

UPCOMING DINNERS

Oct. 1

Closed for Orleans Oktoberfest

Oct. 8

Chicken platter by Art and Skip

Oct. 15

Ramschnitzel by Silvia

Oct. 22

TBD

Oct. 29

Sloppy Joes 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. 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

Finally, fall has arrived. I hope you're enjoying the somewhat cooler weather as much as I am.

I ask you to keep Mark and Alwine Cushman and the Witt family in your prayers please, as the families are facing a most difficult time right now.

We had a great Oktoberfest. I want to thank our members and volunteers who worked so hard to make this event happen. It takes a lot of time and effort to put this together, and it worked out great. Many thanks to all.

We now gear up for the next Oktoberfest this weekend (Sept. 29-Oct. 2) at The Orleans Arena Lot. The club will be open Friday, but closed Saturday.

October's here and we have a fun month ahead, with various Saturday dinners and entertainment planned. Still need a cook for Saturday, Oct 22.

Please remember Saturday dinner reservations (702-201-1448) are a MUST by the previous Wednesday. For those who call on the day of dinner, reservation cannot be guaranteed. I look forward to seeing everyone at the club.

Your president,

Gene Hickman



If you've yet to attend Tuesday Bluesday at the German-American Club, you're missing out on experiencing Trevor Johnson, lead guitarist for Monk and the Po' Boys and the best under-40 blues guitarist in Las Vegas. Trevor fronts his own band, Trevor and the Swingin' Johnsons, headlining the Sand Dollar Blues Lounge and various live music venues around town. He's also a founding member of the SmokeStax and plays in a few other bands. Originally from Ohio, Trevor has lived in Las Vegas since he was a teenager, when he would send his older sister to the Sand Dollar to scout potential bands for him. You can catch him at the club with Monk and the Po' Boys on the third Tuesday of the month, 6-9 p.m., with drinks and sandwiches for sale at prices reminiscent of old Vegas. So don't be miserly; tip the band!

Golfers change to Aquarius Hotel

We have changed our hotel from the Edgewater to the Aguarius for our Laughlin Memorial Golf Tournament Nov. 4-5. Room rates are \$69 a night plus \$15 resort fee, totaling \$84 a night. Call 1-800-677-4837 to reserve a room at the Aquarius and use the group code GRGAS22. A sign-up sheet is posted on the wall at the club by the stage. You can buy tickets at the club bar, or from Art and Alex. It's \$45 to play nine holes, and \$30 for nongolfers. This is a great deal. You get three days of eating and drinking for \$50 and golf to boot. The hospitality room will open at 6 p.m. Friday prior to the tournament in the Presidential Suite of the Aquarius Hotel. The tournament will be played at Chaparral Golf Course, 1260 Mohave Dr., in Bullhead City. Start time is 10 a.m. (Please be there by 9:30 a.m.) BBQ to follow. The hospitality room will reopen at 6 p.m. for award presentations. Mimosa and Bloody Mary drinks will be served 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. Sunday in the Presidential Suite. The golf group plays every Friday at Durango Hills Golf Course. Call me at 702-353-0690 to join the group.

SCHUTZEN: The Schutzen group will meet at the club on Saturday, Oct. 8, at 11 a.m. If you're interested in seeing what we're about, stop by or call me at 702-335-0690.

DANCE: The dance group will practice every Wednesday at 7 p.m., getting ready for Bavarian Night. If you are interested to see what we are about, come visit us.

Art Ruckle

Girl Scouts get taste of Germany

The Girl Scouts of America are doing something called "Taste of Europe" in which they go to different places to taste the food and learn about the culture of that particular country. For Germany, they chose the German-American Club for their event on Oct. 12. Silvia is cooking dinner and Art will perform with some of his dancers. So far, 25 girls have signed up. Profits from the event will be split between Silvia's German Show radio program and the dance group. (The club will receive \$50 for use of the kitchen).



The German-American Club dance group got up early one September morning to meet at the "Welcome to Fabulous Las Vegas" sign on the Strip for a photograph promoting the Oktoberfest at the Orleans hotel and casino. The club collaborated with Seven Oh Brew to staff three tents at the four-day event, estimated to bring in 20,000 visitors from around the world. The Orleans Oktoberfest featured food. drinks, and music on two entertainment stages. Left to right: Bob Strauch, Julie Strauch, Sonja Andres, Art Ruckle, Christina Gibson, Barbie Phillips, Doreen Ruckle, Nathan Hrustyk and Tim Phillips.





Show off your talent on Open Mic Night, hosted by Coy, on Tuesday, Oct. 11, 6-9 p.m., at the German-American Club. You can sing, bring an instrument to play, tell a joke, recite Shakespeare, or just come and enjoy the entertainment. Eric cooks bratwurst sausage for \$8, and the bar has the best drink prices in Las Vegas.

Oktoberfest drew about 90 members and guests to the German-American Club in September. Ingrid and her helpers dished up chicken and bratwurst platters with sauerkraut, Bavarian potato salad, pretzels for appetizers and apple strudel for dessert. Art and his dance group performed traditional German dances, Tim and Barbie provided musical entertainment, and Chris tended to a long line at the bar.

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Orleans Oktoberfest	3	4	Dance practice, 7 p.m.	Board meeting, 6:30 p.m.	Game night, 5 p.m.	Chicken platter by Art and Skip; music by Show-Offs; new member welcome; Schutzen, 11 a.m.
9	10	Open Mic night hosted by Coy, brats for \$8, 6-9 p.m.	Girl Scouts "Taste of Europe" dinner by Silvia (private)	13	Game night, 5 p.m.	Ramschnitzel by Silvia; music by Sonny Boline; membership meeting, 5:30 p.m.
16	17	Tuesday Bluesday with Monk and the Po' Boys, pulled pork sandwiches for \$8, 6-9 p.m.	Dance practice, 7 p.m.	Board meeting, 6:30 p.m.	Game night, 5 p.m.	TBD
23	24	25	26 Dance practice, 7 p.m.	27	28 Game night, 5 p.m.	Sloppy Joes by Kyle (\$10), music by Chris and Rosemary
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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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Oktoberfest
Open Mic Night
Tuesday Bluesday
Girl Scouts dinner
Schutzen practice
Dance practice
Friday night games
Board meeting

