



# Valhall Viking



**SONS of  
NORWAY**

## Mission Statement

*The mission of Sons of Norway is to provide quality insurance and financial products to our members, promote and preserve the heritage and culture of Norway, and to celebrate our relationship with other Scandinavian countries.*

April 2024  
Valhall Lodge #6-25  
Meet at La Mesa Masonic Lodge  
4731 Date Ave.  
La Mesa, CA 91942  
Serving San Diego, CA



<https://lodgeofvalhall.com>

Founded 1912

April	4:	7:00 PM	Lodge Board Meeting
April	6:	9:00 AM	LOV Breakfast Meeting
April	8:	7:00 PM	Corporation Meeting
April	13:	1:30 PM	Lodge Meeting & Social
April	23:	March Newsletter Deadline	

## Ord fra presidenten

Did you notice that the recent issue of Viking had an informative article about famous styles of Norwegian sweaters? What a coincidence that our March social presentation was "Sweaters and More: A History of Knitting in Norway". Thanks to Else for the research so I could assemble the Power Point, to the members who wore their sweaters and to Fay for suggesting a group photo of members in their sweaters. There was a nice variety, from the classic lusekofte and mid-century Marius to recent designs from Oleanna. Lou, Millie and Everett wore commemorative sweaters from the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration in 1995. Look for the band of repeated Viking ship silhouettes around the shoulder. I loved Else's story of her Oleanna sweater, a gift from childhood friends at a reunion. And no, Steve, we don't judge you for having an updated Marius made in Iceland 😊



Tusen takk to Judy and Susan for another delicious salmon and meatball dinner, followed with fabulous cake to celebrate the lodge's 112<sup>th</sup> anniversary!

This month we will have a spring dinner. Details are on Page 3. Also in April, we have a Board Meeting  
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on April 4th and a Corporation Meeting on April 8th. Both of these meetings will start at 7:00 PM and both will be on Zoom. Contact Steve Rawlinson ([editor@lodgeofvalhall.com](mailto:editor@lodgeofvalhall.com)) if you wish to attend either meeting as a quiet observer.

I'm glad that the sweater weather is still here but not a fan of Daylight-Saving Time as it throws off my body clock. Our two dogs love that breakfast is an hour earlier though 😊

Med vennlig hilsen,

Myla Coleman

Valhall Lodge President



Happy Birthday  
Gstulerer Med Dagen!



### April Birthdays

3 Patricia Becker

5 Kevin DeNino

6 Ari Klusmeyer

9 Andy Ueland

18 Lillian Jansen

20 Kenneth Lindebrekke

22 Doris Anderson

22 Charles Sundry

22 Dean Seiler

24 Jerry Wergedal

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Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/valhallsonsofnorway/>

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District Six Newsletters and Cultural  
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Camp Norge: <https://www.campnorge.org/site/>

District Six: <https://sofn6.org>

House of Norway: <https://www.houseofnorway.org>

International: <https://www.sofn.com>

## **Spring Dinner**

**Dinner and Social  
Valhall Lodge, Sons of Norway  
Meeting at Masonic Lodge of La Mesa  
4731 Date Ave.  
La Mesa, CA 91942**

**Saturday, April 13, 2024**

**Check-In at 1:30  
Dinner served at 2:00  
Meeting to follow**

### **MENU**

**Ham, Cole Slaw, Scalloped Potatoes  
Roasted Carrots, Coffee  
Dessert following the meeting  
Soda and Water available with donation  
Please feel free to bring your own wine or beer**

**Cost \$20, Children under 10: \$10  
\*\*\* PLEASE pre-register by April 9, 2024 \*\*\***

**When making a Reservation, please include  
number of adults and number of children.**

**Call or send reservations to Millie Wright  
(619) 760-7446  
[grandmom2dach@gmail.com](mailto:grandmom2dach@gmail.com)**

## Valhall Lodge, Sons of Norway

### 2024 Social Calendar

<b>JANUARY</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>DINNER - Happy New Year!</b>
<b>FEBRUARY</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>CATERED DINNER</b>
<b>MARCH</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>SALMON DINNER</b>
<b>APRIL</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>SPRING (HAM) DINNER</b>
<b>MAY</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>SYTTENDE MAI DINNER</b> <b>Open-faced sandwiches</b>
<b>JUNE</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>ICE CREAM SOCIAL</b> <b>Hot dogs &amp; Bingo</b>
<b>JULY/AUGUST</b>		<b>(NO MEETINGS)</b>
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>HERITAGE (CATERED)</b>
<b>OCTOBER</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>(KRETSSTEVNE MONTH)</b>
<b>NOVEMBER</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>LUTEFISK &amp; MEATBALLS</b> <b>LILLE BUTIKKEN</b>
<b>DECEMBER</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>JULTREFEST — POT LUCK</b>

## Zoom Meeting Notices

The next **Lodge Board Meeting** will be on **Thursday, April 4, 2024, at 7:00 PM.**

The next **Corporation Meeting** will be on **Monday, April 8, 2024, at 7:00 PM.**

We welcome lodge members who are not on these boards to these meetings for the purpose of observation. It is good to have a large number of lodge members aware of the work your boards are doing. In order to facilitate the efficient conduct of these meetings, we ask that such observers use the mute feature on Zoom during the meetings.

Steve Rawlinson will host both meetings. If you wish to observe, you may send Steve an email to [editor@lodgeofvalhall.com](mailto:editor@lodgeofvalhall.com) and tell him which meeting(s) you wish to attend.



# Lodge Officers - 2023-2024

Lodge Officers	
President	Myla Coleman
Vice President	VACANT
Counselor	Maury Lee
Secretary	Susan Cody
Assistant Secretary	VACANT
Financial Secretary	Aprell Bigler
Treasurer	Millie Wright
Social Director	Judy Sawyer
Asst Social Director	VACANT
Cultural Director	VACANT
Marshall	Andy Ueland
Assistant Marshall	VACANT
Historian	Sandra Yeaman
Musician	Susan Cody
Editor	Steve Rawlinson
Assistant Editor	VACANT
Foundation Director	Jim Adams
Publicity Director	Jim Adams
Youth Director	Myla Coleman
Sports Director	Ellen Spitzer
Webmaster	Steve Rawlinson
Trustee	Susan Cody
Trustee	Millie Wright
Trustee	Judy Sawyer

Auditors
Everett Shogren
Sandra Yeaman

Corporation Officers	
President	James Adams
Vice President	Andreas Ueland
Secretary	Everett Shogren
Treasurer	Steve Rawlinson
Director	Millie Wright
Director	Judy Sawyer
Director	Myla Coleman

LOV Officers	
President	Susan Cody
Vice President	Judy Sawyer
Secretary	Solveig Waters-Appel
Treasurer	Barbie Lorentz



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# Lodge Meeting Minutes

## March 9, 2024

Anthems of USA, Norway and Canada were sung. The meeting was called to order at 3:05 by President, Myla Coleman. Visitors were Tor Amble, and Lou and Judy Dow. New members David and Tordis Moe were also in attendance.

Motion to accept the minutes of the February meeting as printed in the newsletter was carried.

A birthday card was sent to Lucille Wendling on the event of her 103<sup>rd</sup> birthday. Her daughter called to say thank you for the card.

Treasurer's report-The audit has been done and the report was approved by the auditors. Motion to accept the treasurer's report carried.

Pins were awarded to Millie and Susan for 25 years membership. A Golden pin for 30-year membership was presented to Tam.

Social Director's Report-Judy thanked the Masons for helping set up tables this morning. April is our spring dinner. The June social will be held the third weekend, June 15, because the Masons are having a flag day event on our usual weekend.

Corporation-The corporation is doing well. Earnings have gone up with the Charles Schwab account.

Foundation-During an international fundraiser, the foundation received \$120,000 in donations from individuals and lodges. Jim will have a report from the district in April.

Myla got the business cards designed and produced.

Website-Steve described issues with the upgrading of the website. Directories were mailed out.

Convention-Susan, Judy, Ari and Graciela will be the delegates to the convention in June. There were no nominations for the alternates.

Publicity-Jim stated that "the best publicity is you". He invited everyone to the next fish club dinner on March 15.

Good of the order-Crafting at House of Norway continues on every other Monday. The next will be March 11.

Happy birthday was sung to Tor Amble and Lou Coover.

Happy anniversary was sung to the Adam's, Wergeland's, and Bigler's.

The next meeting will be April 13. The next Valhall board meeting will be April 4 at 7pm via zoom.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:36.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan Cody, Secretary

# LOV Meeting Minutes

## March 2, 2024

Denny's Restaurant, Fletcher Hills 9:00AM

Hostesses: Else and Millie

The meeting was called to order at 9:05AM by President Susan Cody.

Sixteen members attended.

Guests: Janet Michka. We were very happy to see her with us again.

Minutes of the February Meeting were published in the Lodge newsletter. Sandra corrected "Book Club members have not met" to "Standing Committee has not met". Millie MOVED, Ellen SECONDED that the minutes be approved as published. and amended. MOTION PASSED.

Treasurer's Report: Barbie updated us on our financial situation, having distributed the January report and met all our bank's requirements for a clean audit, a yearly requirement. Sandra MOVED, Judy SECONDED that the reports be approved as read. MOTION PASSED. Barbie questioned whether to pay an annual \$250 bill for Vesterheim membership; discussion revealed that item was already in the budget and led to a positive decision.

Sunshine: no report

### COMMITTEE REPORTS

Cultural - Standing Committee has not yet met. Myla reported on Norwegian knitting instruction opportunities.

Bunad Book Standing Committee – no meeting.

### CULTURAL

Susan's white board was on a double mission: translating the lyrics of the Norwegian National anthem (with a discussion on the peculiarities of language) followed by all of us singing it --- with feeling.

### OLD BUSINESS

President Susan Cody and Treasurer Barbie Lorenz followed up on CD offers from Wells Fargo as our substantial money market fund could have better yields. A motion was made to transfer \$15,000 to an account with a higher yield. Motion carried.

### GOOD OF THE ORDER

Myla thanked the members who supported program presented by Jasmine Araujo, an Emerging Leader Girl Scout, at our February social. She is one of 15 girls working for the Gold Award community project that involves a robot club as well as a mental health program to benefit San Diego and Imperial Counties citizens. Myla also thanked members for purchasing Girl Scout cookies at the social.

Birthdays: Janet

Anniversaries: Myla

Drawing: Ellen, Barbie, Helen, Judy, Sue Hawkins, Thelma

Next Meeting: April 6. Hostesses are Sandra and Carrie.

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**LOV Meeting Minutes of March 2, 2024**  
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The meeting adjourned at 10:27AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Solveig Waters-Appel, Secretary

In Recognition  
of  
Twenty-Five Years of Membership,  
Sons of Norway awards a Certificate of Appreciation  
and pin  
to the following member for her long and faithful  
service:

**Twenty-Five Years of Membership**

Lillian D Jansen

Congratulations!  
Valhall Lodge 6-025 ~ Sons of Norway

## Oskar E. Evensen RIP, 1937-2024

We are sorry to report the passing of Oskar E. Evensen. He was a long and faithful Golden Member of Sons of Norway and Valhall Lodge, having joined in March 1975. He was 86 years old. We extend our deepest sympathy to his family and friends.

## Camp Ambassadors Wanted

Are you passionate about Camp Norge? We need YOU! The Recreation Center Board is looking for enthusiastic people to serve as camp ambassadors. You will spread the word about our beloved Camp Norge and share your experiences there with your fellow lodge members. You know your lodge best as well as how your members get their information (newsletter, website, social media, in-person gatherings, etc.) You will work with the Rec. Board's Century Committee to share information and updates on everything happening at camp. We're looking for ambassadors throughout District Six so that all of our members know about our Gem in the Sierra.

Contact Kristen Hunsbedt at [kristenhunsbedt@gmail.com](mailto:kristenhunsbedt@gmail.com) or 408-828-3503.





Front view of sweaters at March Sweater Social



Back view of sweaters worn by people standing.



Millie Wright (left) and Susan Cody (right) receive 25-year awards from President Myla Coleman (center).



Susan Cody in her Norwegian sweater.

## Scholarship Opportunities for District Six Youth

District Six offers up to 3, \$1,500 scholarships per year for students ages 16-23. These scholarships are available for students attending an accredited post-secondary school or training institution. The deadline for this scholarship is May 1, 2024. This scholarship can only be granted two times to recipients.

Applicants are reviewed by a District Committee.

District Six offers a \$1000 scholarship to the Concordia Skogfjorden Language Villages. The deadline for this scholarship is May 1, 2024.

Applications are available on the District Six website at [www.sofn6.org](http://www.sofn6.org). Please send completed applications to c/o Luella Grangaard, PO Box 832, Morongo Valley, CA 92256 or e-mailed to [moorongo2@verizon.net](mailto:moorongo2@verizon.net).

In addition there are many scholarships offered by the Sons of Norway Foundation at [www.sofn.com](http://www.sofn.com).

Please take advantage of this District Six Member opportunity.

## Campership Opportunities

District Six provides half camperships for our two District youth camps, Camp Trollfjell Language and Heritage and Trollfjell Folkehøgskule. These camperships provide half of the camp fees. An application must be completed and submitted. The information is on the District Six website under Youth→Scholarships/Camperships. Due date is May 1, 2024

## Norwegian Language Camp

Concordia Language Villages will have a Norwegian Adult Weekend April 25-28, 2024 at Bemidji, Minnesota. The cost will be \$640, and people aged 18-99 are eligible to attend. A discount of \$50 is available for students with a valid college Student ID and for seniors over the age of 65. Registration closes March 28, 2024.

Details for signing up are at <https://www.ultracamp.com/info/sessiondetail.aspx?idCamp=1308&campCode=CLI&idSession=418030>.

Details about Concordia Language Villages and about the location of the language camp are at <https://www.concordialanguagevillages.org/sessions?program=Adult+Overnight&language=Norwegian>.

Erik Brakstad is the director for this course. [erikb@hevanet.com](mailto:erikb@hevanet.com) (503) 449-0818. He is highly recommended by Elka Adams. She has had a language course from him previously in 1989.



Congratulations to Lucille Wendling for reaching her 103rd birthday!

Millie Wright, acting on behalf of the Sunshine Committee, sent a birthday card and received an expression of appreciation from Lucille's daughter Laura.



*Email from Laura Wendling to Millie Wright on March 7, 2024 @ 12:02 PM:*

Dear Millie – Here is a belated but heartfelt thank you from my mother, Lucille, and me for the lovely card you sent to recognize her 103<sup>rd</sup> birthday. She was so delighted to receive it and know that the Sons of Norway members are thinking of her. As you can tell from the attached photo, she is doing amazingly well, still living on her own in the home I grew up in near SDSU. Surely her Norwegian genes have helped her become one for the record books!

Cheers and Tusen Takk,

Laura



Mark the Date for the District Six Lodge Meeting and Convention!

June 20-24, 2024, Tuscan Suites and Casino, Las Vegas, NV

Hosted by Vegas Viking Lodge # 152 and the District Six Board

### Folk Art and More

It's time to start working on projects for the 2024 Folk Art Exhibition at the biennial District Six Lodge Meeting & Convention in June, 2024. New this year, is a 'Viking' category to go along with the Viking Vision logo/theme. An 'Olaf' award will again be presented to a favorite digital/electronic program. So, start (or keep going) on your knitting, stitching, carving, painting, etc. or get creative with a digital program and/or the Viking theme.

### **The Real Valkyrie: The Hidden History of Viking Warrior Women: Speaker Nancy Marie Brown at the District Six Convention**

The 2024 District Six Convention will offer a heritage and culture day. Nancy Marie Brown will present a webinar at the convention on one of her latest books, "The Real Valkyrie: The Hidden History of Viking Warrior Women." This book is based on archeology of the Birka grave Bj581, which was originally thought to be a male warrior grave. However in 2017, DNA revealed that this Viking warrior of high status was actually a woman. The author uses science, history and sagas to weave a story of who this Viking woman might have been and what her story could have been. Brown challenges the reader to think of women during Viking times based on the history and the evidence in the science versus nineteenth-century Victorian biases. Brown quotes in her acknowledgements, Ulrich Raulff in "Farewell to the Horse" (Liveright, 2018), "History is written in the indicative mood, but lived and remembered in the optative—the grammatical mood of wishful thinking. That is why historical myths are so tenacious. It's as though the truth, even when it's there for everyone to see, is powerless—it can't lay a finger on the all-powerful myth". The "Real Valkyrie" is my attempt to lay a powerful myth to rest: The myth that Viking women stayed at home, keys on their belts, while Viking men, carrying swords, raided and traded from North America to Byzantium, Baghdad and beyond.

Anyone may attend the convention culture and heritage day and even if you aren't a delegate you can attend the District Six Lodge meeting. On Friday June 21, 2024 there will be the webinar by Nancy Marie Brown, author of the "Real Valkyrie", history of the Vikings by Jaan Calderon, experts on Viking textiles and clothing, Norwegian architecture, the Sons of Norway cultural literature program, with a Viking focus and more. Consider attending these special events. There will be a nominal fee for attendees.



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## ***District Six***

*California, Utah, Nevada, Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico, and Hawaii*



From the District Six Bylaws, Article V, paragraph 12: *Every lodge within the district shall be entitled to two delegates for the lodge and one for every fifty members or major fraction thereof, based on the last semi-annual (membership) report prior to the election.*

**2024 District Six Convention** at Tuscany Suites Hotel and Casino, Las Vegas, Nevada    June 21 – 23  
Thursday, June 20 – evening Board and Committee meetings  
Friday, June 21 – Viking Cultural Presentations and Workshops, Vendors, and Viking Style Dinner & Viking Costume Fashion Show!  
Saturday, June 22 – Leadership Workshops, Memorial Service, Opening Ceremony, District Lodge Meeting, Vendors, Folk Art Exhibition  
Sunday, June 23– District Lodge Meeting, Recreation Center Meeting, Folk Art Exhibition, evening President's Reception, Installation of New Officers, Banquet and Awards  
Monday, June 24 – morning meeting of the newly elected District Board of Directors, including outgoing board

Delegates are required to be in attendance for the entire Saturday and Sunday District Lodge Meeting sessions. Come early for the fun Viking Cultural Sessions on Friday and the Viking style dinner and Viking Costume fashion show. Remember, any lodge member may attend as a guest. Check out the Convention website often as information is added periodically - [2024.sofn6.org](https://2024.sofn6.org)

Costs are a key concern for delegates and lodges. Now might be the time to start a discussion about special fundraising to assist in sending delegates to the Convention. The delegate package is \$325 (\$275 if received and paid by April 15); guest package is \$285. Room costs at the Tuscany Suites Hotel and Casino are \$79 for Thursday and Sunday nights and \$179 for Friday and Saturday nights - plus 13.38% occupancy tax, roughly \$146.26 per night average if attending four nights. The hotel rooms are large suites; sharing is encouraged. The \$79/night rate applies to pre/post reservations based on availability. Assistance with finding a roommate will be available – note such request on your online registration. Use the Sons of Norway hotel reservation code or link when it becomes available. The \$39/day resort fee is waived for our group with this code or link.

If you are running for a district office or otherwise planning on assisting in convention activities, you should notify your lodge so that you can be elected as a delegate. Attending a District Convention is fun and educational: you learn more about Sons of Norway; you are updated and informed about the state of District Six; you meet folks from other lodges; you gain insight from cultural sessions and leadership sessions; you help chart the course of our organization; and of course, you enjoy seeing wonderful entries in the Folk-Art Exhibition and the electronic program submissions. Delegates come back enthused with new ideas to help lodges grow and thrive. The convention includes more heritage and culture, but be assured, there's business to attend to as well. This convention will be full of fun, heritage, and culture as well as the business of our future. We hope to see you there.



Recently, District Six Secretary Nancy Madson found a bookmark in a book that she is rereading. The bookmark was a delegate gift from Valhall Lodge in the 1994 District Six Convention. We would love to know who made the bookmark and any other information around the donation of this bookmark to convention delegates. Anybody with information to offer may email it to [editor@lodgeofvalhall.com](mailto:editor@lodgeofvalhall.com).







# WORK DAY!

*Help prepare camp for summer!*

Sunday, April 21st

9am– 5pm

Projects for all ages & abilities.

*Helpers can stay the night at camp for free!  
Breakfast, lunch & dinner provided.*

*Bring gloves, tools, paint supplies, and cleaning supplies.*

**Please RSVP —** Email Fred at [fred.hymans@campnorge.org](mailto:fred.hymans@campnorge.org)



# MEMORIAL DAY

At Camp Norge

Join us for a fun & relaxing weekend!

## MAY 24-27

Swimming | Hiking | Campfire | Axe Throwing | Pickle Ball

### STAY

*Choose from: Main House, Dorms, or Cabins - or bring your RV or Tent*

*Call 530-389-2508 to reserve your spot*

### DETAILS

Come for the day or the whole weekend!

Tons of fun activities to choose from for all skills and abilities.

Meals provided or on your own.

Open to all Sons of Norway & Young Scandinavian Club members and their families & friends

### REGISTER FOR MEALS

[campnorge.org/site/memorial-day](https://campnorge.org/site/memorial-day)

*Deadline to register for meals 5/16/24*







## Help build the “Hygge Hus” at Camp Norge!

The Recreation Center Board is excited to announce our 2024 fundraising campaign to build the “Hygge Hus” (Cozy House) cottage adjacent to Heritage Hall at **Camp Norge**. Our dream is to make this a duplex consisting of two cottages, each featuring a bedroom, bathroom and kitchenette. For decades, we've shared the heartache of our aging and disabled guests who, due to terrain and room limitations, are unable to join us at Camp. **So, these fully-accessible units will ensure inclusivity for individuals using wheelchairs and walkers.**

**But we need your help!**

**We're seeking your support** to make the **Hygge Hus** a reality. The campaign runs through the spring, culminating at the District Six Convention in Las Vegas. Let's come together to build the **Hygge Hus** and make **Camp Norge** a haven for all, regardless of age or ability.

**Phase 1** of the campaign is underway **as we endeavor to raise \$50,000** to confirm the feasibility, acquire permits and prepare the site.

**We are well on our way as we've already received over \$16,000 as of late March!**

**Make your donation TODAY.**

Go to our Go Fund Me Campaign ➡ [Click HERE](#) or go to <https://gofund.me/62ff9cf7>

For more information, contact any member of the Camp Norge Board, or  
Fred Hymans: [fred.hymans@gmail.com](mailto:fred.hymans@gmail.com)

## Beware of Pig Butchering Scams

Pig butchering scams harvest hundreds of millions of dollars each year. The scam works in a sneaky way by having the scammer develop a close personal relationship (often but not always romantic) with the victim.

They usually start by someone sending the victim a message that looks like it's intended for someone else. For example, "Hey, are you Pete? My aunt asked me to contact you and said you could make hot pot." The victim is not Pete and replies with something like, "I'm not Pete, but ..." That gets thing started. The scammer engages in conversation with the victim and learns about the victim from the victim's own words. Once the scammer knows enough about the victim, he claims to be like the victim in some respects. For example, the victim might say that his ancestors came from Larvik, Norway. The scammer will say that he is an immigrant and he was born in Larvik. The victim naively develops a trust in the scammer so that when the scammer starts to talk about investing, the victim is taken in. The scammer will talk the victim into opening a cryptocurrency account. The scammer will point the victim to a website that purports to be a cryptocurrency broker. The victim opens an account and puts money into it. He sees that he is making big profits, so he puts more money in. He thinks that the scammer has never handled his money.

It turns out that the cryptocurrency broker's website is fake, and the scammer's handlers are managing the website. Eventually, the scam operation takes away the victim's money. One of the victims was the CEO of a bank in Kansas.

The full story is available at [https://www.malwarebytes.com/blog/news/2024/03/pig-butchering-scams-how-they-work-and-how-to-avoid-them?utm\\_source=iterable&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=b2c\\_pro\\_oth\\_20240311\\_marchweeklynewsletter\\_paid\\_v2\\_1\\_170990548103&utm\\_content=Pig\\_butchering\\_scams](https://www.malwarebytes.com/blog/news/2024/03/pig-butchering-scams-how-they-work-and-how-to-avoid-them?utm_source=iterable&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=b2c_pro_oth_20240311_marchweeklynewsletter_paid_v2_1_170990548103&utm_content=Pig_butchering_scams)

If you are reading this in the print edition, you will have to type all that stuff above in order to view the full story. If you are reading online, you can just click or tap the link to get there.

## Penny's Rosemaling Seminar at Camp Norge

Rosemaling classes will be offered at Camp Norge on April 27-28, 2024. **Registration closes on April 7, 2024.** Details and registration form are available at

<https://sofn6.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/2024-04-rosemaling-flyer.pdf>



# SCANDINAVIAN HERITAGE FAIR

*Daughters of Norway Turid Jespersen Lodge #44*

**Date:** April 20, 2024

**Time:** 11am – 3pm

**Place:** Norman P. Murray Center  
24932 Veterans Way  
Mission Viejo, CA 92692

## Preparation of Traditional Foods:

*Aebleskiver  
Krumkake  
Lefse and  
Norwegian Waffles*

## Displays of:

*Bunads  
Knitted Sweaters  
99th Infantry  
Battalion (Separate)*

## Demonstrations of:

*Genealogy  
Rosemaling  
Spinning  
Weaving  
Wood Carvers  
Wood Burners*

### FOR SALE (CASH ONLY)

*Kransekake, Soups,  
Rømmegrøt,  
Open-faced Sandwiches,  
Scandinavian Desserts*

## Also featuring products from:

*Norrdesign T-Shirts  
Norwegian Seamens Church  
Karlsson's Scandinavian Designs  
Joan Johnson Watercolor Cards*



**ADMISSION IS FREE!**



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## **DATED MATERIAL**

*Please Deliver Promptly*

**Valhall Viking**

**APRIL 2024**

## **CALENDAR**

<b>April</b>	<b>4:</b>	<b>Lodge Board Meeting</b>
<b>April</b>	<b>6:</b>	<b>Ladies of Valhall</b>
<b>April</b>	<b>8:</b>	<b>Corporation Meeting</b>
<b>April</b>	<b>13:</b>	<b>Lodge Meeting &amp; Social</b>
<b>April</b>	<b>23:</b>	<b>Newsletter Deadline</b>

Next newsletter is the  
May issue

Deadline for the  
May Valhall Viking  
is April 23, 2024

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