

The Norwegian Explorers of Minnesota Annual Dinner

Thursday, December 4, 2025

at

The Minneapolis Golf Club

2001 Flag Ave. S., St. Louis Park, MN 55426

6:30 pm Social Time, with cash bar

7:00 pm British Buffet*

Tossed Salad	Shepherd's Pie
Yorkshire Pudding	Pea Salad
Fish and Chips	Berry Trifle
Carrots	Coffee and Tea

Erica Fair will be our keynote speaker on the topic of **“Bad Medicine: Dangerous Doctors and Toxic Treatments in Watson's World.”** She will review the Victorian medical landscape with a special focus on popular medications and disease theories that were later found to be ineffective or even dangerous. For instance, did you know that cocaine was often prescribed for morphine addiction, and that radium was a celebrity-endorsed health tonic for over a decade? Find out what other anomalies would have been part of Watson's routine practice.

Our evening will also include the Annual Business Meeting and election of officers, Stand Upon the Terrace, toasts, poetry, door prizes, and other activities.

All attendees will receive a limited-edition copy of The Norwegian Explorers Christmas Annual.

Questions? Contact Tom Gottwalt, tomgottwalt@gmail.com or (612) 281-9373.

Cost is **\$55 per person**. Sign up and pay using PayPal on our web site at:

www.norwegianexplorers.org

or send a check payable to “The Norwegian Explorers” no later than November 29 to Tom Gottwalt, 4620 Trenton Circle N., Plymouth, MN 55442-3145.

*Please let us know if you require a gluten free option or have other dietary requests. We will do our best to accommodate your wishes.

Name(s) _____

Phone _____ Email _____