



## *Velkommen til the Magic of Masse Moro - 2022!*

Following a year of the pandemic, uncertainties, health restrictions, and much more, our young campers had an extremely awesome time at Masse Moro this past summer. We look forward to our forty-third year of sharing the enthusiasm and vitality of Masse Moro with our young campers.

The magic of Masse Moro will begin on **Sunday, July 17, 2022** and end with a special program the morning of **Saturday, July 30, 2022** at Beaver Creek Reserve in Fall Creek, Wisconsin.

Masse Moro provides an excellent opportunity for our youth ages 9 to 15 years of age. Our camp strives to fulfill the mission of Sons of Norway by preserving and promoting our Norwegian heritage. Campers do not have to be Sons of Norway members to attend camp.

Sons of Norway District 5 has strived over the years to keep our tuition lower than any other comparable camp. Unfortunately, as you are aware, our expenses have increased in the past few years. The rental of our camp facility, the increase in food expenses and paying our staff a more realistic salary have contributed to our decision to increase the tuition for 2022. The tuition will increase to \$1000 for our two week amazing Norwegian Heritage experience at Masse Moro.

The good news is that District 5 has approved an increase in matching grant funds for our campers. Campers who are members, or sponsored by a parent, grandparent or aunt or uncle who are members of a District 5 Lodge may be eligible for a matching grant up to \$250 toward their Masse Moro tuition. District 5 Lodges who are able to support the camper with a grant of \$250 will be matched by District 5 so the actual cost for these campers will be \$500. Campers are encouraged to reach out to their sponsoring Lodges to discuss their eligibility and offer assistance for fund raising opportunities.

With the increase in tuition costs for our campers; we would appreciate the financial support of our Sons of Norway Lodges and Members. If your Lodge is considering giving a gift to a deserving program, I encourage you to consider Masse Moro. If this is the wish of your members, please write a check to **Nordic Legacy Foundation** and indicate that it is to support **Masse Moro**.

Masse Moro has been extremely fortunate to receive the wonderful support of District 5 and our Sons of Norway Lodges. We appreciate their support and that of our parents, grandparents and other sponsors of our young people.

Sons of Norway Lodges who would like to learn more about the “Day in the life of a Masse Moro Camper” are encouraged to contact me to make a presentation to your Lodge.

As a result of the talents, enthusiasm, and commitment of our Masse Moro staff we will again touch the lives of our young people by providing them a taste of their Norwegian heritage. We look forward to “*Lots of Fun*” this summer at Masse Moro. Tusen Takk from all of us at Masse Moro!!

Hilsen,

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