



# Our Lodges in Action

Lodge news should be sent to Asbjorn Fisker, 5119 S.W. Multnomah Boulevard, Portland, OR 97219 by the 10th of the month.

## Pacific

### Northwest

**Lodge No. 29, Seattle, WA**—Past President Kris Jorgensen presided over our September meeting. We celebrated Veteran's Night with a pre-meeting open face sandwich dinner. The following people were appointed for Veteran's night: Past President Ted Kofoed, Vice President Flemming Sorensen, Secretary Jeff Jensen, Trustee Chairman Paul Hansen, First Trustee Gunnar Sorensen, Outer Guard Frank Poulsen. New member Dennis Dahlgren was initiated.

A letter from Clyde Langsted reported Care & Share funds are being donated to the Fremont food bank instead of Immanuel Lutheran Church. Flemming Sorensen submitted a written report on the Special National Convention in Omaha. The Danes Soccer Club requested \$300.00 sponsorship funds. This was approved. Fifteen dollars were donated to Care & Share.

**Lexie Sorensen, Cor.**

**Lodge No. 167, Portland, OR**—At the September meeting Don Bogh, delegate to the special convention in Omaha, reported on the convention. Mel Pihl suggested cooperation with other Northwest lodges as the key to our future as a lodge. National Director Asbjorn Fisker gave a merger update.

Norm Powell reported on the Seaman's Fair in Vancouver and turned in \$451.00 from the event. The members voted to give 50% of the profit to the Seaman's Center. Norm has attended ScanFair meetings. He asked members to commit to this early December event. Norm was given a check to reserve space. He also asked for assistance making Frikadellar-on-a-stick, which will be sold at ScanFair.

President Larsen presented Annie Whittlesey with a \$250.00 scholarship. Christian Fisker, Katrina Turner and Jeff Brown also received college scholarships.

**Ruth Dally, Sec.**

**Lodge No. 268, Junction City, OR**—We had a "Fifth Tuesday Party" where master chefs Norman Christensen, Einar Skovbo, Carl Nielsen and Henry Mortensen served a Danish Smorrebrod. After the meal we played cards.

Arnold Bodtker suggested doing something to honor our charter members of the Danish Brotherhood and Sisterhood of Junction City. It was decided to have a plaque cast with the names of all the charter members. Two large granite rocks, known as 'erratic rocks', brought from Canada to the Willamette Valley by glaciers during the last ice age, were donated to DBIA for the purpose of mounting the plaque. Almost every local DBIA member put in manual labor on

the installation. The plaque is bolted into the rocks which are set in concrete in the new park, Hans Christian Andersen Garden in Junction City.

**Axel Nielsen, Cor.**

**Lodge No. 348, Eugene, OR**—Knud and Kathleen Larsen are transferring back to our lodge. Birgit Sand reported on the Special National Convention. Mary read a letter regarding the merger transition and dues. The bylaw committee will meet to review our bylaws. Mary would like to see a cultural event at the December meeting.

**Susie Staats, Sec.**

## Nebraska

**Lodge No. 161, Ruskin, NE**—Vice President Betty Smith presided over our September meeting. She appointed Grace and Leverne Erickson, Mickie Schneider, Helen Shaw and Lois Lewis to the nominating committee. Vic and Lorraine Pedersen furnished fish for our meal.

**Geraldine Schultz, Sec.**

**Lodge No. 206, Blair, NE**—Several members attended the reception hosted by Sons of Norway Elveby Lodge at the Danish Brotherhood Home Office on Sunday, September 18.

**Helen McNichols, Sec.**

**Lodge No. 211, Grand Island, NE**—Susan Kosmicki gave a report on the Special National Convention. Then she and Delbert Battles reported on the Nebraska Convention they attended in August.

Members brought many items for the Grand Island Food Pantry.

**Vera Petersen, Sec.**

## Midwest

**Lodge No. 14, Kenosha, WI**—Our first "Stink Club" of the season was a success. The Golf League ended the season with a Two Club Scramble on September 23 and a banquet on September 27.

## Velkommen

*In recognition of DBIA members who are participating in the growth of the Danish Brotherhood in America by recommending their family and friends.*

Member	Lodge No.	Location	Sponsor
Brian Butler	261	Fowler, Colorado	Jerry Bonds
Scott Larsen	14	Kenosha, Wisconsin	John Hosmanek
J. Richard McGinnis	14	Kenosha, Wisconsin	Roger Nelson
Edwin F. Peterson	14	Kenosha, Wisconsin	Charles Krough
John T. Sloss	600	Omaha, Nebraska	Home Office
Deborah Stevens	33	Tacoma, Washington	Egon Calundann
Harold K. Mittet	328	Vancouver, B.C.	Tom Johansen
Heinrich Hansson	328	Vancouver, B.C.	Ole Larsen

We will host "Jule Fest" November 5 from 10:00 am - 3:00 pm and November 6 from 9:00 am - 2:00 pm. An æbliskiver & medistepolse brunch will begin at 2:00 pm November 6.

Call Bob Ibsen before November 5 for the annual Torske Supper and Dance on Saturday, November 12.

**Robert Ibsen, Cor.**

**Lodge No. 34, Dwight, IL**—We met on September 12. Rodney and Dorothy Patterson and their daughter, Rebecca, were approved for membership. Jerry Beier a police officer with the Dwight school, explained his job to us. He visits students in kindergarten through fourth grades. They also have seventh and eighth grade programs. He discusses drugs, crime gangs, smoking, bicycle safety and much more with the youngsters.

We will have our Danish float in the Harvest Day Parade again this year. We will have a dance on Saturday, November 14 from 8:30 - 11:30.

**Marge Lauritsen, Cor.**

**Lodge No. 35, Chicago, IL**—Marty and Jeanine Seyller of Lodge No. 92 presented their lodge flag to us.

Discussion took place concerning the use of the special raffle money refunded following the cancelled ball game, took place. The committee will plan another use of this money, to be used to involve both young and adults. Linda Connery volunteered to join

this committee.

The Nominating Committee consisting of Paul Sloth, Arnie Aagesen and Elsa Petersen and appointees Dick Sabey and Charles Pedersen will bring forth a slate of officers for 1995.

The entertainment for the evening was a cake walk. Thirteen cakes were available and tickets were sold at \$.50 each.

Our annual dinner-dance will be held

November 5 at the Harold Viking Club. Our Christmas party is planned for December 9. Anyone can bring children up to the age of 12 who will receive a gift. Each parent or grandparent is to select, wrap and label a \$5.00 gift for each child they bring to the party. The lodge will reimburse the purchaser. Reservations for the children must be made by December 3.

**Jodie Sloth  
Elsa Petersen, Cor.**

### Payment to Board Members

Sons of Norway Convention: Ed Madsen, \$1,021.00 and Woodrow T. Petersen, \$739.00. Special Board Meeting: Erling Braumann, \$698.50; Asbjorn Fisker, \$751.00; Ed Madsen, \$920.50; Ebba Norby, \$642.50 and Woodrow Petersen, \$439.00.

## Grandma's Kitchen



**Gunild Ostergaard**

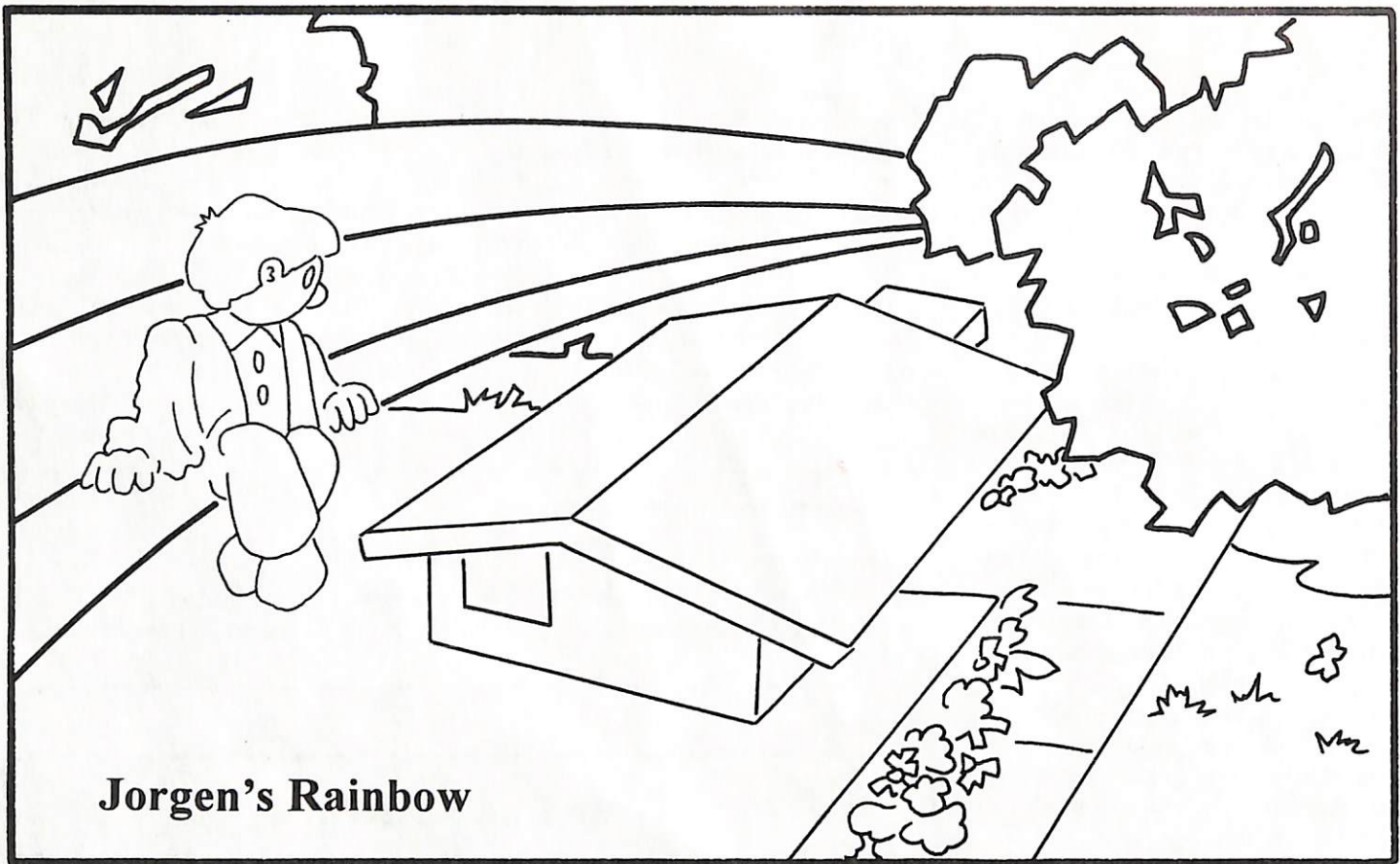
### Fried Potatoes (Stegte Kartoffler)

Peel and slice 6 potatoes rather thin; slice 2 large onions and brown in 6 tbsp. butter or margine. Add potatoes, mix lightly; sprinkle with salt and pepper and allow to brown on the bottom; turn using another pan or plate so that you can turn the whole pan together as a cake; brown the other side. Serve at once. Makes about 6 servings.

# Lest We Forget

*In grateful remembrance of their service and fellowship, we honor those members who have passed away since the last report.*

Date of Death	Name	Age	Birthplace	Lodge No.	Location	Year Joined
9-10-94	Clarence A. Keul	84	Kenosha, Wisconsin	14	Kenosha, Wisconsin	1987
9-18-94	Margaret Cull	62	Brooklyn, New York	164	New York, New York	1985
9-13-94	Alvin R. Hansen	82	Milwaukee, Wisconsin	36	Milwaukee, Wisconsin	1979
9-17-94	Arnold R. Johnson	80	Parkensburg, Iowa	144	Dike, Iowa	1947
9-13-94	Robert L. Lind	82	Seward, Nebraska	67	Fresno, California	1975
9-16-93	Russell Nielsen	87	Grundy County, Iowa	675	Omaha, Nebraska	1965
7-4-94	Frants V. Jensen	88	Denmark	227	Detroit, Michigan	1930
9-9-94	Raymond P. Olsen	89	Ferndale, California	332	Ripon, California	1946
9-25-94	Wilbert Mulberg	85	Benson, Iowa	314	Hartford, Connecticut	1943
6-6-94	Jorgen Christensen	61	Copenhagen, Denmark	102	Providence, Rhode Island	1963
9-9-94	Orville R. Winfield	72	Bristol, Wisconsin	14	Kenosha, Wisconsin	1986
9-21-94	James R. Wright	78	Wilton, Maine	294	Barre, Vermont	1987
10-2-94	Niels Nedergard	68	Odense, Denmark	113	Enumclaw, Washington	1964
9-18-94	Roger Petersen	73	Trufant, Michigan	106	Trufant, Michigan	1946



**Jorgen's Rainbow**

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In America, it's not uncommon for city dwellers to have a home in the country. Jorgen explains that in Denmark, city people rent the "kolonigaard" or "colony garden." These are small pieces of ground complete with vegetable gardens, fruit trees, and pretty, woodenhouses. The kolonigaard was established in Denmark in the 19th century and offers Danish families a great way to relax.

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