Opera on Tap auf der Wiese

Saturday, July 22 | 5:30–7:30 PM

Opera on Tap Twin Cities is delighted to return to the GAI lawn for another Opera on Tap auf der Wiese performance. This year the singers will perform arias in German, Italian and French, and also welcome special guests from Opera on the Lake. You’re in for a treat with this delicious sampling of opera in a lovely outdoor setting. Pair it with a coordinating wine flight, a crêpe, or a pretzel and beer for the ultimate experience.

Tickets $15 for members/$20 non-members
Food and drink for sale
Buy tickets at gaimn.org/opera

Opera on Tap Twin Cities is one of the 32 chapters of Opera on Tap located across the U.S. and Germany. This non-profit organization continues to break down stereotypes about opera and make it more accessible. Learn more at www.operaontap.org

Opera on the Lake is performing Die Csárdásfürstin (The Csardas Princess) on July 26, 28, 29 and August 1, 3, 4 at 7 p.m. at the Como Lakeside Pavilion, 1360 Lexington Parkway North, St. Paul. Learn more at www.operaonthelake.com

July Stammtisch

Tuesday, July 11 | 11:30–noon

Das Menü: Pork Geschnetzeltes (pork loin strips in Paprika sauce), Spätzle, peas and carrots, and dessert. Pick up your meal between 11:30 and noon. Please call the office at 651.222.7027 or e-mail office@gaimn.org to RSVP by 3 p.m. on Wednesday, July 5. Please let us know if you plan to eat lunch on the GAI patio. $14 for lunch and dessert
Applause to you, our friends and members

There are so many people to thank for making Deutsche Tage possible! Attendees, volunteers, personal sponsors, sustaining sponsors, vendors, and of course you, our friends and members. You are cause for celebration! Prost!

GAI Member Deals

German Specialty Imports
Did you miss something you liked at Deutsche Tage? Visit German Specialty Imports online and get 7% off your order with discount code GAI7 or come the store in Prior Lake and get 10% off your order with cash or check payment. Discount valid through August 31, 2023

Language classes
Members get discounts on 12-week classes year-round. Registration for Fall classes opens August 4. Learn more at gaimn.org/adult

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GAI GERMAN LANGUAGE PROGRAMS

Summer Short Courses
Boost your German grammar and conversation skills with our summer short courses for all levels. Classes begin the week of July 10.

GRAMMAR
A1 – Grammatik, eiskalt!
A2 – Grammatik statt hitzefrei!

CONVERSATION
A1 – Hier kommt der Sommer
A2 – Sommer, Sonne, Deutsch!
B1/B2 – Sommer, Spiel und Spaß
C1 – Kultur pur!
Register at gaimn.org/adults

Summer camps
Summer camps have begun but it’s not too late to register your child! Our half-day week long camps (with optional extended care) immerse campers in themes such as Monarch butterflies, building and engineering, fairy tales, and more. Camp are held in the Haus and the beautiful grounds of the GAI. German beginners to bilingual children are welcome.
Learn more at gaimn.org/camps

Fall Session
Fall registration opens August 4. Twelve-week sessions will be offered for levels A1 through C1, beginning the week of September 11.

Fall Samstagsschule for Kids and Teens
Kick-off event for registered students on September 16
Classes start on September 23, 2023
Samstagsschule classes incorporate singing, crafts, games, and physical motion along with lessons at an age-appropriate level. Registration opens late summer.

AROUND THE HAUS

July Haus & Grounds
The next Haus & Grounds Saturday work session is July 8. Work sessions begin at 9 a.m. and end at noon with lunch and beer! This month we will continue working on exterior repairs, painting and of course gardening. If you would like to volunteer or for more information on helping with gardening and maintenance, please contact Jim Gruetzman at jgruetzman@gaimn.org or call the GAI office at 651.222.7027.

Fall openings at Kinderstube Preschool
Minneapolis location
Families looking for quality preschool should look no further than the GAI’s German Immersion Preschool! The Kinderstube program focuses on experiential learning in a play-based, German immersion preschool setting modeled after a combination of the German Kita and the American licensed preschool program. Learn more at gaimn.org/kinderstube
UPCOMING EVENTS

Summer Kaffee und Kuchen
Saturdays, through July 29
9 AM–2 PM

Summer Kaffee und Kuchen is here! Stop by the Haus for coffee and a piece (or two) of home-made German cake or torte. This GAI Damenklub fundraiser is the best way to start your weekend. Come early for the best selection. Cake and coffee $6, piece of cake $4, cup of coffee $2.

Cash only, please

Grill- und Kinoabend
Friday, August 18 | 5–10:30 PM
Film begins at 9 PM

You’re invited to enjoy a freshly grilled bratwurst and some cold beer in our big back yard. When it gets dark, we’ll be screening a German film outdoors, so bring your lawn chairs and blankets.

Buy tickets at gaimn.org/grillabend

St. Paul Oktoberfest
Friday + Saturday, September 8 + 9

Mark your calendar for St. Paul Oktoberfest, the GAI’s version of the iconic festival held in Munich each year. Details to come—you won’t want to miss it!