10/8/2020

Welcome to the COVID-19 Lutefisk Lovers' and Bazaar list. As the new year approaches there may be additions, but it is difficult to say. Those still having events are following guidelines or are offering a different type of venue than we usually experience. Enjoy what events you can! I am including the cancelled events so you know they have been contacted. Remember to wear a mask for in-person events, wash your hands, and social distance!

List compiled for the Pacific Northwest Lutefisk Lovers since 2007 by Christine Anderson, member of Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001, Sons of Norway, in Seattle; Embla Lodge #2, Daughters of Norway, and Norden Lodge 2-002 in Tacoma.

Information is subject to change, send additions and corrections to <a href="mailto:cmadance@earthlink.net">cmadance@earthlink.net</a> If you would like to add someone or be taken off the list, please reply to this email. Please send other dinners/bazaars you find out about into this email. Updates will be published again around towards the end of the year!

Saturday, September 2020, 11AM-6PM: Fishermen's Fall Festival at Fishermen's Terminal. Free admission! At 2PM is the Lutefisk Eating Contest at the Seafood Demonstration stage. CANCELLED http://www.fishermensfallfestival.org

Saturday, September 2020, 6PM, Social half hour, 6:30PM Dinner: Puget Sound Ski for Light salmon or cod fundraising dinner at Leif Erikson Hall CANCELLED

Saturday, October 2020,10AM-4 PM: Nordic Festival, a celebration of our cultural heritage, sponsored by Embla Lodge #2, Daughters of Norway, held at Mt. View Lutheran Church 3505 122<sup>nd</sup> Ave E. Edgewood WA.CANCELLED

## Saturday-Sunday, October 9 at 10AM until October 24, 4PM, 2020,10AM-4PM: Our Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001 114<sup>th</sup> bazaar in a virtual way!

https://www.biddingowl.com/LeifEriksonLodgeBazaar

Fall is already in the air, so it must be time for our annual Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001 Bazaar. Due to COVID-19, we are jumping into this in a virtual way and hope you will enjoy the experience. You will find 314 amazing auction items from a weekend at a mountain retreat to dolls and your favorite shopping spots at the bazaar: Norna, our ladies group with many talented handcrafters, has hand made items; gorgeous baskets and other much desired items provided by our members and various Norwegian community groups; fun items from our silent auction; and gift cards and fun local products from our spot raffles. It will be different, but perhaps more exciting!

Many of our traditional Norwegian food items are also available by preorder on this site! Enjoy six of Larry's (Sound Catering) delicious meatballs (two ounces each) and gravy, yellow pea soup with rolls from Byen Bakeri, and two slices of almond cake for dessert for just \$20! Other dessert options are also available. Pick up of food on October 24 from 1PM-4PM at Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001, Sons of Norway, 2245 NW 57<sup>th</sup> Street, Ballard/Seattle WA 98107. Our Golden Ticket raffle includes a cash prize of \$1500 with lots more prizes and gift certificates. Tickets may be purchased in the hall office on Wednesdays, Velkommen! For more info: www.leiferiksonlodge.com or 206.783.1274 or leiferiksonlodge@gwestoffice.net

Saturday, October 10, 2020, 10AM-4PM: Anchorage's 24<sup>nd</sup> Annual Scandinavian Bazaar at Bernt Balchen Lodge 2-046, Viking Hall, 8141 Briarwood St, Anchorage, AK 99518. New this year - we will have the Market indoors and out! Several outdoor cultural

demonstrations will include Rosemaling, Drop Spinning, Woodworking, Weaving and Strikkekafe. There will be lively Scandinavian music, lefse for sale and hot cider, coffee. The café' is serving take-out foods. Health guidelines are followed to keep all safe. There will be many top quality Scandinavian items for sale, including:

Norwegian Nisse, Handknit Norsk mittens, New Book "Winter of the Wolf," and more. Still serving "the best lunch in town", the Velkommen Café will offer takeout items of Polse (reindeer dog in lefse), Ertesuppe (yellow pea soup), Lapskaus (beef vegetable stew), Krumkake, Danish Pastries, Blotekake (rich layered cake), Risengrot (rice porridge), Meatballs on a Stick served with fresh Alaskan lingonberries, and more!

Fresh Lefse, Cardamom Bread and pasties will be prepackaged for sale.

**Lutefisk Dinner CANCELLED** 

Our popular Silent Auction will be open until 3pm. Come and Enjoy! For more info call Viking Hall at 907-349-1613 or email <a href="mailto:sonancak@gmail.com">sonancak@gmail.com</a> Contacts: Carlene <a href="mailto:charleneh907@gmail.com">charleneh907@gmail.com</a> and Gayle <a href="mailto:alaskagayle@hotmail.com">alaskagayle@hotmail.com</a> Submitted by Linda Bustamante

Thursday, October 15, 2020: Sumner Holiday Food Bazaar Christ the King Lutheran Church in Sumner at 245 Valley Avenue in Sumner, WA 98390. Go to website <a href="https://www.ctklcsumner.org">https://www.ctklcsumner.org</a> to order lefse, rosettes, krumkake, pickled herring. Pick up on November 7 between 10AM-2PM. They will have jams, cookies, candy and maybe some crafts and 2021 calendars. Leave message or email at <a href="mailto:ctklcsumner@yahoo.com">ctklcsumner@yahoo.com</a> or call for more info: 253-863-1142

**Friday, October 16, 2020: Nordahl Grieg 6-052 Orders for Annual Lutefisk and Meatball Dinner Kits** must be in. Nordahl Hall, 580 W. Parr Avenue, Los Gatos, CA. The Party is Virtual, but the fish is real! This is a make-it-at-home meal, so order as many kits as you need to feed family and friends. The amount of food in each kit is listed so you decide what to order. Select any "Additional Items" as desired. Each kit comes with preparation instructions and additional recipes. Make the meal special by adding your own favorite traditional dishes. Plan to make it a feast to remember! The party is virtual! Join us on Zoom for a welcome from our Lodge President and jokes by Fred Hymans, our Financial Benefits Counselor. Other items and activities will be included in the kit to enhance your Norwegian experience. Order Now! Do not delay – ALL reservations MUST be postmarked or reserved online no later than Friday, October 16, 2020. The first 25 orders received will receive a free CD of Norwegian music – you can listen and dance while you cook! **Pick-up will be at Nordahl Hall on December 4 and 5** (select preferred date below). We will send you instructions and a pick-up time. Questions? Call Barbara Shoup at (408) 406-0502

http://nordahl-grieg.org/site/2020-lutefisk-and-meatball-dinner-kit-order-form/

Saturday, October 2020, 11AM-4PM: Norden Lodge 2-002 in Tacoma presents its annual Lutefisk Dinner and Bazaar Normanna Hall, 1106 South 15th St., Tacoma, WA. CANCELLED

Saturday, October 2020, 10AM-3PM: Nordic Fair hosted by Ingeborg Lodge #43, Daughters of Norway, in Stanwood, WA at Stillaguamish Grange, Stanwood Camano Fair Groups. CANCELLED

Saturday, October 2020, 10AM-3PM: Sol-Land Lodge 2-086 presents A Taste of Scandinavia at Kennewick First Lutheran Church, HWY 395 and Yelm, Kennewick CANCELLED

Saturday, October 2020, 11:40AM to 3:40 PM with seatings every 20 minutes: 107th lutefisk dinner at the Christian Center (corner of 4<sup>th</sup> and Hostmark), First Lutheran Church of Poulsbo, 18920 4th Avenue NE, Poulsbo, WA 98370. For information call: (360) 779-2622. http://poulsbofirstlutheran.org CANCELLED

Sunday, October 2020, seating times are 4:00pm and 5:30pm. All-You-Can-Eat, Family-Style cod (torsk) dinner, Sonja Lodge 2-038, 710 McKinley St, Eugene OR 97402. Call the lodge at 541.344.1064 CANCELLED

Saturday-Sunday, October 24, 1PM-4PM, 2020: Pick up food to go and ending of our Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001 114<sup>th</sup> bazaar in a virtual way!

Pick up of food on October 24 from 1PM-4PM at Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001, Sons of Norway, 2245 NW 57<sup>th</sup> Street, Ballard/Seattle WA 98107. Our Golden Ticket raffle includes a cash prize of \$1500 with lots more prizes and gift certificates. Tickets may be purchased in the hall office on Wednesdays, Velkommen! For more info: <a href="www.leiferiksonlodge.com">www.leiferiksonlodge.com</a> or 206.783.1274 or <a href="leiferiksonlodge@qwestoffice.net">leiferiksonlodge@qwestoffice.net</a>

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Saturday, October 2020, Noon-4PM: Vesterdalen Lodge 2-131 annual Family Style Lutefisk and Meatball Dinner at Messiah Lutheran Church, 410 H St NE, Auburn, WA 98002. CANCELLED

Saturday, POSTPONED to SPRING 2021, 2 sittings from 11:30am-1PM and 2PM to 3:30PM: Tordenskjold Lodge 2-005, Spokane annual LUTEFISK and MEATBALL DINNER at All Saints Lutheran Church, 314 S Spruce, Spokane WA. visit the website <a href="http://www.sonsofnorwayspokane.com/">http://www.sonsofnorwayspokane.com/</a> send email to <a href="mailto:sonsofnorwayspokane@gmail.com">sonsofnorwayspokane@gmail.com</a> or call the lodge number at 509-326-9211.

Saturday, November 2020, 10AM-2PM: Bremerton's Oslo Lodge 2-035 Julesalg / Christmas Sale at Our Saviour's Lutheran Church, 1015 Veneta (11<sup>th</sup> & Veneta) Bremerton WA. CANCELLED

Saturday, November 7, 2020, 9AM-3PM: Bothell Lodge 2-106 Annual Bazaar and Bake Sale. Free admission and free parking. Open to the public. Masks required, limited guests at a time. Lunch to go only: (available for purchase) Pea soup, rømmegrøt, and open faced sandwiches. Bake sale with an array of homemade cookies. Then our vendors, selling their exquisitely made items. Christmas is just around the corner! Sons of Norway Hall, 23905 Bothell-Everett Highway, Bothell, WA 98021. For more info contact the lodge number at 425.485.9085 or check out Bothell's website for up-to-date information <a href="http://www.bothellsonsofnorway.org/">http://www.bothellsonsofnorway.org/</a>

Saturday, November 7, 2020: Sumner Holiday Food Bazaar PICK UP DAY! Christ the King Lutheran Church in Sumner at 245 Valley Avenue in Sumner, WA 98390. Go to website <a href="https://www.ctklcsumner.org">https://www.ctklcsumner.org</a> to order lefse, rosettes, krumkake, pickled herring. Pick up on November 7 between 10AM-2PM. They will have jams, cookies, candy and maybe some crafts and 2021 calendars. Leave message or email at <a href="mailto:ctklcsumner@yahoo.com">ctklcsumner@yahoo.com</a> or call for more info: 253-863-1142

Saturday, November 2020, 9AM-2PM: St. Mark's Lutheran Church by the Narrows, 6730 N 17th St, Tacoma, WA 98406 hosts delicious homemade soup lunch and bazaar CANCELLED

Saturday, November 7, 2020, 10AM-4PM: Scandinavian Fair in Bellingham, WA, hosted by Daughters of Norway-Bellingham Nellie Gerdrum #41 Online with Facebook Live Join the Daughters of Norway Virtually! A fun day filled with Scandinavian favorites, mimicking our in-person fair but only virtually. You will hear from our President, learn some of our lodge secret recipes, and get links to nearly all of our vendors online shops. We cannot wait to share this exciting day with you - right here on Facebook! Click "Going" to this event for updates and we look for ward to seeing you here!

Friday-Saturday, November 2020, 10AM-4PM: Breidablik Lodge 2-027 Split Pea Soup Luncheon and Holiday Boutique 224 Catlin Street, Kelso. CANCELLED. For more information, contact Nancy Harris at 360-423-2769.

Saturday, November 2020, 10 AM – 2 PM: Solveig Lodge #31, Daughters of Norway, invites you to enjoy Bit of Norway with us at Our Saviour's Lutheran Church, 158 S 168<sup>th</sup> St, in Burien (one block east of 1<sup>st</sup> Ave S). CANCELLED For more information, contact Kathi Skarbo at 206-242-9874 or kskarbo@comcast.net.

Saturday, November 2020: Anchorage's Lutefisk and Lefse Dinner, those tasty meatballs too!, served with local veggies, fresh rolls, dessert and beverages at Bernt Balchen Lodge 2-046, Sons of Norway, Viking Hall, 8141 Briarwood St, Anchorage, AK 99518. STILL CONSIDERING: for more info Viking Hall at 907.349.1613. For further info, email sonancak@gmail.com Submitted by Linda Bustamante

Saturday-Sunday, November 2020, 8AM-3PM (Sat) / 8AM-12PM (Sun): CANCELLED Holiday Boutique and quilt sale with holiday decor, homemade lefse, and other Nordic treats, vintage jewelry, and more. Mount Cross Lutheran Church, 8902 40<sup>th</sup> Street W, University Place, WA

Sunday, November 10, 2019, 5PM: Alaskan Codfish Dinner and Concert by the The Norwegian Male Chorus of Seattle. CANCELLED Leif Erikson Hall in Ballard, 2245 NW 57th St. Seattle WA 98107. For more info: NorwegianMaleChorusofSeattle.org

Saturday, October 17, 12Noon-8PM: Slippery Pig Brewery, 18801 Front St NE, Poulsbo WA, is stepping up to provide the yearly lutefisk fix and help raise some money for Martha and Mary. Dine-in for \$30/plate

Includes lutefisk with butter and white sauce, Swedish meatballs with gravy, boiled potatoes, Sluys lefse, cucumber dill salad, cardamom glazed carrots, lingonberry jam, and rømmegrøt for dessert.

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Family-style to-go meals, feeds 3-4 people for \$80, available for to-go only. Includes all of the above with a full lb. of lutefisk and a dozen meatballs. No substitutions for dine-in or to-go, but extra items will be available at la carte. 10% of sales will go to Martha and Mary Limited other menu items available that day, and our Norwegian 75 cocktail with aquavit and prosecco will be available for dine-in or to-go.

We will not be taking reservations, but will be encouraging people to preorder the to-go meals with their preferred pick up time, please respond to the facebook event if you are coming so we can figure out how much food to prep. For dine in we can only accommodate groups up to

5 people, per Washington State COVID-19 guidelines. https://www.facebook.com/events/966991597136235

Sunday, November 2020: Grieg Lodge 2-015 Lutefisk dinner. Ignore the risk – try lutefisk!!!! Norse hall, 111 NE 11<sup>th</sup> Ave, Portland OR 97232. Grieg Lodge has CANCELLED its annual Lutefisk Dinner, but we do have lutefisk for sale. It's \$25 for 4-lb. bag (frozen). Contact Jennifer Jardee Borquist for details--jennifer@borquist.com Submitted by Gail Hetland

Friday-Saturday, November 2020: Tacoma Lutheran Retirement Community Holiday Bazaar, CANCELLED 1301 Highlands Pkwy, Tacoma, WA 98406.

Friday-Saturday, November 2020: Normanna Lodge 2-003s Nordic Holiday Bazaar. CANCELLED Normanna Lodge, 2725 Oakes Ave. Everett, WA 98201. For more info call the lodge number at 425.252.0291 or email <a href="mailto:normannaeverett@gmail.com">normannaeverett@gmail.com</a> Submitted by Lisa Maher.

Thursday - Sunday, November 19 - 22, 10AM-5PM: Julefest at the National Nordic Museum. NORDIC MUSEUM, 2655 NW Market Street, Seattle, WA 98107. Julefest looks a little different this year, but you can still find fun, festive holiday cheer at the Museum. Though we can't gather in the thousands for Nordic music, holiday treats, and dozens of vendors, we're still celebrating at the Museum. November 20—22, you'll find an expanded selection of goodies in the Museum Store, plus amazing holiday decorations throughout the Museum. We can't have Santa this year, but you can still take a seasonal selfie with the perfect holiday backdrop! These three days will also feature a special, reduced admission price. For more info: 206.789.5707 or fax 206.789.3271 https://www.nordicmuseum.org/julefest

Saturday, November 2020: Scandinavian Cultural Center, Sweater Exchange, and Danish Sisterhood Holiday Bazaar CANCELLED. Scandinavian Cultural Center, 100 & 133; Pacific Lutheran University - Anderson University Center: 12180 Park Ave S, Parkland, WA 98447

Sunday, November 2020: Lutefisk dinner at Columbia Lodge 2-058, 2400 Grant St. Vancouver, WA 98660. CANCELLED. Submitted by Leland Saele.

Wednesday, December 2020: Norwegian Language Christmas Service (Julegudstjenste) held in the Ness Family Chapel CANCELLED Pacific Lutheran University - Karen Hille Phillips Center: 12180 Park Ave S, Parkland, WA 98447

Friday, December 2020: Sankta Lucia Celebration at Pacific Lutheran University CANCELLED. Scandinavian Cultural Center. Scandinavian Cultural Center, 100 Pacific Lutheran University - Anderson University Center: 12180 Park Ave S, Parkland, WA 98447

Saturday, December 5, 2020, 10AM-4PM: Poulsbo Lodge 2-044, Sons of Norway will hold its annual bazaar and Julefest, featuring thirty Scandinavian-themed vendors, plus pea soup, rømmegrøt, freshly grilled lefse, and more! The fun continues at Waterfront Park at dusk, where the Sons of Norway Vikings will escort the Lucia Bride and light the bonfire, followed by the Viking King's reading of the Winter Solstice Proclamation. An annual tradition, and a must to kick off the holiday season! From Lizbeth

Saturday, December 2020: Thor Lodge 2-042 in Salem annual Bake Sale CANCELLED. It will be held at the Salem Masonic Temple, 1625 Brush College Rd NW, Salem OR. Submitted by Pat Ehrlich, Secretary

Saturday, December 5, 2020, 12 Noon-6PM: Bothell Lodge 2-106 DRIVE THRU annual lutefisk and meatball Bothell Sons of Norway, 23905 Bothell-Everett Highway, Bothell WA 98021. Lutefisk, meatballs, boiled potatoes, full menu not known yet nor is the price. Stay in the car and dinner is brought to you. For more info: 425-485-9085 or contact Chris Hicks at hicks1015@msn.com

Saturday-Sunday, December 2020: Roald Lodge 2-039 in Klamath Falls, Oregon, Christmas Bazaar at the Klamath County Fairground. CANCELLED Submitted by mikgrif@aol.com

Saturday (10AM-5PM) - Sunday (10AM-4PM), December 12-13, 2020: ScanFair, presented by Nordic Northwest (previously Scandinavian Heritage Foundation) experiencing a Nordic Christmas at the Veteran's Memorial Coliseum, Portland, OR. Experience the sights, sounds, tastes, and traditions of the Nordic Holiday season. ScanFair brings Scandinavia to Portland through traditional food vendors, entertainment program focused on cultural heritage, educational craft corner, and welcoming local community organization. Brought to you by Nordic Northwest and Scan Design Foundation. Location TBD. Check website for more info: https://www.nordicnorthwest.org/scanfair

Sunday, December 6, 2020, 12noon-6PM: STILL UNDER CONSIDERATION Lutefisk at The Farmhouse Restaurant, 13724 LaConner-Whitney Rd., Mt. Vernon, WA, phone 360-466-4411. "One of Washington's largest baked ham, komla, pickled herring, poached salmon, smoked salmon, rice pudding, salads, flatbread, lefse, Scandinavian cookies and much more." Price: \$41.95 for adults, \$38.95 for seniors. Kids under 12 are a dollar per year! Traditional Nordic Music by Leif & Sunnie Accordion Duo, 2:30-6pm. For more info: Terry Brazas terry.brazas@gmail.com

Saturday, December 12, 2020, 11AM-? The Whidbey Island Nordic Lodge 2-164 Bake Sale at the Fritz Cornell Nordic Hall, 63 Jacobs Rd, Coupeville, WA 98239. Details available in November email <a href="mailto:whidbeyislandnordiclodge@gmail.com">whidbeyislandnordiclodge@gmail.com</a> or visit <a href="https://www.whidbeyislandnordiclodge.com">www.whidbeyislandnordiclodge.com</a>

Sunday, December 13, 2020, 12noon-6PM: STILL UNDER CONSIDERATION Lutefisk at The Farmhouse Restaurant, 13724 LaConner-Whitney Rd., Mt. Vernon, WA, phone 360-466-4411. "One of Washington's largest

baked ham, komla, pickled herring, poached salmon, smoked salmon, rice pudding, salads, flatbread, lefse, Scandinavian cookies and much more." For more info: Terry Brazas <a href="terry.brazas@gmail.com">terry.brazas@gmail.com</a>

Forgot to catch the cod or ran out of time to dry the fish and make the ashes? You can buy lutefisk for your own home party at:

## Tacoma:

Northern Fish 56th Street, 3911 South 56th Street, Tacoma, WA 98409.

Phone: (253) 471-4900

Email: retail@northernfish.com

Monday - Friday: 10:00 am - 6:00 pm

Saturday: 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Sunday: Closed

## Seattle:

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STORE: 206.784.7020 FAX: 206.783.6218

www.ScanSpecialties.com

**QFC:** Check your local store for lutefisk which is fresh, never frozen. Order a couple of weeks in advance. Always good to plan ahead

If your lodge has other lutefisk providers to recommend, please send them in to the compiler!

## Lutefisk and more in 2021! Coming soon!

Saturday, January 23: Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001 Educational Foundation annual Crabfeed and Scholarship Fundraising Dinner. CANCELLED