

Annual Report 2017

The last year was a very successful year for the circle.

We had 22 meetings in four Landkreisen.

Roland Mey has organized all these meetings.

He looked for Hotels, restaurants and Gaststätten with a separate room where we are able to talk English in a relaxed atmosphere.

We started in January 2017 with 60 members. 3 members resigned. But we found 5 new members so that the new number of members is 62.

We have members in more than four Landkreisen

17 members are from Zollernalb, 16 from Rottweil, 13 from Tübingen and 14 from Freudenstadt.

Two members don't live in the four Landkreisen.

In every month we had two meetings.

Only in December we had no meeting because of the Christmas time but Roland organized a Christmas party in the Adler at Horb Dettingen.

One meeting in the middle of the month was at lunchtime on a Saturday and the other monthly meeting was at the last Friday in the month in the evening.

We have a friendly relationship to the DAI German American Institute in Tübingen. So we were invited to the summer reception and to the Christmas reception with an exhibition.

The Canadian honorary consul Dr. Thomas Reith invited us to two meetings at Stuttgart where the minister of Canada was talking about the relationship between Canada and Baden-Württemberg.

At some meetings Karl Heinz Drieschner played on his harmonium and so we were able to sing together some English songs.

In January we went to a concert with Gudrun Kohlruss at the Kurhaus in Bad Canstadt.

Kerstin Volkhammer talked about the Zahnmobil.

In May Brenda Bantle explained us how she lived in America.

A guided city tour through Rottweil we had with our member Veronica Messner.

In July Renate Fritsch showed us the rooms of the Kinderschutzbund.

We had a barbecue evening with our member Gillian Calow.

Last year all the members had a good time and we had many interesting meetings.

Financial Report

Last year 1.1.2017 we started with	Euro 639,16
We get from our members and donations	Euro 960,00
Roland and I spend on stamps, letters, paper, telephone, internet and homepage	Euro 587,08
Adler in Dettingen	Euro 85,00
Adler Dettingen	Euro 35,00
Kinderschutzbund	Euro 150,00
New Ballance 31.12.2017 on the account is	Euro 742,08

Best regards

Dirk Eickenhorst