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#### Circle City Lodge 5-614 ~ Carmel, Indiana Sons of Norway

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NEXT MEETING: SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2019 ~ "IMMIGRANTS TRUNKS" INDY INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL: NOVEMBER 7-8-9 AT STATE FAIRGROUNDS JULEFEST AT KING OF GLORY CHURCH, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14 AT NOON

#### Fra Presidenten ~ A letter from our President, Nancy Andersen

First of all I apologize for not ensuring a newsletter is getting sent out. Jean Tygum has graciously offered to try and get us back on track. We have had several interesting meetings lately, I'm just sorry that our attendance has been so low. <u>September's meeting we held a Murder Mystery dinner</u>. I think everyone that participated had fun, cast and audience alike.

<u>For the October meeting we had cultural skills</u>. I want to thank Jerry Rud for instructing on chip carving and providing a great display of various chip carved items. *Tusen takk* to Alma Lathrop for providing beginning instruction on Rosemaling. People were able to try their hand at painting basic scrolls.

<u>The Rosemaling group is now meeting every Monday</u> at the Sullivan Munce Cultural Center, 225 W. Hawthorne Street, Zionsville IN 46077 from 10 to noon. After the time change the start time will change to 9:30am. Please contact Alma Lathrop if you have any questions.

Our next meeting will be held Saturday, November 9 at noon at King of Glory Lutheran Church. Our topic will be "Immigrants Trunks." We are asking members to bring items that they, their parents or grandparents brought from Norway when they immigrated. Please plan on preparing a short description and history of the items to share with the group. Let us know what makes this item so special to you and your family. It's always interesting to see what people bring to share. We will be having a pitch-in dinner.

<u>It is time to elect officers for next year and we are accepting nominations!</u> So far the ballot looks like this. Please contact myself or Stan Pederson if you have a nomination for any of the offices or are interested in an office yourself.

President:	Nancy Andersen	
Vice Preside	nt: Stan Pederson	

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Secretary / Membership Secretary: Jerry Rud	
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The highlighted roles currently do not have anyone running for the office.

The International Festival will be held November 7, 8, and 9 at the Indiana State Fairgrounds. The theme this year is Food and Games Around the World. Set-up for our booth will be November 6. We will feature the Mork family, who recently moved to Norway, for our picture display of sports and food. Rob has been posting the most interesting pictures of their time in Norway. I'm quite envious. We will also be setting up a modified *Kubb* game for participants to play. The hours will be:

#### November 7, 8, 9

Special School Hor	<u>urs:</u>	<u>General Publ</u>	<u>ic Hours:</u>
Thursday Nov 7	9am 2pm	Thursday Nov 7	2pm – 9pm
Friday Nov 8	9am – 2pm	Friday Nov 8	2pm – 9pm
		Saturday Nov 9	9am – 9pm

I will be sending out sign-up sheets electronically for volunteers to man the booth.

<u>Our next big event will be Julefest on Saturday, December 14.</u> Please mark your calendars for all of these interesting events.

Takk, Nancy Andersen



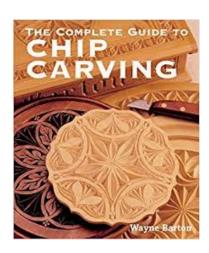
HOW TO PACK A NORWEGIAN LUNCH, THE WORLD'S MOST BORING LUNCH ... *Matpakke* - because not having to make any decisions about what to pack for lunch gives you the mental clarity to concentrate on more important things. Posted on Facebook from Stavanger, Norway, by Rob Mork, on October 15, 2019 at 8:24 AM.



Freshly purchased from a fishing boat in the Stavanger harbor, Oct. 17, 2019 – Rob & Jill Mork's daughter ... Posted on Facebook

## AT OUR OCTOBER 12, 2019 SAMMENKOMST ... CULTURAL SKILLS DEMONSTRATION ... CHIP CARVING

... Expert chip carver Jerry Rud and new student Karen Nelson—she got the hang of it in no time!



Right: Karen Nelson learning from the master, John Gundersen, who is a Vesterheim Gold Medalist. John's chip carved trunk (carved entirely with an X-acto knife) is on display in the Vesterheim Museum in Decorah, Iowa.







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#### **CULTURAL SKILLS DEMONSTRATION, OCTOBER 12 – ROSEMALING**



L-R: Nancy Andersen, Kathy Krueger, James & Kari Kuster. Not pictured: Alma Lathrop. The rosemaling group meets Mondays at 10 AM in Zionsville. If you are interested, contact Alma Lathrop or Nancy Andersen.







AUTUMN COLORS IN NORWAY
Posted 18 October 2018 on *Newsner*Norge website. (See the little house?
Lucky to live there!)





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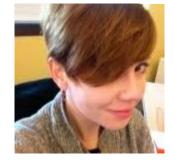
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MANGE TUSEN TAKK TO LINDSAY HADLEY ~ FOR ALL THE WONDERFUL NEWSLETTERS YOU CREATED FOR OUR LODGE ~ BEAUTIFUL LURENS! A JOY TO SEE AND READ! SPLENDID!











LOVE, HUGS AND ALL THE BEST TO LINDSAY, TIM & MILO FROM YOUR FRIENDS IN CIRCLE CITY LODGE 5-614-CARMEL





<u>Members: Send thank-you emails</u> to Lindsay Hadley at: lindsayhadley23@mac.com

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# Julefest

# Julefest Reservation Form (Saturday) December 14, 2019 at 12 noon King of Glory Lutheran Church 2201 East 106<sup>th</sup> St., Carmel, IN 46032 (Please respond by December 9)

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We are looking forward to coming to the Julefest on Saturday (Dec. 14). Our check payable to **Circle City Lodge**, is enclosed.

Adults - 16 years and older		#	@ \$17.00 =		
Children	12-15 years old	#	@ \$8.00 =		
Children	11 years and younger*	#	@ No charge		
			Total		
Please mail this reservation form and payment to:					
	Burton Bittner				
7117 Lantern Road					
Indianapolis, IN 46256-2113					
	(317/842-4042)				
Printed N	ames				
* Number	of children seeing Santa	_			

