# Scandinavian



Happenings in the Greater Jamestown Area

October 2007

Culture Dau

Culture Day is sponsored by the Scandinavian Studies Program. This is held monthly (first Saturday) in the Student Union/Cafeteria of Jamestown Community College's Hamilton Collegiate Center, 525 Falconer Street, Jamestown, New York. The purpose of Culture Day is to celebrate Scandinavian traditions by passing them on from one generation to another. It is free and open to the public with no advance registration required. The monthly schedule is as follows:



9:30 AM Coffee and Lingonberry Drink available

9:45 AM Call to Order - Swedish word for the day/Announcements

10:00 AM Workshop 1 10:45 AM Coffee break 11:00 AM Workshop 2 11:45 AM Adjourn

(Culture Days will have Swedish movies on DVD for monthly rental. Available will be seven full length movies of Henning Mankell's mystery series staring the detective Kurt Wallander. These movies are in Swedish with English sub-titles and have been adapted to the American DVD system. Rentals will be \$5 for the month.)

(Unless noted, the workshop topic will be offered at both 10 AM and 11 AM.)

## OCTOBER 6, 2007

Craft Sandra Sandy - Wooden Christmas Tree Mobile JoAnn Ottoson and John Johnson - Korv Cooking

Berit Benacci - Limited enrollment - 10 AM only will be a beginner class for new students Rosemaling

with choice of a box or plaque to paint. At 11 AM only will be an advanced class for last year's students or experienced painters with a doorcrown project which will take until Spring

to complete so commitment is required.

Vikings The Shire of Heronter chapter of the Society for Creative Anachronism will offer activities

around Viking traditions 10:00 AM only

Chip Carving Gunnard Erickson

Woodcarving Relief woodcarving - Dr. Charles Myers

Hardanger Embroidery - Ragna Hjemdahl-Monson

Gale Peterson - Norwegian pattern and Aran (Swedish Fisherman Knitting style) Hats will be Knitting

offered for experienced knitters at 11 AM only

Karen Livsey – Research your Scandinavian ancestors Carolyn Volk – Table runner Genealogy

**Huck Toweling** 

Kubb, Hnefatafl

Carl Linnaeus Part 1 - video narrated by Dr. Alan Lake for the Scandinavian Folk Festival. This year is the

300th celebration of the birth of Linnaeus. This presentation includes a discussion on how one of his students spent time in Western New York State in particular studying Niagara

Falls. 10 AM only

The Vikings A PBS Nova Video - Part 1 - 11 AM only

#### **NOVEMBER 3, 2007**

Craft Sandra Sandy – Wooden Christmas Door Frame Decoration Faith Woolson - Danish Aebleskiver (Type of pancake) Cooking

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Carl Linnaeus Part 2 – A DVD entitled The Linnaeus Expedition prepared in Sweden

about the passion for exploring the natural world of Linnaeus - an adventure across

seven continents. 10 AM only

The Vikings A PBS Nova Video - Part 2 - 11 AM only



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## DECEMBER 1, 2007 - JULMARKNAD - SCANDINAVIAN CHRISTMAS MARKET DAY

Christmas traditions at Culture Day include the Christmas market of homemade Scandinavian crafts, Christmas Smörgåsbord, Lucia and ring dance traditions, a door prize and music; Ecklof Bakery, Peterson Farm and the Viking Trader have special events all day including door prizes and samples. The Thule Lodge Vasa Order of America celebrates its 100th Anniversary in the evening at the Holiday Inn and the public is invited. A special day for Scandinavian Christmas traditions in Jamestown.

Craft Sandra Sandy – Scandinavian Christmas Tree ornament 10 AM only

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The Vikings A PBS Nova Video – Part 3 – 11 AM only

Lucia and ring dance traditions - 10 AM only

Preparation for the Christmas Smörgåsbord – 11 AM only



At 12 Noon, we will celebrate by sampling a Christmas Smörgåsbord. Donations accepted.



## SCANDINAVIAN CALENDAR OCT 07 ISSUE

SATURDAY OCTOBER 6th - Culture Day at JCC, Hamilton Collegiate Center,  $9:45 \, \mathrm{am}$ . Free and open to the public.

SATURDAY OCTOBER 13th — Thule Lodge Harvest Turkey Dinner, 5-8pm, VASA Park, Pancake Hill Rd, Bemus Point. Call 665-3077 for more information.

FRIDAY OCTOBER 19th - ASHF Harvest Dinner, Holy Trinity Church. Call 487-1849 for more info. Open to members and those interested in joining.

SATURDAY OCTOBER 27th - Scandinavian Studies Award of Merit Reception honoring Gerd Brigiotta. Sheldon House, 5-7pm. Friends and family welcome.

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 3rd - Culture Day at JCC, Hamilton Collegiate Center, 9:45am. Free and open to the public.

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 11  $^{th}$  - Herring Breakfast, Viking Lake Park, 10am. Reserve tickets by calling 487-9305 or 386-5125.

FRIDAY NOVEMBER  $16^{th}$  – ASHF Holiday Dinner,  $1^{st}$  Lutheran Church, Call 487-1849 for more info. Open to members and those interested in joining.

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 17th - Thule Lodge Election of Officers Meeting, 1pm,

VASA Park, Pancake Hill Rd, Bemus Point. Call 665-3077 for more info.

SATURDAY DECEMBER 1st - Culture Day at JCC, 9:45am. Holiday Market in the Hamilton Collegiate Center all morning. Scandinavian Christmas Smorgasbord at noon, donations accepted.

SATURDAY DECEMBER 1st - Scandinavian Christmas Market Day in Jamestown. Start out the Holiday season right by visiting local businesses that carry Swedish products. They'll have specials and/or samplings that day.

SATURDAY DECEMBER  $1^{st}$  — Thule Lodge  $100^{th}$  Anniversary Banquet and Celebration at the Holiday Inn, Jamestown. Cocktails at 6pm, Dinner at 7pm, Everyone is invited - All former members as well as current members of Thule are encouraged to attend. Reservations can be made with Bob Fuller at 665-3077, \$20 per person.

SUNDAY DECEMBER 9th - ASHF Lucia Fest, Zion Covenant Church, 3pm. Public Invited, no charge. Traditional refreshments following the program. Info: 487-1849

SATURDAY DECEMBER 15th — Doppi Gryta and a Tom and Jerry Party will be held following the regular meeting, 2pm. VASA Park, Pancake Hill Rd, Bemus Point. Call 665-3077 for more info.