

May 2018

**Fra Presidente**

*“At last came the golden month of the wild folk-- honey-sweet May, when the birds come back, and the flowers come out, and the air is full of the sunrise scents and songs of the dawning year.” Samuel Scoville Jr., Wild Folk*

 **Hurra for syttende mai!** 

There is a lot going on in May – Mother’s Day, Memorial Day, Syttende Mai; equally as important is the opportunity to get together and celebrate, and yes, the winter weather will finally break!!!

Preparations for the convention are in full gear; our Nominating Committee is doing a great job pounding the pavement searching for candidates to fill 3D Board positions; our Convention Committee is starting to see the fruits of all their labors and countless hours coming together and thanks to your efforts, we are gaining new members!! There is a buzz of energy in the District.

I was thrilled to see that 11 lodges met the 2017 Recruitment Challenge, congratulations to you all. Just like the smell of spring flowers fills the air, I smell a sense of excitement in the Third District. There is a saying that goes something like “it takes money to make money”. Well, from what I am seeing, the same is true with members. It takes members to bring in more members and you are all doing an outstanding job! Keep up the great work!

Don’t forget to ask your lodge’s Convention delegates to review the resolutions that will be discussed at the Convention. Let your delegates know your thoughts; your opinion matters!!

Jeg ønsker dere alt godt,

Mary

**Remember all who serve(d) (past and present)**



**Thank you**