

Synnove-Nordkap #1-008

Lodge Meeting Tuesday, October 8, 2024

MINUTES

Light Supper: Randy and Happy Youngs served vegetarian chili, along with salad and dessert.

Attendance: 26

Program: Chillon Leach presented a very interesting program “From Sheep to Shawl – a Fiber Journey”. She told of the importance of wool to the Norwegians. She had various displays of different types of wool and ways to card and spin into yarn. She also had books and several items for sale.

Meeting: President Kathy Kaluza called the meeting to order. Anthems were sung, and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Andy Chrissis was the only October Birthday. Chris Bales is getting married on Saturday. Susan Stow gave him the Viking blessing, and he was presented with a gift.

Sharon Amann and Jean Knaak updated us on the Taste of Scandinavia. They asked for volunteers and said there would be complete instructions as to their duties.

Ron Stow is still gathering nominations for Board positions, as well as appointed positions. Major openings are for an Executive Secretary and an Editor for the Brevet. He is also looking for an Historian and others to work on the Publicity Team to spread the word about Synnove-Nordkap and events taking place at the lodge. Lowell Johnson would like someone to work with him on “New Land, New Life” as a Coordinator to keep track of the traveling part as to where the banners are going.

The Genealogy Group is looking for new leadership, as the current officers are retiring.

Happy Youngs announced that we would be having BBQ's at our November meeting. She passed a sign-up sheet for others to bring buns, salad, chips, or dessert.

October is Foundation Month: Chris had passed baskets around for people to contribute to the Foundation. \$171 was collected to give to the Foundation.

The next Board meeting will be held Monday, November 4 at Sharon Amman's home at 6:00 PM, with a potluck supper.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

LaRee Opdahl

Recording Secretary