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German Day Week

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German Day Week Kickoff Keg Tapping

Date: Wednesday, May 31, 2017
Time 7:00 p.m.
Place: Hofbräuhaus Newport

German Day Kickoff

Date: Saturday, June 3, 2017
Time: 10:30 a.m.
Place: Findlay Market

German Day Celebration

Date: Sunday, June 4, 2017
Time: 11:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.
Place: Hofbräuhaus Newport



German-American
Citizens League of
Greater Cincinnati

This marks the 122nd celebration of German Day sponsored by the German-American Citizens League (GACL). In honor of this historic occasion German Day Week has been proclaimed in the Tri-State (Hamilton County and the Cities of Cincinnati, Covington and Newport) for the week of May 28 - June 4, 2017.

German Day Week Kickoff Keg Tapping at HBH Newport - Wednesday, May 31, 2017 at 7 PM.

On Saturday, June 3, 2017 at 10:30 AM the parade and opening ceremonies will take place at the historic Findlay Market, featuring representatives of area German-American societies, as well as the German heritage of the Market. This will include performances by German dance and music groups as well.

On Sunday, June 4, beginning at 11:00 AM until 11:00 PM enjoy the fine food and beverage and German music at the Hofbräuhaus Newport. This year's German Day Grand Prize consists of a dinner party for 30 at the Hofbräuhaus (excluding beverages), The GACL will offer hourly raffle prizes throughout the day, and a grand raffle at 5:30 P.M.

Also, at 11:00 AM on Sunday, June 4, there will be a German Day Mass at Old St. Mary's Church.

Help celebrate German Day Week, which celebrates the German heritage of the Greater Cincinnati area, and serves as a fundraiser for the German Heritage Museum. For further information contact Marge Poole, Editor of German-American News at: 513-625-1668, or E-Mail: mpoole@cinci.rr.com




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German-American Citizens League of Greater Cincinnati

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GERMAN DAY WEEKEND RAFFLE 2017

The German-American Citizens League, the umbrella organization for 39 German Societies in the Tri-State area, requests your support of our German Day Weekend Raffle.

Our German Day Weekend starts with a Kick Off Program and Parade at Findlay Market with dancers and dignitaries present. That takes place on Saturday morning at 10:30 AM on June 3. The celebration continues on Sunday, June 4 at the Hofbräuhaus in Newport, Kentucky from 11:00 AM until 8:00 PM. During this day we have singers, music, and a raffle.

We would very much appreciate if you or your company would donate a prize for our raffle (prizes include gift cards, gift baskets, etc.). The Grand Prize is from the Hofbräuhaus for a dinner party of 30. Donor names will be posted on our Facebook Page as well as a poster, which is displayed at the Hofbräuhaus.

The Donors will also be listed in our quarterly newsletter, which circulates throughout the Tri-State and also goes on our website (www.gacl.org).

All proceeds from German Day Weekend will go to the care and upkeep of the German Heritage Museum in West Fork Park on West Fork Road. The museum houses artifacts given to the Museum by German Immigrants. The admission is free so all can enjoy the German Heritage. Your donation to the German-American Citizens League is also tax deductible since we are a non-profit organization (501c3).

This year is particularly important to the GACL because the Museum is in need of extensive repairs and renovation. We would really like to get this done during 2017 if at all possible.

If you decide to donate to our raffle you can either mail your donation to German-American Citizens League, c/o Peter Poole, 2456 Cedarville Road, Goshen, OH 45122 or e-mail troll714@aol.com or phone (513) 625-1668 for any further information. Prizes can also be dropped off at the Hofbräuhaus in Newport on Sunday, June 4 after 11 AM.

Thank you for your support of German Day celebration, which the German-American Citizens League has been sponsoring since 1895.

Sincerely,
Peter Poole

Peter Poole

German Day Raffle Chairman

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Old St. Mary's Church
123 East 13th St.
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Christ Lutheran Church
3301 Compton Road
(513) 385-8342

Prince of Peace Lutheran Church
Taylor at Center, Bellevue,
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German-Americans and the Guns of August Symposium – 1917

A symposium was held on March 17-18 to mark the centennial of U.S. entrance into World War I, and discuss its impact on German-Americans. Sponsored by the Indiana German Heritage Society (GHS), it was held in Cincinnati, and hosted by the German-American Citizens League (GACL).

Dr. Paul Tenkotte, NKU Professor of History, spoke on “The Anti-German Hysteria of World War I in Northern Kentucky,” and then fielded questions on the topic. The symposium was held to mark the centennial of U.S. entrance into World War I, and discuss its impact on German-Americans.

William Selm, Public Historian, Indiana University-Purdue University-Indianapolis, discussed the Deutsches Haus in Indianapolis, and how its name was changed to the Athenaeum as a result of the Anti-German Hysteria.

Dr. Giles R. Hoyt, Professor Emeritus of German, Director Emeritus of the Max Kade German-American Center, Indiana University-Purdue University at Indianapolis, spoke about portrayals of German-Americans during World War I, and their impact on the Anti-German Hysteria.

Dr. Don Heinrich Tolzmann, President of the German-American Citizens League & Curator of the German Heritage Museum, described the Jahn Monument in Inwood Park in Cincinnati, and how it was vandalized during the war.

Martin Wilhelmy, Honorary Consul of the Federal Republic of Germany, and Clem Luken, Honorary Consul of the Federal Republic of Austria, presented greetings from their offices, and discussed the importance of the topics dealt with at the symposium.

A display of books dealing with German-American history was also arranged for the symposium by Steven Schmidt, IGHS.

Fat Tuesday 2017



Bock Fest 2017



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The Munich Sister City Association [established in 1989] (which also includes the FC Bayern Cincinnati "Over The Rhine" fan Club established 2015)

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1 – Annual Bowling Tournament
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3-10-17-24 - Stammtisch at Mecklenburg Gardens 6:00 P.M.
Sponsored by Cincideutsch

7 – “The Hun Image of Germans in WWI”
Presented by Dr. Don Heinrich Tolzmann
7 PM – Hamilton Hall Museum
20 High Street – Hamilton, OH 45011

7 – Fish Fry (Endowment)
Sponsored by the Kolping Society
For more information www.kolpingcincinnati.com

7 – Germania Fish Fry
Sponsored by the Germania Society
For more information see: www.germaniasociety.com

7 – Eintracht Fish Fry
Sponsored by Eintracht Singing Society
For more information see www.DaytonEintracht.org

8 - Weißwurst breakfast, buffet style,
11AM at Mecklenburg Gardens
Sponsored by Haendlmaier's Mustard Club
For more information see www.mustardclub.org

9 – Easter Party (Palm Sunday)
Sponsored by The Donauschwaben Society
For more information phone (513) 385-2098

9 – Children Easter Party
Sponsored by the Germania Society
For more information see: www.germaniasociety.com

19 – Coleraine Township Historical Association
General Meeting – Northgate Mall outside Macy's entrance
on ground floor 6:45 PM
For more information see www.colerainehistorical-oh.org

21 – Spring Beer Tasting
Sponsored by Dayton Liederkrantz Turner
For more information see www.daytongermanclub.org

22 – Germania Volksmarch
Sponsored by the Germania Society
For more information see: www.germaniasociety.com

22 – Spring Beer Tasting
Sponsored by Edelweiss German Club
For more information see www.germanclubedelweiss.com

28 – Northern Kentucky German Heritage Club
Meeting at PeeWee's Place, 2325 Anderson Rd.
Crescent Springs, KY 7 PM, speaker TBD
Info: nkygermanheritageclub@gmail.com

28 – 29 – 30 District Saengerfest
Ft. Wayne, Indiana

30 – Germania Venison Dinner
Sponsored by the Germania Society
For more information see: www.germaniasociety.com

May

1-8-15-22-29 - Stammtisch at Mecklenburg Gardens 6:00 P.M.
Sponsored by Cincideutsch

5 – Eintracht Fish Fry
Sponsored by Eintracht Singing Society
For more information see www.DaytonEintracht.org

6 - National Homebrew Day,
Homebrewing Demonstrations and tasting,
hosted by the Bloatarian Brewing League,
at Rivertown Brewery, 607 Shepherd Dr., Lockland, OH,
details at www.bloatarian.com

7 – Spring Concert
Sponsored by the Kolping Society
For more information www.kolpingcincinnati.com

7 - Germania Ladies Day Out
Sponsored by the Germania Society
For more information see www.germaniasociety.com

7 – Spring Concert & Dinner
Sponsored by Dayton Liederkrantz Turner
For more information see www.daytongermanclub.org

13 - Weißwurst breakfast, buffet style,
11AM at Mecklenburg Gardens
Sponsored by Haendlmaier's Mustard Club
For more information see www.mustardclub.org

13 - Dirndl/Trachtenball
Sponsored by The Donauschwaben Society
For more information phone (513) 385-2098

16 – Green Township Historical Association
General Meeting – Nathanael Greene Lodge 7:30 P.M.
For more information see www.greentwphistory.org

17 – Coleraine Township Historical Association
General Meeting – Northgate Mall
outside Macy's entrance on ground floor 6:45 PM
For more information see www.colerainehistorical-oh.org

19-20-21 – Germania Maifest
Sponsored by the Germania Society
For more information see: www.germaniasociety.com

19 – 20 – 21 – World A'Fair
Dayton Convention Center

21 – German Heritage Museum Maifest 1 to 5 PM
Sponsored by the German-American Citizens League
At the German Heritage Museum in West Fork Park

27 – Genealogy
Sponsored by Dayton Liederkrantz Turner
For more information see www.daytongermanclub.org

28 – New Knoxville Historical Heritage Complex
Open from 1PM to 4PM
Sponsored by the New Knoxville German Society
New Knoxville, Ohio

June

2-3- German Day Weekend
Sponsored by the German-American Citizens League
For more information see GACL.org

4 – Cincy. Blues Challenge at Germania
Sponsored by the Germania Society
For more information see www.germaniasociety.com

5-12-19-26 - Stammtisch at Mecklenburg Gardens 6:00 P.M.
Sponsored by Cincideutsch

9 – 10 – Schwabenfest
Sponsored by The Donauschwaben Society
For more information phone (513) 385-2098

9 – Eintracht Dinner Eintracht Platz
Sponsored by Eintracht Singing Society
For more information see www.DaytonEintracht.org

10 - Weißwurst breakfast, buffet style,
11AM at Mecklenburg Gardens
Sponsored by Haendlmaier's Mustard Club
For more information see www.mustardclub.org

15 – “Roebling and His Suspension Bridge”
Presented by Dr. Don Heinrich Tolzmann
11:30 AM Behringer-Crawford Museum
1600 Mantague Rd., Covington, KY 41011

16 – Eintracht Bill's BBQ Rib Dinner
Sponsored by Eintracht Singing Society
For more information see www.DaytonEintracht.org

17 – “A Readers Guide to Roebling and His Bridge”
Presented by Dr. Don Heinrich Tolzmann
2 PM Roebling Ascent Building
1 Roebling Way, Covington, KY 41011

21 – Coleraine Township Historical Association
General Meeting – Northgate Mall
outside Macy's entrance on ground floor 6:45 PM
For more information see www.colerainehistorical-oh.org

23 - Northern Kentucky German Heritage Club
Meeting at PeeWee's Place, 2325 Anderson Rd.
Crescent Springs, KY 7 PM, speaker Martin Wilhelm
Info: nkygermanheritageclub@gmail.com

25 – Gulasch Dinner (week after Fathers' Day)
Sponsored by The Donauschwaben Society
For more information phone (513) 385-2098

25 – New Knoxville Historical Heritage Complex
Open from 1PM to 4PM
Sponsored by the New Knoxville German Society
New Knoxville, Ohio

30 – Fifth Friday Froth Fest
Sponsored by The Donauschwaben Society
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30 - Eintracht Dinner Eintracht Platz
Sponsored by Eintracht Singing Society
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