasty treats and gentle conversation		
RSVP by: April 24, 2024, Make checks payable to: Sons Of Norway		
Bestemors Hus Fill out this form and mail it, with your check and a self-addressed, stamped envelope, to Barb Hessel, 953 S. Holland St., Lakewood, CO 80226. 303-989-4496 Make checks payable to Sons of Norway.		
Name#of guests \$		
Email Address Phone #		
Seating Request (optional)		

During the March 16th general meeting, the following members were officially named as **delegates to the June District 6 convention in Las Vegas:**

Bruce Bailey, Michael Homan, Elisha McDowell, and Bev Moe. We know they will represent Trollheim very well! The lodge pays the \$275 per person registration fee and the delegates pay all other costs. Takk for your willingness to represent us.

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Dameklubb up to their shenanigans

