Scandia Camp Mendocino

June 10-17, 2017

Dance & Music of Valdres, Norway

Brit Berthelsen Totland & Knut Arne Jacobsen (dance)
Henning Andersen (music)

Dance & Music of Sweden

Camilla Idh & Magnus Mårtensson (dance)
Andreas Idh & Elin Jonsson (music)

Singing	Nyckelharpa	Hardanger & Beginning Fiddle	Allspel
Knut Arne Jacobsen	Sunniva Abelli	Karin Code	Peter Michaelsen

Scandinavian Dance Fundamentals

Roo Lester & Harry Khamis

✧ **Brit Berthelsen Totland** is one of the foremost teachers of Valdresspringar today, both for adults and children. She is known for her beautiful dancing and clear teaching.

✧ **Knut Arne Jacobsen** lives in Valdres and focuses on the traditional dance and songs from Valdres. He presents the dance and singing in a fun and accessible way.

✧ **Henning Andersen** began playing music during his childhood. He will accompany the dance classes and teach Hardanger fiddle.

✧ **Camilla Idh** and **Magnus Mårtensson** have been dancing together for many years and are known for their beautiful dance style. They have won the Hälsingehambon 6 times! They like focusing on technique to make dancing more enjoyable.

✧ **Andreas Idh** has been fiddling since he was 10 years old. The traditional music from Jämtland and Härjedalen is close to his heart. He also plays and enjoys music from other areas of Sweden and is requested by many dance teachers to play for their classes.

✧ **Elin Jonsson** was born and raised in the folk music environment in Jämtland. She is a member of Rim.

✧ **Sunniva Abelli** is a talented Nyckelharpa player who with a variety of groups including Rim.

✧ **Karin Code** is one of the foremost American performers on the Hardanger fiddle. She has studied with some of Norway's top players. Her recordings and performances have received critical acclaim both in the US and Norway.

✧ **Peter Michaelsen** is known for his fiddling, teaching and music leadership. His powerful style and broad repertoire inspire musicians and dancers alike.

✧ **Roo Lester and Harry Khamis** will address dance fundamentals that help us to enjoy and refine our Scandinavian dance skills.

Please go to our website for photos & more extensive biographical information about our staff:
www.ScandiaCampMendocino.org

Scholarships Available – See the website for details.

Scandia Camp Mendocino is a week long camp focusing on the folk dance, music and culture of Scandinavia, especially Norway and Sweden. Some of Scandinavia's most distinguished dancers and musicians share with us their cultural expertise and infectious love of their dance and music traditions. Dancers and musicians of all levels are welcome.

Plan now to join us.

The mission of Scandia Camp Mendocino is to provide enriching opportunities to learn about and actively experience dance, music and cultural traditions of Scandinavia (primarily Norway and Sweden) in a welcoming community.

The Program

Dance and Music Classes are designed for both newer and more experienced Scandinavian dancers and musicians. We change partners frequently during classes and we encourage partner changing during parties. Musicians should have at least one year of experience, though not necessarily with Scandinavian music. Musicians are encouraged to bring a recording device, as tunes are taught by ear.

- **Daytime** activities include classes in dance, music, singing, folklore; practice sessions; and opportunities to enjoy the woodlands. Free time is scheduled in the late afternoon.
- **Evenings** include music and social activities before dinner, after-dinner concerts, and Scandinavian dance parties with live music by our staff and student musicians. The parties offer a chance to enjoy the great variety of Scandinavian dance and music.
- **Scandinavian Dance Fundamentals** will introduce dancers to the fundamental skills of successful turning dancing and partnering. More experienced dancers will have an opportunity to sharpen their skills.

Practical Considerations

Location: Scandia Camp Mendocino takes place in the beautiful redwood forest near Mendocino, California. Giant redwoods, a sunny meadow, a beaver pond and numerous paths through the woods surround the village-like setting. The camp is about a 4-hour drive north of San Francisco. The climate is mild. Visitors and pets are not permitted.

Facilities: The dance hall has a sprung wooden floor. Cabins are charming and rustic, clustered in three groups. Each cabin has a balcony and a fireplace, 4 single beds, a closet and windows, but no plumbing or electricity. One couple or 2-4 individuals are housed in each cabin. Each cabin area has a central bathroom and shower building with electricity and plenty of hot water.

Food: We are pleased to welcome back Tod Nysether as our caterer. Count on three nutritious meals a day plus between-meal snacks, with fresh vegetables and fruits, choice meat and fresh fish. Vegetarians can be accommodated. Some meals may feature Scandinavian menus, while others are developed by our caterer and may include other ethnic foods.

Registration & Fees

We encourage you to register early to reserve your place. Unfortunately, the size of the facility limits the number of people we can accommodate. We attempt to balance the number of male and female dancers.

Fees: $910 per Dancer or Musician (discounted early registration fee)
$550 per Work Scholarship (8 available, see info below)
For registrations received after May 1, 2017
$960 per Dancer or Musician (full fee) to be paid in full
$600 per Work Scholar (full Work Scholar fee) to be paid in full

Deposits: Send $250 per person with the application. To maximize your chance of being accepted immediately, send your deposit early. Your registration is not considered complete until we have both your application and deposit.

NOTE: Scandia Camp Mendocino offers a $50 registration discount to *all* participants attending for the first time.

Reminder: Final Payments must be received by May 1, 2017.

Refunds: Full refunds are available until May 1, 2017.
For our complete refund policy, please see the website.

Scholarships: Scandia Camp Mendocino has three types of scholarships available. Mark the appropriate box(es) on your application.

- The Linscott Scholarship honors our founder, Nancy Linscott, and recognizes those who have a record of commitment to Scandinavian dance and music traditions, both at camp and in their home community.
- The Scandia Camp Mendocino Scholarship is for dancers and musicians, who need financial assistance to attend camp. Students are particularly encouraged to apply.
- Work scholarships reduce fees for recipients who contribute a few hours of work each day.

Please see the website for a full description of each scholarship including purpose, criteria and application procedures.

Applications for any of the scholarships must be received by March 15, 2017. Successful applicants will be notified by April 15, 2017.

Note: All scholarship applicants must submit a $250 deposit to reserve a place at camp.

Note: This flyer and application form are available on our website.
Additional information including directions to camp and a suggested packing list will be sent in April via email.

Send your application with your deposit of $250 per person made payable to: Scandia Camp Mendocino, 1320 Harleyford Road, Woodridge, IL 60517

For your records: Total enclosed: **$** _____ **Balance Due by May 1, 2017: $** _____

Be sure to mail your balance due in time for us to receive it by May 1, 2017 to avoid paying the full fee of $920.

For more information, contact:

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Linda Gross (973) 783-1514 [Eastern Time] Linda@ScandiaCamp.org
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Application

Applicant 1		Applicant 2	
Name	_____	Name	_____
Gender	❑ Male ❑ Female	Gender	❑ Male ❑ Female
Address	_____	Address	_____
	_____		_____
Home Phone	_____	Home Phone	_____
Mobile Phone	_____	Mobile Phone	_____
Email address	_____	Email address	_____

*Let us know if you do **not** want some or all of your contact information on the camp roster.*

How would you like your name to appear on your name badge(s)? Please provide both first and last names.

_____ _____

Please indicate all that apply: ❑ I am (or) ❑ We are signing up as a: ❑ Single ❑ Couple

Applicant 1	Applicant 2
❑ Dancer $910 per person - discounted fee, OR $960 per person for registrations & final payments received after May 1, 2017	❑ Dancer $910 per person - discounted fee, OR $960 per person for registrations & final payments received after May 1, 2017
❑ Musician $910 per person - discounted fee, OR $960 per person for registrations & final payments received after May 1, 2017	❑ Musician $910 per person - discounted fee, OR $960 per person for registrations & final payments received after May 1, 2017
Musicians, please list instrument(s):	Musicians, please list instrument(s):
❑ Work Scholarship $550 per person – discounted fee, OR $600 per person for registrations & final payments received after May 1, 2017	❑ Work Scholarship $550 per person – discounted fee, OR $600 per person for registrations & final payments received after May 1, 2017
❑ Scandia Camp Mendocino Scholarship – *Letter of application required*	❑ Scandia Camp Mendocino Scholarship - *Letter of application required*
❑ Linscott Scholarship - *Letter of application or nomination required*	❑ Linscott Scholarship - *Letter of application or nomination required*
❑ This will be my first time attending Scandia Camp Mendocino	❑ This will be my first time attending Scandia Camp Mendocino

We are interested in promoting Scandia Camp Mendocino and also making the smallest possible carbon footprint.
We hope to find ways to share our camp information with you in as green a fashion as possible. Please let us know the best way to be in touch with you.

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Come and enjoy dance and music instruction, concerts, culture sessions, and evening parties. Our location in the northern California redwoods is a wonderful place to make new friends, greet old friends, enjoy a beautiful natural setting and eat delicious food!

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