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Press Release

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This year, the German-American Club Kaiserslautern (DAC KL) as part of its traditional donation program once again supported local organizations and projects that are particularly committed to strengthening German-American friendship. Granting donations have been an integral part of the DAC KL's work for many years. In doing so, the DAC KL sets a visible example of the coexistence between Americans and Germans in the West Palatinate region and contributes to a vibrant partnership between the cultures.

At the donation ceremony held at the Work and Social Education Center (ASZ), the board and members of the DAC KL presented donation checks to several organizations in Kaiserslautern and the region.

The ISG Enkenbach-Alsenborn, the Albert Schweitzer Gymnasium, and the youth program of the Association of German-American Clubs (VDAC) received support for their student exchange programs.

The Pfennigbasar, which the DAC KL organizes every spring and whose proceeds primarily generate the funds for the donations, would not be possible without the tireless support of local organizations. Therefore, the ASZ and the Friends of the Catholic Parish of St. Martin were also considered in the donation allocation.

The preservation and maintenance of the Kindergraves at the Kaiserslautern main cemetery and the organization and implementation of the annual Kindergraves ceremony are another focus of the DAC KL. While the Kindergraves do not receive much attention in the German public, they are of great importance to our American fellow citizens. Teachers and students of the Burg-Gymnasium, together with the Sergeant Morales Club, have made it their mission to maintain the graves. The Protestant Church District of the Palatinate has been actively involved in the Kindergraves ceremony for a very long time. Their commitment was also recognized during the donation award ceremony.

The United Service Organizations (USO), a cooperation partner of the DAC KL, and the Emergency Relief Fund for Families were also recognized last Thursday.

"It is a particular concern of the members of the DAC KL to actively shape the coexistence of Germans and Americans in our region," emphasized the club's president in his address. "Only when people from different countries and cultures meet and spend time together do they begin to comprehend each other. This creates friendships. Even if you do agree on everything, you can at least understand and accept the other person's arguments, which ultimately leads to tolerance. Our activities and donations help with this."

With the donation presentation on August 28, 2025, the club demonstrates once again that transatlantic friendship means more than just words, but concrete actions.



From left to right: Mr. Keim (Emergency Relief Fund for Families), Pfarrer Eisfeld (Protestant Church District of the Palatinate), Mrs. Neugebauer (ASZ), Mr. Lewark (Friends of the Catholic Parish of St. Martin), Mr. Vollmer (ASZ), Mrs. Faber (Board member DAC KL), Mr. Balzlat (President DAC KL), Mr. Boor (Friend of the Burggymnasium), Mrs. Leonhard (USO), Mr. Weis (Burggymnasium), Mrs. Kreckel (Board member DAC KL), Mrs. Jorzick (ISG Enkenbach-Alsenborn), Mr. Busch (Albert-Schweitzer-Gymnasium)

About the German-American Club Kaiserslautern (registered association)

The German-American Club is a registered association that exclusively pursues charitable purposes. We are a traditional club in Kaiserslautern dedicated to bringing Germans and Americans together through the activities of our club and to promote friendship between the people of Germany and the United States.

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