Happy Days Are Here Again!! Summer is here! It was a long wait and very well worth it... now here is your summer edition; three months of exciting, fun, enjoyment that you and yours will treasure is in this your Sons of Norway Bothell Lodge Newsletter, The Nyheter; courtesy of many contributors and talented Editor Janet Hickok. Thank you, Janet and Team!

May was a very memorable month starting with the May 4th Garage Sale of Garage Sales led by Selma Snaring for our Lodge Kitchen Update (to donate $, call 425 530 9738); fun Classes; delicious Potluck; Ballard Syttende Mai Parade with our float, Troll and very lovely Queen and Princess; great moments, great memories. At the Lodge meeting, Sir Bill Fosmoe was knighted by the King and Queen for his many years of TREMENDOUS Service as Lodge Treasurer, District Treasure, President and International Director and Treasurer; Sir Bill did an AWESOME job keeping us financially secure and sound.

Now we look forward to the blue sunny and warm Bothell skies for many summer events. Please mark these on your calendar so you do not miss them! July 20: Trollhaugen in the Cascades is your home away from home with a marvelous BBQ and Horseshoe Competition plus other games of skill. Golfing, hitting balls at the driving range. June 20th and August 22nd are our Lodge meetings with more GRAND food and activities like crowning our New King and Queen in June; the August 22nd BBQ and Car show is one of my favorite events of the year. And on the 4th of July, join us for the Bothell Parade: this is your chance of a lifetime: be in a parade and ride in a Viking float!!!!!!! Celebrate summer on June 30, 11 – 6PM enjoy this Midsommarfest at St. Edward State Park in Kenmore; lots of wonderful Scandinavian music, dancing, food, Bunads and memories to take away with you.....

So many things to see and do as a Member of Sons of Norway... This summer as you travel about, take a road trip: Go see the area, look on the internet for what lodges are doing. Have your family/friends join us, all are welcome! If you need to plan for Financial security, please call Mike Dyal at 206 446 2222.

Very Best wishes to all. Be Safe, Be Sane, Be Back with us at your Lodge on August 15th,
President Bob

SONS OF NORWAY YOUTH CAMPS
Camp Trollhaugen (ages 13-15) Easton, WA June 30 - July 13, 2019
Camp Nidaros (ages 9-12) Gearhart, OR July 14-27, 2019
Camp Normanna (ages 9-12) Lake Riley, WA July 28 - August 10, 2019

Youth camp applications cannot be postmarked before February 14th, 2019
Youth camp scholarships forms are available at www.bothellsonsofnorway, under Scholarship Application Forms.
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Please submit your article via email only. (No phone or verbal submissions) to: editor@bothellsonsofnorway.org THANK YOU.

Bothell Sons of Norway Membership Information

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Membership forms are available by the Bothell Lodge front door. Completed applications should be given to the Lodge Vice-President or Financial Secretary for review by the Board and acceptance vote by Lodge Members.
Kulturelt Hjørne (Culture Corner)

Hei min venner,

Ralph Federspiel is looking to start a music class including singing, play an instrument and listening to music. Please contact him if you are interested in being in the class. His number is 425-444-9080.

There are no classes currently planned during the summer. Have a great time and think about what kind of classes you would like to see this fall.

I will be researching several online Norwegian language classes that we can do at the lodge. Hopefully this fall we can start something up.

The Sons of Norway offers the following Cultural Skills badges:

- Traditional Norwegian Cooking
- Collecting Norwegian and North American Stamps
- Genealogy - Family History
- Norwegian Language and Culture
- Figure Carving
- Ornamental Woodcarving
- Folk Dancing
- Literature
- Norwegian Rosemaling
- Knitting
- Hardanger Embroidery
- Weaving
- Chip Carving
- Music and Musicians of Norway

If you want to try one of these out, let me know. If I can’t teach you, I will find someone who can.

Seth Tufteland
Cultural Director
sofnseth@yahoo.com

TRUSTEE CORNER

I would like to thank, Mike Nelson for doing the Trustee duties for the month May 2019.

The Trustee of the month is to check the Lodge inside and out, at least once a week during the month. He or she can check the Lodge at their convenience for possible problem’s, water leaks, doors or windows left open, trees or branch’s down, if the heat has been turned down and all lights have been turned off.

The Trustee’s for the month of June 2019 will be Chris Hicks.

Thank You
Mike Nelson, Lead Trustee

Want to see your Nyheter in color? Go to http://www.bothellsonsofnorway.org and click on Newsletter.
Youth

The lodge meeting on June 20th will be hosted by the Youth. It is a hamburger and hot dog dinner and it will be the last meeting before the summer. Be sure to come out with the kids.

Mark your calendars: November 16th from 8-12n. Our last Viking Toast Breakfast of the year. This breakfast is intended to raise funds for the youth camp scholarship fund. More details to come

Social

Busy Month of May.

Lodge meeting on May 16 was a Potluck, lots of wonderful dishes to enjoy. Thank you to Laurie Beach and Laurie Berg for heading this up and to everyone who brought dishes to share. There were two college scholarships and five camp scholarships that were handed out that night. Great to see the kids involved. Congratulations to all.

The 17th of May parade in Ballard is always a fun time. The weather threatened to rain but we called it’s bluff. Bothell was well represented with Vikings, a Troll, a King and a Queen just to name a few. This year we had our retiring princess Crystal Kimball and our returning princess Diana Hicks to represent Bothell. HIP HIP HURRA for Syttende Mai

June and summer events.

General Meeting June 20. Youth will be putting this dinner on. "Calling all Youth" BBQ hot dogs and Hamburgers are on the menu. Please contact Martha Berg if you can help with this supper.

6:00 Social. 6:30 Dinner. 7:30 Program with short business meeting.

No regular meeting in July. Here are the events for July and Aug.

Fourth of July parade in Bothell. Meet at the lodge at 10 A.M.

July 14 Borderfest at Peace Arch Park. Crowning of the princess, yard games and a pot luck.

July 20 Trollhaugen Steak Fry with Horseshoe tournament.

Aug 17 District 2 Golf Tournament in Leavenworth WA

Aug 22 Is the annual Classic car show and BBQ. The Lodge will provide grilled steaks and Chicken. Members bring a pot luck side dish and dessert to share. (Notice the change in date)

Watch for your September newsletter for all the upcoming fall events.

Enjoy your summer and stay safe.

Did you know.....?

- Bringing your own tableware (plates/silverware) when we have potlucks really helps to cut down on costs and extra clean up so no one has to stay late after the meeting to wash dishes! Nice.

- The best way to get to know your fellow members at the Lodge is to be here. Take a class, volunteer, join a group. Don’t wait to be asked, we can always use more help....sign up, show up, get involved!
Bothell Lodge goes to the Ballgame

We had a lot of fun last year so we are doing it again. Join us on Saturday July 13th for a fun BBQ followed by an Everett Aquasox baseball game and fireworks show. BBQ starts at 5:30pm; game at 7pm. Please contact me for questions. Please RSVP to me by June 13th. Payment is required to reserve your spot.

Seth Tufteland
sofnseth@yahoo.com

BOTHELL SONS OF NORWAY LODGE BBQ/POTLUCK AND CAR SHOW

August 22, 2019 at 5:30 PM, Classic Car Show - It’s that time again to get your classic car running and in showmanship condition. This show is open to members and acquaintances. Let’s top the success of last year’s many entries. This is a BBQ and POTLUCK for a fun evening for all. The Lodge provides the steak and chicken, so please bring a side dish or dessert. Cars should be there at 5:30 PM for parking at the Lodge SE grass parking area.

Bothell Sons of Norway, 23905 Bothell-Everett Highway, Bothell, WA 98041, website: www.bothellsonsofnorway.org
Gary Ramstad, Car Show Meet Coordinator, for this event at email: ramsifp@hotmail.com and 206-365-6913.
From the Board

- Set out recycle containers for pick up.
- Updated the phone message
- Filled in some Pot Holes.
- Swept the south front drive of loose gravel.
- Planted 6 Geranium’s donated by Janet Hickok.
- Set up our makeshift sprinkler systems used to water the back yard and some shrubs.
- Pulled the Float out and inspected it, to make sure it is ready for Parades.
- Disconnected the Electric outlets on each side of the stoves. Do to the Fire Suppression System we had to install. There can’t be any electoral bellow the Hood area. The small Gas Range burners now have to be lit with a match and the oven will no longer work. Until we can afford to buy a gas stove with a pilot lite, that will be what we have to do.
- Cleaned out all the winter gunk that had been blown up against the fence to the north.
- Trimmed some of the branch’s that were hanging over the front sidewalk by the street.

Raffle Door Prizes for the May Meeting:

$65.00 was collected and $33.00 was given to the Ray Berg Scholarship Fund

1. $15.00 - Myrna Ramstad
2. $10.00 - Molly Thompson
3. $ 7.00 - Jay Aarndston

Correction: Winner for the 2nd place raffle drawing for April was Susan Zador. Kay Schertzl was holding her ticket.

The Membership Drawing was for $5.00

There was no winner. The names drawn were Adam Resch Jr., Sandra Knafla and Mary Jessen.

The drawing for June will be for $10.00. You must be present to win.

SAVE YOUR CANCELED STAMPS

Cut around the canceled stamps, leaving 1/2” around the stamps, so as not to damage the perforations, and bring them to the lodge. This is an ongoing project and Tubfrim appreciates your contributions.

If you have any questions, or would like more information, please call Nancy or Lenus at 206-632-1605.
LIBRARY CORNER

We have another wonderful donation to our Library thanks to Bill Hicks. The book is *Paddle Pilgrim, Kayaking the Fjords of Norway* by David Ellingson. David Ellingson is a Lutheran Pastor whose hobby is kayaking major rivers, making movies of his journeys, and writing books about each trip. He is a wonderful speaker, and if you ever have an opportunity to hear one of his presentations, you will have an enjoyable time. He kayaked with friends in the region in Norway where his family came from. His book has lots of great pictures, is easy to read, and contains great insights into the areas he traveled and the people he met. The book gives daily accounts of his experiences and reflections of their significance. Enjoy!

Marlis Pehling
Librarian

Viking Saga

Hei fra Hrafngardr. Hello from Hrafngardr. We are your friendly (most of the time) Viking Age Reenactment group here at Bothell Lodge. We would like to let you know what we have been up to and what is coming up.

We were part of the Viking Village for Poulsbo Viking Fest. This was the 28th year that there has been a Viking Encampment at the event. It was a great event with 1,000’s of people.

We participate in many public and private events throughout the year.

If you are interested in learning more about what we do, please join us on the 1st Saturday of each month at the lodge at 3pm. We would love to talk to you and have our group expand. If you have questions or comments, please feel free to contact us. We are happy to discuss what we are and what we do.

Jarl Olaf
(Seth Tufteland)
hrafngardr.bothell@gmail.com

Sunshine Report

April 26, 2019 - A sympathy card was sent to Molly Thompson. Her husband Ivan passed away April 24th.

_A celebration of life for Ivan will be held at the Bothell Lodge on Sunday June 9th at 2:00 pm._

April 26, 2019 - A Congratulations card was sent to Mike and Keli Dyal. They had a baby girl on April 17th.

May 9, 2019 - A Thinking of You card was sent to Carleen Lorenz who is dealing with some health issues.

May 9, 2019 - A Get Well card was sent to Vicki Nelson who is still in a boot, and had sinus surgery.

May 18, 2019 - A Sympathy card was sent to Ragnhild Jonassen. Her son-in-law John Warford passed away on May 15th.

Janet Hickok, your Sunshine Lady - 425-743-0043, 425-299-6388, tinribs@gmail.com
Spring Rosemaling Classes  
(April 29, May 6, 13 and 20)

We had a great time at the Spring Rosemaling Classes here at the Lodge this year. Teacher, Marilyn Hansen, gave us a choice of a Telemark style board or “red embroidery” style plate. Pictured to the right are Lindsay Zabel and Alyssa Huff from the evening class showing how they transferred their new skills to some beautiful cakes!

Daytime class showing their projects  
(back row (left to right): Stephanie Lightle, Frankie Johnson, Jan Christopherson, Luann Clark, Maren Culter, Dorothy Goodwin, Barbara Larson, Deloris Misner.  
(front row: Yuka Nakata, Cindy Haugen, Bonnie Bergland, Janet Hickok, Sonja Knight, Rosemary Lie and Yvonne Heindel.

Fall Rosemaling Classes  
(September 9, 16, 23 and October 7)

This fall we will be rosemaling on a clock face. There will be several painting styles to chose from. Contact Marilyn Hansen if you are interested in joining us. (425) 765-3694

Einstein said, "Compound interest is the eighth wonder of the world." The Rothschilds said, "That's almost right." It's actually compound interest... without THIS wealth-destroying force. One dollar doubled 20 times can either equal $1,048,576—or $72,000. The difference depends on whether you use Einstein's formula... or the Rothschild's.

Contact Mike Dyal, your Sons of Norway Financial Advisor (425) 2446-2222 or successmd@outlook.com
Scholarships Awarded

Kirstin Bornemeir and Diana Hicks were each awarded a Ray Berg Memorial Scholarship at the May Lodge Meeting.

Kirstin Bornemeir is the daughter of member Shaun Bornemeir and Heather Bornemeir, and is an Unge Venner member. She will be graduating from Juanita High School in Kirkland, WA in June 2019. She will be attending Washington State University in Pullman, WA, and plans to major in Interior Design and minor in Construction Management, with a goal of becoming an Interior Designer.

Diana Hicks is the daughter of members Chris Hicks and Billy Hicks, and is an Unge Venner member. Diana has been an active member of the lodge, most of her 18 years. She served as Lodge Princess for 2 term and was Border Festival Queen in 2016. Diana will be graduating from Bothell High School in Bothell, WA in June 2019. She plans to attend Shoreline Community College, in Shoreline, WA, and plans to major in Theatre and to continue acting and maybe becoming a Teacher of the Arts.

Youth Camp Scholarship Awards

Camp Trollhaugen – June 30th – July 13th - Mykaylla Richard, Mercedes Benson and Haven Rondesvedt
Camp Normanna – July 28th – August 10th - Finn Schertzl and Ada Schertzl
We wish them Happy Camping!

Ray Berg Scholarship Auction – coming this fall

This auction benefits the Ray Berg Memorial Scholarship Fund. This auction along with the sales from the raffles, calendars, note cards and memorial donations allows the lodge to award scholarships to college bound high school graduates.

Please keep this auction in mind when you are traveling and shopping this summer and would like to donate an item and support our youth. Enjoy your Summer!

Scholarship Committee
KITCHEN CABINET ENDEAVER
AWESOME, AWESOME, AWESOME, ‘We’ have accomplished ‘Our’ goal.

Forty members, families, and neighbors filled a two car garage and driveway with spectacular items—namely—vintage trunk, chairs, recliner, oak, teak tables, lamps, treadmill, Nordic Track, (Solveig demonstrated), bicycles, electronics, pictures, pots and pans, cloths, Thule car top carrier, and much, much more. All of the above sold. Highlights for us was to meet and get acquainted with these supportive people in my kitchen or the driveway. And of course the sale total of $1,350,00.

THANK YOU ALL!!!

Selma, Solveig and Ragnhild.
Clink, Crackle, Clink

(garage sale)

As I approached the garage sale site (Selma’s garage) in Mill Creek on Saturday, May 4, I could hear the clink of the coins and the crackle of the dollars changing hands. The sale was an forbløffende (astounding) success netting $1,350. This has been added to the Kitchen Fund.

Selma, Ragnhild, Solveig and President Bob got lots of sun as they met and assisted the stream of customers. Over 40 members and friends of the lodge donated items for the garage sale. We say a big “THANK YOU” to all who contributed in any way to make this fund-raiser a success.

by - Marion Vedell

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Kitchen Fund Goal Reached

Early in 2017, a plan to remodel parts of the kitchen was presented to the board by Selma Snaring, Solveig Lindstrom and Ranghild Jonassen. With the help of Bob Schertzl they had obtained estimates and calculated the cost would be $29,000. The Board did not feel we could fund this project from the lodge funds. Consequently, it was decided that we needed to establish a Kitchen Fund and Marion Vedell spearheaded the fund-raising project.

In April, a letter appealing for funds was sent to all the lodge members and people began responding with their checks and cash. In addition, there have been several successful fund-raising projects during the past two years.

With the help of Tom Reko’s assistance, materials for the kitchen project have been made available at a discounted cost. This has brought the funds needed down to $20,000. With the profits from the recent amazingly successful garage sale, we have reached the new goal. We now have $20,327 in the Kitchen Fund. How did we reach this goal? Here are the numbers:

Donations from Members and Friends .......................... $ 9,478.93

Projects:

- Oct., 2017 Kumla dinner .................. $ 460.00
- Dec., 2017 Sweater Raffle ............... 585.00
- Dec. 2017 Julebord Profit ............... 2,467.00
- Aug., 2018 Gazebo Snacks Profit ...... 163.00
- Oct., 2018 Pre sale, Sale and post sale
  Of “Previously Loved” Items 1,583.00
- Oct., 2018 Selma’s Garage Sales 376.00
- Dec., 2018 Julebord Profit 3,393.07
- Dec., 2018 Norwegian Sweater Raffle 471.00
- May, 2019 Mill Creek Garage Sale ...... 1,350.00

$ 10,848.07

Total in the Kitchen Fund ............... $ 20,327.00

The work on the kitchen project is scheduled to begin in January, 2020. Thank you to everyone who helped make this a successful fund-raiser.

Report by Marion Vedell
UPCOMING EVENTS

At Bothell Lodge (unless indicated otherwise)

Tuesday's: Bowling League at Spin Alley 7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
Boy Scout Troop 535 - *meets at the Lodge* - Tuesday’s 6:45 pm - 8:30 pm

Saturday June 1st - Trollhaugen Work Party
Thursday June 6th - Board Meeting - 7:00 pm - *all members welcome to attend*
Sunday June 9th - Celebration of Life for Ivan Thompson - 2:00 pm
Thursday June 13th - Lese Gruppe - 10:30 am  Fireside Room - *see page 6 for reading list*
Sunday June 16th - Father’s Day
Thursday June 20th - Lodge Night - 6:00 pm Social, 6:30 pm Dinner, 7:30 pm Meeting

Tuesday July 2nd - Float Set up - 3:00 pm
Wednesday July 3rd - Board Meeting - 7:00 pm - *all members welcome to attend*
Thursday July 4th - 4th of July Parade - Leave Lodge @ 10:00 am
Saturday July 13th - AquaSox Event - Dinner starts at 5:30 pm - *see page 5*
Sunday July 14th - Border Fest - *see page 10*
Saturday July 20th - Trollhaugen Steak Fry and Horseshoe Tournament - *see page 10*

Saturday August 17th - Golf Tournament - Leavenworth - *see page 10*
Thursday August 22nd - Lodge Night - Steak BBQ and Potluck - Classic Car Show - *see page 5*
Fri-Sat-Sun September 20-22 - Adult Heritage Retreat - Trollhaugen - *see page 10*