

1912—2007



**VALHALL  
LODGE**

Meetings at 7:30 pm  
first Monday of the month  
at the  
**East San Diego  
Masonic Temple  
7849 Tommy Drive  
San Diego, CA  
92119-1799**

[www.lodgeofvalhall.com](http://www.lodgeofvalhall.com)  
[www.sofn.com](http://www.sofn.com)

**Next Business  
Meeting:  
February 4th**

**Social:  
February 17th**

**Newsletter  
deadline:  
February 15**

## *Ord Fra Presidenten*

Dear Friends,

My time as President of Valhall has come to an end, after serving in the position for one term. As I was installed last year, I was looking forward to being your president. As I stated in the last business meeting, I enjoyed my term as president but for personal reasons I have to step down and not seek another term.

I know that you will support Jerry Oen as your new president, and all the other officers. Valhall has exciting times ahead, starting with the International Sons of Norway Convention and followed shortly after that, the 100th Anniversary of our lodge.

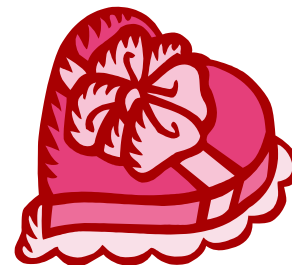
Fraternally,

*Glen Hagen*



### Highlights in February

## Lutefisk for your Valentine??



February is the month you can order lutefisk to take home. See details on page 4 (Lutefisk, Lutefisk, Lutefisk)

**February 4th** at 7:30—Business meeting. A special guest will be at Valhall to talk about **Henrik Ibsen**. Don't miss this interesting meeting! Details page 4.

**February 14th**—Happy Valentine's Day

**February 17th**—Our Annual Lutefisk and Meatball Dinner. Details page 2.

Valhall Lodge No. 6-025 Sons of Norway  
East San Diego Masonic Temple  
7849 Tommy Drive, San Diego, CA 92119

# ANNUAL LUTEFISK DINNER

Saturday, February 17, 2007



Continuous Serving From 4 PM to 7 PM  
Bar opens at 3:30 PM

## MENU

Lutefisk and/or Meatballs  
Norwegian Boiled Potatoes  
Vegetables  
Rye Bread and Lefse  
Coffee Tea Dessert

**Adults: \$17.00 (pre-reservation)**

**\$19.00 (at the door)**

*Members children/grandchildren 15 & under—FREE!*

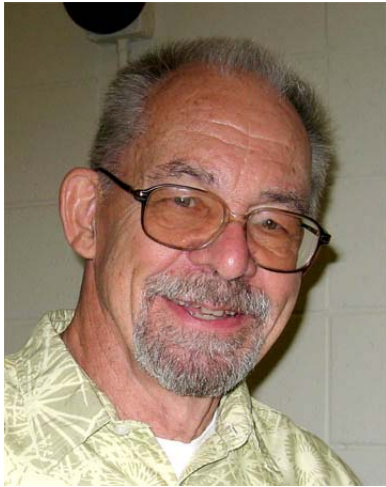
**Deadline for Reservations: February 14**

Mail to:

Karin Brevig 3819 Via Pasatiempo, Rancho Santa Fe, CA 92019  
858-756-1167 obrevig1@cox.net



## ***Hilsen Fra Den Nye Presidenten*** **(Hello from the new President)**



This greeting is borrowed from Ted Fosberg, Sons of Norway International President, as he wrote his first message in the Viking Magazine in October, 2006. I thought it was an appropriate greeting for my first message as President of Valhall Lodge in 2007.

I would like to thank the many members who have conveyed their good wishes and words of encouragement for the year ahead. Especially, I appreciate the guidance provided by all of our recent Past Presidents -- Glen Hagen, Helga Moore, Don Lesney, Sig Stautland, and Sven Olsen. And, of course, mentors to us all are Ola and Karin Brevig, who deserve special thanks for their counsel, especially as to Sons of Norway history, customs, and laws. Following in all of these footsteps can be humbling and I only hope I can begin to fill the task. I will not be alone, however. We are fortunate to have a very competent staff of officers and committee chairs this year.

As I write this, we are preparing for the Installation of Officers and are honored to have President Ted Fosberg attend our Lodge as Installing Officer. While here, he also is reviewing some of the preparations being made for the International Convention which will be held in San Diego in August 2008. With Valhall as host lodge, we will all have many opportunities to help make this convention a success and one to be remembered. There will be much more about this later in the months ahead.

Not so far ahead, we have other chances to celebrate our Norwegian heritage while having fun and fellowship with our friends. Don't forget our big February event, the annual Lutefisk Dinner – one of the

few opportunities we have to savor this delicacy. In Minnesota, where I grew up, there is a Lutefisk dinner somewhere almost any weekend – but here in San Diego, Lutefisk lovers come to Valhall Lodge, even if it is only once a year.

In March, we will be celebrating the 95<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Valhall Lodge – this promises to be an enjoyable and memorable event. Watch for more news.

Also in March, there is another event in San Diego that will warrant our participation, along with other Norwegian organizations in the area. The Museum of Man in Balboa Park has a program each month highlighting an ethnic group, called Towers After Hours, and March will be for Norway. Based on their leadership of a very successful Centennial Celebration in 2005, Anne Hoidal and Lizzie Riiber have been asked to organize this program. They have plans to expand the celebration to include the participation of Sigvald Tveit, a composer, musician and professor at the University of Oslo. We are also anticipating a special presentation at Valhall. Watch for more details.

I am looking forward to meeting and visiting with each of you in the new year. I welcome any suggestions you may have for improvement, or any new activities or programs.

Fraternally,

*Jurolf*

Jurolf (Jerry) Oen



February is  
Norwegian  
Sweater month  
at Valhall

Gratulerer Med



Cultural Programs at Valhall

Dagen!



**Fodselsdag Hilsen**

February Birthdays

- 3 Dagny Benavides
- 3 Anne K. Hoidal
- 6 Sue Fouquette
- 7 AnneMarie Ebeling
- 7 Marilyn Rem
- 10 Sven Olsen
- 10 Don Bigler
- 11 Martha Larsen
- 13 Margit Mena
- 14 Lizzie Riiber
- 15 Virginia Amundsen
- 16 James Adams
- 16 Adeline Svendsen
- 18 Karsten Kvitli
- 19 Solveig Jorgensen
- 21 Bonita Holsbo
- 21 Bernt Erik Nilsen
- 22 Duane Haugen
- 22 Patrick Sutton
- 24 Jennifer Knudsen
- 27 Vicky Cleveland
- 28 Lewis Johnson
- 29 Walter Springer

Happy Anniversary!

- Andreas & Janice 2/21
- Fred & Lucy Leon 2/25
- Allen & Thelma  
Johannesen 2/27

**Welcome New Members**

Kyle M. and Stephanie  
Hammerness  
14855 Heather Glen Way  
San Diego, CA 92128  
858/521-0737  
kshammerness@sbcglobal.net

Jennifer V. Sieger  
17120 Patina Street  
San Diego, CA 92127  
858/716-9504  
thesiegers@san.rr.com  
*Recommended by Marlene Lesney*

**Change of Address**

Ola & Karin Brevig  
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**Ibsen Event in February**

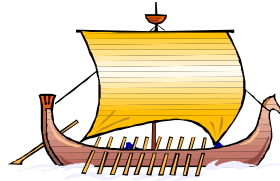
The plays of Norwegian playwright Henrik Ibsen, are the world's most performed. His plays are as current today as they were when written in the 1800's. Dr. Anne-Charlotte Harvey, Professor Emeritus at San Diego State University, will give a presentation of Ibsen plays at the business meeting on February 4th, 2007. This presentation will be a real treat and will give members of Valhall a unique opportunity to learn some interesting facts about the celebrated Norwegian playwright Henrik Ibsen. Please come and bring a friend!!  
Sven Olsen



**Lutefisk, Lutefisk, Lutefisk**

It is the time of the year when Valhall is having its Lutefisk dinner and I will remind you that you can order lutefisk to take home and save it for later. It keeps well in the freezer for months. You can order from me as soon as possible because I have to order ahead of time. The price will be \$6 per pound, and you must pick it up at the lodge on February 17. Give me a call or E-Mail, we have moved so here is our new numbers. Telephone- 858-756-1167. E-Mail obrevig1@cox.net.  
Karin and Ola Brevig

## Ladies of Valhall LOV notes...



Next meeting: February 3 2007, 9 a.m. at Denny's Restaurant in Fletcher Hills.

Hostesses: Mary DeNino and Jane Halleland.

## Heritage Membership

Heritage membership is FREE for children / grandchildren age 15 and younger who have at least one parent / grandparent that is a Sons of Norway member.

Heritage Members receive a quarterly newsletter "Viking for Kids" with lots of fun activities and information on Norway, past and present, and their very own membership card. "Viking for Kids" also includes a Pen Pal Club, brief language lessons, and features such as what's "cool/hot/not" among Norwegian kids.

Please sign up your children / grandchildren today so they can begin enjoying the benefits of this FREE membership and start learning about their Norwegian heritage.

Contact Aprell Waymire at 619-865-2541 or via her e-mail at [aprellw@aol.com](mailto:aprellw@aol.com) and or Contact Bob Miller at 619-252-3493 or via his e-mail at [every3seconds@san.rr.com](mailto:every3seconds@san.rr.com)



February 11

**Morsdag**

Norwegian  
Mother's Day

## Lodge Officers for 2007

President	Jurolf (Jerry) Oen	858-549-1530
Vice-President	Allen Johannesen	858-452-1797
Counselor	Helga Moore	619-298-0390
Secretary	Kay Wolner	619-692-9584
Assist. Secretary	James Wolner	619-692-9584
Financial Secretary	Aprell Waymire	619-276-3809
Treasurer	Don Lesney	619-465-3686
Social Director	Judy Sawyer	619-583-0859
Cultural Dir.	Karin Brevig	858-755-9444
Asst. Cultural Dir.	Sven Olsen	760-735-6171
Marshal	Richard Hausvik	619-579-5447
Asst. Marshal	Douglas Swenson	858-488-7347
Greeter	Don Balmer	619-466-2179
Greeter	Raymond Johnsen	858-459-5430
Historian	Lorraine Tucker	760-233-5034
Librarian	Lorraine Tucker	760-233-5034
Musician	Joyce Olsen	760-735-6171
Editor	Arlene LaBree	858-271-8709
Circulation Editors	Bonita Holsbo	619-562-3049
Foundation Director	Charles Gorder	619-287-3559
Publicity Director	Mary DeNino	858-271-8884
Trustee (1 years)	Ingrid Lindgren	858-277-3376
Trustee (2 years)	Everett Shogren	619-287-6056
Trustee (3 years)	Ola Brevig	858-755-9444
Youth Director	Ellen Spitzer	619-444-9077
Sports Director	Alan Sczepaniak	619-463-6564
Auditors	Allen Johannesen	858-452-1797
	Thelma Johannesen	858-452-1797
	Sven Olsen	760-735-6171
Corporation Directors		
	Don Lesney	619-465-3686
	Sigurd Stautland	619-299-9237
Corporation Officers		
President	Ola Brevig	858-755-9444
Vice President	Allen Johannesen	858-452-1797
Secretary	Everett Shogren	619-287-6056
Treasurer	Jurolf (Jerry) Oen	858-549-1530





# Minutes of the Valhall Lodge Business Meeting December 4, 2006

President Glen Hagen called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. Sigurd Stautland served as Counselor in Helga Moore's absence.

## OPENING CEREMONIES

### VISITORS

Lizzie Riiber introduced her bother, Kjell Skyllstad, visiting from Norway.

### CULTURAL PROGRAM

Sven Olsen introduced a musical presentation: Ragnhild Amble and Joyce Olsen played a piano duet of Christmas jingles, followed by a variety of Holiday selections by the Mannskor.

### APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

The assembled members approved memberships for Della K. Newman, recommended by Lorraine Tucker. Jason Oen and K'lene W. Oen, recommended by Jurolf A Oen.

### INITIATION

Marvin and Marlys Wig were initiated into membership.

### MINUTES

The November minutes were approved as printed in the Valhall Viking Newsletter.

### CORRESPONDENCE

Lodge Secretary Kay Wolner presented the following correspondence: A thank you from Teri Vogt, Schwan's USA Cup Tournament Director, for the Lodge's contribution to making the event a memorable experience for the

many Norwegian soccer players and other teams who were looking forward to playing opponents from around the world.

### FINANCIAL REPORT

Financial Secretary Aprell Waymire and Treasurer Don Lesney presented their respective reports.

### COMITTEE REPORTS

**Social:** Judy Sawyer expressed appreciation to the Salmon Dinner committee for making the event a big success. She introduced Ellen Spitzer who is the chairman for December Social. Ellen urged members to sign up early; she needs to make adequate arrangements for the children who will be attending the Christmas event. She thanked Ingrid for the contribution of waffles made at the House of Norway for the December Nights celebration.

**Cultural** Sven Olsen reported that the next meeting will be the January Installation and Social. In February, Dr. Anne-Charlotte Harvey will make a presentation of Ibsen's plays.

### Blood Bank and Sunshine Committee:

La Vonne Coover sent the following cards: To Margaret Bly, a special greeting for her 104th birthday, and a sympathy card to the family of Vivian Dillahunt.

### GOOD OF THE ORDER:

Ingrid Lindgren reviewed the suc-

cess of the Bazaar at the Salmon Dinner. She also reported that the LOV would have a raffle at the Christmas party.

Adjourned at 8:38 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Kay Wolner, Secretary

## Sons of Norway Mission Statement



The mission of Sons of Norway is to promote, preserve, and cherish a lasting appreciation of the heritage and culture of Norway and other Nordic countries while growing soundly as a fraternal benefit society and offering maximum benefits to its members.

*Sons of Norways misjon er å fremme, ivareta og på lang sikt verne om norske og andre nordiske kulturtradisjoner, samtidig som organisasjonen får vokse og utvikle seg som en broderskapsforening med maksimal hjelp og støtte til alle medlemmer.*

## Family Membership

**FREE** membership to individuals, age 16 through 23, who lives in the same household as a parent or grandparent who is a member of Sons of Norway. of qualified, these individuals, age 16 through 23, can become an *Unge Venner* member and not pay dues.

*Unge Venner* members will receive, **The Valhall Viking** newsletter published by Valhall Lodge and their very own membership card. In addition, you will receive a special newsletter called "**News of Norway**" published by the Royal Norwegian Embassy that Valhall's Membership Secretary will order for you.

Please sign up your children / grandchildren today so they can begin enjoying the benefits of this **FREE** membership and start learning about their Norwegian heritage.

Any individual who wishes to join as an *Unge Venner* member, and take advantage of the family membership, just needs to complete a membership application on which they note the name and member number of the adult member of their household that qualifies them for the family membership.

Contact **Aprell Waymire** at 619-865-2541 or via her e-mail at [aprellw@aol.com](mailto:aprellw@aol.com) or contact **Bob Miller** at 619-252-3493 or via his e-mail at [every3seconds@san.rr.com](mailto:every3seconds@san.rr.com)

### Corporation Meeting

**Feb. 5 at 6:30**

**Meets prior to the business meeting.  
Main business: election of  
officers for 2007**

## A Second Chance

*Bob Miller's story about his recent stroke.*

In the blink of an eye, my life changed on the morning of Oct.20 2006. Unbeknownst to me I was walking around with a ticking time bomb, high blood pressure. Early that morning an artery in the right side of my brain blew up and my entire left side became paralyzed. I was very fortunate to survive. My faith in God and the prayers of my family and friends have kept me together.

I am rehabbing nicely. I am walking without any assistance and I am getting stronger daily. I am still experiencing some issues in my left arm however, I consider myself blessed.

If I could go back in time I would have purchased a Long Term care policy from the Sons of Norway. I also would have had a nice disability policy in force. But I was only 54 and I was running 4 miles a day . Thankfully I do have a nice chunk of Life Insurance in place. I say thankfully because it is too late for me to get any more insurance any place now.

Please let my story be a lesson for those who have others dependent upon you or your income

Long Term Care can easily exceed 3000 a month. Ask yourself, what is more affordable 10 dollars a day while you are working or 3000 a month when you are retired?

The best time to insure yourself is when you are able to do so.

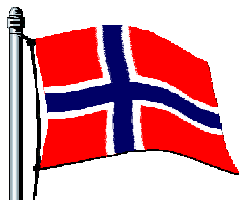
I wish you all good health and a happy 2007

Call me any time for a quote on Life, Disability, Long Term Care or health coverage.

Bob Miller  
619-252-3493

## Valhall Cultural Classes

The Norwegian Genealogy Group will continue to meet on the last Thursday of every month except for July and December at the Family History Center, 4195 Camino Del Rio South from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Each meeting will include a class or presentation on some aspect of Norwegian Genealogy, followed by individual family history sharing or problem solving.



Starting in February, we will begin a series of programs on the emigration from Norway to North America. In February, Oswald Gilbertson, author of recently his released book, "Visions", will lead off our series with Emigration from Norway. Following in subsequent months will be presentations of Immigration to North America, Finding our Immigrant Ancestors and Scandinavian Settlements in this Country.

We will also be discussing the methods of documenting our family history, including submittals for the Sons of Norway Skills Program.

Everyone interested in finding their family roots - especially in Norway - is invited to attend our meetings. For more information, contact Jerry Oen at [jurolf@aol.com](mailto:jurolf@aol.com), or 858 549 1530.

Regards,  
Jurolf "Jerry" Oen  
858 549 1530

### Rosemaling Classes

Informal *rosemaling* classes meet on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month at the lodge in the room downstairs, from 9am to 1. Come visit and learn about rosemaling and have fun learning how to *rosemal*. Classes are free for SON members, \$5 for non-members. No prior experience necessary. Everyone is welcome.

Contact instructor Carmen Cleary for more information at 619-442-0064.

## Woodcarving

The woodcarving group meets on the every Tuesday of the month, from 9am to Noon. The class is being held at the *House of Norway* in Balboa Park. Everyone is welcome to join the group and enjoy conversation and carving. Call Lou Coover for more information at 619-264-9486.



Rosemaling by Tam Stautland, Valhall Lodge

## SERVICES DIRECTORY

### Insurance Representative

Bob Miller  
(619) 252-3493

### Language Instructor

Erling Nyhammer  
(619) 448-4217

### Telephone Committee

Chairperson, Open

### Sunshine Committee:

Chairperson, LaVonne Coover  
(619) 264-9486

### Blood Bank Representative

LaVonne Coover  
(619) 264-9486

### Video Presentations:

Alan Sczepaniak  
(619)463-6564

### Language Club

Erik Nilsen  
(858) 292-9417



## Minutes of the Valhall Lodge Board Meeting November 14, 2006

In attendance: Jerry Oen, Jim Wolner, Ola Brevig, Karin Brevig, Ellen Spitzer, Everett Shogren, Arlene LaBree, Ingrid Lindgren, Don Balmer, Sven Olsen, Judy Sawyer, Glen Hagen, Raymond Johnson.

Minutes were approved.

### Committees:

Judy Sawyer reported on Salmon Dinner; planning for 100. Everett Shogren needs information for January social.

Discussion ensued on Installation; Vista will join us and perhaps another. Anticipate 100 attendees.

Ellen Spitzer reported that plans for the Christmas event were well under way and everything seems under control. Karin Brevig asked members about wisdom of pursuing lefse demonstration.

Sven Olsen reported that the Mannskor would perform at the Christmas event and that Anne Charlotte Harvey will be presenting discussion on Ibsen plays at February meeting.

Ola Brevig reported on progress of International sub-committee; everything is progressing as planned. District Board will be here March 17<sup>th</sup>.

Jerry Oen reported on genealogy classes – good attendance and enthusiasm for program.

Arlene LaBree: Directory will come out end of January. Needs all committees to submit calendar

of events.

Discussion was held on converting exclusively to email for Valhall Viking. A committee comprised of Sven Olsen, Arlene LaBree and Everett Shogren will study email prospects.

### NEW BUSINESS:

Ola Brevig moved, Karen Brevig seconded, that the starting time for the business meeting be moved to 7:00pm. The motion was denied.

### REPORTS FROM TRUSTEES:

Ingrid Lindgren reported on missing easel. It was agreed that the Corporation would buy a new one.

Sven Olsen reported that the piano needs to be tuned. It cost \$160.00 last time. Ellen Spitzer moved, Don Balmer seconded, that the piano be tuned. The motion passed unanimously.

Adjourned at 8:30 pm.

Prepared by Jim Wolner,  
Assistant Secretary

## Win a Trip to Norway

Sons of Norway has a new membership recruiting contest. From January 1 through December 31, 2007, members who recruit new members will be entered into a drawing to win a Norwegian Experience of a lifetime for two.

The winner and their guest will be able to select their own adventure. Whether they prefer a relaxing, pampered cruise or a more active tour of the country, details will be worked out to provide the ultimate experience.

The winner will also enjoy an exclusive excursion to the Hodeland Glassworks near Oslo for a private guided tour, a special 3 course lunch and a NOK 1000 gift certificate.

The ten day trip includes business class air travel and deluxe accommodations, plus \$500 in spending money.

## Lefse: Here's Your Opportunity!

February 17th—Saturday at 9 am *Lefse* Making

### Join the fun!!

Karin Brevig will teach you how to make *lefse*. They will be made at the lodge in the room downstairs.. The lefse you make with Karin will be served to our members at the Lutefisk dinner.

Karin needs to know how many will be attending the Lefse "Class". Please call Karin and tell her you're ready to learn and help.

Karin Brevig 858-756-1167 obrevig1@cox.net

## Social Committees

### FEBRUARY

#### Business Meeting and Lutefisk Dinner

**Chair: Karin and Ola Brevik**

Don and Ellie Balmer

Kennet and Rhonda Brevig

Patrick and Vicky Cleveland

Mary Conklin

Mary DeNino

Shirley Helsel

Martha and Per Larsen

Dustin Lasher

Linda Mabin

Norman Magneson

Dale K. Roybal

Dean Seiler

James and Helen Seiler

Sigurd and Tamara Stautland

Douglas Swenson

Centes Wheeler



### MARCH

#### Business Meeting and Anniversary Dinner

**Chair: Helga and James Moore**

Ragnhild Amble

Philip and Mary Hinshaw

Marianne Halversen

Lillian Jansen

Fred and Lucy Leon

Kay Pepper

John and Mary Rem

Gale and Edward Schaffroth

Wilma Springer

Lorraine Tucker



## Norwegian Programs Coming to San Diego

With the support of all Norwegian organizations in San Diego, Lizzie Riiber and Anne Kløvnes Hoidal are working with the San Diego Museum of Man, 1350 El Prado, in Balboa Park on Norwegian programs for March-April 2007. Since Norway this year is emphasizing its Arctic location, and regards itself as a polar nation, we are introducing several events that deal with Norway's Arctic involvement.

**Towers After Hours** is presented by the San Diego Museum of Man in a ongoing series of evening events celebrating San Diego's diverse ethnic communities with food tasting, refreshments, music and dance. A small "polar" exhibit of Norwegian items will be on display for the **month of March**.

**Thursday, March 29** (6:00 pm to 9:00 pm) as part of the Towers After Hours, there will be Norwegian food and refreshments. The evening's entertainment includes children dancing, music and a presentation by Sigvald Tveit, composer, musician and Professor of Music at the University of Oslo. He will tell about his cooperation with polar explorer Helge Ingstad, who collected Nunamiut songs in Alaska in 1949. Professor Tveit will present numbers from some of his recordings. Tickets are \$20 for non-members, \$10 for members of the museum, and \$15.00 for students.

On **Sunday, April 1** there will be a lecture at the Museum of man by Sigvald Tveit.

On **Monday, April 2**, Sigvald Tveit will be at our Valhall Lodge business meeting.

There will be more information on these events in next months issue.



## IN MEMORIAM

### **Joan Marie Johnson** **Sept. 5, 1936—Dec. 7, 2006**

Joan Marie Johnson, 70, passed away peacefully at home on December 7, 2006. She was born in Chicago but lived many years in San Diego.

Joan Marie joined Sons of Norway, Valhall Lodge in September, 2003. She was very proud of her Norwegian heritage and wanted her family to know they were of Norwegian heritage. She was an active supporter of many charitable efforts.

Survivors include her beloved Life Partner, Richard Abbey, her two sons, Douglas and Breck and six grandchildren. Our sincere condolences to her family and friends.



### **Margaret Jacobsen** **July 6, 1925—Dec. 23, 2006**

Valhall member Margaret (Peg) Jacobsen, 81, of San Diego, died December 23rd, 2006.

Margaret joined Sons of Norway, Valhall Lodge in April 1994. Her husband, Fredrik, is still a member. Known as Peg by her family and friends, she belonged to the Ladies of Valhall also.

Survivors include her husband, Fredrik K Jacobsen, sons Paul F Jacobsen and wife Paddy, Fredrik Jacobsen and wife Susan, and Carl R. Jacobsen and wife Elinor; also her daughter Carol Jacobsen and her husband George Harris. Peg had seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Our sincere condolences to her family and many friends.



### **Vivian Dillahunt** **Aug. 26, 1921—Nov. 19, 2006**

Golden member Vivian Dillahunt passed away on Nov. 19, 2006, at the age of 85. She was born in Iowa, but lived in San Diego since 1943.

Vivian joined Valhall Lodge in November, 1974 and was a Golden member. Over the last 30 years she has helped feed the homeless every Friday at her church.

She is survived by her husband of 60 years, Stewart. Other survivors include her daughter Sharon and husband Joel Castro, and sons James Dillahunt and wife Debie, Howie Dillahunt and John Dillahunt. She is also survived by 8 grandchildren, 4 step-grandchildren and 3 great step-grandchildren, and many friends.

## Lodge Name Badges

All members are encouraged to purchase and wear name badges so that we can get to know you and you can get to know everyone else.

Order your name badge directly from **Awards of Tahoe**. These are the same hard white plastic name badges with the lodge name in white and the Sons of Norway shield in red, white & blue that many members already have. Your name and Valhall #6-025 will be in blue.

The cost for the badge is \$ 8.50 (includes tax and shipping).

To obtain your name badge send this form and a check for \$8.50 to the address shown below. Make the check payable to "Awards of Tahoe".

**AWARDS OF TAHOE**  
**3053 HARRISON AVE., #206**  
**SOUTH LAKE TAHOE, CA 96150**

**Please send a Sons of Norway name tag for:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**(Please Print Name)**  
**Valhall Lodge No. 25**  
**San Diego, CA**

Enclosed is my check for \$8.50 (includes tax and shipping) payable to **Awards of Tahoe**. Please send the name tag to this address:

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## VALHALL LODGE CALENDAR FOR THE YEAR 2007

### JANUAR

1 Mon No Business Meeting  
 6 Sat Ladies of Valhall  
 13 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class  
 20 Sat Combined Business/Social  
 Installation of 2007 Officers  
 23 Tue Board Meeting  
 25 Thur Genealogy  
 27 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class

### FEBRUAR

3 Sat Ladies of Valhall  
 5 Mon Business Meeting  
 5 Mon Corporation Meeting at 6:30  
 10 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class  
 17 Sat Annual Lutefisk Dinner  
 22 Thur Genealogy Group  
 24 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class

### MARS

3 Sat Ladies of Valhall  
 5 Mon Business Meeting – Initiations  
 10 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class  
 17 Sat Social—Anniversary Dinner  
 24 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class  
 29 Thur Genealogy Group

### APRIL

2 Mon Business Meeting  
 7 Sat Ladies of Valhall  
 14 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class  
 17 Tue Board Meeting  
 21 Sat Social  
 26 Thur Genealogy Group  
 28 Sat Cultural Activities

### MAI

5 Sat Ladies of Valhall  
 7 Mon Business Meeting  
 7 Mon Corporation Meeting at 6:30  
 12 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class  
 19 Sat Social – Syttende Mai Potluck  
 31 Thur Genealogy Group  
 26 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class

### JUNI

2 Sat Ladies of Valhall  
 4 Mon Combined Business/Ice Cream Social/  
 Initiations  
 9 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class  
 23 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class  
 28 Thur Genealogy Group

### JULI

No events or meetings.

### AUGUST

4 Sat Ladies of Valhall  
 14 Tue Board Meeting  
 18 Sat Annual Valhall Picnic  
 30 Thur Genealogy Group

### SEPTEMBER

1 Sat Ladies of Valhall  
 3 Mon Business Meeting—Initiations  
 8 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class  
 15 Sat Heritage Dinner  
 22 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class  
 27 Thur Genealogy Group

### OKTOBER

1 Mon Business Meeting  
 1 Mon Corporation Meeting at 6:30  
 6 Sat Ladies of Valhall  
 13 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class  
 19, 20, 21 Kretsstevne  
 25 Thur Genealogy  
 27 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class

### NOVEMBER

3 Sat Ladies of Valhall  
 5 Mon Business Meeting  
 Election of 2008 Officers  
 10 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class  
 13 Tue Board Meeting  
 17 Sat Annual Salmon Dinner  
 Lille Butikken  
 29 Thur Genealogy Group

### DESEMBER

1 Sat No Ladies of Valhall  
 3 Mon Business Meeting-Initiations  
 8 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class  
 15 Sat Annual Christmas Party

### JANUAR 2008

5 Sat LOV meeting  
 12 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class  
 19 Sat Combined Business/Social  
 Installation of 2008 Officers  
 22 Tue Board Meeting  
 26 Sat Cultural Activities, Rosemaling Class  
 25 Thur Genealogy Group

**Woodcarving group meets weekly on Tuesdays.**

# February 2007

SØNDAG	MANDAG	TIRSDAG	ONSDAG	TORSDAG	FREDAG	LØRDAG
				1	2	3 LOV meeting At Denny's in Fletcher Pkwy 9am
4	5 Business Meeting at 7:30 pm Corporation mtg at 6:30	6 Woodworking At House of Norway 9-noon	7	8	9	10 Rosemaling At Lodge 9am-1pm
11 Mother's Day in Norway	12 Valentine's Day	13 Woodworking At House of Norway 9-noon	14	15	16	17 Lutefisk Dinner at Lodge 4pm—7 Lefse making
18	19 President's Day	20 Woodworking At House of Norway 9-noon	21	22 Genealogy Group 11-1pm	23	24 Rosemaling At Lodge 9am-1pm
25	26	27 Woodworking At House of Norway 9-noon	28			



Pictures from Christmas Party. 2006.



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