



## UPCOMING DINNERS

**Nov. 6**

Closed for golf tournament

**Nov. 13**

Schnitzel by Alwine

**Nov. 20**

Haxen/Rouladen by Silvia and Skip

**Nov. 27**

Closed for Thanksgiving

### 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. We are always looking for fresh faces and new ideas and welcome new memberships! For more info, go to <http://www.germanamericanclubnv.com/>

## PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Even though we are closed two weekends in November, the other two more than make up for it. Both are annual events that have been part of the club for many years. The opening of Karneval season and Bavarian Night are type of things that keep the German culture alive in the club. I know we have all been looking forward to these events.

We are making a change to the November membership meeting. We did not want to interfere with the two major dinners going on, so we will have the meeting at 5:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 19.

Our Christmas committee is preparing for the annual club Christmas party on Dec. 11. Reservations must be paid in advance with the attached form. No phone reservations. Get your reservations in early; seats will be going fast.

As a reminder, **DO NOT** use the old club phone number to make dinner reservations. The call goes to the Magic Jack web site. They have not shut it off yet. Please use the new number **702-201-1448**.

Your president,

*Mark Cushman*

# Member Profile: Linda Snyder



Linda Snyder has taken an active role at the German-American Club, serving three terms as board secretary, helping with dinners and posting on the club's Facebook page. She creates artwork in acrylic, oils and pastels.

## Club always in need of volunteers

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.

**Name: Linda Snyder**

**Age: 77**

**Hometown: Omaha, Neb.**

**Education: Benson High school**

**Occupation: Legal secretary (retired)**

**Family: Daughter, Suzanne; companion, Jesse**

**In Las Vegas since: 1966**

**Club member since: 2015**

With an easy laugh and everlasting smile, Linda brightens up the German-American Club anytime she steps through the door. She brought a bundle of skills when she joined the club in 2015: taking notes as board secretary, cooking for Tuesday night jazz, working the cash register for Saturday dinners, posting on the club's Facebook page. She volunteers for Oktoberfest and Maifest, and along with her companion, Jesse, has perfected rolling apple strudel dough so thin you can read newspaper print through it. They're also amazing artists, having met at an art gallery. Jesse asked another artist, German-American Club member Rosa Coolbaugh, where they could hear live music, and she directed him to the club. Here, they found friendship that reaffirms our faith in humanity. "We both had long marriages and we had to establish new friends along the way," Linda says. She claims 31 percent German heritage, probably from her dad's side of the family, though her great-grandfather on her mother's side was Charles Wilhelm Schulz. One activity Linda would like to see added at the club is German cooking classes, taught by some of our excellent German lady cooks. Hailing from Omaha, Neb., Linda is engrained with the Midwest work ethic, and aside from Jesse stepping on her toes while dancing, they comprise quite a team. "We just participate in whatever we can to keep the club going."

The German-American Club raised \$1,300 for Reynaldo Martinez Elementary School, an underprivileged school in North Las Vegas, at the Oct. 16 charity dinner. Trustee Dan Lee organized the charity event. At right, he encourages guests to bid on items donated for the auction. Below, he sits with Vice Principal Frances Lucero, who spoke to the club about the school's minority student population, many of whom are undernourished when class is not in session. Linda Snyder counts tickets from the 50/50 raffle that amounted to \$180 for the winner.



Listen in to a show just for German-Americans

## 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





Join the Las Vegas  
Vagabonds for the  
Opening of their 28<sup>th</sup>  
Karneval Season!

Saturday, November 13<sup>th</sup>



Applaud the presentation of the  
Prinzenpaar!



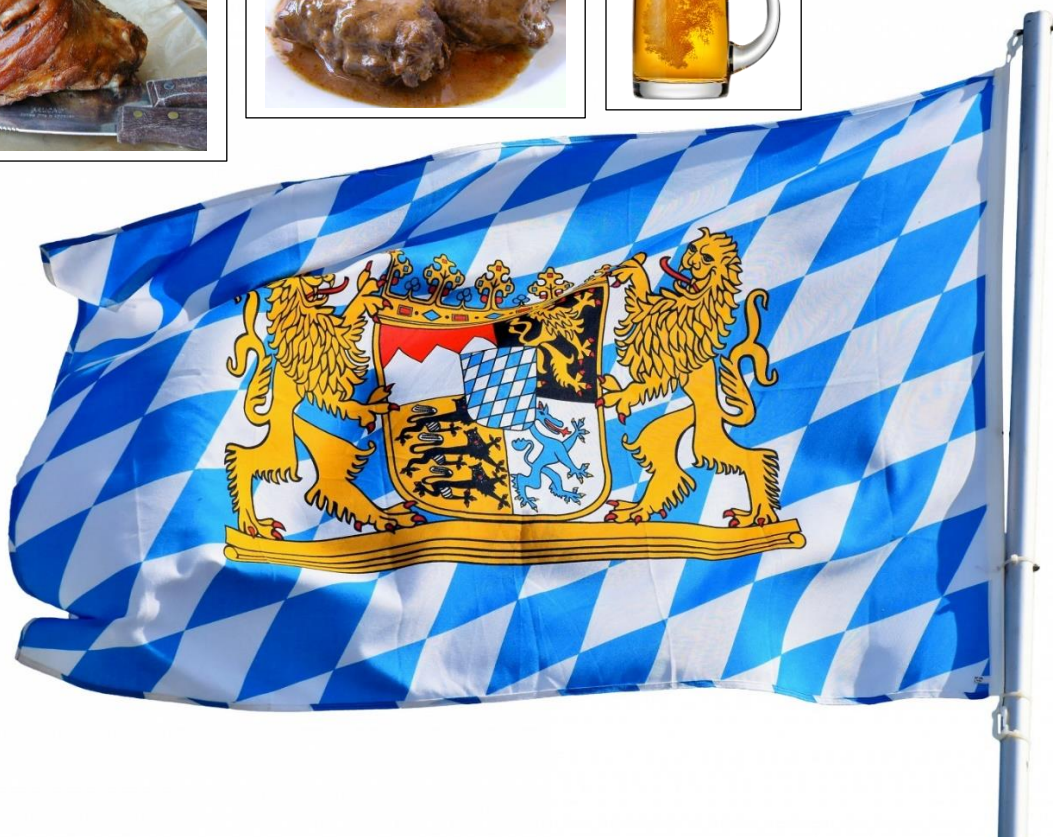
Music by Tim and Barb

#### What is Karneval?

It is the German version of Mardi Gras and often referred to as the "Fifth Season." It is celebrated between November 11 and Fat Tuesday. During this time, it is considered appropriate for the people to mock their religious and political institutions. Karneval mocks the government with its Prinz and Prinzessin (King and Queen), Elferrat (Council) and Hofdamen (Ladies of the Court). This celebration dates to medieval times. Costumes and masks are faire during the different fetes.



# 15th Annual Bavarian Night



Date: **Saturday, Nov. 20, 6 p.m.**

Chefs: **Silvia Brunn and Skip Hibbert; dessert by Ingrid Stewart**

Menu: **Schweinshaxe (pork shank) by Haxenmeister Skip, \$20; Rouladen by Silvia, \$18**

**IMPORTANT: Please specify which dinner you would like when you make your reservation; leaving your phone number is a must. Reservations available until sold out. Dinners must be paid for in person or by mail by Nov. 10**

Entertainment: **Music by Da Stuben Buben from Anaheim**

**This is a very special event that was created by Silvia Brunn 15 years ago in honor of Elsie Lappoehn, one of the founders of German-American Social Club of Nevada**

# Frohe Weihnachten

Join us this Christmas for an evening of music,  
dancing, fun and good food. Let's spend this  
wonderful night together at the German-  
American Social Club of Nevada



**Saturday, Dec. 11**

**at 6 p.m.**



Buffet-style dinner (members and family only).  
Party is semi-formal wear. Cost is \$25 a person.

**Please make reservations and pay in advance  
no later than Dec. 4. No phone reservations.**

**Reservation slip:** Pay with cash at the club, or mail check payable  
to GASCON, 1110 E. Lake Mead Blvd., North Las Vegas, 89030

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Number in Party: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_



# NOVEMBER 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> Dance practice, 6 p.m.	<b>4</b> Board meeting, 6 p.m.	<b>5</b> Closed for Laughlin golf tournament	<b>6</b> Closed for Laughlin golf tournament
<b>7</b> Closed for Laughlin golf tournament	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> Dance practice, 6 p.m.	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> Game night, 5 p.m.	<b>13</b> Karneval opening, Schnitzel by Alwine, music Barbie & Tim
<b>14</b> Private party	<b>15</b> NFL Monday Night Football	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> Dance practice, 6 p.m.	<b>18</b> Board meeting, 6 p.m.	<b>19</b> Game night, 5 p.m.; Membership meeting, 5:30 p.m.	<b>20</b> Bavarian night, haxen/rouladen by Silvia and Art, music by da Stuben Buben
<b>21</b> NFL football party with tailgate lunch, 10 a.m., \$5	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> Dance practice, 6 p.m.	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> Closed for Thanksgiving	<b>27</b> Closed for Thanksgiving
<b>28</b> Christmas decoration party, 12 p.m.	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>				

## UPCOMING DINNERS

As a courtesy to the volunteer cooks, it's **required** that you make dinner reservations (**702-201-1448**) 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.

The Original  
German-American Social Club of Nevada  
1110 East Lake Mead Blvd.  
North Las Vegas, Nevada 89030

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# *November 2021*

**Laughlin golf**

**Karneval opening**

**Bavarian night**

**Dance practice**

**Friday night games**

**Sunday football**

**Board meeting**

**Membership meeting**

