



Turner Spirit

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IT'S TIME FOR GEMÜTLICHKEIT!!!

Syracuse Turners proudly presents
Our annual Gemütlichkeit

Saturday - Nov. 4th

**Dinners Served 3:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. You can eat here at the club or
we will also have take-outs available.**

IN ADVANCE - \$15.00
AT THE DOOR – \$17.00
Ages 12 & under - \$8.00
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We will be serving Don Schmidt's famous Sauerbraten MIT NOODLES
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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 October 25th 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.

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 early spring seasons. We will have bowling every other Friday this season and on the off Friday we are looking to try some other fun things such as meat bingo, a pitch league or maybe a shuffle board league or tournament? 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 also have had some recent new members join our club, so come down to learn who our new members are and maybe be able to meet them.

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

BOARD MEETING:

Tuesday
October 10th, 2023
6:30 p.m.

GENERAL MEETING:

Tuesday
October 24th, 2023 – 6:30 p.m.
Honorary meeting immediately following the General Meeting

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ELECTION DAY CHICKEN & BISCUIT DINNER TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7th

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 **Noon until 7:00 – or gone – whichever occurs first - for \$11.00. TAKE OUTS ONLY!** This is open to all voters as well as our members and their family & friends. Please stop in and support us!



BUNGO NEWS!

We will need to know who is interested in playing this season by October 16th. If you played last season please make a phone call to Karen Smorol at 315-278-7829 to confirm that you will be continuing this season as we don't want to assume anyone will continue this year unless we know for sure. If you are interested in joining as a new player, please contact Karen so that you can be put on the list. We will need some substitutes so if you can't commit to play once a month give Karen a call and she can put you on the sub list.

Our start date will be Wednesday, October 18th at 7:00 pm

The cost per person is \$10.00 a month with the first month paying \$20.00 (holding \$10 in your account in case you cannot play and do not get a sub). It is your responsibility to get the sub. They do not need to be club members. Prizes will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, place winners along with a most BUNGO's winner and of course a Boobie prize as well. If we have a large group like we did last year, there will obviously be more payouts.

YOUTH BOWLING NEWS

Youth Bowling will begin ***Saturday, Oct. 21st, at 9:30 AM*** for kids age 4-17. We're hoping to have many more bowlers on Saturdays so come on down and bring your friends. It's a fun time for the kids! If you have any questions, please check with Dan Schmidt or Chip Kraushaar.

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 are done at the General Meeting on Tuesday, November 28th. If you would like to help shape the future of our club, NOW is the time to get involved! **We NEED YOU!!!***



Honoraries sponsored Roast Pork Dinner

Sunday, October 15th, 2023

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

Take Outs available

Dinner includes: Roast Pork, Stuffing, Mashed potatoes, Vegetable & Dessert

Tickets: \$15.00

Children 5 to 12: \$5.00

Under 5: Free

Please call the club for reservations so we know how much to purchase.

Don't get shutout for this delicious dinner!



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 21st with appetizers at 5:30 and dinner at 6:30. Please contact Judy Bacon if you **CANNOT** attend so we know how many steaks to order.

Kitchen news

Our kitchen will be open on Thursdays and Fridays during the bowling season. Please stop in to support Bob and the club. We will also begin our fish dinners on Fridays starting October 6th.



SAVE THE DATE!

Yes we will be having our kids Christmas party again on Saturday, December 3rd beginning at 3:00 p.m. 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! More details in the next Spirit!



With bowling season upon us, I thought it might be interesting to include some of the league fun facts in the Spirit's throughout the bowling season. Who bowled a really high game? Who blew beer frame by throwing a gutter? A really hot night going 100 pins over their average? You can let me know by sending an email to nolan812@outlook.com – or let me know if you see me at the club. Thank you. Kim

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Saturday, October 21st:	Baseball pool party at 6:00 p.m.
Saturday, Nov. 4 th :	Gemütlichkeit from 3:00 to 7:30
Tuesday, Nov. 7 th :	Chicken & Biscuit dinner from noon until 7:00 – or gone
Saturday, Dec. 9th:	Children's Christmas party at 3:00 p.m.
Saturday, Dec. ?:	Adult Holiday party ?
Monday, Jan. 1 st :	Annual Open House

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Wednesday Men's League begins	Thursday Ladies' League begins	Meatloaf	Men's Golf League Banquet- 5-9?
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Happy Birthday Pete & Delores Petrone	Chuck Lynch Memorial Men's League starts at 6:30 p.m.	Board Meeting 6:30 p.m.			Ham & Scalloped Potatoes -Bisesi League starts	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
 Roast Pork Dinner 4-7			Bunko Night Bunko starts at 7:00 p.m		Chicken Bruschetta	Baseball Pool Party at 5:30 p.m. - Happy Birthday Bill Hooper and Paul Karwoski
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
		General Meeting @ 6:30 p.m. Honorary meeting immediately following			Ghoulash	Happy Birthday Mary Smorol
29	30	31				
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