

CHILDREN'S CUSTOMS

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LATERN PARADE (LATERNENUMZUG SANKT MARTIN)

- Is celebrated 11.11
- Was a Roman soldier
- Patron saint of the poor
- was Bischoff for 30 Years
- Hid in the goose stable
- They are celebrating , singing and laughing
- One dresses up and rides on a horse and the children run with a lantern through the village



VIDEO



CHILD PEE (KINDPISSEN)

- After the birth of a child they celebrated by family and friends
- Stork , diapers , clothes are hung up
- The birth of the child is celebrated and they are giving presents
- Congratulations and health wishes for the family



KILMERSTUTEN

- 1.5 meters of white bread is brought to the family after half a year when the child was born
- The neighbors go to the family with the bread and with a sign where stand a name and the Birthday
- They are singing and celebrating
- People wear wooden shoes pink (girl), blue (boy) scarf and top cylinder (hat)
- After the people arrive to the family where the child was born , they are celebrating and eat the bread



THE END





FESTIVALS

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CHRISTMAS MARKET

WHERE? - IN ALMOST EVERY CITY AND MANY VILLAGES THROUGHOUT GERMANY

WHEN? - THEY OPEN AT THE END OF NOVEMBER OR BEGINNING OF DECEMBER AND END JUST BEFORE CHRISTMAS



CHRISTMAS MARKET

- CHRISTMAS MARKETS ARE A KEY PART OF THE HOLIDAY SEASON
- THEY ARE AN IMPORTANT PART OF GERMAN CULTURE
- THE MOST BEAUTIFUL AND WELL KNOWN CHRISTMAS MARKETS ARE IN HAMBURG, MUNICH, DORTMUND AND DRESDEN





CHRISTMAS MARKET

- THEY OFFER A VARIETY OF GOODS AND SERVICES, INCLUDING HANDMADE GIFTS, CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS, MULLED WHINE AND OTHER TREATS

- THERE ARE ALSO ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN

- THEY ARE KNOWN FOR THEIR FESTIVE ATMOSPHERE WITH BEAUTIFUL CHRISTMAS



SCHÜTZENFEST

- TRADITIONAL FOLK FESTIVAL IN A TENT
- > FEW WEEKS AFTER PENTECOST
- EACH LOCALITY HAS IT OWN SHOOTING CLUB
- UNIFORMS



SCHÜTZENFEST

-14 DAYS BEFORE: SHOOT
OUT OF THE CHILD
KING/QUEEN

-7 DAYS BEFORE: SHOOT OUT
OF THE ADULT KING/QUEEN



SCHÜTZENFEST



FRIDAY: FLAG RAISING

SATURDAY: MAIN DAY OF THE ADULTS
CHURCH IN THE MORNING - MARCH
THROUGH THE VILLAGE - FALLEN HONOUR -
BALL OF THE NEW „ROYAL COUPLE“

SUNDAY: CHILDREN DAY: MARSH -
ATTRACTIONS: BUMPER CARS, MERRY-GO-
ROUND OR MANY FOOD STANDS





OKTOBERFEST

- OKTOBERFEST IS A FESTIVAL WITH MUSIC, DANCING, FOOD AND ALCOHOL
- BARREL WITH BEER AND PRETZELS
- IS IN SEPTEMBER TO OCTOBER (18 DAYS)



OKTOBERFEST

- THAT'S AN WIESEN TENT WHERE THE PEOPLE CELEBRATE
- ALL AROUND THE WORLD PEOPLE CELEBRATE THE FESTIVAL, BUT IN GERMANY IS THE BIGGEST TENT ESPECIALLY IN MUNICH





OKTOBERFEST

- THE CLOTHES ARE SPECIAL
- MENS OFTEN WEARS LEATHER PANTS
- WOMAN WEARS DIRNDL



OKTOBERFEST VIDEO

KARNEVAL

- TRADITIONAL GERMAN CELEBRATION
- BEGINS 52 BEFORE EASTER
- ENDS WITH A CELEBRATION BEFORE ASH WEDNESDAY
- BEFORE FASTING SEASON OF LENT—>FOR RELIGIOUS PURPOSES
- IN SEVERAL DIFFERENT CHRISTIAN REGIONS
- ALLOWS TO HAVE A HUGE CELEBRATION, INDULGE, ENJOY AND EMBRACE





COSTUMES

PEOPLE OFTEN DRESSED IN BRIGHT, COLOURFUL 'SPRING' COSTUMES TO ACCOMPANY THE 'WILD CHARACTERS'



Thanks for watching!!!

Any questions ?



**KOHLESSEN
AND BOßELN**

**FROM MATHIS, STELLA AND
JESPER**

KOHLESSEN “EATING CABBAGE”

Herbal schnapps



potatoes

sausage

cabbage

HISTORY

19th century
the tradition started



North of
Germany



Cabbage was the only
vegetable that grew
in winter



Noble and rich merchants went with a horsecart to the local restaurant

HOW IS IT DONE TODAY?

Friendsgroups, sportteams
or workcolleagues walk to
the restaurant with a cart





KOHLKÖNIG “CABBAGE KING”

Who will be "Cabbage King"?:

- The one who ate the most
- The one who gained the most
- The one who didn't get up

What do you get as a cabbage king?

- A Necklace made of pig jawbones
- A chain from the community



BOBELN



BOßELN

About:

- traditional sport type in Germany
- two different teams
- september to march
- before the meal
- distance up to 6km

Goal of the Game:

- long distance
- many points



HISTORY

- Boßeln was invented by the East Frisians
- around 1600



END

MANY THANKS
FOR YOUR
ATTENTION!



A top-down view of a bird's nest made of dark brown twigs, resting on a lush green lawn. The nest contains several speckled eggs in shades of blue, pink, yellow, and light blue. A semi-transparent white oval with a thin white border is centered over the nest, containing the text "Easter in Germany".

Easter in Germany

A top-down view of a nest made of dark brown twigs, filled with several colorful Easter eggs in shades of pink, yellow, blue, and purple. The nest is placed on a lush green lawn. The background is slightly blurred, focusing attention on the eggs.

Introduction

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Easter Eggs

- **Essential part of the German Easter celebrations.**
- **Decored with bright colors and intricate designs (painting, dyeing, and waxing).**



- **Often hidden around the house or garden for children to find, (person who finds the most eggs wins a prize).**

Easter Eggs




Easter Bunny



- Beloved character in Germany, delivers Easter eggs to children.
- The Easter Bunny is a symbol of fertility and new life, as well as a harbinger of spring.
- Some German people even light bonfires on Easter Sunday to welcome the arrival of the Easter Bunny.

Easter Fires

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- A photograph of a nest made of twigs, containing several colorful Easter eggs in shades of blue, yellow, pink, and purple, resting on a bed of green grass.
- **Common tradition in Germany, especially in rural areas.**
 - **People gather around large bonfires on Easter Saturday to celebrate the end of winter and the start of spring.**
 - **The fires are often accompanied by music, dancing, and traditional food and drink.**

Easter Fires



<https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=983325161763565>

Easter Sunday



- Day of religious significance in Germany, with many people attending church services.
- Families gather for a festive Easter meal, typically featuring roast lamb or ham, potatoes, and vegetables.
- Dessert is often a sweet yeast bread called "Osterbrot," which is shaped like a bunny or a lamb.

Easter Sunday



A top-down view of a nest made of twigs, filled with several colorful speckled Easter eggs in shades of blue, pink, yellow, and orange. The nest is placed on a bed of green grass. A large, white, bold text "THE END" is superimposed over the center of the image, enclosed in a white rounded rectangular border.

THE END

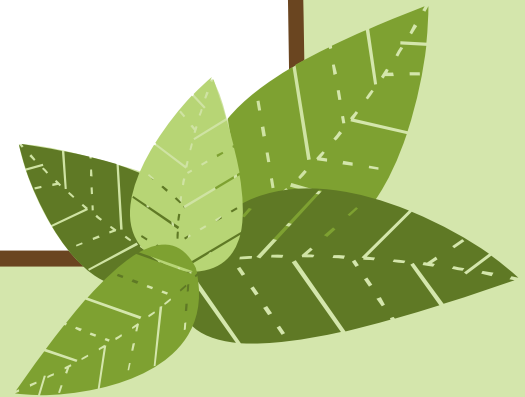


May and summer traditions

De Laura, Lena y Pia-Marie

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- Searching for a birch (cut down by hand)
- Decorate the tree and set it up
- Competition

- 30.04-01.05



Maibaum setzen



„Maigang“

- bike-tour / hand truck tour
- Drive / walk through town or landscape
- Breaks with activities
- Spending time together

- 01.05



Zeltlager

- Camping with kids/teenagers
- Task of the elders: get the pole
- Task of the youngest: present the „Wimpel“
- „Wimpelwache“ pennant guard
- Attacker = AAALLAAARRRRMM!!!



The END

