

UPCOMING DINNERS

March 7

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March 14

St. Patrick's dinner by Erika

March 21

Pulled pork by Matt

March 28

Meatloaf by Kyle

About the club

Our purpose is to educate and preserve German traditions, culture and heritage and to regularly meet in friendship, welcoming both German and non-German speaking individuals. Whether you are a native German or of German heritage or just love everything German, come celebrate your German spirit with us at the German-American Social Club of Nevada. We welcome visitors to our private club. Your first three visits without being a member are free. Please inquire about membership to keep attending our events. We are always looking for fresh faces and new ideas and welcome new memberships!



PRESIDENT'S LETTER

I am still honored to be your president. Over the last six months, this membership has stepped up to accomplish some incredible tasks. Your commitment to build and cooperation to give back to our club inspires me. Your generosity has quickly advanced the kitchen renovation. There is still a lot of work to do, but I want to thank all of you for getting this project smoothly off the ground.

As we work to keep our house in order, it is equally important to see to our neighbors. We have a strong bond with the Southern Nevada Sons and Daughters of Erin, and they have asked if any of our members would be willing to volunteer to help at their St. Patrick's Day celebration. This will be March 13-15. Not only is this a big fundraiser for our Irish cousins, but the event also contributes to fight childhood cancer. Please contact me if you would like to get involved.

We have great cooks and entertainers lined up for you every Saturday, so get out this month, support the club and greater Las Vegas community. I thank you for your friendship.

Your president,

Justin Crabtree

Member Profile: Hans Schwob



Hans enjoys fishing at Panguitch Lake near his vacation home in Brian Head, Utah. He also loves German music and listens to Silvia's German radio show every Sunday. He met his wife, Margaret, on a sailing trip to Catalina Island. Name: Hans Schwob

Age: 73

Hometown: Nordhausen, Germany

Education: Tennyson High School (Hayward, Calif.);

Chabot College

Occupation: Retired, Xerox technician representative

Family: Wife, Margaret; sons, Mike and Jeff; sister,

Karin; 2 grandchildren

In Las Vegas since: 1966

Club member since: 2006

Like several native German members of the German-American Club, Hans came to the United States through Canada and served in the U.S. Air Force at Nellis Air Force Base, settling in Las Vegas after leaving the military. His father snuck the family out of Russian-occupied Germany following World War II, but didn't like the Canadian winters and took a job with Union-Carbide in California. Hans knew about the German-American Club from eating pizza at a nearby restaurant, and stopped in one day to check it out. "Tom and Jake at the bar said, 'You should join.' I had to find something to do. I was retired," Hans says. He has served on the board of trustees, procured new dining chairs and performed various maintenance work for the club. He likes the people, music and food. And of course, the beer — light or dark.

Volunteers always needed

The German-American Club needs volunteers. No experience or special skills are required. We need cooks, kitchen helpers, servers, bartenders, cleaning crews, community service supervisors, launderers, cashiers and more. Can't do physical work? We also need members willing to call other members to check in with them, find out how they're doing and let them know what's going on at the club. Call Christina Gibson at 702-235-7797 if you can help in any way.

Dance practice, Schutzen scheduled

Dance practice is scheduled 7-9 p.m. every Wednesday at the German-American Club. Anyone interested in the dance group can contact Art Ruckle at 702-335-0690.

Schutzen practice will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 7, at the club. Our next shooting competition will take place in San Jose in April. If you are interested in seeing what we are about, contact Art at 702-335-0690.

GERMAN AMERICAN SOCIAL CLUB OF NEVADA MARCH ENTERTAINMENT

(All shows will also include some "German Favorites")

Ginger Bruner and Ken Pawlowski - March 7
(Authentic German Haxen or Rouladen Dinner, \$18)
Duo playing German Favorites for an authentic German evening.





Thomson Keefe - March 14 (St. Patrick's Dinner)

Duo playing standards and Irish tunes for our annual St. Patrick's celebration.

Bíaggío & Santíago - March 21

(Pulled Pork dinner)

Power house duo performing dance, classic rock, pop, country and Latin hits of the 50's, 60's 70's and 80's.





Back-In-Time - March 28
(Meatloaf Dinner)

Duo playing oldies, classic standards and country.

Tuesday Night Jazz - every Tuesday night from 6-9 pm at the club hosted by Marsha Ross.
 Cover charge is \$5 and a light dinner or sandwich is available for \$8. Doors at 5:30 pm.



Saturday Entertainment is from 6 pm – 9 pm. There is no cover charge and the German Club has a full bar.

Dinner is \$15 and you must call the club and make a reservation by the preceding Wednesday.

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About 60 members and guests joined the fun for the Super Bowl party at the German-American Club. We had a potluck dinner, basket raffle, Super Bowl squares and a raucous time rooting for the Chiefs and 49ers. Kansas City won the game, 31-20. Thanks to Gary and Jon for hosting the party.



Spring golf tournament May 16 at Durango Hills

Keep May 16 open to play in our annual spring tournament at Durango Hills Golf Club. The format this year is 2-person team scramble. Pick your team or we'll assign you to a team. We will have three flight assignments based on skill levels. All proceeds benefit the Paralyzed Veterans of America. The golf group is cooking dinner that evening, and we will have golf awards for the tournament and raffles to support the veterans. Sign-up sheet is in the club. We will need volunteers for the evening. Let Steve or Art know if you can help.

Favorable reviews

The German-American Club has received several favorable online reviews on Google My Business.

From Donna Flowers:
"Excellent social club.
Everyone is very friendly.
The people make you feel right at home."

From EvilTwinShell: "Great little bar!"





Haxen Stirs March Madness

Make your reservations early for March Madness Bavarian evening featuring haxen cooked by Silvia and Haxenmeister Skip and his crew.

Haxen was specially requested for the March 7 dinner, but rouladen is also available.

The German-American Club dance group will perform, and Ginger Bruner will provide great German music.

Don't miss this special evening! Make your PREPAID reservations (rouladen \$15, haxen \$18) by Feb. 29 either by mail or at the club since the dinner is expected to sell out.

Thanks for Football Parties

After a very successful five weeks of NFL playoff parties culminating in an epic Super Bowl party on Feb. 2, I need a break. These events would not have happened if not for the following people: first and foremost, thanks to Erika, whose guidance, energy and ideas added so much to the parties' success; my wife, Natalia, who put up with me every Sunday at the club; Jon, my wingman through thick and thin; Mike Sipes, who was there for every minute; and the mimosa crew for 74 bottles of champagne to support the bar. Honorable mention: Mike O'Brien for taking over the gambling ring; Skip for stepping in and helping whenever needed; and Jenna, our bartender, who went above and beyond to cater to every person for every Sunday. Serving drinks and food is not easy and she made it look that way. I would personally like to thank every member who came out to the football parties, as without your support we wouldn't have had them. I am so looking forward to next year and who knows ... maybe we will have a watch party every Sunday during the NFL season!

Gary Blanton

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESD	AY	THURSDA	4 <i>Y</i>	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3		4		5	6	7
Star Wars: The		Jazz night with	Dance				Card night, 4 p.m.	Haxen by Silvia,
Mandolorian 1-4		Marsha K,	practice,				Skat, 5:30 p.m.	music by Ginger and
movies with		6-9 p.m.	7-9 p.m.				other games	Ken, \$15;
Gary and		\$2/\$5						Schutzen, 11 a.m.
Natalia, potluck,								
noon-4 p.m.								
8	9	10		11		12	13	14
Star Wars: The		Jazz night with	Dance		Board		Card night, 4 p.m.	St. Patrick's dinner
Mandolorian 5-8		Marsha K,	practice,		meeting,		Skat, 5:30 p.m.	by Erika, music by
movies with		6-9 p.m.	7-9 p.m.		6:30 p.m.		other games	Thomson-Keefe, \$15
Gary and		\$2/\$5						
Natalia, potluck,								
noon-4 p.m.								
15	16	17		18		19	20	21
		Jazz night with	Dance				Club closed for	Pulled pork by Matt,
		Marsha K,	practice,				private party	music by Biaggio
		6-9 p.m.	7-9 p.m.					and Santiago, \$15
		\$2/\$5						
22	23	24		25		26	27	28
		Jazz night with	Dance		Board		Card night, 4 p.m.	Meatloaf by Kyle,
		Marsha K,	practice,		meeting,		Skat, 5:30 p.m.	music by Back In
		6-9 p.m.	7-9 p.m.		6:30 p.m.		other games	Time, \$15;
		\$2/\$5						membership
								meeting, 5:30 p.m.
29	30	31						
		Jazz night with						
		Marsha K,						
		6-9 p.m.						
		\$2/\$5						
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As a courtesy to the volunteer cooks, it's **required** that you make dinner reservations (702-649-8503) 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. Cost is \$15 unless otherwise specified.

OFFICERS								
President	Justin Crabtree	702-755-3151						
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St. Patrick's dinner
Tuesday night jazz
Wednesday dance practice
Friday night cards
Sunday movies
Schutzen practice

