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The American Historical Society of Germans From Russia
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Notes from Ruth

by Ruth White, President

Your Chapter Board approved a Broda dinner. The date is November 7 which is a Thursday at 6:00 p.m. Location is Christ United Methodist Church, 45th and A Streets. The dinner will be catered. Please purchase your tickets early. We will have a cut-off date of November 1. The cost is \$9 for adults and \$4.50 for children under 12. You may secure a table for your family but you will need to purchase eight tickets. Larry Schenkel and his committee will be in charge of the tickets and monies.

The September potluck, bingo, folklore meeting was not well attended. The people who were in attendance enjoyed good food and fellowship. Norma Somerheiser explained the Folklore project. We would like to publish a booklet, like the one in 2000, but concentrate on churches and remembrances. Please send pictures, poems, remembrances, etc. to Norma. This could be a booklet of remembrances that may be difficult to complete in the future. If we had done something like the 2000 booklet and now this one during the 1980s or 1990s we would have tapped the memories of so many more people. Please do what you can to make this a project we can be proud to display.

The consensus of the group was to spend the time with remembrances and not play bingo. Perhaps we should have more meetings where we simply share our past with each other.

The garage sale was a success. A BIG THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HELPED. MANY DONATED AND MANY HELPED SET UP AND SELL. It is through the efforts of all of us that we succeed.

The Broda dinner will have only the QUILT RAFFLE. There will be no other items in the raffle. This was a Board decision. Many of you felt the time spent on the raffle was excessive. The quilt is beautiful, so please purchase your tickets. Again, the tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00. The Quilt Raffle Chair is Gladys Herstein, 520 Teakwood, Lincoln 68510, 489-5976. Please direct all inquiries and monies to her.

German Russian Heritage Workshop

AHSGR and the Girl Scouts - Homestead Council - are pleased to announce a new Girl Scout badge, The German-Russian Badge. To celebrate this new badge, headquarters is hosting a German Russian workshop on Saturday, October 5, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Headquarters is going to be a-buzz with hands-on German-Russian activities.

Activities include crafts, games, singing, Dutch Hop, videos and much, much, much more, and I need your help. You do not need to stay the whole day...an hour or two would be great. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Sonya Dollins-Colton at headquarters, 474-3363.



Special thanks to all the volunteers who worked the Garage Sale and made it the success it was! The following list of volunteers also shows the number of days each person worked. We couldn't have done it without you!

**Larry Schenkel
Coordinator**

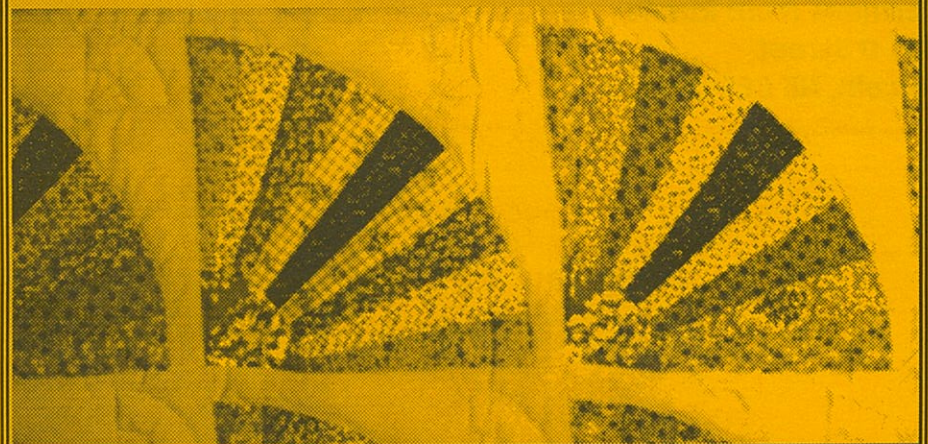
**Nancy Borrell, 5
LeRoy Butherus, 2
Bud Dietrich, 1
Phil Dinges, 6
Ed Herstein, 1
Gladys Herstein, 5
Lucille Hedges, 3
Larry Schenkel, 6**

**Norma Schenkel, 6
Barb Schmidt, 4
John Schneider, 1
Ed Schwartzkopf, 1
Annie Settell, 1
Norma Somerheiser, 5
Suzy Stoehr, 5
Ruth White, 1**

Send Quilt Raffle ticket money and stubs to:

**Gladys Herstein
520 Teakwood
Lincoln, NE 68510**

Below is a detailed photograph of quilt.





BRODA DINNER

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2002
 CHRIST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH'
 45TH AND A STREETS
 6:00 P.M.
 CATERED DINNER

Send Raffle ticket money
 and stubs to
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 520 Teakwood
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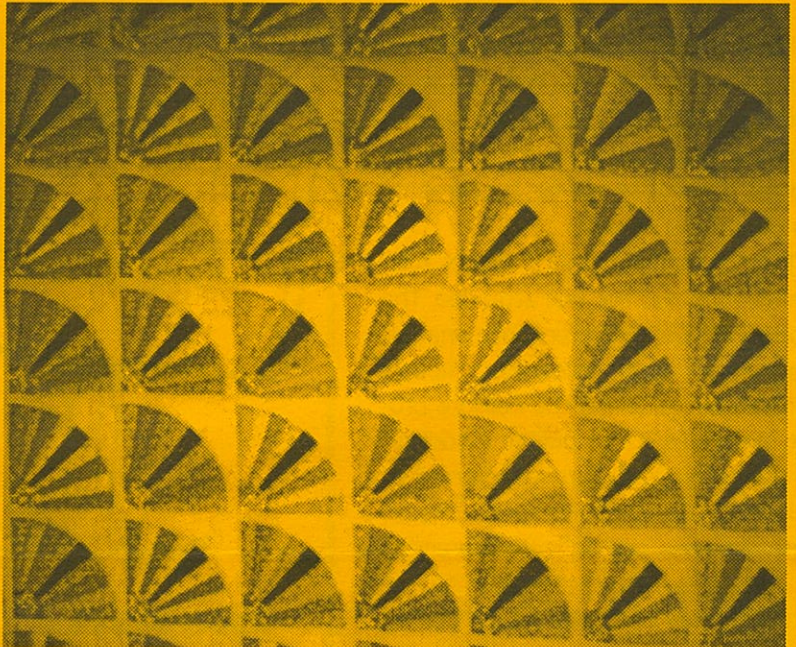
TICKETS:

\$9.00/ADULTS; \$4.50/CHILDREN 12 & UNDER

YOU MAY PURCHASE A TABLE OF 8 AND RESERVE A TABLE. ALL OTHERS WILL BE SEATED AS THEY ARRIVE – AS WE DID LAST YEAR.

**A HAND-CRAFTED QUILT WILL
 BE RAFFLED.**

RAFFLE TICKETS ARE \$1.00 OR 6
 FOR \$5.00
 YOU DO NOT NEED TO BE
 PRESENT TO WIN THE QUILT.



(Tear off this reservation slip and mail with payment)

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 45TH AND A STREETS
 \$9 ADULTS; \$4.50 CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER**

NUMBER OF TICKETS: ADULT _____ CHILDREN _____

RESERVATION FOR A TABLE OF 8: NAME _____

AMOUNT ENCLOSED _____ RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE BY OCTOBER 28.

SEND RESERVATIONS WITH PAYMENT, TO:

LARRY SCHENKEL, 2111 KINGSWOOD CR., LINCOLN, NE 68521, 438-3814

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