



NCC Newsletter

What you missed at our last meeting and what's coming up!

Notes from our September 24th, 2019 meeting



Minutes of the Norwegian Commercial Club
September 26, 2019 Submitted by Linda Nye, Co-Secretary

Kris Templin & Tim Hunter introduced guests after dinner.

Speaker:

The speaker was Adam McQueen, owner of Skål Beer hall on Ballard Ave. He presented a slide show and presentation about how Skål came to be, the many challenges of raising money, the permitting process, and construction. Skål has now been open for six months. They offer Nordic food, many beers on tap, and sell more mead than anywhere else in the United States. In addition, Skål regularly sponsors speakers and events of interest to the Nordic community. They intent is to make Skål a warm and welcoming gathering place for the Ballard community, celebrating Ballard's heritage as a Nordic fishing village. Seattle Magazine recently rated them one of the five best new bars of 2019.

Announcements:

This Wednesday night, October 2nd--and every first Wednesday of the month--is Norwegian Meetup at **Skål Beer Hall**. All starting at 4:30pm

Oct. 3, 5-6pm. Gathering with Norwegian Museums sponsored by NCC and NACC. This will be in preparation for the 200th anniversary of the Norwegian mass immigration. 3rd Floor of the National Nordic Museum. *(Check in at the desk)*

Drawings:

David Lunde won the \$20 money pot. Kristy Lunde won the free dinner!
Otto Seater (NCC visitor who spends half time here and half time in Norway) won the free booze.

Norwegian Honorary Consul Viggo Forde has announced that the Norwegian Consular Office is now open at its new location at 1812 Hewitt Avenue in Everett.

You may find further details on Facebook, or other social media. Contact Consul Forde directly to set an appointment. Please call (425) 337-5175.



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Don't miss our next meeting:

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10th



It's Leif Eriksen Night so wear your horns! Members Doug Dixon and Raymond Eriksen share their adventures at Høstfest, held every year in North Dakota.

- Members \$27 (if you pre-register)
- \$30 for drop-in members
- \$30 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.