

IMCZ NEWS

FUTURE EVENTS

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

June 23rd ZIWC

6th ZIWC Golf Tournament

July 10th Saturday IMCZ Top Secret Military Visit

August 27th Friday IMCZ Official Celebratory Toast

September 19th, Sunday IMCZ Pro-Am Golf Tournament

IMCZ EVENTS IN BOLD

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

Your Next Event!

Top Secret Military Museum

Saturday, 10th July 2004 at 10:30am Festungsmuseum, Reuenthal

On **Saturday July 10**, we are organising a guided tour of the Fortress Reuenthal near Koblenz. The fortress was built in 1938 and had the task of helping to prevent a crossing of the Rhine by German troops in the region of the Weir of Albbruck. It was equipped with two 7.5 cm cannons and heavy machine guns. After World War II it lost significance in the light of rapid new developments in military tactics.

After 1988 the fortress was de-commissioned and a private association converted it into a museum with it's original armaments, equipment and quarters for 159 men. In some of the chambers, more than 200m inside the mountain, a very interesting exhibition of weapons and equipment of the Swiss and several other armies from the days of WW II is housed.

In the cosy little restaurant deep inside the fortress we have the opportunity to have lunch, military style—"Spatz aus der Gamelle"

We will meet at the entrance to the fortress some 250m from the car park at 10:30am. The drive from Zug is approx 75Km, so you should allow at least 90 minutes for the journey. (i.e. leave Zug before 9:00 am)

Total cost will be CHF 25.- per person and this includes entrance fee, lunch and drinks.

Directions: Zug—Wohlen—Lenzburg—Brugg—Koblenz

In Koblenz, cross the river Aare in the direction Basel. After approx. 2Km turn left to Reuenthal. Drive through the village and the car park is signposted on the left. Walk back to the small church and the fortress is signposted behind the church.

The numbers for this visit will be limited so please forward your registration with all haste to Joop Hubbeling.

More details are at www.festungsmuseum.ch/festungs





STAMMTISCH - EVERY THURSDAY evening, 17.30 till 19.00 hrs Casino Restaurant, Zug

Your next, next Event! Barbeque 2004

Sunday, June 6th Heuboden Hütte, Holzhausern

We are having our annual BBQ on Sunday June 6th again in the forest at the Heuboden in Hokhausern where we had so much fun last year.

The apéro will start at 13:00 and the grill will be fired up and ready at 14:00.

The cost per person for the food will be CHF 60.- and drinks throughout the afternoon will be at your own cost.

We decided to have it on a Sunday this year as it was thought that this would be a better time for members with younger families and we could take advantage of the fine weather in the afternoon. Although there will be nothing specifically organized for children, there is a play area to keep them amused.

We are having a change of caterer this year and will revert back to the caterers who did us proud when the BBQ used to be held in the forest in Aegeri.



Directions:

To get to Heuboden, drive to Holzhausern, turn at the roundabout towards the golf club and take the first turning left after the Restaurant Engel. Follow the signs to "Heuboden".

Please fill in the form and forward it with all haste to John Stuart. Numbers will be limited so make sure your reservation gets made as soon as possible.

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Coming soon.... Top Secret Military Visit

Negotiations are underway to allow members of IMCZ a chance to visit a Top Secret Military museum..

It is a fort that was built in time for World War II to prevent the German army crossing the Rhine into Switzerland.

The fort has been restored to the 1940 situation and the visit will be followed by a quick snack at the restaurant which is a former mess room that lies about 20 metres below the surface!!

Watch this space for further details.

Stag Night

A lot of members have signed up for the Stag Night **this Friday** at the Pulverturm in Zug.

The belly dancer has been booked, the wine ordered and everyone is looking forward to a great night.

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