

# Gemeindekalender May 2024

## What's going on among our partners and in our community

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## Dallas Frohsinn Gesangverein

The chorus finished up its' 2023-24 season by proudly representing the city of Dallas at the annual Deutsch-Texanischen Sangerfest which was held in Austin on Sunday 05-05-2024. We arrived in Austin on Saturday the 4th around noon and had lunch at the Scholz Garten before checking in at our fun and quirky hotel, the Aiden! Our delegates attended a two-hour meeting while the rest of us relaxed or took a nap.

Then it was off to the Austin Saengerrunde Club House for a delicious meal, a short performance by the host chorus and then dancing into the wee hour of 10 PM. Up early on Sunday morning for breakfast, off to the concert venue for rehearsals, lunch, concert and then a joyous farewell and fun bus ride back to Dallas, with the obligatory stop at BUCEES on the way.

The chorus will be on summer break until the first Monday after Labor Day. As always, new members are welcome to join us at that time. We rehearse on Mondays in the social hall of Saint Paul E&R UCC Church / 6464 East Lovers Lane / Dallas TX 75214 at 7 PM. If you are interested in joining us, please contact:

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# Saengerfest 2024/Austin Saengerrunde



We are excited to host the 76th annual Deutsch-Texanischer Saengerfest. This year also marks the 145th anniversary of the Austin Saengerrunde. We invite you to join us as we mark this occasion with music, song and Gemütlichkeit.

## **Saturday, May 4, 2024**

Saengerrunde Hall  
1607 San Jacinto Blvd Austin, TX 78701

### **Schedule:**

- 2:00 – 3:00pm Chorgemeinschaft Rehearsal
- 3:00 – 5:00pm Delegates' Meeting
- 6:30 – 10:00pm Dinner and Dance
  - Music by The Seven Dutchmen Orchestra

## **Sunday, May 5, 2024 at the Palmer Events Center**

Exhibit Hall 2 (North)  
900 Barton Springs Rd, Austin, TX 78704

### **Schedule:**

- 9:00 am Coffee and Pastries
- 10:00-10:30am Damenmassenchor Rehearsal
- 10:30-11:00am Maennermassenchor Rehearsal
- 11:00-11:30am Gemischtermassenchor Rehearsal
- 11:30-1:30pm Lunch
- 1:30-3:30pm Concert

Cheryl Cypert from the TSV d'Holzlar reports the following:

We are in the process of lining up our performances this year for TSV d'Holzlar. We wanted to pass along dates of the events we normally perform at, but we do not have times finalized yet. The items marked with \*\* are [Gauverband Nordamerika](#) events (our larger organization.) If anyone wants to attend one of those events, have them reach out to us at [tsvallgau@gmail.com](mailto:tsvallgau@gmail.com).

### **January**

No events

### **February**

2/3 -- [Winterfest](#) Judging

2/10 - TSV Annual Meeting

2/24 -- [SG Alpenrose Orlando's Fahnenweihe Celebration](#) \*\*

### **March**

3/22-3/24 -- [Tomball GermanFest](#)

3/23 -- Wylie Multicultural Event Performance

### **April**

4/5-4/6 -- [Westbezirksfest](#), Sacramento, CA \*\*

4/5-4/6 -- [Mittlewest Bezirks Heimatfest](#), Leavenworth, KS \*\*

4/25-4/27 -- Muenster [GermanFest](#)

### **May**

5/3-5/5 -- [GauNA Delegates Meeting](#), Newark, DE \*\*

5/18 -- [BGTV D'Lustigen Holzhacker Buam 100th Anniversary](#) \*\*

### **June**

6/6-6/9 -- Huosigau [Heimattage/Gaufest](#), Steinbach, Germany \*\*

6/8 -- Bayerischer Löwe \*\*

6/9 -- Festzug & Festtag \*\*

6/28 - [Vier Länder Gebietsfest, Toledo, OH](#) \*\*

### **July**

7/26-7/28 -- 44. Milwaukee [Germanfest](#)

### **August**

8/24 -- [Auerhahn Schuhplattler 45th Stiftungfest](#), Oley, PA \*\*

## **September**

9/19-9/22 -- [Addison](#) Oktoberfest Performance  
9/26-9/28 -- [FW](#) Oktoberfest  
9/27-/29 -- [McKinney](#) Oktoberfest Performance

## **October**

10/4-10/6 - [Muenster](#) Oktoberfest Performance  
10/5 -- [Frisco](#) Oktoberfest Performance  
10/17-10/20 -- [Tulsa](#) Oktoberfest  
TBD -- [Southlake](#) Oktoberfest Performance  
10/12 -- [Celina](#) Oktoberfest Performance

## **November**

11/1-11/10 -- [WurstFest](#), New Braunfels, TX

## **December**

TBD -- [Tomball](#) Oktoberfest, Tomball, TX  
TBD-- [Texas Christkindl Market](#), Arlington, TX

## **2025**

April 25-27 -- [100. Jubiläum, GTV Almrausch](#), Philadelphia, PA \*\*  
July 3-6 -- [30. Gaufest](#), Newark, DE \*\*

Please let us know if there are any questions.  
Thanks!  
Cheryl



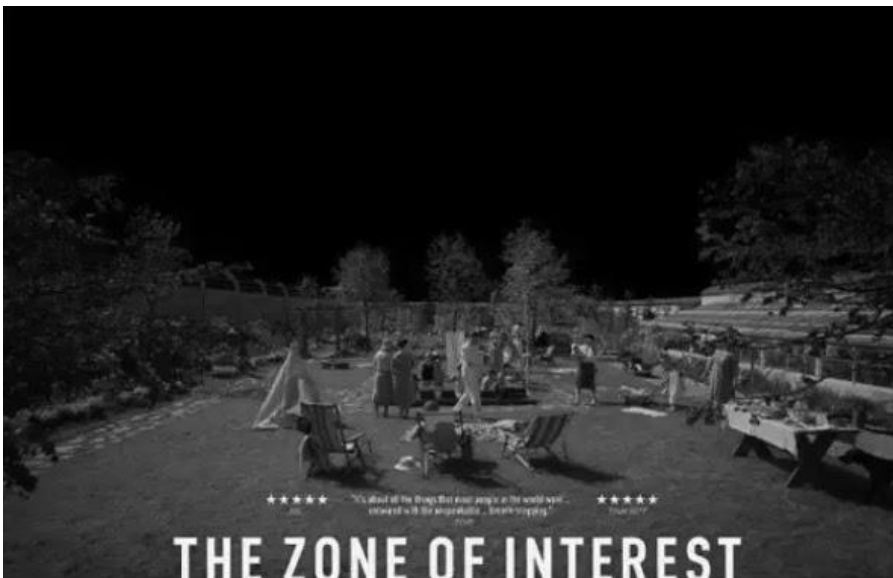
## Upcoming Events

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### Film Discussion

"The Zone of Interest"

May 2, 2024 | Thursday | 7:00 PM



***The Zone of Interest* is a 2023 historical drama film written and directed by Jonathan Glazer, co-produced between the United Kingdom, the United States and Poland. The film is loosely based on the 2014 novel by Martin Amis.**

**At the movie's center is a dream house built on nightmares. The film focuses on the life of Auschwitz commandant Rudolf Höss (Christian Friedel) and his wife Hedwig (Sandra Hüller), who live with their family in that home in the "Zone of Interest" next to the concentration camp.**

**Rudolf Höss is the commandant of Auschwitz, and he and his wife have been granted a fine parcel of land adjacent to the camp. Their elegant house meets all their needs, surrounded by a garden of bright flowers for their children to play in.**

***The Zone of Interest* is a disturbing look at how easily evil can be normalized, although its slow pace will challenge some viewers. It's a thought-provoking and controversial work that delves into the horrors of the Holocaust.**

**[Watch the movie](#) before Thursday, May 2nd, then join the Zoom meeting at 7:00PM and come prepared with your comments and questions. DGC Board Member Marsha McCoy will once again be our moderator, and other Board Members will participate in the discussion as well.**

**Just dial in here to join the Zoom meeting:  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89270509661?pwd=Q3dvKzllc296UVlUcGlscE5LN0IsQT09>**

**Meeting ID: 892 7050 9661  
Passcode: 241555**

**For further questions please email  
us: [info@dallasgoethecenter.org](mailto:info@dallasgoethecenter.org).**

**We look forward to seeing you on Thursday, May 2nd @7:00**

**PM via Zoom!**

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## **Der Treff**

**May 3, 2024 | Friday | 6:30 PM**



**Please join us for a fun gathering in a casual atmosphere, where we look forward to varied conversations and a lively exchange about German culture and more. Meet old friends and make new ones!**

**The event is open to both DGC members and non-members.**

**Location:  
La Madeleine  
1320 W Campbell Rd  
Richardson, TX 75080  
[Map](#)**

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**Lecture by James Hollifield**

**Professor Director of the Tower Center for Public Policy and  
International Affairs**

**"The Crisis of Human Displacement"**

**May 18, 2024 | Saturday**

**More details will follow soon.**

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**Community News & Events**

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**Dallas Chamber Music Society concert**

**Brooklyn Rider**

**May 6, 2024 | Monday | 7:30 PM**





**The concert is at Caruth Auditorium at SMU: 6101 Bishop Blvd, Dallas, TX 75205**

**Dallas Chamber Music Society is offering a 30% discount on tickets for Goethe Center members. If tickets are bought online, the discount will apply at checkout. Please enter the code GOETHE.**

**Tickets can be purchased at this link:  
<https://dallaschambermusicociety.ticketleap.com/brooklyn-rider/>**

**Please find information about the Brooklyn Rider/Blaue Reiter association [here](#).**

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**German Language Program**

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## Classrooms

**In-person classes are held at Kessler Park, Methodist Church,  
1215 Turner Ave, Dallas, TX 75208.**

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**When are the language classes?**

**Ongoing  
Spring Term: Sat Jan 13, 2024 - Sat May 11, 2024  
(no class March 16, 30)**

**Find more about [group lessons](#).**

**In-person classes are held at  
[Kessler Park](#), 1215 Turner Ave, Dallas, TX 75208.**

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## Summer Camp

**We will be offering a summer camp from June 8 to July 27, in  
person and online if possible. Details will be online soon.**

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**Next Goethe exams**

**June 23, 2024  
November 12, 2024**

**We offer the new C1 Goethe Exam. Find [here](#) more information about it.**

**Exams are held at**

**University of Dallas  
Anselm Hall  
[1845 E. Northgate Dr.](#)  
[Irving TX 75062](#)**

**[Find more about Goethe Exams](#)**

**DGC students and members receive a discount when booking an exam!**

**Please check on our [Website](#) and [REGISTER NOW!](#)**

**For further questions please contact [Alexandra Walker](#), our Education Coordinator.**



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We want to hear from YOU!  
If you have upcoming events, notifications, or news that you would like  
to share with GAC members and friends, please send to

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THANKS!