



NISSWA-STAMMAN INFO 2018

Nisswa-stämman Scandinavian Folk Music Festival, June 8 & 9, 2018, features 150 folk musicians performing on 3 stages, day-long dancing opportunities on two dance floors, dance instruction, a cultural children's activity tent, and great Scandinavian food...all under the shade of the majestic Norway pines of the Nisswa Pioneer Village in Nisswa, Minnesota. We are going into the 19th year of the festival, and yet another special line up of award winning musicians from Scandinavia is headlining. They include: **Harald Haugaard, Helene Blum & Antti Järvelä** - master musicians from Denmark and Finland on fiddles, guitar and voice; **Trio Larsson** - talented musicians from Sweden on fiddle, guitar, nyckelharpa/accordion and voice; **Älvings Spelmanskapell** - ensemble from Falun, Sweden featuring fiddles, accordion and string bass; **Kristoffer & Maria** - great music from Norway on fiddle and accordion. USA groups and individuals appearing include the American Swedish Institute Spelmanslag, the Twin Cities Nyckelharpalag, the Twin Cities Hardingfelelag, Hutennanny, Tjärnblom, the Stoney Brook Fiddlers, Ole Olssons Oldtime Orkestra, Skål Klubben Spelmanslag, Ivares Pojkarna, Skålmusik, Finn Hall Band, Ross Sutter and many, many others!

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Here is the basic Nisswa-stämman 2018 schedule:

Friday June 8 -

10 am - 3 pm - Scandinavian music and dancing workshops, Nisswa area. There is a fee involved to participate. Email Janet Hill for information at: janethillnew@gmail.com or call her at 218 259 4090

7 pm - Gala Opening Sampler concert, Lutheran Church of the Cross, Nisswa, \$15 adults, \$5 children 12 and under. All tickets available only at the door. Tickets go on sale at 5:30 pm.

9:30 pm - 1 am - old time dance featuring several festival bands. Nisswa American Legion Club, Nisswa, Mn.

Saturday June 9 -

10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Nisswa-stämman Festival (Nisswa Pioneer Village) \$15 adults / \$5 children 9 - 17 / children under 9 free. All tickets available only at the gate.

4:45 p.m. - 6:00 pm - Smörgåsbord \$20 (Location: Nisswa American Legion. Meal catered by Prairie Bay) - Pre-sale tickets available now until June 8 at the Nisswa Chamber of Commerce in person or by phone 218-963-2620. Afterwards tickets available on Friday night and Saturday at the venue.

7:00 pm - 1 am - Old time dance featuring even more bands than Friday night. Nisswa American Legion Club, Nisswa, Mn.

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****NO PETS AND NO SMOKING ALLOWED ON THE GROUNDS OF THE PIONEER VILLAGE, PLEASE ****

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