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March Events

12 Buchclub: *Heimsuchung* by Jenny Erpenbeck, 1:30pm
15 KA Contact, 8pm
18 Friday Film Fest: *Das geheime Leben der Bäume*, 6:30pm
19 Wandern at the Willows, 11am
19 Library Treasure Tour: "Wonderful and Weird: The Fairy Tales Found in the Horner Memorial Library," 2pm
20 "Wister & More" presents Trio Montage, piano, 3pm
22 KA EXTRA: Germany’s New Government and the Stability of Democracy, 7pm

For more information about our events please visit our website or email info@germansociety.org.

Netzwerk Philadelphia

Fifteen members of the the social group Netzwerk Philadelphia held their weekly German-speaking "Stammtisch" in our Ratskeller recently - enjoying German beer and Unterhaltung and receiving a tour of the historic building from VP of Operations Tony Michels. At the end of the evening, folks had a good time and the Society gained five new members. Welcome to all of them!

STAND WITH UKRAINE

It is impossible to present our upcoming programs without acknowledging the invasion of Ukraine and the moral and humanitarian crisis that it has unleashed. On behalf of the German Society of Pennsylvania, I want to express our solidarity with the Ukrainian people in their fight for peace, freedom, and democracy.

I realize that some of you may wish to take concrete action to help the victims of this war. The United Ukrainian American Relief Committee is collecting money and supplies to provide humanitarian assistance in Ukraine. You can find out more here.

For those interested in following how the war impacts Germany, the American Council on Germany provides frequent on-line conversations with journalists and politicians covering Germany. On March 22, our own Konversationsabend will feature Martin Kaiser speaking on Germany’s new government, and will no doubt have relevant observations.

- Mark McGuigan, President
Art Around Town

Explore the influence of Pennsylvania German culture on contemporary art at three nearby exhibitions.

Complementary exhibitions, Polly Apfelbaum: For the Love of Una Hale and Out of the Heart: The Life and Art of David Ellinger, will be on display at Arcadia University until April 17.

https://www.arcadia.edu/arcadia-exhibitions

Absent yet Present: A Painterly Dialogue with the Pennsylvania German Collection, an exhibition of paintings by Carrie Mae Smith can be seen at the Philip and Muriel Berman Museum of Art at Ursinus College until May.


Music Notes

On Saturday, April 9, 2022 the Philadelphia Classical Guitar Society will present a concert with Ana Vidovic (right), the foremost interpreter and player of Johann Sebastian Bach on the classical guitar. The concert will take place at 7:30 pm at the Philadelphia Episcopal Cathedral, 3717 Chestnut St. Philadelphia.

Tickets must be purchased online prior to the event at the following link.