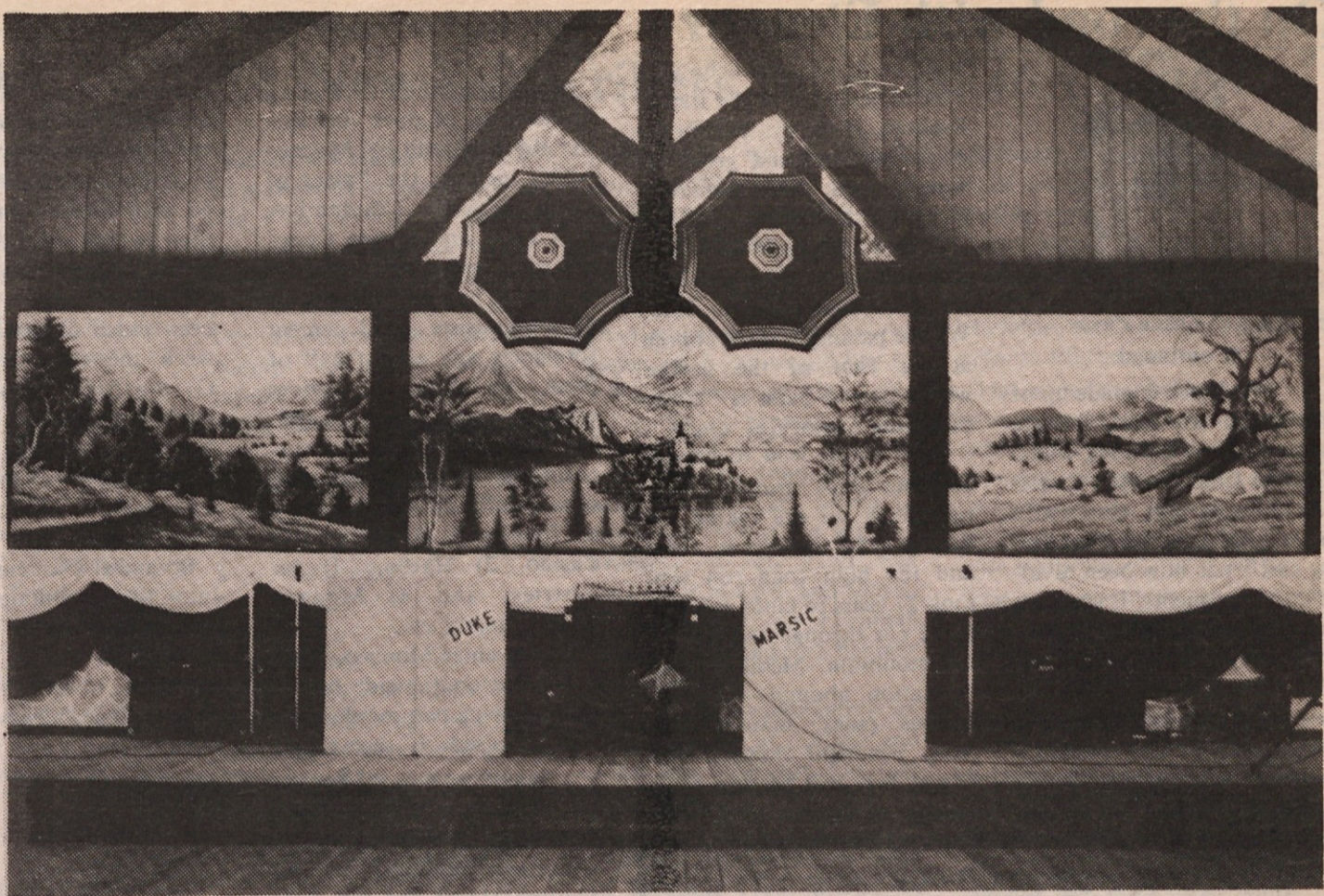


Slovenska Pristava at 25th Celebration



Slovenska Pristava marked their 25th anniversary with a big day at the grounds in Harpersfield, Ohio on Sunday, Aug. 25. At top, going counter-clockwise, are Joe Cerer and Josie Volcjak at the picnic table, part of the parade with the Slak brothers Tom and Bart, Pristava president Matej Roesmann and former president Paul Lavrisha, Tina and Tony Stepec at the picnic grounds, youngsters dressed in Slovenian costume, and the flags fluttering at the entrance to Pristava. (All photos by Mike Vrenko, Annie Lunder, and Ivan Hauptman).





Top, clockwise, are Prof. Cyril Žebot (Washington, D.C.), retired professor from Georgetown Univ., who gave the main address, the new dance pavilion with paintings by Slovenian artist Janez Povirk (which will remain permanently), a display of Slovenian folklore, Rudy Knez and the Korotan Singers, Matt Lončar, on horseback, carrying the United States of America flag, and a wagon drawn by Clydesdale horses pulling a wagon carrying persons in Slovenian costume. The largest crowd ever at Pristava witnessed the events which lasted from the morning Mass with Rev. Victor Tomc to the final notes by Fantje na Vasi and the Duke Marsic Orchestra.





by Eleanor Cerne Pavay
(Continued)

The beach is made up of gravel and not sand. We are passing a pink building which is called Englishman's Castle. It is a lovely pink castle with turrets that are curved on top. The castle has now been divided into apartments. It was here that the French film "Beauty and the Beast" was filmed. We are getting a wonderful view of the big bay. No wonder this area is a painter's paradise. It looks more like an Italian town and it should

since originally up to the year 1600 it belonged to the Italian Kingdom of Savoy. The Royal colors are red and green. It wasn't until 1870 that Italy became a unified country.

There is a big yacht belonging to Onasis in the harbor with a small helicopter on its deck. We are passing a small church at the foot of the harbor whose patron Saint is "Cvete of Monte Carlo."

Three roads lead to Monaco—one built around 1860; right now we are taking the middle road finished in 1934; and the high road (on top) took 27 years to build as it had to be cut through the side of the mountain. Mediterranean vegetation abounds—cypress, various pines, mainly olive trees, beautiful flowers. The Grand Prix will be held from May 8 to 10. It consists of

1,957 miles of treacherous roads.

The Principality of Monaco is made up of three districts: the old community of Monaco which includes the Palace of Grimaldi; the Condamine, port area; and Monte Carlo, the rock with the casino and hotels. The population of 27,000 consists of 83 percent foreigners and almost half of them are French. Natives number only about 4,000. Monaco is completely surrounded by France—one square mile all uphill. There are four levels: 1) Monte Carlo Casino, 2) Harbor; 3) Industries; and 4) Monaco resorts, hotels, etc.

As you enter Monaco, there is a pillar on the side of the road showing two monks with swords raised. It seems that

the King at that time with one of his men was trying to escape capture. They dressed as monks, got permission to enter the monastery, and upon entering immediately discarded their monk's habits, drew their swords and killed the two guards. This is the beginning of another reign. There had been much disagreement between the two families—the Grimaldis and the Ghibellines. The Grimaldi Family, present day rulers, are trying to prove claim of family ancestry back to Charlemagne.

Botanical Gardens are built into the mountanside. One cannot drive to the top of the rock and there are no elevators. Money is the same as in France; however, if you want to send a post card from

Monaco, you must get Monaco money. Princess Grace had been the best ambassador Monaco has ever had. There is a flag on the castle top signifying that the King is in residence. Along the shore is a Sporting Club where opening ceremonies are held for any event. The Beach Plaza Hotel is where most of the tennis people are staying. Monte Carlo means "Mountain of Carlo." Charles III needed money for his army and sold the area in 1860 to Napoleon for 4 million francs (\$6 million dollars today in US money). Charles later needed more money so he started a gambling casino. He also had 100 homes built which now are turned into apartments. Boulevard de Morelin is now a shopping street. Casino was built by the same architect who built Opera House in Paris, Garnier. We are now passing a Roman Catholic Church built by Charles III. There are no "hippies" in Monaco; it is one of the safest places in the world. However, we are cautioned about pickpockets and gypies.

Happy Birthday

Birthday Greetings to the following residents of the Slovene Home for the Aged who have birthdays in September:

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We are gathering an ancestral index on 3x5 cards containing full name, date and place of birth, full name of spouse, and date and place of death if applicable. All children should be listed on the back of the card along with birth and death information that is available. The name of the person submitting the information should be included on the front of the card in the lower left hand corner.

We ask everyone to submit a card for their parents. We would also like a card for each grandparent, if the information is known. Mail completed 3x5 cards to:

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11 New Subscribers to A.D. in August

Eleven new readers were added to the rolls of subscribers to the American Home newspaper during the month of August. Our campaign for new readers continues until Dec. 31 of this year. Look for special discount coupons printed from time to time in either the Slovenian or English sections. The breakdown of numbers for August is as follows:

3 — two times a week - U.S.
8 — Friday only
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11 — total

As of July, 1986 there was a yearly total of 141 new subscribers. That amount added to the 11 for August brings the total number of new

Recent Death

EMMA GALLIEN
Emma Gallien (nee Ursic), 83, died early Sunday morning, Aug. 31 at her Cleveland residence. She was the wife of Domenico, Sr. (Dominik); the mother of Domenico, Jr. (dec.); and the daughter of Jerny and Maria (nee Koren) Ursic who are both deceased. One brother and two sisters are living outside of the United States and three sisters are deceased.

She was born in Ravna, Slovenia and came to the United States in 1957. She had been employed as a custodial worker at the Aetna Cleaning Company. She was also a member of the St. Clair Pensioners.

The Funeral Mass was Wed., Sept. 3 at St. Vitus Church at 9:30 a.m. Interment at Calvary Cemetery. Friends called at the Grdina Funeral Home, 1053 E. 62 St.

subscribers to American Home to 152.

Thanks to all the new readers and those who sponsored them. We hope you enjoy the newspaper. If you have any ideas which may improve the paper, or if you would like to write, please let us know. We

New Births

Ivanka and John Yuko of Novelty, Ohio are proud to announce the birth of **Victoria Frances**, on July 22nd. She weighed in at 8 lbs. and 10 ozs.

Three year old **Elizabeth Ivana** is delighted with her new baby sister.

The happy grandparents are **Helen Majer** of Euclid and **John and Georgene Yuko** of Lyndhurst.

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Edward and Ann Marie Zalar of Pleasant Trail, Richmond Hts., O., announce the birth of a son **Edward** on Aug. 18.

The proud grandparents are **Julia and Frank Zalar** and **Edward Krasovec**, all of Richmond Hts.

Great grandparents are **Mr. and Mrs. Max Jerin** of Cleveland.

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On Aug. 26 with the help of the Willowick Paramedics, twin girls **Danielle and Rachel** were born one hour upon arrival at Hillcrest Hospital.

They are the daughters of **Mirko and Maria Kristanc** of Willowick, O. The twins are sisters of **Adam and Leah**.

Maternal grandparents for the 5th and 6th time are **Anton and Marica Lavrisha**.

Paternal grandparents for the 12th and 13th time are **Joseph and Frances Kristanc**.

Congratulations to all!

appreciate photos which may be of interest to our general reading public.

Since March of this year, we have increased the number of our pages on Friday by 50%. Therefore we need more articles to fill the space.

This paper thanks those who have been and are sending articles and photos. During *Slovenska Pristava's* 25th Anniversary on Aug. 24, although the editor and his wife were out of town taking their son to college, over 100 photos of the event were submitted for publication. This type of cooperation overwhelmed and amazed us to where we have made a stronger determined effort to help make this the best nationality paper in the country. We printed some *Pristava photos* last week, and more will be in today's paper. We will try our best to give you a good newspaper with emphasis on the Slovenian nationality heritage.

— Editor

49th Anniversary

A 49th wedding anniversary was celebrated by Frank and Lena Siewiorek on Aug. 20th. Congratulations to a great couple, from Emilee and Rikk Jenko.

Happy 40th

On Friday, Aug. 22nd, a surprise 40th birthday party was held at Sterle's Country House restaurant for Marie Azman, owner of Bella Donne' Creations on Glass Ave. Fifty guests helped her celebrate. Teresa Marie Vegh and Emilee Jenko were hostesses.

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Memo From Madeline



BY MADELINE D. DEBEVEC

Tercek Boys Are Height of Fall Fashion

Instead of using movie, television or other famous personalities to show off the new fall fashions for men this year, editors of *Esquire* magazine picked four young business professionals from New York City to model their wares.

And guess what four they chose? None other than the Tercek brothers, the sons of Al and Agnes Tercek of Hudson, Ohio.

The eight-page photo spread, featured in the magazine's September issue, includes a short paragraph of introduction on each brother before unleashing the quartet in a color-coordinated array of the latest autumn threads.

According to *Esquire*, the brothers Tercek include:

"The They-Pay-Me-to-Set-the-Trends-Suit — Tom is a producer and partner at Virgin Image, a film production company. His suits are the hippest, the most daring of the four — with strongly defined shoulders and an easy, less structured cut.

"The I've-Got-to-Be-Out-There-Every-Day Suit — John is a partner and vice president at American Realty Capital, a position that involves lots of

contact with clients. First impressions count. His suits can afford to be more stylish than brother Mark's — flashier but still refined — with a narrow, European cut and a more fitted body.

"The Don't-Bother-Me-I-Work-in-Creative Suit — Charlie, a copywriter at Needham Harper Worldwide, wears the most down-to-earth and least self-conscious suits, in heavier fabrics and with more casual, idiosyncratic accessories.

"The I-Work-on-Wall-Street Suit — Mark is an associate at a major New York investment-banking firm. With fine fabrics, loose cuts and natural shoulders, his suits are the most traditional of the four types. They may raise his colleagues' opinion of him, but are not likely to raise their eyebrows."

The Tercek boys were introduced at a special fall fashion luncheon, sponsored by *Esquire* for the media and fashion industry at the Four Seasons Restaurant in New York City in mid-August.

In addition to those four, the Tercek clan includes youngest son, Rob, who just returned home after spending a year in Kiel, Germany, on a

prestigious Fulbright Scholarship.

Only daughter Cindy Shimko didn't fall short in the talent department, either. She's a CPA and on the national medical consulting staff of Ernst and Whinney.

Dad Tercek, as most probably know, is an insurance executive and popular bandleader of the Al Tercek Orchestra. He just returned from a 10-day stay in Akron City Hospital after successful surgery.

He won't be playing drums for a while, but the orchestra continues to play all its engagements under the capable leadership of accordion and keyboard player Frank Mauer.

Mary and Bill Tomc Celebrate 45th Anniv.

On September 6th, Mary and Bill Tomc of Cleveland Heights will be celebrating their 45th wedding anniversary with their family. They are the parents of Dr. Jerome Tomc (Neurologist), Dr. Michael Tomc (Otolaryngologist), Richard (Attorney), Barbara Kilker (recently named "Outstanding Teacher of the Year" (Vermillion, Ohio), and Mary Ann Cipriano (R.N. and Licensed Midwife).

Their children together with daughters-in-law Dr. Linda Tomc and Joan Tomc Ph.D., sons-in-law Jack Kilker and Guy Cipriano, eight grandchildren, relatives, and their many friends extend to them sincerest best wishes for much happiness and good health. God bless you both for a job well done. Mary (nee Modic) and Bill are former St. Vitus Church parishioners.

Happy Retirement

Best wishes to Dorothy Stanonik of Bliss Ave., upon her retirement from the ANR Freight Systems Co. where she worked for 27 years as a switchboard operator. Just think of all the time you will have for traveling now, Dorothy! Good luck!

Mary and Cyril Grlic of Pompano Beach, Fla., enjoyed a trip to Juarez, Mexico and toured the Carlsbad Caverns in New Mexico. They report, "The caverns are fantastic and much bigger than Postojna's in Slovenia."

The American Slovene Club will meet on Monday, Sept. 8th at 7 p.m. at the Slovene Home for the Aged, 18621 Neff Rd. All members are urged to attend.

The Annual Benefit Card Party for the Slovene Home for the Aged, Neff Road, sponsored by the SHA Auxiliary, will be held on September 12 at St. Mary's School Cafeteria, starting at 7:00 p.m. Donation is \$2.50.

Tickets may be obtained by calling Ann Krajc, 481-2345, Tonia Grdina Hinkle, 531-6300 or Anne Ryavec, 731-5776.

The 6th Annual Old World Oktoberfest will be held at Geauga Lake on September 12, 13 and 14th.

Mr. and Mrs. Oktoberfest, **John and Maria Brodnick**, cordially invite everyone to celebrate with them. The **Joey Tomsick Band** will be performing all three days.

Contact the Brodnicks for tickets at 942-4747.

Fantje na Vasi, the popular Slovenian young men's choral group will be performing their annual concert on Saturday, Sept. 13 at the Slovenian National Home, 6417 St. Clair Ave. beginning at 7:00 p.m. For ticket information please call John Srsen 946-9607 or Mark Jakomin 289-2559.

Urbas-Bachna Engagement

John and Liz Urbas of E. 275th Street announce the engagement of their daughter Leslie to Rudy Bachna, son of Gilbert and Ann Bachna of Fairview Park.

The bride-to-be, a 1983 Euclid graduate, earned an associate's degree in early childhood education from Lakeland Community College. She is a teacher at Brownstone Day School in Lakewood.

Her fiance, a 1982 St. Edward graduate, attended Kent State University and Cuyahoga Community College. He is employed in contract sales by the Midland Hardware Co. in Lakewood.

An October wedding is planned.

Kushner-Smole Wedding

Marie J. Smole recently married David S. Kushner at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Cleveland. The Rev. Francis Sterk officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smole, 31821 Dickerson, Willowick. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Kushner of Wayne, Pa.

Nancy Thrasher of Chardon was honor attendant with bridesmaids, Josie Volcjak of Willoughby and Barbara and Patricia Kushner of Wayne, sisters of the bridegroom.

George Kushner of Louisville, Ky., served his brother as best man. Ushers were Frank Smole of Willowick, brother of the bride, Kurt Marks of Johnstown, Pa., and Demetrius Marousis of New Castle, Pa.

A reception at Slovenian Home in Cleveland honored the couple before a wedding cruise to the Caribbean. They are residing in Willowick.

The bride is a graduate of Cleveland State University and is an accountant. Her husband is a graduate of Washington and Jefferson College in Washington, Pa., and is a recruiter for Systemation Inc. in Beachwood.

The Holy Family Cancer Home Guild is sponsoring their Twenty-Sixth Luncheon-Card Party on Saturday, October 4, noon at Higbee downtown auditorium.

Luncheon tickets are \$8.00. Reservation deadline is September 20. Please contact Gertrude Hoddick at 522-1422, Ann O'Rourke at 237-8752 or Catherine M. Acker 621-5898.

All proceeds benefit the Holy Family Cancer Home.

Evelyn A. Majercik is leading a trip to Atlantic City November 28-30. Evelyn's popular trips always sell out fast. For reservations and further information contact Evelyn at 439-1825.

The Slovenian National Home, 5050 Stanley Ave. Maple Hts., O., is sponsoring their annual **Grape Festival Vinska Trgatev** on Sunday, Oct. 5 at the hall starting at p.m. Free admission.

Featured will be Joe Dusek's orchestra, Dan Petee and Orchestra, and West Park Button Box Band.

Besides wine tasting, there will be cheese and a bake sale.

Frances Nemanich and friend **Frank Faletic** were surprised by their families with a combined birthday party on Saturday, Aug. 23. The event was a class with caterers doing the cooking and serving. "No one wanted to go home," said Faletic. "The first one didn't leave until 2 a.m. It was a real blast."

Faletic was 80 years young and Frances Nemanich hit the three-quarter mark at 75. Frances was one of the leaders along with Rev. Victor Bara at last week's Bishop Bara motor coach trip from Cleveland to Michigan for the Labor Day weekend. Frances kept everyone on the trip entertained with her many humorous stories. She is one in a million and one of the liveliest persons on this earth. Congratulations to both.

Birthdays

Happy birthday to following celebrants:
Sept. 3 — Josie Godic, head cook of St. Vitus school cafeteria.
Sept. 8 — Ann Kern, assistant cook.

Most people are limited by their inability to appreciate others.

SPECIAL OFFER

The American Home ethnic newspaper is continuing a special promotion seeking new subscribers to the *Ameriška Domovina* newspaper. It will last until Dec. 31, 1986.

Between now and then, persons wishing to subscribe to the *Ameriška Domovina* for the first time (or have not been a subscriber for the last five years) can receive the paper at a ridiculously low price — just \$15.00 a year for the twice weekly or \$10.00 a year for the Friday (half English) edition.

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Emilee's Engaging Eye

American Home photographer Emilee Jenko was on the prowl for some good photographic subjects on Sundays, August 17 and 24. Here are the results of her investigation into Slovenian events in the Northern Ohio area:



Eddie Bucar, (left), plays the bass along with fellow band member (and leader) accordionist Ray Champa. Bucar was named Collinwood Slovenian Home Musician of the Year at their annual Homecoming on Aug. 24 at the Holmes Ave. Hall. Bucar can be heard weekdays on WELW radio during "Polka Drivetime." The Ray Champa Orchestra played for the Homecoming.



The Euclid Squeezeboxers were also entertaining at the Collinwood Home Homecoming on Sunday, Aug. 24.



The man with the happy smile and Hawaiian shirt is none other than John Habat at the Holmes Ave. event.



Slovenian Madame Jul predicts good news for Gene Drobnic at AMLA's Family Day picnic at the Recreation Center in Leroy Township on Sunday, Aug. 17. Madam Jul is really a lot of fun and often amazes persons with her calculated insights

Four-legged deer may 'tick' you off with 'Lyme' fever

Lyme disease was first described in 1976 in Lyme, Connecticut. It is caused by a bacteria carried by the deer tick, a small tick about the size of a freckle. The disease appears to be spreading, and has been reported in concentrations in New England from north of Boston along the Massachusetts coast through southern Rhode Island, southern New York, and as far south as Virginia; also in mid-Wisconsin and Minnesota; and in the Pacific northwest, in Oregon and Washington. The disease has appeared sporadically in other countries as well.

The disease usually strikes from May through August. Victims often are vacationers who have been in high grasses on beach dunes and in areas populated by deer.

Lyme disease has flu-like symptoms at first. There can be fever, headaches and muscle pain. One month later, a rash may appear, but not everyone gets the rash. Usually children do not get it, which is unfortunate because the rash is unique-looking and is a good clue as to whether you have the disease.

The rash usually appears on the extremities, often the thigh, and often there is only one lesion, which gradually enlarges into a doughnut-like shape, red on the outside and clear on the inside. The lesion can get as large as one foot in diameter, and may burn or itch. If untreated, the disease can progress to meningitis-like symptoms with headaches, a stiff neck, sensitivity to bright light, and paralysis of facial nerves. Next may come such arthritic symptoms as joint pain and swelling. Finally, and rarely, there may be heart block, a condition manifested by palpitations of the heart, chest pain or fainting spells.

Lyme disease is treatable at the rash stage with antibiotics, although doctors are currently determining which antibiotics

are most effective. Tetracycline seems to be the best so far, but it cannot be given to children under seven because it stains their permanent teeth. The next best drug seems to be oral penicillin. For young children who are allergic to penicillin erythromycin has been used, but it doesn't appear to be very effective. Studies are now under way to find better treatments.

You can protect yourself against Lyme disease by taking a few precaution. The organism isn't found in sand or water, so you're safe if boating or swimming. But if

you will be in high grass on sand dunes, or in brush or wooded areas populated by deer, wear a long-sleeve shirt, long pants, and tuck your pant cuffs into your socks.

Wear light clothing so you can see the ticks and brush them off. Try to shower every day if you're in an endemic area, because then if the tick gets on your skin, it often doesn't attach itself right away. And if it is attached, it doesn't always transmit the bacteria immediately. You may be able to wash it off before there is any chance of infection.



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Godic Anniversary

Sept. 14 — Frank and Josie Godic will mark their 40th anniversary. They are a wonderful couple, dedicated to the success of St. Vitus Parish. Best wishes and congratulations to all.

Get well wishes to Frank Godic who underwent surgery on Tuesday, Sept. 2nd.

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SLOVENIAN MORNING NEWSPAPER



Slovenska Pristava, Slovenian recreation area in Harpersfield Ohio celebrated its 25th anniversary on Sunday, August 24. There were religious services, parades, speeches, music, food and the largest crowd ever - to make the day perfect. More photos of the day's activities are on pages 6 and 7.

Chocolate Lover's Dreams come true here

Attention: Chocoholics and those with an insatiable sweet tooth! The Chocolate Affair is coming to tempt Greater Clevelanders with confections, contests, sweet treats, and fun for everyone.

The Chocolate Affair will be held in Tower City Center's Skylight Concourse from September 26 through September 28. Festival hours are: Friday, Sept. 26, 5 - 9 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 27, 11 a.m. - 9 p.m.; and Sunday, Sept. 28, 11 a.m. - 6 p.m. Admission is \$1 per person — free for children under six years of age.

The style of the weekend is definitely 1950s, and the Skylight Concourse will be filled with activities to tickle the palate, test the chefs, delight the dancers, and captivate the kids. Some of the events planned for The Chocolate Affair are the following:

- The World's Largest Soda Fountain: Ice cream

lovers will be enticed by this enormous soda fountain, dispensing chocolate-intensive floats, sodas, sundaes, and all of the treats that made the soda fountain the place to take your favorite date in the 50s. This record-setting soda fountain will be open throughout The Chocolate Affair and is part of the record-breaking activities that will take place during this special United Way BalloonFest Weekend.

- On Saturday, there will be a competition to find "The Best Chocolate Chip Cookie in Town." One hundred Greater Cleveland area bakers will compete to determine who bakes the better cookie. Celebrities, food professionals, and a few kids — our real cookie experts — will be the judges. The first prize is a trip to the Bahamas. Anything goes for this contest, as long as there are chocolate chips or chunks in the cookies.

- "The Ultimate Chocolate Dessert" competition: Cleveland's best restaurants will vie with one another to capture first place with the best professional chocolate dessert. The contest is open to any Cleveland area restaurant, and any type of chocolate dessert is eligible — from pies

to pudding, from tortes to truffles. These experts' chocolate creations will be judged by other food professionals.

- On Saturday and Sunday nights, there will be 50s-style rock 'n roll entertainment. Those attending are invited to polish their saddle shoes, shake out their poodle skirts, fluff up their ponytails, and come in 50s style and mood, ready for dancing.

- On Sunday, the experts will demonstrate how they create irresistible chocolate desserts and treats. Throughout the weekend, special chocolate confections and chocolate novelties will be for sale.

- Children will find this weekend especially inviting. On Sunday afternoon, they can see the wonderful film, "Willie Wonka and the Chocolate Factory," starring Gene Wilder.

- On Saturday and Sunday, children will be entertained by story tellers, clowns, and a magician who promises to make chocolate disappear in very special ways.

The net proceeds of the Chocolate Affair will go to benefit the United Way.

Coming Events

Saturday, Sept. 6

Annual AMLA Clam & Steak Bake at AMLA Recreation Center, Leroy, Ohio.

Friday, Sept. 12

Card Party sponsored by Slovene Home for the Aged Auxiliary at St. Mary School Auditorium on Holmes Ave.

Saturday, Sept. 13

Fantje Na Vasi Concert at Slovenian Home on St. Clair.

Monday, Sept. 15

Meeting of Slovenian National Art Guild, 7:30 p.m. at Recher Hall. Talk on Slovenian herbs (zelišče) by Judy Strauss of Ohio State Univ.

Sunday, Sept. 21

West Park Slovenian Home Boosters Dance with Jeff Pecon Orchestra.

Sunday, Sept. 21

D.S.P.B. Pilgrimage to Frank, Ohio. For reservations call Lojze Bajc at 486-3515 or V. Rozman 881-2852, or M. Kokal 851-4901.

Sept. 26 - 28

Chocolate Affair in Cleveland's Tower City Skylight Concourse.

Sunday, Sept. 28

St. Clair Rifle Club Clambake at farm on Ravenna Rd.

Sunday, Sept. 28

St. Vitus Altar Society, Chicken or Roast Beef Dinner in St. Vitus Auditorium.

Saturday, Oct. 4

P.S.W.A. Circle Three 50th Anniversary dinner dance at Slovenian Society Home, 20713 Recher Ave.

Sunday, Oct. 5

Canada's Polka King, Walter Ostanek, will perform at the Slovenian Society Home on Recher Ave from 7 - 11 p.m.

Sunday, Oct. 5

Vinska Trgatev at Maple Heights Slovenian National Home, 5050 Stanley Ave. Admission free.

Saturday, Oct. 18

Glasbena Matica Dinner Dance and Concert. Don Slogar Orchestra plays music for dancing.

Saturday, Oct. 18

Newburgh, Maple Hts. Slovenian Pensioners Club dinner dance at Slovenian National Home, E. 80th St.

Sunday, Oct. 19

Arts and Crafts Show and Sale sponsored by Slovenian American National Art Guild at Slovenian Society Home, Recher Ave., from noon to 6 p.m. Free admission.

Sunday, Oct. 26

The Slovenian Singing Society Zarja will be celebrating their 70th Anniversary with a Banquet Concert Dance. The Ray Polantz Orchestra is featured.

Sunday, Oct. 26

Clam Bake or Steak Roast sponsored by Slovenian Home, E. 80th St., Newburgh beginning at 2 p.m. Music by Vadnals at 4 p.m. For tickets call 641-9072.

Sunday, Oct. 26

Slovenian Women's Union Branch 50 55th anniversary dinner with music and enter-

tainment, 3 p.m. at Collinwood Slovenian Home.

Saturday, Nov. 8

Jadran Singing Society Concert-Dinner-Dance at Waterloo Hall.

Sunday, Nov. 9

West Park Slovenian Home 4th Boosters Dance with Ray Champa's Orchestra.

Sunday, Nov. 9

Fall Program sponsored by Circle No. 2, SNPJ.

Thursday, Nov. 27

Tony Petkovsek's 25th polka show featuring 25 bands at St. Joseph High School on E. 185 and Lake Shore Blvd.

Friday, Nov. 28

4th Annual Thanksgiving Dinner Reunion of the Iron Range at Collinwood Slovenian Home.

Friday, Nov. 28

Dinner-Dance at Slovenian National Home on St. Clair sponsored by Tony's Cleveland Slovenian Radio Club.

Sunday, Nov. 30

Multi-cultural Slovenian show in Euclid staged in cooperation with United Slovenian Society for benefit of the Slovene Home for the Aged.

Friday, Dec. 5

Slovenian American Heritage Foundation sponsors "Reunion with Bishop Pevec" at Borromeo Seminary.

Saturday, Dec. 6

Slovenski Dom No. 6, AMLA 75th Anniversary Dinner Dance at the Slovenian Society Home on Recher Ave. Music by Joe Fedorchak.

SHA Card Party set for Sept. 12 in Coll.

Coming! Coming! The Annual Card Party sponsored by the Slovene Home for the Aged Auxiliary will be held on Friday, Sept. 12 at 7 p.m. at St. Mary's School Cafeteria, 15519 Holmes Ave.

Final plans have been formulated and all we need now is for you and your friends to help us make this another successful event. Donation for the card party is \$2.50, and tickets may be secured from President Anne Ryavec, 731-5776, Co-chairpersons Anne Krajc, 481-2345, or Tonia Grdina Hinkle, 531-6300, or for those of you residing in the St. Clair Avenue neighborhood from Treasurer Emilee Jenko, 431-6224.

The merchants on East 185 Street have been most generous with very good prizes for our drawings. Those of you who attended last year's card party know what worthwhile gifts were distributed.

Because of the generosity of painters Justine Skok and Enika Zulic who donated beautiful original paintings, Ann Krajc who donated a hand-crochet afghan, another afghan donated by a friend, and a \$50 basket of cheer

donated by Carolyn Budan, we are holding a separate drawing for these items. Tickets are \$1 each and winner need not be present for this drawing which will be drawn the night of the card party. Please call Anne Ryavec, 731-5776 for the name of the person closest to you who has these tickets to sell. Tickets may also be purchased at the office of the Slovene Home for the Aged on Neff Rd.

The proceeds from the card party and separate drawing will be used to buy a large VCR for the use of the residents of the Home. Plan to help us make this worthwhile project attainable. You will enjoy the atmosphere and even if you don't play cards there will be some other entertainment available. We look forward to seeing you!

Eleanor Pavey, publicity

Art Guild Sets Date for yearly Craft Show

The Slovenian American National Art Guild will hold their annual Artists and Crafts Show and Sale on Sunday, Oct. 19 at the Slovenian Society Home, Recher Ave., Euclid from noon to 6 p.m.