

# GRAND LODGE DANIA & DANNEBROG

Grand Officers

Dania

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Danish Societies Dania & Dannebrog of California and Nevada

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# Grand Lodge Dania Grand President

Now that we have the convention behind us, it is off to the races for the summer. I had the pleasure of installing the new officers in Reno on May 1<sup>st</sup>. We only had one substitution and that was Glenn Fritz standing in for Ann-katherine Sawyer who was recovering from surgery. I wish her a speedy recovery. All but one of the current grand officers made the trip. The installation went very well with a nice cocktail hour and fabulous open-face sandwiches made by the wonderful ladies of Dannevirke before the installation. Then we had wonderful desserts including a real princess cake and coffee afterwards. It was great to see Baxter Swaffer in attendance as he has started chemotherapy and we wish him well.

On Sunday the 3<sup>rd</sup>, I enjoyed a visit with several members at the home of Roger Gearhart in Woodbridge. Roger conspired with another member to offer the Grand President a grand entrance. I was brought into the backyard perched on a chair in a chariot (wheelbarrow) piloted by none other than PGP Roger Gearhart. On the 13<sup>th</sup>, I attended the regular meeting of Danmark #2 where I currently am serving my second term as local lodge president. We had our welcome home party for the delegates and the local members currently serving as grand officers were appropriately acknowledged. We had the pleasure of having PGP John Johansen and his beautiful wife Kirsten joining us. The branch picked up the tab for some terrific traditional open face sandwiches from the Copenhagen Bakery in Burlingame.

On the 14th, I attended the somewhat regular meeting of the Hayward lodges. They kept the meeting a bit informal and passed on some normal business to next month so they could concentrate on acknowledging several 50 year members who were in attendance and a couple more who could not make it to the meeting. It was very nice to see three ladies receive their pins. Several Grand officers were in attendance to make it that much more special for the recipients.

I will be making my rounds this year trying to get to all of the branches, so if you have any special events coming up at your branch, please do let me know so I can plan to attend.

I look forward to seeing many of you on the 4th of July in Santa Maria for one of my favorite events, their annual Independence Day Bar-B-Que. I've attended the last couple of years and must say they do a fabulous job and if you can be there, you should. See you all soon,

Tom Martin

# Grand Lodge Dannebrog Grand President

It was a beautiful drive to Reno for the first installation, although the five areas of construction along highway 299 caused some delays..... especially the 30 minute wait at one site. First, we enjoyed cocktails and a scrumptious dinner of a variety of open faced sandwiches with accompaniments and lots of socializing. Installation went well with only a couple of glitches. It was a joy to see so many young people attending and being installed. Many scholarships were handed out to deserving members of Dannevirke #9 and Valdemar #12. Then I had the honor of pinning (or

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attempting to pin) a 50 year membership pin given to Sena Marie Freeman – what an asset she is to the Reno lodges and to Grand Lodge Dannebrog! After installation it was time for coffee and dessert, including a cake with marzipan, cookies, and one dessert with apples. No wonder I gained a few pounds on the trip! Thank you, Reno, for being such wonderful hosts!

I stopped in Weaverville for a few hours on the way home to attend a Celtic Faire. I enjoyed listening to the music and visiting different stalls to see what was for sale. I only found

a few Vikings – most with horned helmets (what's with the horns?). I did find the "Amber Wench" dressed in Viking garb wearing lots of Baltic amber and selling even more! I arrived home late Saturday night, returned the rental vehicle on Sunday, did laundry, and repacked to leave on Tuesday morning. My friend, Judy, and I have been attending a "bunad" class. A "bunad" is a Norwegian folk costume. This year class was held at the Sons of Norway Freya lodge in Santa Rosa. Why am I sewing a Norwegian

bunad when I'm a Dane? Answer: I couldn't find anyone to help me make a Danish costume. I found it fascinating to compare and contrast my Rogaland (Southern Norway) bunad with the Danish costume Steen brought to convention. Thank you again, Steen! Til Juli.....

Med venlig hilsen,

Lynn Wachter, Grand President, Dannebrog

#### Grand Lodge Secretary IN MEMORIAM:

Arne Rasmussen, Danneskjold No. 17 Carol Hansen, Thora #11 Chester Pedersen, Thor #5

**NEW MEMBERS:** 

MEMORIALS SCHOLARSHIP

**DIANA SCHOLARSHIP** 

**CONTRIBUTIONS** 

**TO DANIA GENERAL FUND:** 

**TO DANNEBROG GENERAL FUND:** 

**TO DANNEBROG SCHOLARSHIP:** 

#### DANIA/DANNEBROG SENIOR ASSISTANCE FUND

Tim & Natalie Heer in memory of Hans Andersen donations from; Esther Juhl Jorgensen Trust, Danneskjold #17, Hejls Minde #23', Karen Faraldo, Kaj & Eva Kristensen, Dannebrog's green march

# **Branch Secretaries**

For the Secretaries of Dannebrog, by now you should have received your copies of the annual convention report in the mail. If you have not as of yet please let Natalie know. The Dania Convention report has been placed on the web site, and I have also printed a complete copy for each Branch Secretary and Grand

# **Local Branches**

# Danmark No. 2 & Thyra No. 3

Meeting: 2nd. Wednesday every month 7:30 PM Odd Fellows Building; 26 Seventh Street, San Francisco CA 94103 Danmark #2 Secretary Roger Gearhart E-mail ragearhart@comcast.net Thyra #3 Secretary Johanne Gade

President Tom Martin opened the meeting on time. We missed our Marshals and our Vice Marshal Anne Gearhart but other members filled in admirably. Past Grand President John Johansen and his wife Kirsten were welcomed. It has been a long time since they have joined with us---and they were made most welcome.

Johanne Rasmussen Gade was warmly congratulated for her prestigious honor of be the 2015 Member of the Year of Dania. And Grand President Tom Martin was also roundly applauded. Grand Marshal Daniel Joensen and our two continuing Grand Trustees James Olef Jensen and James R. Jensen were all recognized and given great applause.

On the Attendance prize, none other than the very lucky Johanne Rasmussen Gade, an immediate winner. Nest time, the prize will be a paltry \$20.

It was proposed in a motion that those members not wearing a membership pin be fined \$3.00 caused a rush to purchase pins.

# Hejmdal No. 4 & Luren No. 13

Meets four times a year, contact the secretary for further information Secretary Robert Schall, schallb48@gmail.com

Upcoming Conventions			
Thor #5 and Thora #11	April 2016	Stay Tune	
Danmark #2 and Thyra #3	April 2017	Stay Tune	
Dannevirke #9 and Valdemar #12	April 2018	Nugget, Sparkes NV	
Upcoming Installations			
Bornholm #14	August 1, 2015	Modesto	
Freja #6 Dana #15	August 2, 2015	Salinas	

Officer which I will hand out as I travel around this year instead of mailing.

I have received a clarification from Danmark #2 and their offer to match funds of the total contributions of all Branches up to \$2,000.00. Thank you Danmark #2 for the clarification and your offer.

No fees were collected. But in the future, the members are warned to be wearing the pins.

We have very few members delinquent at this time and we hope that all dues will soon be collected and we will have no delinquent members. And we still need lots of new members.

The Welcome Home Party was well fed with Danish sandwiches from the Copenhagen Bakery in Burlingame brought in by James. They were a big hit and augmented with all kinds of other treats. We definitely had plenty to eat and a very good time was had by all. Of course, there was plenty of wine, beer and Akvavit to make it all very festive. It was a pleasure to welcome home all of our Grand officers in grand style,

We start gathering about 6:30 for a beverage and a social hour followed by a brief meeting. Then we get down to the serious business of having a good time. The next meeting is Onsdag, Juni 10. Someone has promised to provide something special. Guests are always welcome. We hope to see many of you there Med venlig hilsen, Roger Gearhart, Secretary

#### Thor No. 5 & Thora No. 11

Meeting: 1st. Thursday every month 11:30 AM. Hope Lutheran's Conference Room, 364 E Barstow Ave, Fresno.

Secretary: Christie Pettitt poppatango@msn.com Gail Hansen dickgailh@aol.com

Thora # 11 and Thor # 5 members welcomed delegates home from convention with champagne and cake. All had a GREAT time! Preparations for Convention 2016 are in the works. Save the dates, APRIL 14, 15, and 16. It will be at Clovis Veteran's Memorial Convention Center in Clovis, CA. More information to

follow. In the last two months we have lost two members, Carol Hansen and Chester Pedersen. June 4th will be our picnic at Steen Skjellerup's home at 5:30 p.m. Tri tip, pilaf, salads and desserts are on the menu.

# Freja No. 6 & Dana No. 15

Meeting: 1st. Sunday every month at Noon.; Installation 1st Sunday in August, Salinas Masonic Center,

48 East San Joaquin Street, Salinas CA 93901-2904. Freja/ Dana Secretary: Judi Heer, icheer0857@sbcglobal.net

Hilsner alle!! Is it the Good ol' Summer Time already???? Freja 6 and Dana 15 will be holding their June meeting at the Masonic Hall in Salinas on Sunday June 7 at noon. Last month's Pot Luck Lunch went so well we're going to do it again. Of course this month won't be quite the same without the delightful company of Mel and Zena Lundberg who attended our Welcome Home Delegate meeting last month. Thank you both for coming and we all hope that your trip down to Solvang was as enjoyable as your visit was for us.

Dana 15 and Freja 6 are both very proud of our Colleen Heer Cave being installed as Dannebrog Grand Trustee!! First on the agenda will be to finalize our plans for our August installation and celebration of another year in existence !!!:):) For those of you who still have August 2nd open, we invite you to save the date now because we've been tossing around some fun ideas to make it worth your while. Please check out next month's newsletter for details. We won't be meeting next month as usual because of the July 4th weekend. Hope to see you in August! "skaal" JHG

# Dannevang No. 7 & Danebod No. 16

Meets 2nd Saturday at 6:00PM; 4th Saturday Potluck, IOOF Hall, 2160 First Street, Livermore, CA 94551.

Dannevang #7 Secretary: Robert Lamee, Robertlamee@yahoo.com Danebod Secretary Kathy Thomsen, danskfarm@yahoo.com We enjoyed Mexican food for our welcome home delegates meeting in May, followed by a brief meeting around the dining room table. So cozy and informal. Our cheer committee reported sending out get well cards to Rick Reinstein and Bernice Via. The

delegates gave their reports and were reimbursed for their travels up to "God's country" in Ferndale. A motion was made and

passed to make a donation to the Senior Assistance Fund, previously known as "the old age fund". The attendance prize was won by Bob Lamee. Our next meeting will be Saturday, June 13. Starting at 6:00 with a "hot dog" themed pot luck. Hope to see you there. KRT

No. 9 Thyra & Valborg No. 1

Meeting: 2nd. Thursday every month 7:30 PM; Hill and Valley Club, 1808 B Street, Hayward CA 94541. President Susan Gauthier, s.gauthier@sbcglobal.net #9 Thyra / Valborg #1 Secretary Beth Cowan beth.cowan@att.net

The dinner prior to the meeting in May was delicious! A special thank you goes to Pat Brouillette and Greg Gleeson for a successful evening. President Susan Gauthier presented 50-year pins to Valborg members Beth Cowan, Signe Ann McNeil and Jonna Villadsen. It was great to see so many Grand Officers at the dinner and meeting. From Dannebrog: Grand Past President Mary Jo Schall, Grand Secretary Natalie Heer, Grand Treasurer Pat

Brouillette, Grand Vice Marshal Alan Filiau, and from Dania: Grand President Tom Martin, Grand Past President Bob Schall, Grand Secretary Tim Heer, Grand Treasurer Greg Gleeson. Hope to see you at the meeting on Thursday, June 11 at 7:30 pm! Please note that the Hayward Lodges will not be meeting in July or August. Susan Gauthier, President

# Sønderjylland No. 10

Meeting 2nd Saturday every month 11:30 AM Kastania Fælled, Petaluma Secretary, John Cruger-Hansen j.crugerhansen@comcast.net

Sønderjylland #10 held their third 2015 meeting at Kastania Fælled in Petaluma on Saturday, May 9. We had nice weather, the horses were out in the adjacent field and it was comfortably warm enough to have our meeting outdoors. We welcomed an attendance of 13 Members and 4 Guest!

The lunch consisted of BBQ hamburgers and authentic Danish Hot Dogs, (Røde Pølser) prepared by Finn Kjaer and John Cruger-Hansen. Jeannie Kjaer provided a Cole Slaw Salad. We also enjoyed many hors d'oeuvres and desserts. Thank you to those who provided these wonderful dishes and cakes.

The business meeting was opened at 12:30 by President Jim Hollingshead.

The minutes from the April 2015 meeting were presented and accepted.

The Treasurer's report was presented by Treasurer Vibeke Petersen-Jensen and was accepted as read. The Bank of the West Signature Card has been updated.

Sick report: None to report. New business: Member Dania Pins: Motion, Seconded, Carried that Sønderjylland #10 purchase 20 standard member pins from Danmark #2 lodge in San Francisco. The Secretary is to order three Past President pins from Dania and Karen Lysmer is to research how many 25 and 50 year pins are needed and report back at the next meeting.

It was suggested we need to have a better count on how many members will attend our meetings and to phone members ahead of our meetings. Karen Lysmer, Jeannie Kjaer and Carol Saffro volunteered to make the calls to encourage members to attend. Bar supply: Finn Kjaer volunteered to take charge of stocking the bar supplies.

Nominations for officer: Nominations were opened. Jeannie Kjaer nominated all existing officers for an additional year. Motion to elect the current slate of officers for next year. Motion carried, all existing officers elected by acclamation as follows:

President, Jim Hollingshead, Vice-President, Karen Lysmer, Secretary, John Cruger-Hansen, Treasurer, Vibeke Jensen, Marshal, Sabrina Wilcox, Trustees, Lori Ham, Birthe Sckerl Auditor, Carol Saffro M.S.C to accept John Jensen's offer. It was suggested we serve Smørrebrød at the installation. Finn Kjaer, Vibeke Petersen-Jensen, Karen Lysmer and Inger Marie Andersen volunteered to make Smørrebrød.

Good of the order: Carol Saffro will take reservations for the June 13 meeting. Menu will be BBQ Hamburgers and Hot Dogs. Catherine Cruger-Hansen will bring what supplies were left over from the May meeting.

Valhalla No. 11 & Ydun No. 10

Meeting: 1st. Saturday every month at noon, Danish Hall; Ferndale, CA 95536.

Secretary Christian Nielsen Christian Nielsen @suddenlink.net

June 6 we will meet at the Danish Hall for a meeting at 11:00 with a BBQ potluck at 12:30. Mel and Zena will be cooking up a BBQ and members are asked to bring salads and desserts to share. We will be watching Babette's Feast during lunch. We will hold first nomination of officers and start planning our installation plan.

Membership drawing: Birthe Baekgaard was drawn but was not present. The June drawing will be for \$20.00 Next meeting is on Saturday June 13. The meeting was adjourned at 1:00PM. Respectfully, John Cruger-Hansen, Secretary

June 28 we will be holding our 65th Annual Scandinavian Midsummer Festival at the Runneburg Hall in Eureka. Potluck lunch at 1:00. Music will be by Lindy Mantova. Christian Nielsen

# Valdemar No 12. & Dannevirke No. 9

Meeting: 1st. Friday every month at 7 PM, Odd Fellows Hall; 1300 Stardust Street Reno, NV 89503.

Secretary: Sena Maria Freeman P.O. Box 4575, Sparks NV 89432; Anette Christensen, achristensen@medicine.nevada.edu

What a great installation we had. The food was outstanding. Anette and Ina you out did yourselves. Thank you for all the great sandwiches. Thank you to all who came at 2 pm to set up everything.

Thank you Joel Jensen, Nina Christiansen, and Jens Christiansen for the kitchen clean up especially all the dishes. Great job. Thank you so much to everyone who took down the tables and cleaned up the floors as well. We have a great group of people. 69 were in attendance, great to see everyone.

Thank you to Palle Larsen for ordering the Princess Cake and picking it up. The cake was really delicious. Um, Um! Thank you Glenn Fritz for subbing for Ann-katherine. We only had 1 sub this year. (Glenn, but where was your skirt?) Ha! Ha! Thank you to all the Grand Officers and Past Grands for attending. It was so nice to see you all. Tom and Lynn you did a great job for your 1<sup>st</sup> installation. The Grand Marshals Daniel and Alan, great job as well.

Congratulations to all our scholarship members Erik Jensen (Dania) Jens Christiansen (Dania & Dannebrog), Diana & Daniella Myers (Dannebrog). Like Anette announced, they are all members and Jens and Erik hold offices as well.

On a personal note: I would like to thank my own lodge for all the love and support they have shown me over the years. What an honor to be given my 50 year pin by 2 special ladies, Grand President Lynn Wachter and our own President Anette

Christensen. Thank you Lynn for presenting me with both my Member of the Year award and my 50 year pin.

Last but not least: Nina (my cousin), the Marshal, to escorting me up to get my pin. I love you dearly Nina. Sorry Ann-katherine couldn't have seen me get these awards, but I kno0w she was there in thoughts and prayers. Love you too. Thank you for another year as secretary, I will continue to do my best.

Our sick list is growing again. Ann-katherine had surgery on April 21<sup>st</sup> and then a stroke. She is now in rehab, and doing great. Great sense of humor and attitude. She will be back soon. We have faith. Baxter Swaffer, great to see you here tonight, after your surgery on April 8<sup>th</sup> and now with your treatment. We will keep you in our prayers and hearts. Keep up the great attitude as well. Paul Christensen (Ann-katherine's brother) was on vacation with his wife Cindy and became ill. He was care-flight back to Reno and had Gall Bladder surgery. He is doing well. We wish him the best too. On Sunday May 3<sup>rd</sup> I heard that Palle Larsen fell on his stairs at his apartment and bruised his hip on Saturday May 2<sup>nd</sup>. We wish him the best too.

Our June meeting will be June 5<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm. Just a regular potluck. We will also discuss our San Hess festwal later in the month. Last! Ann-katherine wanted me to pass on a personal note: She wanted to thank everyone for all the calls, emails, cards and notes that were passed on to her. She really appreciates it all. She also told me today when I saw her she will be ready to party soon. Have a wonderful month and Take Care, Sena Marie

#### Bornholm No. 14

Meeting: 3<sup>rd</sup>. Friday every month 7:00 PM Eagles Hall 126 Camellia Way Modesto, CA 95351.

Secretary: Ann Stowers, annstowers@sbcglobal.net

May 15 was Winetasting Night at Bornholm #14. Nineteen members, no guests participated.

President John Scheuber started the meeting at 7:10 PM by welcoming everybody. Secretary Ann Stowers read the minutes of the previous meeting. Approved as read.

Nobody won the attendance prize of \$50. After three drawings with no winner, the \$50 goes to the Children's Christmas Fund. Elsie Rasmussen has been so unlucky to fall and break a leg, and it happened just a couple of days before her and Henning was scheduled to take a trip to Denmark. We hope for a speedy recovery and a new Denmark trip.

Danneskjold No. 17 & Laura No. 8

Meeting: 2nd Saturday at 1 PM in various homes.

President: Doris Skow dws1929@gmail.com

I hope each one of you had a very enjoyable Memorial Weekend. I know I did. I saw so many American flags flying that I thought I was in Denmark for the Rebild July 4th Celebration. It is

Åse Laugesen is getting worse with her Lou Gehrig disease. It was reported that Hospice now is moving in to take care of her. Gunver Olsen has been treated in the hospital for pneumonia, but is home and resting now, and doing much better.

Nomination of Officers for 2015/2016 took place. In June, we will have the second nomination and election. No meeting in July. Bornholm #14's Installation will take place August 1.

Unfortunately, our favorite place "Jacob's Fine Dining" has moved and may not be ready at the new place by Aug. 1, so we are looking around for a suitable place.

Our next meeting is June 19. We start at 6 PM with Potluck. John

wonderful to see the spirit of the people, especially during these tough times.

I am saddened to report that our longtime member Arne Rasmussen has passed away on May 26 after fighting a long hard battle. There are no plans for services. Thinking of you cards to Eva and the family would be appreciated, however no visitors or phone calls please.

NOTICE:

The June 13th meeting has been moved to my home and will start off with a Pot-luck Lunch at noon, followed by our meeting. The day will wrap up with Dessert and social time.

### Hejls Minde No. 23

Meeting: 1st. Wednesday 12 noon at Bit O' Denmark, 473 Alisal Rd. Solvang, CA 93463. Secretary: Marie Jaeger

Hejls Minde #23 held its regular meeting, May 6, 2015, at the Restaurant "Bit 0' Denmark", Solvang with 23 in attendance. The Menu: Green salad, Filet of fish and potato salad and delicious dessert of apple crepe with ice cream and whipping cream. Of course we had snaps and beer to wash it down. A bottle of homemade snaps was provided by Grand Marshal Daniel Joensen from San Francisco as thanks for our lodge providing five bottles of snaps for the success of the 2015 convention. Delicious! We encourage our future Grand President to grace us with a bottle of his home made spirits whenever he visits us!

The meeting was opened with welcome remarks by President Hans Kardel and the singing of two American songs and the Danish Song of "I like Snaps" which we all embrace followed by "God Bless America" led by the beautiful voice of Erling Grumstrup. We were delighted to have Past Grand Presidents Mel and Zena Lundberg visit our Lodge. Both were grateful that the convention was such a success. Also, we always welcome our friends from Santa Maria.

The secretary, Marie Jaeger, read the roll call of the officers present. Marie also read the Minutes from the previous Meeting, were approved as read. Agnes Larsen read the Treasurer's report. It was approved as read. In June we will announce the individual who has received the scholarship from our Lodge in the amount of \$500. A Committee of Marie Jaeger, Agnes Larsen, Hans and

Jean Kardel went over a large number of applicants to determine the winner.

Please call me at 408-313-7235 if you plan to come.

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Our best wishes go out to our shut-ins: Ellen Jensen, Aase Laugesen, Grace Sautter and Elsie Sullivan. We wish you could be

In July we will get together twice, July 11 and 26, so mark your

Hans and Jean Kardel reported on the convention and the delivery of the 5 bottles of snaps along with the pastry and sliders from Bent Olsen's Bakery. Also a report on the meetings held Thursday, Friday and Saturday and the installation of the new Grand officers. The new Grand President is Tom Martin who is a local boy of Ferndale who has a great passion for motorcycles and will become our motorcycle president. Past Grand President Johanne Gade was honored to be elected Member of the Year. We met a lot of people who work very hard for Dania, both Grand Lodge Officers and Delegates. What a delightful area is Ferndale and Fortuna. Even Elvis Presley showed up Saturday night to dance the night away!

The Danish Brotherhood, Sisterhood, Dania and Rebild will hold a Grundlovsdag Celebration on Sunday, June 7, 2015 at 12 noon at the Hans Christian Andersen Park in Solvang. Price is \$15 per person. Bring a dessert or hors d oeuvres to share. Reservations a must so call Marie Jaeger at 688-5448.

The 2016 Convention will be held in Clovis and will be a week later in April, 2016 than this year. The next regular Dania meeting and Lunch will be Wednesday, June 3, 2015 at the Bit O'Denmark at 12 Noon. Hope to see you there! No meeting in July and August.

The meeting ended with the singing of the Danish National Anthem "Der er et yndigt land ."

# Holger Danske No. 27 & Valkyrien No. 23

Meets four times a year; contact the secretary for further information.

Holger Danske's Secretary: Wayne A. Allen. Valkyrien's Secretary Darlene Iversen

Santa Maria Lodge Holger Danske #27 and Valkyrien #23 wish to

invite all members of the Danish lodges and their guests to our 4th

of July B-B-Q in Santa Maria. The B-B-Q is held in Waller park

space # 5. Call Wayne Allen at 805-937 4720 or Darlene Iversen at

1 805-937-5014 beans, bread, meat, will be furnished, bring a dish to share if you want.