

SPRING

March and April 2019

- March 15 (Fri)** **Finland House Society Presents Really Rod 8pm**
Really Rod rocks five decades of music from legendary vocalist Rod Stewart
Tickets: \$20.00 from Leila Marttala leimarttala@hotmail.com 604-989-4135
or Kathy Stenfors stenfors@shaw.ca 604-788-0937
- March 16 (Sat)** **Genealogy meeting 1 pm**
Scandinavian Cultural Society conducts monthly genealogy sessions, where people of Nordic descent can drop-in and get help and advice researching their family tree. The sessions are usually on the third Saturday at 1 pm Please see www.scandinavianculturalsociety.org for details.
- March 18 (Mon)** **Danish House Society AGM 7pm**
In the Lounge.
- March 18 (Mon)** **Finland House Society AGM 7pm**
In the Finnish Room.
- March 18, 25 (Mon)** **Burnaby Scottish Country Dance Club 7 pm**
Classes for beginners and experienced dancers (kilts optional). Contact Rosemary at 604-298-6552
<https://rscdsvancouver.org/dancing-in-vancouver/clubs/burnaby/>.
Great activity for singles and couples of all ages.
- March 20 (Wed)** **Norwegian House Society AGM 7pm**
In the Lounge
- March 20, 27 (Wed)** **Scandinavian Dancers 7.30 pm**
Scandinavian couple dancing. Fun, friendly couple dancing for all ages. Couples and singles welcome. Enjoy the music and folk dances (set dances and couple dances) of Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden. Come join our fun and friendly atmosphere! New members welcome!
When: Wednesday evenings starting September 5, to April 24, 7:30 to 10pm; no dancing at the SCC on the second Wednesday each month. For Beginner classes, register with Judith Anderson
Read more at <http://www.vcn.bc.ca/scandi>
Contact: Judith Anderson, President (604) 526-4722 or judithanderson@shaw.ca
- March 23 (Sat)** **NEW! Kids and TEENS Baking Classes - During Spring Break! Adults welcome too!**
9.30am Pulla and Cinnamon buns
2-hour class ages 5 and up (kids under 9 years old need to be accompanied by adult)
Price \$25 per person
12pm Cookie with mint chocolate
1-hour class ages 5 and up (kids under 9 years old need to be accompanied by adult)
Price \$ 10 per person
1.30pm Chocolate Almond Pastry
1.5-hour class ages 13 and up. Almond alert! Price \$20 per teen

Please send Sandra an email and e transfer to register sbenholm@gmail.com
Delivered by Scandinavian Centre. We acknowledge the financial assistance of the Province of BC
- March 23 and 24 (Sat and Sun)** **Rosemaling Workshop 10am to 4pm**
Join us for a two day Rosemaling Workshop, taught by Aaslaug Boulier.
Beginners welcome. Cost \$25 pp payable to the Scandinavian Community Centre.
Reserve your spot with Sonja at sonjabusch@hotmail.com or 604 522 4567
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- March 24(Sun)** **NEW! Kids Baking Classes - During Spring Break! Adults welcome too!**
9.30am Dammsugare and Kokosbollar
2-hour class ages 5 and up. Almond alert! (kids under 9 years old need to be accompanied by adult)
Price \$20 per person. Course includes: 2 hour class, recipe and pastries to take home.
1pm Princess Pastry
2-hour class ages 9 and up. Price \$20 per person, includes: 2-hour class, recipe and pastries to take home.

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- March 28 (Thu)** **Torskeklubben**
Doors open 6pm Dinner 7pm
For tickets contact Tor Olufsen tolufsen@shaw.ca 604-294-0749 or Bent Nielsen carben37@shaw.ca
- March 29 (Fri)** **Tacky Taco Night 6pm**
A Variety of Tacos will be available for purchase. Door prizes, Games, Entertainment. Dress in your most colourful outfits! Tickets \$10. Price includes snacks and dessert.
Please contact Carol Walters for tickets at c_walters@shaw.ca Sign up to volunteer for this event!
- March 30 (Sat)** **Woodcarving Class 9.30am to 3.30pm**
Join one of the Scandinavian Centre's 2019 Cultural Classes: Woodcarving Class taught by Anita Jacobsen
Register by March 22nd —class sizes limited. Beginners welcome;
Carving tools provided for use in the class. Bring a bag lunch; coffee & tea provided
To reserve your spot phone Sonja Busch 604 522 4567 Fee: \$15 payable in advance to the Scandinavian Community Centre; wood piece \$5 to Anita on the day if needed.
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- April 1, 8, 15, 29 (Mon)** **Burnaby Scottish Country Dance Club 7 pm**
Classes for beginners and experienced dancers (kilts optional). Contact Rosemary at 604-298-6552
<https://rscdsvancouver.org/dancing-in-vancouver/clubs/burnaby/>.
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- April 1 (Mon)** **Scandinavian Baking Class – Flat Bread 7pm to 9pm**
The class is held in the Scandinavian Centre main kitchen. Minimum 7 students - Price \$30/student
Course includes: 2 hour class, recipe and two breads to take home.
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- April 3 (Wed)** **Icelandic Canadian Club of BC AGM 7pm**
In the Iceland Room
- April 3, 17, 24 (Wed)** **Scandinavian Dancers 7.30 pm**
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- April 5 (Fri)** **KroAften, Danish House Society's Club Night BY RESERVATION ONLY**
CAPACITY LIMITED TO 165. Bar opens 6 pm. Smorrebrod is served at 7pm.
Meet 6'ish to get your meal tickets and table number and enjoy a drink. To reserve: Ebba Grey 604 990 3550 email ebba@shaw.ca MUST BOOK & order your open faced sandwiches by the Monday 6pm of same week.
This popular event books up quickly so call early! Ask Ebba to add you to her e-mail list to notify you of the sandwich selections the week before. Enjoy a fine selection of open-faced sandwiches, dessert, coffee & tea. Wash it down with Snaps and Carlsberg.
- April 10 (Wed)** **Scandinavian Business Club Dinner 6pm**
Early Bird Member Price \$35, Early Bird Non-Member Price: \$40. Regular price after midnight the Monday before the event: Member Price: \$45. Non-member \$50
To register in advance and pay at the door (cash, cheque, or credit card): email secretary@sbc-bc.ca or call the SBC office 604-484-8238, or contact a current SBC board member, with the names and number of people in your party.
We welcome both non-members and members to all our events! Also visit us at www.sbc-bc.ca
- April 12 (Fri)** **Scandinavian Seniors Lunch 55+ 12 noon**
There is a fee of \$3 if you bring a plate of sandwiches, cakes or cookies to share OR \$8 if you prefer not to bring food. Contact Tor Olufsen 604-294-0749 tolufsen@shaw.ca

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- April 13 (Sat)** **Nordic Spirit 2019 How We Got Here 11am to 6pm**
On Exhibit: Historic images, travel stories and videos of our Immigrant Travel Stories.
Please come and share your stories
11:30 Opening reception, music by Silver Winds
1:00 Scott Larsen: "The Titanic" ; 1:30 Our Travel Tales; 3:30 Music by Sammenspil
4:00 James A.V. Bligh, Architect: "Scandinavian Design: Lessons for the Pacific Northwest from Copenhagen to Kirkenes"
Info: Carolyn Thauberger at cthauber12@gmail.com or 778 228-2334
- April 13 (Sat)** **Nordic Spirit 2019 presents Architect James AV Bligh 4pm, Musical Prelude 3.30pm**
Scandinavian Design: Lessons for the Pacific Northwest from Copenhagen to Kirkenes
Join James Bligh for rapid-fire review of Scandinavian urbanism, architecture and foods that would be right at home in the Pacific Northwest. Contact: Judith Anderson judithanderson@shaw.ca
- April 14 (Sun)** **Nordic Spirit 2019 How We Got Here 11am to 4pm**
Our Immigrant Travel Stories. Please come and share your stories
On Exhibit: Historic images, travel stories and videos.
Info: Carolyn Thauberger at cthauber12@gmail.com or 778 228-2334
- April 18 (Thu)** **SCCS AGM 7pm**
In the hall.
- April 19 & 22 (Fri & Mon)** **Centre Closed for Good Friday and Easter Monday**
- April 27 (Sat)** **Genealogy meeting 1 pm**
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- April 27 (Sat)** **Arts Night with Jazz**
- April 28 (Sun)** **National Finnish Veterans Day Celebration 2pm**
Program, also coffee and sandwiches will be served. Admission free for veterans, their escorts and the association members, others by donation.
Full dress with medals on. Please note, the event will be in Finnish.
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- May 5 (Sun)** **Finnish Canadian Rest Home Association Spring Festival 2pm**
Please join us for our afternoon program and coffee service.
Contact: Finnish Rest Home Office 604-325-8241
- May 11 (Sat)** **Clean up Day 9am to 3pm**
Calling volunteers of all ages for Spring Work Party!
Come out & help keep your Centre beautiful. Bring pails and rags, work inside or outside. Rain or shine.
Breakfast (by the Finnish War Veterans) is served at 8:30 a.m.
Lunch (By Danish House) at 12.30. Please let the office know if you are coming, and if you are joining us for breakfast and/or lunch info@scancentre.org
- May 26 (Mon)** **Golf 1:00 pm**
Mylora Sidaway in Richmond. Best ball tournament with prizes for long drive, closest to pin, lowest team score, as well as door prizes. Email scansports@gmail.com to register
- June 13 (Thu)** **Full Day Partner Bridge Tournament 9 am**
9 am Coffee, muffins and registration. 10 am Bridge 5 rounds. Hot lunch 1 pm, and 5 more rounds to follow.

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\$25 each. Everyone welcome. Please call Vivian or Helen 604-521-6714.

**June 22 & 23
(Sat & Sun)**

Scandinavian Midsummer Festival

Viking Village, Cultural Displays, Shopping Kiosks, Dancing, Bonfire, Beer Garden, Music, Midsummer Pole, Traditional Scandinavian Foods, Kids' activities. The fun and crazy wife-carrying contest always draws a lot of attention along with continuous entertainment all weekend. www.scandinavianmidsummerfestival.org

The Scandinavian Midsummer Festival is now looking for crafters who can offer us something special and exciting, be it traditional crafts with an innovative twist of something culturally relevant. We offer

Craft table at our festival for TWO days for just **\$105.00** (includes all applicable taxes).

<http://scandinaviancentre.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/10/Midsummer-2019-Craft-Table-Application.pdf>

Commercial Booth: 10 x 6 ft canopy-covered space with an 8 ft table and 2 chairs **\$315** (includes all applicable taxes). <http://scandinaviancentre.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/10/Midsummer-Commercial-Booth-Application-2019.pdf>

DEADLINE May 10th We will contact successful applicants by Friday May 24th

Sept 20 (Fri)

ScanSports Golf Tournament 11am

7th Annual Fundraiser Golf Tournament! Texas Scramble (Best Ball). Limited to the first 32 fully paid registered golfers. Buffet Dinner, cash bar, silent auction.

7:00 p.m. Buffet Dinner at the Scandinavian Community Centre

Location: Burnaby Mountain Golf Course

Cost: Register on this 2019 golf registration form and submit with payment. Fees are:

Golf, ½ power cart and buffet dinner \$135; Golf and buffet dinner \$120

Golf only \$ 85.

Buffet dinner only \$ 35.00 – non-golfers are welcome to attend the buffet dinner

For Sponsorship and information, please Contact: Karina or Daniel Linder scansports@gmail.com

Choirs: Love to sing? These choirs would love to have you join them.

Danish Tivoli Singers: Danish Choir, phone Ebba Gray 604 990 3550 or email ebba@shaw.ca

Runeberg Choir: call Dianne Kilback tel: 604 294 3715

Language Classes: Contacts for Adults/Children language classes: Parents & Tots language classes

Danish Conversation levels 1 & 2: Contact Annette by email: Annette annette.h.lauridsen@gmail.com

Danish parents/grandparents & tots: Contact Annette by email: Annette annette.h.lauridsen@gmail.com

Finnish language – adults & children: contact: by email: info@finnfun.org

Icelandic Language lessons: Contact Gunnar Hansson gunnarhans@gmail.com phone: 604-875-0537.

Norwegian Adult language classes: Beginners, Beginners 2, or Advanced contact Sherry Johansen sherrymj@telus.net

Norwegian Children's classes: contact Sherry Johansen sherrymj@telus.net

Swedish adult classes: Emmalena Fredriksson emmalenafredriksson@gmail.com

Swedish Children's classes: contact svenskaskolanvancouver@gmail.com

Folk Dance Groups:

Purpurit Finnish Folkdancers: practice Tuesday evenings: Contact: Riitta Huttunen riittahu@gmail.com

Scandinavian Dancers of Vancouver: present relaxed and friendly Wednesday folk dance evenings, open to everyone. Dancing is a great way to get fit. Regular venue is the Scandinavian Centre, except the second Wednesday of each month which is held at the Victoria Drive Community Centre. Drop-in fee \$8. Please visit our website www.vcn.bc.ca/scandi/ Contact Judith Anderson: judithanderson@shaw.ca 604 526 4722

Viking Boat Munin: For information contact Ron Stubbings (604) 941-0760