

SCANDINAVIAN CENTRE EVENTS & INFORMATION BULLETIN

SUMMER

June & July 2017

Buy your tickets now for the Midsummer Festival Lottery 2017

1st Prize \$3,000 Cash.

Sponsored by Jim Pattison Volvo of Surrey and Nesters Market

2nd Prize \$500 Cash. Donated by Danish House Society

3rd Prize \$500 Cash. Donated by Finland House Society

4th Prize \$500 Cash. Donated by Iceland House Society

5th Prize \$500 Cash. Donated by Norwegian House Society

6th Prize \$500 Cash. Donated by Sweden House Society

Draw: Sunday, June 18/2017 at 4 pm onstage at the Midsummer Festival

- June 16 (Fri)** **Ember Skies 8pm**
Outdoor Electronic Dance Music // Deep Tech House + Bass with 7 Back-to-Back DJs:
SARA SUKKHA // Blueprint, Deep Down Inside > b2b w/ OKI
RICH HAUGHTON // House Heads Radio, UK > b2b w/ RIDE
STARBAUCK // Shadowphonic Sound Labs > b2b w/ TH13F
And special opener before the bonfire: FIKSUPOIKA // Nordik Beat, Phonophile
Fundraiser for the Scandinavian Community Centre
\$15 Only at the Door / 19+ / Info 604 340-8186
Presented by VFC + Splendub DJs + Scandinavian Midsummer Festival
- June 17 and 18 (Sat & Sun)** **Scandinavian Midsummer Festival**
Viking Village, Cultural Displays, Shopping Kiosks, Dancing, Bonfire, Beer Garden, Music, Midsummer Pole, Traditional Scandinavian Foods, Kids' activities. The fun and crazy wife-carrying contest always draws a lot of attention along with continuous entertainment all weekend.
www.scandinavianmidsummerfestival.org The Craft and Commercial tables are sold out.
Sunday June 18th Pancake breakfast 10am to 11.30am. Wife Carrying Competition 2pm
- June 29 (Thu)** **Full Day Partner Bridge Tournament 9 am**
9 am Coffee, muffins and registration. 10 am Bridge 5 rounds. Hot lunch 1 pm, and 5 more rounds to follow. \$25 each. Everyone welcome. Please call Vivian or Helen 604-521-6714. Next date November 2.
- July 7 (Fri)** **KroAften, Danish House Society's Club Night BY RESERVATION ONLY**
CAPACITY LIMITED TO 165. Bar opens 6 pm. Smorrebrod is served at 7pm.
Meet 6'ish to get your meal tickets and table number and enjoy a drink. To reserve: Ebba Grey 604 990 3550 email ebba@shaw.ca MUST BOOK & order your open faced sandwiches by the Monday 6pm of same week. This popular event books up quickly so call early! Ask Ebba to add you to her e-mail list to notify you of the sandwich selections the week before. Enjoy a fine selection of open-faced sandwiches, dessert, coffee & tea. Wash it down with Snaps and Carlsberg.
- Aug 20 (Sun)** **Danish House Annual Family BBQ 4pm to 9pm**
Please note change of date
Door prizes and Raffle prizes. Cash Bar: Beer and Wine. Beef Steak or Salmon Fillet, Corn-on-the-cob, Green Salad or Potato Salad, Assorted Pies and Ice Cream, Hot dogs and Pop for Kids. \$20.00 per PERSON. *Young Family Members (17 & under) Free By Reservation Only*
Phone Dave Buchmann 604-760-7705 to reserve and let him know if you want steak or salmon
- Aug 26 (Sat)** **SWEA Crayfish Party 6pm**
Cost: presale \$45.00, At the door: \$60. Contact: Vancouver@swea.org
Similar to last year, SWEA partners with the Swedish Cultural Society in organizing the saltiest event of the year. The tickets include a three course meal with entertainment during dinner, and dancing to Swedish music after. Only 60 tickets will be sold, so purchase your ticket early! Last year we sold out.
- Sept 1 (Fri)** **KroAften, Danish House Society's Club Night BY RESERVATION ONLY**
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Sept 8 (Fri)

Scandinavian Seniors Lunch 55+ 12 noon

There is a fee of \$3 if you bring a plate of sandwiches, cakes or cookies to share OR \$8 if you prefer not to bring food. Contact Tor Olufsen 604-294-0749 tolufsen@shaw.ca.

Sept 13 (Wed)

Scandinavian Business Club's Dinner, Bar opens 6:00 pm

Dinner 7 pm. Early Bird Member Price \$35, Early Bird Non-Member Price: \$40.

Regular price after midnight the Monday before the event: Member Price: \$45. Non-member \$50

To register in advance and pay at the door (cash, cheque, or credit card): email secretary@sbc-bc.ca or call the SBC office 604-484-8238, or contact a current SBC board member, with the names and number of people in your party.

We welcome both non-members and members to all our events! Also visit us at www.sbc-bc.ca

Sept 15 (Fri)

ScanSports 5th Annual Fund Raising Golf Tournament 11am

To promote youth and sport within the community. Format: Texas Scramble (Best Ball). Limited to the first 32 fully paid registered golfers. Buffet Dinner, cash bar, silent auction.

Time: Registration 11am; first tee-off at noon, followed by 9-minute tee-off intervals; last tee-off 1pm.

Buffet dinner 7pm. Location: Burnaby Mountain Golf Course

Fees are: Golf, ½ power cart and buffet dinner \$132.75; Golf and buffet dinner \$117.25

Golf only \$ 82.25; Golf and ½ power cart \$97.75;

Buffet dinner only \$ 35.00 - non-golfers are welcome to attend the buffet dinner.

For Sponsorship, please contact: Robert Oberg at roberg@telus.net phone: Robert Oberg at 604-813-4346

Sept 16 (Sat)

Genealogy meeting 1 pm

Scandinavian Cultural Society conducts monthly genealogy sessions, where people of Nordic descent can drop-in and get help and advice researching their family tree. The sessions are usually on the third Saturday at 1 pm Please see www.scandinavianculturalsociety.org for details. Next date October 28.

Sept 28 (Thu)

Torskeklubben Dinner happy hour 6pm and dinner 7pm

Everyone welcome. If you are not on the list and would like a call please phone Tor Olufsen 604-294-0749 or Bent Nielsen 604-321-3392. Next dinner Christmas Dinner Dance November 24.

Nov 5 (Sun)

Norwegian Craft Fair

Contact: Ingeborg Bekken ibekken@shaw.ca 604-782-6439. A taste of Norwegian culture, handmade sweaters, baked goods, fine jewelry, artwork, wooden toys and more!

Nov 18 & 19 (Sat & Sun)

Swedish Craft Fair 11 am to 4 pm

Traditional Swedish goods and current desirable items for family, home, celebrations and gift giving. Over 30 local vendors, live entertainment, and Swedish Café with open faced sandwiches. Christmas porridge, pastries, cookies, coffee, milk, juice hot dogs and glögg. Free admission swedishculturalsociety.ca

Nov 26 (Sun)

Scandinavian Craft Fair 11 am to 4 pm

Arts and Crafts, jewellery, baked goods, Christmas goodies, refreshments and much more.

Contact: Riitta Huttunen scandicraftfair@gmail.com 604-941-0760. Free admission.

Presented by Vancouver Finlandia Club

Dec 3 (Sun)

Icelandic Bake and Craft Sale 10 am to 1 pm

Contact: Naomi Dyer 604-465-9471 or ndyer@telus.net Pre-orders only for rúllupylsa, hangikjöt and harðfiskur. .

Craft Tables – contact Anna Bjarnason at 604-526-6775 or anna.bjarnason74@gmail.com

Choirs: Love to sing? These choirs would love to have you join them.

Danish Tivoli Singers: Danish Choir, phone Ebba Gray 604 990 3550 or email ebba@shaw.ca

Runeberg Choir: call Dianne Kilback tel: 604 294 3715

Language Classes: Contacts for Adults/Children language classes: Parents & Tots language classes

Danish Conversation levels 1 & 2: Contact Annette by email: Annette annette.h.lauridsen@gmail.com

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Danish parents/grandparents & tots: Contact Annette by email: Annette annette.h.lauridsen@gmail.com

Finnish language – adults & children: contact: Selja Nyberg by email: info@finnfun.org

Icelandic Language lessons: Contact Gunnar Hansson gunnarhans@gmail.com phone: 604-875-0537.

Norwegian Conversation: Kaffe Stuen: Norwegian Conversation Coffee Club on Sundays in the Norway Room.

Everyone is welcome but no English will be spoken. Contact Eva Lindzen 604 581 3376 or elindzen@shaw.ca & she will keep you informed of any date/time changes.

Norwegian Adult language classes: Beginners, Beginners 2, or Advanced contact Carolyn cthauber12@gmail.com

Norwegian Children's classes: contact Carolyn cthauber12@gmail.com

Swedish adult classes: call Asa 604 988-9882 eidelofasa@hotmail.com.

Swedish Children's classes: contact svenskaskolanvancouver@gmail.com

Folk Dance Groups:

Purpurit Finnish Folkdancers: practice Tuesday evenings: Contact: Raija Orava rajao@stirlingnet.org

Scandinavian Dancers of Vancouver: present relaxed and friendly Wednesday folk dance evenings, open to everyone. Dancing is a great way to get fit. Regular venue is the Scandinavian Centre, except the second Wednesday of each month which is held at the Victoria Drive Community Centre. Drop-in fee \$5. Please visit our website www.vcn.bc.ca/scandi/ Contact Judith Anderson: judithanderson@shaw.ca 604 526 4722

Viking Boat Munin: For information contact Ron Stubbings (604) 941-0760