



German American Social Club of Cape Coral, Fla. Inc.

How to become a member of The GASC

Our club is open to all persons without regard to race, creed, culture or ethnic background. The purpose of the GASC is to promote good fellowship and provide its members with the opportunity for group enjoyment of activities based on the traditional celebrations of German social life.

Membership is acquired through sponsorship.¹ Please be sure your sponsor prints and signs their name on your application. Both sides of the application must be completed. A \$50.00 per person initiation fee must accompany your application. Check or cash is acceptable. Once we receive your completed application someone from our New Membership Committee will contact you to explain the application process and the membership requirements.

A Temporary Membership Card will then be issued. You may pick up your card at the ticket desk at the entrance to the club. Your membership dues will be required at this time.² Please remember to present your Temporary Membership Card when attending club functions.

The GASC has many committees that serve the club in various ways. You will be invited to serve on one of the committees. Someone from the New Membership Committee will be explaining the various volunteer opportunities available to you.

As a new member, you will be formally introduced to the club during an Induction Ceremony at a General Meeting. The Induction Ceremonies are held quarterly, in February, May, August, and November. During the ceremony you will receive your permanent GASC Membership Badge, a copy of our Bylaws, and our Club Directory. Once your membership is endorsed by our Board of Directors, an invitation will be mailed to you with the date and time details of your Induction Ceremony.

We are certain that you will feel very comfortable joining our many social functions, events and festivals. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

¹ If you do not have a sponsor, someone from the New Membership Committee will contact you for a sponsor assignment. Please call our office at 239-283-1400 Monday thru Friday between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. for referral to a committee member.

² Annual Dues are \$50. However, first year's dues will be prorated to the month you join.