



TROLLHAUGEN LANGUAGE ARTS & CULTURE CAMP

THEME: The Sami People

DATES: SUNDAY, AUGUST 13 – SATURDAY, AUGUST 19

Trollhaugen Language Arts & Culture Camp is held at Deer Valley Meadows, located near Alix, AB. We provide a week-long immersion into Norwegian language, history, crafts, and culture. Our volunteers provide course instruction, programs, and camp wide activities.

REGISTRATION

All children under 18 years of age must be accompanied by an adult that will be actively responsible for them at camp. This adult must sign & submit the Accompanying Adult Consent form. Registration fees include instruction, materials, meals, and dormitory accommodation or an RV site. Everyone at camp is expected to help with chores and daily tasks in some capacity. Please be prepared to participate.

CAMP FEES

Non-Member \$400.00, Adult Member \$350.00, Youth \$300.00, Pre-School \$25.00. A \$25.00 deposit is required for each person applying for camp and **must** accompany your application. It is included in the above listed fees, and a cheque for the remaining balance may be post-dated to **June 15, 2017**. If you are an instructor/assistant teaching two or more classes, first aide, assistant/host lodge representative or dish washers your fees will be waived. If you are an instructor/assistant teaching one class your fees are Non-member \$200.00, Member \$175.00 Contact registrar (*contact information below*) for information about possible financial assistance in your area for youth campers and payment via e-transfer.

TROLLHAUGEN SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP

Membership fee is \$20 per year, and may be paid with application if you wish to take advantage of the reduced rate for camp fees.

REGISTRAR

Trollhaugen Language Arts & Culture Camp
Megan Hansen
153 Nash Street
Red Deer, AB T4P 1N3
Email: troll.registrar@gmail.com

APPLICATION DEADLINE: June 15, 2017 Early application is advised. Please ensure all forms and fees are in order before sending, or your application could be delayed. Refunds require approval by the Board of Directors. Cheques or money orders should be made payable to **Trollhaugen Language Arts & Culture Society** and mailed along with your application information to the registrar. Notice of confirmation and receipt for fees paid (or notice of no space available) will be issued.

STAFF

Would you like to be considered for a Staff position at camp? If yes please indicate this on your Application form which position(s): instructor, assistant to an instructor, First Aid person, Camp Director or Assistant. If yes, you will be contacted for more details.

ACCOMMODATION

A limited number of dormitory rooms are available. They are shared spaces. Children who have completed grade 4 are assigned rooms (grouped according to grade) as this enhances the camp experience. Exceptions are considered and may be made if a request is made and the person is named on the Application form. Children who have not completed grade 4 must room with their accompanying adult.

Dormitory-type accommodation or RV sites are available for adults & families. RV sites have power and a dump station is located at camp.

ARRIVAL AT CAMP

Registration at camp begins at 4:00 pm on **Sunday, August 13**, and takes place in the Dining Hall.

CAMP SET UP

We need volunteers to help unload the trailer, set up the woodworking shop, and lighting, etc. on Sunday, August 13 before Camp begins. Can you help do this when you bring your children to camp? If so, please contact us at trollhaugencamp@gmail.com.

DEPARTURE

Departure date is Saturday, August 19 after the program. Make sure your children have all their belongings removed and their rooms clean by 11:00 am for room inspection. If rooms are left in an unacceptable state a **cleanup fee of \$20.00 per person** will be charged.

CULTURAL ACTIVITIES AND CLASSES

Programs and classes are provided for adults and for children five years of age and older. Parents or guardians are responsible for supervising children under five (*please see Camp Rules #14*). Children are grouped into classes determined by grade and enrollment. Teens who have completed grade 9 and adults are also grouped by interest.

CULTURAL PROGRAM CLASSES

(Pending availability of instructors and space)

Norwegian Language	Culture
Folkdance	Plattsøm
Ethnic cooking	Swedish Weaving
Chip carving	Woodcraft
Knitting	Hardangersøm
Viking Knit	Chain Maille
Rosemaling	Nature Study
Orienteering	Nordic Walking
Perelbroderi (Beading)	

Suggestions for new classes and names of possible instructors are welcome, please advise a Board member. In order to assist us in improving your camp experience, please express your suggestions or issues to the Camp Director, or to any Board member.

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Norwegian items, t-shirts and souvenirs will be available for sale. Watch notices at camp for location and hours. Consignments are welcome, contact us at trollhaugencamp@gmail.com. *Cash or cheque only.*

VISITORS

For information on mid-week day camp rates and camp tours, please contact us by email prior to camp at trollhaugencamp@gmail.com. Once at camp, please report to the Treasurer to pay for all meals provided by the camp (cash or cheque only). Meal prices are: Breakfast \$10, Lunch \$12, Dinner \$15.

SATURDAY WIND UP

On Saturday, visitors are welcome to come and see our craft exhibit, visit with friends and enjoy our afternoon program. If you are coming for lunch, please let us know by Thursday noon. Price of Saturday Lunch - \$12. *Cash or cheque only.*

PHONE NUMBERS

Deer Valley Meadows:

1-403-747-2121 (During camp only).

Trollhaugen President: 1-403-358-4533.

THANKS

Trollhaugen camp would not be possible without the generous support and participation of the Sons of Norway Lodges, Torskeklubben, Sons of Norway Foundation in Canada, Sons of Norway 4th District and individuals. It is important that Trollhaugen members support their local S.O.N. lodges, in return they support camp and you can continue to practice and celebrate the cultural skills you learn at camp.

For more information about a Lodge near you, contact: Sons of Norway International, www.sofn.com or Sons of Norway 4th District, www.sofn-district4.com

To all the volunteers who make this camp so successful, **mange tusen takk!**