

NEWSLETTER

MAY 2021



NEWS FROM THE COMMITTEE

Without knowing what this year would look like only a few months ago, I think we have done well so far.

One of the highlights from the last couple of months has been the arrival of the shipping container of goods (the Danish lollies and snaps are in really high demand, and lockdown definitely didn't change that, even though we had to reschedule the sales day). And then of course there was the recent Cafe Danmark, which was a great success and the delicious 'smørrebrød' was an absolute treat.

I'm a proud Dane when I say the committee is a fantastic group of hard-working people. Many of us are new including myself, and as we are taking some steps to ease certain processes behind the scenes, I'm sure you will notice the changes over time in a positive way. With new thoughts and ideas from everyone, we are shaking things up a little and looking forward to perhaps organising some new types of events, foods etc. - also even though we operate within the limits of COVID these days, which in itself may feel like changes from us.

I have truly enjoyed talking with everyone in the community when I have had the chance to do so and I look forward to catching up with those of you I haven't yet met - and as I say, you are always welcome to give me a call about anything and everything - especially with all the changes happening at the moment, I'm always happy to chat.

Mathilde Bach Stougaard

MEMBERS

Please welcome 20 new members/memberships.
(names listed in the electronic newsletter version)

Please ensure we have your email address on record connected to your membership as some messages will be sent by email only including links to bookings online (please call us if you need support or would like to book directly over the phone).

EVENTS 2021

May - Sunday 23rd:

Playgroup (9.00am - 11.00am)

For updates and more information, join the group on Facebook: www.facebook.com/groups/danskelegruppe

Lunch + Coffee and Cake (12.00pm - 2.00pm)

We serve hotdogs and open the bar.
Cake and coffee/tea is also on offer if anyone has a sweet tooth.

More information to come about bookings via email - at the moment we are open for bookings approximately two weeks before an event and close again approximately one week before the event.

As a general guideline, most events hosted by the committee will fall on the 4th weekend (either Friday/Saturday/Sunday) every month, with some exceptions throughout the year.

We try to have the 'shop' open at all events so you can buy lollies, chocolate and different drinks etc. (certain products are for members only).

June - Saturday 26th - Sunday 27th:

Sankt Hans with Saga Vikings
(more information to come)

July - Sunday 25th:

Christmas in July
(more information to come)

August - Sunday 22nd:

Event / playgroup (TBC)

September - Sunday 12th:

Annual General Meeting (no playgroup)

October - Sunday 24th:

Event / playgroup (TBC)

November - Sunday 28th:

Event / playgroup (TBC)

December - Sunday 12th:

Julefest (no playgroup)

STORYTIME

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Want to share a story or experience about anything and everything? We would love to hear from you...

Tove Vine



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*“Volunteers don't get paid, not because they're worthless, but because they're priceless”
— Sherry Anderson*

This newsletter is a light version of the e-news, read it here: <http://www.danishclubbrisbane.org>

THE COMMITTEE

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We comply with the Queensland Government COVID guidelines.

Due to restrictions and limited spaces, we are using a booking system (currently Eventbrite). Please call if you would like to make a booking or have any general questions.

Dear valued member,

I know you have seen many different formats of what previously has been the members magazine.

I will personally like to ensure that it is still possible to receive news and information from the Danish Club in print but it does mean the setup is being simplified to make sure the Club follows the times and accommodates for all members without doubling up on work.

The setup now is a monthly e-newsletter (electronic newsletter), which will be sent out via email. Based on that we have taken the most important information and created a two-sided A4 printed newsletter to still make it possible to receive printed materials.

The link to where you can find the full e-news will be included on the print version so that it is also possible for you to see all information online if you wish to and don't have an email address connected to your membership.

We hope for your understanding and if you have any questions or feedback, of course you are always welcome to email or call me (president@danishclubbrisbane.org | 0450 512 050).

Warm regards,
Mathilde Bach Stougaard