Synnove-Nordkap Lodge Meeting #1-008 Tuesday, February 13, 2024 at 6:00 pm.

Supper: Randy and Happy Youngs served supper with Valentine's Day decorations at 6:00 pm prior to the start of the meeting. Chicken Tortilla Soup was provided by Randy and Happy Youngs and Connie Chrissis and Split Pea Soup was provided by Sharon Amann. Homemade Rye Bread was provided by Lynn Hoffmeyer.

Treats were provided by Audrey Waage, Leslie Oliver and Sheryl Hove.

Members attending: 26

Guests: 1

Business: President Kathy Kaluza called the meeting to order at 6:55 pm.

She welcomed everyone.

The Canadian anthem "O Canada", Norwegian anthem "Ja Vi Elsker" and American anthem "The Star Spangled Banner" were sung, followed by "The Pledge of Allegiance". Birthdays for December, January and February were Randy Youngs, Happy Youngs and Sandra Bestland.

One Anniversary was Randy and Happy Youngs.

Sports Director Ron Stow announced that since snow activities have been limited, members are invited to send photos to the Brevet of their participation in outdoor activities.

The next Board Meeting will be held on Monday, March 4, 6-8 pm, at the Maplewood Library. All are welcomed to attend.

Servers for the March 12th BBQ Supper and Treats are needed. Contact Pat Carlson. BBQ ingredients receipts will be reimbursed.

Sunshine Chair Mary Beth Mutchler was absent because of an injury. Maureen Austinson's death was reported.

Program: Jean Knaak introduced our program for the evening at 7:10 pm. Members brought relics with winter history from their families. Presenters were Ron Stow, Susan Stow, Dianne Anderson, Lori Quello, Audrey Waage, and Jean Knaak. Messages were to identify items, record who owned and used them and when and where they came from, take photos of items and record the provenance in albums, identify people, identify clothing and *bunader*, write old stories and your own stories, choose recipients of items now and for future generations and include family genealogy.

Norsk Tune: Ole Shmolee sang a Valentine song.

Door Prize: \$10 was won by Sandra Bestland.

The Meeting was adjourned at 7:50 pm.

Submitted by:

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