

LEIF EIRIKSSON ICELANDIC CLUB OF CALGARY NEWSLETTER



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**THE LEIF EIRIKSSON ICELANDIC
CLUB OF CALGARY
WILL BE CELEBRATING THE FIRST
DAY OF SUMMER OR
“SUMARDAGURINN FYRSTI”
AT THE SCANDINAVIAN CENTRE –
VIKING HALL
739 – 20TH AVE. NW, CALGARY, AB
APRIL 14, 2017.**

**Doors open 5:30 pm
Dinner 6:30 pm**

Followed by entertainment.

The price of this event

Senior	\$20.00
Adult:	\$25.00
Child 6 – 11	\$12.00
Child 0 – 5	free

This includes a hot and cold buffet.

Don't miss out on this very special evening.

COME OUT AND BRING YOUR FRIENDS

To reserve your ticket by April 9/18

**Send your cheque to
AFTON BARABASH
75 Kincora Grove, NW,
Calgary, AB, T3R 1R5
Or contact Afton at
587-229-5971 myownslideshow@gmail.com**

**For more information on special diet needs
etc. please email thedobsons@telus.net or call
Lorie at (403)912-6869.**

**This year we have a special guest,
Lowry Olafson**

Lowry is a professional songwriter, keynote speaker and workshop leader who has released nine CDs and toured the globe. In addition to his performing and speaking careers, Lowry has led over 400 songs with more than 10,000 school kids across western Canada.

He has also used songwriting as a tool to transform organizations. The ThemeShop is a team-building experience to help businesses, non-profits and municipalities write their own theme song to get in tune with their team and create an “audio brand” that makes them unforgettable.



Lowry is an avid sailor and horse-dad. He lives with his wife and daughter on BC's Sunshine Coast.

DONATIONS REQUESTED

The **INL convention** is the largest gathering of Icelandic clubs in one place. Each year there are Icelanders attending from across Canada, the United States and Iceland. The Convention committee is requesting items for a fund-raising auction. There are cars going so items can be transported. The convention is in Edmonton April 26 – 29/18. Anyone wishing to donate should contact Gwen Mann ldgomann@gmail.com.

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LIBRARY

New books you might like from our library:
The Legacy. Yrsa Sigurðadóttir's latest crime novel "The Almost Nearly Perfect People" - a humourless look at the Scandinavians.

The library is open during office hours so have a look whenever you can, or contact Christine at christinestuartsmith@gmail.com if you want to locate a particular item.

VINARTERTA BEE AT THE SCAN CENTER

May 31 from 10 AM to 2 PM



All members welcome to come whether you have made vinarterta for years or want to learn how to make the Icelandic cake.

Please bring:
Apron and rolling pin
Noon bag lunch

Coffee/Tea and dessert will be provided.

Please contact Lorie Dobson at **403-912-6869** or email thedobsons@telus.net if you are able to come.



Follow us on social media:

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Instagram: @leicyyc

Please share your photos and stories with us!

2018 Events

April 14 Saturday Spring Dinner
April 21 -22 Casino – Deerfoot Inn
April 26-28 Convention – Edmonton
May 24 Senior Luncheon
June 16 Markerville Picnic
Sept. 29 Fall Feast –Saturday
Xmas Bazaar – Scan centre to set date
Nov. 24 Yuletide Party

CARE AND CONCERN



Nancy Tarr is now our Care and Concern representative so if you know of anyone in sickness or distress or are celebrating a special birthday or anniversary please call her at (403) 253-7433.

IT'S A BOY!



Len and Lorie Dobson are pleased to announce the arrival of a grandson, **Thordor Michael Dobson** born January 14, 2018; 9 lbs. 12 oz Parents Kevin and Sarah Dobson of Saskatoon, Sask. A brother for Ashton, Josie, Savannah, Evangeline, Summer and Scarlet.

THE LEIF EIRIKSSON ICELANDIC CLUB HAS AN INTERESTING NUMBER OF EVENTS IN THE NEAR FUTURE FOR YOUR ENJOYMENT, PLEASE ATTEND WHEN POSSIBLE.

