

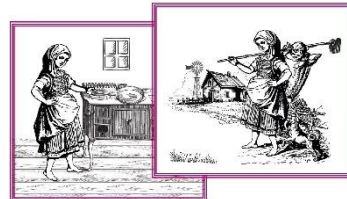


FLERE LAG STEVNE Schedule

(tentative and subject to change)

Tuesday, 6 August 2024

"A Skillet in One Hand, A Hoe in the Other:



Norwegian Women Settlers"

Time	Event
12:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Registration Desk Open
1:00 PM - 9:00 PM	Genealogy Lab Open
1:00 PM - 4:00 PM	Silent Auction (<i>drop-off items for the auction only</i>)
1:00 PM - 9:00 PM	Vendor Displays Open (for vendors arriving Tuesday)
1:30 PM - 4:45 PM	Genealogy Research Mini-Demos (<i>every hour on the half hour</i>)
3:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Hospitality Suite Open (<i>OK to drop off items starting at 2 PM</i>)
4:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Silent Auction Open for Bidding
7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Seminar: Beginning Genealogy — Shanna Kurth

Wednesday, 7 August 2024

Time	Event
7:45 AM - 8:45 AM	Gudbrandsdalslag Annual Business Meeting
8:30 AM - 4:00 PM	Registration Desk Open
8:30 AM - 9:00 PM	Silent Auction Open for Bidding
9:15 AM - 9:45 AM	Opening Ceremony
9:45 AM - 10:45 AM	Seminar: The Place of the Church in Norwegian Immigration to America — Gracia Grindal
10:45 AM - 9:00 PM	Genealogy Lab Open
10:45 AM - 9:00 PM	Vendor Displays Open (<i>the public is welcome</i>)
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Seminar: I Couldn't Milk Another Goat / Goodbye Norway – Hello Minnesota — Paul Arneson
12:00 PM - 1:30 PM	Lunch (<i>on your own</i>)
12:30 PM - 5:00 PM	Hospitality Suite Open
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	Seminar: The Benefits of Sharing Family Stories — Elaine Hasleton
2:30 PM - 3:00 PM	Break (<i>Visit Vendor Displays and Hospitality Suite</i>)
3:00 PM - 4:00 PM	Seminar: Wildlife, Wind and Ice: Exploring Antarctica — Karen Weiberg
4:15 PM - 5:15 PM	Solørlag Annual Business Meeting
5:15 PM - 6:15 PM	Romerikslaget Annual Business Meeting
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM	Scandinavian-Themed Movie

Thursday, 8 August 2024

Time	Event
7:45 AM - 9:00 AM	Nord Hedmark og Hedemarken Lag Annual Business Meeting
8:00 AM - 4:00 PM	Registration Desk Open
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Vendor Displays Open
8:00 AM - 4:00 PM	Silent Auction Open for Bidding
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM	Genealogy Lab Open
9:00 AM - 2:45 PM	Hospitality Suite Open
9:15 AM - 10:15 AM	Seminar A: Sister Lumberjack: Scandinavian Women in Frontier Minnesota – Candace Simar
	Seminar B: Kandiyohi County Historical Society — Jill Wohnoutka
10:15 AM - 10:45 AM	Break – (<i>Visit Vendor Displays and Hospitality Suite</i>)
10:45 AM - 11:45 AM	Seminar A: Finnskog History and Research — Elaine Hasleton
	Seminar B: Spedalskhed: Leprosy in 19th Century Norway — Sandra Bestland

11:00 AM - 3:00 PM	Hospitality Area Open
11:45 AM - 1:15 PM	Lunch (<i>on your own</i>)
1:15 PM - 2:15 PM	Seminar A: Salome's Gift — Karen Mullen
	Seminar B: The Lives and Loves of Norwegian Women Immigrants: From Amsterdam to Swaziland — Sandra Bestland

Thursday, 8 August 2024 (*continued*)

Time	Event
2:15 PM - 2:45 PM	Break – (<i>Visit Vendor Displays and Hospitality Room</i>)
2:45 PM - 3:45 PM	Seminar A: Norway House and Haugo Bibliotek — Race Fisher
	Seminar B: Julius B. Baumann: energy and Inspiration — Dr. Lawrence Moe
4:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Silent Auction - Winning Bidders: pick-up and pay for your items
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Social Hour with Cash Bar
5:15 PM - 6:05 PM	Lag Group Photos: Romerikslag 5:15 PM; Solørlag 5:25 PM; Trønderlag 5:35 PM; Gudbrandsdalslaget 5:45 PM; Nord Hedmark og Hedemarken Lag 5:55 PM
6:00 PM - 8:45 PM	Stevne Banquet (<i>pre-registration required</i>) Speaker: For the Love of Cod! Is Norway Truly the Happiest Country on Earth? — Eric Dregni Bunad Parade

Friday, 9 August 2024

Time	Event
8:00 AM - 9:00 AM	Trønderlag Annual Business Meeting
9:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Tour: (<i>pre-registration required</i>) – Vikor Church, Willmar Lutheran Church, and Kandiyohi County Historical Society Museum (<i>registration includes bus, entry fees, and lunch</i>) – <i>Note: We have arranged a space for secure storage of your luggage at the hotel during the tour.</i>
1:00 PM	Safe Travels Home! <i>Join us again next year for Flere Lag Stevne 2025 (August 5-8, 2025)</i>

Willmar Conference Center / Best Western Plus Willmar

2100 Highway 12 E, Willmar, MN

The deadline for booking at the Flere Lag Stevne rate is **6 July 2024**

The Stevne will be held at the Willmar Conference Center / Best Western Plus. To book a room, call the hotel direct at 1-320-235-6060 and ask for the Flere Lag rate or book at the dedicated Flere Lag online booking link here:

https://www.bestwestern.com/en_US/book/hotel-rooms.24139.html?groupId=P37IR8Q9

The Flere Lag Stevne rate is \$129.99/night + tax (*single or double – with hot breakfast included*)

Flere Lag Stevne has blocked rooms for the nights of:

Monday 5 Aug 2024 (*for those arriving a day early*)

Tuesday 6 August 2024

Wednesday 7 August 2024

Thursday 8 August 2024 (*checking out on Friday the 8th*)