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Message from the President

Submitted By: Harry Schmitz

Another busy month at the BSC, the officers and I truly appreciate all of the support and encouraging feedback we have had at the club! The Friday dinners have been very busy and the food has been excellent. We are starting to schedule birthday parties, showers and even Christmas parties. The officers have reviewed and have updated Rental Rates for 2018: Clubhouse four hours \$75 additional \$50 for Kitchen = \$125. \$75 cleaning deposit due at time of Reservation. W/ bar must run tab w/ member. Staffing Bar = \$ 10 per hour paid directly to bartender. Wake no charge for Members...Suggested Donation = \$50. Use our live touchscreen calendar at the bar to see what dates are open. It is currently fed from the BSC, the BUV, BMV and soon the Deutsche Volkstanz Gruppe. I will reach out to other societies to see if they would like to share events to our Calendar as well. We will be adding instructions and other features soon.

By time you get this we should own one more lot on Moore Street and soon will have a license to use 4 Elton & 2120 Lagrange, and we are working with the Lucas County Land Bank on getting another lot on Elton and vacating more alleys.

TRUSTEE'S CORNER

ITEMS THE CLUB
COULD USE:

Any iPad regular or mini
capable of running iOS 9
or higher

We are working on plans for freshening up the upstairs bar and add desperately needed storage and making the outside of our building look nicer. I am excited to say the clubhouse remodeling is **completely finished!** We may make additional improvements and repairs as needed, but we look very sharp now and you can be proud to bring friends down and show them the Last remaining Private German Clubhouse in the Greater Toledo Area!

What are our BSC groups up to?



BSC D'Holzacker Buam

We truly appreciate all of the BSC support with our annual Schuhplattler Tanz!

- Mia Raymond

BSCLA

We are excitedly planning our trip to Traverse City, MI!

-Lucille Brown



BMV

We have a Beer and Bacon run, Ohio Bike Week and Cinco de Mileage this month. Busy, busy busy!

-Heidi Sickler

Bendover Club

Does anyone know the original mission of the Bendover Club? Come on down and tell us a story!

-Harry Schmitz



Schuhplattler Tanz

Submitted by: Mia Raymond

Another annual Schuhplattler Tanz has come and gone and it is always a perfect day filled with traditional dancing, music and fellowship. Our very own dance group performed multiple new dances that they have been practicing for months. New adult dances include the Alztaler, learned through the Vier Lander Gebiet, the Boehmerwaldandler, learned through our patenverien G.T.E.V. "Edelweiss" Detroit and the Dirndlrndl learned from the S.T.V. Alpentanzer Schuhplattlers. Our quickly growing children's group also performed a new dance called the Ennsterl Polka. "While we firmly believe in maintaining our roots, practicing new dances and traditions and getting the opportunity to get to know and learn from other groups is wonderful!" said Anita Schmitz-Raymond.

On top of all of the entertaining dancing, we were joined by Siasswasser Tanzmusi of G.T.E.V. "Edelweiss" Detroit who kept the dance floor full all afternoon! Their music ranges from lively march such as the the Maxglaner Zigeuneermarsch to music you can sing and dance along to like the Rehragout Boarischer. We always enjoy their fellowship and company and look forward to hearing their lovely music again.

Of course it would not be a traditional Bavarian afternoon without a deliciously mouthwatering meal! We were provided with a delightful meal of Brathendl (roasted chicken), Katoffelgratin (scaloped potatoes), Oma's Grune Bohnen (green beans), Brot (bread), Mais (corn for kinder), und Nachtisch. (dessert). Not a single person left hungry that afternoon!

Most importantly, we were able to honor vital members of our dance group, including our Vorstand Harry Schmitz, our Trachtenmutter Jackie Buetler and our Schriftfuhrer Patty Mowery. In addition to honoring hard working members, we welcomed and honored our new adult members including Aaron Hoffman, Kathy Ehlers and Alyssa Geiger. Our new children include Joshua, Logan, Spencer, Aubrey, Maci, Clarissa and Adalynn. We also were able to move Julia Schwemmin and Hannah Schultz into the Jugend (teen) group. Our group would not be where we are without these individuals and we thank them for their hard work and dedication!

On behalf of the Bavarian Sports Club D'Holzhaacker Buam we thank all friends, family and members that supported us at this annual event and look forward to many more years to come!



Stammtisch

Submitted by: Carla Prekert

Look up the definition of this word and you will basically find it means, “the regular’s table.” In the literal sense, we have a “Stammtisch” at the Bavarian Sports Club, and there are even times when that Stammtisch pours over to include another table. Collectively, hundreds of years of history and working knowledge gather together for celebration or a meal.

“Stammtisch” in a figurative sense is the more powerful application, as there is no physical element that determines its survival. It’s a place in one’s heart, a way of living, a commitment one makes to preserving tradition for posterity. Imagine a collaborative effort of love so strong as to weather the worst of storms with dignified resolve.

Faith and hard work, tears and tired backs, patience and hope, laughter and memories, are all building blocks for our “Stammtisch.” People of character and sacrifice, we see you, we appreciate you and we understand how truly blessed we are to have you in our corner. You have been faithful and you have seen many things. You have paved the way for us to follow. You do not break because you are able to bend, you will not fade in our hearts, because you shine. You make us want to be better people and to someday exemplify “Stammtisch.”



Remembering our Members

Dolores Rapp Hamilton (nee Kowalski), also affectionately known as Dolly and Busia, departed to join her loved ones on Thursday, April 12, 2018. She is survived by her loving daughters, Kerry (nee Stokes) (Kevin) Mantel, and Cindy (nee Stokes) (Dennis) Osinski, siblings, Rosalind (Lindy) Holas, William L. Kowalski, and JoAnne Anderson. Granddaughters, Sara Osinski and Rachel (Ben) Pettit, and great-grandchildren, Sadie, Mykenzie, Lukas, Elena, Miley, Emma. Nephews and Nieces Michael, Vincent, William, Debra, Catherine, Matthew, Dorothy, Carl, Jean, Jim, Rose. Preceding her in death were her parents, Dorothy and William Kowalski, her husbands, Robert Hamilton, Eugene Rapp and Darrell Stokes, and beloved granddaughter, Dena Monroe. She is also survived by her best friends Martha Garbers and Mary Fry, and many other friends.

Dolly was very active in many organizations for decades. She learned to sing under organist, Ms. Sophie, at St. Hedwig’s Elementary School’s Polish and English Choir. Up to her death, Dolly was an active member of the St. Adalbert and St. Hedwig’s Church’s Polish Choir. She was a member of the Toledo Chorale Society and Swiss Singers. She attended St. Hedwig’s elementary school and graduated from Woodward High School. She was also a member of the Bavarian Sports Club, danced as a member of the D’Holzhacker Buam Schuhplattler Gruppe, and served as Treasurer and Trustee for over 20 years. Dolly volunteered at the German American Festival for over 30 years. She was a member of the Eleanor Kahle Senior Center and the Altar Rosary Society at St. Adalbert’s Church. Prior to her retirement Dolly worked at the Roman Gardens, the Ramada Inn, Rose Bodett boating supply company, and Tanks Meats.

During her life, Dolly loved life, laughing, going to Frankenmuth and the Outer Banks, reading different books, cross stitching and her shoes (for which she had a funeral when one had to be discarded). She was loved by many.

Remembering Mr. Fleming

Submitted by: Samantha Babcock (Prenkert)

I've always had a fondness and great respect for the Opas and Omas in the world. As I continue my journey in life, meeting each challenge of daily living, my respect and admiration grows. Some leave huge footprints from shoes that never can be filled. It's a subtle thing, this little ache in my heart. I think all of us take for granted someone who is a "permanent fixture." I remember since I was a little girl, seeing him at all the festivals, picnics and dances. Like the hearts and edelweiss carved in the wood trim, he was part of it all. It's going to be so strange, an absence without anything to fill the gap. Mr. Fleming, I will remember you, as so many others will as well. You came to the "Princess" dance at the club with all your princesses big and small. You were one of my first interviews for the articles I was writing. It may take me a moment sometimes when I'm out at Oak Shade Grove, to figure out what is missing. Then I will see one of the little ones that call you "Opa" and remember. I hope I leave half as big of a mark on the world as you did. Farewell and "Prost" to you dear sir. You will be missed.

Kinder Corner

My Dancing Story

By: Dylan Dumkow



My name is Dylan Dumkow and I am almost 12 years old and have been dancing for almost nine years. I started dancing with the Bavarian Sports Club D'Holzacker Buam when I was three. I have been to two Gaufests. I really like dancing and watching the expressions of the faces of the crowds that watch us dance. Hearing the loud applause is also very nice. I like helping the younger dancers learn and maybe someday I will lead the group!

May 4th

Cinco De Mileage

Tortilla soup, tacos, salad bar,
nachos

By: BMV

May 11th

NEED A COOK

May 18th

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May 19th

Kassler Rippchen Dinner

German style Pork Chops

By: BSCLA

May 25th

Memorial Day Cook Out

By: Ellen Watkins

All Things Food

#BookedtoCook at the BSC

How to make Fresh Guacamole Dip

Submitted from the BSC Cookbook.
Recipe by Jim Holas

1 (15 or 16 oz.) can refried beans
1 (4 oz.) can chopped green chilies
(undrained)
1 (16 oz.) container sour cream
1 pkg. taco seasoning mix
Ripe avocados, pitted and peeled
2 tbsp. ReaLime lime juice from
concentrate or ReaLemon lemon juice
from concentrate
1 tsp. seasoned salt
1 tsp. garlic salt
Shredded cheddar or Monterey jack cheese
Chopped tomatoes, sliced green onions,
sliced ripe olives

In small bowl, combine refried beans and
chilies; spread on large serving plate.
Combine sour cream and taco seasoning.
Spoon over bean mixture, spreading
evenly. In small bowl, mash avocados; stir
in RealLime brand and salts. Spoon evenly
over sour cream mixture. Cover; chill
several hours. Just before serving, garnish
with cheese, tomatoes, green onions, and
olives. Serve with LaFamous tortilla chips.

**Have a recipe you would like to share?
Have a dish you would like to know how
to make? Send your recipe or requests the
bavariannewsletter@bex.net to have
them featured!**

Announcements

Welcome new Bavarian Sports Club Members!

Miss Gracie Siffer
Mr. Scott M Schloegl
Ms. Alexandria Nemeth
Mr. Robert McMahon
Ms. Sarah McMahon
Mr. Richard Parish
Dr Vincent DePaul Schmidt
Mr. Paul Magdich
Mr Jim Russell

Our new live Calendar is live! Couldn't have done it without Tony Linzmeier, Daniel John Soldner Jr. and Richard B Orth... Thanks. Members can now see upcoming events at the club and sign up for meals etc.



The Bavarian Sports Club is searching for a princess! We are looking for any young woman interested in becoming the 2018 Ms. Bavarian Sports Club queen to represent us at numerous events throughout the year. All applicants will need to be between the ages of 13-18, a daughter/granddaughter of a member in good standing of the BSC and submit an essay stating why she believes she would make a suitable future princess. Please send all essays to bavariannewsletter@bex.net and the winner will be announced at the annual Sommerfest in July!

MOTORCYCLE SHOW
GERMAN FOOD & DRINK
LIVE BAND
REBEL ROOTS
PUBLIC WELCOME

BAVARIAN SPORTS CLUB OF TOLEDO
SOMMERFEST
Saturday JULY 14, 2018
2 - 10 P.M.

BSC D'HOLZHACKER BUAM
SCHUHPLATTLER GRUPPE
DEUTSCHE VOLKSTANZ GRUPPE
TURNERS GYMNASTICS

OAK SHADE GROVE 3624 Seaman Rd. Oregon, OH

Bayerischer Motorradverein
Geogr. 2015

D'Holzackerbuam Schuhplattler
Geogr. 1934



Bavarian Alpine Band Members

We, at the BSC, are in search of members for a Bavarian Alpine band. This is not a "polka band". This is traditional folk style music played for our Schuhplatter dance groups for practices and special events.

Unless I get a major turnout from any given location, practices will be held at, The Bavarian Sports Club, "The Last Remaining Private German Clubhouse" in the greater Toledo area. Our mission is to promote the German and Bavarian Heritage.

Practice schedule is TBA once we have musicians onboard.

We are looking for:

Two Trumpets

Two Clarinets

Two French Horns and/or

Two Flügel Horns

Two Baritones /Bass players

1-2 Accordion players (piano OR button)

Please Contact:

Dennis Bowers

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Cell: 419-957-2779

Please leave voicemail or text

Danke Schön!

BSC
Bayerischer Motorrad Verein

Presents Dinner at the BSC



“Cinco De Mileage”
5/4/18, 6-8pm

Money Tree Raffle



Taco Bar
Tortilla Soup/Rice/Beans



Dessert