



# People to People Sheboygan

Summer Newsletter 2024

## Chapter Picnic August 15

6:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Join us for our chapter picnic at the Howards Grove Village Hall on August 15. This event is free but reservations are necessary so Dale and Mitzi Stoltzman will know how much pulled pork they need to prepare. The date is Thursday, August 15, from 6 - 9 p.m. and will be held at the air-conditioned Howards Grove Village Hall. (Enter at the back) Please call Dale or Mitzi at 920-287-1405 or email them at mitzdal@hotmail.com to tell them how many people in your family will attend. This is always a fun event, and we are grateful that Dale and Mitzi continue their willingness to prepare the main course for this picnic.

If your last name begins with A – K, please bring a salad to share. If your last name begins with L-Z, please bring a dessert.



2023 picnic. Will you be in the 2024 photo?

## Coming Events

Aug 15	<b>PTP picnic in Howards Grove</b>
Sept 12	Dinner meeting at Elks Club
Oct 10	Dinner meeting at Elks Club
Dec 12	Christmas party at Elks Club

## Pauline Hejl Honored

In our last email, we mentioned that Pauline Hejl has retired from the exchange committee in Esslingen after many years of service. This photo shows that Claudius and Carola Hammerman-Schilling, Jutta Fahrion, and Beth Hejl gave her flowers at their final meeting.



## PTP Dinners Return to Elks Club

Steve Dick has arranged for us to return to the Elks Club for our 2024-25 dinners. Be sure to mark the dates shown under Coming Events on your calendars right now so that you can attend our 3 dinners from September – December.

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# Hancock Family Reunion

*Submitted by Kris Hancock*

Kris and Curt Hancock's sons Paul (1993) and Ken (1988) participated in the Sheboygan-Esslingen High School Exchange program. They both were German majors in college—Ken at UW-Madison and Paul at UW-Milwaukee. Ken returned to Europe in 1996, where he became a German/English teacher in Gyula, Hungary. He had fallen in love with Hungary, after visiting there with his Germany Exchange family who had fled from Hungary to Germany in 1956. Ken married Hungarian Marta Balogh in 2000. They moved to Budapest in 2001 where their son Huba was born. Ken moved from his teaching job to become a writer. He currently is editor of the Budapest Financial Times English language department. Huba is a junior at Budapest Technical University. He spent a high school semester in Milwaukee (2017) living with his Uncle Paul, Aunt Christine and cousin Georgia.

All family members came together for a reunion in May in Budapest. Although their German host families were unable to join them, the families still stay in regular contact.



# Current Exchange



Markey Kohn has attended school in Esslingen these last couple of months and will return to South High in August. He is the

only high school student who applied for our exchange program in 2024.

# Summer Exchange (SSE)

Thom and Stacie Nicla are the chaperones for our 4 students who arrived in Esslingen on July 17 and will return with their exchange partners plus 3 one-way students on August 6. The Sheboygan students will tell all about their experiences at the PTP dinner on September 12.



# Brat Fry Results

Thank you to everyone who helped out at our PTP Brat Fry at Miesfeld's on June 14. The current profit is about \$1877 including donations and brats sold. Alejandro Stauber had great fun dressing up like a bratwurst for the day (or was it a hot dog?). He and Steve Dick attracted a lot of interest.

