

GERMAN AMERICAN LEAGUE

RETURNS TO THE PARK

Join us for

German American Heritage Day Waldfest

September 17th—the Hindenburg Park section of La Crescenta Valley Park

11 a.m. to dusk

Picnic-Music-Games-Gemütlichkeit



**A newly creative display
providing some of the Park's
interesting history will
be on view**

Plenty of shade

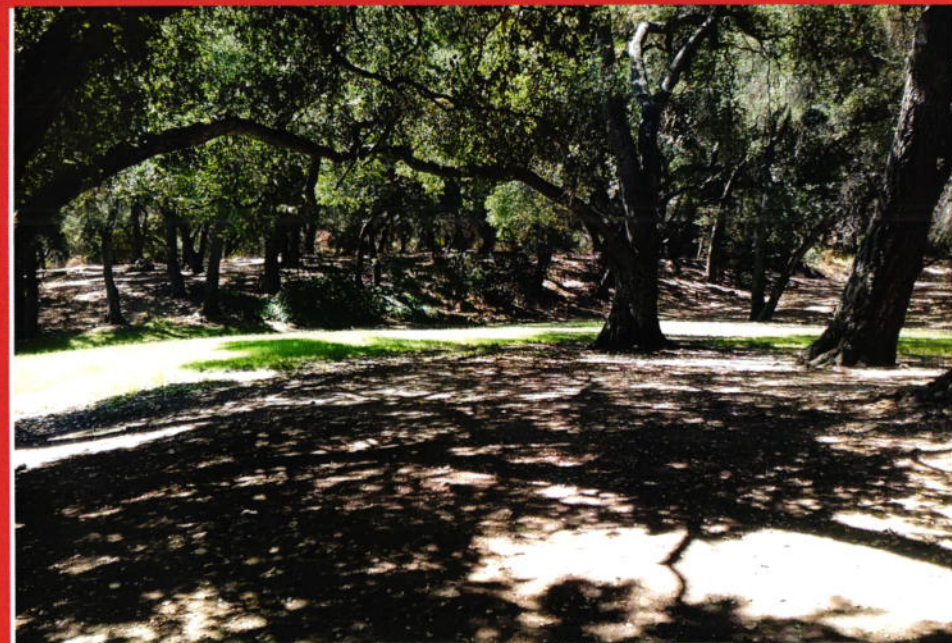
In November, 1930, a committee was formed to find property beautiful enough for a German Park. Almost 4 years were required to find that suitable acreage—in La Crescenta Valley. The delegates decided on the name Hindenburg Park, honoring the passing of the German President, Paul Von Hindenburg.

The first picnic, May of 1935, was a celebration of Maifest. More than 3,000 people attended that event. Hope for the future—for all the picnics and festivals to come abounded.



In 1939, a watchful German American League dropped the name Hindenburg in favor of La Crescenta Picnic Grounds. Dark days descended and anti-German sentiments continued long after the conclusion of the war. The property was acquired by the County of Los Angeles.

An Abschieds Fest was held on May 5th 1957.



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