

San Francisco Bay Area

Nyckelharpa Stæmma

March 24-26, 2006
The Alpine Lodge, Mt. Tamalpais



featuring

Swedish nyckelharpa teacher

Edward Anderzon & Elin Skoglund



Nyckelharpa players and fiddlers at all levels are welcome.
Workshops will be held Friday afternoon, all day Saturday, and Sunday morning.

Concert and Swedish Dancing with live music Saturday night

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Edward Anderzon will teach the nyckelharpa classes for both nyckelharpa and violin students. Born in 1972 in Katrineholm, in 2003 he became a Riksspelman for the tunes of Södermanland, and received the “silver” at the Zornmärkes competition in Västerås. Edward teaches fiddle and nyckelharpa at the music high school in Malmö, and has taught classes for many institutions and groups.

Elin Skoglund was born in 1980 in Väsby, Uppland. She built her own nyckelharpa in 1996, and in 2004 became a Riksspelman for the tunes of Uppland. She has conducted many classes with Edward, and they recently recorded “Låtar från öst”, a well-received CD of traditional music from Eastern Sweden.

On Saturday evening, Edward and Elin will present a concert and lead the musicians for a Scandinavian dance. Members of the Scandinavian dance community are invited, as well as the members of the Alpine Lodge who are so kindly sharing their beautiful space with us.

Weekend Events

Workshops begin Friday afternoon. There will be sessions Saturday morning and afternoon, and a long session Sunday morning. Continental breakfasts and lunches will be served at the lodge on Saturday and Sunday. Friday’s dinner will be at local area restaurants, and Saturday’s dinner will be a potluck at the lodge.

Friday evening after dinner attendees will have an opportunity to participate in an International dance party in Mill Valley. We will play some Scandinavian tunes for them and then join the dancing, mainly Balkan. On Saturday evening after the potluck dinner there will be a concert and a Scandinavian dance party, where all musicians are encouraged to play. The Sunday workshop concludes in early afternoon and will be followed by a nature hike for any interested participants.

Musicians

Part-time registration is available. Workshops are \$20 for Friday afternoon, Saturday morning, and Saturday afternoon, and \$30 for Sunday morning. Nyckelharpa teaching will be at all levels. Fiddlers are also encouraged: many of the tunes will be suitable for them. Please ask Jill Myers about any special requests.

To register, please email Jill Myers at erewigojil@earthlink.net and *include your full name, address, phone, email address, and which sessions you plan to attend*. Send checks payable to Karen Myers, 248 Highland Avenue, San Carlos, CA 94070 and annotate them as “ANA Stæmma”. The full amount for the workshops Friday thru Sunday is \$110 (pro-rate as necessary if you can’t attend all sessions) and the concert and dance on Saturday is \$15 (free to workshop attendees). You will receive confirmation with a map, detailed schedule, and some suggestions for overnight lodging (on Saturday the Alpine Lodge can sleep up to 25 people in semi-private rooms on a first-come, first-served basis). You will also receive any pre-event preparatory recordings or transcriptions.

Facility

The Alpine Lodge is located on the south slope of Mt. Tamalpais, at 730 Panoramic Highway, Mill Valley, California 94941 (one block from the Mountain Home bus stop). Many hiking and exploration opportunities are available. Additional information can be found at <http://www.calalpine.org/>.

For more information about this event or to register

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