Januray 1, 2019

Upcoming Events:

- Sat. Jan. 5 - 11 a.m. - Kitchen Sparkle Day
- Sun., Jan. 6 - 2 p.m. - Annual Meeting and Elections
- Mon., Jan. 7 - 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. - No Zum Turner Hof Lunch
- Mon., Jan. 14 - 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. - Zum Turner Hof Lunch
- Fri., Jan 18 - 6:30-11 p.m. - Game Night
- Sat., Jan. 19 - 6 p.m. - Schnitzel dinner, Dance and Installation of Officers
- Mon., Jan. 21 - 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. - Zum Turner Hof Lunch
I hope that all of you had a blessed Christmas and for 2019 I wish all of you happiness and good health.

Sunday, January, 6 at 2:00 is our annual Meeting. I urge all of you to come, to hear what was accomplished last year and what the Board, old or new elected members plan for the future. By attending our annual meeting, you show that you care about the DLT. All of us have to become more active to ensure the future of the DLT. If you have suggestions of how we can improve our club, and reach out not just to our members but also to the general public, please let the Board know.

I would like to remind all you “Gamer’s” that every 3rd Friday is Game Night at the Liederkranz. Also, German Genealogy is generally on the 4th Saturday of the month. Upcoming events include the Schnitzel Dinner on Saturday, January 19 followed by the Schlachtfest on the 9th of February. Fasching will be celebrated on March 2.

This will be my last "President’s Letter." I will be around, but will take it easy for a while. I think 7 years is long enough. Change is good and I know the club will flourish under the guidance of the new President. It has been a privilege and an honor to lead the club.

Thank you I hope to see many of you at our Annual Meeting,
Ulrich (Uli) H. Gaertner,
President

ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION
January 6 at 2:00 pm. Please plan to attend the meeting to see what the present Board has accomplished in 2018. The election of 2019 officers is the same day. Please consider running for one of the open positions. President, Vice President, Secretary, Culture, Membership and House Liaisons.
Schnitzelfest!
Saturday,
January 19, 2019

Join us at the Dayton Liederkranz for
Our Famous Schnitzelfest Dinner & Dance!

Doors Open: 5:30 pm
Dinner Served: 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Entertainment: 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm
Installation of New Officers

~ Admission ~
Dinner and Entertainment:
$16/members, $19/guests
Children 10 and under:
$10/members, $13 guests

Pre-Paid Reservations for the Dinner and Dance can be made by contacting Heidi Gasper at 937.510.1662.
Checks should be made payable to Dayton Liederkranz & can be sent to 9776 Sandy Run Drive, Waynesville, OH 45068.

Schnitzel Dinner Menu:
Pan Fried Schnitzel (Pork Tenderloin)
Parsley Buttered Potatoes
Green Beans with Mushrooms or Red Cabbage
Applesauce
Bread and Butter
Assorted Desserts & Coffee

Music By:
The Steve Owen Sound

Reservation Deadline:
January 13, 2019!
Dayton Liederkranz-Turner
1400 East Fifth Street
Dayton, OH 45402
www.daytongermanclub.org
Hi all,
Requesting everyone's help on **Saturday January 5th, beginning at 11 a.m.** to give the kitchen, walk-in and both storage rooms a DEEP CLEANING. Calling all-hands on deck here, help us maintain our workhouse [volunteer] facilities!! We'll need to break up in teams to accomplish it all, but don't worry, we'll pair you with people you like! This is our traditional SPARKLE DAY to give the kitchen a lovely deep shine after cooking all of those delicious meals - and we simply couldn't do it without YOUR help! Never volunteered in the kitchen before? No problem, this is a fantastic way to get to know the layout and most importantly, find out where equipment/utensils/pots n' pans properly go after use!

**FREE LUNCH IS PROVIDED!** Please [RSVP](#) so I know how much to get. Bring your friends and family, what a great bonding experience! Please don't wear fancy clothes, all cleaning supplies will be provided! Remember, FREE LUNCH IS PROVIDED! Thank you!

Jacob
**Game Night January 18,**
**6:30 - 11 p.m.**

Bring a snack to share and enjoy an evening playing your favorite board games. Bring your friends or come meet new ones. Free admission. The bar will be open with pop and adult beverages.

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**Members' Corner**

**2019 Membership Dues**

Dues invoices for 2019 are currently being mailed out to all members owing dues. If you do not owe dues, you will not receive an invoice; however, you will receive a 2019 Membership card and schedule in January. Life members have permanent cards; if you need a replacement, please contact me. Avoid being deleted from the DLT roster and the membership benefits afforded to those in good standing.

**Dues for 2019 remain the same:** Patron - $100 ($190, $270), Family - $55 ($105, $150), Individual - $35 ($66, $95), Student/Young Adult - $20 ($38, $54). The additional amounts reflect two-year and three-year discounted dues. **Members who do not renew on time will be deleted from the roster/DirectoryUpdate.**
German Life
The 2019 Membership invoice has a line item for subscription to German Life at our group discount rate. If you do not receive an invoice, but would like to get the discounted subscription, please provide a payment (check/cash) for $18. Checks made payable to Dayton Liederkranz. This must be done by March 3rd, 2019.

Annual Meeting
You may pay your dues at our club annual meeting on January 6th. We will have a card reader available so you may pay by credit card as well as cash/check.

More: Contact John Koerner at 429-9251/jabkoerner@aol.com

The Dayton Liederkranz will be sponsoring a program of conversational German language classes, potentially starting in January. The class will be
conducted by a native German speaker who has experience in such classes. The current plan is to run the sessions for nine weeks - not necessarily consecutive - on a Wednesday or Tuesday night. Sessions would be two hours in duration. Each session will focus on a major area of typical discourse like names, greetings, travel, restaurants, work life, etc. Some tailoring can be done to fit the interests of the participants.

This special opportunity is being offered at no cost to DLT members!! Any interested non members will be charged a fee TBD. A syllabus will be published and those interested can attend any or all of the sessions to be offered.

In order to get the program operational, we need to know how much interest there may be in participating – so we can prepare materials, equipment, etc. So if you are a likely interested participant, please let me know—by phone, email or in person---ASAP.

More: Contact John Koerner at 429-9251/jabkoerner@aol.com
German Lunches Mondays 11am-2pm
at the Dayton Liederkranz Turner
1400 East Fifth St. Dayton, OH

Upcoming Chef’s Specials

| January 7th | **Test and Development Day**  
(Not Open to the Public) |
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| January 14th | Kasseler Rippchen mit Kartoffelbrei und Sauerkraut  
(smoked pork chops and mashed potatoes) | $14.00 |
| January 21st | Hähnchen Cordon Bleu mit Pommes und Salat  
(Chicken Cordon Bleu with fries and salad) | $15.00 |
| January 28th | Fleischkäse mit gerösteten Zwiebeln, Bratkartoffeln, und Salat  
(meatloaf with roasted onions, fried potatoes, and salad) | $12.00 |

Carry Out: (937) 223-9013 (please place orders by 10:00am)
Find us on Facebook at Zum Turner Hof Gasthaus
Catering Available Upon Request
http://www.daytongermanclub.org
# 2019 German Club Activities

### Dayton Liederkrantz Turner
1400 E. Fifth St.
Dayton, OH 45402-2224
937-223-9013
www.daytongermanclub.org

### Eintracht Singing Society
2707 Troy St.
Dayton, OH 45404-2173
937-233-6622
www.daytonenurs.org

### German Club Edelweiss
531 E. Wenger Rd.
Englewood, OH 45322-2833
937-836-6899
www.germanclubofedelweiss.com

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Scheduled events and/or dates subject to change. For verification, dinner menus, and times, please contact the appropriate club or check their website. See other side for American Czech-Slovak Club 2019 events.
New singers and dancers are welcome to join us at any time. Choir rehearsals are from 7:30-9:00 p.m. on Thursdays, and dance lessons are from 7:30-9:00 p.m. on Mondays. Come try it out!

The purpose of *Liederkranz Life* is to keep our members and friends informed of meetings, club events and German cultural happenings in the Dayton area.

**DEADLINE:** *Liederkranz Life* appears on the 1st and 15th of each month. If you have information to be added to or highlighted in this newsletter, please email The Newsletter Team by the 10th or 25th.

PLEASE NOTE: Any events not on the DLT Website Calendar will not be included in this newsletter. Of course, if there is an immediate need to distribute information such as inclement weather or emergency issues, an additional newsletter may be sent, but exceptions will not be made for late material.