AUSTRIAN-CANADIAN SOCIETY

NEWSLETTER

January to March 2018



Austrian Canadian

Cultural Centre

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Please contact us: info@austrianclub.ca

Valentine's Day

Dinner Special on Saturday, February 17, 2018

Celebrate Valentine's Day and enjoy a special dinner in the Franz Josef dining room or the Hubertusstube Lounge. Our Chef is making Beef Wellington:

Tender Filet Mignon wrapped in buttery pastry with mushroom & Prosciutto served with Croquette potatoes & vegetables, including Caesar salad \$ 27.95

Please call for reservation @ 403 250 9126

Jägerball -Hunter's Dance

Saturday March 3, 2018

Hunter's style buffet dinner, Trophy display / Dancing to "Premium Akkord"

Doors open at 5.30 pm – Dinner at 6.30 pm Tickets \$ 45.00 (GST incl.)

For tickets please call our office @ 403 250 9126

Target Shooting contest - Friday February 23, 2018 @ 7 pm

Come and enjoy a friendly competition in target shooting at the club. The best marksmen/woman will be recognized as Schüztenkönig/königin @ the dance.

Please note down the date for our Heimatabend with performances from our very own special choir <Heimatecho>: Saturday April 28th, 2018. The band of Jana & Danny will entertain you all evening long. More details to follow in the next newsletter or on our website. As always call our office for questions and bookings @ 403 250 9126 and we will assist you.

Echo der Heimat

German music program with Vic Lavicka on Fairchild Radio FM 94.7

Mondays 4:00 to 5:00 p.m.

President's message



Dear Members and Friends:

On behalf of the Board, Management and Staff of the Austrian Canadian Society I wish everyone health, happiness and prosperity for the New Year 2018! At the end of every year on December 31st we are celebrating our traditional Sylvester party, it was a very successful and great evening last year. I would like to extend a big "THANK YOU" for celebrating and supporting the club on that cold Winter evening!

After a few days of well deserved rest, we are busy again planning for new events. On March 3, 2018 will be the Hunter's buffet, trophy display and dancing with Premium Akkord. On April 28th, 2018 we have another special event our Heimatabend! We will continue to have entertainment on Friday nights in the lounge and hope many of you will take advantage of this special treat. Please come out, have dinner and visit with friends

A special thank you to Christa for her loyalty and effort for all those years. We wish you all the best for your retirement. We will sure miss you very much!

Please welcome our new Manager

Andreas
Brunthaler who
will help you
with bookings
for your special
occasions or
celebrations
here at the
Austrian Club.

Call him @

403 250 9126

Or e-mail him

info@austrianclub.ca

Best Regards
Choir re

Frank Meixner

Choir report

Dear Friends and Members:

A Happy New Year to all of you, from our choir members. 2017 has been an eventful year for the choir Heimatecho. On December 10th the German Canadian Male Choir had their Advent Concert at St. Bonifatius Church. Our Choir was invited to sing at this event with them. It was a beautiful musical treasure on an Advent Sunday which the audience enjoyed, singing along at the end.

Thursday December 14th our choir had the Christmas dinner for members and friends at the Austrian club. Special guests were Annemarie Juravel, President of the German Canadian Association of Alberta, as well as Frank, President of the Austrian Club and Helga. We all enjoyed delicious food and sang together traditional Austrian Christmas songs which had brought us all into the seasons spirit.

On December 18^{th,} we had a very special request from Maria Steinborn to sing for a long-time choir member Mathilda Mick at Dulciana Hospice in the NW of Calgary.

Together with our director Jeannie Park we fulfilled this special request. Mathilda was able to sing with us and it was an enjoyable afternoon filled with traditional Austrian music.

Sadly, Mathilda passed away shortly after and on January 5th, 2018 our choir sang songs at her funeral at Fosters Garden chapel. She will be always being missed and always remembered. A big THANK YOU to Maria Steinborn and her generous support.

Also thank you to our choir members for faithfully attending all our practices and performances. A special thanks to Jeannie Park for her relentless teaching giving us confidence and keeping us focused on our singing.

Every Thursday we are looking for new singers, come and join us- music brings people together.

We are looking for a great year 2018!

Sincerely,

Frieda Foidl

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Please call us: 403 250-9126

Membership 2018	Fee \$35.00 annually (family/individual/senior)	
Last name:Address:Phone:e-mail:	Postal code: _ Cell phone:	Spouse name: City:
Membership expires Dec. 31 of each year		Thank you for your support!