



Norwegian Lag Week

March 4-10, 2018

Norwegian Lag Week is a time when persons interested in Norwegian genealogy meet together in Salt Lake City at the Family History Library to research and learn together. We work diligently to plan some special classes about Norwegian research and new developments to help with our research. There is time available for research and also time to learn together. Sunday evening our group gathers at the hotel to get acquainted so we can help each other at the library to make the experience more meaningful.

This will be our 123th annual Norwegian Lag Week. There were two lag weeks prior to this that were both exploratory and a pilot for this annual event. We have been fortunate to work with two organizations in planning our week. One is the Bygdelagenes Fellesraad (umbrella organization for the bygdelag) and Family Search (related to the Family History Library in Salt Lake City). Our event could not be planned without them. Information about our event is posted on the Fellesraad website www.fellesraad.org. Various bygdelag publish information in their newsletters. Family Search is our key help for organizing the activities in Salt Lake City.

Official days of the Norwegian Lag Week are Sunday, March 4 to March 10, 2018. Lag week follows a major genealogy/technology conference called Roots Tech. Hotel we selected is the Salt Lake Plaza Hotel which is next door to the library. A block of rooms is available by contacting Rich Williams at 801-606-2410. You must work directly with him. Room rates for the Norwegian Lag week are \$89.00-\$97.00 plus tax for a single or double room. This block of rooms and special rate are available until February 4, 2018. If rooms are available after that they will honor our rate for the days relating to the Norwegian Lag Week March 4-10, 2018. Cost for the week will be your transportation, hotel room and food. The Family History Library and Family Search Center are open to the public at no charge.

For information about the Roots Tech Conference which is from February 28 to March 3, 2018, please go to their web page for further information. It has a separate registration fee. There are many hotels in the area and they have special Roots Tech conference rates. It is a huge conference so hotels fill up fast.

If you are planning to attend the Norwegian Lag Week, please let us know as it helps with planning our events. Last year we had an enthusiastic group and several are returning this year. Direct questions and whether you will be attending the Salt Lake City, Norwegian Lag Week to Marilyn Sorensen, 651-633-1329 or e-mail to rddlagen@usfamily.net. We need to know for space planning purposes.

Our facebook group is managed by Steve Hall (shall3307@gmail.com). Currently there are 51 members which anyone may request to join. The title is Norwegian SLC Annual Lag Week Group and the link is: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/245268492220695>. You may post photos, files, events, successes and goals. Join us and have fun. You may share on facebook that you will be attending 2018 Lag week if you wish.

Tentative Norwegian Lag Week Schedule—March 4 to March 10, 2018
(Rootstech February 28- March 3, 2018)

Sunday	Monday JSMB computer lab	Tuesday FHL/	Wednesday FHL	Thursday FHL	Friday FHL	Saturday FHL
March 4 Doors open 8:30am Meet 8:15 lobby to attend as group Must be seated by 9:15am for Tabernacle Choir Broadcast	March 5 9:00—12:00 Judith Kay—in US Afn at FHL for research	March 6 Research	March 7 Research	March 8 Research	March 9 Research	March 10 Research
Group meeting 6:30pm lobby area	6:30—8:30 Elaine Hasleton—21 st Century Genealogy Group Picture	6:00—9:00	6:30—8:30		Evening meal together	
March 11 Tabernacle Choir Broadcast	Morning session FHL computer lab Evening JSMB conference room	Evening FHL computer lab	Evening FHL Computer Lab	FHL research day	FHL Research day #1-866-406-1830	

JSMB is Joseph Smith Building
FHL is Family History Library

Family History Library Hours

Mon and Saturday: 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Tues-Fri: 8:00 A.M. to 9:00 P.M.

Sun: Closed



Tabernacle Choir Live Broadcast

Music and the Spoken Word featuring the Mormon Tabernacle Choir on Sunday mornings at 9:30 a.m. Doors open to the public at 8:30 a.m., and guests should be seated by 9:15 a.m., when the doors are closed. The broadcast is 30 minutes long and ends at 10:00 a.m. Admission is free and limited to those eight years of age and older