

Jan. 7, 1973

HONORABLE TO YARWOOD R. C. HALL, JR.

SFR, J.F. Stegall

Mr. Jon Roland Roehrich,

437 Maple Ave.

Edgewood Pgh. Pa. 15218

Dear Mr. Roehrich

Enjoyed our conversation & was pleased to receive your Dad's letter. We will be happy to have you and your family as members of the Swiss-American Society of Pgh. As stated in our conversation our dues are \$2.00 per family. Our group has no definite meeting place but we try to schedule 3 or 4 gatherings a year to keep us together.

Enclosed find an application for Membership which you may send ~~to~~ directly to Mrs. J. Lorenne Cappo, Membership Chrm. 600 Pennysville Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. 15229

looking forward to meeting you at one of our functions.

Sincerely

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## SWISS-AMERICAN SOCIETY OF PITTSBURGH

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DEADLINE: MAY 13, 1972 — \$7.50 per person.

### **The Committee**

**PLEASE RESERVE:**

Reservations @ \$7.50 per person

§ Enclosed Herewith

Name \_\_\_\_\_

### Address

Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Jan 13, 1973

MEMORANDUM TO VARIOUS MEMBERSHIP

STEPH. LI. 1973

Mr. Wm Brandt  
4013 Lyndell Ct  
Pgh 15234

Dear Mr. Brandt,

Sorry to have missed your phone call but have  
been informed by my husband you wish to become  
a member of the Swiss American Society of Pgh.  
Our group has no definite meeting place but  
we try to schedule 3 or 4 gatherings a year to keep  
us together. The only definite gathering at present is  
the Swiss Independence Day Picnic Aug. 5, 1973 at Rose  
Grove in North Park. Our dues are \$2 per family  
We plan a Board Meeting to make up a definite  
schedule for the year to inform all members of same  
Enclosed find information on the "Swiss Psalm"  
and an application which you may send directly  
to Mrs. Florence Cayre Membership chrm. 600  
Ferryville Ave Pgh Pa 15229.

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THE SWISS-AMERICAN SOCIETY OF PITTSBURGH

January 15, 1973

Dear Member:

The first Board Meeting of the Swiss-American Society of Pittsburgh for 1973 will be held Saturday evening, February 3, 1973, at 8:00 P.M. at the home of Gloria Sutter, 1935 Melvina St. Pittsburgh, Pa. 15212.

We hope to plan the agenda for the year. Please plan to attend.

Sincerely,

*Trudy Kuenze*  
Secretary

January 16, 1973

Mr. Charles F. Reichmuth  
United Swiss Clubs of the East Coast U.S.A.  
2900 Cathedral Avenue N.W.  
Washington D. C. 20008

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find our Complete Membership List for 1971 through 1972 including our new members for 1973. If you have any information on coming special group Flights please inform us.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Very truly yours,

Mrs. Ernest Kuensi, Secretary  
207 Churchill Road  
Turtle Creek, Pa. 15145

Enclosure

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The Committee

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Address \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

December 30, 1971

Mr. Charles F. Reichmuth  
United Swiss Clubs of the East Coast U.S.A.  
2900 Cathedral Avenue N.W.  
Washington D. C. 20008

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UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH  
PROTEIN RESEARCH LABORATORY  
PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA 15213

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23 January 1973

Mrs. Trudy Kuenzi  
Secretary  
Swiss-American Society of Pittsburgh  
207 Churchill Road  
Turtle Creek, Pennsylvania 15145

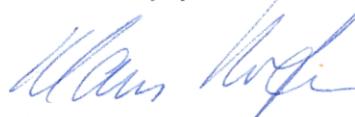
Dear Mrs. Kuenzi:

It was very thoughtful of you to send me the notice of January 16, inviting me to the Board Meeting of the Swiss-American Society to be held on February 3, 1973. Unfortunately, I shall not be able to attend because of an out-of-town commitment. Please convey my apologies to the other members of the Board and tell them of my sincere commitment to the welfare of the Swiss Colony in Pittsburgh. I am looking forward with pleasure to attending future Board Meetings and would much appreciate it if you could send me a copy of the minutes of the February 3 meeting, when they become available.

As I mentioned during our recent conversation, my appointment has not yet been confirmed by the U.S. Department of State, and until this confirmation has been obtained, I am acting in an unofficial capacity.

Thanking you for your courtesy and with my best personal regards to you and the members of your Board, I remain,

Sincerely yours,



Klaus Hofmann  
University Professor

KH:dma

P.S. Please note that my office is located in the Clubhouse of the Pittsburgh Athletic Association, 4215 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., 15213. My telephone number is 683-1620, ext. 306, 307 or 308. This is the number of my office in the Medical School.

February 3, 1973

President John Fankhauser called meeting to order at the home of Gloria Sutter.

Members present were John Fankhauser Jr., Trudy Kuenzi, Gloria Sutter, Florence Cappe, Hazel Vonarx, Kenneth Gloor and Charles Erb. Betty Montgomery, Auditor was also present to audit the books. She later gave her report that all was in order.

The Secretary gave all the Board Members present the 1973 Membership List. The minutes were read and approved.

Correspondence from Rene Nigg, Dr. Klaus Hofmann and the Marcel Akselrod Co. were read.

Membership Secretary collected dues and gave out Membership Cards. A notice will be sent to all members that dues are due along with the Program for 1973 by the Secretary.

A motion was made by Hazel Vonarx to pay all bills from the Christmas Dinner Meeting. The motion was seconded by Kenneth Gloor and carried.

A tentative Program for 1973 was discussed and set up as follows:

May 6th or 20th	Trip to Seven Springs
August 5th	Swiss Picnic - Rose Grove
September 20th	Fall Trip - Altoona Swiss Club
December 8th	Christmas Dinner Meeting Cranberry Hall

The next Board Meeting will be held Saturday, June 23, 1973. The place to be named later.

There being no further business Florence Cappe made the motion to adjourn the meeting, second by Charles Erb. The motion carried and the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Trudy Kuenzi, Secretary

SWISS-AMERICAN SOCIETY OF PITTSBURGH

February 6, 1973

Dear Member:

A new year has begun and we hope that it will be a successful one. We would like to bring the following to your attention: ARE YOUR DUES PAID? If not, they are past due. Please send your TWO (\$2.00) DOLLARS to Florence Cappe, 600 Perrysville Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. 15229, immediately.

The following events for 1973 are also planned by your Board:

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September 30th - Fall Trip - Altoona Swiss Club

December 8th - Christmas Dinner Meeting Cranberry Hall.

Please keep them in mind and plan to attend.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Sincerely,

*Trudy Kueuzy*  
Secretary

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DUES: \$2.00 \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

SWISS-AMERICAN SOCIETY OF PITTSBURGH

APRIL, 1973

TRIP TO SEVEN SPRINGS

Dear Member:

Our organization has planned a trip to Seven Springs in Champion, Pa. Sunday, May 20, 1973. Seven Springs is a mountain resort where you can enjoy hiking, a chair lift ride, swimming, etc.

We have chartered Greyhound Bus for this trip, leaving PENN & STANWIX STREET, across from Joseph Horne Co. at 9:00 A.M. You may also board the bus at the ARDMORE SHOPPING CENTER, ROUTE 30, FOREST HILLS, near the Ford Motor Co. at 9:20 A.M. The bus is scheduled to leave Seven Springs for return trip at 6:00 P.M. The fee is TEN (\$10.00) DOLLARS per person and includes transportation to and from Seven Springs and a Baked Stuffed Chicken Breast Luncheon.

Reservations must be paid by Saturday, MAY 12, 1973. If there are not sufficient reservations the trip must be cancelled.

We hope you can join us.

Also a note of interest to all former gymnasts and those interested in Swiss Gymnastics. The Swiss Gymnastic Society of Cleveland, Ohio will play host to the 28th Nat'l Gymnastic Competition of the Swiss American Gymnastic Association on JUNE 29, 30 and JULY 1, 1973 at the Swiss Hall in Cleveland, Ohio at 2710 Walton Avenue. We have been extended a cordial invitation to attend this important event. If you wish to have your name listed in the Souvenir Program as a Booster for One (\$1.00) Dollar contact Trudy Kuenzi - 823-1867.

Best Wishes from René Nigg From Switzerland to all Members of our group. He is residing in Geneva, Switzerland.

Hoping for a good trip to Seven Springs. BEST WISHES,

*Trudy Kuenzi*  
Secretary

PLEASE RESERVE: \_\_\_\_\_

AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE CHECK:

BOARDING DOWNTOWN: \_\_\_\_\_

9:00 A.M.

Please make check payable to the Swiss-American Society of Pittsburgh and send reservations to:

TRUDY KUENZI  
207 Churchill Rd.  
Turtle Creek, Pa. 15145  
823-1867

FOREST HILLS: \_\_\_\_\_

9:20 A.M.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NO: \_\_\_\_\_



CONSULATE OF SWITZERLAND  
PITTSBURGH

PITTSBURGH, Pa. 15219  
928 Frick Building  
Telephone: (412) 281-0587

4215 Fifth Avenue  
Pittsburgh, Pa. 15213

Ref.: 9 May 1973

Mrs. Trudy Kuenzi  
Secretary, Swiss American  
Society of Pittsburgh  
207 Churchill Road  
Turtle Creek, Pa. 15145

Dear Mrs. Kuenzi:

As you may know, a special medal is being struck in Switzerland in connection with the Celebration of the Founding of the Republic on August 1, 1291. The proceeds from the sale of these medals are used for a good cause.

The Consulate General in New York has asked me how many medals (at a cost of \$.50 each) we would need for our compatriots in this city. I do not know how this problem has been handled in the past by René Nigg and wonder whether you might be good enough to find out for me how many of our members might be interested in purchasing one of these medals. I will then inform the people in New York accordingly, and send the medals to you for distribution and collection of the money.

Looking forward to your reply, I remain with my best personal regards,

Sincerely yours,

  
Klaus Hofmann  
Acting Consul

KH:dma

SWISS-AMERICAN SOCIETY OF PITTSBURGH

May 16, 1973

Dr. Klaus Hofmann  
Acting Consul  
4215 Fifth Avenue  
Pittsburgh, Pa. 15213

Dear Dr. Hofmann:

In answer to your letter of May 9, 1973 in regards to the sale of the special medal for August 1st, our Treasurer orders them for us. She has received her letter and is ordering 100 medals for our Picnic. We have always taken care of it this way.

Thank you for your interest.

Sincerely,

Secretary

May 25, 1973

Mr. Jack Schubert  
1212 Farragut Street  
Pittsburgh, Pa. 15236

Dear Mr. Schubert:

I received your letter of May 24th regarding information of the Swiss-American Society of Pittsburgh. Our dues are \$2.00 per family per year. We have no definite meeting place but try to schedule 2-4 gatherings a year to keep us together. Our next event is the Swiss Alpine Weekend Picnic at Rose Grove, North Park, August 5, 1973. A bus trip to Altoona Swiss Club is planned Sept. 10th and our Annual Christmas Dinner Meeting at Ormskirk. It is will be Dec. 8th. Enclosed find information on the "Swiss Salut" for membership application which you may send directly to Mrs. Florence Gage, Membership Chairman, 600 Bryn Mawr Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. 15227.

Hope to hear from you.

Sincerely,

Secretary

SWISS-AMERICAN SOCIETY OF PITTSBURGH

November 8, 1972

B A L L O T

The following Ballot was submitted by the Nominating Committee. If for any reason this Ballot does not meet with your approval, please write in your choice and PLEASE VOTE. The ballot should be sent to Walter Hoer, 2424 Greensburg Pike, Pittsburgh, Pa. 15221.

PRESIDENT JOHN FANKHAUSER JR. \_\_\_\_\_

VICE PRESIDENT ROBERT LEUENBERGER \_\_\_\_\_

SECRETARY TRUDY KUENZI \_\_\_\_\_

TREASURER GLORIA SUTTER \_\_\_\_\_

MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY FLORENCE CAPPE \_\_\_\_\_

AUDITORS RUTH KREBS \_\_\_\_\_

(Vote For Two) BETTY MONTGOMERY \_\_\_\_\_

BOARD OF DIRECTORS CHARLES ERB \_\_\_\_\_

2 Year Term \_\_\_\_\_

(Vote For Two) KENNETH GLOOR \_\_\_\_\_

Arthur Rudolf and Hazel Vonarx will remain on the Board of Directors for one (1) year.

The Nominating Committee

NOTE: Your invitation to our Reception and Annual Christmas Dinner, December 9, 1972 will come under separate cover. Keep this date open.

Trudy Kuenzi  
Secretary

JACK SCHUBERT

1212 FARRAGUT STREET

PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA 15206

PHONE 661-0478 AREA CODE 412

May 20, 1973

Mrs. Trudy Kuenzi  
207 Churchill Rd  
Turtle Creek, Pa. 15145

Dear Mrs. Kuenzi:

I am interested in information regarding the Swiss-American Club of Pittsburgh. I assume this would include membership information as well.

Sincerely,

*Jack Schubert*

6/7/73

Swiss Ameria

Dear Member

There will be a Board Meeting  
on Friday June 22, 1973 at 8:00  
PM at the home of Trudy Kueuzi  
207 Churchill Rd.

Note the change from Sat to Fri.  
The picnic ~~will be discussed~~  
is on the agenda.  
Please plan to attend

Sincerely

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June 22, 1973

The Board Meeting of the Swiss-American Society of Pittsburgh was called to order by President John Fankhauser Jr. at the home of Trudy Kuenzi.

The minutes were read and approved. Board Members present were John Fankhauser Jr., Robt. Leuenberger, Trudy Kuenzi, Florence Cappe, Hazel Vonarx and Charles Erb. We also had the presence of our Acting Consul Dr. Klaus Hofmann.

The correspondence was read as follows: Thank you notes from Mrs. Aumann and Orbach Family, The Nat'l Swiss Turn Verein Letter from Cleveland Swiss Turners where we sent an Eight (\$8.00) Dollar Ad for their Souvenir Book and an inquiry for application to our Society by Jack Schubert.

Florence Cappe reported on Membership and Jack Schubert was accepted as a new member unanimously. She also mentioned that Dr. Klaus Hofmann donated a check for Ten (\$10.00) Dollars to the treasury.

It was announced that the Treasurer received the badges for the Swiss Picnic. Dr. Hofmann was asked to plan an address at our Swiss Picnic and he accepted. He will also bring the Swiss Flag. He reported that Ambassador Auberet returned to Switzerland and is replaced by Mr. Werner Sigg, Consul General in New York.

Robt. Leuenberger reported a license is needed for Beer at picnic and he will check into it. There will be door prizes, dance music by George Burkhardt & Co. games and soft drinks will be served. It will be a Basket Picnic at Rose Grove, North Park, Sunday, August 5, 1973 at 2:00 P.M. Trudy Kuenzi will be in charge of games and asked to use money for prizes for the children's games. It was agreed 50¢ First Prize and 25¢ Second Prize when needed.

September 30th we plan a trip to the Altoona Swiss Club leaving at 9:00 A.M. From Pittsburgh and having dinner at noon and leave for

Pittsburgh around 7:00 P.M.

The annual Christmas Dinner Meeting is December 8th at Cranberry Hall and Hazel Vonarx will get the Pantamine Program for the evening.

There being no further business a motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Charles Erb and Seconded by Hazel Vonarx.

Respectfully submitted,

*Rudy Kuenze*

Secretary

SWISS-AMERICAN SOCIETY OF PITTSBURGH

October 2, 1973

Dear Member:

There will be a Board Meeting of the Swiss-American Society of Pittsburgh, Friday, October 12, 1973, at 3:00 P.M. at the home of John Fankhauser, Jr. 239 Churchill Road.

A Nominating Committee will be chosen and final plans for the Annual Christmas Dinner Meeting on December 8th will be made.

Please plan to attend.

Very truly yours,

*Walter K. Wagner*

Secretary

October 12, 1973

The Board meeting of the Swiss American Society of Pittsburgh was called to order by President John Fankhauser Jr. at his home.

Members present were John Fankhauser Jr., Robert Lenenberger, Trudy Kuenzi, Florence Cappé, Gloria Sutter and Arthur Rudolf.

The minutes were read & approved. The Correspondence from Kent State University & form filled out by the secretary to be mailed for an Ethnic Group Encyclopedia was passed to all Board members present. The form will be mailed by the Secretary.

The Treasurer reported 304.82 in the checking account, 2507.46 in the savings account making a total balance of \$2812.28. The Membership Secretary turned in dues for Mr. & Mrs. Schmid. The Secretary turned over \$322.00 from Reservations to Altoona.

The Nominating Committee was chosen as Mr. Muntwyler, Mr. Frank Fischer, Mr. Paul Debrunner & Mrs. Ernest Kuenzi. The President will contact them to serve. Three of the members will be chosen.

The Christmas Dinner Meeting was discussed & Mrs. Florence Cappé is in charge of reservations & will contact Cranberry Hall for the price of a prime rib of beef dinner. There will be a cocktail hour & some

door prizes. Entertainment by a Pantamine Group will take place. Hazel Vonark is in charge.

There being no further business Florence Cuppe adjourned the meeting, seconded by Robert Leuenberger. Motion passed.

Respectfully submitted,  
Trudy Kuensjø  
Secretary

SWISS-AMERICAN SOCIETY OF PITTSBURGH

FALL FOLIAGE TRIP

Dear Member:

The Swiss-American Society of Pittsburgh has planned a Fall Foliage Trip to Altoona Swiss Club on Sunday, OCTOBER 21, 1973. Note the change in the date.

We have chartered the Lincoln Coach which will leave Pittsburgh at 9:00 A.M. at PENN & STANWIX by JOSEPH HORNE CO. and also at the MIRACLE MILE SHOPPING CENTER at the DAVID WEISS STORE in MONROEVILLE at 9:20 A.M. The cost for the round trip to Altoona and including the dinner at the Altoona Swiss Club is only SEVEN (\$7.00) DOLLARS. Sandwiches will be available before departure at 6:00 P.M. Reservations must be made by SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1973 and reservations will be accepted on a first come first serve basis.

Come and enjoy the FALL FOLIAGE and HOSPITALITY of the Altoona Swiss Group. Looking forward to seeing you.

THE COMMITTEE

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PLEASE RESERVE \_\_\_\_\_

AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Mark 'X' for Departure : DOWNTOWN PITTSBURGH \_\_\_\_\_

MONROEVILLE, PA. \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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Make checks payable to the Swiss-American Society of Pittsburgh and send your reservations to TRUDY KUENZI

207 Churchill Road  
Turtle Creek, Pa. 15145  
823-1867

SWISS-AMERICAN SOCIETY OF PITTSBURGH

Dear Member:

Again we approach the Holiday Season and the Committee announces for its members:

THE ANNUAL HOLIDAY DINNER PARTY

at Cranberry Hall

Route 19  
Warrendale, Pennsylvania

SATURDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 8, 1973

Cocktails 6:30 P.M. Dinner 7:00 P.M.

MENU: Prime Rib of Beef with all the trimmings and wine served with meal.

Annual Meeting and Election of Officers: 8:30 P.M.

Door Prizes Entertainment: Pantomime Artist

PRICE: \$8.00 Per Person

Send Reservations to Mrs. Florence Cappe  
600 Perrysville Avenue  
Pittsburgh, Pa. 15229 Phone No. 931-0143

before Saturday, December 1, 1973.

Make checks payable to the Swiss-American Society of Pittsburgh.  
Ballots will be sent at a later mailing.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

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THE COMMITTEE

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PLEASE RESERVE:

\_\_\_\_\_ Dinner Reservations

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Enclosed herewith

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Ph. No. \_\_\_\_\_



December 8, 1973

The Annual Christmas Dinner Meeting of the Swiss-American Society of Pittsburgh was held Saturday Evening, December 8, 1973, at Cranberry Hall. After Cocktails and a delicious dinner a short business meeting was held by President John Fankhauser Jr.

The minutes were dispensed with at this time.

Florence Cappe gave a membership report.

The Treasurer reported \$2566.29 in the Savings Account  
283.22 in the Checking Account  
\$2849.51 Total in the Treasury to date

Elizabeth Montgomery Auditor reported that she and Ruth Krebs, Auditor found the books as of November 30, 1973 correct and true to the best of their knowledge.

Fred Jossi, Chairman of the Nominating Committee and his committee Walter Heer and Ernest Kuenzi reported the following newly elected officers for 1974: Robert Leuenberger, President, Hans Letuman, Vice President, Trudy Kuenzi, Secretary, Gloria Sutter, Treasurer, Florence Cappe, Membership Secretary, Betty Montgomery and Ruth Krebs, Auditors, Robert Lienhard and Walter Krummich Board of Directors for 2 years. Charles Erb and Ken Gloor remain as members of the Board of Directors for one year.

Elizabeth Jordi, a Swiss Exchange Student from North Allegheny High School, was a guest and spoke a few words.

Dr. Klaus Hoffman announced our new Counselor for America in New York is Werner Zigg. He wishes to meet with us in the near future.

A drawing was held for our bottle of wine for the first reservation. Five pulled for it and Mr. Paul Debrunner was the winner. A star ornament went to the losers.

The Past President turned over the meeting to newly elected President Robert Leuenberger who spoke briefly.

The original program was cancelled and Koni Ostertag and Son with Heidi Schoeneweiss played and sang for us.



Dec 29, 1973

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Jones

I have been informed by A. N. Gosnell that you are interested in joining the Swiss-American Society of Pittsburgh. Our group has no definite meeting place but we try to schedule 3 or 4 gatherings a year to keep us together. Our dues are \$2.00 per year per family.

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Sincerely

Rudy Krenzler

Approved: *Rudy Krenzler*  
Prepared:

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Thank you for your co-operation.

Sincerely,

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Swiss American Society of Pittsburgh  
207 Churchill Road  
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March 8, 1973

Dear Members,

The Swiss Gymnastic Society of Cleveland, Ohio, will play host to the 23th National Gymnastic Competition of the Swiss American Gymnastic Association on June 29, 30, and July 1, 1973 and a cordial invitation is herewith extended to all of your members to attend this important event.

In view of the fact that such competitions are connected with considerable expenses to the host society, we are bringing out a Souvenir Book to commemorate this occasion. This book will contain such important items as the official program, the histories of the Association and our Society, as well as other important data and will be a memorable souvenir to all, contestants and visitors alike.

May we appeal to your generosity to help us along with taking an ad in this book or favor us with some boosters, or both. We are therefore enclosing herewith an advertising contract, which gives you the size of the book and the advertising rates. The closing dates for ads in this book are June 14, and 15, 1973. The boosters are \$1.00 per person and if 25 or more names are submitted, a special heading will be made.

Hoping that we may have the pleasure of counting you as one of the advertisers and/or boosters, we remain, with our thanks in advance.

Sincerely yours,

The Committee

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The Bundnerfleisch is available in cryovac wrapped pieces, each one weighing from 5 to 7 pounds. It has occurred to us that perhaps as a service to your members, you would like to make this delicacy available to them.

As you may be aware, here in New York, when one can find it, Bundnerfleisch sells for \$8.50 per pound. In order to satisfy as many people as possible, we are prepared to offer it to you for \$7.25 per pound, postage prepaid, in pieces as described above.

We would be most interested in your views on this subject.

Most sincerely,

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