

WINTER

January 2019

- Jan 3 (Thu) Centre Closed**
- Jan 4 (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.
- Jan 7, 14, 21, 28 (Mon) Burnaby Scottish Country Dance Club 7 pm**
Classes for beginners and experienced dancers (kilts optional). Contact Rosemary at 604-298-6552 <https://rscdsvancouver.org/dancing-in-vancouver/clubs/burnaby/>. Great activity for singles and couples of all ages.
- Jan 8 (Tue) Centre Closed**
- Jan 9 (Wed) Scandinavian Business Club Dinner 6pm**
This month we are making it a social dinner with no formal speaker or presentation. If successful we will consider making this an annual event. We will have a couple of club topics that we will throw out there for discussion and feedback.
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
- Jan 11 (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
- Jan 19 (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.
- Jan 21 (Mon) Scandinavian Baking Class - Cinnamon Buns & Pulla (Cardamom Bread) 7pm**
Cinnamon buns & Pulla (Cardamom Bread)
Korvapuusti – Kanelnegl – Kanelboller – Kanilsnúðar – Kanelbullar
The class is held in the Scandinavian Centre main kitchen. Minimum 7 students - Price \$30/student
Course includes: 2 hour class, recipe and cinnamon buns to take home.
Please send Sandra an email and e transfer to register sbenholm@gmail.com
Delivered by Scandinavian Centre
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- Jan 23 (Wed) Scandinavian Dancers 7.30 pm**
Scandinavian couple dancing. Fun, friendly couple dancing for all ages. Couples and singles welcome. Enjoy the music and folk dances (set dances and couple dances) of Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden. Come join our fun and friendly atmosphere! New members welcome!
When: Wednesday evenings starting September 5, to April 24, 7:30 to 10pm; no dancing at the SCC on the second Wednesday each month. For Beginner classes, register with Judith Anderson
Read more at <http://www.vcn.bc.ca/scandi>
Contact: Judith Anderson, President (604) 526-4722 or judithanderson@shaw.ca
- Jan 24 (Thu) Midsummer meeting 6.30pm**
Come and join the planning meeting!

SCANDINAVIAN CENTRE EVENTS & INFORMATION BULLETIN

- Jan 25 (Fri)** **Scandinavian Meet and Greet, Lip Sync Contest**
Do you have your favourite song saved to your phone? Do you sing along to the radio in your car? Is there a song that sometimes you just can't get out of your head? Here is a chance for you to get that song out of your head. Finland House Society will be hosting the *My Play List Lip Sync Contest*
Any questions and to register, please email: finlandhousesociety@gmail.com Or call Paul Juoksu 604 862 0765
- Jan 27 (Sun)** **Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon 12.30pm**
1 pm Program. It is a well-known fact that our centre would not exist without its many volunteers. Now it is our turn to thank you. Hosted by the Five Houses.
Please RSVP by January 23rd to:
Danish House Society: Inge Lyth elsinore@telus.net 604-524-3004
Finland House Society: Elisabeth Goddard elisabethgoddard@aol.com 604 880 6078
Iceland House Society: Norman Eyford neyford@dccnet.com
Norwegian House Society: David Moulton norway@scandinaviancentre.org
Sweden House Society: Rebecca Keckman swedenhousechair@gmail.com
- Jan 28 (Mon)** **Scandinavian Baking Class - Rosenbröd - Bread rolls 7pm**
The class is held in the Scandinavian Centre main kitchen. Minimum 7 students - Price \$30/student
Course includes: 2 hour class, recipe and rosenbröd to take home.
Please send Sandra an email and e transfer to register sbenholm@gmail.com
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- Jan 31 (Thu)** **Torskeklubben**
Doors open 6pm Dinner 7pm
For tickets contact Tor Olufsen tolufsen@shaw.ca 604-294-0749 or Bent Nielsen carben37@shaw.ca
- Feb 2 (Sat)** **Sami Celebration 1pm to 9pm**
Photos - Talks - Displays- Costumes - Music & Films - Sami Dress - Furnished lavvu!
5:00 pm Social Hour; 6:00 pm Sami Celebration Reindeer Dinner with Lloyd Binder, Inuvik Reindeer Herder
Cost of the dinner: Adults \$30
Contact for dinner tickets: tolufsen@shaw.ca or 604 294-0749
Please help organize the show. Contact all Carolyn cthauber12@gmail.com
Presented by the Scandinavian Cultural Society
- Feb 8 (Fri)** **Finland House Society Scholarship Fundraiser 6 pm**
This not-to-be missed fundraising event is back by popular demand, to raise funds for the FHS Scholarship Program. The event will include a live and silent auction, musical entertainment by renowned local musicians, and antiques corner.
The doors will open at 6 p.m. with food available from 6.30 p.m. at \$10.00/person, and entertainment starting at 7.15 p.m. Live Auction at 8.15pm. **The silent auction will close at 8.45 p.m.**
To donate items for the silent auction please contact Lorene Mara moopeople@shaw.ca or Minna Lumme lumiminna@live.fi
Donations (please new items only), can also be dropped off at the Scandinavian Community Centre Office.
- Feb 11 (Mon)** **Scandinavian Baking – Princess Cake 7pm**
The class is held in the Scandinavian Centre main kitchen. Minimum 7 students - Price \$30/student.
Course includes: 2 hours class, recipe and a cake to take home.
Please send Sandra an email and e transfer to register sbenholm@gmail.com
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- Feb 16 & 17 (Sat & Sun)** **Nordic Art & Photography Show & Sale 11:00am to 4:00pm**
Call to Artists: For two-dimensional & three-dimensional works including paintings, art photography, fabric art & artisan crafts. Artists should be of Nordic descent OR their works should feature Nordic themes.
For information contact: sonjabusch@hotmail.com or 604 522 4567
Entry forms available online
<http://scandinaviancentre.org/scandinavian-centre/call-to-artists-nordic-art-and-photography-show-sale-2/12432/>
Light lunches 12 to 3. Organized by the Scandinavian Cultural Society

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- March 7 (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.
- March 15 (Fri)** **Finland House Society Presents Really Rod 8pm**
Really Rod rocks five decades of music from legendary vocalist Rod Stewart
Tickets: \$20.00 from Leila Marttala leimarttala@hotmail.com 604-989-4135
or Kathy Stenfors stenfors@shaw.ca 604-788-0937
- June 22 & 23 (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 Scandinavian Midsummer Festival is now looking for crafters who can offer us something special and exciting, be it traditional crafts with an innovative twist of something culturally relevant. We offer **Craft table** at our festival for TWO days for just **\$105.00** (includes all applicable taxes).
<http://scandinaviancentre.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/10/Midsummer-2019-Craft-Table-Application.pdf>
- Commercial Booth:** 10 x 6 ft canopy-covered space with an 8 ft table and 2 chairs **\$315** (includes all applicable taxes). <http://scandinaviancentre.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/10/Midsummer-Commercial-Booth-Application-2019.pdf>
- DEADLINE May 10th We will contact successful applicants by Friday May 24th

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

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

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

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

Norwegian Adult language classes: Beginners, Beginners 2, or Advanced contact Sherry Johansen sherrymj@telus.net

Norwegian Children's classes: contact Sherry Johansen sherrymj@telus.net

Swedish adult classes: Emmalena Fredriksson emmalenafredriksson@gmail.com

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

Folk Dance Groups:

Purpurit Finnish Folkdancers: practice Tuesday evenings: Contact: Riitta Huttunen riittahu@gmail.com

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 \$8. 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