



June 24 – 26, 2011

Conference Location and General Information

Menucha Retreat and Conference Center
38711 East Historic Columbia River Hwy.
Corbett, Oregon 97019-0008
503-695-2243

Located high on a bluff overlooking the Columbia River, 22 miles east of Portland, the Menucha Retreat and Conference Center boasts amazing territorial views, lodge accommodations, nature trails and a swimming pool. Access the facility from Interstate 84. Take Exit 22 and follow Corbett Road to the top of the hill. Turn left (east) at the Y intersection, drive 1.5 miles to the Menucha Retreat entrance which is on the north side of the road.

Daily Schedule

Registration opens:

Friday, June 24 at 11 a.m.

Friday, June 24: Noon -10:00 p.m.

Saturday, June 25:

8:00a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Sunday, June 26: 8:00a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Sunday, June 26: 1:00 p.m.

Closing Ceremony

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Danish Cultural Conference

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at

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The Danish Cultural Conference is an annual opportunity to learn about Denmark and its links to the US, today and in the past. Cultural, historic and contemporary topics are presented to illustrate how Denmark has had and continues to have a significant role on how the world is shaped.

Scheduled Sessions and Program Highlights for 2011

Sessions

- Denmark as a Seafaring Country
- Jens Jensen, Prairie Landscape Architect
- Spirit of Solvang: Danish colony in California
- Development of the Scandinavian Languages
- Flemming Behrend, Danish Folksinger
- Alter Wiener, Holocaust survivor and author of *From a Number to a Name*
- Green Energy Developments in the Pacific Northwest
- Peter Fogtdal, author of *The Tsar's Dwarf*
- Small group discussions

Program Highlights

- Sunset Receptions
- Evening concert by Flemming Behrend
- Danish film night
- Danish and English Singing
- Nature Walks with views of the Columbia Gorge
- Leisure time to visit and enjoy the beautiful scenery

Speakers for 2011 Sessions Include the following

- Henrik Juhl Madsen, maritime advisor for the Danish Embassy, Washington, D.C., will be speaking on Danish maritime history.
- John Mark Nielsen, Director of the Danish Immigrant Museum, Elkhorn, Iowa, will discuss Danish American Prairie Landscape Architect
- Esther Jacobsen Bates, Director, Elverhøj Museum of History and Art, Solvang, California, will discuss the history and founding of Solvang as it celebrates its centennial.
- Melissa Lucas, Ph.D. candidate at the University of Washington, Seattle, Washington, will discuss the history and development of the Scandinavian languages.

- Alter Wiener, Portland, Oregon, author of *From a Number to a Name*, will discuss surviving the Holocaust and his efforts to communicate his experiences so that we may never forget this tragic period of history.
- Flemming Behrend, Danish Folksinger, songwriter, and author from Olympia, Washington, will discuss his life and career and perform his music.
- Doug Morris, Board Member of Drive Oregon, Portland, Oregon, will discuss green energy developments in the Pacific Northwest and the involvement of Danish companies in that effort.
- Peter Fogtdal, Danish author and professor at Portland State University, Portland, Oregon, will discuss his novel *The Tsar's Dwarf* and the historical period in which it is set in early 18th century Denmark and Russia.



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**REGISTRATION
FORM
June 24-26, 2011**

Northwest Danish Association
 1833 North 105th Street, Suite 101
 Seattle, WA 98133-8973
 Phone: 206-523-3263
 Email - seattle@nwdanish.org

Registration deadline - May 31, 2011 * Register by April 30 and save! *** Register early, space is limited.**
 Single day and Family Registration Options available. Please note that registrations are on a first-come, first-served basis.

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Others included on this registration (first and last name(s)): _____

Address _____ City, State, Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____ Spouse Email _____

DESCRIPTION OF LODGING AND RATES

Private rooms are for 2 people with a private bath in room.....\$300 per room
 Private rooms: 12 private rooms in Creevey Complex and 2 private rooms in Wright Hall.

Semi-Private may include up to 6 people in a room with a private bath in room.....\$100 per person
 Semi-private rooms: 5 semi-private rooms in Wright Hall.

Dorm rooms may include up to 8 people with bath down the hall.....\$ 50 per person
 Dorm rooms: 3 dorm rooms in Wright Hall.

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION (Includes Meals)

Register early! Rates go up \$20 per person after April 30.

NOTE - Lodging is additional (see options above).

Entire conference\$220 per person, \$240 after 4/30/11
 Friday only\$130 per person, \$150 after 4/30/11
 Saturday only.....\$160 per person, \$180 after 4/30/11
 Sunday only\$130 per person, \$150 after 4/30/11

***Family participation is encouraged, please call or e-mail
 for details and special rates***

**If you have person(s) you want to share a room with,
 please list their names here:** _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Check, VISA, or MasterCard accepted

Check \$ _____ Payable to: **Northwest Danish Association**

VISA _____ MasterCard _____ Exp. Date _____

Card # _____ Zip code _____

Printed name _____

I authorize payment on the credit card listed above for the total registration fee(s) indicated by me on this form. Further, I acknowledge that I am the cardholder for the credit card listed above.

Signature _____

TOTAL DUE

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: MAY 31, 2010

Conference - per person _____ Total _____

Lodging - private \$ _____ Semi-private \$ _____ Dorm \$ _____

Alternate Diet amount \$ _____ Total due \$ _____

For Alternate Diet, please complete back of this form and add the appropriate amount to cover the Alternate Diet requested.

FAX: Your completed form with your credit card information to 206-729-6997

MAIL: Your completed form with enclosed check or credit card information to:

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Payment must be received with registration. Space is limited.

Conference questions: Sonja.Kromann@gmail.com / 425-359-0919 - Cell / 425-438-1300 - Home

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ALTERNATE DIETARY REQUEST FORM

If you have special dietary needs, Menucha can design a separate menu for you **at a fee of \$5 per day**. Alternate diet requests and fees must be received with your DCC registration by **May 31, 2011**.

Guest Name: _____

Dietary Information:

Menucha can accommodate the following special diets:

Dietary Needs:

- Vegetarian Vegan Pescatarian (Fish only) No Pork No Beef N/A

We can also accommodate the following medically necessary diets:

- Lactose Intolerant (NO Dairy) Gluten Intolerant (NO Gluten) N/A

Food Allergies: (These are the 8 most common food allergies - please be aware that these foods are used in Menucha’s kitchen and served at Menucha. If you allergy is so severe that this may be a problem, note it here)

- Milk Eggs Peanuts Tree Nuts Fish Shellfish Soy Wheat None of these

****Please complete a separate form for each guest requiring a special diet**.**



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