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Ladies Auxiliary Card & Bingo

January 24, Friday
Youth Soccer Banquet

January 26, Sunday
Annual Membership Meeting with Elections – 2pm sharp

Upcoming Events:
February 2, Sunday
Super Bowl Party in the Rat

February 9, Sunday
Brunch

February 13, Thursday
Pinochle League Resumes

February 29, Saturday
VE Summit Bingo Night Fundraiser

SKAT IM RATSKELLER JEDEN FREITAG
PINOCHLE in Ratskeller every Thursday

CLUB WILL BE CLOSED ON WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 1st

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING and ELECTION
OF OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS FOR 2020
Sunday, January 26th at 2pm Sharp!
Admittance to meeting only upon presentation of 2020 Active Membership Card

NOMINATIONS FOR 2020 ARE:
President . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Herbert Schulze, Jr
Vice President . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Karl Halter
Corresponding Secretary . . . . . . . . . . . Wenzel Pisch
Recording Secretary . . . . . . . . . . . . . Peter Hansen
Financial Secretary . . . . . . . . . . . . . Andrea Feuchter
Treasurer . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . George West

TRUSTEES:
Markus Bernhardt
Bill Corley
Paul Joyce
Scott Rieber

DIRECTORS:
Monika Bernhardt
Don Bitterlich
Steve Feuchter
Diane Moritz Gerace
Dan Ryan

Charles Butz, Jr.
Steve Carey
Phil Gabel
Jim McCullough
Carol Taubenberger

Any active member who is interested in running for a position on the Board of Directors must contact one of the members of the Nominating Committee before the January Board Meeting which is Tuesday, January 21st. NO NOMINATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED IN THE BOARD MEETING! Please contact: George West at 215-495-3839 or gwest48756@verizon.net, Jim McCullough at micbeth3@comcast.net or Herb Schulze at hksjr40@yahoo.com. Additional nominees, who are not listed above, will appear on the ballot slip at the General Membership meeting. In order to be elected to the Executive Board, the nominee must be present at the meeting the day of the election, unless he/she has been properly excused in writing. His/Her letter must be in the hands of the Corresponding Secretary, Wenzel Pisch, prior to the General Membership meeting.

YOUTH SOCCER BANQUET
The Youth Soccer Banquet will be held on FRIDAY, JANUARY 24, 2020. Dinner will be served at 7:00 pm SHARP! This event is for all U8 through U12 teams. Please contact the respective coaches for information and reservations.

MEMBERSHIP DUES REMINDER
If you did not renew your 2020 membership, this will be the LAST issue of the “Waldesrauschen” calendar that you will receive and your name will be removed from our membership list. Dues will be accepted only if a $10.00 late fee payment is included with your membership payment.
CHEF’S MENU FOR DECEMBER 2020
~ Wednesday Self-Service Hours 5:00 to 7:00pm ~

1st – CLUBHOUSE CLOSED-HAPPY NEW YEAR!
8th – Chicken Marsala Crab Cakes
15th – Stuffed Pork Loin Fried Flounder
22nd – Salmon Pasta Primavera Alfredo
29th – Stuffed Shells Pork Schnitzel
February 5th – Meatloaf Fried Shrimp

Children’s Menu (under 10 years of age) – 2 Chicken Fingers & Fries - $6.50

ENTERTAINMENT NEWS
SUPER BOWL PARTY ~ Sunday, February 2, 2020, featuring beer and food specials. Come out and watch the Super Bowl on our big screen TVs.

also…
Baden-Württemberg Dinner Night
Saturday, January 18 at 7 p.m. in the Ratskeller
Featuring Food and Drink specials from the area

RUNDGESANG
Singing “im Volkston” of well-known German songs and a “Rundgesang” is now scheduled for Sunday, January 12, 2020, from 2pm to 4pm in the downstairs Schlaraffenroom at the Vereinigung Erzgebirge, 130 Davisville Rd, Warminster, PA 18974.

Ladies and gentlemen who love to sing are invited and are asked to reserve a seat prior to Friday, January 10 by calling Stefan at (610) 688-3941 or sending an email message to jochum@temple.edu.

While there are no charges for the singing event, drinks may be purchased at the bar and there is a Sunday Brunch from 10am to 2pm in the upstairs dining room.

VE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
The Club will again be awarding scholarships through the VE Memorial Scholarship Fund which was established last year. Any high school senior whose parent or legal guardian is a current member and will be continuing their education at a college, university or trade school is eligible to apply. Requests for an application should be emailed to veclub@verizon.net. The deadline for returning completed applications is February 28, 2020. Scholarships of at least $1,000 will be awarded in April. Anyone wishing to donate to the Scholarship Fund honoring someone special or in memory of a loved one is asked to note that the donation is for the “VE Scholarship Fund” and for whom it is honoring when sent to the Club office. Donations will help insure the successful future of this program for many years.

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Happy, Safe and Healthy New Year wishes from the Calendar Committee!
SPORTS KORNERT – “KICKS IN THE GRASS”
The VE Soccer family mourns the loss of our good friend and greatest fan, Tony Koller. Tony was a 50-year supporter of our soccer program, former Sports Chairman, Coach, and Majors Manager. His passing will leave a void along the sidelines of our games. Rest in Peace Tony.

Our youth and adult campaigns concluded in December with several honors. The U12 boys, U13 girls, and U16 boys teams were champions of their ICSL divisions, while the U14 boys claimed the title in their EDP league. Excellent work players and coaches.

The Majors and Reserves are both sitting in first place in their leagues at the winter break, while the Majors are still active in the EPSA Open and Amateur Cups, and more impressively, have qualified for the knockout round of the Lamar Hunt Open Cup. This cup ultimately can place our boys in a field of professional USL or MLS teams. Great exposure for the club and our program. Well done guys!!

Lastly, we wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Healthy New Year. Many thanks to all the coaches, parents, players, and volunteers who make our program the success it is.

Next Sports meeting is scheduled for Friday, January 10th at 7:00 pm.

Steve Feuchter / VESC Chairman

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POOL NEWS

!!!! 2020 Lifeguards and Managers needed !!!!

Anyone interested in being a lifeguard at the VE next summer needs to get certified this Winter/Spring. If you are planning on getting certified, please contact us early at veclub@verizon.net.

Thank you, Dan Ryan, Pool Chairperson

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VE LADIES AUXILIARY

The Ladies Auxiliary wishes all members and friends a HAPPY AND HEALTHY NEW YEAR. I want to thank all members and friends who came out and supported one of our oldest traditions “LICHTTEL ABEND”.

WEATHER PERMITTING OUR JANUARY SCHEDULE IS AS FOLLOWS:
If there are any concerns regarding the weather, please call the Taubenbergers (215) 343-2580.

Tuesday, January 21st – A.C. Trip to Caesar’s Casino. The cost is $30 per person. The bus leaves the V.E. Parking Lot at 9am and returns at approximately 7pm. The coin package will be announced upon our arrival at the Casino. For reservations, call the Taubenbergers at (215) 343-2580. Remember to bring your TOTAL REWARDS CARD to be eligible for the coin package.

Wednesday, January 22nd – CARD AND BINGO – All members and friends are invited for an afternoon of warm and friendly atmosphere. Come EARLY for Coffee and Danish. Doors open at 11 am. Donation is $5 per person. Sandwiches are available for purchase at the self-service window.

CARD PARTY BEGINS AT 12:30 p.m.

Hope to see you at our upcoming events!

Vi Taubenberger, President

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Just a reminder: ANY INFORMATION FOR THE CALENDAR MUST BE IN TO THE OFFICE BY THE 10th OF THE MONTH. Because of limited space, we reserve the right to edit information to fit the available space. Thank you!
For Booking of Parties or Affairs call the Club – Phone: 215-675-5380

To everyone celebrating their special day in January
“HAPPY BIRTHDAY” AND BEST WISHES
FOR CONTINUED GOOD HEALTH & HAPPINESS!

IN MEMORIAM

The Board of Directors extends our deepest sympathy to the families of the following members who have left us:

Anthony Koller, who passed away on December 1, 2019, joined VE in 1971, 48 year member

Heinz Taubenberger, who passed away on December 14, 2019, joined VE in 1961, a 58 year member

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HERZLICH WILKOMMEN ZU UNSERER KLUB
Welcome to Our Club!

Welcome to our new members who recently joined our Club in November 2019. We hope you will enjoy our facilities and have many happy and memorable hours at the Club.

Passive Member: Andrea Ambrus, Patricia Bermel, Caitlin Quinn Buck, Janus Burke, Tammy Catelli, Lisa Conway, Jacqui D’Ambra, Nicole Dernoski, Megan Duffy, Shawn Fagan, Wayne Greenberg, Philip Henry, Jeffrey Marsden, Melissa Melnick, Krista Moffatt, Nicole Mumma, Justin O’Brien, Danielle Spadea

MAINTENANCE COMMITTEE

VE is looking for members willing to donate a little time to keep the Clubhouse and property in good working order. We need people with abilities to make minor repairs in the carpentry, electrical, plumbing and painting fields of expertise as well as general handyman and helpers. If you are interested please call 215-675-5380 and leave your name and contact information.

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at the VE CLUB

Your child will enjoy a summer full of swimming, basketball, volleyball, street hockey, soccer, karate, dodge ball, capture the flag, science, arts & crafts. Send them a few days or all week from June 15th to August 21st. We offer camp for ages 4 to 12 years old.

Discounts, Discounts, Discounts! VE Members receive our lowest rate of $230 a week or $54 a day! Come to one of our Open Houses or book a private tour today. **These rates only last until March 31st**

Contact Kelly Degorski today at (215) 572-0469 or email her at info@CampRAD.net. Visit our website at www.CampRAD.net for more camp information and to register today.