



## Join Us for Some Summer Fun at District 7's Heritage Camp!

**History:** The camp has been running for over 30 years and each year it gets a little bit better! The original camp, under Camp Directors Helen and Mervin Rogelstad, featured classes in Woodcarving, Rosemaling, and Hardangersom. A children's program offered activities for children 12 and under, and some activities for the whole camp included Camp Olympics, a Horseshoe tournament, car rally, BBQ Dinner and pancake breakfast. Today the camp offers so much more!

**Program:** The application form, available on line, lists the current class offering for adults. The program for children and youth has really expanded to include classes for children ages 4 to 16 years featuring a variety of Norwegian Cultural classes including Norwegian Language. Classes are offered Thursday, Friday, and Saturday during the camp. Many other fun activities are planned from Wednesday evening until Sunday morning including a BBQ supper and pancake breakfast (all part of the registration package).

**Location:** Sleipner Lodge #8 has been our host for over 30 years on their beautiful property located approximately 15 minutes drive north east of Mission. The address is 11901 Seux Road, Mission, BC (just off Sylvester Road). The property has great camping facilities for tents, motor homes and trailers. There is a large playing field, clubhouse, gazebo, swimming pool, washrooms, trails and a creek running beside the pool. There are also many private cabins owned by Sleipner Lodge members.

**Registration:** A form is located on the Sons of Norway District 7 website which can be downloaded and mailed to the registrar of the camp. Classes are filled on first come first serve basis, but we make every effort to accommodate all children aged 4 to 16 years. Both members and non-members are welcomed to register for the camp, but non-members will pay a slightly higher fee. Each child registered for the excellent children's program must have an adult family member registered (does not need to be a parent). Heritage members also get a discount and there is a further discount for early registrations. Camp t-shirts must be pre-ordered to ensure that there are enough t-shirts available. They will be included in your pre-paid package, which you can pick up on Wednesday at the camp.

**Camping:** Anyone camping must make arrangements with and payment to the caretakers. This cost is not included in the camp fee.