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**2024 FASM Upcoming Programs  
at the Chicago Estonian House, 14700 Estonian Lane, Riverwoods, IL**

**Sunday, September 8 –**

**Scandinavian Day Festival, Vasa Park in Elgin, IL.**

FASM will have a booth with Finnish food items and other merchandise.  
Steve Solkela, One Man Band, will be part of the entertainment this year.  
<https://www.scandinaviandayil.com/>



**Sunday, September 15 –**

**FASM Member Picnic and Annual Meeting**

At the Chicago Estonian House.



**Sunday, October 27, 1pm - Lunch Donation of \$15  
FASM Karelian Stew Lunch and a Program  
Program to follow lunch at 2:30pm  
Donation \$10, 17 and under \$5**

By Dr. Marvin W. Makinen,  
Professor of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology,  
The University of Chicago

**Title: The Search for Raoul Wallenberg**



Dr. Makinen has carried out research, as a member of three international commissions and as an independent researcher ([www.raoulsfate.org](http://www.raoulsfate.org)) to uncover the fate of Raoul Wallenberg. His talk will cover the history of these efforts and provide an in-depth view of the hurdles to be overcome for its resolution. At the Chicago Estonian House. Refreshments will be served after the program.

**Saturday, November 23 –**

**International Christmas Market**

At the Chicago Estonian House,  
FASM will have a table of Finnish food items and merchandise.



**Sunday, December 1 –**

**Joulu, Entertainment: Muriel Anderson**

Guitarist, Harp Guitarist, Composer, Educator.  
At the Chicago Estonian House



**FASM events partially sponsored by Finlandia Foundation National**

**2024 FASM Membership Due, \$25 per Member family.**

Current FASM members were sent a Membership letter and form in the mail.

Membership letter and form can be found on the website: <http://www.fasm.us> under the Membership tab.

**FASM Membership - new members are always welcome, go to: [www.fasm.us](http://www.fasm.us) "Membership Information" for Membership Letter and Form. Web: <https://www.fasm.us/> Email: [fasmevent@gmail.com](mailto:fasmevent@gmail.com)  
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