

Friendly Fifth Friday News October 26, 2018

In an attempt to help our lodge leaders become more familiar with resources, changes, deadlines and other information, I will compile a weekly "Friendly Fifth Friday News" email to our leadership. Some of the information you might already have, but hopefully it will be a good reminder for all of us (me included) of all the great resources that Sons of Norway has to offer. **Please feel free to cut and paste any of this information for your lodge's use!**

Send all web posting info to inputd5@sonsofnorway5.com

Lutefisk dinner season ahead and the calls are coming!



If your lodge has a lutefisk dinner or there are ones in your area, please send me the information so we can share it.

I need the: name, date, time, street address, price, phone number of who to call, and if they need reservations.

I do NOT want all the other event flyers for other types of events and dinners. Please post that on the District calendar. I just have time to do the lutefisk dinners! We'll post them on our Facebook page, District calendar, and in this document! **Send me the info in a paragraph form (see below) and all flyers to inputd5@sonsofnorway5.com**

Please see the attachment for the updated dinner list!

District 5 Board meeting follow-up!

Last week at the District 5 Board meeting, we approved the District Lodge Meeting minutes, approved the updated bylaws (making sure I got all the changes from the minutes edited correctly), and went over a number of items. I'm just verifying what was done and will start sending that to our webmaster. Those who served as delegates in LaCrosse will get a copy of the minutes. I'm also working on inserting our District events into the calendar that the International sent out!

Viking Chest Rotation – now is in Zone 1

- The rotation will begin again with this rotation.
- The zone directors are responsible for keeping track of the whereabouts and letting their lodges know that the chest is in their zone for that time period.
- The chest should be brought back to the District Board Meeting to be given to the next zone.

Time period	Zone with chest
October 2018-April 2019	1
April 2019-October 2019	3

Before you send in or submit your officer election form for 2019, please have your officers confirm that their information is correct!

Download your membership list, sort for your officers and bring it to your officer meeting and make sure that addresses, phones and emails are correct! Then when you update your D63 form, all is correct!

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL https://members.sofn.com/ap1/memberProfile/show?_ga=2.50887009.991434387.1540549486-118881605.1467286262. The page header includes the Sons of Norway logo and navigation links: Convention, Donate, FBC Resources, E-Post Signup, Events, Profile, and MEMBER RESOURCES. A secondary navigation bar contains: About Us, Financial Products, Member Benefits, Norwegian Culture, Foundation, and Blog. The main content area is titled 'Member Profile' and includes a welcome message, the name 'Darlene L Arneson', and a search bar. A text box with a black border and white background contains the following text: 'This is the Member Profile where they can change the information. Or they can email fraternal@sofn.com and ask Sherry Gorse to change it!'. At the bottom of the page, there are buttons for 'ADD A FAMILY MEMBER' and 'RENEW'. The Windows taskbar at the bottom shows the time as 5:30 AM on 10/26/2018.

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Zone Alignment

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Sandy Olson
Kathy Secora

District 5 Lodge Assignments 2018-2020

Updated: October 11, 2018

Zone 1	
Sandy Olson Loven 29 Trygvason 220 Nordlandet 620 Viking 625	Audrey Severson Valkyrien 53 Dovre 353 Ulseth 670
Zone 2	
Karen Broadhead Wergeland 28 Jotunheimen 286 Solvang 457 Fossen 534 Fagernes 616	Tom Boudreau Rib Fjell 496 Elvedal 556 Norskeland 580 Myrmarken 609 Vennligfolk 627
Zone 3	
Karen Eberhardt Idun 74 Vakkertland 570 Norsemen of the Lakes 650 Nordland 544	Cheryl Wille-Schlesser Mandt 314 Vennelag 513 Ostestaden 642
Zone 4	
Geraldine Lachman Fosselyngen 82 Nordlyset 183 Hafrsfjord 206	Peggy Schroeder H R Holand 549 Gronnvik 632 Norse Valley 491
Zone 5	
Connie Kross Valhall 168 Polar Star 472 Cleng Peerson 525 Shawnee Skogen 689	Kathy Secora Skjold 100 Trollhaugen 417 Elvesund 593
Zone 6	
Andrew Johnsen Nordkap 378 Samhold 473 Sonja Henie 490 Sognefjord 523 Christian Radich 568 Scandiana 600 Askeladden 610	Deloris Bumpers Circle City 614 Edvard Grieg 657 Arctic Circle 662 Vikings of the Smokies 677 Music City Vikings 681

The board will be filling out this form when they visit your lodge and report back to President Johnsen

DISTRICT FIVE- LODGE VISITATION REPORT 2018-2020

Director Name _____ Zone _____ Date of Report: _____

Lodge Visited _____ Lodge No. _____ Date of Visit _____

Number of members present at the meeting ____

What flags were displayed? _____

What country's national anthems were sung? _____

Was there a program? ____

If there was a program what was the program? _____

Was a meal served? ____

Was the Norwegian table prayer sung or read before the meal? ____

Check which programs or activities were discussed during the meeting:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Cultural medals | <input type="checkbox"/> Sports medals | <input type="checkbox"/> Foundation | <input type="checkbox"/> Benefit Products |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Children's activities | <input type="checkbox"/> Language classes | <input type="checkbox"/> Membership report given | <input type="checkbox"/> Baking |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Publicity | <input type="checkbox"/> Newsletters and member correspondence | <input type="checkbox"/> Social events | <input type="checkbox"/> Programs |
| <input type="checkbox"/> District Activities | <input type="checkbox"/> Cultural skill classes | <input type="checkbox"/> Trips | <input type="checkbox"/> Lodge website |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Comments about the Meeting:

Signed: _____
District Zone Officer

Date: _____

Zone Meeting Schedule 2019

Zone	Date	Hosted by	Location
1			
2			
3	Sat, Feb. 16	Idun	Madison
4			
5			
6			

Note:

- Check correspondence from the International and District and the International (www.sofn.com) and District (www.sonsofnorway5.com) websites for any updates and changes.
- Additional deadlines for the District 5 and International Conventions/Lodge Meetings will be added as those dates are established. Watch for future mailings and the District 5 website.
- The District 5 Convention will be June 27-June 30, 2018 at Hotel Radisson in La Crosse, Wisconsin.
- The International Sons of Norway Convention will be August 16-18 in Minneapolis, MN.

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