



Turner Spirit

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***The Officers & Board of Directors wish you all a Happy Thanksgiving!
We have so much to be thankful for this year & appreciate your support!***

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello Turner Members,

We are getting back to full swing with more activity at the club and all of our bowling leagues are underway. We will hold our annual Gemütlichkeit dinner on November 15th for one night this year and we are hoping for a successful event. This is our biggest fund-raising event so please get your tickets in as soon as possible and if possible, bring some friends to also enjoy this fantastic event. There will be many baskets to raffle along with plenty of wheel raffles that results in many different winners. If you would like to donate a prize for our raffles, please drop them off at the club during business hours. We have also started a maintenance raffle, and we are looking for strong support in this effort. Some of our current maintenance needs include fixing a leaky roof, repairing our boiler as we are currently working on, purchasing refrigeration for our kitchen as the old cooler is totally shot and some other small but costly repairs. These tickets will be available at the dinner also.

Another important event is the nominations for board members and officers at the next general meeting on November 25th. We will be filling three two-year terms on the board along with all club officer positions. We need to keep a full board so that we get as much input and thought generated as possible to keep the club going and growing! Please plan on attending this very important meeting. These regular monthly meetings really need to have a good turnout from our membership so we can get some good thoughts and ideas, (like the lottery raffles or other events that help us move forward) as we plan for the fall/winter season and ways to increase member participation as the weather changes. We need to continually increase club participation if we are to be able to maintain the expenses of our building, (gas, heat, lights and maintenance etc...). The best way is to gain more members, and we have gained quite a few new members this past year. Thank you to all those who brought in these new friends and members. Many of these new members are active in the club through bowling or bunco or golf and we have seen some of them win in our pill pools and event pools. Many of our newer members are also contributing their time with help in our maintenance needs such as plumbing and snow removal, which is extremely needed, so thank you to all our members who can and have helped with these needs! And thank you also goes to all our members who have or are participating in the club whether it's volunteering time to help with events or organizing an event or just stopping in regularly for a nice cold refreshment. Also after the regular general meeting we hold a monthly honorary meeting to plan events that are put on by the honorary society and we invite all the honorary members to attend.

Also, when at the club please be sure to read our message board on the tv screen located near the men's bathroom entrance. There is very important info regarding club functions, repair needs and maintenance needs along with help needs like skilled labor (electric and plumbing along with cleaning and cook needs). As everyone know things are getting more expensive every day and any way we can save or make a little money it helps us keep the club on a strong footing!

Please check the spirit or your weekly blast as to any events coming this fall and holiday season and for a notice of dinner dates and specials we will have during the fall/winter season. 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.

PLEASE, COME ON DOWN AND SUPPORT YOUR CLUB!

With Turner Greetings
David Schmidt
President

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

BOARD MEETING:

Tuesday
November 11, 2025
6:00 p.m.

GENERAL MEETING:

Tuesday
November 25, 2025 – 6:30 p.m.
*Honorary meeting immediately
following the General Meeting*

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SYRACUSE TURNERS ANNUAL CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2025

3:00 to 5:30 P.M.

**Open to all member's children, grandchildren &
Great-grandchildren from 0 to 12 years of age**

Please sign up for a fun filled day with food, fun, entertainment and
Santa's Secret Shop!



Kids can shop for their parents, grandparents, aunts & uncles special
Christmas gifts!

PLUS a visit from SANTA for all those good girls and boys!

Please fill out the form below and leave it behind the bar **WITH** your money
no later than Saturday, November 29th.

Cost: \$9.00 per child

Questions, please contact the club at 471-9851

Name	Age	Boy	Girl	Likes?
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CHRISTMAS COLORING CONTEST RULES:

Ages 5 and under	-	Crayon only
Ages 6 through 8	-	Crayon, marker, colored pencils
Ages 9 and up	-	Anything goes

Please color this picture, put your *name and age on the BACK* and bring it with you to the children's Christmas party on Saturday, December 13th! We will have extra copies at the club for you to color.





DONATIONS FOR SANTA'S SECRET SHOP NEEDED!

It's that time of year again! That's right, Santa's Secret Shop. There will be a bin inside Turner's for any donations. We are always in desperate need of men's items. All donations are welcome. We also will take any Christmas decorations you no longer use. These donations can help with decorating the club with lots of Christmas cheer! Don't forget we always need our elves to help with the wrapping!! Thanks ahead of time!

NOVEMBER IS NOMINATION MONTH!

The voting for our annual election of officers and board members are done in December of each year. HOWEVER, the **nominations** for these positions are done at the November General Meeting which is **Tuesday, November 25th** this year. There are 4 officers: President, Vice President, Secretary/Treasurer and Assistant Secretary-Treasurer as well as 3 board of director positions that all need to be nominated at this meeting. All officer positions are **one** year terms. All board of director positions are **two** year terms.

If you are interested in becoming a board member or officer of the club, you need to attend this meeting **OR** you must submit a "Notice of Acceptance of Nomination" letter and give it to a current board member **BEFORE** that meeting that you are willing to serve on the Board of Directors or as an Officer. The board members that have terms expiring are Cheryl Hammond, Joe Nanno, Kathy Nolan. All officers are up for re-election every year.



ADULT HOLIDAY PARTY

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20, 2025
5:00 p.m.

This get together is always a lot of fun. We are asking everyone to bring an appetizer/dish to pass. It's a fun day at the Club to share the Holidays with friends and family of Syracuse Turners. So come on down and join in on the fun.

Don't forget to don your holiday wear.

 2025 November 2025  Birthstone Opal Flower Calendula						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1 Happy Birthday Patty Heffron
2	3	4  Chicken & Biscuit Dinner from noon until gone	5	6	7 Happy Birthday Tony Procopio <i>Dinner special BBQ Pork</i>	8
9	10	11 Thank You  VETERANS <i>Board Meeting at 6:00 p.m.</i> Happy Birthday Ron Szewczyk	12	13	14	15  <i>Gemutlichkeit 4:00 to 7:30</i>
16	17	18	19  Bunco @ 5:30	20	21 Happy Birthday Bob Hess <i>Dinner Special is Pot Roast with mashed potatoes</i>	22
23	24	25 <i>General Meeting 6:30 p.m.-Nominations Night Honorary meeting immediatelv followina</i>	26	27  <i>Happy Thanksgiving</i> Happy Birthday Brian Harrington <i>Club closed</i>	28	29
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