



Club Hours	
Monday:	Closed
Tuesday:	Closed
Wednesday:	5:00-10pm (Kitchen open 5-9)
Thursday:	5:00-11pm (Kitchen open 5-9)
Friday:	5:00-11 pm (Kitchen open 5-9)
Saturday & Sunday:	Closed except for Special Events

Reading Liederkrantz

German Singing and Sport Society

OUR 134th ANNIVERSARY YEAR

July-August 2019

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President's Message

by Carin Stunz

Hello to all,

Summer has arrived and we can only hope the weather is better than last year. We continue our Yappy Hour on Wednesday nights and Corn Hole the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. We have decided to discontinue music on Friday nights in the Biergarten, however, weather permitting the bar will be open with lawn games available and music via the sound system. We have great entertainment lined up with MountainXpress at Wurstfest and the Adler's for the CLUB Anniversary. Complete details can be found in the newsletter and on the website.

Improvements continue to be made throughout the club and grounds. New doors, new pavilion, parking lot and tree work have all been completed. Our next big project will be repair of the floor at our main entrance. Due to the age of the building, the board has elected to get a complete engineering study to ensure it is fixed properly.

I hope you have had the chance to come up and enjoy our new weekly menu. The member feedback has been wonderful and the food delicious. Sarah is doing a great job and the staff has been working hard to ensure a great dining experience. Come on up and check it out.

Finally, the board would like to thank Robin and Marlis for their years of service to the club. We wish them all the best in their future plans and hope they now get the opportunity to enjoy the club.

See you at the club,

Carin

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

July 3	Yappy Hour in the Biergarten	5:00-9:00pm
July 3	German Language Class	6:00-7:00pm
July 4	Happy Independence Day- CLUB CLOSED	
July 5	Family Night in the Biergarten	5:00-10:00pm
July 10	Yappy Hour in the Biergarten	5:00-9:00pm
July 10	Stammtisch	5:30-6:30pm
July 10	Cornhole League	6:00-9:00pm
July 12	Kermit in the Haus	6:00-9:00pm
July 17	Yappy Hour in the Biergarten	5:00-9:00pm
July 19	Family Night in the Biergarten	5:00-10:00pm
July 19	Board of Directors Meeting	7:00-8:00pm
July 21	Singers' Sommerfest	Noon-5:00pm
July 24	Yappy Hour in the Biergarten	5:00-9:00pm
July 24	Cornhole League	6:00-9:00pm
July 25	Thirsty Thursday	5:00-10:00pm
July 26	Kermit in the Haus	6:00-9:00pm
July 27	134th Anniversary Celebration	5:00-10:00pm
July 31	Yappy Hour in the Biergarten	5:00-9:00pm
July 31	Trivia Night	7:00-9:00pm
Aug 2	Family Night in the Biergarten	5:00-10:00pm
Aug 7	Yappy Hour in the Biergarten	5:00-9:00pm
Aug 7	German Language Class	6:00-7:00pm
Aug 9	Kermit in the Haus	6:00-9:00pm
Aug 14	Yappy Hour in the Biergarten	5:00-9:00pm
Aug 14	Stammtisch	5:30-6:30pm
Aug 14	Cornhole League	6:00-9:00pm
Aug 16	Family Night in the Biergarten	5:00-10:00pm
Aug 16	Board of Directors Meeting	7:00-8:00pm
Aug 17	German Bierfest	5:00-10:00pm
Aug 18	German American Day at the Evergreen	
Aug 21	Yappy Hour in the Biergarten	5:00-9:00pm
Aug 22	Thirsty Thursday	5:00-10:00pm
Aug 23	Kermit in the Haus	6:00-9:00pm
Aug 28	Yappy Hour in the Biergarten	5:00-9:00pm
Aug 28	Cornhole League	6:00-9:00pm
Aug 28	Trivia Night	7:00-9:00pm



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DIVISION REPORTS



**LADIES
AUXILIARY**

Our Ladies met in late May as our final meeting of the academic season before taking a respite for the months of June and July. Our business in June involved choosing flowers for the Club's outdoor gardens and pots, and placing and planting them to beautify the grounds. Thank you to Temple Greenhouse for many additions of lovely baskets and plants, which we hope you enjoy at all of our outdoor events. **Ladies, please join us for our next meeting, a luncheon, to be held on Saturday, August 24th, at 11:30 a.m., at Klingers on Carsonia.** In September, we will resume with meetings the fourth Friday of each month at 7 p. m., upstairs at the Club. Scholarships will be presented again this summer to two recent high school graduates, given by our Ladies Auxiliary sub-committee, at our annual July Anniversary Event. Congratulations to the recipients! Please join us at meetings. You are always welcome.



**READING
LIEDERKRANZ
SINGERS**

Please join us at the Singers' Sommerfest on July 21st. See the flyers inside. We are still looking for Sponsors for this amazing event.

If you've thought about joining us, come up to the club and ask to speak to one of the Singers—we are always around, volunteering in the kitchen or enjoying many of the events. We would love to have you!



**GERMANIA
SOCCER**

Germania and the Reading Liederkrantz will host the annual General Meeting of our local league on July 17. Germania will begin play the second Sunday in September playing through the beginning of December. After their successful year last year, we are expecting to have another run at the Playoffs and Championship. The schedule and other information on our future plans will be coming in the next newsletter.



**G.T.V.
EDELWEISS**

GTV would like to wish everyone a joyous summer with family time. We would also like to wish all the best of luck to our members who will be competing at Gaufest in Washington DC this July.



**EAGLES'
MT. HOME**

For the past 116 years, eagle Mt. Home has been a retreat and a summer getaway for its members and many of their friends. With all the improvements that the Liederkrantz has made in the building and grounds, it is still one of the better places to enjoy a beer and Gemütlichkeit with fellow members. German tradition was part of Eagle Mt. Home and of course is our mainstay for our Liederkrantz members. Preparations are occurring for another wonderful Oktoberfest, and many other events throughout the summer and into the fall.

OKTOBERFEST UPDATE ~ *Mark Hinkle, Oktoberfest Chairman*
Oktoberfest meetings will be held the 4th Thursday of the month at 7pm. The meetings are open to Board members, Trustees and Section leaders.
Pre-sale discount admission tickets will be available August 21 and 23, September 5, 19, and 27 for four hours each night. Members are the only ones who may take advantage of these pre-sales.



Elaine Riegel is again looking for volunteers for Oktoberfest. If you want to volunteer, call her at 610-777-0007 .

VOLUNTEER CORNER

Dear Members:

I hope you all are enjoying your vacation and all the activities summer brings. Going too fast. So many activities here at the club so please check the calendar and come enjoy the Bier Garden with your friends. We again need some volunteers for some week end activities.. Please call me and see if any of the times suit you. Phone 610-326-4455 and email lallmen505@aol.com. Thank you,

Linda Allmendinger, Volunteer Coordinator



WILLKOMMEN



NEW MEMBERS OF THE READING LIEDERKRANZ
AS OF APRIL-MAY 2019

Robin Adams
Jonah Arndt
Kasey Benjamin
Gene Blimline
Trudy Coudon
Joseph Cox
Tracy Drost
Anne Erb
Brent Erb
Aaron Faessen
Cara Faessen
James Fasnacht
Carson Freeman
Bethany French
Monika Fuks-Downing
David Helder
Bryan Heller

Mary Beth Henningan
Robert Hensel
Jennifer Kamienski
Douglas Keuscher
Bonnie Koehler
Roger Koehler
Andrew Landis
Wendy Landis
Mariah Ligas
Gretchen Martin
Sam Martin
Sarah Mathias
Jim Matuszak
David Mohn
Gary Moyer
Lesa Moyer
Kevin Peragine

Linda Reider
Scott Reider
Stephen Resnick
Jeanne Schantzenbach
Jared Shaffer
Kristen Soper
Duane Stoney
Veronica Strickler
Jesse Tamburino
Dave Timpson
Katherine Walker
Pamela Weaver
Ray Weaver
Dale Witmer

Get Well Wishes go out to Judi Eshelman, Ladies' Auxiliary President, as she recovers from surgery. We miss you, Judi!



NEWSLETTER PATRONS

For \$20 a year you can be listed as a Patron in our newsletter and help defray printing costs.

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Bob & Nini Zoppel	7/20
David Voelker	7/20
Fay Yentsch	4/21
Rosemary Barker	9/21
Ginny Stricek	11/21



Our stuffing date for the next bimonthly newsletter (September-October) is Wednesday, August 21

All are welcome!

Questions??

Contact Bryn Weckel at 610-926-3731 or e-mail: brynlen@aol.com

Membership Information

Mike Miller, Financial Secretary

DON'T GET CAUGHT WITHOUT YOUR STICKER! Please check your membership card. If you **DO NOT** have a sticker on it signifying you paid your 2019 dues, you are **not officially a member!** Mike Miller, Financial Secretary, is at the club most nights to receive dues and hand out stickers. You are required to show your card when you come to the club. **DON'T LEAVE HOME WITHOUT IT!**





FROM THE RLK KITCHEN

A very special welcome to our new Chef Sarah Linsenmaier. Chef Sarah has been working very hard in order to prepare culinary delights for us all. She has been learning a lot and has fielded many suggestions that she has begun to implement. Please make sure you stop into the kitchen to let her know what you think of her work and offer your comments. Additionally, the kitchen is in need of some volunteers. We train anyone interested in being a part of the team. If you can give even a few hours please let any one of the kitchen staff know, We certainly appreciate all the help we can get. *Guten Appetit!*

We wish the best to Robin and Marlis Pritz as they move on to other ventures, and thank them for their many years of service to the club.

We welcome our new **Chef Sarah Linsenmaier!** Following is her background info:

I have been working in the culinary industry my entire life. I started out as a young girl at my father's deli. When he sold the business he began butchering. One of my first culinary jobs was at Dairy Queen when I was 16. I later found myself in and out of pizza shops as a grill cook, then later moved up to a pizza maker at a brewery called Earth Bread and Brewery, where I worked under a chef who graduated from CIA in NY. She herself was an apprentice to Anthony Bourdon. While working at Earth Bread, I had a part time job in the morning decorating cookies for The Flour Pot in Ambler, PA. A year or so later, in my mid 20s, I began running two sister restaurants in Conshohocken outside of Philadelphia called Stella Blu and Gypsy Saloon. I was only there for a year and had to move back home to be close to family who was ill. I began managing the kitchen at Appalachian Brewing Company after moving home, and was there for only a year. After leaving ABC I found myself as business owner for a tree removal service as well as waiting tables and managing the front of the house of a small café in Manheim, Pa called the Brick House Café. But after some time I decided to leave my partnership and the Cafe and found myself making pizzas again in Smoketown, PA. After being there, I met my husband who I then moved in with. When I made the move to live with my husband I helped in both FOH and BOH at the Bridge Inn where I stayed for a number of years while also working at the club. I've been working at the club part time for about 2 years, and have been a member for about 3 years.

WELCOME, SARAH!

TRAVEL NEWS



Our trip to Copenhagen and then sailing the Baltic is rapidly approaching in just a few months. Travelers are busy choosing their port excursion for the Scandinavian area and reserving specialty dinners in various restaurants on board that are an added group bonus. The trip dates are Sept 3rd-14th. Thank you to Boscovs Travel Center for helping us to prepare all these details. Please watch for some travel hint emails through the summer, preparing us for this fantastic adventure!

Our final travel document meeting for details and departure times will be held Thursday, Aug 15th, at 5:30 pm, either upstairs at the Liederkrantz Club or outside under the pavilion, depending on the weather.

I will announce details after this trip, late September, of a trip to Reutlingen, Germany, our Partner City to Reading, for late August 2020. This trip will include one hotel, day excursions, and Reutlingen's beautiful Wine Fest, all while being Ambassadors from our Club and City. Please mark your calendars! I am also hoping to run a 3 day bus trip in April or early May 2020. Stay tuned! Thank you for traveling with us!

GUTE REISE ———-BON VOYAGE!

**29th Annual Fundraiser for the
Reading Liederkrantz Singers**

**THE SOMMERFEST
CAR SHOW**

AT THE Reading Liederkrantz

143 Spook Lane - off Hill Rd.

Sunday July 21st

10 am to 5 pm Rain or Shine



Biergarten **11am**



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Sponsorship can do many wonderful things, such as:

- increase brand loyalty
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- drive new retail traffic and increase sales.

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This year we're continuing our unique trophy design to promote your brand and award our attendees –
a custom Bier Stein !!



It's simple: Your logo, message, and artwork printed directly on the stein in the center box approximately 2 inches wide by 3 inches high.

Images reflect an approximate design.

We're asking \$100 to sponsor a 1st place trophy; \$50 for 2nd or 3rd place; or \$150 to sponsor an entire class of three trophies (that's \$50 off). Our typical classes are - Antique; Vintage; Classic; Street Rod; Truck; Exotic; Classic & Modern Muscle; and Rat Rod. Plus, we will also award Best of Show, People's Choice, and various Show Star trophies, but we're always ready to expand. Like Teslas? Sponsor a Tesla class. Like custom paint artwork? Sponsor a trophy. And if your Car Club would like to sponsor a class, we can do that too.

We will distribute any flier, circular, or coupon you provide; our DJ will announce your business and read your 15-second promo-copy once every hour; AND you will receive one *free* 10'x 10' vendor space.

PLUS !! – You may Present the Trophy !!

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Or visit: www.ReadingLiederkrantz.com/carshow

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We have only 10 free spaces available, so act fast and email us at: RLKSingers@Gmail.com for more details. Otherwise, a 10'x10' space is \$25, with eight-foot tables provided at \$10 each. In 2017, the Sommerfest Car show had 220 show cars and over 500 people attend, and we've had crowds of 300 or more since 2013. This year is our show's 29th anniversary. Come and join the fun !!

(* or a comparable item having \$25 minimum retail value. Vendor's business is promoted during raffle.)

Achtung!

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\$3 pints (\$2 during happy hour - Wed-Fri)

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(a German Riesling Blend - semisweet, fruity, and crisp)
- Pairs well with chicken, seafood, or stands well alone

\$3 glasses (\$2 during happy hour - Wed-Fri)



Election Information

Nominating Committee for 2019:

Joe Marnell– Chairman

Michael Borst

Joan Yoder

Slate of Officers and any nominated candidates will be published in the next edition of the newsletter, September-October.

Elections will be held at the November meeting.

CORNHOLE LEAGUE

Think you're good at throwing bean bags? Maybe you're a natural cornholer! Summer Leagues are forming now. Come up to the club for details. You must have a registered team to participate.

Games are every 2nd and 4th Wednesday in the grove.



YAPPY HOUR

Every Wednesday during the summer 5:00—9:00pm

Members are encouraged to bring their friendly dogs to enjoy the Biergarten! *We now offer outside table service!*



Enjoy dinner & drinks in the Biergarten!

134th Anniversary



**SATURDAY, JULY 27
5:00 pm**



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SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE NEWS

Our winners for our two \$1000 awards will be awarded at the Club Anniversary on July 27. Congratulations to these two students!



Molly Riegel is a senior at Governor Thomas Johnson High School in Frederick, MD. She is the granddaughter of club member Elaine Riegel. Her many activities include NJROTC, Orienteering Team Captain, Venture Crew, and Operations Department Head. She plans to study Nursing at Salisbury University.

Rosalie Borst is a senior at Berks Catholic High School. She is the granddaughter of club member William Borst and daughter of Michael Borst. Her many activities include Delta Epsilon Pi National Honor Society, Yearbook, Committee, and Club Volleyball. She plans to pursue a degree in Criminology—Forensics at Wilkes University.



Condolences go out to the families of the following Liederkränz members who passed away in April:

Grant Stetzler and Rose Marie Reifsnyder.

Werner Deurr passed away in May. They will be missed by family and their Liederkränz friends.

NOTICE

Reading Liederkrantz Daily Drawing Ending Rules & Regulations

The Daily Drawing will cease to exist effective **July 27, 2019**. A special drawing will be held on that date to disperse any remaining jackpots

The book will be open to only members currently in good standing. Cost is \$1.00 to sign and must be signed by the member in person.

The book will be available to sign on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, July 24, 25, 26 only during normal operating hours. Only one entry during that three day period is needed to enter the final drawing. A final winning drawing will occur on Saturday July 27, 2019 during our club anniversary celebration event. Winner need not be present for drawing.

PRIZES:

Individual jackpot prize money will be limited to \$599.00 for taxation purposes.

Names will be continuously drawn at that time until all prize monies in the prize pool will be given away.

CLAIMING OF PRIZES:

The name of the drawing prize winners selected will be displayed at the club for a period of 7 days after the drawing date. If a winner does not claim a prize within 7 days of the drawing the club will notify the winner. The drawing winner shall claim the prize in person and sign for receipt of the prize. If prizes are unclaimed after 30 days, the prize amount shall be added to the proceeds.

SIMPLY STATED:

VISIT THE CLUB WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY OR FRIDAY JULY 24, 25, 26, 2019.

SIGN THE BOOK ONE TIME IN THAT TIME SPAN AND BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE FINAL DRAWINGS* TO BE HELD SATURDAY JULY 27, 2019 DURING OUR ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION EVENT.

* A new weekly book will begin July 31



**German-American Day at the
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Our annual Oktoberfest is the biggest event of the year at our club, the largest Oktoberfest in Pennsylvania and one of the largest and best in the whole country!

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Uber Rides: to and from the event so you don't have to worry about parking or driving after all the fun!

Adult Admission Passes: no waiting in line to pay admission, get in quicker and enjoy the day!

Food & Beer Tickets: your group will have complimentary tickets that can be used for all purchases!

Access to Reserved Seating: no more looking for a place to sit!

Advertising: Ad in the Oktoberfest Gazette, Display corporate banner on grounds, logo and advertisement on our website and in email newsletter to our membership!



Contact Sam Wandzilak for details on the different
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610-223-6554 or spwandz@comcast.net

OKTOBERFEST 2019 Parking

A *limited number of reserved parking passes* will be available for sale to MEMBERS ONLY beginning on **August 15** at a rate of \$10 per day. There are also a *limited number of handicap parking passes* available

Complete the form below and mail with your check, **payable to Reading Liederkrantz** to: **Oktoberfest Parking**, Reading Liederkrantz, PO Box 4338, Reading, PA 19606-4338. Credit card and checks will be accepted if applying for parking in person.

Members may pick up their parking pass at the clubhouse, beginning September 11. Only members living outside Berks County will have their pass mailed to them, provided the request arrives before September 20. After that we can't guarantee delivery by mail.

Oktoberfest volunteers will have a Volunteer parking pass issued for their scheduled shift. A volunteer pass will be needed to access the Volunteer lot.

A notice will be posted at the clubhouse, on the weekly e-blast, and on the website when reserved and/or handicap spaces have sold out. If we sell out of spaces, applications and payment will be returned to the sender. Thank you.

Satellite parking, with shuttle service, will be available from the Antietam Pool and the County Fields, on Hill road approximately one mile beyond the Reading Liederkrantz.

Oktoberfest Reserved Parking Application

Please print

Wednesday, October 2: _____ Thursday, October 3: _____ Friday, October 4: _____

Saturday, October 5: _____ Sunday, October 6: _____

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Stammtisch



You may have seen this sign in the dining area and wondered what it is? Traditionally, Stammtisch means a table reserved for regular members in a restaurant. But it also can mean an informal group meeting held on a regular basis. A few years ago, the idea of a Deutsches Gemütlichkeit Abend was begun with the idea of members gathering and informally sharing a meal and conversation. We are happy to have one of our members, John Levan, who has decided to take on the leadership of this group. The meeting days will remain the same, the second Wednesday of each month, but the time will be changed to 5:30-6:30. And of course the new name of the group is Stammtisch.

We hope you will decide to come and have dinner and be a part of this new group! The website and email blasts will have more information on the July 10 and August 14 Stammtisch. Anyone is welcome! There is no need to call for reservations.

THIRSTY THURSDAYS

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