

# PROUDLY SERVING THE ENNIS COMMUNITY SINCE 1908

"The mission of the American Sokol is to provide fitness and community for individuals and families through physical, educational, cultural, and social programs."

Membership Awards & Annual Members' Meeting Nov 19

Wednesday, November 19th will be our Annual Members' Meeting and Membership Awards Ceremony in the Dining Room. All members are encouraged to attend. Awards Ceremony starts at 6:30pm followed by the Annual Meeting with elections of officers. The Clubroom opens at 5pm.

# **ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR 2026**

If you are interested in being an elected officer of Sokol Ennis, please contact 972-875-7959 or email membership@sokolennis.com by November 15th. Info about elected offices & the annual meeting can be found at www.sokolennis.com/about.



#### GYMNASTICS REPORT

We have started our new season!

We are doing a Quilt Raffle \$1 a ticket. We are also doing a Nintendo Switch/Headphone Beats Basket for \$5 a ticket.

#### **VOLLEYBALL REPORT**

Adult Volleyball play is Wednesday 730 till around 10. Must be 17 for these teams!

#### POOL REPORT

The pool is closed till spring! Will start renting the pool for next season in January 2026!

If interested in Registering, New membership to Sokol, and Raffle tickets you can email me at <a href="mailto:inoplis80@gmail.com">inoplis80@gmail.com</a>, come to the gym Monday 5pm to 8 pm , Tuesday 4-7, or come by the clubroom Monday and Wednesday!

Thank you
Joanna Wilson
Physical Director/Gymnastic Manager/Pool Manager Sokol KHB Ennis
Southern District Women's Director

## Czech & Slovak Heritage Day October 12 at Sokol Dallas

The annual Czech & Slovak Heritage Day hosted by the American Czech Culture Society will take place Oct. 12, 11am-6pm at Sokol Dallas, 7448 Green Ave. Admission is \$10 per person (ages 16 & under free). Music by Dallas Czech Orchestra, UNT Dechovka Band, Laddie Gajdica Jam Session and Ennis Czech Boys. Czech Beseda Dancers of Ennis and Fort Worth will also perform. There will be a kolache eating contest, stein hosting contest & children's activities. Email eventinfo@sokoldallas.org for info.

# Monthly Members' Meeting Oct 15

Our next monthly members' meeting is Wednesday, Oct 15th at 7pm in the Dining Room. All members are encouraged to attend. Sokol values your interest & welcomes your involvement in the organization. There are many opportunities for youth & adult members to be involved. Involving the entire family in volunteer activities addresses the benefits of youth volunteering while utilizing the volunteer resource of adults with children. Sokol encourages parents and their children to volunteer together! Members are also encouraged to provide feedback & offer ideas on Sokol's educational, physical, cultural, & social programs & activities. Members' Meetings normally occur every 3rd Wednesday of the month.

# Dallas Cowboys Watch Parties Oct 19, Oct 26 & Nov 23

Sokol Ennis Clubroom will be open Sunday October 19th, October 26th and November 23rd for the Dallas Cowboys game. Doors open 2pm. Game at 3:25pm. Spin-the Wheel drink specials. No smoking (allowed on patio). Flat screens & sound system in Clubroom & on patio. The Clubroom has a full bar with a large variety of beverages. Pizza, chicken strips, corn dogs, French fries, tater tots, cheese sticks, jalapeno poppers, bread pretzels & snacks also available for purchase at bar.

## Monday Night Football / Dallas Cowboys Nov 3 & Nov 17

Come to the Clubroom to watch Monday Night Football! Nov 3rd Cowboys vs Cardinals & tacos will be provided. Nov 17th Cowboys vs Raiders & burgers will be provided. Bring a dish or snack if you like. Clubroom is regularly open Mondays & Wednesdays 5pm-11pm.

#### Czech Movie & Social Nov 6 & Dec 4

The next Monthly Czech Movie & Social is Thursday, Nov. 6th in the Clubroom. Doors open 5pm. Accordion Music by David Slovak 6pm. Featured Film "Laputa" 7pm. For questions or comments: Victor Havel 817-714-8323 or Kyle Stuckly 817-925-1673, Ellis County Czech Heritage Society.

#### OCTOBER IS CZECH HERITAGE MONTH!

In 1982 the Texas Legislature declared the month of October as Czech Heritage Month.

#### **SOKOL MEMORIAL DAY OCTOBER 8**

Sokol Memorial Day honors the memory of more than 1,500 members of the nation's oldest athletics association, who were arrested by the Gestapo on Oct. 8, 1941 by the order of Reich protector Reinhard Heydrich. The arrested members of Sokol were tortured and sent to Nazi concentration camps, with only few of them surviving the war. During the following years of World War II, thousands more Sokol members died. Despite the danger they faced, many of them participated in Heydrich's assassination.

#### **CALENDAR – UPCOMING EVENTS**

Oct 15 Monthly Members Meeting - Dining Room 7pm

Oct 19 Dallas Cowboys Watch Party - Clubroom 2pm / Game 3:25pm

Oct 26 Dallas Cowboys Watch Party - Clubroom 2pm / Game 3:25pm

Nov 1 Southern District Annual Meeting - Sokol Ennis 12pm

Nov 3 Monday Night Football Party (Cowboys vs Cardinals) - Clubroom 5pm / Game 7:15pm

Nov 6 Czech Heritage Society Social & Czech Movie: "Laputa" - Clubroom 6pm

Nov 17 Monday Night Football Party (Cowboys vs Raiders) - Clubroom 5pm / Game 7:15pm

Nov 19 Annual Members' Meeting & Membership Awards - Dining Room 6:30pm

Nov 23 Dallas Cowboys Watch Party - Clubroom 2pm / Game 3:25pm

Dec 4 Czech Heritage Society Social & Czech Movie: TBA - Clubroom 6pm

Email any ideas for fundraisers & social events to the Ways & Means Committee at fundraising@sokolennis.com

Join Sokol Ennis Members Group on Facebook to get upcoming event notices & other info

"Take bold steps this October and watch your life transform."

# October / November Birthdays

October			November		
1	Lanicek	Wesley	1	Hernandez	Lezlee
1	Liska	Russell	1	Matous	Joseph
1	Morales	Trenton	1	Zollinger	Jason
1	Smith	Chelsea	1	Alferez	Alejandro
1	Block	Marilee	3	Liska	Michael
2	Kalat	Patti	3	Barak	Lindsey
2	Pool	Elaine	4	Arevalo	Kala
3	Markham	Joann	4	Gonzalez	Shelly
3	Soroka	Tommy	6	Morales	Calleigh
3	Haskovec	Edwin	6	Coile	Riza
5	Ozymy	Patricia	6	Hinton	Mariah
5	Jackson	Chelcee	7	Butler	Laurie
7	Pouzar	Lily	8	Green	Caitlin
8	Almond	Kalea	9	Trickett	Benjamin
9	Carrillo	Arthur	9	Erisman	Robert
9	Langer	Emily	10	Corral	Cesar
9	Larson	Nancy	10	Crook	Jill
9	McGuire	Johna	11	Lenz	Aaron
10	Trujillo	Enelixsa	12	Matus	Wilma
11	Liska	David	13	Erwin	Wilson
11	Huddle	Jennifer	14	Valek	Jerry
12	Liska	Kyle	15	Clark	Brian
12	Slovak	Anna	15	Martinez	Maria
12	O'Brien	Thomas	15	Martinez	Ezekiel
13	Liska	Nannette	15	Zapletal	Andrew
15	Valek	Matt	16	Patlan	Jessica
15	Hickman	Michael	17	Anderson	Sami
16	Hernandez	Joel	17	Reeve	Chip
16	Korthauer	Nicole	18	McElroy	Greg
17	Mikel	Steven	19	Betik	Thomas
18	Slovak	Jennifer	19	Bouska	Loraine
19	Maus	Laura	19	Cerda	Abigail Rodriguez
19	Valek	Benny	21	Cruz	Anita
19	O'Brien	Lilly	22	Boon	Laura
20	Frossard	Dianne	23	Spurgeon	Lisa
20	Houdek	David	23	Rodriguez	Trinity
21	Matus	Harry	23	Tompkins	Jan

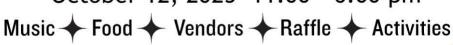
October			November		
22	Turner	Cheyenne	24	Johnson	Wyatt
25	Hernendez	Raul	24	Gamble	Ami
25	Houdek	Jim	25	Elleven III	Charles
26	French	Shelli	25	Vasquez	Chelsea
27	Morales	Georgie	27	Barak	Marita
27	Wilson	Joanna	27	Bragg	Connie
28	Laznovsky	Lori	27	Ondrusek	Rusty
28	Vondra	Barbara	27	Avila	Jose & Alma
28	Slovacek	Timothy	28	Elleven	Raymond
29	Blake	Kathleen	30	Elleven	James
30	Burris	Agnes			
31	Contreras	Jose			

SOKOL DALLAS, BETTER LIFE, SPJST, KJT, KJZT, RVOS, VH CZECH SCHOOL AND SLOVAK CONSULATE

#### **PRESENT**

# **CZECH & SLOVAK** HERITAGE DAY

October 12, 2025 11:00 - 6:00 pm



Dallas Czech Orchestra Beseda Danncers of Ennis & Ft. Worth VH Czech School Dancers Czexasanka, UNT Brass Band Laddie Gajdica Jam Session **Ennis Czech Boys** 

Admission \$10 per person (ages 16 & under free)

@ SOKOL Dallas 7448 Greenville Ave. Dallas, Texas 75231

Wear Kroi. Bring instruments for the jam session.

