

Welcome to Friends of the Læstadius Museum

- The purposes of the Association are to stimulate, support and strengthen the activities of the Læstadius Museum in Pajala, and to promote knowledge of the lives and spirits of dean Lars Levi Læstadius and his wife Brita Cajsa
- The Association of Friends of the Læstadius Museum cooperates with the local authority and the parish of Pajala, as well as with organisations that support our purposes. We also take part in the development of the museum, support training activities, and publish some information folders
- Further information on our multi-lingual website www.laestadiusfriends.se

Membership to the Friends of the Læstadius Museum

Single member 200 SEK/year, or 20 Euro/year, or 25 USD/year
Family membership (several persons on same address)
300 SEK/year, or 30 Euro/year, or 40 USD/year
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The Læstadius Museum in Pajala



The old vicarage
where the
Læstadius
family lived



Pajala - Sweden

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An important place to visit which set Pajala on the map. The old vicarage where the revivalist and the scientist Lars Levi Læstadius worked and lived with his large family.

Exhibitions in both vicarage buildings.

Discover also Brita Cajsa's garden and spring.

Open during summer from June 15 to August 15, other hours by appointment.

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Further information on www.pajala.se



Læstadius Weeks in Pajala

Each year in the middle of July, just after the Pajala market, Læstadius friends and others get together to commemorate Lars Levi and Brita Cajsa Læstadius, the programs based on different themes. The week starts on Monday in the old vicarage building at the Læstadius museum.

Programs previous years

- 2005** - From settler's daughter to our dean's wife, 200 years since the birth of Brita-Cajsa Alstadia
- 2006** - Language and spread of the Læstadian revival, the multi-cultural year
- 2007** - In God's free nature, the Linnaeus Year (300 years since his birth)
- 2008** - Ways to wisdom, 200 years since the Læstadius brothers started school in Kvikkjokk
- 2009** - The Marking Year 1809: Læstadius and his revival, uniting Swedish and Finnish.

Welcome to the following weeks

2010, July 12-16: A serving Martha, a listening Mary - the female base of the Læstadian revival

2011, July 4-7: Memorial Year 2011 - 200 years since the birth of revivalist leader Johan Raattamaa, 150 years since the death of Lars Levi Laestadius, and 170 years since the death of his younger brother Petrus Laestadius. Including a re-union of many Læstadian relatives. More detailed information will appear on www.laestadiusfriends.se

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