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## ALLIANCE OF TRANSYLVANIAN SAXONS SCHOLARSHIP GRANTS – 2019

### FRESHMAN ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP GRANTS

To be eligible for a Freshman Academic Scholarship Grant you must be a high school senior with an accumulated grade point average in high school of 2.8, or better. Twenty-one Scholarship Grants will be awarded to freshmen in undergraduate study at an accredited college or university in the United States and three renewable grants to present recipients of the Victor Deptner Scholarship.

\$1,000	Four Year Renewable Grant from the Victor Deptner Memorial Scholarship
\$1,000	Past ATS Officers' Memorial Scholarship
\$1,000	Henry Schindler Scholarship
\$1,000	Michael W. Schassburger Memorial Scholarship
\$1,000	Jon Weber Memorial Scholarship
\$1,000	ATS Branch 33 National Scholarship Endowment Award
\$1,000	Julia & Martin Konnerth Memorial Scholarship
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\$1,000	Branch 10 – Columbus Scholarship
\$1,000	Branch 14 – Canton Scholarship
\$1,000	Davidson-Schuller Appreciation Scholarship Award in honor of ATS and Branches 33 & 34
\$1,000	Rev. & Mrs. John Foisel Memorial Scholarship
\$1,000	John F. Spack Memorial Scholarship
\$1,000	John and Mary Guip Memorial Scholarship
\$1,000	Branch 5 – Lorain Scholarship
\$1,000	Dale & Rose Segedi-Kaufman Memorial Scholarship
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\$1,000	Dr. David E. Schuller Appreciation Scholarship in honor of his parents Elsie and Daniel S. Schuller
\$1000	John Boehm Memorial Scholarship
\$ 750	Niles-Branch 20 National Scholarship
\$ 750	New Castle Branch 27 Scholarship
\$ 400	Donzella Herman Scholarship

Applicants for the Scholarships listed must be ATS Members in good standing with a minimum of two years continuous membership prior to the scholarship application deadline of April 1st. High School Seniors must have maintained a 2.8, or better, grade point average in high school.

Complete the Request Form below to receive your Application. Please note: upon our receipt of the Request Form, an **official** ATS Scholarship Application Form will be mailed to you. The **completed official** ATS Scholarship Application Forms from the applicant and school must be received at the ATS Home Office before April 1st.

**TIMELY - DO NOT DELAY**  
**MAILED WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9. 2019**

**Attention Postmaster: Send all Changes of Address to:**  
**The Alliance of Transylvanian Saxons**  
**5393 Pearl Road Cleveland, OH 44129-1597**

#### REQUEST FOR ATS HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR SCHOLARSHIP

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
Br. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Cert. No. \_\_\_\_\_

**Request must be received by March 1st**

#### MAIL SCHOLARSHIP REQUEST FORM TO:

ATS Home Office  
5393 Pearl Road  
Cleveland, Ohio 44129-1597

**Request Forms must be received by March 1, 2019**

*Please note: Only official ATS Scholarship Application Forms will be accepted for consideration.*

#### UNDERGRADUATE CONTINUING ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP GRANTS

The ATS is offering thirteen Academic Undergraduate Continuing Education Scholarship Grants to our members who are not current year high school graduates and are not entering college in their freshman year of study but are in an **undergraduate program**.

\$1,000	Award in memory of Marie Stirner
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\$1,000	Award in memory of Gertie & Ernie Gottschling
\$1,000	Lorain Saxon Ladies Branch 11 Scholarship
\$ 500	ATS Branch 34 Cleveland East Scholarship
\$ 500	Award in memory of Karl & Charlotte Klamer
\$ 500	Award in memory of Donald G. Miller
\$ 500	Farrell-Branch 7 Scholarship
\$ 500	ATS Scholarship Award
\$ 500	ATS Scholarship Award

Applicants must be ATS members in good standing, with continuous membership for a minimum period of two (2) years. They must have a grade point average of at least 2.8. They may be any age; however, they cannot be a current year high school graduate or entering their freshman year of college.

Applicants must be enrolled in an **undergraduate program** as a **full-time student** at an accredited college or university in the United States.

Requests for **official** ATS Undergraduate Continuing Academic Scholarship Applications may be made by calling the ATS Home Office (440) 842-8442, or by completing the Form printed below by March 1, 2019.

Completed **official** ATS Applications for scholarship grants must be received at the ATS Home Office before April 1st. Undergraduate Continuing Academic Scholarship winners will be chosen in a random drawing conducted by the ATS Scholarship Committee

#### REQUEST FOR ATS UNDERGRADUATE CONTINUING EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
Br. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Cert.No. \_\_\_\_\_

**Request must be received by March 1st**

MAIL SCHOLARSHIP REQUEST FORM TO:  
ATS Home Office 5393 Pearl Road  
Cleveland, Ohio 44129-1597

**Request Forms must be received by March 1, 2019**  
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**\*\* Scholarship winners will be announced at the ATS Branch Presidents' Meeting on May 4, 2019 and winners will be notified by mail. \*\***

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

By Joan Miller-Malue  
ATS Nat'l President



I was so proud to read and learn of the various charitable activities that our Local Branches were involved in during this past holiday season. It is an important part of all fraternal benefit societies. In the beginning, fraternal benefit societies were powered by the principle of brotherhood and a belief that each individual has a responsibility for his fellow men and women. The basic principles of brotherhood, good citizenship and the values of human dignity combined with an insurance plan attracted thousands of members to the numerous fraternal societies chartered during the late 1800's. The Fraternal Benefit Societies in the U.S. have been an integral part of America's social fabric for more than a century. Volunteering or giving financial support to charities or community projects are part of what our fraternal organization is about. And what is so invaluable is sharing the experience of donating to charity with our children which shows them from a young age that they can make positive changes in the world. Children naturally love to help others, so nurturing their innate generosity is likely to mean that they will grow up with a greater appreciation of what they have, and will carry on supporting charities in years to come. Donating to the causes we care about not only benefits the charities themselves, it can be deeply rewarding for us too. Let's continue to work within our communities to make a difference throughout the year. Kudos to all our members who have helped in our charitable efforts.

For those members who have a Traditional IRA and are 70 ½ and older it is mandatory that you take your Required Minimum Distribution. The Home Office sends a communication in the early part of the year telling the members what that amount is and that they must take it before the end of the year so not to be penalized. That is a requirement that the ATS must make this notification. However, in addition to the one notice, the ATS Home Office will send out a reminder in November to each member that has not responded yet. And then, in December if we have not heard from a member, the ATS office will personally make phone calls or emails to those members to ensure that they will not be penalized for not taking the proper action. I just want to commend our Home Office worker, Monica Gilles, for doing a terrific job in servicing these members. You wouldn't get that kind of service from a commercial company!

And now for the New Year! I am hoping that our members will be enthusiastic in participating at the Local Branch and National events as well as attending their monthly meetings. Every member is an important of our fraternal family and have some talents that they can share to make our society stronger and more appealing in recruiting new members. We are proud of our cultural groups that are dedicated to promote the Transyl-

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Schloss Horneck needs OUR help!



Schloss Horneck located in Gundelsheim, Germany is the international location for our Siebenbürger Sachsen to house Sachsen artifacts, books and other historical documents and records. It is important to our worldwide Sachsen community to help in the maintenance expenses of this historical facility that will preserve our Sachsen culture and heritage.

The Federation of Transylvanian Saxons requests donation to help in the funding of the facility. If you are interested in giving a donation, please complete the form below and send to the ATS Home Office, 5393 Pearl Road, Cleveland, OH 44129.

Please make your check payable to the ATS.

DONATION FOR SCHLOSS HORNECK

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_  
Zipcode \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Donated \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate if donation is in memory  
or honor of someone

\_\_\_\_\_

PRESIDENT’S MESSAGE  
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vanian Saxons heritage. These groups need our support throughout the year and always welcome new members. It is very important that we motivate our young members to get involved in our local activities. Participating in local and national events will earn our young members points when applying for an ATS scholarship. Make them feel needed and that they are a valued part of our fraternal family. Let’s make 2019 a year of growth and a year filled with Saxon Gemütlichkeit!

Transylvanian Saxon Trivia: There is a legend from the Middle Ages of a custom that was celebrated in the town of Agnethlen that is called “Fuga Lolelor” or in Saxon “Urzelnlaufen.” It was started one day, as the Ottomans were getting ready to attack the fortress, a brave girl named Ursula from the village dressed in a terrifying costume and chased the invaders away. “Fuga Lolelor” is celebrated in late January in Agnethlen. Later, it became

an event to recognize the new leaders of the historical guilds. The first written recording of the celebration dates back to 1689. This custom suffered several interruptions along the years: first due to the war and then stopped in 1990 when many Saxons left Transylvania. It started up again in 2016 to keep the Transylvanian Saxon customs alive in Romania. This event is also used for making sure to drive away the bad spirits of winter and welcome the new spring. The revived event starts with young adults dressed in traditional Saxon Trachts who entertain with some Saxon folk dancing along with a parade. The parade consists of about 200-300 people dressed in costumes of “lola,” which is black and white strips of material with a terrifying mask and whip. Costumes are numbered and with symbols of to depict the different groups. Each guild is represented, but the four main guilds rep-



The “Urzel”

resented are the cobblers accompanied by two little children as a symbol of guardian angels, tailors, furriers and coopers. After the parade is over, it is time for the running of the lola (Saxon word is Urzeln). All people wearing costumes run around the town, hitting the air with their whips and shaking their cowbells to scare away the bad spirits. Those that are not in costume try to recognize the person under the mask and if they do, they are rewarded a Krapfen. The event ends at the center of town singing “Siebenbürgen, Land des Segens.”  
Ich wünsche allen einen schönen Tag.

NEWS

HIGHER ANNUAL INTEREST YIELD  
EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 1, 2018

3.00%

On Current Annuity and IRAa  
issued after 10/1/2012 and after

Food Tip

While it may seem like a bargain at the time, purchasing cheap cookware does not pay off in the long run. Inexpensive aluminum pots and pans require more cleaning and do not last as long as more durable cookware. Invest in a good set of pots and pans and you can expect them to last for years. Knives should also be an investment. Cheap knives will not hold their edge well and their handles break more frequently. A good knife set can last a lifetime.

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SECRETARIES TAKE NOTICE:

THE DEADLINE DATE FOR ARTICLES  
IS WEDNESDAY - 12 NOON.

You may either

MAIL: PO BOX 45198,  
Westlake, OH 44145  
FAX: (440) 399-9339  
E-MAIL: saxonvolksblatt@aol.com

Articles e-mailed will receive an e-mailed confirmation by Noon Thursday. If you did not receive a confirmation, please give us a call.

DEADLINE DATES FOR ARTICLES:

DEADLINE	ISSUE
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16, 2019	FRIDAY, JANUARY 25, 2019
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 30, 2019	FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2019
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2019	FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2019

Please have your articles in by 12 Noon.

Did you miss the deadline?

Have you emailed your article past 12 noon?

Please call Hanz or Barb Hermann at (440) 892-0436.



ATS

**Tiger Track Overnight at  
Cleveland Metropark Zoo  
February 23, 2019**

**Bowl Where You Are Tournament  
Ages 6 -17  
February and March**

**Saxon Summer Camp  
June 23-28 2019  
Camp Frederick Rogers, Ohio  
New Adventure Grades 1 - 2 (completed)  
Discoverers Grades 3 - 4 (completed)  
Journeys Grades 5 - 6 (completed)  
Ultimate Challenge Grades 7- 9 (completed)**

**Teen Weekend  
July 19-21, 2019  
Salem Saxon Club  
Ages 13-19**

**ATS Family Day  
July 27, 2019  
Waldameer Park, Erie PA**

**Plus Coloring Contests during the Year  
and  
Coloring Projects in the Volksblatt**

der Körper

(The Body)

der Kopf	die Hand
das Auge	das Bein
das Ohr	der Fuß
die Nase	der Bauch
der Mund	der Rücken
der Arm	die Haare

Guten Morgen.

Good Morning

Guten Tag.

Good Day

Auf Wiedersehen.

Goodbye

ATTENTION  
ATS JUNIORS  
AGES 6 – 12

Time to Track Down  
an Amur Tiger during  
an Overnight Stay  
Cleveland Metropark Zoo  
Saturday, February 23, 2019

Pack up your sleeping bag and pillow for a fun sleep-over at the Cleveland Metroparks Zoo. You will be sleeping in the Wolf Wilderness Lodge. The program starts at 7:00 pm on Saturday, February 23, 2019 and ends at 10:00 am on Sunday morning. The zoo will provide you with an evening snack and breakfast. You take a night hike through zoo tracking the tiger and, in the morning, there will be a scavenger hunt compass activity. Zoo counselor will be with the group at all times. You are welcome to stay in the Rainforest and/or Zoo immediately following the program on Sunday. Each participant will be given a wristband that is valid for that day only if they are remaining in the Zoo. Your parent(s) are welcome to pack up their sleeping bags and join in the fun.

**Reservations and Payment must be made by February 5, 2019:**

ATS Junior Member Cost - \$20      Adults/Non-Member Child - \$42

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Cert No. \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Cert No. \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Non-Member \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Adult Name \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Cert No. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Cert No. \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ ATS Junior Member(s) @ \$20      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Adult or Non-Member @ \$42      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Remittance      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make Check payable and send to the: Alliance of Transylvanian Saxons  
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2018 Christmas Coloring Contest  
Honorable Mention:

What a great job everyone did in the Christmas Coloring Contest. All participants were sent an activity/coloring book with a letter of appreciation. We thank the following for their colored pictures:

CONGRATULATIONS!

The following are the winners of the  
2018 Christmas coloring contest:

<b>Ages 3-4</b>	<b>Ages 7-8</b>
Piper Simon Br. 5 - Lorain	Dylan Schaeff Br. 1 – Cleveland
Chelsey Cunningham Br. 29 – Monaca	Ciara Clark Br. 22 - Youngstown
Fatima Kauffman Br. 27 – New Castle	Chloe Schaeff Br. 4 – Cleveland
<b>Ages 5-6</b>	<b>Ages 9-10</b>
William Wilson Br. 19 – Salem	Olivia Camarillo Br. 26 – Merrillville
Lucia Pastore Br. 22 – Youngstown	Katelynn Pechatsko Br. 4 – Cleveland
Lilliana Bachinger Br. 22 – Youngstown	Lauren Badertscher Br. 27 – New Castle

**Ages 3-4**  
Colton Boyle, Br. 30  
Claire Burick, Br. 27  
Jameson Donnellan, Br. 1  
Christian Kirr, Br. 30  
Nikola Krahe, Br. 2  
Kyle Preble, Br. 1  
Caiden Phillips, Br. 33  
Noah Sarich, Br. 30  
Michael Simon, Br. 5  
Emma Sloan, Br. 22  
Bowe Springer, Br. 10  
Jaxon Stoddard, Home Branch

**Ages 5-6**  
Alexander Burick, Br. 25  
Emma Camarillo, Br. 26  
Colby Cunningham. Br. 29  
Katie Hanek, Br. 4  
Caleb Hernandez, Br. 30  
Maggie Hoover, Br. 9  
Amelia Italiani, Br. 02  
Mallory Kirr, Br. 22  
Scarlet Palkovitch, Br. 27  
Xander Palkovitch, Br. 25  
Dominick Salinas, Br. 30  
Cole Sergeant, Br. 5  
Lauren Springer, Br. 10  
Landon Weaver, Br. 30  
Sadie Weaver, Br. 22  
Jenna Westland, Br. 17

**Ages 7-8**  
Brayden Boyle, Br. 30  
Jack Carder, Br. 30  
Haley Slotnick Hebrank, Br. 4

**Ages 7-8 cont'd**  
Hannah Hoover, Br. 9  
Amanda Hudak, Br. 27  
Gianna Italiani, Br. 2  
Kendall Kaba, Br. 27  
Christopher Kauffman, Br. 25  
Angelina Krafft, Br. 7  
Addison Long, Br. 5  
Gia Pastore, Br. 22  
Quinn Pechatsko, Br. 4  
Kaeden Peck, Br. 2  
Jenna Peters, Br. 5  
Ava Salinas, Br. 22  
Lexi Seiler, Br. 4  
Carsen Sergeant, Br. 5  
Elin Sogge, Br. 27  
Martin Turk, Br. 1  
Alexie Weaver, Br. 22  
Jaycie Westland, Br. 17  
Mora Ziegler, Br. 33

**Ages 9-10**  
Ray Appleby, Br. 19  
Cathryn Best, Br. 18  
Payton Boyle, Br. 22  
Sophia Fromel, Br. 22  
Zachary Fromel, Br. 30  
Ella Izenour, Home Branch  
Alex Krafft, Br. 7  
Jonathan Malue, Br. 1  
Kayleigh Peck, Br. 2  
Allison Phillips, Br. 33  
Justin Preble, Br. 1  
Joey Springer, Br. 10  
Matthew Springer, Br. 10  
Sara Wilson, Br. 18



## FRATERNAL CALENDAR

### NATIONAL EVENTS

February and March, 2019

Bowl Where You Are Tournament for Junior Members

February 23, 2019

Tiger Tracks at Cleveland Metro Parks Zoo

May 4, 2019

Branch Presidents' Meeting

Host New Castle

June 23-28, 2019

Saxon Summer Camp

July 12-14, 2019

North American Saxon Heimattag

Host Aylmer German-Canadian Club, Aylmer ONT

July 19 - 21, 2019

Teen Weekend

July 27, 2019

Family Day at Waldameer Park, Erie PA

October 19-20, 2019

ATS Open Bowling Tournament

Host Cleveland West

### LOCAL EVENTS

January 20, 2019

Lorain TSBA Bowling at Rebman Lanes

Youngstown Pork and Kraut Dinner

February 2, 2019

Cleveland Sachsenheim Wurstmarkt/Sausage Sale

February 3, 2019

Cleveland Sachsenheim SchnitzelFest

February 10, 2019

New Castle TSBA Bowling at Colonial Lanes

February 17, 2019

Cleveland West Br. 4 Chinese Auction/Sausage Dinner

Youngstown Pork and Kraut Dinner

March 3, 2019

Youngstown TSBA Bowling at Holiday Bowl

March 24, 2019

Youngstown Pork and Kraut Dinner

April 6-7, 2019

Cleveland West TSBA Tournament

### YOUNGSTOWN SAXON CLUB PORK-KRAUT DINNER JANUARY 20, 2019

11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

\$9.50

Children \$5.00

includes coffee/tea/pop and dessert

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!

TAKE OUTS AVAILABLE!

### The potential dangers of being underweight

While obesity in America demands much of the focus in the medical community, around 4.5 million people were dangerously underweight as recently as 2014, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

According to Healthline, a person is defined as being underweight if their Body Mass Index (BMI) is below 18.5. An example of this would be a 5'4" woman who weighs less than 108 pounds.

Being underweight is closely linked to malnourishment because the person is likely not consuming enough vitamins, nutrients, and calories to support a healthy body in the long term and many problems will stem from this condition. In general, these people are prone to have less energy, and the immune system will suffer, leading to more frequent illness. Similarly, a person's ability to heal wounds is compromised, and studies have found that underweight patients have a harder time recovering from surgeries.

In women, there is extra cause for concern for those underweight because of its connection to osteoporosis and infertility. Studies of 1,767 pre-menopausal women found that 24 percent of those underweight had low bone mineral density compared to only 9.4 percent of those with an average BMI. Meanwhile, more low BMI women suffer from amenorrhea, the absence of menses, or other menstrual irregularities which can indicate ovulation. If there is a lack of ovulation for too long, it can lead to infertility.

### Schnitzel Fest Cleveland Sachsenheim 7001 Denison Ave Sunday, February 3, 2019 Serving 1:00 – 3:00 pm

Wiener Schnitzel	\$15.95
Pork Schnitzel	\$ 9.95
Chicken Schnitzel	\$ 9.95

(Take-outs are \$1 more)

Includes the choice of two sides:  
German Potato Salad, Mashed Potatoes,  
Potato Pancakes, Red Cabbage, Sauerkraut,  
Cabbage & Noodles, Mixed Vegetables,  
Plus, more!

Make Reservations at the Sachsenheim's Bar  
or Call (216) 651-0888

Deadline for Reservations is January 28, 2019

### ATTENTION BRANCH 5 MEMBERS WE'VE MOVED!!!

MONTHLY MEETINGS HAVE MOVED TO THE  
THIRD MONDAY OF THE MONTH!  
7PM SLOVAK HOME

It's never too early to start  
saving for your retirement years

TSBA BOWLERS

### NOTICE – DATE CHANGED



The next bowling session will be held in Lorain on Sunday, January 20, 2019 at the Rebman's Recreation Bowling Lanes located at 5300 Oberlin Avenue.

Bowling will start at 11 am. There will **NOT** be a luncheon following bowling.

Any questions, please call Monica Gilles at (440) 309-7894.  
See you in Lorain!



### Cleveland Sachsenheim's Wurstmarkt / Sausage Sale Saturday, February 2, 2019

Cleveland Sachsenheim  
7001 Denison Avenue

**FIRM DEADLINE** for Sausage Orders:  
Friday, January 25, 2019

**NEW THIS YEAR:** Orders will be sold only in 3 lb. and 5 lb. packages.

- Pork Sausage with, or without, garlic - \$3.60 per pound.
- Sausage/Sauerkraut with Polenta Dinner - \$8.00 per meal. (Please preorder meal.)
- Sausage sandwiches will be available for purchase.

**Orders will be taken by:**

Edith Hebrank 440-734-2584,

Christa Herbert 440-888-6094, or

Email: [Kranstuber@roadrunner.com](mailto:Kranstuber@roadrunner.com)

(Customers ordering by email will receive a return order confirmation.)

No phone orders after 9:00 p.m.  
When leaving a message, include  
a telephone number to receive a  
return order confirmation.

Doors **will not open until 1 pm** for order pickup on Saturday February 2, 2019.





**St. Peter's  
German and Saxon  
Lutheran Church**  
11423 Chicago Rd.  
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(586) 979-3850  
stpeters\_church@sbcglobal.net  
www.stpeterswarren.or

**10:00 Bilingual Service**  
**Nursery**  
**Coffee following service**  
**Senior Circle**  
**Sunday School**  
**Church Choir**  
**Bell Choir**

**St. John's Lutheran Church**  
1000 Ford Road  
Highland Hts., Ohio  
(440) 449-1334

**Rev. Paul Stork  
Pastor**

**10:00 Worship Service**

  
**SALEM SAXON CLUB  
BAR WILL BE CLOSED  
DURING THE MONTHS OF  
DECEMBER, JANUARY,  
AND FEBRUARY  
PLEASE CHECK  
THE BRANCH CALENDAR  
FOR RE-OPENING DATE**

**Self-Respect**

*Self-respect is the fruit of discipline*  
– Abraham J. Heschel

*He that respects himself is safe from others; he wears a coat of mail that none can pierce.*  
– Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

*Respect your efforts, respect yourself. Self-respect leads to self-discipline. When you have both firmly under your belt, that's real power.*  
– Clint Eastwood

*No man who is occupied in doing a very difficult thing, and doing it very well, ever loses his self-respect.*  
– George Bernard Shaw

**How to face the flu and common cold**



Precisely what is the dreaded “Flu”?

It’s an acute respiratory illness caused by influenza viruses A or B. While most people who get the flu recover in a week or two, others can develop severe and potentially life-threatening complications. According to the Mayo Clinic, those most threatened are children under five and adults older than 65, nursing home and long-term care residents, pregnant women up to two weeks postpartum, and others with weakened immune systems. So too are people with chronic illnesses or who are extremely obese.

If the flu strikes, stay home. You’re sick and highly contagious. Embrace your downtime and heal your body with it. Curl up on the couch, read, watch TV, and nod off to sleep anytime. Get between seven and nine hours of sleep every night—your body is fighting a virus.

Drink plenty of fluids for both the flu or a cold. Fluids hydrate your respiratory system and convert thick mucus into a liquid you can spit out. An expectorant will thin the mucus, too. For congestion, the Mayo Clinic recommends over-the-counter decongestant tablets like Sudafed and nasal sprays. Studies suggest they narrow blood vessels in the lining of the nose and help reduce swelling.

Remember that protein is essential to maintaining body strength. Among your best sources for it are lean meat, poultry, fish, legumes, dairy, eggs, nuts, and seeds.

For your cold, recent studies suggest that chicken soup may indeed degrade its symptoms. Nobody really knows why, but the evidence implies this time-honored remedy helps subdue inflammation. According to the American College of Chest Physicians, chicken soup appears to slow the movement of neutrophils, the white blood cells that harbor acute infection. Tests indicate the vegetables and chicken pieces combine to produce “inhibitory activity.”

If you try zinc for a cold, be sure to follow dosage instructions carefully: Harvard Medical School recommends 15-25 mg per day.

**Joseph A. Kraus †  
1936 - 2018**

Joseph A. Kraus, 82, of Neshannock Township PA, passed away the morning of December 16, 2018 at his residence. Born on October 17, 1936 in Grosslasseln, Transylvania, Romania, he was the son of the late Josef and Rosina Schotsch Kraus. On June 21, 1958 he married his beloved wife, the former Maria Kralj who preceded him in death on June 29, 2018. Joseph was a millworker for Commercial Intertech where he retired in 1996. He was a member of St. John Lutheran Church. Joseph enjoyed doing carpentry work. He was also a member of the Eintracht Singing Society Branch 25. He was known as the German Juke Box because of his love of music and playing his harmonica, always the life of the party, A Good Time Charlie.



**Joseph A. Kraus**

Joseph is survived by his children, Rosemarie Montini and her husband Pete, Hans Kraus and his wife Monica and Helmut Kraus and his wife Susan all of New Castle, seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild. In addition to his parents and wife, Joseph was preceded in death by two infant brothers, Johann Hans Kraus and George Kraus.

**BRANCH 10, COLUMBUS**  
By Donald Blum and Susi Mueller


The annual Christmas Party was a big success. We had family members from Texas, Alaska and California. President Martin Hesch led us in prayer and recognized members that we lost; Past President Richard Kautz and long-time members Maria Alert and Doris Gellner. The group had a surprise visit from the man from up North (definitely not xichigan). After some discussion, Susi Mueller was removed from the Naughty list, and all the Good Saxons received a present from Santa. A good time was had by all and a number of bottles of wine helped to bring the Christmas cheer.

We are avid viewers of almost all the Christmas movies. Many of the movies had a Royal theme to the story. They would mention some fictitious country and a castle. I drive my wife crazy because I am always googling information about the movies. It seems that almost all of the castles and the actual locations of the movies occurred in Romania and many times in Transylvania. So the next time you watch a Christmas or romantic movie see if you might recognize the castle or location.

We hope the New Year brings you good health and happiness. Don't forget to start using 2019 when dating your checks. God Bless!

See you at the next meeting on Monday, January 21.



  
**We remember our Sisters and Brothers who have departed this life in recent days. Our sincere sympathy is extended to the members of the bereaved families.**

**Kathryn I. Gunnesch-Mc Crea**  
Age 60  
Died: December 9, 2018  
Branch 9, Chicago, IL

**Joseph A. Kraus**  
Age 82  
Died: December 16, 2018  
Branch 25, New Castle PA

**Katherine M. Dicks**  
Age 87  
Died: December 22, 2018  
Branch 22, Youngstown OH

**JoAnn A. Reichenbach**  
Age 85  
Died: December 26, 2018  
Branch 18, Salem OH

Hello! Hope you all had a Merry Christmas, as did we. Wanted to share with you the very nice surprise we had at our Christmas Luncheon.

“New Member” Don Blum (joined in January of 2018) surprised us all by coming in as Santa Claus with a big, big red bag. He posed for pictures with all attendees and distributed to each of us a nice four-chocolate holiday box of candy. They were delicious! This is very important for me to say because I don’t usually like chocolate candy - because they are too sweet for me. These were very creamy and not too sweet at all. “Santa” has good taste. They were “Elmer Chocolate, since 1855.”

One thing I would like to add: Santa said he had something for all good boys and girls. That, however, did not include me. As he put his hand on my shoulder, he said, “This is for good girls only.” He actually passed me by! Then he came back and gave me one anyway. Thanks, Santa!

Susi Mueller





**BRANCH 4, CLEVELAND**  
By Joan Miller-Malue

Our last event in 2018 was the Children's Christmas Party where Santa got to visit with over 50 children. It was a wonderful afternoon and we want to thank our MC, Grace Botsch, for doing an outstanding job and to all that helped in decorating, setting up the hall and to those who helped with clean-up. It just amazes me how fast our junior members grow up. It is a blessing to witness their journey from being a baby to becoming young ladies and men.

We received sincere thanks from The Community Corners for our donation of 80 gifts for their Christmas Gift Program. Also, they were grateful for the food donations which were made by our children who attended the Christmas Party. We thank our members for their generosity.

We personally delivered Poinsettia plants and hand-made lap blankets to our shut-ins and elder members. They were so appreciative of us remembering them and for the lovely gifts. We want to thank Diane Hum for her kindness and generosity for crocheting and donating the lap blankets. Our ladies loved them.

We have a busy upcoming February. Our first event will be the Annual Sausage Sale on Saturday, February 2, 2019. Deadline for placing your sausage order is January 25<sup>th</sup>. Sausage orders will be sold only in 3 lb. or 5 lb. packages with garlic or without. Orders are being taken by Edith Hebrank (440)734-2584; Christa Herbert (440)888-6094 or email [Kranstuber@roadrunner.com](mailto:Kranstuber@roadrunner.com). (No phone orders after 9:00 pm. If you are leaving a message include your name and phone number). You may also preorder a sausage/sauerkraut, polenta dinner for \$8. Sausage sandwiches will be available the day of the Sale. Orders are to be picked up on Saturday, February 2 after 1:00 pm. Please adhere to the time, so that the workers can get their work done to prepare for the pick-ups. These folks come early in the morning and have a lot to accomplish before 1 pm. Plan your day for a pick-up of your orders after 1 pm. This

is the last sausage sale for the season, so make sure you stock up! The profits from this sausage help with the maintenance expense of our clubhouse.

The following day, February 3<sup>rd</sup>, Onkel Grumpy will have a "Super Bowl Sunday Schnitzel Fest." Dinners will be served from 1:00 – 3:00 pm. You have your choice of wiener schnitzel at \$15.95; pork schnitzel or chicken schnitzel at \$9.95 with choice of two sides (plus you can purchase extra sides). It will be served buffet-style. Choice of sides include German potato salad, potato pancakes, spätzle, sauerkraut, red cabbage, cabbage and noodles, mashed potatoes, mushroom gravy and more. Call the Sachsenheim at (216) 651-0888 to make your reservations. Deadline for reservations is January 28<sup>th</sup>. Enjoy a delicious meal on Super Bowl Sunday!

We ask for your support in attending Branch 4's Annual Fundraiser, the Chinese Auction and Sausage Dinner on Sunday, February 17<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm. Admission is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children age 10 and under. Auction tickets will be sold at the door for \$7. We will be only taking prepaid reservations. Please send your reservations to: Donna Jankow, 7663 Ragall Parkway, Middleburg Hts. OH 44130 by February 8<sup>th</sup>. We will have assigned seating; so please indicate to whom you wish to be seated with. This event helps us defray expenses at the Sachsenheim, so please give us your support. Members or friends making a new item donation may bring it to the Branch Meeting on January 21 or drop it off at the Sachsenheim. It is a fun afternoon for the entire family. Please invite your friends to join us for a delicious meal and have fun taking chances on winning some lovely items.

Our first monthly meeting for 2019 will be held on Monday, January 21<sup>st</sup>. We will hold our Annual Memorial Service prior to the start of the meeting. The Eintracht-Saxonia Sachsenchor will perform several songs in honor of our departed. We look forward to seeing you at the meeting.

**Mit Gott fang an, mit Gott hör auf,  
das ist der schönste Lebenslauf**

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**ATS BRANCH 4 - 2019 FUND RAISER  
28th ANNUAL CHINESE AUCTION/  
SAUSAGE DINNER**

**Sunday, February 17, 2019**

**Cleveland Sachsenheim  
7001 Denison Avenue**

**Dinner at 1:00 pm**

**Auction of items to follow dinner**

**ADMISSION BY PREPAID RESERVATIONS ONLY!**

**\$10.00 - Adults**

**Children 10 & Under - \$5.00**

**Auction Tickets Sold at the Door - \$7.00**

**Chinese Auction / Sausage Dinner  
Sunday, February 17, 2019  
By Prepaid Reservation Only**

**Send to: Donna Jankow  
7663 Ragall Parkway  
Middleburg Hts., OH 44130**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Adult Dinners @10 .00 each** \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ **Children's Dinners @ \$5.00 ea** \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ **Total Amount Enclosed** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Address** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Tele No.** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email** \_\_\_\_\_

**Meal Tickets will be held at the Door.**

**We will have assigned seating...Please indicate if you wish to sit with specific individuals** \_\_\_\_\_

**Deadline for Reservations is February 8th**

**The misunderstood Brussels sprout**

Don't you love it when the kids find out you are serving Brussels sprouts for dinner and they run to the table and demand a big helping?

Nah. That doesn't happen.

Brussels sprouts have a bad reputation for being bitter, mushy little veggies.

But, according to the gourmets and foodies, this is all because they are cooked incorrectly. If they are boiled too long or otherwise overcooked, you get the mushy foul-smelling gunk that everyone hates.

But if they are cooked properly, the cute little cabbage buds turn bright green and slightly crisp with a nutty and sweet flavor.

You can lightly steam them whole for five minutes. Or they turn out well when cut in half and oven-roasted with butter and garlic at 400 degrees for 35 minutes. For a pan sauté, halve the sprouts and, over moderate heat, cook for 15 minutes with butter and garlic until lightly brown.

Sprouts are members of the cabbage, broccoli and kale family, but don't hold that against them. Brussels sprouts have been the little heroes of European civili-



zation. Okay, that might be a bit strong, but they were frequently the last greens available during winter for the Romans in the 12th century and the Belgians and Germanic peoples in the 13th century and later. And since they are loaded with Vitamins C, K, and A, they deliver excellent nutrition.

Sprouts actually grow as little buds on a cabbage-type plant stalk. They have a long growing season of about 100 days and they are extremely frost tolerant.

Last, but not least, they are an excellent choice for a low-carb diet. They have about 9 carbs per cup, but 5 carbs is all fiber, bringing the net carb total to 4 per cup.

**Alexa, Amazon  
team up to pop  
your corn**

For connected college students and singles, Amazon has introduced a microwave that connects to the Alexa speaker.

According to Cnet, the small, low-voltage microwave takes voice commands and remembers how many bags of popcorn you popped. Naturally, when you run low on popcorn, Amazon delivers some more.

The microwave can bake a couple of potatoes (but won't do four and undercooks three) and defrost all by voice command. There are challenges, though. How many ounces of peas do you have to defrost? You have to know.

Of course, it doesn't magically put the food in the microwave. So you are actually just saving time in figuring out defrost versus cook settings. But this genuinely does solve some problems.

The reasonably-priced \$60 device is not for defrosting or cooking food for a family. But it's good for one person in a hurry.



# ATS BRANCH DIRECTORY

**Cleveland, OH Br. 1**

Mtg. 3rd Mon. 7:00 p.m.  
Sachsenheim 7001 Denison Ave.  
(216) 651-0888  
PRES: Robert M. Hanek  
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(216) 385-9932 rhanek8@yahoo.com  
SEC'Y. Robert Cunningham III  
9005 Memphis Villas, Brooklyn, 44144  
(216) 398-7520  
rbcunningham@roadrunner.com  
ATS SEC'Y. R.Cunningham  
LOCAL DUES to R. Cunningham

**Erie, PA Br. 2**

Mtg. 3rd Sunday, 2:30 p.m.  
Siebenbürger Hall 2114 French St.  
(814) 452-4712  
PRES. Thomas J. Manning  
3909 Schaper Ave #203 Erie PA 16508  
(814) 864-6072 ettmann1@neo.rr.com  
SEC'Y. Lee Wolfe  
918 East 30th St Erie PA 16504  
(814) 456-9982  
ATS SEC'Y. Liz Manning  
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(814) 864-6072 ettmann1@neo.rr.com  
LOCAL DUES to Liz Manning  
3909 Schaper Ave #203 Erie PA 16508  
(814) 864-6072

**Alliance, OH Br. 3**

Mtg. 3rd. Wed.- 6:30 p.m.  
American Legion Post 166  
141 W Main St Alliance OH  
PRESIDENT John H. Aeling  
15590 Georgetown St. NE Minerva, 44657  
(330) 862-3706 JDAll852@yahoo.com  
SEC'Y. Matt Aeling  
909 E Broad St Louisville OH 44641  
(330) 205-2586 maeling1@gmail.com  
ATS SEC'Y. Denise Aeling Crawford  
15970 Cenfield St.NE, Alliance, 44601  
(330) 821-5125  
dcrawfordcpa@yahoo.com  
SICK NOTICES & LOCAL DUES to  
John Aeling  
Address shown as President

**Cleveland, OH Br. 4**

Mtg. 3rd. Mon. 7:00 p.m.  
Sachsenheim 7001 Denison Ave.  
(216) 651-0888  
PRES. Monica M. Weber  
(440) 356-5936  
SEC'Y. Joan A. Miller-Malue  
17105 Hilliard Rd. Lakewood, 44107  
(216) 251-6036 miller-malue@cox.net  
ATS SEC'Y Donna Jankow  
7663 Ragall Pkwy Middleburg Hts OH 44130  
(440) 826-0773  
SICK NOTICES to Joan A. Miller-Malue  
Address as above  
LOCAL DUES to Donna Jankow  
Address as above

**Lorain, OH Br. 5**

Mtg. 3rd Monday of month 7:00 p.m.  
American Slovak Club  
2915 Broadway, Lorain  
PRES. Monica Gilles  
3520 Beavercrest Dr. #107  
Lorain,OH 44053  
(440) 309-7894  
gillemo76@hotmail.com  
SEC'Y. Brian Gilles  
244 Ashwood Dr. Avon Lake OH 44012  
(440) 315-5214 bgilles74@yahoo.com  
ATS SEC'Y. Ginger Romes  
1507 West 39th St  
Lorain OH 44053 (440) 989-8424  
dgromes@roadrunner.com  
SICK NOTICES to Jane Mowery  
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Lorain OH 44053 (440) 246-3004  
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LOCAL DUES to Michael W. Johnson  
41868 Earlene Ct, Elyria OH 44035  
(440) 324-2534 mikjo79@gmail.com

**Farrell, PA Br. 7**

Mtg. 3rd. Mon. 7:00 p.m.  
Farrell Lions Den 810 Lions Club Lane  
(724) 981-7130  
PRES. Karen Zaborowski  
1714 Shady Dr Farrell PA 16121  
(724) 346-0373  
SEC'Y. Betty Holmes  
409 Patt Dr. Farrell PA 16121  
(724) 981-7130  
ATS SEC'Y. Bonnie Gregorich  
55 Oak Tree Ct West Middlesex 16159  
(724) 528-0309  
SICK NOTICES to Karen Zaborowski  
LOCAL DUES to Kathy Schuller  
PO Box 834 Andover OH 44003  
(440) 293-6973

**Alliance, OH Br. 8**

Mgt. 3rd Wed. 6:30 p.m.  
American Legion Post 166  
141 W Main St Alliance OH  
PRES. Helen E. Aeling  
15354 Georgetown St. NE Minerva 44657  
(330) 862-2563 HHA658@aol.com  
SEC'Y. Lesley Reed  
611 N. Market St Minerva OH 44657  
(330) 868-3816  
ATS SEC'Y. Helen Aeling  
Address as listed as President  
SICK NOTICES to Phyllis Biggs  
1690 S Freedom Alliance OH 44601  
(330) 823-0681  
LOCAL DUES to: Lesley Reed  
Same address as above

**Chicago, IL Br. 9**

Mtg. 1st Mon. 8:00 p.m.  
DANK Haus 4740 N. Western (2nd floor)  
PRES. Diethild Thut  
923 E Slayton Dr Palatine IL, 60074  
(847) 934-6308 dedethut11@yahoo.com  
SEC'Y. Elfi Sanderson  
1425 London Lane Glenview IL 60025  
(847) 998-0939 elfisanderson@gmail.com  
ATS SEC'Y:  
Claudia Schmidt  
8550 Niles Center Rd Skokie IL 60077  
(847) 899-8663 brasov95@hotmail.com  
LOCAL DUES TO: Claudia Schmidt  
Address as shown above

**Columbus, OH Br. 10**

Mtg. 3rd Mon. 1:00 p.m. all months  
Hickory House,  
550 Officecenter Place, Gahanna OH  
PRES. Martin Hesch  
9407 Southchester Dr NW  
Pickerington OH 43147  
(614) 861-4078  
SEC'Y. Marlene Mueller  
36 North East St, Pickerington OH 43147  
(614) 834-1060  
ATS SEC'Y. P. Michael Roth  
8063 Ivory Gull Cir Pickerington OH 43147  
(614) 216-0008  
LOCAL DUES to Susanna Mueller  
726 Preston Trails Dr Pickerington OH 43147  
(614) 837-2221 opioma@aol.com  
**Canton, OH Br. 14**  
Mtg. 2nd Sunday  
Location varies  
PRES. Thomas J. Rowinsky  
1656 Dunkeith Dr NW, Canton, 44708  
(330) 478-9333  
ATS SECRETARY: Helen Aeling  
15354 Georgetown St NE  
Minerva OH 44657  
(330) 862-2563 HH658@aol.com  
SICK NOTICES to Thomas Rowinsky  
Address as shown above

**Canton, OH Br. 17**

Mtg. 2nd Sunday Location varies  
PRES. Mary Rowinsky  
1656 Dunkeith Dr. NW, Canton 44708  
(330) 478-9333  
SEC'Y. Mary Rowinsky  
Samme adress as President  
ATS SECRETARY: Helen Aeling  
15354 Georgetown St NE  
Minerva OH 44657  
(330) 862-2563 HH658@aol.com  
SICK NOTICES to Mary Rowinsky

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**Canton, OH Br. 17 (cont'd)**

LOCAL DUES to: Rosanne Miller  
5186 Everhard Rd NW Apt 7  
Canton OH 44718  
(330) 933-4584

**Salem, OH Br. 18**

Mtg. 2nd Mon. 7:00 p.m.  
Saxon Club 1980 St. Rt. 9 Salem, 44460  
(330) 222-1770  
PRES. Florence Spack  
1500 Depot Rd Salem OH 44460  
(330) 337-3652  
SEC'Y. / ATS SECRETARY  
Barbara Spack  
1389 Brookview Dr Salem, 44460  
(330) 337-7487 babrayn@sbcglobal.net  
SICK NOTICES  
to Theresa Spack  
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Salem OH 44460 (330) 831-4119  
LOCAL DUES TO: Helen Aeling  
15354 Georgetown St. NE Minerva 44657  
(330) 862-2563 HHA658@aol.com

**Salem, OH Br. 19**

Mtg. 1st Mon. 7:30 p.m.  
Saxon Club 1980 Newgarden Rd  
Salem OH 44460 (330) 222-1770  
PRES. Henry A. Spack, Sr.  
1500 Depot Rd. Salem, 44460  
(330) 337-3652  
SEC'Y. Robert P. Vogt, Sr.  
973 Sunset Blvd. Salem, 44460  
(330) 881-3346  
mvcobra27@gmail.com  
SICK NOTICES to Glenn T. Spack  
943 Stewart Rd. Salem, 44460  
(330) 337-7575  
LOCAL DUES to Richard Vogt, Sr.  
c/o Salem Saxon Club  
1980 Newgarden Rd, Salem, 44460  
(330) 222-1770

**Youngstown, OH Br. 22**

Mtg. 2nd Sun. 2:00 p.m.  
Saxon Club Lower Lounge Restaurant  
710 S. Meridian 44509 (330) 792-7973  
PRES. June Hoelzel  
695 E Western Reserve Rd Unit 2601  
Poland OH 44514 (330) 953-2856  
SEC'Y. Frances Hinerman  
281 Forest Hill Dr  
Youngstown OH 44515  
ATS SEC'Y. Julaine Gilmartin  
4173 Timberland Trail Canfield 44406  
(330) 799-5171  
SICK NOTICES to Gloria Hahn  
365 Beechcrest Dr Youngstown 44515  
(330) 793- 3588  
LOCAL DUES to Betty Garhammer  
969 Canfield Rd. Youngstown 44511  
(330) 788-4274

**New Castle, PA Br. 25**

Mtg. 2nd Thursday 8:00 p.m.  
Eintracht Hall 108 Taylor St.,  
New Castle PA 16101  
(724) 652-7221  
PRES. John McCormick  
152 Means Rd, New Wilmington PA 16142  
(724) 944-2657  
SEC'Y. Jonathan Baisch  
3336 Plank Rd New Castle PA 16105  
(724) 816-6866  
newcastleeintracht@gmail.com

**New Castle, PA Br. 25 (cont'd)**

ATS SEC'Y: Joshua Stelle  
104 Ludwig Rd New Castle PA 16105  
(724) 699-3039  
Local Dues and Sick Notices to  
Doug Schafer  
113 Okinawa Dr New Castle 16105  
(724) 944-6199

**Merrillville, IN Br. 26**

Meeting first Sunday at 2 p.m.  
Slovak Club - 6920 Broadway  
(219) 756-5101  
PRES. Randall Floyd  
1806 E. 73rd Ave. Merrillville, 46410  
(219) 798-6908 rfloyd1066@msn.com  
REC. SEC'Y. Raymond (Sam) Palyok  
724 E. 25th. Pl Lake Station, 46405  
(219) 962-7345 randz724@comcast.net  
ATS SEC'Y. Randall Floyd  
Address and phone as shown above  
LOCAL DUES to Zita Palyok  
724 E. 25th Pl, Lake Station IN 46405  
(219) 962-7345 randz724@comcast.net  
Sick Notices to Sam Palyok  
Address as shown above

**New Castle, PA Br. 27**

Mtg. 1st Thurs. 7:00 p.m.  
Eintracht Hall 108 Taylor St., 16101  
(724) 652-7221  
PRES. Marie Benedict  
PO Box 25 Edinburg, 16116  
(724) 667-7395 bckskinbnny@verizon.net  
SEC'Y. Jean Kaba  
16 Sunnybrook Dr New Castle 16105  
(724) 658-1791 j.kaba@aol.com  
ATS SEC'Y. Judy Both  
1512 Drespling Ln New Castle 16101  
(724) 654-0573  
LOCAL DUES and SICK NOTICES to  
Gertrude Tizak 241 Cambridge St. #401  
N.Castle, 16105 (724) 652-1867  
Tizakg@yahoo.com

**Monaca, PA Br. 29**

Mtg. 2nd Sunday 6 p.m.  
Saxon Club 112 Simes St  
PRES. Richard Liller 150 Sunridge Dr.  
Freedom, PA 15042  
(724) 869-0261  
SEC'Y Chad Cole  
112o Eckert Rd Monaca PA 15061  
(412) 506-0287  
Chadcole 1234@gmail.com  
ATS SEC'Y. Terri L. Munroe  
1255 Chestnut St. Monaca, 15061  
(724) 544-0457 enchantra220@yahoo.com

**Youngstown, OH Br. 30**

Mtg. 2nd. Sun. 2:00 p.m.  
Saxon Club 710 S. Meridian 44509  
(330) 792-7973  
PRES. Ernie Roth  
6280 Morningside Hubbard OH 44425  
(330) 534-4960 djer1@netzero.net  
SEC'Y. Dennis Furman  
6999 S Pricetown Rd  
Berlin Cemer OH 44401  
(330) 547-4027  
ATS ADULT & JUV. SEC'Y. Jim Mauch  
1053 Collins Ave Youngstown OH 44515  
(330) 792-8484  
jmauch@zoominternet.net

**Youngstown, OH Br. 30 (cont'd)**

LOCAL DUES to Donald Hoelzel  
695 E Western Reserve Unit 2601  
Poland OH 44514 (330) 953-2856

**Ellwood City, PA Br. 32**

Mtg. 2nd. Wed. 7:30 p.m.  
Saxon Club 901 Millview St.  
(724) 758-3268  
PRES. Laura Goehring  
113 Mahony Ave Ellwood City PA 16117  
SEC'Y Kathy Crable  
703 Frew Rd Ellwood City PA 16117  
SICK NOTICES to: Joan Evans  
197 Portersville Rd Apt 3  
Ellwood City PA 16117 (724) 752-1109

**Cleveland, OH Br. 33**

Mtg. 2nd. Weds. 7:30 p.m.  
St. John's Lutheran Church  
1000 Ford Rd Highland Heights OH  
PRES. Ema Litschel  
8050 Conestoga Trail Concord, 44060  
(440) 358-1184  
SEC'Y. Arline Suts  
413 Downing Dr Chardon OH 44024  
(440) 285-9498 asuts@windstream.net  
ATS SEC'Y. Karyn Schmidt  
4979 Anderson Rd Lyndhurst OH 44124  
(216) 382-7397  
SICK NOTICES to Arline Suts  
Address and phone as above  
LOCAL DUES to Michael Bretz  
388 East 317th St. Willowick, 44095  
440-943-4543 meb3172@att.net

**Detroit, MI Br. 37**

Mtg. 1st. Sun. 12:30 p.m.  
St. Peters Lutheran Church  
11423 Chicago Rd. Warren, MI  
(586) 978-3850  
PRES. Susanna Fleischer  
11060 Furbush Rd. Holly MI 48442  
(810) 694-1860  
beetlebugsue7@peoplepc.com  
SEC'Y. Janet Nelson  
128 Ottawa Dr. Troy MI 48085  
(248) 879-3213 janetreadnelson@gmail.com  
ACTING ATS SEC'Y.  
Susanna Fleischer  
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LOCAL DUES to Ingrid Weihs-Ferguson  
11711 Lancer Dr Sterling Hts MI 48313  
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**Ellwood City, PA Br. 45**

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# TEAMWORK FOR SUCCESS

**EVERY  
MEMBER  
IS  
IMPORTANT  
TO OUR  
SOCIETY**



## **Successful Teamwork Means**

**Enthusiasm...Cooperation...Responsibility...  
Participation...Effort...Preparation...  
Skills...Commitment...Willingness...  
Support...Respect...Patience...**

**Our ATS members are needed to give their full support locally and nationally in volunteering their skills and expertise to strengthen the growth of our society.**

**Everyone's talents are needed to provide for interesting and successful activities that involve our fraternal families.**

**ATS members have an important role in promoting new membership in our society.**

**All branches need volunteers from their membership to help promote and organize their activities. Our branches which own clubhouses need the help of their members to maintain their "Saxon Home."**

***Lend a hand in helping out.***

***We need your talents to help our society grow and prosper.***

