

## BROOKLYN SCHUETZEN DAMEN SUMMER NEWSLETTER

Greetings all Schuetzen Damen!! Hope everyone is having a fun and safe summer and don't forget Schuetzenfest is just around the corner. Here is a summary of the events since our last newsletter.



### CARD PARTY

Well, we had another successful Card Party on April 27<sup>th</sup> with about 72 players in attendance.

Vice President Lisa Dwyer greeted guests and introduced President Jane Kornahrens. She wished everyone good luck and fun with their games. Brooklyn Schuetzen Corp Captain John Wellenreuter was introduced by his daughter, Lisa, to say a few words. He presented the Damen with a donation from the men and thanked us for our assistance with their events. Getrude Henke was glad to accept.

We then commenced with our raffles. Beautiful impatiens were given out as our door prizes. We were fortunate to have so many donations for our ticket raffles. Many guests went home with armfuls of gifts.

The lucky winners of our chance book raffle were:



- First Place \$100 cash- Inge Thoden
- Second Place \$75 cash- Virginia Scheller
- Third Place \$65 cash- Elizabeth Brand
- Fourth Place \$50 cash- Christa Lange
- Fifth Place \$50 cash- Anita Hinck
- Sixth Place Spring Basket- Annelore Balthasar
- Seven Place Tupperware- Barbara Meyn
- Eight Place Wreath- Hildegard Hennings
- Ninth Place Wreath- Rosemarie Butzke
- Tenth Place Bake ware- John Wellenreuther

Lisa and Jane would like to thank the members for their prize donations and their support during this event. Hope all had a good time and we look forward to seeing everyone again next April.

## **BLOWOUT PARTY**

On May 7<sup>th</sup> we had our annual Blowout Party. It was held in the Green Room at the Plattdeutsche Park Restaurant.

The Brooklyn Schuetzen Corp hosted the evening. We were all welcomed by Ed Nusser. Captain John Wellenreuther also said a few words and thanked everyone for coming.

We had a farmer's roast dinner and everyone seemed to enjoy it.

The overall results were:

First Place: Brooklyn Schuetzen Corp 2882 rings

Second Place: NY Schuetzen Corp 2845 rings

Third Place: Union Hill 2788 rings

In the women's category Vice President Lisa Dwyer took First Place with a score of 309, Second Place was won by Geraldine Gikas with a score of 279 and finally President Jane Kornahrens was in Third Place with a score of 277.

Everyone had a good time with good food and good music by Werner Goebel. We look forward to next year's competition.



## **SPRING TRAP SHOOT**

On May 14<sup>th</sup>, about 36 men and women gathered at the Brookhaven Range for our Spring Trap shoot. Many ladies helped out with the food. Among the lunch selections were two different homemade potato salads, macaroni salad, 7 layer salad and sauerkraut not to mention the homemade cakes and cookies. Thanks go out to Ursula, Helga, Jane, Lisa, Terry, Mary Jane, Edith and Anita. A good time was had by all!

## **VOLKFEST**

The PVV Volkfest was held July 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>. We lucked out with the weather and the range was busy.

All the Schuetzen looked impressive in their uniforms as we marched through the Park.



## GENERAL INFORMATION

At the March meeting the proposed revision of the By Laws were voted on. They were accepted by the members that attended. The finalized copy will be sent to all the members in the near future.

The Elstorf medal was send to Germany and the winner this year was Connie Schwab. Congratulations! The club will be purchasing several more pendants and they will be forwarded to Elstorf. They will be used for prizes for the next several years.

Our 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary will be in 2012. At the next several meetings we will be discussing the particulars of how we would like to celebrate.



Get Well wishes go out to Hans Pohlman in Florida. Hope your recovery is going well!!

## NEW MEMBER

At the June meeting, Kathy Sadowi became a full member. Please welcome her into the club.

## UP COMING DATES:

Meeting: August 21<sup>st</sup>

Schuetzen Halle Clean-up: August 25<sup>th</sup>

Schuetzen Halle Decorating: September 2<sup>nd</sup>

September Meeting: September 28<sup>th</sup>

Steuben Parade: September 17<sup>th</sup>

Ompahfest: September 18<sup>th</sup>

Fall Trap Shoot: October 8<sup>th</sup>

Wolff's Pistol Outing: Weekend starting Oct 14<sup>th</sup>

## MILESTONE BIRTHDAY'S

Happy 80<sup>th</sup> to Edith Walz- July 22<sup>nd</sup>



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