



How Is Norway Doing in Green Technology?

Join us when our guest speaker, Dr. Egil Juliussen explores Norway’s leadership in green technologies. His presentation will include perspectives on topics such as:

- Green fuels: Trucks, ferries, coastal ships, ocean ships, airplanes etc.
- Green electricity: From hydropower to off-shore and on-shore wind-farms
- Norway’s energy trade including electricity—past and future
- Perspectives on how this may impact the Midwest and U.S.



Dr. Juliussen has 40 years of experience in high-tech and automotive industries. He joined VSI Labs in late 2022 as principal analyst. VSI offers a portal on ADAS-AV tech, companies and product ecosystems. VSI provides applied research via multiple vehicles with lidars, radars, cameras and software for testing, data acquisition and demonstrations. He co-founded TRG, as well as Future Computing. At IHS Markit, he focused on AVs and MaaS. He worked at Texas Instruments as a strategic and product planner for microprocessors and PCs. He received B.S., M.S., and Ph.D. degrees in EE from Purdue University. He currently is a **regular contributing author to EE Times** which offers design engineers and management executives news and analysis of the latest technologies and business developments in the global electronics industry. He is also an IEEE life member.

Torske Klub Luncheon - Nov 11, 2023—Reserve today!

The luncheon will be held at the Des Plaines Elks Club, 495 Lee Street, Des Plaines, IL (847)824-1556 for directions that day. Cocktail hour begins at noon; dinner starts promptly at 1:00

P.M. when, according to our tradition, our BOSS rings the bell to seat us for dinner. Make your regular dinner reservation **by Sunday evening before the luncheon.** Timely reservations insure that fish and a table space can be reserved for you. The fish order is called in after the deadline. There is \$5 surcharge for late reservations.



Call **(847)886-4841** at any time day or night to leave a reservation. As usual, please leave your MEMBERSHIP

NUMBER, NAME, and the TOTAL number of people in your party. The same information is required when you reserve for other members. We have reservations from the following members: **38, 51, 55, 58, 97, 98, 120, 124, 135, 149.** Board members note that they have a reservation automatically and must call or prearrange to cancel *or add guest to the count.* If you are not a member and wish to attend, call the same number and leave your name according to the principle “Once a guest, twice a friend, three times a member!” If you prefer email reservations, please send to **reservations@torskeklub.com** (not .org) with your total number of reservations, including yourself and guests. We will respond with a confirmation email. ****TIP – Don’t know or remember your membership number? Check the mailing label. It is the number by your name. FREE Raffle Ticket** to each member that brings one or more guests to the dinner this 2023/2024 season, excluding father/son/daughter day in March and excluding ladies day in February.

Reservation Line: 847-886-4841

In Memoriam



It is with deep sadness to announce the passing of our long standing member **David Svendsen** who passed away October 15th. As many of you may know, David is Milt Gustafson's Brother-in-Law. A memorial service will be held on

Saturday, November 4th

Edison Park Lutheran Church
6626 N. Oliphant Ave, Chicago IL

Visitation: 10:00am, Memorial service: 11:00am

Interment immediately following in the memorial garden at church. [Click for Obituary](#)



Elizabeth Lorraine Skoien, 19, of Inverness departed this world on October 14th, far too soon. A memorial service was held on Thursday, October 26th, at 11:00 am in The Chapel at Willow Creek Church, 67 Algonquin Road, South Barrington

Elizabeth attended several Torske Klub luncheons with her father, Gary Skoien. She was an avid swimmer and certified scuba diver. She shared her father's love of birds, wildlife and travel. She had taken trips to all seven continents; she went diving in the Great Barrier Reef and the Galapagos Islands, went on safari in Tanzania, and took a polar plunge in Antarctica. She was a 2022 graduate of William Fremd High School and was studying to become a marine biologist at the University of San Diego.

[Click her for full obituary](#)



Breaking old traditions to make new ones.

Our annual Christmas luncheon was a big success for the first time with families attending with members. As a result the board agreed to make it a family affair again by encouraging members to bring their wives and family for another Christmas celebration. So put December 9, 2023 on your calendar for what may become a new Chicago Torske Klub tradition.

Future 2023 Events

Dec. 9—Christmas Party

Future 2024 Events

Jan. 13—Sweater Day

Feb. 10—Ladies Day

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Looking for a coordinator for our group to plan and contact speakers or programs.

Most programs are suggested by members, Usually an hour or so per month.

Inquire to the boss



Vikings at work

Wanted: Program Chairman