

# MARCH

## PRESIDENT'S LETTER

It is with great pleasure that I announce that your board of directors has voted unanimously to nominate Mike O'Brien for the club's highest honor, lifetime membership.

Over the past 16 years, Mike has been an irreplaceable member of our club serving as bartender, bar manager, maintenance whenever needed and a member on several of our board of directors.

Mike has also saved the club thousands of dollars with his purchasing skills. Whenever asked to help, Mike's response is usually, "I'll be right over."

I believe this award should be given for sustained effort over a period of years. And we should be very selective about whom we nominate.

Mike O'Brien fits the criteria and has earned our recognition and thanks with a lifetime membership.

I'll be announcing this nomination at our next membership meeting in March, and then we will vote at our membership meeting in April. Per our bylaws, we will need a 2/3 vote from our membership that day to approve.

We are currently putting together our booze barrel ready to be raffled off. If you would like to donate a bottle of something, just put it in the barrel.

Thank you to all our members and volunteers!

See you at the club!

*Steve Oldham*

## UPCOMING DINNERS

### March 4

Chicken schnitzel by Art and Skip

\$13/\$15

*Please reserve by March 1*

### March 11

Sliced ham and au gratin potatoes

by Alwine and Rita

Music by Angelica

\$15/\$18

*Please reserve by March 8*

### March 18

St. Patrick's Day party corn beef and cabbage

By Erika

Music by Jim Conway

\$15/\$18

*Please reserve by March 15*

### March 25

Rouladin by Silvia

\$13/\$15

*Please reserve by March 22*



## DANCE GROUP

The Dance Group practices every Wednesday at 7 p.m. We will be performing at the Bockbeerfest in Anaheim, Calif., on March 11. If you're interested in going, call Art at 702-335-0690 or come visit us at the club on Wednesdays.

## SCHÜTZEN

The Schützen Group normally meets the first Saturday of every month at our clubhouse at 11 a.m. However, on March 4 we're having our semi-annual BBQ in Pahrump.

We are looking for new members, male or female. If you want to see what we're all about, please come visit us at the club in April.

## TALENT SHOW

The German American Social Club of Nevada, in conjunction with David S Bach Entertainment Enterprises, invites you to "REACH FOR A STAR," a new variety amateur talent contest.

It's held every other Thursday from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. Admission is \$10, which includes a raffle.

Dinner is served from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m., featuring the music of "Tuneful Blend," for \$10. Make reservations (name, telephone number and how many dinners) by Monday at 702-953-6888. Modestly priced beverages.

There is no registration fee or admission charge for contestants. Call 702-953-6888 for more information.

Contestant auditions held weekly. If you or someone you know would like to become a contestant, call 702-953-6888 and leave your name, telephone number, email address and your special talent. This could be the break you've been looking for!

## CAKE AND COFFEE

Come to the German-American Social Club of Nevada for traditional coffee and cake hosted by Alwine from 2-4 p.m. on March 12. This is going to be a monthly event.



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Shawn Fowles, 11, entertained members at the Valentine's Day dinner by "Piping for a Cause." The champion bagpiper played a few tunes and accepted donations for Three Square Food Bank, which assists 300,000 people in Las Vegas. Shawn believes if everyone committed to making the world 1 percent better, a lot of suffering would be alleviated.



## LAS VEGAS VAGABONDS

Helau Las Vegas! We had a very short season this year, or it just seemed to go by quickly. In November, we opened our fifth Karneval season at GASCON and everyone had a lovely evening. Thank you everybody who came out to support us.

The Vagabonds attended GAMGA in January at the Tuscany hotel. Matt and Michell Schmidt were crowned GAMGA Prinzenpaar for 2017. We won first prize in the costume contest. I am so proud of everyone for putting the extra effort into our look this year. Steampunk never looked so sexy! What an exciting weekend!

After GAMGA, a few Vagabonds joined the GAMGA Prinzenpaar in San Diego for their Gatsby Party and Kinderkarneval. Thank you Starr and Ayla and boys.

Next up was Piratenball in Anaheim, attended by five pirate guilds and the Spanish Court, along with GAMGA Prinzenpaar.

The Vagabonds and GAMGA Prinzenpaar were represented again at Karneval auf der Reeperbahn and Kinderkarneval in Anaheim. They had the Yodeling Dominatrix act again.

Our season will round off in Sun City at Maskenball.

During the summer, Matt and Michell, as GAMGA Prinzenpaar, will attend GermanFest in Milwaukee (July 28-30). Anyone interested in joining our fun group can call me at 702-494-8433.

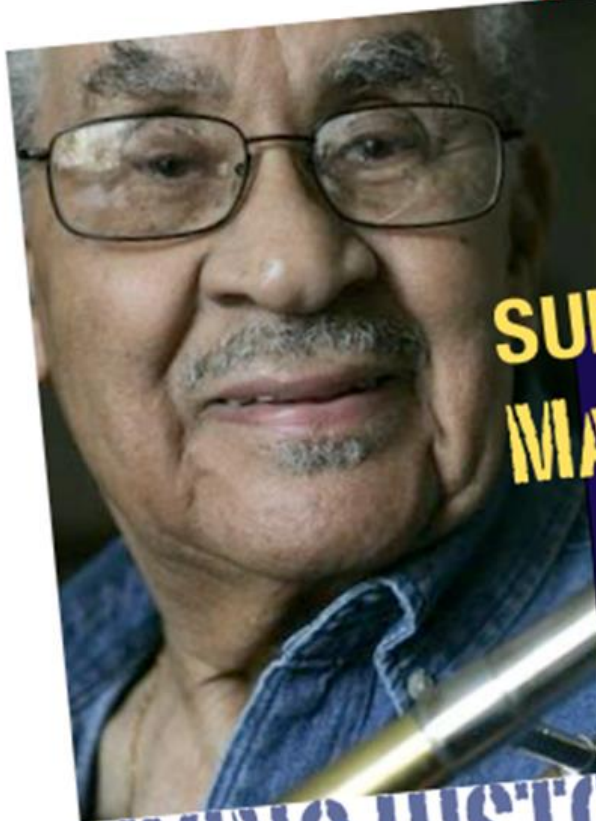
Michell "Doe" Schmidt  
Las Vegas Vagabonds





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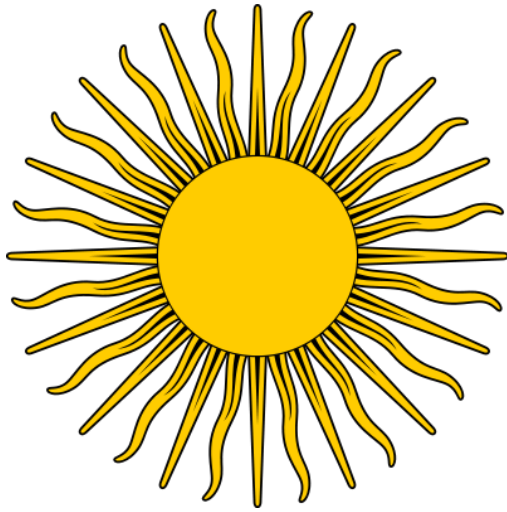
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## SUNSHINE REPORT

Ain't no sunshine when Rita's gone, only darkness when she's away.

Our Sunshine Girl underwent surgery on her right shoulder and said she's undergoing physical therapy and doing fine.

We all send our "Get Well" wishes to our Sunshine Girl, Rita Taschner. She brings a lot to the table.





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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 Dance Practice 7-9 p.m.	2	3 Card night and pot luck 5:30 p.m.	4 Chicken schnitzel by Art and Skip \$13/\$15 6 p.m.
5 Jimmy Wilkins Big Band, 1-4 p.m. \$12/\$15	6 Weight Watchers, 6:15 p.m.	7 Jazz night Doors open 6:30 Music 7-10 p.m.	8 Dance Practice 7-9 p.m.	9 Dinner and talent show 6 p.m. dinner 7 p.m. show	10 Card night and pot luck 5:30 p.m.	11 Sliced ham and au gratin potatoes By Alwine and Rita Music by Angelica \$15/\$18 6 p.m.
12 Cake and coffee by Alwine,	13 Weight Watchers, 6:15 p.m. Board meeting 7 p.m.	14 Jazz night Doors open 6:30 Music 7-10 p.m.	15 Dance Practice 7-9 p.m.	16	17 Card night and pot luck 5:30 p.m.	18 St. Patrick's Day Corned beef and cabbage by Erika Music by Jim Conway \$15/\$18 6 p.m.
19 Luncheon by Karin, Beverly and Erika, 11 a.m. Membership Meeting, 1 p.m.	20 Weight Watchers, 6:15 p.m.	21 Jazz night Doors open 6:30 Music 7-10 p.m.	22 Dance Practice 7-9 p.m.	23 Dinner and talent show 6 p.m. dinner 7 p.m. show	24 Card night and pot luck 5:30 p.m.	25 Rouladin by Silvia \$13/\$15 6 p.m. Awards night
26 Private party	27 Weight Watchers, 6:15 p.m. Board meeting 7 p.m.	28 Jazz night Doors open 6:30 Music 7-10 p.m.				

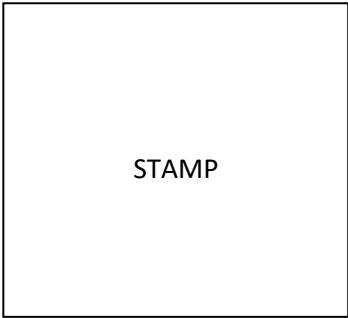
## UPCOMING DINNERS

As a courtesy to the volunteer cooks, please make dinner reservations by the WEDNESDAY prior to the dinner. If you made a reservation and cannot keep it, please call the club and let us know as soon as possible. Thank you for being courteous. Serving starts at 6 p.m. \$13 members/\$15 nonmembers unless specified. 702-649-8503



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**Jimmy Wilkins Big Band**

**St. Patrick's Day party**

**Tuesday night jazz**

**Friday night cards and potluck**

**Sunday luncheon**

**Thursday dinner and talent show**

