



Liederkrantz Life

February 15, 2023

Bimonthly newsletter of the Dayton Liederkrantz-Turner



Upcoming Events:

- Wednesday, February 15 - 7-9 p.m. - German Conversation Lessons Begin
- Thursday, February 16 - 7:30 p.m. Choir Practice
- Friday, February 17 - 6 p.m. - German Dance Practice
- Saturday, February 18 - 7:11 p.m. - Fasching
- Monday, February 20 - 7 p.m. - Baking Group
- Tuesday, February 21 - 7 p.m. - Board Meeting (moved from February 28)
- Thursday, February 23 - 7:30 p.m. Choir Practice
- Friday, February 24 - 6 p.m. - German Dance Practice
- Saturday, February 25 - 1-3 p.m. - German Genealogy Group
- Saturday, February 25 - Sip n Nip - Wein and Food Pairing event



President's Letter

Fasching

One of the Liederkrantz's signature heritage events is Fasching, the pre-Lenten celebration of merriment and frivolity. It happens this Saturday. The event has been well attended in recent years with everyone of all ages enjoying the costumes, the music, the Royal Couple and more. See you there?

State of the DLT -URGENT

A critical need remains at the DLT for an EVENTS Coordinator -a Board Liaison position. Most future club events are in jeopardy of being cancelled if this position cannot be filled. The need is currently being addressed on an ad-hoc basis by people stepping up to cover the need in addition to their other volunteer activities. There are only a handful of events to coordinate in any year. Help! Good news –we appear to have a potential Hausmeister – a Ukrainian refugee family. Stay tuned.

Dues

A reminder to support this great organization by attending to any dues that you might owe. Please remit ASAP if you have not already done so. It's easy to pay on-line as indicated at the end of this newsletter.

2023 GERMANFEST PICNIC – 40th Anniversary

The kick-off General Picnic Planning meeting for this year's major "milestone" event was held on Wednesday, February 8th . We committed to a second stage for this year as we seek to fill, and possibly expand, our footprint. Going forward, I intend to highlight major Picnic needs in this column. Current major need:

- Overall Volunteer Coordinator
- Food Line Leaders
- Kinder Korner Co-Chair

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President



New singers are welcome to join us at any time. Choir rehearsals are from 7:30-9:00 p.m. on Thursdays. Come try it out!

German dance lessons continue on Friday's at 6pm. No prior experience or dance partner needed. Hard sole shoes are recommended. Contact

Volkstaenzer@DaytonGermanClub.org for more information.



We are in need of volunteers to help with repairs and maintenance of our club. If you have the skills to help out, please contact Bill Tackett, our House Liaison at HouseLiaison2@DaytonGermanClub.org



German Genealogy Group

Greetings German Genealogists,

Our February meeting will be a Work/Share session using DLT member case studies. If requested GGG members will receive these studies in advance.

Send your request to: GermanGenealogyGroup@DaytonGermanClub.org

On the subject line enter: Requesting February Case Studies

We meet on Saturday, February 25, 2023 at 1:00 p.m. in the Liederkrantz great hall. Weather forecasting is uncertain. If the weather is mild we'll meet. If it's a blizzard stay home, needless to say.

Best Regards,

Richard Spangler & the gang



Sip n Nip

Mark your calendars for Saturday, 25 February for a wine and food pairing led by Cheryl Richards who is WSET (Wine & Spirits Education Trust) level 2 certified. The event will feature 6 German / Austrian wines and delicious food pairings. Cost is \$45 for guests until 19 February at 8 pm and \$50 after until full. Members selected the Adult Member Option to receive Membership Pricing. Please plan to arrive between 6 and 6:30 with tasting and food pairings beginning at 6:30.

[Pre-pay here!](#)

Volunteers are also needed to help with the event. [Click Here to volunteer.](#)



DLT FASCHING

Saturday, February 18 7:11-11 P.M.

HIGHLIGHTS:

- GUESTS - \$5;
MEMBERS, CHILDREN
& MILITARY WITH ID -
FREE
- LIVE MUSIK - FRANK
SVET
- COSTUME CONTEST
WITH PRIZES
- JUGEND CORNER
WITH GAMES FOR KIDS
- FREE HOT DOGS
- BRING A SNACK TO
SHARE

2023

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COME PARTY WITH PRINZ KEN,
PRINZESSIN KARLA UND ROWAN!

Fasching Season is coming to a close and volunteers are needed to help make our Fasching on Saturday, 18 February a success! Click on links to learn more about the [volunteer needs](#) and to [sign up!](#)

Kohlroulade Abendessen!



Cabbage Roll Dinner, 11 March from 6:00 – 8:00 pm.

Adult dinner includes 2 cabbage rolls (one for children), Mashed Potatoes, Rye Bread, Butter, Dessert by our Baking Group, Coffee and Tea.

Adult Member Price \$18.00 Guest Price \$22.00

Children Member Price \$10.00

Guest Price \$14.00

Children 5 and under-No Charge

Cabbage Roll Carry Out \$7.00 each

Prepaid Reservations/Orders Only by Sunday 3/5/2023 at 8:00 pm.

For Orders/Reservations call or text 937-985-4853 or email

culinary@daytongermanclub.org

Pre-pay online reservation link
coming soon. After dinner, stay for
Game Night!



Annual membership dues are due by January 31st. To avoid getting a past due notice, please submit your dues via the link below or mail a check to my attention. If you would like to be included in the group subscription for German Life magazine, please submit \$25 by March 1st. You can pay by credit card or check. If you have any questions, please call or email me.

Dlt.membership1@gmail / 937-815-0036

<https://dayton-liederkranz-turners-inc.square.site/membership>



Scholarship Program

Part of the proceeds from the Germanfest Picnic goes to underwrite scholarships for deserving students who promote the German heritage and culture. Including this year's awards, the Germanfest Picnic scholarship awards have totaled more than \$65,000 since the program's inception. See the links below to apply.

Completed application must be received no later than 7:30 P.M., March 23, 2023.

[Academic Scholarship](#)

[Education Grant](#)



On February 2nd, Gary Rickert passed away. His wife Eileen is the clubs Food Operations Chair since 2020 and we so appreciate all of her and her families support. We send our condolences to Eileen and family. Click the link for the [Obituary](#).

Attached here is Maria Duncan's [Obituary](#).



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For all things Liederkranz:

https://Linktr.ee/Kranzi_DLT

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

DEADLINE: *Liederkrantz 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.