



GERMAN-AMERICAN MEN'S CLUB OF MIDDLE FRANCONIA

To: The Members of the Club

15. August 2011

Dear Friends,

Since our last newsletter we had three attractive events:

On 3 July 2011 around 60 members and friends gathered at the Pleikershof family picnic. Even though we had rainy weather we spent a wonderful afternoon in the spacious barn. Spanferkel and organization were perfect thanks to the Hornig and Friemelt families.

On 24 July 2011 a group of 25 members and friends of the German American Women's Club had an enjoyable day at a bus tour to the Weikersheim Opera festival with Mozart's "Cosi fan tutte". The continuous danger of rain could not hamper the enjoyment of the performance, and Heinz Stahlschmidt was pleased to manage the trip with such a charming group of participants.

On 7/ 8 August 2011 the bus tour to Ramstein found unexpected interest and attendance of 30 members and friends of the club. Highlight of the trip was the possibility to enter a C17 Globemaster airplane at the Ramstein airfield. Many thanks go to our boardmembers Marco Frömter and Peter Wahl who did an excellent job in organizing the trip.

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Now we would like to invite you all to our next event. We will meet on the private grounds of the Friemelt family for a

Garden Party

On **Saturday,**

27 August 2011,

19:00h

at **Sudetenstr.2 in Fürth-Stadeln**



Norbert and Ulrike suggested to invite to their grounds to have a relaxed ambiente. The board immediately accepted the invitation enthusiastically and we are looking forward to an exciting evening. We will sit in Friemelts garden under their patio so we will be quite independent of weather conditions.

The event is free for members. Guests are very welcome without extra charge, but a small donation for the club would not be rejected. **Please make reservation no later than Monday 22 August 2011** with the secretary via e-mail, phone or fax (09131-991505)

As there is only limited parking at Sudetenstraße and (please notice!) also the **nearby Stadeln Festplatz** (corner Herboldshofer Str-Bayernstr.) **will not be free** because at this location is "Kirchweih". Please try to get a free parking place in nearby streets or at railway station Vach (Herboldshofer Str., ca. 10 minutes walk).

In addition - please attention – Bayernstr. (this is the street from Festplatz to Sudetenstraße will be at this weekend oneway street!

Please use entrance through the garage at Friemelt's house - it should be open!

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We are sad to inform you of the the death of **Gen. John M. Shalikashvili**. He died on July 23, 2011. As a Commanding General in Fürth between 1985 und 1986 he was a member of our club and was dedicated in his support of the German-American friendship.

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Forthcoming events:

Sunday 20. Nov 2011	Thanksgiving Dinner at the Mercure Hotel
Dec.2011	open

More details and latest updates on club events you will find on our homepage www.gamc-nuernberg.de

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Sincerely

Your Board of Governors