



GERMAN-AMERICAN MEN'S CLUB OF MIDDLE FRANCONIA

To: The Members of the Club

22. January 2011

Dear Friends,

the annual **General Membership Meeting** was attended by 31 members. This is almost half of the total membership and a good show-up.

Abbie Simon gave a view back to the **Club events of 2010**. The board's proposal for the 2011 program is listed under "Forthcoming Events" and was accepted. Norbert Friemelt as treasurer gave his **annual report for 2010**. Dietmar Lehmann confirmed the correctness of the balance. The annual balance was accepted and Norbert's efforts were highly appreciated by the audience. The board members Abbie Simon (President) and Norbert Friemelt (Treasurer) were **reelected** unanimously). **Newly elected** to the Board was our member Marco Frömter as Board member. This election was reasonable as our Board member Brian Wrede will leave the Board due to his return to the USA before the next membership meeting. All other Board members are in the middle of their two-years term.

The **number of members** decreased per 31. December 2010 from 71 to 63 according to our files. Unfortunately the decrease of 8 contained 5 Americans. A presentation of Marco Frömter showed possibilities of how to intensify contacts to US citizens. He also reported on a recent visit to the US-Army Resort in Garmisch-Partenkirchen; and gave a preview on the toy exhibition in Hilpoltstein (see next event).

We thank Helmut Humm, who made the arrangements with the Hotel Mercure management for the room and the Franconian style buffet.

Our next event will be a visit to the

Exhibition of the Fröha Toy-Factory

on Tuesday, **01. February 2011**,

at **18:30h**

at the **Museum Zum Schwarzen Ross**

in Hilpoltstein, Marktstr. 10.

The exhibition was initiated by the Museums- und Heimatverein Hilpoltstein in cooperation with the Frömter family on the occasion of the 100. anniversary of Fröha founder Hans Frömter and of the 75th anniversary of the company.



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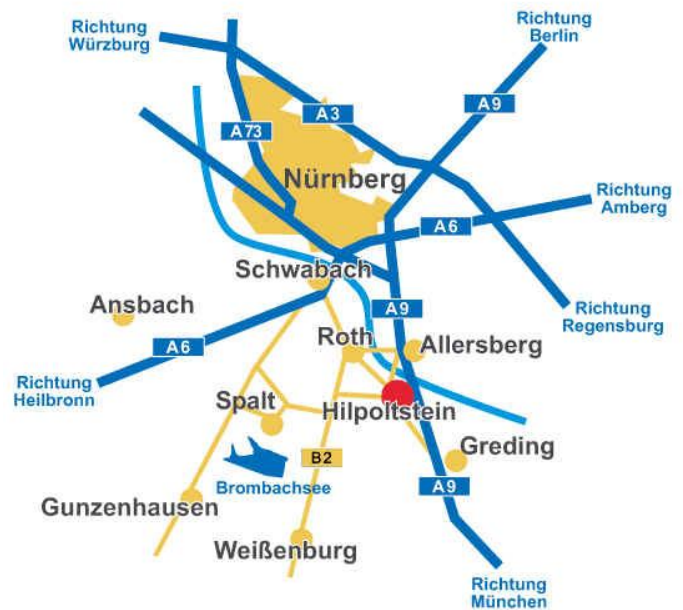
The present owner Heinz-Jürgen Frömter will be our competent guide on this tour.

Please make **reservation no later than 30. January 2011** with Marco Frömter, tel.09171-63934 or fax 09174-1588 or e-mail m.froemter@t-online.de .

The following reservations have already been made at the membership meeting: Hansen (2), Simon (2), Billesberger (2), Keil (2), Harres (3), Jesussek (2), Aranyi, Frömter, Halbritter, Jeschonek, Künzle, Wahl, subj. to confirm. Humm (2), Friemelt (2), Schuster.

To find your way to the Museum Schwarzes Ross please see sketches below.

Attached is a flyer of the City of Nürnberg advertising a performance of works of the writer **Carson Mc Cullers** and the composer **Charles Ives** on **13.Feb 2011 at the Theatercafé Tafelhall**



Forthcoming events:

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| Saturday 02.Apr. 2011 | Tour of Memoium Nürnberg Trials, Court Room 600 |
| Sunday 03.Jul. 2011 | Pleikershof Family Picnic |
| Sunday 24.Jul. 2011 | Schloß Weickersheim, Open Air Opera "Cosi fan tutte" |
| Saturday 03.Sep.2011 | Garden Party |
| Sunday 20.Nov.2011 | Thanksgiving Dinner |

Sincerely

Your Board of Governors