

**Synnove-Nordkap #1-008**  
**Lodge Meeting Tuesday, May 14, 2024 at 6:00 pm.**  
**MINUTES**

**Light Supper:** Randy and Happy Youngs served a traditional SyttendeMai meal of hot dogs wrapped in lefse, coleslaw, German potato salad, and ice cream with various toppings; strawberries, chocolate sauce and peanuts. After the memorial service friends and members were treated to a Scandinavian dessert buffet of krumkake that could be filled with whipped cream and lingonberries, heart-shaped waffles with sour cream and lingonberries, and kransekake. Thanks to the Youngs, Gary Legwold, Kathy Kaluza, Sharon Amann, Ruth Gibson, and Jean Knaak for providing the goodies.

**Attendance:** 43, including several guests, mostly family and friends of those we were memorializing.

**Meeting:** President Kathy Kaluza called the meeting to order at 7:10 PM. Anthems were led by Kathy Carlson. Birthdays celebrated were for Jean Knaak and Dianne Anderson. The Board suggested we have a Director-at-Large, and Happy Youngs agreed to accept that position. We are still looking for an Executive Secretary.

**Picnic:** Will be on Tuesday, June 18, at Island Lake Park, Shoreview. Brats, buns, and condiments, as well as water and coffee will be provided. Members and guests are to bring their own table service and other beverages. A sign-up sheet is available for side dishes to complement the meal. The charge for the meal will be \$5 for each member and \$10 for each non-member.

**Pregram:** Our memorial for recently deceased members was led by Rev. Gary Hanson. Kathy Carlson sang "Children of the Heavenly Father". Those members being remembered were Mildred Hartleben, Marge Peterson, Harry Thomson, Pam Bjorum, Trudy Johnson-Richards, Lenore Jesness, Axel Torvi, Maureen Austinson, and Mary Beth Mutchler. Several family members and friends shared heartfelt memories of their loved ones. Ole Smole gave a tribute to mothers for Mother's Day.

**The next Board Meeting** will be held on Monday, June 3, 6-8 pm, at the Maplewood Library. All are welcome to attend.

**The Meeting was adjourned** at 8:10 PM

Respectfully submitted,

LaRee Opdahl  
Recording Secretary