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Trollheim News

Greetings to all members!

This newsletter covers the months of June and July. I hope you all had a great Syttende Mai celebration. I stayed in bed with a bad head cold so not so good. We had 7 Trollheim members attending the Fjelldalen Lodge Syttende Mai celebration and picnic on Saturday, 6/18 and everyone thoroughly enjoyed it.

I hope to see many of you at the Scandinavian Midsummer Festival in Golden on Sat, June 15, as this is our June General Meeting. We meet at 1:00 at the SON Welcome tent at the entrance of the Festival. Keep reading this newsletter for more details. We are working on arranging a car pool. Watch your email for information. Contact a board member if you need a ride or are able to provide rides.

During the Festival we will be handing out a new trifold about Trollheim Lodge produced by Barb and Connie. Trollheim is on break in July and will not have a General Meeting. The Lodge is hosting a regional Rosemaling Retreat in July, again keep reading the newsletter for details. We are planning an exciting General Meeting in August. Till then, stay well, cool, and have a fun summer.

President, Perry Monkelien



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Calendar of Events 2024

June

- Board Meeting 11am followed by TCB Meeting
- 15 General Meeting
- 14-16 Mid-summer Scandinavian Festival ** New Location- Parfet Park, Golden, CO**
- 15 General Meeting ay Midsummer Scandinavian Festival 1pm. Meet at the Norway Booth
- July
- NO MEETINGS IN JULY
- 17-20 Rosemaling Retreat at Trollheim

August

- 5 Board Meeting 11am followed by TCB Meeting
- 17 General Meeting 2pm



Menghini Nina Ruen Sarah Robinson Neve Adele Jacobson Luke Johnson Joan Ellen East Danette I Hughes Dale R Christianson Anders Hessel William C **Downey Shirley Mae** Johnshoy Quinn Messerly M Heather **Rognerud Synnove** Martin Siri Nelson Mark David **Dominguez Mary Ann** Crelly Dustan W Pallesen Frances D Perley Kenneth F Perrigo-Hicks Diane



and family at the Tea!





- 13 Dow G Murray
- 14 Bartram Connie G
- 14 Kilgannon Mary Kathleen
- 14 Lamas Theo
- 14 Hargrove Lillian
- 19 Sadowsky James
- 22 Syverson Teah
- Ondrejko Martha Fjelde
- Kite Thomas
- ²⁸ Kusek Kari L
- 28 Kusek James
- 30 Anderson Faith
- 30 Anderson Jeffrey James

HAPPY JULY BIRTHDAYS!!

3	Malone Lois E	19
5	Schuler Aija	19
5	Johansen Kristin	20
6	Lamas Natasha	20
8	Holcomb Nicholas	21
11	Holmgren Nathan	22
11	Kilgannon Riley David	22
12	Ondrejko Daniel J	24
15	Anderson Hee	25
16	Kvamme Emery	26
17	Buen Bruce R	30
19	Martin Jens	30
19	Kvamme Lauren	31





Sid Haugman earned his 40-year membership pin. Congratulations Sid! We miss you!

Jim Bland, longtime member of Trollheim Lodge, passed away May 15, 2024. He and his wife **Jacque** handled the tea, coffee and water at many Trollheim dinners. Services will be held in late June or early July. Our deepest sympathy goes to Jacque and daughter Kari. Cards can be sent to Jacque at 5077 S Oak St, Littleton, CO 80127. Phone calls are appreciated.

Happy Syttende mai Trollheim Lodge 6-110 members and friends. A couple of good trolls filled the dumpster with dead hedge branches, trash, grass, and parking lot debris on the east. Drop by and see how the landscape looks! There is still more to do when road construction vehicles aren't in the way and the south gutter swept. Had the lodge held a 17th of May event, it would have looked pretty good!

Reminder....

Please let us know what is happening in your life and family. We'd love to hear about any adventures you have over the summer! Send updates to Sunshine Coordinator, Karalou Mattern to be included in the newsletter.



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Joan's Norsk Butikk is OPEN! Please visit us Saturdays 9:30-1:30!

Dameklub Tea May 4, 2024

The Dameklub Tea was a big success again this year with 130 ladies, gentlemen and children attending. Jackie Groe, better known as Jacko-Lena, was our Mistress of Ceremony entertaining the group with many funny stories. Barb Hessel dedicated the Tea in **Ruth Huebner's** memory, a longtime member of the Dameklub and tea hostess. Each hostess set their own table with fine china dishes, silver and decorations. The theme for the tea was Rosemal painting, and many tables were decorated with linens, plates, and bowls with rosemal painting. Louise Bath, Vesterheim gold award winner, and Kirsten Lewis spoke to the group about rosemal painting styles as noted on the shutters in the banquet hall. Barb Hessel designed the three dimensional tea programs to look like a visit to Bestmors Hus (Grandmas House), along with the tickets and Viking mint boats. If you have not yet attended, you will definitely want to next year!

From My Heart...

On behalf of the dameklubb, we owe thanks and appreciation to some members and family. Earl Bartram and Michael Homan for putting up the round tables and removing the extra rectangular tables; out-of-staters Ardis and Cathy, sisters of Connie Bartram,



who stepped in to wash and iron tablecloths between the lodge's 50th and the tea and putting them on the tea guest tables; making the tea peach soup; preparing two of the menu foods with **Linda Ault and Syrena Plakke**, taking pictures of the event (posted on Facebook), setting and tearing down my tea table, entertaining the others guests at my table, and preparing the teabags for the steepers, **Billy and David Hessel** who did a fine job steeping the two teas again! It's the sign of the times, when we need family from out of state to help make an event possible--Uff da! By the way, Ardis and Cathy were IMPRESSED with our amazing high tea and glad they came to Trollheim! *Hugs to my dameklubb sisters and my sisters,* **Connie Bartram**





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Delphine Becker (front left) hosted this table and her guests included members Suzanne Christian and Lois Doeksen.