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Message of Greeting
On the occasion of the 2017 Steuben Parade

It is my great pleasure to welcome you to the 60th annual Steuben Parade! As one of the largest events celebrating German-American friendship in this country, the Steuben Parade has become a highlight on the Big Apple’s cultural calendar and continues to draw participants and spectators alike from all over the country. Each year, the Parade grows and evolves, but it remains committed to its mission of celebrating the strong German-American ties that started this 60-year-old tradition.

There are compelling reasons why Germany and the United States have been such close friends and allies over time. We share the same values and interests: promoting democracy, stability, prosperity, and the rule of law and fighting radical extremism and terrorism throughout the globe. Our economies are closely intertwined; our societies, culturally connected. The Steuben Parade reflects these manifold dimensions of our bilateral relations.

As a part of this year’s Parade, the German Embassy is celebrating the 200th anniversary of the bicycle – a German invention that changed the world. The heavy, pedal-free wooden predecessor to today’s sleek, modern bicycle was invented by Baron Karl von Drais. Since its creation, the bicycle has become a permanent part of modern transportation. And its keeps growing in popularity – in the United States as well as in Germany.

I would like to extend a special thank you to the organizers and supporters of the Steuben Parade for their dedication to making this wonderful celebration possible again. Viel Spaß and enjoy the festivities!

Peter Wittig
Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany
September 16, 2017

Dear Friends:

It is a pleasure to send greetings to everyone gathered on Fifth Avenue for the 60th Annual German-American Steuben Parade. Welcome to your distinguished guests from the all over the United States and Germany!

The Empire State is honored to be home to outstanding organizations that not only serve the cultural and social interests of their own members but also share their wonderfully rich heritage with the larger community. The thriving German-American population of the Metropolitan area is a fine example of this multi-cultural outreach.

I join in commending the exceptionally hard-working volunteers and members of the Steuben Parade committee who have put together this celebration of all things German. The traditional music and the warm hospitality of this vibrant culture will not only delight visitors but promote a deeper level of understanding and harmony among all New Yorkers. Congratulations to Grand Marshals German Navy Admiral Manfred Nielson and Heinz Buck and to Queens of the Steuben Parade, Kaitlyn Walsh and Princess Michaela Stewart on this recognition of all their contributions to the German-American community in New York State.

With warmest regards and best wishes for a successful parade and celebration.

Sincerely,

ANDREW M. CUOMO
September 15, 2017

Dear Friends:

I am delighted to welcome everyone to the German-American Steuben Parade Committee’s annual Gala.

New York has a long history of welcoming millions of newcomers from across the globe, and this tradition is exemplified by the large and thriving population of German Americans that has fortified every sector of the five boroughs. I am proud to join with members of this vital community in celebrating their rich heritage at tonight’s dinner and Saturday’s 60th Annual Steuben Parade on Fifth Avenue, which will be capped off by a lively Oktoberfest amid the fall foliage in Central Park. As you come together in fellowship, I commend the Committee’s members and supporters for their efforts to organize these terrific events that unite and uplift German New Yorkers and share their vibrant customs with people of all backgrounds. This weekend’s celebration of German culture is also a wonderful opportunity to honor the remarkable diversity on which our city rises as we forge a brighter, more inclusive future for all.

On behalf of the City of New York, congratulations on the Steuben Parade’s milestone anniversary. Please accept my best wishes for a festive gala and weekend.

Sincerely,

Bill de Blasio
Mayor
Karl Drais invented the “Laufmaschine” (literally ‘running machine,’ also referred to as ‘velocipede’, or nicknamed the ‘dandy horse’) in 1817 in the German city of Mannheim.
Grußwort des Generalkonsuls
der Bundesrepublik Deutschland in New York,
David Gill, anlässlich „60 Jahre Steuben Parade“

Als im Jahre 1957 heimatverbundene und traditionsbewusste deutschstämmige New Yorker den ersten „deutschen“ Umzug in Ridgewood/Queens ausrichteten, ahnte wohl keiner, dass sich daraus die bedeutendsteste deutsch-amerikanische Veranstaltung Amerikas entwickeln würde. Im September feiern wir zum 60. Mal die „German-American Steuben Parade“. Sie ist nicht nur das alljährliche Aushängeschild deutschgeprägter Kultur und Tradition in dieser kosmopolitischen Stadt, sondern erinnert auch an die großen Verdienste und nachhaltigen Errungenschaften der amerikanischen Bevölkerung deutscher Ursprungs. Und sie steht auch für gelebte deutsch-amerikanischer Verbundenheit und Freundschaft, die trotz dunkler Phasen auf eine jahrhundertelange Geschichte zurückblicken kann.


Ich wünsche allen Teilnehmern und Besuchern eine fröhliche, ausgelassene Parade und natürlich viel Spaß auf dem anschließenden Oktoberfest!

David Gill

Consulate General of the Federal Republic of Germany in New York
We are so proud of
Heinz Buck
Grand Marshal for the
60th Steuben Parade!
Congratulations and all the Best for the Future!


He is one of our most prominent members of the PVV.
Dear Friends and Visitors,

For 60 years the German American Committee of Greater New York has sponsored our Parade.

We as German Americans can hold our heads high and look back with pride at the contributions German speaking immigrants have made in forming this country.

General Von Steuben is quoted as saying that the American needs to know why he ought to do something before he does it. In 1957, forward thinking German Americans decided that they ought to have a celebration of their heritage and the German American Steuben Parade was born.

Over the past 60 years many Parade Chair People and volunteers have answered the call and demonstrated the unique contributions of German Americans to our society and the lasting friendship between the United States and Germany.

This year I am particularly pleased to celebrate the Inaugural German American Committee Scholarships and that my predecessor and mentor, Heinz Buck, is one of our two very deserving Grand Marshals. We should all be honored that Admiral Manfred Nielson joins us as a Grand Marshal and I am so grateful that he is with us this year.

Our German American clubs, particularly the member organizations of the Grand Council of German American Associations in Civil Service, the many Schuhplattler Vereins and the other wonderful groups dedicated to preserving the traditions of their countries of origin look forward to our Parade and to preserving our connections to the Homeland.

I congratulate the Parade General Chairman, his Vice Chair People, the operating Committee Chair Persons, Division Marshals, workers and marchers (volunteers all!) and I look forward to seeing you on Fifth Avenue tomorrow.

Mit besten Grüssen.

Michael J. Rabus
President
German American Committee of Greater New York
The German-American Steuben Parade Committee is proud to present the Ladies and Gentleman who have represented the German-American community throughout the year and have done a great job promoting the Parade as a celebration of the history and culture of their families and ancestors.

Miss German-America & Steuben Parade Queen: Caitlyn Walsh
Princess: Michaela Stuart
Junior Princess: Angelina Hofmann
Junior Princess: Elise Held Sheehe
Junior General: Mark Griesing Sheehe

1961: Cornflower Queen Hannelore Danz and her Court
2002: Miss German-America Anniversary Float
This year we are celebrating the 60th German-American Steuben Parade in NYC in honor of the Prussian General Friedrich Wilhelm von Steuben, who helped General George Washington in organizing the American troops for the Continental Army. The Steuben Parade celebrates German-American heritage and our continued cultural contributions here in America.

We invite you to come and join us for this year’s Steuben Parade. This year’s Grand Marshals represent great leadership, as represented by General von Steuben. Cheer for our Grand Marshals, Admiral Manfred Nielson, German Navy and Heinz Buck, long-time German-American Committee President and Community leader. Wave to Miss German-America Caitlyn Walsh and Princess Michaela Stuart, and her court as they lead our colorful presentation up Fifth Avenue. We hope that you will also raise a stein with us at the Oktoberfest in Central Park and enjoy all the other events we proudly present during German-American Friendship Month in the greatest city in the world.

Our steady partnership with the German Embassy and the German Consulate here in New York City is stronger than ever. The Steuben Parade Committee is honored by their commitment to the Parade and German-American Friendship as evidenced by the themes of their floats: “200th Anniversary of the Bicycle” and “Celebrating the 500th Anniversary Reformation of Martin Luther”.

Make sure to save your best cheers and wave your flags, as they proceed up Fifth Avenue on Parade Day. Throughout September, I invite you to celebrate German-American friendship with us.

I want to thank our many committed parade volunteers, our honorable Grand Marshals, honored guests, sponsors, supporters, and all of you who come to join us. Enjoy this memorable time of year.

I am looking forward to seeing you at the Steuben Parade and our German-American Friendship Month events.

Robert Radske
General Chairman
German-American Steuben Parade of New York
On December 23, 1783, the outgoing first President of the United States of America, George Washington, wrote one last letter in which he thanked Friedrich Wilhelm von Steuben for his invaluable service:

My Dear Baron:

Although I have taken frequent opportunities, both in public and private, of acknowledging your zeal, attention and abilities in performing the duties of your office, yet I wish to make use of this last moment of my public life to signify in the strongest terms my entire approbation of your conduct, and to express my sense of the obligations the public is under to you for your faithful and meritorious service.

I beg you will be convinced, my dear Sir, that I should rejoice if it could ever be in my power to serve you more essentially than by expressions of regard and affection. But in the meantime I am persuaded you will not be displeased with this farewell token of my sincere friendship and esteem for you.

This is the last letter I shall ever write while I continue in the service of my country. The hour of my resignation is fixed at twelve this day, after which I shall become a private citizen on the banks of the Potomac, where I shall be glad to embrace you, and testify the great esteem and consideration, with which I am, my dear Baron, your most obedient and affectionate servant.

George Washington

Am 23. Dezember 1783 schrieb der scheidende 1. Präsident der USA, George Washington, einen letzten Brief, in dem er Friedrich Wilhelm von Steuben noch einmal seine Anerkennung ausdrückte:

Mein lieber Baron:


1778: Von Steuben & Washington inspect the troops during the bitter winter at Valley Forge


Dies ist der letzte Brief, den ich im Dienste meines Landes schreiben werde. Die Stunde meines Rücktritts ist für 12 Uhr dieses Tages festgelegt. Danach werde ich als Privatmann an die Ufer des Potomac zurückkehren, wo ich mich freuen werde, Sie zu willkommen zu heissen und die grosse Wertschätzung zu bezeugen, mit denen ich, mein lieber Baron, Ihr gehorsamter und wohlwollender Diener bin.

George Washington
Welcome Drink- Apple Fiz
Sch onauer Apfel with Gerolsteiner Water

Chef Tasting Stations
Belgioso
Grünauer Bistro
Karl Ehmer
Nürnberger Bierhaus
Open Sky Hospitality

Dinner
Bistro Beef- Green Peppercorn Sauce
Potato Parmesan Gratin, Grilled Baby Zucchini,
Eggplant, Pepperonata and Caramelized Onion

Dessert
Dulce De Leche Pave
Rossbach International Chocolate Truffles
Vienna Cookie Company
Niche After Dinner Liqueurs
Coffee/Tea/Decaf

Wines
Affentaler

Beers
Dinkerlacker
Spaten
Radeberger

Gala and Silent Auction

Entrance of the Guests

National Anthems
Magda Gartner, Mezzo Soprano

Introduction
Nicole Miskiewicz, Banquet Chairwoman

Presentation of Miss German-America and her Court

Welcome Speech
Bob Radske, General Chairman
Boris Ruge, Minister & Deputy Chief of Mission
Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany

Presentation of Grand Marshals
Admiral Manfred Nielson
Heinz Buck

Closing Remarks
David Gill, German Consul General

Silent Auction
Pavlina Schriel

Music
Heimat Klänge

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60th Parade Division List:
1. Grand Council in Civil Service, Parade Officials and Honored Guests
2. New Jersey Division
3. Bavarian Division
4. Metropolitan Division
5. Plattduetsch Division
6. Karneval Division
7. Continental Division
8. Westchester/New York State Division
9. Gottscheer Division

60th Parade Floats:
1. President’s Float (Von Steuben & Washington) - Steuben Society of America
2. Miss GA and her Court - Friends of Parade
3. 60th Anniversary Past Queens & Princesses - Friends of Parade
4. Wir lernen Deutsch - GA Steuben Parade Comm. NJ
5. Hofbrau - S&H Brands
6. Bierhaus NYC
7. Oktoberfest - Niche Import Co.
8. German American School NY
9. Luther 500 - Consulate General Germany- NY
10. Home of the Boot - Heidelberg and Dinkelacker
11. German Masonic Home Corp - Masonic 9th Manhattan District
12. 200th Anniv. Of the Bicycle - German Info Center- Wash. DC
13. Little Miss Schuetzen Park - Friends of Schutzen Park
14. Rheinischer Saengerbund - Crystal Brook Mountain Brauhaus
15. Miss Plattduetsch & her Court - Miss Plattduetsch Volksfest Verein
16. Plattduetsche Retirement Home
17. Koelsche Funke NY - “Agrippina Colonia” - Forest Pork Store
18. Chicago Karneval - Chicago Mardi Gras Society
19. Dinkelacker - S&H Brands
20. Bridging Cultures- German School of Connecticut
21. American Turners - International Gymnastics
22. Karl Ehmer German BBQ - Bosco Foods
23. Reichenbach Hall and Spaten

C. 1959: Karl Ehmer Schwaben Hunting Legend Float

2016: Karl Ehmer German BBQ - Bosco Foods Float
Admiral Nielson was born February 25, 1955 in Dorsten, Germany. He joined the German Navy as a reserve officer candidate and graduated from Helmut Schmidt University of the Bundeswehr in Hamburg in 1978 and completed underwater weapons specialist training in 1981.

Early assignments included tours as a watch officer on coastal minesweepers Koblenz and Wetzlar, minehunters Flensburg, Cuxhaven and Koblenz and subsequently command tours of Tübingen and Paderborn. He also served as an action officer for the Armed Forces Staff at the Federal Ministry of Defence and Deputy Commander of the 6th Minesweeper Squadron in Wilhelmshaven.

Admiral Nielson has commanded units at all levels. From 1996 to 1997 he commanded the 6th Minesweeper Squadron and following his promotion to Rear Admiral (lower half), served as Commandant of the Naval Academy in Flensburg from 2003 to 2005 where he deployed to Commander Task Force 150 during Operation Enduring Freedom. Promoted to the rank of Vice Admiral in 2010, he was appointed Commander in Chief of the German Fleet in Glücksburg.

Other significant tours include service as Chief of Division I Personnel, Social Services and Central Affairs Directorate of the Federal Ministry of Defence and later as the Director of Armed Forces Staff. In April 2012 he was appointed Chief of Staff Joint Support Service of the Bundeswehr. In March 2016 he assumed duties as Deputy Supreme Allied Commander Transformation in Norfolk, Virginia.

Admiral Nielson holds a Masters Degree in Economics and Organisational Sciences and is a graduate of the Admiral Staff Officer Course at the Bundeswehr Command and Staff College in Hamburg. His personal awards include the Gold Cross of Honour, for exemplary and meritorious service, German Armed Forces Deployment Medal and the German Flood Service Medal.

Admiral Nielson is married and has an adult son and an adult daughter.
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The Plattduetsche Park Restaurant, Catering & Biergarten congratulates the German-American Steuben Parade on 60 years. Best wishes and sunshine for the 2017 parade!
Heinz Buck was born in Armstorf-Horn, Niedersachsen, Germany on July 2, 1935. After he lost his father in Russia in 1942, Heinz along with his mother and two sisters emigrated to the United States of America on February 1st, 1950 arriving on February 22nd, 1950, George Washington's birthday. He proudly became a US citizen in 1957.

Once married, the Bucks raised their two daughters in Franklin Square, Long Island. Heinz is the proud grandfather and great-grandfather of five grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. In 2002, widowed Heinz was remarried to the current Mrs. Buck, Renate.

Heinz learned his trade as an aircraft mechanic during a tour of duty in the United States Navy serving as a flight engineer on an admiral VIP airplane. He began his civilian career in 1959 with Pan American World Airways, repairing aircraft in all corners of the world. He simultaneously attended college to further his education specializing in Transportation Management and Labor Relations. After 33 years, having risen to the position of Director of Aircraft Maintenance, his career came to an abrupt end when Pan Am World Airways declared bankruptcy.

In March of 1992, Heinz joined a group of similarly impacted airline professionals to help form a new airline, Kiwi International Air Lines, where he served as Vice President of Maintenance and Engineering. His next career move was to accept a position with Atlas Air as the Regional Manager of Maintenance where he was based in Amsterdam, the Netherlands, for five years and responsible for managing the fleet throughout Europe, Africa, the Middle East and Asia. Heinz returned to the US based in Westchester and decided to retire after the events of September 11th, 2001.

Heinz has always been actively involved in the German-American community, predominantly with the Plattduetsche Volksfest Vereen in Franklin Square. He was elected Vice President in 1988 of the PVV and continued to serve as President of the organization from 1992 - 1993. Heinz was also a member of the Lamstedter Club where he also held the title of President. Heinz continues to be an active member of the Brooklyn Schuetzen Corp, the Bederkesa’er Club, the Otterndorfer Buelkauer Club, the Norddeutschen Brueder und Schwestern, the Sievener Club, the Steinauer Club and the Altenheim Gesellschaft. Currently, Heinz is the President of the German American Cultural Council. Heinz is also a Mason and a member of the Allemania Lodge F & AM in Whitestone, New York.

Since 1980, Heinz Buck has been an active member and supporter of the German-American Steuben Parade Committee acting as Grandstand Chairman and 1st Vice Chairman of the Executive Committee. The German American Committee of Greater New York elected Heinz as President of the GACGNY from 2005-2012.

The GACGNY and Steuben Parade Committee thank Heinz Buck for his many years of dedicated service to the German-American Community.
CONGRATULATIONS

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“New York, the largest city in the United States, is indeed a melting pot for people from all nations”, wrote Gerhard Hirseland in the 1958 journal commemorating the Steuben Parade. While they could not foresee the success the Steuben Parade would have, the founders certainly knew that it was time for an event like this. Writes Hirseland: “While people from all nations hold their marches and parades, there has for decades been one exception: One of the largest immigrant groups, which has for almost three centuries helped build America and still helps make it great, has never publicly shown their significance- the German-Americans.

“On September 20th, 1958, they put an end to this”, continues Hirseland. “10,000 German-Americans marched in a long Parade up Fifth Avenue, and about 150,000 spectators cheered for their countrymen of German descent.” Leading the parade as Grand Marshal was New York mayor Robert Ferdinand Wagner, the son of an immigrant from Germany’s Palatinate region. By his side marched New York governor Averell Harriman and New Jersey Governor Robert Baumlz Meyner, whose roots trace back to the Baden and the Alsace region in Germany.

Leaders from both the United States and Germany provided efforts to help the German-American Steuben Parade establish footing. The President of the Federal Republic of Germany, Theodor Heuss, sent the Parade Committee a German flag. President Dwight D. Eisenhower donated an American flag that shortly had been raised atop the Capitol in Washington. President Eisenhower wished to support the Steuben Parade, as he was also a German-American; in the mid 18th century his ancestors had come to Pennsylvania from the Odenwald.
The 1958 journal shows just how spectacular the first Steuben Parade was. Thousands of viewers lined up along Fifth Avenue five rows deep, waving flags and cheering for a parade that included forty-five floats. The floats varied from celebrating historical figures like Babe Ruth and the Roebling family, to reenacting scenes from Wagner’s Meistersinger. On one float even swung a bell as in Schiller’s Lied von der Glocke (The Song of the Bell).

Throughout the years some floats have completely changed, while some still echo motifs of the past. In 1958, the float of the New York Turners had four young men exercising on parallel bars. In recent years Johanna Quaas, a regular amateur competitor in Saxony, Germany, has performed her gymnast skills on a float.

Copies of journals from 1959 and 1960 show that many of the German-American groups who have been with the parade since the beginning are still participating. The Plattduetsche Volksfest Vereen both from Brooklyn as well as New York still join in, as do the United Bavarians. Other groups, however, stand immortalized in pictures and memory. The United Pfälzer are not around anymore, neither is the Badischer Volksfest Verein, which had a float in the first parade remembering Civil War General Franz Sigel. The 86th Street Restaurant Association is gone too, as are most of the establishments it once represented. The Heidelberg restaurant and Schaller & Weber are the last surviving witnesses of the German-American days of Yorkville.

While some German companies have closed shop over the years, among them German language newspapers and family owned breweries, many new ones have opened and flourished. Nowadays, New York has more German restaurants and bars than it has had for the past two decades. Many of these businesses actively support the parade as well as the events throughout German-American Friendship Month.

Over the past six decades, many of Germany’s highest-ranking politicians have marched in the parade. Among them were Presidents Walter Scheel, Richard von Weizsäcker and Johannes Rau. Former German Chancellor Karl Carstens once led the Parade, as did Secretaries of State Hans-Dietrich Genscher and Klaus Kinkel. Several Minister Presidents representing their states have also participated. Politicians on the American side have also shown great interest in supporting the Steuben Parade as well. Local politicians like Mayor Wagner, Rudolph Giuliani and Michael
Bloomberg have recently marched. President Donald J. Trump led as Grand Marshal when he was a business mogul and television celebrity. Many other celebrities have taken part, such as actor Eric Braeden, magicians Siegfried & Roy, as well as supermodel Carol Alt.

From politicians to celebrities, many have reinforced their value for German-American friendship. The bulk of the credit goes to the thousands of volunteers who have worked tirelessly throughout the years. Many have dedicated their time to organizing various aspects of the parade from the floats and line-up, to handing out brochures, selling cornflowers, serving beer, soliciting ads, and even keeping the finances in order. Most of the duties have remained the same. For the past sixty years there have been many dedicated General Chairmen overseeing the entire organization.

There have been those who have stepped in and volunteered for a few hours, while others have dedicated more than half of their lives to the parade. To all who have been involved, our sincere thanks; you have made the German-American Steuben Parade the great and proud event it is today and will be for years to come.

Here’s to the next 60 years!
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MRCE wishes the Steuben Parade a Happy 60th Anniversary!

We're proud to be the work home of Robert Radske
2017 Steuben Parade General Chairman

Sony Center - Potsdamer Platz
Friedrichstadt Passagen
Hofgarten am Gendarmenmarkt
US Embassy in Berlin
The German-American Steuben Parade is run by a group of highly dedicated volunteers that work in committees with specialized tasks. They take care of the day-to-day business as well as the staging of the Steuben Parade in September.

We thank our dedicated committee chairpeople and their teams.

General Chairman Robert K. Radske *
Vice Chairwoman Nicole Miskiewicz *
Vice Chairman Herbert Seeff *

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<td>Hannelore Danz</td>
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<td>Marlene Schmidt, Miss Universe</td>
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<td>Felicitas Heinze</td>
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<td>William Kaisen, Mayor and President of the State of Bremen</td>
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<td>Evelyn Mayer</td>
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<td>Ms. Eleanor Dulles, sister of the late Secretary of State</td>
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<td>Erwin Teufel, Ministerpräsident of Baden Württemberg</td>
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<td>Nancy Schatz</td>
<td>Heide Simonis, Ministerpräsident of Schleswig-Holstein</td>
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2002  Geraldine Brand  Siegfried & Roy of Las Vegas
        Heiko Thieme, Portfoliomanager- Investment Banker

2003  Heidi Grajcar  Michael R. Bloomberg, Mayor of the City of New York
        Wolfgang D. Schrempp, Daimler Chrysler

2004  Christine Friedrich  Dr. Christoph-E. Palmer, Baden-Württemberg,
        State Minister for European Affairs
        John Roland, TV Personality, New York

2005  Rene Dobler  Judge Louis J. Freeh, Former Director of the FBI
        Wolfgang Ischinger, German Ambassador to the United States

2006  Nicole Radske  Carol Alt, Actress & Model
        Ole von Beust, First Mayor of the Free and Hanseatic City of Hamburg

2007  Christina Rom  Dr. Henry Kissinger, Former Secretary of State
        Dr. Klaus Scharioth, German Ambassador to the United States

2008  Melissa Gratzl  Col. Gail Halvorsen, "Candy Bomber" from the Berlin Airlift
        Ralf Möller, Hollywood-Star
        Duncan Niederauer, CEO of the New York Stock Exchange

2009  Virginia Kovak  Theobald Dengler, Co-Founder of the Steuben Parade
        Congressman Michael McMahon, 13th District, New York
        Christian Haub, CEO & Chairman of A&P
        Linda Schmidt, Fox 5 TV Reporter

2010  Stephanie Russel-Kraft  Dr. Michael Möller, Hofbräu, Munich, Germany
        Dr. Ruth Westheimer, Therapist, Author and Media Legend

2011  Denise Manukian  Dr. Peter Ammon, German Ambassador to the United States
        Hon. Ilse Aigner, German Sec. of Food, Agric. & Consumer Protection
        Erik Bittermann, Director General, CEO, Deutsch Welle
        Samatha Brown, Host of Travel Channel’s “Passport to Europe”

2012  Kirsten Mueller  Nik Wallenda, Acrobat, Aerialist, Daredevil, High Wire Artist, and Author
        Norbert Schramm, Olympic Figure Skater

2013  Kristina Kren  Christian Dinkelacker, Dinkelacker German Brewery
        Hon. Harald Leibrecht – German Parliament
        Werner Roth – U.S. Soccer Legend

2014  Stefani Kraker  John W. Muller, Journalist & News Anchor WPIX 11

2015  Samantha Hart  Contessa Brewer, Journalist & News Anchor NBC
        John D. Ratzenberger, Actor, Voice Overs
        Hon. Klaus Wowereit, Mayor of Berlin, Germany 2001 - 2014

2016  Rebecca Koehler  Katarina Witt, German National Champion Olympic Figure Skater
        Peter Wittig, German Ambassador to the United States

2017  Caitlyn Walsh  Heinz Buck, Former GACGNV President
        Admiral Manfred Nielson, German Navy

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**Bid Increments: $15**

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**Bid Increments: $25**

**RETAIL VALUE: $550**
**STARTING BID: $165**
**Bid Increments: $20**

**RETAIL VALUE: $500-$800**
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JUNGHANS Automatic Matt White Dial Date Numerals

- Case: Polished Stainless Steel, Flat Sapphire Crystal With Anti-Reflection Coating On One Side, Glass Back With Tinted Mineral Crystal, Four-Times Screwed Case-Back Water Resistant Up To 3 Bar
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- Stainless Steel Case With Fixed Stud, Crown And Strap And Stainless Steel Case
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JUNGHANS Ladies Quartz Matt-White Dial Date

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RETAIL VALUE: $400      STARTING BID: $120     Bid Increments: $20
JUNGHANS Form A - Automatic Matt Silver Dial 027/4731.00

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RETAIL VALUE: $2000      STARTING BID: $600       Bid Increments: $20
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  - Schladerer Kirschgewicht (Cherry) 375ml
  - Schladerer Himbeergeist (Raspberry) 375ml
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RETAIL VALUE: $1400      STARTING BID: $400       Bid Increments: $10
Swiss Clock Seller

- Clock Seller Walking, Rain Or Shine, From Village To Village Selling His Clocks; Sister Wielded Original Design (Hand-Hewn) Round-Topped Wooden Smoker.

RETAIL VALUE: $3000      STARTING BID: $1200      Bid Increments: $20
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Contessa Brewer
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Grand Marshal 2015

“I was very honored to join the Steuben Parade last year and was very proud to be Grand Marshal. I witnessed true friendship, friendly hospitality and endless fun which was celebrated between the German and American people. To walk the Parade was pure joy for me and to see all the fans cheering was heart warming. To get to the Oktoberfest I must admit, I had a blast taking the golf cart in the opposite direction on 5th avenue!!! From the bottom of my heart, I wish everyone on the team for the 60th Anniversary a memorable and cheerful time as I had last year!”

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