Dear Members and Friends,

2009 !! - and a very happy and healthy New Year to all of you!

With fond memories of events from last year, ending with our very snowy but well attended Christmas party, we move on with our plans for 2009. As last year, the president’s office is closed in January while we recharge the batteries for further activities! We have interesting events already in store for this spring and are working on completing our programs into the summer. Hope to see you soon -

herzlichst,
Traude Acker, President

Next A-AA Events:

**Saturday, February 7, 2009, at 6:00 pm**

**Austrian Movie Night**

At the home of Pamela and Christian Donner, at 92 Green Street, Medfield, please RSVP to Christian at 617-500-4215. Please see enclosed flyer for the movie choices.

**Saturday, February 14, 2009**

**Dinner/Dance of the Czech MASARYK Club of Boston**

Place: Sons of Italy Hall in Woburn - Music by "The Winikers" Orchestra

For more information please call Hana Sittler at 978-443-3730.

**Friday, February 27, 2009, at 6:00 pm**

**Stammtisch**

at the Ackers' at 67 Bridle Path, Sudbury

Please call for reservation and food contributions 978-579-2191

**Saturday, March 14, 2009**

**Strauss Ball**

at the BSV - Flyer to follow.

**Saturday, March 28, 2009**

**Scholarship Evening with Anna Souchek**

Anna will speak on the subject of her dissertation: The concept of Gemütlichkeit.

Her remarks will focus on the cultural contravercy of this concept citing modern Viennese authors, including Josef Haslinger, Robert Menasse, and Elfriede Jelinek.

**Saturday, April 11, 2009, 6:00 pm**

**Stammtisch Event with Marjorie Zohn**

Marjorie will sing tunes, to be announced.

**Saturday, May 30, 2009**

**Annual Dinner and Election**

Time, place and further details forthcoming.

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