

OKTOBERFEST PUB NIGHT

October 18, 2024

The Oktoberfest Pub Night, under the leadership of *Doerte and Georg Janssen*, saw a packed clubhouse on October 18. A substantial crowd, welcoming some former members back for a visit, resulted in standing room only, a high volume of chat and music, and some room to dance.



Dirndl skirts and aprons were seen, as were some suspenders and at least one authentic pair of lederhosen.



Emcee *Iain Pennington* began the evening with a lengthy joke about lederhosen and smarty pants, which got the crowd laughing.



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Edgar Hann and Marilyn Walker on accordion and vocals joined Jim Raddysch and his guitar as they provided entertaining music for dancing.



Laurie Clark again won “dinner for two” (a box of gourmet KD...) in the music trivia game, and Jacqueline Sutton won the chance to sing with Jim.

Karen and Yorke Graham and Lori Johnson provided a parade of German-inspired food—sausages, potato chips, veggies and dip, and soft pretzels, in addition to an array of wonderful desserts. Thanks to



Charleen and Mark Rolston, Ruth Anne McEachern and Bernard Lecerf for help with food preparation.

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If you didn't want to eat the pretzels, you could play Pretzel Pong with them (and you were advised by Iain definitely not to eat those.)



Jim and Marie Raddysh (and friends) kept the bar going, with an impressive array of German-style beers.

An Oktoberfest photo frame was set up. (Who can you identify behind their props?)



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Thanks to *Laurie Clark, Paul Bryant, and Jan Macpherson* for help with clean up. Thanks to *Sam Keating, Karen Graham, Iain Pennington, and Wendy Vine* for photos. See more photos soon on the Club's Flickr page.