



**September 19<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, & 21<sup>st</sup>**

**Three days of absolute FUN!!**

**Do you want to participate in the FUN??**

**How about Volunteering at Das Kolping Haus booth!!!!**

**Call Trey Seibel, 513-616-4265**

You will have a good time with old friends and new friends as we PLAY in our booth.

Call Trey now to reserve your spot!

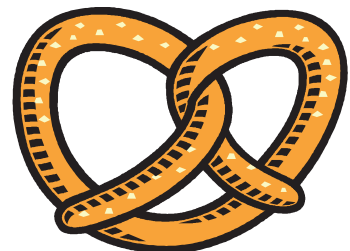
The Downtown Oktoberfest is another Fundraiser which has help pay Kolping's operating expenses each year.

So why not call and volunteer before we call you.

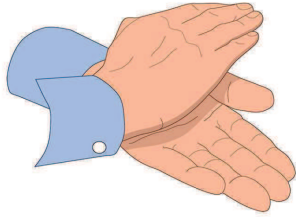


**Thank you in advance**

**For your help!**



# Appreciation Party



To all our Volunteers over the year  
Friday August 22, 2014

5:30 pm Ray Kunze's famous Whisky Sours  
And Manhattans

Beer provided by: The Soccer Club



Dinner 6:30 pm

**\*\*Reservations are required\*\***  
So reserve your spot by August 15<sup>th</sup>.  
Call John or Linda Knizner, 513-563-8928

**Chairpersons – John & Linda Knizner**

PLEASE call your workers and get your count to John &  
Linda as soon as possible

If you have made reservations and can't come, please call &  
cancel your reservations

**BÜRGERLIGA NEWS**

Thanks to the efforts of Dr. Don Heinrich Tolzmann, President of the German-American Citizens League, Martin Wilhelmy, Honorary Consul of the Federal Republic of Germany and Chris Seelbach, City of Cincinnati Council Member, the wording on the Germania Insurance building at 12<sup>th</sup> And Walnut Street was uncovered. Anti- German hysteria when the United States entered World War I against Germany in 1917 the inscription: "DEUTSCHE GEGENSEITIGE VERSICHERUNGS GESELLSCHAFT VON CINCINNATI" was covered up. Translated it reads: "German Mutual Insurance of Cincinnati". This beautiful building in the Italianate style was owned by Heinrich A. Ratterman born in Ankum, Germany in 1832. Mr. Rattermann was so successful that he took early retirement and wrote many books on history until his death in 1923. Another event took place on Saturday, July 26 when a historic marker was placed under the Pershing Street sign in Covington, Kentucky. This street was originally Bremen Street but the name was changed in 1917. Efforts are currently under way to mark a street in Newport, Kentucky which was "anglicized" during World War I.

Manfred Schnetzer

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*Notice*

Upon the death of a MEMBER, please call the President of the Kolping Society or one of the Bereavement Committee members. In order that the membership can be aware that a **MEMBER** has died, the family of the decedent should be willing to place in the Death Notice that the decedent is a Member of the Kolping and at what time Kolping members should assemble for prayers. (This should be mutually agreed upon by the family and the Kolping representatives). The Board of Trustees agreed that this notice should present members of the Bereavement Committee are: Christa Olding, Marilee Uhlhorn, Lois Kemper or Berni Brunsmann

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*The Kolping Sangerchor is always*

*Interested in new members. If you are*

*Interested in singing with us, please*

*Talk to one of our singers about*

*applying for membership.*

*Make Music a*

*Part of Your Life*



*Join the Choir!*

**KOLPING PHONE NUMBERS**

President – Walter Amrein, 513-367-1511

V. President – Richard Ellensohn, 513-742-5895

Membership – Nancy Ellensohn, 513-742-5895

Sick Comm. – Christa Olding, 513-385-1476

**Sub Group Presidents:**

Brewing Klub – Mike Seibel, 513-256-8213

Sangerchor – Jim Slouffman, 513-871-8447

Schutzen Club – Aaron Callahan, 513-406-3188

Seniors – Christa Olding, 513-385-1476

Sports Club – Rick Hill, 513-858-1174

Young Families – Paul Ahrnsen, 513-542-8554

House & Grounds – Werner Wilke, 513-521-5019

**Kolping Center**

Clubhouse Rentals – 513-851-7951 then press 1

Business Office – 513-851-7951 then press 1

Clubhouse – 513-851-7951 then press 5

Hall, 513-851-1951 then press 4

Happy Birthday to all our members  
celebrating in August

August Birthday Query		
Date of Birth	Last Name	First Name
8/1	Schlinkert	Ray
8/2	Gilioli	Marc
8/2	Ramirez	Joe
8/3	Stehlin	Robert E.
8/3	Rasp	Pat
8/3	Flick	Matt
8/4	Clabbers	Ronald
8/4	Amrein	Walter
8/6	Schertzer	Clint
8/6	Kleemeier	Debbie
8/6	Geiser	Edward Jr.
8/6	Kohorst	Susan
8/7	Sterwerf	William J.
8/7	Gerbus	Alan
8/9	Meinking	Henry
8/9	Sander	Ray C.
8/9	Ellensohn	Richard
8/9	Moeller	Paul
8/10	Wessels	Bernie
8/10	Cliffe	Allen
8/10	Schlake	Steven
8/11	Bruewer	August
8/11	Vosseberg	Erna
8/11	Schulten	Anneliese
8/11	Hermeling	Helga
8/11	Pelzel	Michael
	Bova	Rich
8/11	Dobler	Christian
8/11	Schmidt	Mark
8/11	Seibel	Mackenzie
8/12	Pieper	Tom
8/12	Arents	John
8/13	Schmalz	Richard
8/15	Beeler	Stanley
8/15	Drees	Albert
8/15	Lang	Dennis

August Birthday Query		
Date of Birth	Last Name	First Name
8/15	Gieringer	Sally
8/15	Kraeling	Andrew
8/16	Ahlrichs	Pat
8/16	Kuntz	Richard
8/18	Geers	Bernie
8/19	Freese	Joe
8/19	Uhlhorn	Mary Catherine
8/20	Hays	Dennis
8/20	Drees	Philip
8/21	Nissen	Carl
8/22	Schottelkotte	Richard
8/23	Lager	Ludwig
8/24	Klosterman	Geraldine
8/24	Fehrenbach	Greg
8/25	Abt	Rose
8/25	Hargis	Jerry
8/26	Schrand	Helene
8/26	Seibel	Alberta
8/26	Middendorf	David
8/27	Moore	Michael
8/27	Fehring	Mark
8/28	Dinnesen	Peter
8/29	Reinhart	James
8/29	Giese	Klaus
8/30	Ahrnsen	Matthew
8/31	Ruthman	Audrey
8/31	Lampe	Reinhold

*Kolping Seniors*

*Meeting*

*Tuesday, September 9, 2014*

*11:30 a.m*

*Come join us and meet old friends and make new friends. Our goal is to enjoy ourselves, eat a good lunch and for many to play cards.*

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**Kolping History**

Last month we received lots of great pieces of Kolping history from Alberta Seibel, Father Bruno, Mary Ann Rathman, the Wenker Family, Angela & Rudy Pohlabein, Janet & Heinz Kuhl, Regina & Ben Albers, Bob Curley, Doris & Werner Wilke, Mike & Trey Seibel, Teri & Kevin Luther, Jerry Rosenacker, Ted Wilke, Henry Arents, Ferd Kappen, Gerry Kreutzjans, Marilee & Gunther Uhlhorn, Cathy & Hans Weissmann, Helene Schrand, Gunther Stark, Erna Vosseberg, Thelma Sieverding, Otger Kappen, Betty Poole and Gus and Cathy Elsen. Gus Elsen's father, also Gus Elsen, was king in 1938 and 1940. Thanks to all these people for adding to the ever widening Kolping picture. Thanks also to long time member, Mary Mollmann Kramer, for her efforts in contacting the children and grandchildren of members from years past. Mary has been around Kolping since she was a child in the 1940s and knows just about everybody. Thanks to Ted Tegenkamp for taking on the job of translating 123 pages of handwritten minutes from 1930-1936. These records provide a firsthand insight into Society activities beginning three weeks after the house on Republic Street was opened on August 3, 1930.

Also located are the first three years of minutes of the meetings of the **Ladies Auxiliary** from 1930 – 1933. Anyone interested in translating these?

Is there anybody from the **Pigeon Club** interested in writing some memories of the group? If you were a member of this group, do you have any pictures to share?

We have a folder full of photographs from long ago and have been passing this folder around to long time members to see if they can identify some of the many faces. If you've been a member for a long time and would like to try your hand at identifying some of the faces, we will gladly bring the folder to you. Just give us a call.

**Please think about writing your memories of your association with the Kolping Society.** The following questions are part of a form that we can e-mail to you or you can pick up a copy in the clubhouse, or we'll send you a copy in the mail. They are also available on the Kolping web site. Of course, you can also just write your thoughts on any paper and mail the paper to us. This kind of thing will make the book so much more personal and after all, what is Kolping but people! Try out some of these questions. **When did you join Kolping and why? How many generations of your family have been involved in Kolping? Their names? What are your earliest memories of Kolping? What are some of your favorite memories of Kolping? Did you belong to any sub-groups? If so, tell something about your involvement. What activities were you involved in? Any particular stories to tell regarding these activities? What offices or positions of leadership did you hold at Kolping? Which years? What did you enjoy most about Kolping? And the most important question - How has being a member of the Kolping Society changed your life and/or made it better?**

**Service awards, both local and national** – If you have received either of these awards, a photo of the occasion would be a welcome addition to the history.

Does anyone know a child or grandchild of former kings Tony Brueggemann, Frank Rohe, Gus Kaiser, Joe Welage, Herman Kreimer, Joe Nieman, George Witte, Harry Schwabe and Alvin Roetepohl? Maybe some pictures or other items from their reigns have been saved by family members.

Thanks, everyone, for all your help on this project.

Mike & Nancy Pelzel  
6205 Twinwillow Lane  
Cincinnati, Ohio 45247  
513-385-3120  
pelzefest@aol.com



***From the President's Desk,***

I want to thank everyone who worked or contributed to the success of the Schuetzenfest. It takes many minds, sore backs, and hours of lost sleep to make an event like this the success that it has become. It was great to see so many second, third and fourth generation Kolping members lending their efforts. They are the future of Kolping. I don't want to down play those efforts that the seasoned veterans play in making it a success. It took a group effort. I can't say enough about our Tuesday worker. They aren't as fast as they used to be, but they are steady and faithful. Consider becoming a Tuesday workers. They would be glad to see you.

The Appreciation Party is Friday, August 22, 2014. Festivities start at 530 PM. Please make your reservations early, so that the crew can prepare enough food. Anyone that has worked in any way for the benefit of the success of Kolping during the last twelve months is welcome.

The election of five (5) new Board members and the National Representative will be in November, with the Nominations closing at the October meeting. Consider volunteering your time, it is a two year term. The bylaws describe the Board as a cross section of the membership, with representation from all ages and sub-groups.

The next BIG fund raiser is the Downtown Oktoberfest on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, September 19, 20, and 21. Trey Siebel is the Chairman. When Trey asks you to give of your time during those days, respond with a YES.

Treu Kolping

Walt Amrein

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**2014 Kolping Lenten Project Final Report**

We would like to thank everyone for their support through prayers and monetary donations. Some of the donations were made directly to Old St. Mary's, others donated through Kolping. Total donations were \$2000.00.

**2014 KOLPING DONORS LIST**

**Amrein, Walter & Elizabeth  
Decker, Dorothy  
Eisen, Rudy & Margret  
Hoerstmann, Ferd & Lorraine  
Lunnemann, William & Phyllis**

**Kolping Seniors \$200.00  
Kolping Sports, Club \$500.00  
Kreutzjans, Gerry  
Kunze, Ray & Lois  
Meyer, Vince & Bev  
Mueller, Herman & Helen  
Ostendorf, George & Clara  
Pieper, Thomas & Lorraine  
Schnieder, Jim  
Schrand, Helene  
Schulte, Eric & Mary Etta  
Seibel, Alberta**

Your participation is greatly appreciated.

*Walt Amrein*

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***Sick & Shut In's***

<i>Agnes Overmeyer</i>	<i>Liz Kramer</i>
<i>Sis &amp; Gene Meister</i>	<i>Ray Shively</i>
<i>Fed Segbers</i>	<i>Charlie Linta</i>
<i>Gunther Uhlhorn</i>	<i>Dick Kuntz</i>
<i>Frances Deddens</i>	<i>Angela Hermes</i>
<i>Celeste Hermes</i>	<i>R. Ellensohn</i>
<i>Gerhard Overmeyer</i>	

*Keep these folks in your prayers, send a card or make a phone call or visit them.*

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**Deaths**  
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Our Sympathy to Marilee Uhlhorn whose brother  
Jay Jansen passed away this month

We extend our sympathy to Rick Vanden Eynden  
who mother Anna passed away on July 20<sup>th</sup>

May their souls and all the souls of the faithful  
departed rest in peace.

### Schützenfest 2014

I want to once again send a big "Thank You" to one and all for the wonderful help and support of Schützenfest 2014! We had great success this year on multiple fronts and am happy to report we established a new record for Kolping. Moreover, we received a great deal of positive energies and feedback from a wide range of new and old festival-goers. It was also great to see so many familiar faces we haven't seen in a while.

I truly feel we have set the wheels in motion for even greater success with all our changes and new ideas, as well as our advertising and marketing efforts. We want to keep things going and hope to have everyone's help and support as we try and improve things in 2015!

As we continue with future Schützenfests and other activities, we want to tap more and more into younger members and their families to help Kolping be a meaningful part of our lives and the German community. We have something very special and unique to offer.

Thank you again for everything!

Sincerely,

- Jim Stukenborg

**Schützenfest Yard Signs**

Since we will re-use this year's Yard Signs for future Schützenfests, please either store them at your home or bring them back to the Kolping Klubhaus. We will distribute stickers next year to cover up the 2014 Dates (July 18 – 19 – 20) with 2015 Dates (July 17 – 18 – 19).

**IMPORTANT:** please be sure and also save or return the associated Wires.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Winter Stube Nacht – MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Due to the success and popularity of this year's inaugural Stube Nacht, we are planning a second annual one sometime in late January or possibly early February. We will let you know more once a date is finalized. Please mark your calendars and be on the lookout for additional details.

We hope to see you there, as it will be fun for the entire family!

### Hawaii

A group of Kolping members are planning a trip to Hawaii in October 2015. We will be flying to L.A. and then cruising to Hawaii where we will visit many islands. If you are interested please call:

Doris Wilke, 513-521-5019

## National Convention – Chicago

Aug 29 – Sept. 1, 2014

- 9:00 Bus leaves from Kolping Center
- A.M. Rest stops and Lunch stop made enroute
- 3:00 Approximate arrival at Embassy Suites
- P.M. Hotel (Chicago Time)
- 6:00 Hospitality Greeting Party till 9:00 p.m.

You will receive a schedule of events when you register at the hotel.

**Join the Kolping Seniors**

at

**Belterra Park – Tuesday,**  
**September 16<sup>th</sup> 2014**

9:15 a.m. Leave the Kolping Center,  
10235 Mill Rd., Cin., O.  
45231

10:00 a.m. Arrive at Belterra Park

3:30 p.m. Leave Belterra Park

4:15 p.m. Approximate arrival back to  
the Kolping Center

**Cost: \$25.00 per person**

You will receive \$10.00 in Bonus Rewards and a  
\$5.00 food Voucher valid towards:

Market Buffet or Stadium Sports Bar & Grill, or  
NOSH OR Burger Brothers

Send your check for \$25.00 with your Name,  
Address with State & Zip, & Date of

Birth, If you have email please include your Email  
address.

To Doris Wilke, 5180 Deeridge Lane, Cin., Ohio  
45247

for more info call: Doris, 513-521-5019

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**Congratulations to**  
**our new King &**  
**Queen**  
**Joe & Cherise**  
**Hammons**

**Best wishes for a wonderful**  
**reign**

**KOLPING GOLF LEAGUE**

All Kolping members (male or female) and their  
friends are invited to join the Kolping golfers at  
Beech Creek Golf Course on Thursday mornings at  
9;30 a.m. We play 9-hole "scramble" golf from the  
forward tees. There are no handicaps and no  
teams. Scramble foursomes are decided randomly  
each week. Green fees including an electric cart  
are \$12.50. No advance reservations are required.  
Beech Creek GC is located on Hudepohl Lane off  
Hamilton Ave. Questions???

Tom Musbach 513-793-1148

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**.The Hamilton HausVerein**

**(Liberty Home)**

is holding their annual Oktoberfest celebration on  
Labor Day Weekend, Aug. 29, 30, & 31 at their  
property near Hamilton (Rt. 128) Klaus Giese  
president of Liberty Home and a Kolping member,  
has volunteered and worked at the Kolping  
Schützenfest with a cadre of his members. He has  
helped us out and now we have a chance to help  
him and his Verein. We are trying to put together a  
group of volunteers to staff a booth at the  
Hausverein Oktoberfest. He mentioned perhaps, a  
beer booth that also grills and sells brats and  
metts. A tasty combination consistent with our  
epicurean dictates. If any of you are available that  
weekend and would like to donate some time and  
help out another German Klub, please call me at  
513-793-1148 or email: tommusbach@aol.com

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**Schützenfest 2014**

**Mega Split the Pot Winner**



Jeff Speed  
 Total Pot \$10,056  
 Split that Jeff Won \$5,023.00



**Next Shooting Date:** Friday September 19, 2014

**Place:** Kolping Clubhouse

**Practice:** 7:00 Competition: 8:00

**Targets:** NEED A TEAM

**Bar:** NEED A TEAM

**Food:** NEED A TEAM

**Tickets:** NEED A TEAM

If you are able to do food, targets, bar, or sell tickets for September shooting night

please call me, Aaron Callahan, at 513-406-

3188 or email:

[irishone1971@yahoo.com](mailto:irishone1971@yahoo.com).

It's the start of another shooting season and there are a few things to remember:

- Bring your Kolping Membership Cards –
- There will be a safety meeting prior to shooting
- Prior to shooting Team Captains are responsible for:

- Team dues of \$200 to be turned in - individual dues will not be accepted
- Team roster - these will be done via computer by the Schützen Club Secretary Ben Callahan
- Team insurance waiver forms
- Signing your team up for work dates - everyone needs to participate

New teams and individuals are always welcome

Check out the Kolping web site.

Shooters can now view information, scores and pictures anytime you like. Enter

[www.kolpingcincinnati.com](http://www.kolpingcincinnati.com) >click Groups>Schützen club>scores link>scores.

Please review your scores via the cap sheets and recorded scores for accuracy each month.

Team Captains – We will have a team captains meeting on September 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7pm in the Club House at Kolping. I know this is out of the ordinary as we usually meet the 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of August but there was a conflict. I hope all team captains can make it to the meeting.

Aaron Callahan, President - Phone: 513-404-3188



**KOLPING**  
SOCIETY OF CINCINNATI

Wants You



At



September 19<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, & 21st  
In “Das Kolping Haus” Booth  
Volunteer before we call YOU! 😊  
Call Trey Seibel Quick!

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