



Flere Lag Stevne Schedule

Moorhead, Minnesota

(Schedule is tentative and subject to change)



"OPEN SKY, FLAT LAND"

Tuesday, 1 August 2023

| Time | Event |
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| 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 |
| 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM | Light Dinner Onsite (<i>elective, see registration form to reserve</i>) |
| 7:00 PM - 7:15 PM | Genealogy Research Mini-Demo |

Wednesday, 2 August 2023

| Time | Event |
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| 7:45 AM - 8:45 AM | Nord Hedmark og Hedemarken 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 | Keynote: Valley Voices: Open Sky, Flat Land, and Norwegians Too! — Lawrence Moe |
| 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: Encounter on the Great Plains — Karen Hansen (<i>via Zoom</i>) |
| 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 A: Beowulf: Heroes, Monsters, Treasure, and a Dragon — Lawrence Moe Seminar B: Genealogy Topic — Shauna Kurth |
| 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM | Break (<i>Visit Vendor Displays and Hospitality Suite</i>) |
| 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM | Seminar A: An Immigrant's Tale — Roger Hellesvig Seminar B: Toils on Soils: How Regional Geology Impacted Euro-American Settlement in the Fargo-Moorhead Region — Donald Schwert |
| 4:15 PM - 5:15 PM | Solørlag Annual Business Meeting |
| 5:15 PM - 6:15 PM | Romerikslaget Annual Business Meeting |
| 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM | Box Meal (<i>elective, see registration form to reserve</i>) |
| 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM | An Evening Concert of Nordic Music presented by the Flere Lag Stevne Musicians (<i>If you would like to join the performers, contact Robin Fossum, rkfossum@gmail.com</i>) |

Thursday, 3 August 2023

| Time | Event |
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| 7:45 AM - 9:00 AM | Trønderlag 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: Founding Clay County — Markus Krueger Seminar B: Oh No! Where Did it Go? — Claudia Berg |
| 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM | Break – (<i>Visit Vendor Displays and Hospitality Suite</i>) |

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Thursday, 3 August 2023 *(continued...)*

| Time | Event |
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| 10:45 AM - 11:45 AM | Seminar A: Jubilee of the Battle of Hafrsfjord 2022 — Lars Walker Seminar B: "Who the Heck?" - Identifying Mystery DNA Matches — Dennis Haarsager |
| 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: The Arts and Crafts of Ancient Scandinavia — Sven Lindauer Seminar B: Free Land! — Mark Piehl |
| 2:15 PM - 2:45 PM | Break – <i>(Visit Vendor Displays and Hospitality Room)</i> |
| 2:45 PM - 3:45 PM | Seminar A: Under Prairie Skies — Solveig Kitchell Seminar B: Red River Girl — Mark Piehl |
| 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM | Silent Auction - Winning Bidders: pick-up and pay for your items |
| 5:15 PM - 6:15 PM | Social Hour with Cash Bar |
| 5:15 PM - 6:05 PM | Lag Group Photos |
| 6:00 PM - 8:45 PM | Stevne Banquet • Entertainment: Sons of Norway Kringen Lodge Accordion Band • Bunad Parade |

Friday, 4 August 2023

| Time | Event |
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| 7:45 AM - 8:45 AM | Gudbrandsdalslag Annual Business Meeting |
| 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM | Tour: Hjemkomst Center <i>(registration required)</i> - includes a chance to explore the Clay County Museum, the Hjemkomst Viking Ship, and the Hopperstad Stave Church replica. <i>(Hjemkomst is a 10-minute self-drive from the hotel or car-pool with others)</i> |
| 11:45 AM - 1:00 PM | Lunch at the Sons of Norway Lodge <i>(registration required)</i> 1 mile from the Hjemkomst Center |
| 1:00 PM | Head on home! <i>We hope to see you in Willmar, MN for Flere Lag Stevne, August 2024</i> |

Courtyard by Marriott Fargo-Moorhead *(located in Moorhead, MN)*

The deadline for booking at the Flere Lag Stevne rate is **1 July 2023**

The Stevne will be held at the Courtyard by Marriott / Fargo-Moorhead located at 1080 28th Ave S, Moorhead, MN
To book a room, call the hotel direct at 1-218-284-1000 and ask for the Flere Lag rate or book at the Flere Lag online booking link here: <https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?id=1667323853813&key=GRP&app=resvlink>

The Flere Lag Stevne rate is \$114/night + tax *(rooms are "run of house")*

Parking is complimentary. Note that breakfast is not included but the Marriott's onsite *Bistro* is open for purchase of breakfast items or you can venture out to one of the many nearby restaurants).

Flere Lag Stevne has blocked rooms for the nights of

Monday 31 July 2023 *(for those arriving a day early)*
Tuesday 1 August 2023
Wednesday 2 August 2023
Thursday 3 August 2023 *(checking out on Friday the 4th)*