

Lieblinger Verein of Chicago Newsletter

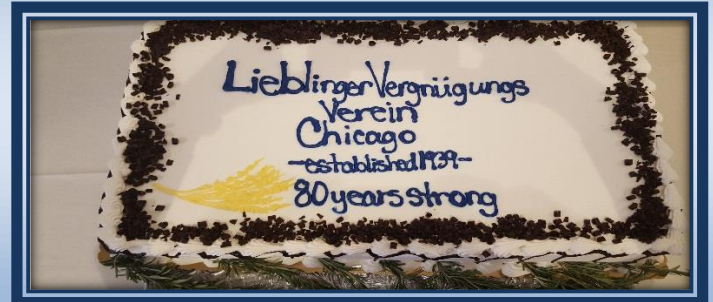
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Our 80th Year, 1939-2019

Wir sind stolze Leute!

Many of you know it. Many of you have heard me repeat it. We Lieblingers are a proud bunch. That was clearly evident when we celebrated our 80th year as a club. Although there were many members that couldn't attend, there were still nearly 120 who came out to mark this milestone in the club's history. Throughout this special edition of our monthly newsletter, you will see, in pictures, the pride we share in our heritage. An event like this doesn't just happen. It takes planning and hard work to make it a success. One of the most popular features of the afternoon was our cultural display. My wife, Vicky, believed we should use the opportunity to share Lieblinger heritage. She promoted the idea among the membership and collected and organized the many items people provided for the display and she had many helpers setting up the display. In fact, so many people brought their treasures, we needed to set up three additional tables to accommodate all the items! Thank you. It was a beautiful addition to the celebration. You will also see that our new fundraising item, an ornament, is now available. Vicky worked tenaciously with the supplier to make sure they were perfect and that they arrived in time for the 80th Anniversary – and we already sold 28! Ich bin stolz!

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Cake donated by Rick and Vicky Stumpf for our 80th Lieblinger Anniversary Dinner on May 5th



Heidi Atkinson, Eva Leber, Kathryn Kastory, Georgene & Walter Helwich, John Schaefer, Andreas Schubkegel, Konrad Schmidt, Kaethe Blechschmidt, Heinrich Reichert, and Liz Steeb – honoring our Past Officers (Heidi & John are still currently serving in different positions)



The Johnny Wagner Band

The Liebling 80th Anniversary Celebration

Our Liebling 80th Anniversary Dinner and Dance was a great event. A big thank you to Rick and Vicky Stumpf for their hard work in planning and co-ordinating this celebration. Everyone in attendance loved the delicious food prepared by Manzo's Banquets and enjoyed listening and dancing to The Johnny Wagner Band.

Presented below are some of the pictures from this celebration!



David Steeb giving the Invocation



National Anthem being sung by Nichole Carrasquillo – pictured with Rick Stumpf, President



Magdalena Schaefer being honored for having the Longest Membership in the Liebling Club

Thank you to Katie Amundsen for preparing the Program for our celebration and for designing and putting together the souvenir Programs.



Introduction speeches were given by Rick Stumpf, President, John Schaefer, First Vice President, and Katie Amundsen, Second Vice President.

Poetry Readings were given by Mary Wagner, Recording Secretary and by Katharine Mohrdieck.

The Cultural Display was set up by Vicky Stumpf, Nancy Holl and Elaine Grossich – below are just a few of the items displayed





*Please enjoy the following pictures of our
Liebinger Members attending the 80th
Anniversary Dinner:*





John and Barbara Nebl celebrating their 58th Wedding Anniversary at the Banquet



Vicky Stumpf displaying and selling the Liebling Ornament /Bookmark and Liebling Cookbook
Upcoming Events:

Liebling June Meeting – June 2, 2019

Liebling July Meeting – July 7, 2019

Liebling Picnic Meeting – August 11, 2019



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