



# German-American Club of Tucson

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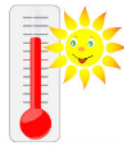
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By: Ulli Malcolm

June 2020

### President's Corner

Liebe Mitglieder und Freunde  
Dear Members and Friends



Happy Birthday to members celebrating their birthday in **June**.

**Alles Gute zum Geburtstag!**

I hope this newsletter is finding you happy and healthy.

This sure has been an unprecedented couple of months. The Covid 19 virus has thrown us all for a loop. The times sure have changed and we need to change with them. I am not sure how the members of our club would like the board to proceed. The Unitarian Universalist Church of Tucson, where we hold our dances, is still closed. According to their website, they will be closed till the end of June, maybe longer. I will try to contact them in July for an update.

The GACT Board is asking their members for their input. Do we as a club cancel all of our functions for this year? Do we try to hold our elections? Do we try to hold some functions or just cancel all events till 2021? Please let me know by e-mail how you would like us to proceed for 2020. Response by the end of June would be appreciated.

I would like to make a clarification regarding myself as President. I, at no time took this position without the full approval of the board. All board members voted (per the by laws) that I would take over as President until the next elections. Since this has offended certain individuals I will go by Interim President.

The other state of contention was regarding our Treasurer Renate Ramirez. This lady has stepped in and done a great job with the books and streamlining the accounting system. The members are welcome at any time to look at the accounting books. We, the board, have nothing to hide.

All members are invited to all board meetings and we welcome your input at any time.

Please let our Treasurer, Renate Ramirez, know if you have changed your address, phone number, or e-mail so she can update the records.

A very Happy Fathers Day to all the the dads here and in Heaven. May you enjoy your special day.

Please stay safe, wear a mask and practice social distancing.

Viele liebe Grüße,

Mariza Kron, GACT Interim President

	June
John Papoutsis	02
Werner Hueppe	03
John Hobrath	06
Gisela Aaron	13
Dianne Burgess	20
Trudy Dauernheim	20
Louie Stroud	23
Guillermo Teran	25
Ilsa Teran	25
Michael Kud-Kudijaroff	26
Sonja Papoutsis	27

### Did You Know?

By country, German-Americans are the largest ethnic group in the United States with 14.7% of the population, English are 7.8% and Irish at 10.6%.

### Board of Directors

#### Officers:

Interim President	Mariza Kron	303-798-4172 mskron59@gmail.com
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## German Holidays - June

### June 1: Whit Monday (Pfingstmontag)

Whit Monday, also known as Pentecost Monday is celebrated fifty days after Easter, and it is the final holiday of this season. The day is celebrated through special spring festivals and church service.

### June 11: Corpus Christi (Fronleichnam)

The Feast of Corpus Christi takes place 60 days after Easter Sunday, and dates back to the second half of the thirteenth-century. On this day many Germans attend the church service, where special attention is paid to the sacrament's blessing which consists of only bread or wafers. It is celebrated in Baden-Württemberg, Bavaria, Hesse, North Rhine-Westphalia, Rhineland-Palatinate, Saarland, and some local authorities in Saxony and Thuringia.



### Upcoming club activities:

All activities are suspended until further notice due to coronavirus restrictions and health guidelines.

### From the Editor:

Any suggestions or corrections for the newsletter, please feel free to e-mail me.

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