

Lieblinger Verein of Chicago Newsletter

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Our 80th Year, 1939-2019

...good times, come on...

Last month, the title of my column was "Celebrate." Now to finish that thought, this column starts out with the rest of the lyrics from Kool & The Gang. In a matter of a few days after you receive this newsletter, we will hold our 80th Anniversary on Sunday May 5th at Manzo's in Des Plaines. This is a significant milestone for our club. It is a celebration we have been planning and looking forward to for quite some time. For those of you who have attended our annual Christmas Parties in the past, you know the food and service will be excellent. The Johnny Wagner Band will be playing dance music, so bring your dancing shoes! There will be a brief program to mark the occasion. And we will also try something new. New to the Lieblingers, but I'm sure many of you have already participated in a 50/50 Raffle. It will be fun. Besides, I think winning some cash is far better than going home with a dish towel! As I've written about before in this column, we're creating some new traditions to complement some of the old traditions.

Time is running very short, so if you haven't yet made your reservations, **contact me right away.** We will be able to accommodate you at this great event!

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Rick & Vicky Stumpf, Heidi Atkinson, Kaethe Blechschmidt, Bettie & John Schaefer, Katie & Rick Amundsen and Nancy Holl attending the 75th American Aid Society Anniversary.



Tom & Betty Rogers, Maria Rink, Fred Hedrich, Kathryn Faulkner, and Eric Hedrich



John Himmel teaching the younger men how to play "Fuchse"

Meeting Summary/Highlights:

The 1,035 meeting of the Lieblinger Club was held on April 14, 2019. Members stood for a moment of silence for the passing of Elisabeth Nagelbach and Elisabeth Schubkegel. The luncheon was sponsored by the Hedrich family in memory of their parents, Fred and Maria's 70th Wedding Anniversary. The grace period for membership dues ended on March 31. Members need to pay their dues to be in good standing. The ornament/bookmark will be on sale at the Anniversary Celebration.. A motion was passed to sell the ornament/bookmark for \$18 to members and \$20 to non-members. Any shipping charges will be added to the order. Rick told members that Cheryl Falk has done a tremendous job with the Lieblinger web site, but to keep in mind that the site is still a work in progress. The annual subscription cost of the Rundschreiben is \$12.00. Contact Rick if you want to subscribe.

Birthdays Celebrated in April



Eva Schmidt, Madgalena Schaefer and Dorothy Nagelbach

Wedding Anniversaries



Eva & Konrad Schmidt celebrated their 67th Wedding Anniversary

Remembering....

Mrs. Elli by Barbara (Schmidt) Habenschuss:
After church one Sunday morning we decided to do something special for our music teacher, Mrs. Habenschuss said... so we went to her house and sang to her. Mrs. Habenschuss says she remembers Mrs. Elli to be the nicest and kindest teacher, but also a very good teacher. This picture was taken in 1941, these girls were only 7 years old.



Pictured are: Elisabeth Geiger, Elisabeth Geiring, Katharina Gartner, Maria Grob, Elisabeth Schied, Barbara Schmidt, Elisabeth Gerhardt, Eva Hutflotz, and Maria Ksein



Nichole with her towel! 1st Bunco game in her life.

Upcoming Events :

Lieblinger 80th Anniversary - May 5, 2019

Siebenbürger Sachsen Stiftungsfest & Trachtenball -May 11, 2019

Lieblinger Meeting – June , 2, 2019

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