



Deutscher Club of Clark Inc.

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VEREINSNACHRICHTEN / CLUB NEWS – MÄRZ / MARCH 2023

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Members, February was a busy month, and we thank all of you that came out to support events at the club some of which included Trivia Night, Valentine's Day dinner, the Big Game and our Fasching celebrations for both kids and adults. As we move into the month of March, there are many opportunities to come out and enjoy events such as Polish Night, the Chili Cookoff, the breakfast buffet and St. Patrick's Day dinner with music by member Nick Conte and his band. Please don't forget to consider donating blood at our semiannual drive to be held on March 25th. This worthwhile cause not only benefits our members that might be in need but also members of surrounding communities. All the dates and times for these events and other happenings can be found in this month's bulletin. It is hard to believe but we are only a few months away from our first public event. That might seem like a lot of time, but preparations are underway to make this season the best one yet! Our Vice Presidents have been busy getting their teams together but are still in need of a few captains. If you are willing to help, please contact Brian Daly or Bob Dries at events@deutscherclub.us. I hope you will take advantage of the many events that will be held at the club in the coming months. Just a reminder to join us every Sunday morning for Frühschoppen; not only a tradition here at the club but all over Germany. It is a great time to come out, relax and enjoy a few Biers with your fellow members. See you at the DC!

Liebe Mitglieder, Februar war ein viel-beschäftigter Monat. Wir danken allen die gekommen sind um die Veranstaltungen im Club zu unterstützen, wie zum Beispiel Trivia Night, das Valentinstag-Essen, und unsere Faschingsfeiern für die Erwachsenen wie auch fuer die Kinder. Wir naehern uns dem Monat März mit vielen Gelegenheiten geplante Veranstaltungen zu besuchen wie zum Beispiel die Polish Night, das Chili Cookoff, das Frühstücksbuffet und das St. Patrick's Day Essen, mit Musik von unserem Mitglied Nick Conte und seinem Band. Bitte denken Sie daran bei unserer halbjährlichen Blutspende Aktion am 25. März Blut zu spenden. Diese gute Sache koennte nicht nur unseren Mitgliedern zugute kommen, sondern auch den Bewohnern der umliegenden Gemeinden. Alle Daten und Zeiten für diese Veranstaltungen und fuer andere Aktivitaeten finden Sie im Bulletin dieses Monats. Es ist kaum zu glauben aber wir sind nur noch wenige Monate von unserer ersten öffentlichen Veranstaltung entfernt. Obwohl dies noch in der Ferne liegt, sind die Vorbereitungen im Gange um die kommende Saison zur bisher besten zu machen! Unsere zwei Vizepräsidenten sind damit beschäftigt ihre Teams zusammenzustellen, benoetigen aber noch einige Kapitäne. Wenn Sie aushelfen möchten, wenden Sie sich bitte an Brian Daly oder Bob Dries unter events@deutscherclub.us. Ich hoffe Sie besuchen die vielen Veranstaltungen die in den kommenden Monaten im Club stattfinden werden. Auch moechte ich Sie daran erinnern sonntagmorgens zum Frühschoppen bei uns zu sein, eine Tradition nicht nur hier im Klub, sondern in ganz Deutschland. Es ist eine großartige Zeit sich zu entspannen und ein paar Bierchen mit Freunden und anderen Mitgliedern zu genießen. Wir sehen uns im DC!

Mit freundlichen Grüßen,

Eric Zabel

E-Mail: president@deutscherclub.us

The Deutscher Club provides the following e-mails for your convenience:

president@deutscherclub.us • Messages to President, Eric Zabel

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Brian Daly/Robert Dries, 1st & 2nd VP

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Ewald Hollinger, Manager

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Chairperson

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PROGRAMM FÜR MÄRZ / MARCH PROGRAM 2023

Subject to Change. Please Check our Website and Emails for Updates

Wed 01	Bar • Bar Food available	3:00 – 11:00 PM
Thu 02	Dinner • Menu on the DC Website	5:30 – 8:00 PM
Thu 02	Entertainment Committee Meeting • Details on Page 4.	6:30 PM
Thu 02	Ballroom Dancing I • First Steps	6:00 PM
Thu 02	Ballroom Dancing II • Next Steps.	7:00 PM
Fri 03	Dinner • Menu on the DC Website	5:30 – 8:00 PM
Sat 04	Polish Night • Music by Robbie Lawrence & The Steelworkers • Details on Page 5.	6:00 – 10:00 PM
Sun 05	Frühschoppen	11:00 AM – 8:00 PM
Wed 08	Bar	3:00 – 11:00 PM
Wed 08	Membership Meeting • See What's on the 2023 Agenda!	7:00 PM
Thu 09	Dinner • Menu on the DC Website	5:30 – 8:00 PM
Thu 09	Ballroom Dancing I • First Steps	No Class this Week
Thu 09	Ballroom Dancing II • Next Steps.	No Class this Week
Fri 10	Dinner • Menu on the DC Website	5:30 – 8:00 PM
Fri 10	Deutscher Stammtisch • Gommt här un babbelt een büsche!	7:30 PM
Sat 11	Dinner • Menu on the DC Website	5:30 – 8:00 PM
Sun 12	Die Wandergruppe/The Hikers • Deserted Village Watchung Res • Details on Page 5	10:00 AM
Sun 12	Frühschoppen	11:00 AM – 8:00 PM
Sun 12	Chili Cook-Off • Cooks, Start your Pots! • Details on Page 5	2:00 – 5:00 PM
Wed 15	Bar • Bar Food available	3:00 – 11:00 PM
Thu 16	Dinner • Menu on the DC Website	5:30 – 8:00 PM
Thu 16	Railroaders Dinner & Video • All Members are Welcome!	6:30 PM
Thu 16	Networking Meeting • Tell us about your Business • Details on Page 6.	7:30 PM
Fri 17	Dinner • Menu on the DC Website	5:30 – 8:00 PM
Sat 18	St. Patrick's Day Dinner • Music by Nick Conte • Details on Page 6.	6:00 – 10:00 PM
Sun 19	Frühschoppen	11:00 AM – 8:00 PM
Sun 19	Ladies' Division Meeting • Performance by Irish Dancers • (Held in the main Dining Room)	2:00 PM
Wed 22	Bar • Bar Food available	3:00 – 11:00 PM
Thu 23	Dinner • Menu on the DC Website	5:30 – 8:00 PM
Fri 24	Dinner • Menu on the DC Website	5:30 – 8:00 PM
Sat 25	DC Blood Drive • Give Blood and Save a Life! • Details on Page 6.	8:00 AM – 3:00 PM
Sat 25	Dinner • Menu on the DC Website	5:30 – 8:00 PM
Sun 26	Breakfast Buffet • Tickets available at the bar • Cost is \$16 Per Person	10:00 AM – 1:00 PM
Sun 26	Frühschoppen	11:00 AM – 8:00 PM
Wed 29	Bar • Bar Food available	3:00 – 11:00 PM
Thu 30	Dinner • Menu on the DC Website	5:30 – 8:00 PM
Fri 31	Dinner • Menu on the DC Website	5:30 – 8:00 PM

* indicates event is open to the public

Vorschau April / Preview April 2023

SUBJECT TO CHANGE. PLEASE CHECK OUR WEBSITE & EMAILS FOR UPDATES

Sun 02 Frühschoppen	the 2023 Vorstand in Action!	month
Sun 02 Children's Easter Party	Thu 13 New DC Member Induction Night • Enjoy dinner & welcome our new Members!	Thu 20 Railroaders Dinner & Video • All Members are Welcome!
Thu 06 Entertainment Committee Meeting • w/ Decorating Sub-Committee	Fri 14 Deutscher Stammtisch	Thu 20 Networking Meeting
Thu 06 Garden Committee Meeting • Spring is here! Bring your Green Thumb!	Sat 15 Terrassen-Mosel Wine Tasting & Pairing • Meet the Vintners Materne & Schmitt	Sat 22 Bayern Abend • Music by Bernie's Orchestra
Sun 09 HAPPY EASTER – FROHE OSTERN • Club will be Closed	Sun 16 Die Wandergruppe / The Hikers	Sun 23 Frühschoppen
Wed 12 Monthly Membership Meeting • Witness	Sun 16 Frühschoppen	Sat 29 Ladies Division Arts & Craft Fair *
	Sun 16 Ladies Division Meeting • No meeting this	Sun 30 Frühschoppen

KLUBNACHRICHTEN • CLUB NEWS

Our thoughts and prayers for strength and recuperation go out to our members Gertrude Adams, and John Reuter.

We mourn the passing of our members Mia Borello, Laszlo "Leslie" Krug, Erna Schroeder, former members Elizabeth "Lisa" Nied and Lilian Phillips and extend our heartfelt sympathy to their families.

We extend our deepest condolences to the family of Donald Tafilowski, husband, stepfather and son-in-law of members Christine Tafilowski, Barbara Skodmin, and Franklin Pfeifer.

In case of illness or death of a member, please email correspondence@deutscherclub.us

IN THE NEWS

THE "KARNIVALSJECKEN" WERE OUT!

Here are just a few of the "Karnival Revelers" in attendance at the Fasching Gala on Saturday, February 18th. Can you guess who they are? Thank you to the Judges of the costume parade: Guenter Heim, Alexandra Beinstein, and Lori Engler!



Sunday, February 19th saw the "Mini-Karneval Revelers" out attending the Kinder-Fasching Party at the Deutscher Club. Thank you to the entire Entertainment Committee for planning this event

and decorating the Club, giving our next generation a taste of German tradition.

THE SEARCH FOR MISS DEUTSCHER CLUB

The search has begun for the next Miss Deutscher Club!

The Miss DC Committee is now accepting applications (forms are on the website) for Miss Deutscher Club 2023. We are looking for a young woman between the ages of 16 - 25 who is interested in becoming actively involved in our community. Our new Miss Deutscher Club will attend various events at the club, support local charities and represent our organization at the Steuben Parade in New York City, as well as other events. The interviews and crowning ceremony will take place during the Waldfest (Father's Day Picnic) on Sunday, June 18, 2023, at the Deutscher Club of Clark. Applications are available on our website, www.deutscherclub.us (under Bulletins and Downloads). You may also contact Chrissy Daly, Chairperson, Miss Deutscher Club Committee via email at correspondence@deutscherclub.us for more information.

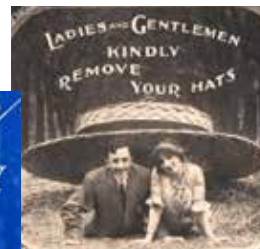


ASSISTANCE NEEDED FOR ADMISSION DUTY

Our Trustees are looking for members to volunteer for 2-hour shifts on Saturday evenings (when there is a band) and at our Special Events to collect admission. Sign-up sheets are located on the large bulletin board in the lobby (behind the admissions table). This is an opportunity to earn your volunteer time. Thank you, we appreciate your support!

PLEASE REMEMBER –

When in the Club ...



MAY WE TAKE YOUR ORDER?

Deutscher Club has Take-out!

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Call in your order:

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Thursday, Friday,

Saturday • Call in orders as of 3:00 PM

(Saturdays as of 2:30 PM) • Pick-up orders

4:00 – 7:00 PM • Check the Website at www.deutscherclub.us

for the Menu



Looking for a Gift for that Special Occasion?

Think DC Gift Card - Dinner for Two

Cards are available for purchase at the Bar.



CATERING SERVICE • Let us cater your private events. An extensive catering menu is available on our website or from our own Chef Ewald.

FOR SALE

DC 85TH ANNIVERSARY
PINS • \$5



DC COFFEE MUGS • \$5

See any Vorstand member if you are interested in purchasing.

NOW HIRING: Waiters & Waitresses •

Become a member of the DC Service Team! Interested in applying? Please call *Deutscher Club Manager, Ewald Hollinger* at (732) 574-8600.

MEMBERSHIP

2023 Membership Dues are now due. **LATE FEES BEGIN APRIL 1**



Upon receipt of payment of dues, I will mail your 2023 membership card to the address on file.

You may pay by, check, cash or credit card on the Deutscher Club website.

<https://deutscherclub.us/membership>

1. \$100 for Regular members.
2. \$75 for Senior Member - must have attained the age of 72 and been a member for 25 consecutive years.
3. \$180 for couples.
4. Existing Lifetime members are encouraged to pay \$20 voluntary dues.
5. The initiation fee for new members will be \$100 per person.

The following late fees will be assessed monthly to your membership as of **April 1st: \$10-April; \$20-May; \$30-June; \$40-July August 1st - Membership is revoked if dues are not paid.**

If you have any questions, please email me at membership@deutscherclub.us

Please mark your calendars for Thursday, April 13th, when we will hold our Spring Membership Induction. Enjoy dinner and join us in welcoming our newest members to the Deutscher Club!

Prost! Buzz Sawyer, Membership Secretary

ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

The Entertainment Committee meets on the **first Thursday of the month, at 6:30 PM**, in the back corner of the dining room (by the piano). Do you have an idea for an event you would like to have at your Club? Do you have suggestions for making events better? Would you like a fun, easy way to perform your vol-

unteer time for the Club? Join us! The **Decorating Sub-committee**, led by Carol Marquardt and Colleen Sawyer, works hand-in-hand with us to “dress up” the Club for every special event. They meet, same day and time, with the Entertainment Committee to coordinate requirements for seasonal, holiday, and special events decorating. *Robert Dries*

SKAT GAME



SKAT is a three-handed, trick-taking card game of the Ace-Ten family, devised in 1810 in Altenburg, and it is the national card game of Germany! What – don't know how to play the game? You are invited to join Peter Richter with the rest of the SKAT players who meet **every Wednesday at 8:00 PM** and learn the game.

KNITTING CLUB at the Deutscher Club!

Join a circle of fellow crafters **every Thursday at 3:00PM** and teach, share your tips and tricks, and socialize. No experience is necessary.



Clothing Drive

We are continuing our collection of clothing for the Battered Women's Shelter and the Working Poor Men's Shelter. • Fall and winter men's and women's clothing, as well as coats, gloves, hats, shoes, and boots, clean and in good repair, are being accepted by Suzanna Polhamus, Trustee. Contact Suzanna Polhamus at correspondence@deutscherclub.us.



PLEASE, no used undergarments or socks.

HISTORIANS SOUGHT



Our Club Historian Martha Kepis, is seeking help in building, documenting, and archiving the DC's history. The DC history books (by the Manager's office) are in need of care and could be digitized by anyone with the know-how. You can study and interpret

the DC's past by reviewing the collection of photos, news articles, letters and more and share your findings with the rest of the membership in historical articles published in the monthly bulletin and by building new catalogs. **Earn your volunteer hours.** • If you are interested, please email correspondence@deutscherclub.us

DIE FOTOGRAFEN / THE SHUTTERBUGS



The Deutscher Club is in search of members who love the art of photography, to start up a Deutscher Club Photography Club. In addition to meeting and discussing their favorite hobby, this pool of photographers would assist in documenting our Club and public events, contributing to the website, Facebook page and monthly newsletter as well as collaborating with our Club historians. Earn your volunteer hours. • If you are interested, please email correspondence@deutscherclub.us

SÄNGER CHOR NEWARK

Attention All New DC Members

The Sängerkhor Newark, the Deutscher Club's “in house” men's singing chorus, is back and re-building with a growing repertoire of classic German songs and fun Bierhalle “Lieder”. We perform with both piano and accordion accompaniment. All the guys who like to sing or want to learn how (don't think you can't! It's easier than you think...) should come join us every 1st and 3rd Friday of the month at 8:00 PM at the club. We sing in German and in English and will help anyone who thinks they need help with either! In addition, we will gladly sing a selection of songs for any other groups within the Deutscher Club that would like some authentic German entertainment. Please call Peter Volk at 908-938-9019 or Glenn Fogarty at 732-259-8993 for details and check out our website at www.saengerchor.net.



Party Time! Have your bridal or baby showers, birthday and anniversary parties, graduations, even weddings at our Club. Contact our manager, Ewald, at manager@deutscherclub.us or call the clubhouse at (732) 574-8600

RHEINISCHER SÄNGERBUND

The **Rheinischer Saengerbund** is a Men's Chorus that has been in existence since 1847. They have a very rich history (to include singing at Abraham Lincoln's Funeral) and continue to enjoy their traditions today with their Musical Director, Johanna Teubner-Prussak, a talented and established musician and conductor. The chorus meets at the Deutscher Club **every Thursday at 8:00 PM**. Think you might be interested in becoming a member? Come on by

DER SCHWÄBISCHER SÄNGERBUND

All good things come in three, so the saying goes. We are a mixed chorus and are part of the Deutscher Club of Clark (DCC) house choruses. Our chorus has been in existence for over 135 years. We have done a great deal of travelling, both nationally and internationally, including singing Saturday evening mass at the Vatican on two separate



occasions.

We perform two concerts a year. Our Christmas Concert has been a highlight for the German-American community for the past 35 years. We rehearse every **Wednesday evening at 7:30 PM** at the DCC.

If you enjoy singing, we welcome you to come and join us on **Wednesdays** for rehearsal and enjoy the friendship and camaraderie afterwards. For further information, please contact fran.flourishes@gmail.com

HIKING NEWS

Leader: Brian Mecca
Contact: Die Wandergruppe

We are planning our hikes for the 1st half of 2023, if you have any suggestions, please share them with me.

On the day of the Hike, we meet at 9:50 AM in the parking lot (details to be provided to the email group the week prior – contact me to get added to the email list), and the **hike begins promptly at 10:00 AM**. If you are running late, please call me so that we can make accommodations for you.



On **Sunday March 12, 2023**, we will be hiking in the nearby Watchung Reservation at the Deserted Village. We will be meeting at the parking lot for the Deserted Village off Glenside Avenue on Cataract Hollow Rd. Details on the hike will be sent to the group prior to the hike.

Please let me know if you plan on attending by email at brian.mecca@gmail.com, include your phone # so that we can create a texting group for last minute notifications. • Following the hike, we return to the Club for Frührschoppen. The bar is open, there is usually soup and open face sandwiches, and people bring things to eat as the kitchen is not open. Feel free to bring something. It is a fun time after the hike..

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS SUNDAY, MARCH 12TH, 2023



DEUTSCHER CLUB OF CLARK COME OUT TO POLISH NIGHT

FAMILY STYLE SIT DOWN DINNER + DANCE

MARCH 4, 2023 6:00PM

**POLKA MUSIC BY ROBBIE
LAWRENCE + THE STEELWORKERS**

RESERVATIONS + PAYMENTS **MUST** BE MADE
IN ADVANCE BY SUNDAY, FEB. 26, 2023



INCLUDES
DINNER + BAND

MENU INCLUDES:

- KEILBASA + SAUERKRAUT
- STUFFED CABBAGE
- ROAST PORK LOIN STUFFED WITH PRUNES
- BAKED COD WITH TOMATO ZUCCHINI + PEPPERS (RYBA PO GREKO)
- SAUTEED WILD MUSHROOMS (DUSZONE GRZBY)
- PIEROGIS, OF COURSE!

DESSERT INCLUDES POLISH CAKES (CIASTO)

GREAT POLISH BEER (PIWO) AVAILABLE!

Zapraszamy wszystkich na wieczór
z jedzeniem i dobrym towarzystwem

The Deutscher Club of Clark fifth annual CHILI COOKOFF

**Sunday, March 12, 2023
2:00-5:00pm**

It's time to bring your best homemade chili
recipes for a chili cook-off. Fun for all.

Prizes, tasting and good cheer!

OPEN TO ALL MEMBERS

\$10 tasting and judging fee.

Interested in being a contestant?
Contact Kurt Leithner at
events@deutscherclub.us



NETWORKING MEETING

There will be a Deutscher Club Networking meeting on **Thursday, March 16th, at 7:30 PM**. If you have a business, join us if you would like to make known your business to our Deutscher Club Networking Group. Members and guests will have time to talk about their business. There will be a business card and/or a brochure exchange. **RSVP required** to Michael Fleyzor at mfleyzor@gmail.com or cell phone (732) 319-4886. Looking forward to hearing about your business. *Michael Fleyzor*

FÁILTE!

Enjoy Two Irish Treats

Saturday, March 18, 2023, 6 – 10 PM

Musical Notes from the Emerald Isle by Nick Conte



An Irish Bill of Fare by Chef Ewald

Selections include Soup • Soda Bread & Butter • Rye Bread & Butter • Corned Beef (w/Cabbage, Vegetables & Potato) • Shephard's Pie • Wiener Schnitzel (w/Potato & Red Cabbage) • Dessert

Tickets for admission are \$5 - members / \$8 - non-member/guests and are available for purchase at the bar until **Sunday, March 12th**. There will be **no** ticket sales at the door. The cost for dinner this evening is **\$24 per person** and will be collected by your waitress. *Dress Code: Business Casual.*

TOASTMASTERS OF WESTFIELD

Learn, Practice and Reinforce Communication, Public Speaking and Listening Techniques!

Toastmasters of Westfield, Part of International Group
Deutscher Club Member, Noel Crawford,
 President of Toastmasters Group

MEETINGS: First Three Thursdays of each month

PLACE: Westfield Area YMCA

220 Clark St. Westfield

TIME: 7:30-9:30 pm

Guests Welcome!

For more information visit our website:
toastmastersofwestfield.com

Bayern Verein Newark's
93rd Anniversary Dance
Stiftungsfest
SAVE THE DATE
Saturday, March 18, 2023
 Featuring:
 Bernie's Orchestra • Folkdancers • Traditional Bavarian Schuhplattlers
 Kenilworth Veteran's Center • 33 South 21st Street • Kenilworth, New Jersey
 For more information call Ralph Ehmann • 908-265-1602 or ehmann@aol.com

FROM THE BLOOD DRIVE COMMITTEE

The Deutscher Club Spring Blood Drive

Saturday March 25, 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM



Our local blood supply continues to be at perilously low levels. Since the pandemic multiple blood drives have been cancelled. Local hospitals are in need of blood to maintain daily needs. If you can donate, please consider donating now. If you know a family member, friend, associate; pass the word your club is sponsoring their Spring blood drive; **Saturday March 25**.

Deutscher Club members have been community minded and supporting a healthy blood supply for well over sixty years. Help us continue to help you.

COMING SOON.....



Sunday, April 2nd, 2023, 1:00 – 3:00 PM

Children and Grandchildren of Members, 8 years old and younger are invited to attend. There will be Egg Hunts, treats and a visit from the Easter Bunny and his helper, Miss Deutscher Club!

Look for the sign-up sheet in the Lobby.

The kitchen will be open for food service from 12 – 3 PM.



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TO The Garden Committee

Do you enjoy gardening? Do you have knowledge of plants and flowers? The garden committee would like your expertise!



We will be meeting on **Thursday, April 6th, 2023 at 7:30 PM** in the main dining room to discuss all things gardening for our club. We will be planning for spring cleanup, plantings, pruning and ideas for beautifying the DC grounds with plants and flowers, etc. Contact Buzz Sawyer at membership@deutscherclub.us or see Kurt Leithner or Barbara Maguire at the club! We will meet at **7:30 PM** on the **6th** in the dining room in the rear corner near the piano.

DER FRÜHJAHRSPUTZ



Saturday, April 15, 2023 at 8:00 AM

We need your help to wake up the Club for Fest Season!

Let's make the Clubhouse and Grounds shine! We need all hands on deck to give the inside a deep cleaning.

DEUTSCHER CLUB - MATERNE & SCHMITT TERRASSENMOSEL WINE TASTING & DINNER

Saturday, April 15, 2023, 5:30 – 10 PM

The Deutscher Club and DC Member William Adams are proud to present a wine tasting w/dinner, featuring the Riesling wines of Materne & Schmitt from Winnigen, Germany. These wines are grown in the "lower Mosel" region - an area with the steepest vineyards in Europe. Here is where the two vintners, Rebecca Materne and Janina Schmitt climb 30-degree slopes to lovingly care for their vines. **In fact, come meet Rebecca and Janina in person at the winetasting!**

Enjoy a five-course meal – each course



specially prepared by Chef Ewald and meticulously paired with the Terrassenmosel wines selected by Wine Specialist and President of William Adams Associates – Consultant to the Wine trade, Bill Adams, just for the occasion!

First Course – Welcome Platter of Cheese, Dried Fruit and Crackers – Paired w/a 2018 Wunschkind Dry Riesling; **Second Course** – Prawns Laksa w/Creamed Spinach – Paired w/2018 Lehmaner Dry Riesling; **Third Course** – Thai-inspired Crispy Duck w/ Lemongrass, Ginger & Watercress – Paired w/a 2018 Koberner Dry Riesling; **Fourth Course** – Honey-crust Teriyaki Chicken w/a Vegetable Medley & Asian Noodles – Paired w/a 2019 Winnigen Dry Riesling; **Fifth Course** – Fresh Goat Cheese Crepe w/ Pistachios & Fresh Fruit Garnish – Paired w/a 2021 Mosel Riesling Kabinett.

Tickets are for sale at the bar. The cost is \$60 - members and \$65 - non-member guests. Only **120 spaces** are available for this event. The last day for ticket sales is **Sunday, April 9, 2023. Dress code: Business Casual**

BAYERN ABEND

Saturday, April 22, 2023, 6:00 – 10:00 PM

Music by Bernie's Orchestra

A special a la carte menu, music and entertainment from the home state of King

Ludwig's castles – Bavaria!



Tickets will be for sale at the bar covering admissions - \$5 -

Members / \$8 – Non-members/guests are available for purchase at the bar until **Sunday, April 16, 2023. No walk-ins. Dress Code: Business Casual**

FESTIVAL

The Deutscher Club Ladies' Division presents its Spring Arts & Crafts Festival

**Saturday, April 29, 2023
• 11 AM – 4 PM**

If you are a crafter and would like to participate, please e-mail vendors@deutscherclub.us



 DC goes Abroad 

Join the Deutscher Club in April 2024 on a trip through Portugal. The trip starts in Porto and ends in Lisbon. The FUN begins on **04/01/2024 through 04/09/2024**. Or stay an **extra 2 days** to continue the FUN in Lisbon. Just a few of the **Sights** you'll be seeing: **Porto's Old-World Ribeira district, Douro riverfront, Coimbra and Évora's Chapel of Bones**. Feel free to talk to John Carroll or myself (Annette Glorius) about more details about this trip. We will be **HAPPY** to have you join us on this **SUNNY, FUN FILLED TRIP** in the **SPRING** of 2024!

The **US DOLLAR \$** is still **STRONG** against the **EURO**.

MONTHLY TRIP PAYMENT PLANS

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For tour details

Call (800) 438-7672 and

reference tour number: #70265352

OR Go to

<https://www.grouptoursite.com/tours/annettegloriuspor/>

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Deutsche Ecke

Das Osterei

In wenigen Wochen werde viele Menschen in der Welt das Osterfest begehen. Zu diesem Festtag gehören viele Gebräuche in verschiedenen Arten und Ausführungen. Ein Gebrauch ist allerdings ein fester Bestandteil bei diesem Festtag, das Osterei. Bunt und mit erfinderischen Mustern, gibt es wohl bei jedem der Ostern als einen Feiertag begeht. Ostereier zu verschenken, ist ein uralter Brauch, denn Eier gelten rund um die Welt als Symbol für Fruchtbarkeit. Schon bei den alten Ägyptern und den Chinesen wurden bunte Eier zum Frühlingsanfang verteilt. Dort und auch bei den Germanen und Griechen galt ebenso der Hase als Zeichen großer Fruchtbarkeit. Warum und seit wann der Hase aber in Deutschland und in anderen Ländern die Eier bringt, bleibt ein wenig rätselhaft. Tatsache ist, dass „Meister Lampe“ als Eierlieferant mindestens 300 Jahre auf seinem Rücken hat. 1682 schrieb ein Medizinprofessor einen Bericht, der einen elsässischen Osterbrauch mit eierlegendem Hasen beschreibt. Davor brachten – je nach Region – auch andere Fabeltier wie

Kranich, Hahn, Fuchs oder Lamm die bunten Eier. Letztlich hat sich der flinke „Meister Lampe“ im Laufe der Zeit zum wahren Helden des Osterfestes entwickelt. Im Heimatland wird Ostern auch heute noch in verschiedenen Gegenden mit großartigen Dekorationen gefeiert, wobei das bunte Osterei die Hauptrolle spielt. Es gibt viele Techniken, um das Ei zum Kunstwerk zu erheben.



The Easter Egg

In a few weeks, many people in the world will celebrate Easter. This feast day includes many customs in diverse types and designs. However, one practice is an integral part of this feast day, the Easter Egg. Colorful and with inventive patterns, everyone who celebrates Easter as a holiday will have these little treasures. Giving away Easter eggs is an

ancient custom, because eggs are considered a symbol of fertility around the world. Even the ancient Egyptians and the Chinese distributed colorful eggs at the beginning of spring. There, as well as among the Germanic tribes and Greeks, the hare was also considered a sign of great fertility. But why and since when the hare delivers the eggs in Germany and other countries remains a bit of a mystery. The fact is that "Master Lampe", as an egg supplier, has at least 300 years on his back. In 1682, a professor of medicine wrote a report describing an Alsatian Easter custom with an egg-laying hare. Before that, depending on the region, other mythical animals such as cranes, roosters, foxes or lambs also delivered colorful eggs. Ultimately, the nimble "Master Lampe" has developed over time into the true hero of Easter. In the homeland, Easter is still celebrated today in various areas with great decorations, with the colorful Easter egg playing the main role. There are many techniques to elevate the egg to a work of art.

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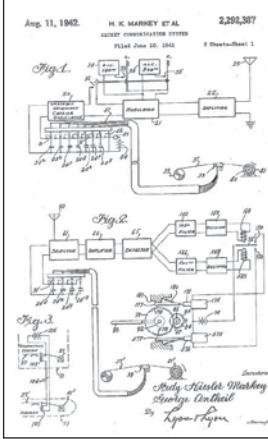
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Hedy Lamarr – The Smart Beauty



Hedwig Eva Maria Kiesler was born in Vienna in 1914 into a prosperous family. She was privately schooled from the age of four. By age ten, she could speak four languages, play the piano, and dance. At age sixteen, she attended Max Reinhardt's Berlin drama school and made her movie debut in Geld auf der Strasse (Money on the Street). In 1932, stardom and publicity followed Kiesler after she appeared nude in Extase (Ecstasy), a Czech film. Hedwig then married the Austrian munitions manufacturer Fritz Mandle. Finding Mandle controlling and associating with people that she did not like, she divorced him in 1937 and went to Hollywood. In Hollywood, she changed her name to Hedy Lamarr and signed a contract with MGM. Lamarr demonstrated skill as an actor in Tortilla Flat, White Cargo, Samson and Delilah and many other films in the 1940's. Besides her film career, Lamarr showed interest in science and technology that she had followed as a young girl with her father. As WWII was in full progress, Lamarr and a fellow musician named George Antheil developed a secret communication system intended for use as a radio guidance device for US Navy torpedoes. In 1942, they patented their device. Hedy is credited with her legal name at the time, Hedy Kiesler Markey. The technology they developed is like legacy versions of CDMA and Wi-Fi. It was not used until the 1960's when it was incorporated into Bluetooth and GPS. Hedy Lamarr became a naturalized citizen of the US in 1953. She was honored by a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame in 1960. Lamarr was married and divorced six times, had three children and spent her last thirty-five years in seclusion in Florida. Hedy Lamarr died in 2000 at the age of 85. Her ashes were scattered by her son in Austria's Vienna Woods in accordance with her wishes. Posthumous awards included naming of a quantum telescope on the roof of the University of Vienna for Hedy Lamarr, a google doodle and an asteroid named 32730 Lamarr. In 2014, Hedy Lamarr and George Antheil were inducted into the National Inventors Hall of Fame. *Barbara Streit*



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