

German-American Club of Tucson

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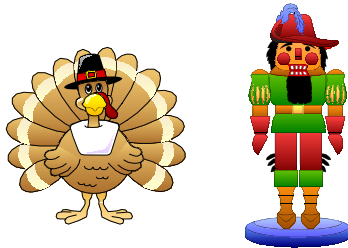
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November/December 2008

President's Corner



Our Erntedankfest dance was another pleasant evening. Everyone seemed to enjoy the music and friendliness of our club. Phil Baca sang his Mexican song for us. He said he has learned to walk once again and was happy to be with us. We have three new members that joined that night. I wish to thank all the helpers, bakers, etc. that helped with our last dance of 2008. Also thanks to all the members and their guests who supported our dance.

Please join us at our membership meeting on November 19. We will have a pot luck with the club providing hot turkey and gravy. You may wish to bring a dish to complement the turkey. We ask that you also bring your own plates, utensils, etc.

Our annual Christmas banquet is on December 7. Hermann Kron and his committee are working on the program. Please ... if you have a special talent, would like to do a reading, etc., contact Hermann as soon as possible to say that you wish to add to the fun of the party. Santa will be coming too. I hope you have all been good this year. If you wish Santa to present a gift to someone special, please bring it along to the Christmas party.

My premature best wishes to you and yours for a pleasant, meaningful holiday season. Please keep our troops in your hearts and those who may be experiencing a sad Christmas.

IMPORTANT: Be sure to mark your calendars as this newsletter covers both November and December. See you soon.

Your Prez, Jean Brett

President	Jean Brett	546-6663
Vice President	Wendell Hecke	299-8683
Treasurer	Doug Van Dorpe	299-4290
Recording Secretary	Vacant - Volunteer?	
Corresponding Sec'y	Darlene Rietz	744-0789
Council Members:		
Hermann Kron		790-8868
Trudy Dauernheim		290-5808
Doris Wack		825-2133
Hartmut Hausler		299-5262
Erna Hecke		299-8683
Aggie May		885-7964

Upcoming club activities:

- Nov. 12, 7 pm, Board meeting, plan for Christmas party
- Nov. 17, 6:30 pm, membership meeting - **Potluck**
- Dec. 3, 7 pm, Special board meeting to plan Fasching
- Dec. 7, 4 pm, Christmas party, NCO Club
- Jan. 8, 2009, 7 pm, board meeting
- Jan. 21, 6:30 pm, membership meeting - special guest
- Feb. 7, 5:30 pm, Fasching dance - **Norm Siess Band**
- Feb. 11, 7 pm, board meeting
- Feb. 18, 6:30 pm, membership meeting - **Potluck**
- Mar. 7, 5:30 pm, Frühlingstanz - **Norm Siess Band**
- Mar. 11, 7 pm, board meeting
- Mar. 18, 7 pm, membership meeting, elections



Happy birthday to members celebrating their birthday in **November**



Ruth Weiss	01
Barbara Lester	02
Hans Eckhardt	07
Arlie Kahl	10
Heidy Fuhs	18

Carl Unger	19
Charlotte Griffin	28
Carla Eller	29
Elke Ruff	30



Congratulations to members celebrating birthdays in **December**

Olga Claassen

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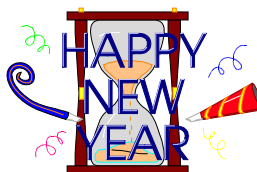
John Lesko	01
Inge Tepper	02
Lydia Ellis	05
Jay Martin	06
Bill Faust	11
Frank Hastings	11
Bill Sibole	13
Heinz von Forsch	17
Inge Fauser	18
Gerda Taylor	19
Bob Holdcraft	23
Leo Nieder	23
Jack Hobaugh	26
Gene Stuessy	26
Lilian Kling	27

the right and the NCO Club is across the street from the water tower. The deadline for reservations is December 1. Members must send a \$20 refundable deposit per person to Doug at the Club address, which will be refunded at the door or applied to your next year's membership dues, as you wish. Guests will be \$25 per person for adults; children 6-12 will be \$12.50 non-refundable; children under age 6 are free. NEW MEMBERS PLEASE NOTE: If you do not have base privileges, you MUST call Doug at 299-4290 to give him information to be put on the list. Hermann Kron is organizing a choir to sing carols. Why not give him a call at 790-8868 and volunteer to sing or do a reading? The buffet will be tossed salad, cucumber and tomato salad, beef burgundy, jaeger schnitzel, spaetzle, mashed potatoes, green beans almondine, red cabbage, rolls with butter, apple strudel, coffee and tea.



We wish a hearty welcome to new members, **Lucille and Earl Webb, Helmut Troutman, Ed and Trudy Kocher, Robert Mielbeck, Georgia**

Harding and Marlene Hilligoss. Why not make it a point to introduce yourself and bid them a warm welcome at the next gathering?



Doug Van Dorpe is again willing to sponsor our club members who wish to attend the new year's eve party at the Officers' Club. The hours are 6:30 pm to 1 am. The cost is \$30 per person in advance or \$40 per person at the

door. The ticket price includes prime rib dinner, two free drinks, two door prize tickets, champagne at midnight and breakfast. You must send your money to Doug so he receives it by December 18. His address is 3811 N. Camino Blanco, Tucson, 85718.



Our Christmas party will be held at the DM NCO Club on Sunday, December 7 beginning at 4:00 p.m. PLEASE NOTE this year it will

be at the NCO Club, not the Officers' Club. The NCO Club is beyond the Officers' club. There is a water tower on

REMINDER

Your 2009 dues are due and payable January 1. You may elect to have the club keep your deposit for the christmas party or send your dues of \$20 per son to the club address above.



*Frohe Weihnachten und ein
gutes neues Jahr*

Warm wishes to all our members and their families for a plentiful and thankful Thanksgiving and a peaceful and happy Christmas and New Year. A special prayer for all our military troops as well.

