



the Kansas City
Swiss Society

FEBRUARY 2009 NEWSLETTER

ANNUAL MEETING AT ANDRE'S ON THE PLAZA

Saturday, March 21, 2009 7:00 PM

Our Annual Meeting will again be held at Andre's, thanks to the Bollier Family. In addition to a wonderful fondue dinner, will have a short membership meeting to elect several officers and a director.

This is a great chance to connect with your fellow members and learn their activities for the winter season.

You may bring your own wine or beer, coffee will be provided with your dinner. The appetizers, salad, and fondue are always outstanding. You may bring your own fondue pot and forks.

If you have questions before the event call Dan Bonderer, president, at 913-681-1700 extension 203, or Harry Newby, treasurer, at 913-888-0095.

Please send reservations to Harry Newby using the event coupon on the back so it is received by Monday, March 16, 2009.

VALENTINE'S DAY AT THE CHALET

On Valentine's Day the Sweetheart Dinner was organized by Elizabeth Kohlstaedt with support from Dan Bonderer, Becci Jones, Linda Scott, CeeAnn and Jim Neuenschwander, Harry Newby,

and Chris Kohlstaedt. We saw the K pfer Chalet and Swiss hospitality in a wonderful way.

Their efforts created a beautiful atmosphere. The lighting was warm, the tables were set with white cloths tablecloths and flowers, and the folding chairs had white covers. With the china and wine glasses in place, it was a great setting for a master chef to present his work.

Our chef, Gus Riedi, with the help of Chris Montemore, created an amazing dinner for his guests. With our kitchen facilities, their planning and technique was amazing. Their food was remarkable. Many thanks to Gus, Chris, Elizabeth and all the helpers.

Dinner started with Maderia consomm , followed by a lobster first course, and the main course of beef filet, beautifully prepared potatoes, and an artichoke heart base stuffed with creamed cucumbers. The mushroom and B arnaise sauces were exotic. This was followed by a crisp salad, coffee, strawberry desert and B nedictine liqueur. And let's don't forget the treats from Andre's. It was all fantastic!

Under Elizabeth Kohlstaedt's direction, service was provided by group of young people with the precision of professionals. Attending the dinner were Andrew and Timothy Hiller, Mathew Montemore, James Murray, and Alex and Sam Stueve. Swiss Society family members all, it was great to see these young people in action.

A memorable Valentine treat!!

