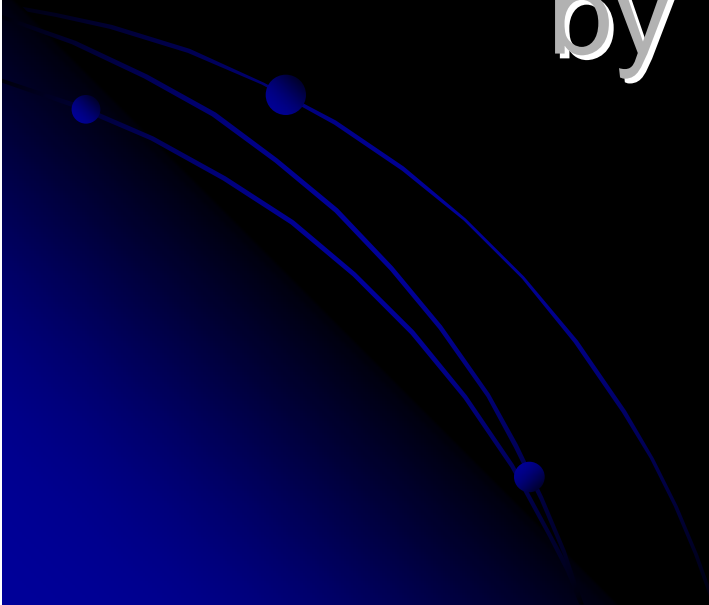
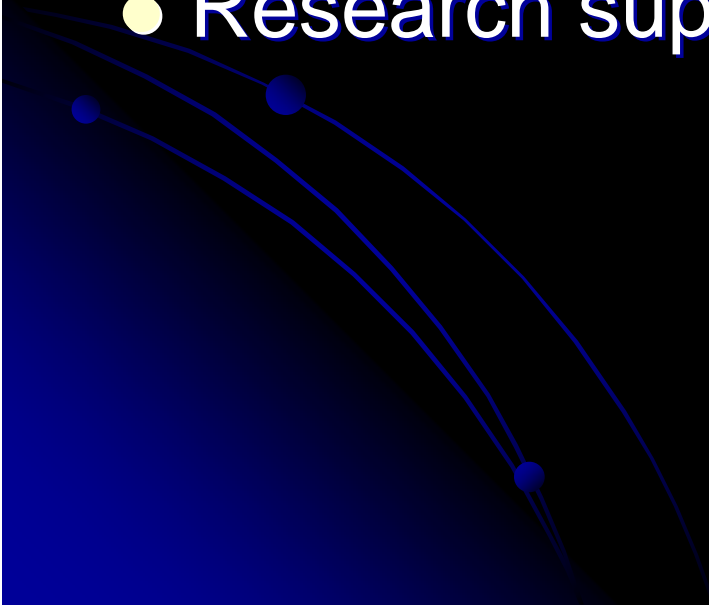


**Welcome to the  
Grossliebental District Odessa  
(GDO) RIG  
Research Workshop  
by Gayla Aspenleiter  
& Elli Wise**



# Agenda

- Business meeting – election of officers
  - Introduction of village coordinators
  - What's new
  - What's coming
  - Research support
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# Business Meeting

- Election of officers
  - Spokesperson: Gayla Aspenleiter
  - Chapter Rep.: Elli Wise
  - Webmaster: Gayla Aspenleiter
  - Listserv manager: Rich Aspenleiter
- Any new nominations?
- Must be GDO RIG member to vote!

# Grossliebental Area



# Village Coordinator

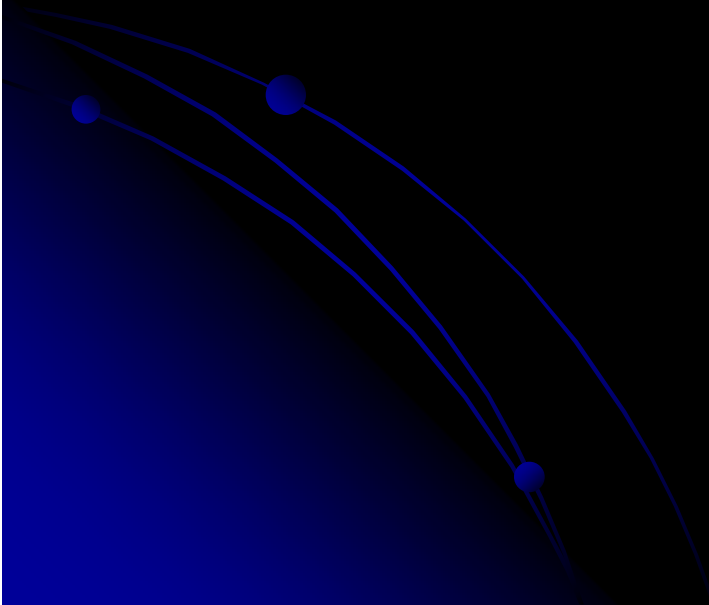
- Gayla Aspenleiter
  - Alexanderhilf
  - Freudental
  - Josefstal
  - Mariental
  - Neu Freudental



# Village Coordinator

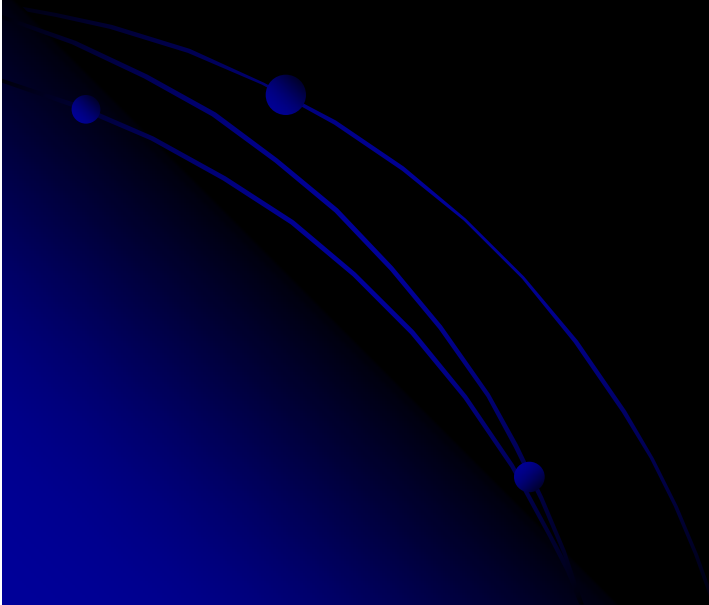


- Marilyn Christman
  - Alexanderfeld



# Village Coordinator

- Doris Dickenson
  - Kleinliebental



# Village Coordinator



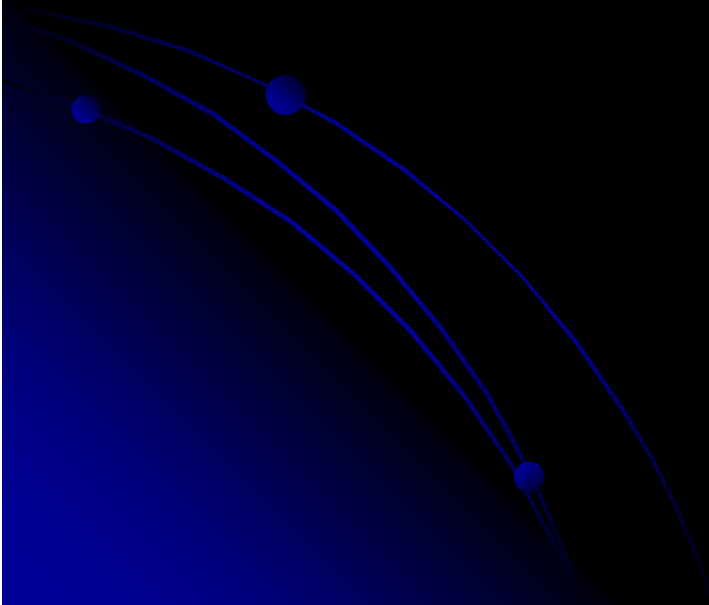
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  - Mariental
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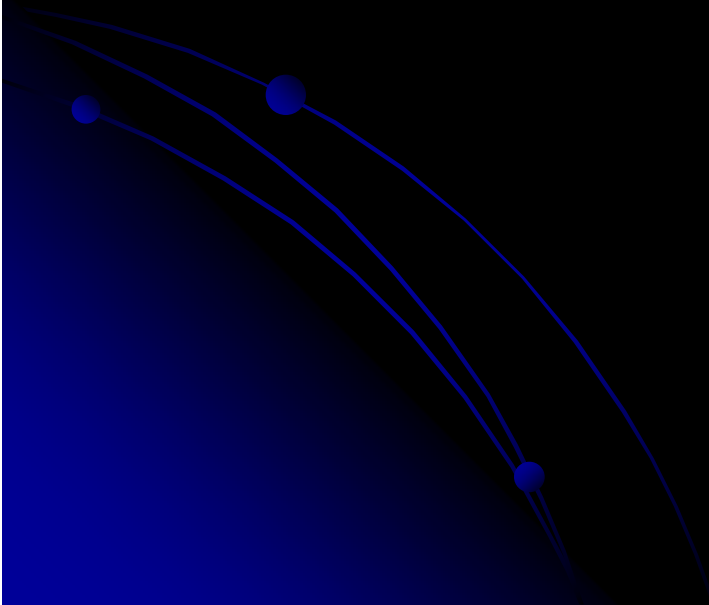
- Murray Gauer
  - Rosenfeld



# Village Coordinator



- Wayne Handlos
  - Neu Liebental



# Village Coordinator

- Jim Helfenstein
  - Grossliebental



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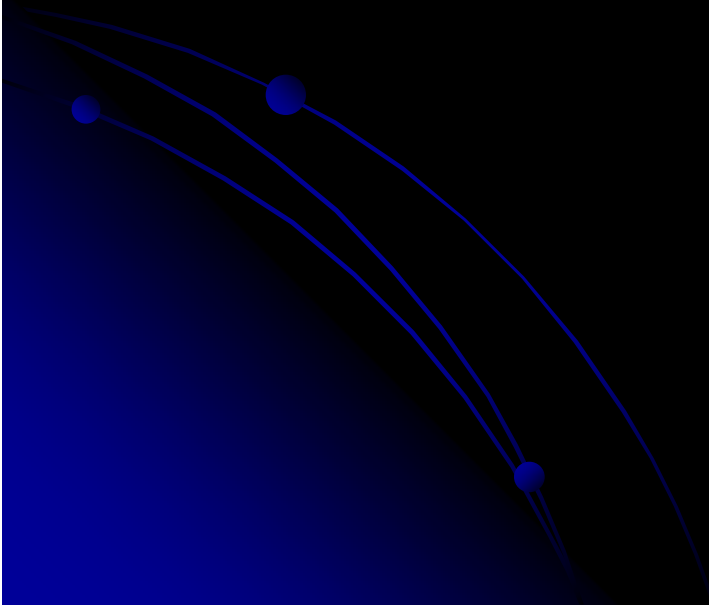
- Karen Hoffman
  - Peterstal



# Village Coordinator



- Elsie Huether
  - Lustdorf
  - Neu Lustdorf



# Village Coordinator



- Ila Fichtner Johnson
  - Alexanderhilf
  - Berlin/Neu Berlin
  - Freudental
  - Rosenfeld

# Village Coordinator

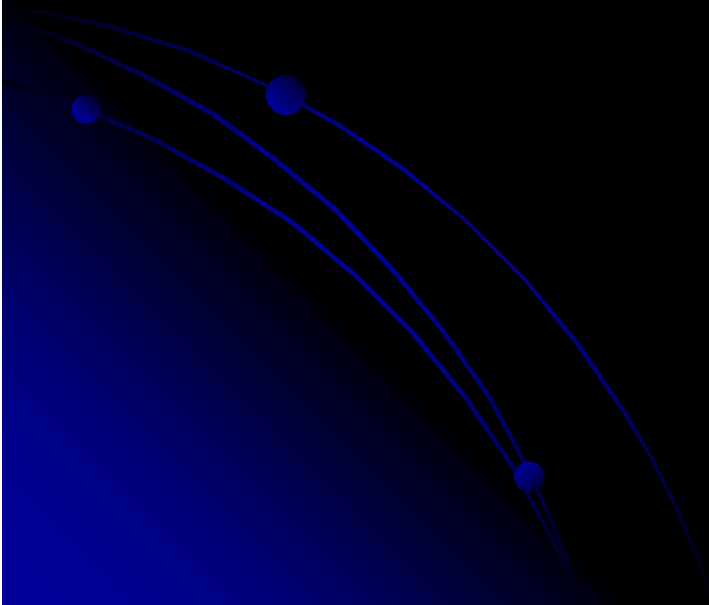
- Mary Marando
  - Franzfeld



# Village Coordinator



- Peter Mock
  - Kleinliebental
  - Krasna



# Village Coordinator

- Irene Rath
  - Neuburg

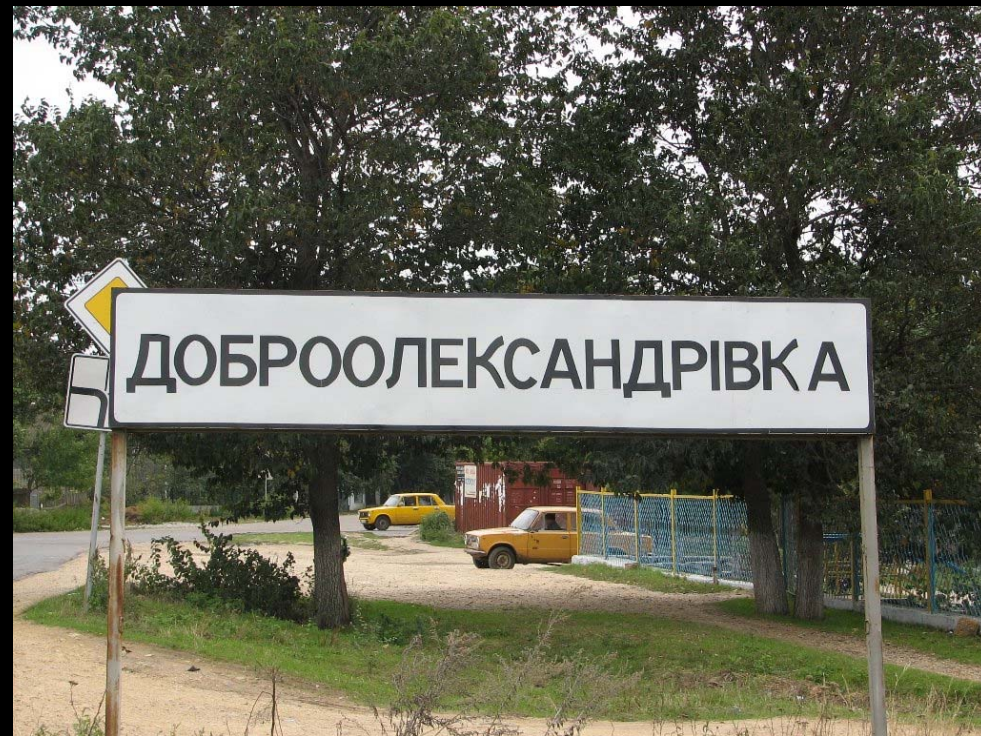


**Neuburg Odessa**

# Village Coordinator



- Elli Wise
  - Alexanderhilf
  - Grossliebental
  - Neuburg
  - Peterstal



# Village Coordinator



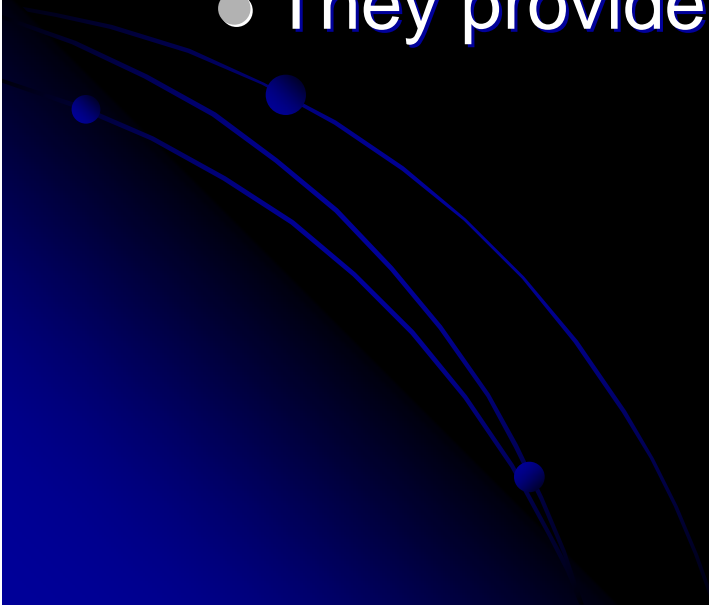
- Ralph Wiseman
  - Freudental
  - Helenental
  - Neu Freudental



# VCs Needed For:

- Annental, Freidorf, Gnadenfeld, Johannesfeld, Karlstal, Lamsaki, Lenintal, Matrjonowka, Neu Peterstal, Neusatz, Neu Schampoly, Odessa, Paulstal, Scharowa, Schöntal, Wilhelmstal, and Wygoda
- Please volunteer to be a VC
  - Contact Gayla or Rich Aspenleiter

# What's New

- Odessa Archives contract
    - Same as contract as with Nikolaev
    - 10 cents per page
    - We provide equipment
    - They provide digital photographs of pages
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# What's New

## Germans from Russia Heritage Society

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### Genealogy Database Project

Last Name:

First Name:

Search

Advanced Search

Surnames

Photos

Cemeteries

Headstones

What's New

Sources

Statistics

Contact Us

This site has been accessed

**4785**

times since May 13, 2009

#### How to search the databases:

- Search - searches all databases at once
- Advanced Search - lets you customize your search criteria
- Surnames - provides alphabetical list of surnames

Photos - displays photo of individuals

Cemeteries - displays photo and location of cemeteries

Headstones - displays photo of headstone of individual

What's New - displays modifications or additions

Sources - displays sources used in each database

Statistics - displays statistics for databases

Contact Us - a form that allows you to send us an email with changes or modifications to a specific record. Make sure you send us the Person ID# for the individual you would like to make a change to as well as the source for your modification.

Need help understanding the databases? Click [here](#).

The following databases are for personal use only. The data is to be used as "notes" to aid you in your research. The information provided in the databases are from a number of sources. GRHS is not responsible for any inaccurate information. It is the researchers responsibility to obtain source documents pertaining to their family research.

# What's coming

- Neu Freudental Parish files from Odessa Archives – 1906, 1912, 1913

Годъ 1906 мѣсяцъ февраль-мартъ		Нумеръ; имя младенца; имя, фамилия и вѣроисповѣданіе родителей; званіе, крещеніе; прозваніе проповѣдника, совершавшаго Св. крещеніе и гдѣ оное	
День и часъ рожденія.	День крещенія.	№ и имя младенца.	Родители.
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Февраль 18. ввѣдана наго въ 12. ночи	Апрель 2. впередого	8. <i>Мартинъ</i> ( <i>Martin</i> )	<i>Мартинъ Осельскій (Martin Oehlhäuser), вѣроисповѣданіе лютеранское; жена Елизавета, вѣроисповѣданіе католическое, гдѣ Елиза, гдѣ Елиза; оба-мюнхенскіе.</i>
Марта 3. впередого въ 9ч. утра с. Адельсбургъ	Июль 9.	9. <i>Христиана</i> ( <i>Christine</i> )	<i>Андрей Ковалевъ (Andreas Kowalew), вѣроисповѣданіе лютеранское; жена Анна, вѣроисповѣданіе католическое, гдѣ Анна, гдѣ Анна; оба-мюнхенскіе.</i>

# Researching GDO Villages

- <http://www.grhs.org/rig/gdo/>
  - GDO family database
  - St. Petersburg files
  - Family databases
  - EWZ Village-Family indices
  - Germany to Hungary database
  - Ship list database
  - Repressions database

# Researching GDO Villages

- Mailing list
- Books and CD
  - GDO CD
  - *Erinnerungen an die deutschen Kolonien des Grossliebentaler Rayons bei Odessa by Eduard Mack*
  - *From Catherine to Khrushchev by Dr. Adam Giesinger*
  - *Homesteaders on the Steppe (Lutheran) & Paradise on the Steppe (Catholic) by Joseph S. Height*
  - *The German Colonies in South Russia 1804-1904, Volume 1 by Rev. Conrad Keller (Catholic)*

# Questions?

