



# *Turner Spirit*

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## ***It's our FIRST ANNUAL RON MORGAN'S RED SOLO CUP PIG ROAST on Saturday, September 20<sup>th</sup>!***

*We've been asking for new ideas to help support the club and bring everyone together & we love Ron's suggestion!*

***2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.***

***Cost will be \$20 for adults and kids 12 and under will be \$10.00***

***And as an added incentive, we would like to welcome all of our new members that joined the club in 2024 & 2025 to attend for just \$10!!***

***Besides the yummy pork that we'll be having, there will also be chicken, salt potatoes, coleslaw, beans, corn on the cob, macaroni salad and of course desserts all donated by the House Committee.***

*We'd like to thank one of our newest members, Ed Karasinski for offering to roast the pig!*

*We'll have some Red Solo cup games during the day as well! We're working on getting some music/entertainment that day also.*

***We ask that you please RSVP no later than Saturday, September 13<sup>th</sup>!***

*If anyone else has some new ideas for different events at the club, please let the board know. We're open for all suggestions!*

### **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

Hello Turner Members,

It is with regret and a sad heart that I need to inform all our members of the passing of our friend and fellow member Bob Yormick who over the past few years has been a staple as the club's cook providing us with many exceptional meals and laughs along with fun and loving camaraderie on our Wednesday bowling league and at other functions in the club. Bob will be truly missed and we were blessed to have had him as part of our organization and our lives. Our prayers are with all his friends and family in this time of grief and sadness.

Well summer is coming to an end and now we start moving into fall season and that means more activity at the club. I hope that everyone enjoyed the past couple of months and will continue to enjoy the outdoors for a while longer. That in mind I ask that everyone start thinking of indoor fun such as our bowling leagues, maybe a dart league if anyone is interested in getting this started or maybe shuffleboard, as a way to spend some time with your Turner friends and family.

We will be starting up our regular monthly meetings this month and I would really like to see a great turnout so we can get some good thoughts and ideas on the direction we take moving into the fall and winter months. We need to plan for the fall/winter season and push to get an influx of member participation as the weather changes because this is the time we start to bring in revenue for the club which is greatly needed after coming out of the slow summer season. We are current at this point on our taxes and we are maintaining our monthly overhead expenses on time. However we are using our financial reserves quickly as expenses are out pacing income. We will also be changing club hours soon which will hopefully get more participation at the club through football on TV, or just cooler weather bringing people inside and we need to fill some chairs to help with payroll when we have longer operating hours.

Please check the Spirit or your weekly blast as to any events coming this fall and for a notice of dinner dates and specials we will have during the fall season. We do have a Friday dinner menu set for the next couple months so please try to stop in for a good and inexpensive dinner on Friday night and we are trying to plan some events like a game night to go along with Friday dinners. As I have said before we need to continue to support our club whenever possible so that we can enjoy all the great times and great friends we have at the club for many years to come! I look forward to seeing many of you on the bowling lanes and at the club for a nice frosty beverage.

Again we are into our new fall schedule for club hours now that Labor Day is over so check the spirit for when we are open to stop in to have a cold one and say hello!

**PLEASE, COME ON DOWN AND SUPPORT YOUR CLUB!**

With Turner Greetings  
David Schmidt  
President

P.S. I can be reached anonymously @ [daveandlor@aol.com](mailto:daveandlor@aol.com) if there is any comment or suggestion or idea that you would like heard.

### **BOARD MEETING:**

**Tuesday**  
**September 9, 2025**  
**6:00 p.m.**

### **GENERAL MEETING:**

**Tuesday**  
**September 23, 2025 – 6:30 p.m.**  
*Honorary meeting immediately  
following the General Meeting*

### **THE TURNER SPIRIT STAFF**

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**Club Hours Effective September, 2025**

Wednesday through Friday: 4 p.m. to close

Saturdays beginning 9/6/25 at Noon to 6:00 p.m. unless there is an event going on at the club or  
There is a full bar of patrons.

We will be open on Tuesdays beginning September 9<sup>th</sup>

We will be open on Mondays starting Monday, September 29<sup>th</sup>

**HELP WANTED!**

We are unfortunately going to have to look for another cook since losing our beloved Bob. We will need a cook on Thursday nights during bowling season as well as every Friday night during the year.

And we are also looking for a Maintenance person for cleaning, etc. About 10 hours a week is about all we need. Both positions are PAID positions.

If you are interested or know of someone who may be interested, please have them contact Judy Bacon at 315-575-1677 or Dave Schmidt at 315-679-1885.



So we decided to do something different this year!

**ALL OF OUR BOWLING LEAGUES WILL BE MEETING ON THE SAME NIGHT!**

**Tuesday, September 16<sup>th</sup> is the date chosen by all 3 leagues to have our organizational meetings.**

It's time to dust off those bowling balls and shoes and get ready for another fun season of bowling. If you want to bowl in any of our leagues, please try to attend this meeting. I understand that we are looking for more bowlers this year so why not give it a try? If you can't attend the meeting and are interested in bowling, call the club and we'll take your name and number and pass it along to that league.

The Barb Knieser Memorial Ladies league Will have a practice bowling night on September 25th.. If there are any ladies that would like to join us, please contact Dot Bisesi at 315-952-7669 or dotbisesi@gmail.com

The Wednesday night league Practice night will be October 1st. They are always looking for some new bowlers. If interested, contact John Hogan at jnn\_hogan@yahoo.com.

The Chuck Lynch Memorial league will begin bowling Monday, October 6th at 6:30 p.m. As always, we're looking for new bowlers & subs. Please contact Ryan Gallardo or Randy Taylor if you have any questions.

And the Friday night Mixed League will be starting back up October 10<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested in this league, please contact Dot Bisesi at 315-952-7669

And last but not least, our YOUTH BOWLING LEAGUE will begin on Saturday, October 11<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m. This is open to all children, grandchildren, etc. from ages 5 to 17. They will be bowling 2 games and we have 2 great coaches in Dan Moran and Dot Bisesi to work with the kids and help their bowling skills!

And speaking of bowling....



**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR BOWLERS THAT WENT TO CINCINNATI IN APRIL FOR THE TURNERS NATIONAL BOWLING TOURNAMENT! HERE ARE THE RESULTS:**

Ladies Singles Event – 1<sup>st</sup> Place – Sue Shires, 9<sup>th</sup> Place - Jessica Glod  
Ladies Team Event – 1<sup>st</sup> Place – Sue Shires, Martha O’Hara, Vicky Logan & Jessica Glod  
Men’s Team Event – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place -Darrin O’Hara, Ryan O’Hara, Dan Moran & Bill Glod  
Men’s Doubles Event – 1<sup>st</sup> Place – Darrin O’Hara & Ryan O’Hara  
Men’s Singles Event – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Ryan O’Hara  
Men’s All Events – 1<sup>st</sup> Place – Ryan O’Hara  
Ladies All Events – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Sue Shires

Next year the tournament is in Aurora IL in April so we would love to have many more bowlers travel with us. Watch the Spirit for more details!



***It's time for a Turner's Wine & Beer tasting tour of Seneca Lake!***

**Sunday, October 5th**

The bus will pick us up in the front of the club at **11:00 a.m.** We will be doing 3 stops:

Seneca Lake Brewing Co. – “The Beerocracy” in Rock Stream NY

Rock Stream Vineyards w/Grist Iron Beer Co in Rock Stream NY

Wagners Vineyards & Wagner Valley Brewing

We thought we would do wineries and breweries so hopefully we can get more people interested. The cost of the trip will be \$100 because of the cost of the bus and each winery/brewery has a cost of approximately \$10 per person for each tasting so the cost of the trip **INCLUDES** your tasting fees. We will be returning back to the club at 5:00 where we'll have food (pizza or something) waiting for us which is also included in the cost of the trip. Please sign up at the bar **WITH PAYMENT** no later than September 27<sup>th</sup>. If you have any questions, please see Judy Bacon or Cheryl Hammond. We hope you can join us for a fun day! This is limited to 35 people.



**THANK YOU TO ALL THE GOLFERS THAT ATTENDED THE FIRST ANNUAL  
STEPHEN L. SHIRES MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT IN HOLYOKE MA!**

We're looking forward to a great tournament next year in Syracuse!!



Bunco will be starting up again on **Wednesday, September 17<sup>th</sup>**. There will be **a buffet at 5:30** and Bunco will start promptly at **6:00 p.m.** We play the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month. We're always looking for new players and subs. Contact Amy Hunt at 315-807-4535 if you have any questions.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	 Labor Day - <i>Club Closed</i>	Happy Birthday Randy Krytusa			Dinner Special: Spaghetti Meatballs/Sausage Happy Birthday Joanelle LaGrow	Happy Birthday Sue Shires <b>Club open at noon</b>
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Club closed	Club Closed	Happy Birthday Mark Nolan <b>Board Meeting at 6:00 p.m.</b>		Happy Birthday Cheryl Hammond	<b>Dinner Special - Chicken &amp; Biscuits</b>	Club open at noon
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Club Closed	Club closed	<b>Bowling meeting for ALL LEAGUES at 6:30 includes Monday, Wednesday &amp; Thursday leagues</b>	BUNCO Starts 5:30 p.m.		<b>Dinner Special Meatloaf</b>	 <b>Ron Morgan's Red Solo Cup Pig Roast</b>
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Club closed	Club closed Happy Birthday Kay Knapp	General Meeting @ 6:30 P.M. - Honorary Meeting immediately following the General Meeting	Wednesday Night Men's Bowling League practice starts at 6:15 p.m.	Barb Knieser Memorial Ladies League practice starts at 6:15 p.m. Happy Birthday Mike Smorol & Bob Mangan	<b>Dinner Special Ham &amp; Scalloped potatoes</b>	Club open at noon
28	29	30	1-Oct	2-Oct	3-Oct	4-Oct
Club Closed	Club open		Wednesday Men's league season begins	Ladies league season begins	<b>Dinner Special Beef tips &amp; noodles</b>	Club open at noon

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