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Kolpingkapelle Kindsbach



Concert Wind Orchestra

Member of Kaiserslautern
County Music Association



The Kolpingkapelle when playing the national anthems with the international Soccermatch
Germany vs. Israel in the Fritz-Walter-Stadium, K-Town

Municipality of Kindsbach

Kindsbach is a village with 3000 inhabitants. It's conveniently located at the foot of the Palatinate forest, between Landstuhl Town and K-Town City, and it is easily accessible by road or rail. Because of that Kindsbach is an attractive place to live and work.

The Kolpingkapelle Kindsbach

The Kolpingkapelle, for short the KoKaKi, was founded in 1926. It is a traditional brass band covering all facets of music. Beside music in concerto form, its repertoire also consists of music for entertainment, modern compositions, church and marching music.

Bernd Jörg has conducted the orchestra since 1982. He studied the subject trumpet at the University of Cologne, and he is a teacher at South West Palatinate Music School in Pirmasens. Under his leadership, the Kolpingkapelle has improved constantly. That has been proved by many excellent assessments acquired in competitions at home and abroad. The ultimate highlight of the band's musical work is, however, the annual Easter Concert on Easter Sunday. In addition to that, the yearly Church Concert on the first Sunday in Advent has become a tradition, too.

At present the Kolpingkapelle has got 62 musicians. Promoting youth is a constant aim of the Kolpingkapelle Board. Apart from a youth band, which is conducted by our orchestra member Kristina Schier (who also is the director of K-Town County Music School and chairwoman of K-Town Music Association), there is a beginners' band and a woodwind ensemble.



Conductor Bernd Jörg, Pres. Thomas Lutz, Vice Pres. Gerhard Nagel

KoKaKi and the Americans

In 1968 Dr. Gerald Cohn, then a doctor at Landstuhl Army Medical Centre, was the first American to come and play in the band. Many other Americans followed his example. In 1972 friendship with Danville Legion Band was initiated. The 1972 trip was the first of four trips to Pennsylvania. Relating to that, it's no wonder that many musicians still have very good friends over there. Most of our musicians speak English, so communication is no problem. If you like playing in a band like ours, you're welcome to join us.

Rehearsals take place every Friday at 8 p.m. You'll find us in the Parish Building next to Kindsbach Catholic Church.



Practising for Concert



Marchin' in Gais / South-Tyrol in June 2004



Easter Concert 2004