

UPCOMING DINNERS

Oct. 4-5

Oktoberfest with German food and live music

Oct. 12

Koenigsberger klopse (caper meatballs) by Silvia

Oct. 19

Lasagna roll-ups by Gene

Oct. 26

Pork roast by Art

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

October is here and this is when the club shines.

In a few short days we will open our doors to the public. With food, music and dance, we will share our love of German tradition and culture. We will offer our friendship and hospitality to strangers and share with our neighbors what "gemuetlichkeit" really means.

It takes integrity to be part of this club, and it takes strength to make our motto "Freundshaft fur alle" really mean something. Not only should we apply this rule to outsiders, but we should use it among ourselves. This season of celebration is the time to forgive ourselves and each other. This is the time to affirm our friendships from within. This "friendship" is what it means to be a club.

As you enter the club on Oct. 4-5, you will find a white board with many jobs broken into one-hour shifts. Few of these shifts have been taken. Please, step forward, write your name in a box, and offer your time, talent and friendship. Help us shine!

Don't forget Blaskapelle Luchtringen & Friends, a 40-piece brass band from Germany, will be performing Oct. 9. They will knock your socks off!

Still listening, your president,

Justin Crabtree

Member Profile: Joanne Milton



Name: Joanne Milton

Age: N/A

Hometown: Teague, Texas

Education: Teague High School; Lubbock College; cosmetology school

Occupation: (Retired) bar owner, bartender

Family: Sons, Shawn, Chad and Kris; daughter, Kimberly; 5 grandchildren

In Las Vegas since: 1969

Club member since: 1993

Joanne Milton, the best bartender in Las Vegas that we're privileged to have behind Bernie's Bar, has too many stories not fit for print from her days running Dick's Pub downtown with her husband, Fred. Willie Nelson would come in after shows at the Golden Nugget, and poker players from the Horseshoe found their late-night way to the pub. "We had a bumper pool table and they'd come in after poker and play for \$10,000 and give me the money to hold," she says. The Prince of Iran stayed at Caesars Palace, but he went downtown to play pool at Dick's. The first time a guy ordered a screwdriver, Joanne brought him the tool. Since then, she's sharpened her bartender skills. Her No. 1 rule: "Be nice to people and enjoy people."



George Brunn was in the hospital undergoing tests. He is in good spirits and can't wait to get back to the club. Please keep him in your prayers. All of us at the German-American Club wish him a speedy recovery.

Your Sunshine Girl, *Rita Taschuer*

Tickets still available for Laughlin

It's almost time for the GASCON memorial golf outing in Laughlin. We only have 12 tickets left. If you would like to go on Nov. 1, call Carol O'Brien at 702-459-4866 for tickets. For those of you who have tickets and reservations, check-in at the Edgewater is at 4 p.m. and check-in at the Phoenix room is 5 p.m. Adult beverages at 5 p.m. We are planning a fun event to honor our friends that have passed!

Steve Oldham

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Come join Us for **"BAVARIAN GEMUETLICHKEIT"** KTOBERFEST

Open to the Public No Admission Fee Free Parking

Friday Oct 4th From 6 to 10 pm Opening the Oktoberfest Beer Brats and Sauerkraut

Saturday Oct 5th From 3 to 10 pm Schnitzel's, Bratwurst, Sauerkraut, German Potato Salad, Red Cabbage, Apple Strudel, and Black Forest Cake



German Dancers German American Social Club of Nevada 1110 East Lake Mead Blvd.

Jurgen Great German food TICKET 50/50 drawing at 7pm on Saturday

Blaskapelle Lüchtringen & Friends, a 40-piece German brass band (pictured right), will play the German-American Club as part of our Oktoberfest celebration on Oct. 9. Hamburgers and hot dogs are served at 6 p.m., followed by a concert at 7 p.m. Cost is \$10.

Live Music

Led by clarinetist Joachim Quadflieg, the band is on tour in America from Oct. 3-20, and has offered to play in exchange for food and drink.

"We are amateur musicians in the best sense of the word; thus, we won't ask for a musicians' fee," Joachim says.

Many of the musicians are being hosted by club members.



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
		Jazz night with	Dance		Oktoberfest,	Oktoberfest,
		Marsha K,	practice,		German food and	German food and
		6-9 p.m.	7-9 p.m.		live music, 6-10	live music, 3-10 p.m.
		\$2/\$5			p.m.	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Jazz night with	Blaskapelle	Board	Card night, 4 p.m.	Koenigsberger klopse
		Marsha K,	Luchtringen	meeting,	Skat, 5:30 p.m.	(caper meatballs) by
		6-9 p.m.	brass band,	6:30 p.m.	other games	Silvia, \$13
		\$2/\$5	dinner, 6 p.m.,			
			\$10			
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
		Jazz night with	Dance		Card night, 4 p.m.	Lasagna roll-ups by
		Marsha K,	practice,		Skat, 5:30 p.m.	Gene, music by
		6-9 p.m.	7-9 p.m.		other games	Beaggi/Santiago,
		\$2/\$5				\$15, membership
						meeting, 5:30 p.m.
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
		Jazz night with	Dance	Board	Card night, 4 p.m.	Vagabond Halloween
		Marsha K,	practice,	meeting,	Skat, 5:30 p.m.	party, pork roast by
		6-9 p.m.	7-9 p.m.	6:30 p.m.	other games	Art, music by Tim
		\$2/\$5				and Barbie, \$15
27	28	29	30	31		
_/	20	Jazz night with	Dance			
		Marsha K,	practice,			
		6-9 p.m.,	7-9 p.m.			
		\$2/\$5	- 1			
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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. \$13 members/\$15 nonmembers unless specified.

OFFICERS							
President	Justin Crabtree	702-755-3151					
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Las Vegas Schützen	Art Ruckle	702-335-0690					
Skat Group	George Brunn	702-860-7874					
Thirty-one Card Group	JoAnn Milton	702-525-1089					

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Oktoberfest celebration 40-piece German brass band Vagabonds Halloween party Tuesday night jazz Wednesday dance practice Friday night cards Membership meeting

