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Germania Post



Germania Club "Stiftungsfest"

152nd Anniversary Celebration

October 2, 2016

Doors open at 4:30pm

Dinner at 5:30pm

\$30.00

A celebration of 152 years of the Germania Club of Hamilton with dinner and special awards to members.

Please call the office to order your ticket.

Some of the volunteers that made it all happen
September 23, 2016.



D.E.



The President's Corner



Dear Members,

Oh what a night! The last function in the Germania Club was the Johnny Cash Tribute. When booking or planning an event such as this, you really don't know what to expect. The organizers promised to sell 230 tickets. I believe by 7:00 pm the big hall was filled to capacity. The line-up at the bar started at 6:30 pm, and the demand for drinks; roast beef; and sausage on a bun did not diminish until about 10:30 pm. The atmosphere in the hall was indescribable, everyone had a great time and there were no problems whatsoever.

This also meant that it was a good night for the Club. It was also a long and busy night for our staff. As you can well imagine, having a bar/food total of over four thousand and one hundred dol-

lars, created a lot of work and cleanup, so the hall could be ready for the Sunday morning service.

At this time of year, it appears that every time a function has been held, it is time to plan and prepare the next one. The month of September is again a very busy month, as we are also getting ready for our Oktoberfest on Sept. 24th and our 152nd Stiftungsfest on Oct. 2.

In closing, I would like to extend a big thank you to all members who continue to help and support the club. It is only with your help that these functions are a success. I am looking forward to seeing you at our upcoming events.

Your President
Ulrich Venohr



Sunday Lunch

Sunday, October 30, 2016
Open from 12:00pm - 2:00pm

Come and enjoy your choice of Ham Pineapple Homefries, vegetables in season or Schnitzel Dinner, for dessert will be Poached Pear.

\$15.95 plus tax per person.
Children ages 5- 12 years 1/2 price



FILMNACHMITTAG

Es spielt **“Cat Ballou”**

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>> Film starts at 2:30pm <<

Free Admission / Coffee and Cake available.





Fischer & Jäger

Moin, Fisher & Hunter Members & Friends,

I would like to start with our Family Weekend at Lake Dalrymple. The weather was lovely and we had a good and fun group of people from age three to eighty five. FANTASTIC. THANK YOU Harold for "tubing" our young people around on the Lake. They had a super good time. Some even got "dunked" into the water, including Travis Hatchwell, a non-swimmer kept his cool and waited to be picked up. So in all, it was a successful weekend. Thank You, to our super Chefs, George and Chris, and of course the ladies in the kitchen preparing Salads etc. A beautiful meal was prepared for all to enjoy. THANK YOU.

--The Cottage received new eves, but most important a new Dock. Thank you to ALL who had a hand in this project. Just a little reminder that the Cottage is still OPEN and the Fall is a beautiful time to enjoy nature. NO Heat, NO

Humidity, and comfortable temperature. For bookings 1) email 2) via our facebook 3) call Bob Mulhall 905-818-5510 or Joe Parzen 905-529-1664 Our F&H Meetings are still every Thurs. of each month at 8PM. It would be nice to see more F&H Members,so come on out to "You're F&H Meetings. You joined, so PLEASE come and support your group. And we do have birthdays this month, Paul Parzen, Richard Kramolowsky and a special "19" Birthday to Samantha Kiss. Happy Birthday to you and to those that I have missed.

Tschuess until next Month.
Maggie 519-746-2619
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Margitta Untch
Auf Wiedersehn



I (Heinz) celebrated my 85th Birthday.

I would like to thank everyone who helped to make my birthday celebration so much fun. I felt like a King sitting at a table with 7 lovely ladies. It was a great event, with so many friends, I still can't believe you all came out to help me celebrate. It was one of my best birthdays ever. Thank you to the choir for singing for me, the kitchen for preparation and the staff who were so friendly. Especially thank you to Lori, I know you worked so hard to make my party special. I would also like to thank everyone for their gifts and cards, I will be busy for a long time reading the cards. Thank you also for the donations for the Alzheimer's Society, \$100.00 has been donated in my name. To end the evening, the music was great. Thank you, my dear friends.





Choral Notes

My favorite time of year is the fall, it is not so hot anymore and many 'Fests' are on now. Oktoberfest, Wine Fest and Stiftungsfest .

The choir's Wine Fest is on Oct.22nd and of course there is wine tasting from Winery Reif Estate from Niagara-on-the-Lake with the owner Klaus Reif.

We will have our garage sale on Oct.1 and on Oct.2 the Germania Club will celebrate the 152nd Anniversary.

I wrote in the Sept.issue, that we were going to the Transylvania Club, but that should be Wine Fest at the Concordia Choir Kitchener on Sept.17, sorry about that.

The only other thing I have to report are birthdays for October : Ulli Venohr, Uschi Schien and Guenter Heitland - a very Happy and Healthy Birthday to you all.

Greetings,
Jeanet Schaefer.



HELP WANTED

The club is looking for part time food servers and also help with set-up and tear-down in the club. These are part-time paid positions. We have customers renting the club and require a certain set-up of tables and chairs, and that is where we are looking for help. We also need servers for customers private parties and for club functions. Please call or email the club to apply.





Germania Choirs

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Weinfest

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Saturday, October 22, 2016

Doors open 4:30pm, buffet dinner available at 5:00pm

Program Beginning at 6:30 p.m.

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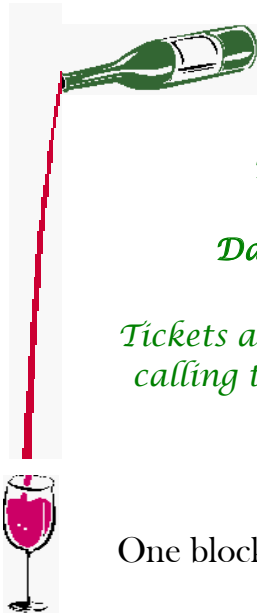
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Aus unserem Frauenverein

Well, after a break of one month, we are officially back. Considering the heat, our meeting on Sept. 7 was well attended. 12 ladies showed up, incl. Erna Melloh from Welland. One dedicated member. Her son from Binbrook drove her.

One of the main topics was our Bazaar in Mid-November. Cookies and cakes will be a problem, since they are brought in and not baked on the Club premises. We have to follow the Club's guidance in this respect. If the green sticker for 'all good' is not out front, we all will suffer and it may even affect the liquor license. We will think about it and discuss more in October. Also, Rose Strinich was one of our main suppliers and organizer of the White Elephant Table, which brought in a bit of money... not as much as the cake and cookie sales! Rose had friends knit socks and baby items and scrounged garage sales in her neighbourhood. She won't be able to do it anymore (still at Aberdeen Gardens).

Annemarie has had already a

few enquiries from vendors. She suggested using more of the centre floor space for vendors, so that we have more variety of merchandise to offer. Seems like a good idea.?! A few ladies also went to the Fisher and Hunter Weekend at Lake Dalrymple. From what I was told, it was a lovely weekend. You may have seen Annemarie's post on Facebook. Hopefully all the kids there will be future members. That's how it starts.

Rosi Kramolowsky, on behalf of the Club, asked for help at the Oktoberfest, Sept.24. Brigitte Parzen and Dorothea Melms volunteered. Thank you.

Birthdays in October:

Linda Wanner Oct 3
way below 80

Uschi Schien Oct. 8, 86

Samantha Kiss Oct. 9

Just went to College in London

Vera Pamukoff Oct. 30, 80

Sorry, this is short, but we just got back into the swing of it.

Any ideas or enquiries please let me know

'till next month

Sieglinde Seiler, Secretary

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The Campers' & Park Report



If you couldn't join us at our annual Campers' Picnic, you not only missed a lot of fun, but also great food. Yes, as promised, our chefs roasted a whole pig on a spit. A sight to behold! Many of us stayed behind to join in a multitude of games including Bingo. We would like to thank Karla, our Entertainment Chair Person, and her team of volunteers. To all those that cleaned, cooked, decorated, served and ran the games: a big round of applause for a job superbly done.

In many ways, with so many new arrivals in our campground, this year has been an interesting but turbulent one. New members bring new ideas and new ideas bring changes and sometimes conflict.

"Everything That Has A Beginning, Has An End!" So the old saying goes. My beginning was about twenty years

ago when I became Chairman for a couple of years and afterwards volunteered in a few other positions including Vice Chairman.

Over ten years writing this article, I'm running out of steam. Enough is enough! It is time for some more inspired campers to take over. As of the 16th of October 2016, the day of our fall meeting, Joan, our secretary and I will resign from our respective positions. Joan and I will be glad to help any new candidates any way we can, to get started.

After that it will be our time to lay back and relax at our campsite, socialize with friends and not worry about broken rules, frivolous complaints and any unfinished business.

We have done our part. Let newer, more energetic minds take over and help Frank, our Camper Chairman, with his job.

Once again, reminders:

---The Fall Campers' Meeting will be at the Clubhouse on King Street on Sunday, October 16th at 2:00 pm. A \$200.00 deposit to secure your campsite for next year

is required before the first of November.
Lastly, I was asked to include the following in this article:

*“Attention Campers,
Any sewage going into the holding tank and septic system should contain biodegradable, septic safe toilet paper only.”*
Kevin Pyett,
Park Manager.

So here we are. Too bad that the last sentence in my last article had to have a potty ending, But it is what it is.

Your Fellow Camper,
Egon Roeslein.



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Oct Birthdays



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 Richard Kramolowsky
 Wilhelm Kuehlem
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Oct 1	8:00am	Choir Garage Sale
Oct 2	5:30pm	152nd Anniv. of the Germania Club
Oct 14	8:00pm	Friday Night Dance
Oct 16	2:00pm	Campers' meeting - Germania Club
Oct 20	8:00pm	Fisher and Hunter member's meeting
Oct 22	5:00pm	Choir Weinfest
Oct 25	7:30pm	Membership meeting
Oct 28	8:00pm	Friday Night Dance
Oct 30	12pm	Sunday Lunch Menu: Pineapple Ham
Ocxt 30	2:30pm	Filmnagmittag : "Cat Ballou" (deutscher sprache)

VORSCHAU/PREVIEW

Nov 6	2:00pm	Memorial in the Park
Nov 12	5:00pm	Germania Club SCHLACHTFEST
Nov 17	8:00pm	Fisher & Hunter member's meeting
Nov 20	11:00am	Ladies Auxiliary Christmas Bazaar
Nov 22	7:30pm	Member's Meeting
Nov 25	8:00pm	Friday Night Dance
Nov 27	10:00am	Fisher & Hunter Turkey Shoot



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