

May 2023

Golden Valley Lodge #616

Newsletter



Rapeseed blooms in the spring in Skåne

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

Our May meeting is a Social with Taco Guy coming with his truck. We will have Bingo and Folk dancing at our meeting. We will meet on our lovely patio at 6:30 for an evening of fun. I hope our new members will be attending and we will have an opportunity to get to know them.

We have a Hollywood Bowl event planned

for July 3. The Beach Boys will be playing. We have purchased 30 tickets and we still have a few openings left. The cost is \$20.00 for members. We will also have a picnic before the show. To sign up please send/bring a check, made out to Golden Valley Lodge. Give it to Dorothy at our May 11th meeting or mail to Golden Valley Lodge, P.O. Box 9035, Canoga Park 91309. We will start a waiting list in case of cancellations.

Delphine



If you have not paid your membership dues, they are due.

Questions? Ask: akarling20@yahoo.com

Please send your checks to:

Ann-Kristin Karling
13754 Burbank Blvd.
Sherman Oaks, CA 91401

Reimbursement for an expense:

Dorothy Burns
8201 Glade Avenue
Canoga Park, CA 91304

or
gladegal2003@yahoo.com

GVL Happenings

Happy May/June Birthday!!!



MAY (5)

Roland Gustavsson	1
Rebecca Thorsen	4
Anders Heinstedt	10
Kerstin Thorsen	11
Carter Lien	13
Lena Osman	17
Stefan Lundberg	17
Kayla Santana	21
Carolyn Manley	23
Roy Olson	24
Ernie Jurgens	27
Berit Stenhoj	31
Norma Halvorson	31
Ian Cardenas	31

Ha en trevlig födelsedag!



JUNE (6)

Linda Trowbridge	2
Dylan Olson	3
Daniel Buck	5
Lars-Ove Nilsson	6
Thomas Anderson	6
William Osman	7
Hanna Olson	9
Christina Poe	12
Daniel Wendt	13
Robert Linfors	15
Lindsey Wendt	17
Nathan Codding	18
Gary Andonian	20
Jessica Osman	29

2023 Golden Valley Lodge Board & Service Positions

Chair: Delphine Trowbridge
Vice Chair: Jason Trowbridge
Past Chair: Maidie Karling
Corresponding Secretary: Dorothy Burns
Recording Secretary: Merry Shepler
Membership Secretary: Tiffany Storch
Financial Secretary: Ann-Kristin Karling
Treasurer: Birgitta Clark
Chaplain: Beth Bunnell
Master of Ceremonies: Wenche Eklund
Assistant MoC: Lucas Taylor
Cultural: Nicolette Taylor
Trustee Chairan 1 yr: Kerstin Wendt
Trustee 2 yr: Maria Jacobs
Trustee 3 yr: Andrea Tabanelli
Auditor chairman 1 yr: Britt Potter
Auditor 2 yr: Ann Heinstedt
Auditor 3 yr : Linda Trowbridge
Events Co-Chair: Maggie Connelly & Delphine Trowbridge
Scholarships: Beth Bunnell, Hubert Pitters
Financial: Hubert Pitters
Historian: Laurie Taylor
Vasa Park: Dorothy Burns, Richard Heinstedt, Linnea Heinstedt Alternative Ann-Sofi Holst
Bar: Valerie & Dylan Olson
Newsletter: Laurie Taylor
Youth Group: Cecilia Trowbridge
Vasa Star: Jennifer Norman-Lund

Happy Birthday in Swedish

Ja, må han leva!	Ja, då ska han skjutas
Ja, må han leva!	Ja, då ska han skjutas
Ja, må han leva uti hundra- drade år!	Ja, då ska han skjutas på en skottkärra fram!
Javisst ska han leva!	
Javisst ska han leva!	
Javisst ska han leva uti hundra år!	Followed by...
Och när han har levat	Ett fyrfaldigt han/hon leve
Och när han har levat	...
Och när han har levat uti hundra år!	HURRA! HURRA! HURRA! HURRA!

Culture Corner



The Öresund Bridge

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sweden.se*

Öresundsbron connects Sweden to Denmark and the European continent. Öresundsbron is a 15,9 km long connection between Sweden and Denmark.

It is both a bridge and a tunnel and carries both motor and railway traffic. It was opened in 2000.



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Fårö view

Fårö is a small island just north of Gotland, itself an island off the east coast of Sweden. Fårö is a popular tourist destination during the summer and was home to filmmaker Ingmar Bergman.

Fårö is known for its rocky beaches, Ice Age limestone monoliths and most of all as home to Ingmar Bergman, one of the most internationally known Swedes of all time. Bergman lived and died on Fårö and several of his films were shot there. Some of his more than 40 feature films include 'The Seventh Seal', 'The Silence', 'Wild Strawberries' and 'Fanny and Alexander'. Bergman was also prolific in the theatre.

Du Gamla, Du Fria

Swedish National Anthem - We sing this at the meetings. Here are the words and their meanings.



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GVL April Meeting



Initiations - Welcome to our ten new members!



Annika Cropper



Rebecca Westberg



Joey Haines



Mark Landstrom



Gayle Landstrom



Jana Gasier



Hildur Barnhart



Iulian Lundberg



Nuria Lundberg



Lacey Dodd Cardenas



Our dinner hosts: Cecilia Brady, Cecilia and Jessica Danhi



Jason Trowbridge and Alayla Cardenas doing the raffle



Winner! Gunilla Thelin