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Kjære venner;

It's picnic time for Myrmarken Lodge!

Date: Saturday, June 15th

Place: Backyard of Anne Grethe Cook
1219 E. 14th St., Marshfield

Time: 1:00pm

What to bring: a dish to pass, but more importantly, bring yourself

We're looking forward to seeing you all there to enjoy each other's company, discuss anything that's even slightly Norwegian, and make any further plans regarding our anniversary dinner and the Lutefisk Supper.

If you are available and would like to help Anne Grethe with set-up, come at noon. Bring a friend - *HUSKER DU?* - Do you remember?

All are welcome!

Sherrie, editor

Fun Fact

Kirkenes is farther east than all of Finland. In fact, the small Arctic town is as far east as Cairo.

It's only 9 miles from the Russian border, and you'll see bilingual street signs. English is very much a third language in this small town.

The mission of Sons of Norway is to promote and preserve the heritage and culture of Norway and to provide quality insurance and financial products to its members.



GRATULERER MED AGEN !

Shannon Tollefson - 7th
Jean Beaver - 20th
Dorothy Berg - 22nd

Erik Tollefson - 12th
Tom Stram - 21st

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Membership Benefit – Life Insurance

Have you ever typed "affordable life insurance" into your browser, only to find yourself drowning in information overload? The sheer volume seems insurmountable and overwhelming.

As a Sons of Norway member, you don't have to navigate this maze alone. Membership comes with the invaluable benefit of access to a dedicated Insurance Professional. They can help you decipher the complexities of financial options and find a solution tailored to your needs and those of your family.

Don't waste precious time sifting through endless search results on Google. Instead, take advantage of this membership perk and call us to get in touch with a professional in your area. Find an agent near you at www.sofn.com in the Financial Products section.

New Krone Design Revealed

Norway's 20 krone coin has gotten a new look! To commemorate the 750 years since King Magnus VI proclaimed the third nationwide legal code in 1274, a call went out for design submissions.



The winner of that competition was Michael Guilfoyle, an already established coin designer who runs his own coin and metal trade business in Wales. The 60-year-old Welshman was tipped off by a Norwegian friend about the contest and made his submission despite some stiff competition from Norwegian competitors.

Guilfoyle's design for the krone ultimately won out because of the way it linked the Middle Ages to the present and symbolizes the "legislation's significance for the country." The coin features an image of King Magnus on horseback, carrying the scales of justice and a shield, to represent the Law of the Land, or landsloven.

The new coin was revealed at the museum of Cultural History in Oslo, with Michael and his wife in attendance. It went into circulation February 1 of this year.