October 15, 2017

Upcoming Events:

- Mon. Oct. 16, 7:30 p.m. - German Dance Practice; reservations due for Maultaschen dinner
- Wed. Oct. 18, 10-2 - Pinochle Group
- Thur. Oct. 19, 6:30 - Music Committee Meeting
- Thur. Oct. 19, 7:30 - Choir Rehearsal
- Fri. Oct. 20, 6:30-11 p.m. - Tabletop Games Night
- Sat. Oct. 21, 1:30 p.m. - German Genealogy Group Research Day; evening Private Event
- Sun. Oct. 22, 4 p.m. - Fall Concert and Maultaschen Dinner
- Mon. Oct. 23, 7:30 p.m. - German Dance Practice
- Tues. Oct. 24, 7 p.m. - Board Meeting; Reservations due for St. Martin's Day
- Wed. Oct. 25, 10-2 - Pinochle Group
- Thurs. Oct 26, 7:30 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal
- Sun. Oct. 29, 4 p.m. - Fifth Street Breupub Annual Meeting - private event
Mmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmaultaschen!

Plan now to attend the annual Fall concert on Sunday, October 22 at 4:00, followed by an amazing dinner at 5:30. The dinner is by PREPAID RESERVATION ONLY. The menu consists of homemade Maultaschen, (specialty German meat dumpling - similar to ravioli or wonton) roasted red potatoes, salad and bread. Dessert will be a house-made pfeffernüß tiramisu.

Member Price: $17  Nonmember Price: $22

A special cocktail will also be offered at the bar to complement the dinner: Dopplebock with a quenelle of vanilla ice cream and a freshly-made Pfeffernüß cookie. Biertail: $5  All reservations to Heidi Gasper 937-510-1662 by October 16th.
DAYTON LIEDERKRANZ TURNER JUGENDCHOR

WHO?  You – Singers from 8-18 years old
WHAT?  Learn to sing favorite German Weihnachtslieder (Christmas Carols) auf Deutsch (in German)
WHERE?  Dayton Liederkranz Turner Clubhouse, 1400 E. Fifth Street, Dayton, OH 45402
WHEN?  4 Thursday evenings – November 2, 9 and 16 from 7:30-8:30 pm; November 30 from 7:00-8:30 pm
WHY?  Christmas Concert, Saturday, December 2, 2017 at 7:00 pm at the Liederkranz Turner Great Hall
HOW?  Contact Judy Schneider to sign up – 937-433-3451 or dayton.liederkranz.info@gmail.com
COST?  Both the classes and the Concert are FREE!

St. Martin’s Day Family Celebration

- Families will gather in the Great Hall at 4:30 p.m. on Saturday, November 11, to create lanterns for each child participating. All materials provided.
• While the lanterns are drying, a snack supper will be served at 5:30 p.m. in the Rathskeller.
• At 6:30 p.m., we will parade through the St. Anne’s Hill neighborhood with our beautiful lanterns, singing the St. Martin’s carols.
• Following the parade, we will meet back at the Liederkranz parking lot for a bonfire, hot chocolate, and a special treat. Please bring lawn chairs, if desired.

Suggested donation $10 per family
BECAUSE OF THE ADVANCE PREPARATIONS NECESSARY, RSVP IS REQUIRED BY MONDAY, OCTOBER 24 to Louise Gaertner—(937) 434-7999 uhglhp42@aol.com or Judy Schneider (937) 433-3451 judyschneider64@gmail.com

A DLT Opportunity/Need -- 2nd Notice
With all of the talent and experience possessed by our membership, there must be someone who could step up and become a Grant Coordinator/Writer for the organization. Now that we are a 501 (c) 3 charitable organization, we need to tap into the numerous sources of funding that are available to support many of our activities: GermanFest expenses, heritage promotion, cultural/historic preservation, entertainment, neighborhood livability, civic participation, youth activities, education, etc, etc.
If this is something that you might be willing to try—multiple individuals welcome—please let me know. This is a new position with no pre-set requirements—the Board views this as an opportunity to grow and to flourish!!!

John Koerner, 429-9251, jabkoerner@aol.com

Tabletop Game Night
October 20, 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.

You do your normal grocery shopping - DLT gets rewards!
Since DLT is now a 501(c)3 organization, we can take advantage of the Kroger Community Awards program. IT COSTS YOU NOTHING, and IT IS FREE MONEY for the club! Here's how it works:

- Register online at krogercommunityrewards.com
- Be sure to have your Kroger Plus card handy and register your card with DLT after you sign up.
• If you do not yet have a Kroger Plus card, they are available at the customer service desk at any Kroger.

• Click on Sign In/Register

• Most participants are new online customers, so you must click on SIGN UP TODAY in the ‘New Customer?’ box.

• Sign up for a Kroger Rewards Account by entering zip code, clicking on favorite store, entering your email address and creating a password, agreeing to the terms and conditions

• You will then get a message to check your email inbox and click on the link within the body of the email.

• Click on My Account and use your email address and password to proceed to the next step.

• Click on Edit Kroger Community Rewards information and input your Kroger Plus card number.

• Update or confirm your information.

• Enter DLT’s NPO number 98938 or Dayton Liederkranz Turner, select organization from list and click on confirm.

• To verify you are enrolled correctly, you will see your organization’s name on the right side of your information page.

• REMEMBER, purchases will not count for the Liederkranz until after you register your card(s).

• Do you use your phone number at the register? Call 800-576-4377, select option 3 to get your Kroger Plus card number.

• Members must swipe their registered Kroger Plus card or use the phone number that is related to their registered Kroger Plus card when shopping for each purchase to count.
The **German Genealogy Group** will meet on Saturday, October 21 (please note change of date!) at 1:30 p.m. in the Dayton Liederkranz Rathskeller. Due to the unavailability of the speaker we will hold a research session which I have renamed from the Work-Share sessions of the past. Please, all those who have in the past served as mentors and those wishing assistance bring all necessary research and your computers. Mentors will hope to start you on your way to discovering your heritage or give you valuable information to try.

Meetings with key players in staging the GermanFest Picnic like Five Rivers Metro Parks and Downtown Dayton Partnership continue. We are working on increasing and modifying our footprint for 2018. We know now that we will need some members to step up and take on leadership roles for several critical functions including: **Wine/Schnapps Chair**, **Beer Station Captain** (likely several), **Additional Pretzel Station**. If you are interested, please let me know.

John Koerner, Chairman, 429-9251

[jabkoemer@aol.com](mailto:jabkoemer@aol.com)
Fall Bier Tasting - November 17 6 p.m.

Come enjoy the highly acclaimed, semiannual Liederkranz Fall beer tasting party. Sample some 10 different seasonal beers in our authentic Rathskeller, led by Gus Stathes of Ollie’s Place. Our sampling tour will begin at 7:00 p.m. RESERVE EARLY—this event fills up quickly. The Bierfest will include free snacks and great door prizes.

Food, including brats and metts, and a variety of beers and other drinks will be available for purchase. Preregister by Nov. 15 for a Discount $14.00 Members $18.00 Guests

Contact John Koerner to preregister at 937-429-9251 or jabkoerner@aol.com

Price at the door $20.00 for all Admission for Designated Driver is FREE!
Springerle Class

Location: Eintracht Singing Society, Troy Pike
Dates: 18 & 19 November
Time: 1:00pm each day

The DLT has 4 of the 8 slots. There are no stairs to reach the kitchen. I have two ladies from last year that couldn't make it so I'm giving them first refusal. Both days are essential. Saturday is the mixing, chilling and cutting. Sunday is the baking and bagging day. I hope that you can make it.

I will supply the ingredients, please feel free to bring your molds and rolling pins. Let's have some fun!

If you want to learn how to make these wonderful, delightful cookies please give me, Lori, a call at 937-657-9489 or an email at lhemmelgarn@gmail.com
Magenbrot Baking

Location: Dayton Liederkranz-Turner
When: Nov. 11 at 9:00am

It will take one day to make these delicious cookies. The tricky part is that they have to be done a month in advance of eating them. So this is perfect timing for the Christkindlmarkt.

If you want to learn and help out with the CKM then give me, Lori, a call at 937-657-8486 or email at lhemmelgarn@gmail.com
Member of the Year Nominations

The Board is developing a list of nominees for the 2017 member of the Year Award. Any member in good standing can suggest possible candidates to any member of the Board. All members will have the opportunity to vote once the list is complete. Please nominate your candidate and a few reasons why they deserve the award and forward it to the DLT web site or to a Board member.
Membership Chairman John Koemer, 429-9251, jabkoemer@aol.com
Dayton Liederkrantz Turner & Max Tanzen Present

A CHRISTMAS POLKA PARTY

With

The Chardon Polka Band

December 21, 2017
7:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.
Admission $5 - Members $3

1400 East Fifth Street
Dayton, OH 45402
937-225-9013
Cash Bar, Snacks, Family Friendly
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.