

# District One, Sons of Norway Convention Program

June 25-27, 2026

	WEDNESDAY JUNE 24, 2026	
Evening by 6 pm	Full Board and committees arrive	
	THURSDAY JUNE 25, 2026	
<b>TIME</b>		<b>ROOM</b>
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Delegate Registration Open	Main Hall
7:00 AM - 8:15 AM	Breakfast for the First District Board and District Committees	Gallery 1, 2, 3
7:00 AM - 10:00 AM	Nordic Marketplace Vendors, Folk Art and Silent Auction set up	Atrium and Gallery 5
10:00 AM - 5:30 PM	Nordic Marketplace open	Atrium
10:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Folk Art and Silent Auction open	Gallery 5
8:30 AM - 10:30 AM	First District Board Meeting	Gallery 7
8:30 AM until finished	District Committee Meetings	Gallery 6 and Chamber Board room
11:00 AM - 11:20 AM	Convention Called to Order; Officers introduced	Gallery 7
11:20 AM - 11:45 AM	Zone Caucuses	Gallery 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, Board Room, Chamber Board Room
11:45 AM - 12:30 PM	Deli Buffet (included in delegate and non delegate package)	Gallery 1 2, 3
1:00 PM- 4:00 PM	Old Log Church Tour Load bus at 12:45 from Best W. Lobby	Off site
1:00 PM- 2:00 PM	Cultural Workshop A	Gallery 4, 6, 7 and Chamber Board Room
2:00 PM - 2:30 PM	Afternoon Break (included in delegate and non delegate package)	Hallway
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM	Cultural Workshop B	Gallery 4, 6, 7 and Chamber Board Room
4:00 PM - 4:30 PM	New Delegate Orientation	Gallery 6
4:30 PM - 5:00 PM	Meet the Candidates	Gallery 6
5:30 PM	Social and Meet and Greet / Cash Bar	Gallery 1 - 4
6:00 PM	President's Reception and Dinner (included in delegate and non delegate package)	Gallery 1 - 4
7:00 PM	Lodge Awards	Gallery 1 - 4
7:30 PM	Entertainment: Twin Cities Hardingfelelag	Gallery 1 - 4
	FRIDAY JUNE 26, 2026	
Time		Room
6:30 AM	Scholarship Walk	Meet in Best W. Lobby
7:00 AM - 8:00 AM	Breakfast (included in delegate and non delegate package)	Gallery 1- 3

7:00 AM	Delegate Registration open	Main Hall
8:00 AM - 5:30 PM	Nordic Marketplace open	Atrium
8:30 AM	Delegates Seated; Convention reconvened	Gallery 7
8:40 AM -8:55 AM	Memorial Service	Gallery 7
8:55 AM	Welcome by Hotel Representative	Gallery 7
9:00 AM	Welcome by Mayor Doug Reese	Gallery 7
9:10 AM	Keynote Speaker: Chad Filley	Gallery 7
9:00 AM - 11:30 AM	Folk Art and Silent Auction area closed for Folk Art Judging	Gallery 5
10 AM - 10:30 AM	Coffee and Lemonade available	Hallway
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM	General Session 1, SN Representative	Gallery 7
11:30 AM - 12:00 PM	General Session 1 cont. Foundation representative	Gallery 7
12:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Folk Art and Silent Auction area open	Gallery 5
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	Lunch (included in delegate and non delegate package)	Gallery 1 - 3
1:00 PM - 2:30 PM	General Session 2: Review of reports, & Resolutions	Gallery 7
2:30 PM - 3:15 PM	Coffee and Treats available	Hallway
3:15 PM - 4:30 PM	General Session 3 / Election of Officers	Gallery 7
5:30 PM	Cash Bar open	Gallery 1 - 4
6:30 PM	Banquet (included in delegate and non delegate package)	Gallery 1 - 4
7:15 PM	Installation of Officers	Gallery 1 - 4
7:30 PM	Entertainment: Thore Dossdall	Gallery 1 - 4
<b>Time</b>	<b>SATURDAY JUNE 27, 2026</b>	<b>Room</b>
7:00 AM - 8:30 AM	Breakfast (included in delegate and non delegate package)	Gallery 1 - 3
7:00 AM - 8:30 AM	Lodge President's Breakfast (lodge presidents or rep)	Gallery 4
8:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Nordic Marketplace open	Atrium
9:00 AM - 11:30 AM	Endreson Cabin Tour, travel on your own	Off site
9:00 AM -10AM	Cultural Workshop C	Gallery 4, 6, 7 and Chamber Board Room
10:00 AM - 10:30 AM	Coffee and Lemonade available; Hotel Check out	Hallway
10:30 AM	Silent Auction bids closed	Gallery 5
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM	Cultural Workshop D	Gallery 4, 6, 7 and Chamber Board Room
11:30 AM - 12:00 PM	Closing Remarks; Silent Auction winners announced	Gallery 7
12:00 PM - 1:30 PM	Box Lunch (grab and go, or stay and visit!); First District Officers, new and retiring, lunch.	Gallery 1 - 3
12:30 PM - 2:00 PM	Pick up Folk Art and Silent Auction items	Gallery 5