

AUSTRO-AMERICAN SOCIETY

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REGULAR EVENTS



TIC-TAC-TOE @ TRAXLMAYR'S

Would you like to play a variety of popular American games? Let's get together and have a good time! U.S. Teaching Assistants will be on hand to show you how to play some of their favorite card and board games. It's sure to be a fun night!

For members. Please make a contribution towards expenses and let us know if you are going to take part.

WHERE:

Café Traxlmayr (upstairs), 16 Promenade, 4020 Linz

WHEN:

Tuesdays, **January 13, 27; February 10, 24**; 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.



READERS' CIRCLE

A good read is what this group goes for. In fall, they had some really interesting discussions based on the books they read: The Brief, Wondrous Life of Oscar Wao; The Secret History; Restless. Contact us to find out the book that they're reading for the next circle in January. For members.

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Café Traxlmayr (upstairs), 16 Promenade, 4020 Linz

WHEN:

Wednesdays, **January 14; February 11**; 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.



CUBUS CONVERSATION

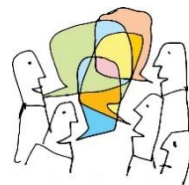
What would you like to talk about? This group chooses the topics that they want to discuss. A U.S. Teaching Assistant is their guide, leading the discussions and helping the participants to feel more relaxed and become more fluent in English. Please make a contribution towards expenses. Seating is limited. Get in touch with us for more information if you would like to take part. For members.

WHERE:

Café Cubus, Top Floor of the Ars Electronica Center

WHEN:

Wednesdays, **January 14, 28**; 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.



SPEAKING @ THE SPITZ

Join in an informal chat in English over a drink or two. Many of our long-standing members have a speaking appointment at The Spitz every week.

Maybe you'd also like to make an appointment with them.

For members.

WHERE:

Hotel Spitz, 6 Fiedlerstraße, Linz/Urfahr

WHEN:

Thursdays from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. (except Austrian holidays)

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Would you like to have an American for dinner? Or lunch? Or brunch? Let us know if you'd like to host a U.S. teaching assistant for a meal in your home. It's a nice way to extend Austrian hospitality and have an enjoyable experience speaking English.

As the New Year is here, we would also like to remind all members to transfer their membership fees for 2015 to the Society's bank account.

SPECIAL EVENTS



SNOWSHOEING TOUR IN A WINTER WONDRLAND

A pair of snowshoes and poles can easily add some fun and excitement to a walk through a wintry landscape. Come and join us for a guided snowshoeing tour on an easy and exciting route. The guide will explain the use of the equipment. Afterwards we will enjoy a hearty meal together at the Waldhäusl, where we can choose between veggie strudel (€7.90), oven-roasted pork (€10.00) or a variety of dumplings (€9.00). Make a reservation by January 14. Pay into the A*A*S account and let us know what you'd like to eat.

PRICE: €5.00 (Members); €9.00 (Non-Members); Meal not included

WHERE: Ralf & Walter, 4202 Kirchschlag 11; Waldhäusl, Am Breitenstein 9, 4202 Kirchschlag

WHEN: Friday, **January 23**; 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.



ANNUAL GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING

It's that time of year again! We'll discuss important business affecting the organization and hear exciting news about AACT UP, the U.S. Teaching Assistants' activities, and what's going on online. Following the meeting we'll enjoy some refreshments and socializing. See the enclosed invitation and please come! Make your reservation for the refreshments by January 22.

WHERE: Hotel Spitz, Fiedlerstrasse 6, 4020 Linz/Urfahr

WHEN: Monday, **January 26**; 6:00 p.m.



EISSTOCKSCHIEßEN

This year we will try our hand at a typical Alpine winter activity, Eisstockschießen. A very distant relation of curling, this precision sport was first recorded in Austria in the 16th century and has been popular ever since. Join us in the quest for positioning the Eisstock as close to the Daube as possible. Hot drinks will be served at the lane, and a scrumptuous Bratlschießen afterwards at Restaurant Kolmer is optional. Limited number of participants! Make a fixed reservation by January 29.

PRICE: €6.00 (Members); €8.00 (Non-Members); Drinks not included; €8.90 Bratlschießen

WHERE: Parkbad, Untere Donaulände 11, Linz

WHEN: Friday, **February 6**; 6:00 - 10:00 p.m.; 5:45 meeting point at main entrance



VALENTINE'S DAY @ JINDRAK'S

Mr. Leo Jindrak himself will lead this fun, hands-on workshop to prepare for Valentine's Day, showing us how to make and decorate those irresistible chocolate balls that Jindrak's Confectionary is famous for. This special chocolate-making experience is "back by popular demand", making this the third time we will have loved this. Sign up by February 9.

PRICE: €16.00 (Members); €18.00 (Non-Members)

WHERE: Jindrak, Herrenstrasse 22, Linz

WHEN: Friday, **February 13**; 3:00 p.m.

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