

# The Nyheter



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## BOTHELL SONS OF NORWAY 2-106

### President's Message - May 2026

Well, it was an awesome April. All the different weather patterns and events made for an interesting March and April if I do say so.

I felt very strongly about April's meeting as we honored those who have passed in the last year and bid one last goodbye. I want to thank Mike and Solveig for their awesome help in assisting me prepare dinner for the meeting. I also enjoyed Eric Stavney's talk about the calendar from Norway and its deep history.



I want to remind all of you about the upcoming 17<sup>th</sup> of May celebration in Ballard and I hope you will join us either in walking or riding on the Viking ship float in the parade. We will be preparing the float on May 10 at 3 p.m. and again on May 16 to make sure everything is ready. For those who need a ride to the parade, we will be leaving the lodge en masse at 3 p.m. on Sunday, May 17, to head to Ballard and the parade.

As we continue to get ready for the convention, our delegates are preparing for what is to come. They will give a report at the June meeting on the events and what we can look forward to in the future. I'll take this time to also mention some upcoming District 2 events this summer. Don't forget the Steak and Salmon bake at Trollhaugen on July 18 and the District Golf Tournament in Leavenworth on Aug. 22. There is an article in this month's Nyheter with more details on both.

As we enter spring in full swing, I encourage everyone to find a little time to pitch in and help wherever you can at the lodge and events. It's a group effort and takes all of us working together to keep the lodge in the state it is in. If you have any questions, concerns or suggestions regarding our lodge, please reach out to me or any officer. We are here to be your eyes and ears at the lodge.

We have a lot coming up with meetings, dinners, parades, and more. I look forward to seeing you at lodge events. Please also remember dinner at next month's meeting is pulled pork so make sure to make reservations. To learn more about lodge and district happenings, please make sure you are reading the monthly Nyheter and visiting both the Bothell SON and District 2 websites. I know Joan and James Wraalstad put a lot of heart into making them great resources for all of us.

Takk,

*Bill Hicks*

Bill Hicks



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# Sunshine Report

Birthday cards were sent to Lori P. Anderson (April 8) and Kare M. Gjolmesli (April 30). Gratulerer med dagen!

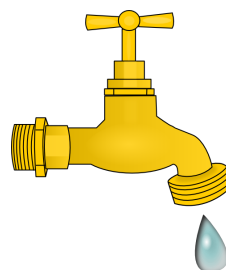
A thinking-of-you card also was mailed to Ragnhild Jonasson.

Please let Mary Anne Rehbock know if someone could use a card of encouragement, congratulations or condolences. She is available at (206) 498-3271 or email her at [marehbock@aol.com](mailto:marehbock@aol.com).



## Trustee Corner by Mike Nelson

For the month of April, Ivar Thompson served as the trustee of the month. In May, it will be me (Mike Nelson).



Our trustee of the month checks the lodge inside and out at least once a week during the month. He or she looks for possible problems, water leaks, lights left on, and doors or windows left open. They also make sure the heat is turned down.

Thank you to all those who helped in April to do a little yardwork and to all our trustees. If you are interested in becoming a trustee for next year and beyond, please contact me at 206-498-2213.



# Social & Cultural Happenings

(All Events at Bothell Lodge unless otherwise noted.)

*Happy Mother's Day and Hurra, Hurra, Hurra — Happy Syttende Mai!*

— Laurie Berg, Social & Cultural Director



## May 4 & 11 (last 2 sessions)

### **Rosemaling Class**

**9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. or 6:00 - 9:00 p.m.**

Final two sessions in a four-class series to learn how to paint rosemaling. Runs again in fall. For information, contact Marilyn Hanson at [425-765-3694](tel:425-765-3694).

## May 9

### **Swedish Pancake Breakfast @ Normanna Everett Lodge**

**8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.**

Get Swedish pancakes, strawberries or syrup, and ham. Coffee, tea or milk to drink. \$10 per person. Cash, checks and cards accepted. No reservations required.



## May 10

### **Parade Float Clean-up 3:00 p.m.**

Help spruce up the Bothell SON Viking ship float for parade season.

## May 17

### **Syttende Mai Parade in Ballard**

**3:00 p.m. at Lodge to carpool/6:00 p.m. parade begins**

Meet to share rides. For a ride and to join in the parade this year, please call lodge at [425-485-9085](tel:425-485-9085) to advise beforehand.



## May 21

### **Lodge Meeting Night**

**6 p.m. Social Time — 6:30 p.m. Dinner**

We will be crowning our new princess or prince and awarding camp scholarships. If you received a scholarship

## May 21

### **Lodge Meeting Night continued**

last year, please come and share a story from your experience.



Do you have a grandson, granddaughter, niece or nephew between the ages of 16-23 who would like to represent our lodge as princess or prince? We are looking for the 2026 Lodge Princess or Prince. We ask that they join us in the May 17, 2027, Ballard Parade, July 4, 2026, Bothell Parade, and Border Fest this summer. Other responsibilities include the Bazaar and Bake Sale, Lutefisk Dinner and Heritage Day. The princess/prince is chosen by a drawing and **you must be present to be considered**. For more details, contact Laurie Berg at [laurieberg.lb@gmail.com](mailto:laurieberg.lb@gmail.com) or 206-235-5558.



Menu is pulled pork sandwiches, mac and cheese and more. **Your reservation must be in by May 17.**

Email: [Dinner@bothellsonsofnorway.org](mailto:Dinner@bothellsonsofnorway.org) or call the Lodge at 425-485-9085 and leave a message. Please reserve on time as it makes shopping and preparing dinner much easier.

## May 27-30

### **D2 Convention in Bremerton (hosted by Poulsbo SON)**

Event includes opening and closing ceremonies, meetings, cultural demonstrations, hospitality night. Cost is \$375 per person. Details at [poulsbosonsofnorway.com/convention.html](http://poulsbosonsofnorway.com/convention.html).



# District 2 Summer Events

## Border Festival

**Peach Arch Park**

**July 12 - 11 a.m., Program 1 p.m.**

District 2 in the US meets District 7 in Canada for Border Festival at Peace Arch Park in Blaine, Wash. Bring your own beverages, a lunch to share at your table and dessert to share with all.



Program includes flag ceremony, entertainment, raffles and royalty. Parking is \$10 or a Discovery Pass. Contact Elaine Graddock at

[viking1kg@gmail.com](mailto:viking1kg@gmail.com) or 360-982-2965 for details.



## Steak Fry/Horseshoe & Kubb Tournament

**Trollhaugen Lodge**

**July 18 - Tournament 10 a.m., Dinner 3:30 p.m.**

Come play horseshoes and the lawn game Kubb during the morning of the Annual Trollhaugen Steak Fry. A donation of \$35 is requested for dinner and \$5 for kids

meal. For Steak Fry tickets, contact Bill Hicks at [hicks1015@msn.com](mailto:hicks1015@msn.com) or 425-672-0194. Indicate "steak" or "salmon" when reserving. **Deadline is July 6.**



For overnight reservations at Trollhaugen, email [trollhau@outlook.com](mailto:trollhau@outlook.com).



## Golf Tournament

**Icicle Golf Course, Leavenworth**

**Aug. 22 - 9:00 a.m. Warm Up, 10:00 a.m. Tee Off**

The annual golf tournament takes place at Icicle Golf Course in beautiful Leavenworth in the Cascade Mountains. Format is team scramble in men's, women's and coed divisions. Carts, snack lunch and banquet included. Cost per player is \$130. Extra banquet tickets are \$30 each. Contact Bill Hicks at [hicks1015@msn.com](mailto:hicks1015@msn.com) for more information and to **sign up by Aug. 1.** Registration forms on District 2 website.

# Torsk Dinner Coming Soon in Auburn

To celebrate Syttende Mai, Vesterdalen Lodge will host a Torsk Dinner on Saturday, May 16, at Messiah Lutheran Church in Auburn. The menu features poached torsk (cod), lefse, potatoes, cole slaw, vegetables and a dessert selection.



Cost is \$30 per person. Call Dotty Erickson at 206-356-1858 for reservations. Messiah Lutheran Church is located at 410 H Street Northeast in Auburn.

Don't miss this chance to socialize with a fellow SON lodge.

# Movie Corner by Bob Steed



Sorry but no video next month and maybe through September. More details to follow.

More than 10 people came in April to view traveling on the Hurtigruten ship between Bergen and Kirkenes and exploring and hiking in the picturesque Lofoten Islands. We saw dramatic vistas of Pulpit Rock and Trolls Tongue and an overview of the challenging lives of Scandinavian animals.

To host Video Matinee and to submit movie recommendations, please email Bob Steed at [FRAGNITS359@yahoo.com](mailto:FRAGNITS359@yahoo.com).

# In Loving Remembrance

**A**t the April General Meeting, we honored members that had passed away last year with a tribute to their lives and a moment of silence. Those we lost include:

## **Dolores (Dee) Hanson Dailey (Jan. 7, 2025)**

A loving mother and grandmother, Dee left us peacefully on Jan. 7, 2025, at 92. Born Aug. 11, 1932, in Poulsbo, Wash., she married in the 50s and raised a family of four children with her first husband, Douglas Hanson, in Edmonds. She worked for many years at Frederick & Nelson tailoring clothing for display. She later held jobs at JC Penney, Seafirst Bank and, lastly, the Seattle Times, from where she retired. In the 70s, she married Bob Dailey and together they ran an insurance agency and enjoyed traveling.

## **Barbara Slattum (May 2025)**

Born Dec. 23, 1930, Barbara passed away in May last year at 94. Barbara and her husband, Telvin, joined Sons of Norway in October 1971 and later transferred as charter members to Bothell Sons of Norway Lodge when it formed in Feb. 1973. Both Barbara and Telvin spent hours volunteering for the lodge serving in many roles. She received her Golden Membership several years ago.

## **Fergus N. Prestbye (Sept. 2, 2025)**

Born July 11, 1946, in Montana, long-time Bothell Lodge member Fergus Prestbye passed away on Sept 2, 2025, in Kent, Wash. His family moved to Washington when he was in grade school.

Always musical, he formed the bluegrass bands Blue Mountain Minstrels and Fergie & Friends, playing at Glacier National Park. Fergus served in the U.S. Navy as a radioman and later worked in radio in Oregon, where he owned and managed a radio station. Later he began an auctioneering business.

Fergus was a 47-year member of Bothell lodge since Feb. 1978 and received his Golden Membership. Proud of his Norwegian heritage, he held many offices at the lodge, including president in 1991 and served as District 2 secretary from 1984-88 and a Trollhaugen boardmember from 1982-88. Fergus loved to entertain and was the inspiration behind Bothell Lodge's annual Tom and Jerry Party in December. He is survived by his wife and fellow Golden Member, Jane; two daughters; and several grandchildren.

## **Gunvor I. Gunnestad (2025)**

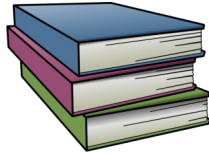
Born Oct. 4, 1934, Gunvor passed at 91. She joined Bothell Lodge Oct. 14, 1981, and was a 44-year member. She also received her Golden Membership. Her kind spirit was evident to all who knew her and she regularly donated several items to the Lodge Table for the annual bazaar. She also was an avid skier and soccer player.

## **David R. Hagan (2025)**

Born Jan. 25, 1934, in Lewiston, Idaho, David passed in the last year. He operated a millwork shop and a business reselling millwork machinery up until the time of his death at age 91. He joined Bothell Sons of Norway in Dec. 2021.



## Lese Gruppe Meets April 9



Lese Gruppe meets next on May 14 at 10:30 a.m. at the Bothell Lodge. All are welcome!

At our April meeting, we discussed “The Summer Book,” by Finnish-Swedish author Tove Jansson, who also wrote the hugely popular Moomin novels, stories and comic strip. The novel is known for its quiet, luminous prose that captures as summer on a small island in the Gulf of Finland.



Based on the author’s own experiences, the book focusses on the relationship between a young girl, Sophia, and her elderly, un sentimental grandmother. A movie was made in 2024 starring Glen Close and it is currently available on Prime Video.

Our reading selections for the coming months are:

- \* **May 14:** “The Ladies Rewrite the Rules,” by Suzanne Allain.
- \* **June 11:** “The Frog in the Fjord,” by Lorelou Desjardins.
- \* **Sept. 10:** “Theo of Golden,” by Allen Levi.

There will be no meetings in July and August.

You don’t need to read the book to join in. Contact Myrna Ramstad at 206-365-6913 for information.

## Library Corner by Marlis Pehling, Librarian

For those of you who like to knit, we are the lucky recipients of six books with patterns for many Scandinavian knitting projects. You’ll find sweaters,



Dale of Norway sweaters. Photo: VisitBergen.com/Linn Kjos Falkenberg.

hats, Christmas stockings, mittens, socks, blankets and more, with detailed patterns for many projects.

I am a knitter and these books look very enticing. I have made Nordic sweaters, Afghans and toys and

booties for children. The books contain patterns that are very Scandinavian and different, including traditional designs such as the famous Marius sweater motifs, Setesdal black-and-white geometrics and Selbu rose-patterned mittens.

To check out resources from the lodge library, please sign the logbook in the Fireside Room.



A display of traditional mittens from Selbu in Trøndelag, Norway. Photo: Wikimedia Commons/Kjersti Lie.



# Sports Update

by Sports Director Shaun Bornemeier

**We have an upcoming Bothell SON Lodge sponsored walk:**

**Sunday, May 31**

**8:30 a.m. at the [Juanita Beach Park, 9703 NE Juanita Drive Kirkland](#)**

Please email or call and let me know if you will be participating. We will meet on the beach at the west dock entrance.

Please don't hesitate to contact me with any sports questions. Keep on exercising and earning sports medals for this year. Stay active and safe!

Shaun Bornemeier contact details:

Email: [bornemeiers@yahoo.com](mailto:bornemeiers@yahoo.com)



## Looking for a Prince or Princess in 2026-27

**D**o you have a daughter, granddaughter or niece between the ages of 16 and 23 who would like to represent our lodge as the princess in 2025? Or a son, grandson or nephew who wants to be prince?

We are looking for either a princess or prince to be our 2026-27 lodge royalty. Duties for the princess or prince will be to join the lodge in the July 4th parade in Bothell, Border Fest on July 12, Syttende Mai Parade next year in Ballard on May 17 and help with Bothell Lodge events through the year.



Bothell SON royalty features in two parades during the year. Here, a past princess leads the way in Ballard.

Royalty should attend the Bazaar and Bake Sale, Lutefisk Dinner and Heritage Day.

The 2026 Bothell Lodge princess or prince will be selected by a random drawing at our May 21 lodge dinner and meeting. Those interested in becoming royalty must be in attendance for the drawing.

If you have a family member or know someone who would like to represent Bothell Sons of Norway

Lodge at parades and other events, contact Social Director Laurie Berg at [laurieberg.lb@gmail.com](mailto:laurieberg.lb@gmail.com) or 206-235-5558.

# Hip, Hip, Hurra! It's Syttende Mai!

**O**n May 17 Norwegians celebrate "Syttende Mai" to commemorate the day the constitution of the nation was signed. Norway's national day is marked by festivities and parades in cities and towns across Norway (and international locales such as Brooklyn, Poulsbo and Ballard - one of the largest parades outside of Norway). For the parade, you will see many dressed in bunads,



Lambertseter School pupils walk in the children's parade down the main street of Oslo. Photo: VisitOslo.com/Thomas Johannessen.

wearing red, white and blue ribbons, and waving flags.

In Norway, a typical Syttende Mai begins with a family breakfast or brunch before heading out to local festivities and parades. Favorite foods at the gatherings are hot dogs (pølser), waffles and especially ice cream.

The most notable tradition of the day are the many children's parades with marching bands and thousands of school kids joining in to sing, wave flags and yell "Hurra!" Graduating teenagers, called "russ," join the parades and can be seen in distinctive overalls and caps in colors to represent their area of studies: red (for general studies), blue (business administration courses), black (vocational), green (agricultural)



Norwegian royal family watches parade and waves to children from balcony of palace. Photo: VisitOslo.com/Ali Tehrani.

and white (healthcare and athletics). Broadcast on national TV, the largest of these parades takes place in Oslo, with children marching up Karl Johan's Gata past the Royal Palace to wave at the royal family on the balcony.

Some communities have a second parade in the mornings before the children's parade. Called a "borgertog," or citizen's parade, all are welcome and they may include marching bands, local citizens and other service organizations.

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Bothell Lodge members march in Ballard's Syttende Mai Parade. Photo: Courtesy of 17th of May Seattle Organization.

# Syttende Mai *(continued)*

## Behind the Holiday

On this day in 1814, 112 men of the National Assembly signed Norway's constitution in the town of Eidsvoll. Influenced by the U.S., French and Spanish constitutions of the time, the Norwegian document laid out the framework for democracy and rights in Norway and today is the second oldest working constitution in the world.

Until 1814, Norway had been a part of the Kingdom of Denmark-Norway for nearly 400 years. Following the defeat of Napoleon and his Danish allies in Oct. 1813, the Treaty of Kiel ceded Norway to Sweden.

In response, Governor of Norway and Crown Prince Christian Frederik of Denmark-Norway began an independence movement that led to the constitution and him being elected king (a unique aspect of the constitution). However, Sweden felt differently and a short war ensued. The Norwegians held their own enough to negotiate a ceasefire that permitted Norway to keep its constitution while still entering into a personal union with Sweden.



Wergeland painting of Eidsvoll assembly in the days before signing. *Photo: Archives of Storting.*

Internal affairs were to be governed by Norwegians and foreign affairs by Swedes. Norway's parliament, Storting, accepted Danish-Norwegian King Frederik's abdication and elected Swedish King Karl XIII as king of Norway on Nov. 4, 1814. Union with Sweden lasted until 1905, when Norway became a fully independent country with the new King Haakon VII.



Bothell Lodge members in last year's Syttende Mai Parade on a rainy day in Ballard. Carl Stavney is our resident troll. *Photo: Courtesy of 17th of May Seattle Organization.*

## Join Bothell Lodge at Parade in Ballard

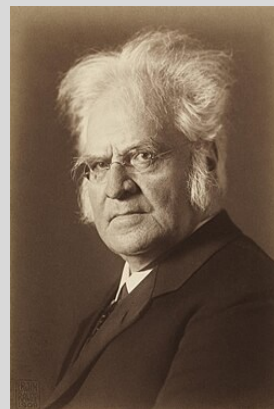
Bothell Lodge participates in the annual Ballard Syttende Mai Parade and lodge members are all welcome to walk along or ride in the viking ship float. Come join fellow members, the Troll, our Vikings and our princess to celebrate Syttende Mai in a very traditional manner.

**Meet at the lodge by 3 p.m. on Sunday, May 17.** If you need a ride, please call the lodge at 425-485-9085 to let us know. Parade begins at 6 p.m. Or you can find us staging near 63<sup>rd</sup> St. on 24<sup>th</sup> Ave. in Ballard.

## Ja, Vi Elsker Dette Landet (Yes, We Love This Country)

Originally a patriotic song "Ja, Vi Elsker Dette Landet" became the de facto national anthem of Norway in the early 20<sup>th</sup> century but only became official in 2019. In the 19<sup>th</sup> century, the songs "Sønner av Norge (Sons of Norway)" and "Norges Skaal (Norway's Toast)" were commonly considered the national anthem until well-known author and poet Bjørnsterne Bjørnson wrote "Ja, Vi Elsker Dette Landet" in the early 1860s. Then, for several decades both "Sønner av Norge" and "Ja, Vi Elsker Dette Landet" were simultaneously called the national anthem until Bjørnson's song gradually became the choice through the early 20<sup>th</sup> century.

The melody was written by Bjørnsterne's cousin Rikard Nordraak and it first was performed at the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the constitution in 1864. Usually, only the first and the last two verses are sung, with the first being the most known. The anthem sung by choirs and others is easily located on streaming services and YouTube. Below is the song with translation. It's common practice to repeat the last two lines of each verse, and, often, only the first verse is sung.



Author Bjørnsterne Bjørnson in 1909.

### Norwegian

*Ja, vi elsker dette landet,  
som det stiger frem,  
furet, værbit over vannet,  
med de tusen hjem, —  
elsker, elsker det og tenker  
på vår far og mor  
og den saganatt som senker  
drømmer på vår jord.*

*Norske mann i hus og hytte,  
takk din store Gud!  
Landet ville han beskytte,  
skjønt det mørkt så ut.  
Alt, hva fedrene har kjempet,  
mødrene har grett,  
har den Herre stille lempet,  
så vi vant vår rett.*

*Ja, vi elsker dette landet,  
som det stiger frem,  
furet, værbit over vannet,  
med de tusen hjem.  
Og som fedres kamp har hevet  
det av nød til seir,  
også vi, når det blir krevet,  
for dets fred slår leir.*

### English Translation

*Yes, we love this country  
as it rises forth,  
rugged, weathered, over the water,  
with the thousands of homes, —  
love, love it and think  
of our father and mother  
and the saga-night that lays  
dreams upon our earth.*

*Norwegian man in house and cabin (rich and poor),  
thank your great God!  
The country he wanted to protect,  
although things looked dark/bleak.  
All the fights fathers have fought,  
and the mothers have wept,  
the Lord has quietly eased  
so we won our rights.*

*Yes, we love this country  
as it rises forth,  
rugged, weathered, above the sea,  
with those thousand homes.  
And as the fathers' struggle has raised  
it from need to victory,  
even we, when it is demanded,  
for its peace will defend.*



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**Save Stamps**

Bring your canceled stamps to the lodge to drop off in the lobby. Cut leaving one-half of an inch around the stamp to preserve edges.



**Winners at April Dinner**

**Membership Drawing - \$5 Next Month**  
 Drawn for \$5: Laurie Beach. Must be present to win.

**50/50 Drawing**  
 \$58 collected - \$31 to the Scholarship Fund. Winners were: \$15 to Judy Snell; \$6 to Ivar Thompson; \$6 to Mary Anne Rehbock.

**The Scandinavian Hour**

with your host **Seth Tufteland**



**Saturday & Sunday 6:00-7:00am, Saturday 9:00-10am**

Stream us online at <https://1150kknw.com/listen-online>

Visit our website at [www.thescandinavianhour.org](http://www.thescandinavianhour.org)

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# Youth Camps 2026



**Camp Trollhaugen**

Ages 13-15  
 Located in Easton, Washington  
**June 28 - July 11**

**Camp Nidaros**

Ages 9-12  
 Located in Gearhart, Oregon  
**July 12 - July 25**

**Camp Normanna**

Ages 9-12  
 Located at Lake Riley outside Arlington, Washington  
**July 26 - August 8**

For more information, visit [sofncamps.com](http://sofncamps.com). Or email [laurieberg.lb@gmail.com](mailto:laurieberg.lb@gmail.com).  
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### **UPCOMING EVENTS (All events at Bothell Lodge unless indicated otherwise.)**

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May 7 - Thursday - Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m.  
May 4 & 11 - Monday - Rosemaling Class continues - 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. & 6:00 p.m classes.  
May 9 - Saturday - Swedish Pancake Breakfast - 8:00 - 11:00 a.m. - @ Normanna Lodge in Everett.  
May 10 - Sunday - Parade Float Clean Up - 3:00 p.m.  
May 10 - Sunday - Mother's Day.  
May 13 - Wednesday - Fiber Arts - 7:00 p.m.  
May 14 - Thursday - Lese Gruppe - 10:30 a.m. - In Fireside Room.  
May 16 - Saturday - Armed Forces Day.  
May 17 - Sunday - Syttende Mai! - Ballard Parade - 6:00 p.m.; Meet at Lodge to Join In - Leave 3:00 p.m.  
May 21 - Thursday - Lodge Night - 5:30 p.m. Music; 6:00 p.m. Social ; 6:30 p.m.; Dinner; 7:30 p.m. Meeting.  
May 27-30 - Wednesday to Saturday - District 2 Convention in Bremerton/Poulsbo.

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June 4 - Thursday - Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m.  
June 10 - Wednesday - Fiber Arts - 7:00 p.m.  
June 11 - Thursday - Lese Gruppe - 10:30 a.m. - In Fireside Room.  
June 14 - Sunday - Flag Day.  
June 18 - Thursday - Lodge Night - 5:30 p.m. Music; 6:00 p.m. Social ; 6:30 p.m.; Family BBQ Dinner  
June 20 - Saturday - First Day of Summer.  
June 21 - Sunday - Father's Day.  
June 27 - Saturday - Parade Float Clean Up - 3:00 p.m.