

Terre Haute German Oberlander Club



May 2021

Strassenfest 2021

Just a quick thanks to everyone who helped at and attended Strassenfest. The community and member feedback we've received has been very positive and everyone seemed to enjoy themselves. Plus, we raised a couple thousand dollars to fund the 2021 *Francis Sanders Scholarship Program* and to help sustain the Club.



Almost as important as raising a few dollars, we tried some new things to help control costs and improve some festival related processes. Many of the lessons we learned from Strassenfest can be applied to Oktoberfest too.

Oktoberfest isn't very far off, so we're starting to work on it now. If we have as much help and support as we did for Strassenfest, we should be in good shape. However,

we expect a record crowd for Oktoberfest so we'll need all hands-on deck in September for this popular community event.

Thanks again for everything. We'll do it again next April!

Brad Cress, Vice President

New Arrival



Congratulations to Stacy & Scott Mullins on the arrival of their new granddaughter!

If you know of a member who might appreciate a card or note (i.e., congratulations, get well, sympathy, etc.), please let us know by contacting Spring Wilson at (812) 201-4568 or Spring1976@msn.com.

Mark Your Calendar

- Tue, 05/11, 6:00 PM: Board Meeting
- Sat, 05/15, 6:00 PM: Monthly Dinner
- Wed, 05/26, 6:00 PM: Membership Meeting
- Happy Hour begins at 5:00 PM
 - Business Meeting begins at 6:00 PM
- Tue, 06/10, 6:00 PM: Board Meeting
- Sat, 06/12, 6:00 PM: Monthly Dinner
- Wed, 06/23, 6:00 PM: Membership Meeting
- Happy Hour begins at 5:00 PM
 - Business Meeting begins at 6:00 PM

Although not currently required, wear of masks and social distancing are highly encouraged during Club meetings and events.

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Shrimp Peel

The board of directors will host a *Shrimp Peel* on **Saturday, 05/15/2021**, at **6:00 PM** at the clubhouse. The menu will be: green salad, shrimp, red potatoes, and desert for \$15.00. Carryout dinners can be ordered when you RSVP.

We'll also again be featuring our three new German beers: Benediktiner Weissbier, Fruh Koisch and Hofbrauhaus-Freising Dunkel and the new Buzzball Wine Spritzers for \$4.00.

In our continuing effort to control costs, there will not be a band this month. However, we have a great sound system and we'll use it to provide music for your enjoyment and dancing.

Please **RSVP** to **Spring Wilson** (812-201-4568 or Spring1976@msn.com) by **Monday, 05/10/2021**. Masks and social distancing are encouraged, but not specifically required at this time.

THANK YOU!

Spring Wilson, Kara & Brad Cress, Susan & Ron Hinsenkamp and Jim Burgess for hosting the *Spaghetti Dinner* on 04/10/21. The meal was great and the event generated a little over \$400 for the Club.

To everyone who came out for the *Spring Clean-Up Day* on Saturday, April 17th. A lot of work was accomplished to spruce up the the clubhouse, kitchen and grounds. A special thanks to Spring Wilson for bringing donuts and to Susan Hinsenkamp for making chili for lunch.



Finally, a special thanks to all who helped with Strassenfest, especially to those who started preparing the food on April 19th and worked all week: Nancy Walbring, Susan & Ron Hinsenkamp, Jeanne & Mike Hopper, Carolee Smith, Erika Hale, Barbara Woods, Sophia Strohl, Annelie & Tom Nascimbene and Pat Langenfeld.

There's always work to do at the Club, so if you'd like to help out by volunteering a few hours of your time please contact Jim Burgess at (812) 241-2341.

New Members

We're excited to announce our newest members Kelly & Brian Roberts. Kelly and Brian live in West Terre Haute, and they both work at Great Dane. Herzlich willkommen!

Do you know someone who might have a genuine interest helping preserve, promote, and celebrate the Wabash Valley's strong German-American history, culture, and traditions? If so, invite them to a dinner and then talk with them about joining the Club. Our best recruiters are our members.



Membership applications are available on our website at: <http://terrehautegermanclub.org/home/membership/>.

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