February Events

11 Buchclub: Der Mensch erscheint im Holozän by Max Frisch, 1:30pm

15 Stammtisch with Netzwerk Philadelphia,

17 Friday Film Fest: Narziss und Goldmund, 6:30pm

18 Wandern at the Willows, 11am

18 Library Treasure Tour: Gesangvereine: German-language Singing Societies and Their Place in Philadelphia History, 2pm

18 Love Parade: A FastnachtsTanzParty, 8pm

19 "Wister & More" presents: EStrella Piano Duo, 3pm

25 10th Annual Bierfest, 2pm

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10th Annual Bierfest

Bierfest is back! Bierfest 2023 will be the 10th annual iteration of this utterly unique midwinter beer festival. Benefiting both non-profits as well as the Brewers of Pennsylvania, Bierfest is designed to celebrate Pennsylvania's German brewing heritage and to showcase this state's leadership in brewing world-class German-style beers. Come visit with PA's leading brewers of Lagers, Kölsches, Bocks, and Weizens, and sample a diverse array of imports from Germany as you learn more about this local specialty and indulge in our uncommon array of activities and entertainments!

And don't forget, GSP members receive a $5 discount on the price of each ticket! To take advantage of this members-only discount, order your tickets over the phone by calling 215-627-2332. Click here for more information and to purchase non-member tickets.
Thank you to everyone who came to our German-Jewish Heritage Series! We hope you all enjoyed the January events and learned something new about German-Jewish history and culture. Below are photos from the opening reception and talk. Although the "1700 Years of Jewish Life in German-Speaking Lands" exhibition has been packed up and returned to the Leo Beck Institute, we are still planning programming around the topic of German-Jewish Heritage.

For example, we are planning "Baroque to Folk; A German/Jewish Journey with Bach, Beer, & Ben-Haim" featuring the ARTolerance Ensemble and members of the Philadelphia Orchestra. "Baroque to Folk" is an evening of music that crosses borders, while exploring the unique and shared history of the German & Jewish musical traditions and interactions over the last 300 years. This event will take place on Thursday, April 27. More details to come!

AATG is committed to increasing access to programs and has redesigned the application process for almost all of their member support programs. The process should be transparent, accessible, and free of unnecessary administrative hurdles. They’re working hard to make member services and funding available to students, teachers, and institutions to support German in the US.