**October Events**

8  Buchclub: *Der Untertan* by Heinrich Mann, 1:30

9  Refugee Girl: A Memoir Reading, 2:30pm

15  Wandern at the Willows, 11am

20  Dr. Friederike Baer book talk, *Hessians: German Soldiers in the American Revolutionary War*, 6:30pm

21  Friday Film Fest: *Die Akte General*, 6:30pm

30  "Wister & More" presents the Wister Quartet, 3pm

For more information about our events please visit our [website](#) or email info@germansociety.org.

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**New York’s German-Language Press in Times of Peace and War**

**Free Virtual Lecture**
October 13, 6pm CT

This presentation examines New York City’s thriving German-language press on the eve of World War I by looking at three representative newspapers: the bourgeois New Yorker Staats-Zeitung, the socialist New Yorker Volkszeitung, and the William Randolph Hearst-owned, yellow press-inspired New Yorker Deutsches Journal. We will explore the three newspapers’ respective backgrounds, layouts, and appeal; place them within the larger context of the New York daily press (with the Yiddish-language Forverts as well as the English-language yellow press serving as points of reference and comparison); and evaluate the three newspapers’ fates during and after World War I.

Email Antje Petty to receive a Zoom link: apetty@wisc.edu.
Click [here for more information](#)
Use promo code "GSP" at checkout to receive a 10% discount to the Armory Oktoberfest

**Purchase Tickets Here**

Want to keep the Oktoberfest party going?! Come to Brauhaus Schmitz’ 4th annual 23rd St. Armory Oktoberfest with 3 sessions to choose from. The fortress-like structure located at 22 South 23rd Street in West Center City will mimic an authentic Munich festival tent.

Traditional Oktoberfest food will be provided by Brauhaus Schmitz and beer will be provided by the world famous Hofbräuhaus München - Das Original. This 2 Day Festival will give guests the opportunity to celebrate at 1 of 3 separate 4-hour sessions each accommodating up to 1400 people. Tickets will be available in General Admission, VIP and Uber VIP options with the most authentic German dancing, food, entertainment, beer and more! There truly is nothing currently like this in the entire region or state and expects to attract folks from Philly, SE PA, Baltimore, DC, NYC and beyond.

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**GSP Recommends**

**Pathways in Pennsylvania German Studies**
Keep an eye out for the latest season of GSP member Dr. Alexander Ames’ podcast "Cloister Talk: The Pennsylvania German Material Podcast." Dr. Ames’ podcast explores the world of manuscript production, popular piety, and spiritual culture in early German Pennsylvania and beyond. While you wait for the latest season to come out this winter, you can catch up on the previous three seasons [here](#).

**Singing Like Germans: Black Musicians in the Land of Bach, Beethoven and Brahms**
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**Armory Oktoberfest**

Philadelphia’s Most Authentic Oktoberfest
**IS BACK!**

October 7th & 8th 2022

Friday 6:00-11:30 & Saturday 1-5:30-11:30

The fortress-like structure located at 22 South 23rd St. will mimic an authentic Munich festival tent. The 16,000 square foot space will be decked out with Bavarian blue & white ceilings and authentic festival tables & benches imported from Germany. Featuring traditional German food, beer and a lofted stage area for live Oompah music and dancing, we hope to see you there PROST!

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**VIP $70**
- Reserved seating
- Table Service
- 2 liters of beer
- Restroom
- Private bathrooms
- Voucher for 50% off next visit

**GA $25**
- First 500Passes

**Uber VIP $85**
- "Group of 4 or 8"
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