



Daughters of Norway

(Døtre Av Norge)

Hulda Garborg Lodge #49



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Mine Kjaere Søstre Fra Lodge Prez

(My Dear Sisters From Lodge President)

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April was a very busy month! So many blessings. My Hulda Garborg sisters shared my biggest events! Joys always increase when shared.

I missed our last meeting because Walk



MS was on April 13. As captain of the Vista Viking Festival Walk MS team (*above*), I had to be there to lead our team on to victory. Several of our sisters are members of our team and walked with us. It was a lovely day to be walking near the Carlsbad Flower Fields. We have raised about \$13,000. We have until September 30 to continue raising funds. Several fundraisers at local meaderies have been planned by James Lucas. We hope

to raise \$20,000.

The Scandinavian Heritage Fair in Mission Viejo was a great success. Many of you graciously baked delectable cookies to sell there. Many sisters were there at the Heritage Fair to provide assistance to the many people who



came. The cookies were very popular! Thank you all for all your hard work! We sold floral head wreaths and Scandinavian dolls. I think everyone had a lovely time. It was a joy for me to have Hulda Garborg as a welcome

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Garborg Lodge #49

Meets at Fallbrook Woman's Club
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2nd Saturday of each month

General Meeting 10:15 am
Program 11:00 am

Happy Birthday!
Gratulerer med dagen!

- ♥ Debbie 5 May ♥ Karen 10 May
- ♥ Kristine F. 12 May ♥ Cary 16 May
- ♥ Lynne B. 17 May ♥ Linda P. 23 May
- ♥ Sinneva 27 May

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and successful part of the Scandinavian Heritage Fair! Our sisters should be very proud of their contributions!

May brings the celebration of the 17th of May! I look forward to celebrating with you! See you all soon! *(see more photos below and on p. 3)*

With Sisterly Love,
Judy



Cultural Program *Danielle Carlson, Cultural Director*

April was a fun month with the presentation on Sylvsmidja. We learned about the company's history and how they have influenced current bunad trends. We also learned from my talk with Gina Nylund about current bunad and silver trends in Norway. I am working with Gina to schedule her as a guest speaker this year. That way we can learn even more about bunads, trends, and have all of our pressing bunad questions answered! I also attended the Scandinavian Heritage Festival that was hosted by Turid Jespersen. It was a wonderful event, and there were so many beautiful bunads and festdrakt! I look forward to going again next year!

As for May, I will be doing a presentation on the history of Syttende Mai and the traditions that are usually associated with it today. If you are a newer member, this is a good program to attend! More to come!



Above right and left: Joy's Sylvsmidja jewelry she brought to share at April's meeting.

Scandinavian Heritage Festival April 20, 2024

Hosted by Turid Jespersen Lodge, Mission Viejo

Below: Danielle & Jody; right: Inger-Lise of Turid Jespersen and Judy ; far right: Barbara J.; below right: Open face sandwiches for lunch.



Scandinavian Heritage Festival cont'd

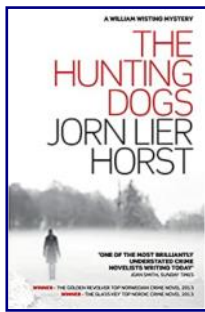


Top left: Judy, Barbara J. and Diane G. at Hulda Garborg Lodge booth; top right: Berit at her Bunad booth; above right: Laila and TJ member at the Krumkake & Waffle booth; left: Rosemaling booth; below left: Kay at her Genealogy booth; below Swedish booth; below right: Joy with "Santa Claus"



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The Hunting Dogs, Jørn Lier Horst, A William Wisting Mystery.

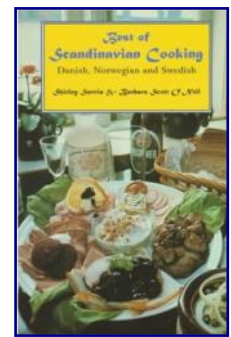
This book was translated from Norsk to English.

Seventeen years ago William Wisting as a Detective led the investigation into the disappearance and death of a

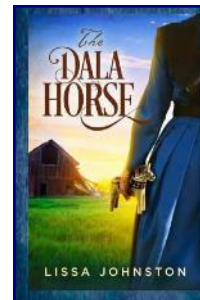
young woman. It was discovered that there was evidence tampering. Wisting is working under cover now to investigate the evidence tampering and to see if they had arrested the killer. Wisting's daughter is a journalist and is investigating a murder. Maybe they are connected. You won't know unless you read the book.

Best of Scandinavian Cooking, Shirley Garvis and Barbara Scott O'Neil, this is

more than a recipe book. There is a story interweaved with the food, it's an adventure book as well. Several of the pages have been dogged eared. Did the person who read it last like those recipes?



The Dala Horse, Lissa Johnston, is geared



more towards young teens but I don't know why someone in their 70s wouldn't enjoy the book. It takes place in Texas after a young girl's mother dies. The story has descriptions of life for the Norwegian immigrants and difficulty they faced moving to a new country.

Unexpected Finds by Suzy Moramarco

From the National Trust for Historic Preservation

Norway Spruce at Chesterwood (Stockbridge, Massachusetts)

In 1898, Daniel Chester French, American sculptor, planted a young Norway spruce at the northwest corner of the original Warner family farmhouse. He even recorded it in his garden journal as "Put out a Christmas tree back of house." French referred to it as "a Christmas tree" as Norway spruces were widely planted for that very use in countries around the world.

When the farmhouse was razed to build the new [Georgian Colonial style residence](#) in 1901, the spruce stayed put. Today, it towers over the southwest corner terrace. This magnificent coniferous evergreen is prominent in many period photos, showing its prowess at growth.

Norway spruces can grow up to 3 feet per year when young.

This 126-year-old spruce now stands at over 100 feet. It was once taller before a 40-foot leader was removed from the top due to damage sustained from a yellow-bellied sapsucker (woodpecker).

If you visit the site today, you can seek refuge in its shade during one of the site's many outdoor summer events.

(Above right) Historic photo of Chesterwood in 1908. The spruce is over the shoulder of the woman in the foreground of the image



https://savingplaces.org/stories/eight-great-trees-national-trust-historic-sites?utm_medium=email&utm_source=newsletter&utm_campaign=weekly

A Day with Arne and Carlos

By Cary Sullivan

Arne Nerjordetand, Carlos Zachrison, (*at right*) Norwegian and Swedish respectively, established their design company Arne and Carlos in 2002. Drawing on their traditional Scandinavian influences and their natural environment, they create original and visually striking knitwear. They live in an eclectic farm located north of Oslo in Valdres region of Norway. They are the authors of best selling books, so far they have written 10 books. This information was taken from the cover flaps of 55 Christmas balls to knit and knit and crochet garden.



Our fiber group with the north coastal knitting guild, had a 3 hour talk with them starting on Tuesday afternoon, Sharing their ideas, inspiration and their love of Norwegian traditional knitting designs.

Several of us took a 3 hour in person classes on different designs of theirs. Their works are in the permanent collection of several museums in Norway. They have won many awards.



They also have a wonderful podcast and helpful you tube. [HTTPS://Arnecarlos.com](https://Arnecarlos.com).

We all took different classes, so we could share what we learned from them. It truly was a very interesting and educational 3 days with them. It was their first time in California. They loved the beach and going to the quail garden, they commented on how beautiful our weather is here and how lucky we are.

(below) Scandinavian fabric stars from the fiber group

https://youtube.com/shorts/Teqrog0f_ww?si=FWqtVIPxBsbPAhvN

