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Music by Thin Ice
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President's Message

Spring is in the air! There are crocus in bloom outside the lodge, and it is time for our annual Lodge clean-up. Come on down on Sunday, March 29th from 10-4 and help us spiff up the lodge and grounds for the year. We will be serving complimentary hot dogs and hamburgers for our volunteers when we finish up. Additionally, the Building Association will be working on several larger maintenance and repair projects on Monday March 30th and could really use some help. Contact Bob Loveland for additional information.

Last month, I commented on the amazing level of activity in our lodge. Well, as part of our application process for Lodge of the Year, we compiled a summary of the events we participate in, and the number of hours we spend on those events. The totals are incredible. Last year, we spent more than 64,000 volunteer hours in support of more than 1,100 events. Think about that for a minute. That's the equivalent of about 35 people working full time. Give yourselves a pat on the back! As part of the Lodge of the Year process, we also adopted four goals for 2009. These are:

1. **To operate the lodge "in the black" for the year.** I believe we are making good progress in this area. For the first time in several months, we made a small profit in February.
2. **To elect at least 40 new members to the lodge.** Through March, we have elected eight new members and had an additional six reinstated or transferred in. Keep up the good work! Recruit your friends to join us in this wonderful place.
3. **To increase the number of active volunteers by at least 25%.** I have an opportunity here for you! The Bingo crew is desperate for help. Bingo contributed more than \$25,000 to the Lodge last year – and is critical to our ongoing financial health. But the operation is staffed every week by the same people that started it up three years ago, and they are getting understandably tired. If you can give up a Wednesday evenings periodically, please give Wade or Kathy Moncrief a call. Or just stop by and join the fun!
4. **To re-institute the "Adopt a School" program.** More on this as we develop the details.

April is shaping up to be another great month. From the Easter Egg Hunt, to Spray's Rib Nite, to the opening of Baseball season and Sunday barbeques on the Deck, there is something for everyone. Take a look at the Calendar and details of the events elsewhere in the Måken. We'd love to see you around the Lodge.

Ha det bra.

Skip

Get your tickets early for the April Spray Rib Night—it's always a big hit! Tickets will be available March 20th through April 14th.

Happy Easter

Easter egg hunts, Spray Rib Night and Music in the Trolls Den—what a month it will be! You may also want to join the Wii tournament fun!

POULSBO SONS OF NORWAY LODGE #2-44 March 2009 Lodge Meeting highlights

- President Walsh welcomed Bob Goldstein, CFO of the KRL, who gave a presentation on his bicycle trip through Finland.
- Jan Peterson, lodge Musician, gave another 15-minute session on pronunciation and singing of the Norwegian National Anthem.
- The February minutes were approved as submitted.
- Treasurer Kathy Moncrief's report was reviewed and accepted. The lodge is in the black for the first time in several months.
- Grace Overby, Cultural Director, encouraged members to pick up recipes that can be found on the bulletin boards for fatelavnoller (Lent buns).
- Ladies Club President Mitchusson reported that the rummage sale is scheduled for March 14th.
- Heidi King, Social Director, urged everyone to buy their tickets for the St. Patrick's Day dinner to be held 3/20.
- Joanne Graves, Youth Director, urged those who own boats to volunteer to bring musicians to mid-sommerfest on June 20th.
- The members approved moving the lodge's scholarship fund from a checking account to a savings account where interest can be earned.
- A food handling class is being scheduled for members who need a new license or renewal of their workers card—see the Lodge Administrator's column.
- Hurry and sign up for Adult Heritage Retreat at Trollhaugen May 1st to 3rd—the price goes up after April 15th.
- Members are urged to encourage children and grandchildren to apply for the scholarships available through the lodge's scholarship fund.

The Lodge office number is: 360-779-5209

The Lodge Fax number is: 360-779-5223

The Trolls Den number is: 360-779-2384

What is unique about the equinox?




Mother's Day Special Coming in May!

Jan & Shorty will be cooking a very special dinner on May 10th to honor all mothers. Come on down for Cornish hens with all the trimmings.

A P R I L

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Sun	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat
			1 Kaffe Stua 11am-2pm BINGO 6:00 pm	2 Ladies Club at Noon Rosemaling/Wood- carving Support 6:00-9:00pm Advanced Norwegian - 10 am to Noon Cont. Advanced Norwegian - 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm Vestre Sund Mannskor 7:30 to 9:00 pm.	3 Nordic Needleworkers Noon to 2pm Dinner -Walsh & Mathisen crew-- Marinated flank steak & fish-- 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm	4 District 2 Board Meeting
5 Vern's Pancake Breakfast 9:00am-Noon Trolls Den closed	6 Youth Norwegian 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm. Leikarringen Class 4:30 pm to 7:00 pm Beginning Norwegian 6:15 pm Intermediate Norwe- gian 7:15 pm Folk Dancing - 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Library - 5 -7:00 pm	7 Dinner 5:00-7:00pm Troll's Den Meeting 6:00 pm Lodge Board Meeting 7:00 pm	8 Kaffe Stua 11am-2pm BINGO 6:00 pm	9 Rosemaling/Wood- carving Support 6:00-9:00pm Advanced Norwegian - 10 am to Noon Cont. Advanced Norwegian - 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm Vestre Sund Mannskor 7:30 to 9:00 pm. Skærtorsdag	10 Nordic Needleworkers Noon to 2pm Dinner - Jan & Shorty - Surf & turf 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm Lang Fredag	11 Easter Egg Hunt 
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19  Opening Mariners Game @ 1:10 PM Bar opens at 2 pm	20 Youth Norwegian 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm. Leikarringen Class 4:30 pm to 7:00 pm Beginning Norwegian 6:15 pm Intermediate Norwe- gian 7:15 pm Folk Dancing - 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Library - 5-7:00 PM	21 Dinner 5:00-7:00pm Women's Book Discussion 7:00 pm	22 Kaffe Stua 11am-2pm BINGO 6:00 pm	23 Rosemaling/Wood- carving Support 6:00-9:00pm Advanced Norwegian - 10 am to Noon Cont. Advanced Norwegian - 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm Vestre Sund Mannskor 7:30 to 9:00 pm.	24 Nordic Needleworkers Noon to 2pm Dinner - Heidi King & crew--pulled pork sandwiches or shrimp scampi-- 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm	25
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To Help with Tuesday Night Dinners please call Dorothy Walsh @ 360-779-5188. More Crews/Volunteers are needed for Friday Night Dinners, contact Barbara Mitchusson at barbaraj@comcast.net or 360-779-4553.

MEMBER COMMENTS

From the Desk of Your Editor:

It's nice to be home but we really enjoyed the sun and warmth of California and Arizona and one of the fun things we did on our trip was to attend the lutefisk dinner put on by Solskinn Lodge #6-150 at Hope Lutheran Church in Palm Desert. The lodge rents the hall from the church and sells only enough tickets for the number of seats at the tables they have set up in the hall. According to my sister, the tickets sell out very quickly. The meal is served buffet style and tables are called forward according to pre-assigned table numbers drawn randomly. Beer, wine and soft drinks are available and entertainment is included in the evening. The entertainment at this particular dinner was a singer/impressionist who did a very good Dean Martin and Johnny Cash among others and a passable Elvis. It was interesting to see this different version of a lutefisk dinner. I was sorry I couldn't attend Miss Mary's big birthday blast but I understand it was a HUGE success. For those of you who missed it, here's a special tribute that was written for Mary Spray by Mary Waller. *We are here today to honor a lady so fair, who with her daughter, Vicky, make quite a pair. The "Sons" are so lucky to have them around. They take over duties with nary a frown. From cooking and baking and gathering gear, table setting accomplished all through the year, Ladies Club ladies could not do without them. Their rib dinners are known far and wide. Which must fill them with enormous pride. My lovely friend Mary has now turned eighty; her wit and wisdom will not let you down. She can still let you know when something is wrong. Never fear about that, all of you mateys. So here's to my friend, Mary Spray, who may live many more years, we do sincerely pray.* What would we ever do without our designated Irish lady!!!

Lodge Officers for 2009: The following is the slate of officers elected to lead your lodge during 2009. If you have questions or concerns about your lodge or would like to volunteer in some area, please contact Diane in the office or feel free to contact any of these officers:

President – Skip Walsh	Vice President – Fred Weatherford	Sports Director – Dave Keith
Counselor – Barb Mitchusson	Cultural Director – Grace Overby	Social Director – Heidi King
Foundation Director – Phil Swenson	Secretary – Denise Bauman	Historian – Dorothy Walsh
Asst Secretary – Julie Swenson	Publicity Director – Darlene Burke	Financial Sec – Michele Burk
Editor – Sherry White	Youth Director – Joanne Graves	Treasurer – Kathy Moncrief
Musician – Jan Peterson & Bonnie Schroeder		Trustee – Vern Herrick*
Trustee – Shirl Nadeau *	Trustee – Myrtle Jodry	Greeter #1 – Nancy Korsak
Greeter #2 – Kristin Holt	Auditor – Phil Swenson*	Auditor – Tony Smallbeck
Auditor – Bill Arness*	Marshall – Robert Kodalen	Asst Marshall – Donna Rice

* elected in previous years

From the desk of Ralph Naddeo, our Financial Benefits Counselor:

FINANCIAL PYRAMID

Back in 1965 I thought I was a stock market genius. At that time I was the proud owner of *two* 20 pay whole life policies that I had purchased when I was 20 and 21. Those were purchased back in 1957 and 1958. No problem paying for them on government allotment. After completing flying school I was assigned to Hill AFB, Ogden, Utah. All was going fine; I had opened a brokerage account with Merrill Lynch in Salt Lake City and was on my way to buying stocks. My plan was to use the stock market to build a solid retirement plan for my family. This was way before 401ks and IRAs. Word got around that I really enjoyed the stock market and all the excitement one could get from buying and selling stocks and watching your gains increase. I was contacted by a mutual fund salesman and I made an appointment to see what all this fuss was about mutual funds. He looked over my financial picture and suggested that I cash in the two whole life policies and use the cash to buy two mutual funds and invest the difference in term insurance. Being young I could purchase a lot of term insurance to protect my family. (At that time I didn't know that the insurance companies make a *ton* of money from term insurance because less than 3% of the folks that own term die before the age of 65 and by that time they have already dropped it because they can't afford the premiums.) Well, I cashed in those two policies, even though the insurance agent from MONY, who didn't sell them to me, begged me not to do it. The more he begged, the more I thought I knew better. About 3 years later the two mutual funds went belly up. I lost those but was still in the market. As time has gone by I have come to realize that the only money that should be in the market is money that you can afford to lose. If I had kept those two policies and purchased more of them I would have been able to build for me and my family a very **solid financial base**. I could have used the cash value in the policies to buy our cars. Then paid back the policies plus the interest we gave to the finance companies. All of our major purchases could have been made this way. All of the interest that we willingly gave the finance companies could have stayed with us. For some reason I thought I would always have a car and house payment. It is amazing that we get, "Good Judgment from experience and experience from Bad Judgment!" Are we passing our *wisdom* off to our children so that when it comes time for them to retire they will have a solid financial base; or be like a 78 year old gentleman that lost a great deal in this stock market meltdown and now is relying on his son for financial support! Or take the GI who kept his \$10,000 SGLI insurance policy, kept paying premiums, kept receiving interest and dividends on the policy and watch the \$10,000 policy grow to over **\$100,000!** For more information on this product or any other insurance matter, please call me at 1.866.648.8889 or e-mail me at tipper13@comcast.net.

Ralph Naddeo, FBC.

Special Announcement
COMING SOON! Spray Rib Night is scheduled for Friday, April 17th



FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER

New/Returning Member Welcome

The following new members and returning members were welcomed at the March meeting: Jon Urdahl, Jason Seeley, Kevin and Kim Parnell, Linda Howard, Lavance Duque, Judy Jordan and Aldeen Emrick.

Leikarringen

Leikarringen Registration—Mark your calendars for Monday, May 18th at 5:00pm. Registration for Leikarringen Folk Dance classes for the 2009-2010 season will be in the Marine room. Our younger classes, children 10 and under, fill up on that day. For information about our children's folk dance classes contact Joanne Graves ([779-9979](tel:779-9979)).

Folk Dancing

Monday nights 7 to 9 pm. All levels of expertise welcome to Monday night class. Basic folk dance steps are taught. Traditional Scandinavian dances, as done in the 19th and 20th centuries, as well as figure dances done in ballrooms are taught. Live music on the third Monday, April 20.. Potluck snacks please. For more information call Stan at [360-779-2460](tel:360-779-2460) or Fred [206-780-8036](tel:206-780-8036).

Norwegian Language

Mondays at 3:30 Youth Norwegian in the Trolls Den.
Beginning Norwegian 6:15
Intermediate Norwegian 7:15
Thursdays Advanced Nor. 10-12
Continuing Advanced 6:00-7:30
For more information, call Stan [360-779-2460](tel:360-779-2460).

Nordic Needleworkers

Instruction in Hardanger and help in other handwork is available Fridays; 12:00-2:00 p.m. Call Grace at [360-779-2460](tel:360-779-2460) or [360-550-6049](tel:360-550-6049) for more information.
Friday, April 24, there will be an exchange with the Everett Sons of Norway Hardanger group starting around 10 am. Our class is providing a potluck for them in the Viking Room.

Rosemaling/Woodcarving

Rosemaling/woodcarving Support is happening every Thursdays from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the Norse Room. Please call Ken Green for further information @ [360-697-2835](tel:360-697-2835).

Book Discussion

The women's book discussion group meetings are scheduled on the Third Tuesdays at 7 pm. Read a chosen book by Scandinavian authors, lively discussions follow. Call Torbjorg Nilsen at [360-779-9826](tel:360-779-9826) for location and more information.

Library

The Library is open every Monday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. The library will also be open before and after Tuesday lodge meetings. Call Grace Overby at [360-779-2460](tel:360-779-2460) for further info.

Youth News

Poulsbo Heritage Day Camp

Our annual children's Heritage day camp is tentatively scheduled for June 17-20. Children ages 7-13 will learn traditional Norwegian crafts, sing songs in Norwegian, learn folk dances, make Lefse, and learn about Nordic Heritage. Camp is held at our lodge (Poulsbo Sons of Norway) from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm Saturday, June 20th, and campers and their families are invited to participate in our annual mid-sommer celebration at waterfront park.

Registration forms will be available in the May Måken and on line.

Music Cultural Skills

Would you like to earn your Music Cultural Skills Medal? We are starting a music listening group to make it easier. For more information please call Hannah Graves ([779-9979](tel:779-9979)).

“Adopt a School”

Are you a school volunteer? Sons of Norway International promotes school volunteer activity through the "Adopt a School" program. Our lodge will be joining the hundreds of lodges around the country already involved in the program. As a start, we would like to find out what our members are already doing. We know many of you help in math tutoring, reading programs, and other volunteer activities in the schools. Contact Denise Bauman ([689-9183](tel:689-9183)) and let her know what you are doing. Watch the Måken for details as our lodge gets more involved in the program.

Lodge Spring Cleanup

We want to thank everyone who helped with our annual lodge cleanup day. Volunteers were greatly appreciated. Many hands make light the work!

Vestre Sund Mannskor

Enjoy Norwegian heritage in song at the meetings on Thursdays from 7:30 to 9 pm. Men who enjoy singing are invited to join the group. For more info call Bob Ellerby [360-598-4831](tel:360-598-4831). Find more info at:

<http://www.pcnsa.org/LocalGroups/Poulsbo.ht>

2009 Sons of Norway Lodge Calendar of Events

Apr	11 Easter Egg Hunt 12 Easter 17 Spray Rib Night (music) 19 Opening Mariners Game
May	1 Spray Cinco de Mayo Dinner (music) 4 Leikarringen End of Year Party 10 Mother's Day 15-17 Viking Fest 18 Leikarringen Registration for 2009-10 25 Memorial Day holiday
Jun	* Heritage Camp 20 Midsommar Fest * Leikarringen Family Potluck
Jul	3 Fireworks on the Fjord 4 Independence Day 25 Seafood Feast (music)
Aug	* Ole Berg Golf Tournament * Lodge Picnic * Norwegian Folkdance Workshop 22 Hawaiian Luau Membership Dinner (music)
Sep	18 Country Western Night (music) 26 Ladies Club Rummage Sale
Oct	9 Leif Erikson Day 23 Oktoberfest Dinner (may have music) 31 Halloween Party (music)
Nov	10 Lodge Meeting – Election of Officers for 2010 14 Vet's Night (music) 21 Lutefisk Dinner 29 Lodge Christmas Decorating Day
Dec	5 Bazaar and Julefest 7 Lodge Children's Christmas Party 10 Ladies Club Christmas Party 13 SHARENET Auction 19 Lodge Christmas Party (music) 28 Leikarringen Family Potluck 31 New Year's Eve Party (music)

* Dates to be determined.

Adult Heritage Camp

Adult Heritage Camp is going to be held at Trollhaugen May 1-3. This is a great time to experience hands on heritage: crafts, language, cooking, woodcarving, and needlework. Sign up before the price goes up on April 15th. See the flyers and sign-up sheets on both bulletin boards.

Trolls Den

Thanks to the generosity of bartender Doug Stuart, Trolls Den customers have been enjoying Thursday night bowling with a Wii console and game board he brought in. Scores and averages have been kept as each person bowls a series of games. A spontaneous fundraiser came about on March 12th and within half an hour \$300 was raised to purchase our own Wii console and all the necessities that go with it to bowl. We owe a big thanks to the Trolls Den patrons for being so generous.



From the Lodge Administrator's Desk – Trolls Den Sunday Hours and Events

The **crab feed** in February was an unqualified success. Many thanks to Heidi King, her helpers and everyone who volunteered and made the dinner such a special event.

Annual Spray's Rib Night - April 17 - Dance to our own Doc Casper's 'Thin Ice' - an absolute "must come" event to savor these famous ribs. Bring your cowboy hat and come on down!!

Food Handler's Permit Class - This is scheduled for April 2nd at 5:30 pm in the Viking Room. The \$10 fee will be picked up by the lodge and members are encouraged to attend for new licenses or to renew an expiring license.

On Mother's Day, May 10th, the Alive Cov. Church puts on a special champagne brunch at the lodge for single moms and moms whose husbands are overseas.

HELP WANTED!

Bingo will complete its fourth year at the lodge in May. Bingo and bingo food service contribute approximately \$25,000 to the lodge each year. We need more help with bingo and bingo food service. No experience is necessary, we will provide all the training that you need. We have a very small group of volunteers that make bingo successful. Our crew works about 50 weeks a year with hardly any time off. Our people are getting burned-out and tired of having to work every week - about the only way to get a day off is to leave town. Bingo income is essential to the financial stability of the lodge, but will be jeopardized if we can't find additional volunteers. If you can help, please call Wade Moncrief (297-3571) or Vern Herrick (779-2596).

Lodge Meetings

Many members who heard Bob Goldstein speak at the March lodge meeting would like to hear more. Bob is going to lead a book discussion at the Poulsbo Library on April 15 at 6:30 on his book "Man from Finland." You can get the book at the Poulsbo library. Anyone who wants to hear him again can participate. See the Library information in this issue.

The April lodge meeting will include a presentation by Daniel Olson, the new Poulsbo fire chief.

In Memoriam

Elmer L. Lindahl

Bingo Buzz

A POPULAR PLACE TO BE

Come to the Sons of Norway on Wednesday evening for BINGO! You cannot have any more fun elsewhere in Poulsbo on a Wednesday night. The regulars are ready and waiting when the early Bird games begin at 6:00 and go right on to our regular games and jackpots at 6:30. We offer a \$500 progressive blackout jackpot, starting at 54 numbers. Bingo at the Sons is a family event where people look forward to seeing and being with their friends.

Bingo profits provide almost \$20,000 yearly to our Lodge. In addition to the income to the Lodge from the games, it is also receiving money from our sales of hamburgers, hot dogs, sandwiches, salads, popcorn, chips, candy, desserts, and beverages that are sold. Don't sit home on those cold frosty or gray & rainy evenings, come join us at the lodge and have some fun!

Answer to the question posed in the March Måken is: ***The story goes that St. Patrick drove all the snakes out of Ireland. But then, you all knew that already didn't you.***

Ladies Club News

The March meeting was such a treat with the lunch crew serving a wonderful and delicious corned beef and cabbage meal. Thanks to Vickie Arness, Arna Mathisen, Lorna & Gary Woodward, Mary & Jim Waller and Robbie & Tom Wright.

Our March 14th rummage sale, though we gave such short notice, was quite a success bringing in \$600. Pricing was done by Jan Saenz and Anita Hagerman while others helped set up, work the sale and take down. Thanks to all.

Our April 2nd meeting will host a representative from Fishline for our program. Please bring a non-perishable food item to donate to their food bank.

On April 7th our ladies have been invited to the Oslo Lodge in Bremerton to lunch with their Ladies Club. Carpooling plans will be made at the April meeting.

Help will be needed for these events: The District II Board luncheon meeting on April 4th and catering for the Roche Harbor Yacht Club on April 25th.

The Ladies Club would like to express appreciation to Master woodcraftsman Peter Gerstel for building a much needed partition for the salt & pepper shakers in the Ladies club rolling cart.

Barb Mitchusson, President [779-4553](tel:779-4553), barbara.j@comcast.net

Calling all Boaters!

In many parts of Norway mid-summer is celebrated by taking to the water on boats. Some places even have boat parades with musicians on board. This year we would like to bring a little bit of Norway to our mid-summer celebration by adding a boat parade. We currently have about four musicians who would be happy to participate in a boat parade at mid-summer. The date is Saturday, June 20th, starting about 3:00. If you have a boat and would like to participate, please contact Joanne Graves ([779-9979](tel:779-9979)).

Sunny Daze on the Deck & Fun in the Sun

March 15th marked the beginning of BBQ season on our deck. Fred and Gary, our faithful cooks, are busy making hotdogs and hamburgers from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm and they really need volunteer help! If you'd like to volunteer to cook on a Sunday, please sign up with Heidi King, at shoomadoggie@comcast.net or [360-204-1110](tel:360-204-1110). There will be a BBQ every Sunday except Easter. April 19th the deck will officially open for Sunday Mariners games. Game time that day is 1:10 pm and **Hot Dog Madness and Dress Your Baker How You Like It** will be the fare of the day. Check the Administrator's updates to see what time the Trolls Den will open for games throughout the season.

Also starting in March, every third Saturday will be game day. So bring your favorite board or card game and let's have some FUN! A TACO BAR with all the fixings will be available for \$6.00. Volunteers will be warmly welcomed.

Friday Night Reminder

As was reported last month, many volunteers are needed to ensure the success of Friday night dinners. If you'd like to be on a kitchen crew or, better yet, be in charge of a crew, contact Barb Mitchusson at 779-4553 or let someone at the lodge know you're interested. Remember—the dinners are for families and guests of lodge members as well as lodge members and there's plenty of space in the Norse Room for those who are underage or would rather not eat in the Trolls Den.

47th Annual Bowling Tournament- An Invitation

Edmonds Lodge #130 has invited us to be part of this event on April 25th and 26th at Spin Alley bowling Center at 1430 NW Richmond Beach Road, Shoreline. Deadline to register is April 7th—info available at <http://XRL.us/SonsMeet>. A social hour and dinner is planned for Sat. night. The menu is a choice of prime rib OR salmon for a price of \$20.25. Trophies will be awarded. More information at the lodge.



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2009 Camp Sessions

Camp Trollhaugen

June 28 to July 11 Ages 13-15

Camp Nidaros

July 12 to 25 Ages 9-12

Camp Normanna

July 26 to Aug 8 Ages 9-12

Learn about Norwegian
Heritage, language & culture

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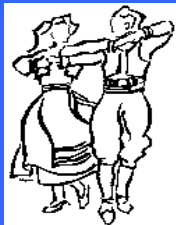
www.sofncamps.com

Scholarships available



The Sunday Trolls Den hours will be determined by the Trolls Den Committee and the lodge administrator in order to take advantage of the sporting schedule. Come on in and join in the fun!

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