AUSTRIAN-CANADIAN SOCIETY

November/December 2018

NEWSLETTER



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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.

Office space for rent

Please call us: 403 250-9126

FROHE WEIHNACHTEN

& PROSIT NEUJAHR

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year

Christkindl market Sunday, November 25th, 2018:

Crafts *Home Made Baking*Christmas Decorations

Doors open 12 pm, light lunch available until 2.30 pm

No admission charge, donations to the food bank appreciated





2019 NEW YEAR' S EVE CELEBRATION

5 Course Gourmet Dinner & Dance:

Entertainment by the band: "Premium Akkord "

Monday December 31st doors open 5.30 p.m., dinner 6.30 p.m.

Complimentary Champagne reception

Goulash soup at midnight

Tickets are \$ 95.00 for non-members and \$ 80.00 for members

For tickets please call the office at: 403 250-9126

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President's message



Frohe

Weihnachten

& Prosit Neujahr! Dear Members and Friends:

Our Oktoberfests and Luncheons were a great success and I would like to thank all the members who came out to support us. Unfortunately, one of our long-time members Eva Angerle passed away in June in B.C. and we sent all the condolence to family members. In November we have our Christkindlmarket on the 25th where we will learn more about 200 years of the Christmas song "Silent Night". Our choir Heimatecho will perform as well, and we have home made baking and food for sale. At the end of the year we have our annual New Year's Eve Celebration on December 31st, 2018. Please support us for this fun and entertaining evening with the band "Premium Akkord" and a 5 Course Dinner!

On behalf of the board of Directors, management & staff, I wish all of you:

Regards, Frank Meixner

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year

> Holiday closure

From December 23, 2018 to January 2, 2019

Live music/Friday Lounge @ 6 pm: Nov 2: Greg Nov 9/16: Bob Nov / 23/30 & Dec. 7/14 Howard

Dec 21: Greg

Merry Christmas and a Healthy Happy New Year! Choir Heimatecho report Dear Friends and Members

Our choir started practicing again in September after everyone enjoyed the summer off. We had to make a very sad announcement to make: Edith Jakob our long-time choir member for over 37 years passed away. Her funeral was in September and our choir was able to contribute by singing songs at the

funeral home Chapel of the Bells. Our deepest and sincere sympathy to all her family members, she will be in our heart forever!

Our first performance was on 11th of October at the Fountain of mission, where we as proud musical ambassadors, singing traditional Austrian choral music. On October 26th we performed at the Austrian Club, the Austrian Anthem and some other songs. The Austrian Konsul Nickolaus Deminiantschuk was present and brought us greetings from Austria as well. On November 8th we will perform at the Silvera seniors center, where one of our choir members, Joe Ruckenthaler is living now.

The next performance will be at the Golf & Country Club Gala on November 24th. At our Christkindlmarket, November 25th we will honor the famous Christmas song: Stille Nacht (Silent Night)", which was written 200 years ago this year.

December 6th we will sing at the Dulcina Hospice. Sunday December 9th we will perform at the Wirth institute in Edmonton at the U of A. Choir Heimatecho & friends have set December 13th as the annual Christmas dinner to celebrate the season with delicious food and music.

A special thank you to our choir director, Jeannie Park who is never tired of practicing with us! Also, I like to thank all choir members who faithfully attend our practices and show great enthusiasm!

Our Choir Heimatecho wishes everyone for the holiday season the music of laughter and warmth of friendship! Merry Christmas & Happy New Year 2019!

Sincerely,

Frida Foidl

Membership 2019

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

Last name:	First name:	Spouse name:
Address:	Postal code: _	City:
Phone:	Cell phone:	
e-mail:		
Membership expires Dec. 31 of each year.		Thank you for your support!