



Turner Times

DECEMBER 2009

PRESIDENTS MESSAGE:

Hello to everyone and I would like to say that I hope everyone had a safe and Happy Turkey Day!!! I'm sure the bellies are full and the Christmas lights are put out and turned on. At least mine should be by the time you are reading this.

Basketball is in full swing and so are the Fish Fry's. If you haven't ever been to our Fish Fry please stop by on Friday night's and enjoy the different styles each Friday. We have different crews working each Friday so each crew has their own tricks. You won't be disappointed.

We have cheerleaders this year for the basketball games and our girls are having a great time and learning lots. Thanks to **Lori Twitchell** and her crew for starting a new trend for our youth.

We are moving right along with the Bar Renovations and if you haven't stopped by to look please do so. If you have some time to volunteer to help in any way please get a hold of **Joleen Burns** and I bet she could put you to work!!

We had a good representation in Cincinnati for District Bowling and boy did we have a good time. We had several winners from Fort Wayne and I would like to thank everyone that attended. It is always nice to see that we can have a large presence of the events when they are out of town.

See you at the club,
Mary Kaye Keith

DEADLINE FOR NEWSLETTER: The deadline for the Turner Newsletter is Board Meeting night (third Tuesday of the month). It is our aim to get each month's newsletter to our membership by the first of the month. **Please adhere to this deadline and make the job of doing the Newsletter easier. Newsletter**

Please submit articles for Newsletter on the form we have provided. Scraps of paper and napkins are too easily lost or overlooked. If you submit a full page schedule, results or notices; please do not mark on the back side (we can print a full page and do not need to retype). Want to use club facilities, dinning room, gym, pavilion or softball diamonds; whether it be for a Society function (N/C) or for personal rental (set charges). **The dining room is available at no charge to only Turner members for a Funeral dinner for their immediate family (spouse, mother, father, grandparents and children).** Contact 2nd VP – **Jan Hayward** 260-450-0960.

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Society Website – fortwayneturners.org

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MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT:

The following persons who applied for membership in American Turners were voted in at the General Membership Meeting November 11, 2009.

Mark & Marcy Meier – 2 children

AWARDS NIGHT

Due to the devastating flood in March and the hundreds of volunteers who gave their time and service during and after the flood, it would be next to impossible to pick one winner for the man, woman and youth awards.

Therefore the Fort Wayne Turner Board has decided to forego the awards for 2009.

The Vorwarts award will still be presented

Thank you – Margaret Stephens – Awards Chairperson

THINKING OF YOU:

Andrew Davis – Shirley McAbee – Barb Lepper – Ed Innis

SYMPATHY TO:

Jean Lahram	Her Sister LaVonne E. Baxter
Jay & Debbie Lahrman	His Aunt Lavonne E. Baxter
Roger Reuille	His Brother James L. Reuille

Birthday? – Anniversary? – Special Event? If you want a birthday, anniversary or special occasion listed in the newsletter write it on a newsletter form and place in the publications box.

DISTRICT/NATIONAL EVENTS:

National Bowling – April 10 -11, 17 – 18, 24 – 25, May 1-2, 2010 – Aurora, IL

National Golf – July 9 - 10 - 11, 2010 – Fort Wayne, IN

SENIOR LUNCHEON

The Luncheon will be December 2, Entrée will be Roast Beef – 12 noon. Euchre will be played after lunch. Dessert provided by Joy Bodine & Susan Whetstone

EUCHRE STANDINGS

November 21

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| 1. Ed Keller – 83 | 3. Bob St Peters – 70 | 5. Bill Bade - 67 |
| 2. Don Vorndran – 71 | 4. Mary Ellen Kleinschmidt - 69 | |

Next Euchre December 19 – 7: pm

TURNER TRIP

Does anyone want to take a trip over Thanksgiving 2010???

The dates are November 26 through the 28.

Let's meet on January 7th at Turners in the dinning room so we can discuss plans.

You can also contact me by e-mail hayward 1122@aol.com subject line **trip**, facebook/jan. hayward and 450-0960.

I think it would be a lot of fun! Sign up at the bar.