

UTSA German bei Wurstfest am 10. November 2022

Meet here 5:30 and/or 6:30



[Wurstfest](#) pays homage to the rich German heritage of Central Texas. The festival borrows from the world-famous Oktoberfest and adds a Texas twist, for example, by serving Wurst tacos since 1969.

Students are encouraged to carpool from San Antonio to New Braunfels and explore the fairgrounds together. Activities include dancing to live polka music, shopping for silly hats, viewing the beer bottle collection at the Spass Haus, and eating together at the traditional Biergarten benches.

Date: Thursday, Nov. 10, 2022

Cash stipend: Up to 15 UTSA students will receive \$20 to use towards food, parking, and gas. To qualify for the stipend, students must be enrolled in a German class or have a meaningful German connection.

Meet Dr. D at 5:30pm and/or 6:30pm in the back of das kleine Zelt (#1 on the [map](#)) to join the group and get your cash stipend. We'll be free to wander together after that or reconnect using GroupMe.

Sign up and carpool contact exchange: [Wurstfest signup](#)

Dr. D Contact: devon.donohue-bergeler@utsa.edu / **Group Contact:** [UTSA German GroupMe](#)

Language benefits: We'll converse in D'English (a mix of German and English) to include students at the beginner level. This mirrors how international students converse in German university settings. Students at the intermediate and above levels can speak exclusively in German. In addition, we will analyze what elements of the festival are German or German-inspired, and where the Texas twist comes in.

Suggested Band Schedule:

5:30pm @ Das kleine Zelt (#1 on the [map](#)): Mollie B with Squeezebox and Ted Lange

6:50pm @ Das grosse Zelt (#11 on the [map](#)): Die Bayrischen HiataMadln

7:50pm @ Stelzenplatz (#15 on the [map](#)): Chardon Polka Band