

TO: Member Vereine, Officers, and Honorary Members

Grüss Gott:

The next Delegates' Meeting will take place from April 29 – May 1, 2022 and will be done virtually. The Executive Board voted and decided the next Executive Board and Delegates' Meetings will be virtual meetings based on concerns about the COVID virus and for Vereine to travel to and from the East Coast within a few months between a Delegates' Meeting in Delaware and a Gaufest in New Jersey.

A schedule and agenda outline for the Delegates' meeting follows.

| <u>Date</u> | <u>Day</u> | <u>Time</u>   | <u>Agenda</u>  |
|-------------|------------|---------------|--|
| April 29    | Friday     | 8 pm to 9 pm  | Welcome, Meeting Logistics, Nomination's Committee Report            |
| April 30    | Saturday   | 11 am to 2 pm | Administrative Meeting   |
| April 30    | Saturday   | 4 pm to 7 pm  | Vorplattler's Meeting  |
| May 1       | Sunday     | 11 am to 2 pm | Administrative and Vorplattler's Meetings Reports, Budget, Elections |
| May 1       | Sunday     | 4 pm to 7 pm  | If Needed  |

As a reminder of my November 21<sup>st</sup> email to you, please remember to submit the following by the indicated dates.

| <u>Due Date</u>     | <u>Submit</u>  |
|---------------------|--|
| January 30          | By-Law Changes, Bids to Host a Delegates' Meeting                            |
| February 28         | Non-By-Law Proposals and/or Agenda Items                                     |
| As Soon as Possible | Gaufest Bids*, Nomination for Gauverband Judge, Gauausschuss Nomination Form |

\*Change from November 21<sup>st</sup> email

The following are advance Delegates' Meeting registration information from the Beisitzer. More will be sent soon by Beisitzer Robert Hugel.

1. The Gauverband Credentials Committee  
Chairperson (Robert Hugel) will communicate via email ([rjhugel@msn.com](mailto:rjhugel@msn.com)) in the coming weeks the Verein Delegates Meeting Credentials Form so your Verein can assign delegates to attend the 2022 Virtual Delegates Meeting. The Credentials Committee encourages your Verein to start considering your Verein Delegates for the different parts of the virtual meeting, as only one delegate per Verein can be assigned to each section of the Virtual Meeting.
2. The Beisitzer will send a link via email ([rjhugel@msn.com](mailto:rjhugel@msn.com)) in the coming weeks to complete your Verein's Trachten Calendar Information.

Don't forget to pay your Gauverband dues. Kassier John Blank recently sent out a dues notice. If did not receive it let him know at [BNakita@aol.com](mailto:BNakita@aol.com) .

The Delegates' Meeting final agenda and schedule will be emailed to you and posted on the Gauverband's website by the end of March 2022.

Mit Trachten Gruss,

Walter H. Kraft

# Schriftführer

**Gauverband Nordamerika, Inc.**

**PREISPLATTLN JUDGE NOMINATIONS FORM**

**A. Nominee's Verein Information**

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. President's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

4. President's Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

5. *We, the Nominee's Verein, hereby verify that the nominee is a member in good standing of our Verein and has accepted the nomination.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Nominee Verein President's Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

**B. Nominee's Information**

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Address: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Present Verein: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Years \_\_\_\_\_

5. Previous Verein: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Years \_\_\_\_\_

6. Is the nominee an active dancer with their present Verein? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Describe nominee's judging experience. (Use separate page)

8. What qualifies the nominee to be a judge? (Use separate page)

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## Gauausschuß Officer Position Nomination Form - 2022

Desired Gauausschuß Officer Position \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Verein \_\_\_\_\_

Years in Verein \_\_\_\_\_

Officer positions held in your Verein \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Officer positions held on the Gauverband NA Ausschuß \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

### Instructions:

- Write/type on this page only. Do not write/type on the back.
  - Do not include additional pages.
- email form to [nominations@gauverband.com](mailto:nominations@gauverband.com)

1. Please list 3-5 skills or experiences from your career, and/or personal life, that makes you the best candidate for the desired **Gauausschuß** Officer position. (***This should NOT include years and positions you have held in your Verein or on the Gauausschuß.***)

2. Please list 3-5 ideas/objectives you may have if you obtain the **Gauausschuß** Officer position. (***Hint: What are you passionate about or what would you like to see done?***)



## Nomination Form Information:

- complete form including a picture should be emailed back to the Nominations Committee at [nominations@gauverband.com](mailto:nominations@gauverband.com)
- all candidates, including incumbents must submit a form
- Trachtlers who wish to run for more than one position should submit a separate form for each office for which they want to run
- keep in mind that each application should be written with a focus on the separate positions. For example, if you would like to run for Kassier, but would also be of great service to the Gauverband as a Revisor, submit a form for each position
- all forms received will be included in the Delegates Meeting package that is sent out to the Gauverband Vereine by the Gauschriftführer. At the time the package is sent out, all forms received will be posted as a link on the Gauverband website

Questions about the new nomination form may be emailed to us at [nominations@gauverband.com](mailto:nominations@gauverband.com).

Mit Trachtengruß

Johann Force (Enzian Schuhplattler, Seattle)

Michael Fricker (United German Hungarians, Philadelphia)

Steff Troxell, Committee Chair (HTV Edelweiss, Chicago)