Swiss Club of Washington, D.C.

October 2022 Postillion



President's Message

Gruezi, hello, bonjour and salute,

October has arrived with it all of the beautiful colors and cooler temperatures. We have lots of activities coming up in the next three months both at the Swiss Bakery and the Swiss Embassy. Unfortunately we were not able to have the Swiss Rifles picnic this year. Look for it again on the schedule for 2023.

Please take a look at the schedule below and note the locations and days of the week. We will be sending more information about the events so please stay tuned.

Until then, stay safe and be well,

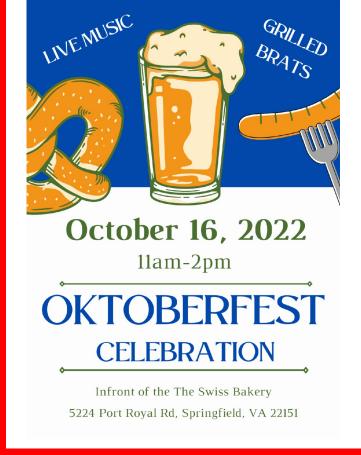
Lynn Feldpausch Zipf

Oktoberfest with The Swiss Bakery

Join The Swiss Bakery for a special Oktoberfest celebration! There will be live music, good company, and of course, good food & drink.

Sunday, October 16 11am-2pm

The Swiss Bakery 5224 Port Royal Rd Springfield VA 22151



Do You Jass?

Do you know the National Card Game of Switzerland? The Jass group of the Swiss Club is looking for new players to join the bi-monthly tournaments. Don't know how to Jass but always wanted to learn? We'll be organizing an afternoon "Jass Clinic" to teach new players and refresh old skills.

Our games are random selection of teams of two people and there are four players per table. We do not count melds points but we do play Obenabe (high to low) and Undenuffe (low to high). Not only do we play Jass, but players enjoy delicious food and drink. We will be playing three rounds of Jass and it should last about 5 hours. Our players are 10 years of age and up. Tournaments are hosted by one of our members and prizes are given to the top three scoring players. We usually play 5-6 tournaments per year, so if you can't attend a specific game please consider joining us for a future one!

Please email <u>catherine.gees@swissclubdc.org</u> if you are interested in joining the Jass group, or learning how to play. A date for our afternoon Jass Clinic will be set based on availability and interest.

Here are some Jass links to help you learn more about the game, and even two apps to help you sharpen your Jass skills.

- Overview of Jass
- Rules of Jass

- Jass for Android
- Jass for Apple



Swiss Club Events for 2022

General Assembly

Raclette

Grittibänz

Holiday Party

Friday, October 28, 2022 - virtual

Saturday, November 12, 2022 @Swiss Bakery

December 2022 - virtual

Sunday, December 4, 2022 @Swiss Embassy

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2022 prices are as follows:

\$75.00 for dues paying members and \$100.00 for non-members.

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