

The Little Mermaid



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Himmelbjerget Danish Camp 2025

By Kayti Hilzinger, Camp Director

Himmelbjerget Danish Camp held its 37th year of camp this past June! With a whopping 42 campers this year, our young Danes spent the week learning about and celebrating many different Danish holidays and events as a part of our “Danske Fester” theme. We started our first night together with a birthday party where our Senior Campers (the High School aged campers who play a leadership role at camp) performed a skit explaining the fun traditions of birthdays in Denmark and campers were invited to scream as loud as they could as we cut the kagemand (birthday cake man)! Our Monday of camp fell perfectly on the date of Sankt Hans Aften - while we couldn’t have a bonfire on a beach, we did have a camp fire by a pool and taught campers the traditions of burning a witch and how to wrap dough around a stick to make their own snobrød. Tuesday night was a massive Studenterfest celebration where campers received their Studenterhue (graduation caps) and rode in the back of trucks to different parties around the camp. On Wednesday, we celebrated Nytår (New Years) with sparkling cider, kranssekager (almond wreath cake), and a viewing of the King’s speech! On Thursday, campers were invited to dress up in costume for an exciting night of Fastelavn! We had 10 different scandinavian carnival games, supplied by the wonderful Sara Winter, where campers competed against each other earning points



Image: Campers and Counselors of Himmelbjerget 2025

for their group, pausing only to eat Fastelavnboller (a cream-puff like pastry) or to take their turn smacking the barrel of candy! In the end, Paisley and Ivor were crowned as the Kattedronning (cat queen) and Kattekonge (cat king). For our last full day of camp on Friday, we celebrated our week together with “Himmelfest,” a music festival inspired Talent & Variety Show and a dance. On Saturday, campers performed a showcase for their family and friends demonstrating the folk dances, songs, and chants they had spent all week learning. By noon, the Dannebrog (the Danish Flag) had been lowered and our campers were all on their way back home with a little bit more love for Denmark in their hearts.

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Northwest Danish Association is a non-profit organization dedicated to preserving and sharing with others our Danish culture, traditions, and values.

Executive Director's Corner



Fall Greetings

By Preben B. Pedersen, NWDA Executive Director

I wish all of you an enjoyable fall season where the days are shorter, and where we generally focus more on indoor activities. Hopefully we will experience some Indian summer days in Oct and Nov, before the winter starts in Dec, and where we can drive with windows down and open roofs.

I have talked to multiple similar organizations to NWDA, and all of them experience membership challenges. In recent years we have seen some individual Danish Brotherhood Lodges cease operations due to factors like declining membership and aging membership. When talking to our Nordic sister organizations they also experience membership challenges. At the DACR in Menucha, Oregon, I talked to the Executive Director of Museum of Danish America, who was one of the speakers, and she also said that MoDA experience membership challenges. The Federation of Danish Associations in Canada reported declining membership in their latest newsletter. Everyone says we should get younger members, but the question is how do we do that? Younger people are often very busy with student activities (perhaps in other states or outside the country) and families with younger children often are in a

time crunch to make everything work. Then there is the age group, where the kids have left home, allowing them more time for other activities. The question is how do we attract these groups to become active members of NWDA? Also to become volunteer members of NWDA. I looked in my crystal ball and it did not provide me with a clear picture of how to achieve this goal. Therefore, I invite readers of The Little Mermaid to email me their comments and suggestions. Please also consider the resources needed to implement any suggestions, as in any organization the resources (human resources and financial) are not limitless.

My email address is:
Preben@nwdanish.org.

Business-wise we had a record rental income in the MOB (Meridian Office Building) in the financial year ending Jun 30, 2025. We had some termination of leases in Jul but fortunately we were able to secure new leases taking over right after the terminated leases. In Sep we had a record rental income for a month, and we reached an occupancy rate of almost 95% based on rental income over potential rental income, as we currently only have 2 small offices available for rent. As *Continued on page 11*

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*Image: The NWDA Building in
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Himmelbjerget Danish Camp 2025

By Kayti Hilzinger, Camp Director

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Image: 2025 Counselors

Between all of the partying, campers spent an hour each day in formal language classes and were immersed in the language when possible at meals, in music, and throughout the day. Campers played different sports, such as hand ball and chieftain ball and learned five different traditional folk dances. During crafts, campers built bird houses, tie-dyed their camp shirts, and creat-



Image: Campers celebrating Nytår

ed beautiful window art. We jumped in the pool early in the morning for the Polar Bear Swim and



Image: Group photo on Fastelavn day

got pranked by Aprilsnar (April Fools) shenanigans. We laughed, loved, and created new friendships!

There are over 300 photos from this year's camp posted on our Facebook Page (Himmelbjerget Danish Camp), check us out!

Save the date for Camp 2026! We will be celebrating Jul (Christmas) together June 21-27, 2026! Registration will open in early 2026 and available through nwdanishcamp.com.



Image: Studenterfest in the back of a truck at Menucha

Visit our website for more information about events and programs!

Via our website you can also sign up for our e-bulletin to receive updates on all these activities:

www.northwestdanish.org

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Visit www.northwestdanish.org/network/

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NWDA News and Programs



Dane Camp for Little Vikings Returns to Seattle

By Kristin Miller

Dane Camp returned enthusiastically to the Seattle Danish Center in August 2025, after several years' pause. This is a week-long day camp for



Image: Campers, Counselors, and staff of Dane Camp 2025

children aged 5-12 who are interested in learning about Danish culture. Dane Camp was made possible by the hard work of Camp Director, Ingrid Salmon, and a team of volunteers including Birgitte McIntosh, Kristin Miller, Patti Olsen, Sonja Kromann, Lisbeth Mogensen, parents of campers, and by NWDA staff, especially Emily Olsen.

We were excited to welcome campers visiting from as far away as Idaho and California, and they were excited to make new friends! Some already knew some Danish and all joined in practicing during daily Danish lessons.

The theme for Dane Camp 2025 was holidays. In one week, we celebrated Fastelavn, Sankthansaften, Birthdays, and Christmas (Jul). We began with costumes to dress up for Fastelavn, and these proved popular throughout the week when we read and acted out fairy tales by H.C. Andersen, including *The Princess and the Pea* and *The Emperor's New Clothes*.

Other favorite activities were singing in Danish, folk dancing, making crafts like gækkebrev and woven paper hearts (julehjerter), baking snobrød and lagkage, sports, and eating a Danish menu at family-style lunches.

Please look for information next spring about registering for Dane Camp 2026, and about volunteering.



Image: Counselors Ingrid Salmon and Kristin Miller assisting campers with lagkage baking

Image: Celebrating Fastelavn with costumes and a pinata (in place of a barrel)



Songs from the Kingdom of Denmark

By Emily Olsen, NWDA Staff



Image: Claire Pendleton (piano) and Anita Lerche about to perform

On September 17th, Harmony Hall rang out with songs of Denmark sung by Anita Lerche and accompanied on piano by Claire Pendleton. Both based in Indianapolis, Anita and Claire brought Anita's most recent album to life on this tour that ended in Seattle. The concert was all Danish classics and it transported all who attended back to Denmark in their minds and hearts.

Anita shared some of her journey through music, which also has taken her to India and Punjab, and her return to Danish songs with this album. She also shared about Arne

Image: Anita Lerche singing

Pedersen, who has made it his life's work to translate the blue Folkehøjskolens sangbog into a



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From Denmark



The Kings Frederik and the Once and Future Frederiksberg

By Jan Bruun-Petersen



Image: Jan Bruun-Petersen at Frederiksberg City Hall at the point of departure for the Copenhagen Pride Parade

By definition, an enclave is a territory entirely surrounded by the territory of another entity. The most famous example would be the tiniest country in the world, the Vatican, which is completely surrounded by the city of Rome, which is the capital of Italy. However, while getting to know Denmark, one comes across the city of Frederiksberg. It is completely surrounded by the city of Copenhagen, which is the capital of Denmark. It should be mentioned that a Danish kommune or municipality is a cross between a city and a county. That is because for most kommuner there can be many towns or villages combined with rural areas. Generally, each kommune has only one mayor,

even though there may be several towns scattered amongst the countryside in a kommune. The only two kommuner, of Denmark's ninety-eight kommuner, that only have one city or town, and no rural land are Copenhagen and Frederiksberg.

So, how was Frederiksberg able to become a city/kommune without being swallowed up by Copenhagen? What makes it so special? It starts with the concept of walled cities, that have been used as a form of fortification throughout Europe. For about two hundred years, Copenhagen was walled, with no stone buildings allowed to be built near the city. In 1651, King Frederik III, gave permission for Dutch farmers to work the land just west of Copenhagen. The settlement became Ny Hollænder By, but the soil was of poor quality, so after a few decades, the Dutch farmers left. However, but they had left their mark by clearing the fields, so King Frederik IV chose the area for his summer palace. Thus, the area got the name from Frederiksberg Castle. A new settlement grew around the castle.

In the 1850s, while Copenhagen was starting to dismantle its walls, the town of Frederiksberg was being populated by wealthy Copenhageners and was beginning to have an urban character. Because of the strong tax base of its wealthy inhabitants and the royal prestige of Frederiksberg Palace, the Ministry of the Interior proposed that Frederiksberg become a købstad. A købstad had exclusive rights to hold markets and

trade. More importantly, they had legal and administrative autonomy. Also a købstad is definitely a city and not a town. So in 1857, King Frederik the VII signed the royal resolution making Frederiksberg a købstad.

So with Copenhagen's walls coming down and getting prepared for a massive expansion, the rural kommuner of Valby, Sundbyerne, Brønshøj, Vanløse, Utterslev, Egedal, and Bispebjerg got annexed. But because Frederiksberg was now a købstad, it was spared annexation, it remains an enclave— independent, yet closely tied to Copenhagen.

Frederiksberg's cisterns and Copenhagen Pride are two examples of this strong relationship. In the 1850s, Copenhagen's water supply authority built cisterns as a drinking water reservoir to combat poor sanitation and to help with public health. Frederiksberg Hill (31 meter elevation) was chosen for the cisterns to allow gravity to help get the fresh water up to the taller buildings. Today the cisterns are used as a Frederiksberg art museum. Copenhagen Pride (which is Denmark's largest festival spotlighting LGBTQIA+ visibility) is held every August. The parade starts at Frederiksberg City Hall and ends at Copenhagen City Hall. By the way, the Frederiksberg City Hall took eleven years to complete from 1942 to 1953 due to World War II material shortages and the original architect dying.

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Generations Gather for a Meal

By Emily Olsen, NWDA Staff



Image: Attendees playing Bingo after lunch

We had a lovely luncheon in late July. Our décor was tropical to supplement the summer heat. Chef Jørn outdid himself as always. The frikadeller lunch was terrific

and it was a great turn out. We ended the afternoon with fabulous lagkager decorated like Danish flags. There was plenty to go around!

Our next Generations Luncheon is on Sunday, November 9th. Kick off the holiday season with us! Read more and RSVP (required) at www.northwestdanish.org/generations-luncheons.



Image: Chef Jørn and the lagkage

NEED A SPACE FOR YOUR NEXT EVENT?

The Seattle Danish Center is available for special events such as birthdays or anniversaries.

Conveniently located near Northgate between Aurora 99 and I-5, the Center features a full kitchen, dance floor, and can host up to 112 people or can be divided in half.

Call the NWDA at [206-523-3263](tel:206-523-3263) for more information.



Friday, Nov. 7, 2025

5:30—9:00 pm

At the Leif Erikson Hall
2245 NW 57th St
Seattle, WA 98107

More info forthcoming at
www.northwestdanish.org/fredagscafe

Songs from the Kingdom of Denmark

By Emily Olsen, NWDA Staff

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red English edition. Anita has used some of his translations as sing-a-long songs and they were shared with attendees during the concert.

Anita and Claire are fabulous musicians and we are so lucky they could share their talent and enthusiasm for music for a lovely night in Seattle.

You can purchase Anita's album "Songs from the Kingdom of Denmark" now online.



Image: Emily Olsen, Anita Lerche, Preben Pedersen, Claire Pendleton, and Patti Olsen

NWDA News and Programs—Oregon



Fall and the Holidays with Oregon NWDA

By Kimbra Kasch, Board Member



Spooky Season is upon us, and the holidays are sneaking around the corner. At this time of the year, I always like to take some time to reflect on the blessings in our lives.

We all have a lot to be thankful for. This is the perfect time to assess what we've been doing and what we want to still accomplish in 2025. The Northwest Danish Association (NWDA) can help you with this by working with you to set a few goals together. We all have objectives we'd like to achieve, so this is a nice reminder to take a moment to sit quietly as the leaves blow around in the yard outside and reflect. Then make a list. Maybe you have a project in a drawer you want to finish, or maybe you just want to sign up for an upcoming event to work on perfecting your craft a bit more before delving into new crafts.

A perfect opportunity to work on cross-stitch, knitting, crocheting, or

any other craft you want to finish before the holidays is the Coffee Hours we offer at Nordia House. We sit around and have coffee and treats, and your craft could be a perfect conversation starter.

If crafting is your goal, remember to check out our local offerings on the NWDA website and the digital events too.

UPCOMING EVENTS INCLUDE:

October 18th, a free bus ride to Seattle for the annual member meeting and dinner.

November 1st from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. is the Apple Festival at Nordia House. We're hoping to have an apple pie contest (with prizes), dozens of apples to taste, and apple cider to whet your whistle with, plus vendors offering perfect presents to purchase for the holidays.

December 23, LilleJuleAften, with traditional Christmas treats and Gløgg, plus a risalamande eating contest (with prizes), dancing around the Christmas Tree, the Lucia Court, and the Nordic Choir, and of course a Christmas message will all be offered.

We here at the NWDA want to find ways to meet your needs so you can reach all your goals. One way to help you do that is to remind you to check out the classes and meetings we are

offering in your area. And, if you don't find something that helps you specifically, remember you can always send us an email with suggestions for new classes, workshops, or even great ideas for get-togethers. We'd love to hear from you.

Until the next time we're together again, I want to wish you all happy hauntings, feasting, and fun with your family and friends. I'm really hoping to see you all soon at an upcoming event.

Your Northwest Danish Association Board—Kimbra Kasch



Images: Lillejuleaften 2024 dancing around the tree and Lucia court



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Danish American Cultural Retreat 2025 – a fun filled weekend

By Sonja Kromann, DACR Director and Board Member



Image: Group photo on Friday at the start of the retreat under the Danish flag

The Northwest Danish Association recently hosted the 46th Danish American Cultural Retreat (DACR), September 12-14, 2025 at the Menucha Retreat and Conference Center. The DACR is a wonderful opportunity to spend time together with a friendly group of people to learn about Danish culture, current events, and history. The DACR is modelled on the Danish Folkehøjskole experience and combines interesting talks, outdoor activities, singing, yummy food and social time together in the beautiful grounds of the Menucha Retreat and Conference Center set in the incredible scenery of the Columbia River Gorge.

The program included a distinguished group of speakers on a di-

verse range of topics. The DACR opened with a talk from Hanne Støvring, Director of the American Friends of the Danish National Gallery. Hanne travelled from Copenhagen to discuss the role art can play in cultural diplomacy and philanthropy. We next heard from Tova Brandt, Executive Director of the Museum of Danish America in Elkhorn, Iowa. Tova gave two talks. In the first, Tova discussed the new Nordic cuisine movement and the impact it has had on world cuisine. Her second talk compared Scandinavian furnishings and décor, with a focus on Norway and Denmark.

The program also featured local Danish author and folk singer, Flemming Behrend, who discussed his debut novel *Nøglen fra Cordoba* (The Key from Cordoba) which traces the life of his Jewish ancestor Joachim Israel Behrend against a very turbulent time in Danish history. Medieval historian Terri Barnes, a post-graduate researcher at the Institute for Northern Studies at the University of the Highlands and Islands in Orkney, Scotland and local instructor at Portland Community College gave a two-part talk on Viking age society looking at the roles and rights of the main social groups, Jarls, Karls, and Thralls.

On Sunday, we heard from Dr. Marianne Stecher-Hansen, Chair of the Department of Scandinavian Studies at the University of Washington. Ma-

rianne discussed the famous H.C. Andersen fairy tale, *The Emperor's New Clothes*, as a 'revolutionary parable' that has retained its relevance from when it was written in the 1830s, to World War II when it was banned by the occupying Nazis, and into the present day. The DACR program concluded with a talk from the hosts and producers of the Danish Originals podcast, where accomplished Danes and Danish Americans are interviewed and reflect on a piece of art they selected from the Danish National Museum collection. These interesting talks are only a part of the Danish American Cultural Retreat.

There is also plenty of opportunities to socialize and relax during Danish inspired meals and coffee breaks, as well as during the evening entertain-

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Image: Attendees playing games in the "Kro" (Kroaften)

NW Danish Calendar



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October 2025

Søndag	Mandag	Tirsdag	Onsdag	Torsdag	Fredag	Lørdag
	Bogklub 3 starts (Online) on September 29th—you can join by October 6th!		1 DBIA & DSS Meeting (S) Bogklub 2 starts (Online)	2	3 Fredagscafe (S)	4
5	6	7 Work Party (S)	8 DAN 1A starts (Online)	9 DBIA Meeting (E)	10	11 DBIA & DSS Meeting (P)
12	13 Conversation Group (P)	14 DAN 1C/2A starts (Online) DAN Bogklub 4 starts (Online)	15	16	17	18 NWDA Annual Meeting (S)
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27 Conversation Group (P)	28 Bogklub 1 starts (Online)	29	30	31	

November 2025

Søndag	Mandag	Tirsdag	Onsdag	Torsdag	Fredag	Lørdag
						1 Apple Festival (P)
2	3	4 Work Party (S)	5 DBIA & DSS Meeting (S)	6	7 Nordic Mixer at Leif Erikson Lodge (S)	8 DSS Meeting (P)
9 Generations Luncheon (S)	10 Conversation Group (P)	11	12	13 DBIA Meeting (E)	14	15
16 Juleauktion Starts (Online)	17	18	19 Bogklub 2 ends (Online)	20	21	22
23	24 Conversation Group (P)	25	26	27 Happy Thanksgiving!	28	29

December 2025

Søndag	Mandag	Tirsdag	Onsdag	Torsdag	Fredag	Lørdag
November 30 Juleauktion Ends (Online)	1 Bogklub 3 ends (Online)	2 Work Party (S)	3 DBIA & DSS Meeting (S)	4	5 Fredagscafe (S)	6
7 Julestue (S)	8 Conversation Group (P)	9 DAN 1C/2A ends (Online) DAN Bogklub 4 ends (Online)	10 DAN 1A ends (Online)	11 DBIA Meeting (E)	12	13 Scanfair (P)
14 Scanfair (P)	15	16 Bogklub 1 ends (Online)	17	18	19	20
21	22 Conversation Group (P)	23 Lillejuleaften (S & P)	24	25 Glædelig Jul!	26	27
28	29	30 Viking School (P)	31	January 1—Godt Nytår!		

(P)= Portland (S) = Seattle (E) = Eugene



Donations: July 2025 to September 2025—Thank you!



Donations and gifts are cumulative from July 2025 to present.



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Carolyn and Joe Marineau

DACR 2025

By Sonja Kromann

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ment and socializing at the Kroaften. Highlights included Danish Jeopardy and a concert by Flemming Behrend. In summary, the DACR was a fun weekend and is one I look forward to every year.

Please save the date and plan to attend the Danish American Cultural Retreat next year, September 18-20, 2026.

Membership

The NWDA membership year is from July 1st to June 30th each year. If you haven't gotten your membership renewed, you still can!

Benefits include:

- Discounts on all NWDA events and programs
- Free access to our Danish library in Seattle with over 2,000 books and films available
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A heartfelt thank you to everyone who has donated to NWDA. We would not be here without your support!

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In Memory—Lyla Jacobsen



In Memory: Lyla Noreen Jacobsen

December 16, 1933 - June 4, 2025 (91 years old)

With profound sadness, we say goodbye to Lyla Noreen Jacobsen of Kirkland, Washington, whose vibrant spirit touched the lives of many. Lyla Noreen left this world on June 4, 2025 at the age of 91, leaving a void in the lives of so many people. Leave a sympathy message to the family in the guestbook on this memorial page of Lyla Noreen Jacobsen to show support.



In the soft embrace of remembrance, we recall the profound impact Lyla Noreen had on those she encountered along her journey. Though Lyla Noreen may have slipped beyond the veil of mortality, her essence lingers like a faint fragrance in the air, a lingering reminder of the beauty and complexity of the human experience.

She is survived by: her husband Gert Jacobsen (Lyla); her son Jeff (Carrie); her grandchildren, Peyton and Amelia; her son Steve (Laura); and also Sam Sueoka. She is also survived by sisters and all her extended family.

A celebration of life was held on Wednesday, July 2nd 2025 at 1:00 PM at the Holy Spirit Lutheran Church (10021 NE 124th St, Kirkland, WA 98034).

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Lyla's memory to Evergreen Hospice whose compassionate care supported her in her final days or EAFA, at eafa.org.

Fall Greetings

By Preben B. Pedersen, NWDA Executive Director

Continued from page 2 it looks now, we anticipate the rental income for the current financial year ending Jun 30, 2026, to exceed last year's rental income.

I look forward to seeing many of you at our Annual Meeting on Sat, Oct 18, 2025, and the following dinner where Jørn Mathiasen again will be the Danish Chef in the kitchen.

Fall Danish Language Classes

**In partnership with SLI
(Scandinavian Language Institute)**



Classes start in late September or early October. Information and registration online.

www.northwestdanish.org/learn-danish

www.scanlang.org

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ANNUAL MEETING, Seattle —Oct. 18th
APPLE FESTIVAL, Portland—Nov. 1st
NORDIC MIXER @ Leif Erikson, Seattle—Nov. 7th
GENERATIONS LUNCHEON, Seattle—Nov. 9th
JULEAUKTION, Online—Nov. 16-30th
JULESTUE, Seattle—Dec. 7th
LILLEJULEAFTEN, Seattle & Portland—Dec. 23rd

Monthly Events (subject to change)

- Work Party — First Tuesday, Seattle
- Fredagscafe — First Friday, Seattle
(all events listed above are not held in July & August)

Watch our e-bulletins each week for specific times and dates of programs. Note: Monthly events are subject to change. Some programs do not run in the summer.

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