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A Class Act-Sherry Pawelko

In case you haven't heard – it is with mixed feelings the Lincoln Chapter congratulates Executive Director of the American Historical Society of Germans from Russia Sherry Pawelko on her recent retirement.

Sherry began her career overseeing the international museum, library, and archives in March of 2014. A Lincoln Chapter member, from her position Sherry has been a constant supporter of our local group. The Lincoln Chapter and Sherry have work closely hand-in-hand on several projects over the years.

Sherry continues to be a member and is active in the local Lincoln Chapter. While we wish Sherry and her husband, Dean, all the best that retirement can offer, she most certainly will be missed.

Thanks for everything Sherry!



Sherry Giving Out an Award

Show and Tell - GR Style

Remember when you were in grade school and the teacher would have a "show and tell" day when you could bring something from home to tell the class about? Well, we're doing the same thing.

Everyone is welcome to the annual fall general meeting this Sunday, September 15th. This year's fall event will be held at 1:00 p.m. at 631 "D" Street..

Similar to an *Antiques Roadshow* type of event, we encourage everyone to bring an artifact or two from the past to display and tell the stories behind them. Some items will have come from the "old country," while others just have an interesting story to tell.

So bring your artifacts and your stories to share with an interested group willing to hear.



Russian Abacus

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If there is anything you would like to see in future issues please contact Jay or Corinne at 402-327-8962. We welcome comments and suggestions.

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A Full Summer

Submitted by Becky Schenaman

This has been a very busy past few weeks starting with the International Convention being held at the Embassy Suites here in Lincoln. The turnout was amazing. Our German people were excited to be here in Lincoln. They attended the events daily and nightly.

I volunteered along with my sister Donna Day. We sold raffle tickets to the beautiful white quilt that our local Lincoln Chapter quilters made. The tickets sold very well and the lady who won it was thrilled.

We also helped Nancy Borrell make grebbel at Immanuel Church. We had a sold out group in attendance for that session. Many people had never eaten them before and really enjoyed them. I also spoke at two sessions on growing up "Rooshin." I think it was well received.

I enjoyed the polka music, meeting old friends, and making new ones. If you missed the convention be sure to think about attending the next one when it comes back to Lincoln. It is really interesting.

Today I decided to go down to my house in the North Bottoms and catch up on house work. But like that old country song by Willie Nelson, the last thing I needed the first thing this morning was to walk into and find a soaking wet carpeted floor. The water came from a leaking water heater.

I was finally able to get a plumber who will install a new heater tomorrow. He has a big job as my house was built on a horse barn in 1895, so it is not going to be an easy job. My front room has become the storage spot for many collectibles and clothes for a few days. Needless to say, I left home exhausted today.

It is amazing how many things we possess. I am a person who loves old things. I have never seen an old treasure I did not need or love. I love everything from religious items to crocks and old kitchen bowls. It's just neat old stuff.

I will be glad to have a little down time soon. I like to go but this leak is enough right now. I hope your summer is going better than mine. This little

Rooshin just wants to sleep in and enjoy some cool fall weather.

Mocks Goot. From the North Bottoms.

Herzlichen Glukwunsch Zum Geburstagl "Happy Birthday"



SEPTEMBER

Nancy Borrell
Jack Chapin
Donna Day
Barb Hellerich
Renae Jacox
Ronald Piening
Judy Runion
Gerald Steinacher

OCTOBER

R. Scott Bridegam Frieda Dobler Jane Harrison Paul Loos

"Our People in Memory"

Patricia Ruth Loos

Your Help is Needed

If you are aware of the passing of someone who is a German from Russia, please give Judy Lawson, Lincoln Chapter Corresponding Secretary, a call at: 402-420-9580.

Frohlich Juhrestag "Happy Anniversary"



SEPTEMBER

Ampone and Kevin Hergenrader Marcia & Ronald Piening Margaret and Lawrence Rohn

OCTOBER

Renae and Austen Jacox

50th International Convention Gallery July 22-27, 2019 Lincoln, Nebraska

Thank you to our many wonderful volunteers who helped make the 50th convention a success. It couldn't have been done without you. They include:

Ed Barthule, Nancy Borrell, Katherine Bowen, Sharon Buckner, Pam Buser, Norma Christiansen, Donna Day, Geri Debus, Sheri Ertl, Kathleen Flanders, Mary Frost, Marcia Gates, Dustin Gau, Sandy Gettman, Tim Hart, Gene Hunt, LaDonna Hunt, Corinne Jacox, Jay Jacox, Karen Johnson, Connie Kane, Donna Kissler, Alexis Kizmick, Dorothy Klein, Carolyn Kuether, Judy Lawson, Adam Loos, Paul Loos, Gwen Mayer, Frank McLean, Gayla Nielsen, Dean Pawelko, Harold Penner, Mary Rabenberg, Rick Rekert, Molly Rimerman, Mary Ann Rodgers, Judy Runion, Becky Shenaman, Mary K. Schenk, Deb Schwab, Jan Siebert, Jerry Siebert, June Sinner, Alton Sissell, Eleanor Sissell, Laura Spaar, Susan Stoehr, Bob Wagner, Marilyn Wagner, Don Weber, Leonard Welch, Jean Williams, Elizabeth Wilson, Kay Wood, Pam Wurst, Christine Zahn, Dennis Zitterkoph.

LINCOLN WELCOMES American Historical Society of Germans from Russia

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Registration



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Vendors and Raffles



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Educational Sessions



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Food Demonstrations



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Behind The Scenes

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2019 Calendar of Upcoming Events

SEPTEMBER 15th General Membership Meeting 631 "D" Street 1:00 p.m. Sunday Monday 631 "D" Street 16th **Board Meeting** 7:00 p.m. Tuesday 17th Coffee Club Stauffer's, 48th & Hwy 2 9:00 a.m. **OCTOBER** 631 "D" Street Monday 21st Board Meeting 7:00 p.m. Tuesday 22nd Coffee Club Stauffer's, 48th & Hwy 2 9:00 a.m. **NOVEMBER** Monday **Board Meeting** 18th 631 "D" Street 7:00 p.m. Tuesday Coffee Club 19th 9:00 a.m. Stauffer's, 48th & Hwy 2 **DECEMBER** Sunday Christmas Open House 631 "D" Street 1:00-4:00 p.m. Tuesday 17th Coffee Club Stauffer's, 48th & Hwy 2 9:00 a.m.

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AHSGR Lincoln Chapter activities of 2019:



Winter Meeting



Spring Meeting



Soup Supper



Summer Meeting

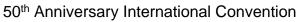
Our Golden Jubilee













Fall Meeting



Christmas Open House