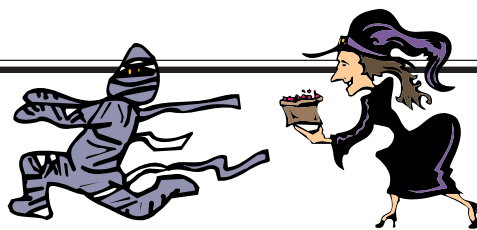




Dance Groups



Youth Group Update

In March, a meeting was held with Youth Group members and parents, which was very eventful. A decision was made to form 4 committees, headed by myself, Karen Beattie. The committees include 4 parent team leaders, 4 Youth Group leaders, and team members. The objective of these committees is, first and foremost, to lessen the burden on Annemarie Tittjung, so that she can concentrate on teaching our heritage to the children. The second objective is to have our kids more involved in the decision-making process. Following are the 4 teams:

<u>Team</u>	<u>Adult Leader</u>	<u>Jugend Leader</u>
Events	Monica Prybula	Jessica Reiter
Clothing	Ruth Dietz	Erika Hohentanner
Fundraising	Ann Kloss	Andrew Beattie
Archives	Rose Bering	Eric Prybula



The Events Team will schedule fun-filled activities and coordinate travel to special events. The Events Team already held a DJ/Pizza Night. I'd like to thank Monica Prybula, Ann Kloss, Linda Schwager and Annemarie Tittjung for their help in making this a fun night for the Youth.

The Clothing Team will make sure every child has a costume and that they are properly fitted. They will research new costumes when necessary, and be involved in ordering material, finding a seamstress, etc.

The Fundraising Team will develop ideas to raise monies needed for travel and costume fabrics. This team sold water and other items during the Soccer Tournament and the Carpathia picnic. Annemarie Tittjung donated water bottles, and Ann Kloss donated the popcorn machine rental. Thank you to everyone who helped out.

The Archives Team will develop a bulletin board, photo album, maintain the showcase, and gather pictures for the Carpathia website and newsletter. This Team's goal was to complete a bulletin board before Memorial Day. Rose and Tony Bering donated the supplies for the bulletin board, and it was up by Memorial Day. Thank you to those who donated pictures, and thank you to the Youth Group girls who worked on scrapbooking. Picture takers – please keep in mind that this team wants group pictures of the Youth.

We hope all Carpathia members will support these teams. Some time this fall, the Fundraising Team will be taking orders for homemade German sausages. See you in Windsor at Tag der Donauschwaben over the Labor Day weekend. *Karen Beattie*




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