#### AUSTRIAN-CANADIAN SOCIETY

#### August/September 2018

# NEWSLETTER



Austrian Canadian Cultural Centre 3112 - 11 Street N.E. Calgary, AB - T2E 7J1 For the office please call: 403 250-9126

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### Echo der Heimat

German music program with Vic Lavicka on Fairchild Radio FM 94.7

Mondays 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. Customer Appreciation Day Luncheon Saturday, September 15th, 2018:

Luncheon/Buffet, ticket price \$ 20.00 GST included

Doors open 11.30 am, Buffet 12.00 pm

Please call the office @ 403 250 9126 for tickets







# OKTOBERFEST

### **BUFFET LUNCHEON:**

Entertainment by the band: "European Touch"

Thursday, October 11<sup>th</sup>, and Thursday October 18<sup>th</sup>

Tickets: \$30.00 p.p. Gratuity & GST included Doors open at 11:30 a.m. lunch at 12:00 p.m.

### **BUFFET DINNER & DANCE:**

Entertainment by the band: "Premium Akkord"

Friday, October 12<sup>th</sup> doors open 6:00 p.m., dinner 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, October 13<sup>th</sup> doors open 5:30 p.m., dinner 6:30 p.m.

Tickets: \$50.00 p.p. Gratuity and GST included

Schuhplattler Verein Enzian is performing on Friday & Saturday.

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#### President's message



### OFFICE SPACE FOR RENT

#### Please call us: 403 250-9126

My name is Andreas and I will take care of your bookings and special events please call me 403 250 9126 or email me at info@austrianclub.ca

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## *LIVE MUSIC @ Lounge* <u>from 6 – 9 pm:</u> Sept. 7: Howard Sept. 14: Howard Sept. 21: Greg Sept. 28: Greg

Please call for take out's at

403 250 7342

Dear Members and Friends:

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Hope you all had a great summer & enjoyed the sunshine! There was a lot of work done at the club during our summer closing, inside the carpets were cleaned, the dance floor was refinished in the main hall, we had some problems with kitchen equipment, that had to be repaired and a lot of other smaller jobs. Now we are ready for the busy season ahead, we have a customer appreciation luncheon on September 15<sup>th</sup>, please call our office for tickets. Our Oktoberfest events are on the 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> of October. Hope to see everyone at this fun event with traditional entertainment, great buffets and Oktoberfest beer.

Or maybe come out on a Friday evening to the Lounge, our live entertainment is starting again in September! Best Regards, Frank Meixner

#### Choir Heimatecho report

Dear Friends and Members:

Our summer has been very changeable, with some rain and warm weather. We all had a great time off. Looking back, our choir performed on April 27<sup>th</sup> on our 38<sup>th</sup> Heimatabend together with the Swiss choir"Heimattreu" and the great Schuhplattler dancing group" Enzian". The evening was a great success and the people enjoyed all performances, the delicious food and the dancing band Jana and Danny at a full house.

Heimatchecho was invited by the Kelowna "Liedertafel" to their special May concert and Spring Dance. This bus trip was a ride into spring time, Phillip Park is not only a great bus driver, he also has a beautiful tenor voice. We left Friday morning through the beautiful mountains and scenic green meadows, arriving in the evening to have some very good food at the "Asian Pearl" Restaurant. After a great dinner we all took a short stroll along the Okanagan Lake. Saturday morning after a good rest and nice breakfast we visited the winery "Dirty Laundry" with wine tasting. After several hours we went back to the Kelowna Inn to get ready to practice with the choir Liedertafel at the Parkinson Centre, where we later had our performance. It is a wonderful and exciting moment to bring and showcase our traditional Austrian music to Kelowna, B.C., and sing together with the excellent singing choir "Liedertafel". Music brings people together, socializing and making new friends. After enjoying the dinner and dance it was time to say good bye. We left Sunday morning and mad a bus stop at the Dutch Dairy Farm and Ice Cream Shop. We also visited the historic site, where the last spike of the railroad construction between Alberta and British Columbia was hammered in, at a site called Craigellachie on November 7<sup>th</sup>, 1886.

Out last stop was in Canmore before we arrived back in Calgary. Thanks Phillip for a smooth bus ride and educational experience!

Our annual choir BBQ was at Claudia Bosch's house and we all enjoyed the steaks grilled to perfection from Heinz and Gerhard!

Choir practice starts September 6th 2018!

#### Membership 2018

Fee \$35.00 annually (family/individual/senior)

Last name:	First name:		Spouse name:	
Address:	Postal code:		City:	
Phone:	Cell phone:			
e-mail:				
Membership expires De	c. 31 of each vear.	Thank	vou for your support!	