

June 2023

Golden Valley Lodge #616 Newsletter



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Dear Brothers and Sisters:

Our June meeting is hosted by Tiffany Storch and Jen Dewey and we thank you both.

I have the Hollywood Bowl tickets and I will mail them out next week along with a map of where we are having our meal before the program. There are many shuttle pickups and a parking lot which

will probably be crowded or the red line which stops at Highland station.

We have Midsummer at Vasa Park on Sunday; June 25 and I hope to see everyone there.

This will be our last meeting until September, and I hope everyone has a wonderful summer.

Delphine

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

Questions? Ask: akanling20@yahoo.com

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Sherman Oaks, CA 91401

Reimbursement for an expense:

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Canoga Park, CA 91304

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gladegal2003@yahoo.com

GVL Happenings

Happy June/July/August Birthday!!!

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 Coddling	18
Gary Andonian	20
Jessica Osman	29



Ha en trevlig födelsedag!

JULY (7)

Gunilla Thelin	2
David Danhi	2
Anette Richards	4
Jake Durbas	7
Mark Hanson	7
Jens Kevin Mikkelsen	9
Dorothy Burns	10
Andrea Tabanelli	14
Florence Bergstrom	18
Britt Anderson	18
Dakota Martinez	25
Joyce Gaynor	26
Ruzenna di Benedetto	30



AUGUST (8)

Kyle Dewey	2
Jessica Danhi	6
Christer Olin	6
Maria Jacobs	8
Gunilla DePaoli	8



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

Elisabet Perez	10
Evelyn Weare-Linfors	12
Inger Saffie	14
Gertie Lindstrom	20
Marie Mickelson	21
Jay Halvorson	23
Teresa Zales-Shoemaker	24
Saga Dios	27
Sayd Birgitta Sidenius	29
Chelsea Rhoades Osman	30

Culture Corner: Power

The three biggest companies in Sweden are Volvo (as we all know and love, cars), Ericsson (multi-national networking and telecommunications company), and Vattenfall. Vattenfall is a multi-national power company owned by the Swedish State. Beyond Sweden, the company generates power in Denmark, Finland, Germany, the Netherlands, and the United Kingdom.

The company's name is Swedish for "waterfall", and is an abbreviation of its original name, Royal Waterfall Board (Kungliga Vattenfallstyrelsen).

With climate change as one of the greatest challenges of our time – our world urgently needs to change and find alternative ways of generating electricity and heat.

To contribute to the solution and become fossil free within one generation, Vattenfall has pledged to reduce its CO2 emissions and thereby reduce its carbon emissions throughout the entire value chain. The goal is net zero by 2040 for their operations, suppliers and customers. To make it happen, they are working together with customers, partners, authorities, and cities. They call it their CO2 roadmap. Meeting this goal means greenhouse gas emissions need to be roughly halved by 2030 and to achieve net zero by the second half of the century.

To learn more, visit <https://wikiless.org/wiki/Vattenfall?lang=en> or their own website at <https://group.vattenfall.com/>

May Social



Rebecca Westberg



Annika Cropper

These new members were mislabelled last newsletter.
Hopefully, got it right this time!



Jane and Norman Kindig
Our dance instructors at the May Social



Do you recognize your name here?

Apparently, you did not come to the social gathering so you did not get the prize money!

Must be present to win!



Vasa Park
2854 Triunfo Canyon Road, Agoura Hills, CA

102nd Midsummer Celebration

Sunday, June 25, 2023

9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Entrance Fee \$5.00 per person

and includes parking

Children under 12 are free

Vendors, children's games, and fun attractions including: Alpine Tube Slide, Swimming Pool & Water Slide

10 am Swedish Service introducing Pastor Manilla Okomdal Nordanstig of Church of Sweden Los Angeles
Bring decorative, fresh flowers for 11:00 am decorating of the Maypole. At 12 noon we will have raising of the Maypole and ring dancing!

Vasa Park is not open to the general public,
and is exclusively for members-only use.

Present your Vasa Park Picnic Club membership card at the gate entrance. Vasa lodge members are automatically in the Vasa Park Picnic Club.

To join the club, click on this link: tinyurl.com/35fadwja
or scan this QR code



For more information, please contact Linda Kosvic at vpaeventcoord@gmail.com

Vendors contact Kristine Hofve kristinehofve64@yahoo.com

Sorry, no barbecues or dogs allowed in the park

Sponsored by the Vasa Park Association Visit Vasapark.org