

# President's Letter

Hi Fellow Members;

HAPPY BIRTHDAY GASCON!!

On June 21<sup>st</sup>, we will be celebrating our 45<sup>th</sup> anniversary at the German-American Social Club of Nevada. We were incorporated in 1971 and purchased our clubhouse in 1981.

On Tuesday June 21<sup>st</sup>, we will be celebrating with the Jazz Group by having free admission, cake, and a glass of champagne!! Drop by and help us toast the club!

That will happen at 8:00 pm.

On June 18<sup>th</sup>, we'll be having what I have initiated as the Presidents Awards to recognize our extraordinary volunteers and committee people that make our club work.

In addition, Beverly Long that same night, will be awarding membership pins to our members with 5, 10, 15, 20, 30 and up years with the club

On June 25<sup>th</sup>, we will be honoring past boards of directors for their contributions over the last 45 years to keep our club operating for so long.

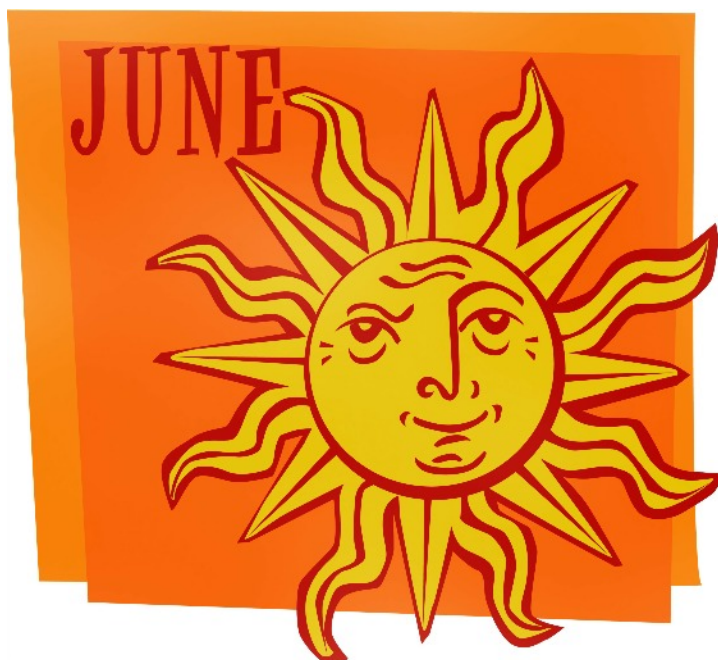
Please make plans to join us for these very special events.

Voting for the new board will be Saturday, June 4<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 6pm and the end of the current board will be June 30<sup>th</sup>.

On behalf of the board, it's been our honor serving our club this last year.

At the first opportunity in June we will introduce our new board.

Your President,  
Steve Oldham



## Upcoming Dinners

**Saturday June 4**

**VOTING from 10 am to 6 pm**

Nurenberg Brats with Potato Salad by Ingrid

\$13.00 members/\$16.00 visitors

*Please reserve by June 1*

**Saturday June 11**

**Helen and Art Ruckle's Renewal of Vows**

Schnitzel by Erika

Music by Oompa Rama

**SEATING IS LIMITED!**

\$15.00 members/\$18.00 visitors

*Please reserve by June 8*

**Saturday June 18**

**President's Awards Night**

**Member & Volunteer Recognition Night**

Stuffed Pork Roast with Mashed Potatoes and Salad

by Rita and Alexandria

\$13.00 members/\$16.00 visitors

*Please reserve by June 15*

**Saturday June 25**

**Honoring Past Board Members**

Beef Gulasch, Spaetzle Pasta, and Red Cabbage by Silvia

\$13.00 members/\$16.00 visitors

*Please reserve by June 22*

**Call the club to make reservations  
by the preceding Wednesday !**

**(702)649-8503**

# Vote

Voting for the new board will be

**SATURDAY JUNE 4th**  
**10am to 6pm**

## Membership News



### WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Alwine & Mark Cushman  
Karen Jaikiowski  
Mikel Sipes  
Daniel Tuziak  
Cherif Tadwi  
Pier Puella

### Hi Members:

It is time to pay your annual dues; they are due July 1, 2016. For all those members who pay their dues by June 30, 2016, you will receive a FREE drink. Please remit your dues to the club in the amount of \$25.00 per person for the year 7/1/16 - 6/30/17.

Our dues are not being raised but for each member that has not paid their dues by September 1, 2016, you must include a \$10 late charge.

New members can pick up their membership cards at the Brunch and General Membership meeting on **June 12**. Brunch starts at 11:00 AM and the cost is \$8.00 for members and \$11.00 for visitors. The General Membership meeting starts at 1 PM.

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## Heimatabend

The April Heimatabend hosted by Joanne Milton was a great success! The Gumbo was by far the best ever! Thank you Fran Caldwell for sharing your recipe with Joanne!! The cat fish was very tasty also, followed by lemon pie, Southern Style! Thanks again Joanne for all your work!

The "Berlin " themed Heimatabend in May, hosted by Silvia Brunn drew over 50 people and went over "dufte", (that's what we say in Berlin for "great") We started out with a Currywurst appetizer, then a Berliner Potato Soup followed by a "Berliner Bulette" for the main course and Chocolate Pudding with Vanille Sauce for dessert. Weisse mit Schuss was also available. Thank you to Ralf and Carmen for bringing the napkins and decorations directly from Berlin and for helping throughout the evening! Christina was our bartender at both events.

The date and theme for the June Heimatabend will be announced in the updates. There is a chance that we may hold Heimatabend on Sundays in the future, because some of our top cooks work during the week and cannot fit it into a week day. Please let me know what you think about that possible change.

If you are interested in hosting a night,  
please call Silvia Brunn,  
Heimatabend Chairperson  
702-876-8221



## TUESDAY 630PM-10PM VINTAGE VEGAS Jazz Tuesdays

at the German-American Social Club  
Dancing, Drinks, Food, and FUN!  
\$2 Cover Members \$7 Cover for Visitors  
Cash Only Please

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Find us on Facebook: [www.Facebook.com/GASCONVegas](http://www.Facebook.com/GASCONVegas)



# The Schützen Group

In April, the Shooting group brought home the bacon. We came in first place in the shoot at San Jose, CA and the Shoot here in Las Vegas. We hope to do the hat trick at the shoot on July 15<sup>th</sup> in Anaheim, CA.

The Schützen Group meets the first Saturday of every month at our clubhouse at 11am. Our next meeting will be at the clubhouse on June 4<sup>th</sup>. We are looking for new members, either Male or Female. If you are interested in seeing what we are about, please come visit.



## APRIL Financial Treasurers Report

The financial report is only available at the club or by email to keep it confidential for our members.



## Photos - Photos - Photos

Do you have GASCON photos? Please send them to Christina Gibson at

christinagibson924@yahoo.com

or put them on disk or storage device and leave at the bar for Christina.

Historic or current; fun, happy or embarrassing; GASCON or associated group photos needed. Christina will be putting a digital photo frame at the bar soon and she wants all of your photos.



Catch **The German Show** with Silvia Every Sunday Morning At 10 AM

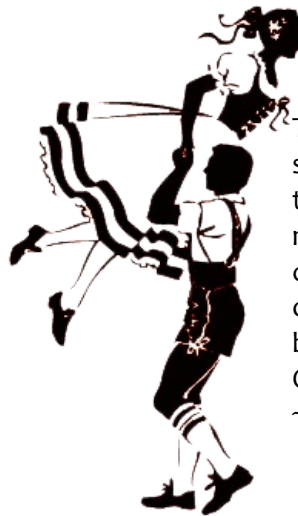


On KSHP 1400 AM Radio or STREAM the show online at [www.KSHP.com](http://www.KSHP.com)

Click on the "Listen Live" button in the top right hand corner

Call in to request a song or to chat with Silvia every Sunday morning

Interested in being a sponsor? Give Silvia a call at 702-876-8221



# Dance Group

The Dance Group had a wonderful spring season, Those who missed the Maifest at the club sure missed out, it was great, and the club was full. We will be taking a off until August 2016 when we will be getting ready for the Oktoberfest Season.

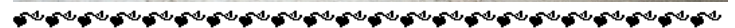
~Art



## Thank You!!

**A Special Thanks!** Thank you to **Sigrid Anton** for all the help she was to me for most of these events! We work together real well all this would have been a lot more difficult without her!! Thank you Sigrid, you are a charm!  
~Silvia Brunn

**A big "Thank You"** to **Ingrid Stewart** for picking out those beautiful new table cloths and thank you to **Silvia Brunn** for donating them to the club! They surely brighten up the room and look great when we serve dinner!



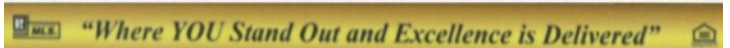
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## Friday Nights

The club is open on most Fridays (see calendar). Card players engage in several different card games. Members and guests are welcome to come down and play cards, have a drink and socialize. Chess, board games, and small meetings are welcome as space allows. Friday is Potluck night, so don't forget to bring a dish to share if you are participating.

## April Recap

### Gisela Ginsberg and Fabiano Buffadini

On April 3<sup>rd</sup>, the Las Vegas German Show celebrated the 700th Broadcast with a concert at the German-American Club. Our guest stars were Gisela Ginsberg, from Bacharach (Rhine Valley, Germany), who has performed for us many times before, and Fabiano Buffadini, a Tenor from Luxembourg, who sang for us for the very first time. It was a wonderful combination of Volksmusik, Schlager and Operette and everyone who attended enjoyed the afternoon immensely! We already have a line of guests for their next performance at our Club!

### Picnic With Andy

On April 24th "Andy", from Karlsruhe, Germany, entertained us in his very own fun style at our annual "Picnic with Andy". This was Andy's 10th performance at the German-American Club and as usual he had everybody off their seats and on their feet. This time Andy traveled with his wife Michaela, daughter Nadine and eleven people from his Fan Club; they all were a pleasure to be around! Thank you to the GW Schleidt Company for the beautiful items they donated to be auctioned off at both events! Proceeds went to the Las Vegas German Show.

## Golf News

We had a great time at our annual spring tournament at Durango Hills Golf Course!

Congratulations to the Irish Clovers captained by **Alex Klaus** with **Jim Conway**, **Jeff Schwob**, and **Christina Gibson**. A great 6 under par!!

Putting Champion **Dwayne Epps**  
 50/50 Putting **Steve Oldham**  
 Closest to the pin #6 **Nick Sneller**  
 #9 **Jack Kittle**  
 Longest drive **Brian Roy**  
 2nd place on pitch **Leanne Crabtree**  
**Kerri Clark**  
**Dwayne Epps**  
**Bill Klemens**  
 3rd place Sharks **Ingrid Stewart**  
**Jack Kittle**  
**Les Sharp**  
**Sandy Thompson**



We also held elections for a new golf president. Congratulations to our new co-presidents **Alex Klaus** and **George Brunn!!**

Be sure and keep the first weekend in November open for our Memorial Tournament in Laughlin. Thanks to everyone for a great job!!

**WE GOLF EVERY FRIDAY AND SUNDAY AT DURANGO HILLS.**  
**CONTACT OUR TEE-MEISTER ART AT 702-335-0690.**



## Sunshine Report

**DAWN CITTADINO** WAS IN THE HOSPITAL BUT IS NOW RECUPERATING AT HOME. ALL OF US AT THE GERMAN CLUB WISH HER A SPEEDY RECOVERY.

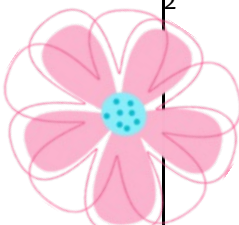
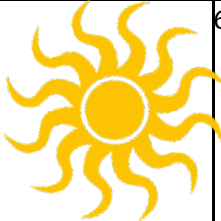
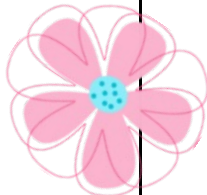
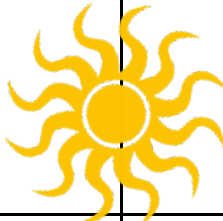
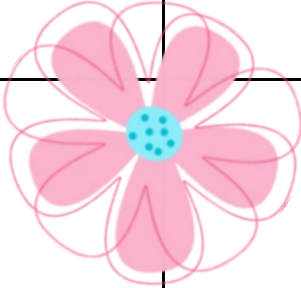
**Your Sunshine Girl:**  
**Rita Taschner**







# JUNE 2016

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 	2	3 Cards, Games, Potluck Night Doors open at 4 pm	4 The Schützen Group meets <b>VOTING 10-6</b> Dinner: Nurenberg Brats with Potato Salad by Ingrid \$13.00 members / \$16.00 visitors
5 	6	7 Jazz Night Doors open at 630 Music 7-10 \$2 members/\$7 visitors	8	9	10 Cards, Games, Potluck Night Doors open at 4 pm	11 <b>Helen and Art Ruckles Renewal of Vows</b> - Schnitzel by Erika and Music by Oompa Rama SEATING IS LIMITED! \$15.00 members/\$18.00 visitors
12 Brunch by Beverly, Karin, & Erika 11AM \$8 members/\$11 visitors - Membership Meeting 1PM	13 Board Meeting 6:30	14 Jazz Night Doors open at 630 Music 7-10 \$2 members/\$7 visitors	15	16	17 Cards, Games, Potluck Night Doors open at 4 pm	18 <b>President's Awards Dinner</b> - Stuffed Pork Roast with Mashed Potatoes and Salad by Rita and Alexandria \$13.00 members/\$16.00 visitors
19 	20	21 <b>Celebration of 45 Year Club Anniversary &amp; Jazz Night Doors</b> open at 630 Music 7-10 \$2 members/\$7 visitors	22 	23	24 Cards, Games, Potluck Night Doors open at 4 pm	25 <b>Honoring Past Board Members</b> - Beef Gulasch, Spaetzle Pasta, and Red Cabbage by Silvia \$13.00 members/\$16.00 visitors
26	27 Board Meeting 6:30	28 Jazz Night Doors open at 630 Music 7-10 \$2 members/\$7 visitors	29	30 		

## Upcoming Dinners

As a courtesy to the Volunteer Cooks, please make your dinner reservation by the WEDNESDAY prior to the dinner.

If you made a reservation and cannot make it, please call the club and let us know as soon as possible. Thank you for being courteous. Serving starts at 6:00 pm - \$13 members / \$16 non-members unless specified

**702-649-8503**

# 2015-2016 Board of Directors

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GASCON Golf Group	Alex Klaus, George Brunn		
Las Vegas Schützen	Art Ruckle	702-335-0690	artruckle@cox.net
Skat Group	George Brunn	702-860-7874	



JOIN US ON

Tuesday June 21 and

*Celebrate 45 Years*

of the

**German-American Social Club of Nevada**

at

*Vintage Vegas Jazz Night*

Free admission, Cake, and a Glass of Champagne!!

Drop by and help us toast the club!

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# JUNE 2016

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Brunch by Karin, Erika, and Beverly

Celebration of 45 Year Club Anniversary

Presidents Awards Dinner - Member & Volunteer Recognition Night

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Tuesday Jazz Nights - Friday Night Cards, Games, & Potluck

