## **Ethnic Heritage Council**

**MARCH 2014** 

# EHC 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Dinner & Awards Ceremony, March 28, 2014 at NHM

Please join us for our **32nd Annual Awards Dinner, Friday, March 28,** 2014, Celebrated at Nordic Heritage Museum, 3014 NW 67th St., Seattle, WA 98117. Tickets: \$50. Pre-Paid Reservations Only. Reservation Deadline: Monday, March 24.

Reservation form:

www.ethnicheritagecouncil.org or call: 206-443-1410 to make your reservation.



Evening Events: Social Hour & Museum Tour; Raffle; International Cuisine Dinner by IKEA; Following Dinner: EHC Board Introductions; Awards Ceremony & Cultural Performances.

In 2014 we will honor 2 members of our local ethnic communities— o

The Gordon Ekvall Tracie Memorial Award is given to an ethnic performing artist who has made significant contributions to the development and presentation of the traditional arts in our community. This year we honor Sidney Deering, Artistic Director, Radost Folk Ensemble.

The Aspasia Phoutrides Pulakis Memorial Award is given annually to an individual who has contributed significantly to a Northwest eth-

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## About the Nordic Heritage Museum

About the Nordic Heritage Museum With over 55,000 visitors annually, the Nordic Heritage Museum is a cultural treasure in the Pacific Northwest. It is the only museum in the United States that represents the cultural heritage of all five Nordic countries: Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden. The Museum's mission is to share Nordic culture with people of all ages and backgrounds by exhibiting art and objects, preserving collections, providing educational and cultural experiences and serving as a community gathering place. The Nordic Heritage Museum presents a wide range of vibrant programs including contemporary art exhibitions, outstanding concerts, lectures and films and a variety of special events throughout the year.

Museum hours: Tues-Sat 10 am to 4 pm; Sun 12 noon to 4 pm; Mon closed. Admission: \$6 general; \$5 seniors & college students; \$4 children over 5 years; FREE for children under 5 and Museum members; free on first Thursdays. The Museum is located at 3014 NW 67th Street, Seattle, WA 98117. Call: 206-789-5707; www.nordicmuseum.org

Upcoming activities for children include:

First Thursday of the month; 10am-11am—Join us for our seventh year of Nordic Stories, geared toward preschool aged children and their grown-ups. Held the 1st Thursday of each month from 10am to 11am,

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**Nordic Heritage Museum** 

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## RAFFLE March 28, 2014

Do you have an item for our raffle? A special item from your worldly travels you can donate? Gift Certificate? New books? Lessons?

Call: 206-443-1410

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nic community. This year we honor **JoAnne Hardt Rudo**, involved with many Nordic organizations and more!

Join us in honoring extraordinary members of our community, March 28th at the Nordic Heritage Museum. See insert pages for more information and reservation form.

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Nordic Stories features children's stories from the Nordic countries, along with fun craft projects. This is a free program, no reservations are necessary. Please note: This program is not intended for large groups.

Coming up:

March 6: Oliver by Icelandic author Birgitta Sif

**April 3:** The Three Cabritos, a retelling of the Norwegian "Three Billy Goats Gruff," by Eric A. Kimmel

Celebrate Pippi Longstocking! Saturday, March 29, 2014

Breakfast at Pippi's; 10am-11:30am Pippi Longstocking Movie; 12pm-1:30pm

Celebrate that one-of-a-kind Swedish girl Pippi Longstocking at the always popular Breakfast at Pippi's. Dress up as your favorite character from the Pippi stories and join us for a delicious breakfast of Swedish pancakes complete with live music and dancing for kids! There will also be a craft for children to make. Appropriate for all ages. No reservations needed. Cost is \$6 for adults, \$4 for children (age 5-12), free for children under 5, includes Museum admission.

Continue the Pippi celebration with a family viewing of Pippi on the Run (dubbed in English!) starring Inger Nilsson—appropriate for all ages. No reservations needed. Suggested donation of \$5 for adults, \$3 for children.

To learn more about NHM and their fantastic programming, visit: www.nordicmuseum.org.

## Eastern European Folklife Center Scholarships

Mendocino June 28 - July 5 Iroquois Springs August 9-16

Applications for the 2014 scholarships are now available on the Eastern European Folklife Center (EEFC) website. All the information can be found at <a href="http://eefc.org/scholarships.shtml">http://eefc.org/scholarships.shtml</a> --please read this page before you apply. The application form is filled out online. This year we've changed the scholarship eligibility to include 13-17

year olds! Teens must have a parent or guardian attend the workshop with them (the scholarship does not include tuition for the parent or guardian).

The deadline to send applications is March 31. Recipients will be chosen by April 30th.

If you'd like to contribute to the scholarship funds, there's still time! This is a great way to spread the joy Balkan music and dance -- 100 percent of your donation goes toward helping someone get to a workshop.

If you have any questions regarding scholarships, please e-mail of-fice@eefc.org or call the EEFC office at 510-547-1118 (Pacific Time Zone). Please pass this information on to anyone you know who might be interested in applying for an EEFC scholarship.

Ann Norton, Scholarship Committee Chair

## Citizen University's Annual National Conference - March 21, Seattle

Citizen University's annual national conference is the country's most creative and vibrant gathering on the art of powerful citizenship. Please join us and hundreds of activists, innovators and educators from across the United States for a day of skill-building and inspiration. Learn the elements of civic power. Practice social and political action. Connect with people from left and right so we can solve problems together. America today is in the midst of a revival of citizen spirit.!

Presenter News - Just added as a workshop presenter: Daniel Maree, the founder and executive director of Million Hoodies Movement for Justice. After Florida teen Trayvon Martin was shot, Daniel Maree founded the Million Hoodies Movement for Justice, to pro-

tect young minorities from racial profiling and gun violence. The group helped collect two million signatures on Change org petitioning for the arrest of George Zimmerman, the shooter later acquitted in Martin's death. Daniel is also a Grand Prize Winner of the 2013 Do Somethina Awards and was recently named to the 2014 Forbes Magazine 30 under 30 list. Cristina Jiménez, Co-Founder, United We Dream, is featured in today's NYTimes: Young Immigrants Turn Focus to President in Struggle Over Deportations Just added to the Salon line-up: Seattle singer-songwriter Ayron Jones, has become one of Seattle's hottest up-and -comers with his own brand of music dubbed, "Urban Rock." A hard-core version of the blues with the essence of

Hip-Hop and the raw energy of Punk, drizzled with that famous Seattle sound. Ayron is opening for BB King in Seattle next week!

We're going to have fantastic gathering for an ever-growing movement of people like you — from all walks of life, from left and right — who want to revitalize citizen spirit in this country.

- Eric Liu

www.citizenuniversity.us/conference/

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## ASPASIA PHOUTRIDES PULAKIS MEMORIAL AWARD

The **Aspasia Phoutrides Pulakis Memorial Award** is given annually to an individual who has contributed significantly to a Northwest ethnic community.

Dorothy Cordova	1983	Joan Rudd	1999
Ali San	1984	Sue Isely	2000
John Kovtunovich	1985	Sharon McBride Ritelis	2001
Esther Mumford	1986	Afifi Durr	2002
Sirkka Wilson	1987	Richard L. Major	2003
Yuki Nakamura	1988	Norman Westerberg	2004
Rosanne Gostovich Royer	1989	Eduardo Mendonça	2005
Ralph Hayes	1990	Kathy Bruni	2006
Ingeborg Hansen	1991	Flori Montante	2007
Lucy Fueresz	1992	Leo Utter	2008
Maria Medina	1993	Peter Pawluskiewicz & Martha Brice	2009
Lennie Meder	1994	Kristine Leander	2010
John Keane	1995	Lora Chiorah Dye &	
Schobha Raman	1996	Bettie Sing Luke	2011
The Families of Jose & Norma Gomez		Mary Sherhart	2012
and Juan & Marcolina Sosa	1997	JoAnne Hardt Rudo	2014
Bernard "Bernie" Whitebear	1998		

## GORDON EKVALL TRACIE MEMORIAL AWARD

The **Gordon Ekvall Tracie Award** is given to an ethnic performing artist who has made significant contributions to the development and presentation of the traditional arts in our community.

## 2014 AWARDEE JOANNE RUDO

2014 AWARDEE SIDNEY DEERING



Ruben Sierra	1990
Patrinell Wright	1991
Prabha Rustagi	1994
Ken Jackson – Grey Eagle	1995
Allan Swensson	1997
Kofi Anang	1998
Henry Louie	1999
Sara Contreras	2000
Bruce Miller "Subiyay"	2001
Mary Mariko Ohno	2002
Roger R. Del Rosario	2003
Jiyeon Cheh	2004
Arthur W. C. Nation	2005
Melody Wenying Xie	2006
Rubina Carmona	2007
Dr. Ratna Mukherjee Roy	2008
Mr. Nat V. Raman	2009
Luis Gramal	2010
Omar Batiste	2011
Swil Kanim	2012

**Sidney Deering** 

Sidney Deering is pictured second from right, wearing red striped apron. Her daughter, Anya, is next to her, also in red.

Photos by Jal Schrof

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#### March 2013

The Consul-Opera. Through March 7. Call: 206-389-7676; www.seattleopera.org/subscription

**Venus in Fur-**Seattle Rep Theatre. Through March 9. Call: 206-443-2222; www.seattlerep.org

MIRO-"The Experience of Seeing" Exhibition. Through May 25. seattleartmuseum.org

#### Saturday, 1st

Adventures of Sinbad—by Oregon Shadow Theatre. "A classic Persian tale from the Arabian Nights". NW Puppet Center. *March 1-16*. Call: 800-838-3006; <a href="https://www.nwpuppet.org">www.nwpuppet.org</a>

Seattle Jewish Film Festival—The Theme is "The Good, The Bad & The Funny". Continues March 1-9.
www.seattlejewishfilmfestival.org

Balkan Night NW 2014- 2pm-midnight-Music and dancing all night long! St. Demetrios Hall.

www.balkannightnw.com

Japanese Pancake Lunch & Tour-10:30am-1pm-The Wing Luke Museum. Call: 206-623-5124; wingluke.org

Japanese holiday Hinamatsure or "Girls Day". Explore the Japanese art collection & make your own. seattleartmuseum.org

**St. David's Day Celebration**-2-4:30pmby Puget Sound Welsh Assn.-Lake City Presbyterian Church, Seattle. Call: 253-381-9654; <u>www.PugetSoundWelsh.org</u>

## Sunday, 2<sup>nd</sup>

**Pancake Breakfast-**8-1pm-Swedish Cultural Center. Call: 206-283-1090; or <a href="swedishculturalcenter.org">swedishculturalcenter.org</a>

#### Tuesday, 4th

**Pat Metheny Unity Group-**The Moore Theatre. Call: 877-784-4849; stgpresents.org/season

## Wednesday, 5th

A Ballerina's Journey—Jenifer Ringer with Peter Boal. 7:30-9pm. www.townhallseattle.org

Thursday, 6th

Sergio Mendes & Brazil 2014—March 6
-9. Call: 206-441-9729; jazzalley.com

Lake City Contra/Old-Time Country
Dance-7:30pm, Workshop; 8-11pm,
Dance. Benefit for the NW Folklife Festival. Call: 206-525-0932; seattle-dance.org/contra/lakecity

Juliet of the Spirits-Italian film-7:30pm-Plestcheeff Auditorium, SAM Downtown. Call: 206-654-3121.

Cloud Gate Dance Theatre of Taiwan—8pm-Meany Hall, UW. March 6-8. Call: 206-543-4880; <u>uwworldseries.org</u>

## Friday, 7th

Emerald City Contra Dance-7pm, workshop; 7:30-10pm-Dance. Phinney Neighborhood Center. Call: 206-440-9839; seattledance.org/contra/emerald.city.html

## Saturday, 8th

**Gustafer Yellowgold-**12-12:45pm. www.townhallseattle.org

**Annual Banquet-**Seattle Fedele Lodge #1390-Kennedy High School, Burien, WA. Call: 206-930-7061.

**2014 Annual Heritage Day**-10am-3pm-Bothell Sons of Norway. Call: 425-485-9085; www.bothellsonsofnorway.org

**Seattle Chinese Orchestra**—7pm-Shorecrest Performing Arts Center. <u>seattlechineseorchestra.bpt.me</u>

**Little Shop of HORRORS**—ACT Theatre. **March 8-June 15.** Call: 206-292-7676; www.acttheatre.org

## Sunday, 9th

BONACA will play music from Croatia and beyond...Enjoy your favorite songs along with the best ethnic food and drink in Seattle and get up and dance!!! All ages welcome for "Traditional Sundays"!!! 7-10p, Sarajevo Lounge. No Cover Charge!!! Reservations call: 206-448-9000; www.sarajevolounge.com

## Tuesday, 11th

**USAF Band of the Golden West**-12noon -Armory-Seattle Center.

Anton Schwartz Quintet featuring Eric Reed & Dominick Farinacci. *March11-12*. Call: 206-441-9729; www.jazzalley.com

#### Wednesday, 12th

Disney's The Lion King—Paramount Theatre.

March 12-April 6.

stgpresents.org

## Thursday, 13th

Amarcord—Italian film. 7:30pm, Plestcheeff Auditorium, SAM downtown. Call: 206-654-3121.

Mozart's Prague Symphony. Call: 206 -215-4747; seattlesymphony.org

**Arturo Sandoval—March 13-16.** Call: 206-441-9729 or <a href="www.jazzalley.com">www.jazzalley.com</a>

## Friday, 14th

**The Quiet American-Pacific—**NW Folklore Society Coffeehouse Concert-7:30-9:30pm, Couth Buzzard Books Espresso Buono Café. Call: 206-436-2960.

**St. Patrick's Day Mass for Peace**—10am -St. Patrick's Church, 2702 Broadway East.

**St. Patrick's Day Dinner**—Sons of Norway-Poulsbo. Call: 360-779-5209; www.poulsbosonsofnorway.com

**Director's Choice**—Pacific NW Ballet. **March 14-23.** Call: 206-441-2424; PNB.org

**LUCKY**—WaMu Theater. Green attire strongly encouraged. www.ticketmaster.com

## Saturday, 15th

Irish Festival—2014 IRISH FESTIVAL in the Seattle Center Armory, formerly called Center House, 12 Noon-6pm, Saturday (6 Hours); 10am-6pm, Sunday (8 Hours). FREE The Festival features booths selling Irish and Celtic products, non-stop Irish music, singing, dancing, workshops, lectures, cultural displays, children's contests and activities, etc. Festival Highlights also include Genealogy Workshops, Irish Language Workshops, Cultural Exhibits and more. Family-oriented activities include wonderful Irish Musicians along with Champion Irish Stepdancers from around the Pacific Northwest, Events for children include the "Smilingest Irish Eyes Contest" and the "Most Irish-Looking Face Contest", and other activities in the Children's Activities Center. Contemporary Irish short films will be screened during our Irish Reels Film Festival (see schedule of at www.irishreels.org). www.seattlecenter.com; www.irishclub.org/ Call: 206-427-3027; 206-684-7200.

An Evening with the JACK Quartet-7:30pm & 10pm-Meany Theatre, UW. Call: 206-543-4880; www.music.washington.edu



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Family Fun Day—Paper art. 1-3pm, Wing Luke Museum. FREE. Call: 206-623-5124; wingluke.org.

**Mixed-Media** Sculptures-10am-noon-Seattle Art Museum. Explore abstract shapes & vibrant colors w/ a family-friendly tour of *Miro*: The Experience of Seeing; then create your own extraordinary mixed-media sculpture.

seattleartmuseum.org

**Tea for Ruby**—The Theatre at Meydenbauer Center, Downtown Bellevue by Evergreen City Ballet. *March 15-16*. Call: 800-514-3849; www.evergreencityballet.org

## Sunday, 16th

**Seattle Family Dance**—Dance with your children (under 10) to live traditional music. All dances taught. 3-5pm, Phinney Neighborhood Center. Call: 206-330-7408.

**30**<sup>th</sup> **St. Patrick's Day Dash**-8:30am. http://stpatsdash.com/

**St. Patrick's Day Parade-**12:30pm along 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue.

**Pinocchio Ballet**—Pacific Northwest Ballet. *March 16-22*. Call: 206-441-2424; <u>PNB.org</u>

Annual Spaghetti Fundraiser-2-6pm-Black Diamond Lodge #1809-Black Diamond Community Center. Call: 360-886-1011.

## Wednesday 19th

The Importance of Being Earnest— Seattle Shakespeare Co. *March 19-April* 13. Call: 206-733-8222.

## Thursday, 20th

Zakir Hussain & the Masters of Percussion-The Moore. stgpresents.org

**Richard Goode**-8pm-Meany Hall, UW. Call: 206-543-4880; <u>uwworldseries.org.</u>

The TUTOR—A new musical comedy. Village Theatre. March 20-April 27. Call: 425-392-2202; www.VillageTheatre.org

#### Friday, 21st

Harp-O-Rama: Maire Ni Chathasaigh-Town Hall. Legendary Celtic harpist. 7:30-9:30pm, www.townhallseattle.org

Seattle Balkan Dancers welcomes Orkestar RTW! 8pm, Russian Community Center. Call: 425-883-0332.

## Saturday, 22<sup>nd</sup>

Leif to Leif Fun Run/Walk, 9AM, registration starts at 8AM - Starting and ending at Leif Erikson Hall by the Leif Erikson bust going to Shilshole to the Leif Erikson Statue and returning. Get your Norwegian flag and a waffle for participating! Registration forms at www.LeifEriksonLodge.com

**ARTRISE DANCE-**11 am-Shoreline Community College Theater. <u>artrise-dance.bpt.me</u>

**Leo Kottke**—8pm-Benaroya Hall. Call: 206-215-4747; www.benaroyahall.org

**Spaghetti Dinner –** 4-7pm, Cle Elum Eagles Lodge #1968. Call: 509-674-5125.

CIRCA- 8pm, Meany Hall, UW. March 22-23. Call: 206-543-4880; uwworldseries.org

**Tacoma Mountaineers Folkdance-**7-8pm, teaching; 8pm-dance. Sons of Norway Normanna Hall. Call: 253-759-3731.

**Skagit-Anacortes Folkdancers-**6pm, potluck; 7:15, Dancing. **Zakuska** will play. Bay View Civic Hall, Bay View, WA. Call: 360-293-9274.

## Sunday, 23rd

Seattle's French Festival—Seattle Center Festál presents the 2nd Annual Seattle's French Fest: A Celebration of French -Speaking Cultures - Seattle Center's Armory/Center House. This free, familyfriendly, one day event is open to the public with the purpose of celebrating and raising awareness of Francophone cultures and traditions to the residents of the Greater Seattle area. Festival-goers will listen to live music, see theater and dance performances, taste international cuisine, learn from informative seminars and demonstrations, play games and enjoy a day full of fun activities! À bientôt! Seattle's French Fest: A Celebration of French-Speaking Cultures is presented in partnership with France Education Northwest under the auspices of the Consular Agency of France. Call: 206-684-7200; seattlecenter.com/festal; www.fenpnw.org

Annual President's Day Pasta Dinner-Tacoma Lodge #1175. 1-6pm, St. Charles Borromeo Parish Hall, Tacoma. Call: 253-473-6425.

**4**th **Sunday Dance-**2-5pm-Mt. Vernonevanstw@fidalgo.net **ZZ TOP-La Futura Tour-**Moore Theatre. stgpresents.org/season

## Tuesday, 25th

**The Suit**—Bagley Wright Theatre. *March* 25-31. Call: 206-812-1114; stgpresents.org/season

## Thursday 27th

**Dvorak's Cello Concerto—**Call: 206-215-4747; seattlesymphony.org

## Friday, 28th

**EHC 32nd Annual Dinner & Awards Ceremony**—5:30-9:30pm. Nordic Heritage Museum. Call: 206-443-1410;
www.ethnicheritagecouncil.org.

Folkdance—8-10:30pm, Swedish Cultural Center. Call: 206-283-1090; pat@folkdancing.com

## Saturday, 29th

Breakfast at Pippi's-10am-Swedish pancake breakfast with crafts live music-Nordic Heritage Museum. 12:00 noon-the movie, *Pippi on the Run* will play. nordicmuseum.org/education.aspx#pippi

**Downtown Mountain Boys-7:30**pm-Phinney Neighborhood Center. Call: 206-528-8523

Seattle Baroque Orchestra-Bach Contatas for Lent & Easter by Early Music Guild. 8pm, Town Hall. Call: 206-325-7066 or EarlyMusicGuild.org

**Keola Beamer**-8pm, Kirkland Performance Center. Call: 425-893-9900; www.kpcenter.org

NFDI Fundraiser Dance benefitting NW Folklife-7-11pm, Cedar Valley Grange, Lynnwood. Call: 425-485-1638.

**Annual Dinner & Auction-**Wing Luke Museum-Sheraton Seattle Hotel. Call: 206-623-5124.

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**Note:** Although we do our best to make sure the details are correct for all events listed, if you plan to attend one of these events, please double check the date, time and venue, using the contact information mentioned, as sometimes things change and we don't know about it.





## The creepy, crawlies have returned! St. Urho Party-Dance, April 4

- by Joanne Rudo
This is an Important Message
This is not an April Fool's joke!
The creepy, crawlies have returned! St.
Urho Party/Dance—Friday, April 4th
7:30 p.m., Cedar Valley Grange



The green crunchy Locuistidae (Acrididae) and Tettigonidae are once again attempting to decimate the lush, bountiful vineyards of Finland! Yummy, yummy, munch, crunch, creep, crawl and munch some more!

Finnish grapes are sooo good! There is some serious munching to do. How could life get any better? Look, there is another field! No worry about weight gain for these critters!

Finnish grapes are some of the most succulent, delightful grapes known to the wine world. It is no wonder that these green creepy marauding insects choose to dine in the lush Finnish vineyards. As the voracious, crawly, green grasshoppers started to destroy Finland's famous vineyards, the wine connoisseurs throughout the world, began to cry with great anguish, "Is there someone who can save these wonderful grapes so that the famous wines from Finland can still be enjoyed?" How could the world survive without the Finnish Syracuse, Chardonnays, Merlot and other gourmet wines?

Who could lead the battle against these hordes of hungry grasshoppers? A brilliant defense would be needed. The line against the enemy must be held! Someone with great courage and skill is needed. Russell Wilson of the Sea hawks and Peyote Manning a Denver Bronco player, were both contacted. Unfortunately, they were both involved with other lucrative opportunities. Let's face it, who in their right mind would want to go in a field with thousands of chirping hungry insects?

Without any hesitation, our hero, St. Urho came to defend the very vulnerable Finnish vineyards. There were many

turnovers and interceptions made by the grasshoppers, but St. Urho continued to fight. St. Urho was hit with such ferocity that the creepy crawlies thought that his will would surely be deflated. However, St. Urho stood with immense fortitude and courage armed with only a rake, shouted with great emotion, "Hereinafter, hereinafter, meme Alta thirteen!" Translated into English, it means, "Grasshopper, grasshoppers, get the ??? out of Finland! You can imagine the word that was left out but this newsletter does go out to The grasshoppers, quaking families. with fear, left the Finnish vineyards and wine from the Midnight Sun was once again available to all.

Come pay homage to this great man as Skandia along with Katrilli presents a St. Urho party and dance. The celebration will begin at 7:30 pm. with Katrilli teaching some fun Finnish mixers including the grape stomping dance. Along with the Scandinavian dances, Folk Voice with their multitude of instruments, will entertain throughout the night with some tangos, swing and even some tunes from south of the Midnight Sun. Of course, what would the gathering be without Pat McDonald leading us through the Grasshopper Humppa? There will be many mixers and lots of opportunities to dance, so come with or without a partner. Since this is a fun evening, it would be a very good time to introduce new people to Skandia.

Patti and Bob Larson, last year's St. Urho and Urhoiina, will take their final royal and saintly walk. Although, the Larson's have had many profound experiences having the honor of being St. Urho and Urhoiina, they are tired. It is time for another saintly couple. There will be a mini-pronunciation workshop of the chant. Then the fierce competition will begin in hopes of being crowned the new St. Urho and Urhoiina. It takes great energy and conviction to frighten hordes of grasshoppers so consider practicing the chant at home so

that your chances of fame and glory will be increased!

During intermission, Harvey Niebulski and Marianne Tatom, will provide infectious music with a Klezmer tang. Lots of goodies will be offered for happy munching and then it will be time for the often sought after unwanted door prizes. It is important to be properly attired for this auspicious event, so please wear St. Urho colors of green and purple. For further information on saintly and non-saintly issues, please contact JoAnne Rudo: 206-329-1443.



St. Urho - Bob Larson & Urhoiina -Patti Larson. Photo by Martin Ng.

## THANK YOU EHC MEMBERS!



~ Your membership & donations support the work of the Ethnic Heritage Council ~

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## **JOIN US!**

Become a member of the Ethnic Heritage Council. Join us in our 34<sup>th</sup> year of celebrating community. Your annual membership helps support the events, programs and services of the Council. Any additional contribution you give is greatly appreciated. Thank you for your support!

EHC Members receive: Subscription to EHC Newsletter; Advance notice of up-coming events; Event consultation. Organizations: Same benefits as EHC members and may list two (2) addresses/emails to receive monthly newsletter. Patron Members: Same benefits as EHC members, plus: Free advertising - newsletter. Payment Method: 

Check (payable to EHC) \$35 Individual ☐ Visa ☐ Mastercard ☐ American Express \$50 Family Organization \$65 Patron \$150 Acct#\_ CVV \_ I wish to make a contribution of \$ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_ Please contact me about volunteer work **TOTAL ENCLOSED** Signature\_ Organization Name Address Area Code Phone Number City E-mail Address State Zip The Ethnic Heritage Council is a non-profit, 501(c)(3) organization, registered in the state of Washington. Donations are tax deductible to the extent permitted by law. Your employer may offer a matching funds program to maximize your donation. Please check with your Human Resources Department. Thank You

















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The Ethnic Heritage Council is dedicated to preserving the unique mix of cultural traditions that enrich our Northwest communities. Annually, the Council produces several ethnic festivals, and a public naturalization ceremony on July 4th. EHC publishes CONTACT: A Directory of Ethnic and Cultural Resources in Washington State, and operates a referral service for the community. The Newsletter is a publication of the Ethnic Heritage Council of the Pacific Northwest. Submission deadline for the April 2014 edition is March 20th. Please send submission materials, to the EHC office via mail, fax: 206-443-1408; or email text items as attached word document: ehc@seattle.gov. Contact EHC with any questions at: 206-443-1410. Visit our website at: www.ethnicheritagecouncil.org.



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# 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Awards Dinner Friday, March 28, 2014

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# EHC ANNUAL DINNER INVITATION & RESERVATION FORM EHC MARCH NEWSLETTER

# **Ethnic Heritage Council**

Please join us for our

# 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Awards Dinner Friday, March 28, 2014

Celebrated at

## Nordic Heritage Museum

3014 NW 67th St., Seattle, WA 98117

5:30 pm - Social Hour & Museum Tour "Dream of America"

Ethnic Entertainment

6:30 pm - International Cuisine Dinner by IKEA

Following Dinner:

**EHC Board Introductions** 

**Awards Ceremony** 

Joanne Rudo - Aspasia Phoutrides Pulakis Award Sidney Deering - Gordon Ekvall Tracie Award **Cultural Performances RAFFLE** 

> \$50 per person \$20 Under age 12

Reservation Deadline: Monday, March 24, 2014 **Pre-Paid Reservations Only** 

Please complete reservation form & mail with payment to: Ethnic Heritage Council, 305 Harrison St. #304, Seattle, WA 98109 Or order by phone: 206-443-1410; fax: 206-443-1408; email: ehc@seattle.gov For more information visit: www.ethnicheritagecouncil.org

## **Reservation Form**

## EHC 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Dinner— Friday, March 28, 2014

Reservation deadline: Monday, March 24, 2014

PRE-PAID Reservations only. All non-paid reservations will be cancelled. Thank you!

Name	Reservation(s)@	\$50 =
	Reservation(s)@	
Organization	Donation	=
Address	TOTAL	=
CityState Zip	Check enclosed (pay	
Phone	□ PayPal (go to EHC v □ Visa □ Mastercar	
Email	Exp. Date	CVV
IMPORTANT - CREDIT CARD processing requires:	Card #	
Card holder NAME, street address, zip, card exp., CVV	Signature	
Total number in Group:  1) (your name)	11)	
2)	12)	
3)	13)	
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