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Message from the President

Submitted By: Harry Schmitz

Well 25% of the year is done! We have over 30 new members already and we decided we should update our application a bit and will attach it to the e-mail with this newsletter. We have started a remodeling project upstairs to add some storage next to the bar upstairs. We just ordered a cart for the chairs we have so they will be easier to store and move around. We are considering replacing the VERY HEAVY wooden tables at some point in the future upstairs as well. The Jiggs Dinner was exceptional this year! Tony, Dusty and Joe have it dialed in! We have over 60 people going to this years Gaufest in Washington D.C. and would hope you would consider helping our members going by buying Raffle tickets. Each one has 31 chances of winning. Our first dance job is this Sunday at the Oakshade Grove for the Bock Bierfest. We have 2 dates in April. The International Fest where our BSCLA will team up with the Swiss to sell food at the event and Germanfest in Pemberville. Like us on Facebook and you can get more details on upcoming events. Our web page also has a calendar to keep you update.

TRUSTEE'S CORNER

ITEMS THE CLUB COULD USE:

-A tablet or Kindle the dancers could use for music

update.

We have so many new faces around, stop by and introduce yourself and you will be proud of how well the place looks these days. Come celebrate your heritage all year long at the last remaining private German clubhouse in the greater Toledo area!

What are our BSC groups up to?



BSC D'Holz hacker Buam

With the dance group larger than ever before, we look forward to our upcoming season!

- Aaron Hoffman

BSCLA

We had a wonderful Rouladen Dinner on March 9th, thank you everyone for your support!

- Anita Schmitz-Raymond



BMV

We are prepping for our first Bike Run of 2019, destination to be determined!

-Heidi Sickler

2019 BSC Scholarship Winner

Submitted by: Eric Petersberger

Since the 1930's, the Bavarian Sports Club has been a social area where Bavarians congregate and do various activities such as play soccer and dance. My great grandfather, Frank Petersberger, was one of the earlier members of the BSC. From then on, my family has only grown in numbers and has continued in the German and Bavarian culture. My great grandfather was a past president of the Bavarian Sports Club, so becoming a member of the BSC means a lot to me. I hope to continue my membership and hopefully become a lifetime member at some point in the future.

My personal experiences with the Bavarian Sports Club have been nothing less than extraordinary. I have been given the opportunity to schuhplattler. With this, I have been able to compete at several Gaufests. Through these Gaufests, I have been able to pick up some of the German and Bavarian languages, meet people from Germany and Bavaria, as well as express my culture in Gruppen and Einzel. I have competed at three of the four Gaufests I have attended, and plan to continue in the future.

Other than Gaufests, the BSC has various other functions. These include, Sommerfest, Sandusky Oktoberfest, and the German American Festival. Our dance season is mostly year-round with a month hiatus around Christmas. During this hiatus, the Bavarian Sports Club puts on a Christmas party. This party incorporates many German traditions for the kinder to learn and pass on to their friends and family.

As a kinder, there were various activities put on. One such event is German Camp. German Camp is always held in July, prior to the German American Festival. Throughout the week at camp, all the campers learn and do several German customs. Older campers are able to stay the night Wednesday night. These campers do various activities to get a better understanding of the German language and culture.

While being a part of the Bavarian Sports Club most of my life, I've learned how much members support each other. Without support, there would be no club. As you grow with the club, you realize it's not just a social group, it becomes more of a second family.

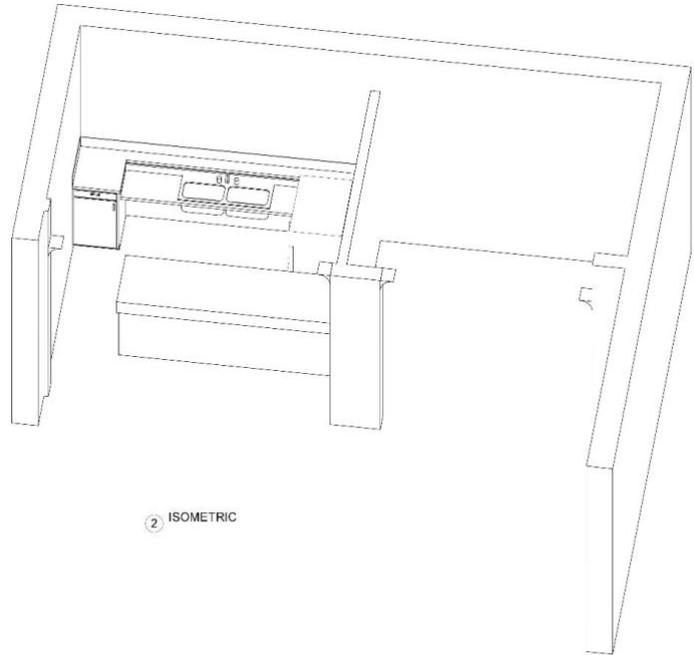
A few summers ago, I had completed my Eagle Scout Project at Oak Shade Grove. My main project was creating Garbage/Recycling receptacles to replace the cardboard and metal frames currently being used. At my Eagle Scout Court of Honor, I invited the Bavarian Sports Club to be recognized for their unconditional support for scouting, the German culture, as well as myself throughout not only my project, but also my life. Becoming part of a family is a great way to relax, live, and make long lasting friends.

Overall, being a member of the Bavarian Sports Club is an honor. From having family who have served in positions for the club, to being involved in an activity that requires myself to be at the club. I believe culture is very important. Without this Club many traditions and customs would be lost and not passed on to the next generation. I hope and plan to preserve these within our club, to make experiences for youth but to also give back what I was provided in my childhood. This is why I love my membership at the Bavarian Sports Club, and hope to continue for years to come.

New Bar/Storage Area

Submitted by: Anna Soldner

Late March the trustees and a few members had a work party to build a dividing wall between the upstairs bar and storage area. The wall has been fully installed with additional electrical outlets to service the bar with USB ports. The wall will be finished in early April. Please stop by and see the beautiful craftsmanship of our members!



Kinder Corner

BSC Kinder take to the Lanes!

Big group last month! As always we had a fun night! One more time and then we celebrate! Come on out for our April 7th bowling night! Remember if you have bowled with us at all this season we will have a celebratory banquet at the BSC following our bowling season at a later announced date!



April 5th

Made from scratch Potato Pancakes
and Applesauce with an optional
sausage

By: BSCLA

April 12th

Pizza Night during Lent featuring live
music from Rich and Heidi, the
Dynamic Duo ZeugenschutZ!



By: BMV

April 19th

Annual Harry and Beth Fish Fry!

This year's Fish Fry will be all you care
to eat:

Fried cod, Baked Talapia, Fried
Shrimp, Chicken Tenders, Home
Made Fries, Salad Bar and Dessert

Special Meal Pricing of \$12

By: Harry and Beth

April 26th

Menu TBA

By: Tom Henkel

All Things Food

#BookedtoCook at the BSC

How to make Uberbackene Champignons

Submitted from Tony Schrader.

1 can mushrooms
½ cup ham
¼ cup stuffed olives
½ Gouda cheese
½ cup butter
salt, pepper
2 tablespoon sweet cream
1 shot clear Brandy or Wine
2 egg yolks
2 tablespoons lemon juice

In pan, add butter, mushrooms, salt,
pepper, ham, olives. Then add wine and
sweet cream. Then add the rest of the
butter and egg yolks, lemon juice, cheese.
Bake at 325 degrees until golden brown.

**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

Thank you, members, for your generosity in donating to the Harbor Chrysalis collection. Kathy Boehm Ehlers dropped off 3 large laundry baskets and more filled with women's personal care products and infant care products as well as clothing and blankets!! The young women in the recovery program truly appreciate the donations of the things we all take for granted and of course, the babies can use the diapers!

Thank you again Kathy Boehm Ehlers, Carla Prenkert and Samantha Babcock for being pro-active and making a difference!

On behalf of the membership of the BUV, we would like to welcome all our friends and family at the Bavarian Sports Club, as well as the German American Festival Society members to join us for a longstanding tradition for our group: an annual mass to honor the deceased members of the BUV, followed by fellowship and breakfast.

This year's annual mass and breakfast will be held:

Sunday, April 28th, 2019

At the Chalet at Oak Shade Grove & Picnic Grove

Church service will be at 10am, with a brunch buffet, Bloody Mary bar, and full bar service to follow (cash bar).

While this event is free, we do ask for a love offering of \$10 to cover the cost of food and to help us carry out our mission of charity and fellowship.

This year the GAF allocated \$100 per society. Feeling this was bit silly, the The BSC matched it, then Harry Schmitz, the BMV, an anonymous donor, and finally the BSCLA matched it for a total of \$600 available. We asked for a letter to the Executive board saying "Why I love the Bavarian Sports Club" and we had 3 applicants, and it made for a "tough" decision. We had to first decide to either split it up, or have it go to one. Knowing we have a bunch of kinder coming thru the ranks, we felt it made sense to limit it to one a year. We will put together a scholarship committee to deal with this in the future and put together as non-subjective of a method of choosing the winner as possible. We should also consider fundraising for this purpose as well...like that's what anyone wants to hear. If you would be interested in serving on this committee, please contact Harry Schmitz.

Anita Schmitz-Raymond is looking for donations of new of gently used kids toys/items for the Kinder Raffle at Sommerfest! Please contact her if you are able to help!

RIP BSC member Paul J. Nieft Sr.

Paul J Nieft Sr, age 89, of the Polish Village in Toledo, passed away Friday March 22nd 2019, in Hospice of Northwest Ohio. Paul was born February 11, 1930, in Toledo, to parents Lester and Norma (Leon) Nieft. He attended Sherman School, and then went on to Woodward High School where he played Basketball. In 1949 he met Evelyn Lewandowski at the Trianon Ballroom and they married April 22, 1950, in St. Stanislaus Church. Paul worked at the Electric Autolite for 7 years after which he then went on to work at the Toledo Area Sanitary District for 33 years retiring as a division supervisor in 1987. He was an avid outdoorsman who believed "If you've never seen a sunrise or a sunset, you haven't lived". Paul was affiliated for many years with the VFW 5530, the American Legion 576, Eagles 2322, of Rossford, The Commodore Club, and the Clark Gable Foundation in Cadiz Ohio. His great uncle, Ollie Pecord (Brother of Mary Nieft) refereed the Jack Dempsey & Jeff Willard fight where Dempsey defeated Willard at Bay View Park. Paul was always proud of that! He enjoyed time with his family, grandchildren, and great grandchildren. He always left you with his favorite saying "I'll see you at sundown..." Paul was preceded in death by his wife, Evelyn; parents, Norma & Lester; grandparents, Mary (Pecord) & August Nieft, Rose (Miller) & Bert Leon, and in-laws Sophia & John Lewandowski. Surviving family members are his son, Paul J. Nieft, Jr.; daughter, Roxanne (Frank) Lepkowski Jr. and sister and brother in law, Patricia (Lewandowski) and Richard Watson. Also mourning his death are his grandchildren: Paul (Kadi) Nieft III, Frank (Katie) Lepkowski III, John Nieft, Natalie Lepkowski and Michael (Tricia) Lepkowski, and his 5 great grandchildren. Special friends surviving are Shaun Szenderski, Bob Parker, Chuck Ignatowski and Deacon Gerald Ignatowski. The visitation will be Thursday March 28, 2019, from 10:00 a.m. until noon at The Urbanski Funeral Home a Life Celebration Home 5055 Secor Rd. Toledo, Ohio (419) 475-5055 . The Funeral service will begin Thursday, at noon, in the funeral home with Deacon Gerald Ingatowski officiating. Interment will follow in Roth Memorial Cemetery in Monclova, OH. A special thanks to Hospice of Northwest Ohio for their tender loving care. Paul and family would also like to thank Dr. Phillip Lepkowski, Dr. Ghiath Yazji, Dr. Kesari Sarikonda, Drs. Nick and Kim Nadaud and their staff for years of compassionate care as well as Heather at St. Anne Coumadin Clinic.



Germanfest

Riverview Banquet Hall

405 E Front St. Pemberville

Saturday, April 27, 2019

Music from 7pm-10pm

Doors open at 6pm



Music & Dancing by
“The Deutchmeisters” &
“The Bavarian Sports Club Dancers”

Food Available for purchase: BBQ Chicken, Brats,
Ham Hocks, German Potato Salad, Sauerkraut,
Pretzels, & plenty of BEER

Tickets \$10.00 in advance, available at Beeker's General Store
\$12.00 at door

Info at www.pembervilleoperahouse.org or call 419-419-9645

Per our latest Bylaws approved in 2018:

Membership dues are due by January 31st. Any members whose dues are in arrears by March 31st will be notified by the Financial Secretary that they are no longer a member in good standing and their card is turned off. If they wish to pay their membership dues, then they will be reinstated for the rest of the year. If the person is not paid by June 30th then they cannot vote in the December Elections.

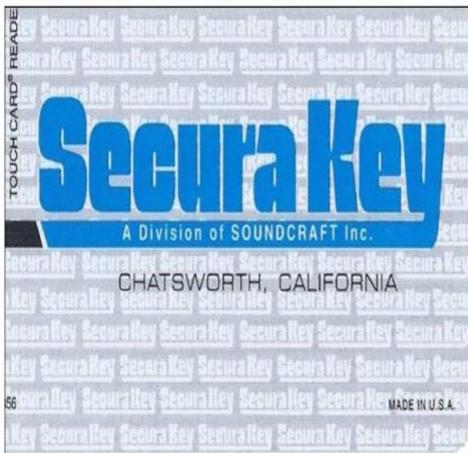
DUES AMOUNT:

Regular members (18-64): \$45.00

Retirees (65-79): \$30.00

Students (18-22): \$20.00

80 Years + FREE



Renew membership now and keep your card active for both gate and door.

Name:

Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Card #:

Amount Paid: \$

Phone Number:

Email:

Please Print and Mail Back to the

Bavarian Sports Club

2102 Lagrange St, Toledo, OH 43608



Toledo Sister Cities 10th International Festival

Saturday, April 13, 2019

Seagate Convention Centre

410 Jefferson Ave.
Toledo, OH 43604

11 a.m. – 7:30 p.m.
(Doors open at 10:30 am)
Contact info: scitoledo@gmail.com

General Admission at door: \$8

Students with ID and Seniors at the door: \$6. Children 10 and under free.

(Ticket sales at the door are cash only – there is an ATM nearby.)

Advance tickets at \$5 can be purchased:

- At ticketmaster.com. Search for Toledo Sister Cities International Festival, then click the link that results
- From a trustee of TSCI
- In person at the Huntington Center Box Office Window at 500 Jefferson Street, Toledo OH 43604 (419-321-5007)

Enjoy entertainment, food, crafts and souvenirs, vendors, raffles, and our language corner! We'll also have a bouncy house from Hero's 2Go!

- 8 ½ hours of music, dance, and martial arts!
- Ethnic food and International Forum!
- Beer, wine, coffee, water, and soft drinks available for purchase
- A celebration of people and culture!

Ample parking at the SeaGate Convention Centre Garage accessible from Summit Street and the Port Lawrence Garage accessible from St. Clair at Jefferson.

*Toledo Sister Cities International:
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BAVARIAN SPORTS CLUB 2019 LOTTERY RAFFLE

CASH PAYOUTS

MON-THUR: **\$25**

FRIDAY: **\$75**

SAT-SUN: **\$100**

COST: **\$10/TICKET**

CHANCES: **31**

HOW:



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DETAILS

Saturday, June 1, 2019

» Doors Open @ 4:30pm

» Dinner @ 6:00pm



Adults: \$20

(Includes Dinner & Dance)

Kids 12 & under: \$8

(Includes Dinner & Dance)

The Chalet @ Oak Shade Grove

» Oregon, Ohio

RESERVATIONS RECOMMENDED

Call or Text Mia Raymond 419.356.7668



ENTERTAINMENT

Music By:
Siasswasser
Tanzmusi

(of G.T.E.V. "Edelweiss," Detroit)



D'Holzacker Buam
Schuhplattler Gruppe

Guten Appetit



MENU

Main Dish

» Salat, Schweineschnitzel und Soße Buffet,
Spätzle, Blaukraut und Nachtisch

Cash Bar

» Beer, Wine, Liquor, Soda,
Pretzels, und Landjägers

Gift Baskets Raffle

