

KOLPING Cincinnati Kolping Bulletin

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Note from the Editor



As we give thanks to the Lord for our many blessings, let us also be reminded to share our gifts and our bounty with others and to pray for our dearly departed family members and friends.

Please be sure to bring toiletries and canned goods to our Christmas luncheon on December 2^{nd} for the Mt. Healthy Alliance and Food Pantry.

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Important Phone Numbers

President — Tom Musbach, 513-793-1148 Vice President - Nancy Pelzel, 513-385-3120

Membership (New Members) - Rita Musbach, 513-793-1148 Membership (Current) — Karen Wienkamp, 513-922-2677 Sick Committee — Christa Olding, 513-385-1476

Sub Group Presidents:

Sängerchor — Dale Sunderhaus, 513-604-6074 Schützen Club — Steve Lawson, 513-578-7873 Seniors — Christa Olding, 513-385-1476 Sports Club — Walter Dewar, 513-312-8551 Young Families — Paul Ahrnsen, 513-542-8554 House & Grounds — Paul Wienkamp, 513-922-2677

Kolping Center

Clubhouse Rentals - 513-851-7951 then press I Business Office — 513-851-7951 then press 1 Clubhouse -513-851-7951 then press 5 Hall - 513-851-7951 then press 4

November Events

November 2, 7:30 P.M. General Meeting/ Elections November 3, 4:30 P.M. Harvest Fest November 13, 11:30 A.M. Seniors Meeting November 16, 7:00 P.M. Schützen Nacht November 18, 2:00 P.M. **Genealogy Meeting** November 25, 3:00 P.M. Weihnachts Konzert

December Events

December 2, 11:00 A.M. Mass/

General Meeting/

Christmas Party

December 11, 11:30 A.M. Seniors Meeting December 16, 2:00 P.M. **Genealogy Meeting** December 16, 3:00 P.M. Children's Christmas

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December 18, 10:30 A.M. Tuesday Workers'

Christmas Party

Schützen Nacht December 21, 7:00 P.M.

Kolping Dues

Dues notices will be mailed out at the beginning of November and are due by the end of December. Family dues are \$63.00, single membership is \$42.00, and if you are 70 plus a 20-year member, your dues are \$25.00. We appreciate your membership in Kolping!

> Karen Wienkamp, Membership Secretary





Congratulations to all our members celebrating birthdays in the month of November!



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Notes from the President, Tom Musbach

At the November meeting (11/2), we will be electing new board members and a national representative. All members are encouraged to attend and submit their vote. This is your opportunity to participate in the policy decisions made by the Board on your behalf.

And then on Saturday night, 11/3, we will celebrate Harvest Fest. This activity is open to the public and is a party that originated with Wine Fest. The planners and organizers have promised great music, great food, and a fun-filled family atmosphere that will help us celebrate the new season.

Sängerchor will be presenting their "Weihnachts Konzert" on November 25 – another sign that winter will soon be upon us.

Please note your calendar for these events and come join your friends at Kolping.

St. Nikolaus Fest at the German Heritage Museum

Sunday, December 2, from $1-5\,$ P.M., the German Heritage Museum begins the Advent season with its annual St. Nikolaus Fest. Refreshments, including beverages, cookies and Kuchen, will be available. St. Nikolaus will be there to greet children and guests from $2-4\,$ P.M. German heritage t-shirts, pins, and books will also be available. German Christmas songs will be sung, as well.

The German Heritage Museum is at 4764 West Fork Road, Cincinnati, Ohio 45247; phone: 513-574-1741.

Fr. David Hiller Fund High School Scholarship

Once again, the Fr. David Hiller Fund will offer two (2) \$3,000 grants to children of **active** Kolping parents. At least one parent must be a member for at least three years. Grants are available for children who will be freshmen at a Greater Cincinnati Catholic high school in the school year 2019-2020. These grants will be renewable for each successive school year, provided certain conditions are met.

In 2019, the grants will be awarded to the two freshman students. Current grant recipients are also required to reapply in order to receive their renewable grants. Applications and program description will be available in the Hiller Fund mail slot in the Kolping Board room after November 1, 2018. Applications should be sent directly to the Cincinnati Scholarship Foundation, who will determine the awardees. The applications are not provided to the members of the FDHF Committee.

Deadline is February 28, 2019. A complete description of the program is available on the Kolping website: www.Kolpingcincinnati.com.

Any additional questions should be sent to Paul Ahrnsen at 513-542-8554 or pahrnsen@fuse.net.

Paul Ahrnsen

Kolping Mass and Christmas Luncheon on Sunday, December 2nd

Please celebrate the Christmas season with us at Kolping Mass on Sunday, December 2nd.

We will be collecting items for the Mt. Healthy Alliance and Food Pantry again this year. Last year, we donated 409.5 pounds of canned goods and donated \$251 in cash. They are specifically in need of toiletries this time: toilet paper, toothpaste, toothbrushes, mouthwash, soap, shower gel, shampoos and conditioners, etc. We will again give double raffle tickets for the items in most need. Canned goods and monetary donations are always appreciated as well. Any questions, please contact Barb Hessler: 513-520-8664.

The Mass will take place at 11:00 A.M. and we'll be set up to accept donations ahead of Mass and at the luncheon and general meeting that will follow. Our new members will be initiated at the meeting as well. All Kolping members are encouraged to join in celebrating Blessed Adolph Kolping and his works.

Reservations for the luncheon are needed in order to determine how much food to make. To make your reservations for the luncheon, please contact Nancy Pelzel at:

nancypelzel@aol.com or 513-385-3120

Village of Spires Christmas Celebration

The Oldenburg, Indiana community and Holy Family Church is having its annual Village of Spires Christmas Celebration on Saturday, December 1. Come join the all-day festivities with the Kolping Sängerchor singing at 3:00 P.M. in the nuns' convent. There will be a roast beef dinner following the concert in the Holy Family Church cafeteria. A craft show begins at 9:00 A.M. in the school, and this year, the Sherman Restaurant and Biergarten will be in Oldenburg participating in the Village of Spires Christmas Celebration. Check out: holidaysunderthespires.com for more information.



Schützen Club News

Shooting night is November 16th; team signup, practice, make-up or shoot-ahead shooting starts at 7 pm with competition shooting starting at 8 pm. All Kolping members are invited to shoot during practice and join the fun. Please come to the scorer's table for more information. Please try to come around 6 pm to help set up the room and stay after to help put everything back.

November is our Turkey Shoot event. Winner of each line will receive a Kroger gift card.

For those teams that help set up, the members will not have to wait until 7 pm to sign up; they can sign up as soon as the tables, chairs and gun range are set up.

October scores (subject to change due to make-up shooters) were: High Practice was Paul Anhofer (69); High Individual was Erwin Dobler (70); and High Team was a tie: Team Lunnemann and Team Trautmann (324). Congratulations to them all.

If you are interested in buying a Kolping Shooting Polo Shirt, please email Mickey Moore at:

mmoore82028@icloud.com

He needs to know how many shirts to order and he will let everyone know the cost per shirt.

If you have any Shooting Club questions, contact Steve Lawson at: slawson@mthealthy.org or call me at: 513-578-7873.

Deadline for articles to be submitted for the December Bulletin is Wednesday, November 21st at 5:00 P.M. Please submit articles to Nancy Pelzel at: nancypelzel@aol.com

Kolping Elections 2018

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2018 General Meeting 7:30 P.M.

BOARD MEMBER NOMINEES:

- 1. Henry Faulk
- 2. Heddy Freese
 - 3. Rick Hill
- 4. MM Jamison
- 5. Tom Kuechly
- 6. Harry Schwietering

NATIONAL DELEGATE:

Ted Klosterman

NOTE: Be sure to bring your membership card to the meeting.

Come vote for the future of Kolping!

Fr. David Hiller Fund Board of Trustees Announcement

After many years of service as the treasurer of the Father David Hiller Fund, Ted Tegenkamp has decided that he will be retiring from this position at the end of this year. The entire FDHF Board of Trustees would like to thank Ted for his many years of dedicated service in growing this fund to support education and to provide Catholic high school scholarships for many Kolping students.

We are beginning the search for Ted's replacement. If you are interested in applying, please contact Paul Ahrnsen at 513-542-8554 or pahrnsen@fuse.net.

Kolping Genealogy

Our monthly genealogy topic on November 18 will focus on *Familienbuch* (Family Book). These are the historical and the best primary sources for locating your family's German roots, going back many centuries. Bring one if you have a copy of one of these top resources. *Definition:* a **Familienbuch** (German, literally "Family Book") was a genealogical summary that was issued by the local civil registry upon marriage and contained data on birth, marriage and death of the couple, as well as the birth data of any children stemming from this marriage.

Kolping members are urged to attend, learn from each other, and pick up new research skills based on your needs. Our sessions are not just limited to Kolping members; bring a friend. We meet on Sunday at 2:00 P.M. for an hour or so in the Clubhouse. The first part of the meeting will focus on *Familienbuch*. The rest of the time will be spent one-on-one working with each other on capturing our information and expanding our skill sets. Bring a notepad and your research, as well as a laptop if you have one.

Check out more details at: http://www.kolpingcincinnati.com/Genealogy.html

Dr. Tom Montgomery, montgota@fuse.net, montgota@miamioh.edu, 513-969-5383

Fr. David Hiller Fund Report November 2018

We thank the donor to the Bill Janszen Memorial for her contribution to this fund, as well as Warsteiner Beer, for its substantial donation to the fund.

Bill Janszen Memorial - Ann Gerbus

General Donation - Warsteiner Beer USA

The Fund paid out \$23,000 for scholarships this year, plus a \$1,050 service fee to the Cincinnati Scholarship Foundation, which administers the FDH Fund scholarships. We appreciate all the support that this Fund receives throughout the year.

Ted Tegenkamp, Treasurer Ph: 513-941-6439

Sports Club News

The fall season is ending on the weekend of November 4th and we will be putting all the equipment away and working on the fields on November 10th. On December 5th, we will be starting winter training, which will run until the end of February.

We are in the planning stages of the Celebration Dance, which takes place on February 9th. If anyone is interested in coming, let me know.

Walt Dewar 513-312-8551

New Member Pre-Initiation Meeting

The new member Pre-Initiation Meeting is set for Thursday, **November 8th**. Currently, we have 45 new members coming to the meeting. This is the largest class of new members in quite a long time! Please make sure to welcome them all at the December meeting.

If you plan on sponsoring a new member, please make sure that his/her application is sent in to Rita Musbach, Membership Chairperson, by **November 1st**. If you have any questions, please contact Rita at: 513-793-1148.

Christmas Tree Decorating Time

Our beautiful Kolping Christmas trees will be decorated on Tuesday, November 27th. Help is needed to fluff all the branches and to decorate. The branches need to be rearranged to make the trees look good again; gloves will be provided. All decorations will be available.

Manpower and/or womanpower would be greatly appreciated. We will start at 9:00 A.M. Lunch will be provided by the Tuesday Workers' cook. Any questions, call Barb Adelmann at 859-282-8243.

Thanks,

Barb Adelmann

JOIN OUR SENIORS Thursday, January 17, 2019 for a Trip to the La Comedia Theater to Enjoy "ALMOST HEAVEN"

9:30 a.m. Leave the Kolping Center,

10235 Mill Road.

10:45 a.m. Arrive at LaComedia.

11:00 a.m. to Noon 12:30 p.m.

LUNCH Show begins. Leave for home.

3:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m.

Arrive back at the Kolping

Center.

Cost: \$60.00 per person

Includes: Bus transportation, lunch and show

For more information, Please Call:

Doris Wilke, 513-521-5019. Send your check to Doris, 5180 Deeridge Lane, Cincinnati, OH 45247

"Almost Heaven" is a tribute to the beautiful soaring folk songs of John Denver and a high energy journey through the life of one of the most accomplished musicians and song writers whose career spanned some of the most challenging times in American history. You'll hear twenty-nine of Denver's songs, including "Take Me Home Country Road", "Thank God I'm a Country Boy", and "Leaving on a Jet Plane".

"Almost Heaven" weaves together the timeless songs of John Denver to create a unique and moving theatrical experience.

NOTICE

Upon the death of a MEMBER, please call the President of the Kolping Society or one of the Bereavement Committee members. In order that the membership can be aware that a member has died, the family of the decedent should be willing to place in the Death Notice that the decedent is a member of the Kolping Society and at what time Kolping members should assemble for prayers. (This should be mutually agreed upon by the family and the Kolping representatives.)

The members of the Bereavement Committee are:

Christa Olding, 513-385-1476 Marilee Uhlhorn, 513-661-0414 Helene Schrand, 513-741-9780 Doris Wilke, 513-521-5019

Sick & Shut-Ins

Gerd & Agnes Oevermeyer

Bill Lunnemann

Ed Reinert

Maria Von den Benken

Elaine Wilke

Bev Meyer

Otger Kappen

Dolly Fleischer

Josef Bueter

Carol Cliffe

Helga Hermeling

Larry Fehrenbach

Also please say prayers for Kate Callahan, grand-daughter of Mike and Manette Callahan and daughter of Ben Callahan; and Mark Poole, son of Betty Poole, as well as all members of the Kolping family who are in need of prayers.

Please take time out of your busy schedule for these folks. Send a card, stop to visit or give them a call. It is always nice to hear from friends when you are not feeling well.

Kolping Seniors Meeting on November 13th, 11:30 A.M.

We will be talking about our Christmas Meeting – we would love to have your input, as well as your help. Come join us – we are always glad to see you!

See you then!

Christa Olding





Slippery Creek Bluegrass Band!

We're thrilled to welcome the Slippery Creek Bluegrass Band to open the night's music. Slippery Creek brings a toe-tappin, good ole' timin bluegrass show with signature vocals and a wide song selection that are sure to please!

Have Fun with Furry Friends at our Petting Zoo!

Step outside and enjoy cavorting with the Honey Hill Farm's cuddly animals at our Petting Zoo! The kids will love it and so will the whole family!

Authentic German Dinners in Kolping's "Schnitzel Haus"!

We're expanding Schützenfest's super popular Homemade 'Jägerschnitzel' dinners to include Homemade 'Zigeunerschnitzel' and 'Altbierschnitzel' options. Our made-from-scratch Spätzle accompanies these wonderful meals. Homemade Sauerkraut Ball Appetizers (optional) will be available.

Refreshing & Fun Beverages!

Our Kolping "Electrified Schnaps Cart" will have an eclectic set of specialty Schnaps & Drinks, as well as Artisanal KY Bourbons • Wonderful Wine Selection • Cocktails • Beer: \$3 bottles / \$10 buckets (4 bottles)

Games & Fun for All Ages!

Our Children's area will have games, movies, jack-o'-lantern coloring contest with prizes, and other activities available! Adults will also have fun games and activities available!

Where: Kolping Center (10235 Mill Road, 45231)

Saturday, November 3rd When: Festival from 4:30 - 10:00 **Hours:**

Outdoor Petting Zoo from 4:30 - 6:30 / Dinner 6:30

Admission: \$5 per Person / \$10 per Family (parents and school-age children)

12 & Under - Free Admission, Hot Dogs, and Pop

Open to the Public

Homemade Schnitzel Dinners - \$12 (optional) Dining:

Homemade Sauerkraut Ball Appetizers - \$3 (optional)





FEATURING GERMAN CHRISTMAS SONGS

PRESENTED BY THE KOLPING SÄNGERCHOR



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2018

COFFEE & CAKE 3:00 P.M.

KONZERT 4:00 P.M.

KOLPING CENTER

10235 MILL ROAD, CINCINNATI, OHIO 45231

\$10.00 Admission – (Including children) (Babies on your lap – free)
CONCERT, CHRISTMAS DESSERTS, COFFEE, TEA

TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED IN ADVANCE FROM SÄNGERCHOR MEMBERS (NO TICKETS SOLD AFTER TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20TH), OR SEND YOUR CHECK MADE OUT TO THE "KOLPING SÄNGERCHOR" WITH S.A.S.E.TO DORIS WILKE, 5180 DEERIDGE LANE, CINCINNATI, OH 45247.

COOKIES BAKED BY THE CHOIR MEMBERS WILL BE AVAILABLE
TO PURCHASE.

Kolping Society's Children's Christmas Party

DECEMBER 16, 2018

Doors open at 2:30 Party from 3-5 pm.



Call Amy Ahrnsen at 513-542-8554 for reservations before December 11th.

Leave your name, phone number and # of children attending.

Enjoy a day of entertainment and crafts with the children and grandchildren!!

All Kolping members' children and grandchildren are invited.

If you'd like to help out by donating items to decorate the Gingerbread Houses, please call the office \$\times\$ 851-7951 or let Amy know what you'd like to bring.

(ex. marshmallows, skittles, etc.)

Back by Popular Demand!

Adult Competition!

You <u>MUST</u> register when making reservations for your children and grand children.

All competitors must use the standard house and "fixin's" provided.

Prizes to be awarded.





The fifteenth Schützenfest sponsor that we are highlighting in the E-mail version of our newsletter is TNT Papercraft, Inc.



At TNT Papercraft, we love paper and it shows.

We serve over 1800 loyal customers in the Greater

Cincinnati area, many of whom have been with us

for over decades. In fact, 80% of our business

comes from repeat orders. We believe a satisfied

customer is our greatest asset.

TNT Papercraft Inc. is the largest independent distributor of copy paper in the Greater Cincinnati area.

We are a mill supported distributor that provides small, medium and large sized businesses with a wide range of fine papers for your copying needs. We also carry packaging materials and over 30,000 office products and janitorial supplies. We are locally owned and Cincinnati Strong!

Kolping Connection: TNT Papercraft is owned by Don Trautmann, who has been a member of Kolping for twenty years, and is a legacy sponsor of Schützenfest for the past three years. We thank TNT Papercraft for their dedication and continued support of our efforts.

2018 Calendar of Events

| JANUARY | 2 Board Meeting | JUNE | 1 General Meeting | |
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| * | 5 General Meeting | | 15 Schützen End Party | |
| | 6 King's Party | | 17 Father's Day/Anniversary Mass | |
| | 19 Schützen Nacht | | ζ, | |
| | 27 Stube Nacht | JULY | 2 Board Meeting | |
| | 29 Board Meeting (Feb) | | 6 General Meeting | |
| | 3 () | | 20 Schützenfest | |
| FEBRUARY | 2 General Meeting | | 21 Schützenfest | |
| | 10 Celebration Dance | | 22 Schützenfest | |
| | 16 Schützen Nacht | | 30 Board Meeting (August) | |
| | 16 Fish Fry (Society) | | | |
| | 23 Fish Fry (Brewing Klub) | AUGUST | 3 General Meeting | |
| | 25 Schlachtfest | | 17 Captains Meeting – Schützen Club | |
| | 26 Board Meeting (March) | | 17 Appreciation Party | |
| | | | 27 Board Meeting (Sep) | |
| MARCH | 2 General Meeting | | 3(1) | |
| | 2 Fish Fry (Brew Klub) | SEPTEMBER | 7 General Meeting (Cancelled) | |
| | 9 Fish Fry (FDHF) | | 7 Fill the Net Tournament | |
| | 16 Fish Fry (Young Families) | | 8 Fill the Net Tournament | |
| | 16 Schützen Nacht | | 9 Fill the Net Tournament | |
| | 17 King's Ball | | 21 Schützen Nacht | |
| | 23 Fish Fry (Endowment) | | | |
| | 25 St. Joseph/Easter Egg Hunt | OCTOBER | 8 Board Meeting (New date) | |
| | | | 12 General Meeting (New date) | |
| APRIL | 2 Board Meeting | | 19 Schützen Nacht | |
| | 6 General Meeting | | 28 Memorial Mass/Goettafest | |
| | 15 Awards Banquet | | 29 Board Meeting (Nov) | |
| | 20 Schützen Nacht | | | |
| | 22 Spring Konzert | NOVEMBER | 2 General Meeting/Elections | |
| | 30 Board Meeting (May) | | 3 Harvest Fest | |
| | | | 16 Schützen Nacht | |
| MAY | 4 General Meeting | | 25 Weihnachts Konzert | |
| | 18 Schützen Nacht | | 26 Board Meeting (Dec) | |
| | 18 Seth Stevens Tournament | | | |
| | 19 Seth Stevens Tournament | DECEMBER | 2 General Meeting/Christmas Party | |
| | 20 Seth Stevens Tournament | | 16 Children's Christmas Party | |
| | 21 Board Meeting | | 21 Schützen Nacht | |
| MEETINGS: | | KOLPING MISSION STATEMENT | | |
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Board of Directors Monday prior to the first

Friday of the month – 7:00 pm

General Membership First Friday – 7:30 pm

Senior Citizens Second Tuesday – 11:30 am

Genealogy Third Sunday – 2:00 pm

Schützen Club Third Friday – 7:00 pm

Sängerchor Every Tuesday – 7:30 pm

Sports Club Fourth Wednesday – 8:00 pm

We, the members of the Catholic Kolping Society of America, led by the vision of our founder, Blessed Adolph Kolping, promote the development of the individual and the family by fostering a sense of belonging and friendship through our holistic programs of spiritual, educational, charitable, and social activities.