



IMCZ NEWS

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FUTURE EVENTS

Watch this column for a rolling forecast of IMCZ events and events to which IMCZ members are invited.

JANUARY 23 Tuesday 2001—ZIWC BF
Talk by Dianne Dicks
Congress Centre Metalli

JANUARY 27 Saturday 2001—IMCZ
Burns Night Supper
Landhaus

FEBRUARY 6 Tuesday 2001—IMCZ
Annual General Meeting
Landhaus

MARCH 21 Wednesday 2001—IMCZ
Visit—Fish Hatchery
Walchwil

MAY TBA 2001—IMCZ
Visit—Seleger Moor Rhododendron Park
Seleger Moor, Rifferswil

JUNE 17 Saturday 2001—IMCZ
Annual Barbecue
Sibrisboden

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space in future issues
for a rolling forecast
of IMCZ events*

BSCC— British Swiss Chamber of Commerce
ETZG— English Theatre Group of Zug
IMCZ— International Men's Club of Zug
ZIWC— Zug International Women's Club
ZIWCBF—ZIWC Business Forum

STAMMTISCH - EVERY THURSDAY
17.30 hrs to approx. 19.00 hrs Casino
Restaurant, Zug

**Happy
NEW YEAR
everyone**

IMCZ 2001 BURNS NIGHT SUPPER

*Saturday 27 January 2001
Apéro 19.00 hrs Dinner 20.00 hrs
Landhaus Baar*

Just when you thought you were free of the usual Christmas and New Year excesses, the IMCZ brings you, once again, the opportunity to indulge in a unique Scottish experience—the traditional BURNS NIGHT SUPPER.

Now in it's 5th year the IMCZ Burns Night Supper celebrates the memory of Scotlands national bard. Burns is to Scotland what Shakespeare is to England except a lot more earthy. His immortal memory is celebrated throughout the Scottish community worldwide and here in Zug we are no exception. Our event will run concurrently with thousands of other Burns Night Suppers as far a field as Glasgow, Zürich, Buenos Aires, Tokyo, Hong Kong, Jo'burg and St Petersburg. However, you certainly needn't be a Scot to come along and enjoy the occasion; Burns was a man of international spirit and so, the more eclectic our gathering the better.

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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Members are reminded of the Annual General Meeting which will be held on Tuesday February 6 2001 at the Landhaus, Baar.

STAMMTISCH

Please note that for the following dates the Stammtisch will be held in the downstairs bar of the Golden Dragon, Unteraltstadt 12, Zug.

Thursday 4 January 2001
 Thursday 8 February 2001
 Thursday 15 February 2001

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We have been experiencing a few teething problems with the IMCZ web site. These will be corrected within the next week or so and then hopefully you can look forward to an informative and worthwhile address with links to:

Swiss Railway
 Yellow Pages
 Casino
 Swiss weather in English
 ZIWC and the ETGZ

If you have any constructive comments or suggestions regarding the IMCZ web site then please contact Herbert CHANG at herbert.chang@tic.ch

DECEMBER PUZZLE

The answer to the December puzzle is dissappointingly simple.

The two journey times—two-and-a-half hours and 150 minutes are of course the same.

CHESS PLAYERS

A Club member is seeking a Chess enthusiast for the occasional game. If you are interested then please call Cliff SHRUM on 041-758 21 61

JANUARY PUZZLE

What is the four-digit number in which the first digit is one-third the second, the third is the sum of the first and second, and the last is three times the second?

RULES OF THE AIR

Always try to keep the number of landings you make equal to the number of take-offs.

Good judgement come from experience. Unfortunately, the experience usually comes from bad judgement.

IMCZ 2001 BURNS NIGHT SUPPER continued

In keeping with the very best traditions, all the essential ingredients will be going into our supper. The Chieften Haggis, freshly caught and carefully smuggled in from Scotland. Ceremony and artistic flavour will be added by readings from the works of Burns. And our resident Scottish musician will enchant you with a skirl o' the pipes to create the perfect atmosphere. All this with liberal doses of Scotch whisky to oil the proceedings.

So, if you wish to sample an authentic 'Taste of Scotland' with its humour and warm conviviality, be sure to register by return using the enclosed registration form. The four-course dinner, including apéro and a dram of whisky will cost a paltry Sfr 60 per head, a price at which not even the Scots themselves would balk!

Lastly we would ask that all those attending dress in keeping with the occasion—that is to say, jacket and tie, Scottish dress or your own national costume, which we would encourage. So those of you out there g to get on the lederhosen or to don the Morris dancing gear, now's the perfect excuse! We hope to see you there whatever the dress code you deem appropriate.

TO REGISTER COMPLETE THE ENCLOSED FORM AND RETURN IT TO BAS VEENENDAAL AS INDICATED. Closing date Wednesday 24 January 2001.

ZIWC BF Dianne Dicks

On Tuesday 23 January 2001 at the Park Hotel Congress Center. 19.00 hrs Apéro (Courtesy Bucher Balmer). 19.30 hrs Meeting

Guest Speaker: Dianne Dicks, founder and editor of Bergli Books, publisher of Swiss books in English.

Have you ever wanted to have a story published? Do you think books are expensive? Do we need books or bookstores anymore? Is the Internet and new technology a threat or a blessing for the reader seeking information? Can a book be your friend?

Dianne Dicks will give an insiders look into the exciting and changing world of books.

Over 10 years ago Dianne got into publishing in Switzerland by chance, into the risky, high investment, backbreaking business that has her smiling the way from Basel to Zug to tell us about it. Come and meet an entrepreneur who will convince you that sometimes impossible ideas can be successful.

To register please return the appropriate enclosure to Michele CUENI by 19 January 2001.

AFTERMATH OF FLORIDA

Two Palm Beach Floridians were driving to Disneyworld. After driving up I-95 for four hours they finally saw a sign that said 'Disneyworld Left'. So they turned round and went home!

The same two Floridians were standing on either side of the Intercoastal Waterway. One asked the other, 'How do I get to the other side?'

The other replied 'Stupid, you're already ON the other side!'

MEMBERSHIP INFO

Encourage a Friend to Join the IMCZ

Just send his name and address details to the Club Membership Secretary
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 and he will do the rest.

And Please

If you are relocating or if you change your address remember to advise Mike BENTLEY.

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