

Friends of the Max Kade Institute Annual Meeting 2023
Monroe, Green County, Wisconsin
Saturday, May 6, 2023

We invite you to join us for the 2023 annual meeting of the Friends of the Max Kade Institute in Monroe, Green County, Wisconsin, located in the center of Swiss-German immigration and culture in the state. We will hold our meeting at the historic Turner Hall, where we will enjoy a Swiss buffet lunch in the Rathskeller Restaurant, followed by presentations on “The Swiss in Green County—Past and Present,” (Hans Bernet and Karen Fowdy) and “The Swiss Center of North America” (Greg Long) as well as a performance of Swiss traditional music. Our day will continue with rotating private tours of the National Historic Cheesemaking Center (museum guides) and the Historic Green County Courthouse and Square (docent Noreen Rueckert). Friends who wish to stay a little longer, are invited to an informal gathering at Baumgartner’s Cheese Store and Tavern afterwards.



- 11:00 – 12:00 **Turner Hall, 217 17th Ave, Monroe, Wisconsin**
 — Registration
 — Annual Business Meeting of the Friends (cheese trays, beverages, cash bar)
- 12:00 – 12:15 Socializing; Board of Directors Meeting (election of officers)
- 12:15 – 1:00 Swiss Buffet Lunch
- 1:00 – 2:30 Program at Turner Hall
- 3:00 – 5:00 **Tours:**
 — **National Historic Cheesemaking Center, 2108 6th Ave, Monroe**
 — **Historic Green County Courthouse and Square, 1016 16th Ave, Monroe**
- after 5:00 Informal gathering at **Baumgartner’s Cheese Store and Tavern, 1023 16th Ave, Monroe**

COST per person: Tours: \$8, Swiss Lunch Buffet: \$30

PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED by Friday, April 21, 2023
Please register online at: <https://mkifriends.org/annual-meetings/>

Or fill out the attached registration form and mail it with your check to *Friends of the Max Kade Institute, 432 East Campus Drive, Madison, WI 53706.*

BRING A FRIEND – MAKE A FRIEND

Dinner purchase includes Friends of the MKI membership for the year 2023 for *new* Friends.

Questions? Contact Antje Petty: apetty@wisc.edu