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THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE GERMAN AMERICAN CLUB OF DALLAS, INC.

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MISSION STATEMENT:

The German American Club of Dallas, Inc. has the objective to promote good relations between persons of German descent and all other Americans.

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## **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

# ***FROHE WEIHNACHTEN***



**Annual GAC Weihnachtsfeier**  
**Sunday Afternoon, December 14, 2025**  
**1:00 PM-5:00 PM**  
**A.W. Harris Faculty Club**  
**UT Southwestern Medical Center**  
5323 Harry Hines Boulevard  
Dallas, TX 75390

Dinner, Dessert, Tea, Coffee, Beer, Wine and Soft Drinks are included. As always please bring your favorite Kuchen und Platzchen for the dessert table to supplement the holiday deserts provided by the Faculty Club.

Helga Beckman will entertain us and Dallas Frohsinn Gesangverein will lead us in holiday songs.

*Please note that our Christmas Party is **\*\*NOT\*\*** being held at Brookhaven Country Club. It will take place at our usual location: The Alfred William Harris Faculty Alumni Center.*

## **DIRECTIONS**

- **Go to the facility address given above and parking is on the third level.**
- Please note that as you enter the driveway for the facility, head straight toward parking garage.
- There is usually a big sign that says, "No Entry". Ignore the sign and enter the garage.
- Circle round and round until you reach level three and see signs for the Faculty Center.
- Find the nearest empty parking space and you will have arrived.

This event is free to all members. Non-members will be charged \$25.00. Children of members ages 18 and older are considered non-members. We invite them to become members of the GAC.

**Please make your reservations with Elisabeth Williams by 12-9-2024.** You can either Email: ewilliams0516@sbcglobal.net or Text (please no phone calls): 214-316-5185

## **DUES AND INITIATION FEES 2026**

A reminder that dues for the GAC of Dallas are due in full by Tuesday 12-31-2024 payable by check or cash (no credit cards please) \$24.00/person. Dues will be accepted at the door at our annual Christmas Party on Sunday 12-14-2024 or can be mailed to:

Carolyn Huggins  
3737 Seguin Dr.  
Dallas, TX 75220



## GAC KARNEVAL AM RHEIN/FASCHINGS BALL

GAC Karneval am Rhein/Faschings Ball will be held on  
Saturday February 14, 2026 from 4-9 PM

Venue to be announced

The Alpenmusikanten Band will perform for us on Valentines' Day!  
Prepare to come and dance the night away!

## GAC ANNUAL TRIP – SEDONA, ARIZONA 2025

Members enjoyed 4 nights at the Los Abrigados Resort and Spa, and the Tlaquepaque, home to more than 50 world class shops, galleries and some of the best restaurants in Arizona – all located on the property. Members went on the Verde Canyon Railroad in Clarksdale, Arizona, which provided an unforgettable journey through Arizona's longest running nature show. Other tours were taken to view the beautiful exotic landscape.





## GAC 60<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY PARTY IN OCTOBER- DENIM, DIRNDLS TO DIAMONDS

A very festive evening was had by all! A fantastic band played all kinds of music, providing an exciting evening for the dancers.

Many thanks to the special people that made this evening possible:

GERLINDE SMITH for organizing, working on and creating the event!

HELGA BECKMAN for playing German and other music all night!

A hearty DANKE SCHON!

And thank you to the GAC Board for a memorable and fun evening!

## WIR GRATULIEREN ZUM GEBURTSTAG!

November	December
11/01 Sydney Barragan	12/01 Irene McBride
11/04 Richard Collins	12/01 Christian Cypert
11/06 Elisabeth Williams	12/06 Inge Cordie
11/09 Brigitte Krabel	12/11 Jill Schulz
11/09 Ray Sims	12/16 Sharon Coleman
11/10 Helen Frame	12/21 Elke Steinheimer
11/15 John Vagasky	12/23 Karl Kuby
11/16 Howard Gibson	12/24 Elke Müller
11/18 Louise Hield	12/25 Linda Winkler
11/20 Hannelore Copeland	12/28 Alexandra Walker
11/22 Karen Anstead	12/29 Nichole Case
11/27 Carla Shelton	12/28 Kurt Fuhrer
11/29 Robin Rose	12/31 Larry Smith





Every Saturday morning from 10:30 to?????  
Henk's Restaurant 5811 Blackwell Street Dallas, Texas  
GAC members meet for breakfast/lunch and friendly conversation!  
Every 3rd Saturday, birthdays for that month are celebrated with cake!  
Come and join the fun!

**BEST WISHES FOR THE NEW  
YEAR!**