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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Hilsen fra Presidenten. Welcome back from the summer break! I hope you have all had a good, relaxing summer. We are already gearing up for September Lodge meetings and the annual Bazaar on October 26-27. Although activities always slow down a bit during July and August, there has been a lot happening. Thanks to Ed and Sandy Conry, our new gardeners, who are keeping the lawn mowed and plants watered. There was

a minor setback when our newly-planted geraniums were stolen from the front planters. Imagine that, flower thieves. Maybe we will have to resort to plastic flowers? The Lodge recently received a facelift with the painting of the exterior by Kjell. In addition, Kjell generously donated his time and painted the Kaffestua. Wow; how nice is that? Tusen takk to Kjell! Thanks also to those who helped with Lodge cleaning back in July - Valborg, Janet, Karen and anyone else I have forgotten!

Speaking of Kaffestua, there were several days of unexpected closure in August due to a shortage of Volunteers. Some of this was due to Volunteers being on vacation but in general Kaffestua is experiencing an overall Volunteer shortage, especially sandwich makers. Lisa will talk more about this in the Kaffestua article. We really need more members to volunteer in Kaffestua, during the week and on Second Saturday. Not only is this a welcome gathering place for members but it also provides income to LEBA, which in turn utilizes the funds for building maintenance and repairs. Please consider volunteering at Kaffestua. You don't need to be an expert and there are people willing to teach you how to make sandwiches and waffles! Laurie Lund-Gonzales gave a sandwich making class in June, although most of us already knew how to make sandwiches. We may have attended for the socializing aspect. Or maybe it was the wine.

In July, some of the LEL Board and members Ed and Sandy Conry, hopped on the ferry to Poulsbo SON Lodge, where we had dinner and took a tour of the Lodge. Our hosts were Joanne Graves, Kathleen Lange's sister, and David Rice, past President of the Poulsbo Lodge. Although we are competing for the most Sports medals earned this past year, we were there to share our common enthusiasm for SON and camaraderie. We enjoyed the view from their deck and music from a band in the nearby park. Thanks to Kathleen for arranging this fun trip!

The Lodge also participated in the Ballard Seafood Festival on July 13 and 14. Thanks to LEL Board members, Norwegian Ladies Chorus, Norwegian Male Chorus and Leikarringen for helping staff the booth and remind the community there are still some Norwegians in Ballard!

While some of us enjoyed mini vacations at home, others have been

travelling further from home and abroad. I received postcards from Iceland, Norway, Estonia, New Mexico and Philadelphia. Where have you been this summer?

We look forward to seeing new and old faces back at the Lodge in September. We hope new members will join us soon and see the many activities the Lodge has to offer. Velkommen! Last, but not least, be sure to return your Golden raffle tickets and attend the Bazaar on October 26-27 to see if you are a winner! Til vi møtes igjen.

Fraternally,

Gail Engler, President, Leif Erikson Lodge

VICE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Fall is here, and what a year it has been so far! Along with many of the lodge events we have all come to know and love, we have tried a few new things as well. Many of you were present for our first Icelandic Beer Day Party, you can read more about that great event in the following pages. While we took a few months off our normal members meetings, a lot went on in the lodge this summer. If you haven't seen the recent upgrades, visit LEL soon. A huge thank you to all the members who volunteered their time and skills to help with painting, gardening, and all kinds of other projects this summer.

Our September members meeting will feature LEL member and past president Randi Aulie preparing a great dinner, followed by our program and business meeting. As always, the evening will kick off at 5:30 on Wednesday the 11th with social hour. This month Julie Whitehorn will join us from the Pacific Sámi Searvi, we are very excited to learn more about their mission and the work they do. RSVP to the office by Monday September 9th. Please consider joining us for a community volunteering day at Pasado's Safe Haven on Saturday September 14th. We will be helping out from 10-2:30. This local non-profit started over twenty years ago with a mission to end animal cruelty. If you want to help out a great cause please call or email me anytime for more information. We will meet at the lodge and head to their farm in Sultan. My contact info can be found on the following page. Interested in learning more about our membership goals for the rest of the year? Join me at our next Membership committee meeting on Wednesday September 18th at 6:15 here at the lodge. Thank you again for your continued support of Leif Erikson Lodge, as always please reach out to me or any of your board members if there is anything we can do to help you get the most out of your Sons of Norway membership.

Seth Maristuen, Vice President, Leif Erikson Lodge

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(or as announced)

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Leif Erikson Lodge Presents:



SEPTEMBER 11 MONTHLY MEMBERS MEETING

Join us for our monthly membership meeting and dinner. We will begin with social hour at 5:30 followed by dinner at 6:00. This month our own Randi Aulie and her crew will prepare a dinner of fish soup with shrimp, Fiskegrateng and vegetables. And you won't want to miss Karamellpudding for dessert! All this and beverages for \$20, proceeds will go towards updates to the third floor restroom.

We are delighted to welcome Julie Whitehorn to the lodge for our September program. Julie will be joining us from the Pacific Sámi Searvi, a local nonprofit cultural association where she is President. Learn more about the group and their mission at www.pacificsamisearvi.org.

September's youth activity will be learning Norwegian songs from 6:30 to 8:00 upstairs in the Norna Room.

Call the office or RSVP to LeifEriksonLodge@qwestoffice.net
by Monday September 9th.



Dinner & Members Meeting

**Social 5:30 pm
Dinner 6:00 pm**

Pacific Sámi Searvi

**Business Meeting
7:30 pm**

**Youth Activity
Norwegian Songs**

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FROM THE CULTURAL DIRECTOR

I hope to see many of you at our membership meeting on September 11th. We were able to reschedule Julie Whitehorn from Pacific Sámi Searvi. We had to cancel the February meeting due to snow, so we'll have her join us in September. Julie is President of the Board of Directors of Pacific Sámi Searvi, a local Sámi organization. She will give a talk about Sami National Day and share information about Pacific Sámi Searvi. Sámi National Day is celebrated on February 6 across Sweden, Norway, Finland, and Russia. For those of you who don't already know, the Sámi people are the traditional indigenous people from Northern Finland, Norway, Sweden and Russia. They are most well-known for reindeer herding. Sámi National Day is a relatively new holiday and has been celebrated since 1993. Sámi people celebrate by, among other things, wearing traditional clothing, attending cultural demonstrations, flying the Sámi flag and singing the Sámi national anthem. February 6 commemorates the first Sámi congress, held February 6, 1917 in Trondheim. We're also planning on incorporating the Sámi National Anthem into her presentation. This is a great opportunity to learn about this local group. We are lucky in Washington State to have so many Cultural organizations, and I'm thrilled to hear about Pacific Sámi Searvi. See you in September!

Thank you!

Ariane Westin McCaw, Cultural Director

KAFFESTUA KROKEN

Hello all!

Summer was a busy time for our volunteers at the Kaffestua. Many of us were either gone on vacations or hosting out of town guests. We hope that all of you had a nice summer as well! We had to close on quite a few Mondays in August due to lack of volunteers. We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused. With that being said, we are always looking for volunteers. It's a great way to get involved and get to know some people at the lodge while providing such a great service to our visitors. If you can work one day a month, we would most appreciate it. You can reach myself, Lisa Greenough at 206-465-8840, and we can find a day that fits in your calendar. If you can serve a cup of coffee, we can use you!

Fall is a great time to stop by and grab a cup of coffee and some delicious open face sandwiches, wafles, and other goodies for a small donation. Our hours will be back to normal: Monday, Wednesday and Fridays from 10:00 am - 2:30 pm. If you are lucky, you might even come when we have our wonderful live accordion music.

If weekdays are hard for you to visit or you just need a special Saturday outing then look to the Second Saturday Kaffestua as well! Every month, Kaffestua is open on the second Saturday, same hours as weekdays, serving up much of the same that we serve during the week! We look forward to seeing you on a Saturday.

Thank you to QFC/Kroger for a very special donation of a \$500 gift card to the Kaffestua. We will put this to good use buying the many groceries that are needed to feed all of you hungry Scandinavians!

Volunteers Over the Past Couple of Months at Kaffestua Include:

Valborg Nordbo, Magni Hinsee, Laurie Lund Gonzales, Reidun Totland, Perdis Jacobsen, Gunn Marit McArthur, Janet Clancy, Bjarne Varnes, Nancy Hiraoka, Pat Jolin, Gail Engler, Marilyn Fuller, Ellen Beck, Karen Sheldahl, Judy Browning, Magne Erga, Janet Tofting, Inger Persson, Molly Thompson, Linda Pye, Laila Lunde, Julie Albright, Helga Moen, Lisa Greenough, and Connie Hofstad. Tusen takk to all volunteers!

People Who Recently Donated Food Items and Whose Names Were Listed in the Book:

Vidar Warnes, Magni Hinsee, Jostein Karlsen, Carol Smith, Reidun Totland, Gail Engler, Kathleen Lange, Lisa Greenough, Helga and Odd Moen, Pat Jolin, Laurie Lund Gonzales, Valborg Nordbo, Karen Sheldahl, Kari Knudsen, Ellen Beck and Connie Hofstad, Bjarne Varnes and Gerry Folkestad. Many thanks to all of you for your generosity!

Our Very Talented Musicians Who Recently Entertained Us:

Trygve Bjørndal, Thor Olsen and Thor Tollefson

Music makes a real difference!

Lisa Greenough

SECOND SATURDAY KAFFESTUA

On Saturday, September 14 we will be back in full swing, after taking a break for the summer. We are looking forward to serving you with the usual spread of delicious treats, including beautiful open-faced sandwiches and heart waffles. We will have the coffee pot on and the doors will be open, 10:30-2:00. Nancy Hiraoka will play some favorite Scandinavian tunes on her accordion. If you have never experienced Kaffestua before, please consider trying it out. In case you weren't aware, all proceeds go toward the Leif Erickson Building Association. By supporting Kaffestua, you are supporting the Lodge!

If you love Kaffestua, please consider volunteering your time to work in the kitchen! No experience necessary; we will teach you the Scandinavian skill of making beautiful open-faced sandwiches and heart waffles. We are a fun group and would love to have you join us! Please call or email Nancy Hiraoka at 206-498-9693 or nan.gran@comcast.net. It's a great way to get involved in your Lodge!

Nancy Hiraoka

LEL YOUTH GROUP ACTIVITIES

Greetings from the Leif Erikson Lodge Youth Directors. 2019 has been a fun-filled year of activities so far. Most recently we marched in the Syttende Mai Parade, made lefse, went bouldering and learned about and painted some of the different types of Rosemåling.

After the summer off we are ready to resume! Starting in September during the members meeting, September 11, we will be learning Norwegian songs. And coming in October is our Pumpkin Carving and Pizza evening. Email us for a copy of our schedule or if you have any questions. lelyouthseattle@gmail.com.

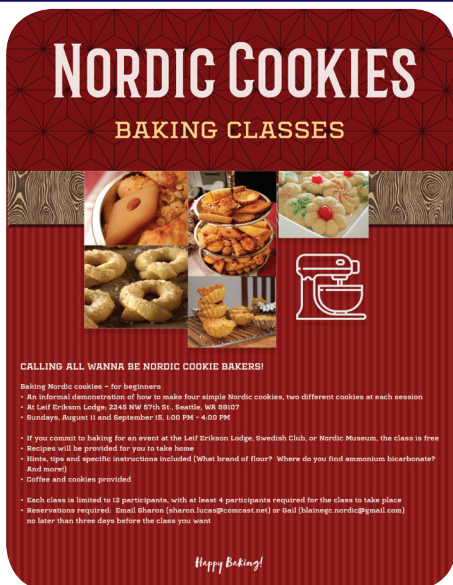
Evelyn and Kari



BASIC NORWEGIAN FOR ALL INTERESTED MEMBERS

Andrea Torland and Ellen Margrethe Beck will lead a class of basic Norwegian for all members interested in picking up Norwegian words and phrases! This class will begin in October on the second Saturday. The class will begin at 2:00 p.m. in Kaffestua. Happy Hour begins at 5:00 p.m. If members want to stay for that they are already in the right place! Please let the Lodge office know if you are interested in attending a free class on basic Norwegian!! Call 206-783-1274 to sign up.

Tusen takk!



NORDIC COOKIES
BAKING CLASSES

CALLING ALL WANNA BE NORDIC COOKIE BAKERS!

Baking Nordic cookies – for beginners

- An informal demonstration of how to make four simple Nordic cookies, two different cookies at each session
- At Leif Erikson Lodge 2245 NW 97th St. Seattle, WA 98107
- Sundays, August 11 and September 15, 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM
- If you commit to baking for an event at the Leif Erikson Lodge, Swedish Club, or Nordic Museum, the class is free
- Recipes will be provided for you to take home
- Hints, tips and specific instructions included (What brand of flour? Where do you find ammonium bicarbonate? And more!)
- Coffee and cookies provided
- Each class is limited to 12 participants, with at least 4 participants required for the class to take place
- Reservations required. Email Sharon (sharon.lucas@comcast.net) or Neil (blanney.nordic@gmail.com) no later than three days before the class you want

Happy Baking!

LEIKARRINGEN

Leikarringen will have our first dance practice Tuesday, September 10th from 7:30-9:30. We will not only dance but have our potluck party night to start out our new dance year. All folks are invited, no dance experience necessary. We are happy to teach anyone interested. Leikarringen is committed to teaching and passing on this wonderful tradition. Our business meeting will be on Tuesday, September 24th. We are looking forward to performing in full bunad/national dress for the Wednesday, November 13th Lodge monthly meeting.

Sheila Bartanen, President, Leikarringen



DINNER DANCE

Ski For Light/Leif Erikson Lodge
in Ballard

Saturday, September 28, 2019
Happy half hour 6:00pm
Dinner 6:30pm

Salmon and Cod
Cooked over an open fire

Live music by Nordic Reflections

Reservations encouraged
Leif Erikson Hall 206-783-1274

\$25.00 per person!!

NORWEGIAN GREETING

Hei Allesammen!

Jeg håper at dere hadde en kjempeflott sommer med både fest og tid til å ta det med ro. Jeg reiste til Norge i august og besøkte familien min der. Vi hadde det kjempekoselig! Losjen ser annerledes ut nå med ny maling og vegg til vegg teppe og i noen steder teppeflis! Vi håper å se dere i september når alle Losje aktiviteter er tilbake og det er mye å gjøre og delta med! Dere er hjertelig velkommen tilbake!!

Hilsen fra **Ellen Margrethe**

Hi Everyone!

I hope you had a great summer with both parties and time to take it easy. I went to Norway in August and visited my family there. We had a fantastic time together! The Lodge looks different now with new paint and new wall-to-wall carpet and in some places carpet tile! We hope to see you in September when all the Lodge activities are back and there's a lot to do and take part in! You are cordially welcomed back!!

Greetings from **Ellen Margrethe**

NORNA LADIES ACTIVITIES

All ladies who are members of the Leif Erikson Lodge can automatically become members of the Norna Ladies. We typically meet on the second Tuesday of the month (September through June) – usually at the Lodge in the Norna Room – for a potluck lunch and short business meeting. Our next lunch/meeting is Tuesday, September 10.

As a group, we participate in the annual Lodge Bazaar and Heritage Day. Our “booth” offers many “crafty” items for sale, including our famous embroidered dish towels, hand-knit children's sweaters, socks, and mittens, those hard-to-find refrigerator towels, and our newest items – Swedish weave bottle holders and placemats, made by a Norwegian, of course.

Other activities we sometimes plan include gatherings at local nurseries, a trip to the Poulsbo Lodge for shopping and attending their Kaffestua, as well as an afternoon lunch and movie. Read future Vikings for announcements about our group and plan to join us. We are a fun family of Lodge ladies who would welcome new members like you.

Judy Gray & Diane Adams Co-Presidents

HAPPY HOUR

Greetings,

The season of having 2nd Saturday Happy Hours has been successful in both having a good time and bringing in some money for the Lodge. Actually because of the volunteer help and judicious purchasing, we have not lost money on any of the events. Some were close with a profit of only \$20 but others like last Saturday had a profit of over \$200. This is thanks not only to the participants but also to the people who have helped out, shopping, setting out food and the bar and serving as bartenders and the cleanup crew and donations to the raffle collection. Thank you all.

Next Fall our first happy hour will be September 14, 2019 and this starts off a series of 10 events. We hope you will be able to volunteer your services for at least two 2nd Saturdays to make this popular social continue. It is probably too early to tell when you might be available but I would like to know if you are still willing to be on the volunteer list. Please respond by telling me "keep me on or take me off". If you know of a few others who would like to be on the list of volunteers please also return to me their email address and phone number. Thank you ! Hope you had a nice summer !

Regards,

Doug Warne

dwarne3400@aol.com

SON SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

The Sons of Norway Foundation awards 25 scholarships to promising students each year. The programs promote cultural exchange and support higher education to help students follow their dreams. Although application deadlines vary from Jan. 15 to March 1, 2019, it is not too early to think about applying for support for the 2019-2020 school year. Learn more and apply for scholarships offered in 2019 through the Foundation funds. Go to www.Sons of Norway Foundation/scholarships.

LEBA UPDATES

Our LEBA volunteer committee was busy this Spring with finalizing plans on Lodge maintenance for the summer season. We are happy to report that several of these projects have already been completed. One project was to put new carpet in entry, stairs, landings, office and stage. The office and stage furnishings had to be removed and replaced but now, with the new carpet, those areas look great. Secondly, we were able to get the exterior of the building washed and painted by Kjell Painting. He was able to get mobilized during a period of warm, dry weather and completed that work in an efficient and careful manner. Additionally, he put a coat of paint on the Kaffestu as a donation back to the Lodge. Thanks, Kjell!

Both of these projects were possible because of the generous contributions of lodge members through the Go Fund Me effort led by Christine Anderson; she also put a coat of paint on the office walls after the furniture was removed. Thanks, Christine!

LEBA had also been preparing for some fire safety maintenance in the early summer. A number of recalled sprinkler heads in the main hall have been replaced and the emergency water standpipe to the building is being cleaned later. Thanks to Ozzie Kvithammer, one of our newest LEBA members, for supervising this work as well as the successful exterior paint job!

The HVAC and kitchen equipment is on a quarterly service schedule. A generous donation from Magne Erga and the Commercial Club, allowed us to go forward with an assessment of our elevator condition this Spring. The report gave us estimated costs for an elevator modernization as the Lodge will need to do some 'major budgeting' for that project! The elevator did pass its state mandated 5 year pressure check in February. However, we have been told by our elevator company that it will become more and more difficult to repair our 33-year-old elevator unit as replacement parts are becoming obsolete.

On our upcoming 'to do' list for the Fall, LEBA needs to replace the security cameras and recording monitors for office staff and caretaker at the Lodge. We got cost estimates for the work this Spring but realized we do not have the necessary funds considering other work in process. Thanks for your support.

Peter Nestingen

President, LEBA

Editor's Note: LEBA elections in June resulted in Peter Nestingen, President; Ozzie Kvithammer, Vice Pres.; Victoria Sangrey Hunter, Secretary; Theresa Nislen, Treasurer. New member Ryan Bornemeier was welcomed to the Board. Other Board members: Judy Cooper, Dan Baines. There are currently two vacancies.

OBITUARIES

Kenneth Freeman died June 17, 2019, at age 77. He joined the Lodge in 1997 and was a member for 22 years, living up in Norway Park, in the cabin that family love built. He is survived by his loving wife Julie, sons, Kenneth H., Travis (Robin), Kelsey; daughters Theresa (Larry) Harris, Melanie (Gary) McKeenan, and Kathleen (Jack) Harris. He was a loving grandfather to 15 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his son Lance and a grandchild. The Memorial will go to the Leif Erikson Educational Foundation.

We only just learned that Sharon S. Ellingson died on October 16, 2016, at age 77. She joined the Lodge in 1994 and was a member for 22 years. Sharon was a loving mother, wife, and grandmother. She is survived by her three children, Martin Ellingson (Kris Wilke) Marie Anderson (Daryl Snow), David Ellingson (Renae), nine grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her parents, husband, infant sister, Opal, and brother, Glennys Lunde. The Memorial will go to the Leif Erikson Educational Foundation.

Odny McDonald died July 28, 2019, at age 88. She joined the Lodge in 1986 and became a Golden Member in 2016 and was a member for 33 years. Odny volunteered in Kaffestua for years and will be missed by her family and friends. The Memorial will go to the Leif Erikson Educational Foundation.

Our sympathy to member Harold Nygaard on the loss of his beloved wife Pauline, who died at age 93 on July 12, 2019. She will be dearly missed by Harold and the rest of the family and friends who knew Pauline in Newberg, Oregon where she lived when she passed away and in Seattle where she and Harold lived for so many years. She was a wonderful lady!

Our sympathy to the family and friends of former member Leif Alan "Al" Hovland who died at age 74 on May 9, 2019. He is preceded in death by the love of his life, Diana. He is survived by his two daughters Amy (Bill) Dussault, and Sarah Hovland; his brother Mark (Ann) Hovland and sister Penny (David) Griffen; and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.



NORWEGIAN LADIES CHORUS CLOTHING DRIVE!

Please consider donating your gently used clothing and soft goods for this NLC fundraiser! We are collecting clothing, shoes, socks, hats, mittens, scarves, purses, wallets, bags, yarn, plush toys, ties, decorative pillows, belts, linens, towels, blankets, etc. to donate to Value Village in October. We accept items in 13-gallon kitchen garbage bags only. These are all the items that Ditt og Datt doesn't accept. Please contact Nancy Hiraoka at either 206-498-9693 or nan.gran@comcast.net for details on how to donate. Thanks for your generosity!

VOLUNTEER NEWS

Thank you to the many Volunteers for all you do to keep Leif Erikson Lodge thriving! Many members have given their time and blood, sweat and tears to keep the Lodge running well and looking nice. From our Gardeners, to Kaffestua, the Office staff, event Volunteers, LEL and LEBA Board, we all have an interest in making this a fun and unique place to gather, learn about Norwegian and other cultures and share a conversation or skill with others.

Currently we are in need of Volunteers for the Bazaar which is on October 26-27, 10:00-4:00 Saturday and 11:00-4:00 on Sunday. Assistance is needed in preparing pea soup and/or Lapskaus, shopping, distributing flyers, setting up the day before the Bazaar and cleaning up on Sunday. If you have previously volunteered in a certain area please let us know you can help or if you want to try something new, that is great!

Other areas needing Volunteers: Kaffestua, Second Saturday Kaffestua, Happy Hour, Lodge Meetings-setup, bartending, etc).

New members-please join us for one of events or activities and see what the Lodge has to offer. We also have a very active Youth Group which meets during the members meeting on second Wednesday of the month. Together we'll make our Lodge even greater! Call the LEL Office at 206-783-1274 to sign up.

Tusen takk!

REMINDERS

Reminder to please RSVP for dinner for our membership meeting on the second Wednesday.

September 11th features a special fundraiser dinner prepared by Randi Aulie and friends so please RSVP no later than Monday, September 9th. Cost is \$20.00. Call the office at 206-783-1274 or sign up on the list posted on the Bulletin Board or in the office. You can also sign up via the e-news email that is sent out to members several times per month. Not receiving the e-news? Sign up for e-news by emailing leiferiksonlodge@qwestoffice.net

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Deadline for submitting articles to the Vikingen is the Saturday following the Membership meeting.

Send to Gail at cody24gracie@hotmail.com.

Next deadline is **September 14, 2019 for the October Vikingen.**

HELP WANTED

The Lodge needs people for the following positions:

BAZAAR 2019: Please call the office to volunteer for the many different jobs available. 206-783-1274. Dates are Oct. 26, 10:00-4:00; Oct. 27, 11:00-4:00. We need help prior to the Bazaar also.

- **LEBA Board:** (Building Association)-Still need two Board members experienced in contracting, plumbing, building maintenance, etc.
- **LEL Board positions:** Auditor, Trustee, Social Director and Greeter; You must be a LEL member for at least 3 months to hold these positions.
- **Vikingen Newsletter -Editor and Business Manager**

Contact : Gail at cody24gracie@hotmail.com or Seth at sethmaristuen@gmail.com
If you are interested in any of the above positions.

COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITY

There is an ongoing shortage of men's clothing donations at the Bridge Care Center at 5710 22nd Avenue NW Building B in Ballard. The Center provides access to a wide range of services as well as a clothing bank for men and women in need. The supply of men's clothing - especially pants - chronically falls short of requests. Please go through your closets and donate what you no longer use. For further information contact Jody Thorsen Grage at 206-718-1529 (jodytgrage@gmail.com). Thanks!

BROWN BEAR CAR WASH COUPONS

Please use this coupon to order car wash tickets and mail it to _____ office. Please indicate "CARWASH" on the envelope so it goes to the correct committee:

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CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
I WOULD LIKE _____ CARWASH COUPONS MAILED TO ME.
I HAVE ENCLOSED \$5 FOR EACH COUPON FOR A TOTAL OF \$ _____.
You may wish to donate \$1.00 total for postage, envelope, handling.



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Rehearsals: Tues. 7:30 - 9:00 pm
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**Please join us for our holiday concert on Sunday,
December 8, 2019 @ 3:00 pm at Our Redeemer's Lutheran Church**

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Please notify the Financial Secretary (Ellen Beck) of changes in Name, Address, or Phone Numbers.
Please also let her know of a death of a family member.

LEL CALENDAR SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2019

Sept 4
LEL Board meeting, 7:00pm

Sept 7
Norway Park Pier dedication/BBQ, 1:00pm, Lower park.

Sept 10
Norna meeting/potluck, 11:30

Sept 11
Business/Membership Meeting; Social, 5:30; Dinner, 6:00;
Program, 6:45; Membership Meeting, 7:30. Youth Activity,
6:30- Norwegian songs

Sept 14
Second Saturday Kaffestua, 10:00; Happy Hour, 5:00pm

Sept 14
Volunteer activity at Pasado's Safe Haven, 10:00am-2:00pm

Sept 18
LEL Membership Committee Meeting, 6:15-7:00pm

Sept 28
Ski for Light Salmon dinner and dance; 6:00pm. RSVP to LEL
office

Oct 2
LEL Board meeting, 7:00pm

Oct 8
Norna Meeting/Potluck, 11:30

Oct 9
Business/Membership Meeting; Social, 5:30; Dinner, 6:00;
Program, 6:45; Membership Meeting, 7:30. Youth Activity,
6:30-Pumpkin carving and pizza

Oct. 9
Leif Erikson Day-Let's Celebrate !

Oct. 12
Second Saturday Kaffestua, 10:00; Happy Hour, 5:00pm;
Basic Norwegian Language Class, 2:00pm; Sign up in LEL office.

Oct 26-27
LEL Bazaar; Volunteers needed-Call LEL office to sign up

Wednesdays- Exercise class, 12:00-12:45 in LEL main hall

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