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July August 2013 NEWSLETTER

The next General Membership Meeting will be held at 8:00 PM on

Monday, August 12th, 2013

In Memoriam

Robert E. Hawkins Bernd N. Laudorn Peter Kamermans

A MESSAGE FROM YOUR PRESIDENT

Liebe Mitglieder - Dear Members,

Thanks to all of you that volunteer and support the club in many different ways. The D.S.B. is doing well however we can always use an additional pair of hands in many areas. Remember: *Teamwork divides the task and multiplies the success.* ~*Author Unknown*

Festivities will be fewer during the summer months however, peruse your newsletter and visit us during the posted hours.

There will be no General Membership Meeting in July; the next scheduled General Membership Meeting is August 12th, 2013 at 8 PM. Have a safe and enjoyable summer, come back refreshed and ready to work on the Oktoberfest and all the excitement it brings.

Mit freundlichen Grüssen,

Norma Grieb

Entertainment Committee

The Entertainment Committee is taking a Sommer Pause. Information for the Oktoberfest Appreciation Party, Hayride and German Christmas Show will be available in the General Membership Meeting in August.

The Ladies

The Ladies annual trip is tentatively planned for Thursday October 3rd to the Dutch Apple Dinner Theater in Lancaster, PA to see "Menopause, The Musical". If you are interested in going, please contact Judy Ariganello @ 302-463-9658 or Marti Kane @ 302-528-5608 so we can get a count for the bus. Confirmation of the date and price will be coming shortly.

The next Ladies meeting is scheduled for June 24th at 7:30 pm in the Von Steuben Zimmer. New members are always welcome. There will be no meeting in July. Judy Ariganello, President, Ladies of the DSB

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Special Notice from the Culture Committee

The DSB will welcome hundreds of Musical Students to Newark in August. They are 6 years of age to 17 years old.

The Wilmington Children's Choir celebrated 10 years of success. Perhaps you have heard them sing. Thirty five of the WCC Singers spent a week in Fulda, our Sister City, in 2011. Now, the Fulda students are coming to Wilmington from July 28 through August 4, 2013.

We have only one evening to welcome these musical students and their parents to the Delaware Saengerbund.

The Culture Committee is looking for volunteers to help with the picnic to welcome the 31 members of the Kammerorchester der Jugend Fulda and their chaperones who are on an exchange visit with the 220 children and parents of the Wilmington Children's Choir. The picnic will be on Thursday, Aug. 1st at 5 pm.

If you love live music, the choirs and orchestra will play together on Sat., Aug. 3rd, 7 pm at a place to be determined.

Volunteer - call Marge at 302-415-5435

From the Bauernstube

FYI: Bauernstube hours will be reduced for June and July with Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays being closed, otherwise all scheduled hours are maintained. Note: if an event takes place on Saturday then the Bauernstube will be open at that time.

Save the Date

Saturday, July 20th beginning at 9:45 a.m. join the Delaware Historical Society and Delaware Saengerbund member John Medkeff for a hop-on/hop-off bus and walking tour of Wilmington's historic brewing sites. Information about the tour can be found at: http://www.dehistory.org/Programs/Buried%20Brew/Buried%20Brew.htm.

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DSB History: Enzian Volkstanzgruppe des Delaware Sängerbunds

The idea of having a Volkstanzgruppe started in 1955. Two members sent away for a Volkstanz instruction book "Bristoler Tanzbuch", but the idea dwindled when their husbands were not willing to join in. It was not until fifteen years later the Enzian Volkstanzgruppe came to be.

In 1968, Margot and Richard Trager, Ingeborg and George Keith, Helga and Karl-Heinz Schulz, and Tom and Gisela Yost, founded the Enzian Volkstanzgruppe. None of which had any prior folk dancing knowledge.

With the Tanzbuch in hand, the first dance they learned was a Landler. Music for the dance came from a record with a song titled "Gebirgskinder Landler". Practices took place in the Bauernstube. This dance has since become the groups Ehrentanz. It was first performed in October 1968 during the Sängerbund's Oktoberfest, held at the Wilmington Turn-Verein.

In 1969 the next phase of construction began on the DSB property. The 60 by 60 Deutsche Halle was erected, providing seating for 300 people. As the DSB Board of Directors put together a yearly calendar, it was then said that the Enzian Volkstanzgruppe will have the first dance of the fall season. To this day, the group still celebrates its Stiftungsfest as the first fall dance of the Delaware Sängerbund. This year we will celebrate 45 years.

Notice from the Culture Committee Kindercamp 2013 Application form (Deadline is July 12th)

The camp will be held from **August 5th to August 16th**, every day from 9 to noon.

There will be two groups: children ages 5 to 7 and children ages 8 to 13.

Our theme will be: Die Natur erleben. Experiencing nature.

Please sign up children and grandchildren of members only!!!

Cost is \$30 for the first child and \$20 for every other child of the same family.

Please make out checks to DSB and send along with the application form to 49 Salem Church Road, Newark, DE 19713 attn. Culture Committee.

Name of child	Age	Contact Information (e-mail address and day time emergency phone number)	Dietary Restrictions

Please contact Iris Busch (beuren@udel.edu) 302-453-9872 with any questions that you may have.

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Heimatkunde

Do you remember the term "Pfingstluemmel". Als Pfingstluemmel wird am Pfingstsonntag derjenige bezeichnet, der als letzter der Familie das Bett verlässt. Dieser Brauch ist in einigen Gegenden auch als "Pfingstochse oder "Palmesel" { am Palmsonntag} bekannt. Der Brauch geht auf vorchristliche Zeiten zurück und war ursprünglich ein Fruchtbarkeitsritual, wobei die Befruchtung der Erde nach dem Winter gefeiert wurde.

This term applies to that person which on Pentecost Sunday is the last to get up in a family. Similar terms, such as "Pfingstox" or "Palmdonkey' on Palm Sunday, are found in various geographical areas. The custom actually stems from pre Christian times, when after a long winter the spring and with it the fertilization of the earth was celebrated. (refer.:de.wikipedia.org)

Man soll nicht gleich mit der Tuer' in's Haus fallen. One shouldn't be overly aggressive. Think before you speak, be discreet.

Ohne Sparen und Muehe kommt man auf keinen gruenen Zweig. Without making an effort to save one cannot reach the goal.

ENZIAN VOLKSTANZGRUPPE

The Enzian Volkstanzgruppe again thanks those members who volunteered to help make the 20th Mid-Atlantic Kinderfest a success. We could not have hosted this event without their help and support of the Delaware Saengerbund. We received many compliments on our activities and clubhouse.

Adults and children needing new items to be ordered or clothing to be altered, please meet in the Bauernstube, Sunday, July 14th at 2pm. This will provide enough time to have items ready for our Stiftungsfest and Oktoberfest. If you have questions, please contact me,Norma Grieb, via email - enghag@comcast.net

From the Property Committee

Property Committee meeting, Monday, July 8th, 2013 at **7:30 pm** in the D.S.B. Library.

Property Committee cleanup, Saturday, July 13th, 2013 at 9:00 am

Movie under the Pavilion When – July 20th Time – 8:30pm Movie Lincoln







Lincoln is a 2012 American historical drama film directed and produced by Steven Spielberg, starring Daniel Day-Lewis as United States President Abraham Lincoln and Sally Field as Mary Todd Lincoln. The film is based in part on Doris Kearns Goodwin's biography Team of Rivals: The Political Genius of Abraham Lincoln, and covers the final four months of Lincoln's life, focusing on the President's efforts in January 1865 to have the Thirteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution passed by the United States House of Representatives.

Food and Beverages will be available at special prices

Bring your favorite soccer chair or your lounge chair

Join the Wilmington Children's Chorus as we welcome the Youth Chamber Orchestra of Fulda, Germany









Collaborative Concert Saturday, August 3, 7:00 pm

Ticket and Location information at www.WilmingtonChildrensChorus.org











5th Annual DSB CRAB FEAST

August 24th 2:00 pm in the Deutsche Hall

Tickets are on sale now and you must reserve your seat or takeout by August 13th

\$30 all you can eat ticket includes:

Crabs, Corn-on-the-Cob, French Fries, Hot Dogs, Chicken, Homemade Pasta Salad and Cole Slaw. Pabst, Yuengling, Miller Light and sodas are included! Live Music

Tommy Keith and the Acoustic Jam

(Children 12yrs and under are \$10) Also available:

\$25 dozen or \$15 half dozen crabs take out. Price includes combread only.

There will be no tickets sold at the door!

Tickets will be on sale at the bar until August 13th or you can use the form below and place in the 1stVP mailbox or drop off to any bartender with payment. You may also email me with your reservation to DKANE1@AOL.COM

August 24th Crab Feast					
All you can eat x \$30 = Children x \$10 =					
Dozen Crabs x \$25 = Half Dozen Crabs x \$15 =					
Name & Phone#					

Enzian Volkstanzgruppe 45th Stiftungsfest



Saturday, September 7, 2013

Music by

Burgenland Joe Weber Band

Special performances by visiting Schuhplattler and Volkstanz Vereine and by our very own Enzian Musikanten des Delaware Sängerbundes

Doors Open at 6:30pm Einmarsch at 8:00pm Dancing 7:30-11:30

Donations: \$8.00

Tickets will be available at the DSB August General Meeting and will continue on Thursday Nights, 7:30 – 9:00 at the DSB

For Additional Ticketing Information Contact: Louise Kirkpatrick at (302) 547-5286

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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Date	Day	Event	Time	Place	Doors Open
Jun 24	Mon	Ladies Meeting	7:30 pm	Von Steuben Zimmer	
Jul 8	Mon	Property Committee Meeting	7:30 pm	Library	
Jul 13	Sat	Property Clean-up Day	9:00 am	DSB grounds	
Jul 20	Sat	Wilmington Beer History Tour	9:45 am	Iron Hill Brewery Wilmington	
Jul 20	Sat	DSB Movie Night	8:30 pm	Pavilion	
Aug 24	Sat	5 th Annual DSB Crabfeast	2:00 pm	Deutsche Halle	
Aug 26	Mon	Trip to Germany Begins			
Sep 7	Sat	EVTG Stiftungsfest	7:30 pm	Deutsche Halle	6:30 pm
Sep 20	Fri	Oktoberfest	5:00 pm	DSB Grounds	
Sep 21	Sat	Oktoberfest	12:00 pm	DSB Grounds	
Sep 22	Sun	Oktoberfest	12:00 pm	DSB Grounds	
Oct 6	Sun	Erntedankfest	3:00 pm		