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MEETINGS HELD AT BUL CABIN

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Deadline for submission of materials for publication is the 20th of the month prior. PLEASE NOTE!

Nor-Bu is on Facebook at Nor-Bu Lodge.

ATTENTION

March 17th, 6:30pm Irish night

Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner

Dinner cost \$15.00 BYOB

For reservations contact Kari Brescher
973-627-6334 or karifbrescher@gmail.com



March 25th, Sunday 2:00pm
Zone Meeting Nansen Lodge

APRIL

April 8th at 2pm Sunday Dinner

Shrimp Margarita

April 18th at 7pm Board Meeting

April 21st at 6:30pm Business Meeting,

April 22nd at 2:00pm Zone Memorial

Service at Holy Trinity Church

SUNDAY DINNER

April 8th, 2pm

“Shrimp Margarita”

Salad, rolls, dessert & coffee

\$12.00 BYOB



Cooked by Elizabeth Grady Nilsen

For reservations call Anne-Lise

At 973-663-1070 or email

anne@smallworld-



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We have some limited space with a group on Hurtigruten on Aug. 23, 2018 if anyone is interested. Give me a call.



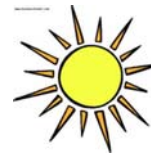
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GOD BEDRING



We would like to send get well wishes to Emma Osvold, Gladys Stene, Love Green, Rita Kugler, Glenn Green, Ingunn Pedersen, Bob Haugeto, Peggy Gerding and Bill Nostrand



NOTIFY our Sunshine Lady, Sister Evelyn Hammaren, 973-584-8249 **ASAP** if you know of anyone who is sick, or if you wish to extend congratulations to someone, for whatever reason It only takes a minute to call.

We have some of our members living in nursing homes. Their lives in many ways are very lonely and they could use a visit from friends when family can not get there. If you have a little time to spare to visit one of our members please consider doing so.

We have Emma Osvold living at Merry Heart in Boonton. Also Jenny Berntsen at the Arden in Whippany. They would really love a visit.

Contact Evelyn Hammaren if you have any questions or if you can go and would like to go together with someone.



Don't forget our ongoing sale of Shop-Rite cards. This is an successful fundraiser. Since we started in March of 2010, we have sold almost \$100,000.00 in gift cards, that is just short of \$5000.00 for Nor-Bu. Please consider purchasing for yourself or for gifts. If you wish to purchase some gift cards, contact Evelyn Karpack at 973-627-5634 or just mail a check for your order to Nor-Bu Lodge, PO Box 317, Hibernia, NJ 07842 and let us know the amount you wish.

MARCH 2018 MESSAGE



My calendar says winter, my thermometer says summer (it is in the 60ies as I am writing this), and my brain, or whatever is left of it, says taxes! I guess there isn't much we can do about the weather, and however much I would welcome doing my taxes on a postcard, I will have to struggle with myriad of forms this year and probably for years to come! Thank goodness it is only once a year!

When it comes to the weather, I wish winter would have been with us for our weekend at LOV, but even without the snow we had a great time. We had over half the rooms filled, some of which by members from Hudson Valley Lodge. They were great people and fun to be with. If we cannot fill LOV ourselves, maybe we should see if we can make it a joint weekend. We have booked the same weekend for next year, so mark your calendars. And give me an indication as to whether or not you would like to participate next year. It would be great if we can fill the place ourselves, but if not, we should look at possible ways of adding to our numbers. Asking Hudson Valley to join us would I think, be a great way of doing so. We would have great company and it would benefit LOV.

I receive several lodge newsletters and enjoy reading them all. It is always interesting to see what other lodges are doing. One thing I have noticed lately, it may have happened for a while without me noticing it, is that a few lodges charge more for guests than their own members for attending meetings. There are obviously costs involved in organizing meetings, particularly if food is served, and it probably always is. But I question the practice. I don't see it as very fraternal, and it is certainly not the way I think we should welcome potential new members. In fact, why not consider giving a new guest one "on the house?" There are actually organizations which do that. I am a member of one such organization, the Pocono Lions Club. First time guests get a free dinner, and returning guests are charged the same as the members. I certainly felt more welcome being treated that way. And do the guests become members? So far as can see for our Lions club, it mostly seems to be the case. Maybe it is something for lodges to consider, if not already done?

Looking to the near future, there are some exciting things happening. We have our Irish celebration in March, we host the Zone Memorial Service in April, and in early May there is the John Karlsen Memorial Golf Tournament at Land of the Vikings. Named after a former Nor-Bu member it is a fun weekend of golf and social activities. You can play golf, but you don't have to. You will have a chance of "gambling" on the ponies as the Kentucky Derby is run that Saturday, and of course meeting old and making new friends. The ladies are known to have done some shopping during the weekend. And let us not forget that the weekend is organized to raise money for LOV. For us in Nor-Bu, Land of the Vikings has served as a home away from home than perhaps is the case for many, or even most of the lodges in the Third District. Let us therefore make a special effort to keep LOV running, and we can do that by participating in events like this.

I hope to see many of you at the upcoming events.

Fraternally,

Audun



NORWEGIAN DAY PARADE 2018 FUNDRAISER

April 22 (4-8 pm) @ The Salty Dog
\$20.00 per person. Raffles, 50/50, light refreshments, Cash Bar,
Swedish Meatballs with Ellen Lindstrom performing!

For info, contact arlenerutuelo@gmail.com

Come out and support the parade!



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Preserving the history of the Norwegian communities of Greater New York.
www.NIAHISTORY.org

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63rd Annual Crowning of
Miss Norway of Greater New York

Saturday, March 24, 2018
2 PM

Arthur Nilsen Banquet Hall
Norwegian Christian Home and Health Center
1250 67th Street, Brooklyn, New York 11219



Luncheon reservations can be made by contacting
Odette Larsen; 718-974-3475 or NIAHistoryOnline@yahoo.com

\$35 per Adult
\$15 per Child (12 years of age and younger)

For detailed contestant information and application please visit our website:
www.NIAHISTORY.org

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The "John Karlsen Memorial" Golf Tournament at Land of the Vikings



The Weekend of

May 4 – 6, 2018



For LOV Reservations - Call or E-mail Bev or Rick:-
Phone:- 570-461-3500 E-mail:- vikingland@tds.net

Tournament Fee:- \$70.00 for each Golfer

Includes:- Golf, Cart, Greens Fee and Prizes.

Send Tournament Fee by April 25th Payable to:- Audun Gythfeldt

PO Box 702

Pocono Pines, PA 18350

? Questions for Audun ?

Phone #- 570-646-3817

E-mail:- (Preferred) audun99@ptd.net



Tee Sponsorships:- \$25
From Lodges or Individuals



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Each Golfer Greens Fee Form:-

Includes – Golf, Cart, Greens Fees & Prizes



Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

Send This Form and the Tournament Fee

of \$70.00 for Each Golfer, by April 25th 2018

Payable to:-

Audun Gythfeldt
P.O. Box 702
Pocono Pines, PA 18350

Any Questions:-
E-mail (Preferred):- audun99@ptd.net
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File:- John Karlsen Mem Golf Tournament May 04-06 2018 Rev 01



March 2018

Fra Presidenten

"....all you red headed Irish can thank the Vikings!" by Nalda Olson, former Bondelandet charter member

Did you ever notice the similarity between Celtic and Viking art? This is a photo I purchased from Shutterstock and it is labeled as medieval Celtic Viking symbol! I am partial to both; could be because my mother was an Irish red head and my father was Norwegian. I have discovered that was not an uncommon combination, especially in Brooklyn! Think about it, two sets of immigrants coming to a new land; it is only logical that they would connect as they strived to survive away from the familiar.



Connect, that is what we do. We are connected by our lodge, by our Zone, by our District, by the entire Sons of Norway organization. Did you notice that there are no breaks in the artwork?

One of the things I am so proud of when I read your newsletters and visit your lodges is that you all focus on what binds us together. Our love of culture and history and our Norwegian roots. It's not easy being part of a volunteer organization where people have different views yet we all work together toward a common goal. It is a wonderful feeling. How do we share that "feeling"? You do it in your newsletters; the community events you support; the way we treat each other as a very large extended family. You all "pull it off" with the ease and grace of an Olympic ice dancer.

Like the medieval Celtic Viking symbol, we are all connected and I am proud to be connected with you!!!
Keep up the great work!

Happy St. Patrick's Day to all!
Sláinte
All the best,

Mary



LEARN NORWEGIAN

Norwegian language classes are being held as the schedule of the students permit. If you are interested in joining, please call Kari Brescher to find out when the next class will be held.

973-627-6334

Norwegian Proverbs

Det finnes ikke dårlig vær, bare dårlige klær.. "There is no bad weather, only bad clothing."

Jo flere kokker, jo mer søl. "The more cooks, the more mess."

Gammel vane, vond å vende. "Old habit, hard to turn."

Ingen fisk uten bein. "No fish without bones." Nothing in life comes easy.

The folks that help bring you the newsletter.
Booster Club Members

Stuart Anderson.....	11/2018
Dorothy Furst Bahnatka.....	7/2020
Sigrid Bjelland.....	5/2018
Frank & Kari Brescher.....	2/2018
Anne-Lise Henriksen Carew.....	3/2019
Ann Carlsen.....	4/2018
Joe Carlsen.....	11/2018
Artie Crane.....	12/2018
Ellen Crane.....	12/2018
Marga Conn.....	4/2018
Kim Dwyer.....	2/2019
Judith Eriksson.....	4/2018
Marit Fosstveit.....	9/2018
Gail Garnett.....	11/2019
Audun & Margaret Gythfeldt.....	4/2019
Ellen Hantho.....	3/2020
Bob Haugeto.....	10/2018
Jimmy Heien.....	10/2018
Vega & Arthur Hendela.....	04/2021
Ilene & Walt Jacobus.....	12/2018
Lillian Jensen.....	1/2019
Barbara & Peter Johanson.....	2/2018
Stan & Hessie Kjekstad.....	2/2020
Irma Bergland Lafko.....	4/2019
Debbie Landvik Larsen Felner.....	1/2019
Barbara & Joseph Lehner.....	1/2019
Bjorg Lema.....	11/2019
Gerda Lindstrom.....	12/2018
John & Claire Loken.....	9/2021
Per & Marit Mikalsen.....	6/2019
Russell & Doris Nelson.....	6/2018
Christian Nielsen.....	4/2018
Elizabeth & Roy Nilsen.....	12/2018
William Nostrand.....	3/2019
Mary & Harry Ostevik.....	1/2019
Marilyn Pettersen.....	1/2021
Judy and Eugene Randazzo.....	4/2018
Kjell & Edith Ring.....	6/2018
Ruth Ruediger.....	11/2018
Gunvor Satra.....	1/2019
Raymond & Carol Schutz.....	3/2018
Roy & Barbara Selland.....	2/2019
Thor & Gladys Stene.....	05/2019
Joyce Svendsen.....	1/2019
Mari Svensen.....	1/2019
Angie Thompson.....	1/2019
Austin Thompson.....	1/2019
Joanne Thompson.....	1/2019
Robert & Mary Thompson.....	1/2019
Gwyn Anne Thompson.....	1/2019
Mary Ellen Thompson.....	1/2019
Garth Eric Thompson.....	1/2019
Gindy Dale Thompson.....	1/2019
Garon Keith Thompson.....	1/2019
Gayle Elaine Thompson.....	1/2019
Heather Thompson.....	1/2019

Jason Thompson.....	1/2019
Laura Thompson.....	1/2019
Thelma Thompson.....	1/2020
Barbara & Karl Peter Thorsen.....	4/2019
Ellen & Richard Tonnesen.....	3/2018

You can be a booster too! Adding your name to the booster list helps to pay for mailing and printing. \$ 10.00 donation to the Treasurer will put you on the list! Make Check out to Nor-Bu Lodge.

Mail to:

Anne-Lise Meisner

92 West Shawnee Trail, Wharton, NJ 07885-2923

If your name is missing and you have sent in your booster, please let Anne-Lise know, 973-663-1070.

Memorial Boosters



Daniel Lema	October 2019
Arne & Ingeborg Strom-Henriksen	April 2019
Arne Landvik-Larsen	December 2019
Dagmar & Susan Heien	October 2019
Eileen Anderson	November 2018
Oscar & Evelyn Tonnesen	June 2018
Ivar & Ruth Skavnes	June 2018
Palma & Olav Brastad	December 2018

With Deepest Sympathy



The members of Nor-Bu Lodge wish to send their condolences to the family and friends of Thor Stene, who entered lodge eternal recently. Thor was 94 years old and a 65 year member of the lodge. He also loved to bowl and did so up until a few years ago.



2018 Nor-Bu Lodge Calendar



April

Sunday Dinner
Board Meeting
Business Meeting, Program TBD
Annual Zone Memorial Service

Sunday, April 8th at 2pm
Wednesday, April 18th at 7pm
Saturday, April 21st at 6:30pm
Sunday, April 22nd at 2:00pm

May

LOV Golf Tournament
17 May Celebration
Bus to Brooklyn Parade
Picnic after Parade

Friday, May 4th to Sunday May 6th
Saturday, May 19th at 6:30pm
Sunday, May 20th at 11:30am
Sunday, May 20th at 5pm

June

3D Convention, Hauppauge, LI
St. Hans Zone Scholarship events
St. Hans Bonfire

Thursday June 6 to Sunday June 10
Saturday, June 23rd time TBD
Saturday, June 23rd at dusk

August

Event TBD

September

Board meeting
Business meeting
Sunday Dinner

Tuesday, September 11th at 7pm
Saturday, September 15th at 6:30pm
Sunday, September 30th at 2pm

October

Cultural night program
Zone meeting, Bernt Balchen

Saturday, October 20th at 6:30pm
Sunday, October 21st at 2pm

November

Tricky Tray
Board Meeting
Business meeting with elections

Sunday, November 11th at 2:30pm
Wednesday, November 14th at 7pm
Saturday, November 17th at 6:30pm

December

Food Sale
Annual Pork Dinner
Julefest
Children's Julefest

Sunday, December 2nd at 1pm
Sunday, December 2nd at 2pm
Saturday, December 15th at 6:30pm
Saturday, December 29th at 2pm

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church



508 Green Pond Road • Rockaway, NJ 07866
973-625-0110
HTLchurch@gmail.com
www.rockawaylutheran.org

Sunday Worship Sunday School 11 am

Pastor Jack DiMatteo

Communion is celebrated every Sunday.
The 2nd Sunday of each month is our
Contemporary Service.

ANNUAL ZONE MEMORIAL SERVICE

April 22, 2:00pm

*Holy Trinity Lutheran Church
508 Green Pond Rd,
Rockaway, NJ 07866
Hosted by Nor-Bu Lodge*

[Brian Boru of Dál Cais became King of Munster](#) and called himself the High King of All Ireland after his brother was killed during battle. With the help of the Uí Néill, Brian Boru slaughtered the Vikings of Dublin and was recognised as the [High King](#) in 1002.

If you cant beat them join them, just as the Vikings did

One of the main reasons the Vikings failed to take full control of the island is that they made the mistake of getting involved with Ireland's internal affairs which seen many clans battle with each other for control of different regions. The Vikings joined forces with the clan of Leciestar to defeat Brian Boru and called on forces to come to Ireland from all over the Viking Kingdom.

On Good Friday 1014 the Viking fleet arrived in Dublin bay to battle with Brian Boru. Brian's Army consisted of his Munster army and the Limerick and Waterford Vikings, who had joined forces with Brian Boru. Although Brian was killed, at an age of 70, as he prayed in his tent for victory the Vikings were driven back to the Viking ships with many being slaughtered on the coast of Clontarf which would see Viking power in Ireland lost forever.

Although the Viking power was taken away it is well known they helped the Irish progress in terms of technology in building warships, weapons and battle tactics and also built the first towns such as Dublin, Cork and Waterford. Many Vikings still lived on in Ireland and married into Irish families which would help shape many future generations.

With the invasion of the Vikings and internal disputes the Church in Ireland was reduced and its influence abroad was dramatically smaller than previous years. Rome was quite worried that Ireland was losing touch with [Christianity](#) and the country would need reform and discipline yet again. Malachy of Armagh, aged 29, would be appointed Bishop of Down and Connor in the North East.

Time line of Vikings in Ireland

- 795AD – The Vikings arrived in Ireland and performed small raids
- 806AD – The Vikings raided Iona Abbey, all 68 occupants were killed
- 832AD – 120 Viking ships arrived in Ireland's north eastern coasts
- 836AD – The Vikings began to attack deeper inland
- 841AD – Dubhlinn (Dublin) was created as a Viking settlement
- 856AD – The Vikings created a settlement near Cork
- 848AD – The Viking army are defeated in Sligo, Kildare, Cashel and Cork
- 850AD – The Vikings created the settlement of Waterford
- 851AD – Battle at Dundalk bay between Norse and Danish Vikings takes place
- 852AD – Armagh is destroyed by Vikings
- 869AD – King of Connaught defeated the Norwegian Vikings near Drogheda
- 902AD – The Irish attacked and drove the Vikings from Dublin into Wales
- 914AD – Large Viking Fleets arrived at Waterford. Settlements in Limerick and Wexford were built
- 915AD – The Vikings attacked Dublin and regained control from the Irish
- 928AD – Viking Massacre at Dunmore Cave in Kilkenny
- 976AD – Brian Boru becomes King of Munster
- 980AD – The Battle of Tara
- 999AD – Brian Boru defeats the Vikings
- 1002AD – Brian Boru becomes High King of Ireland
- 1005AD – Máel Mórda mac Murchada begins to rebel against Brian Boru
- 1014AD – Battle of Clontarf – Brian Boru & Máel Mórda mac Murchada are killed

This article was first published on 08-06-2010 and last modified on 30-07-2017.

VIKING SHIP OF BOOZE RAFFLE for LOV



The beautiful wooden viking ship was hand made
by Jorgen Fidge.

Included in the ship are the following bottles:

Dewar's white Label Scotch
Svendka Vodka
Linie Acquavit
DiSaronna Amaretto
Dorado Tequila
Martini & Rossi Vermouth
Fleischmann's Gin
Barcardi Rum
Americia Gancia Aperitivo
And a bonus of a small bottle of Chambord

Chances are \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00
Drawing to be held June 2018
at the 2018 Third District Convention.
winner need not be present.
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* Tickets will be available at our meetings or by contacting Evelyn
* Karpach at 973-627-5634 or Karen Olsen-Helmold at
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By Debbie Landvik-Larsen

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Rosemaling: Hinged Box

Fri, Sat, Sun— April 27,28,29
Cost \$165.00 plus cost of supplies

All courses will be held at Nor-Bu Lodge, 21
Oslo Dr. Rockaway.
Friday times 6-9p, Saturdays 9am-4:30pm,
Sunday 12noon to 3pm

Courses presented through Morris Hills
School Adult and Continuing Education.
For more info: call 973-664-2295 or
www.mhrd.org.

NORWAY'S OLYMPICS 2018



Klaebo wins 4x10km relay to take gold



Marit Bjoergen most Olympic medals



Only Norwegian skier to win Downhill gold



Norway beat Germany and Poland to win the men's team ski jumping event at the Winter Olympics for the first time.

Daniel Andre Tande, Andreas Stjernen, Johann Andre Forfang and Robert Johansson combined to post 1098.5 points over two rounds.



Lorentzen Olympic record in 500M speed skate.
First Gold for Norway since 1948



Lundby first woman's gold on normal hill jump



Krueger goes from fall end of pack to sweep medals in Skiathlon



4x5KM Relay Gold gives Marit Bjoergen 13th Olympic Medal.

Dan Wolken | USA TODAY Sports

Norway, which is always among the best nations at the Winter Games despite having roughly the same population as the Detroit metropolitan area, is on track to win at an unprecedented level this year with 26 medals and nine golds, practically matching their all-time best performance as the host country in 1994. Barring a major drought the rest of the way, Norway is likely going to meet its pre-Olympic goal of 30 and run away with the medal count.

"Now we have 26 and that's our historically best medal count," Ovrebo said. "We had 26 in Lillehammer in '94 which was a home game and we got 26 in Sochi, but this time we thought we had to raise the bar because sports are in a very good condition and we thought as a nation we were better than 26 and we want to deliver more."

And ironically, for a country that's been winning everything here, Ovrebo believes much of the success traces back to its disregard for the scoreboard with younger athletes.

Unlike the U.S., where we keep score of everything all the time, Norway puts kids in sports but doesn't let them keep score until age 13. The idea is to make sports part of their social development so that the motivation to stay involved is to have fun with their friends, not winning.

A huge amount of Norwegian kids are doing sports, so we have very broad recruiting base, and our top sports programs and our kids are very closely connected in our system," Ovrebo said.

"They can compete, but we don't make like No. 1, No. 2, No. 3 before they're in their 13th year. We think it's better to be a child in this way because then they can concentrate on having fun and be with their friends and develop. We think the biggest motivation for the kids to do sports that they do it with their friends and they have fun while they're doing it and we want to keep that feeling throughout their whole career."

And fun remains a key tent of the Norwegian experience even when they grow up, which is important since, as Ovrebo acknowledges, "it's not a very competitive society from the start." In other words, Norway doesn't look at sports as an avenue to fame and fortune, nor is it an escape from their troubles. Because most Norwegians, it turns out, don't have many troubles given the universal health care, free college education and high employment rates.

INFORMATION SHEET FOR THE ZONE 3 SCHOLARSHIP FUND

THE PURPOSE of the scholarship fund of Zone 3 is to grant a one-time award to promote and encourage the higher education of individuals who wish to pursue an education beyond the secondary school (high school) level.

THE AWARDS will be given directly to the successful candidates to be used by the recipient for expenses associated with the pursuit of the goal of further education. The number of scholarships to be awarded will depend on the Zone 3 Scholarship Fund available balance.

CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION OF APPLICATIONS

1. Application for an award from the Zone 3 Scholarship Fund will be considered by the Selection Committee in the following order of priority:
 - A. Active Member of a Zone 3 Lodge
(“Active Member” is defined as a member who is on or has served on one of the Boards of his her lodge or Zone 3 and/or regularly attends meetings and supports the lodge and/or Zone at most events – a member who takes and shows an active interest in the operation of his her lodge and/or the Zone. This includes consideration for those members who have been active but may have become incapacitated and unable to participate.)
 - B. A member of a Zone 3 lodge OR child of an active Zone 3 Lodge member.
(“Child” is defined as the son, daughter, grandchild, stepson, stepdaughter or legally adopted child of a Zone 3 lodge member. A legal guardian will be considered a parent if he/she is solely responsible for the support of the applicant.)
 - C. Child of a Zone 3 Lodge member.
2. No award money will be given to any candidate until the Committee has received all the information required from the applicant including a copy of the notification of acceptance from the school to which the candidate has applied or notification of attendance from the school that the candidate is presently attending
3. **An applicant must submit each of the following items**
 - A. An official transcript of academic record. The official transcript is imprinted with the school’s seal and no transcript will be accepted without this seal. For high school seniors, this transcript should be a current high school transcript. If applicants are presently enrolled in higher education, submit a current college/school/university transcript
 - B. Three (3) letters of reference from the applicants’ present or former professors, teachers or instructors. Letters from relatives will not be accepted
 - C. **Notification of acceptance or continued attendance of an educational institution where the applicant will be enrolled Summer/Fall 2018** This can be a college admission letter if the applicant is a high school senior, or else paperwork showing acceptance at an acceptable institution like the International Summer School at the University of Oslo, or paperwork showing that the applicant is a continuing student working toward a degree (for example, transcript showing intended Summer/Fall 2018 coursework.
 - D. An essay written by the applicant.

Complete and return the application form and all required documentation prior to the deadline. Complete applications must be received by May 1, 2018.

Return the application form with all required information to:

Kathleen Muller 126 Raymond Pl Staten Is, NY 10310

**APPLICATION FORM/ Due May 1st, 2018
ZONE 3 SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

Name (first last): _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Birth date: _____

SONS OF NORWAY MEMBERSHIP (if candidate is a member in good standing)

Lodge Name and #: _____ Member since: _____

If candidate is not a member of Sons of Norway, but a relative is a member in good standing:

Name of Relative: _____ Relationship: _____

Lodge Name and #: _____ Member since: _____

SCHOLASTIC RECORD COMPLETE THIS SECTION IF CANDIDATE IS A HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR

High School Name (include city and state): _____

Cumulative Un-weighted GPA: _____ If weighted GPA, check here: _____

SCHOLASTIC RECORD COMPLETE THIS SECTION IF CANDIDATE IS IN A SCHOOL, COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY, OR WORKING TOWARD A DEGREE POST HIGH SCHOOL

School/College Name (include city and state): _____

Expected Graduation Date and Degree to be earned: _____

Cumulative GPA: _____ Attending: _____ Full time or _____ Part Time

SAT score: **(MATH and VERBAL only)** MATH _____ VERBAL _____

OR ACT composite score: _____

Applicant to include with application a RESUME not to exceed 2 pages (done on a word processor).

Resume to include: awards earned; extracurricular activities (distinguish between school-related and non-school related activities); volunteer experiences; community service; civic engagement; Sons of Norway participation leadership.

Applicant to include with application an ESSAY not to exceed 2 pages double spaced (done on a word processor) or 1 page if single spaced.

Title of essay is "Why I should receive the Zone 3 Scholarship"

Three letters of references from the applicants' present or former professors, teachers or instructors. At least one of the letters must be from a school teacher who has had the applicant in class as a student

Send completed Application & Documentation to: Mrs Kathleen Muller

126Raymond Pl.

Staten Is, NY 10310