

## Fun fall events at the GAI!

Fall is in the air after a wonderful St. Paul Oktoberfest at the GAI. We look forward to seeing many of our members and friends at the following events in October at the Haus and around the Twin Cities! See below for our fall highlights and news.



**Nicholas Pawlowski presents, *Vom Wunderschimmel***  
Saturday, October 16 | 3–4:30 p.m.

Join us as Nicholas Pawlowski tells the story, *Vom Wunderschimmel* (The Wonder Horse), through interactive dance, drawing, and discussion. The event is geared toward families with children ages 5–12, but all ages are welcome. NOTE: This event will be held outside and will be canceled in case of rain. Free, but please register at [gaimn.org](http://gaimn.org)



**KinoKneipe German film at Summit Brewing**  
Tuesday, October 19 | 5–9 p.m.

Join us for a family-friendly night of film and drinks at Summit Brewing. Visit with friends and enjoy happy hour from 5–7 p.m., then settle in to watch the movie, *Der ganz große Traum* (Lessons of a Dream), *auf Deutsch* (with English subtitles). The film features German star Daniel Bruehl as an English teacher who brings soccer to Germany in the late 19th century by teaching it to his class. Gerhard's Würstelstand will be on site. \$5, tickets at [gaimn.org](http://gaimn.org)



**Utepils Bier und Bingo**  
Saturday, November 13 | 6–9 p.m.

Come have a beer and play a few rousing rounds of bingo at Utepils Brewing. Each bingo card costs \$1 and an unlimited amount can be bought per round. There will be fun prizes and good cheer for all! Please register at [gaimn.org](http://gaimn.org)

## What is Frankfurter Grüne Soße?

Frankfurter Grüne Soße is a cold herb sauce, originating from Frankfurt, made with sour cream and typically 7 types of herbs (borage, chervil, garden cress, parsley, salad burnet, sorrel, and chives). Every family has their own recipe, but the 7 herbs in the recipe remain the same.

According to popular myth, the green sauce was invented by the mother of the famous poet, Goethe. While there is no evidence for this other than Goethe's own love of the dish, we know that the recipe was first published in a cookbook in 1860 written by Wilhelmine Rührig.

Today, the sauce is commonly served with boiled eggs, potatoes and fish or meat. You can enjoy Grüne Soße at the October Stammtisch, details at right.



## EVENTS

**OCTOBER 12**  
Stammtisch Curbside

**OCTOBER 16**  
German Storytelling

**OCTOBER 18**  
GAI Damenklub

**OCTOBER 19**  
KinoKneipe at Summit Brewing

**OCTOBER 20**  
GAI Sprachklub

**OCTOBER 23**  
New Pathways to Germany:  
Study and Apprenticeship

## LEARN GERMAN

**October 30**  
Teen Night: Mystery Abend

**October 28–November 18**  
*Gruselgeschichten* Short Course



**Stammtisch Curbside**  
Tuesday, October 12

Don't miss this month's Stammtisch featuring a specialty from Frankfurt: *Frankfurter Grüne Soße* with hard-boiled egg and parsley potatoes, chicken tenders, cucumber salad, and chocolate zucchini cake. Order ahead and pick up your meal at the GAI at 11:30 a.m. Reservations are required—please call Casey at 651.222.7027 by Friday, October 8. \$13 includes your meal and dessert.



# Herzlichen Dank!

We couldn't be more grateful to our corporate sponsors, Fanklub members, and amazing volunteers for making the first St. Paul Oktoberfest on the GAI grounds possible! Herzlichen Dank for making the weekend an unforgettable celebration.



## German citizenship law update

German citizenship law was updated recently. Now, individuals that were born out of wedlock before 1/1/1975 to a German mother and a non-German father can obtain German citizenship by declaration, which is intended to be a straightforward process. For more information, please contact Honorary Consul Barbara Muller at [minneapolis@hk-diplo.de](mailto:minneapolis@hk-diplo.de)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Stammtisch Curbside

**Tuesday, November 9**

*Königsberger Klopse* (German meatballs with caper cream sauce) originated in the historic Baltic city of Königsberg, but they are now enjoyed throughout Germany. *Klopse*, along with *Apfel-Streuselkuchen* are on the menu for the November.

*Call the office at 651.222.7027 to register*



### "Glüh Brew Crew" Glühwein Making

**Friday, November 19 | 6–9 PM**

**Saturday November 20 | 9 AM–3 PM**

Have you always wanted to know the secret to making the best *Glühwein* in town? Join our "Glüh Brew Crew" and help our team brew and bottle over 500 of the GAI's famous *Glühwein*, for sale at our Holiday Open Haus!

*Details soon at [gaimn.org](http://gaimn.org)*



### November Kaffeestube

**Sunday, November 21 | 11 AM–1 PM**

Kaffeestube returns for a November breakfast buffet. Stop by for a generous and delicious German breakfast at the Haus between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. Tickets are \$20 and includes beverages. *Please buy tickets at [gaimn.org](http://gaimn.org)*

## Save the date for your favorite GAI holiday events

**Christmas Sing-along with John Hoffacker**

**December 3 | 6–7 PM | Zoom**

**Holiday Open House**

**December 4–5 | 11 AM– 4 PM**

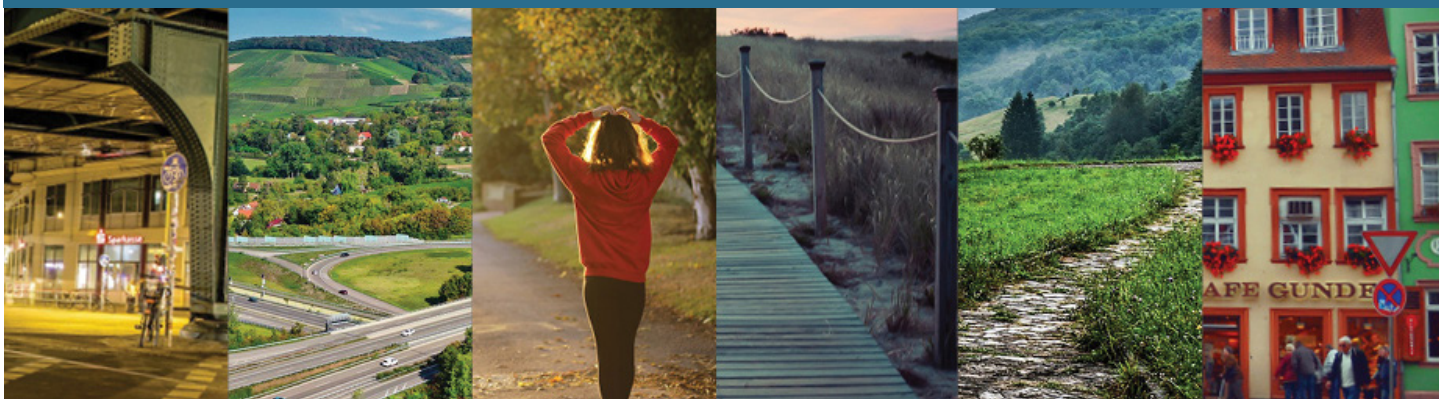
**GAI Christmas Dinner**

**December 18 | 4 PM–8 PM**

Tickets go on sale October 20



## GAI GERMAN LANGUAGE PROGRAMS



### PATHWAYS TO GERMANY: STUDY AND APPRENTICESHIP

Saturday, October 23 | 9 AM - 10:30 | Zoom

Young people today have many more options for studying in Germany beyond traditional exchange programs. Those interested in studying in Germany can learn about visa requirements, the application process, health insurance, and other logistics. We will also present pathways such as the Congress-Bundestag Youth Exchange vocational scholarship and new university programs for non-German speakers. Partners include Wunderbar Together, Goethe-Institut D. C. and Chicago, Nacel Open Door. For families with upper middle school to high school students. Free. Register at [gaimn.org/pathways](https://gaimn.org/pathways)

### FALLVERGNÜGEN: GRUSELGESCHICHTEN (SCARY STORIES)

Thursdays, October 28–November 18 | 6:30–8 PM | Zoom

Scary stories are not only popular with children and young people, many adults also love to read and watch goose-bump-inducing horror stories. Explore scary stories for all ages including written works as well as video stories that are quickly watched but leave a lasting impression. In this 4-week course, we will explore the realm of the eerie and practice German along the way. For level B1/B2. Register at [gaimn.org/scary](https://gaimn.org/scary)

### TEEN NIGHT: MYSTERY ABEND

Saturday, October 30 | 4–8 PM | GAI Haus

Looking for a safe and spooky way to celebrate Halloween this year? Join us at the GAI for our Mystery Abend as we explore the Haus and solve a crime! The event is for teens between 12 and 17 years old with the theme of "Swingin' 20s" in Berlin. Character rolls and dialogue prompts will be distributed after registration and costumes are encouraged! The event will be in German and an intermediate/advanced language level is recommended. The registration fee is \$45 for the four-hour event. Mocktails, pizza, and other snacks will be provided.

NOTE: Proof of vaccination and masks will be required.

Register at [gaimn.org/mystery](https://gaimn.org/mystery)

## AROUND THE HAUS

### Haus & Grounds October work session

Haus & Grounds will hold our monthly work session on Saturday, October 9, beginning at 9 a.m. and ending around noon, followed by lunch and social hour. This month we will begin our fall garden work and getting ready for winter. We are always looking for new members to help. If you would like more information, please contact Jim Gruetzman at [jgruetzman@gaimn.org](mailto:jgruetzman@gaimn.org).



### Hier & There Podcast Returns!

The GAI is thrilled to start up Season 4 of the Hier & There podcast, hosted by Günther Jahn! We have some fun guests lined up for the season, including some all the way from Germany and others from our own backyard. Listen in as we explore German culture, grammar, and...whiskey? Check out Season 4, Episode 1, an interview with Nils Martin of the Goethe-Institut in Washington, DC, about the new Wanderbus project launched by the Goethe-Institut in 2021. Listen at [gaimn.org/podcast](https://gaimn.org/podcast).

We're hiring  
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### Language Teachers wanted

The GAI is seeking part-time (1 to 2 classes) German teachers for adult and Samstagsschule classes. Contact [language@gaimn.org](mailto:language@gaimn.org) for details.



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Check out the amazing gifts for sale from Boon Supply, and 40% of purchases made will benefit the Kinderstube German Immersion Preschool! This eco-conscious company aligns with the German value of being *umweltfreundlich* (environmentally friendly). Be sure to place your order for gifts or items for your household through the Boon Supply Kinderstube sale by October 29.

*Shop online at [boonsupply.com/1135427](http://boonsupply.com/1135427)*

**GAI Membership Special for October!**

Keep celebrating Oktoberfest this month with one of our favorite vendors from St. Paul Oktoberfest—RJ's Meats in Hudson, Wisconsin. GAI members will get \$5 off a purchase of \$25 or more. RJ's has a variety of specialty meats available including Weisswurst, Knackwurst, Mettwurst, Leberkase, Pork Schnitzel (seasonal), and Rouladen (seasonal). RJ's is open Monday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

*More information at [rjmeats.com](http://rjmeats.com)*

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