## **Monitor Lodge**

January 3, 2014 Minutes

### Officers

Karin Johnson Chair Present Mark Delle Vice Chair Present **Recording Secretary** Charley Rea Present **Gail Nemy** Asst. Recording Secretary Present Johanna Benker Treasurer Present Elizabeth Swenson Financial Secretary Absent Kurt Pfannkuch Asst. Financial Secretary Absent Deidre Dahlberg Cultural Leader Absent Birgitta Ellis Chaplain Present Maribeth Bean **Master of Ceremonies** Present Brian Horsfield Asst. Mst. Of Ceremonies Present Violet DeBord **Outer Guard** Absent Inner Guard Al Mitchell Absent Brian Stockham Historian Absent Past Chair Jack Larson Absent LaVerne Griffith Trustee Present Richard Ericksson Trustee Present James Netzel Trustee Absent

Call to Order. Chair Karin Johnson called the meeting to order.

**Quorum.** The secretary reported a quorum present.

**Membership**. Linda Mitchell and Dick Baldwin were approved and initiate as new members. (motion by Marybeth Bean & Laverne Griffith).

**Minutes.** The minutes from the October Lodge meeting were approved (motion by Ed Netzel/Brian Horsfield).

# **Committee Reports.**

- Sunshine. Birgitta Ellis reported on Christine Marie Bodelson and Myrtle Widmark among others.
- Children's Activities. The chair said there will be effort to have monthly meeting with children to practice songs.

**Officer Nominations**. There were some changes and additions to the nominated officers for 2014. There were the nomination of Mark Delle to be a 3 year Trustee, Erica Leaman to be a 3 year Auditor, and a Scholarship Committee of Marianne Ek, Deidre Dahlberg, and Donna Neimoller. The nominees were approved.

**Increase in Dues**. There was a motion by Ed Netzel/Judy Smith to raise dues from \$30 to \$35 for 2014. The motion was tabled for further consideration at the February meeting. It is expected at that time there will be more information regarding dues.

**Correspondence**. The Secretary reported that audit papers have been received from the District. An audit meeting has been scheduled for Jan. 26.

**Planning for Future Events**. For 2014, the Lodge plans have sign-up sheets for Lodge members to assist with set-up, kitchen duties, bartending, and clean-up for the meals.

**Reading & Action on Bills**. Several bills were read and approved regarding meeting hall rental, and meal and drink supplies.

#### Installation of Officers.

Chair Charley Rea
Vice Chair Brian Horsfield

Recording Secretary Yvonne Magneheim

Asst. Recording Secretary Gail Nemy )
Treasurer Johanna Benker

Financial Secretary Anita Nord

Asst. Financial Secretary Elizabeth Swenson

Cultural Leaders Deidre Dahlberg & Barry Moore

Chaplain Theresa Alberts

Master of Ceremonies Laila Harris

Asst. Master of Ceremonies Maribeth Bean

Outer Guard Alex Hopkins

Inner Guard Donna Niemoller

Historian Arlie Veis
Past Chair Karin Johnson

Trustees 1 yr. – Richard Eriksson, Sr.

2 yr. – James Netzel

3 yr. – Mark Delle

Auditors 1 yr. – Arlie Veis

2 yr. – Peggy Carlson 3 yr. – Erica Leaman

## In addition, these members are chairing or serving on committees:

Membership: Brian Horsfield, Yvonne Magneheim, Karin Johnson, and Eivor Pfannkuch

Sunshine: Jack Larson, Gail Nemy

Scholarship: Marianne Ek, Deidre Dahlberg, Donna Neimoller

Sweden Day Representative – Johanna Benker

Kitchen Coordinator - Karin Johnson

Member Handbook Editor – Gail Nemy

Vasa Star & District Correspondent – Arlie Veis

Na loch Trad - Karin Johnson

Music: Tom Anderson, Marrianne Ek, Arlene White, Gail Nemy

Bartenders: Amy Winter, Ed Netzel, Johanna Benker, Gail Nemy

Telephone Callers: Yvonne Magnehiem, Violet DeBord, Lillian Stafford, Liz Havener,

Anita Nord

Newsletter: Karin Johnson

Circulation Manager: Brian Horsfield

Picture Directory Editor: Brian Horsfield

Scandinavian Festival: Gail Nemy, Barry Moore

**Next Meeting**. Feb 7 – Pea Soup & Pancake Dinner

Adjourn. Chair Rea adjourned the meeting.