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Freedom Fraternity Progress

# **Trollheim News**

Greetings to all members! With the frigid cold weather we've had, I hope you all have stayed warm and in good health.

We initiated a great group of new members in January. We hope some of you new members have some great input for our lodge activities. A few activities we could use your help is at the Butikken on any Saturday from 9:30-1:30, (please contact Bruce at 303-232-1700), at our Lutefisk Dinner, Feb 10th at 1pm, (please contact Connie

at 303-467-3299) and at the Colorado Barnelopet on Feb 24th, (see the announcement in this newsletter). It's always great to meet and work/play with new members.

Our Feb 17th General Meeting at 2pm is our official 50th Anniversary meeting. We'll have a special cake, a Memorial Service for deceased members, and give out member recognition pins. Our formal 50th Anniversary Celebration is April 20th and we're making great progress on planning a really BIG and FUN ONE!! Let's all keep our lodge strong for our GOLDEN 50th. Tusen Takk! President, Perry Monkelien



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Erin and Perry

HAPPY FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS!! Barbara D Hessel 1 Annette Kvamme 1 John Martin 1 2 Lois R Doeksen 5 John Kinnamon 5 Larry Stennes 6 Suzanne Christian Karin Rohleder 9 Adrian Lewis 10 Sophia Lamas 11 Carla Olson-Kite 12 13 Cheryl Amdahl Jacqueline Bland 13 13 Jan Mason Bjorn Dahl 16 Anne Nording 16 Emma Roberts 16 Albert Ehret Jr 19 Barbara Bessesen 20 Ruth Peterson 20 Ayden Gunderson 21 22 Novella Falco 22 Rob Strieg 23 Jean Healey June Blanchard 25 25 Doug Wheeler Marin Rosenvold 27 28 Lawrence L Freng 28 Nancy Hamilton

## Calendar of Events 2024

#### <u>February</u>

- 2-3 Rental Mile Hi Chorus event
- 8 Board meeting 11am; TBC meeting 10am
- 9 Noon to 3 *food prep for lute dinner*
- 10 Genealogy 10am-noon; meet in library
- 10 Lutefisk dinner 1pm
- 17 General meeting 2pm Snack and dessert potluck. Memorial Service and Member Recognition 5-yr and cultural pins. Acknowledgement of Trollheim's 50th Anniversary month, special music
- 24 Barnelopet

#### <u>March</u>

- 4 Board meeting 11 am
- 16 General meeting 2 pm– Snack/dessert potluck and video the *Power of Silver* Norwegian Traditional Jewelry

#### Trollheim Members Only

You are cordially invited to attend the

50th Anniversary ration

of the founding of Trollheim Sons of Norway Lodge 6-110

When: April 20, 2024

Where: 6610 West 14th Avenue Lakewood, CO 80214

Time:3 p.m. doors open for social activities4:15 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



Herbert Richard Pallesen: born July 28, 1930 in the Norwegian community of Bay Ridge, Brooklyn, New York to Helen and Herbert Pallesen. His 4 grandparents were direct immigrants from Norway. He graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School in 1948 and Cornell University with a degree in mechanical engineering in 1952. Herb retired after 36 1/2 years of service at Cornell University in 1988, after which he and his wife traveled extensively.

Herb passed away on ber 2023. She December 23, 2023 at was a longtime the Hillcrest Care Center, a skilled nursing home in Wray, CO.

Send cards to:

Fran Pallesen, 1319 Birch Circle, Yuma CO 80759









Lee Corns passed away in Decem-2023. She a longtime years when the lodge was too far away her from home in Highlands Ranch. Lee helped Bev King the kitchen in wearing the colorful rosemaled apron.

'in lieu of flowers take the time to feed the squirrels."

Jane ("Inge") Fox-Jones gave up a courageous battle with pancreatic cancer on September 20, 2023, dying peacefully at Porter Hospice in Denver, CO. with her husband Christopher by her side. While Inge's life journey led to a permanent home in the Rockies, the south and Gainesville always remained a special place, a place with heart-felt attachment. Enduring southern roots and manners shaped her personality and attractiveness. She felt blessed to have had loving and nurturing parents and she could be described as a perfect daughter. While she left us too soon, she had no regrets and lived a full life, rich with accomplishments, good deeds, a happy marriage, extensive travel and fulfilling experiences. To read the entire beautiful obituary, click here. Jane Fox-Jones Obituary - Forest Meadows Funeral Home - Gainesville - 2023 (legacy.com)

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> Trollheim Lodge donates \$50 to the Scholarship fund in remembrance of each departed member.

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BARNELØPET 1.0 Km, 2.5 Km & 5.0 Km for ages 0 -16 NORWAY Saturday, February 24, 2024



Free Children's Cross Country Ski Event

# Snow Mountain Ranch ~YMCA~ Granby, Legett Hall Sponsored by Sons of Norway

- Register at www.barnelopet.com or at 9:30 a.m. on the day
- Check in at 9:30 AM, Beginner Ski Lessons from 10:00-11:00 AM, Event begins at 11:15 AM
- Free ski rentals at YMCA Nordic Center
- After event reception with refreshments
- For further information contact: Lois Hodne at (303) 324-1880 or loishodne@gmail.com or Jon Eirik Holm-Johansen, Coordinator (970) 412-0433 or tvchiro@gmail.com



### Contact Michael Homan or Bev Moe to volunteer as a Trollheim representative!

AN SKIGUARD



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

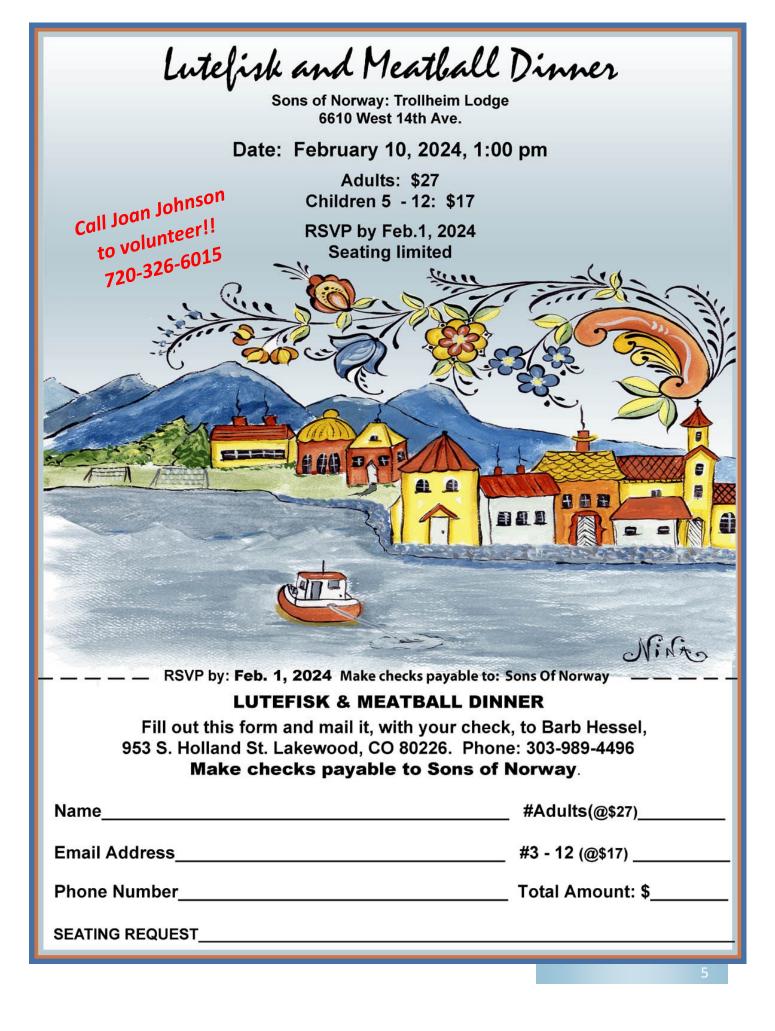




I was struggling to understand how lightning works and then it struck me.

## Scholarship Reminder

Trollheim Lodge 6-110 Scholarships are available to any Lodge member who intends to continue their education at a nationally accredited college or university. Scholarships are available in amounts of \$500 to \$1,500 Applications are accepted January 1 to March 31, 2024. For application information, contact: Joan Johnson 720.326.6015 jej.jay48@gmail.com.



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