



# Deutsches Haus

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## OCTOBER 2015 NEWSLETTER

### Upcoming Events

All Events Open to the Public  
☞ Unless Otherwise Indicated ☞

For more info on events, check our website:

<http://deutscheshaus.org/events>

You can purchase event tickets online by going to:

[www.deutscheshaus.eventbrite.com](http://www.deutscheshaus.eventbrite.com)

You can get information about upcoming events and last minute changes by accessing the message system via the Haus phone.

You can call the Haus after hours and press \*3 to hear the latest about upcoming events.

### Haus Happenings



#### Edward S. Bopp

November 28, 1930 – September 16, 2015  
He will be missed!

#### Congratulations

In August 2015 the Meritorious Service Medal (MSM) was awarded to MAJ Gary Thiel, USAR, for exceptionally meritorious service.

Thanks Gary for your service to your country and to Deutsches Haus.

Wednesday, September 30 | 7:00pm



#### Orientation



Presented by  
Deutsches Haus

October 9-10; 16-17; 23-24



The easiest way to volunteer is to do it online.

Click [here](#) to go to volunteer form.

If you do not have an internet connection and want to volunteer for Oktoberfest, you can call Annette at 504-220-4187 (9am to 5pm) and she will take your information and submit a form on your behalf.

#### "Anstich" - Opening Ceremony

We will open Oktoberfest at 6:00pm with our opening ceremony, culminated with the keg tapping as is done in Munich – we will proclaim *O'zapft is!* (*It's tapped!*).



Oktoberfest 5k Run

Saturday, October 10th @ 5pm

Brought to you by The New Orleans Track Club

FOURTH ANNUAL DACHSHUND DASH



ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24<sup>TH</sup>  
YOUR DOG CAN ENJOY OKTOBERFEST!

Wednesday, October 14 | 7:30pm  
**NORDWAND/Northface (2008)**



Based on a true story, North Face is a suspenseful adventure film about a competition to climb the most dangerous rock face in the Alps. Set in 1936, as Nazi propaganda urges the nation's Alpinists to conquer the unclimbed north face of the Swiss massif - the Eiger - two reluctant German climbers begin their daring ascent.

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**DAS KABINETT DES DR. CALIGARI**  
*The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari*  
(1920/2014) -Restored-

At a carnival in Germany, Francis (Friedrich Feher) and his friend Alan (Rudolf Lettinger) encounter the crazed Dr. Caligari (Werner Krauss). The men see Caligari showing off his somnambulist, Cesare (Conrad Veidt), a hypnotized man who the doctor claims can see into the future. Shockingly, Cesare then predicts Alan's death, and by morning his chilling prophecy has come true -- making Cesare the prime suspect. However, is Cesare guilty, or is the doctor controlling him?



Check out the following piece that ran in the New York Times:

[Whatever Happened to German America?](#)



Returns in November  
See flyer for info about Kulturabend

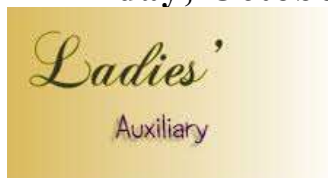
## 👉 Group Gatherings 👈

**Thursday, October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 | 8:00pm**  
Schlaraffia® Nova Orleans 293



Wir  
Sprechen  
Deutsch

**Friday, October 2 | 7:00pm**



**Saturday, October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 | 10:30am**



Team of the German Language presents:  
Group Instruction in Deutsches Haus.  
Private Instruction- by agreement.

Roland Hoffmann: [rolando1938@gmail.com](mailto:rolando1938@gmail.com)

Alicia Weber: [aloringweber@gmail.com](mailto:aloringweber@gmail.com)

**Sunday, October 4, 11, 18, 25 | 4:00pm**



The New Orleans Kinderchor, the New Orleans German-American Children's Chorus, is a music program celebrating German culture in the vibrant city of New Orleans, with a home at the Deutsches Haus. We meet every Sunday afternoon from 4 to 5 PM and offer a chance to learn traditional seasonal and holiday German children's songs, including translation, meaning, history, pronunciation, animation and singing along with friends. Each season offers a new selection of music, with three seasonal blocks from No-

vember through mid-December (Winter), mid-February through mid-May (Spring) and August-October (Fall), including seasonal performances. Membership is open to all ages and there is no fee to join and no need to have previous experience in singing or German - just bring your curiosity and spirit and contribute your unique voice to our chorus.

**Monday, October 5, 19**  
Damenchor 7:00pm | Sangerchor 8:00pm



Singers Practice and Meeting

**Wednesday, October 7 | 7:00pm**



Monthly Meeting

**Thursday, October 15 | 6:30pm**  
New Orleans Living History of the American Military (NOLHAM) Troupe  
This group is dedicated to honoring our veterans through living history activities.

Anyone is welcome to join us.

**Saturday, October 17 | 9:00am**  
2015 BEER APPRECIATION CLASS  
BJCP Study Aid, and All Round Good Time. Instructed by Carol Rice of the Crescent City Homebrewers, BJCP Recognized Beer Judge. Please join the fun! Please pass this on to friends who may be interested. The class is not just for brewers. The class is not just for beer drinkers. Friends and significant others are welcome.

### Beer School



To register or for more information contact Carol Rice at 504-737-4309 or [dogearbrewing@hotmail.com](mailto:dogearbrewing@hotmail.com)



# DEUTSCHES HAUS KULTURABEND OR BEER, BRATS AND BACH

Presented at Deutsches Haus

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Several years ago, Rev. Dr. Walter Baer together with Ms. Rose Mancini (Music) and Ms. Brigitta Malm (Presentations) initiated an evening at the Deutsches Haus dedicated to the rich German culture and music as well as German-American immigrant and local history. We have had the pleasure to listen to the music of Bon Operatit, the New Orleans Civic Symphony and the Faubourg Quartet to name a few.

We are blessed with a diverse group of historians – amateur and professional, professors, engineers, German Consuls and guest speakers who love to visit New Orleans. Here are a few of the speakers we have had over the last few years: Rev. Dr. Walter Baer, Dr. Guenter Bischof, Dr. Charlotte Lang Brancaforte, Dr. Elio Brancaforte, Jan Garbers, Mary Lou Eichhorn, Dr. Daniel Hammer, Dr. Harald Leder, Brigitta Malm, and Dr. Steven Rowan.

We have covered an astounding variety of topics: New Orleans Houses of Worship founded by German-speakers – Protestant, Catholic, and Jewish; Vienna Summit of 1961: Kennedy and Khrushchev – Prelude to the Berlin Wall; In the Trenches of Flanders – The Correspondence of a young Bavarian Officer with his mother 1917-1918; German Perceptions of the Middle East in the 1600s; The Federal German Agency for Technical Relief and their help after Hurricane Katrina. The controversial Baron Ludwig von Reitzenstein and New Orleans; The German Societies and the Founding of the Deutsches Haus during the WWI period; Dr. Hanno Deiler: The ‘German Creole’ and the Deutsche Gesellschaft; Otto von Bismarck’s Social Policy in the late 19<sup>th</sup> century; The Turner Societies of New Orleans; The Germans of Louisiana 1721-1900; WWI and the Consequences we still live with; A German Cotton Merchant in the Battle of New Orleans.

Although Dr. Walter Baer has recently moved to Vienna/Austria, all of you who have enjoyed the Kulturabend will be happy to know that the program will continue and the new season will begin on November 10, 2015 with a Harp Concert, to be followed on November 12 by the Author-in-Residence at Center Austria, Mr. Josef Winkler, who will speak and read from his works IN GERMAN from 7 to 8PM. Look for the November Newsletter for details.