

Wichtige Daten/Important Dates 2024

> **Cooking Class** (Gefüllte Paprika/ **Stuffed Peppers**) November 3

Volkstrauertag (coffee/cake hosted at the Schwaben Club) November 17

Members' Meeting/Election November 20

> Schlachtfest November 23

Sick Benefit Meeting November 27

Baking Class (Nusskipfel) December 1

Jingle & Mingle Market December 7

Christmas Cultural Potluck December 8

> Members' Meeting December 18

IMPRESSUM

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Any submissions must be in by the 10th of the month, for the following issue. Thank you.



SCHLACHTFEST

including the announcement of our new MR. SCHWABEN 🍟

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2024

Music provided by the **GOLDEN KÉYS**

MEMBER: \$37 (\$32.74 + HST) **NON-MEMBER: \$42** (\$37.17 + HST)

MENU

Cucumber Salad Wurst Salad

Pork Roast **Roast Potatoes** Seasonal Veggies Crème Brulée

Vegetarian option: Vegetable Lasagna

Kid's Meal: Schnitzel Bites & Fries



CHILD (7-12): \$15 (\$13.27 + HST) (6/under free)

ADD A PIG TAIL OR **PORK HOCK FOR AN ADDITIONAL:** \$7

Doors Open: 5:30pm Dinner: 6pm

SCHWABEN CLUB

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

As I am writing this report, Oktoberfest is in full swing. Our first weekend went extremely well, and as always it was great to see several of you and your families out.



I had the privilege of hosting the President's Lunch on October 5th, where we hosted representatives from the other local German clubs and associations; we received very positive feedback on the changes in the Biergarten. A special thank you goes out to Richard and Stephanie Dopheide for supplying the equipment and manpower to move the fencing and erect the new sign, and to Joel Wideman and Mike Ruland (aka frick and frack) for taking the initiative on improving the area.



Coming up in November is the election, and we have two candidates running for President both of which are present board members whose terms are not up until the end of 2025. So membership is aware (as I know the question will come up), at the time of the election each of these candidates will be required to



An Election will be held Wednesday, November 20, 2024 @ 7pm for the Position of:

> Praesident/President Heidi Peller-Oliver Peter Speckner

Protokoll-Sekreataer/Protocol-Secretary Neil Hoffman

> Kassierer/Treasurer Nickolas Leipold

Fahnentraeger/Flag Bearer John Becker

Vergnuegungs sekretaer/Entertainment Director

Wahlkomitee / Nomination Committee: Jason Hinschberger, Tina McQuabbie, Tracy Ruland

resign from their existing positions in order to run for the new position. As we have to wait until the actual time of the election for the candidates to accept their nominations (which triggers their resignation from their existing role), it is only then that we can start the process of filling both of these roles. The winner of the election will obviously be the next President, while the other is free to re-run for their former position or any other position that is available. As no one has stepped forward for the Entertainment role, this opportunity also remains available.

Also coming up in November is our next Sick Benefit meeting. Since the last meeting, the Board and staff have completed, or are nearing completion on, several of the initiatives funded by the Sick Benefit including painting, flooring, and re-upholstering the chairs. If you have ideas on what you feel need to be done in 2025, this is your chance to bring them forward. If you are wanting to participate in the 2025 Weltreffen, this is also your opportunity to express your interest so the group can set aside funds to assist. Just a reminder that attendance to the meeting is restricted to members of the Sick Benefit; if you want to find out how to join the sick benefit, please feel free to reach out to either myself or the Membership Director.

Respectfully submitted.

Glenn Herold President

MEMBERSHIP AND SICK BENEFIT REPORT

Liebe Mitglieder/Dear Members,

Hello fall goodbye summer. It's hard to believe that the year is almost over, time is flying by so fast.

Kirchweih was awesome this year got to help with the Rosemary Auction and marched in the parade with Bob Foster. Congratulations to Tina McQuabbie for winning the Rosemary Straus.

Looking forward to Oktoberfest this year I get to work in the kitchen for both Family Days, will be marching in the Okoberfest parade always look forward to this time of year.

Don't forget memberships are due must be paid before January 30th or late fees will apply.

Membership rates:

Family	\$85
Single	\$60
Senior	\$40
Student	\$25

The elections are coming up if you wish to run for any of the positions see the election committee.

November 27, 2024 at 7:00 pm is the Sick Benefit meeting looking forward to seeing everyone there.

Elizabeth Schiketantz Membership Director & Sick Benefits Financial Secretary

GEBURTSTAGE FÜR NOVEMBER

Herzlich Glückwunsch an Alle die im November feiern!

Happy Birthday to all those who celebrate in November!

Glenn Herold	2
Hilda Kreitzer	3
Lisa Norman	4
Wera Dennis	5
Wiltrud Jenkins	7
Lydia Kessler	7
Ericha Schiketantz	7
Jennifer Offak	10
Paul Robillard	11
Michael Adam	12
Marius Pop	15
John Schmidt	16
Susan Cook	18
Chris Zehr	18
Manfred Blum	26
Dan Blohm	28
Gary Becker	29
Cameron Cooper	29
Kaitlyn Dieter	30

NOTICE: VOLKSTRAUERTAG 2024

The Consulate General of the Federal Republic of Germany in Toronto wishes to inform the German-Canadian community that the annual Remembrance Day Ceremony to commemorate the dead of the two World Wars as well as the victims of tyranny,

> Volkstrauertag, will be held on Sunday, November 17, 2024 at 2:30 pm at the Woodland Cemetery, 119 Arlington Blvd., Kitchener, Ontario.

After the ceremony, coffee and cake will be hosted by the Schwaben Club, 50 Scheifele Place, Breslau, ON Schwaben COOKING Class Gefüllte Paprika (Stuffed Peppers)



Learn how to make traditional Stuffed Peppers

Sunday, November 3, 2024 1-4 pm

\$25 - Registration required. Email Peter, cultural@kitchenerschwabenclub.com to reserve your spot, ASAP. Limited spots available.

Schwaben BAKING Class Nusskipfel



Learn how to make this traditional Christmas cookie

Sunday, December 1, 2024 1-4 pm

\$25 - Registration required. Email Peter, cultural@kitchenerschwabenclub.com to reserve your spot. *RSVP by November 24, 2024.* Limited spots. THEY FOUND THEIR MAIN

SQUEEZE

please join us for a wedding social honouring

Ketton + Angèle

Saturday November 2nd, 2024 11:00am - 3:00pm Kitchener Schwaben club

\$15 per person entry includes schnitzel on a bun, potato salad and dessert

> purchase tickets: tinyurl.com/freywedding2025

BEFORE THEY SAY 'I DO' COME OUT AND HAVE A DRINK OR TWO



9:00 AM TO 07 3:00 PM DECEMBER SCHWABEN CLUB 50 SCHEIFELE PLACE, BRESLAU 519-742-7979

FREE ENTRY

DONAU DANCERS

Welcome to October! As I write this we have made it through the first weekend of Oktoberfest! The Donau Dancers performed both Friday and Saturday and had a blast looking forward to the next two weekends.





I would like to take a moment to thank all that attended our BBQ in August. Great feedback and enjoyed by many.

Once again we practice on Sunday's at 6:30 pm if you are interested and in dancing with us come on out.

Tina McQuabbie Donau Dancers Secretary



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Old friends and family gathered to celebrate long tiме мемber Katie Kretschmann's 90th birthday.









FRAUENGRUPPE NEWS

Thank you to anyone who donated to our Oktoberfest food drive. It was greatly appreciated.

In November we will be assisting with baking krapfen for Schlachtfest.

Happy Fall!

Susan, Lena, Lea, Jen, Penny, Monika Frauengruppe Committee

Lots more Oktoberfest pictures coming next month! Including: Family Days, Dance Performances, Parade, President's Lunch & More!



An article by Aliz Munding from a newspaper in Baja, Hungary, written about the Return to the Heimat trip. Source: Batschkaer Spuren: Nr. 76, Oktober 2024, Jahrgang 20; <u>https://www.batschkaerspuren.fw.hu/76.pdf</u>

Besuch aus Kanada

Ende Juli reisten Mitglieder des Kitchener Schwaben Clubs aus Kanada nach Europa unter dem Motto: "Donauschwaben kehren in die Heimat zurück". Die Gruppe startete von Ulm und folgte dem Lauf der Donau. Nach Linz, Wien und Taks musste natürlich auch ein Zwischenstopp in Baja gemacht werden.

Einige der TeilnehmerInnen hatten bereits vor 5 Jahren an der Taufe der Ulmer Schachtel teilgenommen und freuten sich. wieder zurückzukommen. Nach einer kurzen Führung durch englischen das Ungarndeutsche Bildungszentrum und Landeslehrpfad folgte den ein gemeinsames Singen. Unter der Leitung von Josef Emmert am Akkordeon und unterstützt von zwei Mitgliedern der UBZ-Nachtigallen sangen alle zusammen schwäbische Lieder. Viele von ihnen erinnerten



sich an ihre Kindheit und wie sie mit diesen Liedern aufgewachsen sind. Die gute Stimmung wurde durch ein gutes Glas Wein aus Hajosch noch verstärkt.

Am Abend reiste der Schwaben Club weiter nach Fünfkirchen/Pécs und später von dort nach Temeschwar/Temesvár. Es war ein berührendes Erlebnis zu sehen, wie Schwaben, deren Eltern, Großeltern oder Urgroßeltern in der Vergangenheit nach Kanada ausgewandert sind, ihre Kultur und Traditionen noch immer bewahren.



Aliz Munding

KINDER/JUGENDGRUPPE NEWS

The Kinder and Jugend Gruppen had a very successful Oktoberfest, with performances at our own Club and around town as well.



helping us with fundraising.

Things look to get brighter for our kids, so if you know of any children that might be interested in trying something new, now is the time to get them to come out! If you know of anyone between the ages of 4 to 14 that is interested please contact us at schwabenkindergruppe@gmail.com.

Peter Speckner Kinder/ Jugendgruppe President



The parade was also a fun opportunity, with our group walking with everyone else, leading us right behind our Club sign & flag.

We are very much looking forward to our next few performances, especially since we have so many new dancers working hard to get ready to perform themselves.

We are thankful for our new members, and their parents who have already been





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