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December 8, 1985 — Santa Claus is coming to our farm in Kaukapakapa. Invitations will be sent out for both events.

WELLINGTON SWISS CLUB

October 19, 1985 — Fritz Adams Club Jass Competition

November 9, 1985 — Club Evening, 8 pm

November 30, 1985 — Christmas party.

December 1, 1985 — Children's Christmas Party.

HAMILTON SWISS CLUB

October 19, 1985 — Gemuetliche Abend. Kegel and Jass. Please bring a plate for supper. At Swisscraft premises, 39 Colombo Street, Frankton, 8 pm.

December 7, 1985 — Adult Christmas Party, 8 pm, Eureka Hall.

February 24, 1986 — Picnic, Villigers Farm, KIWITAHU.

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October 20, 1985 — Trudi Ott Belt Shoot. This will be a handicap shoot, 1 pm.

November 9, 1985 — Social at Clubhouse, 8 pm, plate please. Admission \$5 each, non-Swiss members \$2 extra.

November 17, 1985 — Club Championship and Ted Napflin Memorial Shield, 1 pm.

December 1, 1985 — Christmas Shoot. Each shooter and skittle player to bring a prize. Pot luck lunch. Can compete in only one event.

December 7, 1985 — Children's Christmas Party. Father Christmas will arrive at 1 pm. Parents please supply gifts for children and a plate for afternoon tea.

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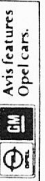
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This is the third such award that Swissair has received this year and the second year running it has won the Business Traveller award. The results of the poll also confirm the status of Zurich Airport as the second most preferred airport in Europe and one of the top-most airports worldwide.

Of the 52 airlines listed in the survey, Swissair gained 23% of the votes. Second and third places were taken by Singapore Airlines with 12% and British Airways with 11%.

Swissair attained the largest number of votes in six out of seven individual assessment categories - cabin staff, comfort, punctuality, meals, reliability and scheduling.

Zurich Airport's rating as third-best airport worldwide and second-best in Europe was primarily based on its extensive network of connections, the speed of check-in and passenger flows, and the reliability of baggage handling. The opening of the new finger dock at Zurich Airport's Terminal A on November 1, 1985, is expected to enhance the airport's appeal still further. The first two spots in the best airline category were taken by Amsterdam and Singapore.

The awards were presented by the Lord Mayor of London, Sir Alan Traill, in a ceremony at the Mansion House in London on September 17, 1985.



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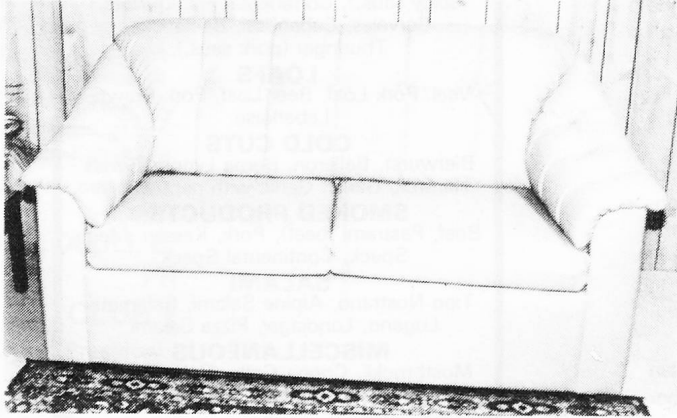
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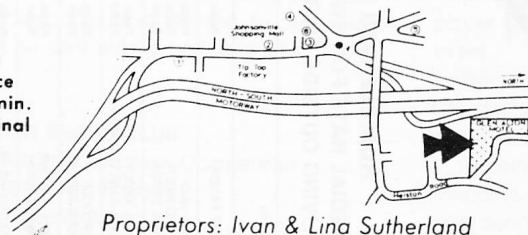
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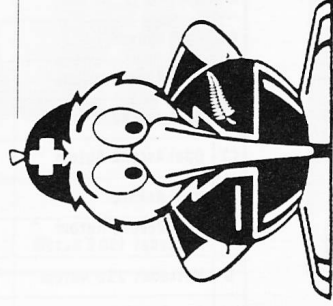
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On Saturday, September 7, we had our Fondue evening at the Eureka Hall. Although numbers were not as great as we have had in the previous years, we still had a good crowd of about 65 people.

While the chefs were busy in the kitchen, cooking the Fondue, everyone else was busy chatting and catching up on all the latest news. At about nine pm the fondue was served and it seemed to be enjoyed by all, as everyone was anxious to get seconds.

The French Bread seemed to get eaten quickly, as well as the delicious Aufschnitt. Later in the evening we had our Medal presentations, for the lucky winners of the sports competitions.

This created quite a bit of Stimmung and still later in the evening everyone was singing away quite happily.

For some, the evening seemed too short and even at 1.30 am it was hard to remove their chairs.

Many thanks to the committee and especially those not on the committee who helped with the awful task of cleaning all those fondue sets and forks.

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SWISS FILM WEEKS IN NEW ZEALAND

After an outstanding success in Australia, the Swiss cultural organisation PRO HELVETIA in co-operation with our Embassy in Wellington will organise Swiss film weeks in Wellington, Auckland and Christchurch during the second half of November 1985. Please watch for advertisements in the daily newspapers giving dates and venues of this festival. All the Swiss films will be screened in their original language with English subtitles.

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