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Sons of Norway Fosselyngen Lodge No. 5-082

7507 W. Oklahoma Ave., Milwaukee, WI 53219-2861

### FOSSELYNGEN/NORWAY HOUSE - CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SEPTEMBER	12	Monday	Soc/Cult Meeting With <i>Potluck</i> Meal	
			5 PM Social, 6 PM <i>Potluck</i> , 7 PM Meeting (Page 2)	
	22	Thursday	Norway House Board Meeting 7 PM (Different Day than Usual)	
	24	Saturday	Torsk Supper and Bake Sale 4-7 PM	
<b>OCTOBER</b>	8	Saturday	Scandinavian Festival at Ronald Reagan School (Page 4)	
	10	Monday	Soc/Cult Meeting With Meal (Taco Bar)	
		•	5 PM Social, 6 PM Meal, 7 PM Meeting with Election (Page 2)	
	20	Thursday	Norway House Board Meeting 7 PM (Different Day than Usual)	
	22	Saturday	Torsk Supper and Bake Sale 4-7 PM	
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	24	Monday	Lodge Officer's Meeting 7 PM Note: Any Member May Attend	
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## **COOKIE MAKING AT NORWAY HOUSE**

Five Wednesdays: September 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, & 21<sup>st</sup>, and October 5<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>. 8:30 AM to about 3 PM each day. Lunch will be provided.

NOTE: This cookie making schedule CHANGED from what was listed in previous Runespeak issue.

(See Cookie Making article on Page 3.)

#### OTHER ORGANIZATIONS - CALENDAR OF EVENTS

RE: Donna Hansen's "Pilgrimage" bus trip for Norway Lutheran Church to go to Minneapolis/St. Paul for November 17<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>, 2016, as detailed in the article on Page 8 of Jul/Aug 2016 Runespeak: If you are interested, call Donna at 262-534-3862. Note the balance payment due date of October 1st.

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Like the modern alphabet, runes were the written symbols of our Norse ancestors. Understood only by the very wise, they were used to communicate with others, as well as with the ancient gods.

#### FRA PRESIDENTEN

(september og oktober 2016)

Hilsen Fra Ellie,

Fall is almost here and the colors are turning. Hope you had a good summer. It sure was hot and dry.

We are having a potluck September 12<sup>th</sup>. Hope to see you there.

The Lodge received several awards plus individual awards for John Schneble (silver) for the newsletter, and for Sue Berg Roedel & myself for being President.

We are getting new members, thanks to Heidi Strom.

Are you ready to support your Lodge? <u>WE ARE IN NEED OF THE FOLLOWING: PRESIDENT AND YOUTH DIRECTOR.</u> WE ARE ALSO IN NEED OF MEMBERS TO HELP WITH THE CHRISTMAS PARTY. Call Ellie at 262-542-3142.

Hope to see you soon.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12<sup>TH</sup>, 2016 SOCIAL/CULTURAL EVENING WITH *POTLUCK* SUPPER

5 PM Social Hour

6 PM Potluck\*

7 PM Short Meeting Followed by Program:

There will be a presentation entitled "A Typical Norwegian Mountain Farm" featuring a 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> century farm in the Telemark region.

\*BRING YOUR FAVORITE FOOD: MEAT, SALADS, AND MORE.

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAY MEMBERS
PROVIDE DESSERTS.

Ellie



5 PM Social Hour

6 PM Light Supper (Taco Bar)

7 PM Short Meeting with Election Followed by Program including:

- Awards
- Small presentation about the recent "Tall Ships" event which made a stop in Green Bay.

OCTOBER BIRTHDAY MEMBERS PROVIDE DESSERTS.



# Torsk Supper, September 24th

Call Pam (414-651-4575) or Jack (414-270-9939) if you'd like to work.

We also need donations of bakery.

Torsk Supper, October 22<sup>nd</sup>

Call Kristin (414-481-3427) or Karen R. (414-915-9849) if you'd like to work.

We also need donations of bakery.

**Ride Share:** If you need help getting to or from a meeting or event, please contact Heidi Strom at 262-716-9118 and we will make every effort to find a ride for you. Thank you.

#### **FOSSELYNGEN OFFICERS**

President Ellie Thoresen 262-542-3142 Vice-President Heidi Strom 262-716-9118 Treasurer Evonne Hurst 262-786-8683 Secretary (Correspondence) Janice Gregoire 262-784-6953 Secretary (Recording) (2016 Only) Nancy Sande 414-231-3586 & (Assisting Nancy Sande 1st Year) Maureen Welli 414-774-0507

If you have any questions, please call one of the above officers.

Our web site address is: www.norwayhouse-milw.org

NORWAY HOUSE 7507 W. Oklahoma Avenue Milwaukee, WI 53219-2861

> 414-321-2637 Office Hours: Monday 10-2 Thursday 2-6

Our hall is available for rent

### **COOKIE MAKING**

<u>NOTE</u>: The following cookie schedule <u>HAS</u>
<u>BEEN CHANGED</u> from what was listed in the previous Runespeak issue because of Karen's scheduled knee surgery in mid-October.

The Cookie Committee requests all cookie makers to mark their calendars to help make cookies on the following *five* Wednesdays: September 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>, and October 5<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>.

We are only doing five days of baking this year, so everyone's help is needed. We will begin at 8:30 AM and go to about 3 PM each day. Lunch will be provided.

Sign up at a meeting or call Karen Sanderson at 262-679-1377.

<u>There will not be any preorders</u> - so don't look for any order forms. Cookies will be available for sale at the Nov. 12<sup>th</sup> and Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> Torsk Suppers from 2-7 PM ONLY!! First come, first served. Lefse and Julekake will also be sold then. Plan ahead please. Thank you!

NOTE: We are all members of Fosselyngen Lodge and Norway House. As members of both, we have to keep expenses down for the Torsk suppers; therefore, Norwegian cookies will be served as dessert at all of them. We still plan on having the November/December Fundraising Cookie Sales for Fosselyngen Lodge. Therefore, everybody's help is EXTREMELY NECESSARY.

The Cookie Committee

#### NORWEGIAN LANGUAGE CLASSES

Norwegian Language Classes start again on September 14<sup>th</sup> at 5:30PM for beginners and at 6:30PM for intermediate. Classes will be six sessions, on the Wednesdays of September 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup>, and October 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>. All classes \$20 per session (\$120 total for six sessions) for Lodge members. Non-members are welcome at \$22 per session (\$132 total for six sessions).

Mette Baran will be the instructor again. She is an Associate Professor at Cardinal Stritch from Halden Norway. Call Heidi at 262-716-9118 if you wish to confirm your spot. If we don't get enough students, the class will be cancelled. Checks can be made out to Fosselyngen Lodge.

Thank you. Heidi

# Scandinavian Treasures

If you would like to let go of any of your Scandinavian Treasures, and if you are willing to donate them for resale to help the Lodge and/or Norway House budgets, they will be sold in September and October at our meetings and at Torsk dinners.

Drop them off at the Lodge during office hours: Mondays 10-2, or Thursday 2-6. It helps if you suggest a price. Questions? – Call Susan Van Lith (262-784-0134) or email (avanlith@wi.rr.com).

# HARDANGER CLASS UPDATE

We will <u>not</u> be offering a Hardanger class at this time as we did not have enough interest. We hope to offer it again in early 2017, so watch your newsletter for further updates. Thank you.

Arlette Johnson

# **FOLK FAIR**

Summer has ended so it's time to think about Folk Fair! Please check your calendar because we need your help to make it a success. Shifts are 4-1/2 hours long, and the booth has to be staffed when Folk Fair is open during the following hours:

- Friday, November 18<sup>th</sup>, 9 AM to 10 PM (Education Day from 9 AM to 4 PM & General Public from 2 PM to 10 PM)
- Saturday, November 19<sup>th</sup>, 10 AM to 10 PM
- Sunday, November 20<sup>th</sup>, 10 AM to 7 PM

We also need help loading the rental truck on Wednesday, November 16<sup>th</sup> around 4 PM at Norway House and then unloading the truck at State Fair Park and again packing up the booth and loading/unloading the truck on Sunday, November 20<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM.

While Gretchen and Arlette will be in the booth for the duration of the event (yep, we're there all three days open to close plus setup on Thursday and packing up on Sunday), we need between 3 and 4 people in the booth with us at all times to assist customers.

If you can help, please either contact Gretchen, thebjorks@att.net or 262-502-9197, or sign up at an upcoming meeting. Thank you.

Gretchen Bjork



# TWENTY-SIXTH ANNUAL INDOOR SCANDINAVIAN FESTIVAL

Presented by Nordic Council of Wisconsin

SATURDAY OCTOBER 8<sup>th</sup>, 2016 10 AM-6 PM

AT RONALD REAGAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

4225 S. Calhoun Road New Berlin, Wisconsin

FREE PARKING

Adults: \$8

Children 4-12: \$2, Under 4: Free

We invite you to join in our annual arts & crafts sales booths, ethnic food, genealogy, children's activities, entertainment and much more.



Feature Entertainment throughout the day:

Milwaukee Festival Brass

Don't miss out!

# WE NEED YOUR HELP FOR THE SCANDINAVIAN FESTIVAL

Where can you help?

Your help is needed each year at the Scandinavian Festival. We could not share our heritage with Milwaukee's diverse cultural mix and at the same time earn some money for Fosselyngen Lodge and Norway House without your help.

The festival is Saturday, October 8<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM until 6:00 PM and will be held at Ronald Reagan Elementary School in New Berlin, same as last year. The school is located on the west side of Calhoun Road about a block north of W. National Avenue. That area is west of Moorland Road and will be the next stop and go light after Moorland.

There are many areas you could work in. We ask that you work a minimum of 4 hours, but don't feel you have to limit yourself to that amount of time. Many stay longer and some are there all day. The 4 hours entitle you to enter the festival without having to pay the \$8 fee. You may work 4 hours in the same area or spend 2 hours in each of 2 different areas with or without a break between. Think about it and then call Pam at 414-651-4575 or call her at Norway House Thursdays 2:00-6:00 at 414-321-2637. She will match you up with the best place for vou. Your name, area and times will be on a list at the admission table inside the main (front) door. Please check in there when you arrive. The festival depends on your help. This is also a great source of volunteering that goes on the "community" area, not the "fraternal" area of your volunteer hours form. Remember, Sons of Norway International depends on our volunteer hours to maintain its tax-free status. Please remember to park in one of the far lots, not in the area in front of the school. This is for the public to park in. If they cannot find a parking place, they will leave and we will lose their business. The north lower lot behind the school is for vendor parking after they unload their wares and supplies.

YOU ARE THE KEY TO OUR SUCCESS! So, please call Pam after you have put the date on your calendar.

#### **Hey Snow Birds!**

Those of you who move from one place to another as the seasons change are asked to contact Sons of Norway International headquarters **each time you move.** Please call 800-945-8851 to notify them so you continue receiving your *Viking* and other mailings the home office may send out.

Please also notify Pam Steuernagel, 414-651-4575, so you continue to receive the newsletter. This is not necessary if you are already on our Fosselyngen "Snow Bird" list, unless you change your moving dates or address.



# Norsk Butikk Hours

Another season of Torsk dinners begins in September and the Norsk Butikk will be open for business! Here are the dates we will be open:

- Saturday, September 24<sup>th</sup> Torsk
- Saturday, October 8<sup>th</sup> Scandinavian Festival at Ronald Reagan Elementary School
- Saturday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> Torsk
- Saturday, November 12<sup>th</sup> Torsk
- Friday-Sunday, November 18<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> Holiday Folk Fair at the Expo Center at State Fair Park
- Saturday, December 10<sup>th</sup> Torsk

Other times can be arranged; please call Gretchen or Arlette. Please note that we will be closing the store at 7:00 PM at the Torsk dinners, so please plan accordingly and shop before your work shift begins. Also, we accept cash or check only. Thank you. Gretchen Bjork & Arlette Johnson

#### \*\*\*HELP NEEDED\*\*\*

Can you help us pack merchandise to take to Scandinavian Festival and Folk Fair? Can you work in our booth at Scandinavian Festival on Saturday, October 8<sup>th</sup>? Can you help in the Norsk Butikk during Torsks? Can you help at Folk Fair (see above article)? Gretchen and Arlette **need** your help at these events. If you are interested, please contact Gretchen

( <a href="mailto:thebjorks@att.net">thebjorks@att.net</a> or 262-502-9197) or Arlette ( <a href="mailto:aejohnson118@hotmail.com">aejohnson118@hotmail.com</a> or 414-368-3324) for specific details.

# **God Bedring**

We wish the following who have had health issues since the last news letter a speedy recovery:

John Seastrand Armin Engelmann

# **Sympathy**

Fosselyngen Lodge extends its sympathy to the following:



 To the family of Clarence Hense who passed away July 28<sup>th</sup>.



**Please Note:** If you receive a notice or call that a member is sick, in a nursing home or has passed away, call Gertie Mork or Ellie Thoresen so that they can be remembered and other officers notified.

Also, don't forget to notify Heidi Strom when a member of the Lodge passes away, since Heidi must notify the Sons of Norway office in Minneapolis. Many people do not purchase a newspaper and others do not indicate in the obituary that they are a member of Sons of Norway.

# FROM THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Officer Candidates for the 2016 Election at the October 10<sup>th</sup> Social/Cultural Meeting

OFFICE President Youth Director Trustee	(1) 3 yr.	TERM 2017 2017 2017/18/19	CANDIDATE Open Open Ellie Thoresen
NH Board	<ul><li>(2) 3 yr.</li><li>(1) 2 yr.</li><li>(2) 1 yr.</li></ul>	2017/18/19 2017/18/19 2017/18 2017 2017	Dennis Dale Barbara Pelnar Jack Lofte Dean Schmidt Karen Riccobono
NH Bd. Alternates	(4) 1 yr.	2017 2017 2017 2017	Steve Welli Mark Bjorgo Heidi Strom David Engen

# Member Awards to be Distributed at the Monday, October 10<sup>th</sup> Meeting

At the October 12<sup>th</sup> meeting, the following members will be receiving pins awarded for various years of membership. The following pins will be awarded to these members:

5 year

Ellen Marie Simenson

10 year

Joanne B. Anderson Charles P. Chiconas Beverly A. Lee Nancy J. Sierszen Pat J. Sommer Bonnie S. Wunrow Daryl M. Wunrow

15 year

James E. Ander
Mark I. Bjorgo
David E. Engen
Ronald J. Hoff
Nadine E. Golliher
Janice F. Gregoire
Sally D. Soderland
Cari A. Stein
Gjeret D. Stein
Marcy J. P. Trimberger

20 year

Gloria G. Belling Patricia A. Johnson Wayne L. Johnson Gordon R. Knutson Dorothy M. Raasch Linda L. Reed

<u>25 year</u>

Neil P. Nelson

30 year

Karen E. Mole Trygve K. Nordseth William Charles Rantanen John E. Schneble Lila A. Smick

35 year

Joan M. Mueller Barbara Snyder

40 year

Susan Anderson Randolph P. Christianson Dennis E. Landsee Jean M. Moberg Gilman R. Thompson

45 year

Mildred Hetager Shirley L. Mikula Alfred Oasen Gail Oasen Haakon T. Randar Phyllis R. Solberg John D. Thompson

50 year

Gunnar Hole Eleanor M. Thoresen

<u>60 year</u>

Inger Hole

(If you are not able to be at the October 12<sup>th</sup> meeting, call Heidi Strom at 262-716-9118 to make an arrangement to get your pin.)

# New Golden Members (30 Yrs of Membership Plus at Least 65 Yrs Old)

Karen E. Mole\*
Trygve K. Nordseth
William Charles Rantanen
John E. Schneble\*
Lila A. Smick

\*The effective date is close to the meeting date. We will send out the awards as soon as we receive them from the head office.



At the October 10<sup>th</sup> meeting, we will introduce the following new members at our Welcoming Ceremony:

> Annemarie Adsen Eric G. Adsen Beth Ann Jaeger Todd W. Krohn Mary Ellen O'Sullivan Melanie Rose Woellert

Also, any other new member who has not yet been at a Welcoming Ceremony can attend and be greeted by the Lodge.

#### MESSAGE FROM JACK LOFTE

Hilsen fra Jack Lofte,

The Norway House continues its Building (equipment) Funds campaign and requests donations from Lodge Members, friends, and supporters.

The funds shortfall needs were reported on Page 4 of the May/June 2016 issue of *Runespeak*.

This period (since the July/August *Runespeak*), we are pleased to acknowledge and say "Tusen Takk" to new support from the following members:

- Mark Bjorgo
- Ardell (Art) Brynildson family
- Gertie Mork
- Norman and Joan Sande
- And 2 members who wish to remain anonymous

Consider what your Lodge means to you and the Norwegian community.

Please join your Lodge members and friends of NH and add you contribution.

Send or bring a contribution to:

Norway House Lodge 5-082 7507 W. Oklahoma, Ave., Milwaukee, WI 53219-2861

ATTN: Jack Lofte, NH Board Term '15-'16

# TUBFRIM PRESENTATION AT AUGUST 8<sup>TH</sup> MEETING



DARLENE ARNESON FROM MANDT LODGE GAVE US A VERY INFORMATIVE PRESENTATION ABOUT TUBFRIM AT OUR AUGUST SOCIAL/CULTURAL MEETING. (DARLENE IS THE SECRETARY OF THE 5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT OF SONS OF NORWAY.)

SHE GAVE US HANDOUTS WITH THE INFORMATION SHOWN IN THE BOX TO THE RIGHT.

1/4 INCH TO 1/2 INCH BORDER

STAMP

TRIM STAMPS SO THAT YOU HAVE
AT LEAST 1/4 INCH BUT NOT MORE
THAN 1/2 INCH AROUND EVERY
EDGE OF STAMP

FIGURE 1

#### TUBFRIM HISTORY AND INFORMATION

Postmaster Ditlef Frantzen in Nesbyen, Norway established TUBFRIM in 1928. The aim was to collect and sell used stamps and use the proceeds to aid the eradication of tuberculosis among Norwegian children. The first profit was made in 1929 and amounted to NOK 1.500. Profits varied in the following years from NOK 8.000 in 1940 to NOK 25.000 in 1947. TUBFRIM has made good progress since from, and profits in 1970 were NOK 150.000, growing to NOK 650.000 in 2009.

TUBFRIM is owned by the Norwegian Health Association (Nasjonalforeningen for folkehelsen). Today the profits are used to help handicapped children and youth in Norway, and to finance the efforts to eradicate tuberculosis.

Used postage stamps and telephone cards are not to be thrown in the waste basket, but should be sent to: **Give to Sons of Norway members/lodges.** 

# How to help us:

Please, never throwaway canceled stamps and phone cards. Stamps and phone cards from any country in the world can be used.

Just cut or tear the stamps off the envelopes, leaving a slight margin (approx. 1/4 to 1/2 inch) to keep the perforation intact. (See Figure 1 in bottom left corner of this page.)

Damaged stamps (damaged perforation, edges etc.) are worthless and are to be thrown away. (Damaged phone cards are also to be thrown away.)

We are also happy to receive stamp collections, old envelopes, covers and postcards. If envelopes, postcards etc. are more than 50 years old, then please do not cut off the stamp, but send us the whole envelope/postcard!

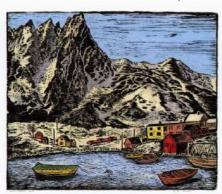
Mary Bennett is the District 5 Coordinator for Tubfrim. Contact her at 608-837-8335 or mjbenn4@gmail.com

Visit <u>www.tubfrim.no</u> and click on "English" to learn more!

# New for 2016

# **Lofoten Village Christmas & Note Cards**

are available for immediate shipment!



Madison artist Olive Nordby (1915-2014) was a long-time patron and good friend to the Norwegian American Genealogical Center and Naeseth Library. Over the years, she donated the proceeds from the sale of her art to benefit NAGC. We are delighted and grateful that her family continues to allow us to use Olive's art for our annual Christmas and Note Cards fundraiser.

Olive wrote about her inspiration for **Lofoten Village**: I think about how the beautiful mountains got there, from the glaciers that dug out those areas; what marvelous things they created.

Horizontal format: 5"x7"

 with greeting inside in both Norwegian and English: God jul og godt nyttår / Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

or

2) as a blank note card

20 cards with 20 envelopes per pack

Member price: \$25.00/pack Non-Member price: \$30.00/pack

S&H will be added to order: 1-2 packs=\$8.00; 3 or more packs=\$15.00

packs=\$15.00

You can order via our EStore at www.nagcnl.org, call us (608-255-2224) or send a check to NAGC, 415 W. Main Street, Madison WI 53703-3116



# FOSSELYNGEN LODGE #5-82 DELEGATES AT 2016 DISTRICT 5 CONVENTION

(L-R) Ellie Thoresen, Sue Berg Roedel, Ron Hurst, Evonne Hurst and Susan Van Lith

Ole and Sven were out fishing in Ole's boat one Saturday when Sven noticed his feet were getting wet. "You better fix dis boat, Ole, or ve'll be svimming to shore." The next weekend they were out again and the boat sank in just a couple of minutes. "I told you to fix dat boat Ole," said Sven as they started swimming. "I did." said Ole. "I drilled some holes in da bottom so all da vater could yust drain out."

(As seen in Budstikken newsletter)

#### THANK YOU NOTES FOR MASSE MORO SCHOLARSHIPS

Dear Fosselyngen Lodge,

Thank you for the scholarship to go to Masse Moro. During camp, I got to woodburn and rosemal a canvas bag. I had a great time during my fourth year at camp, made new friends, and I can't wait to go back next year.

Abby "Heidi" Bjork

Dear Fosselyngen Lodge Members,

Mange tusen takk for the scholarship this year. This was my 6<sup>th</sup> year and I get something more out of camp each year. Sometimes I meet new friends, learn more grammar in språktime, try a new interestegruppe, or win an event in the Viking Olympics.

My favorite parts of camp are the new Kveldsprograms, seeing all my friends again and learning new things about the culture of Norway. I'm already looking forward to next year, even though it will be my last year as a camper! Thanks again for helping me go to Masse Moro.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth "Annika" Bjork

When searching the internet, use

#### www.freelanthropy.com

and designate Fosselyngen Lodge #82. For each search done, the Lodge earns money.

#### www.sonsofnorwayblog.blogspot.com

Designed to provide up-to-date commentary or news on issues related to Norway and Sons of Norway.

#### **NEWSLETTER MAILING STAFF**

John & Ann Seastrand, Helen Davison, Darla Thingvold, Gertie Mork and Pam Steuernagel Thanks for helping with the July/August issue.



# TUBFRIM



Save used stamps and expired or used phone cards for Tubfrim to help disabled children and youth in Norway. Trim stamps so that you have at least at least 1/4 inch but not more than 1/2 inch around the edge of stamp. (See Tubfrim article on Page 7 of this issue of Runespeak.) There is a place in the office for the stamps. Tusen Takk!

#### **NEW 2016 MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY**

The new Fosselyngen 2016 Membership Directory is available at Norway House. Please pick-up a copy for yourself when you come to Norway House for a Lodge meeting, or for Torsk, or anytime during Norway House office hours on Mondays from 10 AM to 2 PM or on Thursdays from 2 PM to 6 PM.

(If you are unable to get to Norway House, you can call Norway House at 414-321-2637 during the Monday or Thursday office hours to request that a copy be mailed to you.)

Please inform Pam Steuernagel of any changes in your postal address, email address, or telephone number for future directory updates.

Please note that Pam now <u>only has a cell phone</u> number (414-651-4575) since her old land line phone (with the 262 area code) is discontinued.

Please cross out Pam's obsolete land line phone number (with the 262 area code) near the bottom of Page 1 of your copy of the Membership Directory.

# RECYCLING \*\*\* DOES PAY PLEASE Save Your Aluminum Cans For Norway House

The end of summer is quickly approaching – are your aluminum cans piling up from all the warm weather activities? Norway House is looking for more cans to recycle. The donations have been few and far between this year. Please remember to bring them to the Lodge the next time you will be there. It's great if they are crushed, but we will take them also if they are not. Do please try to have them dry though. They make quite a mess on the floor if leaking bags are brought in. Thanks for your help with this.

# Have You Had a Financial Checkup Lately?

If not, contact your field staff representative, Greg Ragan, to set up an appointment to discuss your financial needs at no cost to you. This is a benefit of membership.

Greg Ragan, Sons of Norway Fraternal Benefits Counselor, Insurance & Investments 1-800-442-4146

# **Rosemaling Class**

If you have any questions, please contact Karen Sanderson at (262) 679-1377.

# NORWAY HOUSE TORSK SUPPER DATES FOR THE 2016/2017 SEASON

2016 Sept. 24<sup>th</sup>, Oct. 22<sup>nd</sup>, Nov. 12<sup>th</sup>, Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> 2017 Jan. 28<sup>th</sup>, Feb. 25<sup>th</sup>, Mar. 25<sup>th</sup>, Apr. 22<sup>nd</sup>

Adults: \$13.00 (\$12.25 plus \$.75 tax) Children age 4-11: \$5.00 (\$4.72 plus \$.28 tax)

Dear Members,

If you would like your newsletter emailed to you, please email me at <a href="mailto:csljohn@att.net">csljohn@att.net</a>. If you would like both an email copy and a hard copy let me know.

John Schneble, Editor

**Please note:** If you have any questions about this mailing, address changes or newsletter subscription, please contact Pam Steuernagel at or 414-651-4575.

**Notice:** All articles & information for the November/December 2016 newsletter are <u>due by October 15<sup>th</sup></u>. Email articles to the editor, John Schneble, <u>csljohn@att.net</u> or mail to: 1024 North 121<sup>st</sup> Street, Wauwatosa, WI 53226. The editor reserves the right to edit all articles.



# Fosselyngen Lodge No. 82 Sons of Norway

6940 Sandy Lane Waterford, WI 53185-1850

Address Service Requested

NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION U.S. POSTAGE **PAID** MILWAUKEE, WI PERMIT NO. 2420

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Monthly meetings vary. Please see page one for dates and time. Our location: Norway House 7507 W. Oklahoma Avenue 414-321-2637 \* SE Corner next to AMF Bowling Lanes Web site: <a href="https://www.norwayhouse-milw.org">www.norwayhouse-milw.org</a>

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