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Myrmarken Lodge 5-609
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Kjære venner;

It's that time of year again - the time to celebrate Myrmarken Lodge's 36th anniversary. We are celebrating with lunch at the Sunrise Café on Saturday, October 19th, Noon. They will have a special place set aside just for us. Bring with you an idea for a program for our 2025 calendar.

Take note also of our Lutefisk Supper poster on page 2 of this newsletter. Make as many copies as you wish to send to your friends and family via your email address book, snail mail, or by word of mouth. The information will be in the Hub City Times, too, but not in our usual spot as the election and referendums have been prioritized over us. So your personal advertising will be very important.

Looking forward to seeing you on Saturday the 19th at noon!
Sherrie, Editor



Fun Fact

Longyearbyen is the world's northernmost town, on Spitsbergen island. It's inhabited by approximately 2,000 residents from 50 countries.

No Cats Allowed

Cats have been banned on Svalbard since 1992 in order to protect the artic bird and wildlife population.

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.

Together We Are the Future Campaign

The Sons of Norway Foundation will hold the **Together We Are the Future** fundraising campaign October 1 – January 15 again this year. Though many of our grants, scholarships and camperships come from endowed funds, we do rely on support from our community. Please consider making a plan to participate with your fellow members, lodges, districts and communities by making a meaningful gift. Tusen takk!

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SONS of NORWAY



Lutefisk Supper

**Tuesday, November 12, 2024
6:00 p.m.**

at Eagles Club

1104 South Oak Avenue • Marshfield

\$22.00 Per Person

Menu Includes:

**Lutefisk, Lefse, Authentic Swedish Meatballs,
Potatoes, Salad, Rutabagas**

Reservations ONLY by
Monday, November 4, 2024
CALL 715-305-9699 or 715-207-0550



Sons of Norway Membership Benefits you should try!

There are many membership benefits that most of us either aren't aware of, don't take advantage of, or don't know where to find them. A video that opens up so many resources for members can be viewed at <https://youtu.be/4q-7Mxuuv5Q?si=BNgdhKdiv2V687DT>

#13-Christmas Traditions- Sons of Norway has created guides to help you get in touch with your Norwegian heritage. We believe the history of a nation and the nature of its culture are best described through the stories of its people. Learn more about Norway's captivating Christmas customs with this 16-page guide, exclusively for members.

This is a large, interactive pdf file, it may take a while to download depending on your internet service.

<https://www.sofn.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/09/Christmas-Traditions-2021-Web.pdf>



Grants and Scholarships

Applications will open October 1 for both Sons of Norway Foundation grants and scholarships. This is a great time for your lodge to think about potential projects and for the students to think about paying those tuition bills! Deadline for grants remains 12/31. Deadlines for scholarships vary, so please check the description for each fund, but they are generally early 2025. The applications do take some time to complete, so be sure to allow ample time. Grants are issued spring 2025 and scholarships are issued summer 2025 for the 2025-26 academic year. Questions can be directed to foundation@sofn.com.

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Wondering who to reach out to with your questions?

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Domestic Scholarships

Astrid G. Cates Vocational School Scholarship

Bernt Anker Scholarship

Dan and Betty Rude Scholarship

District 4 Scholarship

District 6 Scholarship

Elaine Nelson Scholarship

King Olav V Norwegian-American Heritage Scholarship

Myrtle Beinhauer Scholarship

Nancy Lorraine Jensen Memorial Scholarship

Nordkap Lodge 3-215 Scholarship

Orel & Marie Winjum Memorial Scholarship

The Sissel and Roger Espeland Memorial Scholarship

International Scholarships

Douglas Warne – Rolf & Wenche Eng Scholarship

Helen Tronvold Norwegian Folk High School Scholarship

Lund Fund Scholarship

Oslo International Summer School Scholarship

Please contact foundation@sofn.com with any questions or for more information.

We'd love to hear from you!

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