

THE SAXON NEWS

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BRANCH 18, SALEM By Barbara Spack

The annual October joint social and family Halloween party will be held on Saturday, October 25 at the clubhouse. Joint social will begin at 6:30 with the main dish provided by the ladies of Branch 18. All members and guests are welcome and are asked to bring a covered dish and table setting. Please come in costume to enjoy the Halloween fun, treats, festivities and prizes!

On a sad note, Branch 19 members Barry Emelo and Ron Reichenbach passed away. A moment of silence was observed for Barry and Ron at our monthly meeting. We send our prayers out to Debbie (Ulrich) Emelo and to JoAnn Reichenbach and families. Prayers also are sent to Vera and Annette Jermolenko on the passing of daughter and sister, Nina.

Branch 18 and 19 fifty-year members were honored at a dinner on Saturday October 4. New fifty-year members recognized this year were Carol Kuner, Marilyn McNutt, Christine Crawford, and Kay Mackall from Branch 18; and Dave Herbert, Robert Wagner and James M. Drotleff from Branch 19. Congratulations to

BRANCH 22, YOUNGSTOWN By Rosemarie Kascher

Upcoming events:

Friday, October 24 Children's Halloween Party 6:00 PM Wednesday, November 5 Officers' meeting 6:00 PM

Thursday, November 6 Retirees meeting Noon Saturday, November 8

Craft sale 10:00 AM to 2:30

Sunday, November 9

Branch meeting 2:00 PM

Please get the payment of your dues in early for next year; Some of us forget to meet our obligations on time. It is very much appreciated.

Birthdays: Shirley Stamp, Marge Artz, Dorothy Bokesch, Dorothy Fizet, Gertie Rauschenberg.

Thinking of yous were sent to Christine Schneider, Pat Bokesch, Mary Ann Uhran, Janet Clagg. Sympathies went to the families of Pat Bokesch, Carol Eberth. A "to heal quickly" to Darlene Nischwitz.

We welcome the new secretary in our office, Debbie Thomas.

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Cleveland, OH 44129-159

these members on this milestone!

Upcoming club events include the monthly breakfasts on the third Saturday of every month, open to the public, and offering an all-you-can-eat buffet including sausage gravy, biscuits, scrambled eggs, home fries, bacon, sausage, pancakes, waffles and an array of baked goods. Breakfast is served from 7 am to 10 am.

Bingo is open to the public and held at the club every Wednesday with doors opening at 4:30 and bingo starting at 6:30 pm.

A German Dinner is being planned for Friday, November 7 and there will be three seatings by reservation only. Cost of the dinner is \$15.00 and reservations are being taken by Flo Spack and Sharon Walker. The Sausage Sale will take place in November and sausage should be pre-ordered by the deadline. Sandwiches and baked goods will be available for sale at pick up. Please see the ads in the Volksblatt for more information on the German Dinner and the Sausage Sale.

At our joint meeting with Branch 19 in September, President Henry Spack asked for more committee participation from members. Please make an effort to say "yes" when asked to serve; or better yet attend a meeting and let the officers know of your willingness to help. We have a great facility and it takes much participation and cooperation from membership to keep it going. Thanks to everyone for supporting the club. Our next meeting will be Monday, November 10 at 7:30 pm.

ATTENTION TSBA BOWLERS



Next Session: Sunday, November 9, 2014 in New Castle

Time: 11:00 AM

Bowling Location: Colonial Lanes 3210 Wilmington Rd. New Castle, PA

> Luncheon: Saxon Club

108 Taylor St. New Castle, PA

Meal cancellation or additions, please call Rich Baker at (724) 854-0149 Deadline is November 4, 2014

PRESIDENT'S **MESSAGE**

By Thomas J. Manning **ATS Nat'l President**



The month of October is half over. The older I get, the more quickly time passes. We here in Erie, have already had a few frosty mornings and I am sure that some of you had several of them as well. It is time to put away those short sleeve shirts and get out the sweatshirts and sweaters.

These are some important dates to remember in November. Daylight Savings Time ends on November 2nd. Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour. Election Day is on November 4th. Be sure to get out and vote for the candidate of your choice. If you don't vote you give up the right to complain about the winner. Veterans Day is on November 11th, and we honor all military personnel, both past and present. The last important date is Thursday, November 27, which of course, is Thanksgiving Day. It is a special day to give thanks for all of our blessings and our family and friends. Also, it is a day when we look forward to that delicious turkey dinner we enjoy as a family. It always amazes me how many hours are spent in preparing the dinner and how very quickly it is consumed. Enjoy your day and be sure to thank the cooks.

We send get well wishes to Donna Jankow who is one of our dedicated ATS members who is also a member of our Home Office Staff. Recently, Donna had major surgery and will have an extended period of recovery. I am sure she would appreciate a Get Well card from her many friends in the ATS You can send them to her at 7663 Ragall Pkwy., Middleburg Hts., Ohio 44130.

I thought you would enjoy these Thanksgiving stories. Thanksgiving day was approaching and the family had received a Thanksgiving card with a painting of a pilgrim family on their way to church. Grandma showed the card to her small grandchildren, observing: "The Pilgrim children liked to go to church with their mothers and fathers." Oh yeah? her young grandson replied, "so why is their dad carrying that rifle?"

Question: Why do turkeys always go "gobble, gobble"? Answer: Because they never learned good table manners!

Question: What is blue and covered with feathers? Answer: A turkey holding its breath!

Take care until next time and may God bless the members of the ATS.



BRANCH 26, MERRILLVILLE By Helen Brooks

Well it appears fall is upon us, leaves are falling, colors are changing. I'm working outdoors trying to get all set for the colder season.

On October 5, 2014 we had our regular meeting. Randall Floyd, our president, was absent. Dan Schuffert called the meeting to order. Pledge to the flag was said. Roll call of officers: all are present. Randall was excused as was Brigitte.

Minutes were read and approved. Treasurer's report was read and accepted. Jackie Smith was paid for a sick slip.

We discussed upcoming bowling on October 18 and 19th. Plans were made.

A reminder that our meetings for the next four months will start at 2 PM.

November 2 will be nominating committee consisting as follows: Willard, Jeff and Judy Andrews.

We will have a memorial service in November. December 7 will be our Christmas party.

The raffle was won by Pete Guip and attendance prize by Zita Palyok.

The meeting was adjourned and we enjoyed fellowship with each other plus all the good baking.

Till we meet again.

BRANCH 17 AND 14, CANTON By Jeanne Kirsch

Well, summer has passed, but where did it go? Round the corner comes Halloween, then comes Thanksgiving, then comes Christmas. Then another year. It's really going fast.

I'm here to remind you of our next meeting on November 9 at 11:00 AM at the Pizzaria.

I want to wish everyone a thankful Thanksgiving and may God bless.

Get well wishes go out to Sister Suzie Scheel who was in the hospital for some time.

Birthdays for November: 2, Suzie Scheel and 14, Rosanne Miller. Many more happies.

Thought for the day: the way I see it, if you want the rainbow, you got to get up with the rain.

BRANCH 27, NEW CASTLE By Dolores Both

Branch 27 ladies met on October 2. Plans were finalized for the Dinner Cruise on October 11. We're all looking forward to a delicious dinner while we enjoy the beautiful fall foliage of Lake Arthur. The Faraone Brothers banquet room is reserved for our Christmas party on December 4.

The next meeting is November 6 at 7:00 pm at the club. See you then and don't forget to vote on Election Day.

The Youngstown Saxon Club Ladies Branch #22



We are searching for Vendors for our Annual Fall Craft Show.

The Show will be held in our Ballroom at 710 S. Meridian Rd., Youngstown, OH 44509.

The date is November 8th, and the time is from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM.

The cost for an 8 foot table will be \$30.00.
Food will be available,
also a Basket Raffle and a 50/50 Raffle.
For more information
call Betty at 330-788-4274

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ASK YOUR DEPUTY HOW
A CERTIFICATE OF
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Salem Saxon Club



A Taste of Germany

November 7, 2014

By Reservation only

Seatings at 5:00pm, 6:00pm and 7:00pm \$15.00 per person

Bean Puree, Farina Ball Soup, Wilted Lettuce, Homemade Bread/Butter, Bratwurst, Sauerkraut/Pigs, Sauerbraten, Savoury Rice, German Potato Salad, and Various Desserts.

German Beer and Wines available as well as Coffee, Punch & Iced Tea

Reservations due November 3 by calling Florence Spack (330) 337-3652 or Sharon Walker (330) 332-0940 Alliance of Transylvanian Saxons Home Office: 5393 Pearl Rd., Cleveland, Ohio 44129 Telephone: (440) 842-8442

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THE DEADLINE DATE FOR ARTICLES IS WEDNESDAY - 12 NOON.

You may either

MAIL: PO BOX 45198,

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FAX: (440) 399-9339

E-MAIL: saxonvolksblatt@aol.com

Articles e-mailed will receive an e-mailed confirmation by Noon Thursday. If you did not receive a confirmation, please give us a call.

DEADLINE DATES FOR ARTICLES:

DEADLINE ISSUE

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2014 FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2014 WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2014 FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2014 WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2014 FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2014

Please have your articles in by 12 Noon.

Did you miss the deadline?

Have you emailed your article past 12 noon? Please call Hanz or Barb Hermann at (440) 892-0436.

BRANCH 5, LORAIN By Michael Johnson

Withfallsoquicklydescending upon us and the memorles of summer fading, a new chapter began on Saturday, October the 4th for ATS Branch 5 and its members. Followed by a moment of silence for our Branch President, Brother George H. Schneider who passed away on the 18th of September. Vice-President Brother Ned Jones opened the meeting as President Pro-Tem. Being asked to fill the office of Vice-President was Brother Robert Tomusko who accepted the position to be held until the next election of officers. Brother Tomusko also serves as a Trustee and has been a member in good standing, serving on both the audit committee, the ATS National Convention committee, and is a participant at ATS Bowling Tournaments and Golf Outings.

Next month's meeting, which will be held on Saturday, November 1 at 8:00 PM as always at the Lorain Slovak Club, will be primarily for the election of officers for the coming year 2015. Those desiring nomination for an office must be a member in good standing which is defined by attendance of two or more meetings within the last

year. Only members in good standing for at least 3 years can be elected President or Vice-President. Plan on coming out and casting your vote and making your membership count through a renewed commitment to being part of this fraternal brotherhood.

It has been 111 years since the founding of this organization on July 12, 1903 known as The First Transylvanian Saxon Sick Benefit Society of Lorain Ohio; Branch # 5 of The Alliance of Transylvanian Saxons. In order to continue carrying on the purposes for which it was instituted, we need each member to take an active role in helping to preserve the customs and traditions and helping each other in times of need. Whether it be through participation in our own organizations events or those of our sister branches, your attendance is necessary to continue this unique heritage for years to come.

The date for the annual Christmas dinner hosted by our ladies of Branch 11 has been announced and will be held at The Jackalope Resturant on December 6, 2014 at 6:00 PM. Look for an announcement for reservations in coming issues of your *Volksblatt*.

Some Saxon News from the West By Tom Fizet

Some time ago, Dorothy and I moved to University Place, Washington to be with Judy and Bruce. Since then we have moved to a one floor remodeled home in Lakewood, about 15 minutes away. It is very nice. Our new address is Tom or Dot, 7312 Zircon Dr. SW, Lakewood, Wash, 98498. My new email address; twfizet@net-venture. com - our phone is the same 330-792-7249, for those who might like to get in contact.

Having talked to some in Branch 22 & 30 I have discovered some information. Marge Teutsch called, but did not say anything about the 50th anniversary for her and Mick Sr. Sounds as if the party was great. Congratulations Marge and Mike, and keep it going.

The daughter of Wayne Elliott was recently married. I can't remember her and the Groom's name, Congratulations to the Bride and Groom and to the Wayne and Sue and the Elliott family.

It is too late to apologize for the wrong date for the October Pork Dinner to Branch 22 & 30.

Keep the Children's Halloween Party on top for October 24th at the Saxon Club in the Ballroom. All who attend enjoy the fun, even the Grandmas and Grandpas.

Could it be? Darlene Nischwitz had knee surgery and is now going to therapy. Stay in there Darlene for a good recovery. As you get better you can tell what to do and what to expect. This Friday I have my day with the neurologist to find out if I am ok for a knee.

The Youngstown Saxon Club has other important programs on the Calendar - check the bulletin board, call the Office, read the Saxon News, read the *Volksblatt*, come to the club and also to the Branch meetings, at the present on the Second Sunday of the month at 2:00 PM. Nominations for Officers and Trustees is coming up, join your fellow Saxons and do your part, support your club.

After I moved, several people saw from my last article that I had moved and contacted me; Ms. Pauline Ellett, The Dalles, Oregon, Norma Libertine in Florida, and Sally Savage and Oscar McCorkle in Las Vegas, these friends are ATS members; I will answer them

As I receive more information maybe I can send more messages.

So long for now.

ELECTION DAY

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Add up your bites, try for 100 bites a day

The Bite Monitor, worn on the wrist like a watch, counts the number of bites you take. The going assumption is that 100 bites a day is ideal for men and women to lose weight, say researchers at South Carolina's Clemson University who developed the device. It will be for sale next year for \$195.

"It isn't so much what we eat but how we eat that mat-

ters. If you're eating too fast, you're probably not chewing and enjoying your food very much. You're more likely to eat more," says Michael Jensen, an obesity expert at the Mayo Clinic

Already for sale is the HAPfork (\$99 online and in stores). It vibrates and flashes a red signal if bites are spaced at less than 10 seconds apart.

BRANCH 11, LORAIN By Monica Gilles

Our October meeting was on October 4. Before the meeting, we dined at Lenoci's Italian Restaurant. The food was delicious.

We had 4 bowlers heading to Chicago for the ATS Open Bowling Tournament. They are taking advantage of the bus sponsored by the ATS. I will have more details on how Lorain represented after the next meeting.

The Lorain Christmas Dinner will be held on December 6th at 6pm at Jackalope's. This year, dinner will be served buffet style. The buffet will consist of Prime Rib, Herb Crusted Pork Loin, and Grilled Salmon, along with red skinned potatoes, vegetables, and salad. Please make your reservations by contacting Jeanne Petty at 440-960-1696. The Deadline for reservations is November 28.

Happy Birthday to Jane Mowery, Ruth Pasta, Erica Zgola, and yours truly!

The next monthly meeting will be Saturday, November 1st at Slovak Home starting at 8pm.



Hey Kids, color this picture and receive a Halloween Treat Send it to: ATS Home Office, 5393 Pearl Road, Cleveland OH 44129

Name	Branch No
Address	
Age	

Tom

FRATERNAL CALENDAR

LOCAL EVENTS

October 24, 2014

Cleveland Br 1 and 4 Children's Halloween Party Youngstown Children's Halloween Party - Ball room Salem Peanut Night 8:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m.

October 25, 2014

New Castle Kids' Halloween Party at the Club 3 p.m. New Castle Fall Festival Party at the Club 7 p.m. Salem Joint Social Dinner & Halloween Party (CH)) 6:30 p.m.

October 28, 2014

Salem Sausage Orders Due

November 1, 2014

Youngstown Trachenball, open to the public Salem Sausage Sale 9:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m

November 2, 2014

New Castle Fall Sauerkraut Dinner Noon - 3 p.m. Youngstown Spaghetti Dinner, open to the Public November 3, 2014

Salem Br. 19 Meeting 7:30 p.m.

November 5, 2014

Salem Saxon Retirees 11:30 a.m.

November 7, 2014

Youngstown Setup for Craft Show

Salem German Dinner Times p.m. Pending

November 8, 2014

Youngstown Br.22 Craft Show, open to the Public

November 9, 2014

Cleveland Br 1 and 4 Veterans' Day Dinner Youngstown Branch 22 & 30 meet, 2 PM

November 10, 2014

Salem Br. 18 Meeting 7:30 p.m.

November 13, 2014

Youngstown Retirees meet

Youngstown Fall Bocce Banquet, Men

November 15, 2014

Salem Breakfast Buffet 7:00a.m.-10:00 a.m.

November 16, 2014

Youngstown Pork Dinner, open to the Public, in Ballroom

November 21, 2014

Salem 2015 Calendar meeting 8:00 p.m.

November 26, 2014

New Castle - Thanksgiving Eve - Club open

November 27, 2014

New Castle - Thanksgiving Day - Club closed

Youngstown Saxon Club closed

November 28, 2014

Salem Peanut Night 8:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. (Decorate for Christmas- - - - Free drinks for all

members who decorate!!!)

December 1, 2014

Salem Br. 19 Meeting 7:30 p.m.

December 3, 2014

Salem Saxon Retirees 11:30 a.m.

December 4, 2014

New Castle Br. 25 - Election of Officers

Cleveland Sachsenchor Sausage Sale

December 6, 2014

Cleveland Br 1 and 4 Children's Christmas Party

December 8, 2014

Salem Br. 18 Meeting 7:30 p.m.

December 11, 2014

Youngstown Retirees meet

December 12, 2014

Salem Joint Social Dinner 6:30 p.m.

Salem Children's XMAS Party-

YOUNGSTOWN SAXON CLUB

PORK-KRAUT DINNER

Sunday, November 16, 2014

11:30 - 2:30 p.m.

\$8.75

Children \$5.00

includes coffee/tea/pop

and dessert

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

TAKE OUTS AVAILABLE!

SALEM SAXON RETIREES By Nancy Stumperth

The October meeting of the Salem Saxon Retirees was held on a nice, sunny day. We had 32 members and one quest in attendance. Margaret Burg from South Carolina was a guest of Betty Clayton. We had a nice array of snack foods again prepared by the committee. Our thanks to them! Thank you also to Tony Rothbrust who tends the bar every month and helps set up the room for our meetings. Lois Whitacre opened the meeting as usual, with all of the officers present. The 50/50 was won by Ann Schmid. The committee for November is: Flossy Spack, Mike & Nancy Stumperth and Bill Orend. We will be having Hot Ham & Cheese Sandwiches with the usual sides. Please have your reservations in by October 30th by calling Katy at

you have a cancellation. It was announced that Branches 18 and 19 will be holding another Sausage Sale. The price is \$3.00 per pound. Get in touch with Marilyn McNutt or Nathan Walker by October 27th to order. Pickup will be from 9 am to 2:30 pm on Saturday, November 1st. There will be a lunch available on that day also.

They are planning another German Dinner on Friday, November 7th. The cost is \$15.00. This will be by reservation only. with settings at 5:00, 6:00 and 7:00. Check the Volksblatt for the menu and who to call for reservations. This dinner was a big success last year and I'm sure it will be again this year.

On Saturday, October 25th the lodge will hold its monthly social and Halloween Party. This is for the children also. Come in costume if you like.

Members having birthdays in November are: 16th, Peggy Lesch; 19th, Catherine Sanor; 20th, Ray Greenisen and Walli Spack; 21st, Tony Rothbrust; and the 25th, Kaethe Schneider. Happy Birthday to all of you! The anniversaries for November are: 17th - Tony & Bunny Rothbrust. 25 years; 24th - Doris & Bill Lewis, 67 years; and 27th - Bill & Pat Martin, 67 years. Happy Anniversary to you also.

Hope everyone has a happy Halloween. Enjoy the beautiful colors outside while you can because the next color will be WHITE !!!!

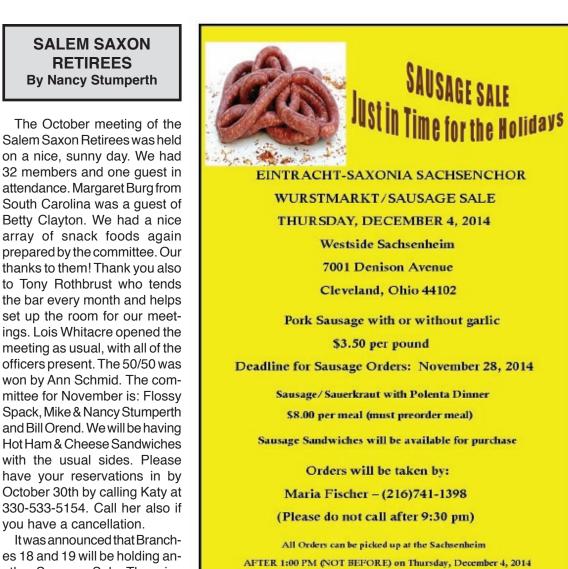
Low-tech humor

Sign behind an Amish carriage:

"Energy efficient vehicle. Runs on grass and oats. CAUTION: Avoid exhaust!"

Cop's facility

Did you hear that someone broke into our local police station and stole the toilet? Right now, the cops have nothing to go on.



Salem Saxon Club Sausage Sale
Pick Up Orders; November 1, 2014 9:00am - 2:30pm Last Day to Order: October 26, 2014 Sold in 3 lbs & 5 lbs Portions: \$3.00/lbs. No Deliveries Sausage Sandwiches, Donuts, & Refreshments Will Be Sold During Pick-Up Hours Orders will be taken at the Saxon Club Bar or call:

If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Adolf Fischer at (216)741-1398.

Marilyn McNutt 330-337-8940 or (216) 410-7291



WESTSIDE SACHSENHEIM SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2014 1:00 PM

Stuffed Cabbage Dinner—\$13

Veteran's Dinner plus a free drink ticket -\$10

Take-Out Cabbage Roll Orders: 2 Cabbage Rolls with Kraut \$6.00

Call Maria Fischer for Reservations and Take-out Cabbage Orders: 216-741-1398 Deadline for Reservations & Orders:

November 3, 2014 All Veterans present will be recognized.



St. Peter's German and Saxon Lutheran Church

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Warren, Michigan 48093
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www.stpeterswarren.or

Rev. Waldemar Gies Pastor pastorgies@sbcglobal.net

10:00 Bilingual Service

Nursery School Coffee following service. Bible Study, Senior Circle, Sunday School, Church Choir, Bell Choir

St. John's Lutheran Church

1000 Ford Road Highland Hts., Ohio (440) 449-1334 Rev. Roberta Davis-Newhouse

9:00 Worship Service

Pastor

BRANCH 33, CLEVELAND EAST By Jeff Krestel

We had our annual Halloween costume party on October 8. Thank you to everyone that was in attendance. All of the costumes were excellent! Thanks to Sister Barb Hum for making arrangements for the pizza, and thanks to those who brought in baked goods. We had two guests at our October meeting, Debbie Lange and George Foisel. We hope to see you both again soon.

Please take a moment to send thoughts and prayers to Sister Ruth Ungar. She fell recently and she suffered a broken neck. We wish her strength and we pray for her recovery. We also mourn the loss of Branch 5 President George Schneider,

and fellow Saxon George

Branch 33 will be making sausage on Saturday, December 6, at 8 am. Please come out and participate. We need some of our younger members to learn the recipe and the technique to carry on the tradition. We will be taking orders for sausage at the November meeting, but anyone interested can place an order with Fred and Ingeborg Krestel at (440) 639-1775. Cost is \$3.75 per pound, and it will be worth every penny!

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday, November 12, at St. John's Lutheran Church on Ford Road in Highland Heights. We are asking members to bring non perishable food items to donate to the needy. We will be enjoying a Saxon Pot-Luck Dinner at 7 pm, with the meeting to follow. Please bring a Saxon themed dish to share, and enjoy the recipes of others as well. We need desserts too! November is election month, and we will be holding election of officers at our meeting. Anyone that is interested in becoming a Branch 33 officer should please attend.

There will be no meeting for the month of December, but we will have our annual Christmas party on Sunday, December 14, at Pine Ridge Country Club in Wickliffe. The cost will be \$10 for members and \$25 for guests. Doors open at noon, and dinner will be served at 2, and the Showstoppers will be performing after dinner.

The roof on the Fellowship Hall at St. John's is leaking badly. In an effort to help raise money for this project, the church is selling Our Town and All-Around Dining Directory books. The books are jam packed with hundreds of offers to use, and thousands in savings! The books cost just \$28 and they make great gifts! We will have some available at the November meeting, and at our Sunday worship service.



We remember our Sisters and Brothers who have departed this life in recent days. Our sincere sympathy is extended to the members of the bereaved families.

Judy A. Speck

Age 63 Died: January 27, 2014 Home Branch, Cleveland OH

Mary Alice Vogelberger

Age 92 Died: August 19, 2014 Branch 22, Youngstown OH

Lena M. Kunkle

Age 89 Died: October 1, 2014 Branch 8, Alliance OH

George H. Guist Age 84

Died: October 1, 2014 Branch 33, Cleveland OH

Katharina Benning

Age 95 Died: October 9, 2014 Branch 4, Cleveland OH



Branch 33 members having some Halloween fun



WEDNESDAY NIGHT BINGO

SALEM SAXON CLUB

Benefitting the
Scholarship Fund
Homemade Dinners,
Sandwiches & Snacks
For Information call
234-564-5964

Organizing Tip

Tall and narrow shelving units can make great benches. Turn the bookshelf on its side and lay it on the floor. Top the unit with a covered foam pad to make a seat for the bench. Into each cubby of the shelving unit, you can place an organizer basket to hold toys, linens, clothing, shoes, or other items. Not only do you get storage, but the space makes great seating for a playroom, kid's room, or entryway.





On September 18, the Saxon Community lost a big man, with a bigger heart.

George H. Schneider went to be with his Lord, and his parents.

George was so proud to be a Saxon. He loved his parents so much.

He called Adolf Fischer...."Our Fearless Leader". I was honored to be his friend.

Later in life he became a radio personality. He loved that. His favorite song was...."Ich hatte einen Kameraden." Good-bye George. ...Rest in peace.

James Kloos Br. 1, Cleveland



The Youngstown Saxon Culture Group
Hosts

"A Night at the Races"

Saturday, January 10, 2015

Save the Date and Join Us in the Ballroom!

Tickets at the door

The Youngstown Saxon Culture Group 45th Annual

Trachtenball Dinner

Saturday, November 1st, 2014

Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Dinner served at 6:30 p.m.

The Youngstown Saxon Club

710 South Meridian Road Youngstown, Ohio 44509

For Dinner Reservations please contact:
John and Marie Bachinger (330) 792-4005
Robert Bachinger (330) 792-5177
\$15 Adult - \$10 Children 12 and under
Tickets will be held at the door

The evening will feature a Schnitzel Dinner and performances by the Deutscher Musik Verein (DMV),
Schuhplattler Dance Groups from Pittsburgh and Columbus and The Youngstown Saxon Band.

Please reserve early to attend one of the Valley's great European Cultural events!

PotPourri

SPOOKY Sudoku

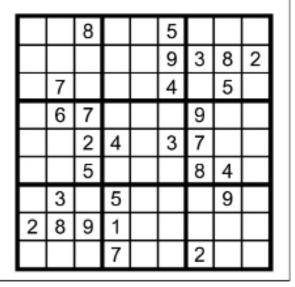
How to solve Sudoku puzzles

To solve a Sudoku, you only need logic and patience. No math is involved.

Each 3x3 square region must have only one occurrence of the numbers 1 through 9.

Each column and row of the large grid must have only one instance the numbers 1 through 9.

The difficulty rating on this puzzle is EASY.



Welcome to Halloween 2014

One nice thing about the Halloween decorations at your front door: they don't have to be beautiful. They can even be funny or scary.

Whether you include skeletons, scarecrows or ghosts, they'll give your friends a shudder or laugh. Add pumpkins with frightening painted faces and cornstalks to fill in the spaces and you'll have an artful seasonal display.

Trick-or treating has changed in our time as parents want their children to stay safe. The door-to-door begging has given way to visiting relatives only, or going to organized programs at churches or clubs. Hay rides are popular.

Watch for "Trunk or Treat" events sponsored by businesses and organizations. Kids can add to their booty while sponsors and parents keep an eye on them

When they bring their loot home, parents are likely to have a few pieces themselves. Doctors at the University of Maine recommend helping yourself to a box of raisins. Their fiber carries cholesterol out of your system.



Adults aren't left out of the fun. There will be Halloween parties where everyone dresses in costume. At www. costumeexpress.com, there are such outfits as knights, queens and pirates with many modern and traditional choices.

Some people buy a costume for their dog. It encourages body handling, which the dog likes, and dressing your pet creates bonding. The dog looks cute and gets praise, attention and rewards. Most dogs, especially small ones, enjoy the experience.



"And remember to check with your accountant, as the gifts I've bestowed upon you may be subject to tax."



your relatives and friends to join the crowd at ATS. Tell them about our fraternal society!

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Wels und Bistritz besiegeln Städtepartnerschaft

Die Städtepartnerschaft von Wels und Bistritz ist nun auch im oberösterreichischen Wels besiegelt worden, zwei Wochen nach dem entsprechenden Festakt in Bistritz (siehe "Evakuierungsgedenken in Bistritz setzt neue Maßstäbe"). "Als Bürgermeister von Wels und persönlich wünsche ich mir von unserer Partnerschaft, dass sie dazu beiträgt, die bereits bestehenden Kontakte zu intensivieren. Möge sie zum noch besseren gegenseitigen Kennenlernen und zu einer fruchtbaren Zusammenarbeit vor allem in den Bereichen Wirtschaft, Bildung, Kultur und Tradition beitragen!", erklärte Bürgermeister Dr. Peter Koits in seiner Festrede am 27. September im Festsaal des früheren Minoritenklosters in Wels.

Zum ausgewählten Auditorium gehörten Bürgermeister Ovidiu Creţu mit seiner Bistritzer Delegation, Vertreter der Evangelischen Kirche A.B. in Rumänien unter Leitung von Bischof Reinhart Guib, Gäste aus Politik, Kultur, Wirtschaft der Stadt Wels, die Spitzen des Bundesverbandes der Siebenbürger Sachsen in Österreich (Bundesobmann Hofrat Mag. Pfr. Volker Petri, Ehrenobmann Konsulent Dr. Fritz Frank, Landesobmann Manfred Schuller u.a.), der lokalen Kulturgruppe der Siebenbürger Sachsen, von Nachbarschaftsvater Dipl.-Ing. Dr. Christian Schuster angeführt, sowie Vertreter der HOG Bistritz Nösen.

"Die Wurzeln der Partnerschaft zwischen Wels und Bistritz liegen rund 70 Jahre zurück", erinnerte Dr. Peter Koits, "als gegen Ende des Zweiten Weltkrieges aus Nordsiebenbürgen mit Bistritz als kulturellem Zentrum zahlreiche Siebenbürger Sachsen vor der herannahenden Ostfront fliehen mussten, ihre seit Jahrhunderten angestammte Heimat hinter sich lassen mussten und zahlreiche dieser Menschen in Österreich, und von diesen wiederum viele bei uns in Wels ein neues Zuhause fanden. Mit ihrem bekannten Sinn für Ordnung und Gemeinschaft halfen auch die Siebenbürger Sachsen entscheidend mit, dass auch in Wels aus den Trümmern des Zweiten Weltkrieges eine blühende und florierende Stadt wurde." Der Welser Bürgermeister verwies in seiner Festansprache auf den besonderen Zeitpunkt des Abschlusses der Städtepartnerschaft, denn vor genau 25 Jahren sei der Eiserne Vorhang gefallen: "Seitdem ist es für die Bürgerinnen und Bürger unserer Staaten wieder möglich, miteinander in Kontakt zu treten und sich gegenseitig zu besuchen."

Der Bistritzer Bürgermeister Ovidiu Creţu betonte in seiner Festrede den gesamteuropäischen Rahmen auch dieser Partnerschaft mit ihrer historisch bedingten Besonderheit: "Bürger von Wels sind Nachkommen derjenigen Bistritzer Sachsen, die in Siebenbürgen zivilisatorisch prägend gewirkt haben und 1944 kriegsbedingt ihre Heimat verlassen mussten. Sie können, wenn sie zu uns kommen, die Herkunftsorte ihrer Vorfahren besuchen, die europäische Komponente des friedlichen, kulturell befruchtenden Austauschs zum gegenseitigen Nutzen unserer Städte und ihrer Bewohner stärken." Er zitierte dann aus dem Partnerschaftsvertrag: "Als Mitglieder der Europäischen Union wollen wir möglichst viel zu den Bemühungen um Frieden, Wachstum und zur europäischen Einheit beitragen."

Der Festakt wurde neben dem Festessen auch zu einem musikalisch-tänzerischen Genuss besonderer Art: Das Lehrer-Streichquartett der Landesmusikschule Wels empfing die Festgäste mit den Nationalhymnen Rumäniens und Österreichs und verwöhnte die Anwesenden mit Mozarts Streichquartett Nr. 2 D-Dur (Allegro), mit der Annen-Polka von Johann Strauss und der Europa-Hymne. Die gekonnt von Günther Dobrauz am Akkordeon begleitete Welser Tanzgruppe verdeutlichte den zuvor in den Reden betonten europäischen Bogen mit gepflegtem Ausführen des siebenbürgischen "Budaker" und einer aus Dänemark stammenden "Soderburger Doppelquadrille". Das Publikum dankte mit begeisterndem Applaus. Am Nachmittag des Festtages trafen sich mehrere hundert Gäste von nah und fern in der Welser Stadthalle bei der großen österreichischen Gedenkveranstaltung "70 Jahre seit der Evakuierung 1944". Ein Bericht folgt in der nächsten Ausgabe dieser Zeitung.

Horst Göbbel SBZ Online 14. Oktober 2014



Bürgermeister Dr. Peter Koits und Bürgermeister Ovidiu Creţu setzen am 27. September erneut ihre Unterschrift unter den Partnerschaftsvertrag. Foto: Stadt Wels

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