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Kathleen E. Lynch
June 22, 1927 – June 17, 2017

Our deepest sympathies to the family and friends of our longtime club manager, Kathy Lynch. Kathy spent most of her life here at our club until she decided to retire in 2008. Kathy & her husband Chuck could be found here just about every day, even holidays keeping the club open for our members. They were a great team and we owe much of our success and crazy memories to them. Many of the stories that some of us “old timers” tell include the antics of Chuck & Kathy & their many friendships that they formed with our club members. Kathy “worked” (actually VOLUNTEERED) as our club manager and always had the club’s best interests at heart whether it was morally, physically, financially and most of all she was a friend to so many of us for well over 75 years.

Rest in Peace Kathy as you’ll always be in our hearts.



Presidents Message

Hello Turner Members,

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 or playing pitch or shuffleboard as we get things going again inside the club, as a way to spend some time with your Turner friends and family.

I want to congratulate our manager at the club Dan on his winning our first lottery scratch off raffle recently and I am looking to have another lottery raffle very soon. This is a limited chance raffle that helped the club raise a little over \$1,500 in just a short period of time. I would like to start this raffle as soon as September and maybe have the winner drawn before Halloween. How would that be for a Trick or treat!

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, like the new lottery raffles as we plan for the fall season and the influx of member participation as the weather changes.

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 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.

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BOARD MEETING & DINNER:

Tuesday
September 12, 2017
6:30 p.m.

GENERAL MEETING:

Tuesday
September 26, 2017 – 6:30 p.m.
Honorary meeting immediately following the General Meeting



Our deepest sympathies to the family of our long time club manager, Kathy Lynch

And

To Steve & Sue Shires and family in the passing of Steve's Mom, Jean Shires in England

Please know that our prayers are with you at this time

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Monday to Friday: 3 p.m. to close
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Sunday: 3 p.m. to close*

*If there is a televised SU Football or Basketball game on before 3:00 on a Saturday or Sunday, the club will be open earlier to accommodate all of our SU Fans.



BUNKO NIGHT IS COMING BACK!

CALLING ALL TURNER MEMBERS!!!!

We are looking to start up our BUNKO night again this fall which will be held on the third Wednesday of the Fall/Winter/Spring months at the club. This is really fun dice game. We are going to continue with the same format as last year with 16 to 20 players.

We will need to know who is interested in playing this season by October 2nd. If you played last season please make a phone call to Dolores Petrone at 315-468-1614 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 Dolores 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 Dolores a call and she can put you on the sub list.

Our start date will be Wednesday, October 18, at 7pm (so our golfers can get as much golf in before it gets too cold). Please arrive a little early to pay your entry fee, get your table card assignment and purchase a beverage or two before we start.

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, 5th and 6th place winners along with a most BUNKO's winner and of course a Boobie prize as well.

As in past seasons if you want to bring a snack to pass it will be welcomed!

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Thank You

MARY SMOROL!

At the June General meeting, Mary Smorol gave us her resignation from the office of Secretary/Treasurer effective October 1st. Mary has been on the Board for many, many years first as a Board member and then she became Secretary/Treasurer back in 2012 and has decided it's time to relax. Mary has done a lot of great things for the club and she will be missed on the Board. We wish her well and thank you for your years of dedication to our club!

So if anyone is interested in this position, it will be available for the upcoming election. The requirements for this office are that you have to have served on the Board for at least one term of 2 years and have been a member of our Society for at least 5 years. If you have any questions about this position, please feel free to contact any officer or Board member. These are the duties of the office of Secretary/Treasurer:

. The Secretary-Treasurer shall attend to all correspondence, keep a record of the proceedings of the meetings of the Society and the Board of Trustees and collect yearly dues or assessments of the members. Receipts must be given for all monies received and said monies must immediately be deposited. It is furthermore the Secretary's duty to keep a correct record of all money received to comply with Article VI, Sections 2 & 3, and to make a quarterly report to the Finance Committee. The books of the Secretary must be, at all times, available for inspection by the committee appointed by the President for this purpose.



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 just leave your name at the bar and someone will get back to you.

The Barb Knieser Memorial Ladies league will be begin bowling on Thursday, Sept. 28th with a "practice round" to get all the kinks out of our joints so we can be ready for the following Thursday when our regular league night will be begin. If there are any ladies that would like to join us, please let me know at judybacon@hotmail.com or call me at 315-575-1677.

The Youth league will be starting on Saturday, October 7th. Danny Schmidt is our youth bowling committee chairman and is looking for some help this year. Due to his work schedule, he can only be there every other Saturday so he will need some assistance. Please let any member of the board know if you can help out with the kids bowling.

Not sure when the Monday, Wednesday or Friday night leagues will begin but I am sure they will all be looking for some bowlers. It's time to get off that computer, out from in front of that TV and get some "exercise". (It really is exercise!) We would love to see some new faces in the alleys because some of the ones that are there have been there a LONG TIME!

CHRISTMAS IN NYC



Just checking to see if any of our Turner members would be interested in doing a one day shopping/show trip to NYC? It would be on Saturday, December 2, 2017. Leave at approximately 6:00 a.m. and arrive in NYC about 10:30 a.m. Then you would be on your own to do whatever you want until the bus picks us up at 8:00 p.m. All show tickets, etc would be on your own. However, if we can get 20 or more people that would like to go to the Radio City Music Hall Christmas show, we can get group discounted tickets. We would need a head count to determine the cost of the bus trip. Please contact me asap if you are interested. You can email me at judybacon@hotmail.com or text me at 315-575-1677. Open to all members and their guests.



VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!

Last year we started a new “volunteer” program at the club to help us save some money. Each month, one “in-house group” (i.e. the Board, bowling leagues, etc.) volunteered in the kitchen one Friday per month. That organization was responsible for buying the food for the Friday night dinners along with cooking, waiting on tables, etc. It worked out really well and we would like to have all of our leagues or even families to please think about volunteering for one Friday dinner to save us the money on the expense of our payroll.

The first one this year will be on Friday, September 29th and it will be the Board of Directors cooking a scrumptious Turkey dinner with all of the fixings. Stop in and support these organizations as we try to keep our club going into our 164th year.

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September



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Birthstone Sapphire

Flower Aster

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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					<i>Kitchen Closed</i>	
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Happy Birthday Randy Krytusa	 <i>Labor Day-Club Closed</i>	Happy Birthday Joanelle LaGrow	Happy Birthday Sue Shires		<i>Kitchen Closed</i>	Happy Birthday Mark Nolan and Mandysue Hart
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Happy Birthday Frank "Smitty" Smith	<i>Happy Birthday Norma Thater & Cheryl Hammond</i>	<i>Board Meeting @ 6:30 P.M</i>			<i>Friday night Special: Beef tips & Noodles</i>	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
					Happy Birthday Kay Knapp	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	Happy Birthday Mike Smorol & Bob Mangan	<i>General Meeting @ 6:30 P.M. - Honorary Meeting immediately following the General Meeting</i> Happy Birthday John Moss		Happy Birthday Aunt Jeanne Sweeing	<i>Friday Night Dinner Special put on by the Officers & Board: Turkey w/stuffing, etc.</i>	

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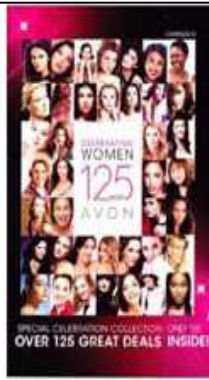
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