



Club News

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Newsletter for Members of The Danish Canadian Club

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About the Danish Canadian Club:

Around 1928, three Danish clubs were established in Calgary. In 1933, the clubs decided to join forces. On November 30, 1933, 72-chartered members formed a new club named The Danish Canadian Society. In 1944, The Danish Canadian Society moved into its own premises at 114-7th Avenue S.E. On November 9, 1945, the name was changed to its present name; The Danish Canadian Club, commonly known as DCC. In 1964, The Danish Canadian Club (DCC) sold its original location and purchased its present location at 727-11th Avenue S.W. We have been in the same location for more than 50 years.

While the club is for members and their guests, we will happily sign you in as a “special guest” so you can experience our wonderful Mermaid Inn Restaurant and see what we are all about. We welcome everyone.

Come and Enjoy Mermaid Inn

Lunch at the Danish Canadian Club's own Mermaid Inn Restaurant is always popular. Dinner is wonderful and Saturday night at the Mermaid Inn will introduce you to a completely new world of culinary delights. Bring your friends!

President's Message April 2023:

I'm glad to be able to communicate to members of the Danish Canadian Club through our revived News Letter.

We have gone to the electronic version in the new format, but there will be printed copies available at the Club for pickup. We will try our best to accommodate the people that are unable to receive the News Letter via email.

I'm proud to share with you the success of the Mermaid Inn 50th Anniversary. The entire month of January 2023 was a celebration of the Mermaid; thanks to volunteers and staff who all did a great job to make this a memorable event, and thanks to the friends and members of the Club for the support.

Prior to that, in the Month of December 2023, there were several well attended Christmas parties, culminating in a great New Years party in the Valhalla, with dancing to the music by Jana and Danny.

The year of 2022 had many ups and downs, but the main thing to report is that the Club is doing well and there are no plans to close the Danish Canadian Club in Calgary, quite the contrary, we are working hard towards securing the future of the Club.

Look forward to your continued support.
Per Andersen, President

Club Hours:

Mermaid Inn and Restaurant Hours

Tuesday – Friday: 11:00 am to 8:30 pm

Saturday: 10:00 am to 8:30 pm

Lunch served daily from 11:00 am to 5:00 pm

Dinner served daily 5 pm to 8:30 pm

Saturday Brunch 10:00 am to 1:30 pm

Sunday and Monday closed

Membership:

Did you know you don't have to be Danish or of Danish descent to join the Danish Canadian Club.

We have members from many different places in the world.

We are centrally located in the Beltline area, with ample parking right by our Club.

Check out our menu and banquet facilities.

The club will gladly provide access to anyone interested in attending, so you can experience our wonderful Mermaid Inn Restaurant and see what we are all about.

Membership Prices (Individual plus spouse)

One Year - \$30

Two Years - \$60

Three Years - \$90

Five Years - \$120 (save \$30)

Life Time \$ 500.00

Scholarships: (confirming information and anything additional with Anne)

In 2023, the Danish Canadian Club is offering two (2) scholarship of \$2,000 to an exceptional student planning on entering, or returning to, post secondary studies.

The submission deadline for the DCC scholarship is midnight Monday, July 31, 2023 (MDT).

All applicants including letters of reference must be submitted in a PDF format to

scholarships.dcc@gmail.com

The application and pertinent information can be found on the web site under the "more" heading.

If you would like more information, feel free to contact scholarship.dcc@gmail.com



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Mermaid Inn Restaurant:

The Mermaid Inn is the Danish Canadian Club's restaurant and lounge. In the same location since 1973, it is a favourite amongst members and guests. Many visit The Mermaid Inn regularly; it's not just a restaurant and lounge – it's a place where everyone knows your name.

Drop in for a drink or two with good friends or meet new friends, and feel free to stay and enjoy delicious traditional Danish dishes and Canadian cuisine. The Mermaid Inn has weekly special that are on the website and Facebook.

The Mermaid Inn also provides catering services to offices in the Beltline and downtown Calgary. Our corporate clients have the best taste!

Specials:

Special for the month are posted on the specials board and on the Danish Canadian Club Web site www.danishclubcalgary.com, Facebook and Instagram.

Banquet Facilities:

Free ballroom or facility rental with your food order

Do you have a special event or want to hold a meeting for your group of 8 to 365 people?

If you order breakfast, lunch or dinner for your group, the Danish Canadian Club will provide a meeting room or our ballroom free of charge.

We provide a completely personalized banquet service for your group. The menu can be tailored to your specific needs and wants.

A tentative reservation can be accepted for a period of two weeks. After that, a reservation deposit is required for all events to confirm your booking. The balance is due upon completion of the event.

Since market conditions and prices fluctuate, all prices quoted are subject to change. However, final quotes can be obtained up to 60 days prior to your function. We also ask that you make the final arrangements by

the “due date” we mutually agree to. This will help us (and you) ensure a function that will be the success you want it to be.

Please let us know the exact number of guests at least 48 hours before your function. Because of the advance planning and preparation time, this is the guarantee for which you will be charged, even if fewer guests attend.

It will be our pleasure to help you plan and organize your function.

The Danish Canadian Club is an ideal place to host your celebrations or have your group or business meetings.

We have different size banquet halls, and best of all there is no charge for the hall rentals.

We charge only for the food and beverages plus GST and 15% gratuity.

Everyone is welcome.

If you have any questions, please give us a call at 403-261-9744.

The Ballrooms (Each includes a dance floor):

- Valhalla Hall (max. 365)
- Tivoli Room (max. 72)

Meeting / Board Rooms – for groups of 8 to 50 people

- Queens Room
- Kings Room
- Viking Room
- Board Room (Peter’s Room)

The Danish Club has installed new Wi-Fi in all our rooms, which gives you a fast and strong signal that makes it ideal for office work.

Treasure Draw Numbers:

Jan	3	Claus Erik Hansen	6357	\$ 2510.00
	4	Jack Busst	3007	\$ 2517.00
	5	Mary Downing	25	\$ 2530.00
	6	Jim Rasmussen	588	\$ 2553.00
	7	Ken Carter	216	\$ 2565.00
	10	Wayne Mortensen	5804	\$ 2582.00
	11	Ross Roeric	1421	\$ 2586.00
	12	Doug Seefried	6071	\$ 2593.00
	13	Steen Jochumsen	90	\$ 2617.00
	14	Finn Jakobsen	4838	\$ 2630.00
	17	Robert Kokothild	6059	\$ 2636.00
	18	Barb Harris	1361	\$ 2652.00
	19	Erik Larsen	5319	\$ 2666.00
	20	Kendra Gaede	5450	\$ 2708.00
	21	Mark Ulak	5430	\$ 2714.00

	24	Sonja Jensen	299	\$ 2725.00
	25	Mogens Bendix-Jensen	4883	\$ 2733.00
	26	Paul Grover	6035	\$ 2739.00
	27	Ian Willumsen	4550	\$ 2766.00
	28	Stephen Yates	5419	\$ 2776.00
	31	Erik Eikum	73	\$ 2786.00
Feb	1	Rae Audette	1387	\$ 2792.00
	2	Sabina Grover	6033	\$ 2811.00
	3	Jim Wilson	1144	\$ 2830.00
	4	Marc Wachmann	1181	\$ 2839.00
	7	Harold Schultz	6943	\$ 2850.00
	8	Hans Bohl	1740	\$ 2854.00
	9	Irene Bakker	3562	\$ 2860.00
	10	Stuart Harris	2442	\$ 2879.00
	11	Inge Mead	918	\$ 2885.00
	14	Bente Nelson	1052	\$ 2900.00
	15	Bent Jakobsen	4761	\$ 2908.00
	16	Donna Lee Powell	1703	\$ 2911.00
	17	Dieter Cosandier	5360	\$ 2935.00
	18	Barb Kristensen	499	\$ 2939.00
	21	Dayal Mesh	2142	\$ 2945.00
	22	Emil Jorgensen	61	\$ 2954.00
	23	Flemming Nielsen	5393	\$ 2955.00
	24	Randi Christiansen	1770	\$ 2971.00
	25	Lisa Douglas	4139	\$ 2990.00
	28	Brian M Reed	3182	\$ 3002.00