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OKTOBERFEST-INSPIRED ENTERTAINMENT **ON TAP FOR HOME & GARDEN SHOW**

NEW January Dates • NEW Venue • NEW Admission Price • FREE Parking

EUCLID, OH—The 67th annual Cleveland Home & Garden Show *presented by the community hospitals of Cleveland Clinic* January 22-31, 2010 at the Great Lakes Expo Center in Euclid, Ohio will swell with the sounds, pride and gusto of an Oktoberfest celebration. This year's Show tribute to Germany includes an authentic **Oktoberfest Dining Hall** with a 10-day performance line-up of original German and Bavarian entertainment.

The Great Lakes Expo Center located across from Euclid Square Mall at **1200 Babbitt Road** is the new permanent home for the annual Home & Garden Show *presented by the community hospitals of Cleveland Clinic*. Relocating the Show to the 215,000 square-foot convention facility enabled Cleveland, Ohio-based Show Producer Expositions, Inc. to extend the Show to a 10-day January engagement with free parking and the lowest admission price in the event's history.

After strolling through the German-themed gardens, visit the Entertainment Stage within the **Oktoberfest Dining Hall** to experience a festive tradition unique to the Bavarian culture. For centuries, Munich, Germany has annually hosted a 16-day food and music festival known around the world as Oktoberfest. The celebration of the country's finest German brews, cuisine and entertainment will be captured at this year's Home & Garden Show.

Adorned with a traditional glockenspiel clock tower, the entertainment Stage will perpetuate the German heritage through song and dance. Don't miss the show stopping "slap dancers" **Schuhplattler und Trachtenverein Bavarian** as well as the lively **Cleveland Saxon Dancers**. Authentic alphorn aficionado **Laura Nelson** and famous accordion player **Fred Ziwich** and his "International Sound Machine" will also make an appearance. The E.O.U.V. Gottscheer Club will share two of their outstanding performance troupes to the stage, including the **Gottscheer Hematchor** choir and the **Gottscheer Tanz und Spielkreis** dance group.

Laura Nelson

An eminent alphorn soloist, Laura Nelson began studying the French horn at age ten and holds a degree in music from Baldwin-Wallace College Conservatory. The alphorn, although primarily a Swiss instrument, is widely appreciated in Germany creates haunting, natural harmonics. The alphorn is 11 feet 6 inches in length and constructed of Swiss Spruce, then wrapped with rattan for strength. Performing with such groups as the Erie Philharmonic, The Cleveland Singers and both the Erie Opera Orchestra and Erie Ballet Orchestra, Laura Nelson has also collaborated with composer David Huntsinger. Laura attended the Swiss School for Alphorn in Schoenried, Switzerland where she studied with the noted alphorn soloist William Hopson and the renowned teacher Fritz Frautschi.

Fred Ziwich

Entertaining each day of the Cleveland Home & Garden Show *presented by the community hospitals of Cleveland Clinic* will be Grammy Nominated Musician, Fred Ziwich. Fred and his "International Sound Machine" are also known locally as the most nominated band and musicians by the members of the

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National Cleveland-Style Polka Hall of Fame in Euclid. Because of his contributions and performances of German and Austrian Music in the Cleveland area, he was selected as the "German American Citizen of the Year" for 2007 by the Stadtverband (German Federated Societies). Come and hear your favorite German melodies on the Entertainment Stage and ask for requests!

Cleveland Saxon Dance Group

The Cleveland Saxon Dance Group has captivated and charmed audiences through German-inspired dance for more than 30 years. Clad in full authentic dress, the group performs year round at various German functions and fundraisers throughout the Cleveland area. Show guests will be treated to energetic German folk dancing, including the fan favorite polka and the graceful waltz.

Schuhplattler und Trachtenverein Bavaria

Dressed in traditional Lederhosen, the Schuhplattler und Trachtenverein Bavaria "slap dancers" have honed and perfected the art of German dance for the past 70 years. S.V.T. Bavaria have performed Schuhplattling all over the United States, Canada and Europe. The group has been awarded many honors for their German dance routines, including seven gold medals at Gaufest in Washington, D.C. The talented and fun-loving entertainment group continues to grow by incorporating a young children's and teenage dance group as well as singers and instrumentalists.

Gottscheer Heimatchor Choir and Gottscheer Tanz und Spielkries Dance Group

The oldest Gottscheer organization in North America, The Gottscheer Club of Cleveland is bursting with German pride, tradition and culture. The organization's purpose is to preserve, teach and promote the Gottscheer musical heritage through performance. Guests at the Home & Garden Show will experience the triumphant sounds of the Gottscheer Heimatchor choir and the energetic moves of the Gottscheer Tanz und Spielkries dance group at the Oktoberfest Dining Hall.

General Information

The 67th Annual Cleveland Home & Garden Show *presented by the community hospitals of Cleveland Clinic* takes place January 22-31, 2010 at the new Great Lakes Expo Center in Euclid, Ohio. Located at 1200 Babbitt Road across from Euclid Square Mall, the 215,000-square-foot convention center offers 10 acres of free, well-lit parking and direct highway access to I-90, I-271 and Rt. 2.

\$9 advance tickets are available at Discount Drug Mart, the Show's official Advance Sale Ticket Source, beginning January 4, 2010. General admission tickets at the door are \$12.00. Kids 12 years and younger are admitted free daily.

Euclid, Hillcrest, Huron, South Pointe, and Marymount hospitals are the official healthcare sponsors of the Home & Garden Show. Dedicated to better health care through partnering, the Cleveland Clinic and its Regional Hospitals have combined the area's best neighborhood hospitals with the world-class care of the Cleveland Clinic. This world-class organization comprises nine community hospitals, including Euclid, Hillcrest, and Huron on Cleveland's East Side and South Pointe and Marymount south of Cleveland.

Royal Prestige[®] Health Craft[®] is the official waterless greaseless induction cookware of the Home & Garden Show *presented by the community hospitals of Cleveland Clinic*.

Nature Stone[®] is the official stone and epoxy flooring of the Home & Garden Show *presented by the community hospitals of Cleveland Clinic*.

For more information on the Show, call 800.600.0307 or visit www.homeandflower.com.

New Show Dates & Hours:	Friday, January 22	11:00am – 9:00pm
	Saturday, January 23	10:00am – 9:00pm
	Sunday, January 24	10:00am – 6:00pm
	Monday - Thursday, January 25-28	11:00am – 9:00pm
	Friday, January 29	11:00am – 9:00pm
	Saturday, January 30	10:00am – 9:00pm
	Sunday, January 31	10:00am – 6:00pm
	• Closing Night Plant Sale •	7:00pm – 8:00pm

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