



Deutsch-Amerikanischer Club 1948 Stuttgart German-American Club 1948 Stuttgart



Celebrating more than 78 Years of Friendship!

Dear Members and Guests:

February 2026

We invite you to join us on
**Saturday, February 21, 2026 for our
78th Annual General Membership Meeting**
in the Hirsch Hotel Ruit, Stuttgarterstrasse 7, 73760 Ostfildern-Ruit

This meeting gives us the opportunity to come together again and enjoy each other's company with a Sekt Reception and a short and interesting Member Meeting followed by fine dining, good fellowship and good music. This is what our club is all about. **Please join us for an enjoyable evening of German-American friendship, in this our 78th Anniversary Year!**



Photo: Hirsch Hotel Ruit, by permission



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We will meet at 17:30 hours in the banquet room of the Hirsch Hotel, Ruit. The banquet room is at the back of the building and is reserved for us. **We will begin with a Sekt Reception for all to enjoy. Around 18:00 we will ask you to take your seats. The restaurant servers will then take our drink orders. After all are seated and drink orders have been placed, we will conduct our Annual Member Meeting** (maximum 30 minutes, required by German law), where we will hear a recap of the preceding year, what's coming up this year, and take a look at the club finances. **Concluding the meeting will be our Board of Directors Election for 2026. After the Member Meeting we will enjoy dinner together, followed by musical entertainment from the duo Kate "n" Krazy, old friends from Blues in Town Esslingen.** They play a mix of Blues, Blues/Rock and lovely ballads for your enjoyment.

The Reception and musical entertainment will be paid by your club. **Pay for your dinner and drinks for the evening directly to the restaurant staff before you leave.**

Please make your **reservation no later than Friday, 13 February, 2026 with:**

Scott Beard: e-mail: s.beard@gac1948.de - or -
Ron Joslin: e-mail: r.joslin@gac1948.de

Best Regards,

Walter Scott Beard
Club President

Ann Kathy Reed
Secretary

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Upcoming Events in 2026

Saturday, March 21	Veitskapelle with beautiful fresco paintings, Stuttgart-Mühlhausen
Saturday, April 18	Spring Fest – Stuttgart-Bad Cannstatt
Fri-Sun, April 24-26	Aachen, Capital of Charlemagne's European Empire, Weekend Bus Trip
Saturday, May 23	Waldenbuch, Old Town Tour
Saturday, June 20	Playing Card Museum, Leinfelden-Echterdingen
Saturday, July 19	Dornhaldenfriedhof, historic Seilbahn, Stuttgart-Degerloch
Saturday, August 8	Blues in Town, Blues Band Concert, Blues Base ES-Wernau
Saturday, September 12	Celtic Museum, Erkenbrechtsweiler
Saturday, September 26	Cannstatter Volksfest – Stuttgart-Bad Cannstatt
Saturday, October 10	Altburg, Black Forest, Town Festival
Saturday, November 7/14	Wine Tasting
Saturday, December 5	Christmas Dinner – Restaurant Alte Kanzlei, Stuttgart

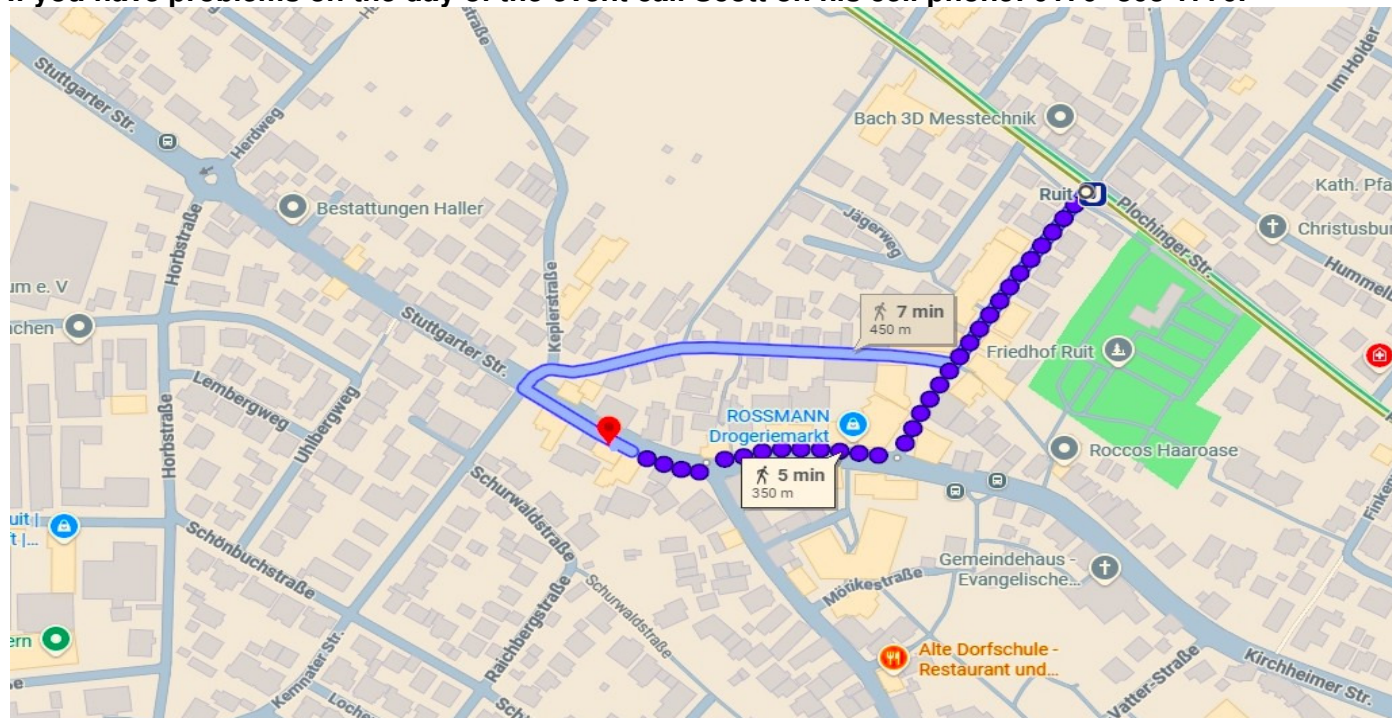
Please note: Events and dates are subject to change! If you would like more information on any of these events, or would like to sign up in advance, please talk to any Board member. They will put you in contact with the person planning the event.

Directions:

By Car: Hotel-Restaurant Hirsch, Stuttgarter Strasse 7, 73760 Ostfildern-Ruit. There is sufficient parking behind the restaurant. If coming from the East on the Kirchheimer Strasse, drive thru the Archway to the parking lot. If coming from the West on the Stuttgarter Strasse, take the small driveway on the right alongside the west side of the building to the back. Restaurant entrance from the parking lot is on the right (East) side at the back of the building. We are in a private room to the left from the parking lot entrance.

Public Transportation: Both the U8 from Vaihingen Bahnhof and the U7 from the Stuttgart Hauptbahnhof, direction Nellingen/Ostfildern, stop at the Haltestelle Ruit. From the U-Bahn stop – facing the direction of travel – head right onto Hedelfinger Strasse, then onto Kirchheimer Strasse, turn right and follow the street to the restaurant. It is a 5 min. level walk (ca. 350 meters) to the restaurant on the Stuttgarter Strasse (see map).

If you have problems on the day of the event call Scott on his cell phone: 0170- 803 1770.



Source: Google Maps

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