



Turner Times

MARCH 2010

PRESIDENTS MESSAGE:

I hope everyone is having a good winter!! LOL... I'm sure spring is just around the corner.

If you haven't heard and haven't seen the bar is open!! Thanks to all the hard workers that made this happen we couldn't have done it without you.

Watch the upcoming newsletters and flyers down at the club for the Grand Opening that is being put together by our Donation Committee. The date is in May.

If you have any ideas that you would like to throw at the Donation Committee please contact **Patsy Johnson 486-3253** with those suggestions. We now have the task of raising money to rebuild our basement so that we can have rentals again.

Please make sure that if you want to have a party or rent the gym **YOU MUST CONTACT JAN HAYWARD 450-0960**. She needs to put this on the calendar and also needs to verify that nothing is going on at the same time.

The District Convention is March 13 at our club. If you are interested in being a delegate please contact **Dona Schaefer 639-3535, Terry or Joy Bodine 338-1965**.

Until we chat again!!!

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, dining 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**.

District Website - centralstatereturners.org
National Website – americanturners.org
Society Website – fortwayneturners.org

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Memorials/Sunshine

Susan Whetstone, 485-5661

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Val Miller, 486-5861

Central states District Convention

As a member of Fort Wayne Turners, you are also a member of American Turners (National and States District). Central States District consists of the following Societies: Athenaeum (Indianapolis), Cincinnati, Covington, Fort Wayne, Louisville, Michiana (South Bend), River City (Louisville), South Side (Indianapolis), & Toledo.

Each year the Central States district holds its Convention in March and a Fall Conference in October. The Convention this year is March 13 and will be hosted by Fort Wayne Turners. At this Convention delegates from each Society will submit a report on the status of their membership and events held by their Society during the past year. They will exchange and discuss ways to improve their Societies and the District.

If you have never attended a Convention, Please join us and share the camaraderie with your fellow Turners. For more information contact me at 260-639-3535. Become an active Turner at Fort Wayne and the District.

To become a delegate contact

Dona Schaefer
260-639-3535
Dms5150000@yahoo.com

Terry Bodine
260-341-4385
bodinetj@verizon.net

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT:

The following persons who applied for membership in American Turners were voted in at the General Membership Meeting. None

THINKING OF YOU:

Andrew Davis Ed Keller Jan Kleinschmidt Beth Bade Deb Scheib

SYMPATHY TO:

Mark & Renee Wentz & Family Her Sister Rhonda Jump

MEMORIAL FUND/BUILDING FUND:

In memory of: Harold Jornod From: Don & Donna Vorndran

In Memory of: Al Schmidt From: Eldon Zahm

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

District Convention – March 13 – Fort Wayne, IN

SENIOR LUNCHEON

The Luncheon will be March 3; Entrée will be Cube Steak – 12 noon. Euchre will be played after lunch. Dessert provided by Dona Schaefer.

EUCHRE STANDINGS

February 20th

1. Wimp Baumgartner - 69 2. Cliff Teders - 64 3. Lou Ann Ludwiski - 64

Next Euchre March 20 – 7pm

The “**Garage Sale**” will be in April: Thursday April 15 – 4pm-9pm Friday April 16 – 9am-6pm Sat April 17 – 9am-noon

Please bring your items to the club beginning Friday April 2nd. The gym will be set up to receive all the “goodies: that will be donated. Thanks in advance for all the items. If there are any questions call **Val Miller 486-5861, Margaret Stephens 414-4459** or **Sarah Keller 637-3566**.