



UPCOMING DINNERS

May 6-7

Maifest party with German fare

May 14

Chicken by Art and Skip

May 21

Leberkase by Kyle

May 28

Memorial Day buffet by TJ

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

Some great times are coming up in May, starting with our annual Maifest celebration, spring golf tournament and fundraiser, Tuesday Bluesday, and ending with a Memorial Day ceremony and dinner.

This month we are also nominating the new board of directors. Linda Snyder was appointed as election committee chairwoman. She has already put up the signup chart.

All nominations need to be submitted by the membership meeting in May. Final nominations can be taken at the meeting. The members will vote for the new board on Saturday, June 4.

Tuesday Bluesday, featuring Monk and the Po' Boys, went off great for a third month in a row. We have a keeper.

Your president,

Mark Cushman

Twist of fate: German Club loses two lifetime members in March, both age 82

Willi Schleidt and Mike O'Brien, both lifetime members of the German-American Social Club of Nevada, passed away in March at the age of 82.

Willi Schleidt was part of the Skat card group and was responsible for replacing many big-ticket items at our club, donating beautiful items from his Las Vegas-based import and export business, G. W. Schleidt Inc.

He was born and raised in Germany, immigrated to the United States in 1972, and lived in Cleveland before moving to Las Vegas in 1994. He played semi-pro soccer in Germany and was an avid fan.

Our heartfelt condolences to go out to his wife, Helga; children, Sabine and Frank; and four grandchildren.

Mike O'Brien served as member-at-large, trustee and vice president. He was also bartender and bar manager, maintenance supervisor and spearheaded several facility improvement projects at the club.

He was born in Illinois, retired from the U.S. Air Force as an air traffic controller, and lived in Las Vegas since 1981.

We offer our condolences to his wife, Carol; sons, Steven and Shawn; and daughters, Sarah and Kristine.



Harmonica-based blues band Monk and the Po' Boys are attracting a growing audience for Tuesday Bluesday at the German-American Club. Their set list covers traditional blues ballads such as "John the Revelator" by Blind Willie Johnson, "Got My Mojo Working" by Muddy Waters and Robert Johnson's "Sweet Home Chicago." Monk returns for Tuesday Bluesday, May 17, 6-9 p.m. Let's build strong membership support for this special event. Spread the word, bring your friends. Admission is free. Drinks and food available for purchase. And we've got the most intimate blues venue in Las Vegas.

Schutzen results to come in June

Results from the May 1 Schutzen competition against San Jose, San Diego, and Anaheim will be reported in next month's newsletter. The Schutzen group will practice Saturday, May 7, at 11 a.m.

GOLF: The spring golf tournament will be held May 14 at Durango Hills. Cost is \$60 and includes dinner at the club with winner presentations. Sign-up sheet is on the wall next to the stage. You must sign up by May 10.

The golf group thanks Wolfgang Szutie, son of Irmgard Petrasek, for donating Ben Hogan books, pictures, and boxed Hogan signature golf balls at the last tournament.

DANCE: The dance group practices every Wednesday at 7 p.m. at the club. If you are interested in seeing what we're about, please visit or contact Art at 702-335-0690.

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Come join Us for
"HELLO SPRING"
MAIFEST Party



Friday May 6th From 6 to 10 pm
Schnitzel sandwiches,
Brats and Sauerkraut
Pretzel's and Apple Strudel



Great German food



Live Music

Saturday May 7th From 3 to 10 pm
Schnitzel's, Bratwurst, Sauerkraut,
German Potato Salad, Red Cabbage,
Apple Strudel



German Dancers

**This year we are limited to
Current Members and
their invited Guests Only**



*Raffle drawing at
7pm on Saturday*



Maifest, the traditional German holiday celebrating the arrival of spring, has become a colorful, joyous part of European history and culture. It's one of the year's main events at the German-American Social Club of Nevada. Along with authentic German food and beer, we have the dance around the maypole and live music by Acoustic Front on Friday and Da Stube Buben on Saturday. These two wild and crazy guys from California have performed at past Maifest and Oktoberfest celebrations at the club, creating a fun vibe with music from their German heritage.

MAY 2022

1 Schutzen competition	2	3	4 Dance practice, 7-9 p.m.	5 Board meeting, 6:30 p.m.	6 Maifest party, German food, music by Acoustic Front, 6-10 p.m.	7 Maifest party, German food, music by Da Stube Buben, 3-10 p.m.; Schutzen, 11 a.m.
8	9	10	11 Dance practice, 7-9 p.m.	12	13 Game night, 5 p.m.	14 Golf fundraiser, chicken by Art and Skip, music by Randy Wheeler
15	16	17 Bluesday with Monk and the Po' Boys, 6-9 p.m., Food, drink for sale	18 Dance practice, 7-9 p.m.	19 Board meeting, 6:30 p.m.	20 Game night, 5 p.m.	21 Leberkase by Kyle, music by Rock You Up, membership meeting, 5:30 p.m.
22	23	24	25 Dance practice, 7-9 p.m.	26	27 Game night, 5 p.m.	28 Memorial Day, ceremony at 4:30 p.m., dinner buffet by TJ, music by Barb and Tim
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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 \$18 unless otherwise specified.

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May 2022

- Schutzen competition
- Maifest celebration
- Spring golf tournament
- Tuesday Bluesday
- Memorial Day celebration
- Friday night games
- Dance practice
- Board meeting
- Membership meeting

