



# Swiss Club Tell

## FEBRUARY 2024

Thanks to all who attended our Annual General Meeting on January 13th at San Rafael Joe's. A total of 37 people attended, all in the mood to hear about the Club's news, to meet with friends, and to have a good meal.

Our Treasurer informed us that our finances are secure, and as a result, we hosted our traditional events in 2023 - a Jass & dinner, Marin picnic, and Christmas luncheon & dance, plus a wonderfully successful Safari at Safari West in Santa Rosa, largely free or greatly-reduced to members. It was also mentioned that we continue to make generous donations to charitable organizations.

The main topic of the afternoon was the Events of 2024. We will again have a Jass Tournament and Dinner, a Picnic in Marin County, and a Christmas Luncheon and Dance; and we set a date for a Fall Event, which is as-yet undecided. Suggestions from the floor were invited and will be given consideration. Invitations to events typically go out a month before the date, so mark the dates on your calendars, look for your invitations, and check the website for the latest information on all events.

Our Board members offered to continue in their positions for the coming year, without any dissension from the floor, so that concluded a short and sweet meeting.

For Jassers, we'd like to mention that the Aelpler Gruppe in Newark hosts a monthly weekend Jass get-together in their hall. For information, contact Rick Steiner (201) 359-7604. And for hikers, they offer seasonal hikes around the Bay Area; contact Pat Schaffarczyk (510) 677-8461. See [www.aelplergruppe.com](http://www.aelplergruppe.com)

Of special note this year, Swiss Club Tell will present a plaque at the Aelpler Gruppe folklore event on April 7th, commemorating our William Tell painting which was transferred to Swiss Park when our clubhouse was sold. More information will follow closer to the event.

### Welcome to our newest members!

Sally Arabi and Beat Henzen

Nancie Graham

Trudy O'Hearn

Charlene Ott

Hayden and Kathleen Smith

**If you haven't already done so - 2024 club dues are now payable.**

If you have been a member for at least 10 years and are now over 65, you are exempt.

**Send a check made out to "Swiss Club Tell" to:**

**Michael Beusch at 4180 George Ave. #4, San Mateo, CA 94403.**

**\$20 per member** (joined prior to 2013) or

**\$40 per member** (joined 2013 or after)

You can also pay online via PAYPAL at [www.SwissClubTell.com](http://www.SwissClubTell.com)

❖ *The Board of Directors is very sad to inform members that **Margrit Keller** passed away last month.❖*

❖ *On inquiry due to a long absence from club events, we were told that **Robert and Margrit Buchmann** of Santa Rosa are both deceased.*

***These long-time members will be greatly missed.***

### **Swiss Club Tell Calendar of Events 2024**

Sunday, April 28	Jass Tournament and Dinner, Basque Cultural Center
Saturday, June 8	“Bratwurst & Cremeschnitte” Picnic, McNear’s Beach
Saturday, October 5	Fall Special Event - to be determined
Saturday, December 21	Christmas Luncheon at the Basque Center
Sat., January 25, 2025	Annual General Meeting and Lunch at San Rafael Joe’s

For information on other Northern California Swiss Clubs’ events, refer to the United Swiss Societies website: [www.unitedswissnorcal.org](http://www.unitedswissnorcal.org)

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*Wishing you a very healthy and happy year  
and hoping to see you at our next event!*