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***DON SCHMIDT'S FAMOUS
SAUERBRATEN OR HAM DINNER***
Saturday, February 26, 2022

Serving from

4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Dine in or curbside available.

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Saturday, March 19, 2022

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Special St. Patrick's drinks available!

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello Turner Members,

I hope that everyone is well as we still fight the covid virus. The club is open regular hours during the week and we are offering food every Friday for anyone interested in stopping for a bite to eat or have a drink on this night.

As far as club operations go we did have an election in 2021 and we filled three board member positions and the four officer positions. We did reduce the number of board members through a by-law change and this is now in effect. Our next regular meeting will be Feb. 22nd and we need people to attend to discuss where we are going and if we need to do something soon. We did not have a quorum at the Jan. meeting so we just did a recap of 2021 as it was not an official meeting. We could also use all our member input as how we will continue to stay financially strong until this pandemic subsides and to make a quorum to take care of club needs.

As a friendly reminder your dues were due by Jan. 31st so please try to get those in ASAP as we do need the income to keep paying our monthly expenses. Speaking of expenses, we are currently up to date on many of our overhead costs and I believe we can make some head way on paying our taxes and staying current with them as long as we all participate whenever possible. As I have stated previously in many monthly messages member participation and input at our general meetings is key! We are also in pretty good shape with maintenance. We have one window to repair (under warrantee) and some small issues currently to address in the bathrooms and bar area. We also will attempt to hold the regular meeting through Zoom so please look for the invitation and if possible connect with the club digitally.

Currently all bowling has resumed and we will holding the Stan Sutor Memorial tournament after taking a year off. The roll offs start Saturday Feb. 5 and Sunday Feb.6th with a double elimination rule.

PLEASE! If you can make the meeting on the 22nd REMEMBER that we encourage that masks be worn when not sitting.

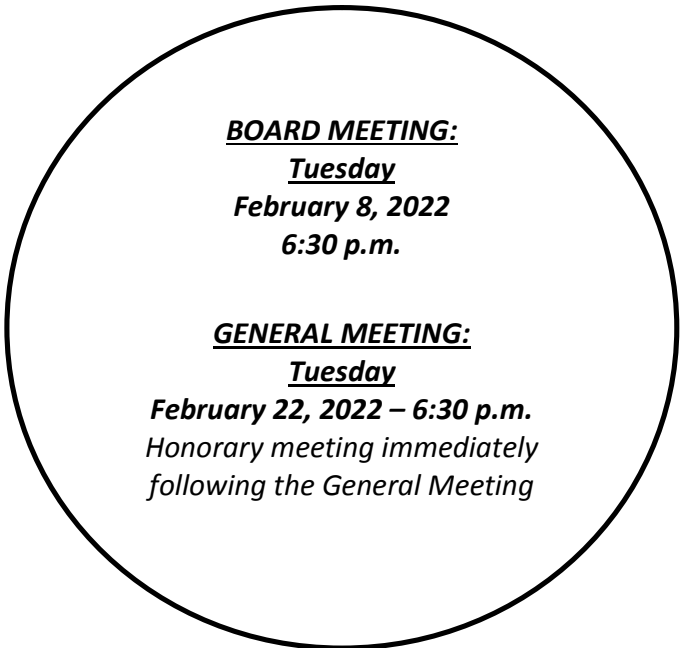
Please check for the weekly blast from Judy Bacon for more info. This e-mail as is sent weekly and if you do not currently receive this and would like to please get your e-mail to us and we will add you to our list. It can be sent to the club to be forwarded at syracuse.turners@live.come.

I hope to see many of you soon and thank you for the many donations of time and money that have been given to the club. Our continuing goal as always is to increase membership and participation and to grow this great Turner club for the future!

PLEASE, COME ON DOWN AND SUPPORT YOUR CLUB!

With Turner Greetings
David Schmidt
President

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



BOARD MEETING:

Tuesday
February 8, 2022
6:30 p.m.

GENERAL MEETING:

Tuesday
February 22, 2022 – 6:30 p.m.
Honorary meeting immediately following the General Meeting

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Kitchen News

We have decided to start doing dinner specials on Friday night again, at least through the bowling season. In order to keep our costs down as well as your costs down, we will not be having a salad bar or chef salad included unless the menu item calls for a salad to be served. We will also not be including dessert. Please check out the calendar for the dinner specials and we will also be putting them in our weekly email blasts. We will be doing dine in or to go meals so please don't hesitate to call the club in and put an order in for dinner

We are still looking for a few more volunteers to help out in the kitchen whenever possible. Please see Judy Bacon or Patty Heffron if you have any questions. Thank you to many of our Friday night bowlers for your support!

Masters Update

The **finals** for the Stan Sutor Masters tournament will be Saturday, February 26th at 1:00 p.m. Come on down and watch what should be an exciting finish and to see who gets the crown this year! Can Dave Schmidt hang in there to retain the crown?

Sponsors needed

The Masters Bowling Tournament is looking for "Sponsors" to support the Masters Bowling Tournament Prize Fund. Cash or checks for sponsorships can be given the Dot Bisesi or Judy Bacon or left with the bartender on duty in the Lanes or at the main bar. (Checks should be made out to Syracuse Turners). No donations will be considered too small (or too large)! Please include "who" the sponsorship is from and if you'd like, the message you'd like placed on the Sponsorship sign in the bowling lanes.

Thanks from the Masters Committee



National Bowling Tournament News

We will have our next meeting on Saturday, March 5th at 1:00 p.m.

We are hosting the tournament for 2 weekends, April 23rd & 24th and April 30th & May 1st at Flamingo Lanes in Liverpool. There will be 2 squads on Saturday at 9:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. for doubles & singles. Then on Sunday there will also be two squads for the team event with the first at 9:00 a.m. and then at Noon. We will have sign-up sheets in the bowling alleys in the next week so get your teams together.

Any questions, please contact Judy Bacon ant 315-575-1677.



REMINDER: Your dues are due on January 1st of each calendar year. After January 31st, your dues increase by \$5.00. After February 28th, you are no longer a member in "good standing" so please get them paid!



How to be the Change for Hope

Brielle Nanno, daughter of Joe & Allie Nanno is collecting change at our bar for Griffins Guardians. Griffin's Guardians helps children and their families with financial assistance, provides laundry supplies to Golisano Hospital for families being treated as inpatients for pediatric cancer. Griffins Guardians has partnered with St. Baldricks to partially fund pediatric cancer research, through their Grace Sibling Sunshine program, they continue to bring smiles to the sibling because they are going through a hard time too and so much more. Please visit their website to learn more about them at www.griffinsguardians.org.

So if you can, please bring in your loose change to the club and put it in her jar through the end of February so that Brielle can donate it to Guardians' Griffins. Any questions, please see Joe or Allie Nanno.



LAS VEGAS GIRLS TRIP

Several of our female members have milestone birthdays this year and thought it would be a great time for another Turner trip for the ladies! We'll have a meeting on Saturday, March 5th at 2:00 to discuss the trip and hopefully get some pricing together. If you are interested in this long weekend get-away, come on down to the meeting and see what it's all about!



Syracuse Turners at the Crunch!

Saturday, March 5th at 7:00 p.m. vs. the Utica Comets

Tickets are \$20.00 which includes your ticket to the game, your first drink at the club BEFORE the game and snacks before the game. We'll meet at the club about 5:00 and then drive individually to the game.

There will be a sign-up sheet at the club. Let's go out and support our Crunch!

DID YOU KNOW?

Our ageless member, **Henry Cappa**, gave me a health tip he wanted to share with all of you! *Eat a Brazil nut to help fend off your risk of Alzheimer's.* Brazil nuts contain selenium, a mineral shown to switch ON antioxidant activity to help protect your brain from damage. **Just one Brazil nut supplies all of the selenium you need in a day.** And Henry went as far as to find out where you can buy them! You can get them at Walmart so hop on over and get your supply! I know I'm heading over there! Thanks for the tip Henry!

SO HERE IS ANOTHER "DID YOU KNOW"?

Every year, our Barb Knieser Ladies league picks a charity to make a donation for the holiday. In the past it may be a family that is down in their luck, or an organization that needs diapers, etc. This year, with the help of our member Pat Murphy, we chose the VA medical center to help our female veterans buy buying them sweatshirts, sweatpants, etc. We wanted to share this thank you letter we received from the VA regarding our donation. And thank you to Pat Murphy for all you do for our veterans! You are one in a million!!

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1/10/21

Dear American Legion 5th District, Ladies Thursday Night Bowling, and Turners Syracuse,

Thank you so much for the extremely large and generous donation of ladies clothing to include, sweat suits, and fleece hoodies for women Veterans!

Our Women Veterans are always in need of these items. This holiday season has been difficult for many, and I can't express how grateful our patient's have been for your support. Many of our Women Veterans have been brought to tears with the kindness and thoughtfulness of the donations.

The Women's Health Program is grateful for your generosity. As always, we appreciate you and your generous donation!

Your kindness continues to make a difference and positively impact our Veterans!

Sincerely,

Hillary Cashier, LCSW
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
Did you buy your February <u>STL</u> Tickets?				Happy Birthday Nick Shires		<i>Masters Rolloffs begin</i> Happy Birthday Bette Jane Moss
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Happy Birthday Janet Nolan		<i>Board Meeting @ 6:30 p.m.</i>			<i>Friday Dinner Special: Ham & Scalloped potatoes</i>	<i>Masters Rolloffs continue</i>
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
		Happy Birthday Francine Moran & Mike Dineen			<i>Friday Dinner Special: Meatloaf with Mashed potatoes & vegetable</i>	<i>Masters Rolloffs continue</i>
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
<i>Masters Rolloffs continue</i>	 President's Day	<i>General Meeting @ 6:30 p.m. - Honorary Meeting immediately following</i> Happy Birthday Karen Smorol	Happy Birthday Lori Schmidt	Happy Birthday Dot Bisesi & Darrin O'Hara	<i>Friday Dinner Special: Turkey Dinner with stuffing</i>	<i>Masters Finals at 1:00 p.m</i> <i>Sauerbraten dinner or Ham dinner from 4:00 to 7:00.</i>
27	28	1-Mar	2-Mar	3-Mar	4-Mar	5-Mar
					<i>Friday Dinner Pot Roast dinner</i>	

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