



POLISH-AMERICAN SOCIETY

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Welcome to the May 2023 PAS "Wiadomości". Summer is almost here, and we have a few announcements we would like share with you.

- **SATURDAY, JUNE 10 – FAMILY HOLIDAY AND 45TH ANNIVERSARY OF PAS**

This year's Family Holiday will be celebrated together with the 45-th anniversary of our Polish American Association. We warmly invite all PAS members to Shelby Farms Park on Saturday, June 10, at 3 PM. We will meet at reserved Pavilion #3 near the stables. We will provide BBQ and pizza for everyone. We have planned contests and Games for children and adults. There will also be a quiz about the history of our organization with valuable prizes.

Please bring folding chairs and a good sense of humor. **We kindly ask you to inform us about the number of adults and children attending**, so we can prepare accordingly.

- **JURAND'S FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP FOR STUDENTS**

The 2023 Scholarship Competition has already begun. In May, we sent correspondence regarding the competition along with the topics prepared by the Scholarship Council. We would like to express our sincere thanks to the Council members: Ania Kaminska, Grazyna Mustwiłło, Joanna Stępniewski i Jacek Dutkiewicz, for their help in organizing the competition. We wish good luck to all the students!

- **GERMANTOWN INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL**

After a few years' break, the GIF will be organized again on August 19th at the Agricenter International, where Poland will be represented by our organization. We invite all those interested in helping to organize the Polish booth and exhibition about Poland to contact Magda Mazur at 901 258-6504 or Danka Zabielski at 901 216-7963. Talented people who would like to create and participate in a 10-minute cultural presentation on the Agricenter stage (dance, singing, etc.) are also requested to contact Magda or Danka.

We cordially invite you to participate in the traditional Parade of Nations opening the International Festival – if possible, in regional Polish attire or other national costumes.

- **POLISH LANGUAGE LESSONS**

The second semester ended on May 22nd with a solemn award ceremony for participation and prizes for diligent students.

Polish language classes take place on Mondays and Tuesdays at the Bert Ferguson Community Center in Cordova, in three groups based on age and language proficiency level. For more information, please contact Magda Teodorowicz at magdalenateodorowicz@yahoo.com

- **JUNE 4TH – FREEDOM AND CIVIL RIGHTS DAY**

On this special day of the Republic, we wish our Country and fellow citizens better days in the respect of law and freedom. May our

- **100th BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION**

We wish the Honorary Member, Dr. Jerzy Jurand, on the occasion of his Hundredth Birthday a lot of good health, joy and sunny days only. Warm wishes from all of us.

- **CHRISTMAS EVE - 2023**

The traditional Polish Christmas Eve will be organized this year on Saturday, December 9th. The earlier date is due to not receiving a reservation for a later date.

- **NEWS**

In order for our Polish newspaper to better fulfill the role of an informant in the community, we ask for help in editing it by sharing with us various information that concerns us, that can help us, or facts that we should know.

2023 CALENDAR OF PAS EVENTS

April	May	June
		June 10- Family Day and PAS Anniversary Celebration
July	August	September
	August 19 - Germantown International Festival	16 September Autumn picnic 29-1 Camping

October	November	December
October 29 - Board Election Meeting	November 11 - Polish Independence Day	December 9 -Polish Christmas Eve