

# THE NACHRICHTEN

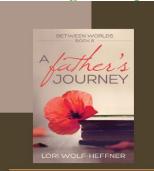
Juli/July 2021 Issue

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

1st Friday each Month Fish Fry Fridays 4:00-7pm 3rd Friday each Month Schnitzel Fridays 4:00-7pm

Ladies Group Meeting
Outdoor Concert Series
Filmnachmittag
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Meet the Author
Member's Meeting
Movie Under the Stars
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Kinder/Jugend BBQ

July 7<sup>th</sup> 6:30pm July 10<sup>th</sup> 4-7pm July 11<sup>th</sup> 1pm July 17<sup>th</sup> 4-7pm July 18<sup>th</sup> 1:30pm July 21<sup>st</sup> 7pm July 31<sup>st</sup> Dusk August 4<sup>th</sup> 6:30pm August 7<sup>th</sup> 4-7pm August 18<sup>th</sup> 1pm August 18<sup>th</sup> 7pm August 21<sup>st</sup> Dusk August 22<sup>nd</sup> 11-3pm



Lori Wolf-Heffner joins the

about her series of books including her newest book, A Father's Journey, the 8th in her Meet the Author.

Coffee & Cake





OUTDOOR CONCERT SERIES

4-7PM

July 10th - Golden Keys July 17th - Ansambel Gregoric August 7th & 14th TBA

Biergarten Open

3-10pm

Food Available

Call to reserve your table 519-742-7979 50 Scheifele Place, Breslau

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Any submissions must be in by the 10<sup>th</sup> of the month for the following issue. Thank you.

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### **Presidents Report**

Things are starting to open up and everyone is anxious to get together. Here is what our understanding is based on discussions with the Health Department.



- 1. Our Friday night Fish Fry and Schnitzel dinners can continue, but now people can sit and eat on the patio. In Step 1 (June), we will be limited to 4 people to table, and they should all be from the same family. In Step 2 (July) this will increase to 6 people.
- 2. Peter is reviewing when the Biergarten patio will be open in the evenings for member drop ins. Details will be posted online as soon as they are available.
- 3. Lena is organizing a number of different entertainment events (additional details throughout the Nachrichten) based on gathering and cinema restrictions.
- 4. Membership and Frauengruppe meetings will be able to start in July in person but outdoors. Consider bringing your own lawn chair and bug spray. If it is raining, the meeting will take place under the Pavilion so covered seating will be limited.
- 5. We will continue to monitor what we can do for our larger Cultural events starting in September.
- 6. Sports like table tennis, soccer and bocce will be able to start again in July. Peter will be looking into getting the bocce courts ready to go.

Looking forward to seeing everyone again soon.

Respectively submitted,

Glenn Herold - President

### **Cultural Corner**

Landesverband Tag der Donauschwaben U.S.A. and Canada 2021 will be taking place at the Donauschwaben's German-American Cultural Center in Cleveland, Ohio September 3, 4, & 5. For updated information please go to www.donauschwabencleveland.com. The schedule is a bit different from past years:

Friday, September 3, 2021 – FREUNDSCHAFTSABEND – All Are Welcome! 4:00pm Lenau

Park Prost! Open for Food and Beverage until 8.

Saturday, September 4, 2021 All events will be taking place outside.

10:30am Verband Meeting (Location TBD)

12:00pm Lenau Park Open. Food Available Noon – 9pm

1:30pm Line up for Parade – All Groups

2:00pm Opening Ceremonies

3:30 – 8:00pm Music and Performances in Tent

8:00 – 10:00pm Jugend Party in the Tent

10:00pm Lenau Park CLOSES

Sunday, September 5, 2021 All events will be taking place outside.

10:00am Stiftung Meeting (Location TBD)

11:00am Church Service in Tent

12-8:00pm Music and Performances in the Tent. Food Available 12-8pm

8:00pm Lenau Park CLOSES

If you would like a list of the hotels available, please email me cultural@kitchenerschwabenclub.com. Deadline for <u>all</u> hotel bookings is July 31, 2021. Please Note: I will not be booking any hotel for this event you must book on your own. Please check on your own for the hotel cancellation policy.

Tina McQuabbie

Cultural Director







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### **Frauengruppe News**

Notice: All Ladies Group events will be held outside due to continued COVID restrictions and we will move indoors when allowed by public health. We plan our events to be held under the pavilion to provide shade and protection in case of any poor weather conditions. We thank you for your patience and we are just as excited as you to welcome you back to events at the Schwaben Club.

July 7<sup>th</sup> – Ladies Group meeting, bingo, and social starting at 6:30 to 8:30 - all are welcome. July 11th - Filmnachtmittag with Einmal am Rhein. Movie starts at 2 p.m. admission donations accepted. Mark July 18th for a great event! Our Author Exclusive with Lori Wolf-Heffner. She will be at our club from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Lori has incorporated her heritage into her best-selling series. A great opportunity for all ages! Books will be available to purchase as well.

Happy 90th birthday wishes were given to long time Frauengruppe member Frau Christel Koehler. She was delighted to receive her plant and card from the Frauengruppe and thanks everyone for their well wishes. She recalled the many wonderful times she, family and friends had at the older location and showed photos of her grandchildren and children. Frau Koehler's family planned a drive by celebration for her. Frau Koehler is looking forward to the restrictions being lifted and being able to come to the new location with her family and friends.

Kaffee Klatsch mit Cathy! A wonderful time was held at the club under the Pavilion with Cathy holding the first of her Kaffee Klatsch afternoons. Due to Covid restrictions and regulations still being in place, only 5 members were able to come out and enjoy a fun afternoon of games, stories, jokes and Peter Speckner's famous homemade strudel! We will plan another Kaffee Klatsch later - hopeful the registrations will be lifted, and more members will be able to join in the fun. Lea Becker won the 'strudel prize' for answering all the questions in the 'spring contest'.















### **Membership Report**

Soon we will be able to enjoy our club patio! As I write my report Ontario is opening Step 1 on June 11th!

Thank you especially to Joel for heading it up and to Tracy R. for acquiring volunteers. Wow! The beautiful Red Hibiscus Flowers donated by Cathy Thompson! Thank you! I saw them on the patio and just love them!

I have some good news to share with all of you, there have been some questions in the past about Members discounts. At the old club we had a 10% discount in place at the Keller Bar except for Fish Frys. The club board has discussed this and how we would implement this Bar discount here at our new club. It as recently approved at the board meeting and the details are as follows, Members receive 10 % Discount at the Bar for Entertainment Events. Example: Euro Cup & Bayern Munich soccer games at the club. This 10% Bar Discount **excludes** the Friday Fish Fry/Schnitzel Fundraisers and Cultural events throughout the year. **NOTE:** You must show your 2021 membership card to receive discount.

Also Updated: Members do receive 20% Off Hall Rentals. Referrals from Members receive 10% off Hall rentals. Celebration of Life or Wakes for members and their family are a free Hall rental.

Keep checking the Nachrichten for updates on event dates and if or as they are able to happen. Check also our club's Facebook page and website.

Heidi Peller-Oliver

Membership and Sick Benefit Director

### **Haus and Hof Report**

Thank you for the great help, plant donations, perseverance, and hard work of all involved with sprucing up the greenery around the Club.

Although I realise it's an on-going concern with plant life, the beauty of it all is well worth the effort!

Even our neighbours commented on how the grounds have "come back to life"!

Thank-you once again!

Joel Wideman

Haus and Hof Director





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GLÜCKWUNSCH AN ALLE, DIE IM JULI FEIERN



Peter Tworuschka passed away peacefully in his home, at age 85, surrounded by family. Born in Germany to the late Gertrud and Erik Tworuschka. Beloved husband of the late Ingeborg Tworuschka (2015); loving father to Kristine Tworuschka (Shawn), Erich Tworuschka (Sylvie), Violet Costello, Steve Costello (Tracy), and Mike Costello (Debbie). Cherished Opa to many grandchildren and greatgrandchildren.

Before it closed, Peter was President and 40-year member of the Continental German-Canadian Club. He loved to dance, spend time with his friends and family, and he loved a good cigar while sipping on a beer and a brandy. To all who knew and remember Peter, please raise your glass and toast to Peter's memory.

Cremation has taken place. A celebration of life will occur at a future date.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Canadian Cancer Society or to the Canadian Diabetes Association through the Lounsbury Funeral Home.



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These are used for marketing and publicity in our publications, on our website, social media, and occasionally in third party

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Please contact the event coordinator to make the photographer aware of such requests and we will do our best to accommodate.

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# Jessica Hill,

Jessica Hill graduated from the University of Waterloo with a Bachelor of Science degree in the Honours Biochemistry Co-operative Program. We are very proud of your accomplishments and you continue to shine in all you do!

Love Mom, Rolf and Tyler

CONGRATULATIONS ON THIS WONDERFUL,



### The Oma Abt Youth Heritage Award



### In memory of Frau Maria Abt

1st place-\$500

2<sup>nd</sup> place-\$300

3rd place-\$200

Sponsored by the Donauschwaben Stiftung and the Abt Family

Essay topic:

Represent an aspect of your Donauschwaben heritage using a visual art medium (i.e. painting, drawing, sculpture, crafts, printmaking, photography)

Open to all active USA and Canada Verband youth group members

- Entries must be received by 08/20/2021 sent to <u>kabt93@gmail.com</u>
- Winners will be announced over Labor Day weekend in Cleveland
- Any questions please contact Katy Abt kabt93@gmail.com





Notice from the Schwaben Club Review Committee:

The Schwaben Club Review Committee is hoping to have completed their review, and plan to present their report at the July 21, 2021 Club Membership meeting at 7pm.







### **NEW office hours for JULY:**

The Facilities Manager, Tracy Ruland will be working a revised office schedule as of July 1st. The hours are:

Mondays: 1pm – 5pm Tuesdays: 9am – 5pm Wednesdays: 11am – 5pm Thursdays: 9am – 5pm Fridays: 12pm – 5pm We are continuing to highlight the submissions for the 2021 Hans Schaadt Award.

### My Oma

By Deanna Schaadt

Trying to put my Oma or as we call her Omi into an essay was very difficult. If you know my Oma Susie, you will know what I'm talking about. She is the most loving, harebrained person you will ever meet. She puts everyone before herself and always, and I mean always, makes sure your plate is full of food. One of best parts of living with her is when my brother and I would get home from school there was always a meal at home waiting for us. her fish schnitzel has to be one of my favourites!!

She also always has the biggest smile on her face, she is the happiest person that can light up a room immediately. My Omi was born in Hungary and then forced to leave and move to Germany. Their family had to start over again. They were only allowed to bring with them a limited number of items. They didn't have much growing up. Food was hard to come by, you made do with clothing that was either too small or big. War times were especially hard. I believe this is why Omi always makes sure my brother and I have nice big meals every day and anything we could possibly want. I remember her telling me a story about how she always wanted a doll growing up, but they could never afford one. So, my Opi, Hans Schaadt, got her the biggest doll he could find to give to her as a wedding present. That is one of my favourite stories she has told me about her past. I also believe this is why growing up if I asked for a toy, they both would make sure I got it. I never realized how thankful I was for that until I got older and had to start paying for my own things.

I am so grateful for all of the German traditions she has taught me throughout the years. She has helped with our German language lessons and most importantly taught us how to make traditional German dishes. Omi has taught me so many German recipes such as; schnitzel, palacsinta, spätzle, bratwurst and so many other delicious goodies. I love to cook and Omi has helped bring this out in me. Growing up I always helped with making schnitzel and it was so much fun. I would help cover the pork in flour and she always let me be the one to beat the egg because she knew I loved to. Along with baking, she always makes her special butter cookies and always leaves me a piece of dough in the fridge so I can eat it later. Even with cakes she makes, she would save me the bowl to lick.

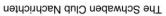
I would like to share some of my favourite memories with Omi. It was hard to pick my top memories but game nights were always a fun time. We loved to play cards and played a card game called 21 that she taught us. Almost every time I would go into her room, she was playing this game with someone, whether it be Opi, Goht or she ringed Matthew into playing. We played so many hours of this game and it never got boring. We also played the board game called Trouble. This time Matthew and I taught her how to play. It's by far my favourite game because it was the Minion Edition. We all found this game hilarious and spent many hours playing. Omi always thought it was the best thing ever when she got the Minion that gave her powers so Matthew and I couldn't knock her off the game board and back to home with her player. The game always ended in all of us having a good laugh.

I've had a lot of good memories growing up living with my Omi. I feel I can speak for Matthew and I saying Omi made us laugh, feel love and safe! I am one of the luckiest people to have got to grow up with living with my grandparent and I wouldn't trade it for the world. I love you Omi and want to thank you for helping raise me into the person I am today. I can't imagine growing up with anybody else!











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