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Next meeting: November 8, 1998 at Sons of Norway Lodge, 1018 18th Avenue, Bremerton, WA.

From the North: Poulsbo, Lofall, Edmonds Ferry etc.) Follow Highway 3 south; take the Bremerton exit. Turn left on Kitsap Way; follow to Warren Avenue (about 6 lights). Turn left on Warren Avenue, proceed north to 16th Street. Go left on 16th around block of Roosevelt Field. Hall is on 18th street across from the N. E. corner of the field.

From the South: (Tacoma, Shelton, etc.) Follow 4-lane highway into W. Bremerton. Turn right on Burwell Street (2nd traffic light after entering the city limits); follow Burwell to Warren and proceed as directed above. If you have questions about ferry service, call Washington State Ferries.

From the President

Holiday Greetings to everyone!

The season is fast approaching and I can't believe another year is almost gone. I just bought <u>Authentic Norwegian Cooking</u> by **Astrid** Karlsen Scott the noming at Puyallup's Scandinavian Festival. It is a wonderful book. The recipes make my mouth water. Lots of interesting history is also included. Astrid had the booth next to us and she explained making fish cakes to me. I recently watched Judie Hansen demonstrate making Kransekake and tasted the results. I will be trying out some of these Norwegian delicacies during the holidays. I am looking forward to the lutefisk dinners at the Sons of Norway. My children haven't acquired a taste for lutefisk yet. They thought grandpa and grandma were weird to cook and eat "that smelly stuff."

I would like to invite all Western Rosemalers to paint a Christmas ornament and bring it to the Nov. 8th meeting in Bremerton and we will start an annual ornament exchange. So get busy and paint a special masterpiece for some lucky member. Be sure to sign your name to the ornament.

Florence Buck will be presenting a wonderful program for us again, on early rosemaling. She will be bringing a pattern she found in a magazine years ago. We will all get a copy to take home and paint. Then we are to bring it to the January meeting and we can see how differently each of us interpreted the design.

See you November 8th in Bremerton.

Gurine, WRA President

Nominations for 1999 Officers

A slate for the 1999 officers will be presented at the November meeting. Nominations will be taken from the floor. Anyone nominating from the floor must have their nominee fill out and sign the nominating form below prior to the WRA's acceptance of the nomination. Since no one was willing to run for the nominating committee at the Sept. meeting the board is preparing the slate this year.

Attention Nominating Comm.!
I,
accept the nomination for the office of WRA
and promise to fulfill the duties of this office if I am elected.
Signed