

January 10, 2010

To the members and Officers of the Gauverband Nordamerika, Inc:

Dear Trachtlers:

We are pleased to provide the following information for the 2010 Delegates meeting, May 1-2, 2010. The Registration Fee for the 2010 Delegate Meeting hosted by STV Bavaria, Cleveland is \$70 per person attending the Delegate's Meeting. Please send the check, made out to STV Bavaria, along with the

- Carnation Order Form
- Request for Travel Information Form
- Verein Representative Form
- Family Registration Form (if necessary)

to the Host Verein Chairperson:

Heidi Rock  
7218 Lilac Court  
North Olmsted, OH 44070  
440.427.9421 (phone/fax)

All meetings will take place at Kalahari Resort, which is approximately 60 minutes from Cleveland Hopkins International Airport. Kalahari Resort Sandusky has five (5) restaurants which will be open for dinner on Friday, May 1, 2010.

The single, double, triple and quad room rate is \$96. The Lodge Suite room rate is \$116. Each room includes a refrigerator, microwave, coffee maker, safe, iron/ironing board, room service, complimentary wireless high speed Internet, complimentary fitness room access, 10% off all 5 of the retail shops, 10% off spa services, complimentary parking, and four (4) waterpark passes to America's Largest Indoor Waterpark! For your convenience, a resort brochure is included in this packet.

Reservations must be made by calling 877 KALAHARI (877-525-2427) on or before Tuesday, March 30, 2010. Please ask for the GAUVERBAND NORDAMERICA 2010 Delegates Meeting Room Block.

The hotel information is as follows:

Kalahari Resort  
7106 Milan Road  
Sandusky, OH 44870

For those traveling by air, we suggest utilizing Cleveland Hopkins International Airport, approximately 90 minutes from Kalahari Resort. We have made meeting arrangements with Continental Airlines. Continental Airlines offers discounts off published fares of 2% to 10% or Zone fares. Call your travel professional or Continental MeetingWorks at 800-468-7022 for reservations. Refer to Z Code "ZGKZ" and Agreement Code "AFG96Z" when making your reservations. Or, save an additional 3% off by booking your own reservations at [www.continental.com](http://www.continental.com). Choose your flight times and access the meeting discount for the Delegate's Meeting by inserting code "ZGKZAFG96Z". Additional transportation information is forthcoming.

We have provided a tentative schedule; however, the Gau secretary will distribute the official meeting agenda. We remind everyone to return the forms distributed by the Gau secretary by the dates requested.

Maps and directions to Kalahari are enclosed in this packet. Additional information regarding Kalahari Resorts in Sandusky is available at <http://www.kalahariresorts.com/oh>. Additional information and copies of the forms are available on the STV Bavaria website at [www.stvbavaria.org](http://www.stvbavaria.org).

Kalahari Resort is a family-friendly meeting site. Family members who will not be attending the Delegate's Meeting are welcome to come to enjoy the indoor waterpark, restaurants, spa services, and shops. A Family Member Information Sheet is included to register family members who will not be attending the Delegate's Meeting. The fee for non-delegates, alternates and observers who will be joining us for meals is \$60. We apologize for any inconvenience, but family members who register for meals must register for the full 5 meal ticket.

Mit Trachtengruß,

STV Bavaria

Heidi Rock  
Delegates Meeting Chairperson