AMERICAN VOICES ABROAD BERLIN

AVA-Berlin offers a community for engaged US citizens and provides a forum for a wide spectrum of views. We seek to foster open and constructive discussions among Americans on the sometimes contentious issues most important to us. Of particular concern are such issues as GI counseling, election reform, US foreign policy, as well as questions concerning US legislation.

For more information on AVA-Berlin
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Protesting the Iraq War by the US Embassy, Berlin, Mar. 20, 2003
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Supporting labor union rights in Wisconsin, March 3, 2011

Joining Amnesty International to protest the prison at Guantánamo. January 11, 2012 and June 19, 2013 (above)

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WHO WE ARE

Two groups of antiwar Americans planning to march from opposite ends of Berlin’s biggest Iraq war demonstration on February 15, 2003 got wind of each other and arranged to meet in the middle. Needless to say, this proved to be an impossible endeavor in the crowd of 500,000 people - but find each other we did, if not that afternoon.

Originally we called ourselves Americans in Berlin Against the War; conversations and meetings then led to the creation of American Voices Abroad Berlin or AVA-Berlin for short.

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AVA-Berlin is politically progressive and independent of all political parties. It is, on principle, opposed to preventive war and the Patriot Act. It is dedicated to fair elections, civil liberties, and social and economic justice at home, as well as to a foreign policy rooted in respect for international institutions and the rule of law.

We are not only citizens of the USA, but we are also members of the community where we live. We seek to engage all members of this community in dialogue on issues of mutual concern.

WHAT YOU CAN DO

- Get on our email list to receive important news and invitations to major actions and public events.

- Come to our Stammtisch the first Thursday of each month at 8 pm. Check www.avaberlin.org for current location. Good food and conversation, and occasionally guest speakers.