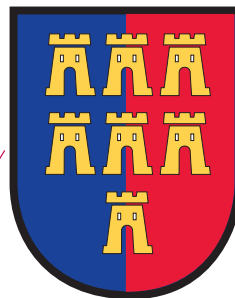


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*Transylvania & Saxonia Club Dance Groups - Heimattag 2019 – Aylmer*

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# TCK VERANSTALTUNGSKALENDER

## TCK SPECIAL EVENTS CALENDAR

October 11-19 **Oktoberfest**

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October 29 **Kindergruppe** (starts again on Tuesdays) 18:30

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November 2 **Trachtenball – Saxonia Hall - Aylmer**

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November 16 **Polka, Pali & Palukas**

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December 4 **Ladies' Christmas Dinner** 18:30

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December 15 **Weihnachtsfeier –  
Christmas Pageant** 14:00

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***Note:** All our events will be held at the Alpine Club unless otherwise indicated in the event schedule.*

*Please pick up your tickets at our club office at least two weeks prior to the event.*



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## BERICHT DES PRÄSIDENTEN



*Dear Members and Friends,*

Well summer is finally here and so is the heat. I guess we shouldn't complain because we waited long enough for it and all too quickly it will be gone again.

The Hofbrau band held their concert on Sunday, June 2nd at 2:00 p.m. This concert was a treat for the ears, and I personally think that this was the best performance ever by our Hofbrau Band. It was a won-

derful afternoon of great music including one of my favourite pieces from "The Phantom of the Opera". Did you ever think that the Hofbrau band would play a piece like that? I can't say enough good things about the hard work that this group has put in to get to this level. We can be very proud of them. Hats off to the band and their conductor, Andrea Emrich, who encourages them to try something different.

There was a variety of very tasty food available for lunch before the concert. I believe much of that hard work in the kitchen preparing the food and serving it was done by Margit Fritsch, Anna Schatz, Joan

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Glasser, Rosemarie Rawlings, Katie Girt, Nolen Girt, Thomas Emrich, Amy Kube, and Anne Foster.

We had a joint picnic with the Schwaben Club, Hubertus Haus and the Transylvania Club on June 15th in Mannheim. Some of us participated in a little golf tournament that morning and were lucky enough to not see any rain during our game. There was a delicious bbq lunch back at the Hubertus Haus including hamburgers, hot-dogs and Kassler chops plus salads, which was very good. The Hofbrau band played for us thanks to Neil Hoffman, who sponsored the cost of the band. Our youth group once again had a very tasty selection of desserts and coffee that could be purchased, and I believe they were able to sell them all! I think I can say that those that came out had a great day and enjoyed each other's company. Thank you to the Hubertus Haus for their hospitality and all other club members who helped make it a great day. It is heart warming to see the German Clubs having functions together and interacting with each other.

By the time you are reading this we will

have attended Heimattag at the Saxonia Hall in Aylmer on July 12-14th. The band, choir and youth group will be performing during the weekend and we thank them for their participation. I will provide details of that event in my next report. We also have five of our youth attending the Jugendlager in Austria in July and we look forward to hearing about their experiences when they return. The Transylvania Club has given each participant a little spending money to help them enjoy their two weeks.

We are working hard in preparation for Oktoberfest 2019 at Lot 42 again. We will need many volunteers again this year so please either call Else at the office at 519-744-1191 or Lori Moore at 519-501-7353 if you are able to help in anyway. Last year



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was a success due to the hard work of our members, so let's see if we can have a strong Transylvania Club presence again this year.

Please come out and support all our groups and their upcoming events. They need your encouragement and support to give them a purpose to continue doing what they do all year round representing our members and the club.

Mark Saturday November 16th on your calendar as a must attend event for the whole family! "Polka, Pali and Palukas" our first annual Saxontreffen promises to be a

great event for the whole family. This event will start in the afternoon so that the little ones can come out and have fun as well. Saxon food, various bands from the past, entertainment for the children and much more! Make sure you tell all your Saxon friends and family to save this date and make plans to attend this new, casual, fun event. More information will follow soon.

Have a wonderful and safe summer! Hope to see you all in the fall.

*Reinhard Schmidt,*  
*President*



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# HEIMATTAG - AYLMEER





# HEIMATTAG - AYLMEER



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## KULTURGRUPPE

### CULTURAL GROUP REPORTS

*Dear Members and Friends,*

I hope the summer is going well for everyone while staying cool and you are taking time out to relax and enjoy some family time. Things have finally slowed down in our club calendar for the summer, but we are already thinking about upcoming events in the fall and hope we can count on your support at all our events.

The Hofbrau Band held their annual spring concert on June 2nd to a full house. The theme for the evening was "Music of the Night". The change to a Sunday afternoon concert with lunch available before the concert was a great success again according to attendance and the audience. The musical pieces chosen for the concert were amazing and the individual instruments were showcased magnificently. The talent we have in our band members does not get showcased enough until you hear the difficult arrangements they played for us that afternoon; orchestra pieces played by a brass band... just amazing!! We can be very proud of this group and their efforts and willingness to put in all the hours needed to be able to present a concert such as this and represent the Transylvania Club with such high quality. Congratulations to everyone who worked so hard to get ready for the concert and to Andrea Emrich for her conducting of this group of both young and mature musicians.

Our annual picnic was better attended than I thought even due to the uncertain weather. I believe everyone enjoyed the delicious BBQ lunch, the music provided by our Hofbrau band and the games for the children. The desserts and coffee sold by our youth group were sold out and helped them raise some funds for their many expenses, especially Heimattag. Thank you to everyone who donated to their cause and who came out to enjoy an afternoon

with our friends from the Schwaben Club and Hubertus Haus.

Heimattag will be in Aylmer July 12 -14th and the Hofbrau band, the TCK choir and youth group will all be performing during the weekend festivities. I thank them all for taking the time from their summer vacations to attend and support our fellow Saxons in Aylmer. More information will be provided in the next Blatt report.

This is the year for Jugendlager and it will take place in Austria. We are fortunate to be able to send 5 of our youth to take part in this wonderful experience. The participants are Katelyn Emrich, Victoria and Breanna Gondosch, Aiden Karst and Liam Schatz. I am sure they will have a fabulous time and make new friends and meet some old ones.

All our groups will be starting up in the fall, so if you like to sing, play an instrument or dance, feel free to join and have some fun!

Calling all Saxons to mark November 16th on your calendar as a not to be missed event! POLKA, PALI AND PALUKAS!!! The title says it all! Come out for a casual family event and have fun, eat some Saxon food, dance and reconnect with your fellow Saxons. Hope to see you all there!

Stay true to your roots! See you in the fall!

*Erika Schmidt*

*Kulturgruppe Leiterin /*

*Cultural Group President*

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**FRAUENVEREIN**

**UPCOMING  
EVENTS**

**SAVE THESE DATES**

- Wednesday, December 4, 2019  
**LADIES' CHRISTMAS DINNER**
- Saturday, February 1, 2020  
**FRAUENBALL**
- Sunday, March 29, 2020  
**FASHION SHOW**

It may seem early, but we don't want you to miss out.

We are planning some exciting events for you to enjoy, so stay tuned for more information coming soon!!

Brought to you by your TCK Ladies' Auxiliary.

*Sylvia Hartig*

*Frauenverein Praesidentin*



**KEGELGRUPPE**

**BOWLING LEAGUE**

To all those that wish to bowl with us starting on approximately September 13th please email me at [drbgreen@rogers.com](mailto:drbgreen@rogers.com) or phone 519-884-2975.

*David Green,*

*Bowling Group President*



**KINDERGRUPPE**

**CHILDREN'S GROUP**

Kindergruppe will be starting again on Tuesday, October 29th at the Alpine Club from 6:30pm to 7:30pm and will run until the December 15th Weihnachtsfeier. Please save the date. We are hoping to see lots of new faces. Each night we have lots of fun activities for the kids including: games, crafts, Jr and Sr kids dance group, songs, snacks and much more. Come out and join in the fun, meet new people, develop friendships and learn about the Siebenburger Sachsen/Transylvania Saxon heritage. For more information or to join, please contact Krista or Rick Hesch at [hesch@rogers.com](mailto:hesch@rogers.com) or 519-662-4364.

*Krista, Rick, & Heidi Hesch*

*Kindergruppe Instructors*

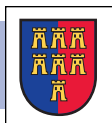


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# MEMBERSHIP PINS

*Congratulations to our members in celebration of their years of dedication and membership to the Transylvania Club. Membership pins were presented to the following members at our Members Event on May 3, 2019.*

*Wir gratulieren unseren Mitgliedern zur Feier ihres jahrelangen Beitrags zu und ihrer Mitgliedschaft im Transylvania Klub. Die Mitglieder Nadeln wurden an die folgenden Mitglieder beim Mitgliederabend am 3. Mai, 2019 verteilt.*

## 65 YEARS

Maria Gondosch  
(Lancaster St.)  
Sofia Gondosch  
Michael Klosch

## 60 YEARS

Rosie Karst

## 55 YEARS

Marie Boehm  
Gisela Emrich  
Lilly Intschert  
Johann Karschti  
Regina Karschti  
Edith Kauntz  
Erika  
Wuschnakowski  
Peter Wuschnakowski

## 45 YEARS

Martha Arend  
Erich Bliefert  
Guenther Breckner  
George Emrich  
John Frim Jr.  
Maria Goellner  
Katharina Hanek

Katharina Hartig  
Martin Hartmann  
Ingrid Hesch  
Martin Hesch  
Hans Kauntz  
Susan Kauntz  
Michael Mueller  
Erika Norris  
Alma Werner  
Michael Werner

## 40 YEARS

Kurt Emrich  
Barbara Gierscher  
Robert Hesch  
Hilda Mueller  
Annemarie Schatz  
Heidi Tavares

## 35 YEARS

Katharina Bloos  
Michael Bloos  
Petrina Breckner  
Margit Fritsch  
Linda Jung  
Herbert Kreisler  
Katherine Reale  
Roberto Reale

## 30 YEARS

Christine Gondosch  
Claudia Griebenow  
Gerhard Griebenow  
John Kreutzer  
David Merkle

## 25 YEARS

Jeremy Frim  
Edwin Lowrick  
Timothy Rich  
Eugenia Schatz  
Karen Scherl

## 20 YEARS

Stephen Brown  
Ernst Friedel  
Ruth Friedel  
Margaret Habl  
David Kachik  
Susan Kachik  
Kurt Lowrick  
Rick Murray  
Ruth Murray  
Stephanie Plomp  
Reinhold Schuster

## 15 YEARS

Lisa Fritsch  
David Green  
Stephanie Green  
Lilly Hill  
Chris Kube  
Kristian Lowrick  
Sven-Erik Nyman  
Lorraine Principi  
Tyler Rich  
Kristin Werner

## 10 YEARS

Isik Kayhan  
Maria Lowrick  
Craig Moore

## 5 YEARS

Christopher Emrich  
Sabrina Emrich  
Lise Hensel-Williams  
Alex Kenny  
Kathy Mathes  
Patrick Stuehler  
Werner Thuring



## FAMILIENNACHRICHTEN - FAMILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mitglieder die ein Jubiläum oder einen Geburtstag bekannt geben wollen,  
sollen sich bei den folgenden anmelden:

Members that would like to announce an anniversary/birthday or other special event are asked to contact:

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**helgardwerner@gmail.com**

**Heidi Lowrick**

**519-662-1757**

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### **GEBURTSTAGE - BIRTHDAYS**

*Katherine Löwrick*

*feierte am 08. Juli 2019 ihren 90sten Geburtstag.*

*Ihre Familie wuenscht ihr noch viele Jahre Gesundheit und Wohlsein.*

*Katherine ist geboren in Burghalle, Siebenbuergen.*





## FAMILIENNACHRICHTEN - FAMILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

### JUBILÄUM - ANNIVERSARIES

## Martin & Ingrid Hesch



*celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on July 19, 2019  
with family and friends.*

*Their family wishes them many more happy and healthy years together.*

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## FAMILIENNACHRICHTEN - FAMILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

### TODESFAELLE - DEATHS



#### Mary Klein

*It is with great sorrow that the Klein/Gellner families announce the passing of Maria (Mary) Klein on June 12, 2019, at the youthful age of 80.*

*She was born in Birk, Romania on February 20, 1939.*

*She was a devoted wife, mother, Oma and Omama, sister, aunt and dear friend to many, always a calm and gentle spirited person...We will truly miss her love of dancing and tender smiles.*

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### MONTHLY BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

We wish to extend best wishes to the following members who are celebrating a birthday in the months of August and September. If you have a birthday in this month and your name does not appear in the list, please call our office with the correct information in order that we can update our membership records and database.

#### AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

|                           |                         |                          |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| <i>Hermine Brown</i>      | <i>Ronald Schatz</i>    | <i>Neil Hoffman</i>      |
| <i>Trudy R. Schneider</i> | <i>Andrew French</i>    | <i>Nancy Fritsch</i>     |
| <i>Sven-Erik Nyman</i>    | <i>Karl Wolf</i>        | <i>Gerald Schatz</i>     |
| <i>Annemarie Schatz</i>   | <i>Jennifer Frim</i>    | <i>Lauren Krause</i>     |
| <i>Hans Kauntz</i>        | <i>Petrina Breckner</i> | <i>Rosina Flint</i>      |
| <i>Johann Karschti</i>    | <i>Gwen Wolf</i>        | <i>Rosie Emrich</i>      |
| <i>John Werner</i>        | <i>Tina Rich</i>        | <i>Martha Arend</i>      |
| <i>Kim Gondosch</i>       | <i>Rudolf Suessmann</i> | <i>Anna Schatz</i>       |
| <i>Maria Eichberger</i>   | <i>Michelle Nyman</i>   | <i>Kimberly Stuehler</i> |
| <i>Johann Bidner</i>      | <i>Sara Brantsch</i>    | <i>Klaus Bliefert</i>    |
| <i>Darlene Giebat</i>     | <i>Margit Fritsch</i>   | <i>Andreas Emrich</i>    |
| <i>Susanna Kauntz</i>     | <i>Randy Gondosch</i>   | <i>Katharina Ungar</i>   |
| <i>Eugenia Schatz</i>     | <i>Sofia Hendel</i>     |                          |
| <i>Christa Bendix</i>     | <i>David R. Green</i>   |                          |
| <i>Knut Mueller</i>       | <i>Maria Goellner</i>   |                          |

#### SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

|                           |                             |                            |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| <i>Marie Boehm</i>        | <i>Harry Drung</i>          | <i>Anne Foster</i>         |
| <i>Kristian Lowrick</i>   | <i>Reinhold Schuster</i>    | <i>Katharina Dienesch</i>  |
| <i>Andrea Emrich</i>      | <i>Katherine Warkentin</i>  | <i>Hailey Rich</i>         |
| <i>Lilly Hill</i>         | <i>Elke Hensel-Williams</i> | <i>Oscar Karg</i>          |
| <i>Tina Vicano</i>        | <i>Alfred Lowrick</i>       | <i>Ingrid Hesch</i>        |
| <i>Claudia Griebenow</i>  | <i>Melanie Gondosch</i>     | <i>Georg Fritsch</i>       |
| <i>Betty Ann Doering</i>  | <i>Stuehler</i>             | <i>Katharina Werner</i>    |
| <i>Alex Emrich</i>        | <i>Dave Emrich</i>          | <i>Martin G. Hesch</i>     |
| <i>Rosemarie Rawlings</i> | <i>Erhard Dreger</i>        | <i>Katharina Schertzer</i> |
| <i>Johann Wolf</i>        | <i>Katie Dienesch</i>       | <i>Anna Eichvald</i>       |
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