

## **NCC** Newsletter

What you missed at our last meeting

and what's coming up!

Notes from our March 8th meeting

It was a big night with lots of folks in attendance.

Monica Langfeldt introduced our speaker Eric Nelson, Chief Executive Officer of the Nordic Heritage Museum. Eric's presentation included a slide show of the progress of the construction, what it looks like now and what it will look like. They are in the last phases of construction and the office has moved into the new building on Market Street. The Grand Opening will be May 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> for the public, including a ribbon cutting and a party with choirs, dancing, and rock bands from Norway etc. There will be several other kick off events for supporters and contributors throughout May. The Syttende Mai luncheon prior to the parade will be held there this year, as well as an after-party. The month of May has been declared Nordic Month in Seattle with a lot of Nordic programming around town. How can you help? Be a contributor by purchasing a plaque, become a member, volunteer, and help get the word out.



**Minutes were approved.** (Minutes submitted by Debbi Larson of Skagit Bank)

**No Committee Reports** 

**Announcements** 

**Norwegian Heritage Day on March 17**<sup>th</sup> at Leif Erikson Lodge, starting with the Leif to Leif Run, Taste of Norway from 10am-3pm with food and entertainment.

May 17<sup>th</sup> activities at down at Shilshole if you don't attend the programming on Market Street

2 new members were inducted

- Katie Logan of Logan Enterprises
- Matthew Wood of Digital Mark Group

No Old or New Business

Dinner Winner – John Congalton

Membership Cash Drawing – none (\$60 next time)

Raffle winner – Bob Johnson

Tim Hunter will create a slide power point of member business advertisements that will rotate during happy hour and dinner.

"Business has only two functions—marketing and innovation. All the rest are costs."

-Peter Drucker

## OUR NEXT MEETING IS THURSDAY, MARCH 22nd

SPEAKER: Louisa Galassini from the Seattle Department of Transportation talks about the Burke-Gilman trail

MENU: Karbonader with onions, roasted potatoes, green beans, cauliflower soup AND dessert.

Members \$27 (if you pre-register) \$30 for drop in members \$27 for guests or non-paid members \$10 for students (with valid ID)

Please call the office by the Wednesday before the meeting and leave a message to guarantee your spot: (206) 783-1274.

See you then! Deane Motis Vice-President



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## **NORDIC CALENDAR**

**Upcoming Events** 

Norwegian Ladies Chorus of Seattle's annual Fishcake & Meatball dinner & auction. February 25th,
 Leif Erikson Lodge, 4pm

