



David Frère



Please let me introduce myself. I am David Frère and running to serve on the Board of the Deutsches Haus.

I have been attending Oktoberfest since it was held on Galvez St; became a member in 2010; Stockholder in 2017; then a Life Member in 2019.

I'm proud to be of $\frac{3}{4}$ German heritage mainly from Bavaria and the Alsace-Lorraine region. My German family traces its roots in New Orleans back to 1839.

I am a retired High School history teacher from East Jefferson High School. In addition to my teaching duties, I served as a Class Sponsor, Hospitality Chair, Union Rep, and served on two book adoption committees for Jefferson Parish Schools. I also previously served 9 years as parish council president of my church.

I have been the Coke-Meister, working the Coke (Soda) booth as the booth captain at Oktoberfest since 2017 when we held our first fest on the bayou. I have also volunteered at various other events over the years as well. I enjoy working with the Dekoration Komitee, assisting on various projects such as the Glühwein Haus, mural on the stage, and the new main hall chairs, Christmas decorations, warehouse clean-up,

My goal is to help foster the German culture in New Orleans and assist the Haus in becoming the beacon for German heritage in the region. We have a wonderful organization with many happy volunteers who work well together. I am amazed how well people work together with a sense of dedication to our organization and cause. I would like to ask you to please vote for me so together we can continue our dedication to our culture and growth.

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J. David Frère

