

Turner Spirit

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IT'S TIME FOR GEMÜTLICHKEIT!!!

Syracuse Turners proudly presents
Our annual Gemütlichkeit

Saturday - Nov. 15th

Dinners Served 4:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. You can eat here at the club or we will also have take-outs available.

IN ADVANCE - \$20.00 AT THE DOOR - \$20.00 Ages 12 & under - \$10.00

We will be serving Don & Dave Schmidt's famous Sauerbraten MIT NOODLES or your choice of a Ham Dinner or Fish Dinner along with German Potato salad or Red Cabbage

This is our biggest fundraiser of the year so we could use your help.

We are looking for donations for the basket raffles as well as the "Wheel Raffles".

We would like to start selling the basket raffle tickets early so if you or your group would like to put together a basket to raffle off at Gemütlichkeit, please have the basket to us no later than November 11th so

We can start selling tickets early and make lots of money!

Any questions, please see a board member.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello Turner Members,

We're back in the fall season and that means bowling has started up and golf is just about done. That being said, if you are interested in bowling at the club please let the bartender know and he will direct you to a contact person to reach out to depending on what night you are interested in bowling. It is also the time of the year we start bringing in some income and the bowling leagues provide much needed income as we come out of the very slow summer months at the club. We do have some events scheduled this month which includes the baseball pool banquet for all those who are involved and Gemutlichkeit in November for all those who are interested in joining. Gemutlichkeit is one of our bigger fund-raising club events and we can use everyone's support in making this a success, advance sales and reservations help us control our expenses and helps to make sure we have enough food for all. Thank you to all those who were able to make it to the first annual Ron Morgan red solo cup pig roast. It was a big success and there were many new members in attendance and many helped put it together.

We have started up our regular monthly meetings and I would really like to see a great turnout in attendance so we can get some good thoughts and ideas, (like the new lottery raffles, holiday events, comedy nights or any other ideas...) as we plan for the fall and winter seasons. We definitely need an influx of member participation as the weather changes and we are indoors more and we truly need to continue to reinvent the club wheel gearing it toward increasing member participation. If we continually increase club participation we will be able to maintain the expenses of our building, (gas, heat, lights and maintenance etc...). we are current on all taxes and really need to continue this as late fees are quite high! We also have had some recent new member join our club, so come down to and maybe get an opportunity to meet them.

Also, on a side note I want to thank all those able to attend or donate to our ALS fund raiser in honor of our very good friend Steve Shires. There will also be a celebration of life for our friend Bob Yormick on Oct. 11th at 3:00.

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. As I continually say we need 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.

PLEASE, COME ON DOWN AND SUPPORT YOUR CLUB!

With Turner Greetings David Schmidt President

P.S. I can be reaches anonymously @ <u>daveandlor@aol.com</u> if there is any comment or suggestion or idea that you would like heard

BOARD MEETING:

<u>Tuesday</u> October 14, 2025 6:00 p.m.

GENERAL MEETING:

Tuesday

October 28, 2025 – 6:30 p.m.

Honorary meeting immediately following the General Meeting

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ELECTION DAY CHICKEN & BISCUIT DINNER TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4th

We will once again be a polling place for this year's very important election coming up. We will be cooking a Chicken and Biscuit dinner that day from <u>Noon until 7:00 – or gone – whichever occurs first - for \$11.00</u>. <u>TAKE OUTS ONLY!</u> This is open to all voters as well as our members and their family & friends. Please stop in and support us!

YOUTH BOWLING NEWS

Youth Bowling will begin *Saturday, Oct.11th, at 9:30 AM* for kids age 4-17. It's open to all members' children, grandchildren, nieces and nephews, ages 5 to 17. Please feel free to bring your friends with you. They will be bowling every weekend. It's a fun time for the kids! If you have any questions, please call the club or see Dot Bisesi or Dan Moran.

It's a great way for kids to get together and get to know each other better. Life-long friends are made this way – and – the end-of-year bowling party is the bomb!!!!!



Last year our National Grid annual cost was over \$17,000! Our property taxes are approximately \$9,500.00! Spectrum cable, internet & phones are \$3,000 annually! Insurances are over \$10,000.00! These are all things you learn at a General Meeting so please try to attend a couple of meetings during the year. Nominations for Officers and Board members is done at the General Meeting on Tuesday, November 11th. If you would like to help shape the future of our club, NOW is the time to get involved! **We NEED YOU!!!**



SAVE THE DATE!

Yes we will be having our kids Christmas party on Saturday, December 13th – info will be in the November Spirit. This is open to all members children, grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces & nephews, etc. It's a great party and we also have a Santa's Secret Shop that day so the kids can get all of their Christmas shopping done!

Remembering Bob Yormick....

Bob has been our club cook for the last few years and has made us some great meals in that time. He joined the club as part of the Wednesday night bowling league and quickly became a great member that certainly did help us out when we needed it. He went on to win the Stan Sutor Masters tournament and also our Don Schmidt doubles tournament. Bob was a great guy to be around and we miss him terribly. We will be having a <u>Celebration of Life on Saturday, October 11th</u> at 3:00 p.m. to remember Bob and is open to all of our Turner members and families and friends of Bob.



Baseball Pool Party

It's almost the end of the baseball season so you know what that means? Yup it's time for those of you that are in the Baseball Pool to have our year end party.

It will be held on Saturday, October 25th with appetizers at 5:00 and dinner at 6:00. Please contact Judy Bacon if you *CANNOT* attend so we know how many steaks to order.

HELP!!

We are still looking for a cook for Thursday nights during bowling season and every Friday night during the year.

If we don't find a cook, we may have to figure something else out for Friday night dinners.

We are also looking for a Maintenance person for cleaning, etc. About 10 hours per week is about all we need. Both of thes positions are PAID positions. If you are interested or know of someone who may be interested, please have them contact me Judy Bacon at 315-575-1677.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Saturday, Oct 18th: Men's golf league banquet at 5:30 p.m.

Saturday, Oct 25th: Baseball pool party at 5:00 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 15th: Gemütlichkeit from 4:00 to 7:30

Tuesday, Nov. 4th: Chicken & Biscuit dinner from noon until 7:00 – or gone

Saturday, Dec. 13th: Children's Christmas party at 3:00 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 20st: Adult Holiday party 6:00 p.m.

Monday, Jan. 1st: Annual Open House









A HUGE THANK YOU TO <u>ED KARASINSKI</u> and his crew for hopefully our First annual Ron Morgan Red Solo Cup Pig Roast!

The pork & the chicken were delicious as were all of the sides that were donated by our House Committee members and club members. Thanks to those that brought the corn hole and solo cup party games. We had a great time and we are really looking forward to next year!



HOUSE COMMITTEE FUNDRAISER ANNOUNCEMENT

The House Committee is launching a year-round 50/50 fundraiser to help cover ongoing repair expenses.

Here's how it works:

500 tickets available - \$20 each

Five (5) winners of \$500 each per drawing - Three drawings per yearTickets can be sold inside or outside of the club so spread the word! Tell your friends who enjoy a little gamble – it's a fun way to support the club and maybe win some cash! Drawing December 20th @ the Adult Christmas party.

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Wine/Brewery tour Seneca Lake 11:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.	Monday Men's League begins	Happy Birthday Pete & Delores Petrone	Wednesday Men's league begins Happy Birthday Paula Altman		Roast Pork Dinner Bisesi Deplorables League begins	Youth bowling starts at 9:30 a.m.
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Happy Birthday Meghan Karasinski		meeting immediately following Happy Birthday Mary Smorol			Ghoulash Happy Birthday Mary O'Hara	Happy Birthday Patty Heffron!

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