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6. Dezember 09, 13 Uhr:
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March 28, 2009, Rathaus Bern
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Vreni Tobler Ducommun

Swiss-Canadian Club Guelph

We welcome you and your friends to the following events:

Fall Hike: Sunday, September 27th at 2:00 pm

Location: Bloomingdale, contact club for details

Cheese Fondue: Date to be announced (October)

Location: German Canadian Club, 115 Fleming Rd, Guelph, Ont.

Mini Golfing: Date to be announced (November)

Location: Gopher's Glow in the Dark Mini Golf, 415 Woodlawn
Rd. W., Guelph, ON

Christmas Party: Date to be announced (December)

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06.09.09: Raclette à Bellefeuille
14.11.09: Choucroute à Ste-
Brigide D'Iberville

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In Memoriam

Le 23 avril dernier, de très nombreux amis et connaissances ont dû se résigner à prendre congé de Jacques Thévenoz, vaincu par un mal surnois qu'il a combattu avec une force et un courage remarquables. Président fondateur d'Europack, une compagnie de transports et de déménagements internationaux, Jacques Thévenoz était également le Président de la Chambre de commerce canado suisse de Montréal.

La salle du complexe funéraire Mont-Royal était bien trop petite pour accueillir toutes les personnes qui avaient tenu à lui rendre un dernier hommage et qui ont eu le privilège d'entendre plusieurs témoignages poignants, notamment de ses filles Chloé, Jessica et Valérie, et d'Olivier Schlegel qui a trouvé les mots justes pour nous parler de la vie de son grand ami Jacques.

Nous avons perdu en Jacques Thévenoz non seulement un membre charismatique et influent de notre communauté, mais aussi un ami, généreux et dévoué, un grand sportif qui respirait la joie de vivre et qui se passionnait pour tout ce qu'il entreprenait.

Nous sommes en pensées émues avec son épouse Madeleine, ses filles et ses proches.

Claude Duvoisin, Consul général, Montréal

Montreal Matterborn Swiss Club

After almost 60 years, we are pleased that we are still welcoming new members.

Throughout the year, we have several events that are very well attended: a winter fun weekend at Mont-Tremblant and a spring outing at Auberge Val Carroll in Harrington, QC.

At the AGM, we said farewell to retiring president Herbert Stoll and member-at-large Peter Frei, and welcomed new committee members Annelise Oppliger (vice-president) and Christian Walz (member-at-large). Walter Spirig took over the presidency after being vice-president for a couple of years.

Our next event will be our annual summer barbeque and picnic, to be held in mid August on at the home of Ruedi and Raymonde Pfister on Ile Cadieux.

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For more information: Bruno (514) 481 2928 or Hans (514) 932 9707

Or check our website: www.jrudi.com/helvetiaseniors



Montreal Swiss Women's Club Edelweiss

07.11.09: Fall bazaar, 375 Louise-Lamy in Dorval.

Our meetings are held at 7:30 p.m. on the 2nd Tuesday of every month (excl. July & Aug.) at the above-mentioned address. Any woman of Swiss descent, or married to a Swiss may become a member.

Guests and new members are welcome.

Joanne Spirig, President, 514-694-3718

Club suisse des Cantons de l'Est

07.11.09: Joute de cartes,
20h à Farnham

05.12.09: St-Nicolas,
13h à Farnham

Information: Marlis Hüsler,
Présidente, 450 293-4507

Swiss Jass Club Montreal

The winner of the season and playoff Championship is Roland Tschanz.

The General Assembly was held on June 12, 2009. The executive was elected as follows:
Pres.-Treasurer: Ted Jetzer, 450 647-6490 / Vice-President: Felix Maeder, 514 683-7938 / Secretary: Barbara Gasser, 450 687-5256 / Assessor: Georg Christe, 514 364-4958

Our new season, 2009-10, will start on **September 25, 2009** at the "Haus der Heimat", 375 Louise-Lamy, Dorval..

Schwingklub Zentralquebec

06.09.09: Herbstschwinget
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Swiss Club of Toronto

After a somewhat short 2-1/2 years as Consul General in our fair city of Toronto, Bruno Ryff is following the call of duty and at the end of August will be moving to Los Angeles to take on this important posting. During his stay in Toronto, the Swiss Club enjoyed tremendous support from Bruno, and his wife Michèle was the ever so gracious hostess.

Thanks for everything that you have done for the Swiss community. We wish you, Bruno and Michèle, and children Geneviève and Francis, all the best.

At our last AGM in February this year, Heidi Gallo's term as Membership Chairperson came to an end without an immediate candidate in sight to take over this important post. I am happy to announce that we found a replacement for her. Monika Rüber has offered her services and is now our new acting Membership Chairperson. Thanks Heidi for many years of faithful service, and thanks Monika for stepping up to the challenge.

Dominik Ebnetter, who had taken the initiative to re-invigorate the Young Swiss Section, has returned to Switzerland. Thanks Dominik for all your efforts to bring this Section back to life. Before leaving he made sure that this section could continue under new leadership. Following in his footsteps are Isabel Müller and Valerie Ost. Together they will continue to ensure that "things are happening" in this vibrant section. Isabel will be the official contact. Thanks to both of you for giving your time to our community.

For further information, please go to our website www.swissclubtoronto.ca or consult our Tell Tale newsletter.

René Wälti, President

Manitoba Swiss Club

We are conducting a survey to find out what you think about the Manitoba Swiss Club. We would especially like to hear from people who live in Manitoba and are currently not a member of the Club. We hope that the survey will provide valuable information about what both members and non-members think about the Club and its activities.

Just type the URL provided below into your browser and start answering the questions. The survey is completely anonymous and we will not be able to collect any personal information, such your e-mail, unless you specifically provide us with that information. If you would like to receive a paper or electronic copy of the survey, please contact Verena Menec (204-474-5117). http://www.surveymonkey.com/s.aspx?sm=1EWnPnrJlznEkjXCeVFNVQ_3d_3d

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Social Convener: Daniela Cook

2009 marks the the 30th anniversary of our club! The Swiss Club Saskatoon remains the only Swiss club in the large province of Saskatchewan. It was a bold move to start it in the first place because the population of Swiss on the flat landscape of the prairies has always been very thin indeed. Many predicted the club would peter out once the flow of direct immigration from Switzerland came to a near halt during the 1980ies. Today it seems like a miracle that at the moment, when the dwindling should have taken hold, the second generation of those direct immigrants is stepping in to join the club, complete with spouses and small children. We are impressed by the young people's interest and the enthusiasm of their Canadian wives/husbands as well as their ability to convers in Swiss German. This all bodes very well for the future of a club so far from any mountains!

Please remember, our Annual General Meeting will take place **October 18** at Smiley's in Saskatoon. Happy anniversary year!

Louise Grassmann

Swiss Rifle Club Toronto

The Swiss Rifle Club Toronto (SRCT) was inaugurated in 1985 to provide Swiss expatriates the opportunity to practice this popular Swiss sport and tradition.

Here is an outline of our yearly activities: Obligatorisch and Feldschiessen; Einzelwettschiessen; Vancouver Match; Bundesfeier Match; Endschiessen. There are several more shooting dates this year which all start at 9am on Amiens: Aug 15 and 29, Sept 12.

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Edmonton Swiss Rifle Club

Event September 5-6: Annual
Schuetzenfest: Fullbore Rifle 1,
Smallbore Indoor Range, BBQ,
Clubhouse

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Vancouver Swiss Canadian Mountain Range Association

On the May long weekend, the Eidgenoessische Feldschiessen and the Feldschloessli - Stich took place, great turnout and please check our web page for the results. Another busy day was June 7. with the Bruno Huber shoot. The National Day celebration, Aug.1. is approaching fast.

We are a very progressive Club with lots of activities, being target shooting, playing Horseshoe, go for a walk around our beautiful property, play cards or simply sit together and socialize, whatever you enjoy to do, so why don't you come out on one of the scheduled shooting days, Lunch is always available for a reasonable price.

Summer & fall Program 2009:

August 22. September 13. and 27. regular shooting days
October 10. + 11. Schutzenfest
October 25 300m Saushoot - Crossbow End shoot
November 15 Jass Tournament
December 5 Santa Claus Party

Workpartys will be on Aug. 22. Sept. 19. and Nov. 7.
Hope you all will have a great summer and please check out our website: www.scmra.ca

Marlies Baumann

Edmonton Swiss Society

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Events:
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Bonnie Doon Mall around
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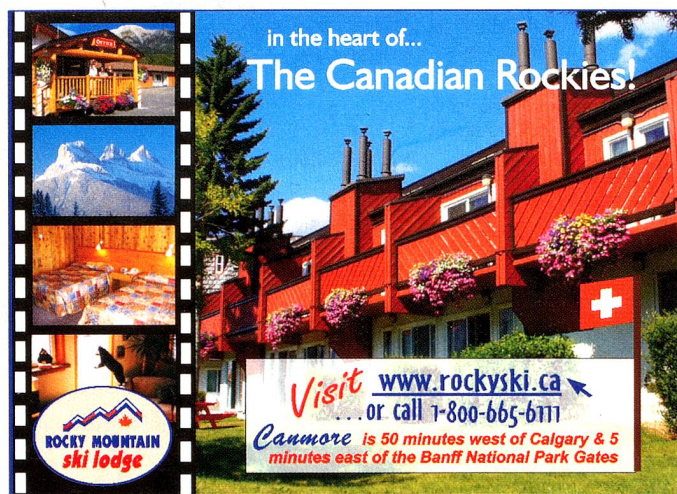
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November 21, 2009: Fondue
Night at the Richie Hall

December 6, 2009: Samich-
laus at the Richie Hall

Daniela Hildebrand



Calgary Swiss Club Matterhorn

The Swiss Club Matterhorn is the umbrella organization for the various affiliated Swiss Clubs in Calgary.

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